MINING JOURNAL.

According to statistics compiled by the Home Department of Japan, the number of cholera cases throughout the country up to the 9th of December was 154,373, and of these 101,695 terminated fatally.

ONE morning a Keyport, N. J., man built a fire in the kitchen range and on our impatience burdens that would weigh was preparing to leave the room, when he heard a variety of strange noises from within the stove. At first he was | As if God had not planned the way we go, startled, and then began an investigation. He had no sooner removed the cover than a large owl jumped out of Of these complaining lives, and wait with trust, the range and began flying blindly about the room. The bird was caught, Fame, beauty, all things ordered to our mind but died in a short time. In the night | Nay, all these things lay happiness behind! it had come down through a long tile chimney into the range.

JAMES PIERCE, of Shady Grove, La., saw bear tracks in a swamp on his farm, and a party was organized to hunt the bear. While the men and dogs were in the swamp Mr. Pierce walked through the fields adjacent unarmed. Suddenly a big bear came tearing out of the swamp. Pierce knew it would get away if not turned back, so he seized a club and chased

THE Berlin court jeweler has just made a necklace for the Empress did solitaire, the center one weighing starts when he deemed himself unobserved; in hoarding up this relic of another man's caused great trouble and expense to to blind her. And at last, one day, when thrust the paper back into the drawer, with procure of equal color and brilliancy. ry as to the whereabouts of her It only proved to be the step of Norah, The whole set is valued at about master, replied carelessly that she her maid, however, who had come to tell the service of this old mansion; tell me erring and unfortunate Estelle slumbers in om to wear diamonds at the Japanese court, pearls alone being allowed.

THE physicians of the Polyclinic trouble lay in the brain, learned of the shut 'em out from view." tumor growing in the brain and re- husband's manner toward herself? The an unfinished work. moved it. In its center was a splinter very supposition was torture. of bone. The tumor was pear-shaped and two inches in diameter where widest. It took an hour to remove it. covered and shows none of his former symptoms.

AT a meeting of the "Society Medical Jurisprudence," in New York, Dr. Brill objected to hanging, on the ground that it neither killed instantly nor destroyed consciousness instantly. The methods of killing by electricity, objected to as not more prompt nor less painful and barbarous. The guillotine, he said, was the best means. duits, muscles and nerves of the neck the victim was instantly killed, in him, as he kissed her again, and, resuming slept peacefully and bright. ness. Shooting through the head or summer drawing-room in which they had an anatomical expert, the Doctor said. was better than hanging, though not while the other was pensively thrust in the the garrote for murderers, holding that with her breast h the use of electricity or any other medical agent was degrading to the science to still its bitter and rebellious throbbing of medicine, while shooting is a military punishment, and not sufficiently degrading. A lawyer advocated chlo- find it out, or sleep no more!" reforming criminals before executing them, while another advocated turning scientific purposes, even going so far her marriage, in whose rosy retrospect she as to indorse vivisection of them.

The Charm of Wearing Gems. this, and more, to many minds, has as | in spite of the difference in their ages, for much force as the inherent beauty of he was fully twenty years her senior. the thing itself. Who knows what Then, directly after their marriage, he lief from the suspicions that were making er, as well as a deceiver!" she shrieked.

