RACKETSTORE Full line Tablets, Pencils, Stationery in boxes.

# NEWS AGENCY

A new line of Jewelery.

Next to the Postoffice. \_H. C. HOLMES.

Bet Company of the co

Pride of Charlevoix Co. is the best 5c cigar on the Market.

R. F. Steffes.

Warne Block

# Fresh GROGERIES

FRESH COOKIES AND CANNED GOODS

OF ALL KINDS ARE CONSTANTLY ARRIVING AT

# WILL RICHARDSON'S

State Street Grocery.

# Will Build a Hose House.

Plans Accepted by Council Wednesday.

It will be a Handsome Brick Veneered Building, 2 Stories High.

The Council at a special meeting Wednesday evening accepted the plans offered by the Fire Committee for the proposed new hose house to be erected on the lot just north of Whittington's furniture store, recently purchased by the Village for that purpose.

According to the plans adopted the building will be 24x52 feet in size two stories high. It will be a frame building veneered with brick and rest on a solid stone foundation with a ten-foot basement under the rear portion of the

The first floor will be used to store the hose cart, ladders, axes and other fire fighting apparatus and will be fitted with inclined shelves along the sides for the drying of the fire hose.

Two seven-foot doorways in front will render the hose cart, etc., easy of

Another door and stairway will lead to the second floor which will be finished up for a Council chamber and will be plenty large enough for public meetings and for the holding of Vilage caucuses and elections.

The plans and specifications are now in the hands of the Clerk and persons desiring to contract for the erection of the building should place their bids sealed, in the hands of the Clerk by Monday, the 27th inst. The bids will be opened on the evening of that date and the contract let to the lowest re-

#### BRONCHITIS FOR TWENTY YEARS.

Mrs. Minerva Smith, of Danville, Ill writes; "I had bronchitis for twenty years and never got relief until I used Foley's Honey and Tar which is a sure

Sold by L. C. Madison & Co.

A DARING BURGLARY.

About 3:00 o'clock Thursday morn ing Mrs. Frank Brotherton, on awaking, was terrified on discovering a burglar in their bed room. She immediately screamed for help and it is doubtful if she was any more fright-



Archbishop Diomede Falconio, who has made an enviable record as papal ablegate to United States, is thought to have an excellent chance for election to the cardinalate, thousands of admirers declare that his distinguished services entitle him to this proion. Archbishop Falconio is a naturalized citizen of the United States.

gathering up Mr. Brotherton's trousers and some other clothing made a hasty exit even before Mr. B. was thoroughly awakened.

The burglars features were concealed by the black mask which he wore and is described by Mrs. Brotherton as being a heavily built man of medium height and dressed in dark clothes.

He had evidently entered the house through the front door, the key of which he had in some manner managed to turn from the outside.

Mr. Brotherton's trousers were found near the M. E. church in the morning, the packets having been rifled and valuables removed including something over eight dollars in money.

There seems to be no clue that would lead to the detection of the guilty party but the crime was very evident ly the work of an old hand who understood his business and had Mrs. B. not awakened just when she did their loss would probably have been far greater than it was.

WHEN OTHER MEDICINES HAVE FAILED Take Foley's Kidney Cure. It has cured when everything else has disap-

Sold by L. C. Madison & Co.

# Latest Jashion Notes.

STREET COSTUME OF BLUET HOPSACK.

A stylish costume is an absolute necessity, and an eyidence of good taste and workmanship is shown in a gown of bluet hopsack. This has a novel collar, which gives the long-shouldered effect and the strappings of which cross in front, and are completed with an ornament of pendants. Narrow plaits supply decoration, and all the stitching, a great deal of which appears on the bottom of the skirt and just above the strappings on the skirt is done with Corticelli stitching silk of the same shade, size D. This silk comes on one-quarter ounce spools and has generally been adopted by the best dressmakers, since it is just the right size and twist for stitching purposes.



The pouched or blouse front is fas being superseded by the deep corsele and long narrow buckle, suggesting the pointed stomacher, and many ev ening bodices show the pointed lower edge. Large floral patterns obtain for the thin gown for warm days, and a prodigal display of coarse lace set on white bobble et and I shirrings will be the salient feature. The exaggerated long shoulders will be given by the deep face collars of all descriptions and construction, and when these are not employed fichus daintily ruffied and frilled will replace them.

## NO FALSE CLAIMS.

The proprietors of Foley's Honey and Tar do not advertise this as a "sure cure for consumption." They do not claim it will cure this dread complaint in advanced cases, but do positively assert that it will cure in the earlier stages and never fails to give comfort and relief in the worst cases. Folev's Honey and Tar is without doubt the greatest throat and lung remedy. Refuse substitutes.

Sold by L. C. Madison & Co

## NOTICE

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

# Notice to Contractors.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the Village Clerk, up to 12.00 o'clock noon of Monday, July 27, 1903, for furnishing all material and building complete a Hose house and tower, for the Village of East Jordan, Mich. Plan and specifications can be seen of the office of the Village Clerk. It is the intention to enter into contract for such building with the lowest responsible bidders, but the Council specifically reserves the right to reject any or all hids.

By Order of Village Council

Highest price pa id in cash fo wool Boosinger Bros.

#### Charlevolx Co. Soldiers and Sailors' Association.

Headquarters Charlevoix County Soldiers and Sailors' Association. Boyne City, Mich., June 25, 1903, CENERAL ORDER No. 1.

The 13th annual meeting of this Association will be held at Boyne City, on Thursday and Friday, August 6th and

All Soldiers and Sailors, members of the W. R. C. and Sons of Veterans are earnestly requested to be present, and all others interested are cordially invited to meet with us.

JOHN A. NEWNILLE, JOHN JONES. Commander,

### Adjutant. First publication July 4th. A. D. 1903.

Mortgage Sale.

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Mortgage Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by S. B. Brown fun-marmarried to J. B. Allen, and dated May 19th. A. D. 1886, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Charlevolx, and State of Michigan on the 26th day of May. A. D. 1886, in Liber 11 of Mortgages, page 303, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the time of this tactice the sum of one hundred and sixty-nine dollars and flity-eight cents and an attorney's fee of 5th provided for in sald mortgage and no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Nowe therefore, by viriue of the power of sale contained in such mortgage and the statutes in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on the 28th day of September, A. D. 1903, at ten clock in the forenoon, I shall sell at public metion to the highest bidder at the East Frent door of the court-house in the vidage of Charlevolx, in the County of Charlevolx, is helden the premises desired by the constitution of the court-house in the vidage of Charlevolx, in the County of Charlevolx, is helden the premises desired by the constitution of the court and origing with interest at 7 per cent, and all legal costs, with an attorney's fee of \$15.00 as covenance (therein).

The said premises being described in said mortgage as follows, to-wit: The South-East quarter of the South-West quarter of Section twenty-four. Town thirty-three Norta, Range seven West, in Eveline township, Charlevolx vounty, and containing forty acres of land, more or less according to the United States Survey.

J. B. Allein,

urvey.
Dated this first day of July, A. D., 1903.
J. B. ALLEN.

A. B. Nicholas. Attorney for Mortgagee.

## CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN.
Thirteenth Judicial Circuit in Chancery
Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the
Commy of Charlevols in Chancery, at the
Village of Charlevols on the 17th day of June
175 1602 Village of Charlevoix on the 17t A. D. 1903, Orie Brewer, Complainant,

E. N. CLINK, Solicitor for Complainant, Business address, East Jordan, Mich. 6-20-76

# Thos. Morrison, Dray and

Baggage.

'Phone No. 120. Moving Household Goods a Specialty

BOAT SERVICE

East Jordan and Charlevoix Route

# Str. Walter Crysler.

TIME	CARD,	
cave East Jordan,	7:00 a. m.	2:30 p. m.
rrive Charlevoix,	8:45 a. m.	4:00 p. m.
eave Charlevolx.	9:20 a. m.	4:30 p. m.
Railroad dock,	9:55 p. m	4:40 p. m.
rrive East Jordan,	11:30 a. m,	6:00 p. m.
G.	EO. JEPSON	. Master.

Str. 'Pilgrim."

p. m. 12 :20

Charlevolx and East Jordan Line.

Str. Jos. Go	rdon.
——'TIME	CARD
Leave Charlevotx,	7:20 a, m
-The Inn dock	7:30 a, in

L. GUARD, Master,

# Important to Every Well Dressed Gentleman!

What Kind of A Hat Are You Wearing?

The celebrated ROYAL Hats in all the new Swell Shapes, Broad Brims in the Broadway, Majestic and London Derby Shapes.

These Hats have just come off the forms by express and we absolutely guarantee the thorough and perfect workmanship and style of these splendid Hats, \$2.00 to \$3.50 for exactly the same kind of hats that are sold in the city stores for 25 to 50 percent, more.

Look in our South Window, then come in the store and tell us what you think of our ROYAL line of Hats.

Quality First of All - - Our Motto.

R. L. LORBAINE, Publisher.

EAST JORDAN, .... MICHIGAN

England has placed three more islands on the red.

Sir Thomas is still sanguine. has the temperament that characterizes his race.

A new office has been made for Wu Ting-fang. Nothing in China was big enough for him.

Henry Watterson declares that there is no ideal public life. Is there any ideal private life?

Another exploration party will set forth in Pennsylvania presently search of the telegraph poles.

Anthony Hope is going to get mar-ed. Good-by to the Dolly Dialogues. They will all be monologues after this.

Typewriters are now made to write the language of love is not one of

It is to be hoped that Sir Thomas Lipton is being kept fully informed as the remarkable performances of the Reliance.

President Diaz will accept another four years' term in Mexico. properly speaking, the Mexicans will accept it.

That earthquake in Asiatic Turkey with 2,000 dead to its credit makes the Balkan war cloud look like a Christmas toy.

What of Guatemala is not covered with lava and ashes is as friskily revolutionary as ever. Something is brewing down there.

Richard Henry Stoddard, the famous poet, left an estate valued at \$2,000. He must have had some outside enterprises going.

Mand Gonne's husband was a peace ful and dignified citizen when she mar ried him. Now he wants to fight the entire population of Publin.

Francis Wilson says he has all the money he wants. If Francis wishes to he can probably secure good wages

Sir Themas Lipton is bringing two Shamrocks over this year. In time Sir Thomas's collection of Shamrocks will be worth going miles to see.

from the dime museums now.

It does not always take possession of a large income to send a man to the devil as Dr. Hillis says. Often the want of it gets him there sooner.

A New York man has been ordered to pay a young woman \$3,000 for kissing her 1,236 times. This girl should equip herself with a cash register.

Since circus men's unions have be gun to go on strikes, thus tying up the shows, how can the American boy hope to enjoy himself as his father

Danger lurks in the steam yacht, the air ship and the trolley line. Walking is a slow mode of travel, but it has its advantages that must not be overlooked.

One of the Chicago university professors has discovered a similarity between Shakespeare and Kipling. The world has been overrating the notorious Avonian.

If King Edward thinks of visiting Ireland, why doesn't he combine business with pleasure and make the trip next month when the big automobile race there comes off?

Another cure for consumption is announced. The trouble with these cures is that the victim usually dies before they have a chance to demonstrate their effectiveness.

King Edward has a decided advantage over a president in visiting the various localities in his realm. He can refuse to make speeches without the fear of losing any votes.

Miss M. E. Braddon has just published her sixty-fourth novel. It is almost terrifying to think what might have happened if Miss Braddon had been the wife of Cyrus Townsend

A Chicago schoolmaster criticises Shakespeare because that bard's language is behind the times. Some one should put Shakespeare's writings into slang to meet Chicago's yearning for up-to-date literature.

A proposition to tax trousers for the purpose of raising the revenue which is necessary to run the gov ernment has been made in England. How can woman hope to gain her rights in such a country as that?

Ambassador Choate is going to marry one of his daughters to a titled Englishman. It costs a good deal to be ambassador to England; but the lady members of the family will now be likely to regard the investment as a good one.

Sir Ralph Gallwey suggests "a legalized use of the shotgun" for scorching motorists. This might be a good way to encourage the youth of Great Britain in the practice of much-needed marksmanship. A moving target is the hardest to hit.



No Longer in Trade. "I've come, sir," said the young man confidently, "to get your consent to my marriage with your daughter."

'What?" snorted old Roxley, "you? A mere clerk---"Beg pardon, sir. I'm a gentleman

The moment your daughter accepted me I gave up my job altogether."

The Truth Merely.

"See here," said Mrs. Starvem, after the new boarder's first meal, "when I agreed to give you reduced rates you told me you were a light eater.'

"So I am, ma'am," he replied. "I'm the Human Salamander at the muin twenty-six different languages, but seum. You'd oughter see me swallow burning torches."

Reciprocity.

"Time has certainly dealt kindly with Mrs. Slowgirl. She's still goodlooking," remarked Mrs. Goodfriend.

"Of course. She never dealt harshly with him-grabbing him by the forelock, or anything like that," replied Miss Acide.

Appearances Untrustworthy. "You look like a man who is fast going to the dogs."

"Do I leddy? Den my looks is deceivin'. I goes frum de dogs mucht faster'n I goes to 'em. Dere don't happen to be none on dese premises, I hope, mum?"

Merely a Guess.

Teacher—Can you tell me why the place where a river ends is called its mouth?

Little Johnny-I dunno, unless it's because their mouths is where so many people seem to go out of business.

Plays a Losing Game. I'm understand Green has heart trouble.

