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The Sewage Problem.

Every great city and many large towns are confronted with the serious problem of the sanitary disposition of sewage. The effect of the waste matter of one settlement in the water-supply of its neighbor, not felt in a wide, thirdly populated country, grows dangerous as communities by their increase approach one another. The problem is complicated by the rapid finerease of knowledge as to the sources, and the distribution of diesase-germa. Some seaboard cities pump their sewage far out in the sait water, which largely absorbs and reconverts the dangerous matter or precipitates it to the bottom. But some of the waste poisons sea foods, notably orystera. Cities on great rivers like the Mississippi, observes Youth's Companion, send down polluted water to the cities below. It does not always reach those cities in a polluted state, for smilight and air kill the germs in flowing water, and at a certain distance, depending upon the swiftness of the current and the consequent extent of the exposure of all parts of the water to light and air, it is purified. Nevertheless, the only sure safety lies in the absolute prohibition of discharge from sewers into any lakes or streams with water connections, however remote, to sources of water-supply. It is wiser to prevent pollution than to try to purify polluted water by municipal filtration plants. Prevention is better than cure, in the proverbial relative measure or any other, for prevention is sure, and parification is not. There is another side of the question. Sewage is a valuable fertilizer. Long ago Victor Hugo pointed out the riches that the sewer of Paris were throwing away. The discharge from a great twitter measure or any dear of the care of the current of the care o Victor Hugo pointed out the riches that the sewers of Paris were throwing away. The discharge from a great city, properly treated, made into desicated fertilizer or pumped through irrigation ditches into the surrounding country, at a safe distance from streams and lakes, enriches the soil and at the same time is exposed to the purifying effect of the sun. The barren plains about Berlin have been turned into rich farms by the city sewage. 4 other Edropean-cities have taken similar neasures in the interests of health and economy.

mer amusement parks in this country will reach a total of \$100,000,000 this year, we are told by The Railway and Lingineering Review. Says this paper: "The total number of parks is estimated at 2,000, and three-fourths of that number are controlled by and op-erated for electric railway lines. This rated for electric railway lines. This figure for the investment seems high, and the more so when it is known that the many small resorts, 'fardens,' 'gardens,' 'gardens,' 'gardens,' 'gardens,' 'gardens,' 'there's etc., found in every locality are not included. It is probable, however, that the figure may be accepted as representative, though it will correspond more nearly to the advertised cost of each specific resort rather than the actual cost, the two sums frequently being quite different. At any rate the investment will reach an astonishing total, and it calls attention to an interesting development in transportation."

"We in America are great mixers," said Andrew Carnegie in his speech at the corner stone laying of the Unit-de Engineering building in New York recently. Great mixers we are, indeed. That seems to be the present mission of the American republic, remarks the Mail of that city. We are mixing philosopher, political systems, economics and religions as well as races. A social philosopher who knows us well, but in able to look at us objectively, must wonder whether we are really combining things in a new and useful way, or whether we are merely taking the old world to pieces as a child or an indiot might take to pieces the orderly mechanism of a watch and jumbling the dissevered parts together in a useless mass.

A year ago a Chicago woman brought-a suit against a surgeon who operated on her for tumor and then sewed up a pair of forceps in he body. This was regarded as something body. This was regarded as something fearful, but other surgeons remarked cheerily that "it often happened." Now comes a report from Webster City, Ia., of a woman who was op-erated on for appendicitis and in whose body the surgeon sewed up a napkin. Perhaps we may yet hear of one who sewed up in his patient a door mat or a typewriter. These inci-dents may go far to make "surgical operations" unfashionable.

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Great numbers of vast fortunes in this country have been and are being built up on the very ignorance of the masses in regard to business methods, says Success. The schemers bank on it that it is easy to swindle people who do not know how to protect their property. They thrive on the ignorance of their follows. They know that a shrewd advertisement, a cunningly worded circular, a hypototle appeal will bring the hard sarnings of these unsuspecting people out of highing places into their own coffers.

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KANSAS CITY JURY FINDS THEY

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pany is concerned, the split is dismissed on its merits and an injunction will not be issued against it.

SEEKS DIORCE IN NEVADA Wife of Steel Magnate Corey Files Suit for Separation in the Far West.

Reno, Nev.—Mrs. William Ellis Corey, wife of the president of the United States Steel corporation, Tues-day morning filed a petition in the second district corut of Nevada at this place for an absolute decree of di-vorce.

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The petition of Mrs. Corey is brief, reciting that she was married to Corey on December 15, 1833, and that he abandoned her about May 1, 1906. She rake for a decree upon the ground of decertion and also requests that the custody of their minor son be given to her.

