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England is the only country in the world where the nobility are in the praising Edgar A. Poe. He is ve habit of entailing their jewels. Some like the pet American author the Duke of Portland, and that of Len- theory is over there that the Ameri ox, whose chief is the Duke of Rich. can people were incapable of appre mond, possess superb collections of ciating Poo's genius, because it had gems, almost priceless in value, and attracted less attention at home than which have been in the families for that of some of his contemporaries hundreds of years. They cannot be We are in sold or diverted from the head of foreign recognition of the house, and even if they are. France rather than in England, and pledged for loans the person with that it came from his prose writings, whom they are pledged is forced by which had something of the Frene law to return them to the estate, manner of construction, more tha even without payment of his loan, from his poetry, upon which the money advanced. Moreover, like Poe was essentially heirloom jewels do not remain with trymen. His poetry which the crstwhile shopgirl, Rachael Gur- appeare ney, a few years ago, his still beau- it was not equal to that given liful and young looking mother, the more sustained and he

years. The inauguration of the new | bued fashion of divorce has led to a good their go many complications of a legal char- ened and antho tico of entailing family jewels. For- phy of Pco is par merly divorce was so costly and so ject of reproa question did not arise. But now philippie with the family jewels, the wife, as ble as much as Mr. Griswold. nounced in her favor and who had otherwise

refused to admit and declared that that has been said against Pools

San Francisco Argonaut. A Story of Grant. General B. R. Cowen, clerk of the phers to do this than for one who had SAN ANGELO, - TEXAS, United States courts, was during the man as he was freshly in mind. wished him a merry Christmas. 'And I feel as if I would have one,' such a happy state of mind for the day, and I think it will be a truly merry one.' 'Then it would be a not take Pee to their hearts as the Will practice in the District and good time for people wenting favors took Longfellow and Whittier ar other courts of this and adjoining to see you, said I. Yes, I don't Holmes. The English writers are counties.

Think I could refuse hing to Beave sed to reprove them because night,' he rejoined as I passed out the list. It is largely due to their night, he rejoined as I passed out.

Just then there entered a woman in ignoris. It is 3. D. FOOFE, deep mourning. her face was hear that they do so ily veiled, and I inquired who she nak was. The porter said she was the wife of --, a neval officer, who had ernment. I stepped into a side room, C. F. Adams in The Harvard Mag she departed. In a few minutes he all events, this branch of study came and said she was gone. I re- not sufficiently encouraged. entered the president's room and "So I am here," he writes, "to said, 'Well, did you do it?' 'Do plead in an incidental way and with

A Sure Test.

house where the love of dogs was our daily walks in public buildings CARRIES A STOCK OF FOREIGN carried almost to a mania. He was in libraries, in parks and in the bods immediately surrounded by half a of hospitals. It is all good; but, in dozen of these animals, whose ca- this magnificent giving, why noth-FIT GUARANTEED. FRICES REASONABLE. resses, too demonstrative altogether, ing to man's beleved companion and repelled vigor rusly.

'Ah, monsieur," said the lady of The Dallas or Galveston Weekly the mansion in a tone of displeasure,

more than 20 during the siege of 3 o'clock a.m. he aroused Mrs. Mc-Paris!"-Paris Figaro.

balteries, and sandwich bread, as it hands."-Chicago Tribune. is known in others, is a loaf with perfectly square corners. The loaves can-be stacked up like bricks. It is square in cross section and about "we must make the best of every twice as long as it is thick. The crust thing can be cat from it with very little "But that is so impossible," sighwaste, and the slices can be cut into ed the boarder in response as he the desired triangular shape for sand dragged a piece of steak around his -New York Sun.

ALLEGED NEGLECT OF POE.

