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A youth dashed into the florist's

"There was something wrong about those red roses you sent the lady on Lincoln avenue," he de-

were sent," re-"I'm sure t' romember the plied the florist order. You s ied the very cheapest ozen and a quarter. H

The new b "You remo coses you took to Line got the addr

"Yes, sir. took it off the bill said in reply:

"Bring the bill here." with the roses!"-Cleveland Plain and I will fire a musket at you sixty

China's Royal Household Doctors. There are attached to the Chinese roval household quite a number of physicians and surgeons. Each man is paid a regular yearly salary as a sort of retaining fee. royal doctors' salaries should be, are paid punctually until the emperor or empress becomes ill. Then the doctors' salaries stop. All the united efforts of the medical staff tone go to bringing about a quick cure. So long as the ruler of China remains ill the doctors get no pay whatever in return for their services. When the monarch is well again the salaries of the retinue of begin once more.

"he Pity of It. Hearing the crash of china, Dinah's mistress arrived in time to see her favorite coffee set in pieces. The sight was too much for her mercurial temper. "Dinah," said she, "I cannot stand it any longer. I want you to go. I want you to go soon. I want you to go right now.' · "Lawzee," replied Dinah, "this surely am a coinstence. I was this very minute cogitatin' that same I plant." thought in my own mind-I want to go, I thank the good Lawd I kin go, and I pity your husband, ma'am,

the year was up yesterday. But, to fold it smoothly. The proper He found him sleeping peaceful indeed, I didn't suppose you were way is to shake out as much of the with his wife inside th so anxious, dearest. You must give water as possible, then stand the me a month at least to get ready." When he got outside again, he

murmured to himself:

"Now I know what old Weller Dr. Ming's New Life Pills

Gardens.

In the dark ages a garden was only a patch of "simples" tended by a patient, laborious monk. But the Italian garden of the day of Lorenthe garden wisdom, skill and extered at the Postoffice at Sonora garden of the Villa Falconieri, more than five centuries old, is still ream of cool, clear pools and state- fight?" ypresses. In Japan they go so ect picture.—New York Press.

Envy Silenced.

vre, duke of Dantzic, that favorown consciousness of the qualiies that had made him what he was. He was ver at the tone of envy and unking companion of his enildhood, who e? Sure you met him in his prosperity, spoke of his riches, titles and luxury, and

"Well, now, you shall have it all. but at the price which I have paid "I can't, sir. I put it in the box for it. We will go into the garden, times, and then if you are not killed everything shall be yours."

Just a Suggestion. A woman bought several pots of jam, and, being about to go out, she told her little daughter not to touch them. But no sooner was she The salaries, which are quite what outside than the child took one of the pots, ate some of the jam and then put the pot back in its place.

Her mother on her return noticed it at once and said in a severe

"What would you do, you naughty child, if you were in my place?" "I should say, 'Finish the pot, as' you have begun it, but don't do it again."-London Tit-Bits.

Points of Difference.

length the many difficulties she encountered in pursuing her fad. "I really am a farmer," she protested, and then added regretfully, "although it must be confessed that almost all I plant I lose."

"Therein differing from me," courteously rejoined her table companion, a rising young physician, use for English beer bottles than to "for I find in my case that all I lose

A Wet Umbrella. "Oh," she replied, with a blush, ing it baggy so that it is impossible

ambrella on its handle to drain.

GREELEY'S REVENGE. Outcome of the Editor's Tiff With Elizabeth Cady Stanton.

The late Elizabeth Cady Stanton was particularly apt at retort, and zo de' Medici had become all that one of her swift parries of a thrust delivered by Horace Greeley against penditure could make. A formal her favorite doctrine of woman suffrage is historic.

January 4 1913. dignified ornamental garden in the during the civil war, "the ballot and didn't do no harm, sir."

"Much to the young pasha's asto vote, are you ready to

"Certainly, sir," she responded. s to make every look one gets "I am ready to fight, just as you are | English should take upon them of his leaving may be freely dis walls or through windows a fighting, through a substitute." Notwithstanding their differences rel." of opinion, however, Mrs. Stanton

and Mr. Greeley were personally story is told of Marshal Le- friendly until the New York constitutional convention of 1868. A son had hired a room in a neighborof Napoleon, which illustrates woman suffrage clause was strenu- ing house in which to exhibit his ously pressed upon that body and as pictures. In the temporary absence vigorously opposed by Mr. Greeley. of the artist Mr. Browning was do-One day, after the Tribune editor ing the honors, the room being half with which a had made some particularly rasping filled with fashionable friends. Mr. remarks upon the subject, George Browning was standing near the William Curtis rose and said:

woman suffrage amendment signed ger, or tried to do so, when she ex- she was introduced to the visitor by Mrs. Horace Greeley and 300 | claimed: other ladies."

"Why did you not put my wife's Take my arm and I will show you maiden name on that petition and around." call her Mary Cheney Greeley?" he

demanded the next time they met. "Because," said Mrs. Stanton, "I wanted all the world to know that Smalltown were on their wedding Horace Greeley's wife protested trip and he was spending money against her husband's report on the generously. They stayed at the suffrage amendment."

"Hereafter you shall always be times in taxis and sightseeing cars. spoken of in the Tribune as Mrs. Henry B. Stanton." And so it was to the theaters, and they decided to see the time of her death, although the it. She did not accompany him name of Elizabeth Cady Stanton when he went to get the tickets. was known to hundreds of thou- "I'll buy two good seats," he assands who could not identify the sured her. woman by the name under which for farming was explaining at she appeared in the columns of the them for tonight."—Buffalo Ex-Tribune.

A Use For Old Pianos. A Labrador tribe, it is said, made the barrels stolen from a wrecked good condition?" whaler serve as chimney tops, the Dexter's warming pans for sugar order. ladles, and the Shans find no worse stick them up as household gods to keep away evil spirits. But the drollest instance of converted us-Never leave an umbrella standing age occurred when that adventur that he can't go."-Ladies' Home on the point in the ordinary way ous Frenchman, De Tonnant, while when wet. The water trickles in Patagonia gave an old chief down, spoiling the silk and making wornout grand piano which he had "And how long," he asked, "have take to open it and leave it standard after making this generous present ing as this stratches the sill and leave it standard after making this generous present in as this stratches the sill and leave it standard after making this generous present in as this stratches the sill and leave it standard after making this generous present in a standard after making the sta De Tonnant went one morning to pay an early visit to the Patagonian. which he had carefully remov sounding board, strings, etc., an

which, thus transformed, constitu

ed a not uncomfortable bedstead

SOME EGYPTIAN WAYS.

An Arrest For Theft and the Story a Family Quarrel.

Here is an illustration of primitive ideas of native justice i Egypt as told by Mrs. Butcher Egypt as I Knew It." Mr Butcher, who was the wife of Dea Butcher, a clergyman conspicuousl identified with the English church at Cairo, once lost some property from a hotel at Luxor. The local police insisted on seizing all the evidence that these unfortunate the day to the dining room; no

"A day or two passed, and the servants did not return. One evening I found three or four women who wailed and beat their breasts with a butler to enter the dining were the wives and mothers of the work.

youths in prison, and they assured Th me that they were to be sent off as establishments can and usually convicts to Kenneh next morning does sit in the dining room in his

and were not likely ever to return.' Mrs. Butcher promptly wrote to but he must not write any letters in the police and demanded the re- the room, and he must, of course, lease of the servants, and the re- leave it at once when his master or quest was granted without demur.

