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# Hood's Sarsaparilla

d by all dealers. Price, \$1. Get Hood's. Hood's Pills cure indigestion. 25 cents.

E. A. Burbank, the portrait painter succeeded in getting two pictures, a pro file and a full face, of the Apache, Geron imo, during the Omaha exposition. Asked how much he would charge to sit, the Indian replied, "You'll get about \$5 for the picture: give me \$2.50," but later he demanded \$1 more to don his war paint.

The Thanksgiving proclamation issued by Governor Bradley of Kentucky is not a rhetorical gem, but it covers the ground. It is as follows: "Thursday, the twentyfourth day of November next, is hereb set apart as a day of thanksgiving and

#### Saves Time and Money.

It is delightful weather to breathe fresh, invigorating air, but take care of lumbago, or else St. Jacob's Oil must take care of it and cure it promptly. It saves time and money.

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wonderful vegetable compound. I was very ill, suffered with female weakness and displacement of the womb.
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the floor, I suffered so with pain in my
side and small of my back. Was trouside and small of my back. Was troubled with bloating, and at times would faint away; had a terrible pain in my heart, a bad taste in my mouth all the time and would vomit; but now, thanks to Mrs. Pinkham and her Vegetable Compound, I feel well and sleep well, can do my work without feeling tired; do not bloat or have any trouble whatever.

"I sincerely thank you for the good advice you gave me and for what your medicine has done for me."

"Cannot Praise It Enough."

Miss GERTIE DUNKIN.

Franklin, Neb., writes:

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'I was at last persuaded to try Lydia "I was at last persuaded to try Lydia E. Pinknam's Vegetable Compound, and cannot praise it enough for what it has done for me. I feel like a new person, and would not part with your medicine ! have recommended it to several of my friends."



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### TOO BRAVE TO BOAST.

East Coast Fisherman's Cool Diage-gard for Danger. Scribner's Magazine tells a story of that reckless daring and cool disregard of chances which seems so tripical of the American character. In 1850 a coaster bound to Boston from the East came to anchor off Pigeon cove in the teeth of a howling gale. She rode heavily, and the break-water to leavard, like a diabolical magnet, dragged the reluctant vessel ever closer and

men who were watching on th shore saw that it could not be long bed crimson or mustard yellow.

fore the boat would break up, and

It is still considered desirable that started to Rockport for a lifeboat to some little touch of color should be givescue the crew; but there were three en to men's evening clothes, which, fishermen who saw at a glance that the life-boat would never get there in time, so George Saunders and the two brothers. Zacharle and Constance, Surette. ers, Zacharle and Constance Surette started on the run for the schooner Cora Lee, tied up s siy at the wharf. From her they borrowed a dory and rowed out, all the while talking cheer-

"Hurry, boys! We mustn't let those fellows in the life-boat get ahead of

"Won't they feel cheap? See: They had passed the breakwater, and were facing the furious gale. The three men could hardly hold their oars; it was difficult to keep the dory from "Won't they feel cheap? See!"

After almost superhuman efforts they After almost superhuman enorms they reached the schooner, which by this time was riding bows under and drifting rapidly. It was so rough a sea that the men on board had to leap into the water and be picked up.

Every one was saved, and none too

There was a desperate backing of water, a perilous turning, a pull to the harbor, a magnificent bending to the oars, and then came the dull crash upon the rocks.

In five minutes after the men had been rescued the vessel was kindling-wood. When they were safely landed, one of the three heroes said: "That's a good joke on the life-boat

This was their only comment upon the situation and so far as can be learned, no one ever bragged about the exploit, or even mentioned it again The fishermen treated it as if it had

was doing her best. She was simply too far away to get there in time.

LACE-MAKERS OF BRUGES,

Their Craft Venerable by Reason of Its Antiquity.

Not all the lace-makers of Bruges are as pretty as this typically Flemish maid, for some are the oldest women of the town, who sit and "rattle their



A BRUGES LACE-MAKER.

night, either on little stools in the street or in their own doorways. In that quier, sleepy, artistic little city lace-making is still the chief industry. It was first made in Bruges in a crude form in the twelfth century, having been intro-duced from Greece and the Ionian isles, the knowledge being brought by the Venetians and the Flemings, though the last-named originated the make of "pillow lace," and no country has ever equaled them in its make. Fine lace was first made in 1320. The spinners are taught to work almost in darkness in order that their eyes may become ac customed to pay the most constant and minute attention and to spin with web-like fineness. Brussels lace is, of course, the most valuable and popular, and for the finest makes the patterns are all worked separately, almost microscopic, and are sewn on to the net afterwards. The cost of this lace varies from \$30 to \$2 for about three-quarters of a yard.

