

# Syracuse Register.

SYRACUSE, : : INDIANA.

TATTOOING is the craze of London just now, and one member of parliament has had his whole family marked to assist in identification in case of an accident.

LILIES of the valley in France are called "virgins' tears," and are said to have sprung up on the road between Calvary and Jerusalem during the night following the crucifixion.

One of the few cities in the United States which employ a special instructor in geography in the public schools is San Francisco. The instructor, who has had great success, is Hattie H. Steele. She has a collection of more than 3,000 stereopticon slides, which she uses in her lectures.

It is said that a hypnotist in Utah has begun a series of experiments in the territorial reform school at Ogden looking to the cure of kleptomaniac and kindred mental conditions of children by hypnotism. He claims that the suggestions given in the hypote state will overcome criminal tendencies.

The inhabitants of New York are at present possessed of a mania for drinking milk, and it is said that the sales of milk by the glass have reached surprisingly large figures. Indeed, the receipts of the saloon keepers of the metropolis have begun to suffer to a considerable extent from the milk mania.

It is predicted by enthusiasts in France that the use of the bicycle by French women will bring about a perfect modification of the corset. The corset has been found to be an inconvenience for the bicycle rider, who needs the opportunity of, free, deep breathing and the unimpeded, unconstrained use of all her bodily powers.

The victim of a plucky maid servant is located in Bangor. It is said that having failed to impress on her the need of locking the doors at night, he determined to impersonate a burglar to frighten her. But when he put his plan into execution she seized him by the throat and pummeled him severely before he could establish his identity.

HENRY HARTMAN, a prominent citizen of Brooklyn, has left \$35,000 in his will for the erection of a statue to Lafayette in Prospect park. He does this, he says, in the document, "as an expression of my admiration for that noble and patriotic man and of my appreciation, in which my country shares, of his aid in establishing our republic."

The city of New York has a school enrollment of about 235,000, and about 40,000 of this vast juvenile army are unable to find room in schoolhouses. This is a surprising condition in view of the fact that the city annually spends \$6,000,000 on her public school system. To deny a single child the full opportunity to acquire knowledge is decidedly un-American.

There was a trial of German war dogs at Dresden recently, in which the dogs came off creditably as military aids. They kept up rapid and regular communication between the troops and outposts a mile away, carrying the dispatches to and fro. They also served ammunition, passing from man to man, the number of ball cartridges they carry being 250 and blank 330.

The Lancet suggests as a safeguard against the numerous cases of poisoning by the use of tinned food that canners be compelled to label the tins with a notice that the contents are perfectly wholesome when eaten fresh from the tin, and afford good food; but the public is advised not to expose the contents for any length of time to the injurious influences of the atmosphere.

BISMARCK is said to be getting rather feeble. Just before his last birth day his health seemed visibly better, but the extensive and protracted convalescence of that event involving as it did the reception of delegations of visitors who came and went for several months, weakened the prince's vitality. He is now able to walk but little, and he has to be helped in and out of his carriage.

There was a romance in the history of the late Prof. Riley, the famous entomologist, whose death was announced a few days ago. His mother, who was a member of an old and aristocratic English family, was disowned for marrying beneath her, but her father relented so far as to give her a superior education, which, with the use he made of it, was worth as much as name or legacy.

The young gentleman whom Miss Consuelo Vanderbilt is to marry goes by the entire name of Charles Richard John Spencer Churchill, duke of Marlborough, marquis of Blandford, earl of Sunderland, earl of Marlborough, Baron Spencer of Wormsley, and Baron Churchill of Sandridge, all in England, prince of the holy Roman empire, prince of Mindelheim in Swabia, and lieutenant in the Oxfordshire Hussars.

The telephone newspaper organized at Pesth, Hungary, has now been working successfully for two years. It is the only newspaper of the kind in the world. It is called the Telephone Hirundo, or Herald, costs two cents, like a printed paper, and is valuable to persons who are unable or too lazy to use their eyes or who can not read. It has 6,000 subscribers, who receive the news as they would ordinary telephone messages. A special wire 168 miles long runs along the windows of the houses of subscribers, which are connected with the apparatus which prevents the blocking of the system.

A WRITER from the Orient claims that every man, being entitled to only a certain amount of hirsute runs the risk of baldness by wearing a full beard. He insists that if clearings become visible on the top of a head and the face is ornamented with bushy whiskers and mustache the trouble can be rectified by dispensing with the face ornament. Many Anglo-Indians have grown full beards, and in consequence grown bald-headed. He says that the same have returned to their English homes and shaved their faces, whereupon the hair in the bald spots has again begun to grow.

