The alarm over the importation

Australian rabbits was groundless. Th

WOMAN GOSSIP.

at the very same thing." "And what is that?" she was asked. mence without very great extra expense,

and am making the venture." She is a good stenographer and type-

wants to write those letters.

Another class who will probably patronize her is made up of foreigners. people in their own language, but they fre- tied hand and foot." "Yes," replied the not seem to have eyes, though it is hard troutles, and soon recall the rose-tint of quently must send letters written in Eng- woman; "but if you stick your cane in the lish. These she wants to write.

dating such people, but there are other

classes who will pay better. It is in the highest society considered private entertainments hand-written. In- thought of this or similar expedients.' vitations for dinner parties, invitations for And when they came to the ravine he stuck lunches, children's parties and "high teas" his cane into the ground and tied the goat come to us in pretty, clear chirography. to it, and gave the chicken to the woman, The writing of them is an irksome yet par- | saving: "Hold it while I cut some grass ticular task for a busy person. She is for the goat." And then-so runs

ready to do this work. through social sources; but the work to be | kissed the woman, as she was afraid he obtained of a business nature is unlimited. | would. Legal, architectural, and scientific papers will be carefully written and copies made. Again, there are many gentlemen whose business does not warrant the engagement of a permanent stenographer and typewriter, and who often have certain letters or documents which must be so prepared, nine interests. or whose correspondence reaches suddenly, and for a limited time, such proportions that they must employ the aid of a swift and | heard once or twice with the National Opera

Another branch which must be managed note to the largest legal cap, pens and | tury. blanks in variety, all in readiness upon dethere is excellent profit in this retailing. This woman is doing this work and succeeding so well that her only grievance

seems to be that her scheme is not entirely other woman thought and executed it before she had a chance, that her predecesors, having been longer in the business, is making more money.

Now, what these women are doing others

jewels in settings of which each design is be as long as purses are deep enough to buy them and there are handsome women upon whom to bestow them.

Mrs. Oscar Wilde has written a very sensible article on jewelry, in which she urges a change in the use of precious stones. She thinks that women have gained more harm than good from the love of jewels. As a means of personal decoration jewels have been the cause of much avarice and

If people would learn to look upon jewels as works of wonder in nature beyond al. art, she feels sure they would receive more pleasure than is gained from their use as a display of wealth. "Then, like other beautiful things," she says, "jewels would

work us good and not evil. If Mr. Oscar had displayed a tithe o the good sense, during his æsthetic crusade, that his better-half here displays, we might have been more patient with him.

The petty jealousies indulged in among women of society in general, perhaps, are not so well worth observing as those noticeable among young women in their puerile | man a'tempts at decking themselves with gems. That a Mrs. Astor covers herself with diamonds may cause a Mrs. Vanderbilt a heart-pang of envy. but her competitors | _ are of necessity limited to a very narrow circle of millionaires. But when Sapphira Brown sports a solitaire over the counter at Woods' every other girl is unhappy if her digit is not similarly ornamented.

Mrs. Vanduzen, whose husband is with jeweled earrings at table in Mrs. Hash's select boarding-house, all her fe- Russia 1,034,507 male fellow-boarders are sighing because they cannot dazzle you in the same fashion. Their poor, round-shouldered husbands | Austria 208,501 are nagged and cajoled to thus indulge G't Britain. 231,746

Another place where this fashion of Switzerlind 113,368 wearing jewels creates a most unhealthy | Holland ... 77,689 atmosphere is among our school girls. Girls in college particularly are preys to | Denmark.. 37.725 this vanity. Indeed, a girl's social standing often depends upon how many rings | Portugal ... 29,823

she wears; if she possesses bracelets or a Roumania. 20,572 It is not for this that girls are sent to boarding schools, but it sometimes looks so. "The poor child," says the doting Reserves. 10, 129, 541 mamma to ditto papa, "is going away alone necklace or that pretty and expensive pair of earrings to console her. Thus her teachers and fellow-pupils will see she has I once was so happy, light-hearted and free, parents who cherish her and give her No sorrow encompassed, no clouds could I

her with more consideration. They are level-headed, if that is what satiated with admiration, will grow greedy

and avaricious for yet additional ornathese beautiful creations of Nature's with

the superstit on of the ancients. ways be propitious in all earthly undertak-

iges, exists to-day in parts of the Indian Empire. The Shah of Persia has, on good as a protection against all earthly ills and Accidental circumstances be assassin glanced off from the casket of | sleep. -Albert Smith.

