would be forced in if he left it, for he could feel it heave beneath him. His strength was failing him-his limbs were racked with pain -but he would not give up. I asked him if he should not have given up if I had not come ples, is, I admit, the same in every part of the as I did. He answered that he could not have done it while he had life in him. He said he thought not of himself-he was ready to die- seem to have developed, or been attended by but he would save the rest if he could—and the development of different characteristics in he had saved us, surely saved us all from a the human family-just as various nations surround a few hundred acres in order to watery grave.

nursed him with my own hands-nursed him the age of Ambition. True, it appears to be a all through his delirium; and when his reason passion, or principle, implanted in the breast stampeded and ran, which frightened the miners returned, and he could sit up and talk, I bow- of every human being-and for a wise purpose. and thereupon they sent an express to the ed myself before him, and humbly asked his But, like every other faculty or attribute of agent that the red skins were killing cattle pardon for all the wrong I had done him. He the soul, it is capable of perversion or misapthrew his arms about my neck, and told me if plication. It is powerful for good or evil—it and committing other depredations. I would be good to him, he would never give has proved a blessing as well as a curse to the me cause for offence; and added as he sat up human race. It has exalted thousands to honor attracting much attention. A correspondent dog."

and from that hour I have never struck a blow Attila, to mankind. To it we are indebted for on board my ship. I make men feel that they many of the blessings we enjoy, and for the are men—that I so regard them, and that I progress we have made in a knowledge of the silver ore from the Virginia vein, to Dr. P. wish to make them as comfortable and happy arts and sciences—and to it can be traced Snell, of this city, for assay. As there has as possible; and I have not failed to gain their many of the most grievous evils and dreadful been considerable interest expressed in relation respect and confidence. I give no undue li- scourges that have desolated the world. cense, but make my crew feel that they have It is equally as pernicious or beneficial in results to you for publication. There was no a friend and a superior in the same person. its effects on the individual. A correct, and selection of the ore, and the assay made from For nine years I sailed in three different ships, properly directed ambition, tends to cultivate ten pounds, which gave: with the same crew. A man could'nt be hired the character, and raise a man to a useful and to leave me save for an officer's berth.

teen years. He was my cabin boy; one of the trary effect. It is a passion which cannot be foremost hands; my second mate; and the last too carefully watched and guarded, even when what miners term black sand; this was obtime he sailed with me he refused the com- its object is worthy and noble. It needs prun- tained in placer mining, near the veines remand of a new barque because he would not ing and judicious training and restraint, or it ferred to. The assay of this ore gavebe separated from me. But he is a captain soon attains a rank growth, overruns the garnow, and one of the best this country ever den of the heart, destroys all the good and afforded. Such, gentlemen, is my experience beautiful buds of promise that may be making in government and discipline on shipboard."

Mrs. Skinflint Excited.

rocked on the baby's fingers? Have you the audacity, you insolent brute, to call my child fill a position for which he is not, and perhaps a squalling brat because she is crying? I'll cannot, in this life, be qualified. It makes let you know, sir, that I'm not to be insulted by any such epithets, for an insult to my babe in temper-gloomy and unsociable-fills him is an insult to its mother! You don't deserve with repinings and murmurings, and conseto have any children, Mr. Skinflint; you should quently with unhappiness. have died an old withered, drawn up, miserly bachelor. You are not worthy of such an af- attainments. No, we should seek constantly fectionate wife!

never was calmer in my life; it's you who are -to search for the hidden treasures of truth. from Mono Lake reports as follows on the excited, and yet you sit there as unmoved as But be not discouraged, young man, because diggings: There is water in but one gulch, and her lungs by her agonizing screams.

hush? You are afraid to leave it, sir; if a sweep over your heart because you were not out from ten to thirty dollars a day to the friend should meet you and inquire after your born a Napoleon or a Washington, a Clay or wife and the angel baby, whom you have just a Webster. Remember, designated as a brat, you would not dare to look him in the face.