## Epitome of the Week.

INTERESTING NEWS COMPILATION.

FROM WASHINGTON.

A MONTHLY statement of the director of the mint shows change during the month of September as follows: Gold, \$7,548,572; silver, \$473,566; minor coins, \$61,414; total coinage, \$8,078,653.

The net expenditures of the government since June 30, 1892, have exceeded the receipts by \$120,151,467.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND issued an order placing Maj. Gen. Nelson A. Miles at the head of the army of the United States.

SECRETARY OLNEY, it was said, had sent a dispatch to Minister Bayard in London declaring in the most positive language that the United States would never consent to British occupation of the disputed territory in Venezuela unless that nation's right thereto was first determined by arbitration.

EXCHANGES at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 4th aggregated \$1,137,089,777, against \$997,924,422 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1892, was \$15,165,355.

In the United States there were 207 business failures in the seven days ended on the 4th, against 216 the week previous and 219 in the corresponding time in 1892.

The new diplomatic representative of Hawaii to the United States, Minister Castle, arrived in Washington.

The director of the mint is of the opinion that the gold produced during 1892 will show an increase over last year of from \$5,000,000 to \$7,000,000.

THE EAST.

In New York, Peter Crawford, 22 years old, a mail messenger, has been asleep for the last seven months, and every device employed to awaken him had proven futile.

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At Hillsboro, Tex., three men were arrested for participating in a glove fight after the passage of the new law.

At Lima, O., the school board issued an order prohibiting the use of tobacco and cigarettes among pupils, many of whom have been stupefied mentally and physically.

At Oakdale, Ia., Strathberry broke the world's record for a mile on a half-mile track, making it in 2:07 1/2.

At Cleveland the inaugural baseball game for the Temple cup was played between the Cleveland and Baltimore clubs, and was won by the former by a score of 5 to 4.

The Methodist Episcopal Protestant church of the United States met in thirty-six national triennial convention at Minneapolis.

At the age of 79 years Charles E. Browne, the first schoolmaster that ever taught in Chicago, died at his home in that city.

In Chicago the wife of Patrick Carroll, a laborer, gave birth to four children—two boys and two girls.

At Creighton, Mo., the Farmers' and Merchants' bank made an assignment with liabilities of \$90,000.

The death of Jared Ferguson, aged 101 years and 8 months, occurred in Decatur, Ill. He was one of the very few surviving pensioners of the war of 1812.

MABEL Olds and Stanley Braine, prominent young people, were drowned in Mad river at Springfield, O., while boating.

FIVE incendiary fires were started simultaneously at the Kendallville (Ind.) fair among the fancy stock padodics and James Jackson, and an unknown woman were burned to death.

At Columbia, S. C., the constitutional convention adopted a clause forbidding the intermarriage of a white person with any person who contains any negro blood in his or her veins.

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At Constantinople the Armenian church and the other churches situated in different parts of the Turkish capital were crowded with refugees to escape Turkish mobs. According to the Armenians about 200 of their number were killed during the rioting.

DURING an engagement between the insurgents and Spanish troops at Las Veras the insurgents lost forty killed and 135 wounded.

ONE French and two English vessels were lost on the south coast of Newfoundland and five men were drowned.

LATER NEWS.

WHILE delivering a sermon before a large audience at Dayton, O., Rev. L. Langstroth dropped dead in the pulpit.

NEAL SMITH, the negro assaulted and murdered Maggie Henderson at Coal City, Tenn., was taken from the stockade by a mob of 300 men and lynched, after being mutilated in a similar manner.

MASSACHUSETTS republicans in state convention at Boston, nominated a ticket headed by Gov. Greenhalge, the present incumbent, for governor.

CHARLES BLOMBERG, of Rockford, Ill., left New York on a wager of \$5,000 that he can walk around the world in 201 days.

It was said that W. R. Hearst, publisher of the San Francisco Examiner, had purchased the New York Morning Journal.

WEST AND SOUTH.

THE state of South Carolina is the only one in the union which has no divorce law, and the constitutional convention at Columbia, added a section to the law which prevents recognition of divorces granted in other states.

AT Columbus, O., Charles F. Kline, a life prisoner in the penitentiary, was paroled, being the first life man to be so favored.