The following account of a family quarrel is too good to be missed rank had a difference of opinion, keeper-take their meals in the not many years ago, with his broth- own apartments and in others in to rebuke him with a revolver. The food either before or after the up brother-in-law caught hold of the nearest pasha as a shield, but the indignant one dodged round and in all big establishments have each in all big establishments have each round, shooting wildly. Most of the of course, a private sitting room al pashas left hurriedly to fetch doc- lotted to them. ors, they afterward explained. One of the ministers, according to ru- that prevails in the servants' hall mor, intrenched himself beneath in all large households that the but the sofa. Finally the brother-in-law ler may invite any of the servants was left for dead upon the field and he pleases to his room to tea, both into the street, still brandishing his housekeeper entertains in her room revolver. There happened to be a she must only invite either mem colitary English soldier strolling bers of the "upper" staff or "low who was subsequently called er," but not both at the same time ipon to give an account of himself.

rush out of a house with a revolver shouting "Murder!" belind. So I | tirely voluntary. just gave him a clout on the head "Madam," said Horace one day and took away his revolver. I hope leave it is quite contrary to cti

tonishment, he was sent to prison his future movements or if he is for several months. But to this day looking for a situation, but if he he does not understand why the known to have given notice the fact selves to interfere in a family quar cussed in his presence.

The Poet and the Cook.

On one occasion Mr. Browning's door when a visitor, unannounced, "I have the honor, Mr. Chairman, made her appearace. He immedito present a petition in favor of the ately shook hands with the stran-

"Oh, I beg your pardon, sir, I'm Mr. Greeley was furious and the cook. Mr. Barrett asked me to who is visiting the mistress of the rightly ascribed the appearance of come and see his pictures." "And the memorial at that moment to I am very glad to see you," said Mr. Browning, with ready courtesy,

Economizing. The young man and woman from good hotels, went from city to city "All right," retorted the editor. in Pullmans and rode unnumbered

There was a good show at one of

"No, no," she replied. "Just rent

Trying Something New. "George, is our automobile in

"Yes, sir. I have put on a new West Indians utilized Timothy tire, and it is in first class running "How about the aeroplane?"

"I have just given it a thorough | park she met Martin, overhauling, and it is ready for in-

nailed boots. I think I'll go for a you?" he asked. walk in the country this morning." -Cleveland Plain Dealer.

oriental rug after all, did you? Mrs. Clint-No; we took a friend of George's to see it, and he so that while it

hara, beautifully wover it wouldn't last more further - No.

SERVANTS IN ENGLAND.

The Strict Etiquette That Is Enforced

Below Stairs. Though the etiquette which prevails among the servants of the wealthy in England differs to various establishments, there are certain customs which all servants ree ognize among themselves and strict. ly observe and, what is more, expect their masters and mistresses to

hotel servants and carrying them tablishment the butler is the only off to prison, although there was no servant who has the entree during other servant has this privilege. It would be a grave violation of eti quette were a footman or even the on the threshold of my door. They room except in the course of their

The butler, however, in all big leisure hours and read the papers.

In some houses the upper serv ants—that is, the butler, the valet "A certain young pasha of high the chief lady's maid and the house er-in-law. He went to discuss the the servants' hall. When the latter question with that gentleman, and, custom prevails the upper servants finding him in a public room with have their meals served to them by several other paskas, he proceeded the lower servants, who take their

It is a curious point of etiquette the excited young Turk rushed out "upper" and "lower," but if the

A gross violation of the etiquette "Well, sir,' said Tommy, 'I was of the servants' hall is for one serv walking along, and I see a native ant to ask another about the previous places he or she has been in in his hand and a lot of people All such information must be en

When a servant is under notice t quette for any of his or her fellow I servants to ask him anything about

In all big establishments the butler rules the roost in the servants' hall. He is the final authority who decides upon all disputes or ques tions that may arise among the oth er servants upon matters of custom In all well ordered establishments the butler's authority in such mat-

ters is never questioned. A dreadful violation of etiquette in the servants' hall would be for one of the maidservants to speak to a visitor who may have come to see any one of the servants unless The simple reason of this rule is that it often happens that a lady house may come down into th servants' hall to see one of the maidservants who possibly ma have been in her service or in who for some reason she takes a specia interest.—Pearson's Weekly.

Wouldn't Worry.
"I am going down to the club t night, dear," said the husband w an ingratiating smile. "I wo stay a bit longer than I have to, an I intend to get home before m night. But if something she happen to detain me please don'

wait up for me." "I won't," said his dear little "That's right. I'll feel better if I

know you're not waiting"-"Don't worry about it, dear. won't wait up for you. If you aren't in by 12 I'll come after you."-Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Walking With an Object. One of those charming but der young women who always take ! erally what is told to them was walking one day. Not far from the

"Ah, Miss Gertrude, so you are out for a walk in this bracing air. "Very well. Bring me my hob- Will you permit me to go with

"Oh, I suppose so," she replied. "The doctor says I must take a walk daily, but always must walk with some object. You'll do, I Mrs. Irving-You didn't buy that guess."-Philadelphia Times.

Sure It Was a Present. "That's a nice umbrella you've

"Yes; it was a present." "Indeed! Who from?" "I don't know, but it says handle, Presented to John Robin son."-Boston Transcript.

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#### CRICKET IN ENGLAND.

A Game In Which They Don't Try to Bully the Umpire.

There are some peculiarities about cricket when viewed from an American standpoint. The associa-A club of eleven men may be all professionals, or, as is usually the case, some may be amateurs. A professional is a player who is paid, and on the score his name appears without prefix, just "Brown." But if he is an amateur and plays without pay his name is on the score card "J. M. Brown, Fsq." He is then called a "gentleman player."

The game usually lasts two days. The side that is in stays in until ten men are out. The pitcher or bowler tries to hit the wicket, three little posts that stand like our baseball home plate, and if he does the batter is out. The batter, or, in "wicket" and when he hits the ball far enough runs to the other wicket which is located at the pitcher's

If he knocks a fly and it is caught he is out, or if a fielder gets the ball and hits the wicket while he is running he is out. Two batsmer are up at a time, and a man may make a lot of runs. I saw Woolley the pride of Kent, score fifty-six runs, and players often exceed the hundred mark. If the game is no finished in three days it is declared

The crowd was quiet and ladylike. Occasionally they would ap plaud or say "Well bowled, sir," bu they did not tell the umpire he was rotten, and they never urged the visiting club to warm up another pitcher. Not a word was said by the players, not a pop bottle was thrown, nobody was benched, and there was never a thought of such a thing. The English are better sportsmen than we are, and they applaud a good play by a visitor. A man who tried to rattle the bowler by screaming that his arm was glass would be arrested and probably hung .- W. Y. Morgan's Travel Let-

ter in Hutchinson News.

ordered a chicken, but when he got

"Waiter," he velled, "bring a charge of dynamite and a hatchet and an extra doub'e steam power and not turn a hair, but this is my mental, physical and pecuniary, of coke hammer! This chicken's got last job building a bridge. to be carved even if it is made of

Dreadnought steel." The waiter was desolate. "Very sorry, sir," he said, "but that always was a peculiar bird. It even objected to be killed, though we al. much to make us dizzy. s do everything with the great-

indness. But this bird, sir. flew away, and we had to ie top of a house and" no more," said the old gen

"I see it all now. You shot d, all is forgiven."-Tit-Bits.

Plaque Stones. stones." In the olden time, let my eyes glance downward. wished to take. Sometimes over the edge.

for them; hence the name of these beam while going down. old monuments-"plague stones."

