

CURRENT TOPICS.

The colored man is now having an inn... Frederick Douglass has been appointed U. S. Minister to Haiti.

The new harbor works at Buenos Ayres will confer great advantages on that rising port.

The year 1899 is the fiftieth anniversary of the establishment of the penny post in England.

The ice cream freezer and the ice water pitcher are doing their deadly work these days.

The ship canal connecting Manchester, Eng., with the sea will be completed within four years.

The English naval authorities propose to construct two war vessels, which shall surpass anything of the kind yet built by that country.

ENGLAND owns over half of the entire ocean tonnage of the world.

The Johnstown disaster has aroused public apprehension in England.

M. TOPINARD has been making a statistical inquiry into the colors of the eyes and hair in France.

The same trouble with pavement is met in European cities as in American.

A dispatch announces the death in the Caucasus of Prince Nicholas Dadiani of Mingrelia.

A dispatch announces the death of Sir Salar Jung, K.C.S.I., formerly Dewan or Prime Minister of Hyderabad.

great task set before him by Salar Jung, and despite the meddling and muddling of the Nizam, Afzul-ul-Doulat, he had completely succeeded in the first part of his task by the time of the mutiny.

FOR HOT WEATHER.

Four Recipes for Making Good and Inexpensive Drinks.

Ginger water, which is simply water sweetened with molasses, with two tablespoonfuls of cider vinegar added to each cup of molasses.

Cocoa is a healthful and inexpensive. It is made from the shells or nibs, which cost three cents per pound.

Oatmeal water is the cheapest and one of the most healthful hot weather drinks.

Ginger Beer.—A ginger beer costing about fifteen cents a gallon is a good standby.

Nadder Than Death. Last Friday afternoon a district telegraph messenger who was speeding along the street with a telegram valued at 15 cents a minute.

Notes From Scotland. The Duke of Argyll has resolved to feu the Rosenath estate.

Mr. Ian Macpherson-Grant, eldest son of Sir George Macpherson-Grant, was married in St. Mark's Church, London.

Mr. Gladstone intends addressing his constituents in Midlothian in October at Edinburgh, Dalkeith and Mid Calder.

Breeding English Pheasants. Rutherford Stuyvesant, the wealthy landowner of Abamuchy, some time ago set 4,000 English pheasant eggs under hens.

A young man in Pennsylvania could not afford to take his bride on a wedding tour, so he purchased 25 worth of rides on a merry-go-round.

MAKING ANAGRAMS.

A Pleasant Diversion for a Quiet Evening Hour at Home. Making anagrams is a pleasant diversion for a quiet evening hour.

The red lemonade isn't anything like as red as it is made to be, and the facilities for crawling under the canvas are absolutely wanting.

The haters of James I. of England proved his right to the British monarchy as the descendant of the mythical King Arthur.

The Declaration of Independence—Open hate dare lend it confidence. Washington Crossing the Delaware—A hard, howling, tossing water scene.

Where Old Shoes Go. It may have been noticed that nowadays very few old shoes and scraps of leather are observable lying in our streets or dust-heaps.

A Scotch Spurgeon. A proscriber who is being more talked about, perhaps than any other man in England is the Rev. John MacNeill.

Visitors to the Whipping Post. There is not in the State of Delaware to-day a single penitentiary.

Cooler Than a Flannel Shirt. The flannel shirt is coming in for its full share of adoration during the hot spell.

Cure for Indigestion. For indigestion, the external application of something warm to the stomach.

Emeline—Alfred, I am very fond of you, but I love you if I love you enough to be your wife.

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ORAWLING UNDER.

An Old-time Sport and Its Modern Disheartening Dangers. The red lemonade isn't anything like as red as it is made to be.

The combination of heat and light furnished more good thrill than the dozen cages of sleek "Monarchs" in the big show of to-day.

GAMBLING ON BOARD SHIP. Poker the Most Popular Game Among the Crowds Crossing the Ocean.

Gambling is not allowed on board of the steamship gamblers, who have plied their trade with vigor during the past few months.

More people have been carried across the ocean this year by the different lines of steamers than ever before.

Gambling is not allowed on board of the steamship, but how can you help it when it is done in private staterooms.

An Understanding at Last. Old Mr. Widower had been sitting silently alone with Miss Autumn for fifteen minutes.

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FACTS ABOUT INSOMNIA.

Those Who Always Practice Punctuality and Those Who Do Not. Are you afflicted with insomnia?

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Numbers of organizations are only capable of five or six hours sleep at a time, and their early lying down to rest is often succeeded by an early waking up.

There is a widespread popular impression that a very large proportion of deaths from disease take place in the early morning hours—between 4 and 6 o'clock.

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