or beryl? There is always a fascination in its petted and admired by the best people of sparkle, both when we wear it and see the neighborhood, one of the acknowl- the vexatious task of piecing together the a quarter of an hour ago, walking along would stand them in good need if the vexation in its petted and admired by the best people of apartments, she busied herself anew with the vexation in its petted and admired by the best people of apartments, she busied herself anew with the vexation in its petted and admired by the best people of apartments, she busied herself anew with the vexation in its petted and admired by the best people of apartments, she busied herself anew with the vexation in its petted and admired by the best people of apartments, she busied herself anew with the vexation in its petted and admired by the best people of apartments, she busied herself anew with the vexation in its petted and admired by the best people of apartments, she busied herself anew with the vexation in its petted and admired by the best people of apartments, she busied herself anew with the vexation in its petted and admired by the best people of apartments, she busied herself anew with the vexation in its petted and admired by the best people of apartments, she busied herself anew with the vexation in its petted and admired by the best people of apartments, she busied herself anew with the vexation in its petted and admired by the best people of apartments, she busied herself anew with the vexation in its petted and admired by the best people of apartments, she busied herself anew with the vexation in its petted and admired by the best people of apartments, she busied herself anew with the vexation in the vexation and the vexation in the vexatio another wear it, or when we lift it (edged belles of the many feles that hat fragments of the mysterious letter, but the brow of Indian Head. from its dark hiding place in the cas- been given in her honor by the military and | with little better success than before; and | Hilda gave a gasp of relief, and looked ket where we keep it, as it looks up at social circles of the adjoining city, and se. she at last sought her couch, outwearied, at him eagerly, hopefully. us with its lidless, deathless glance of beauty. But a bit of glass, however prettily colored—what spirit is there in that made by a man accord.

Solve in her husband's worshiping love, until the recent shadow of estrangement and distrust that had arisen between them. No; puzzle her brain and search her in that made by a man accord.

Solve in her husband's worshiping love, until the recent shadow of estrangement tressing dreams, however, she awoke in the first gray of dawn, and possessed with a tered the house after her, hat in hand; conjure up in its ray—what mystery | taken possession of him, other than that | not deceive her. She had hardly set her- | ful mistake, though it was an awful accilurks in a thing that any clown can put his thoughts must be engaged with self afresh to the task, after a speedy and dent for all that, or a suicide, we couldn't together? Nothing of the poetical or | some other woman-through the pas- feverish toilet, than the formerly refractory | tell which.

DISCONTENT.

Who shut the portals fast, And turn the key and let the sunshine in, God's light shall reach at last. We slight our daily joy. Make much of your vexations, thickly set

Our paths with thorns of discontent, and fret At our fine gold's alloy, Till bounteous Heaven might frown

Our aching shoulders down. And counted out our years.

Fulfilling Heaven's intent?

Accept the sun and shower, The humble joys that bless, Appealing to indifferent hearts, and cold,

Our hidden consciousness.

And see how everywhere What opportunities of good befall To make life sweet and fair.

BY NATHAN D. URNER.

proportion with their love. Hospital of New York have just re- "I could'nt see who or what the strange of the letter and put them, with the newswoman was, ma'am," was all the menial paper, in her pocket, with the intention his skull. The hole, however, had in strolling along the edge of the cliffs. I went to the dining-room. only noticed that the woman with Mr. De- | But she had neither heart nor appetite

accident in childhood, found the scar | Hilda finally forbore any further ques- It had luckily been written upon but one band was walking at her side. tioning, but the poison of distrust had by side of a leaf of letter paper, which con- "Oh, this is too much! I will confront making toast, when he knows as little this time unequivocally entered her soul. siderably facilitated her self-imposed task; both together!" exclaimed Hilda, wildly, about it as he does about Latin verses! the influence of other, cut a piece out What could it mean? Was it an affair with but the fragments were so minute and ir- putting on her hat and shawl. "It is un- And yet, if it is not all right, his fastidof the skull at the scar, found the some other woman that had caused the regular that she labored for hours ineffect doubtedly that woman -Estelle! I

ward, but she cloaked the feelings that herself in particular, that she put away the lay between the house-grounds and the ened by degrees to this work, just as were oppressing her, and set herself to materials upon which she had been en- cliffs. But upon getting out of the wood he does to verse-making, and in time watching him narrowly. It seemed to her | gaged, and gave a yawning sigh of dis- | she perceived that they occupied a precipithat he betrayed even more preoccupation | satisfaction; and, a moment later, her maid | tous headland, known as Indian Head, The patient has almost completely re- and nervousness than she had yet remarked | knocked at her door, to say that Mr. De- | which she could only reach by first descendgreeted her; and finally, when he pleaded a back a guest or two with him-and was narrow shore to a flight of rude stone steps pressing business affair at the neighboring | dressing for dinner.