1899 a single night sufficed to con-

His Last Werd.

do with it. I thought you were

Wind as a Destroyer.

bluffs during great storms are often But this river job doesn't look of matchmaking which is such due to the wind as much as to the good to me. I'll pass up the next blessing to the world.—St. Louis some wild dogs of humanity, some cigarette case. "Do you mind, Miss ocean waves. Sand and salt spray one, and so will the boys."-Chi- Globe-Democrat. driven for hours before a violent eago Tribune. wind act like a gigantic sand blast, eating away with surprising rapid-

ity the layers of gravel and sand band had the last word and pos- that's to be put up on the green. into the buffet for a final glass.

sibly scored a point. It was during "He calculates to spend a year or a little spat. His wife had been two with us, but he told me the his wallet, but Sandy gripped his talking for ten minutes without a other day 't he'd always promised arm.

let up, and the end came only when his son out in Californy 't he'd pass "Na, na," said he. "Ye've been she asserted vehemently. "There; I the latter part of his life out there. verra gude to me an' mine this fort-

# CREETINGS:

# American standpoint. The association or league corresponds very well to our National or American league. A club of cleven men mey be all

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#### A CHOICE OF PERILS.

Chances on Skyscrapers. A huge steel bridge spanning a western river was nearing comple-

When several of his companions "rule firm." fished his body out of the river

A bridge worker is only human, are not consulted by the broker ment, the clerk again cried out: it he wasn't satisfied. Some people even if he does get used to work- She deals with the parents and gen- "All right, parson; here he is.

"I'll wrestle with a beam hang-

and was drowned, was like all the one has brilliant prospects-has "Yes, sir," was the reply of the fact the stranger often tries one or rest of us. When we're up in the (important consideration) no other modest tonsorial artist, "but I hope, more of the heavy doors and goes air on a skyscraper job we never wife. As for Yusui, how good look- sir, you will not ask me to apply it away unable to find just what par look down, and if we do there isn't | ing be is! And Hassan-no man on your head. If I did give you an | ticular door happens to be open

"But take this job. We're only

"If any of us happen to glance plunk into the water.

"Up on a skyscraper the only way ere and there in Great Britain I look is toward the center of the which he presents to his child as ern troops have more of a glamour, be seen the remains of old building. Even if I am hanging on her separate property. crosses that are known as the edge of a six inch rivet I never

epidemics raged, the market | "On a bridge it doesn't make would place near the stone much difference which way an iron broker gets her commission both cd by a German officer named wares and retire to a distance, worker falls. If he falls in, toward from the parents of the bridgeroom Meyer, it then consisted of six bat those from the afflicted towns | the center of the bridge, there's come out and put on the nothing to save the fall, and the money to the value of what same condition prevails if he falls classes the bargain is arranged on gians were scattered through i

cavity in the stone that the rain on the business building the chances her skill at weaving carpets or makwater generally lying there might are ten to one that he will fall in ing cheese, while the bridegroom i clean it. On returning, the market toward the center, and he has a or is not eligible according as he folk took the money that was left good chance of catching a cross may be capable of hard work or every country, race and breed, men ish eves glanced timorously at his the emergency rations, which con

"I fell forty feet that way myself several years ago, and all I got The ravages wrought upon sea work the next day.

The Prime of Age. "I understand that Lemuel Holof which many projecting head-lands are composed. The surfaces end his days," said a former resident London. They were entertained in of bodies exposed to such a wind dent of the village to Peter Hobbs, a manner that left nothing to be are soon pitted. At a great gale in the stage driver. "How old is he?" asked for two weeks—theaters, sun-"He's only eighty-nine," said Mr. | pers, cab rides about the city, exvert the window panes of the life Hobbs, "and I guess you've made a cursions into the country. The saving station at Truro into ground mistake about his ending his days whole time McPherson never put here. He came here so he could his hand in his pocket to pay for a get the new library started and the | thing bank organized right up to date Here is one case where the hus- and to see to the drinking fountain | the Londoner and his cousin went

I didn't know you had anything to -Youth's Companion.

born that way." - Philadelphia Br. King's Hew Dissevery BURLER'S KILLS THE COUGH. CURES THE LUNCAL

#### MARRIAGE IN PERSIA.

The Bridge Worker Preferred to Take The Old Woman Matchmaker Is a Very rector always awaited the arrival fortune. So strong did this feeling

Important Personage. Persian marriage brokers are old tion when a structural iron worker in a position to quote the state of tor being absent, the officiating summers before there was not an suddenly lost his balance, hung al- the marriage market, which fluctu- clergyman, who was not aware of inhabitant on Block island who most suspended for an instant and ates. In hard times even girls of this custom, commenced the serv- could be persuaded to pass through then plunged downward fifty feet to good appearance are comparatively ice in the usual way with one of this "Jonah's gate," as it came to a drug. In times of plenty they the passages from Scripture.

The marriage broker is ever a there wasn't a spark of life left. | welcome guest where there are | But he was immediately stopped "Give me a skyscraper every daughters to marry, and also in by the parish clerk, who shouted. An Excusable Mistake.

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Crafty as a horse dealer, she runs ing sixteen stories over the street glibly over the various advantages, last job building a bridge. her clientele of both sexes. So-and asked the stranger in the barber's keep the church open for certain hours each week day, as a matter of and was drowned was like all the was ever so good tempered! Of the application you would accuse me of 'This Door Is Open' settles the fifty feet up in the air, but look less. The skill of Bebe as a bouse- give you at least three hair cuts sible and saves a lot of embarrasswhat's below us nothing but wa- keeper, the wealth of the ugly and charge you for same before you ment and fumbling with heavy sir-ves, shoot it. It flew ter, not even a beam to grasp if daughter of the banker, the danger- would be presentable enough to doors. It struck me as a notably leikha, she can never say too much 'News. down at the running water we get about. Her main business is to and brought down the weath- dizzy. Getting dizzy is the begin- bargain for the sum to be paid to by mistake. John, my ning. Then what balance we did the father for his daughter's hand have slips away, and down we go, -a sum which is usually expended Made Up of Adventurers Who Are by that father in pots and pans. all of copper, and other utensils.

and those of the bride elect.

other grounds. The peasant takes a ranks. this money was dropped into the "If he falls down while working wife for her thews and sinews or may hold some small office or have in whose breasts stirred the atavis- fair companion. They had sat to- sist of condensed food of one kine a bit of land or a shop.

Here the marriage broker is gen negotiations purely from that love and were "wanted" at home.

Stricken With Generosity. A Scotsman brought his entire asked for two weeks-theaters, sup-

When the family was going hom-From force of habit he groped for

hope I've made myself plain:"

"Made yourself plain, my dear."

he replied. "Why, bless your heart."

in the fails any, so's to have the full enfort this lasht wee nippie!"—Success joyment of the trip acrost country."

Magazine.

CENUISE DESIGN SALE

They Knew Him.

