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E. H. HARRIMAN.

And noise that Mr. Harriman has heer called to the other stile, by the silen measuriger with known no distinction as between rich and poor, high and low, he will, generally, be regarded as one of the great man of this country of great opportunities, great achievements. His encodes will be stient and tmly the voice of friends will be heard For it was ever thus. "The man whot all the world condemned yesterday, all the world lauds today; simply becaum he dierkinst night."

But Harriman was one of the great man of the world. Whatever he undertook to do be did with all his might and made a success of it. His monuments are found all over the industria world of this country, and they are o a nature to perpetuate his memor from generation to generation. Salt Lake has especial reason for honoring him for what he has done for th building up of this City. The improvemont of the street car asstem, and the heginning of construction work on the dopot at a time when financial depression was genoral and whon enterprises of such magnitude meant so much to Sait Lake will ever be remembered by the citizens here.

Considerable fear has been expresse by some that the death of Harriman would materially affect the finances of the country. We do not think such fears well grounded. As a cute men with the foresight of shrowd financiers prepare for the inevitable in time and and were indignant. Shortly before take steps to secure the interests entrusted to their care, and as a result the business they leave behind goes on just the same. When the captain of a ship dies, the first mate takes his place, and he is supposed to be fully able to do so, and if the first mate dies. too, the second mate will navigate the ship. Financial interests are not less well guarded. The captains may be called by death, but the navigation will go on just the same. Financial captains always have men near them who can take their places in an emergency, If this is true, it would be foolish to permit a panie to result. There should be no necessity for a loss of confidence. Possibly things will look unsettled for a few days, but the stocks affected by the death of the financial captain are worth just as nuch as ever, and in a short time all will go on an before. Men may come and go, but the nation and the race remain.

Brigham Young, and was shown every the Pole. Roth followed, practically, possible courtesy, while in Utah at the same route. Dr. Cook went north a couple of years ago. He made a winthat time. Mr. Gunnison kindly gave the

and survey

june, 1853. The expedition consisted of

Captain Gunnison, Lieutenant Beck-

eith, R. H. Kern, S. Homas, Dr. J

ichtol. P. Kranizfelt, and J. A Snyder,

and necessary teamsters and attend-

ints, and about thirty soldiers. They

of the Sierra Blanca pass. From there

buy came out into the Gunnison coun

rs by way of Cochetopa pass. They

of the Grand, as nearly as possible, reaching the mesas south of Sapinero

reaching the Uncompanyre and there

taking the north side Continuing thes

reased the Green river in Utah. The westward course was uninter

upted as far as San Rafael, but there

they were forced to go southward. They

crussed the Wasatch and came out

ipon a branch of the Sevier river which

they followed to the Lake valley. Then

they crossed the Unkookuap mountains

and came upon the Sevier again just

Gunnison, with several others, now

went to examine Sevier Lake. On the

26th of October, 1853, they were sur-

prized at breakfast by a band of In-

dians, and Captain Gunnison, Kern.

Krantzfeldt, Potter, and four others

were killed The Captain's body, it

is skid, was pierced by 24 arrows, and

so complete was the surprise, according

to one report, that the victims did not

fire one shot. Keneshe, chief of the

Pauvant Indians, claimed that the mur-

der was committed by one of his tribes.

without his knowledge. He said he

deeply regretted the sanguinary deed

and secured for the party the diary and

instruments of the murdered explorers.

The Chief explained that the Indiana

had been treated badly by immigrants

the murder, a party had camped near

Filmore. A band of Indians had come

to the camp and asked for food and

clothing. The immigrants ordered

them away, and when they did not

comply with this at once, were assulled.

One chief and several others were killed

It is said. A brother of the murdered

chief discovered the Gunnison party

and led a band to the camp, surround-

ed the men and shot them down. Cap

tain Morris, who took the command

after Gunnison sent to Filmore for

assistance. A party of seven came

from there and went to the scene of

the tragedy. They buried the remains

of the victims and secured the ani-

COOK AND PEARY.

