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WILL RICHARDSON'S

State Street Grocery.

There will be a meeting of the improvement association which was organized last winter under the name of Board of Trade, next Monday night at the purpose of considering some imtown ahead and developing the coun-By order of the President.

Michigan summer resorts are becoming more valuable according to the theory of a bill introduced by Rapresentative Neal, of Northville. The law now permits summer resort associations to hold not more than 400 acres of ground, and the limit of value imposed is \$200,000. The Neal bill would increase the amount of land that may be held to 700 acres and would increase the value to \$2,000,000. He says that some of the associations want to increase their holdings, and that the value of the land held by a number of such erganizations has grown up to the limit.

A statement prepared by the interstate commerce commission shows that during the three months ended September 30, 1902, there were 263 persons killed and 2.613 injured in train accidents. Other kinds of accidents, including those sustained by employes while at work and by passengers in getting on of off the cars, etc., bring the total number of casualties up to 12.007, the killed numbering \$45 and the injured 11,162.

The concensus-of opinion favors newspaper advertising above all other. forms. In no other way can the merchant reach the people he wants to patronize his store so cheaply or so effectively. In the respectable newspaper there is nothing to offend good aste. The newspaper gets into the homes of the people where all members of the family read the advertisements. The paper is purchased by the head of the boose and the advertisements are a part of his purchase. The newspaper advertisement has a value that no other form of advertising

The Hotel Riverside at Elk Rapids, which has stood idle for over a year. has been leased and is being furnished throughoutat an expense of several thousand dollars by Mr. H. E. Bower of Thompsonville, who expects to have it ready to open some time in Febru- troubles as Foley's Honey and Tar.

BOARD OF TRADE MEETING. IN BED FOUR WEEKS WITH LAGRIPPE

We have received the following letter from Mr. Roy Kemp, of Angola, Ind. "I was in bed four weeks with lagrippe and I tried many | remedies and spent considerable for treatment the Woodmen Hall at 8:00 o'clock for with physicians, but I received no re lief until I tried Foley's Honey and portant matters te be brought before Tar. Two small bottles of this mediit. All members should be there and cine cured me and now I use it excluall those interested in pushing the sively in my family." Take no substitutes.

Sold by L. C. Madison & Co. List of Advertised Letters.

Unclaimed letters for the week endng Jan. 19:

Dickie, Robt., Drake, Mrs. Laura, Gebor, Miss Cora, Nelson, Mr. Lewie, Robinson, Miss Nina, Swador, Mr. John, Whalen, Mrs, J., POSTAL CARDS. Califf, Mr. J. W., Lewis, Dr. Levi L., WM. HARRINGTON, P. M.

The washing of "flannels, like the making of mayonnaise or puff paste, seems a matter of extraordinary skill, and a good deal of uncertainty under any tonditions. But, as a matter of may be washed in very hot water or in water barely warm with equal success, The main thing to be observed is that they may not be subjected to more than one temperature during the pro cess. Shave plenty of fine white soap into warm warm water which is well to soften with a little amonia. The amonia serves the purpose of helping the cleansing, and, therefore doing away with some of the rubbing. Soal the garments ten minutes, and begin to squeeze and press them in the water. A great deal of dirt will come out at once. Put them through at least two soapy waters and rinse in clear water, all of the same degree of heat. Never let soan touch them, und to not rub on a washboard. Pull firth shape and dry in room. Iron on the wrong side while quite damp. It is a good idea to have forms for stockings. and no fronting is necessary when thes are used. Woolens washed in this way remain soft and loose as long as a

The prevention of consumption is entirely a question of commencing the proper treatment in time. Nothing is so well adapted to ward off fatal lung

thread of them is left .- Ex.

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LIST OF JURORS.

Following is a list of the jurors who have been drawn for the term of the Circuit Court which sits in Charlevoix commencing March 2d:-;

M. J. Stockman, Charlevoix,

Fred. Heller. Eveline, Lewis McIntire, Evangeline. Eugene H. Burgess, Hayes, James A. Waggoner. Hudson, Leonard Whitmoyer, Marion, John W. Colden, Melrose, John Webster, Norwood. Fratcis Roddy, Pcaine, Henry A. Kimball, South Arm, John W. Green, St. James. Geo. E. Rogers, Wilson, James Fox, Bay, Fred Wagoner, Boyne Valley, Wm. Hughes, Chander, Chas. See, Charlevoix. Ernest Loomis, Eveline, David Vaughan, Evangeline, Jones Lewis, Hayes. Frank McFarland, Hudson. Robt. Gregory, Marion, Edwin Tellapaugh, Melrose, Wm. J. McGeogh, Norwood, Phillip C. Gallagher, Peaine.

A LIFE AT STAKE.

If you but knew the splendid merit of Foley's Honey and Tar you would never be without it. A dose or two fact, it is extremely simple. Flangels will prevent an attack of pneumonia or la grippe. It may save your life. Sold by L. C. Madison & Co.

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FOR CALLING OR STREET WEAR

shown with a blouse waist displaying properly come before the convention. anatty waist of white peau de soie trimmed in black braid. The strapped collar is of novelty braid over white, and piped with white. It has pockets hundred of the total vote cast therein and cuffs to match, and the strappings for Governor at the last election in a for the skirt are disposed between the Presidential year (November, 1900). box plaits. The waist has a postilion and one additional delegate for every



in graduated box plaits all around, the plaits being very narrow and flat at, the top, widening out as they descend, and when released giving the fashionable fullness at the feet. Soft. pliable materials are especially appropriate for this style of skirt, and many of the models are threaded horizontally with bands of inserting, the band passing beneath the plaits. Three or four rows of inserting arranged at regular intervals and sometimes forming a slight dip in front, are used. The skirts are hung over five-gored foundations and the plaits are either secured on the under side or else they are stitched with Corticelli stik down to

NOTICE.

flounce depth and then left to flare

gracefully. They are usually made with inverted plaits in back.

If your heas don't lay or are troubled with vermin Iswill sell you'a Poultry Food and Vermin Killer. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. MAX SCHEFEELS, South Arm.

STOP IT.

A neglected cough or cold may lead to serious bronchial or lung troubles. Don't take chances when Foley's Honey and Tar affords perfect security rom serious effects of a cold.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS INSTALL.

Wednesday evening the East Jordan Pythians held their annual installation of officers and afterwards participated in an oyster supper at Stephens' restaurant. Following are the officers installed:--

C. C.-R. L. Lorraine. V. C -- Frank Martinek, P.-C. H. Whittington, M. W.-J. A. Boosinger, K. of R. -R. F. Steffes, M. F.-W. A. Rowley, I. G.-L. C. Madison, O. G .-- J. J. Gage.

CHILDREN POISONED.

Many children are poisoned and made nervous and weak, if not killed outright, by mothers giving them cough syrups containing opiates. Foley's Honey and Tar is a safe and certain remedy for coughs, croup and lung trouble and is the only prominent cough medicine that contains no opiates or other poisons.

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REPUBLICAN STATE CONVEN-TION.

Detroit. Mich., January 1, 1903. To the Republican Electors of the State of Michigan:

The State Convention of the Republicans of Michigan is hereby called to meet at the Light Guard Armory in the city of Detroit, on

FRIDAY, MARCH 6TH, 1903,

at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of nominating candidates for Justice of the Supreme Court and Regents of the University and trans-A costume of mixed suiting is here acting such other business as may

In accordance with the resolutions of 1876 and 1990, every county will be entitled to one delegate for each five fraction amounting to three hundred. each organized county being entitled to at least two delegates.

Under the resolutions of 1858, no delegie will be entitled to a seat in the Convention who does not reside in the county e proposes to represent.

The delegates from the several counties in each Congressional District are requested to meet in district caucus at ten o'clock a. m.. on the day of the State Convention, and select officers as follows to be presented to the State Convention for confirmation:

1-One Vice President; 2-One Assistant Secretary;

3-One member of the committee on

'Credentials:' 4-One member of the committee on 'Permanent Organization and Order

5--One member of the committee on "Resolutions;"

In compliance with the resolutions adopted in Detroit, June 23, 1890, the secretary of each county convention the Stat Central Committee at Clare, by the earliest mail after the delegates to the State Convention are chosen. a certified list of the delegates to the State Convention from his county.

By order of the Republican State Central Committee. GERRIT J. DIEKEMA,

DENNIS E. ALWARD, Chairman. Secretary

Charlevoix county is entitled to six delegates, Antrim seven, and Emmet, eight.

PNEUMONIA AND LA GRIPPE Coughs cured quickly by Foley's Honey and Tar. Refuse substitutes. Sold by L. C. Madison & Co.

EXCURSIONS PERE MARQUETTE

ONE FARE TO DETROIT.

For the meeting of the Grand Lodge of Masons, to be held in Detroit. Pere Marquette agents will sell round trip excursion tickets on January 25 and 26, good to return up to January 29, at a rate of one fare for the round trip.

MARDI GRAS FESTIVALS.

For the Annual Mardi Gras Festival at New Orleans, Louisiana, Feb. 18-24. Mobile, Alabama, Feb. 18-24, Pensacola, Florida, Feb. 18-24.

A rate of one fare for the round trip is offered. Tickets on sale to all points mentioned not later than February Sold by L. C. Madison & Co 28th. Ask agents for particulars.

A Brand Which Means Something.

We hereby guarantee each and every garment bearing our label to be in workmanship and material exactly as represented. Those who have ordered of us in the past know what this means. We have just received the elaborate styles and samples from the old standbyes-Strauss Bros. and The Monarch Tailoring Company. You know that these people make good clothes all the time and satisfaction is absolutely guaranteed. Call and see the samples.

Suits \$12.50 to \$35.00. Trousers \$3.50 to ± \$9.00.

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SHARLEVOIX COUNTY HERALD

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EAST JORDAN, ... MICHIGAN

How many friendships are broken by one getting rich while the other

Spring Valley modestly calls the attention of the world to the kind of men it turns out.

Mr. Kipling takes occasion once more to show Mr. Austin who is really fitted to be poet-laureate.

Pity the old man who puts on skates to show the youngsters how it was done when he was a boy.

That change in the expression of the Sphinx may be caused by its astonishment at the Assouan dam.

doesn't follow that the man who boasts of his rural origin will enjoy being told that he looks like a farmer.

Everybody should be taught to read and write, but something should be done to prevent all of them from writ-

The lovelorn youth can always figure out that two can live as cheaply as one, but it's hard to prove it after-

A Mississippi bootblack who has fallen heir to a million dollars expects to do nothing but shine in society

Surely it is within the resources of science and inventive genius to devise an asbestos uniform for the amateur Santa Claus.

The Humbert affair has stirred up all Paris, which means that some unsavory sediment has come to the surface, as usual.

--- A great-grandson of Commodore Vanderbilt declares that he was stolen, but as he has no money the story is hardly probable.

Russell Sage was well enough again to lend a few millions yesterday. And he will get it all back again, with thousands added to it.

The government has ruled that automobiles must not be run in the Yellowstone park. That's right; there are enough wild things there now.

New York women want street cars from which men shall be excluded: We should like to see a woman who would care to ride in one of those

Sixteen girls fainted in a Utica knitting mill the other day when one of them pricked her finger. The "eternal feminine" hasn't been eliminated yet.

Dancing is said to be going out of fashion. This must be due to the fact that so many society people after playing bridge whist have no money to pay the fiddler.

Whatever else may be said of President Diaz, it must be-admitted that he has been very successful in keep ing his republic out of trouble with its neighbors.

Lord Milner has approved the formation of a Transvaal fishing society Looks like a scheme to grab some thing or other while the owner is off somewhere angling.