The English public never tires of of the great houses of the aristocra- linglish writers have an increased y, such as that of Cavendish, whose profession of admiration for him, bo that of Bentinek, whose head is the a sense their own discovery. The

stant conflicts arising in connection we are inclined to hold Poe responsi a rule, putting forth every effort to Griswold was not a vindictive man retain them. Recently an action of He was well disposed toward Amer-

nd her children she had likewise duty to tell something like the truth the right to retain possession of the about the man. There is abundant family jewels until her son should evidence in what he quotes from Poe This, however, the judge himself that he has told it. Nothing hasband, the divorce terminating man as he saw him and had experi not only her marriago obligations, ence of him in personal intercourse but also her rights to share in the His opinion is not favorable, and h property of her husband's family. - seems not to have been equal to mak softened some of its harshness, but it is much easier for later biogra

Grant's administration an assistant No one questions Pee's genius. No cabinet officer. He tells the follow- one has ever questioned it. But the ing story: "I went to the White man Poo was devoid of meral prin-House one year the night before ciple. He was deficient in a sense of Christmas to show the president my truth and a sense of justice. Probabudget. As I was leaving bim I bly no man of genius who ever lived made this more constantly apparen to his contemporaries. They could he replied. I never before was in not disregard it; neither could the American people generally, knew it quite as well. They con-

telling the porter to notify me when zine. He thinks that at Harvard, a

what?' he rejoined smiling. 'Par- the liberally disposed the cause of don ——? Yes, said he. I told the our dumb brother. His flesh, too, weman her bushand should be at is heir to many ills, and he cannot be a supported by the control of the home with her tomorrow "-Cin- describe them. He suffers in silence. as I bave shown, has already bec M X. called the other day at a worthy uses. We see its results in

Mr. McSwat went home late from a club dinner the other night, and in "Not love dogs, indeed!" he re- his haste he forgot to remove his turned indignantly. "Why, I ate gloves when he went to bed. About Swat with the agonizing cry "Lobelia, Lobelia! I believe on

my soul I'm getting paralyzed! Box broad, as it is called in some There isn't a bit of feeling in my

wighes without any was to whatever. plate in the vain tope of disintegrat-

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Status of the Lund Bill.

Austro, Texas April 13 .- For several days past the friends of the land bill have been calling on Gov. Culberson to urge him to give the measure a favorable consideration, but as he has persistently raised objections to it they met to-night for the purpose of meeting such objections with amendments to be introduced and if possible adopted, to says the

The Governor objects to allow. ing lease holders under the present 4 cent law to take advantage of the reduction in leases made by the bill. He also objects to secsion 9 of the bill as far as it applies to future forfeitures. He further insists on a straight 3 cents per acre lease rate instead of a 2-cent rate for grazing and 3-cent rate for agricultural lands. Aside from all this he insists that the venue of all suits touching leases, interest and forfeiture shall be fixed at Austin.

The Goss Land Bill.

Austin, Texas, April 15 -The bill introduced by Senator Goss today amending the general school land bill passed both house, has been enrolled and will go to the governor tomorrow in time to obviate a veto of the latter measure. It meets the governor's objections by fixing the lease rate at 3 cents an acre instead of 2, gives Travis district court jurisdiction of cases arising under the law, and repeals section 20 of the first bill passed, which authorized lesse, to abandon 4-cept leases and take the lands under the reduced rate. The removal of this clause meets the objections that the bill would give relief to the essees. but still they can readily abandon leases and take the same lands at a lower rate. It is also believed that the reduction in the rate of interest will tend to induce land purchasers to forfeit and repurchase at the 3 per cent rate, especially in case of recent purchases. The bill will doubtless be approved, together with the amendatory bill presel today, and the west will proceed to develop, whatever in the other direction may become of the children's fund.

Austin, Texas, April 16th .- The Goss land bill, that has caused the Western members of the legislature so many sleepless nights and hustling days, today became a law by the expiration of the 10 days' limitation and without the governor's signature. The bill passed vesterday amending it was signed by him, and also becomes a law. These two go into effect in ninety

Our Protracted Meeting.

The meeting for Schora will be- tetter, eczema and of solid ability, of large experience scrofula, commonly known as Pu!in evangelistic work, and his labors monary Consumption. By drugare always blessed of God.

Yours with earnest desire, W. G. COCKE.

Rev. Dr. R. J. Deets and Prof. Sonora will be held every day until

session Monday and Tuesday for scars which ever remind me of the purpose of examining the Tax how near death's door I was until Collector's report. The court was rescued by the "Discovery." I presided over by Hon. W. A. am now eighteen years old and No. 1, in a very satisfactory man- been sick in five years. ner. Commissioner Geo. H. Mc-Donald of No. 3, and W. A. Hoi- HARVEY M. HOLLEMAN, land of No. 4 were also present.