her jealous apprehensions grew acce. by poisoning, and by the garrote, he plied, kissing her; "but the affair that sum- remained for unpleasant. I may sometime tell you about | magnificent marine view, with the bound- | with the sea almost washing her feet upon it," he added, with much gravity; "but at less expanse of blue ocean in the distance, one hand and the perpendicular wall of present it would only distress you need- and charming intervening features of cliff | rock upon the other, and without notici

She made no further effort to detain stantly losing sensation or conscious. his hat and cane which he had but momenbrain, where the gun was discharged been speaking together. A moment later he beautiful eves all day lightened into a lighten

what one of the genii, what | had brought her over seas to this fine old made by a man, accord- memory as she might, she could alight upon sudden conviction that she would now have "me and my mates saw the whole thing a formula—what spell no possible motive for that unwonted pre- no difficulty in reconstructing the letter to her from where we were mending our nets at

resolved upon a step the mere thought of alor which, under cooler and less tumultueus "But do not flatter yourself that you will conditions, would have caused her a self- be rid of me, Archy Monteith! accusing blush. She devermined to insti- "Whithersoever you may go, I will tute a surreptitious search into a certain low you, and haunt you, and disturb you secret drawer of her husband's secretary, which he had always kept jealously guarded "Should you ever marry again, I under the plea of its containing precious sow your path and hers with dragon's documents pertaining to his estate that it teeth would be better never to disturb.

she was by her growing suspicions, she you can inherit the rich Canadian estat which adjoined the drawing-room, and, that hung from one of the melosures, will pursue and hunt you still, with secret private drawer had been pointed out to her before, and, after a brief investigation, neither did she find much trouble in

of which he had hinted. But, to her sur- her for an instant. prise, the drawer contained nothing but Recovering herself with a mighty effort some torn fragments of a letter and a copy of will, she realized that the terrible mys- at last, one day when her convalescence tery was explained. She had married a di- was assured, he took her hand in his, and ments were so minute that hardly an en- vorced man-a man who had another tire word could be made out on any one of still living! She felt a creeping sense them, but the writing was obviously in a horror and humiliation. The law mig woman's hand, and finally, upon one of have given this man the right to marry ! the larger morsels, she deciphered the but heaven could never have done word "Estelle," with a little flourish under- Death alone could sever the sacred mar

by exceptional auspices of a happy and un- the newspaper. It gave an account of a advantage of the obscurity afforded clouded future; but her honeymoon had London divorce trial of five years previ- antecedents by his change of name, hardly begun to wane in the beautiful an- ously, in which Archibald Monteith sued bald Delorme cestral seaside home to which her lover- for divorce against Estelle Monteith, his a still her directly after the ceremony that had misconduct, whose details the fair reader had practiced deliberate and coward made them one; before her breast grew avoided with shuddering disgust, and the deception in leading her to the alter She gradually became conscious of his cheeks to burn. She only read enough of indignation were taking the place of hu- tion soon after his quitting her to return being frequently preoccupied with other the reports to learn that the injured hus- miliation and shame in her bosom. thoughts than those pertaining to herself; band's plea had ultimately been granted. While she was a prey to these violent expression of melancholy and reserve and the faithless wife thrust away from emotions, and striving to deliberate, a step grew blended with the gentle looks that he him forever, despised and branded in all sounded on the corridor just outside her so often fastened upon her face; he was | good women's eyes, and was wondering | door. subject to sudden mutterings and fitful | what interest on earth her Archie could have and there were other indications of a secret | miserable marriage experience, when a trouble preying on his mind, to which all | light step upon the carpet of the adjoining and numerous small ones, which have taxed him with the change, were insufficient | left half a ljar, caused her to start up and