Perhaps the benevolent stranger who sold to the people of Derby, Conn., as coal a lot of crushed stone with tar had wooden nutmegs once,

An Ann Arbor professor has dis covered seven new poisons. The old favorites, however, will still continue in demand, and answer all legitimate and illegitimate purposes of destruc-

Because one kind act brought for tune to a Milwaukce bookkeeper we see no reason why the old rule, "Let not your left hand know what your right hand doeth" should not remain

In Minnesota the Supreme Court holds that a man may legally strike his wife, but this does not mean that he will be able to do it twice if the wife has an adequate idea of the respect due her sex.

A floating item is to the effect that Patti still has the pair of shoes she wore when she made her debut, forty years ago. Are we expected to be-lieve that Patti has been before the public only forty years?

A joint challenge has been issued by the chess clubs of Oxford and Cambridge to the chess clubs of Harvard Yale, Princeton and Columbia for a cable match. It looks as if we were going to have a very quiet winter.

The Tikado of Japan purposes to the X-rays to detect swallowed coins in the internals of employes in the imperial mint. Thus does science once more become a Sherlock Holmes in the interest of sordid commercial-

A trolley line has been opened in Porto Rico. This thoroughly disposes of any danger there may have been of Porto Rican revolutions. The people will be too busy dodging the cars hereafter to engage in political dis-

Only Part of the Wheels. The young lady was over-fond of the society of beaus and two of her

friends were talking about it. "Oh," said one, "I never saw any-body so daffy about the men as Fannie is. I think she must have wheels in her head!"

"Well, no," hesitated the other, half charitably, "not wheels; only the felows."--Comfort.

True Courage. Spartacus-What is the greatest act of bravery that ever occurred within your specific knowledge?

Smartacus-A man with only half a dollar in his pocket went into a swell cafe and ordered forty cents' worth of food right out loud, so that people at the next table heard him distinctly.

Very Fascinating.

May-It's wonderful the fascination horse racing has for some people. Louise-Yes, indeed. friend of mine who goes to the races nearly every day, and positively she's more interested in the horses than in 'be gowns.

Easily Remedied.

Lady (who has just discovered that she has been sitting on a newly painted seat)-"Oh, dear, there's all the paint come off on to my dress!"

Painter—"Never mind; it don't mat

ter, mum; I can soon paint the seat

Helps.

"Yes, he always announces himself as a patron of art."

"He manufactures picture cord."

Not Taking Exercise That Way. "Do you really love me, William?"
"Course I does. Think I've been walkin' six miles a week ter see you fur the las' year 'cause I hated you?'

Not in the Same Set.

"Are you having a pleasant time?" asked a lady of a little miss at a fash-

"And will your papa and mamma

"Oh, dear, no; papa and mamma

and I don't belong to the same set."

Just the Size. The silver moon peeped up behind the hills of Lake Roland.

"What is the height of your ambi-

"Oh, about five feet two inches!" he

tion?" she asked, more to break the

replied, gazing into her dark eyes.

Simple Enough.

Merchant-Not this morning.

Borem-I want to interest you in a

Borem-Why, it won't take you a

minute. All you have got to do is

monotony than anything else.

financial scheme this morn-

The cards are out.

haven't time.

ionable children's party.

'Delightful, thanks."

come later?"

WHAT COULD SHE SAY?



Artist-What would you like for a present? An automobile, a diamond ring or one of my latest paintings?

A SHORTAGE.



Edith-A fool and his money are scon parted. Grace Yes; but the trouble is that there are not enough fools to go to lend me a dollar.

"His retirement from the board was lue entirely to his poor health." "Sure there wasn't a squabble of some sort?"

Sure Sign.

"Positive. If there had been a row the papers would have been full of interviews with the other members expressing their 'cordial appreciation of his services and their regret,' etc.

Kept Busy. Friend-That is your cook, I pre-

Mrs. Bricabrac-Cook and everything else. She does all the house

"But what is the second girl for?" "She mends the things that the other one breaks."

Discouraged.

"I'm sure," said the clumsy man at he slipped off his horse, again, "that I'll never learn to ride."

"Oh," replied the riding master, "just keep on trying."

'But I'm having my own troubles trying to keep on."-Catholic Standard and Times.

Out of Mind. Softleigh-Don't I look out of sight

my new tailor-made ulster? Biffkins-Yes-and all the rest of QUICK RELIEF.



Flowery Fields-Yes, ma'am, I have a great deal on my hands just Farmer's Wife-So I kin see. Why don't ye try a little soap and

the story?'

NOT SO BAD

water?



Mrs. Henneck-I read this morning about a man who was arrested 20 minutes after his wedding and sent to prison for fifteen years. Isn't that

Henpeck-Oh, I don't know. The law doesn't compel a man to take his wife to prison with him.

he wrote."

Enjoyed It.

Sue-They say Kate was held up y two men last right. Edith—Gracious! Did she scream? Sue—No, indeed! She was skating, and if they hadn't held her up she would have fallen.

Not a Bargain Hunter. "I would willingly sacrifice myself for you," said the impecunious count. isn't necessary," replied Miss x. "If I decide to take you I GOLFOX. can afford to pay the regular price." dear. I'm color blind.

A Candid Estimate.

"He writes for the funny papers," "Why, I thought his writings were "Yes, but you know it must be a funny paper that would print anything

Lucky Infirmity.

Dolly Swagger-You have no right to kiss me. That's holly up there, not mistletoe. Jack Rushit-That's all right, my

ways too good to be true. As Suggested.

day or two before.

Grouchly (looking for free advice) "I say, doctor, if a man was all run down and could neither lie nor sit in comfort, what would you advise?" Doctor (gruffly)—I would advise him to try roosting.

A Calloused Conscience.

mated that you made \$100,000 last

year in various quiet ways?"
"Yes," said Senator Sorghum.

"I suppose you have heard it inti-

"Aren't you going to try to stop

"No. Of course, it will cause un-

pleasant gossip, but it will help my financial credit,"

Why the Razor Was Dull.

duil," said a man, looking at the blade he had so carefully sharpened only a

"I wonder what makes my razor so

"Why, father," spoke up little John

nie, playing marbles on the floor, "It

was just beautiful and sharp only this

morning when I made my wooden boat

Only a Dream. Mrs. Naggsby—I dreamed last night that I was deaf and dumb.

Naggsby-Dreams like that are a

Trying to Scare Up Customers. "Some eastern man says we are to have twenty-nine snowstorms this winter.

card you will find snow shovels on it.

The Drinks of Parisians,

American Beverages Now the Most Popular-Absinthe Is Declared to Be a Deceitful Poison-Strange Barrooms.

in Paris feel real timid- ber such a case. ity in dealing with our touring fellow country-We fear that the visitor will be disappointed.

Is it for art and

archaeclogy that you have left your wife and crossed the deep? No; must Americans maintain a prudent distance from the Louvre. Do you desire to see the monuments, the sewers, Eiffel tower and Roman baths? Yes, some day, later on. The big shops? No; we have not come to buy. you go golfing at Versailles? No; the

Therefore, we take him to a Paris barroom.

"I want to do exactly what Paris ians do.''

He has said this fifteen times already. Now, there are some 15,000 different species of Parisians; but we are on the boulevard, and it is already clear that the visitor finds even boulevard cafes slow places-nothing in them but quiet games of cards and dominos, a lot of people reading papers, writing letters and absorbed in muttered conversations. And as there are Parisians, too, who find their eafes slow, we do as they do-and bask in a bar.

"This is the real thing!" he says. It impresses the visitor because it is so different. The Paris bar is our trump card.

"It's a bar set up in a parlor! says the tourist.

He is right, though it be a gaudy parlor, with a soft and brilliant carnet. flowers and greenery in nooks, and on smart little tables here and there tinkling musically a lot of egg-shell chinaware in use for 5 o'clock tea.

Who take 5 o'clock tea in Parisian barrooms? Why, the ladies, ces dames, as they say, "those ladies." The atmosphere is that of a per-

fumed femininity, although the conversation may be horses. There are but two well-known bars in Paris free from them, and these two are notorious grounds for high-class bunco operators.

The fair creatures sit perched on high bar chairs. They are the lucky ones, because the high bar chairs are



A Bar cet Up in a Parlor. valued novelties, amusing, and adapted to set off a fine costume and a fig-

From these superior heights the fair ones look down on a mixed world of titled clubmen and jockeys, sporty business men and actors, racetrack lambs and bookmakers, Englishmen and Americans in Paris and "sens of

Paris is full of "sons of family," let us say young men-of family, family sapheads, spending family money. All their fathers ask of them is not to venture into business life, where they would lose more in one year than they will spend in five.

The Paris bar is snug and gay with color and electric lights. One treads on thick carpets to the rustling of silk petticoats and the chirp of admiring femininity. Here is one of the secrets of the

bar's success. All Paris is alarmed because of the strange drug and druglike addictions of the day.

Parisian drinks that have insinuated themselves into favor are declared



They Perch on High Bar Chairs. o be deceitful poisons. "To drink an absinthe is to strangle a parrot. Hence a stampede to the drinks of Anglo-Saxons, whisky, gitt and rum, and their more palatable combinations

in the mixed drinks of America The natural inference of all this is o avoid liqueurs, Dutch spirits and French bitters made up from bad alcohol and essences.

The man, who has just mixed his inter."
fourth amer-citron may even have flatfered himself that he was taking a

E Americans, who live ! soft drink at the beginning. I remem-

A young English "Honorable," the scion of a line of great earls, having neither touched nor tasted any alcoholic drink for five full months, sat on the terrace of a Paris cafe. There a French friend ordered for himself this patent bitters.

"Is it alcoholic?" asked the Honor-

able Bertle. "Mais non!—Why no, sure;" was the answer of the idiot.

So Bertie took an amer-citron. The waiter brought the black stuff in a sinister black bottle, poured the goblet half full, because Bertie in his inexperience had not waved for him to step, then dashed in some lemon (citron) syrup and departed. Bertie filled the goblet up with water and



To Drink an Absinthe Is to Strangle a Parrot."

began to sip. The stuff did not taste alcoholic. Bertie scarcely felt the pleasing glow that stole so gently on

Bertie took another amer-citron. Little by little the lights of the early gleaming seemed to brighten up and down the boulevard.

From his terrace table Bertie observed with increasing interest that the scene was charming beyond all experience; the wretched cab-horses seemed to prance and step along like spirited young colts; the sad dead leaves now chased one another gleefully along the curb; the ill-dressed men who had been passing in weary-looking throng nad smartened up, and all the girls who passed were stylish, charming and coquettish

In his heart Bertie felt the flower of hope to blossom. He understood all things. All things are interesting and all things are gay—and good.

Somehow he paid; and somehow he walked up the dazzling boulevard, whose darkness seemed to be all spangled with delightful colors. And then he walked some more and very likely drank some more, because the next day he was in a bad state, and before the week was up had to be sent for by his disappointed people.— New York Sun.

Mistaken Notion About Leaves.

It is true that people often say that the turning up of leaves is a sign of rain, but the sign does not seem to be a very true one, declares the Monthly Weather Review. There are many kinds of trees like the silver-lear poplars, in fact all the poplars, the maple and some of the oaks, which turn their leaves up whenever there is a fairly-strong steady wind, but they do it as much in clear weather as in rainy. Possibly the belief may have arisen from the fact that winds capable of turning leaves over very often precede or follow rainstorms.

New Fire Pump.

The chief of the fire department in Rouen, France, has invented a fire pump which can be operated by tapping the current of any street car or electric light system. The pump is small enough to be drawn easily by one horse in a light, two-wheeled cart, but sufficiently powerful to throw a stream of water 100 feet high. In a trial the new pump developed its full energy in three minutes, while a steam pump required fourteen min-utes to get up the same pressure.

"A Chanco Acquaintance." Justice Alfred Steckler says that a domestic employed in his family recently announced her intention of leav-"I'm going to be married tomorrow," she said.

"Can't you postpone it for a week so that I may have an opportunity to find a substitute?" inquired Mrs.

"I'd like to oblige you," said the cook, "but I don't know the man well enough to ask such a thing."—New York Times.

