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HAPPENINGS 69 YEARS AGO.

(By Count de G. -)

"Adventures in Mexico and the Rocky Mountains," is the title of a work lately published, by George R. Buxton, an Englishman, who traveled through that country since the commencement of the present war. The morthern papers speak of it in terms of high praise. The following extracts are interesting:

Santa Anna.

and a very well-built wooden leg. His Manufacturer created Mr. Adam, depicted in every feature, and

swell-known character hears out the Now, without knowing what love was, presentation to Washington by Lafatruth of the impress his vices have they could not help loving the moment yette of the key of the Bastile, which stamped upon his face. In person he is they set eyes upon each other. He graceful, and not devoid of a certain east sheep's eyes at her a distance dated March 17, 1790, closing with well-bred bearing, which win for him and she threw some killing glances in these words: "Give me leave, my dear golden opinions from the surface-see- return, that fired his soul and set his General, to present you with a picture ing fair sex, to whom he ever pays the heart vibrating, like a splinter upon of the Bastile, just as it boked a few most courtly attention. If half the a chestnut rail; in a sou'wester, They days after I ordered its demolition, mnecdotes are true which I have heard finally came together just as naturally with the main key of the fortress of marrated by his most intimate friends, as a couple of apple seeds swimming despotism. It is a tribute which I owe any office or appointment in his gift in a basin of water. But situated as as a son to my adopted tather—as an ican always be obtained on application they were at first, and having little or aide-de-camp to my general-as the of a female interceder; and an such an namual labor to perform - Eve missionary of liberty to its patriarch." occasion he first saw his present wife, could be of little utility to Adam; and Washington wrote to Lafayette on then a girl of fifteen, whom her moth- Adam couldn't do a great deal for Eve. August 11, acknowledging receipt of

TO THE PUBLIC.

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former services, and Santa Anna became so enamored of the artless beauty that he soon after signified his gra-Posteffice at New Orleans, La., under Act of his august hand, after a vain attempt to secure the young lady in a less honorable manner, which the polite mamma, however, took care to frus-

The City of Mexico.

On entering the town, one is struck with the regularity of the streets, the chaste architecture of the buildings, the miserable appearance of the population, the downcast look of the men the absence of ostentatious display of wealth, and the prevalence of filth which everywhere meet the eye. On every side the passenger is importuned for charity. Disgusting lepers whine for calcos; maimed and mutilated wretches, mounted on the backs of porters, thrust out their distorted limbs and expose their sores, urging their human steeds to increase their pace as their victim increases his to avoid them. Rows of cripples are brought into the street the first th in the morning, and deposited against a well, whence their infernal whine is heard the live-long day.

Mexico is the headquarters of dirt. and the women dirtier; and everything you eat and drink is dirty. Observe every countenance; with hardly an ex-

. (By Count de G.....)

I shall give you a sermon today drawn from the following text: The lady who before a tub.

Is not ashamed to wring or rub. Or on the floor ushamed to scrub, And cares not who calls in to see Her laboring so industriously, Will make a wife for you or me.

My hearers-it was ordained by

Heaven, not by the devil - that every

man should have a wife, and every

woman be blessed with a husband, In the beginning, God made two of the Genus Homo - of opposite sex. The one he electrified positively, and the other negatively; so that when they approximated, their mystical effect would be produced from one to the other. The how, and why, and the wherefore, no mortal man has been able to understand - neither is it necessary that he should. The sexes naturally approach and adhere to each other. Don Antonio Lopez de Santa Anna is through some mysterious influence a hale-looking man, between fifty and that admits of no solution. Let it sufsixty, with an Old Balley countenance fice that it is so. When the great countenance completely betrays his forget his first name), He saw that it character; indeed, I never saw a phy- was not good for him to be alone, so singnomy in which the evil passions, he mesmerized the man - dug a rib which he notoriously possesses, were from his side without the least partimore strongly marked, oily duplicity, cle of pain and from it made that treachery, avarice and sensuality are beautiful Miss Eve, to be help-meet O. Hart, a member of the local comfor him, as well as, a fancy plaything, mittee, will read an account of the

found that aprons were necessary despotism." they set to, and swith the needle In connection with the proposed Lacissitudes of life — from Paradise to Perdition.

My brothers, since you know that

marriage is a divine institution, and that every one of you should have a wife, what kind of a rib would you select!-a pretty little useless doll, or a woman big and spunky enough to cious intention of honoring her with "rassle" with a bear; and come off first best? I imagine you would care nothing for either extreme; but you would look for personal charms. O you foolish idolators at the shrine of beauty; know you not that hundreds are happy in the possession of homely ones? homely without but beautiful within, Alas! what is beauty? It is a flower that wilts and withers almost as soon as it is plucked, a transient rainbow, a fleeting meteor, a deceitful will of the wisp, suffmigated moon-shine. The kind of a wife you want is one of good morals, and knows how to mend trousers; who can reconcile peeling potatoes with practical or fashionable piety - who can waltz with the churn dash, and sing with the tea-kettle — who understands broomology, and the true science of mopping - who can knit stockings without knitting her brows, and knit d'automobile survenu lundi sur la rouup her husband's ravelled sleeve of te de Tongaboo, Plusieurs personnes eare - who prefers sewing tares with se trouvaient dans le vébicule échapthe needle, to swing the tares of sean- perent aux blessures; seule Mile Peterdal with her tongue. Such is decided | son fut atteinte. lay a BETTER half. Take her if you can get her, wherever you can find her - let her be up to her ellows in