English in Chinese Customs Service. The Chinese customs service is head-ed by an Englishman. It is chiefly manned by Englishmen, It was created and organized by an English army officer and diplomatist, Sir Thomas Francis Wade. At Hong Kong and Wei-Hai-Wei England has ports, and in the former case a tract of mainland has recently been added to the possessions of England. The Chinese navy has been built in English shipyards, and much of the time has been commanded by The native steamship lines have English commanders.

## A Magnificent Tomb.

The most magnificent tomb in the vorld is deemed to be the palace Temple of Karhak, occupying an area of nine acres, or twice that of St. Peter's at Rome. The temple space is a poet's dream of gigantic columns, beautiful courts and wondrous avenues

Sneezing a Bad Omen in Persia.

A Persian never takes a dose of physic until he has previously obtained favorable answer from heaven in the shape of an omen. Should he happen to sneeze when he has the potion at his lips he throws the medicine away.

Whenever a boy sees a braid hanging down a girl's back his fingers be gin to itch to pull it.

NEW DRESS COAT.

Lapel Decorated with Raised Floral Designs-Cut Is Unchanged.

From time to time efforts have been nade by sartorial professors to relieve berness of gentlemen's evening the somberness of general according dress. Last autumn vests of divers ornate kinds were introduced, one variety being in positive colors that suggested that the wearer was a member of some hunt or even a foot-ball club. This deperture was altogether too glaringly upconventional to "catch on," few men finding sufficient courage to appear at



NEW DRESS COAT.

ugh admittedly neat, are too funercasions at which they are great difficulty is to hit up lieve they have solved the prob with a new dress coat. In this coat y embroidery work replaces the plain silk facings. No important ge has been made in the cut of the but the lapel is decorated with i floral designs. The background floral designs. The background course, black, and against this the of flowers, dotted with the colors originals they represent, show up at advantage. The work is done nd and done very neatly, judging the specimens shown.

e customer may have any design coses worked on his coat, as each to be made separately. Therefore it will rest with himself whether much or little color is introduced. So far the tendency has been to avoid anything too obtrusive. A design that will probably gain much favor is one in which threads of old gold appear on the tips of the flowers. If desired, two or more colors can be employed, but authorities do not expect this plan to meet with much favor. Of all the attempts made in recent years to give to gentlemen's dress clothes a little of that pictur-esqueness which characterized the garb of their forefathers, this is undoubtedly st acceptable. And it will be in teresting to see to what extent the new fashion is adopted.

FROM CHRISTIANS' BULLETS.

The Mahdi's Tomb at Omdurman Al-most Shot to Pieces.

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After the fall of Omdurman the After the fall of Omdurman the mahdl's tomb was found to be consid-erably damaged by the shell fire from the victorious army. The interior of the building was completely gutted and



HDI'S TOMB SHOT TO PIECES.

and thirty feet high. From above the square the great dome, forty feet to scent terminal. The interior is ornamented. A wooden sarus with glass panels stands in ter beneath the arched roof. The ion is from the London Daily illus

ation of Doctors' Lives.

inch statistician has discovered the sixteenth century the aver-ation of a doctor's life was only ars. In the seventeenth century ed 45 2-3 years, in the eighteenth cert 49 2-3 years, in the eighteenth time finds it is 55 years. The same incer purposes to ascertain whether the crage longevity of patients has incast in the same proportion.

7 custom of keeping birthdays is ma thousand years old. Pharaoh's birth festivities are mentioned in the ntateuch. days Celebrated in Egypt.

of girls think they are better loog than they really are.

ourse women are naturally credu

IDAHO.

The telephone line between Wallace and Missoula will be completed about Decem-ber 20, a full crew of men now being at

work on either end. work on either end.

A petition for authority to put a steam ferry about a quarter of a mile above the present Indian ferry at Spakding, is being extensively signed, and will be presented

o congress next session for action.

The Baptist congregation hope soon to ave a house of worship in Lewiston, Ida ho. The pastor, Rev. Slauch, is advised that if a building site is secured the misonary board will appropriate \$2000 for

building.