Packing Plant Burned.
Omaha, Neb.—A fire which started at about 11:30 o'elock Monday
night gutted the building occupied by
the oleo department of the Armour
packing plant at South Omaha causing
the death of one man and a pecuniary
loss estimated at \$100,000.

Flames Destroy Half of Villags. Rochester, N. Y.—About half of the village of Sodus was burned Tuesday, entailing a loss estimated at more than \$190,000. The post office, Charles D. Gaylord's bank, and the Sodus Alli-ance newspaper were destroyed.

Oil Warehouse Is Burned.
Springfield, Mo.—A. spark from a passing locomotive Tuesday set fire to the warehouse of the Waters-Pierco Oil company, which was burned with a loss estimated at \$50,000. J. L. Brockman was seriously injured.

PACKERS DECLARED GUILTY INSURANCE MEN INDICTED. Former Mutual Life Officials Face

Trial on Forgery and Per-jury Charges.

New York.—Indictments for forgery and perjury against Dr. Walter G. Gillette, and for forgery and filing false statements against Robert A. Granniss, both former vice presidents of the Mutilal Life Insurance company, were returned Monday by the special grand jury which has been investigating insurance affairs for the past six weeks.

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COBURN DECLINES HONOR.

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Topcka, Kan.—F. D. Coburn, secretary of the state board of agriculture, who was tendered the appointment to succeed Joseph R. Burton if the United Extess senate, notified Gov. Hoch Satru'dsy that he could not accept, Immediately the governor called former Judge A. W. Benson, of Ottawa, Kan, by telephone and tendered the appointment to him.

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Ottawa, Kan.—Judge Alfred Watson
Bensoa, of this city, who Saurday was
offered the appointment of United
States senator to succeed Joseph R.
Barton, stated Sunday that he would
accept the position.

Plan to Adjourn Congress

Washington. — In an effort to bring about an adjournment of con-gress by July 1 or earlier, Senator Al-lison, chairman of the senate Republican steering committee, will call the committee together to consider the programme for the remainder of the session.

Philippine Cholera Statistics, Philippine unoists statuture. Washington.—An official summary of cholera in the Philippine islands during the present epidemic from the outbreak last August and up to April 21 last, shows a grand total of 4,093 21 last, shows a grand total cases and 3,114 deaths.

Galveston Isolated by Fire. Galveston Isolated by Fire.
Houston, Tex.—About 1,000 feet of
the bridge which connects Galveston
island with the mainland burned Tuesday, completely isolating Galveston
from all connection with the outside
world except by boat.

PACKING HOUSES CLEANED

BETTER CONDITIONS APPEAR AT

Proprietors Provide New Toile Rooms, More Fresh Towels and Additional Dressing Rooms.

Washington—In response to a request from the house committee on agriculture, President Roosevelt Friday forwarded to Representative Washworth, the chairman of that committee, the report made to him by a committee of the department of agriculture regarding conditions in the Chicago meat packing houses. Accompanying the report was a letter from the president, in which he points out that there is no conflict in substance, between the Neill-Reynolds report and that of the agricultural department experts.

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The president quotes a letter re-ceived remained and the control of the collection as most competent and trustrowthy witness in Chicago, to the effect that the packing house pre-rietes a manifesting almost. "a ho-reflect manifesting almost." and office of the reflect manifesting house and over horous hasto to clean up, repayer and veven to plan for future changes." New tolder rooms are being provided, with additional dressing rooms and clean tolditional dressing rooms and clean tolditional dressing rooms and the haste towards reform would have been annuising if it were not so nearly tragic."

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The president's correspondent says his investigations have not been completed, but that 'enough has been developed in my judgment to call for immediate, thorough-going and radical calargement of the power of the government in inspecting all meats which enter into interstate and foreign commerce."

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Fhiladelphia.—The Berwind-White Coal Mining company was the issue before the interstate' commerce commission when it resumed its investigation Tuesday. Probably the most important fact brought out was that the portant fact brought out was that the interstate on the Harimus pler. This allowance gives the coal company about \$11.00 a month for this service. The work is performed, however, by Pennsylvania railroad crews with railroad (comoctives, for which the coal company makes monthly settlements with the railroad, the amount of the company makes monthly settlements with the railroad, the amount of the company makes monthly settlements with the railroad, the amount of the company makes monthly settlements with the railroad, the amount of the company makes monthly settlements with the railroad, the amount of the construction of the new celfice has occupied a little more than two years.

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Senate Has Smoot Reports,
Washington.—The majority and minority reports of the committee on
privileges and elections in the case of
Senator Reed Smoot, of Usah, were
Monday presented in the senate, the
former by Senator Burrows, declaring
that Mr. Smoot is not entitled to his
seat and the latter by Senator Foraker, taking the opposite view. Senator Balley, who is a member of the
committee, stated that while he concurred in the views of the majority,
that Mr. Smoot is not entitled to his
seat, he was of the opinion that "Mr.
Smoot could not be deprived of his
seat and the constitution except by a
resolution of expulsion." The reports
were ordered printed.