Hair Sprouted by Electricity. Electricity will accomplish almost any wonder. A recent illustration of

this is shown in the case of an engineer in a Cleveland tannery, who had been bald for years. Suddenly a hitthe fluff began to sprout on his hear, and a few weeks later his cranium was covered with a thick but short growth of hair. 'A doctor investigated the matter, and learned that he had been working under a revolving belt. His hair had been sprouted by elec-

Immense Forests of Russia. Forest covers 36 per cent of Russia's total area, or, in all, 464,500,000 acres. In other words, there are four acres of forest to every inhabitant of Russia.



s prophet, Mahommet, lay slum-bering. bering;
Till, roused by chance, he saw before
Lin stand
A tesman, Durther, scimitar in hand.
The hiertain bade the startled sleeper

And with a flame of triumph in his eyes, "Who now can save thee, Mahommet?" he cried.
"God," said the prophet, "God, my friend and guide."

Awe-struck the Arab dropped his naked sword.

sword,
Which, grasped by Mahommet, defled its lord;
And "Who can save thee now thy blade

is won?"
Exclaimed the prophet. Durther answered, "None!"
Then spake the victor: "Though thy

With guiltless blood unmercifully shed, thy life, I give thee back thy Henceforth, compassion for the helpless And thus the twain, unyielding foes of Clasped hands in token that their feud

Religion and Life.

was o'er.

Men and women are growing away more and more rapidly from the conception of religion as a special department of life; from an arbitrary division between things which are called religious and things which are recognized as secular. They are coming to see that religion is a principle which must penetrate and reorganize every form of life; that it is the underlying basis on which all sound and wholesome life must rest; that it is a point of view from which all things arrange themselves in a new order; that it includes not only organized instruments and methods of religion, but all civic organizations, all political questions, the arts, sciences-in a word, the sum of man's life as expressed in thought, in emotion, in action.

Religion is not a profession; it is a life. This change is not only one of the profoundest through which society has passed, but it is one of the most beneficient. It is a modern illustration of the principle so often and so strikingly set forth in the Old Testament that "The earth is the Lord's and the fullness thereof," and that holiness is to be written, not $\bar{o}\bar{n}l\bar{y}$ across altars and over the entrance to churches, but everywhere in the world; that personal religion consists not only in deep inward experience and sincere outward confessions, but also in burden-bearing for others, in the sense of civic responsibility and of human brotherhood in all relations, in the recognition of God, in beauty order and law throughout his entire universe. It is God in his world and not God in any single church or ectivity for which modern society is searching.

Renouncing the World. Men talk of renouncing the worldthat amusement or this amusement and persons using it mean by "the world" something them tice and scmebody else does. When a man professes to shun the world he forgets the vanities of the world in his own home and in his own heart. It is not another man's world we are to shun, but our own world, that in our circumstances, our positions, be what it may, which we are putting in the place of God. The world is the world God has made, and which we are striving to have and enjoy without God—that is, the vanity, the unreality, the dissipation, and that is what we promise to renounce as we enter into the kingdom of Christ, a kingdom filled with the fealities of the spiritual world, and the true and real power and energy of enjoying, of living for God. And when we say we renounce 'the pomp and vanities of the world' we mean this-everything that at tracts us from God. It may be innocent and enjoyable in itself but if we make it our idol and put it in the place

pomp and vanity, and it is a thing we should forsake.—Bishop Magee. Prayer-Communion with God.

of him who made it, it becomes all

Prayer is not a mere begging for needed or desired blessings. Prayer is loving communion with him in whom we live, and move, and have our be-And in such prayer-communion God two features that should ever have prominence are, an acknowl edgment of blessings now enjoyed, and specific thanks for answers to requests before offered. Is this duty recognized and performed by us in our or dinary devotions? It has been said that one word of praise pleases God better than ten words of petition. Does praise for safety through the night and for a measure of strength for the new day, have the first place in our daily morning prayer? In our daily evening prayer do we first recall and give thanks for the answers to our requests of the morning? What should be thought of a child who never stopped asking his parents for fresh gifts long enough to say a word of thanks for the gifts already received in response to his calls? Are our everyday prayers reasonably proper, worthy of us, or reverent toward God? That question may deserve our considera-

Helpful Lives. world is all aglow with the light of blessed, helpful lives. We see them in our homes, in our streets, in all the ways of life. All who are easing the pain of other hearts, all who are leading wandering feet back into the paths of safety, all who are trying to mend the fragments of some shat-

tered soul, all who are lovingly, humbly trying to bring joy and peace to men—all are standing on the Mount of Transfiguration, though they know it not, and around them shines the heavenly light, and from their faces beams the love of God. This is the highest of all. This is the climax of the process of incarnation here on the the transformation of the human into the divine, the transfigura-tion of man with the glory of the Spirit. So it runs through all the hisof humanity-first the struggle with the earth, then the struggle with the animal instincts, then the strug gle to bring in the kingdom of heaven. So it runs through the life of the individual man-first the conquest of physical forces, then the conquest of the demons of self, and then the viccause of those who have fought and been defeated.

No Excuse for Yielding.
A child of God may be sure that he is never tempted or tried beyond the God-given power to resist or endure. On that point the divine promise is You may have yielded to temptation, but you have had no excuse for so doing. "There hath no emptation taken you but such as man can bear, but God is faithful, who will not suffer you to be tempted above that ye are able; but will with the temptation make also the way of escape, that ye may be able to endure it." When, therefore, you are inclined to think that the pressure on you is greater than you can stand, you ought to know you are mistaken. Your Father knows your strength better than you do, and he loves you more dearly than you can even know. He says that the strength to go forward victoriously is ever at hand for you. Therefore there is no excuse, in any trial.—Sunday School Times.

How Do We Stand Before God? Let us take God's Word and consider his ways. "The Lord knoweth the thought of man." Do we fully realize "The Lord searcheth all hearts and understandeth all the imagina tions of the mind." Are we ever Are we ever noughts? "For ready to reveal our thoughts? God shall bring every work into judg-ment, with every secret thing, whether it be good or evil." "The Word of God is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart." Are the meditations of our hearts acceptable to him? we guard our thoughts that are discerned by the Father with as much care as we do our speech that is heard of men? 4'For the Lord seeth not as man seeth, for man looketh on the

"Walking With God."

In a sermon on "Enoch walked with God," the Rev. G. Campbell Morgan gave the following beautiful illustration: A little child gave a most exquisite explanation of walking with God. She went home from Sunday school and the mother said: "Tell me what you learnt at school." And she said, "Don't you know, mother, we demonstrated conclusively that there have been hearing about a man who is proportionately more copper in the walks with God. And, mother, one day they went for an extra long walk, and to Enoch, 'You are a long way from home; you had better just come in and stay.' And he went." That was and stay.' And he went." true. Enoch had become so familiar with God that he just went in and

First Learn to Say "Yes."

'Have courage, my boy, to say 'no.'" is wise, manly, Christ-like to say "no." every wind of temptation must have portant studies. The positive precedes the negative. There must be loyalty expressed to a principle before we can refuse to be disloyal to that principle. One must say "yes" to the right before he can say "no" to the wrong.

True Christian Life

Asked to define what constitutes a ealthy, satisfying, all-round Christian life, the Rev. Charles M. Sheldon, the author of "In His-Steps," replied: "The most healthy, ackslash satisfying, all-round Christian life grows out of the foundaion of the human life upon the two great" fundamental, essential principles announced by Christ; a supreme love for God and a supreme love for man. There is no such thing as a healthy Christian life unless it is reoted and grounded in those two absolute essentials."

Meditations.

Be humble or you'll stumble .-- D. L.

The warm-hearted church never has cold hand. Superstition is the religion of feeble

minds.—Burke God honors no drafts where there are no deposits.

The highest family connection is in eing born from above. If the heart cannot have a truth

it will take a counterfelt of truth. God never makes us feel our weak ness except to lead us to seek strength from him.

HOW SOME MEN ADVERTISE.

There is a Knack in Getting One's Business Before the Public.

"I've come to the conclusion that success in alivertising depends on how it is done," said a member of the ves try of a prominent Episcopal church. "Several weeks ago on a rainy Sun-day morning my umbrella disappeared from the stand in church, I advertised for its return, offering a generous reward, but no one returned it. Later on talking to a friend who is in the advertising business I mentioned the matter to him. How was your "ad" worded?' he asked. 'Something like: "Person who found stray umbrella in vestibule of St. -- church, please return same to ——. Reward, etc." I answered.

"He smiled and scribbled on a piece of paper: "Try this as an "ad," he said. I took the paper and read: 'Person who was seen taking umbrella from vestibule of St. --- church must return it at once to save himself trouble, as he is known.' Acting on my friend's advice, I inserted the notice torious life going back to win the in the papers. Did it work? I should say so! Next day I found not one, but half a dozen umbrellas awaiting me at home. They had been sent to the house during the day and attached to each was an unsigned note praying that I would overlook the matter, as the writer had taken the umbrella by mistake."—Philadelphia Record.

ROUNDED HORN WITH HOBOS.

One Man in Twenty Ever Had Only

Been Before the Mast. The ship Erskine M. Phelps arrived at Honolulu recently from Norfolk, Va., having broken all previous records for a sailing vessel from a north Atlantic port. She made the trip in ninety-seven days. She "rounded the Horn"-from 50 south in the Atlantic to 50 south in the Pacific-in eleven days, whereas the usual time is twice that.

What added to the interest of the voyage was that when the Phelas was to sea the captain discovered that nearly every man of his crew had instance, for yielding to temptation shipped under false pretenses. Only one man in the twenty before the mast was a sailor. The rest were just plain "hobos" who had palmed themrelves off as sailors. The result was that the captain and the mates had to take turns at the wheel and do most of the work aloft.

In a terrible squall off Cape Horn, says the New York Mail and Eypress when the safety of the ship hung in the balance and all hands were called to save ship, only six men came on deck, the others were lying below half dead with terror and seasickness. Nevertheless the Phelps broke the

Oysters and Disease.

In a recent scientific work by Profs. Herdman and Boyce, entitled "Oysters and Disease," they report the reoutward appearance, but the Lord sult of their investigations on the looketh on the heart." Is it not then cause which produces green dysters, our thoughts and the desires of our Many epicures prefer their dysters to hearts that we should strive to direct have the emerald hue, though there in Cod's ways? oysters are not edible. The investigators arrive at the con-

clusion that there are several forms Copper is said to be of greenness. present in minute quantity in all oysters. It was found that the greenest American oysters contained about four times the amount of copper which is present in the whitest American oysters. Careful chemical examination used to go for walks with God. His greener parts of the oysters than in name was Enoch. He used to go for those parts which are less green. The green color of the highly prized Marennes oysters was found to be prothey walked on and on until God said duced by the presence of a certain rigment and did not depend upon the amount of the contained copper.

Using Law Books to Advantage.

One supposes that it is the duty of naval officers to fight, not negotiate. Nevertheless, all officers of modern navies have more to do with international law than with "Have courage, my boy, to say 'no.'" non. Prof. Moore of Columbia, was We do well to teach the thought. It lecturing a few summers ago at the Newport Naval College, He who would stand "four square" to national law was one of the most im-The professor courage to say "no." But first one setting forth all imaginable situations must learn and have courage to say and allowing the students to suggest the best way out of them. One of the men could not appreciate the value of law in a sea fight. What he was yearning for was powder and shot. Asked by the professor as to what argument for international law he would use to convince the enemy of heir error, he said contemptuously:

"I would let them have all the vol umes of international law in wad form, and add the supplement by way of emphasis.'

Do Stars Explode?

The appearance of a new star in the constellation of Perseus, and its rapid expansion into a nebula, which as been going on for some time past, have revived among astronomers the theory that some nebulae may be formed by explosion. About 1870 Prof. Bickerton of Canterbury college, New Zealand, showed that if two stars should graze one another the parts, if relatively small, would have so high a temperature that they would at nebulous, and that the nebula so formed would under certain condilions, continue to expand until dissinated in space. The present expanding nebula has been growing at the extraordinary rate of several thousand miles a second and is, in many ways, one of the greatest celestial wonders of the time.-From Success.

