

A PRETTY ROMANCE.

Ex-Minister to Spain, Gen. Woodford, is said to be engaged to his former private secretary...

HE WINS UNIQUE WAGER.

Pennsylvania Carries a Silver Quarter in His Mouth for a Year.

AN AMBITIOUS YOUTH.

Runs Away from Home to Learn Railroad and to become Manager of a Road Someday.

BATTLE WITH HUGE EAGLE.

Pennsylvania Men Kill the Bird in Pike County, N. Y. After a Hard Fight.

Lewis Van Aken, of Lackawaxen, Pa., came to Port Jervis the other morning with a large eagle which he and John Courtright, of Lackawaxen, shot at Twin lakes, Pike county.

ODD MANIFESTATION.

Insane Patient at Paris Who Shows Marks Like Christ's Wounds.

Religious Mania Results in Almost Supernatural Appearance of Distinct Stigmata—Test Falls to Discover Fraud.

DAVOUST'S BIG CAT RANCH.

Breeder in Wyoming of Rare Species Has a Collection Valued at \$7,000.

ENGLAND INTERESTED.

Remarkable Performances of the Deutschland Being Anxiously Watched by the Britfishers.

Danger from Looters.

The empress dowager of China explains that she has merely gone temporarily to reside outside of Peking. The chances are, however, thinks the Chicago Times-Herald, that she will have to buy considerable new furniture when she goes back.

PESOS TO BE RECEIVED.

Porto Rico Sends Another Batch of Coins to Philadelphia Mint—United States Money Substituted.

The transport McNeill, which has arrived at New York from Porto Rico, brought 179,000 pesos in Porto Rican silver. The coin was in charge of Capt. William Weigel, Eleventh United States Infantry, and a detail of six men.

A COMMON TRAMP.

Grand-Nephew of Admiral de Bruyas, Commander of French Fleet in Battle of Nile, Sees the World.

Henry A. de Bruyas, grand-nephew of Admiral de Bruyas, who commanded the French fleet in the battle of the Nile, has, according to his own estimate, tramped 27,000 miles.

THE CONFEDERATE DEAD.

Remains of Soldiers Will Be Exhumed from Northern Cemeteries and Taken South.

The Confederate Southern Memorial association, with headquarters in New Orleans, has arranged to reclaim the bodies of the southern dead now resting in northern cemeteries, and to reinter them, either in the church yards and cemeteries of their respective states, or in a plot to be especially set aside for the purpose in the National cemetery at Arlington, Va., directly opposite Washington.

British Dogs in Caesar's Day.

The time of the Roman occupation of Britain, five distinct species of dogs were there, most of which can with certainty be identified with those of the present day. There were the house dog, the greyhound, the bulldog, the terrier and the slowhound.

Looking on the Bright Side.

It is claimed that Jesse James is still alive. We shall not, however, accept the statement as true until it is proved, says the Chicago Times-Herald. We believe in looking on the bright side of things.

A CASE OF NEGLECT.

Goddess of Liberty Has Just Cause for Bitter Complaint.

Stg Statue That Stands at Entrance to New York Harbor Should Be Given Allowance on Which to Improve Her Condition.

BARBERS PLAN NEW LAW.

New York Tonsorial Artists Aim to Shut Out Incompetent Members of the Craft.

The barbers of New York state, after disagreeing for years as to the details of legislation necessary to create a code of high and refined ethics for chin-scrappers, have now combined on a bill which they expect to put through at Albany with a rush.

MARRIES HIS DWARF NIECE.

Bride of Wallace Dean Is Three Feet High and Twenty-Nine Years Old.

A man of athletic build stood beside a woman three feet tall, weighing 52 pounds, wearing a child's No. 8 shoe, acknowledging that she was nearly 29 years old and was pronounced her husband by Magistrate Nixon, of Jeffersonville, Ky., the other afternoon.

Can Be Had at a Discount.

Matrimonial agents with an oversupply of American brides on hand should note, says the Chicago Record, the fact that the young duke of Manchester has been declared a bankrupt.

AID FOR STUDENTS.

Yale University Has Opened Up a New Department.

Ways Provided by Which Men of Limited Means Can Pay Their Own Way Through College by Work Performed.

KITE PHOTOGRAPHS.

Inventor William A. Eddy Gets Good Results from Recent Experiments in Mid-Air Picture Taking.

William A. Eddy returned to Bayonne, N. J., from Asbury Park with 30 kites and 39 mid-air kite photographs, covering the entire circle of the horizon, including the ocean.

BLOWS UP HIS OWN BANK.

New Brunswick (N. J.) Youth of Inventive Genius Secures Pennies with Which to Buy Dainties.

Jimmie Fisk, the six-year-old son of a farmer living at New Brunswick, N. J., tried for an hour to get the pennies out of his savings bank by rattling them. Then he attacked the safe with a meat ax, but it wasn't any good.

Close Enough for Comfort.

No comet, so far as is known, has ever come in contact with the earth or mingled its surface with our atmosphere. The nearest approach ever observed was the comet of 1770, which approached to within 1,400,000 miles of our planet.

Small Marriage Fee.

A Jersey City justice was recently paid a marriage fee of ten cents.

MUST COME DIRECT.

Hobson Refused Permission to Come Home by Way of Siberia So as to Inspect Russian Fortifications.

Naval Constructor R. P. Hobson has been refused permission to return to this country from the Asiatic station by way of Siberia and Europe. He suggested this trip for himself with a view to inspecting and reporting upon the fortifications of Russia and the various dockyards of Europe.

CAPTIVE WILD CHILD DIES.

Attempt to Tame an Almost Savage Negro Boy in Florida Proves a Failure.

"Wild Eddie" Harrell, one of the five wild negro children found seven months ago eight miles above Jacksonville, Fla., on the St. John's, in the forests, living like savage beasts, and recently without having been civilized, as it were, Eddie, with two brothers and a sister, was deserted by their father, their mother being dead.

FREIGHT TRAIN RACES DEATH.

Firemen Sever Artery and Engineer Makes Furious Run for Medical Aid.

From Carpenter to Edwardsville, Ill., A. H. Picard rode a race with death on a freight engine the other day, and won by the narrowest of margins. Picard is fireman on the Wabash local, and alighted from his cab at Carpenter to get a jug of water from a nearby well. He stumbled and fell, the jug broke and he severed an artery in his wrist.

Case for Regret.

The sultan has been 25 years on the throne of Turkey, and no doubt, remarks the Chicago Record, he looks back with regret to many opportunities he has overlooked for owing money.

Longest Unnavigable River.

The longest unnavigable river is in Dakota, the length of which is about 600 miles.

Whitebait.

Whitebait are the young herrings, sardines and ling.

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