Smithinsky—Yes; and he also has spade, club and diamond trouble.

Those Loving Girla, -Don't you think Miss Primleigh is the very picture of her mother?
She—Yes, indeed; the resemblance is certainly something fierce.

Needed Much Rain.

over his sister's geography, finally

Willie, aged four, who was looking

"Mamma, did God make the ocean?

"Certainly, my dear," answered his

"Then," observed the small philoso

pher, I guess it must have rained awful hard the day before."

That Part of It All Right.

life has not been what it should be,

but I truly and unselfishly love your

daughter, and if ever I give her a mo-

ment's pain I hope I'll be made to suf-fer torture for it."

Old Gentleman (warningly)—Oh! you will. You don't know her."

Unfamiliar Firm.

I believe, Mr. Staples?

Browning and Emerson?"

lossal Black Cork troupe.

soap out of the rooms."

several years.

revolution?"

Miss Bookley-You are from Coston

Mr. Staples-Yes. I have lived there

"Then you must know all about

"N-no, I can't say that I do. Clothing firm, isn't it?"

What They Took.

"Do minstrels take in this town?"

"Well, the last that were here did,"

responded the innkeeper, sourly. "They took everything, even to the

Not informed.

"How long has it been since the last

"My dear sir," answered the South

American, with a shrug of his shoul-

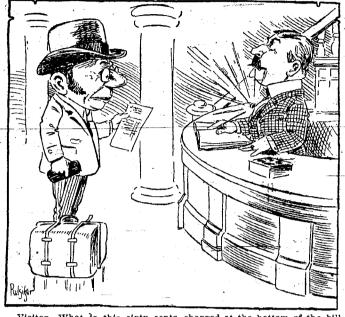
ders, "how can I tell? Some wretch

has cut the telegraph wires and news

inquired the advance agent of the Co-

Mr. Hardnutt-I admit, sir, that my

IT COMES HIGH.



Visitor-What is this sixty cents charged at the bottom of the bill for Clerk-Two looks at my diamond stud at thirty cents a look.

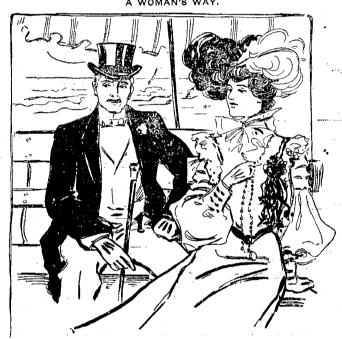
asked:

mother.

Orthodoxy in Boston.

"Yes, a man can be ungrammatical and still be considered a Christian." "Guess you never lived in Boston." Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A WOMAN'S WAY.



He-She told me it was her first year out. She-Why, she's been out four seasons. Well, I suppose she counts four seasons to the year

> In a Good Cause.

Wife-George, this burning of the candle at both ends means an untimely grave. It is nearly 12 o'clock. Come

George-But I'm doing this night work in order to find money enough to your birthday prese

"Well, if you will persist in working, of course, I can't stop it. Good-night,

All in the Dark.

Ida-When Jack told Mabel he was going to steal a kiss in the first tunnel she said she wished there were no tunnels on the road.

Belle-You don't say! Ida-Yes; but after they passed the first she said she wished the whole road was one continuous tunnel.-Excnange.

Not Too Previous.

Johnes-Let mershake your hand, dear boy; you'll neven see such a happy day as this again! Algy-Oh, that's too previous, old

man-I shan't be married till to-mor-Johnes-That's what I mean-you'll never see such a happy day as this

Hot Place. "What did they put on the deceased's tombstone?

again.

"The phrase, 'Peace be to his "Ashes!" Don't you think they could have chosen a less suggestive

phase of the next world?"

Strong One.

"Your father," said the sympathetic neighbor, "always possessed an iron will, didn't me?"

"Iron"" responded the disappointed son. "It was armor plate! Fourteen lawyers failed to break it."

Real Unkind.

"I have an idea," began young Softleigh, "that I-

"Are you quite sure," interrupted Miss Cutting, "that you can distin-guish between ideas and wheels?" ' He Knew the Man.

"What will my wife do if you send me to jail?" pleaded the prisoner. "I think she'll do better," returned the judge.

comes slowly."



They've both got She-So they are engaged to be married, eh? touch of brimstone in their tempers. He-Then they ought to make a good match.

His Saddest Experience.

"Poor man," she said, stooping over the victim who had just been dragged out from under her automobile, "have

"No," he groaned, "this is the worst thing that ever happened to me."

Too Late for Regrets. Mamma-Johnny, I'm disappointed

Johnny-Oh, well, you ain't just the mother I thought you'd be. But it's too late now to cry about it.

Far-sighted .---

"I wonder what's the idea in throw ing old slippers and shoes after bridal couple?"

"Probably the idea is that they'll come in handy for spanking purposes in the years to come."

An Explanation.

"Why haven't you been attending church of late?" asked the parson.

"Doctor forbid it," replied the de-linquent party. "He said I must give up sleeping in the daytime.

THE SMALL BOY'S LONGING.

Part of the Show That Was Woefully

Disappointing.
Little Willie's father took him to the show. It was a variety show, end-ing with a sketch called "The African Belle," in which, after a missionary had been bound to a stake by a lot of dancing savages, he is rescued by the chief's daughter after the manner of Capt. John Smith. This last part of the show Willie's father thought would please the boy immensely; but the son and heir fell into a state of gloom at its close. On the way home the fond parent inquired: "Willie, didn't you like the part where all the savages come out?" "No," replied Willie with a sigh. "Me and the other boys play that. When you pay to go to a show I should think they might kill the missionary."

PEAS FROM PHARAOHS' TOMB.

Their Product Unlike Anything Known

at Present.
There are bargains and finds to be made in the plant world equal to any picked up in old curiosity shops. Some time ago a Glasgow gentleman received from his son in Egypt an envelope full of peas, which were said to have been found in the tomb of one of the Pharaohs. He sent them to a friend of his at Kames, in the Isle of Bute, who sowed them. They grew up into plants quite unlike anything known at present, strong and about six feet high, with a great white flow er having a red center. The pods were long and full of excellent peas. This new old variety found a ready sale at good prices.

Muscular Christianity.

Prof. Bryce, in his biographical study of Bishop Fraser, of Manchester, tells of a clergyman of Fraser's diocese who had knocked a man down who had insulted him. The bishop wrote him a letter of reproof, pointing out that exposed as the Church of England was to much criticism on all hands, her ministers ought to be very careful of their demeanor. The of-fender replied by saying: "I must regretfully admit that, being grossly insulted, and forgetting in the heat of the moment the critical position of the Church of England. I did knock the man down, etc." Fraser was de-lighted with the turning of-the tables on himself, and afterward invited the clergyman to visit him.

Superfluous Boys.

A British parliamentary shows that, as usual, nearly 20,000 more boys than girls were born in the British isles last year. Whence, then, the "superfluous woman?" The boys die, during the first weeks und months of life, at a far greater rate than the supposed "weaker vessels." In a few months they have sunk to an equality and soon woman takes the lead, numerically, and keeps it, numerically. The reason is not uncon-nected with the larger size of the baby boy's head, for which he either pays the penalty very early or reaps the reward-if woman will forgive the hint-later.

Why He Disliked Spelling Reform. Senator, F. Dumont Smith of Kins-ley lectured on "Words" in Wichita, Kan., a few nights ago. He is for spelling reform, and in advocating it in his lecture said that he knew of only one argument in favor of the old way and that was given by an English bishop who declared present method of spelling helped the churches. According to the bishop: By the time you can make a boy be lieve 'that 't-h-r-o-u-gh' 'through,' that 't-h-o-u-g-h' spells spells 'though' and 't-o-u-g-h' spells 'tough you can make him believe anything.

Much Money in Tramp's Clothes

A lot of young fellows in an Ohio town had a good time with a tramp gave him a good bath, shaved him and cut his hair. They then bought a new suit of clothes, white shirt and stand-up collar and dressed him out complete. But when they attempted to burn his hobo clothes he objected and fought for them with such desperation their suspicions were aroused, and upon searching they found \$1,400 sewed up in the coat.

Girl an Excellent Athlete. Miss Agnes S. Wood, the champion

basket ball player and all-around ath lete of Vassar college, has beaten the record at running and almost equaled that of men, despite the fact that her gait was somewhat impeded by a rather cumbrous costume. She does not allow athletics to interfere with her studies and will graduate near the head of her class.

Few Automobiles in Washington. Official Washington does not take kindly to the automobile and very few persons in the executive or diplomatic service are seen in vehicles other than carriages. The president is too fond of horses ever to take up the craze. He has always shown a preference for surreys and seldom drives out of town in any other kind of vehicle.

Motor Cars in Switzerland,

Should the experiments in progress in the neighborhood of Berne prove as successful as is anticipated travelers to Switzerland in the summer of this year will be able to cross the mountains by motor car instead of the usual post diligence. The actual trials will be made in the spring, and the result, if successful, will be not only to allow travelers to make the different journeys in half the time, but to



In the "good old summer time" when a city man goes on a vacation and takes his hammock to the innermost recesses of the wood that he may commune with Nature and Morpheus, he should beware of-

The bumblebee, whose javelin is hung on a hair trigger! Emerson calls him "an animated torrid zone." Those of us who have been hit by him will admit a high temperature.

The ticklish little ant that never sleeps but ever strives to crawl through the woof of our balbriggans to nip us on the southwest quarter! Diligent little ant, without thee no first reader could be written, or the characteristic of industry be incul-

to terrorize us than the "cat fear." The man who goes out into the singing woods and gets himself filled with bacilli should "see Naples and then die." He will die anyhow, whether he sees Naples or Kalamazoo, Mich. Hence, be careful!

The beetle, which "booms a-down the gloom" and bangs him in the eye at dusk when he is watching the fire-

flies' flirtation with the night! The butterfly, over which poets and sentimentalists rave. Ordinarily-a man in a hammock need not fear such a harmless insect, and yet when the beauty brushes her powdered wings on his coat collar, his wife, who knows rouge when she sees it, may question his solitude. Avoid the appearance of evil!

The dragonly that you feared in youthful days, lest he sew your eyes

shut with his darning needle! The festive flea, that "gets there just the same!" Somebow, speaking of fleas, we are reminded of Thos. Hood, Jr.'s paredy on Poe's "Annabel Lee." Mr. Hood's bit of jollity is entitled, "The Cannibal Flea," and one verse of it reads like this:

"It was many and many a year ago,
In a District styled E. C..
That a monster dwelt whom I came to

Rnow
By the name of Cannibal Flea,
And the brute was possessed with
other thought
Than to live—and to live on me.

The horse and other fly! If the man be bald, he should doubly beware! The gnat which gets behind his glasses into his eyes and makes them

burn like the hurt of a calfy and nebulous love. The grasshopper, which will eat ruffles in his new panama hat and jump suddetly straddle of his nose when

he dozeth! And possibly the cisco fly, that smear; evanescent, fleeting thing that comes but to die, a link in an insect

chain. And last but not least, the mos-

quito! Oh joy! What a happy time lies in store for the city man who has taken to the woods to rest and be at peace! The inquisitive calf creeps upon him quietly, chews the cuff off one sleeve of his seersucker coat dangling from a lowly limb, pokes its slobbery, adolescent nose into his face and bleats at his awakening. The pigs root his feet as they dangle to earth, the farmer's gentleman mule brays in his off ear, the squirrel drops a nut on his "coco," and the bluejay, screaming madly at his intrusion, swoops at his eyes with her sharpened beak. Then the hammock rope breaks and the man, mad all over, goes back to the busy mart, or back to the mines, the workshop or the wine rooms, whichever it may be. He has courted Nature and been trifled with and he feels insulted. It is only the fisherman who is entirely, supremely happy on his vacation in the wildwood!

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In these independent days, when a workingman is as given to strikes as a sentimentalist to infections, one can not but applated C. Post. To elucidate, be it known that C. Post is a man who lives in Salina, Kansas, Mr. Post explains fully in a local paper as fol-

"I take this method of informing my friends (If I have any) that after a long and hard pull I have finally got a job at a small salary with Mr. Blank, hardware and implement dealer, and the Blank Manufacturing company, with headquarters at Blank's hardware store. Now I need the job very badly and in order to hold it I will have to show them that I am worth the price. Consequently I invite, solicit and ask my friends (if I have any) to come in and see me (and on the side do a little business if we can make it an object to you), or I won't have a job any many

than a rabbit very long. "So if you want to see me hold my tob down call and see me and let me show you around the establishment. Auction sales still solicited and attended to in up-to-date style. Wanting

to hold my job, I am, C. Post." It is to be hoped that the friends (if he has any) of Mr. Post will keep open the mountain roads, which are at him from not "having a job any more present closed to them on account of than a rabblt" for a long time to come. Such spirit is commendable.

# Heard Both Sides

room of the Pullman on the Chicago flyer were intimate business acquaint ances. After wearing the market and kindred subjects threadbare they sat back silently and looked at one another. Each knew the habits of the other so well that it required no word on any one's part to explain that one and all yearned for a fourth man to make up a game of "draw." The broker made a move. He punched the button by his side, and when a porter appeared he took from his case a business card, wrote a few words in pencil on the back of it and handed it to the darky.

"Deliver that to the gentleman in 3 A, will you, Sammy? And wait to see if there is an answer." he said.