> on the her mistress that lunchion had been served cliffs with a strange woman, to all appear- | and to know if she should seek the master. ances a sort of mendicant, Hilda's heart | "I will come at once; Mr. Delorme will gave a great, painful leap, and she felt a | not be here till dinner time," said Hilda, sickening, suspicious sensation such as is dismissing the servant with a gesture, and only known to those whose jealousy is in drawing a great breath of relief. She then gathered up all the fragments

could say, in answer to the eager but care- | secretly piecing them together in their orbrain. The physicians before the opera- fully veiled inquiries with which her young | iginal shape and mastering the purport of tion learned that when two years old mistress at once began to follow up this the entire epistle, which she felt intuitively bit of information. "I was coming up | was in some mysterious way connected from the fishing village, and their backs | with her husband's secret; after which she and had a corn stalk driven through were turned toward me as I saw them left the secretary as she had found it, and

course of time filled up with bony mat- lorme appeared to be tall and shapely. She for the expensive and admirably served ter. The young man had frequent fits, also seemed to be well dressed, and I collation that was awaiting her there. After periods of hysteria, had developed marked something beseeching-like in her sipping a cup of tea and nervously playing door behind her. But she had no sooner paralytic symptoms and began to show be begging alms. But my master seemed lock herself in her boudoir, where, with a sne uttered another half-stifled cry. a morbid suspicion of people. The to be sternly refusing all her appeals. He broad sheet of card-board in her lap and There, in the fresh morning light, far was shaking his head and his walking- a tiny pot of mucilage at hand, she lost no away upon the edge of the cliffs, she saw the letter in harmony with their context. served on the evening before, and her hus-

ing of the accustomed luncheon with her, upper classes, Mr. and Mrs. Delorme occu- and not unattended with danger should the "You've been out walking er since ing the door of her boudoir, Hilda called a moment in pursuing it, and kept breakfast, Archy," said she, petulantly, out to the servant that she would be down | jealous gaze fastened upon the coup please me better. Hilda, darling," he re- her head pensively on her hand, The tide was luckily at ebb, and, upon mons me to the city is as pressing as it is out of her window, which opened upon a way along its narrow strip of sand, with By instantly severing the blood con- lessly. I will not keep you waiting dinner, and shore, interspersed with belting wood. the attention she was exciting among the Linds, cultivated fields, and fishing huts,

over which the red light of the setting sun beautiful eyes all day lightened into a

moody flash, as she perceived the lonely the edge of the sea-beetling cliff, and now watch the isolated and stately mansion which she, Hilda Delorme, the young mis-

so much that he did not appear to notice or any of the disturbance that she felt sure pleased or chagrined at his lack of penetra- | woman over the crag; and then at last she

thing that she had done and suffered, and i ror of her entire aspect and bearing. to make a passionate appeal to him for reher so miserable, but a certain absence of Thera-there at the foot of the cliff she

makes you a free man, with the option of marrying again, makes me, your wife, a to the brow of Indian Head. None came so overmastering that she suddenly despised, degraded woman, an outcast and of

She did blush a little upon coming to identity; you may even change your name, this determination, but, overpowered as in accordance with the conditions by which The hate, the resentment, the despair, which

Hilda's cheek blanched, and she sank opening this also by pressing a small fainting on a couch near at hand, dropping the fatal letter and newspaper with a stifled j She had hardly expected to find therein | cry. These two witnesses corroborated one another, and the shock overpowered derness and devotion during that trying

neath, which caused her to deem it the let- riage tie. She had always held to She greedily devoured the contents of her parents had done before her. with her, she had boldly expressed her de-

sprang to the door and opened it, with the intention of wildly confronting him with But the step proved to be that of the aged housekeeper, on her way down stairs what was my husband's name before he as- her seaside grave, which both Hilda and sumed that of the former proprietor here?" | her husband oft visit, for the purpose of "Bless you ma'am, and have you been | decking it with flowers and dropping the ignorant of it all this time?" exclaimed the reluctant tear to her hapless memory. old woman, not a little alarmed by her young mistress' excited manner. "He was took the same name of Delorme, in order | Fags not only have to wait on their | to inherit the property."