Did you say d-n the child, Mr. Skinflint? Oh, you brute! You ill-defined semblance of What would you think of the man who would humanity! I'll tell my parents how their attempt to gain the summit of yonder moungrandchild has been impiously cursed by an tain at one gigantic stride—and because he inhuman father. They will see, sir, whether could not do it, sit down in gloomy despon- some miners intend to winter there, but the

I'll have a divorce to-morrow. You would be happy to gratify me, would you? Then, sir, I'll not sue for one, just out of spite. I'll live with you till your dying

Did you say, sir, you hope it will come soon? It shall not come soon! I'll live to see you buried, and I'll plant a burning bush over your because you do not make as rapid advances grave. I'll build a brick pyramid over you, as some of your fellows appear to. Remember sir, so you cannot come up at the resurrection. there is eternity before you. Others may gain I never want to see your face again!

for a tooth ring; but you won't buy it; you there at last. If it costs you more labor to carry a five cent piece in your pocket until the ascend than it did others, you will not be so other day you refused Johnny a cent with bottom. which to buy a slate pencil. "Let him boreternal complaints about extravagance.

You haven't got money? Its a lie, Mr. generous father gave you as my dowry?

the interest? It does not come into this house. If I ask for a gingham apron, you whine about | tion and usurp the authority of God. poverty; if I mention a new silk-I've worn my faded one for five years -- you have a spasmodic collapse in your pockets. Your fingers eagles on the half dollar pinched you. You fear but that in due time he will find his proper squeeze a new cent, sir, until you could hear the Indian yell a mile.

Did you call me a liar, Mr. Skinflint? To be called a liar by a brute of a husband in my own room! This is intolerable - yes, sir, abominable! I'll send for my brother and have him punch you.

arouse any unprotected female! You think mighty objections that some individuals made dred and fifty feet square at the top, rising to because the law makes me your property, that to his doings; because it would be fatal as al-I am to be kicked about as you please. But I will not suffer it, sir, I will resort to the Indiana legislature; I'll have a divorce; the

At this juncture Mr. S. put on his hat and sort to the usual remedy.

[For the Deseret News. Ambition.

Human nature, in its fundamental princi- well civilized. world, and in all ages. Still, different epochs differ in their habits, customs and manners. gather up all the rabbits and other small game. That boy lay sick almost unto death; but I Ours, I think, might appropriately be called, A few cattle that happened to be in the circle again-"I am not a coward-I couldn't be a and happiness, and has crushed millions down of the Union Democrat writing from Sonora, to disgrace and wretchedness. It has raised Cal., says:-From that hour I never forgot those words; up benefactors, like Howard, or scourges, like

honorable position in society. While a low And Jack Withers remained with me thir- and groveling ambition has precisely the contheir appearance there—withers its affections -corrodes its tendrils-and turns it into a bleak and barren wilderness. This the certain River mines," of which considerable parcels consequence of a morbid ambition which have found their way to the U. States' Mint "Are you aware, Mr. Skinflint, that you prompts a man to aspire to that which he knows is beyond his reach—to be that, which he knows he has not the ability to be-or to him discontented with his position and prospects-envious of those above him-irritable

Not that we should be content with present to improve-to increase in intelligence, wis-Me angry, Mr. Skinflint? Me angry? I dom and influence-to climb the hill of science though the poor, darling baby was not ruining you cannot become, in a day or a year, what the men there are doing very well; a party, of 48L 0+64 83. the ambition within you prompts you to aspire You will leave the house, will you, if I don't to. Let not the withering blast of discontent which Mr. Lancaster is a member, are taking

"Honor and shame from no condition rise; Act well your part-there all the honor lies."

I am to be treated in this outrageous manner. dency? Yet equally insane is he, who expects majority will leave as soon as the snow falls. in a day,

"To climb the height Of learning's lofty hill,"

which others have been years in ascending. No, improve every hour in treasuring up wisdom and intelligence; but be not discouraged Our poor dear infant is absolutely suffering step by step, be it ever so slow, will bring you