So it happened that a few minutes later, with the luxurious train bowling smoothly over the road-bed, and only fifty out of the nine hundred odd miles between New York and Chicago covered, a quiet game of poker was in progress. The newcomer differed slightly from the other three in that his clothes were somewhat noticeable any his jeweiry sniuy, as he chased in a lump, and recently. his jewelry shiny, as if all pur he was a corker at the game of draw.

None of the four observed that each time the conductor passed through the car he would gaze with a serious air at this fourth man, whose profile greeted him as he sat facing the engine. The steely blue eyes of the conductor would rest for several seconds on the face of the stranger, as if busy with reminiscence, and then he would continue his passage, seemingly puz-

A curious thing about poker is the

almost uncanny facilities it affords for establishing an intimacy. To an expert, the stranger who sits opposite him playing his hand, taking up the cards, arranging them, betting, pulling in the pot, is at the same time laying bare cardinal features of his mental make-up, so that ten minutes' play does more to create an environment of friendship than hours of conversation indulged in on a first meeting. Therefore it seemed perfectly natural when the broker, after scanning the stranger, allowed his glance to rest on the latter's head. He looked at the parting in a mass of fine black hair. At first glance there was nothing unusual about it, but a few moments' study showed that it was wider than seemed natural, and finally the observer discerned that the thin straight line was as white as chalk, as smooth as satin, and in reality was as straight as a rule, whereon no nair grew. Ob serving his steady glance, the stranger leaned back in his chair and re-

"I see, sir, that you are more ob



you blankety-blank son of Mance, Satan," yelled the bad man. sexvant than the majority of man-

The broker hastened to murmur an apology, but the other cut him short with a good-natured laugh and a deprecatory wave o his hand while he

"That line of parting is really a scar, as pernaps you have perceived. It is rarely that I relate the incident

The three gentlemen in the smoking I that resulted in my receiving it, yet if you care to listen I will tell the

> The other three drew their chairs up in an attitude of expectant interest, and after pausing a moment, as if for reflection, the stranger went

"It happened fifteen years ago," he said, when I was ranching out West. The I went West because I drank myself



could neither choke him nor secure possession of the weapon.

nearly crazy at college, and, being ashamed to go home, I resolved to lose myself on the plains, at least until 1 could return decently. I became a cowboy. I learned to do many things not considered essential in the East, and the pure air and hard work, and a minimum or whisky, soon set me up But, try as I would, I could never make boon companions of my comrades, and they, realizing that I was not of their class, did not take me entirely into their fellowship.

"Well, one evening Jake Bellair rode to town on his broncho. He was The news 'Bad' Jake. spread, and every one kept his eyes skinned for first sight of him; Suddenly there was a whoop outside the saloon where the boys were gathered. drinking and playing, and Jake appeared in the doorway. In a trice I found myself standing alone beside the har. The bartender had disen peared, and every cowboy had sunk Jake's eyes lighted softly into a seat. on me, and next instant he stood in front of me, and I looked down the throat of a Colt 45.

'Dance, you blankety-blank son of Satan!' yelled the bad man. 'You bloomin' Eastern pickpocket, or trainrobber, or whatever you are, dance, or I'll fill you full of holes!

"I never before had looked into the menacing barrel of a revolver, and my gaze remained glued to the little rond blackened circle, from which death might spurt at any moment. Although I never for an instant took my eyes from the hole; I could feel the glauce of every one in the room fixed on us did not want to dance. If I did, I would be ridiculed, maybe forced to leave town, or have fifty fights on my hands in as many days. If I did

"The next instant I bounded like a panther at the bad man. My left hand closed about the pistol, my right hand seized his throat, with no gentle grasp. The action was so quick he hadn' time to draw the trigger. I could feel the baffled rage sizzle within him as I wrenched the pistol barrel toward the roof, being unable, though I exerted all my strength, to tear the weapon entirely from his grasp. I was an athlete and a bit of a boxer at college, and I meditated suddenly releasing his throat and smashing him on the jaw. But he read my thoughts, and his left hand closed on my right wrist with a grasp of iron. So, locked in that grip, we struggled, amid a hubbub now, for every one in the room was on his feet, exclaiming at the audacity of my action.

"I felt I was weakening. Little by little the muzzle of the revolver described a downward arc, and we were both covered with perspiration and

panting like prize fighters. Strain as would, i could neither choke him secure possession of the weapon And then, as a dizzy feeling began to presp over me, the shot came. At the same instant I felt with the instinct that serves a man in place of wits at such a time that he had not hit me, although I could feel the biting powder sink into my scalp and face. As I started back I wrenched the pistol from his hand, and the next moment had him covered before his left hand could drop to his hip, where another

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gun was strapped. ""Hands up!' I cried. Jake threw them up. I stepped up to him, un-loosened his belt, which dropped to the floor, and then, regaining my form er position, I exclaimed:

"I never saw you before, and I never want to again. I will give you till midnight to shake this town. If I till midnight to shake this town. ever set eyes on you again one of us dies. Go!'

"He backed to the door, and we could hear his horse's hoofs strike the clay in a gallop.

"Then I raised my hand to my head and brought it back covered with blood. The bullet, intended for my brain, had run along my skull, tearing clean, straight furrow that healed in a weak, but left this scar, which will be there as long as I live."

The other three gentlemen were expressing their interest in the narrative, when once more the conductor The narrator looked him appeared. full in the face:

"Damned if it isn't O'Dell," said the official, heartily. "Say, I knew we'd meet before, and it's worried me for the last two hours to place you straight. It's only this minute that I saw that scar on your head, and then I had you for sure. Why, it must be ten years ago you got that. Do you remember? You were braking in the Olean yards, and when Tench decided for a flying switch one night you went in to cut loose the 'box?' And you missed your hold-and-went down. We thought you were a dead one sure and you escaped with that rip on your Well, how are you, anyway. head. Given up the road long ago, I suppose?"—New York Press.

NOT A SHREWD CUSTOMER.

Man Thought He Was Beating the Bar but Lost His Own Money.

When a man drinks alone it is 15 cents straight in most respectable groggeries. The other day a genius stepped jauntily into a Pine street pesada and ordered "two whiskies." The natural supposition of the barman was that a friend was expected. glasses, two glassfuls of water from the tub and a bottle of something, then bit off a check for 25 cents, cast it upon the ber and remarked: "Please pay the cashier." The customer poured an ounce of liquor into each empty glass and passed back the bottle. After swallowing one drink he ate a cracker, then gulped down the other, paid his quarter and went out. "Wise guy," said the barman, im-pressed. "Fool guy," said the owner. pressed. "He paid a quarter for two ounces of whisky in two glasses."-New York

There is No Unbelief. There is no unbelief!
Whoever plants a seed beneath the sod
And waits to see it push away the clod. waits to see it push away the clod, Trusts he in God.

There is no unbelief! Whoever says, when clouds are in the Be patient, heart, light breaketh by and by. Trusts the most High.

There is no unbelief! Whoever sees 'neath winter's fields of snow The silent harvests of the future grow, God's power must know.

There is no unbelief! Whoever lies down on his couch to sleep, Content to lock each sense in slumber deep,

Knows God will keep:

There is no unbelief! heart that looks on when dear eye-

lids close And dares to live when life has only God's comfort knows.

There is no unbelief!
For thus by day and night unconsciously
The heart lives by that falth the lips God knoweth why.

His Task Too Hard. The Austrian treasury was in a deplorable condition when the war with France broke out in 1869, and when Baron Bruck, who had charge of the national finances at the time, was called up to respond to the toast, "May God defend the army," the minister replied that his "fervent prayer was that God would, for he himself would not be able to do so much The baron found his task even more difficult, evidently, than he expected, for he took his own-life before the war was over,

It Would Seem So. Wife—"I was surprised to Jearn that Mr. Oldsmith had taken unto himself a wife after three score years

of single blessedness." Husband-"Well, the old adage is still working. A man never gets too old to learn.

First Recognition. Ernie—"Oh, my father has just discovered that you are a poet.' Suitor (sadly)-"Well, that is more

than any of the editors have done. The Range of Hearing. The range of hearing in adults under fifty-nve years of age is approxi-

EARTHQUAKE LAYS IN RUINS TOWN IN ASIATIC RUSSIA

> Disaster Wipes Out Andizhan, Flourishing Metropolis of Turkestan-Succession of Shocks Completes the Work of Destruction—Was a Picturesque City,

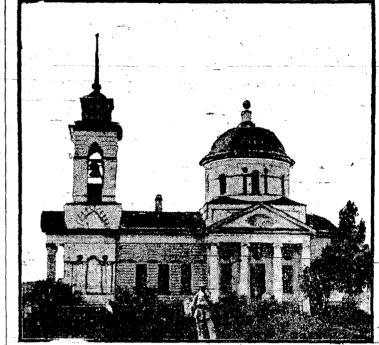
> > (special Correspondence.)

The recent news from the flourish, house is visible. ing city of Andizhan, province of Ferghana, Turkestan, Asiatic Russia, telling of an earthquake there, causing serious loss of life, is now shown to have completely underestimated, the character of the catastrophe which it attempted to describe. Instead of the city being merely damaged by the earthquake. Andiznan was converted by it into "a heap of ruins," and is now completely wiped off the map of Turkestan. Instead of a few dozen inhabitants late in the evening of

As for the inhabitants, they were mostly-leaving the official and trad-

ing Russian population out of account of the stock of Persian-Uzbek Sarts speaking the Turkish language and worshipping in a mosque. The great earthquake at Andizhan,

which suggests St. Pierre, and promises to far exceed the devestation wrought last year at Shemakha also in Central Asia, broke upon the



Church of St. Sergius Radonezhsky.

people having teen killed, the known | Dec. 13 last. The first shock was felt some 800 who perished in the native quarter of the city.

The significance of such a disaster as that which has thus overtaken a city known for its size and commercial significance as "the Lombardy of Central Asia," cannot be appreciated, save in the light of facts showing something of what Andizhan meant, not only for Turkestan, but also for Central Asia, and therefore for the Russian empire.

The province is 28,222 square miles in area, four-fifths of it being moun-Its inhabitants territory. number 676,000, 538,800 of whom are settled agriculturists, while the re mainder follow the life of pastoral no mads, and include such strange and diverse races as Aryan Tazhiks, Sarts, Turkish Uzbegs Kipchaks and Kara-Kirghiz, the latter being nomadic in their habits.

Architecturally, Andizhan could not be called beautiful. As in many other towns and cities of Central Asia, its public trade was represented in Andizhan by a single street, on which most of the bazaars and stores, the hotels and apothecary shops, were to be found. This was known as the Nikolaevsky Prospekt. It was a rather wide thoroughfare, planted on both sides with elms, whose blossoming gave the "prospekt" a fine appearance in summer. The houses of Andizhan consisted mainly of small, one-story buildings. These, with spaces be tween, lined the prospekt on each side.

At one end of the Nikolaevsky there was a railway depot, erected in 1896; There is no unbelief!
Whoever says to-morrow, the unknown.
The future, trusts that power alone
Nor dares disown.

at the other stood a church, dedicated to and bearing the name of St. Sergius Radonezhsky. This was the only orthodox place of worship in Andizhan, and formed with its surrounding gardens one of the prettiest architectural features of the city.

Beyond the church there were nar row, crooked streets, which reveal the building methods of the native Sarts The fortress of Andizhan stood on rising ground, and a mile or two further on, along the postroad to Osha.

fatalities now reach 5,000, including at 8:45 o'clock, local time. This does not seem to have been severe, and though it terrified the inhabitants, all of them returned to their houses, supposing the disturbances to be at an end.

The really fatal and destructive shock came half an hour later, and then it was too late for the imprisoned householders to escape. Such was the violence of the earth's movement that the buildings in every part of the city began to collapse like houses of cards the destruction overwhelming the one story buildings as completely as it did the public structures, hotels, factories and stores.

Down came government buildings hotels, factories, stores, dwelling houses and almost before the shrieks of the dying could announce the catastrophe, Andizhan was a heap of ruins.

The second shock destroyed it; ye n a few minutes other disturbances followed, and then, succeeding each other "with merciless regularity," came shock after shock, completing the devastation already wrought, adding to the confusion, the terror and the loss of life and making escape from the smoking and dust-obscured debris, even by those who still lived, an impossibility.

But no imagination can adequately realize the scenes of that fearful halfhour which followed the second shock, during which from 4,000 to 10,000 ku man beings found their graves beneath the debris of falling walls and collapsing roofs-cut off from every hope of rescue, and where not killed mediately, doomed to await death in its most terrible form. All night long the shocks continued, nor had the seismic wave that beat upon Andizhan day.

ernment buildings were converted into a mass of debris. With the exception of the Poznansky factory, all the mannfacturing establishments were ruined. The aspect of the stores and dwelling houses, which were razed with the

the confidential adviser lost control of his features. That laugh at the wrong time cost him his high position and a salary of many thousands of dol-

lars a year.

A MAN WHO LAUGHED.

His Momentary Lapse of Deference

Cost Him High Position. It does not pay to laugh at kings,

at least in their presence. On several occasions where men have been given

to levity before monarchs it has been

amply proved that this is so. It was

awkward for the confidential adviser of the czar of Russia, not long ago,

that he was unable to control his im-

pulse to smile. On the occasion in question the czar was tired and in an

unpleasant frame of mind. His foot

slipped on a wolf-skin mat. There

was something so funny about it that

WASTE OF PUBLIC MONEY. Example of the incompetence of Brit-· lah Officials.