Hilda regained her self-control by a bring them water and to look out for before," said she. "As soon as you see Mr. their dinner together, but excepting in house, Washhouse and good Stabling; a Delorme this morning, Mrs. Saunders, pray tell him not to quit the house without eeehas been made, every one has his

kitchen provided for their special use, there been in those little kitchens. nursery, you might say, being set

ious ma ter will take him to task with She rushed out of the room, out of the all the indignation of disappointed husband's manner toward herself? The very supposition was torture.

He entered the house not long afterHe entered the house not long afterHe husband's manner toward herself? The two finally with a feeling of weariness and disgust with the world in general, and the two figures through the timber-belt that herself in particular that she put away the law between the house grounds, and the law between the house arounds, and the law between the house grounds and the law between the house arounds and the law between the house arounds and the law between the house arounds and the law between the house arounds.

that led up alon side of the headland. After the manner of many of the English | The way was a toilsome and difficult one, tishermen, who were preparing their boats

> along the beach. Indian Head was a steep precipice, of great height, jutting far out into the sea. | civilization of the nineteenth century

She had recovered her energies, and was | begins to do a song and dance on the just turning away, when a piercing scream heart of the great lakes, the tramp takes out a Cross-tie & Great Southern Railroad ticket (unlimited), catches on to a brake-beam sleeping berth, and turns his face toward the Gulf of Mex-It was the woman whom she had seen | ico. He humpeth himself like a dromedary, and lingereth not by the road-

walking with her husband on the cliff but a dead, but mounted piteously as she causes a note in bank to grow exceed-

does anything swiftly, except to get over a fence to avoid the yard dog. But when old winter sticks an icicle down the collar of the summer tramp. he has a sulden yearning to go down

and rest under the orange trees of Florida—and he goeth. Tramps generally follow the lines of railroads as the most direct, running districts, and then as affording an op-

cabalistically commanded sprite is shut | Acadian home, with its superb grounds, its | sympathy in his look and bearing deterred | lies-Estelle, your divorced wife-bleedup in the fiery depths of the ruby, romantic sea views, its numerous servants, her; and shortly after dinner she made an ing, mangled, dead! Oh, how could you with its purple-blue corners, of the inherited from a grand-uncle on his mothinherited from a grand-uncle on his mothhim for the night, without his making any

and its noble appointments, which he had excuse of feeling indisposed, and quitted him for the night, without his making any

in the heaven, Hilda, what can ally able of doing a hard day's work color and brilliancy of the sapphire, in union with her. Here, mistress of all she sapphire that she should support her tottering form, and with his without any inconvenience. And the mild expression of surprise that she should support her tottering form, and with his without any inconvenience.

DRUGGIST one of my mates gave a yell and pointed TIEADQUARTERS FOR

Every style of Gentlemen's Hats and bushes and the air, as though to save her-

the rocks right at Mrs. Delorme's feet, an' WINDOW GLASS-ALL SIZES, Prescriptions promptly and accurately Archibald Delorme gave a groan, and Hilda only bore up long enough to hear

Protessional Gards. morning, and was carried to her room by Norah and Mrs. Saunders. J. SEMMES DeVECMON, An attack of brain-fever followed her ATTOPNEY-AT-LAW, prostration, consequent upon the terrible Cumberland, Md. shock of that morning's catastrophe, and she was confined to her bed for several Clayton Purnell,

was dead a minute arter we tuk her up."