there existed a few things that were very rare. Among the rarest of rare things were all things precious, that they had been cre-They gave us a pretty philosophy which have not improved upon, it would seem.

The Story of a Kiss. well equipped for her enterprise. She is together. The man was carrying a large ready to do all kinds of writing. Who will | iron kettle on his back; in one hand he held the legs of a live chicken, in the other a In the first place, she will have unedu- | cane, and he was leading a goat. They the man: "How can I possibly overpower you and kiss you by force when I have ground and tie your goat to it, and turn the She may make a little money accommo- kettle bottom-side up and put the chicken under it, then you might wickedly kiss me in spite of my resistance." "Success legend-lowering the kettle from his shoul-The above are samples of work sought | ders he put the fowl under it and wickedly

Interesting Women.

FANNY ZAMPINI SALAZARO is to be the clusive attention to the discussion of femi-

MISS LAURA MOORE, a very pretty young woman with a lovely voice, who was reliable amanuensis. She is ready to do Company this season, has resigned her position and gone back to Paris. MARY A. LIVERMORE proves that there with practical common sense is to keep on | are no superfluous women by the statement hand a limited but varied stock of writing | that there are now two hundred and twenpaper, pens, ink, blanks, pen- ty-seven vocations open to women, as against seven at the beginning of the cen-

> cutta. The Indian Messenger, the organ the Brahmo-Somaj, cordially approves MRS. FANNY CHAMBERS GOOCH is a

She has written a history of Mexico that President Diaz considers so authentic he will have it translated into Spanish for the H. Seward has promised to give to the

Leutze's works, "Washington at Monof Madison County, Illinois, not only make handsome house, expensively and tastefully furnished. Home-made clothing is

the father's hobby, and the girls sensibly ----Armies of Europe in a Nutshell. Standing armies and navies of Eurone and the United States, compared

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| Men in the nav | vies | | 268,623 |

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Wine's Work. Ye cruel heart breaker, why did you break

will think they are herself, and, unless she | With love never failing, and meek eyes of

I once had a dear wife's caresses and love, But she, too, hath gone to the fair world above; Deep sorrow was stamped on her innocent Too late, I'm repenting, she'll never come

I thought there was nothing could tear us But ah, 'tis the ruddy, the sweet flowing wine,

I once had a sister, with beauty and grace, The roses have faded, and pale is her face;

Hammond, Wis., by the alleged discova | Further than these is a pair of solitaire ery of gold on a farm near that place. worth \$425,000. One of them was THE pain of life but sweetens death;

orig | lief of their supernatural power. When man sympathy will be found unimpaired. San Francisco correspondent, the report

N. O. Shelnutt, who was hanged of their shipment was a canard, invented nearly to death twice in Jackon county, by Mr. Buckland, the editor of the San Georgia, several weeks ago, is now in Francisco "Merchant," who thought i Atlanta, and bears testimony to the fact would be a good time to excite discus that death by hanging is perfectly pain- | sion on the subject. His plan succeeded, less. He says: "People think that as the report aroused great indignation hanging is a most horrible and painful in the press, and led to a resolution of death, but I tell you it is not. There is the subject in the Legislature. no pain about it and a man can die The Russians have a new explosive