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domestic life at this day. But what is more appalling than the living body made repulsive with skin and scalp of case calt-rheum gin on Friday night before the and swettings. Dr. Pierce's caraight for the third Sunday in April. Dr. R. J. Medical Discovery is the positive Deets and Professor Willeox, will cure for all of these diseases. If be with us. The dector is a man taken in time, It also cures Lung-

KEYSER, N.C. DR. R. V. PIERCE: Dear Sir-When about three years old I was Willcox of Bruceville arrived taken with mumps, also had fever, from Ozona Thursday with Rev. inally I had that dreaded disease To. G. Cocke and opened the pro- Scrofula. The most eminent phytracted meeting at the church sicians in this section treated me last night. Dr. Deets is said to be to no avail. I had running scroa very forcible and elequent fulous sores on left side of speaker and Prof. Willcox, who neck and face. I was small and leads the singing has a fine voice. weakly when eight or nine years At Ozona fourteen persons joined old, and in fact was nearly a skelethe Methodis church and three ton. Six botties of Dr. Pierce's the Baptist church as a result of Golden Medical Discovery wrought the meeting. The meeting in marvelous changes. Although the sores were healed in eight months I did not quit taking it until I was sure it had been entirely routed from my system. The only signs The commissioners court was in left of the dreadful disease are the

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muttons, mostly ewes, with wool coffee and you will buy T. B. Birtrong shipped 1,300 on to Kansas City last week which arraged 77 pounds and sold at \$3.70 a Lundred which netted him \$2.30 a head.

Dr. J. B. Taylor the cattleman who has made a great success feeding cattle this year, was in Sonora Monday, He is in rec ipt of a telegram from his brother stating that they have been offered Patchen." How is that for horse

J.L. Davis and W. A. Glasscock of Sonora, bought from James Bates through Jackson & Richardson of San Angelo, the Bates ranch in Schleicher county consisting of two wells and wind mills, one nearly new engine, good house and 20 sections of leased land enclosed for \$1300.

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Chicago, April 16th.-Sheep were about unchanged, there being a diff rence of 25 to 60 cents per 100 pounds between wooled sold at \$2.75 to \$5.05 for poor to extra, and lambs brought \$3.50 to \$5 to \$5 50. A flock of 526 head of wooled Texas ewes, average 74 clipped Texas sheep, average 79

LIME! LIME! LIME!

Robert English, Sonora, has on hand a full supply of fresh lime for sale at \$1.50 a barrel.

From the San Augelo Standard: D. M. DeVitt, of San Angele and John Scharbauer, of Midland, purchased the Mallet brand of catwell watered and fenced, and contains 150,000 acres. The catle are reported to be the best graded on the plains and number 4,000 head. They sold for \$10.50 p r head. There were 1,200 steers in the bunch; calves of 1895 were

T. J. Ellis, of South Concho. bought from John W. Lovelady. 500 cows for \$5.500 and from R. A. & C. W. Flanagan their well improved ranch in Schleicher county for \$3000,

Mr. S. A. Runkles, the dude alderman from the third ward, bosght from Ira Yates 286 one and two-year-old heifers at 88 per head. San Angelo Standard.

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April 13th, 1895.

Ragsdale's Fence Bill.

resentative Ragsdale's bill defin- of experience in feeding declare To Readers and Friends: ing a lawful fence passed the the result very satisfactory. The house to-day. In counties or dis- experiment will be continued until of the Devil's Eiver News tricts where the stock law has at least 60 days more. The four feet high consisting of three month -San Angelo Standard. wires with posts not more than 30 feet apart; provided, that when

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The Newell vs Halbert case in Menard county was continued. med hats at Mayer Bros. & Co.

week attending county court.

and keep your money in the state. in Sonora this week. George L. Abbott left for San Angelo Tuesday to telegraph.

W.Jones of Waco, was in Sonora trading and attending court. this week soliciting business for G. C. & S. F. Rv. Co.

"Our Favorite" is the best cigar. 21 Cusenbary & Briant. T. P. Middleton of Louisville,

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O.T. Word the stockman was in Sonora Monday. See his ad in

iom six miles down the river was interests. ittending court this week.

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Pierce Keaton was in town this

Hagerlund's Prices Liverpool Salt 1.85

Highest patent flour, "Lee's Best" Extra Fancy flour "Snow Drift"

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Patronize Texas manufacturers known Junction City lawyer was

at HACERLUND'S.