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Anaconda, Mont.—A tornado in Chouteau county, Mont., has destroyed an immense amount of property. It is reported that Fort Assimilations is seriously damaged. The country is a stock-growing region, and the loss is difficult to estimate. The damage reported reaches \$100,000.

Imprisoned Men Betain Office.
Denver, Col.—The Western Federation of Miners Tuesday virtually reelected Charles H. Moyer, president,
and William D. Haywood, secretarytreasurer, by making no nominations
for these offices.

Oiri Slayer Is Paroled.

New York.—Josephine Terranova,
the young woman who was recently
sequitted by a jury of the imurier of
her aunt was Tuesday paroled by the
sourt in the custody of her counsel,
Justice Scott.

LANDS OF CROW AGENCY.

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Arrangements for Registration, to Regist June 14, Completed—Burlington Offers Low Rates.

Omaha, Neb.—The government has made all arrangements for the registration for the lands of the Crow resultance of the lands of the Crow reached the lands of the Crow reached the lands of the Crow reached the lands of the lands of

while cots, bedding and tents sufficient to accommodate a small army will be secured from Fort MacKentle. Fine campling grounds will be prepared. Hotela and eating houses are stocking up and will be prepared to take care of all that come. The police force is taking measures to eliminate all undesirable elements, such as all undesirable elements, such as all the compared to the co

NEW SCIENTIST CHURCH.

Remarkable Religious Demonstration
Occurs at Boston Dedication—
Temple Free from Debt.

all labels for every character of meat product, canned and otherwise, issued the product, canned and otherwise, issued the secretary and attached to the product only after such sanitary regulations as the secretary shall prescribe have been compiled with and approval leen given by government inspectors. These government labels are to then the passport of meat products into intertate and foreign trade and common carriers are forbidden to accept more carriers are forbidden to accept for the products in the union and from all parts of the vorid came members of that faith to have been recommended regarding the discretionary authority to be given the secretary under the proposed new law.

EASY FOR THE COAL PEOPLE

Railroad Performs All the Work of Switching and Pays Well for Privilege.

Philadelphia. — The Berwind-White Boston.-One of the most remarkable

for President.

Madison, Wis.—Former Senator William F. Vilas, who served as postmaster general under Grover Cleveland and has been one of the staunchest gold Democrats in the country, has come out for William Jennings Bryan. In his declaration on the subject he declares that his conversion to more radical views is due to the recent disclosures regarding life insurance scandials, ranipoad rebates and corruption by the money powers generally. He says he registed Bryan as a safe candidate, as is revealed by his letters during his tour of the world. Madison, Wis.—Former Senator William F. Vilas, who served as postumant of the provided and the provided and

There is no Rochelle Salts, Alum,

Calumet **Baking** Powder

PROFIT POINTERS.

Nobody wants an over-antious min. He gets on one's nerves. Did you ever know a "tricky" min to make a permanent success? Matter is composed of atoms. Businesses are built up by attention to dense are built up by attention to dense and the successarily hard work. Make it good fun, and you'll do more.

LIMB WASTED WITH ECZEMA.

Suffered Untold Agonies—Doctor Said It Was the Worst Case—Wonder-ful Cure by Cuticura.

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GOLF YARN BY LONGWORTH

And a Kansas Story in Return by an Enthusiast at the

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Nicholas Longworth, of Ohlo, is a gold enthusiant who plays a good game, and Victor Murdock, of Kansas, a goit enthusiant who plays a very indifferent game, when swapping stories in the house cloakroom the other day, says the Washington correspondent of the control of the con

for Sootch highballs that was the won-der of Ohlo.

"His theory was that there should be a drink server on every tee, and he worked it by means of an army or caddles. One afternoon he came in and announced that he had renounced the game.

"What's the matter, Jim? said a friend.

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"What's the matter, Jim? said a friend.

"Oh,' he said, wearily, 'it's no use. I give it up. Whenever I can see the bail I can't thit it,' and whenever I can hat it I can't see it.'"

Mr. Murdock told this one.

"Out in my town Judge Dale, of the district bench, is about the best poffer in oue club. One day he had a case on trial in which several small boys had been subponend as witnesses. Addressing a bright youth of rbout 12 aummers, Judge Dale solemny inquired: "My boy, do you understand) the nature of an oath?

"Oh, yes, sfr,' quickly rep!'ed the youth. I often caddled for you, sir.'"

BUILDING FOOD