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LATE STATISTICS.

The growth of wealth in countries that were rich and densely peopled a century ago has been very great, as may be seen from the recent report of the statistics of France.

Of all the countries of the civilized world England has made the greatest progress. Her foreign trade is more than double that of France.

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A YOUNG man now lies under sentence of death in this state who, but for the influence of the kind of literature furnished for the young to be found at almost every book stand, would without doubt have led a steady, industrious life on the farm at home and ended his days possessed of "honor, love, obedience, troops of friends."

MR. HOLDEN'S NARRATIVE.

A Romantic Story of Shipwreck, Captivity and Suffering.

CAST AMONG BARBAROUS SAVAGES.

Horace Holden Subjected to Unheard of Sufferings Among the Barbarous Pelew Islanders.

CHAPTER VIII.

In the names of these islanders I could not find that they had anything like a family name, but only a single one, (corresponding to our christian names) as is the case, I believe, throughout the islands of the Pacific.

A detail of all that befell us would serve only to give pain to the benevolent, or at most to show how much human beings can endure. I shall attempt but little more than to describe the sufferings of a day.

This island, unlike the Pelews, is one of the most horrible and wretched on the face of the globe. The only product of its soil worth mentioning is the cocoa tree, and those are of so dwarfish and miserable a growth as to bear but very few nuts.

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Whether they could in any way be improved by instruction, is a question which it would be difficult to answer. They seem to be doomed to remain as one of the last links in the chain that connects our race with the animal part of creation.

Weak Women. The more sensitive nature of the female sex renders women much more susceptible than men to those numerous ills which spring from lack of harm in the system.

It was, but I wouldn't have minded if the audience hadn't seemed so disappointed when I got out.

Is Life Worth Living?

"Is life worth living?" Ask of him Who toils both day and night To make a little home for those So dear unto his sight.

"SCRAPS."

Archery is coming in style in the east again.

A steam ferry is to be had at Corvallis in a few weeks.

John O'Connor, a member of parliament, refused to testify before the Parnell commission in London.

Another fierce conflict between the Egyptians and the dervishes has been reported, in which both sides lost heavily.

In a dispute over a game of cards at Virginia, Nev., a man named Lavarona shot and killed another man by the name of Stevens.

"Doctor, why didn't you kill that snipe? He came just right for you."

Spraying orchards in Oregon seems to have resulted in much good. Fruit growers say that apples will not be infected with worms this year as they were last season.

He—"I wonder whether old Fittins will be there this evening."

Said a good brother in a meeting here the other night: "Before I converted I used to go to the circus and it took me a week to get over it."

Musical Visitor—"What a handsome piano!" Mrs. Tiptop—"Yes, I do not know of any single piece of furniture I have that I am more proud of than my piano. It was made to order at a cost of \$5000."

The famous leaning tower of Pisa has been put up for sale by lottery.

The municipality of Pisa, having become greatly straitened for money on account of expensive improvements, offers the tower for sale, in order to prevent the town hall from being seized, and has adopted the method of lottery to raise the highest price possible.

"I can give you gas if you are afraid the pain will be to great to endure," said a dentist to an elderly colored woman who had come to have several teeth extracted.

When two or more colors are used, it is necessary to keep in mind the laws governing the combination of colors. All colors in combination are beautiful, provided only that the combination is artistically managed.

In a small town near Wheeling, W. Va., lately, a housewife was unable to churn her butter, and the failure was attributed to a witch.

The immediate symptoms of Dyspepsia, or Indigestion, are a distressing sense of weight, oppression and fullness in the stomach, heartburn, loss of appetite, foul breath, belching, flatulency, nausea, pain in the shoulders and breast.

According to Mr. Stanley, the arrow poison used by the natives of the Lower Congo district is made from a species of red ants found in that locality.

The Age of Modern Man. People are fond of saying that "Mankind is growing wiser and weaker." But is it really so? Let us glance at the facts.

"How are you getting along?" asked a traveling man of an old acquaintance who had gone on the stage.

"That must have been embarrassing."

"It was, but I wouldn't have minded if the audience hadn't seemed so disappointed when I got out."

Take Hood's Sarsaparilla 100 Doses One Dollar

The Chief Reason for the great success of Hood's Sarsaparilla is found in the article itself. It is merit that wins, and the fact that Hood's Sarsaparilla actually accomplishes what is claimed for it, is what has given to this medicine a popularity and sale greater than that of any other sarsaparilla or blood purifier before the public.

A Portland engineer has patented an apparatus for preventing suffocation by smoke. It has been satisfactorily tested by several fire departments and will no doubt bring the inventor a fortune.

Electric Bitters. This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise.

At a stormy session of the executive committee of the Grand Army council, held in Milwaukee, a long set of resolutions were adopted, practically stopping all further preparations for a national encampment.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve. The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box.

Every industry grows as long as it produces, or gives promise of producing, a profit for the use and risk of the surplus invested in it. When, for any reason, the hope of profit fails the industry dies.

How's This? We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by taking Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. Cheney & Co., proprietors, Toledo, O.

Rev. J. W. Parsons of Olneyville, R. I., is an aggressive prohibitionist with all that the term implies. In a sermon last week he said: "I would sooner license twenty men in this town to kill whom they pleased than I would vote to license twenty men to sell rum."

The yellow fever scourge in the South, the Ohio floods, the fire disasters of Rochester and other cities awakened his profoundest sympathies and in each instance his check for from \$500 to \$5,000 swelled the several relief funds.

His charities are as ready and magnificent as his enterprises and public spirit are boundless.

An incident led him into the manufacture of medicine. Seized some twelve years ago with what the ablest physicians termed fatal kidney disease, he was miraculously restored to health by what is now known as Warner's Safe Cure.

The merit of a production is in exact keeping with the character of its producer. An honest and reliable man himself, Mr. Warner makes honest and reliable medicines—a fact abundantly attested by their phenomenal efficacy and popularity.

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THE OREGON LAND COMPANY!

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Buy a Lot in Highland Addition for Three Hundred Dollars,

And let some other fellow pay \$1000 for an inferior lot so well located.

Ferry's Seeds. D. M. FERRY & CO. are acknowledged to be the Largest Seedsmen in the world.

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ST. PAUL'S SCHOOL, Boys and Girls. The school will open on the 24th of September.

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