

SELECTIONS

A MILLIONAIRE'S WHIM.

He Is About to Build a Palace Home Perfectly Fireproof.

Ralph Brisbane Nonesuch, who is reputed to have made a fortune of \$25,000,000 in South African diamond mines, has purchased a 500-acre tract in the Temescal district, near San Francisco, where he will erect a novel residence—a palace, in fact—upon which \$1,500,000 will be expended aside from the finishing. This is to be a structure built almost entirely of steel and glass.

The building is to be about 250 long by about 100 feet wide. At one end it will be surmounted by a tower 115 feet high; at the other end, by a similar tower, but of less size and height.

A striking feature will be the sides below the cornice, which slope to the ground with a curve at an angle of about 45 degrees. In the sloping sides are to be set huge oval windows 12 feet long and made to conform to the lines of the sides of the wall. The roof will be a huge gable extending the entire length of the building and terminating in another gable at right angles, in which are placed immense stained glass windows, one of which will be 50 feet long and 30 feet wide.

Not a foot of lumber or wood in any shape is to be used in the building. The materials will be iron, steel, aluminium, brass, bronze, platinum, silver, concrete, cement and stone. And the only stone used will be sculptured marble in the stairways and the main frieze, and onyx and decorative marble in the bathrooms, the stairs and a few other places. Then the foundations will be of steel and concrete. The floors will be of concrete, brass and aluminium, the walls of steel, and the roof of steel, brass and copper. The inside walls will be some of oxidized sheet iron, some brass, covered with a preparation that protects the burnish of the metal; some copper, some nickel and so on to correspond with the decorations of the room.

The ceilings will be arched and relieved here and there with great brass medallions. The partition walls will be composed of metal grilles extending from floor to ceiling, arranged in various designs, forming a vast network through which the visitor can see from the grand stairway at one end to the great ballroom at the opposite end. Rich tapestries will ordinarily cover the metal grilles and divide the interior into 14 apartments, eight of which will be chambers and consist each of a suite of four rooms—a sleeping room, dressing room, bathroom and study.

All the heating, lighting, ventilation and cooking will be done by electricity. The servants' quarters, the kitchen, the machinery and the laundry will all be in the basement. The waterwheel and dynamo will be located at the foot of the hill a considerable distance from the building. The sole entrance to the basement from without will be at the foot of the hill through a tunnel, so that no one from within or about the house will see the approach or entrance of servant, grocer, butcher or delivery wagon of any kind.

The structure itself will be surrounded by a broad walk, and outside of the walk will be an artificial lake surrounding the building and forming a moat to be crossed by a movable drawbridge, thus placing the house practically upon an island. This lake will be fed by water from artesian wells already in operation and pumped up by powerful pumps. The waters of the lake will also serve to run the dynamos that furnish light, heat and power for use in the building.—American Contractor.

Comment on Dr. Depew and the Railroads.

Dr. Depew and the magnates will find that their pretended concession in railroad rates to the fair will not catch the people; see if they don't. The American people are not to be treated like a herd of immigrants and crowded into excursion trains minus sleeping cars and liable to be side tracked for hours at half a dozen flag stations on the sand plains. The 10 day limit, too—that is a positive insult. Silver tongued Dr. Depew has dictated to the reporters a lot of encomiums for his plan and expects the public to swallow the stone he is giving them in the belief that it is bread. The greed and the consummate cheek of some of these railroad managers are matched only by their shortsightedness. The exposition will continue to feel the effects, and the railroads too.—Springfield (Mass.) Homestead.

Went For Hogs and Got Bears.

John Bingham and William Bowler of Grant's Pass had a lively time with two large black bears on Murphy creek a few weeks ago. They were out hunting for some hogs and were separated by some distance. When Mr. Bowler saw his game, it was close to him, so he shot it dead, but Mr. Bingham, who was also close to his bear, did not make a fatal shot, only wounding old bruin, who immediately proceeded to take the gun himself. Mr. B. kept on shooting the bear as he neared him and finally killed it when it was but a few feet away. The two hunters came across the bears almost at the same time.—Portland Oregonian.

Carried Money in Her Handkerchief.