Draw cattlefirm of Martin & Rob- OWN merit. bins, was in Sonora this week

Horton Allen of the North Llano Charges. was in Sonora this week attending court. He would rather have been at work down on his farm.

Tobe O'Neal the cattleman from SAN ANCELO, Ky., was in Sonora this week re- the Frank's Defeat country was in presenting the Black Leaf sheep Sonora this week doing jury duty Bob Holland representing J. A.

L.L. Russell and John Penny of Menardville were in Sonora Tues day. They left for Ozona Wed-J. C. Barksdale the cattleman nesday to look aftertheir business

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The jury in the case of the State vs R D Halbert in Menard county returned a verdict of not

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F. Higg abottom and son

y are the guests of Mr. and in the District court of Menard

county resulted in a hung jury. Morris & Allison. Go to SAM RUNKLES' Moss Rose Eleven were for a life term and

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every day Pices and printers him prices and he will, like others, do his trading in Sonora.

The Sonora merchants are now and was well attended. The ing supplies for less money music being good and the restricdown for to- tions of lent having been removed everybody reported a thorough

saloon, under Hotel San Angelo, for the fine Imported Brandies, imported Clargres, California Orange wine, fine liquers and clears.

The case was then transtant thing in this line to be had on the San Angelo market always on hand

County court has been in session R. H. Wvatt and Wm. Babb were all week. In the gaming cases in Sonora Saturday from their seven indictments were quashed and eight cases tried which resulted in verdicts of not guilty. It Fever Seres. Tetter, Chapped lignds. Chilbiains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction.or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by W. H. Cusenbary & Co.

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THE DOMINIE'S STROLL.

""m going to see," the dominic said, tith a nod of his gray, suggetous bend to a path that wound from the hillside down Away to a faroff scapert town— To see," and he nodded, and off he went, Bis hands behind and his wise head bent, And a farsacking look in his kind blue eyes Fixed on some marvelous enterprise.

To sea!" cried his wife from the trellised Was ever a man so queer before To start on a voyage as sudden as that In his everyday coat and his garden hat?

"Or ever a faithful, painstaking wife As worried as I each day of my life To know what he may do next? Alack, Dominie Brown, come back, come back!" That in vain she called, and in vain she ren. The long limbed dominic, excellent man, Was up the read that hed to the hill. Striding along with a right good will. and the clerk, with his pen and his gown and

The doctor, a-riding his old gray nag ogging along with his saddlebag, emiller, too, stopped his wheel, and he

With his dusty but on his floury head. While after each one there hurried his wife, All of them running as if for life, Exclaiming, "If dominie's going to sea, He has much of importance to say to me!"

So back as they came, with wonderment rife They followed the dominio's provident wife, Bewating a husband who traveled like that in his everyday coat and his garden hat. ack where the dominie's lands begun ncy hore her company, every one, and ding her care and her desolate state, ill they came in sight of her garden gate.

I, too, have refreshed my body and soul And have been to see"— He nodded his head To the hill round which they tate had sped—— To see if you path, if I followed it straight, But nobody smiled and pobody stured.

A HAPPY BUNDER.

When I left the university, I had, as in duty bound, to go through my ecorse of military service and in due time found myself enrolled as a soldier in an infantry regiment then stationed at the town of Torgan, in Thuringia.

and excellent cigars in the shady casino gardens.

Tho civil and military society mingled freely, contrary to the usual custom, and the legal world and such landed proprietors as lived in particularly agreeable.

The chief magistrate, old Herr Hammer, was president of the club. He played a good game of bowls emptying a good many schoppens in the course of it, and kept the cheerful fand of humor Of course ter I was presented to him, and he recrado in university and volunteer days. He was delighted to see me. and at the close of the evening he fair circle Fran Hammer was still

friendliness to come and pay her a

no better way of spending your evening, then come in and see us and his highest adoration?

thanked Fran Hammer for ber downcast eyes. on as he uttered this warning. 1

er serven of it I called my soltain of our company was fond of re-

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ding in an idiotic manner, and informed me with a scarcely suppressed smile that a visit from me at 8:43 o'clock would be "extremely agree-

It struck me that this was rather a late hour to fix for a sociable evening call-in fact, rather a ceremonious hour—but no doubt the Herr Direktor liked to stand upon ceromony each to stack pondered thought by stack pondered thought like to stand upon ceromony beard the whole ment gone through.