A somewhat curious waste of publicmoney has just been brought to light by the report of the British Committee of Public Accounts, Recently the war department built a store for the ammunition of the navy at Gibraltar, costing £42,000, to be charged to navy votes. The store was found too damp to keep ammunition in; so it was converted into a cold meat storehouse for both army and navy. This was done at the expense of £47,000, including the cost of freezing machinery, etc., making a total expense of £89,000, of which the army pays only £23,000, although each department receives the same accommodation as the

Stamping Out Use of Opium.

When the Japanese took possession of Formosa they found there a population more or less addicted to the use of opium. It was decided to abolish the practice by degrees. those who have suffered from its effects to the extent that it occasions intense pain to deprive them of their pipe are now permitted, by a special warrant which they are obliged to procure, to continue the use thereof. To newly commence opium smoking is strictly forbidden, or even continue it unless it can be shown that abstention is impossible. A government monopoly of the article was expressly established to facilitate the final extinction of the habit of using it.

a In the Wrong Place.

A well known and popular physiclan, whose belief in the future accords with that of the late Col. Ingersoll, had occasion recently to perform a surgical operation upon a man not select in his language. After etherizing his patient the operation was successfully performed. When the effect of the ether had passed off, the subject, looking wildly around the room exclaimed: "where am I?" The docexclaimed: "where am I?" The doctor replied, "On! you are all right." But," said the man, "I may be all right, but where am I?" The doctor answered jocularly, "In Heaven." The patient responded: "If that's so, I'd like to know what in --- you are doing here!"

Recklessness of the Motorist.

That the motorist can not help eckless driving was maintained by a French savant in a recent meeting of scientists in Paris. The furore steals on them. In setting out they intend to go at a moderate pace, but as they warm to the work they must rush on faster and faster. The flying landscape through which they tear orward produces the kind of ness which Arabs say takes hold of them in the fantasia. In this state motorists would run down mose nearest and dearest to them as unhesitatingly as though they were so many animals.

The Hungry Lion.

A little boy was being shown a picture depicting a Roman arena in which there were a number of Chrismartyrs. A nack of lion the act of springing upon their vic-Thus far it has not been possible to tims. "It isn't fair," said the little estimate the cost of the earthquake in destruction of property. All the government of the cost of the earthquake in fellow, excitedly. "No, my son," agreed his mother "it isn't fair; all those big, hungry lions--" "But," interrupted the young hopeful, "there's one poor lion that hasn't got any Christian."

Will Be Credit to America.

Eugene H. Lehman, the young Colorado college student, the first Amercan to be awarded a Rhodes scholarship at Oxford, worked his way through Yale, where he got employment as a tutor at \$1 a day and wheeled an invalid in her chair for 25 cents an hour. His credentials showed a higher percentage than those submitted by twenty other students.

Morgan's Gold Dinner Service. Pierpont Morgan has a gold dinner service, said to be worth \$80,000. was presented to him by William H. Vanderbilt when he (Morgan) made an extensive sale of New York Central stock in Europe. It is a re production of a service in the British royal family, but the Morgans are not fond of display and seldom use it.

Is Richest Woman in World. Mrs. Mary Louise B. Owen of New York has become the richest woman in the world through a decision of the California courts awarding her the title to 40,000 acres of land in Mexico valued at \$50,000,000. Her husband, Col. A. K. Owen, secured a grant of the land from the Mexican government in 1872. This grant has recently been! affirmed by the Mexican courts, while a dispute between Mrs. Owen and rival claimants in this country has just been settled by the California supreme court in Mrs. Owen's favor.



A Peasant Family.

there is a Russian cemetery surround- | ground, reminds one of the appearance ed by a high wall, within which, of a city after it has been subjected to mately 16,000 to 48,000 vibrations a among other buildings, a large prayer long-continued bombardment.

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# JOHNNY CLEM

was keeping the book of record at Tribulation Gulch, and the entry of Johnny Clem's claim read:

\*July 14, 1858.-Johnny Clem, first thirty feet front west of Jack Davis."
The new arrival was a young man about twenty years old. He was short and light, and his hands were small. though sun browned and calloused. There wasn't anything unusual in the sight of a boy among the diggers, but this young chap was a bit different from the common run. He was quiet spoken, had no cuss words to throw around and didn't seem to want to mix up-much. I took a sort of liking to him from the very start, and it was at my suggestion that he entered the claim he did. There was room on the high ground for another tent, and I had him pitch his next to mine. Indeed I asked him to bring his traps and share my shelter, but the offer was

Every man in a mining camp has a partner unless he happens to be a mighty mean man. I had lost mine by death, and it soon came about that Johnny and I were known as "pards." That means more than appears on the surface. It means a fair divide of work and income; & confidence in each other; strict loyalty. If you injure a miner you also injure his "pard." If you kill one the other is bound to hunt you down. In the old days, when every camp was a law unto itself and civilization was a thousand miles away, the

Johnny Clem was an enigma to me

from the very outset. His quiet ways and his gentleness struck me as peculiarly strange. He had handy ways about cooking and a "knack" about arranging-his tent and repairing his clothing which were new to me. He wasn't given to story telling or joking, and now and then when I coaxed him to sing his songs were all sad ones and there was something in his voice that made me homesick and brought a craving to throw away pick and shovel and head for the states. I often wanted to ask him to tell me of his past, but that was a license even a "partner" dared not assume without encouragement. So much as you wished to tell was listened to and kept saered. Beyond that you were asked no questions unless you wanted to tell.

Some of the miners were rough and rade fellows, and there were five or six in camp who were always chailing at Johnny on account of his stature and weight and because he was a bit awk-ward with his working tools. The boy never seemed much put out at the sareastic flings, but on two-or three occasions I picked up the challenges and battered the heads of the challengers. They were my enemies after that, of course, though hiding their real feelings behind a mask of companionship.

One day along in November I went up to a store at Pawnee Bend to buy flour. When I got back about 4 o'clock in the afternoon I found all the men in the camp in a circle and inside the circle were Johnny Clem and a burly, big fellow called "Boss" Skinner. Each had a knife in his hand, and it was to be a fight until one or the other was down. I'd have broken into the ring like a wild buffalo, for my boy partner was no match for that burly ruffian, but they held me back. I realized almost at once, too, that if Johnny had any earthly show I should spoil it by raising a row and getting him rattled. They told me that as soon as I had gone the "Boss" began flinging out his taunts and trying to pick a fuss. The boy made no reply until the man began to ridicule and insult me. Then he flared up and defied the other to a fair fight with knives. A part of the men cried\_out\_against it, but the majority. favored a fight, and it was about to begin as I arrived.

Both men were stripped down to shirt and pants. The "Boss" loomed up like a giant, while Johnny Clem appeared like a child in comparison.

Poor boy! I stood there with my heart in my mouth, not even daring to call had was in the knowledge that the with him. When the word was given and they sprang forward I shut my eyes and groaned. I heard them moving about, and I caught the "Ohs!" and "Ahs!" of the men, but I saw no more than as if I had, been blinded. It lasted about three minutes, as they told me. Then some one shricked out-the voice of a woman-not a shrick of pain, but of fear and horror, and it brought me to myself. The "Boss" was down, with a knife in his heart, and Johnny Clem was sitting down with his hands over his eyes.

"He's a woman—he's a woman!" shouted fifty men in chorus as they rushed forward, and they were right. That shrick had betrayed my partner. She had fought the "Boss" as a man, but when the knife struck home she was a woman.

What more? Very little. On my honor as a man I had never suspected such a thing. I asked for her story, but she would not give it. From a word dropped here and there I concluded that! she had come out to the names in search of a lover and had thus far

close mouthed.

We took up a collection and sent her way to Sacramento, and I never heard of her after she left camp, She couldn't go without a "thank you" and a hand-shake, but she was shy and disnified.

Charlevolk County Herald Even in her parting with me, who had been "pards'

she shiply said:
"You have been square and honest and kind. God bless you.

#### Beyond Solution Maggie-Dat Ferdinand McDougall

is certainly a horrible example.

Katie—Widout a doubt. Every girl in de block hez fried ter "do" him an' can't .- Puck.

#### Marvels of Corp Culture,

Thousands of practical instances could be given to show the value of improved varieties of corn. For instance one southern Illinois farmer more progressive than the rest was induced to secure enough improved seed to plant 300 acres as a result of his study of corn in the Illinois College of Agriculture. These 300 acres outyielded all of the other fields on his farm more than thirty bushels per acre, and so far as could be determined the fields of that entire section yielded about thirty bushels per acre. This increase in yield meant a total gain of about 9,000 bushels, which represented a cash value of about \$4,000 that season. As this increase did not represent an Increased cost of production, the gain was pure profit. In another case a farmer in central Illinois became interested in improved seed corn through the school of corn judging in the Illinois Agricultural college. He secured enough seed grown by a corn breeder to plant eighty acres. As a result he raised almost twenty-five bushels more per acre on this field than where the ordinary seed was planted.—Cosmo-

#### Married In Her Petticont. In order to live up to her vow to be married in white Mrs. Martha Gordon of Frankfort, Ind., took off her dress skirt and was married in her white petticont: Henry Harris was the bridegroom.

The couple were married in the county clerk's office by Justice of the Peace William Campbell." Just before the ceremony the bride elect asked County Clerk Smith if there was a room convenient where she could arrange her toilet. Mr. Smith directed her into a private room, and then the assembled guests waited.

Presently the door opened, and the bride appeared. The squire, a white bearded official, gasped and turned red about the ears, for the lady came forwith her white petticoat the most prominent portion of her trous-

"I said I'd be married in white, and I, will. Proceed with the ceremony,"

After the ceremony the bride retired to the room and again donned her

# Triumphant Schoolboys. A few days ago the yenerable king

skirt.--Indianapolis News.

of Denmark received a letter purporting to come from four lads, scholars of a school at Flakkenbjerg. It was short, clear and sensational and ran as follows: "To King Christian in Copenhagen: We are four boys of the Flakkenbjerg seminary who have been flogged by a teacher with a steel wire rope. Unless that is stopped it will kindle a fire." The missive was unsigned. Usually anonymous letters are tossed into the waste paper basket. But in this case the monarch held that an inquiry ought to be made, so he sent the letter to the minister of justice and instructed him to have the matter thoroughly investigated. This was duly done, and the facts which came to light confirmed the extraordinary allegation of the unnamed scholars. One of the masters, overzealous in applying the rod, had used the unacademized steel wire rope in the hope of making a deeper impression on his backward or wayward pupils. Once the fact was established he was dismissed on the spot.-London Telegraph.

# Why It Rusped.

officer, "is decidedly rasping!" "Yes, sir," replied the subordinate, saluting. "I have been out roughing it with a file of soldiers all the morning."

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The "Snafford" entertainment for

July 10th comes highly recommended

by both press and pulpit and a liberal

patronage will be appreciated by the

W. K. Carson was joined Tuesday

evening by his wife and children. who

for the past month have been in Grand

Rapids where their little daughter

has been receiving medical treat-

Tickets will be sold at 25 cents for

adults and 10 cents for children under

mencing Wednesday of same week

Prof. E. J. Warren and wife, who

are now located at Munising, were

guests of friends in town over Sunday.

They departed Monday for Milwaukee

where Prof. Warren will enter the em-

ploy of the American Book Company

F. L. Smith's residence was struck

by lightning during the severe elec-

trical storm Tuesday morning. The

chimney was shattered and the build-

ing was otherwise damaged but most

fortunately none of the family were

Are you thin? Would you like to

get fat and plump? Tried "laughing"

'twouldn't work-now take Rocky

Mountain Tea-'twill do the business.

CANNON SALVE.

Best Salve in the World. Cures all

kin diseases. Ask your druggist for it.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

Village of East Jordan, are hereby not-

ified that the tax roll of said village for

the year 1903, is in my hands for collec-

tion, and that the time for payment of

which date additional penalty will at-

tach. The roll can be seen and payment

O. H. WHITTINGTON, Village Treasurer.

made at my store on Main street.

Dated June 11, 1903.

All persons liable for taxes in the

Warne's Pharmacy.

for the summer.

in any way injured.

Episcopal Ladies' Society.

Battle of the Boyne.

out to help enjoy the fun.

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CAPITAL, \$20,000.00 SURPLUS \$1,000.00.

Deposits of \$1.00 and upward received and interest allowed if left on deposit three

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Bank Money Orders sold at lowest Rates Fire Insurance Written -we have seven good companies

Private Deposit Boxes to Rent at \$2.00 per year.

DIRECTORS-JOS. C. GLENN. W. L. FRENCH. M. H. ROBERTSON. GEO. G. GLENN.

# Briefs of the Week

Remember the annual school meet- | The East Jordan Band and ball team ing Monday evening, July 13th.

The Odd Fellows are now "at home" n their new quarters in the Renard

Robt. Peck lost a two-year-old colt killed by a lightning stroke Tuesday

Miss Anna Neimark, of Chicago, is visiting at the home of J. L. Wiesman and family.

J. E. Converse returned Monday evening from a two weeks' visit at his old home in Lapeer.

Next year's meeting of the Northwestern Association I.O.O.F. will

be held in Mancelona. Fred. Whittington came in for a

share of the first prizes in the field sports at Charlevoix Friday,

L. M. Gage is assisting Capt. Lee is looking after the wants of the passen- ment. gers on the steamer during the rush of travel incident on the Fourth of July.