It is said that a roll of bills containing \$2,050 was accidentally dropped by a woman from a car window on the Boston and Maine railroad just after leaving Portsmouth, N. H., Thursday evening. The money was rolled in a handkerchief, and as she pulled it from her pocket she said that the bills went out of the window. The woman was frantic over her loss, but could not leave the train until it reached North Hampton, as the conductor refused to stop between stations. She got off the car at North Hampton and stated that she was going to walk back to Portsmouth, a distance of nine miles.—Boston Transcript.

BREVITIES

STAGE GLINTS.

John T. Sullivan denies that he has married Rose Coghlan.

Mathilde Cottrelly will appear with Russell's comedians next season.

Edwin Arden will be a member of Thomas W. Keene's company next season.

Max Figman has been engaged to support Johnstone Bennett next season in "Fanny."

Ellen Terry has been writing a volume of reminiscences which will soon be published.

Fanny Rice is in Geneva on her way to the Mer de Glace. She has bought a new play in Paris.

Henry V. Donnelly of Donnelly and Girard was married recently in New York to Miss Kate Allen.

There is a report in circulation that Minna Gale-Haynes will return to the footlights next season.

Alma Stewart Stanley, the once great English burlesquer, is at present singing in a concert garden in Paris.

A faraway Johannesburg (South Africa) critic hoists the following over his column: "No tickets, no notice."

Manager J. M. Hill states over his own signature that he has no intention to retire from theatrical management.

Emily Soldene, once famous as a comic opera prima donna, is now supplying the Sydney Evening News with theatrical and musical notices.

Go-won-go Mohawk and her company are said to be quite the rage in England at present. They are playing in first class houses to packed audiences.

Nat Goodwin will begin his season at the New York Fifth Avenue theater on Aug. 28 with Augustus Thomas' comedy, "In Missouri." Mr. Goodwin plays a nifty little sheriff of the southwest.

TURF TOPICS.

Sleepy Jim, a horse that is trotting this year, stands close to 13 hands.

The late Senator Hearst paid \$38,000 for King Thomas. The horse was sold recently for \$750.

Cyclone, 2:23, although 17 years old, trotted a quarter on the Paris (Ky.) track in 33 1/2 seconds recently.

Mattie H. 2:11, and Lysander Wilkes are in Russia. Both have been trained for long distance races.

C. J. Hamlin, one of the leading trotting men of the country, goes on record as saying that the kite track must go.

Scientists say that horses will eat 60 varieties of plants, the cow 50 and the sheep 550 out of 900 plants in the test.

William Russell Allen has tendered his resignation as a member of the board of review of the National Trotting association.

Meddler, the 3-year-old by St. Gatien, purchased in England for \$75,000 by W. H. Forbes of Boston, will not be raced this year.

The Manchester (N. H.) track is illuminated by electric light, and night racing is to be one of the features of the summer season.

The cost of the Columbus handicap to the Washington Park club was \$17,000, that being the sum it had to add to make up the \$35,000 guaranteed.

The fair grounds at Newark, O., are no doubt the most historical grounds of the kind in the world. The track is built within a sort of fortification, which was probably erected by the mound builders.

ODDS AND ENDS.

Mulhall estimates that the civilized nations annually pay \$2,740,000,000 for food.

In Spain women servants are said to be capricious, slatternly and generally inferior. Men servants, if good, demand high wages.

A curious caprice is that of a New York woman who has made a collection of penny toys and has secured over 600 of such trophies.

A suit in the English chancery court begun 152 years ago was concluded the other day. The government duties and legal fees covered nearly the entire sum fought for.

Pennsylvania has more timber than all the other north Atlantic states put together, seven times as much as New York, one-half more than Maine and more than any other of the western states short of those on the Pacific coast.

The name of "zodiacal light" has been given to a singular appearance frequently witnessed soon after sunset or just before sunrise. It may be seen at all seasons of the year in low latitudes and is obviously due to illuminated matter surrounding the sun.

ATCHISON MUSINGS.

A man would rather be wicked than ridiculous.

If you want to make a doctor hate you, call him "mister."

A woman thinks that a man can accomplish anything. But a man knows better.

People forget so many aches in their sleep that it is a wonder they don't try to sleep more.

What a contemptible weakness charity is when it is felt for the faults of those you dislike!

They say that when two people truly love each other they can live on what it formerly cost to keep the man. But they say a great many things that are not true.

When we remember how bravely a woman has her teeth pulled and how a man yells, we sometimes think that pain hurts a man worse than it hurts a woman.—Atchison Globe.

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