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RUSSIA'S SENSITIVENESS.

In the matter of the abrogation of the treaty of 1822 the czar's government is displaying a tender sensitiveness which is truly touching.

It is not so much that Russia minds abrogating the treaty which has been found so objectionable to millions of American citizens. She is perfectly willing, if we desire it, that the paper shall be torn up and thrown in the waste basket.

It has been deemed necessary through countless centuries that diplomatic intercourse should be surrounded by as much flubdub and characterized by as deep hypocrisy as possible.

Viewed from one standpoint, the particular phraseology of the Suler resolution is of small importance, so long as it accomplishes the end for which it is designed, but looked at in another light it becomes a matter of very serious concern.

There really lies the cause for the czar's sensitiveness—there is the secret of his fine-spun diplomacy. His real object is to place the government of this country in an untenable position.

A GOOD MAXIM GONE WRONG.
The maxim of the English law that it is better that ninety-nine guilty men escape than that one innocent man should suffer has, in its application by the courts of this country, been responsible for more deviltry than can easily be calculated.

The main fault with it has been that it has resulted in throwing a greater degree of protection around the ninety-nine guilty men than the one innocent man for whose benefit it was intended.

How different it is with us. The criminal is armed with every possible weapon to enable him to secure his freedom, while the state whose laws he has violated and the people whose safety he has imperiled are obstructed and hindered in every effort to bring him to justice.

Of course it will be argued that every man is, and rightly should be, presumed innocent until he is proven guilty, but that argument presents no good reason why all opportunity to prove that guilty should be denied.

TREES.

Is there anything that God has given to man more beautiful than a noble tree? Is there anything which ministers more completely to human happiness and comfort?

Trees are all too few in New Mexico. It is not because the soil will not support them, for the contrary has been demonstrated; but because our people have not awakened to a sufficient appreciation of the advantage of trees.

We have some beautiful trees in Albuquerque, but not enough of them, and they are not increasing at a rate commensurate with the growth of the city.

It is a popular eastern fallacy that New Mexico is a desert. Let's nail that lie by showing the traveling public who pass through the state that we can make of it a vista of loveliness.

We shall wait impatiently to learn whether President Madero holds General Reyes responsible for the earthquake that took place in Mexico Saturday.

With Persia and Congressmen Suler both on her hands, Russia is having a very interesting time of it these days.

"Murder is murder," exclaims Colonel Roosevelt. For downright originality you simply have to slip it to the contributing editor.

Now for a real live sporting proposition we would like to see a race for president next year between Samuel Gompers and William J. Burns.

Of course, you can't exactly call it early shopping this week, but if you can't be early, be as early as you can.

What is there about bromo-seltzer that causes the family of its manufacturer to run so to divorces?

RARE VINTAGES OF FRANCE.
This year's produce of the famous Chateau Margaux and Haut Brion to Leoville and Ponsat Cane, has already been sold first hand at some 50 per cent above the average price of the last decade.

Since the public announcement of Senator Guggenheim that he will not be a candidate for re-election, not a Republican has had the courage to even put out a feeler to become Simon's successor.

How did your wife come to buy you all those suspenders? I think she wanted the pretty boxes they came in.—Judge.

pared with 225 hogheads in 1909; Laffite, 229 hogheads against 190; Langos, 249 against 332; Chateau Loudenne, 720 hogheads against 709 in 1909.

There is every probability of the 1911 sauterne wines being the finest since the famous vintage of 1893, the extreme heat of three rainless months having produced to perfection that lusciousness of the grape for which the white wine district is famous.

Not only the minor growths and the thousand of Bourgeois, Artisan and Ponsat growths, have produced sauternes of a richness that occurs only a few times in a century.

In the Cote d'Or, where the quantity does not amount to a third of an average crop, the prices paid for the wines are enormous. There has probably not been such a perfect vintage as regards quality for more than twenty years, and many anticipate it may reach the great year of 1865.

The champagne vintage this year is, both in the white and red grape districts, of exceptionally fine quality; but the quantity will, unfortunately be small.

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DOROTHY ARNOLD IS MISSING ONE YEAR

Disappearance of Girl Has Puzzled the Police of Two Continents Apparently Never to Be Solved.

(New York Letter to Evening Herald.)
New York, Dec. 18.—Miss Dorothy Arnold, whose mysterious disappearance from her home here puzzled the police of two continents has been missing one year.

Miss Arnold's absence became known to the home on January 25, and since that time many reports of her death, her appearance in other cities here and in Europe and of her return home have been circulated.

The situation after a year's search is thus summed up by Attorney John S. Keith, the Arnold's legal representative: "Since the morning when Miss Arnold left the home of her parents not one word has ever been received from her, nor have we or anyone else who aided in the worldwide search been able to find a single clue to what became of her."

Short If It Doesn't Start Soon.
Dandelions were in bloom on lawns of some residences at Bayside, L. I., yesterday, and the grass was as green as in spring.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE First National Bank ALBUQUERQUE, N. M. At the Close of Business, December 5th, 1911.
RESOURCES
Loans and Discounts \$1,811,474.07
Bonds, Securities, Etc. 36,042.81
Banking House and Furniture 42,000.00
United States Bonds 340,000.00
Cash and Exchange 1,109,550.46
Total 3,339,067.14
LIABILITIES
Capital \$ 200,000.00
Surplus and Profits 51,432.20
Circulation 200,000.00
Deposits 2,887,634.94
Total 3,339,067.14
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