Next morning Gottleib Feuer-might, with confidence, be left to stack pondered thoughtfully over a him. ent. I thought no more of it, but when the hour came for departure I waxed my mustache in the correct! style, cast a few drops of "new mown hay" on my pocket handkerchief, placed it in my pocket above my beating heart and wrapped myself in my great military overcoat.

Thus armed, I started off to see my new friends, not quite willing to confess even to myself how much I fonged to behold the fair Agnes once

"Idiot that you are," I said sternly to myself, "what do you expect from !

Torgau is a small place, and soon enough was I at the house of the

At its balf open door was a woman's form, apparently a servant down stairs. Bello did not come.

Then I open my mouth and saysoft—

"Come, Bello, come here, sir, expression. I think deeply for awhile. It is an important matter. Then I open my mouth and saysoft—
"I have a duty to perform here, and the adjusting wrong with the commence of the angular wrong wro dimly lighted vestibule, said softly, with a shy simper, "Good evening," tripped up stairs and signed to me

The Herr Direktor lived in a flat, stairs. I breathed again and began it seemed, approached by a common to think love required rather too her apron up to her face and rushes "Don't beg the question, but be a staired and rushes to her apron up to her face and rushes but be a staircase, and up this I followed my guide, my heels ringing clear and

loud on the uncarpeted flags. "Hush, hush, for heaven's sake." whispered the servant maid mysto-

I confess to a shock of surprise. I stopped. "Is this not the right hour?"

"Yes, yes, but hush." She placed a warning finger on my mouth. "Good gracious, is some one ill in the house?" I whispered in a low "In that case I will come an-'No, no, only be very quiet, Herr

I was utterly bewildered and could

neither head nor tail of the Ab to me and invited me to become a floor. With a dexterity that looked member of the clab they had formed suspiciously like constant habit she had so among themselves, so that I soon caught the doorbeil in her hand so ing there was the everlasting "Right, that its tinkle should not be heard. left; right, left," at dinner the knack in her proceeding. She open-She certainly showed a wonderful and in the evening dreamy repose ed the door, and before I knew where sitting room, whereupon she promptly pushed me still farther into the kitchen and left me breathless with

A neatly laid table stood in the the neighborhood made themselves middle of the room, which was but dimly lighted by two candles stuck in empty champagne bottles. I was still gaping and gazing when she re-

> "It was nothing. They have not finished yet. They sit so long at ta-

there she paused, smoothing down I turned cold as ice. ty expected me to say something.

A sudden light broke of my being red was such

wildered senses. I understood it all, stein? No, he is no mother, greeted me with warmth stacke's face, the warmth of my re-enstein be here?" And was not the cook the object of sure?

Well, well," muttered her lord old mad spirit of university days been here

"What an adorable name! Han- house. not looked into the blue eyes of the Perils of my position and raised my sir.

Again the bell rang. Hannah was Ligh as the latch.

and presently returning placed be- en?"

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tomorrow's dinner.

just been partaking were to be sent on my sitting room floor. up for Herr Direktor's breakfast. "Good night, my love. I am go-

It was the voice of the worthy man himself. His wife replied: "Don't be late tonight.

are you going?

those little hands? What save a cup of Chinese tea?"

The save a cup of Chinese tea?

"Get away, will you?" said Han- 13 animal resignedly trotted down when"much of a sacrifice. Although it from the room. was highly impolite to leave in the middle of a meal, yet I felt my falso lent dish which I tasted for the first | "This is an error," exclaime I day evening in each month during

"Only one little quarter of an hour Strand Magazine. more," she pleaded. "I must do my Corporal."

And thereupon she seized my hand and drew me up the stairs with many warning signs.

Herosho paused and looked reguishly at me. "If you would help me to dry the things, then it would soon said R. C. Elackley, a traveling sales."