A rope often gets tight because that is the way it is taut

Solemn Prayers for Dead,

Seven Days Devoted by Italians to Supplications for the Loved Ones Gone Before -Rome's Magnificent Cemetery.

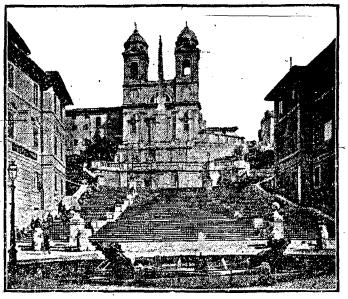
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many of the churches in Rome toll in lugu-brious tones and slow measure. In this, as in all Catholic countries, the week following the 2d of November-which is the day on which the dead are specially prayed for—is given up to the memory

of those who have passed away. On the vigil of "AII Souls'-Day," that is, on the afternoon of the 1st of November, it might be said that the great bulk of the population of Rome

EVEN days the bells of | faint and feeble floating light placed in a cup of oil, or a tiny candle within a lantern, burns and quivers in the night breeze. It is not only on the strange illumination is to be seen, but likewise on the Pincetto, or wooded hill where the noble and the wealthy have selected their final resting place.

There also, the dead light sparkles



Church of Trinita di Monti.

poured forth from the city to the yast which begy that the dead may rest in cemetery of Campo Verano—the city of the dead. This is the "God's acre" to which every one finally comes Even the late Pontiff, Plus IX., chose the church of St. Lawrence, which stands on the very verge of the ceme-tery, as his resting place, and here he lies in a chapel adorned with the most exquisite outcome of the art in marble and mosaic that the modern spirit. adapting the antique, has been able to design. And, besides, the Church of St. Lawrence is constructed within an ancient cemetery, the Catacomb of St. Cyriacus.

This is the common burial ground. Situated on the side of a hill that of heathen and Christian, of the carbas been arranged in terraces to suit dinal and monk, as well as of the laborer and the lord-of all except the King. There is a special part of he cemetery allotted to each, and the various societies or classes, who, in life, were united, are not divided in This was the goal to which the crowds directed their steps on the bright November day-

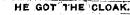
As the Cay drew to a close the gathering night rendered the paths more obscure within the cemetery, and gave a strange, weird look to the colossal marble statues seated on the high pedestals at the gate—the statues of Meditation, Silence, Faith Hope-which opens into the Campo Santo or field of the dead.

peace and in the enjoyment of eternal light. And as one looks back into the cemetery through the closed gates, for people leave as the tiny lamps are lit, it is perhaps the weirdest and the saddest illumination one can look upon in his journey through life.

Throughout all Italy the cemetery is a notable leature of the city's places of interest. The great graveyard of weighed from thirty to forty pounds Genoa at Staglicno, some miles be youd the city, has a world-wide celebrity as a gallery of sculpture, containing specimens of the best modern mas ters in the art.

its sad purposes, the Genoa cemetery atheist, and the red republican, the presents externally a solemn and stately appearance, quite in keeping with the feelings that accompany a visit to such a place. Faith—a noble statue holding the cross in one hand and the gospels in the other-stands on a high pedestal before the white marble chapel with the Doric pillars that crowns the elevated marble stair that renders death endurable;

such is the lesson suggested here. And when you enter the porticoes which inclose great squares of land populous with graves, you find that this small dish. If such a bit of tablethis is the great modern sculpture gallery in which all the statues have reference to death or the hope of the



Enterprising Thief Saw Opportunity to Make a Bargain.

"Billy" Wiel, gambler, is well re-membered by many a New Yorker who patronized 818 Broadway in the good old days, when it was the Canfield's of the city. This famous gaming resort was the third building below Twelfth street, east side of Broadway. Its owners were James E. Kelly, Lucien Appleby and Tom Grady. Wiel dealt faro there. One day he stopped before a fur house window in Fourteenth graves of the poorer people that this street to admire some cloaks there displayed, and, seeing one much to his liking, remarked to a friend, "I'd give \$150 for that," then passed on. That night a man with a bundle rapped at the wicket gate in 818. "What is it?" asked Wiel. "Here's your cloak," reillumines a faint circle on the plied the stranger, pushing it through marble that covers the grave. Within the opening. "I heard you say you'd that little illuminated ring one might give \$150 for it, Fork over the read half a name, or a word of en-dearment, or a portion of the prayers had stolen it on hearing Wiet's remoney." The fellow, a noted thief. mark.-New York Press.

HAD BECOME SECOND NATURE.

Suspicions of a Schoolmaster Not Easily Allayed.

The old schoolmaster was deeply affected. His scholars, noticing the dilapidated appearance of his chair, had presented him with a new one los Christmas.

"My dear boys," said the kindly old pedagogue, with tears in his eyes, "I can never hope to tell you how you have made me feel by this token of your love for mc. All I can do is to thank you for the sacrifices you have made of your little purses for the sake of my comfort. If you have found me severe at times; I trust you realize that it has always been for your own good. I hope to always have your full confidence, as you have ever had

As the old schoolmaster prepared to sit down in his new chair he uncon-sciously ran his hand over the seat in search of bent pins.

Possibilities in Airships: The Smithsonian Institution has published a new edition of Dr. Langley's "Experiments in Ærodynamics, first printed eleven years ago.. In summing up, Dr. Langley speaks of the prospects for the future somewhat as follows: Since that time, he says, he has demonstrated that mechanical flight is possible by actually performing it with steel flying machines nearly a thousand times heavier than air, weighed from thirty to forty pounds and flew from a half to three-quarters

of a mile at speeds varying from twenty to thirty miles an hour. It is believed by Dr. Langley that the time is now very near when human beings will be transported at high velocities, though perhaps at first under exceptional conditions, such as are demanded in the arts of war rather than of peace. The Craze for Antiquities. A saltcellar of the spacious times of

great Elizabeth has been sold at auction in London for the amazing sum of £3,000. Only a saltcellar! there is no authentic proof that the case opening up to the cemetery. Faith lion-hearted ruler of the England of Shakespeare and of Burleigh and the other men of high renown who lived in the latter part of the marvelous sixteenth century ever took salt from ware sells for £3,000, what would be a fair price for a genuine Elizabethan

Dumas' Generosity.

of true British roast beef?

platter big enough to contain a baron

In his biography of Alexander Dumas Harry A. Snurr says that the improvident French author, who hated avarice, was once waiting in line for his cloak at a soiree, when he saw a millionaire give a tip of 10 cents to the servant who handed out his paletot. Dumas, getting his cloak, threw down a \$20 note. "Pardon, sir, you have made a mistake, I think," said the man, offering to return the note. 'No, friend," answered Dumas, casting a disdainful glance at the millionaire, it is the other gentleman who has made the mistake.

His Indignation.

"Aren't you sometimes a little conscience-stricken when you think of the advantages you take of the public?"
"Not at all," answered Senstor Sor-"Look at the men of genius the ghun. public has permitted to starve. Look at the heroes whose sacrifices are not acknowledged even by a tablet of stone. Any little thing I can do toward getting even with the public gives me sincere moral satisfaction .-Washington Star.

The Actor's Handicap.

To a group of friends Ellen Terry once said: "Acting is not like drawing. You make a line. If it is wrong you rub it out at once and make another. With acting that is impossible; there is no altering-it must stand. often feel as if I must cry to the audience, 'Oh, that is wrong, not as I meant it to be; let me act that part or sentence over again, "

Gura Cast Into the Sea.

The armament of Fort Sliema, consisting of two 38-ton and two 18-ton guns, has lately been condemned as unserviceable. On consideration it was found that the freight of these guns to England would be greater than their present intrincic value, and that they could not be offered for gale in Malta, as there are not the requisite tools for breaking them up and utilizing their iron and steel. The four guns were consequently thrown into the sea at Ghar-Iddud, near Fort Bliema

Basilica of St. John Lateran.

Wreaths of flowers were placed by resurrection, or to that desire to be loving hands on the tombs of the dear ones; circlets of immortelles, laurel wreaths and crowns of black and white beads, with the name of the lost loved one written upon them, were brought here on that day.

Sorrow has but limited modes of expression, and the fashlors that grief adopts to show itself art not numerous. Here, however, one strange and unusual practice prevails. When the clouds of evening gather over the vast city of death and the sorrowing friends are departing a strangë spec tacle becomes visible. A tiny light is seen burning over a grave, and then another and another, until the illumination spreads all over,

As night comes on and the darkness is more defined, the cometery looks as if it were overrun by a settlement of fire-flies. On almost every grave a

remembered by those who come after us which is a feeling inherent to, humanity. There, in niches set back in the wall of the pilasters dividing these niches, statue after statue is seen.

In the little sleepy town of Pisa, the Campo Santo, or graveyard, is one of the most attractive of the spots to which the steps of the traveler tend. When Pisa was at the height of its power, its people brought earth from Calvary, in the Holy Land, in which the remains of their dead should be placed; and the porticoes with which they surrounded the sacred enclosure are among the most beautiful works of architecture in Italy.

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SUGAR AND TOBACCO.

Reduced Tariff Duties and the Inter-

ests of Domestic Producers. On the 2d of December, the same day on which congress received the president's message urging a material reduction of duties on Cuban products, the secretary of agriculture issued the following statement:

"The bureau of soils, which has been engaged for a number of years in investigations looking to the improvement of our domestic tobaccos, has recognized for some time certain desirable. qualities in tobacco grown in Texas, which apparently occurred only in occasional leaves. Soil survey parties and tobacco parties have been investigating in east Texas and now are able to state confidently that they have found the soil type and the character of leaf pos-sessing these desired qualities under conditions which indicate that it can be produced in large quantities of uniform

"Samples have been submitted to leaf dealers and brokers in New York and Philadelphia. They say it is a Cuban leaf, with the characteristic aroma of the Cuban product. The department will send two survey parties to Texas the let of January to press the survey of the area containing this soil and will enlarge the party of tobacco experts so that fifteen or twenty acres of tobacco shall be grown under government supervision, thus producing asufficient quantity to be handled on a commercial scale. This will be submitted to the leaf dealers and manufacturers for opinions of the commercial value of the crop before any encouragement is given to Texas growers."

lands. They are trying to do the same thing in Florida. In Connecticut and brary. other states, as we learn from the annual report of the secretary of agriculture, they are trying to raise from Sumatra seed a better leaf than that which is grown in Sumatra, and to do this they have at heavy expense erected canvas awnings over several hundred acres of tobacco lands. What is better still, they are succeeding so well that the awning plan is to be largely extended-that is, provided the growing of domestic tobacco leaf for cigar purposes continues to be profitable. The same proviso will govern future opera-tions in Texas and Florida. The only question is, Will it pay? If that question is settled in the affirmative, American enterprise and energy will do the

But will it pay to extend the area of costly awnings in the northern fields, to continue the practical experimentation now going forward on a large scale in Florida and to go on with the soil survey project in Texas when the reduction of duties on competitive leaf from Cuba, where the cost of production is very much less than in this, duction is very much less than in this, The several Townships are entitle; country, the market price of this home to delegate representation as follows: grown tobacco shall have been forced down 20, 30 or 50 per cent? If the plan of Cuban reciprocity is going to be forced through congress, is not the secretary of agriculture throwing money away in those Texas experiments?