Whether Dr. Cook found the North

Pole, or not, must remain an open

question until the proofs submitted

ave been examined and passed upon b

INDIATES.

where it comes out of the gap.

ellowed the Gunnison, or South Fork

for camp at the edge of the unknown News' some data concerning the and left that camp on his dash for ragedy in which his illustrious coustn the pole at the first Tavorable opporost his life. The captain was ordered tunity. He took along with him two o go west in 1849, to survey a new Eskimos and many dogs. He had no reule to the settlement in the valleys dead weight in his expedition. The docof Salt Lake and Utah Lake. A se tor's story is simple. It sounds pracvore winter compelied him to stay in tical. No one has a right to deny H. this city several months and while until if mas been proved faine. here he studied the story of "Mormón-

sin" and, later, published a "History In time of pleniy prepare to buy of the Mormans." In 1855, three years toal. after his return from the West he was omenissioned captain of the corps of The great party question-which will

opographical engineers, and ordered win? to take command of the Pacific Rail Much of frees reform is only dress He terr Westport, Mo., on the tith of

parade. A record breaker has a smashing

good time. The filling or a suit usually rasps the defendant.

followed the old Santa Fe trail and ame into the San Luis valley by way The Pearylies say there is something otten in Denmark

The farmer does things; the agricul turist talks things. All the world's a stage but there are ery few stage drivers

A "yoy ride" is quite likely to end in a race with death.

Peace doesn't have her victories hts North Pole war.

The bright lexicon of youth should be printed on glazed paper. The great qualification for office

plenty of qualified voters. There is plenty of work everywhere The trouble is over the pay.

Patience sitting on a monument smill ing al grief is not a virtue

Rolling stones gather no moss he ause of the scarcity of moss.

If drunks were put in a galvanic cell it would soon straighten them out. People whose reputations have been

torn to shreds should eat shredded wheat. Both explorers, true to American in-

stinct, should have cut their names on the Pole In the United States the science of

government is the Smithsonian institution. The two Eskimos may become greater

historical characters than the two Dromios.

Municipal tickets this fall probably will be more noted for quantity than for quality.

At the Union Pacific employes' college in Omaha will the students be railroaded through?

If people and public officials will follow the lotter of the law they will not miss its spirit very much.

"Sarah Bernhardt' is determined to press her suit against the New York World," says the Boston Herald. Why doesn't she send it to a laundry?

In the death of E. H. Harriman the

country loses one of the greatest rall-

road men it ever had. We shall not

Peary has presented President Tart

with the North Pole but the President

with it. Why not use it for a big

soon look upon his like again.

the Catholics predominate in sixteen states. The situation is courty ex-plained. In the first place, Catholics are not given to race suicide in this or in any other country. The church distinctly frowns on the practice-in fact, it will not tolerate it. As a con-sequence Catholic families are generallarge families. In the next place, a enormous tide of immigration flow-The entries the of Incertain Row-ing into this country is largely Catho-line-the Italians the Slavs, many of the Germans and, in fact, the bulk of all the southern Europeans who come here now are attached to the Church of Borns. f Rome. THE OPTIMIST'S CORNER By George F. Butler, A.M., M.D. Have you had disappointments, foults, sorrows, troubles? So have we ill They are the weeds that grow all highways. We may be unable o rull these sink growths out by the ots and cast them from us. may not be able to forget the past en-uraly. But we are under no comput-sion to make for ourselves nredicas burdens. No one escapes trouble, ao that you have no monopoly in suffering. But, just as none goes unscathed, a it is true that no one is afflicted wit, all the troubles of the world. We have our compensations, those who have our compensations: those who have known misfortune and disappolitment are often given ample opportunities and larger compensations. Don't whine! if the world buffets us let us not be utterly cast down. We will wrest its good opinion, its golden fruits, from it was the state and the state of theory the

yel. We will at least not throw the orange away until we have squeezed all the juice out of it. "Make the best of things." This homely phrase is, after all, the shibboleth of life. It is the all, the subboleth of life, it is the faculty of seeing some good-of drawing some inspiration from the most hidden source, that makes life endurable, that glorifies it. If you are unsatisfied with your achievements, you can still find your reward in your home, your friend-ships in the enlargement of your char-ities and in the misfortunes you have



Women and Party Platforms. This talk is all bosh about a woman being able the better to say what she does not mean than a man. Neither of the great party platforms of last year was written by a woman ---Wash-ington Herald.