But how is it in the world? The child seeks row one," says you. Perhaps you wouldn't to, and not only seeks to, but actually does object to his stealing one? It is of no impor- control its mother—the woman the man—the tance to you if the cent is only saved. Mr. man refuses to acknowledge any superior, and afford a passage to vessels of the largest size, Skinflint, you are the meanest man alive. You considers himself an independent sovereign- the bridge would rest on one side on the cliffs would fry out musquitoes' eyes to furnish oil and everything tends to confusion and anarchy. for your lamps. You found four oyster Or, if not so bad as this-still, the child apes shells in the slop bucket, and came into my the habits and vices of the man-the man Cape Grinez, the French abutments being room awakening the blessed baby with your strives to assume the style and habits of his raised one hundred and fifty-three feet higher superiors, and discord and wretchedness are the result. All want to command-none to Skinflint! Where are the \$5,000 which my obey. The soldier wants to be a corporal—the corporal a captain—the captain a general— Out at interest are they! Well, who gets the general an emperor-and the emperor, like Napoleon the first-wants to occupy the posi-

must first learn to obey." In all things, nature tends to an equilibrium; as much in inare all scarred, sir, where the tightly pinched tellect as in any thing else; and no man need twenty minutes; and it would be so built as to position and level. Let us then patiently persevere, and we are sure to be rewarded with victory. SIRIUS.

From Carson Valley.

At the latest dates, Judge Cradlebaugh was Don't call me excited, sir; it's enough to holding court at Genoa, notwithstanding the leded to their Nevada scheme.

There was some difficulty in getting a grand children will cling to their much abused ma; jury, but after discharging the men first sum- water. moned another venire was issued; a new jury left the house; while Mrs. S. quieted the un- was cited to attend, were sworn and charged; weaned cause of all this disturbance by a re- retired and the next day presented six bills of the whole cost would be reimbursed to the indictment. There was a fair prospect of company in eight years.

having a little fun as there was no want of business. The people there are remarkably

The story about the Indian difficulties on Walker's river was ascertained by Major Dodge, the agent, to be untrue. He says in his report that the Indians as is their custom,

The mines in that part of the Territory are

A party of miners from Ophir Diggings, in Carson Valley, recently brought a quantity of to this ore, I have thought it best to offer the

They also brought with them a quantity of

46 66 66 3000 Total, per ton \$3,300

I observed that the gold from "Walker's in San Francisco, exhibit a prevalence of silver in connection with gold, corresponding with the assay of the ore made by Dr. Snell- 149 474+; of thirty seven parcels of gold assayed at the U.S. Mint, the average was a little over 500 fine—the residue being silver; the highest re- 8418 U+889 8014848, 88 DJU9 sult being a little over 600 fine, and the lowest a little over 400 fine.

In conclusion, from the indications, I am of the opinion from these results, that the mining region east of the "Sierra Nevada," will be more valuable in its silver ores than the gold.

The same paper says that a gentleman just hand; they are working fourteen feet wide and from three to five feet deep. The gold is small and round, and the largest piece taken out weighed \$1 50. Claims are 400 feet to the 80 8+8 83: man. Men are packing dirt from other gulches and making from \$5 to an ounce per day; Whisky is two bits per drink, and will kill two hundred yards. There is much fighting going on as a matter of course, owing to the prevalence of the fighting fluid. Knives are used more than pistols.

HIGH BRIDGE FROM ENGLAND TO FRANCE. -This magnificent project is being seriously the summit of the mountain before you-but entertained among engineers and men of science. There have been equally wonderful things effected in our day. The English pa-Goddess of Liberty looks like a skeleton. The willing to loose your hold and slide to the pers have published some of the details of the plans for uniting England and France by a gigantic tubular bridge across the channel be- to 30 years of age, a defect in his right eye. Any person tween Dover and Capt. Grinez. In order to of Dover, and on the other side on the cliffs of than the English, to compensate for the difference of elevation of the cliffs. The bridge would be supported by one hundred and ninety towers, at a distance of five hundred feet apart, each having a light to guide vessels at night, and an alarm bell of warning in fogs .-The greatest depth of the channel, on the line This is all wrong. "He who would govern, proposed, is one hundred and eighty-six feet. PRINTING: The bridge would have two or more railways, which, it is estimated could be traversed in BOOKS, Blanks, Cards, Handbills, by gas. In order to prevent all fear of invasion, the projector proposes that each end of the bridge shall be commanded by a strong battery.

> The towers, which would be one hundred feet in diameter and two hundred and sixty feet high, would rest on collossal bases three hundred feet square at the bottom and one huna hight of forty feet above the water, formed of blocks of granite united by iron bars. The elevation of the tops of the towers would thus be three hundred feet above the surface of the

Mr. Boyd estimates the utmost possible cost of the bridge at £50,000,000, but thinks that In all its branches carried on in connection with this Or it could be built for half that sum, and that

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