The growing of sugar beets and the erection of beet sugar factories have already experienced a serious setback because of Cuban reciprocity agitation. Can the domestic industries of sugar and tobacco growing be reasonably expected at enthuse over a scheme which selects them and them only to bear the entire burden of reciprocity with Cu-ba? We have heard a great deal about the solemn obligation of insuring a more profitable market to the growers of sugar and tobacco in Cuba. Why do we hear so much about this and so little about the solemn obligation of insuring a more profitable market to the growers of sugar and tobacco in United States? Why should our solicitude be so active in behalf of for-eigners and so dormant as regards our own agricultural workers? When these friends and neighbors, who poll more than seven-tenths of the total Republican vote, wake up to the fact that their interests have been betrayed and sold-out in the name of a one sided and an unjust "reciprocity," what will they do about it? Are we so much engrossed in controcting schemes for gobbling up the whole of Cuba's trade we have no time to consider the question of fairness and duty toward ther own people? It would some sh.

Our valued yellow contemporary, the New York Journal, advises us that "If we are to wait for tariff revision until the 'friends of the tariff' do the revision

Samson is willing to shear his own locks." Naturally it is expected that the esteemed Journal and other Democratic organs and statesmen should be a little impatient of a revision of the tariff by the Republicans. If the enactment of the tariff was such a black crime would they be expected to view with entire complacency its revision by its framers? If they only get at it themselves, that is what they would like best in all the world, and wouldn't they make the wool fly?-also other protected prod ucts?-Daytona (Fla.) Journal.

Truly Reciprocatory.

Mr. Foss, the defeated Republican candidate for congress in a safely Republican district of Massachusetts, was on deck at the reciprocity convention in Detroit last week. His voice was for the widest open scheme of reciprocity for reciprocity with Canada, with Cu ba, with anything or anybody, always excepting the possible producers of the commodities which Mr. Foss is himself engaged in producing. He yearns' for raw material. No matter what interests may suffer in consequence so long as he can produce more cheaply and sell more in foreign countries. He is, in short, a typical regiprocutor.

Owls In Asia Minor.

Perhaps Asia Minor is richer in crude and interesting fancies than any other country. When children hear an owl hooting from the cypress groves, they ery, "Good news for us; good messages for you." If they catch an owl they hold it up by the beak and chant "Palm Sunday owl, how does your mother dance?" The meaning of the rite is lost, but the habit lingers.

Unreasonable,

"Why did she leave him?"
"Oh, he was so unreasonable. She wanted to frame her divorce decrees and hang them in the library, but he insisted that they were not artistle and wouldn't have them there."—Chicago Record-Herald.

A simple decoction of hemp was used They are trying to increase the in China 1,700 years ago as an anesthetic in surgical operations, according to a Chinese manuscript in a Paris li-

COMING TO EAST JORDAN.

J. Leahy, the optician who has vis ited our town for many years. will again be at the Hotel Lakeside, Friday, Jan. 20. Will remain until Monday night. Those acquainted with his rare ability will be pleased to learn of his coming.

Republican County Convention.

To the Republican Electors of the County of Charlevoix:

Notice is hereby given that there will be a Republican County Convention held at the Court House in the village of Charlevoix, on Tuesday, the 17th day of February, A. D. 1903 at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing six delegates to the State non-mating convention, which is to be held in Detroit March 6, 1903; and also for the purpose of placing in nomination a School Commissioner to be elected for the term of four years.

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Laufman's lecture and entertainment the location be found desirable it will cinct. at the M. E. church Wednesday even- be made permanent.

from Ellsworth Wednesday evening be here and remain for four days. Ofand enjmed the excellent skating at fice at the Hotel Lakeside. the ice rink.

ent of a very pleasant surprise party where it was sent some time since to Tuesday evening. Progressive flinch | be fitted with a new firebox. was the means used to while away a pleasant hear.

STOPS THE COUGH AND WORKS OFF THE Masonic Grand Lodge as representa-Laxative Bromo-Quidine Tablets cure

a cold in one day. No Cure, No Pay. Price 25 cents.

A new time schedule for the East Jordan & Southern R. R. went into ef. fect the first of the week, occasioned by the changs of time on the Pere Marquette. The afternoon train now Foley's Kidney Cure, leaves at 1:00 o'clock.

Our representative Hon. Robt. W. Paddock, and Mr. Oviatt of the Antrim district are taking the lead in matter of securing legislation to relate the patron-lieve the tax payers of the burden of formance merited excessive smallpox bills.

The Lady Maccabees have been fitting up their hall and making it more To loan at reasonable rates on Farm homelike. They floor has been covered and Village property. Enquire of with a serviceable carpet of handsome pattern and the colors of the Order 12-14 Office over Bank of East Jordan. are hung in graceful festuous from the

day morning at the home of her daugh- Leahy the optician when he comes ter, Mrs. Wm. Taylor on the West Jan. 30, as he is prepared to fit any Side Her death was very sudden, the result of a paralytic stroke. Deceased ren's eyes a specialty. was one of our ploneer residents and leaves a husband and a family of grown-up children as well as a large circle of friends to mourn her loss.

Mr. B. F. Zaruba, of Chicago, is fitting up the Crothers building to accommodate a large stock of dry goods, clothing, millinery and furnishing goods which will be here in a few days. He will call his establishment the Chicago Store. It is a little to early as yet to announce just when the place will be ready for opening to the pub-

Some Grand Rapids man has been working a novel graft to get milk free. The milk inspector, as is well-known, where on the street and get from him a sample of his milk for testing in order to see if it comes up to the regulation purity. This man has been holding up milk dealers in various parts of the city and collecting from each of them a pipt of their wares. The milkmen took it for granted that he was an inspector and did not even think to ask him to show his badge of authority.

I love thee, O yes 1 love thee, But it's all that I can ever be, For in my visions in the night, My dreams are Rocky Mountain

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H. S. Price is making extensive, The best cooks are using Cream of

F. E. Winters is arranging to give a Use Cream of the Valley Flour, a masquerade skate at the ice rink clan "but my opinion is that just

A good audience greeted the Rev. put in at Charlevoix at once and should ling for votes down in the lower pre-

Friday, Jan. 30, is the date when J. A party of young people came over Leahy, the expert optician will again

E. J. & S. locomotive No 2 is expect-Miss-Evu Greenwood was the recipied back next week from Manistee

> Wm. J. Palmer goes to Detroit next veek to attend the meeting of the tive from Mystic Lodge No. 379.

Mr. McKee, returned missignary from Siam, will occupy the pulpit at the Presbyterian church Sunday next and also on the Sunday following.

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> Chas. Hipp now holds the office of Superviser of this township, having been appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Wm. Harrington at the meeting of the township board held on Saturday last. We think that the choice of the board meets with general approbation. Mr. Hipp is certainly well qualified for the System. position and has the confidence of the

The South Carolina Agricultural of the rut. It makes new, like percentage of those which had The South Carolina Agricultural measure of success that gives promise

f great results in future years. The potatoes are boiled, peeled and for ordinary food. evaporated and the product will rehas authority to stop a milk man any- main in perfect condition for years with suitable protection from damppounds of potatoes will produce a -pound of the dried product.

Married, at the home of the bride's arents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter McCulough, at Chicoral Pa, Mr. George G. Gleber of this place, and Miss Jessie Olivia McCullough. Mr. and Mrs. Glenn are now making an extended wedding trip but will be at home here after February 16th. The happy event occurred on Thursday of last week and was a very pleasant surprise to the East Jordan friends of the young people. Here's our warmest congratu-

participated in a sleighride to Irouton

County Clerk Meech will purchase a safe for the County Surveyor having been authorized to do so by the Boardof Supervisors at their recent incet-

Jas. Fisher, foreman of the E J. & S, yards at East: Jordan, visited his family here over Sunday. He has no immediate intention of moving his family to East Jordan.—Bellaire Inde-

The M. E. Ladies' Aid Society will give a 10-cent social and entertainment at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Gregory Wednesday evening, Jan. 28th. The proceeds are to apply on the pastor's salary. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

There was an exciteing time for a few minutes down at the corner of State and Main streets. Thursday afternoon. A maddened animal which was being led to the slaughter house started to run amuck and there were several narrow escapes from serious njury before he could be gotten away.

It is pretty hard to define real beauy. Rare and beautiful women every where owe their leveliness to Rocky Mountain Tea: 35 cents.

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An election was coming on and a good and pious man was much interested. As the days wore on and the election drew near, his interest increased until one day he proposed to a fellow citizen that they spend a few hours in prayer. "That may be all right," said the fellow citizen who was considerable of a practical politinow you had better take it for granted that the Lord understands, the local A temporary fish hatchery is to be situation and spend your time hust-

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Representative R. W. Paddock .secured what he desired in the way of committee assignments at the hand of Speaker Carton and should be happy n consequence.

He desired a place on the lisheries ommittee, and was named on this committee of which Representative Bolton is chairman. Mr. Paddock's. years of experience as Asst. Supt. of the Ohio Industrial School for Boys. fitted him for a place on the committee for the Industrial School for Boys. and the speaker placed him on this committee, of which Rep. Scott is chairman. Mr. Paddock was also made a member of the committee on State Affairs, of which Representative Byrn is chairman.—Courier.

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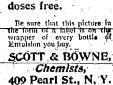
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Personal Mention. -----

R. L. Lorraine was in Charlevoix Monday and Tuesday. Geo. Pricat, of Pellston, was in town

a few hours Wednesday. H. S. Price went up to Green River on business Wednesday.

Anton Walstad is working in the machine shop at Deward.

J. R. Jenkins, of Mancelona, was in town on business Tuesday. Steve Kester came home from camp Thursday ill with lagrippe.

Supt. F. L. Bryant is in Detroit and Saginaw on business this week. Louis Ablowits is spending a short acation at his home in Bay City.

J. L. Wiesman and family returned from New York City on Friday even-

Mrs. D. C. Loveday has been very ili for the past two weeks but is now improving.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Glenn returned Saturday from a month's visit at Fredonia, Kas.

Miss Emma Gibson is home from Sturgis for a visit with her parents and other friends here.

I. D. Nichols and family removed this week to Boyne City where Mr.

Nichols is employed as a millwright. N. E. Thompson came down from Marquette Wednesday and has been spending several days in town on bus-

Geo. LaValley went-over to Bellaire Wednesday. His injured hand is doing nicely and he hopes to be able to save all his fingers.

Roy Sherman returned Tuesday evening from the St. Louis sanitarium. He thinks he is now fully recovered from the rheumatism.

Mrs. George Wilson returned from Pellston Friday. Monday she went to East Jordan to visit her sister, Mrs. G. W. Germond for a few days .- Bellaire Independent.

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To peel onious without tears seems in impossibility to some cooks. They may do so either by holding the onions under water as they peel them, or else by sticking a small pared-potato on the point of the knife with which the peeling is done. In the one case the water, and the other the potato protects the eyes by absorbing that which so painfully affects them.

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The many friends of G. H. Hausan, Engineer L. E. & W. R. R., at present living in Lima, O., will be pleased to know of his recovery from threatened kidney disease. He writes: "I was cured by using Fofey's Kidney Cure, which I recommend to all, especially trainmen who are usually similarly af-

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A new time card went into effect on the Pere Marquette Sunday. One through train each way is taken off and in its place there is a local becases" that's tween Traverse City and Petoskey. Naturally there is considerable indignation over the matter among the

> A horse for sale cheap or will trade for a cow. -- Enquire at this office.

> Consul General Geunther sends to the State Department the results of technical experiments in the matter of egg preservation as follows:

"Four hundred fresh hen eggs were aves, new life to the weak stances for a period of eight months At the expiration of that time it was found that the eggs which had been put into salt brine were all speiled those which had been wrappeed in paper were 80 percent, bad; and that a been inimersed in a mixture of glycerine and salicylic acid were unlit for use. Of the eggs which had been rubbed with salt and embedded in bran or coated with paratin. 70 percent, were spoiled; of those subjected to a coating of liquid glass, collodin, or varnish, 40 per cent, and of those which were in wood ashes or had been painted with a mixture of liquid glass and boracic acid or a solution of permanganate of potash, only 20 per cent were bad. Almost all the eggs that had been coated with vaseline, or had been placed in limewater, or in a solution of liquid glass, were in good condition .- St. Paul Pioncer Press.