"When the wicked man"-

Go on."-New York Mail.

other sex she sings the praises no extortion, for I should be forced to whole business. It is simple, senous charms of the portionless Zu- leave the shop, sir."-Chicago thoughtful little sign."-New York

#### FRENCH FOREIGN LEGION.

Ruled With an Iron Hand. Perhaps none of the world's modromance and reputation for fierce The details being settled after fighting than France's Foreign Lemuch haggling, the young people gion. Established in Algeria in are engaged, and the marriage 1831 and ten years later commandtalions, one Polish, one Italian and Among the poor and laboring four German, and a great many Bel-

Later it became one of the most heterogeneous bodies of troops in the world, says, the World's Work. It contained specimens of almost was a severe bruising. I was at crally an amateur, who conducts the life, men who had committed crimes changed a word. At last, in des-

reprobates, having come together Smilax, if I smoke?" he asked. from all parts of Europe and hav- "Not in the least," replied the ing saved from the wages of their young lady sweetly, "if you don't Evening Post. past lives at least one asset, cour- think it will make you ill!"-Pittsage, seek, under feigned names, burg Press. cither excitement or protection beneath the tricolor. It is said that the "Chinese is the only language that is not spoken in this modern graph taken?"

family, having with the aid of the foreground, my dear." world's police searched the earth over in vain for a missing member, Seattle Post-Intelligencer. has been offered the one hope of writing to the colonel of the Foreign Legion and in many cases with satisfactory results. One English carried out with an iron hand, Obedience must be absolute or- full extent of the law well, court martials are pitiless and punishment rapid.

#### JAWBONES OF A

Feature of Block Island. The "Jonah gate" is the most remarkable feature of Block island. than our other observances of the It stands at what was intended to be the principal entrance to the old Payne farmstead. It has been there through the extra "highfalot nearly half a century and is com- quality of his eloquence, in a di posed of the two jawbones of the piggest whale that ever was cap tured in the waters about Block

One day in the long ago seven Block islanders were out swordfishing. The swordfish is hunted with harpoons and tackle much the same as the whale. Well out at sea this little crew saw the spouting of : big whale and gave chase. All of them were old time whalers and had played the game from Block island far up to the icy seas beyoud the polar circle. They crept up on the leviathan and so caleulated their approach that when he rose to blow again the fountain of water spouted hardly a boat's lengtl away. Two harpoons were planted and the whale sounded-sank deep in the water and tried to run away and rid himself of the big barbs that were torturing him.

The whaleboat with its crew of seven men sped through the water with the speed of a hydroplane. When the whale rose again a third harpoon gave his deathblow to him. When-they towed him to the shore and dragged him where he would be left high and dry at lov tide they found that he measured mere than a hundred feet in length It was a good day's work for these fishermen. Each of them made enough money from his share of this whale to keep himself and his family in comfort for a year. The considered themselves lucky and so cut out the two great jawbones. One of the Paynes begged them for gateway to his farmstead, and

they were set up there. Probably the Block islanders of those days had heard the story o Jonah and the whale, but had pai scant attention to it. By and by however, they began to recall that Jonah was an especially unluck person, or at least his name had At a certain country church the become a sailor's synonym for mis of a local magnate and family be- of distrust of the gate arched over fore beginning the morning serv- by the whale's jawbones become women who always keep themselves ice. One Sunday morning, the rec- that they had not been in place two

be known. So the owner of the In a clear, distinct voice, he read: property fastened it up, and it has remained unused from that day to this .-- New York Press.

> The Sign on the Church Deor. "This Door Is Open' is the sen sible little sign which appears on a massive door of one of your well

known churches," said a visitor New York. "Now, while many churches in most of our large cities "Have you any hair tonic?" make it a practice nowadays to

> Explained. was so healthy that nobody ever died here?" objected the prospec-

"I did, and I'll stick to it."

have to pay grocery bills, because | for about an hour. When the ex for the"-

"I told you that too." "How do you account for the fact | slightest remembrance of his frisky that one of your prominent citizens | doings. died of starvation yesterday?" "That was a doctor."--Cleveland Plain Dealer.

No Objection. The pale young man with sheepperation, he dived his hand into his old negro sergeant saluted. So these men, some adventurers, breast pocket and brought out his

Maybe He Meant Well. "How shall I have my photo-

"I would caution you by all Many an aristocratic European means to keep your feet out of the said of him, "Lowe would have No wonder they no longer speak

Notice to Trespassers.

Notice is hereby given that all traveler mentions seeing the son of treepassers on my ranch 21 miles a counsellor, the nephew of a car- south of Sonore for the purpose of dinal and the son of a Frankfort cutting timber, bauling wood, workmission, will be prosecuted to the

D. B. CUSENBARY. Sonors. Texas.

#### HE DID NOT POUR.

They Form the "Jonah Gate," a Queer | And Bartisti's Career as an Orator Ended Then and There.

> Fourth of July oratory, no le glorious day, tends year by year become more safe and sane. It when it was still usual to let t eagle scream pretty loudly on such occasions, that Thomas Bartleti Jr., of Vermont, at one time a real noted lawyer, was disappointed i his ambition to become a shining light in congress. He was addicted to grandiloquence, and when he attempted one year to deliver a Fourth of July oration at St. Johns bury a crowd of riotous Dartmout students interrupted his extrava gant similes and flowing periods with tin horns and finally broke up the meeting in disorder. In the circumstances the sym-

pathy of the public would assured! have been accorded to Bartlett and its condemnation to the disturbers had he preserved a dignified silence but unfortunately he wrote a letter of remonstrance in exceedingly bad taste and temper, which provoked in turn a cruelly clever reply, i which all Bartlett's foibles, phrase ology and personal peculiarities were held up to merciless and bril liant ridicule. He was made laughable figure, and, worst of all a copy of the article was laid on th desk of every member of congre to which Bartlett had recently bee elected, at the opening of the ses sion. The members were in n mood to take him seriously when h rose to make his first speech on il floor of the house. He desired defend a proposition which had ju been vigorously attacked.

"Sir," he began impressiv "were it not for the rules of t house I would pour upon the opp nents of this measure the vials my wrath"

He was interrupted. Mr. Polk feet and with a voice of eager syn pathy moved "that the rules be su pended and the gentleman be al lowed to pour!"

From all sides and all parties suc an outburst of laughter follower and then .- Youth's Companion.

He Didn't Like Kings. As narrated by Edward Walford in his "Greater London," Frederic prince of Wales, sometimes visite Alexander Pope at his villa. Or one occasion when the prince was on a visit Pope, after expressing th most dutiful professions of attach ment, gave his royal highness an opportunity of observing very shrewdly that his (the poet's) love for princes was inconsistent wit may in time become kings. Said

his royal highness: 'Mr. Pope, I hear you don't like

"Sir, I beg your pardon." "Well, then, you don't like

"Sir, I must own that I like the lion best before his claws are

No reply could well have been happier.

Queer P it of Arabia. There is a terious plant that grows in Ar It produces flowcollow, with seeds Two galle ers of a brig. that resemble small black beans. "I thought you told me this place | The natives dry and pulverize them and the powder, taken in small doses, makes the soberest person tive purchaser to the real estate | behave like a circus clown or a made man, for he will dance, sing and laugh most boisterously, cut the "Til bet you will. You also told | most fantastic capers and be in an me that people in this suburb didn't | uproariously ridiculous condition the ground raised their vegetable citement ceases the exhausted exhibitor of these antics falls asleep. Price \$750. Apply at news office. and when he awakes he has not the 31 if

Food For Thought. Captain Prescott of the Fifth in fantry was leading a long hike in the Philippines. Food gave out an his command was forced to resort to tic germ of the nomad, men who gether in the conservatory for fully and another. The captain was rid had slipped a cog in the wheel of five minutes and had hardly exign past some negre soldiers at breakfast time one morning.

"Cap'n," said the sergeant "What is it?" "Cap'n, we-all don't like these yere imaginary rations!"-Saturda

A Close Student. Robert Lowe, afterward Love Sherbrooke, was so nearsighted that when he was reading his nose literally touched his book. He took high honors at Oxford, but a w taken higher honors at Oxford if h had not rubbed out with his nos what he had written with his pen.