The Episcopal Ladies' Society have 12 years of age, 10 cents extra for resecured "Spafford" the noted cartoon-serving seats. The reserved seat sale ist and entertainer for one night only, will be at Loveday Hardware, com-

Don't miss the Spafford entertainment on Friday night, July 10th. The prices are low and the proceeds will be well used by the Episcopal Ladies? Society.

A. R. Bass, of Morgantown, Ind., had to get up ten or twelve times in the night and had severe backache and pains in the kidneys. Was cured by Foley's Kidney Cure.

Sold by L. C. Madison & Co.

FOR SALE-Or exchange for Improved Farm, City Property or Timber Lands. First class stock of General Merchandise in good running order. Low expenses. Submit what you have and give full particulars in first letter Address Box 367, East Jordan. Mich.

## To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tab ets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

The June sun shines on many a fair bride, made doubly lovely by the use of Rocky Mountain Tea. The bride's best friend. 35 cents.

... Warne's Pharmacy.

This is only one of hundreds of recommendations given the Spafford en-

tertainment: Such a unique blending of wit, mim icry, pathos, pictures and good hard sense are to be found in few entertainments.—Rev. W. A. Briggs, Big Rapids, Mich.

BLED TO DEATH.

Julius Zitka, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. James Zitka, of Jordan twp while at play with the other children in the barn Tuesday afternoon, was accidentally struck on the forehead with a piece of chain inflicting a gash which bled so profusely that his par ents became alarmed and summoned a doctor but before medical assistance could reach him the little fellow was dead from loss of blood.

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Jackson Crowell is very ill at his home on Second St. and little hope is entertained for his recovery.

Steam was made at the new butter factory for the first time Thursday for the purpose of trying out the ma-

The Pere Marquette inaugurated heir resorters' summer train service between Bellaire, Charlevoix and Petoskey Wednesday.

Sound kidneys are safeguards of life. Make the kidneys healthy with Foley's Kidney Cure.

Sold by L. C. Madison & Co

Bellaire won the ball game Tuesday at that place by the score of eight to three. There were only a few in attendance from this place owing to the threatening weather.

All members of Jordan River Lodge No. 360 I. O. O. F. are requested to be present at the meeting next Friday evening, July 10th, as business of imnortances to be transacted.

The unprecedented high water in Deer Creek during the past few days has been causing considerable trouble at the new Loveday dam, work on which had just got fairly started.

The Water Board desires to call the ttention of water takers to the hours fixed for lawn sprinkling-6:00 to 8:00 standard time, morning and eveningas some still use water contrary to this

Drs. Novinger & Harlan, Osteopathc physicians, office rooms at I. W. Bartlett's residence Monday. Wednesday and Friday. Chronic diseases a specialty. Consultation and examination free.

J. J. Bennett, slipped on the wet cobblestones of the gutter Monday, while carrying a sack of feed to a wagon in front of his place. He struck heavily on his shoulder on the edge of the curb and was severely bruised and shaken up. \_\_\_\_

Henry Wert, the little boy whose skull was crushed in the shocking accident at the grist mill last Saturday, place to Mackinac Island, is still alive, having recovered consciousness several days ago and the doctors say he now has a fair chance for recovery.

Burglaries seem to be fast becoming an epidemic. The second one within he week occurring Friday night when Lalonde Bros.' saloon was entered through the basement and the cash drawer relieved of something over light dollars in change.

Strength and vigor come of good food, duly digested. "Force," a readyto serve wheat and barley food, adds no burden, but sustains, nourishes, in

The testing of the machinery of the ew creamery has been delayed a few days on account of defects in the steam pump, which was to supply the water. A new pump has been ordered by telegraph and will be ready in a

TWO BOTTLES CURED HIM. "I was troubled with kidney complaint for about two years," writes A. H. Davis, of Mt. Sterling, Ia, "but two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure effected a permanent cure.

Sold by L. C. Madison & C.

Mr. Walter Kilrain will present his famous lecture and marvelous life motion Cinematographic pictures and beautifully colored views of Oberammergau and the Horitz Passion Play at St. Joseph's Church Monday even ing July 13th at Stocick p. m. Admission, adults 25c., children 15 cts reserved seat, 35 cts. All welcome. This production of the Passion Play is without doubt the most impressive exhibition ever witnessed in America. Tickets for sale at James Gidley Drug Store, corner Main and Mill Sts.

We like best to call-SCOTT'S EMULSION

a food because it stands so emphatically for perfect nutrition. the same at one per cent. collection fee, has been limited to July 28th, 1903, after And yet in the matter of restoring appetite, of giving new strength to the tissues; especially to the nerves, its action is that of a meditine.

Send for free sample, SCOTT & BOWNE, Che Pearl Street, 500, and \$2.00; all druggi Personal Mention.

CCC 666 666 666 666 333 666 Mrs. M. E. Heston was up from Charlevoix Tuesday.

Arthur Warne was home from Peoskey over Sunday.

Ezra Meech was up from Charlevolx n business Tuesday.

Mrs. J. B. Kelly, of Sault ste Marie, s visiting friends in town.

Mrs. Wm. Bird, of Ironton, was callng on friends in town Tuesday. Mrs. J. N. Roy returned Monday

from a weeks visit at Northport. Chas. A. Hudson returned Monday from a two weeks' trip to Chicago.

Mrs. W. J. Palmer visited friends in Boyne City the latter part of last

John Roy returned home from Northport Friday evening for a few days'

M. M. Bürnliam is much improved in health and is able to be out once

W. C. Ward, of Orchard Lake, and W. S. Shoaff, of Deward, were in town Wednesday.

John Fallis, Harry Marshall and Harry Cater took in the race meet at Traverse City.

his bed for several days with a severe attack of measles. Dennis Crothers came down from

W. K. Carson has been confined to

Levering Friday evening to spend the th with his family. C. L. Ames, who is spending the

town Monday on basiness Mrs. J. C. Wilde, of Petoskey, spent Sunday at the home of her parents,

summer in Mackinac Island, was in

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Burnham. Miss Jennie Faught went to Traverse City Thursday where she will be

the guest of friends until after the Harry George received a telegram from his old home in Pennsylvania

Thursday evening summoning him to the bedside of a dying brother. Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Palmer. after

spending several days with friends

here, resumed their wedding journey Monday morning, going from this Clark Haire and family accompanied by Bay City friends, were down

trip to Boyne City and return on H. S. Price's launch, the Lady Margaret. Miss Lila Petersen, of Traverse City. who has been on an extended trip wit!

from Deward Sunday and enjoyed a

her father, is the guest of Annie Me-Hale at the Lakeside, after which she goes to Charlevoix, Petoskey. Mackinaw and other northern points:

TREAT YOUR KIDNEYS FOR RHEUM ATISM.

When you are suffering from rheumatism, the kidneys must be attended to at once so that they will eliminate the uric acid from the blood. Foley's Kidney Cure is the most effective rem edv for this purpose. R. T. Hopkins, of Polar, Wis., says, "After unsuccessfully doctoring three years for rheum atism with the best doctors, I tried Foley's Kidney Cure and it cured me. I cannot speak too highly of this great medicine.

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List of Advertised Letters.

· Unclaimed letters for the week end ing.June 29:

> Again, Miss Sofa, Howard, Wm., Hunt, Miss Mary, Johnson, W. B., Loyd, John S., Peters, Saul Mrs.

> > WM. HARRINGTON, P. M

Foley's Kidney Cure purifies the blood by straining out impurities and tones up the whole system. Cures kidney and bladder troubles.

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You feel mean, cross. ugly down in the mouth, nothing goes right. Bad liver. Better take Rocky Mountain Drives away the blues. 35 cents. Warne's Pharmacy.

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Restaurant and Lunch Counter and good accommodations for Boarders on State St.

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In response to the popular demand I have secured another lot of boxes containing Jewelery, Silverware, Novelties, etc., etc. These sell at 25 cents each. Call early as they are going fast and the supply is limited.

FRANK MARTINEK.

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The largest and finest line ever opened in

# The Latest Novelties

Examine our Stock. in Stationery. trouble to show goods.

Yours for Drugs,

WARNE'S PHARMACY

C. H. MADDAUGH,-

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J. W. Coates.

will sell the balance of his large stock of Portland Cutters, Light and Heav Sleighs at a big reduction.

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## Science:

"is knowledge gained and criffed exact observation and except thin ing"-so a suspender built on scie tific principles, as is the "Presiden may easily show its adaptability all men and conditions.

## Our Guarantee

"All breaks made good," coses pair and every whim.

BOOSINGER 1

# THE MAID of MAIDEN LANE

Sequel to "The Bow of Orange Ribbon."

### A LOVE STORY BY AMELIA E. BARR

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CHAPTER XIV .- (Continued.) My dear father! How wise and

kind you are!" "It is my desire to be so, George. You cannot, after this unfortunate demy, go to Doctor Moran without the proofs of your ability to take care of s daughter's future.

"How soon can this business be somplished."

In about three weeks, I should But wait your full time, and do not go without the credentials of This three or four your position. eks is necessary to bring to perfaction the waiting of two years. will take your advice, sir. I mak you for your generosity."

"All that I have is yours, George. And you can write to this dear girl every day in the interim. Go now and tell her what I say. I had other dreams for you, as you know-they are over now-I have awakened." ear Annie!" ejaculated George.

"Dear Annie!" replied the Earl with "She is one of the daughters of God, I am not worthy to call her mine, but I have sat at her feet, and learned how to love, and how to forgive, and how to bear disappoint-I will tell you, that when Col. Saye insulted me last year and I felt for my sword and would have sent letter on its point—Annie before him. 'Forget, and go stepped before him. on, dear uncle, she said, and I did so with a proud, sore heart at first, but quite cheerfully in a week or two; and at the last Hunt dinner he came to me with open hand and we ate and drank together, and are now firm friends. Yet, but for Annie, one of us might be dead, and the other flying like Cain exiled and miserable. Think of these things, George. The good of being a son is to be able to profit from wour father's mistakes."

They parted with a handclasp that went to both hearts and as Hyde passed his mother's room, he went n, and told her all that happened to him. She listened with a smile and a heartache. She knew now that the time had come to say "farewell" to the boy who had made her life for twerty-seven years. "He must marmy like the rest of the world, and go away from her," and only mothers know what supreme self-sacrifice a pleasant acquiescence in this event But she bravely put down all the clamoring selfishness of her long sweet care and affection, and said cheerfully:

Very much to my liking is Cor nelia Moran. A loving wife and noble mother she will make, and if I must lose thee, my Joris, there is no girl In America that I like better to have

"Never will you lose me, mother." "Ah then! that is what all sons The common lot; I look for nothing better. But see now, I give thee up cheerfully. If God please, I shall see thy sons and daughters; and thy father has been anxious about the Hydes. He would not have a stranger here-nor would I. Our hope very glad am I that thy wife is to be Cornelia Moran

And even after Joris had left her She thought gation. lown upon her work. the presents she would send her;



Visits from his London tailor. faughter, and she told herself that Cornelia was an American, and that the had made for her, with her own hands and brain, a lovely home therein her memory must always well. Indeed she let her thoughts o far forward to see, and to lister. the happy boys and girls who here. night brough the fair large rooms, and the set shady gardens her skill and aste had ordered and planted. Thus er generosity made her a partaker Ther children's happiness, and whower partakes of a pleasure has his sare of it, and comes into contactot only with the happiness-but th the other partakers of that hap-Dess-a-divine kind of interest for inerous deeds, which we may all

The next morning Mary Damer led. She knew that a letter from rnelia was possible, and she knew that it would really be as fateto herself as to Hyde. If, as she poected, it was Rem Van Ariens detained the misdirected there was only one conceivable at as regarded herself. She, an

ppropriate.

ing truth with all her heart, and des pising whatever was underhand and disloyal, had out one course to takeshe must break off her engagement with a man so far below her standard of simple morality.

So she looked anxiously at Annie as she entered, and Annie would not keep her in suspense. "There was a letter from Miss Moran last night, she said. "She loves George yet. She re-wrote the unfortunate letter, and this time it found its owner. I think he has it next his heart at this very moment.

"I am glad of that, Annie. But who has the first letter?"

"I think you know, Mary." "You mean Mr. Van Ariens?"

"Then there is no more to be said. shall write to him as soon as pos

"I am sorry-

"No, no! Be content, Annie. The right must always come right. Neither you nor I could desire any other end, even to our own love story."
"But you must suffer."

"Not much. None of us weep if we lose what is of no value. And I have noticed that the happiness of any one is always conditioned by the unhappiness of some one else. Your cousin and Cornelia will be happy, but there are others that must suffer, that they may be so. I will go now, Annie, be cause until I have written to Mr Van Ariens I shall not feel free. And also. I do not wish him to come here and in his last letter he spoke of such an intention."

So the two letters-that of Hvde to Cornelia, and that of Mary Damer to Van Ariens, left England for America in the same packet.

The tone of the Manor House was now set to a key of the highest joy and expectation. Hyde unconsciously struck the note, for he was happily busy from morning to night about affairs relating either to his marriage or to his future as the head of a great household. All his old exigent extravagant liking-for-rich clothing returned to him. He had constant visits from his London tailor, brought with him a profusion of rich cloth, silk and satin, and who firmly believed that the tailor made the man. There were also endless inter views with the family lawyer, endless readings of law papers, and endless consultations about rights and successions, which Hyde was glad and grateful to leave very much to his father's wisdom and generosity.