"I had a funny experience in a literoupon site ourse of your life, try to select crantle town on the lower Mississippi," berries with any definite idea beyond said R. C. Elackley, a traveling sales.

of the feast. "Now I must be off." | blamed drummer.' protect my uniform.

a prefty women. She knew my good the suppressed merriment in Feuer- How funny! Why should Herr Els- prising things to South America and has only of late. Tariff reform that will give the mother, greeted me with warming section by the maid! That idiot of it was the fair Agnes who spoke manber of English women who pore, so that if the spider is truly a a man, that dense pated Gottleib -Agnes of the soft blue eyes. I feit marry men from 5 to 20 years native of the latter place it has evivisit as soon as my military duties | Fenerstacke, had imagined my mesting on me even | younger than themselves. The action | dently rapidly modified its spinning | Al allow.

No stiff evening call, dear Herr

sage was for the maidservant and through the thick durkness.

of the Bareness Burdett Courts in instincts in response to the slight taking so young a husband as Mr. change in its environments brought.

some days, but at length I had a placing them in tempting confusion enough for Bello. Barking funious of the placing and decided to make the place of the place o from the dinners of a week past, moved very, very slightly, but it was wife. - London Letter.

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thanks to Hannah's promptifude the licar once more the astonished exthem that, as a purveyor of good danger was averted. With immense clamations of the ladies, the sobs of cheer under special circumstances, presence of mind she laid her great, Hannah, the triamphant barking of his judgment was not to be despised. coarse hand on my lins, blew out the Bello-detestable little brute-and It was therefore with no small candles at one breath, opened the door, closed it behind her, met her in the dark night, condemned to evmistress in the passage and convers- erlasting shame and contempt. De- the day before the anniversary that ed quite composedly with her about | hind me echoed the scornful laugh- he was going marketing that day, ter of Herr Direktor.

and the arrangement for the morrow even in so small a matter as the pres- The cold sausages of which I had blue kitchen apron that he had found "You are going to do what?" ask-

that terrible evening. I am a general officer, and a star adorns my manly breast. A few gray hairs "Going marketing," continued "To the casine. They have reast. and she discusses household mafters how to celebrate the day with a dined erab and fresh maiboble there to- every day with good old Hannah | ner that shall do honor to the occa-A pressure of the hand, a kiss, and sent her to us as general servant. kidney on its way to his mouth and p. m. on second and third Sunthe Herr Direktor went down stairs. Many and weighty are the consulta- gazed upon them patronizingly. The good housewife had ended her tions on the day's dinner. Very of- "Oh, you do, do you?" sniffed his consultation with the cook and re- ten they cannot settle on anything. mother-in-law, with a dangerous

master—Eello, the black poedle— know what to order. Do, please, Hackett, noticing for the first time sniffed uneasily at the kitchen door.
"Come, Bello, come here, sir."

suggest something, dearest!"

the effect of his declaration.

My countenance assumes a serious there anything wrong with it?"

and that final temptation produced on giving many a dainty morsel of turkey? from some other place a bottle con- the selfsame omelet to Bello, not the taining some dress of the wine and original Bello, but the grandson or | "Have you ever, with a view to the and September in each year.

Speeding the Parting Guest.

be done. I am free after that, and man. "The place had but one hotel, "No, but I think"—
we could take a walk somewhere. the landlord of which conducted ev. "Could you, by any stretch of the ways come to the door down stairs. | tended to. I was the only guest, and stalk, or, admitting you are gifted in | month. The mistress allows that, I always when I told him that I wanted to go this direction, detect the worm nesmake that one of the conditions when up the river on a packet due any-thing in the heart by the leaf?" there between taidright and 3 "I can't say that I"-This privilege did not fill me with o'clock in the morning I was shown o'Cf course you can't. Nor have much joy, especially when I thought to a room immediately over the cf- you the first idea or the remotest by special arrangement with the fice and going to sleep when I heard conception of what constitutes a di. publishers of the Ft. Worth Grz "A good appetite to you, Hannah. a shrill feminine voice call, John, gestible minee pie, domestic or for- ette we are enabled to make this You have treated me only too well." you come to bed. 'Sallie, you know eigh, and yet you would provide a extraordinary (ffer: I forgot I had been the only partaker | I kain't go to bed. Got to wake that dinner to do bonor to the occasion."