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A VOICE FROM THE VORTEX.

By EDGAR WELTON COOLEY.

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which the thinly populated district furnished had gone to their homes Miss Blanchard sat at the west window of the little white schoolhouse watching the evening sunlight shimmering upon the nodding prairie grass that stretched like a yellow sea for miles and miles.

It was mid-September. For a month mot a drop of moisture had fallen. In the road that wound, a dull, gray streak, across the plain, the dust was ankle deep. Verdure was sere, and lifeless, and dry. The sky was clouddess; the sun's heat almost intolerable.

But Miss Blanchard's thoughts were not of the parched, glittering land-scape nor yet of her school duvies. They were of John Mallory.

She could not remember when she had not loved John Mallory. All their young lives they had been sweethearts. But at last they had quarreled-and parted in anger.
While she still considered that he

Thad been unjust to her, and her eyes snapped indignantly at the recollection of his harsh words, she could not dull the keen edge of regret; the dazzling brightness of the sunshine could not dissipate the shadow—the deep, dark-some shadow—that seemed to wrap her in its mantle.

With a sigh she turned from the window and her glance rested upon the telephone back of her desk. Dear, thoughtful John! It was he who had ordered the telephone placed in the schoolhouse.

"There are so many tramps in the country," he had said to her. "If they bother you, little woman, or if you are ever in need of help, ring me up.

Her heart had thrilled with affection capable of taking care of myself, I

Again she turned to gaze across the monotonous fields and became conscious of a peculiar haze that seemed to fill the air with increasing density. With never a thought but that a much needed shower was not far distant, she watched it in idle curiosity, but presently, with sudden foreboding, she noticed that heavy clouds of vapor occasionally rolled over the building, borne westward. And then, through the open window there drifted a strong. familiar odor-the odor of smoke.

Hurrying to the door, she pushed it open and cast one apprehensive glance to the eastward, then shrank back appalled. The prairie was afire!

Across the eastern horizon was a livid wall of flame, whose red tongues seemed reaching to the very portals of heaven. The long, parched blades of grass, dry as tinder, were food most tempting to the ravenous element. The wind had increased to a gale and already a shower of sparks was falling within a few rods of the schoolhouse.

The nearest residence, a mile away, was towards the east, from which the fire was rapidly approaching. To the westward twice that distance must be traversed before she could reach a habitation. She knew the plowed fields, surrounding the dwellings, insured safety to the buildings, but she could not hope to reach any of them in advance of this scarlet agent of destruction. Yet certain death awaited her if she remained for the schoolhouse was without protection of any

An agony of thoughts crowded her brain and in a frenzy of fear she dashed into the road. Already she could feel the heat of the fire that was racing towards her with the speed of a railway train. It seemed no more than two miles away; she could hear the ominous crackling of the dry grass as the flames leaped forth and embraced the writhing verdure in their hot embrace.

The sky was hidden by a mantle of vals, was a great, round ball of crimson. Before the rolling vapor frightened birds flew past in flocks; along the dusty road, almost dashing against her in their mad flight, droves of rab-



Through the open window there drifted a strong, familiar odor.

bits fled. To her terrified eyes the whole world seemed ablaze. Vainly she scanned the prairie in all directions, hoping some one with a team would come to her assistance, but not a hu man being did she see

With a cry to God for mercy, she sank upon the ground and covered her face with her hands. And the blister ing demon of rampant flame reared louder and still louder in her ears, and the scarlet of its breath tinged red the

For an hour after the dozen pupils | snow of her face, the ebony of her

hair. "John! John!" she cried, in the depths of her despair. Then, like an inspiration, came the recollection of the telephone.

She staggered to her feet and dashed into the schoolhouse. The interior was with the reflections of the flames: the air was stifling-with the

With her hand upon the receiver she paused irresolutely, then turned her head slightly and glanced out the window at the hurricane of death bearing down upon her.

"No, no," she said, "I will not. No power on earth can save me now. And he-it would be but menny for himeto know that I am in this sea of flame



moment later she was folded in

John Mallory's strong arms. enough for him to know."

With her face illumined with a gleam of heroic determination, she turned away and walked slowly to the window. And there she stood pale, but gazing eaimly out at the raging flood of fire. The flames were only a few feet away now and their hungry tongues almost licked the window In despair she wrung her

"Oh. God." she cried. "I cannot die without once more hearing the voice I love, without asking to be forgiven for the hasty, the angry words I uttered!"

Again she hastened to the telephone and rang the bell. And when at last she heard his familiar voice the fire was laying greedy hands upon the walls of the building.
"John," she said, "you are not angry

with me, are you, dear? not know how glad I am to hear you say that, dcar. I was afraid you held resentment, and I ... Oh, no, John, dear, it was all my fault, and I am sorry—so sorry....Where am I now? Do you think I would be standing at the telephone if I were in the schoolhouse? There must be fire all around it by this time. Isn't it aw-

She sarank for an instant before the intense heat. The roar of the flames was like wail of a hurricane in a forest.

"John-John! . . . Perhapshars I will never see you again, dear. But if I never do, remember that I loved you-John-better than-

She staggered beneath the choking loud of smoke. Scarlet tongues of flame were lapping the floor almost at distraught with grief.

"Yes, John I am going away-far, far away. . . . Where? . . . I can-not tell you—now . . . To-morrow vou will know. to-night, perhaps Oh. John-dear, dear John . . .

. . . Good bye . . . Good—"

The receiver dropped from her smoke; the sun, visible only at inter-vals, was a great, round ball of crimmoke and faint from the intense heat. she reeled forward through the blackness. Stumbling, falling, rising again, she reached the door unscathed hearing the desperate ringing of the telephone bell and the deafening roaring of the flames.

Onward she staggered until she reached the road-that one narrow break in the wall of flame. And there she paused and turned her flushed face unward toward the sky in mute appeal to heaven. Something fell upon her forchead, something damp and cool. She reached forth her hands. palms upwards. Cooling drops of moisture kissed the quivering flesh. It was raining!

With a cry of joy upon her line, she sank upon her knees in the dust and offered up a prayer of thanksgiving for the shower that had come in time.

In a mighty torrent fell the rain, and when at last the woman raised her eyes, she saw a wide expanse of blackened stubble, but not a spark was glowing. Then, through the mist her dazed eyes beheld a familiar, broadshouldered figure running towards her with outstretched hands. And a moment later she was folded in John

Mallory's strong arms. "Minnie! Thank God; oh, thank God!" he cried.

Strasburg to Honor Goothe. Strasburg is about to erect a monument to Goethe. The German poet passed some of the best years of his in the Alsatian town and referred to it frequently with words of admiring affection in his memoirs The design for the statue has not yet been selected, but no attempt will be and her letters revealed to him a soul spared to make it worthy of the great name which it is to commemorate.

The Bow of Orange Ribbon A ROMANCE OF NEW YORK

By AMELIA E. BARR

Author of "Friend Olima," "I, Thousand the Other One," Etc. Copyright, 1988, by Dodd, Meng and Company,

CHAPTER VIII -- 4Continued.) 'Come, friends and neighbors," said Joris cheerily, "I will sing you a song; and every one knows the tune to it, and every one has heard their vaders and their moeders sing it-sometimes. perhaps, on the great dikes of Vaderland, and sometimes in their sweet homes that the great Hendrick Hudson found out for them. Now, then, all, a song for

MOEDELR HOLLAND.

We have taken our land from the sea,
Its fields are all yellow with grain,
Its meadows are given on the leaAnd now shall we give it to Spain?
No, no, no, no,

We have plantes the faith that is pure.
That faith to the end we'll maintain;
For the word and the truth must endure.
Shall we how to the pope and to spain'
No;-no, no.

Our ships are on every sea.

Our honor has never a stain,

Our law and our commerce are free:

Are we slaves for the tyrant of Spain?

No, no, no, no!

Then, sons of Batavia, the spade—
The spade and the pike and the main,
And the heart and the hand and the blade.
Is there mercy for merciless Spain?
No, no, no, no!

By this time the enthusiasm was wonderful. The short, quick denials came hotter and louder at every verse; and it was easy to understand how these large, slow men, once kindled to white heat, were both irre sistible and unconquerable. Every eye was turned to Joris, who stood in his massive, manly beauty a very conspicuous figure. His face was full of feeling and purpose, his large blue eyes limpid and shining; and, as the turnult of applause gradually ceased, he said:

"My friends and neighbors, no poet am I; but always wrongs burns in the heart until plain prose can not utter them. Listen to me. If we wrung the Great Charter and the right self-taxation from Mary in A. D. 1477; if in A. D. 1572 we taught Alva, by force of arms, how dear to us was our maxim, 'No taxation without rep-

Shall we give up our long-cherished right?
Make the blood of our fathers in vain?
Do we fear any tyrant to fight?
Shall we hold out our hands for the chain?
No, no, no, no!

Even the women had caught fire at this allusion to the injustice of the Stamp Act and Quartering Acts, then hanging over the liberties of the Prov ince; and Mrs. Gordon looked curious ly and not unkindly at the latent rebels. "England will have foemen worthy of her steel, if she turns these good friends into enemies." she re

The emotion was too intense to be prolonged; and Joris instantly pushed back his chair, and said, "Now, then friends, for the dance. Myself I think not too old to take out the bride.'

Neil Semple, who had looked like a man in a dream during the singing, went eagerly to Katherine as soon as Joris spoke of dancing. "He felt Joris spoke of dancing. "He feit strong enough," he said, "to tread a measure in the bride's dance, and he hoped she would so far honor him.'

"No, I will not, Neil. I will not take your hands. Often I have told you

"Just for to-night, forgive me, Kath erine."

"I am sorry that all must end so I cannot dance any more with you; and then she affected to hear her mother calling, and left him standing among the jocund crowd, hopeless and

CHAPTER IX.

Joanna's wedding occurred at the beginning of the winter and the winter festivities. But amid all the dining political anxiety and excitement that leavened strongly every social and domestic event. The first Colonial Congress had passed the three resolutions which proved to be the key note of resistance and of liberty. had emphatically indorsed its action. The odious Stamp Act was to be me by the refusal of American merchants either to import English goods, or to sell them upon commission, until it was repealed. Homespun became fashionable. The government kept its hand upon the 'sword. The people were divided into two parties, bitterly antagonistic to each other. The "Sons of Liberty" were keeping guard over the pole which symbolized their determination; The British soldiery were swaggering and boasting and openly insulting patricts on the streets, and the "New York Gazette" in flaming articles was stimulating to the utmost the spirit of resistance to tyranny.

Still in spite of this home trouble and in spite of the national anxiety, the winter months went with a delightsome peace and regularity in the Van Heemskirk household. Neil Semple ceased to visit Katherine after Joanna's wedding. There was no quarrel and no interruption to the kindness that had so long existed between the families, but Neil never again offered her his hand; and such conversation as they had was constrained, and of the most conventional

As Hyde grew stronger he spent his hours in writing long letters to his wife. He told her every trivial event he commented on all she told him. so pure, so true, so loving, that he vowed "he fell in love with her afresh every day of his life.

********************* One exquisite mouning in May Kath erme stood at an open window look ing over the garden and the river, and the green hills and meadows across the stream. Her heart was full of tope. Righard's recovery was so far advanced that he had taken seweral rides in the maidle of the day. Al-ways he had rassed the Van Hoemskirks house and always Katherine had been waiting to rain down upon his updifted face the influence of her most bewitching beauty and her tenderest smiles.

As she happily mused, some one called her mother from the front hall On fine mornings it was customary to leave the door standing open; and the visitor advanced to the foot of the stairs and called once more, "Lysbet Van Heemskirt! Is there nachody in to bid me welcome? Then Katherine knew it was Madain Semple: and she ran to her mother's room and begged her to go downand receive the caller. For in these days Katherine dreaded Madam Semple a little. Very naturally, the moth er blamed her for Neil's suffering and loss of time and prestige; and she found it hard to forgive also her positive rejection of his suit.

