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der. The dinners of rich men have been

frequent, but Baron Hirsch conceived

the idea of getting the 12 richest men

in London together and giving them a

dinner which would rank as the most

expensive one in the long history of that

According to a correspondent, it was

a feast of money from beginning to end.

Not a single guest was admitted whose

fortune was not estimated in millions

of pounds, and the English papers have

become delirious in trying to figure out

the exact wealth represented by the bar-

The baron himself made no pretense

of giving the dinner for a special ob-

ject, except to see how good a dinner he

could buy. The chef of the Hotel Savoy

and the proprietors of that establishment entered cheerfully into the baron's

scheme, and the result was a dinner

which it took four hours to eat, was

paid for in about four minutes and cost

upward of \$5,500. It cannot be wonder-

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is going on in Europe with substantial

comprehension of its import, and when

this new cable is in operation news of

than it has ever been before. - Boston

Her Peculiar Mania.

well connected in this city, has been ad-

judged insane and taken to the asylum

at Independence. Her mania was that

she was engaged to several young men

of the city, whom she threatened with

suits for breach of promise unless they

came to time. Her letters became so fre-

ment that it was decided to bring ber

before the commissioners of insanity.

It is a peculiar case. She even went so

far as to have her wedding trousseau

made. — Dubuque Cor. Minneapolis

A Novel Bottle.

patent medicine made an offer of \$20.-

000 to any one who should invent for

him a bottle that could not be refilled

after once being emptied. An ingenious

mechanic named McQuillan has invent-

ed such an article, and the firm has al-

lowed him six months more to make

any improvements or changes needed in

his invention. It is a curious yet sim-

ple article and will cost only a trifle

more than an ordinary bottle.-Lewis-

Wondrous Evolution.

mused the elephant, looking with lan-

ers that stood on the outside of the ropes

candy, "how many millions of years it

must require to evolve from the shape-

less and rudimentary projection on the

and perfect proboscis!"-Chicago Trib-

A farmer near Owingsville, Ky., says

he has a hen that never lays anything

but double eggs. He never brings any

of the eggs to market, but insists that

he is using them all for setting and

means to have a breed of twin hens.

"In the slow evolution of the race,"

A Skowhegan (Me.) manufacturer of

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ton Journal.

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great dinner giving metropolis.

on's 11 guests.

No careful housekeeper can afford to use any baking powder but Royal.

What's In a Name?

The custom of naming flats after their builders or owners is a growing one and sometimes results in a curious combination. Just below me are two new flathouses, built last summer. One was named "Albert," and on the plate glass front door of the adjoining one was the word "Madeira," it having been built by a patriotic gentleman who names his flathouses after various wines. But the latter was sold to a man named Hawkins, who forthwith put his own name up. So now the combination is complimentary to the old time and widely known White House coachman, "Albert Hawkins." - New York Herald.

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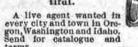
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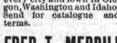
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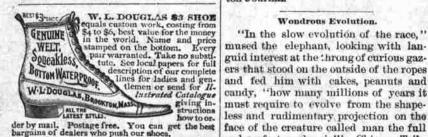






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Gaboriau never wrote a detective novel that had in it a more startling story of criminal revenge than has the follow ing true story from China. The assassination at Shanghai of Kim Ok Kim, the Korean conspirator, was the climax of 10 years of sleepless pursuit of this refugee by emissaries of the Korean gov-

It seems that Kim, who was the leader in the Seoul palace plot of 1884 and fled to Japan to avoid death, recently received letters from an old Korean exile in Shanghai offering to pay him a large sum that had been due many years if he would go to Shanghai. About the same time Kim received an invitation to go to Shanghai from Lord Li, formerly Chinese minister to Japan, specially instructed by Viceroy Li Hung Chang. This step was taken by the viceroy, it is assumed, owing to the increasing influence of Russia in Korean affairs, and he felt the necessity of an alliance with Japan as a setoff against the encroachments of Russia. For this reason the attitude of China toward Japan in connection with Korean matters has become The Banquet to Millionaires Recently Given much milder of late, as may be instanced in the appointment of a much more easy going minister in the place of Yuan, the late representative of millionaire who believes in royalty, who has followed the fortunes of the Prince China in Japan. With this change of of Wales assiduously, and who is suppolicy the support given by China to posed to have "staked" that personage the Ming family has sensibly declined, on many occasions. For awhile he and their influence has in consequence dropped out of the papers, but he is waned. Lord Li intended to have held back again now, and his genius for doa conference with Kim, with the idea ing things that cause people to talk seems again to be in good working orof drawing up a programme of progressive party politics which it was proposed

to introduce again into Korea. Kim saw the means of gaining a small fortune and of increasing his prestige with China and Japan. He saw that the latter might lead to his return to power. So he ignored the danger and started for Shanghai. Whether the assassin accompanied him is not known, but the day after he reached Shanghai Kim was killed in a foreign hotel.