Her husband was the very soul of ten-

period. He scarcely quitted her bedside

made a clean breast of the secrets of his

He told her how the unprincipled woman

om whom he had been justly divorced

ad followed him across the sea soon after

second marriage, and so besieged him

with blackmailing demands, both by letter

and interview, coupled with threats of ex-

osing his past misery to Hilda and his

He told her how, upon his last interview

termination to introduce herself into his

house, and shame him in Hilda's eyes, hat

nt, and she did so with the utmost

had afforded a too ready lodgment in

breast, and solemnly averring never again

to withdraw her confidence in his truth and

between these wedded lives was dissipated.

Since then their union has been sunny, and

Fagging at Eton.

cooks and waiters. There is even

where they boil water, brew tea, and

can joke and laugh as he cooks. And

if, while he talks, he forgets his toast

off the black with a knife. - Elizabeth

Robins Pennell, in St. Nicholas.

send him to the house of correction.

THE weather is so warm in New York

Eyes are not eyes when cigar smoke

It has remained for the American

When winter puts on his ulster and

side to toy with the rural wood-pile,

but hastens on with a swiftness that

That is the only time that a tramp

of ablebodied men who tramp-great,

shown in an earnest search for work .-

A colored brother visited Elberton,

Ga, a few days ago to consult a lawyer

was very cold, and the preacher, not

Nashville Union.

that one of the papers speaks of a

makes them water. This is reliable.

"roasted chestnut man."

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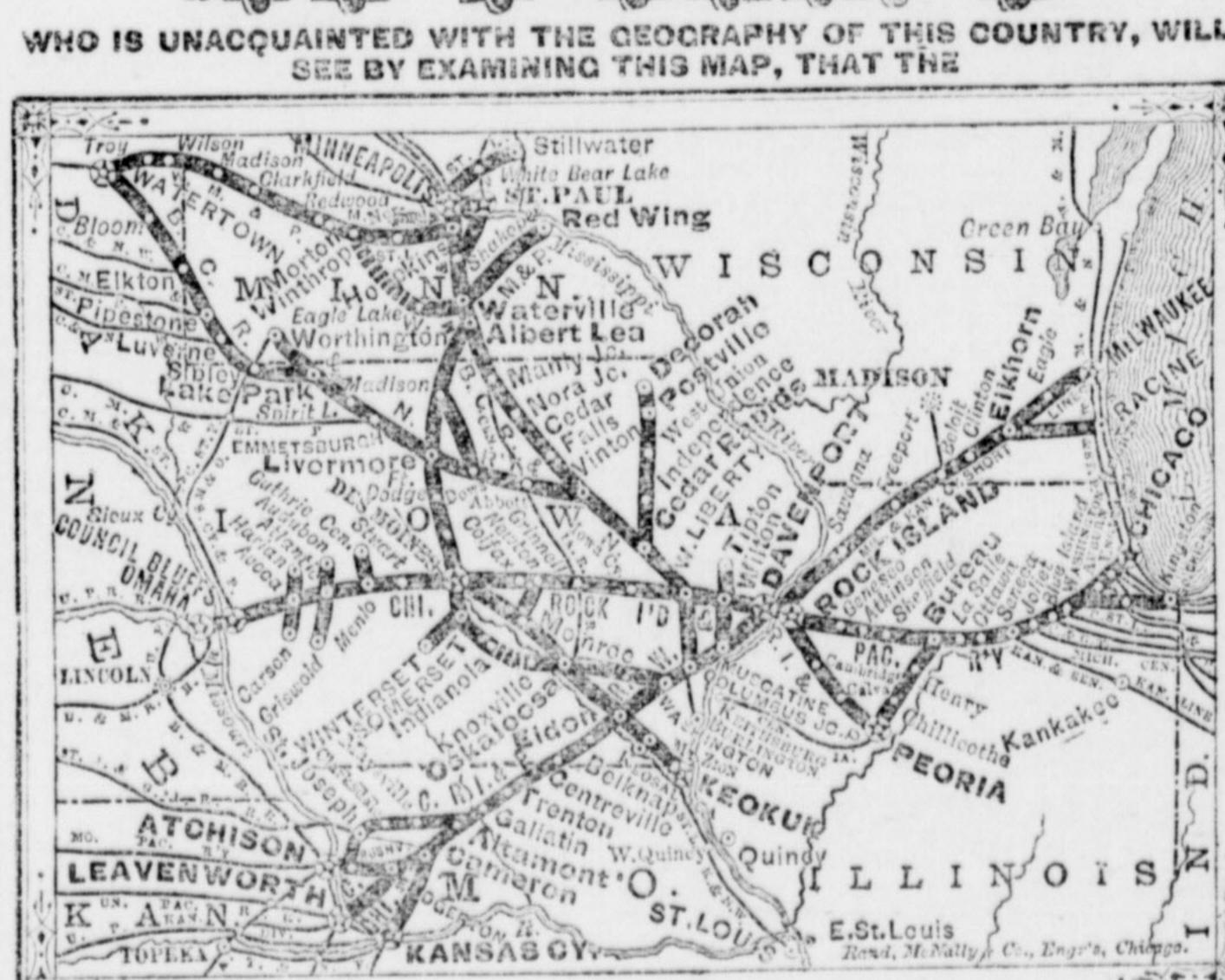
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tion. glance of imprisoned powers shut up within its walls, a remembrance of the with such manly earnestness and deliand continuous lines at terminal points west, and stocking him and the assembled servants beyond expression by her awful pallor, her tion, and what elo juence of expostulahad repeatedly done of late; once, indeed,