And towards Neil, Joris had a secret feeling of resentment. He had taken no pains to woo Katherine until some one else wanted her. It was universally conceded that he had been the first to draw his sword and thus indulge his own temper at the expense of their child's good name and happiness. So, below the smiles and kind words of a long friendship, there was bitterness. If there had not been Janet Semple would hardly have paid that morning visit; for before Lysbet was half way down the stairs. Kath erine heard her call out:

"Here's a bonnie come of. But it is what a' folks expected. 'The Dauntless' sailed the morn, and Capt. Earl wi' a contingent for the West Indies station. And who wi' him, guess you, but Capt. Hyde, and no less? They say he has a furlough in his nocket for a twelve-month; more like it's a clean total dismissal. The gude ken it ought to be.'

So much Katherine heard, then her mother shut the door of the sitting room. A great fear made her turn faint and sick. Were her father's words true? The suspicion once entertained, she remembered several little things which strengthened it. Her heart failed her; she uttered a low cry of pain, and tottered to a chair like one wounded.

It was then ten o'clock, She thought the noon hour would never come. Eagerly she watched for Bram and her father; for any certainty would be better than such cruel fear and suspense. And, if Richard had really gone the fact would be known to them. Bram came first. For once she felt impatient of his political enthusiasm. How could she care about liberty poles and impressed fishermen with such a real terror at her heart? Joris was tenderly explicit. He said "The Dauntless to her at once: sailed this morning. Oh, my little one, sorry I am for thee!"
"Is he gone?" Very low and slow

vere the words; and Joris only answered, "Yes,"

Without any further question or remark, she went away. They were amazed at her calmness. And for some minutes after she had locked the door of her room, she stood still in the middle of the floor, more like one that has forgotten something, and is trying to remember, than a woman who has received a blow upon her heart. No tears came to her eyes. She did not think of weeping or re preaching, or lamenting. The only questions she asked herself were: "How am I to get life over? Will such suffering kill me very soon?"

About two o'clock Lysbet went to Katherine. The girl opened her door at once to her. There was nothing to be said, no hope to offer. The mother did not attempt to say one word of comfort, or hope, or excuse, She only took the child in her arms and wept for her.

"I loved him so much, moeder." "Thou could not help it. Handsome and gallant and gay he was.

"And he did love me. A woman knows when she is loved."

"Yes, I am sure he loved thee." "He has gone? Really gone?" "No doubt is-there of it. Stay in hy room, and have thy grief out with

thyself." "No; I will come to my work, Every day will not be the same. I shall

look no more for any joy; but my duty will do."

They went downstairs together. The clean linen, the stockings that regulared mending, lay upon the table. Katherine sat down to the task. Resolutely, but almost unconsciously, she out her needle through and through. Her suffering was pitiful; this little one who a few months ago would have wept for a cut finger, now silently battling with the bitterest agony that can come to a loving woman-the sonse of cruel unexpected, unmerited desertion. So for an hour, an hour of speechless sorrow, they sat. The atmosphere was-becoming intolerable. like that of a nightmare; and Lysbet was feeling that she must speak and move, and so dissipate it, when there

was a loud knock at the front door. Katherine trembled all over. "To

day I cannot bear it, mother. No one

can'l see. I will go upstairs." Ere the words were inished, Mrs. Gordon's voice was sudible. of the brisk wind around her. "Dear a favor. I am going to take the air: tell you that the colonel has orders; for Bostom and II may see my charm

ing friend no more after to-day." "Katherine, what say you? Will rou go?"

"Please, mijn moeder."

"Make great haste, then." For Lysbet was pleased with the offer, and fearful that Joris might acrive and refuse to let his daughter accept She hoped that Katherine would receive some comforting message,

"Siny not long," she whispered, for your father's sake. There is no good, more trouble to give him."

"Well, my dear, you look: like a ghost. Have you not one smile for a woman so completely in your interest? promised Dick this morning that would be sure to get word to you"
"I thought Richard had gone."

"And you were breaking your heart that is easy to be seen. He has gone but he will come back to-night at eight o'clock. No matter what happens, be at the riverside. Do not fail Dick; he is taking his life in his hand to see you.'

"I thought he had gone-gone, with-

out a word."

"Faith you are net complimentary! I flatter myself that our Dick is a gentleman. I do, indeed. And, as he is yet perfectly in his senses, you might have trusted him."

When will Bichard return?" "Indeed, I think you will have to answer for his resolves. But he will speak for himself; and, in faith, I told him that he had come to a point where I would be no longer responsible for

his actions. I am thankful to own that I have some conscience left." The ride was not a very pleasant Katherine could not help feeling that Mrs. Gordon was distrait and inconsistent; and, towards its close, she became very silent. Yet she kissed her kindly, and drawing her closely for a last word, said. "Do not forget to wear your wadded cloak and hood. You may have to take the water; for the councillor is very suspicious, let me tell you. Remember what I saythe wadded cloak and hood; and good reached the extreme North West corby, my dear"

'Shall I see you soon?" "When we may meet again, I do not pretend to say; till then, I am entirely yours; and so again good-by."

The ride had not occupied an hour; but, when Katherine got home, Lysbet was making tea. "A cup will be good for you, mijn kind." And she smiled fenderly in the face that had been so white in its woeful anguish, but on which there was now the gleam of hope. And she perceived that Katherine had received some message; she even divined that there might be some appointment to keep; and she determind not to be too wise and prudent. but to trust Katherine for this evening with her own destiny.

That night there was a meeting at the town hall and Joris left the house soon after his tea.

For an hour or more Katherine sat in the broad light of the window, folding and unfolding the pieces of white linen, sewing a stitch or two here, and putting on a button or tape there. Madam passed quietly to and fro about her home duties, sometimes stopping to say a few words to her daughter. When Lysbet was ready to do so, she began to lay into the deep drawers of the presses the tablelinen which Katherine had so neatly and carefully examined. Over a pile of fine damask napkins she stood, with a perplexed, annoyed face; and Katherine, detecting it, at once understood the cause.

(To be continued.)

BOTH HOCKED SAME FISH.

And the Incident Caused Bad Feeling

Funny things happen in bass fishing. Toward the close of the season William Hammeyer of Winneconne Wis., was fishing from a boat with his friend, G. B. Hamilton of Peru, Ind. They were on Fox Lake and fishing was not good, which made them eager.

Hammeyer got a strike, fastened his fish and began to reel in strongly, determined to land his catch without less of time. Hamilton got a strike and did the same thing. They had been an hour without a bite and had no leisure or inclination to watch one another. The first fish after an hour's casting is apt to get on the

When the bass was close to the beat Hammeyer discovered that he was bringing in his friend's line and

"Wo're tangled! Let out a little line till I get this fish in." Hamilton discovered the tangle at the same time and said the same They glared at each other and

recled furiously.

With a jerk that ought to have loos-

stant, and their baits had struck the water close together. Reeling in the baits had come within a couple of inches of each other. The fish either struck both baits at once or it struck one of them, felt the pain from the hook, slung its head to one side and got the other book.

Indigention, congested liver, impure blood, constinution, there are what afflict Miousand's of people who do not knows what is the matter with came into the room laughing, with the them. They drag mines a minerable smell of freely violate and the feeling existence; they apply to the local docthem. They drag mime a miserable tors occasionally, and sometimes obmadam," she oried, "I entreat you forr tain a little temporary relief, but the old, tired, worn out, all gone, distressthis afternoon; he so good as to let: ed feeling always comes back again. Katherine come with me. For I must: worse them ever; until in time they tell you that then colonel has orders; become tired of living, wonder why they were ever bern, and why they are alive unless to endure constant suffering. To such sufferers there is a haven of refuge in Dr. August koe-nig's Hamburg Drope, which was dising. To such sufferers therecovered more than 60 years ago, and which is a wonderful medicine; One trial will convince the most skeptical that any or all of these difficulties may be removed, and a perfect cure effected; by taking Dr. August Koenig's: Hamburg Drops. Get a bottle at once, before it is too late.

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yourself a wife?"

"Yis, yer honor," said Pat, touching is bat, "I have." his hat, "I have."
Mr. O'Brien looking comically at

him, said: "Well, here I am, and I can get no. one to take me, and I feel very lonely,

sometimes." Pat, looking confidential, said:

"I think I can put yer honor in the way.

"How, Pat?" "Do as I did; go where you are not nown."

His Household Goods.

When Mark Twain was a young and struggling newspaper writer in San Francisco a lady of his acquaintance saw him one day with a cigar box under his arm looking in at a shop window. "Mr. Clemens," she said, "I always see you with a cigar box under your arm. I am afraid you are smoking too much." "It isn't that." said Mark. "I'm moving again."

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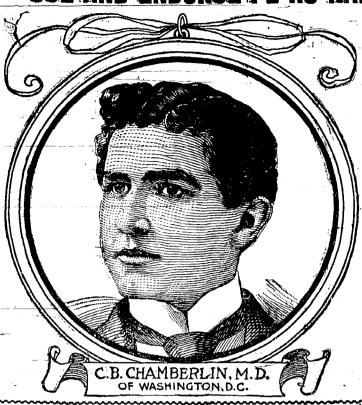
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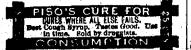
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A fine specimen of the prehistoric 'bird stone" was uneatthed, at Streator, Ill., by workmen employed by the Chicago & Alton railroad. It is five and a half mches long and an inch and a half high, and a reheologists have pronounced it a magnificent specimen.

A "bird stone," while off the undefined diass of prehistoric, ornaments or charms which have been called "ceremonials," represents stone cage art of no mean degree. This speci-men is firely finished: and polished and is extraordinary in its workmanship, gracefulness and he auty. It represents, perhaps, the highest achievement of prehistoric/American att.

Many theories regarding the use made of "kird stones" are fanciful. It has been casserted that they were marrièd Indian women. Again, it is claimed that "bird stones" were worn by Indian comjurers, and still another guessias that they were bound to the prows of canoes. It has also been guessed that they were employed in playing a gaine; that they were totems of tribes and clans, and that they were talisman; in some way connected with the humt for water

This "bird stone" uncarthed by the Chicago & Alton engine ars must have been hammered or week ed into shape. and afterward ground to its present form, and then polished diligently, for it is nearly as smooth as grass. Consideration sof the then existing conditions demonstrates the difficulty of making the objectant the dexterity and workmanship required.

THE GAME OF GOLF

How Exercise May be Dangersus for Aped Beginners.

The sneer that gaf is a game only for those not again and venture some snough for games of greater danger has long ago faded from golf criticism, and now it has actually come to pass: Liat golf. in: arraigned: as a game dangerous for rien who may be described as "aged." It is said that if a man all through his life has: followed sedentary habits, allowing his muscles to become weak and flabby, particularly those muscles in the region of the heart, gelf may very easily prove too severe at strain for his system. But in the pages of a his system. But in the pages of a golf journal this view is partially critically critically critically critically one of the control of the c game till he was wery near the neighborhood of sixty. He declares that it is a matter of beginning gently, and he tells us that in his own case be does not find two wounds a day par-Ucularly exhausting. At the same time he confesses that he has always been an enthusiast for outdoor exercise, and is inclined to think that for a man who has never taken physical exercise-rather a rare experienceit may be a little exhausting to begin It is all a matter of not overdoing it at first, but, unfortunately, so attractive is the game that the oldest beginners are tempted to go in for it rather more vigorously than is wise. The result of all this latest pother seems to be that like everything else in life it is wisdom at the outset to "go slow," and this is a verdict that 'aged beginners" should lay to heart -London Globe.

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Had a Good Excuse.

Supreme Court Justice O'Gorm for the past two months has had put up with so many back-slidings by the elderly Irishman who looks after his furnace that he made up his mind he would stand it no longer, says the New York Times. When the man zig zagged into his house the other evening the justice confronted him and said:

"Leok, here, Mike, you've been drinking again, and."
"But, your honor," interposed the mar, "you wouldn't be that hardhearted to be afther condemning a man for thakin' a drop or two whin kapin of the wake for his only livin' brother.

