#### USEFUL AND PLEASANT.

Utah's mining output for 1884 is.valued at \$5,247,021.44.

Santa Barbara, Cal., is crowded with winter pleasure-seekers. The Current Fact is a new republicas

weekly started at Cincinnati. Boston has thirty-seven residents assessed at over \$1,000,000 each.

There were fifteen hundred roller skating-rinks built during 1884. A league is being formed to restore

the temporal power of the pope. The amount contributed to the Garfield monument fund is \$132,399.

There is a great boom in rubber shoes. The boom wears all sizes.

There are only 219 native-born pris oners in the California state prison. Alaska is larger than all of the United States east of the Mississipp

The new catalogue of Oberlin college, O., contains the names of 1,314 students.

The Civil-Service Reformer is a new and neatly-printed monthly paper in Baltimore.

A Norwich, Conn., lady has a banana plant on which several bananas are now ripening.

There are 623 newspapers and periodicals published in foreign languages in the United States. A Panama Spaniard rubbed himsel'

with alcohol, lighted a cigrette, and burned himself to death. The new pension building courtyard

will accommodate from ten to twelve thousand guests at the inaugural ball. Just sixteen years ago the interest on the national debt amounted to \$143,000,000 a year. It is now \$58,-

A box of mortar from the walls of a Catholic chapel in Ireland is effecting (they say) many miraculous cures at Wheeling, W. Va.

California has no asylum for the

Things were made rather lively in the San Francisco postoffice a week or so ago by the escape of a number of bees from a package which was received in the mail.

Rents in New York and Brooklyn will certainly, it is said, come down in April. Overbuilding and dull trade will be the principal arguments by renters in favor of the reduction.

A bounty of \$1 per head for each wolf destroyed in northwest Canada is now being paid by ranchmen in that section, who have suffered considerable loss lately by the ravages of these animals.

In the last six years the native population of Hawaii has diminished four thousand, and the government is en-gaged in a frantic effort to save itself from extinction by the importation of foreign races.

"Just a year ago," said a New Hampshire man, "my brother dropped dead on this spot of apoplexy. Tom was—" But at this point he went to join his brother, dropping dead of the same ailment.

A cattle-raiser of Churchill county, Nevada, began business twenty years ago with a Durham cow, for which he paid \$500. He has sold descendants from her for \$30,000 and has \$10,000 worth of the same stock left.

The books printed in the South during the war are now in demand among collectors. One of these was a spelling-book, printed on common wall-paper. Another, more ambitious, was illustrated with the old trade cuts found in newspaper offices, producing a comical effect. Upon the title page is the legend: "Printed in the Fourth Year of the War of Independence."

The number of students in the school of industrial science of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology for the year 1884-5 579, against 443 for the preceding year. The number has steadily grown from 72 in 1865-6. This year the students are from 33 states, 1 territory, the District of Columbia, 4 of the British provinces, Scotland, Cuba, Japan, South America and India.

The flexibility of itacolumite-a remarkable sandstone existing in Georgia and North and South Carolina-seems to be surpassed by that of a magnesian limestone found at the entrance of the Tyne, in England. This limestone is reported to be so flexible that thin layers three feet or more in length may be bent into a circle while damp, retaining that form on being allowed to

If a piece of sheet iron is cut the same size as the inside of the grate. and laid on the bars which constitute that bottom, most fireplaces will burn just as well, less heat will be driven up the chimney, and less coal will be burnt. The chimney must, of course, not be one liable to smoke; the room must have a fairly good draught, and the fireplaces which answer best are those which are the opposite side of the room from the door.

A woodenware manufactory started in San Francisco three years ago is still the only factory of its kind on the Pacific coast, but it has managed to almost wholly shut off the importation of woodenware from the east. It makes annually six thousand fish and two thousand oil barrels for Alaska, and has lately begun sending sirup kegs and butter molds to the east. large increase in the working force for the coming year is looked for.

A divorce case involving a former member of the clergy, who has enjoyed more er less notoriety was commenced in the district less notoriety was commenced in the district court of Minneapolis. The Rev. Edward B. Bowdish has sued for divorce from Mary Bowdish on the ground of desertion. Mr. and Mrs. Bowdish were married in Minneapolis, in Docember, 1881. In January, 1882, the plaintiff alleges that, without any fault on his part, Mrs. Bowdish deserted him, and has since refused to live with him; that he furnished her a good home, and in all things conducted himself toward her as a loving husband should, and requested her to live with him as his wife; but she has persistently refused and neglected to do so. to do so.

J. A. Worman's residence, Minneapolis, was burned at a loss of \$18,000.

A Clear Voice.

Mr. Charles T. Krebs, 737 Madison avenue, Baltimore, Maryland, well known in banking circles, certifies to the excellence of the Red Star Cough Cure. A few drops speedly cured his niece of severe hoarsness and sore threat. It is pleasant to take. No one can be poisoned by this remedy, which is free from opium, morphia and other dangerous drugs.

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The choicest literature appearing in the Sunday Pioneer Press, appears also in the weekly Pioneer Press. The "Galaxy of Genius" articles, which that paper has contracted for for the current year, is a notable feature, and is eliciting many enconiums. The weekly of Feb. 12th is promised of this series, "Turkish Affairs and English Policy" by Hobart Pasha, Admiral of the Ottaman fleet; 'Among the Buddhists in Ceylon" by Moncure D. Conway; and "Life in other Worlds" by Richard A. Proctor. These articles are all copyright matter. These articles are all copyright matter.

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No liquor will hereafter be sold at Wisconsin state fairs.

#### The Morning Dress.

California has no asylum for the blind, but the state legislature, at its coming session, will consider the project of building one.

In America we call men who dabble in dynamite "dynamiters." Canadian papers call them "dynamiteurs," and the English press refers to them as "dynamitards."

Things were made rather lively in The Morning Dress.

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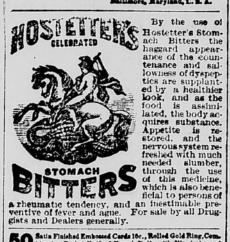
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