#### His Smile a Credential.

According to Mr. Rockefeller a gol player who can always keep his tem per comes near being a perfect man. This may be accepted as an uncon-scious tribute to Mr. Taft's unfading smile.-Washington Herald

# Asia's Unemployed Rulers.

The deposed sultan of Turkey and the deposed shah of Persia are still wondering if anything is to be done for the relief of the unemployed.-New York Mail

Your political antagenist is calling you every name he can think of," said the agitated friend.

"Don't interrupt him," answered Senator Sorghum. "It is better to have a man searching the dictionary for epi-thets than going after your record for facta"—Washington Star.

"Brother Hardesty, how does our n usher, the young salesman in the candy store, perform his duties?"

"Pretty well, but I thought he acled rather queer the first time he passed the basket. When a coin was dropped in it he turned around and made a



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#### NO EFFORT AT CONCEALMENT

If there was any bright spot connected with yesterday's deplorable wreck on the Salt Lake Route at Tintle Junction, if was the courtesy of General Maringer R. E. Wells of the railroad syntem.

It is a novel experience in newspaper annals for the man at the telephone to be notified from headquarters that there has been a wreck in which some body blundared. It is refreshing to rup, and ethers. hear tenders from those in authority to sue that the reporters "get the straight of it;" it is all so different to what has been encountered in the past. There was no offert to suppress details On the contrary, an offer was tendered to take a reporter along on the relief train so that the readers of the newspaper could be posted as to the actual details. This is so different to the old school that it merits more than passing counnent.

General Manager Wells' action yesterday morning and his courtees to the Descret News deserve more than a mere vote of thanks It marks a new departure in railroad history, and sounds the death knell of yellow journalism for any newspaper with all the available facts at its disposal would certain ly be yellow if it tried to paint the horror in darker colors than circum-ELERCOS WAITANIES.

The Deservet News is not in the habit of singing its own praise, but the publinoticed that the "News" yesterday was able to give the Salt Lake public the exclusive nexts reparding the wreck in an estra in the morning, which placed the newsborn on "Easy street" with pockets bulking with nickels withing ly surroundered by the public in exchange for neve that carried the bars THE TYL

The head califrond age tony in the world has its occasional wrecks. The Sall Lake Rout, has been remarkably free from accidents, and General Manager Wills has the sympathy of the con-Humity over yesterday's unfortunat occurrence, which was due, if appears to the blunder of a train erow

#### AN OLD-TIME TRAGEDY.

Mr. A Gunnison of New York, a cousin of Captain John Gunnison. the Unlied States army otherr who was killed by Pauvant Indiana on the Sevier, passed through Salt Lake on his way to Colorado, where he is to atted the opening of the Gunnison tunnel. Captain Gunnison commanded a surveying espedition of the Central Paulie railroad, and Mr. Guonison still carries a letier of introduction to Jos. A Young, president of and superintendent of the Utah Contral, written by A N Towne, general superintend ent of the Central Pacific, and dated Nev. 25, 1870. Mr. Gunnison, by the way and not ment Mr. Young, but he says he first President Taylor, who received

ampotent authority In the meantime his word must be accepted as true, for it would be folly for anyone to make such a claim falsely. His log-book will tell the tale to those accustomed to read such records. There is nothing unprobable in the claim of Dr. Cook says that he does not know what to do That somebody would, some time, reach the goal has been generally expected. after the measurably successful expeditions of Peary, Nansen, Abruzzi, Sverd-

