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Inoculation for the plague is coming more into favor in Bombay City, as many as 7,170 persons having been so treated in one week.

A London man who was willed an annuity of \$2,000 until his wife was buried caused her body to be embalmed and sealed up in a glass case, which he placed in an upper chamber of his house.

Evans Weed, a wealthy farmer of Newfield, Conn., will petition the legislature to change his name to Adam, after which he will transform his large farm into a duplication, as far as may be, of the garden of Eden. Then he will advertise for some woman, named Eve, to be his consort.

The death of James Parsons, of Devonshire, England, is announced. He was known as the "singing machine" because he had memorized and could sing about four thousand songs. One evening he made and won a bet that he could go on singing until daylight without repeating any song.

A couple of talking machines occupied the pulpit of Zion Tabernacle, Chicago, on a recent Sabbath. Through them the Rev. John A. Dowie conducted services and preached, gave out the hymns, etc., although he was several miles distant, resting himself at White Lake, Mich. His voice was distinctly heard all over the church.

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The following notice is posted on the wall of a hotel in Glasgow, Scotland: "Discussions on the war and the twentieth century will not be allowed until the close of both."

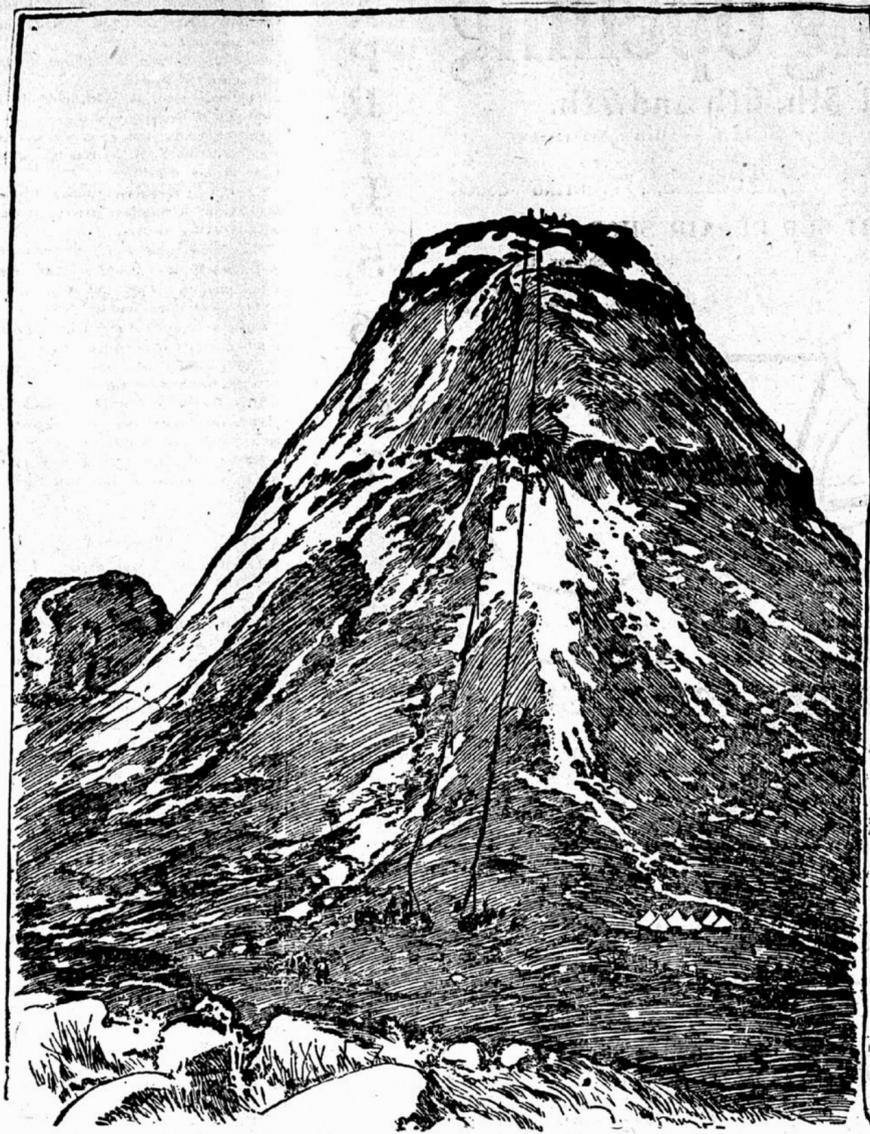
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Once a second lieutenant of American regulars was up for examination for promotion. One of the questions asked of him by a grizzled member of the board was this: "If you were out scouting and a hill should suddenly rise up before you what would you do?" "I'd run like h—l," said the lieutenant, promptly, who added, "I wouldn't want to stay in a country where hills are liable to rise up like that." These are the kind of hills or kops that confront the Tommies in South Africa. And the Tommies "run like h—l," too, only being brave men in actual warfare, they run mostly toward the top of the hills. These hills, many of them, are about as nearly perpendicular on all sides as they can be without toppling over. The particular hill in this picture is Coleskop, in the Colesberg district, and the scene was sketched by G. D. Giles, war artist of the London Graphic. Coleskop jumps straight out of the plain a thousand feet and more into the air, and commands the entire surrounding country. It was seized by the British, who immediately made plans to fortify it. By infinite hard labor and perseverance two fifteen-pound field guns were dragged to the summit. But the guns are useless without a continuous and unending supply of ammunition. To save the labor of carrying shot and shell up by hand, the engineers constructed an endless belt of bridging wire. This wire can stand a strain