Some of the last days were occu pied in selecting jewels for Cornelia with webs of gold and silver tissues and Spitalfields silks so rich and heavy, that no mortal woman might hope to outwear them. To these An-nie added from her own store of lace, many very valuable pieces, and the happy bridegroom was proud to see that love was going to send him away with both arms full for the beloved

The best gift, however, came last, and it was from the Earl. It was not in thee and thy sweet wife, and gold or land, though he gave generously of both these, but one which Hyde felt made his way straight be fore him, and which he knew must she smiled, though the tears dropped have cost his father much self-abne It was the following letter to Dr. John Moran:

'My Dear Sir. seems then, that our dear children love each other so well, that it is beyond our right, even as parents, to forbid their marriage. I ask from you, for my son, who is an humble and ardent suitor for Miss Moran's hand, all the favor his sincere devotion to her deserves. have both been young, we have both loved accept then his affection as some atonement for any grievance or injustice you remember against myself. Had we known each other better, we should doubtless have loved other better; but now that marriage will make us kin, I offer you my hand, with all it implies of regret for the past, and of respect for the future.

Your servant to command, "RICHARD HYDE." "It is the greatest proof of my love I can give you, George," said the Earl, when the letter had been read; "and it is Annie you must thank for it."
"Have you noticed, father, h small and fragile-looking she is? Can she really be slowly dying?

"No, she is not dying; she is only going a little further away-a little further away, every hour. Some hour she will be called, and she will answer, and we shall see her no more-But I do not call that dving run and shont gleefully and if it be dying. Annie will go as calmly and simply, as if she were fulfilling some religious rite or duty She loves God, and she will go to

The next morning Hyde left his father's home forever. It was impossible that such a parting should be happy. No hopes, no dreams of fu ture joy, could make him forget the wealth of love he was leaving. Nor did he wish to forget. And woe to the man or woman who would buy composure and contentment by forgetting -by really forfetting a portion of their existence-by being a suicide of their

own moral nature. The day was a black winter day, with a monotonous rain and a dark sky troubled by a ghostly wind. Inside the house the silence fell on the heart like a weight. The Earl and th, honorable English girl, lov- Countess watched their son's carriage lawyer.

turn from the door, and then looked Earl's lips were firmly set, and his eyes full of tears; the Countess was weeping bitterly. He went with her to her room, and with all his old charm and tenderness comforted her.

At that moment Annie was forgot ten, yet no one was suffering more than she was. Hyde had knelt by her sofs, and taken her in his arms, covered her face with tears and kisses, and she had not been able to oppose a parting so heart-breaking and so final. The last tears she was ever to shed dropped from her closed eyes, as she listened to his departing steps; and the roll of the carriage carrying him away forever, seemed to roll over her shrinking heart. She cried out feebly-a pitiful little shrill cry, that she hushed with a sob still more full of anguish. Then she began to cast over her suffering soul the balm of prayer, and prostrate with closed eyes, and hands feebly hanging down, Doctor Roslyn found her. He did not need to ask a question, he had long known the brave self-sacrifice that was consecrating the child-heart. suffering so sharply that day; and he said only-

'We are made perfect through suffering, Annie."

"This is the last sorrow that can ple neuralgias. come to me, father.

"And my dear Annie, you would sion and its effect on our hearts unless have been a loser without it. Every we analyze it. We rise on time in the grief has its meaning, and the web of life could not be better woven, if only love touched it."

"I have been praying, father." "Nay, but God Himself prayed in you, while your soul waited in deep resignation. God gave you both the resignation and the answer.

"My heart failed me at the lastthen I prayed as well as I could." "And then, visited by the not yourself in you, your head was lifted up.

Hyde had knelt by her sofa. Do not be frightened at what you Strive for it little by little. All that is bitter in outward things, or in interior things, all that befalls you in the course of a day, is your daily bread if you will take it from His hand.

Then she was silent and quite still, and he sat and watched the gradual lifting of the spirit's cloud-watched, until the pallor of her face grew luminous with the inner light, and her wide open eyes saw, as in a vision, things invisible to mortal sight; but open to the spirit on that dazzling line where mortal and immortal verge

And as he went home, stepping slowly through the misty world, he himself hardly knew whether he was in the body or out of it. He felt not the dripping rain, he was not conscious. of the encompassing earthly vapors, he had passed within the veil. And his feet stumbled not, nor was he aware of anything around, until the Earl met him at the park gates and touching him said reverently-

"Father, you are close to the highway. Have you seen Annie?" 'I have just left her.'

"She is further from us than ever."
"Richard Hyde," he answered, "she is on her way to God, and she can the Scriptures, with its extemporizarest nothing short of that." (To be continued.)

TALES OF PRECIOUS STONES Diamonds Were Not Known to U.

Until the Discovery of India. Not until India was discovered were

liamonds known to the Western world. The Indians called rock crystal an "unripe diamond," and up to the eighteenth century India was supposed to be the only country where that precious stone could be found. Yet as far back as 500 B. C. a "didactic history" of precious stones was writ ten, and in Pliny's time the supply must have been plentiful, as he wrote 'We drink out of a mass of gems and our drinking vessels are formed of emeralds."

It is difficult to determine whence all the gems came, as discoverers took care to leave no record. The nations which traded in them were afraid of their whereabouts being known, and even the most ancient merchants would not disclose any definite locale.

"Diamon" was the name given to a youth who was turned into the hardest and most brilliant of substance to preserve him from "the ills that flesh is heir to." Amethyst was a beautiful nymph beloved by Bacchus, but saved from him by Diana, who changed Amethyst into a gem, whereupon Bacchus turned the gem into wine color and endowed the wearer with the gift of preservation from intoxication.

The pearl was thought to be a dewdrop the shell had opened to receive. Amber was said to be honey melted by the sun, dropped into the sea and

ongealed. He Was Satisfied. "Life," said the parson, "is made up

of trials. "Yes, and I'm glad of it," replied the

# WHY HEALTH IS LOST TOO EARLY IN LIFE

the American Therapeutic society re-cently held at Washington a paper on "The Strenuous Life" was read by Dr. Oliver T. Osborne of New Haven, Conn., and was received with interest and attention. Dr. Osborne said in part:

"Several cases of late years have been at work to produce all sorts and kinds of neuroses of the heart or debility of the heart muscle and to has ten that degeneration of the circulatory system that comes normally only late in life.

"The principal causes of this ever increasing cardiac and arterial weak ness are the high tension of our daily life, the nervous strain of some of our pastimes, as bicycling and automobiling in cities, and not the least cause is the constantly and recklessly in creasing consumption of coal tar products for the relief of pain, whether for the omnipresent headache or for sim-

"We hardly realize this daily tenmorning, whether by an alarm clock by the call of a servant or by habit, eat breakfast and read the papers on time, a clock in every room and a watch frequently in our hand. We then on time meet office and outside engagements, college appointments, consultations, always and constantly carefully predicting the amount of time that will be required and timing

the next engagement by the decision. time and note by our watches exactly tems."

restaurant one afternoon recently. It

was 5:30 o'clock and the woman wore

a loose white pongee coat over even-

years old, wore a costume which

reached to her knees and showed long

lengths of white stockings ending off

pass across the pavement and up the

low steps of the building there was a

display of fancy lace stockings and

handsomely buckled ties almost as

artless and unreserved as in the case

It is the fashion to display hosiery

over the city, and, moreover, there is

nothing new about it, but merely a

reversion to the customs of four gen-

erations ago, when over-elaborated

coiffures and bonnets were the style,

and the skirts, limp, plain and of an

scant as to leave the feet and ankles

the good tunes," says the International

Quarterly. The hishon of Ossory in the

fourteenth century used such tunes as

"Do, Do, Nightingale, Sing Full Merry," in compiling a book of hymns.

The song of Deborah and Barak in

the rhythm, its alteration of solo and

chorus, would not be unlike the sing-

ing at a camp meeting on a Southern

plantation. The drum major of a mili

tary band is a survival of the cham-

pion who strode twirling his sword

at the head of an army in the old days

challenging the champion of the other

has a more interesting history than

any other song. It was first sung in the Holy Land in honor of a French

crusader named Mambron. The melo-

Prince as a Naval Stoker.

Not a Repeater.

"What's the matter now?" queried

"Here's some one that says 'His

tory repeats itself," replied the learned person, "and any schoolboy

The Genius of Hospitality.

declares that "the genius of hospital-

meet, but in helping them to part.

Mrs. Craigie (John Oliver Hobbs)

"These old proverbs make

weary," sighed the professor.

the other half of the sketch.

knows that Isn't true."

"We Won't Go Home Till Morning"

side to combat.

easy time.

its clapping of hands to mark

-interesting exhibits are seen all

As the woman lifted her skirts to

The child, apparently about eight

ing dress.

of the child.

in fine white slippers.

DECREE OF DAME FASHION

little girl alighted from a private carriage at the entrance of a Fifth avenue

This was b

CALLS FOR HOSIERY DISPLAY

A stylishly dressed woman and a in full relief with every free motion

all-round evenness of length, were so dames and grandmothers of long ago.

WRITTEN LONG YEAR'S AGO

Martin Luther was not the first to | dy was caught by the Saracens and is

POPULAR TUNES OF TO-DAY

At the fourth annual convention of | how long we can discuss a subject, An appointment kept by the other party even one minute late, makes us rest-

> "During the day we rush up long flights of stairs or take elevators that go up with a rush and stop with a plunge. If we drive, either horse or automobile, by the carelessness and haste of bicycles or pedestrians our hearts stop, jump or receive the vasomotor contraction check from the sudden anxiety lest we do an injury in our

"If we are in a car or vehicle managed by some one else we often receive the same real or needless shocks to our nervous systems or hearts. If we are ailing we slight nature's signal relax and still keep up the pace. If we are actually sick, unless we are scriously ill, we fight and wrestle with the disease, whatever it may be, instead of calmly giving up and allowing the disease to be temporary master of the ceremonies.

"A calm mind and heart will allow nature to expell the disease, if acute, and will mitigate or obstruct chronic disease until the last rampart is taken

and the last gun fired. "You have only to change the subject of the above sentences to describe the lives of most men and women of our rapid age and country. Even the school children and I might say the young children see too much, do too much, are used too much, receive too much, compete in school too much, are taught too much, are awake too much, "We then carefully subdivide this for the welfare of their nervous sys-

This was before the days of full-

gathered skirts and buckram-stiffened

garments. All the full-length prints of

costumes in those times show person-

ages with quaint, perked-up head-

dresses or marvelous bonnets, with

waists up under their arms and scant,

straight-seamed skirts that allowed a

The dresses nowadays have long,

swirling trails and much elaboration

of trimming, and so have the petticoats

worn with them. The coats and man-

tles are loose and large, but there is

the same conspicuousness of lace-cov-

ered ankle and fine foot dressing each

time that Dame Fashion with the deft-

est of motions sweeps her superfluous

draperies, with graceful motion, out of

So, though the visions of hosiery

and footgear that so enliven the high-

ways just now may be startling, the fashion is a perfectly legitimate one,

countenanced and practiced by sedate

good look at the footgear.

A Maryland, Wonder. Upper Cross Roads, Md., June 15th.

TREE THAT DRIES UP SPRINGS.

Eucalyptus Should Not Se Planted In

Their Vicinity At a recent meeting of the National

Agricultural Society of France M. Lamey reported, according to Cosmos, that the eucalyptus is a danger-

ous tree in the neighborhood of

springs, which it dries up rapidly. "I

have seen," said he, "a cucatyptas whose roots had penetiated into the pipes of a sink.

into the pipes of a sink.

The fountain that supplied the house had been destroyed by the

roots of neighboring eucalyptus trees,

which it was necessary to cut down.

At the forestry station of St. Ferdi-

nand, built near a spring that issues

from a natural grotto, the roots of the

eucalyptus trees planted above have

penetrated the fissures in the rock

and have completely covered the in-

terior of the grotto with a thick vel-

vety layer formed by an innumerable

quantity of tiny rootlets, short and

tufted, similar to those by which the ivy clings to walls. Owing to their

energetic absorptive power, these root-

lets, greedy for water, had also in-

vaded and choked the conduits so that

the outflow from the spring was great-

although certain species of eucalyptus

are valuable aids in drying marshy

land it is prudent to keep from plant-

ing them in the neighborhood of

springs used for domestic purposes or

irrigation."

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"The most wonderful remedy we ever heard of."

President Lake of the retail coal dealers of Michigan and Indiana, who met at Indianapolis, said the public and newspapers had been unfair in their criticism of the Coal Dealers' association. He had no knowledge of a combine to keep up prices.

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As Explained.

Bess-Why do you say that Mr. Oldbeau is in the springtime of life? Nell-Because he gives me that tired

Pair of Them.

Canvasser-Is the lady of the house Domestic-Yis, sor: there is two av

object to "letting the devil have all still sung in the East. In France the us; which wan do yez want to see? name "Mambron" was centuries afterward altered to "Malbrooke," derisively applied to the Duke of Marlborough. "Malbrooke he went to war"—the words fitted well enough. The further



ington, D. C., Ladies Auxiliary to Burnside Post, No. 4, G. A. R., recommends Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. "In diseases that come to women only,

as a rule, the doctor is called in, some times several doctors, but still matters go from bad to worse; but I have never known of a case of female weakness which was not helped when Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was used faithfully. For young women who are subject to headaches, backache, irregular or pain-ful periods, and nervous attacks due to the severe strain on the system by some organic trouble, and for women of advanced years in the most trying time of life, it serves to correct every trouble and restore a healthy action of all organs of the body.
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"Lydia E.Pinkhnm's Vegetable Compound is a household reliance in my home, and I would not be without it. In all my experience with this medicine, which covers years, I have found nothing to equal it and always recommend it."—Mrs. Laura L. Barnes, 607 Second St., N. E., Washington, D. C.—\$6000 forfalt if original of abous letter proping genuineness cannot be produced.