at me, and somehow before I knew ed myself wide awake, not gotting sure he didn't. Did you dear?" oped me in a brand new apron to the feminine voice called again, Hackett. "I have been a brute. steps—a man's steps—came up the run a hotel,' and there was a silence A woman may have no rights, but staircase. The little bell at the en- again. Finally I went to sleep and her sex is entitled to some consider. Is a large eight page paper, seven trance of the Herr Direktor's apart- was soon awakened by the most un- ations."-New York World. whole company entertained with his cheerful fand of humor. Of course the master wanted more butters, presented to him, and he recommend to him, and he recommend to him, and he recommend to him, and he recommended to him, and he recommend Then she reddened up, giggled himself, and, merciful heavens, of broom handle 'I'm awake,' I and The discovery of the snare of a

STUULBAREH WAGONS, BUGGES A Cincinnati Enquirer. That is exhibited between the struc-

Lisenstein, I beg When you have ing as a private soldier like himself? not been here tonight? Are you quite Eartlett is by no means uncommon about by the introduction of the in all grades of English society and pincapple. Before such a conclusion, "No, sir. I have not seen the cen. a bit of a shock to the romantic mind. however, can be looked upon as an I could have laughed aloud. The tleman this evening. No one has ed American, who prefers to let her established fact, evidence must be husband have quite the advantage of produced that the spider and the aster, 'you will get something rushed upon me. Never even in "1 can't understand it," said the her in point of years at least. It was plant were not concomitantly law sgainst all trusts. better then fea, I can tell you, my those joyous wild times had I met direktor. "I went over to Herr Eister fellow Don't be afraid Wife, with such a rare adventure as this—enstein's rooms to ask him to come sentimental little American was told direct. remow Bon the arrand with, never, on my word of honor! over with me to the cafe, and his fel. of the first meeting between Mrs. Thou very kind of you, my dear low was standing at the door, and Ritchie, Thackeray's daughter, and We laughed at his comical expression as he uttered this warning. I

We have the way, what is your name?

We have the way, what is your name?

The told me that his master was gord her present husband. His mother out. I asked him where. Down downcast eyes.

That was a dear friend of Miss Anne of the highest part of the highest 20 years old, dropping into the Rit- "Frank, you cannot have any jam. once to take advantage of it. Had I will make you sick, and then you bere. Come here, chie home, received the interesting. It will make you sick, and then you information of a brand now arrival might die." Frank took this like a sixty days. Take advantage of it River country. A national bank magistrate's 17-year-old daughter, voice to its natural pitch. She cast | But Bello had entirely different in the household. Proud Mrs. Ritchie little man until he saw his mother at once, the fair Agnes? 14d I not read in the second time intentions. The tretch began to herself to jam the second time. Then he pushed his plate slowly to subscription to the Devit's River on the pushed his plate slowly to subscription to the Devit's River on the Dev me would not be entirely disagree. Them, as she called the family, get the family and she wand the forbidden dish and said the family of them. The she called the family get them, as she called the family, get them. The she called the family get to be going to be given by the family get to be going to be goin ind of my vicinity.

distinctly the sound of his nails on pink little boy come to make the with deliberation: "Well, if you are News and we will send you the live stock trader in the Sonera Now she glided gently bither and the stone floor. He returned. I Ritchie family happy." It was the going to die, I might as well die too. Weekly Gazetie free for one year. the first imply chance that left me type to spend an evening in her so-thicker, collecting and placing on the could not sit still another moment. Same Richard Ritchie who in after the type to spend an evening in her so-thicker, collecting and placing on the could not sit still another moment. Same Richard Ritchie who in after the type to spend an evening in her so-thicker, collecting and placing on the could not sit still another moment. Same Richard Ritchie who in after the type to spend an evening in her so-thicker, collecting and placing on the could not sit still another moment. Same Richard Ritchie who in after the type to spend an evening in her so-thicker, collecting and placing on the could not sit still another moment. Same Richard Ritchie who in after the type to spend an evening in her so-thicker, collecting and placing on the could not sit still another moment. Same Richard Ritchie who in after the type to spend an evening in her so-thicker, collecting and placing on the could not sit still another moment. Same Richard Ritchie who in after the type to spend an evening in her so-thicker, collecting and placing on the could not sit still another moment. Same Richard Ritchie who in after the type to spend an evening in her so-thicker, collecting and placing on the could not sit still another moment. Same Richard Ritchie who in after the type to spend an evening in her so-thicker.

if it would not inconvenience her, I would do myself the honor of calling on her that evening.