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and Mrs. Elenry Decker.

of San Augislo was in Sonora last son of Mr. and Mrs. J W Meek, week and delive to Ira Glascock.

Mr. and Mr spent the holiva Sharp's parents at E

Mrs Laura Decker has again assumed charge of the dining room of the Docker Hotel and her eff iris Texas. will be offered to keep the service of her Hotel at its usual high

She will continue to be in charge daughter - Eldorado Success. and will not again rent the Hotel to other parties.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Evans of San Mrs. Emelie Schott, wife of Wil- Adams.

ner of the first free for all, was Tel graph of Dec. 27, we clip the trouble is expected.

Saba who were visiting friends liam Schott, died at her home here Medicines that aid nature are pulled off with Deminos by Hol- following. The figuratial pla and relatives in Bonora during last night. She was stricken about always most effectual. Chamber man Smokie by Holman, Jessie now from near Roswell, New York, expecting to a last night. She was stricken about always most effectual. Chamber man Smokie by Holman, Jessie now from near Roswell, New York, expecting to a last night. holidays left for their home a week ago with paralysis, from lain's Cough Remedy acts on this Clarkson by Clendennan and Lie Mexico, to Del Rio. Texa, the volved an expenditure of \$15,000 Wednesday

G. W. Tre who ranches in the Double islanks County, was a

haveing a good time.

in Sonora with friends and inger and Mrs Charles E stner of other way. At least we have been races of which the following are a relatives.

Mrs. Laura Decker bas again assumed charge of the dintog room of the Decker Hotel and her effortof her Hotel at its usual high girl rode horseback at midnight will be offered to keep the service

to other parties.

nts Atmours business in Pecus Pharmacy,

There was seven entries in the Clay in New Ocleans in 1812 required that cow boy saddles be Mrs H Entland entertained a Mr. and Mrs Sid Gilbert and baby show and the attendance was Mighty costly for those with family, spent the holedays in large considering that the morning stomach trouble or indigestion. To was cold and blustry. A number day people every where use Dr. H. E Sharp and J A Ailison of parents would not venture to Kings Life Pills for these troubles Saturday expose their habies. The judges as well as liver, kidney and howel have first plate at the chuck wagon for children bear in mind that were Dick Godfrey of Menard. disorders Easy, safe, sure. Oaly Geo Miers of Del Ric, Pat Elder of 25 cts. at Nuthand Phermacy-adv miss sewel Decker who is Eldorado. They averded first teaching niusic at E dorado spent to Pat Cooper, son of Mr and Mrs. the holidayes with her parents Mr. H. P. Cooper, second to Virginia Will Ede and Shorty Johnson W. R. C.endennen, third to Odiet oliv. The price was 24 and the same time with Rob Halland's Lee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. | a new Bunk The judges had a hard time de ciding points among the coatest-

> A Karmer Wunted. App'y to O T. Word, Sonora

did not fear a hair p

Born-Monday, Dec., 16th, to Mr. and Mrs Frank Murchisen a

Mr. and Mrs. J. Evans of San Mrs. Emelie Schott, wife of Wil- Adams. which she never recovered. Prior plan. It allays the cough, relieves Brannon by Henry Brannon for a largest number of sheep ever 000, and the ultimat completion that he w to that, she was a strong, heartly the lungs, opeans the secretions woman. She was the widow of william Appelt who died several system to a healthy condition order named. There was a good The Hamilton sheep Co. of D laws the wind of the Orient project. Of this purse of \$100 The first three start transferred from west of the Orient project. Of this ed and came under the wire in the Pecos to that state by one outfit.

There was a good The Hamilton sheep Co. of D laws the will be used for rehabilitating Kansas City. bleasure torin Sonora during the holidays. He says there is no place it ke Sonora for hem.

Will Ke teler who works over in the Ozo t County, spent the Ozo t County spent the Mieses Edna and Stella Wheat W. J. Miller of this place; Oscar day from now on. You can't tell udges.

of San Antonio spent the holidaye Appelt of Sonors, Mrs. J. B. Albl.

Marriage sometimes operates the There were many matched pony week near here. Mrs Schott was nearly told that girls sometimes marry to few. seventy years of age at her death. get rid of their too attentive besug

> A Cirl's Wild Midnight Ride lo warn people of a feature forest fire in the Catskills a young and saved many lives Her deed

SiO9 Per Plato was paid at a harquet to Henry

hair at San Angelo this fall was They all came under the wire at clip. The price was 34 cents and Brown first Helman's popore was from 1200 mixed goats.

their home in east Sonera.

When given as soon as the croupy cough appears Chamber color been diff rout might have dist Church. The News extends lain's Cough Remedy will ward off been considered a "black horse" best wishes

entertained a number of their race.

and this bride may find ere long Among the metened pony races

was glorious but lives are often Heyer, Mich., a civil war captain 250 yerds. Meckel won. and will not again rent the Hotel saved by Dr King's New Discove. as a lighthouse keeper, averted Bridge's dun vs. Morris' dun Nathans Pharmacy-idv. ry in curing lung trouble. coughs awful wreck but a queen fact is he 200 yards. Bridge won. Lee Enrile and Erve Eilie Is cured me of a dreadful cough ed. "They cured me of Kidney Clarkson mare vs. Meckel black Clarence whose death occured at work is to be done on the many comminent stockmen of Menard and long disease," writes W. R. trouble and chills," he writes 300 yards. Won by Meckel. re business visitors in Sonors Patterson Wedington, Tex., "after I had taken other so called Meckel's black vs. Nucces Diok night. Interment was had in the Topolobampo until political con four in our lemily had died with cures for years without benfit and 300 oards was wen by Meckel's. Sonora cemetary Friday evening. ditions in Mexico become stable assumed charge of the diving room Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Day and consumption and I gained 87 they also improved my sight Now Brannon's black vs Bay Jos from Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Day and haby of Pecce City spent the hol. iydsys in Sonora the guest of Mrs.

but provision is to be made for of the Decker Hoteland her efforts at seventy. I am feeling fine."

Junction 250 yarbs won by Bry.

The Rex Kitchen set given as the financing in the reorgan zation will be off red to keep the service of her Hotel at its usual high stomach liver and kidney trouble sorral 300 wards won by Nicoson.

D. Worrell off-ring the invocation goats to John A Ward. followed by a musical programme and the advent Santa Claus arriv. older and knowing ones.

had done full good, hard and attendance faithful work in decoration and dressing the tree. It was a grand

In spite of the high cost of liv Devil's River Newsing and the scarcity of food sup plies owning to the heavy roads, through the News too thank Mr. the good housekeepers of Sonora Bert Bellows for the nice work he

The first event on the official thing came up to contract, for a puree of \$100 There were 4 perous year. I am. entries in this race Smokey by Jap Holman, Felix Jenkin's of Menard by Dick Stanton, Bay Snip by John Noks. Dominos by office for all magazines or papers. W. T. O. Holman. None of the Born December 21, 1912 to Mr four horses had raced on the and Mrs G P. Hill Jr. a bov. Holman Diminos, a two year old relatives in Bisque county. were then confined to the contest people New Years eve. between Felix and Smiker

a purse of \$55. The committee relief. For sale by all dealers Adv had some little difficulty in de ciding the borses that were elthe race was pulled off and the we-ks four horses running were all lapp start to finish, the judgement of tained on the night of the 21th a upheld by the spectators. It was of Miss East'and. ridden and one would have though number of her married lady there was a grub wagon at the end triends Saturday afternoon Dec 21 of the lane and that the four cow in honor of Miss Eastland. boys were racing to see who would was first second third, and fourth most effectual for colds, croup and there would have been a merry tains no hermful drogs. For sale The highest price paid for me- lime with the "Cousen ario" second, Keeleys roan third and Miss Lillie Whidden to Frank Mr. and Mrs B. M Halbert John Nick's Saip right in the run Smith. The ceremony was per-Sharp ante but as they were visitors they entertained a large number of bing It was the most speciacul formed at the ranch home of Mr.

joyed by the spectators

young friends Thursday night at The third day race a quarte Hallettsville, Texas, Dec 25 — the home of their fathers T. B. dash free for all excepting the win-

holidays in "oldSonora" as usual William Appelt, Frank Appelt named Christmis and the reporter gramme and everything had gone last week. It was followed this new construction work. and Mrs Robert Regedale and Mrs eave she will have Christmas every without a question as to starter of week by a similar number. The first etreich upon which Kansas City Mo.