Such testimony should be accepted by all women as convincing evidence that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound stands without a peer as a remedy for all the distressing ills of women.

#### cessfully, however, that most people who sing, "Oh, Wert Thou in the Cauld Blast?" take it for an old native air of Scotland.

"he's dead and buried," was applied in

Du Maurier, in "Trilby," makes

great use of "Malbrooke," as he does or "Ben Bolt." Beethoven used the

Battle of Vittoria." In England the

song is oftenest fitted to the words,

tish folk songs are most difficult to imitate. Mendelssohn did it so suc-

the spirit of hope to the victor o

heme in an orchestral score,

'For He's a Jolly Good Fellow."

Eliot's Remark Resented. 446. The Duke of Connaught when com-The remark of President Ellot of ing home from India in the battleship Harvard, anent the entertainment of Renown determined to inquire person national convention of school ally into the conditions of naval stokteachers at Boston, that the western delegates should be given a trip to the ers. In spite of protests he descended the boiler room. Having been sea beach, as "a bath would do them provided with a proper kit and a good," has caused a good deal of comshovel, he proceeded to stoke coal ment among the pedagogues of the with all the enthusiasm at his comwild and woolly west, who think the mand. At the end of half an hour his Bostonians have as great need of leshighness confessed that he had enough sons of cleanliness as have the people and he yielded up his shovel with the from other sections of the country. admission that naval stokers have no

> Rev. C. M. Sheldon is at the head of a movement to establish at Topeka. Kan., a life insurance company that will only issue policies on the lives of Christians and total abstainers. All the churches of the United States are to be asked to assist the organization. Rates will be from 10 to 20 per cent

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said I was an urmitigated liar." misin-Biffkins-"You have been formed.' I'did not use the word un-

ity is not so much in making people mitigated." Windig-"Then I accept you apology.

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clergyman. The good man stopped at

the cell of a burglar, and asked sol-

emnly: "My poor erring brother, have

"Naw!" answered the prisoner with

of this blasted jail I'll be too old to

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have trato. Np. — "It was called he matter." I could get no telled from the doctors. The gan to improve on faking Doan's sample and got, two hoves at our druggists, and, although 68 years of ago, I am almost a new man. I was troubled a good deal with my water—had to get up four and five times anight. That trouble is over with and once more I can rest the night through. My backache is all gone, and I thank you ever so much for the wonderful medicine, Doan's Kidney Fills."

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Beilef of Some Soudan Tribes Is Curious and Poetical.

Among the appendices of Lord Cromer's reports on Egypt and the Soudan for 1902 is an interesting note on the religious beliefs of the tribes dwelling along the banks of the Behrdeep dejection, "by the time I gets out el-Ghazal. The Dinka, it says, though the most difficult of all to approach on such subjects, appears to have a most elaborate list of gods and demi-gods. At the head of the divine community are Deng-Dit (Rain Giver) and Abok, his wife. They have two sons, Kur Kongs, the elder, and Gurung-Dra the younger, and a daughter called Ai-Yak. Their devil is called L'wal Burand Bunions. At all Druggists and Shoe Stores, 25c. Sample sent FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y. rajok, and is the father of Abok, the wife of Deng-Dit. There are other relatives also. Their story of the origin of mankind (or it may be of the Dinka tribe) is curious and poetical. Deng-Dit gave to his wife Abok a bowl of fat, and she and her children, softening the fat over the fire, proceeded to mold from it men and women in the image of gods. Deng-Dit warned her against L'dal (the devil), who was suspected of having evil intentions toward Deng-Dit. But Abok forgot, and with her children went to gather wood in the forest. There L'wal found the has gone for a three months' tour of bowl, drank the greater part of the fat, and from the remainder proceeded to mold caricatures of men and women with distorted limbs, mouths, and eves. Then, fearing the vengeance of Deng-Dit, he descended to earth by the path which then connected it with heaven. On discovering the result of her neglect, Abok hastened to her husband, who, greatly incensed, started in pursuit of L'wal. The latin some of the Hindu temples. It goes round with a basket extended ter, however, had persuaded the bird Atoi-toish to bite-asunder with its bill the path from heaven to earth,

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JESSICAS RA

It was rather unreasonable of Jessica to find fault with her father and accuse him of a lack of cordiality toward her callers. Most of her girl friends consider the professor a model parent just by reason of the shy and retiring disnosition which he showed on the frequent occasions of visits of Jessica's young man. One of the girls said the youth. had a father whose sense of hospital. He came and

fessor of entomology. and that he isn't welcome when he

"I'm very sorry," said the professor, "I'm sure I didn't mean penitently. to snub him. I like the young man very well, I'm sure, but I was afraid I might be in the way."

you couldn't talk well on any subject. But really, papa, when—when any of him to stay so, papa?" she demanded. my callers are here you must try to be more cordial to them-and Mr. have him stay-not so long, at least," Runsford has a great admiration for you, papa.

said the professor. mean to hurt his feelings."

It was not long before the professor had an opportunity to show that he meant well at least. It was rather late in the evening and he was sitting daughter's return from some little entertainment at a neighbor's house. was suddenly aroused from a biologic reverie by the sound of voices and saw Jessica and some unknown young man standing at the garden gate.

"I'm sorry that I can't ask you in," she said, "but I'm afraid papa has gone to bed. He goes very early, you know, and I wouldn't like to disturb him."\_\_\_\_

"You needn't be afraid of that." called the professor in loud, cheerful tones. "Come right in, It's Mr. Runs ford, isn't it?'

"No, papa," replied Jessica; "It's Mr. Deakin. Won't you come in, Mr. Deakin?"

"I believe I will for a few minutes,"

He came and was welcomed by the ity was so abnormally developed that professor with absolute effusion. The he persisted in sitting down in the professor could, as his daughter had parlor and entertaining every youth said, talk on any subject interestingly, who came to the house. He was a pro- and he exerted himself conversation ally with great success. Jessica said: "Mr. Runsford, felt apparently enjoyed-himself immensely, quite hurt by the way you acted, papa. but Jessica seemed rather absent-He thinks that you don't like him, minded and nervous. The only time she joined in the talk was when a shadowy figure of a man passed the gate. hesifating a moment as it did so.

· It was perhaps an hour or two before Mr. Deakin left. As suon as he was well away Jessica turned to her "The idea!" said Jessica. "As if father. She seemed annoyed about ou couldn't talk well on any subject. something. "Why did you encourage "I-I didn't mean particularly to

Then Jessica spoke very loudly.

replied the professor. "He wouldn't have stayed if you "Well, I'll do my best, of course," hadn't been so awfully nice to him," aid the professor. "As I say, I didn't said Jessica, resentfully. "You made

him think you were enjoying him. I didn't think you were such a social hypocrite, papa."

"Why, dear me!" said the professor, "you do seem to be hard to please, out on the front veranda awaiting his Jessica. It was only yesterday that you felt badly because I didn't enter tain your callers and-

"That was Herbert," said Jessica, unguardedly.

The professor was silent for a mo-Then he said: "It was Herbert; ment. was it? Oh, oh! I sce. I see now-Herbert, who has an admiration for Yes yes! That was Herbert." "Papa," said Jessica, "I'll thank you

not to make insinuations.



"I notice that you and Bayliss back porch, where Ben Skiles, the week or two," observed the Park Ridge man, holding up his newspaper idlet of an expressman did?" and changing his feet on the seat be-St. Jacobs Oil

"You'll probably rotice it for quite a while to come," said the red-faced man in the ulster.

"Hens?"

"None." "Kids?"

"Well," said the man in the ulster, "It was like this Bayliss, you know, lives next door to me, and we always managed to get along pretty well together. If he needed any of my garden tools-which he was always doing-all he had to do was to come and ask me and he got 'em. The lawn mower particularly. He didn't have one of his own and all last summer he used mine.

"Well, early last winter the women of the church got up a rummage sale. Bayliss is one of the main guys, you know, and he came around to me one morning and wanted me to hunt up a lot of plunder and, of course, I said ulster excitedly, what I could rake up outside on the News,

baven't seemed very friendly the last expressman could call and get 'em. What do you think that consarned "I give it up." said the Park Ridge

mar "He carted off my lawn mower that was standing there on the porch with

the trash from the garret. Wouldn't jar you? "I didn't attend the sales. But it

came out afterward that that skate Bayliss bought the mower in for \$5. I guess he thought he was getting a bargain, but I only paid \$3.50 for it The pastor's wife met me a new. few days after and she laid it on thick about my generosity. I went to Eavliss and I told him it was a mistake of Skiles' and I thought ought to give me the mower back. Think he'd do it? Not much! He had the nerve to tell me that I could have it for half what he gave at the sale. I got hot and I told him what I thought of him.'

"Pretty tough," said the Park Ridge man, sympathetically.

"And then," said the man with the when I sent round I'd do it. My wife was away at the the other day to borrow it he sent time and it was the girl's Thursday back word to me to go to thunder. out, so as I didn't want to leave the Just wait until he comes around and house open I told Eayliss I'd dump tries to borrow my hoe!"-Chicago

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surround it, one touch of nature gard, starved-looking woman was' on trial for shoplifting. When she was brought into court her two little children ran to her in tears. mamma, mamma!" they cried' and threw themselves upon her lap.

There was little or no defense. It was an old story. The woman's husband died some time previously, leaving her and her family destitute. In a dry goods store she was found in possession of some goods that she was unable to account for. The ev!dence seemed conclusive. "There was on the jury an old

Irishman, a shrewd-looking fellow, with hair of flery hue. As a the trial dragged and droned along he seemed to be paying less attention to the evidence than to the prisoner's children, especially to one of them, a pretty ittle eight-year-old girl. "When we retired there was a hur-

just the picture of my little grand-daughter, Mary Ann."

to cur dinners. Guilty, of course, was makes the whole world kin-and then the prevailing opinion. The old Irishlook out for a surprising verdict. I man stood apart, gazing out of, the was on a jury myself once. A hag-, window, until we asked him for his gard, starved-looking woman was on opinion. Then he turned and spoke with emphasis:

"Not guilty, of course! Wo-have-no fair evidence ag'in that unfortunate, parsecuted creature. The judge towld us that we were to be the judges of the credibility of the witnesses, and, shure, I wouldn't believe one of thim divits of flurewalkers undher oath, for they know they might lose their jobs if they didn't swear what was expected of them."

"So to our amazement and amusement he harangued us. Somehow a verdict was brought in that gave the defendant her fiberty. ",'It's a quare thing, a very quare

thing," chuckled the old Irishman as we filed out of the courtroom, but I think it was lucky for that woman that that eight-year-old girl of hers is

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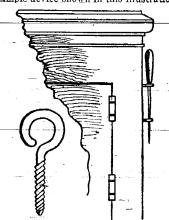
### FOR THE HOUSEWIFE

How the Makes Bread. Mae P. Dumas of Millsop, Tex. writes to the Practical Farmer: I want to tell of my way of making breadgood bread—fit for any king to eat and so easy and simple any child can hake the When you milk at night take one tegcuptul of fresh milk and set of the tove to boil. Put enough corn meat in a bowl to make a batter the consistency of egg brend when you have poured over it your boiling milk. Now set in a warm place and if in the morning it has not risen and cracked open put it in a vessel of warm water until it does. Then take about three pints of warm water, add this risen yeast and enough flour to make a nice, smooth batter a little stiffer than for pancakes. Place your bucket of yeast now in a vessel on the back of the stove and fill with warm water to keep the yeast warm, and in two hours it will be as light as foam. Then add a little salt and sugar say two teaspoonfuls of each—and a little binch of lard or butter. Have your flour sifted and make your dough just stiff enough to knead well. Make into loaves and after greasing each loaf well put them at once into well greased pans and put in a warm place When your pans are twothirds full put in the oven to bake, not having it too hot, until it gets nicely My bread is never any trouble and always is ready to bake when I put up a fire for the noonday meal.

Surely a Novelty.

A pretty novelty for a Sunday night supper or a luncheon consists of sunshine cake stuffed with ice cream. The cream should be stiffly frozen, nothing being prettier to the eye in this con-nection or more palatable than straw-berry, vanilla or chocolate Philadelphia cream. Make or choose a large cake and when cold remove the top crust in a slice sufficiently thick to allow of being handled. Then take out the center of the cake, filling the cavity with the frozen mixture and replacing the top of the cake. Angelica, candied cherries or other decorative devices may be added, or the top may have been iced thinly with a soft icing before being put back in place.-American Cultivator.

Harbor For the Ice Pick. How easily lost is the ice pick and how, inadequate any substitute! The simple device shown in this illustration



solves the problem. Place two screw eyes as they are here placed and let the pick repose there ready for any emergency.

# Laundry Hints.

After removing iron rust with lemon uice and salt rub the places with clear water. If soap is used a bright yellow spot will appear that will be more difficult to remove than the iron rust. Rubbing clothes lightly through the

rinse water will prevent the bluing from settling in them and will whiten them amazingly, particularly if rain water is used for rinsing.