After much explanation Gottler

and presently returning placed before the minding me, was fond of remainding me, was in the presently returning placed before the minding me, was in the presently returning placed before the minding me, was in the presently returning placed before me, with conscious pride, a smoking omelet aux fines herbes, smoking omelet aux fines herbes, seasoned with bacon sauce.

Before Hannah could interpose her to to ten times thance than ordinary gold leaf. Joseph Wilson Swan, the strong hand of the master had flung it wide open, and the light of his candle fell full on my pale and agitated countenance. Wife daugh in the passage of the produce a ron of metal from two to ten times thance than ordinary gold leaf. Joseph Wilson Swan, the strong hand of the master had flung it wide open, and the light of his candle fell full on my pale and agitated countenance. Wife daugh it is the produce a ron of metal from two to ten times than or the times than or the first from two to ten times than or the function we are formed a ron of metal from two to ten times than or the first from two to ten times than or the form her we to ten or metal from two to ten times than or the first from the careful well leaf. Joseph Wilson Swan, the strong hand of the master had flung it wide open, and the light of his candle fell full on my pale and agitated countenance. Wife daugh its first much explanation for the near from two to ten times than or the first from the or metal from the produce a ron or the times than or the first from the careful well leaf. Joseph Wilson Swan, the strong hand of the master had flung it wide open, and the light of his candle fell full on my pale and agitated countenance. Wife daugh in the produce a ron of metal from the them. would be invaded, but I draw a veil over the scene. I from it with perchieride of iron.

A HOPELESS AMBITION.

in law Was Too Streng. It was Hackett's first year of wedded life, and he determined that as head of a bousehold his first anniversary should be a memorable one. It was true he never had much to do with the running of things around the house, his wife's mother, who lived with them, having assumed charge of everything, including his wife, early in the game, but on this occasion Hackett made up his mind to take a hand himself and show

ed his mother-in-law in astonish-Many years have passed away since ment, while his wife, Matilda, stop-

have crept like moonlight round my Hackett, chasing a kidney around his temples. My dear, fair haired wife plate, all unconscious of the effect he Methodist minister of the Sonora has the same soft blue eyes as of old, had created. "I want to show you Mission will attend the following On our marriage my mother-in-law sion." And hearrested the captured

"I have that ambition," said

it shall be done. Now, sir, have you services every Sunday at 8:30 p.m. nah, clapping her hands at him and "Savory emelet, with fine herbs any reason to be dissatisfied with the pushing him away. The faithful and bacon sauce, is as good now as food provided for you in this house?"

man and come out honestly with the

position so acutely that I proposed time under the friendly roof of my Hackett indignantly. "I have not"—this conference year. doing so without delay. Alas, it was father in law. Hannah gets her "Then, putting aside personal disshare, too -- a goodly portion, for now content," continued his mother-in-Hannah lamented that I had not she has no corporal to share it with law, "let us get to the practical quesdone better justice to her banquet, her. The children, however, insist tion. Have you ever purchased a

would not, in short, hear of my go-ing a way.

great grandson—I forget which—of preservation of your teeth, studied that infamous, traitorous animal— the flexibility of a gobbler's breast "Well, no, but then"--

"Did you ever, in the natural

erything except the cooking and imagination, tell the difference be-

"Oh, mamma, I am sure Tom did She pouted, cast imploring glances "Ienjoyed the situation and laugh- not mean it!" sobbed his wife. "I'm

what she was about she had envel. sleepy again for two hours. Then "No,my darling," brokenly replied John, I say, come to bed.' 'I kain't "As long as you admit it I will say The house door opened again, go to bed.' Let that posky drummer no more, but never again permit such scibers to the Gazette. ereaking load and warningly. Heavy wake hisself.' 'Tain't no way to instincts to dominate your nature.

A Spider With New Tricks.

shyly and with downcast eyes con course Bello, the irrepressible and swered. I don't believe I'll go en spider, the Uloborus quadritubersuspicions Bello, he would make that boat I'm too tired I'll wait undendatus, has given rise to a curious leage, Atlanta or Louisville papers "I am very elad, Herr Corporal, to straight for the kitchen, I felt sure. See you It is a great honor," and "Is not Herr Eisenstein here?" You be down hyar in two minutes, on the pineapple and is of a peculiar paper, without frills or furbelows or I'll be arter you. I ain't goin to basket share, the peculiar ty exists in its politics. It advocates:

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