Mike still tends the justice's fur-

Willing to Make Amends.

An amusing street incident happened recently. A young lady left her husband's side to look in a window. On leaving it she took, as she thought her husband's arm, and continued her

conversation.
"You see,' 'she said, "you don't even look at anything I want you to see. You never care how I am dressed; you no longer love me. Why, you have not oven kissed me for a week,

and-'Madame, I am sorry, but that is my misfortune, not my fault," said the man, turning round.

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how the danger can be averted. Crase No. 15,741.-Rev. Jacob D. Van Doren, of 57 Sixth street, Fond du Lac Wis., Presbyterian clergyman, says: A man or woman who has never had kniney complaint or any of the little His consequent upon irritated or inactire kidneys knows very little about what prolonged suffering is. I had attarks which kept me in the house for days at a time, unable to do anything, and to express what I suffered can hardly be adequately done in ordinary Angle-Saxon. As time passed, compli-cations set in, the particulars of which Lwill be pleased to give in a personal interview to any one who requires information. I used pienty of remedies, and, ever on the outlook for something that might check or benefit my conditinsi, I began taking Doan's Kidney Pilis. This I can conscientiously say, Doan's Kidney Pills caused a general improvement in my health. They brought great relief by lessening the pair and correcting the action of the kidney secretions.

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THE HALL OF FAME.

"Coffin John" Fitchette, the last of the jurors impaneled to try Jefferson Davis, has just died in Minneapolis.

Mrs. John Murrny, who had represented the American board of Presby-terian missions in the interior of China for twenty-six years, is dead.

John D. Rockefeller, head of the Standard Oil corporation, has been elected to honorary membership in the fire patrol of North Tarrytown, N. Y.

G. W. Gaines of Nebraska has one of the finest collections of Indian relics in the United States, which he acquired while serving as deputy marshal on the frontier between 1878 and 1887.

Senator Proctor of Vermont is presi dent of the first manufacturing corporation in New England to erect a fine building near the works for the education and moral benefit of the employ

W. J. Bailey, the bachelor governor of Kansas, has received 1.000 proposals of marriage from women in the United States and Canada. Lieutenant Governor Hanna, also a báchelor, has received more than 500.

Dr. Tullio Verdi, at one time a celebrated physician in Washington, has just died at Milan, Italy, During President Grant's administration he was gienic laws of Europe.

Vice Admiral Lord Charles Beresford hi excess of our organization for deense.

Gerenimo, the famous old Anache New Mexico. Her name is Lenna Geronimo, she is thirteen years old, and she is quite a handsome girl of the In-

THE STAGE.

season.

The name of Hall Caine's new play for Nat Goodwin is "The Icelander." Sousa, his band and assisting artists have started on a continental trip last-

ing till next May. Mrs. Eleanor Kent has succeeded Miss Mai de Villiers as the Venus of 'The Silver Slipper."

Vernona Jarbeau is slated to succeed Fay Templeton next season with Weber and Fields in New York.

Victory Bateman is to be starred next season in a dramatization of "Pora "Thorne," by Bertha M. Clay. Blanche Ring, the young woman who

jumped into fame by singing "In the Good Old Summer Time," is going into vaudeville. Agnes Booth, wife of John B. Schoef-

fel, proprietor and manager of the Tremont theater. Boston, will return to the stage next season. Justin Huntly McCarthy has completed a play, entitled "The Proud Prince," founded on Longfellow's poem, "Robert of Sici'y."

CONDITIONS OF SUCCESS.

The conditions of cininent success. are inexorably hard. Only a few will

make the sacrifice. First.-One must believe his adopted vocation is for life, and he must work like a gladiator. Patient, untiring in

dustry always receives its reward. Second .- To be a "society man" and a lover of pleasure is fatal to success.

Third.-Only such recreation as is necessary to preserve health is permissible. Fourth.-Intemperance and excesses

of all kinds are barred out. Fifth.-It is mandatory to rise early,

testify. Sixth.-If occasion demands it, one must face the strictest economy in diet, dress and all home surroundings.-Charles Stewart Smith in New York Commercial Advertiser.

SOUR GRAPES.

You can interest any man by saying to him, "You work too hard."

Washington and Lincoln were'so good that we are tired of hearing of them.

It is a pity that the word "honorable" is not more popular in society than the word "accomplished."

There seem to be as many rules in war as in whist, but somehow they don't seem to be as important.

We fear the war in Venezuela may be over before the wives of the warriors get their pictures in the papers.

If an old man is poor, there is a feeling'that he is better off dead and the expense of his care ended; if he is rich, the same sentiment is entertained, for the reason that others want his money. -Achtson Globe.

GOOD ADVICE.

Are you sick? Repining will not give you bealth. Are you poor? Unimppiness will not

make you rich. Are you ignorant? Unineppiness will

Be happy today. No matter about yesterday or tomorrow, he happy to-

Did you do wrong yesterday? Regretting will not correct the act nor

WOULD KILL THE GOOSE THAT LAYS. THE GOLDEN EGG.



THE FASTING FAD.

There is No Advantage to Be Gained From Going Hungry.

We are living in an age of fads, re marks Good Health, and as its opinion has been solicited in regard to the "fasting fad" it proceeds to give it as follows:

There is no particular advantage to be gathed from soing hungry. Hunger by placing its food in the emptied eyels the voice of nature telling us that halls of a stuffed gazelle, so that when commissioned by him to study the hy-the system needs food and, like all of nature's warnings, should be heeded. To be sure, a great many, we might is quoted as saying, "As a British sub-say the majority, of people eat too ject I do not want to see an acre more much as well as too often. But the idded to the British empire, as our im- entire abstinence from food is an experial responsibilities are enormously ceptional remedy if it is used at all. In cases where one's stomach is filled with germs it is far better to fast than to go on eating in the usual way, but war chief "Is a daughter who is a pupile even then it is not necessary, for one pil at the Mescalero Indian school in can get all the benefits of facting andmore without discomfort by subsisting for a time upon a fruit diet. In this way the germs are starved out, the fruit juice acting as a disinfectant. Usually one or two days of this kind of fasting is all that is needed, and it is not always necessary to use the Fritz Williams is going to star next fruit entirely alone even then. Some dry sterilized bread, such as zwieback or granose, may be taken with it without interfering with the purpose of the fast. It is really wonderful what can be accomplished by the use of fruit in ridding the digestive tract of germs.

Enu de Cologne.

How many of those who use eau de cologne from Cologne daily, one might almost say hourly, are aware of the fact that it was invented by an Italian and not by a son of the Fatherland, which gives its name?

Almost 200 years ago an Italian priest, Giovan Maria Farina, eked out his modest fortune by selling perfumery, little art objects and so on at Domodossola. In 1702, happening to be in Cologne and making use of some of the finest vegetable productions of the country, he discovered the secret of the miraculous perfume, which has never been revealed to this day except to his descendants. He soon devoted ; himself to the sale of his invention, which was so satisfactory that, needing help in its manufacture, he had his brother and nephew join him from Italy.

The increasing fame of the water brought increasing difficulties of rivality. New it his who stole his name, his trademarks, stamps and so on sprang up like mushrooms, but they could not steal his secret.

Smoking a Narghile.

"The narghile is the best instrument to smoke tobacco through, provided you use it in the right way," said a man who knows. "Most people use it in the wrong way. They load it with tobacco and light up with a match as though it was a pipe they were smoking. This is incorrect, and the narghile, so abused, has an abominable taste and with a clear brain, refreshed by neces-sary rest. Morning is the best time to work, as the proverbs in all languages water space the water out and place the soaked, damp mass in the pipe bowl. Then you take a lump of burning charcoal and set it on the top of the wet tobacco and begin to smoke. The tobacco itself, you see, is not really alight; it's the charcoal that's alight; it is the burning chardoal that eats the tobacco up. This is the secret of nar-thile smoking. And a narghile, smoked properly, is delicious-makes, in fact, the very best smoke in the world."-Philadelphia Record.

Her Great Fault.

A Georgia citizen recently said that while riding out from Savannah on horseback he saw a typical southern matron outside a whitewashed cabin, while on the lawn in front a bevy of young colored children were playing. There were eight of them altogether, seven of their number being very, very dark, while the eighth one was light complexioned

'You've got some fine looking chil

dren there, auntle," he said.
"Deed I hab, boss," she replied. "Dere ain't any better pickaninnies in de whole state of Georgia den dat first seben, but dat eighth one, dat mulatto, she done make me more trouble dan de whole oder seben put togedder.'

"In what way?" I asked. And she replied;

'Cause she done show dirt so easy!"

Chased and Refined. At a recent police court sitting a man was fined 40 shillings and costs for assaulting a policeman. Considering himself a much injured man, on reaching the door he began abusing the magistrate in very violent language. The magistrate sent an officer after him, and the delinquent found himself on

more in the dock and fined again for

chaste and refined in your language," said the magistrate, "you would not have been chased and re-fined."-London Tit-Bits.

How Goshawks Are Trained.

A French traveler states that the goshawk is still used if Persia in hunt. ing the gazetle and that it is trained to foed on that creature's beautiful eyes by placing its food in the emptied eyeused-in the trunt the goshawk stops its victim by attacking its eyes, a horribly ernel form of sport.

A Lovers' Quarrel "Hallons, Fitzy! where did you get

that black eye?"
"Oh, it was only a lovers' quarrel." "Lovers' quarrel! Why, your girl did not give you that, did she?"

"No; it was her other lover." The lak of the Greeks and Romans was merely lampblack mingled with

gum in the proportion of three parts of the former to one of the latter. MIS EXPLANATION.

You see, I am-well, rather small, While she was large and somewhat tall, Went in for culture physical And all that sort of thing. At 5 each morning she would rise And take a walk for exercise, A thing that I myself despise

She was not formed to cling Her chest expansion was immense; It was a treat to see her fence, And yet I felt she might dispense

With such athletic sports, And when she boxed with me one day And landed on my nose-well, say! I really had to go away Or make some fierce retorts.

I do not think that I incline
To any girl, howe'er divine,
With biceps far exceeding mine.
Who scales one eighty clear.
Such women have my deep respect;
But all, the same when I reflect But, all the same, when I reflect On married life I must object To lead a life of fear

With one who might, if she should choose, My person main and maul and bruise And make me tremble in my shoes. Whenever she got mail, And so, although I loved her well. And beaued her round for quite a spell, I passed her up, and, truth to tell, Upon the whole, I'm glad.—Chicago News.



Percy-The opera is a beastly bore

don't you think? Ferdy-Ya-as, but, then, you know, the public pays to see us, and I suppose we'll have to go. - New York Evening Journal

Willing to Make Amends. An amusing, street incident happened

recently. A young lady left her husband's side to look in a window. leaving it she took, as she thought, her husband's arm and continued her con-

"You see," she said, "you don't even look at anything I want you to see. You never care how I am dressed; you no longer love me. Why, you have not

even kissed me for a week, and""Madam, I am sorry, but that is my nilsfortune, not my fault," said the man, turding round. The lady looked at him and gasped

She had taken the arm of the wrong Right and Left Cigars.

man .- London Spare Moments.

It is not always because a cigar is badly made that the wrapper curls up and works off, says the Tobacco Worker. It is often because a right handed man is smoking a left handed cigar. A "left handed cigar" is one rolled by the maker's left hand, for all cigar makers must be ambidextrous. A piece of tobacco for the wrapper is cut on the bins and is rolled from left to right on the filler. The other piece for reasons of economy is then used and must be rolled the opposite way by the operator's other hand. Hence a smoker who -holds-a-cigar-in-his right hand, some times twisting it about, rubs the wrap-per the wrong way and loosens it.

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Miss Ida M. Snyder, Treasurer of the Brooklyn East End Art Club.

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