Prints and other colored fabrics that are inclined to fade when washed being washed in soapsuds. The saltier the water the more likely the material is to hold its color.

Mandy Ironing Board.

A little ironing board about eighteen inches long, neatly padded and covered and slipped into a cretonne bag, is a useful thing for a woman who boards, who may often wish to press some of her belongings. Various little gas and spirit lamps are seen which are useful for heating an iron, and the ironing board is a distinct gain in convenience. Such a prepared board, with iron holder accompanying, may prove a very salable article at a fair or bazaar.

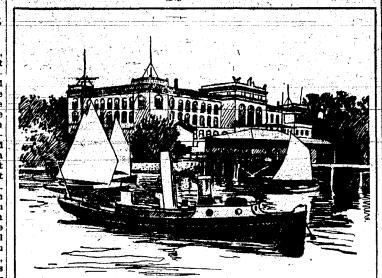
## Trout In a Chaffing Dish.

Brook trout, and indeed almost any small, delicate fish, are exceedingly good cooked in the chafing dish. Have the fish cleaned and dredged with flour before being brought to the table. Put the butter in the blazer of the chafing dish without using the hot water pan and when hot lay in the fresh fish and fry to a nice brown. No sait will be needed. Serve with slices of lemon or with maitre d'hotel butter.

To Brighten Cooking Utensils. At house cleaning time brighten tine and other cooking utensils. Put them all in the wash boiler and place on the fire with plenty of water and a liberal amount of washing soda. Let them boll for twenty minutes. Remove the wash boiler from the fire, but do not take the tins out for three hours. At the end of that time they will be when washed bright and new looking.

Cauliflower au Gratin,

A way to prepare cauliflower au gratin is to leave the head unbroken. Place the whole cauliflower on a buttered baking plate, sprinkle with parmesan cheese, then with buttered crumbs, and bake until browned. Send to the table on a hot platter and surrounded by rich white sauce.



GERMANY'S "ANNAPOLIS" AT KIEL. Kiel is Germany's Annapolis, for it is there that her famous Marine Academy is lo-d. From this institution each year are turned out several hundred young men destined ecome officers of the kaiser's rapidly increasing navy.

American Boys In Paris,

I remember some years ago that an American woman settled in one of the neighboring streets with her three boys, who were of an age not to conveniently stand being caged within the narrow walls of a Parisian apartment, and they went out to play in the street as they had been accustomed in Amer-To keep themselves in trim they fought with each other after they had vainly challenged boys of the neighborand the stones they threw oftentimes took the wrong direction and lamaged doors and panes of glass. The ringing of door bells, too, became so obnoxious that the people of the street went to the commissaire de police of their quarters and complained.

The mother, who was politely asked to keep her boys indoors, laughed at the interference of her neighbors and said that her nerves forbade her doing any such thing and declared that as the street was a public thoroughfare she would send out her boys to play whenever their noise disturbed her. The boys, of course, laughed in the face of the Parisian urban regulations and continued their pranks. But the French police signified to the woman on governmental paper that within a certain time she must leave the house or be locked up. She, indignant at the want of freedom in European cities, went back with her boys to America. -Paris Cor. Brooklyn Eagle.

### A Regular Boarder.

That a frog should travel a mile in order to return to its accustomed home shows more intelligence than frogs are generally credited with.

Four years ago a farmer named Anderson found a large frog in front of the spring house, and when the milkmaid opened the door to put her pail of milk in the spring the frog hopped in behind her.
"Goodness," said the maid, "but

you're a big fellow!"

It was a big fellow. From his nose to the ends of his extended legs the frog measured fifteen inches. It hopped out of reach of the girl's hand and partially buried itself in a bed of clay in the darkest corner of the spring house, where, in a stupor, neither cating nor drinking, it remained until the spring. Then it departed.

Each autumn since then the frog has appeared at the first sign of frost and made his winter bed in the spring house. Last year he came as usual. but the farmer desired to make an experiment on him. He was awakened. lifted from his warm clay nest, placed in a wagon and carried to a place a mile down the road. There he was left.

Before evening he was back again. The milkmaid found him at sunset seated before the spring house door, waiting patiently to be let in.—Youth's Companion.

## Fable of the Two Rats.

A rat seeking a place in which to live chose a palace, saving he preferred high life, while his companion chose a hut, saying he was content with less says a writer in St. Nicholas. But the palace was found to be a poor place for a rat. The walls and floors were so well built that no holes could be made in them, and the pantry was so well kept that nothing was left exposed to marauders. Moreover, there were so many pet cats and dogs that a rat had no liberty. As a result the rat got nothing to eat and finally starved to death, all from trying to live in too much "style."

The other rat found the hut just what he wanted. There were plenty of holes, the provisions were poorly protected and the barn was near by The cottage rat accordingly lived in plenty and enjoyed what was really high life for a rat; "for," he said, "a palace has fewer opportunities for a rat than a hovel, and they who aspire should consider what the advantages for them are in the places which they

## Birthday Party Games.

Begin by having some music. Among your guests some will be able to sing or play. After that ask one of the boys to do a few tricks which have been prepared before the party.

Then have one of the girls as a fortune teller and have every one's fortune told, either by cards or by the palm or by saucers, as at Halloween. These must be prepared also and may be made very amusing.

Follow by a guessing match, each one guessing the number of beans in a bottle, the number of cards in a pack. the number of pins in a cushion and other things which suggest themselves

to you. By this time have the birthday cake cut and refreshments and then have a

FOR THE CHILDREN peanut race. Play postman, fire and any othe games you know. Then blindfold each other and see how many pins they can stick in a cushion in three minutes.

# Her Name.

Her Name.

"I'm losted! Couldn't you find me, please?"

Poor little frightened baby!

The wind has tossed her golden fleece;
The wind has scratched her dimpled knees;

I stooped and litted her with ease

And softly whispered, "Maybe.

"Tell me your name, my little maid;
I can't find you without it?"
"My name is Shiny Eyes," she said.
"Yes, but your last." She shook her head.
"Up to my house 'ey never said.
A storic thing shout it!" A single thing about it.'

"But, dear," I said, "what is your name?"
"Why, didn't you hear me told you?
Dust Shiny Eyes." A bright thought

came.
"Yes, when you're good, but when they blame You, little one, it's just the same When mamma has to scold you?"

"My mamma never scoids," she moans,
A little blush ensuing,
"'Cept when I've been a-frowing stones,
And then she says," the culprit owns,
"'Mchitable Sapphira Jones,

What has you been a-doing?"

-Western School Journal.

One Phase of the Nile. In the Shab Luka pass we have one Nile has hurled itself at an opposing mountain barrier and cut its way through. In fact, it often seems to select these unpropitious places for its course when on each side a few miles away there is a tolerably level, unbroken expanse of desert. For ten miles the river twists in and out before escaping to the open once more. Its current is very rapid, making it well nigh impassable at low water because of the numerous rocks, but at the time of my descent the summer flood was well along, and all but a few of these barriers were hidden below the surface, their presence being marked only by oc casional eddies.-Century.

## A Comfort Anyway.

"Speaking of grewsome remarks," said the ruddy old Scotch gentleman on his way from the\_far west to revisit Scotland for the first time in half a century, "there was an old lady friend of mine in San Francisco who persisted in looking upon this journey of mine as a madly adventurous tempting of Prov idence. 'Yet there is one thing com forts me, Robert, my man,' she said. When one dies in voyaging nowadays, they've such excellent facilities for transporting the remains!" "-New York Telegram

## Our Responsibility.

R. R. Galusha, lecturer of the Vermont state grange, says, "The object of our association primarily is greater development socially and educationally, but it follows as naturally a seasons that with increased knowledge there is an increased responsibility along all lines related to human welfare.

#### Most Important News He Had. "Well, John, I am going to your native town, and if I see any of your folks what shall I tell them?"

Proud Youth-Oh, nothing, only if they say anything about whiskers just tell them I've got some.—Stray Stories

# The Huka falls-the Niagara of Ma

oriland-which the New Zealand government has an idea of turning to account for the generation of electric power, are on one of the head reaches of the Waikato river, a few miles from where the great stream flows out of Lake Taupo. Lake Taupo lies very high above sea level, and the Waikato has its beginning through a narrow chasm in the rocky wall of the lake. Flowing out through this passage, the enormous mass of water is whirled at last over the huge precipice at Huka. and the falls form one of the grandest sights in New Zealand. On the report of an expert the Wellington government expects to get electric power enough from the Huka falls to supply the whole of the north island for all purposes.

Cod liver oil has lately been quoted at a price nearly three times as high. as it commanded a year ago. The explanation of the advance is that practically the entire supply of the oil used for medicinal purposes comes from the Norway fisheries, and the cod have been destroyed or driven from their feeding grounds by predatory seals. Let us not judge the seals too harshly. Perhaps they needed a nutritive stimulant. And anyway they have given the American cod a fine chance to prove that he is good for something besides fish balls. merca cultura (caperos a comento de Mario de comento d

# "Some customers have nonsensical no Frank A. Kenyon.

tions about the proper way to ventilate a hat," said a fashionable hatter. "In fact, they are so whimsteal about it that we make the hats without a ventilator and try to suit the wishes of the customer after he has handed his money to the salesman. Many customers will not have a hat ventilated at all. Well, they miss a great deal of comfort and take long chances for baldness in old age. The English style and the only one that some buyers will adopt, is a ring of perforated holes in the crown of the lat. In my opinion it is just as well to have no ventilator at all as to put it there. The best way is to have two holes, one on each side of the hat, just above the band. Then you get good circulation all the time. There are ways of punching the holes artistically so that they do not detract from the appearance of the hat. But you would be surprised at the number of men who will not have them, some because it is not fashionable and others because they think the hat will not wear so well,"-New York Times.

#### A Famous Pudding.

There is no other pudding on earth to which so much honor is paid as the huge beefsteak pudding served up daily at the most famous tavern in London, Ye Olde Cheshire Cheese, in Fleet street.

This pudding has been served up every day without break for nearly years. Garrick, Goldsmith and Dr. Johnson used to enjoy it. Every great writer in England makes a point of eating it today. It is inseparably associated with English literature.

Every evening after the pudding is cooked there is a solemn procession. The proprietor of the tavern, bearing the pudding on a big dish, goes first, followed by the cooks, the waiters and the entire staff. They bear the pudding all around the tavern, the customers doing homage to it. Then and not till then it may be cut up and eaten.

#### Why Gold Is Rare.

Why is gold so rare? Simply because it is heavy. There are only two metals that are heavier—namely, platinum and iridium. Remember that at the beginning the earth was a body of gas. By gradual condensation it became liquid while now the whole of its mass save only an outer crust much thinner in proportion to the whole bulk than is the shell of an egg would be a fluid but for the fact that it is held together by treof the many instances in which the mendous pressure. Naturally in the course of its formation about a cente of attraction the weightier particles composing the globe gathered about that center. Accordingly we find that the earth as a whole weighs five times as much as water, while the rocks forming the crust are only about two and a half times as heavy as water.

> The Four Lettered Name of God. Is it not passingly singular at least that the name of God should be spelled with four letters in almost known language? In Latin it is Deus; Greek, Zeus; Hebrew, Adon; Syrian, Adad; Arabian, Alla; Persian, Syra Tartarian, Idga; Egyptian, Aumn or Zent; East Indian, Esgi or Zenl; Japanese, Zain; Turkish, Addi; Scandinavian, Odin; Wallachian, Zenc; Croatian, Doga; Dalmatian, Rogt; Tyrrhe-nian, Eher; Etrurian, Chur; Margarian, Oese; Swedish, Codd; Irish, Dich; German, Gott; French, Dieu; Spanish, Dios; Peruvian, Lian.

## A Sealskin Church

The Eskimos possessed the most re markable place of worship in the world. It was a sealskin church. Forty sealskins were stretched over a light framework, and in this tent, 18 by 12 feet, services were held every Sunday. But the church came to an cases. untimely end. One hard winter the Eskimos' dogs, being half famished, dined on the sealskins, and only the frame was left. The Eskimos have for proof to be a large proof to be a la now erected a dog proof tabernacle.

## Public Offices For Sale.

In England in the time of George II if you wanted a place under the government you could buy one. The sum of £500 would get you a comfortable berth in the victualing office, for in stance, where the perquisites, pickings and bribes for contracts made the service worth having. Members of parliament, who had the privilege of franking letters, sometimes sold the right for £300 a year.

# They Moved.

A Boston troiley car was taking on a load of women, and the conductor frantically urged his gentle passengers to "move up;" but, as usual, his behests were not obeyed. "Now, move up, ladies; please do move up!" he cried. No one stirred an inch. "I say, ladies, move up! The motorman is a great deal better looking man than I am!" The ladies swept forward en masse,

## Caucasia.

The 10.000,000 inhabitants of Caucasia are made up of the remnants of many ancient nomadic tribes. According to Russian statistics, only 2,500,000 are Russians, 1,000,000 are Armenians, 1,500,000 Tartars and Georgians, while the rest are principally Mohammedan tribes. It is asserted that there are thirty different languages and dialects spoken in Caucasia.

## Her Brillianey.

Bacon-Did I understand you to say your wife said the conversation was brilliant and sparkling? Crimsonbeak-Those are her exact

"What was she doing at the time?" "Oh, she was furnishing the conver-

sation."-Yonkers Statesman. Bores are of two kinds, gimlets and augers. The gimlet bores you by your

self; the auger bores you in a crowd .-

Atlanta Journal.

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