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We have all this luxury and wealth at our doors, within our limits. The orange and the lemon we shall still bring from many places; the date, and the pineapple, and the banana will never grow here except as illustrations of the climate, but it is difficult to name any fruit of the temperate and semi-tropic zones that southern California cannot be relied on to produce, from the guava to the peach.

It will need further experiment to determine what are the more profitable products of this soil, and it will take longer experience to cultivate them and send them to market in perfection. The pomegranate and the apple thrive side by side, but the apple is not good here unless it is grown at an elevation where frost is certain and occasional snow may be expected.

There is no longer any doubt about the peach, the nectarine, the pear, the grape, the orange, the lemon, the apricot, and so on; but I believe that the greatest profit will be in the products that cannot be grown elsewhere in the United States—the products to which we have long given the name of Mediterranean—the olive, the fig, the raisin, the hard and soft shell almond and the walnut. The orange will of course be a staple, and constantly improve its reputation as better varieties are raised and the right amount of irrigation to produce the finest and the sweetest is ascertained.—Charles Dudley Warner in Harper's.

Poor, Deluded Wives.

The Holyoke Transcript says two well known citizens were standing together in the corridor of the postoffice. One happened to notice that a postal card held in the fingers of the other was directed to the holder. "Why, how does this come?" was asked; "do you write letters to yourself?"

"In this case, yes," was the answer.

"That's funny."

"Well, not so very. See the other side." He held it up and the other read:

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"Yes; but I don't exactly catch on," protested the innocent.

"Oh, you don't! Well, I got the cards printed myself. The society is all a myth. When I want to go out of an evening I direct one of these postals to my house. When I reach home my wife hands it to me with a sigh. I offer to stay at home and stand the fine of $15, but she won't have it that way. That's all, my friend, except that the scheme is worked by hundreds of others, and our poor, deluded wives haven't tumbled to the racket yet."

It is too bad to give this away, but it is too good to keep.

Another Bismarck Story.

At a moment when the battle of Sadowa was as yet undecided, and when indeed the Prussians appeared to be losing ground, Bismarck was wandering over the battlefield like a soul in agony. Certain historians have gone so far as to say that he kept a loaded revolver in his holster for the express purpose of blowing his brains out if the Austrians had won the day. Presently he fell in with Von Moltke, who was quietly looking on at the fight. Being anxious to arrive at an idea of the exact state of affairs he pulled out his cigar case, in which only two "londres" were left—one of them extra good and the other of very inferior quality.

He handed the case to Von Moltke, who, after examining the cigars for a long time, silently helped himself to the best. That was enough for the chancellor, and he remarked to some one at hand: "When I saw Von Moltke use such deliberation in choosing his cigar, and above all when he chose the best, I knew that was a sign that things were going well with us." And he was right.—San Francisco Argonaut.

Pay of Swiss School Teachers.

The pay of Swiss teachers, looked at from an American standpoint, is insignificant. It averages less than $100 per year and rarely exceeds $800, but then house rent and fuel are free, the term of service is almost for life and promotions for merit are constant. Here, as in all matters of public benefit in Switzerland, the man best fitted and trained for his place keeps it. There is no turning competent men out simply "to give some other fellow a chance to get in," as with us.—Harper's.

PRINTING BY TELEGRAPH.

Messages Transferred to Paper from the Wires at Any Distance.

The printing telegraph, though a device of comparatively recent development, has been the subject of ceaseless investigation, and practical workers in electricity have directed their whole attention, in some instances, to the transmission of messages and the recording of them in plain Roman characters. A very complimentary notice to a new system has recently appeared in various electrical papers as the most perfect and seemingly only practical system known.

Its advantages are simply those of an electrical typewriter, by means of which the message is printed in the presence of the transmitting operator in page form, and a duplicate of the same printed at all the receiving stations on the line, whether it be a long or short circuit. The benefit of such an apparatus to the press at large can be readily seen, especially for the distribution of current news in the various newspaper offices. A single transmission prints it simultaneously, in page form, ready for the compositor's case in all the newspaper offices of many cities.

It is said to differ materially from every other known means of telegraphy in one essential particular. In it the impulses move the instruments, whereas in other systems the instruments move the impulses—that is to say, the transmitter of the message is caused to run by a separate power. No combination of electrical impulses or currents is employed. An even succession of dots or impulses, which operate the polarized relay armature at the receiving station, places the revolving type wheel in the required position, when the local mechanism causes the letter to be printed.

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Fourteen impulses represent the entire alphabet, making a complete revolution of the type wheel, which may be turned 200 revolutions per minute, thus securing very rapid printing. Its advantage also is that of absolute secrecy as a means of communication. The advantage of the printing telegraph for the transmission of news to newspaper offices is unquestionably a subject commanding attention on the part of progressive proprietors.—Paper and Press.

Misapplied Benevolence.

A short time ago a "distinguished citizen" of a neighboring state celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of his wedding day, and received on that occasion, in the shape of presents from admiring friends, property to the amount of $19,000. At least that is the sum at which he estimated the value of his presents, and the figure which he gave to the reporters. The gentleman referred to is not in impoverished circumstances, nor in any need from public or private charity, and possibly when he invited his friends to his "golden wedding" he did not expect that they would "come down" with such liberality, but he did not refuse their bounty, nor did he object to the amount of their contribution, being published in the newspapers.

It passes our comprehension to conceive why a well to do couple, with all the comforts and luxuries of life at their command, should be made the recipients of a new fortune in addition to their own ample means, simply because it has pleased heaven to prolong their lives to a ripe old age, and they have lived together, as all married people ought to live, in peace and harmony. Benevolence might be more wisely directed than in the making of such unnecessary presents, to say nothing of the shock which the self respect of the recipients ought to receive when they pocket the cash and see the facts blazoned in the columns of the press from Maine to California.—New York Ledger.

Frankness.

Professor Simon Newcomb is well known as a man whose scientific studies have tended to exaggerate a natural disposition to mental abstraction. The professor's friends, who are also his strong admirers, understand his peculiarity, and overlook in him what might not be excused in a commonplace person. A lady is very fond of telling this incident:

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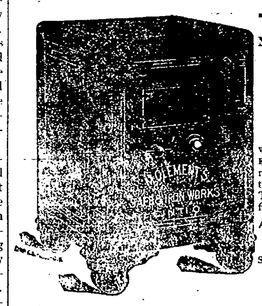

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