General Beale, of Washington is one which goes off with 15 times the de of the largest landed proprietors in the structive power of powder. Thus sci United States. His cattle ranch, Tejou. ence every day approaches nearer a true embraces 250,000 acres, 80 miles north representation of the feelings of a ma and a woman along another. The roads final- of Los Angeles, Cal., upon which are when no work in the English language 40,000 head of cattle and horses. He is sufficiently strong to do duty as a vehas a farm of several hundred acres hicle for his emotions. eight miles from Washington, where he

possesses a large estate in Chester, Pa. | made a great hit in Vienna. From this A curiosity has been taken by a Pierce we infer that the ballet is given more City, Missouri, man from his well. It is opportunity to snow itself. a living fish about 1; inches in length The external markings are those of a catfish, but there are no feelers about the In which you are wallowing, on account through the translucent flesh. It does | can easily get cur of. Dr. Pierce's "Favorite to decide whether it has or not.

ton met a reporter in Wall street the sex. It cares ulceration, displacements, other day and said: "For 15 years I moves the tendency to cancerous affection have nunted high and low to find the reason for firi g 21 guns as a national salute, not only in this, but in other | Archibald Forbes has signed to lecture countries. I applied to the Army and Navy Departments for the information. and was told that it was a 'regulation.' Charles P. Daly, who knows about everything that is worth knowing, and Judge Daly couldn't help me. What I want to know is, why are 21 guns always of his books last year. fired for a national salute?"

During the recent exciting debate of the army bill, in the German Imperial editor of a new Italian review giving ex- | Parliament, Prince Bismarck related the following bit of inside history regarding mers in Ireland. the acquisition of Metz: 'In 1871, to speak frankly, I was not inclined to take Metz, I was then for the linguistic boundary. But I made inquiries of the military authorities before I finally decided. It was M. Thiers, if you will permit me the historic episode, who said Belfort or Metz. If you claim both, we Professor's methods of improving the memory that time I was quite anxious about the | Loisette is doing a noble work for the metrop-

I therefore discussed the matter cially with my friend, Von Moltke, who I said: 'Let us take Metz!'

THE ST. JO BOOM.

A City of 60.000 That Will Number 100 .-000 in Twelve Months.

correspondent. "A large amount of Kansas City, Chicago and St. Louis capital is being chains and lockets as big as plates and his daughters are pretty, intelligent, and invested in St. Joseph real estate, and I hear jingling bangles are no more seen, but accomplished. They live luxuriously in a that a number of large enterprises employing thousands of men and with a capital that tops millions, have completed arrangements for Remedy for Catarrh. 50 cents. moving, bag and baggage, to this new center of emigration. I met a St. Joseph man on a Wabash train to-day. He tells me that the immediate cause of the great boom is the extension of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific best time of year in which to purify the blood, to restore the lost appetite, and to build up the entire Railroad. This great system is making St Joseph its Missouri River depot for its freight and stock traffic between Chicago and the Southwestern ranges, and has given the city a prominence as a railroad center equaled only by Chicago. The extension of the Rock Island has induced the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul to extend the diagonal southward to St. Joseph, and the Santa Fe to come up direct from Topeka and Atchison, in order to secure a short cut to Chicago, said to be sixty miles shorter than by any other way. The Rulo bridge will be completed by the first of August, and that will send the Burlington & Missouri trains from Denver able to attend to business, but finally at the request of a friend I used part of a bottle of Hood's Sarsastraight through St. Joseph, eastward via the Hannibal. These and other favorable circumstances have combined to bring about a boom which, as I said in the outset, has be. in every prominent hotel lobby half way across the continent. I hear of men who have made a fortune in one day on an investment of \$1,000. People are buying lots in hollows and on top of bluffs, and half the sales are made from the map without an inspection of the ground whereon they are located. The city has about 60,000 inhabitants, and not the least remarkable fact is that she is quoted in the last United States census as next to Portland, the richest town of her size in the country, controlling the wholesale trade of Kansas, Nebraska, Colorado and New Mexico. Her shipping facilities, coupled with her large wholesale trade, has made her perhaps the best manufacturing and porkpacking point in the West. The new Stock employ the electric motor. An inspection the Boston Post's weekly clearing-house reports for the past three months shows the per centage of increase the largest of any quoted in the report. Under

> kay owns the finest jewels in the world Two specimens certainly take precedence One is a sapphire that she bought \$150,000 from a Russian prince. measures a centimeter, about four-tenth defect. She owns also the most epler did emerald known. Among her oth toys is a neclace of pearls worth \$100, and a set of corals, comprising of brooch, crown, bracelet etc., all of with diamonds. It took two years search that belongs to the Queen of Portugal bought at the sale of the effects of the Duke of Brunswick, and the jeweler who was commissioned with securing its mate

was upwards of two years in getting it.

