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TUESDAY, MARCH 9, 1897.

THE new torpedo boat number 6 will be named the "Farragut," which is a very appropriate choice.

With his customary luck Grover Cleveland hit the swamps at the right time exactly for ducks.

LOWELL, Me., with a population of about 80,000 inhabitants, burns its garbage for about 80 cents a ton.

THE Philadelphia Press announces that the Episcopal Divinity school of Philadelphia will hereafter confer the degree of doctor of divinity only after a course of study and an exam-

GREECE should be a paradise for the fair sex. The census of that country shows that there are 1,000 men to every 906 women. Every Grecian woman's chance for a hus-band is 10 per cent above par.

WHEN the sultan wants to see a play he sends out for a company and attends the representation in his dining room. Before the performance he hands the manager some open and the surprise many people. "Dreaden open and the surprise many people open a original jokes of his own to be added to the dialogue, so the troupe is at least sure of one appreciative listner.

Sixty-Five years ago Hiram Luk-ens entered the Intelligencer office at Doylestown, Pa., to learn printing, and he is there yet, setting type as fast as anybody around the place. His record of continuous service with fast as anybody around the place.
His record of continuous service with one establishment is probably unequaled in the business. The Intelligencer should not put in a machine as long as Lukens is in the land of the living.

The separatist Preacher," by May Kelsey Champion, who tells her tale in an intense and forceful manner. There are other lively and interestthe living.

Besides a politician, ex-Gov. John D. Long, of Massachusetts, the secretary of the navy in McKinley's cabinet, is a poet. Here is a composition which he addressed to his daughter:

At nightfall, by the firelight's cheer. My little Margaret sits me near, And begs me tell of things that were When I was little, just like her.

Ah little lips, you touch the spring Of sweetest sad remembering: And hearth and heart flash all aglow With ruddy tints of long ago.

I at my father's fireside sit, Youngest of all who circle it' And beg him tell me what did he When he was little; just like me.

March contains a timely and elabor-ate paper on "The Famine in India" from the pen of Sir Edwin [Arnold. The thorough and long familiarity of Sir Edwin with East Indian affairs and customs renders him a high anthority upon this important subject and its various aspects are de-scribed in a most graphic and systematic style.

The romances of real life in the March Romance are all contributed by Walter Beverley Crane, a consin of Steven Crane. These three stories show Mr. Crane at his best in three distinct fields. His first story, "Mrs. Vane Flutterly," is a humorous description of how a New York woman, seeking fame through the sale of her photographs, was horrified to find her face copied by a patent medicine advertiser, and posted on bill-boards the country over. His second story. The Black Venus," is a daring story in which the author has not feared to describe facts as they are. His third story, "An Infamous Conspir-acy," is the most remarkable gambl-ing story ever printed.

"Traveling in a private car is a luxury that may now be enjoyed upon most American railroads by sayone who will pay 18 railway fares, and for 18 berths, and bear he cost of the cook, meat and drink; but it is most frequently enjoyed, free of cost, by those who can per-fectly well afford to pay for it. The charms of this method of getting about may be greatly overrated; and I have one friend who rides in a special car and tells me that to travel in that way is not always agreeable." These timely suggestions appear in "The Art of Travel—By Land," by Lewis Morris Iddings, in the March Scribner's, together with other interesting contributions.

The March issue of the American

Queen marks a striking advance over the foregoing number. Her Imperial British Majesty, Victoria, surrounded by the entire sovereign queens of Europe, makes a brilliant group presented in honor of the great jubilee English subjects the world over are preparing to cale rld over are preparing to celeand some of them rarely beautiful and suggestive, courting comparison with the best art work in this line either side of the water. "The maker" is sure of a warm welsome from observant women who are teen to note its value, and houseras Queen's Cooking School," s Pitcher's Castoria.

new feature for March; "The Mirror of Venus," "Recreation," "Needle-work," "Money Making for Women," all maintain their high standard of excellence.

The Forum for March contains dozen timely and important articles.
The arbitration treaty is discussed by two competent authorities—Hon.
Frederick B. Coudert, the eminent international lawyer and ex-member of the Behring sea arbitration com-mission, and Theodore S. Woolsey, mission, and Theodore S. Woolsey, professor of international law at Yale. Each has a few criticisms to make, but both agree in declaring the treaty to be a considerable step toward a better order of things. There are plenty of other contributions of interest and instruction on matters of current discussion. The Forum is always up-to-date in

all things.

The world will have nothing more from the magic pen of the late Robert Louis Stevenson after the romantic novel of "St. Ives," which begins publication in the March number of McClure's Magazine. We know from Stevenson's letters to Sidney Colvin, already published, that he was engaged on this novel down almost to the moment of his sudden death, and that it interested him deeply. He had the good fortune to leave it substantially complete. The last two chapters, perhaps, were not fully written; but he left such a summary of them that the course and conclusion of the story are quite

satisfactorily shown.
Godey's Magazine for March is notable for the variety of its topics and the versatality of its general make-up. The leading article on "Pastime Photography" shows what pleasing work can be done by a skillpleasing work can be done by a skill-ful use of the camera and living the French, Spanish, Dutch and Italian quaint and pretty pictures Following this is "Modern Art in Piano Building," illustrated with pictures of the most beautiful in the pictures of the most beautiful in the pictures and country cuts. illustrations, and will interest not only musical people but general readers as well. Among the "specials" of timely interest is "Handsome Newspaper Women," with portraits, in which Miss Helen Winslow, of the Boston Transcript. describes the life and work of several prominent beauing features.

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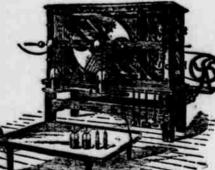
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Tax Redemption Sale. STATE OF ILLINOIS. } ...

To J. Sayder and the unknown owners and all others interessed: others interested:
You are hereby notified that the following lands situated in the county of Rock Island and state of Illinois, towit: Nw part re nw section 16, town 19, range 3 e, sw part re nw section 16, town 19, range 3 e, sw part re nw section 16, town 19, range 3 e, sw part re nw section 16, town 19, range 3 e, seeseed to J. Stryder, were cold to the undersigned at the collector's tag sale on the 18th day of June, 1995, for the taxes, special assessments and costs due the state of Illinois and the sounty of Rock Island for the year 1894 and prior years, and the time of redemption will expire on the 18th day of June, 1897.

Dated this 25th day of February, 1877.

Master's Sale. BTATE OF ILLINOIS, | ... In the circuit court in chancery, for general No. 4064. Mansfield M. Sturgeon vs. Patrick Gra

Notice is nevery given that wy virtue cree of said court, entered in the above cause, on the Jith day of January. A. I shall, on Saturday, the 13th day of A. D. 1897, at the hour of 1 o'clock in the norm, at the front door of the court of Rock Island, in said county of Rock Island, in said county of Rock is a specific to satisfy said decree, sell as public we the highest and beat bidder for cash in has certain parcels of land, situate in the cRock Island and state of littack, known scribed as follows, to-wit:

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