The assassin, Kwo Sho, was caught and held for trial. He belongs to a family said to have held an official position for generations in the peninsular kingdom. He came to Japan in 1888, almost resourceless, and earned a difficult livelihood by various devices. Nevertheless in 1890 he managed to procure money for a trip to Europe, where he spent three years, often encountering hardship, but always finding means to live without recourse to char-Returning to Japan, he showed a keen interest in politics. Those who

ed at that the Prince of Wales is fond turer who would undertake any crime for sufficient reward. On the same day that Kim was killed a plan was devised for murdering Boku Ei Ko, another Korean who had solicited funds for a school in Tokyo for train-The laying of the new Atlantic cable ing Korean youth. One of the students, is not an event of the same importance Tai Gen, told his fellows that he had as the laying of the first cable of this been ordered by Li Itsu Shoku, a Kokind, but the fact that it is expected to rean, who claimed to have instructions raise the speed to 30 words a minute in from the king at Seoul, to murder Bothe transmission of messages indicates kn. The lad hesitated because the victhat it will revolutionize the sending of tim had been good to him. Li and the

know him best declare he is an adven-

students were arrested. After Kim fled from Korea repeated efforts were made by the Korean government to procure his extradition, but the Japanese foreign office refused to entertain any such demand, obviously opposed, as it was, to the practice of civiwhole of mankind are constantly being lized nations. For a time the refugee was prudent enough to avoid any act man. At the present time the news of that might shake the Japanese government's decision or endanger his own privilege of asylum. But as time went accuracy that we are able to judge what by he acquired assurance and began, or was supposed to have begun, fresh designs against the public peace of the country. The Japanese authorities had this kind will be much more complete then to choose between running the risk of troublesome complications with Korea, or ordering Kim to leave Japan, or removing him to some place where his machinations would be practically powerless. The first of these courses would have been plainly unstatesmanlike, the second would have involved Kim's death, and the third was open to several objections. Nevertheless the last course was chosen. Kim was sent to the Bonin islands. Here he lived a comfortable and uneventful life for some

Finally it was decided that the climate of the Bonins did not agree with Kim, and he went to Tokyo. An impression constantly prevailed among the Japanese that Kim could never rest without making some final attempt to carry out the programme which failed so signally in 1884. It is said that in his early days he three times dissipated the whole of his resources in gambling, and that his speculative tendency did not disappear, but only took a different

direction in later years. In his own country and in China he was always regarded as a factor of potential magnitude in the oriental question. The anxiety of his government about him was shown by repeated attempts to get possession of his person, and even, it is rumored, by more than

one commission to assassinate him. A man of considerable attainments and wide erudition, he possessed also the gift of winning not only confidence, but sympathy. During his residence in Japan-where he went by the name of Iwata Shukaku, wore the Japanese costume and spoke the Japanese language fluently-he made the acquaintance of many foreigners. - New York Telegram.

Chummy-So there has been no haz-

ing in your college this year? Soph-No. At the beginning of the term the president announced that one of the freshmen was an ex-cowboy, but he refused to tell which one it was .-

PETER THE GREAT.

A Horse 23 Hands High, Weighing 1,700 Pounds, Is Still Growing.

A freak of nature and world wonder in the shape of a horse is drawing many of the curious to the livery stable on South Third street just now. This specimen of the equine kind is unquestionably the tallest in the world. It is, in fact, a colt, not yet-3 years old, measuring the enormous height of 22 hands-7 feet and 4 inches. In weight this horse wonder tips the scales at 1,700 pounds.

Peter-that is his name-is a gelding and was foaled in Minnesota in June, 1891. He is of Norman stock and a beautiful dapple gray in color. What is almost as remarkable as his huge proportion is the fact that his dam and sire were not above the average size of that breed of horses. Another colt from the same dam and sire, a year younger than Peter, but proportionably as large, if not larger, died some months ago.

Peter, as evidenced by his weight, is a well proportioned animal. His limbs are clean cut, and the head, body and neck of good form. He is, as is the case with many colts, a little bit swaybacked, but this imperfection, horsemen say, will disappear with age. The hips are a little higher than the highest point of the shoulders, from which the height and measurement are usually taken.

Should the horse grow to maturity, it is not unreasonable to expect that he will attain fully 6 inches more in height and develop proportionately otherwise, carrying a weight possibly of 3,000 A gelding seldom attains its full height until 7 years old, while mares enerally mature two years younger.

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