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other so-called remedy fails. It is said that there are 60,000 wemen far MARKTWAIN AND PROF. LOISETT

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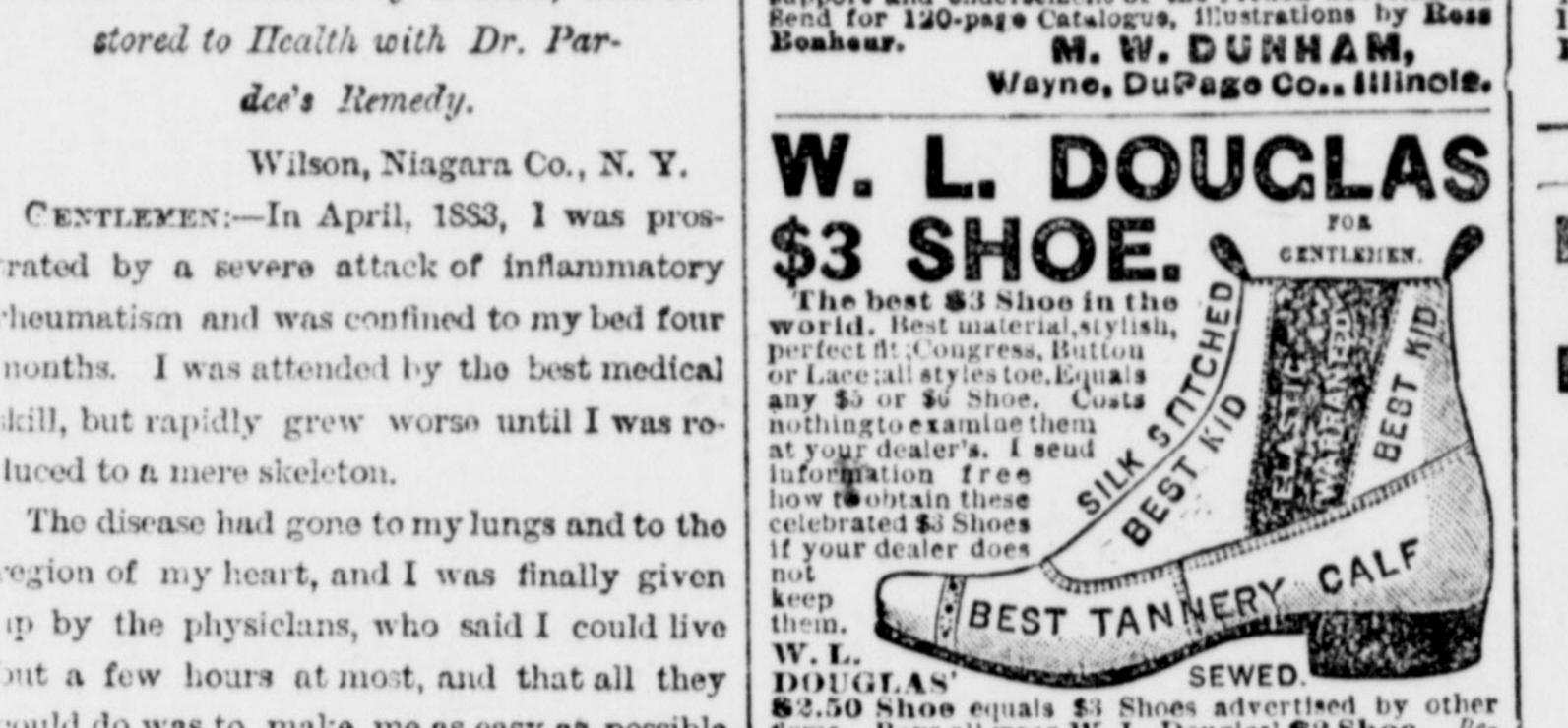
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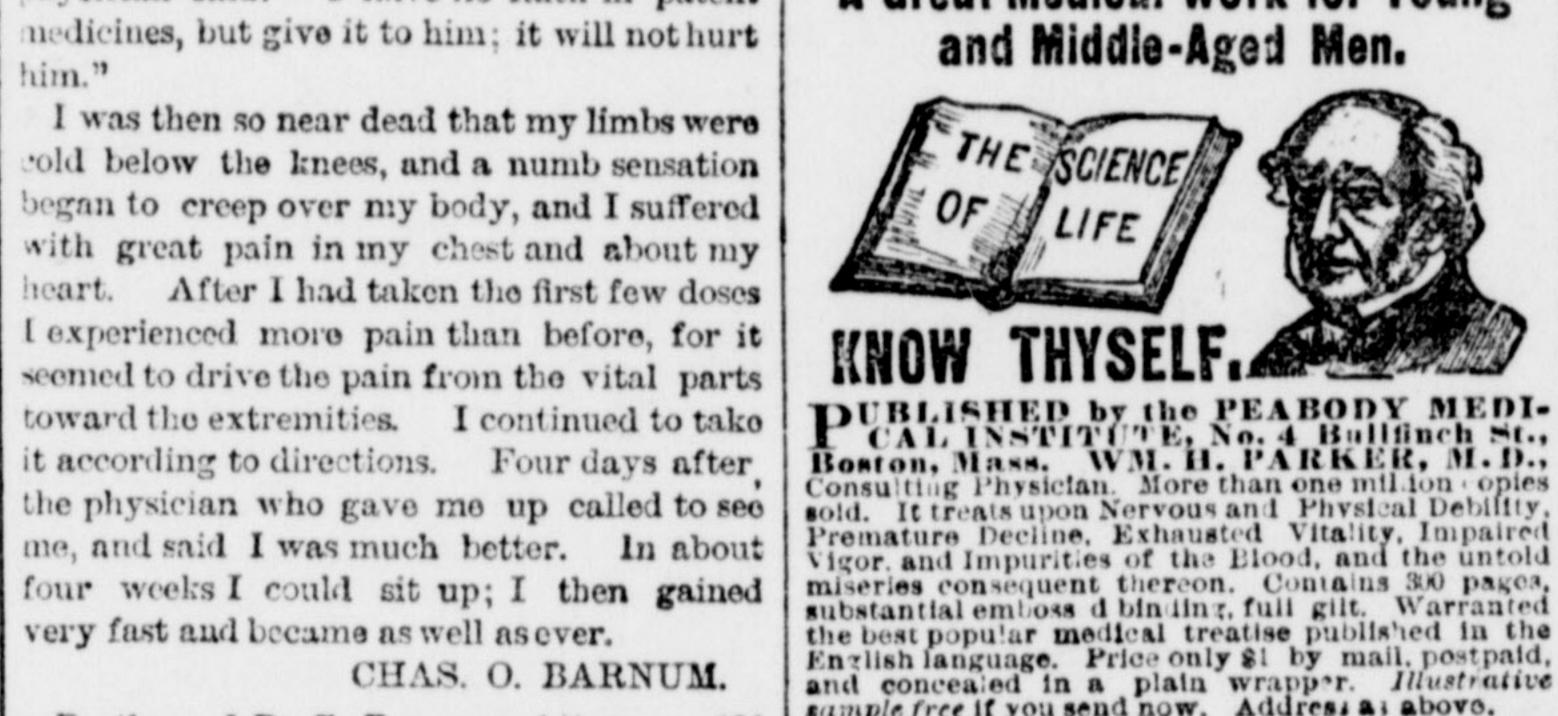
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