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necludes all of the Cornon addition left comprising lost 1, 2, 3, 4, 3 and 7. Lots 1 w. C. Jessen 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 7. Lots 1 w. C. Jenks and the others face out tood Ave. These are, without exceptions to building lots in the village. High root Ave. These are, without exceptions to building lots in the village. High root Ave. These are, without exceptions and the village. High root Ave. These are lot of the village. High root Ave. The village is a set of the village of the village and the village and the village and the village and village

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Children are like clocks; regulating is apt to make Paradoxical though it

some officeholders are very much of place.

Nothing is easier than ridicule, and in nine cases out of ten where ridicule is used, it is resorted to only because it is the only weapon available. The man of intelligence will use his reason in argument with his opponent; the man of knowledge will whe has neither knowledge nor intelligence must resort to ridicule. It is a poorly furnished armory which supplies no better weapon.

The Illinois Supreme Court has exclared that the legislature can not pass rules for admission to the bar. We are in a parlous state if that is true. The general requisite in this state of a "good moral character" has resulted in rating our bar very low, and of making lawyers out of people that ought to be ditch diggers. But now in Illinois, according to its Supreme Court, the people in their legislative capacity can not raise the standard.

capacity can not raise the standard.

Mountain View, Ok., a new terminal town on the Chicasha extension of the Rock island, that was organized in a contract of the Rock island, that was organized in a contract of the Rock island, that was organized in a contract of the Rock island, that was organized and the consideration was signed and the towns are now one. The consideration was raised by the citizens of Mountain View and the consideration was raised by the citizens of Mountain View and and string out on the road to Mountain Alley of the rival town is on wheels and string out on the road to Mountain View. This is probably the first case of buying a whole town outright that the annals of the west record.

And drill the raw world for the march of mind,
Till crowds at length be sane and
crowns be just.

Till crowds at length be sane and crowns be just.

The griwance of P. P. Richards of Louisville, Ky, against the Guatemial government is that as soon as the government found out there was gold on the land he was working it took the land away from him and forced him to leave the country. In other words, fourtenial acted toward Mr. Richards as Great Britain is acting toward the Transvall best let the Transvall pretty well alone as long as it looked like a barren cattle range, but on the discovery of gold she resolved to appead civilization there. Mr. Richards knows how a Boer feels.

know a floor feels.

A Chicago museum keeper has been arrested under the anti-freak law for exhibiting a short-legged man. It is remarkable that in the full efferveacency of its wisdom the late illinois legislature did not provide for the arrest.

The Mon. Chauncey M. Depew modestly amounce that his many frience and anounce that his many frience and the modestly amounce that his many frience and the modestly as a man. It's a cold say when Chauncey doesn't spring a new cost.

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J. P. King, who owns a mine close to Death Valley, Cal., in the great Panamint range, came very near los-ing his life while on a prospecting tour lately.

ing his life while on a prospecting tour lately.

"One blazing hot day," says Mr. King T left my camp in Plessant canon where the big ledges are to be found. After climbing the back was series of broken dykes and rugged ascents almost to the foot of Telecope peak, that giant sentinel of the range, which towers for nearly 11,000 feet into the burning sky of the desert, my eye his towns some well defided outcorppings of which to commence my prospecting and hobbling my burro and taking my prospecting pick I began slowly to traverse the course of the view has it was defined by the croppings. As I rounded a rocky exacarpises the awful panorana of Death valley unfolded "Seven thousant feet below me lay

OVER A PRECIPICE survey of the figuration. I should say there that the fact that my face what the fact that my face with the fact that my face with the fact that my face with the fact that much to restore my give and give me confidence in my moderating. Then I cut my

in my undertaking. Then I cut my first step.
"It was nearly dawn when I began.
It was nearly dark when I finished the one hundred and thirty-second step and, nearly exhausted, crawled past the spot where had commended to alip. A few rots away my burro to alip. A few rots away my burro to alip. A few rots away my burro hush. I staggered to my can see and drank until nearly choked. Then I flung myself down and slept."

with Each Other.

A rather unnatural sight was witessed recently during a visit to a
oultry farm near the Heart of the A rather unnatural unst was winnessed recently during a valit to a
poultry farm near the Heart of the
Commonwealth, was the Boston Transcript. Two chickens from the same
egg are here and they have already,
lived five weeks. The owner says he
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the panorama of Death valley unfolded itself ton ye lives.