THE democrats nominated Edward P. Lane and the prohibitionists Rev. M. C. Cooper for congress in the Eighteenth Illinois district.

It was said that Albert Wade, assistant cashier of the First national bank at Mount Vernon, Ind., was \$20,000 short in his accounts. He had disappeared.

IN St. Louis the St. Louis Loan & Investment company and the Actua Loan & Savings company consolidated with a capital of \$9,000,000.

IN Virginia and North Carolina frost was general and very destructive, a fifth of the tobacco crop being ruined.

WILLIAM E. HINSHAW, pastor of a Methodist church at Bellefonte, was convicted at Danville, Ind., of the murder of his wife on January 10 last, and the jury fixed the punishment at life imprisonment.

By a vote of 27 to 1 in the senate and 110 to 5 in the house, the Texas legislature passed a bill making it a felony to engage in a prize fight in the state, and attached to it a clause providing that the law going into effect at once.

ORCHARD trees in North Coloma, Mich., have been forced into blossom by the heat from the forest fires that have been burning in that vicinity during the past few weeks.

THE Nebraska republicans met at Lincoln and renominated J. T. Noyall for supreme court judge. The platform declares in favor of the largest use of both gold and silver possible, denounces the foreign policy of the present administration and extends sympathy to Cuba in its struggle for liberty.

THE well-known United States engineer, Gen. O. M. Poe, died suddenly at his residence in Detroit, aged 63 years.

BECAUSE of heavy losses in speculation James P. Tilloston, a prominent member of the Chicago board of trade, drowned himself in the lake.

FIRE swept away the whole business portion of Cambridge, O., with a loss of over \$100,000.

THE St. Paul board of education decided by a unanimous vote not to permit married women to teach in the public schools of that city.

## RIOT AND BLOODSHED.

Constantinople the Scene of Many Wild Deeds.

The Armenians and Turkish Police Have a Fierce Encounter—Hundreds of Christians Penned Up, and Many Others Killed.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—Secretary Olney late Wednesday afternoon received the following dispatch from Minister Terrell:

"CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 2.—Monday several hundred Armenians marched on the porte, professedly to seek redress for grievances. The portiere tried to prevent it. A conflict ensued between the Armenians and the police. Prohah, about sixty Turks and Armenians were killed, and among others a Turkish major. Many were wounded. The Armenians carried pistols. They were armed with sticks and stones. In the confusion many others were killed. Seven hundred have been imprisoned. The porte had notice of the demonstration, which it said was organized by leaders of the Hunchakov revolutionists, whom they have captured. Much terror exists. I think the porte will be able to restrain fanaticism."

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 4.—Five hundred arrests have been made in connection with the recent rioting of Armenians here. The government is greatly alarmed, and the garrison is kept under arms. During the rioting Monday and Tuesday nearly 200 persons were killed.

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THE death of Prof. Hjalmar Björk, 47 years old, of the Koumukapou quarter, his residence, had the desired effect.

THE city is quiet. It is evident that the government has taken every precaution to prevent any further disturbance, and to quell any rioting should it occur in spite of the measures adopted to prevent it. One of the precautions taken was the posting of guards around the Turkish quarters to prevent the inhabitants from leaving them in order to go to those parts of the city occupied by Armenians.

LATE Friday afternoon the police were withdrawn from the patriarchate and other churches and kahns in which Armenians had taken refuge, and all those who had sought safety in these structures were invited to return peacefully to their homes. Some took advantage of the invitation, but others, fearing treachery, determined to remain where they were until such time as the popular excitement had further abated.

THE Sothis were guilty of great excesses on Tuesday, and especially during the raid on the Armenian quarter, which they made at night at Too-kurthesue, near Stamboul, the students and populace broke into an Armenian dwelling, killed fifteen persons, and wounded thirty-five others. In addition, it is said that they conveyed the wounded to the shore and threw them into the sea.

IT is learned from a reliable source that more than 1,000 Armenians have been arrested and cast into prison on the charge of having been actively concerned in the rioting or having investigated the trouble.

AT Birmingham, Ala., Sam Childress tried to shoot his sweetheart in a fit of jealousy. He was killed by Sheriff Cole in attempting to escape.

NOT knowing what the punishment would be fifty-one saloonkeepers at St. Joseph, Mo., pleaded guilty in the United States court to failing to cancel stamps on liquor barrels and were sentenced to one year each in the penitentiary and to pay a fine of \$500.

AT the laying of the corner stone of the new St. Mary's Catholic church at Loraine,