Their conversation quickly flagged, as it beyond expression by her awful pallor, her tion his boot-toe possesses; and their tor, and what elo juence of expostulator, and their tor, and Hilda was on the point of confessing everything that the hold are and branches include Chicago, Joliet, Ottawa, sensitive, shrinking natures recoil at Salle, Peoria, Geneseo, "Oh, Archy, to think of you as a murder- thoughts of the brutal refusal that will Moines, Indianola, Winterset. Atlantic, Knoxville, Audubon, Harlan, Guthrie meet an humble petition, and sneak in- Centre and Council Bluffs, in Iowa: Gallatin, It is surprising to note the number of intermediate cities, towns and villages.

pigeon-blood tinge, in the heavenly color and brilliancy of the samphire in the heavenly ballasted. Its track is of heavy steel. Its bridges are solid opposition to her departure other than a stout, fulking leftows, who are physically able of heaven, Hilda, what can ally able of heaven, Hilda, what can ally able of doing a hard day's work opposition to her departure other than a stout, fulking leftows, who are physically ballasted. Its track is of heavy steel. Its bridges are solid is thoroughly ballasted. Its track is of heavy steel. Its bridges are solid. face depicting as genuine horror as her own. hardihood they show in stealing a ride it. It has all the safety appliances that mechanical genius has invented and queen, with her slightest wish as law, on a brake-beam amid the stifling dust experience proved valuable. Its practical operation is conservative and method on a brake-beam amid the stifling dust experience proved valuable. The luxury of its passenger accommodation of the stifling dust experience proved valuable. The luxury of its passenger accommodation of the stifling dust experience proved valuable. The luxury of its passenger accommodation is conservative and method on a brake-beam amid the stifling dust experience proved valuable. The luxury of its passenger accommodation is conservative and method on a brake-beam amid the stifling dust experience proved valuable. The luxury of its passenger accommodation is conservative and method on a brake-beam amid the stifling dust experience proved valuable.

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being very well, deputized two deacons to travelers between Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Lafayette and Council Bluffs, St. him, while the preacher remained on All classes of patrons, especially families, ladies and children, receive from the bank and repeated the ceremony, sindly attention. love of show and glitter and ostentation enter into that.—Harper's Bazar.

In the felicity that he had found in her, in his own loving young wife, Hilda Delorme.

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