of 2,000 pounds, and each load of ammunition and water which was sent up there weighed forty pounds. The length of one span from top to bottom, was 1,400 feet, and so it may be guessed, what the perpendicular height of the hill is. After holding the hill for some time with a small detachment the British found themselves greatly outnumbered by the Boers, and were obliged to abandon the position.

SHERIDAN'S WIT.

As illustrated by an Incident During a Prince's Banquet. "Every one has read innumerable anecdotes of the wit and presence of mind of Richard Brinsley Sheridan," said W. W. Clarke of Buffalo at the Waldorf-Astoria. "but I tumbled across one the other day that I had never before seen in print. When the question arose as to making George IV., while still Prince of Wales, regent, on account of the madness that had overtaken George III., there was violent and virulent opposition to the plan, not only on account of the looseness of the Prince's mode of living and the general laxity of his morals, but also because of his stand on what was then known as the wheat laws. Edmund Burke, who was in the fullness of his power, was supposedly opposed to the Prince's ambition, and the future king in consequence was paying assiduous court to the great states-

man. Burke at this time was a man of rigid deportment and of great austerity of manner. One night the Prince gave a dinner at which Burke sat on his right, Sheridan on his left, with Sir Joshua Reynolds, the portrait painter, sitting next to Sheridan. The dinner was in full swing, Sheridan, as was his wont, launched into a story, which might be politely described as extremely risque, being, in fact, as

Foreign Attaches in South African War



While the Boers and the British are carrying on their tragic drama of war, the different foreign attaches in South Africa are playing the part of most interested spectators, receiving free and most instructive object lessons in the art of modern campaigning. The accompanying illustration is from a recent photograph of the different foreign attaches at Cape Town, who have now taken up positions at the front to observe and report on the progress of

affairs for their different governments. Beginning on the left, the first of the standing figures is Col. Stakhovitch, Russian attaché; the second is Capt. Trimmel, of Austria, and the third is Col. Slocum, of the United States. The sitting figure on the extreme left is Capt. Gentilini, the Italian representative; the central figure is that of Capt. Baron von Luttwitz, who represents the kaiser, and the man on the right again is Capt. d'Armande, the French attaché.

WINTER IN SWITZERLAND.



TOBOGGANING IN SWITZERLAND. Among the novel delights of a winter in Switzerland is the sport of tobogganing. The Swiss toboggan slide is usually down a mountain side, so it is no gentle little pastime to go careering down such a slide as that partially shown in the accompanying illustration, which represents the Crest run at St. Moritz. This run is reputed to be the fastest one in the world, though not so dangerous as some of its rivals

in the neighborhood. Anything more beautiful than the lake at St. Moritz after the first frost and heavy snowfall is impossible to imagine. Hitherto Switzerland has been known to American tourists only as a summer resort, but the different winter resorts to be found in that little land of great mountains are beginning to attract the new world traveler to the Alps during the winter as well as the summer months.

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