Active work will begin this week or the big Vineland-Lewiston bridge. The sub-contractors who have the work of building the masonry piers in hand are on the ground, and the preliminaries are now

phen Reuben and Charles Black hawk, the former a Nez Perce and the latter a Umatilla Indian, have just returned to Genesee from a hunting trip of two months in the wilds of Idaho. They took with them 18 head of horses and re turned with the animals well loaded with hides and smoked, dried and fresh meats. Mr. Reuben stated that they killed 73 deer, three elk, four mountain sheep, four black bear, one red fox, and a large amount of small game.

amount of small game.

The railroad graders on Lapwai creek have not adjusted their right of way troubles satisfactorily with the Indians and the government. The Indian trust deed the government. The Indian trust deed from the government prohibits transfer of title for 20 years. The land has passed from the control of the government so that a new feature of eminent domain presents itself in this controversy. The question will, perhaps, go to the courts for adju-dication.

As the result of the wide circulation of the Inland Empire issue of The Spokes-man-Review, M. C. Normoyle of Kendrick, received a letter from a gentleman in Bos-ton today, in which he states that for the first time in his life he had heard of a man bearing the same name as his, and wrote to extend congratulations.

J. Landsman, of Salubria, is the first

J. Landsman, of Salubria, is the lifety man in Idaho at take advantage of the new United States bankruptcy law; his attorney, O. F. Buse, having filed the first petition in Idaho under this law, says the Citizen. In 1888 Mr. Landsman failed in Citizen. In 1888 Mr. Landsman failed in business in Helena, Mont., with liabilities to the amount of \$20,000 and nominal assets aggregating about \$63,000, but as there was no law to adjust matters except there was no law to adjust matters except by the slow process of a receiver, Mr. Landsman has been unable to do business for himself. The courts have now declar-ed him a bankrupt.

#### Strain Our Resources.

If a heavy rail demand, a general active consumption, stimulated by wide spread increased purchasing capacity. coupled with low prices coincident—as they promise to be—then 1899 ought to strain our productive resources to the utour productive resources to the ut-

So far as the general trade is concerned the developments of the week have been favorable throughout. Seaboard consumers of foundry iron are beginning to take increasing interest in the market. In Philadelphia sales have been heavy and elsewhere leading founders are coming forward. Some of the large pipe founder are testing the market and some good sized inquiries have been out for basic open hearth pig.
In the Pittsburg district there has been

some good buying of Bessemer pig, while steel billets have recovered from their recent weakness and are held at highe

In Chicago there have been very large purchases of car material, the sales bar figuring up 10,000 tons, while one of der for 500,000 tons of beams was place

Export inquiries are numerous, but the question of ocean freights is becoming more and more troublesome. It is stop-ping much new business and is delaying deliveries on old contracts.

A statistician has estimated that average man 50 years old has worked 6500 days, has slept 6000, has amused osou days, nas sept ooon, nas amusca himself 400, has walked 12,000 miles, has been ill 5000 days, has partaken of 36,000 meals, eaten 15,000 pounds of meat and 4000 pounds of fish, eggs and vegetables and drank 7000 gallons of

The trial of a German for swindling by the use of forged autographs of Mar tin Luther recently brought out the fact that the ink used by Luther 350 years ago is so good that copies can still be taken

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## AN AFFAIR ME NATION

It has been said of Americans that they are "a nation of dyspeptics" and it is true that few are entirely free from disorders of the digestive tract, Indigestion, Dyspepsia. Stomach and Bowel trouble, or Constipation.

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Secretary Alger denies the report ing him as a successor to Senator McMil-

No household is complete without a bottle of the famous Jesse Moore Whis-key. It is a pure and wholesome stimu-lant recommended by all physicians Don't neglect this necessity.

Two hundred lepers are at large at Manila, and small-pox has bee

My doctor said I would die, but Piso's Cure for Consumption cured me.—Anos Kelner, Cherry Valley, Ill., Nov. 23, &. Technical education is making remark-

able progress in London Try Schilling's Best Tea and Baking Powder The cruiser Buffalo will not go to the

Philippines this winter.

A singular accident has been reported A singular accident has been reported from a chemical factory where a work-man's clothes became saturated with dust from the grinding of chlorate of potas-sium. A spark from the workman's pipe fell on the clothes, when the entire suit instantly flashed into flame, producing fa-tal burns.

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