the expression of vice and crime, and lady before a wash tub. You may think son acte était pleinement justifié par conscious guilt in each. No one looks it absurd, but let me assure you that le "unwritten code." you in the face, but all slouch past a female can be a lady before a fub with down-cast eyes and hang-dog or in the kitchen, as much as in the look, intent upon thoughts that will drawing-room or in the parfor. What must bear the light. The shops are poor constitutes a lady? It is not costly and ill-supplied, the markets filthe dress, paint for the cheeks, false hair in the extreme. Let no fastidious stom, and still falser airs; but it is her gen- fait un appel à l'unité du peuple er ach look into the shops where pastry eval deportment, her intellectual en- présence de la crise nationale. L'endowments, and that evidence of virtue Ities on her de la Roumanie fait supwhich commands the silent respect at poser un changement complet dans la once - it matters not where or in politique da royaume de Grèce. what situation she were found-whether scorching bed bugs with a hot pokler, or hollering halfelujahs at a Methodist camp-meeting. All that I ffave farther to say, fellow bachelor, is, ports venant du front de la Somme, that when you marry see that you get que dans le dernier combat qui vient a lady inside and out-one who knows do so livrer hier, les forces allemandes how to keep the pot-boiling, and looks out perdu à Cléry, plus de dix mille well to her household. So mote it he!

geese in the cow stable.

Mr. W. O. Hart.

After an absence of two weeks spent in Chicago, Mr. W. O. Hart returned to the city yesterday. While away, he attended the annual meetings of the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws, the American Bar Association; the American Institute of Criminal Law and Criminology, Comparative Law Bureau and the American Society of International Law, de Koenigsberg. and kas the guest of Orrin G. Carter. of the Supreme Court of Illinois at the dinner given to the judicial section on also to attend the meeting of the Am-

The Lafayette Celebration.

At the Lafayette celebration in this city, temorrow, September 6, Mr. W. he sent to Mount Vernon with a letter

er brought to the president, to win the Still they leved and were ready to as- the letter and of the gifts accompany- 221. bestowal upon her of a pensi n f sist each other, in case of any emer-) ing it, describing them as "the token En faisant vos emplettes mentionnez l'Abellie.

gent casualty; and so that when they of the victory gained by liberty over

worked together for mutual good. Eve fayette celebration which is expected only understood plain sewing --- she will be general throughout the United | knew nothing about your embroidery States, the anniversary of his birthday, lace-working, and pigno playing, and Mr. W. O. Hart, a member of the local cared about the same. The couple committee and in touch with the Nawere perfectly happy in their rude tional Committee, has suggested to the and rough state, until the fold sar- City of Lafayette in this State, the pint" got among'em, and even then parish seat of Lafayette parish, that they stuck to each other through thick a celebration should be held in that and thin-through all the brambly vi- city and will send on in due course copies of the programme of the celebration in this city and other matter appropriate to the occasion.

The bust of General Lafayette will be unveiled in Lafayette square at 7 p. m. All arrangements for the coremonies have been completed by the committee of which Col. H. J. de la Vergne is chairman, at the meeting yesterday in the Mayor's parior.

Prior to the unveiling ceremonies a reception will be held in the parlors of the mayor in the city hall, between the hours of 2 and 3 o'clock p. m.

Lafayette's day will be closed with a. musical and oratorical programme in the Cabildo at 8 o'clock at night. Mrs. H. O. Bisset will sing the Marseillaise, and a choir of 40 will sing patriotic songs. Many tributes will be paid General Lafayette as a friend of American liberty and a great soldier.

DEPECHES LES ETATS-UNIS

Suite de la fère page.

Dépêche Spéciale & l'Abeille.

Jackson, 4 septembre. - Mile Peterson, de Slidell, Lne., a été grièvement brulée et blessée dans un accident

Dépêche Spéciale à l'Abeille,

Birmingham, 4 septembre, — Le Rev. the suds of a wash tub, or picking the J. E. C. Harrison ministre methodiste. a été tué à coups de revolver par Will ception a physiognomist will detect. My hearers- my text speaks of a Trotter ayant été arrêté a déclaré que Trotter, organiste de son église. M.

DEPECHES DE LA GUERRE.

Suite de la fère page.

Dépêcne Spéciale à l'Abeille.

Paris, 4 septembre. - Le ministère de la guerre, déclara d'après des raphommes restés sur le terrain, en dehors des blessés et des prisonniers capturés par les armées anglo-françaises. Cette dernière action a porté le désordre le piùs indescriptible dans les rangs teutons.

ECHOS DU VIEUX MONDE.

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La catastrophe provogua dans Koenigsberg une vive panique; la ville fut ébranlée comme par un tremblement de Tuesday evening. Mr. Frank W. Hart, terre; une école située près du lieu du who visited Chicago on business and désastre s'écroula comme un chateau de cartes. Plus de cent personnes fuerican Bar Association, returned with rent tuees; un plus grand nombre blessées. Depuis plusieurs jours un grand nombre de soldats sont employés à da blayer le terrain. 🟭 🦥

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