"Seven thousand feet below me lay the valley, hiddous, repuishes, appalling in its vista of desolation, its course defined by apparently endies supheralis of violenic origin, while bornes on the winse of an approaching storm an enormous cloud an approaching storm an enormous cloud and the storm of the strength of the storm of the storm of the strength of the storm of the sto

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DOWN THE PRECIPICE.

under the eye of the great rebel, the Virginian, Washington." This prophecy has been literally fulfilled. The predicted 'foreign war' has reemblazoned America's national character, restored the unity of her people, and—as Editor Watterson phrases its easily counterfeited. Gruf old Dr. Johnson called it "the last refuge of a soundred." It has one thing in common with charity, "it covers a mutitude of sias." It often expends itself, and the property of the country of the property of the prop

me under the left arm, and I owered my yes alowly to find myself in a peculiar position.

"I was lying on my back at an angle of about \$5 degrees, my feet resting against one of those yellow, cone-shaped cacit, which take such deep control of the state of the state

to look after themselves and run about in a large yard with a hundred or more of their relatives. One peculiarity about these chickens, which, by the way, are of the variety known as buff brahmas, is their extreme exclusive-ness. They have nothing whatever to do with the others and are constantly treather. Where one is seen the other

ach other and keep this up ne which has been taken up n the ground. Then they y "join forces," and start off on a foraging trip.

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Odd Coincidences.

Homer F, Candee, the new postmaster at Winfield, N. J., has, according to a Brookly Times correspondent, a remarkable family shirty. Covered to the state of the state o ixteen years. orn in 1828.

on Her Methers Grave.

A well-dressed woman walked into
the Erie Street cemetery at Cleveland,
Ohio, the other afternoon, and, going
to a grave, lay down upon it. Soon
after two women, who were walking
through the burial grounds, found the
woman upon the grave. She was in
a semi-conscious condition and sa
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to the Cleveland General hospital, The
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\$T Scoville avenue. She was a vietum
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Mrs. Grever Cleveland's and Mrs. George Gender's Good Example. Mrs., Willie K. Vanderbilt, Jr., has startled Newort by going to market each moraling and making a personal inspection of fruits, meats and fish for her table, says the Criterion. She has also introduced the innovation of pay-ing cash for her purchases, something unheard of among: the Newport cot-tagers, whose habit of having things charged and bills sent monthly is a boon to the dealers at the Rhode laind colony, as elsewhere. Every housekeeper knows that while the lat-ter plan aves time and trouble, it puts many dollars into the pockets of the market men.

Mrs. Willie K. Jr., has shown her

PROMINENT WOMEN'S WORK

Mrs. Wille K. Jr., has shown her good sense and good training in this, as in many other respects since her specially the state of the s

## AWESOME TREES

How the Giants of the Yosemite pressed a Traveler. We made a side trip to the big to of the Mariposa group, which are a Through several tunnels have been cut and a four-horse stage can go through these tunnels on the run and never graze a hub. You get an approach to an adequate idea of their size by walking off 100 yards or so while the stage is standing at the foot of a tree and glancing from top to bottom, keeping the stage in mind as a means of comparison. The stage and the horses look like the little tin outfit that Santa. Claus brought you were a

NO CRIME

To Tell of What Decurs in a Gread
Jary Room.

New York Journal: The written decision of Justice Fursman, based on
his recent order directing the case of
to the igrand jury, was filed yesterday.

In this decision Justice Fursman formally expresses his opinion of the duties and proper conduct of grand jurform, and he also touches on such procedings before the grand jury which
in his opinion should be kept secret,
proceedings of a grand jury as secret, fustice Fursman says in his decision: "It is quite a mistake to suppose that everything that occurs in a
grand jury oom is secret. Some
things must be kept secret, to wit: The
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for him to disclose it."

la Soif-Befense.

"Are you willing to work for your dinner?" asked the woman. "Dat depends on wot you wants done," replied the tramp. "I want you to beat that carpet hanging on the line over there," the said. "Lady," answered the wanderer, "I'm poor and I'm human and the work of the world at dis late day—see?"

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