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DECEMBER 14, 1897. THE NEWS IN SHORT METRE.

Items of Interest Boiled Down For More Easy Reading.

The harvest prospects of South Australia are unfavourable.

A description of a new bicycle tells us that to the axle is attached a small sprocket, which engages four other sprockets revolving in the opposite direction. These engage the outer rim, which has teeth that engage the driving chain.

A Sophie Luertger the Chicago sausage maker who is now in court, on his second trial will issue an appeal to the public for funds so he can proceed with his trial.

The newspapers of Madrid are excited over the mysterious words attributed to General Weyler, after he had proposed the toasts at the Military Club banquet in his honor, at Palma, Island of Majorca.

Charles Dudley Warner allows his fancy to play in the editor's study of Harper's Magazine around the question of the appearance of Jesus in New York as he appeared in Judea, and he concludes that Jesus would find more charity and brotherly kindness; a higher standard of life, than he encountered in the society in which he began his mission or than existed in the Rome that crucified St Peter or in the middle ages that built the magnificent temples in His name.

Speaking of the big prices occasionally paid for the first choice of seats at notable performances, the fact is recalled that a New York hatter paid \$225 for the first choice of a seat at Jenny Lind's first concert in Castle Gardens in 1850.

One of the uses of the civil service at Ottawa has been on receipt of telegraphic communication from McGill University to go out and fire the noon gun.

Kansas politics are not without their sweet ess. In the sworn returns of election expenses the Republican candidate for district attorney makes return of the expenditure of \$100 for "cigars, cards, candies and other refreshments."

Mrs. Hettie Green, the richest woman in America, has some eccentricities, but it cannot be denied that in the principles on which she has reared her children she displays a remarkably well-balanced mind.

AYER'S THE PILL THAT WILL CURE HEADACHE INDIGESTION BILIOUSNESS CONSTIPATION

select the best among their suitors, they allow themselves to be confined within the narrow circle of great fortunes or high rank, often to the sacrifice of all chance of obtaining a suitable match in point of intellect or morals.

The success of the English cotton operatives in resisting the demand for a reduction of wages will be a very welcome victory for trade unionists, whose cause has been faring badly in the Old Country recently.

TORONTO, Dec. 9.—The World, in an editorial on Blake's speech, says he baput his foot in it again, and trusts for the last time, as far as this country is concerned.

New York, December 9.—The sensational advance in December wheat in Chicago today was reflected locally by a net improvement of 1 1/2 to 1 3/4.

THE KAFFIR OFF DUTY.

South African Mine Laborers Lead a Monotonous Life.

The report of a traveler fresh from the Cape gives a curious insight into one phase of labor on the Rand. It used to be the custom of the Kaffir, on receiving his salary—usually \$5 per week—to sally forth and invest all his earnings in bottles of brandy.

Visitors to the Congo lands often take in a pound or so of the native coarse tobacco, for a handful of which the Kaffirs, under stress of their deprivation of tobacco as well as liquor, will often gladly exchange fine old native bracelets and knobkerries.

The Kaffir usually returns home after six months or a year at the mines and is considered a rich man. He buys two or more wives and takes his ease while they do all the work.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

A Trade Secret.

The teacher had been explaining to the boys on two or three occasions during the week the sources of our food supply and various processes connected with the preparation of certain products.

Kien Long and His Physicians.

There used to be related a curious anecdote of old Kien Long, emperor of China. He was inquiring of Sir George Staunton the manner in which physicians were paid in England.

COMING ALONG.

Mr. Prosperity's comin' along— Dat's what de rich folks say! Blowing a trumpet an' ringin' a gong— Dat's what the rich folks say!

Hope dat dey'll shake him en wake him in time— Help him along on de way! Ain't seen a dollar, en can't get a dime— Dat's what de po' folks say!

When Her Love Grew Cold.

Not long ago a servant living in Derbyshire gave notice to leave her situation, informing her mistress that she was about to be married.

When the Ass Spoke to Him.

A doctor at one of the London hospitals was one day lecturing to a class of medical students, when he stopped and asked a question which for some time none of them answered.

The Mad Mollah.

Todgers (with the evening paper)—I see the mad mollah is at it again. Mrs. Todgers (who doesn't read the papers)—I should say she was.

"Jollyin'" a King.

One day, when George IV was talking about his youthful exploits before the Duke of Wellington, he boasted of having led a charge of cavalry down the Devil's Dyke, near Brighton.

Hood's Pills Are gaining favor rapidly. Business men and travellers carry them in vest pockets, ladies carry them in purses, housekeepers keep them in medicine closets, friends recommend them to friends.

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Can that parrot talk English? asked the shopper. "He just can," said the dealer, with much enthusiasm.

Arday looked up bitterly from the book he was reading. The words "one touch of nature" had caught his eye and had started a train of thought.

Bald as a Billiard Ball.

Tomtom—What in the world has old Baldpate gone west for? Buzzfuzz—Why, he's gone out there in the hope of having some hair raising adventures.

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