went to Greenland, this time in com-

pany with a party of seven, including

his wife. Two years later the party

returned to Greenland, and that year a

haby was born to the explorer in these

In 1804 Peary attempted to cross the

mland loc cap but his plans were frus

raied by a fearful storm and a plague

that carried away his dogs. The fol-

lowing opting Pears and a lew com-

pantons who had remained with him

over winter erossed the los cap. But

they failed to find the provisions they

had cached the year before, and this

compolled them to return to headquar

In 1896 and 1897 Peary again visited

Greenland. When he returned he

brought with him a meteorite which

had been seen by Sir James Rom, and

which is such to be the largest meteor

(ars sooner than intended.

high altitudes

Let the dispute as to who first discovered the North Pole be determined Commander Peary, 100, must be ere either way there can be no doubt that dited with having reached the Pole, and both Cook and Peary have visited no man deserves success more than he. Wrangle land. He has spent a number of years in the An English physician says that Arctic regions. He has suffered unswearing is a beneficent habit, there told hardships, but he has never given being a sound physiological reason for up the idea of reaching the highest it. This physician is advised to read possible latitude. He went on his first and assimilate the words of Jesus, trip to Greenland to 1886, for the put "Swear not at all." onse of atudying the glaciers in the in terior of that country. In 1891 he again

stick?

### PROSPECTIVE PLENTY WHERE NEEDED.

Philadelphia Record.

Faining and plague are the usual ter-rible accompaniments of crop failures in India, where 200,000 people are dependent upon the yearly outturn of the harvest. This year the outlook for good crops is very promising. There have been plentiful rains and the chances are favorable for a season of health and plenty. Last year the short crops in Hindustan inflicted a money. health and plenty. Last year the short crope in Hindustan inflicted a money loss upon the people estimated at not less than \$200,000,000. The people of less than \$200,000,000. The people of the United States, rejoicing in their own abundance, will gladly note the prospective plenty for the swarming millions of the east during the next twelve months.

#### REDUCE THE ARMY.

Roston Herald.

Los Angeles Times.

Roston Herald. The United States army should be reduced to minimum numbers. Each isranch of the service can be skele-tonized without menace to any na-tional interest. The reorganization of state militia forces into a National Guard was for the purpose of socuring uniformity of equipment and training and the creation of a reserve fighting force which could be readily againflat-od into the active standing army in any known to exist. Then a Pears club was organized and n 1828 Poury wont north in the Windward. In March, 1900, he left houdquarters and reached the northern coast of Greenland, discovering the lost northers land in the world. force which could be reading arminist-ed into the active standing army in any emergency. If the plan of a National Guard is succossful if local forces are trained in the handling of coast de-fences, if infantry, cavalry and field artillery are competently drilled, if ex-nemalys par games preduce results. Early in 1903 Peary, accompanied hy Matthew Hermon and natives, ondeas

ored to reach the Pole from Cape Hecla but he was compelled to return after having mached \$4 degrees and 17 min-

For his lates) expedition Peacy left in July, 1905, on the Ressevent. He was confident that he would be successful and planned to go over almost the same route which, it seems, Dr. Cont took. He had been over that ground several times and believed. If conditions were favorable, he would be able to reach the Pole.

When Cook cabled that he had been successful in locating the North Pole many predicted that if the doe tor had been successful, then Peary, the must persistent of explorers, had likewise reached the Pole.

Dr. Copk and Pnary were associated in cariior expeditions. Both had formed him in the obsence of President, the same opinion as to how to reach, beilef in this country. A great deal of

notion as if he was punching a cash register. '-- Chicago Tribune. Lawyer-What is your occupation?

Witness-I'm a plano finisher Lawyer-Be a little more definite Do you pelish them or move them?

Algornon looked at Cholly with an "Cholly," he murmured. "Augustus what he awful rich." "Why?" asked Cholly, with wide won-der in his baby blue eyes. "I saw him yesterday lending a man \$5. and he's just home from his vaca-

tion!"-Baltimore American.