Matched Ruces.

A Hero In A Lighthouse | bay 250 yards. Archer's won.

in consumption or pneumonia. if Electric Bitters had not precent cos Dick 250 yards. Won by Bay, the loss of their two year old son National railway of Mexico. No about the shake-up

KINGS HEH LIFE PILLS Reepers. The Pills That Do Gure,

Sonora's Christmas.

the animals exhibited were very With a merry Christmas to all fine and probably as good as and special privileges to none, the could be found in any state under onora Christmas celebration for semilar conditions. The nattle 912 was opened at the Court prizes went to H. P. Allison, the House Christmas eve by Rev. J sheep to T B Adams and the

Sonora Club Hall was the scene ed the joyous shouts of the little of many pleasant events during ones and the merriment of those the holidays. The necessity for the hall as a place of entertain The hald was full to its seating ment was made evident by the capacity and the tree committies number of visitors and the large

Card of Thanks.

Sonor, Texas, Jan. 2th, 1913

I take this liberty friends with grouine good cheer. | throats as was predicted) Every

racing and sports programme was Thanking Mr Bellows and his the quartermile dash-free for all boys and wishing them a pros-

Subre iptions taken at the News

until it became known that the trend last week from a visit to

had been put to fill but would Mr and Mrs. W J. Fields en not be started. The opinions tertained a large number of young

Do you know that fully nine out Some odds were given but most of of every ten cases of rheumatism the wagers were on an even race are simply rheumatism of the Felix Jenkins was an easy winner muscle due to cold or damp, or with Salp saying his entrance fee chronic rheamstism, and require The programme race for the quainternal treatment whatever? second day was 300 yards dash for Apply Chamberlain's Liniment Sutton County cow horses only for freely and see now quickly it gives

Mr and Mrs. Geo. E Walker ligable in this race to the pleasure week. Mrs. Walker and baby of those desiring to enter, but when will remains in Augelo for a few

ed and had been worked on from Mr. and Mrs H. Eustland enterthe committee was universally number of young people in honor

When buying a cough medicine. by all dealers.

Married on December 25, 1912. young people December the 27 at tar race of the event and was en and Mrs. W L Whidden, parents of the bride and was officiated by The Rob Holland horse had his Pev. J. D Worrell of the Motho-

an attact of croup and prevent all as but little attention was given Constipation is the caus of many danger and cause of anxiety him. The wagers were made ailments and disorders that make Thousands of mothers use it sue between' mostly the Holman Pop life miserable. Take Chambercersfully. Sold by all dealers Adv corn and the Kelley roan, It was lains Stomach and Liver Tablete, according to some, expected that keep your bowels regular and you -Misses E'sie and Ethel Adams the Nick's bay snip would win the will avoid these diseases. For ORIENT TO SONORA NEXT. of the lines between Kansas C sale by all dealers.

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last lot will be taken out next work will be started, probably "dward Dickison has during the summer of 1913, will posed as general manage be between Wichita and Kansas Kansas City, Mexican & City, 2(8 miles, which will cost Railroad and M. J. Kneh the Whiddon ranch Thursday line south of A pine and on to

a through car being run over one to other parties.

and Wichita, where it will conn with a train south on the Ori virtually completed yesterda

The figantial plans, so far as

Unrivaledfor cold-sores, also burns started, probably during the com ent of motive power and machin For years J. S. Donahus, Sc. Archer's bay vs. Mecker's black boils, sores, ulcars, cuts, bruises ing year. This line, 170 miles ery also was announced. Digaand piles. Only 25 cents at long, is the branch by which the greement betsewen the various O sent expects to establish receivers who have had the The News extends its sympathy through service to the City of railwap in charge for several and colds which might have been a wreck, himself Bay Joe from Junction vs Nue. to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Turman in Mexico in connection with the months is said to have brought

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line of considerable importance that, more shouts fit for the plains. has been constructed in Texas since It was Gerome, and this was his with lead attached, so as to float on It seems that in the night Lady this stock and bond law went into method of expression in this special its edge that it might not be drag- Beresford had dreamed that her effect. The stock of the Trinity & case. Remington, in accordance ged through the water, was attach-Brazos Valley, as I understand it, is with his advice, "opened his mouth," ed to a long line, and 100 feet from she declared that he had indeed sat Company and by the Colorado & ly parted lips, there is a face so full knot was made in the line, and her child should marry and that her Southern and they have backed that of enthusiasm, so expressive of a when the log was thrown into the husband would die before her, warnenterprise. The Brownsville line great heartfelt throb giving vent to water as the vessel sailed away from ed her with the utmost vehemence and the Yoakum line, from Houston a cheer, that when one sees the pic- it the line was drawn out of the against marrying the second time. towards New Orleans, as I under- ture he is prompted to the action vessel by the log, which remained "If you do remarry," her dream presence of whom, hopping alow stand, have been backed and financed of Gerome. who made probably the stationary in the water. by the Frisco system. I do not remost unusual criticism ever given on As soon as the knot passed out from your husband's ill treatment these depredatory flights. call any other line. There may have one of Remington's best pictures. over the rail or stern of the vessel until your death at forty-seven. Rebeen many lines started but if you dred miles in length that has been dred miles in length that has been constructed in Texas in the last constructed in Texas in the last well, author of "In the Sixties and twenty years—without the backing Seventies," in which volume apstopped at the rail. The distance struck and the nerves withered. of a large system from outside the pears the following anecdote: "My was measured on the line as it was state—I should be very much obliged, mother often used to point out little hauled in from where it stopped at black ribbon, but declared that it course the kites are a source of hauled in from where it stopped at the rail. The distance should be very much obliged, but the players—and the pears the following anecdote: "My was measured on the line as it was black ribbon, but declared that it course the kites are a source of the players—and the pears the following anecdote: "My was measured on the line as it was black ribbon, but declared that it course the kites are a source of the players—and the pears the following anecdote: "My was measured on the line as it was black ribbon, but declared that it course the kites are a source of the pears the following anecdote: "My was measured on the line as it was black ribbon, but declared that it course the kites are a source of the pears the following anecdote: "My was measured on the line as it was black ribbon, but declared that it course the kites are a source of the pears the following anecdote: "My was measured on the line as it was black ribbon, but declared that it is not to be a source of the pears the following anecdote: "My was measured on the line as it was black ribbon, but declared that it is not to be a source of the pears the following anecdote: "My was measured on the line as it was black ribbon, but declared that it is not to be a source of the line as it was black ribbon." because I do not remember any. Of details that had been overlooked. I the rail to the knot before mentioncourse, one effect of this has been to remember one in 'The Bells,' which ed. As a half minute glass denoted when Sir Tristram died Lady incidentally one of great profit to the players—and the rail to the knot before mention—
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head of the Katy system, said in that the first scene is a small inn an hour.

part: "Under the present law you and that there is supposed to have In order to make the computative with a single family of the neighbor."

In order to make the computative with a single family of the neighbor. have got to furnish your railroad been a deep fall of snow. The innfirst and get your securities after- keeper, Matthias (Irving), walked on the log line every one hundred whom, after a time, she strove in wards, that is, if you are selling in on that first night in ordinary and twentieth part of a mile of vain to regard with indifference. bonds. That is not done anywhere else in the world, so far as I know, and it is not good financing, and if and it is not good financing, and if a solution is not good financing. The solution is not good financing and twentieth part of a mile of the solution is not good financing.

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been able by means of our credit details, and this was cited as an inacquired outside the state to borrow | stance. In Texas in spite of the stock and bond law. To say, as your Texas law practically does, that no bonds will be authorized until the money is money on that credit and spend it in Texas in spite of the stock and will be authorized until the money is written of the overture to "Don spent, is equivalent, as to any new Giovanni," which was to be producpromotion of small lines, to forbided on the following evening. When ding their construction.'

#### PLANS TO RE-FOREST EAST TEXAS.

Timber Supply Decreasing. Houston, Texas: Mr. Jno. H. Kirby in his report to the Texas dispatching them to the copyists. ing to another person of eating rice here were 31,934 mills in oper- the orchestra. in the United States in 1910 ncing 40,018,202,000 feet of

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> be entirely de-1. On the con-

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f the product as well trout!"

are being considered, but I'm no liar." re the only lands in Texas nich yellow pine is indigenous a upon which forests may be cultivated at a minimum expense. It is true that the present genera- one trespassing on our ranches 25 tion of home builders enjoys a condition of cheap material which will be denied to succeeding ones. These same benefits might be preserved to our posterity if the public which is live stock, injuring our wall ing bogs or fishing with interested, would provide the means proof or other fences or any way the full extent of the law. therefor by appropriating funds from trespassing upon us will be prose the public treasury for the promo- auted to the full extent of the law tion of practical forestry plans."

A UNIQUE CRITICISM.

The Shout That Made Remington's Indian Open His Mouth

Frederic Remington's studio was the artist, working away at his can- founded by landsmen. vas. "The Spirit of War." silently

man who "knows art."

Texas is of course best understood visitor such a shout as any Indian has been fixed by the United States This young lady appeared at the by those engaged in railroad con- chief would have been proud of. coast and geodetic survey at 6,080 breakfast table one morning very

try and three of the most prominent tion of the thundering voice.

Dramatic Detail.

Perfeet Confidence.

operate exclusively upon hard- quite unknown in different circles. I timber and 70 mills operate on One day the proprietress of a small pine and hardwood, while the shop stood on a corner gossiping.

The Dog's Kennel.

aggregnited Damp is the greatest evil to which feet book of about the dog confined outside the house in a kennel is liable. It will kill the stronges down the stronges -conserva- to keep in health, too, it is neces-Mo not believe be moved into the shade.

A Fine Distinction.

manufacture of He had had bad luck fishing, and carried on in this on his way home he entered the century at least, butcher shop and said to the dealer. n annual reduction me five of the biggest of those

crease in the volume the dealer in amazement. "Throw 'em? What for?" asked "So I can tell the family I caught funate that no practical "So I can tell the family I caught fect over the hips?" asked a lady in said his wife consolingly, "but nevforesting the lands of em. I may be a poor fisherman the rear of the hall.—Kansas City er mind; there's nothing in it."—

#### Notice to Trespassers.

Notice is hereby given that any.

NAUTICAL KNOTS AND MILES.

Are Apt to Get Confused.

A nautical knot and a nautical

he realize that two sharp eyes were earth's surface at sea level, and as ored to give a simple explanation.

Suddenly there burst from the length of a standard nautical mile wife of Sir Tristram Beresford. Another and another shout echo- feet and 34 inches, that being the agitated and pale and with her left class of people. The Texas Welfare ed through the studio. Remington, length of one minute of arc of a wrist bound with a piece of black Commission invited the opinion of starting back, dropped his brushes great circle of a true sphere, whose ribbon. She replied to her husthe leading railroad men of the coun- and palette and turned in the direc- surface area is equal to that of the band's inquiries by entreating him

Mr. R. S. Lovett, executive head mouth. Make him shout. Make him distance sailed by a ship at sca in of whom she had been very fond, of the Harrimon lines, said in part: look it. Open his mouth. So—so." the early days of navigation was by had died on the preceding Thurs-"I do not know of any independent And the stranger gave vent to two means of a process called "heaving day, which subsequently proved to line of considerable importance that more shouts fit for the plains. a log." The three cornered board be the case. owned jointly by the Rock Island and as a result, instead of the slight- the log or three cornered board a there) and, after telling her whom

a simple knot tied in the log line | found to be as she described it.

The Japanese Language.

sheet with incredible rapidity and a child it is called mama. In speak- shrank and withered. The opera was to begin at 7 in the you call it gozen. As a merchant forests of Texas will be ex- evening, and a few minutes after sells it, uncooked, it is kome, and

Iconoclastic Baroness Howe.

ground, cut down the trees and en- in 1853. deavored to obliterate all vestiges of its former distinguished occupant.-London Notes and Queries.

The Silence Cure.

Her Question.

"Our cause is just and must trithout saying that and over there and throw umph," concluded the suffragette in annual reduction me five of the biggest of those ringing accents. "And now if any "why do you suppose it is that peobe pleased to answer it.'

"How do you get that smooth ef- | "I don't know, I'm sure, John,"

#### Notice to Trespassers.

Notice is bereby given that at trespassers on my ranch 12 miles

O. T. WORD.

THE SCARRED WRIST.

the Beresford Family. For three generations the Beres-

quiet. A stillness that betokens mile are two different things, al- ford family has handed down as has its rendezvous at the Sporting work pervaded the atmosphere, and though they are frequently con- substantially true a remarkable club every afternoon in and out of , dream story which is connected with season, there exist large colonies of The length of a nautical knot is a small pocketbook and a piece of kites and crows. No sooner are the laid on his colors of the scorching fifty feet and eight inches, while black ribbon in possession of a mem- tea tables laid out than the former, sun and an Indian chief, raised in that of a nautical mile varies from ber of the family. So well known who have been perched, on the quihis stirrups, shouting to his braves, the extreme length of 6,107 feet and so well authenticated was the vive, on the adjacent trees, start inspiring them with courage for the and 10 inches to the shortest, 6,046 story that a member of the Beres- circling round and round. With a feet. This variation in the length ford family printed for private cir- sudden dive one of these hawklike Remington had not heard a knock of a nautical mile is due to the fact culation a short account of the facts, birds will swoop down on the table at the studio door or the entrance that it must conform to a line meas- of which, without impugning the he has chosen and pick off the Law Prevents Independent Construction—Texas of an unannounced guest. Nor did uring one minute of arc of the sincerity of his relatives, he endeav- bread and butter and cake.

> To avoid confusion, however, the of it is Nicola Hamilton, the young seated around the tables. The kite to ask her no questions. She then. "Ah, bah! My boy, open his The method of determining the said that her brother, Lord Tyrone,

visitor had said, "von will suffer a half minute sandglass was turned sist every temptation to a second to show the time and the sand care- marriage." Requiring some proof their pleasure by ear splitting car

Some may consider that that has been beneficial to the existing lines."

Mr. Frank Trumbull, executive have seen the play may remember the distance a vessel would sail in the distance a vessel would sail in the distance avessel would sail in the distance aves the play was remember to the distance avessel would sail in the distanc and it is not good financing, and off it is not good financing, and the work it is not good financing, and the work it is not good financing, and the work is not good financing, it is not good financing, and the work is not good for the State of Texas.

Santa Fe, said in part: "We have been able by means of our credit work in the vessel sailed in half a minute the vessel sailed in half a mi The knot received its name from death her wrist was examined and face-it may bring you a shilling.

> o'clock in the morning. Awaking learned the name for rice that ends cited as to injure her wrist. In the him next time he comes." refreshed, he set to work on the overture, dashing off sheet after cooked rice, meshi. When eaten by that in course of time the sinews

The First Armored Ship.

According to the best authorities ed in a period of fifteen years that hour Mozart was in his place as it grows in the field it is ine. So on curiosities of the navy and warrecommends that plans be con- as conductor, baton in hand, while a carpenter's foot, or shaku, is about fare in general, the first armored ad for re-foresting East Texas. the parts with the ink still wet on twelve inches, but a tailor's is fifreport is quoted below in part: some of them were being handed to teen. A kin or pound of beef is was one of the fleet manned by fourteen ounces, of flour twenty- the Knights of St. John and was one, of sugar over thirty. The ri, entirely covered with sheets of or mile, varies in different provelead. The accounts of the times and of this quantity 14,143,Of feet was yellow pine.

Among the humblest of shopinces, and on the Fusivama ascent
half a ri is maked a ri because it's ness of this lead armor, but they There are 466 mills in Texas, 20 fidence in their poor customers so much harder work going uphill. are very positive in the statement that they were of sufficient strength to "successfully resist all the shots After Pope's death the villa at of that day." At the siege of Gibralaining 376 operate exclusively and a lad approached. "Please, Mrs. Twickenham belonged successively tar in 1782 the French and Spann pine. The average annual proof these mills is in round kicking your counter for ten min- larged it considerably; to Mr. Wel- armored with "light iron boom panion. We two billion feet. The conption of lumber in Texas is about soap." "Tell mother," was the repair and lastly to Baroness Howe. This water's edge." The very first practo the production of Texas ply, "to take what she wants and lady was so much annoyed at the tical use of wrought iron plates as a The Texas sawmills produced put the coppers in the saucer under number of pilgrims who came to see defense for the sides of vessels was the counter." - Cardiff Western the place that she razed it to the by the French in the Crimean war

The Best of the Carlyles.

"A Book of Scotch Humor" illustrates anew of a native of Annan- Christmas. That was that all the dale the saying that a prophet is | markets were to be held on Dec. 25. the stronges, dog and must be carenot without honor save in his own Naturally this created a great stir fully guarded against. If a dog is now recommending a "silence cure" country. "I ken them a'," said the among the country folk, and they Nerve specialists, it is said, are not without honor save in his own for women who suffer from nerves. rustic, speaking of the Carlyles. determined thenceforth to refuse to "It is ate, how- sary that it should be able to enjoy The patients have to set apart a cer- "Jock's a doctor about London. 30,000 fe seen at a plenty of sunlight, and the kennel tain number of hours in which no Tam's a harem scarem kind o' chiel law, which he tried to enforce, but 30, beent rate of should always be placed facing word is spoken. A woman we know an' wreats book an that. But Ja- all to no purpose.—London Mail. e of raw ma- south, except in the hottest parts of tried this treatment, with a curious mie-yon's his farm you see owre in a period the day in summer, when it should result. She herself came out in a yonder—Jamie's the man o' that rash, but her husband, who suffered family, an' I'm prood to say I ken from headaches, recovered. - Lon- him. Jamie Carlyle, sir, feeds the best swine that come into Dumfries market."

Doubtful Consolation.

"Mary," complained the husband, lady cares to ask a question I shall ple all say I have such a large head ?"

fect over the hips?" asked a lady in said his wife consolingly, "but nev-Exchange.

#### Notice to Trespassers.

Notice is hereby given that al trespassers on my ranch known as the Lost Lake ranch 12 miles trespassers on my ranch east of south east of Sonora, and other Sonora for the purpose of cutting ranches owned and controlled by timber, hauling wood or hunting me, for the purpose of cutting tim | hogs without my permission, will permission, will be prosecuted to ber, hauling wood or hunting hogs be prosecuted to the full extent of without my permission, will be the law. prosecuted to the full extent of ithe law

A. F. Charkson. Sonora, Toxas. WINGED ITTLEVES.

A Distinction About Which Landsmen Queer Dream Story Connected With Kites That Rob Tea Tables and Golf Courses In Egypt.

Out at Gezira, where all Cairo

New arrivals in Egypt are alscanning his work with that critical the earth is not a perfect circle the examination characteristic of the radii differ, and so must the arc.

The narrative is a love story as ways disconcerted by these antics. well as a dream story. The heroine It matters not how many people are is no respecter of persons, and on one crowded afternoon when the German crown princess was taking tea I remember seeing no fewer than eight tables swept of their eatables by as many kites in the space of a few minutes.

These monster birds add to the terror which they strike to the heart of the new arrival by the fact that their flight is so sudden and the theft is committed without stopping. They describe a curve the lowest point of which is th plate of bread and butter or cake and so accurate is their descent that rarely do they leave or drop any thing. An amusing factor in this otherwise annoying situation is fur nished by the crows, who invariable act as scouts for the kites, and il

When the coup has been succes fully brought off the crows evin able, she consented to exchange vis- proach.—Cairo Cor. Pall Mall Ga-

A Few Directions to Servants. Dean Swift had something to say If the gentleman has lain a night to above as follows: He considers | in a line on each side of him. He that Lady Beresford, who knew that | must have less money or more con-The Japanese language has some her brother, Lord Tyrone, was ill. fidence than usual if any of you let he had said goodby to his friends he features which puzzle beginners in dreamed that he was dead and in him escape. And according as he calmly went to bed and slept until 5 its use. In English when one has consequence became so violently ex- behaves himself remember to treat

> A Risk. The doctor looked at Miss Cam-

bridge with his most professional glance; then he made her exhibit her tongue, gazed down her throat, felt her pulse and sounded her "You've taken a severe cold," he

said. "Were you exposed to any draft yesterday, or were you careless in any way that you can remember which might account for

"I don't know," said Miss Cambridge thoughtfully, "unless my going out to drive yesterday afternoon without my spectacles would do it. I felt at the time it was a slight risk, doctor."-Youth's Com-

Cromwell and Christmas. When Oliver Cromwell was protector he ordered all the most important towns in England not to observe Christmas, as he considered it to be a hurtful custom. Yet a stricter law he commanded to be kept so that people might forget Naturally this created a great stir

obey his strict and extraordinary

One or the Other. When Lord Howe was captain of

the Magnamine a negro sailor on board was ordered to be flogged. Everything being prepared and the ship's company assembled to see the punishment inflicted, Captain Howe made a long speech to the culprit on the enormity of his offense. The negro, tired of the harangue and of having his back exposed to the cold, exclaimed, "Massa, if you floggee, floggee, or if you preachee, preachee, but no preachee and floggee too!" -London Chronicle.

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