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A high official at the Supreme Court was asked, incidentally, last week, "How many days are there in this month?" The reply was, "Let's see; thirty days hath September, April, June and November"— His questioner tried the same query on no less than four other men—three lawyers and a doctor—and from the three lawyers came that same memory jagger—"Thirty days hath September." Truly those mild hymns of childhood's days flourish and remain use ful in the human system.

"You'd better let us in. We want to talk to you on a subject that affects you, yourself."

The doctor then opened the door, and the reporters entered the room. "Well, what's your business?"

"We want to know at hing or two from you. We want to know what prompted you to go down to Chinatown, last night, and put up a notice to the effect that the Government had ordered you to vaccinate all Chinamen, next Monday, at your office, at \$1 per head."

"I din't. I don't know anything about

believer in the truth of the saying, that all Flesh is grass, and, consequently, green.

The latest publication is devoted to an exposition, of the instantaneous art of never forgetting anything. The old-fashioned idea of trusting to memory does not seem to be good enough for some people.

The new ditty now runs:

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For the Coroner will get you

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Out.

In the Police Court, last week, an unfortunate Chinaman was fined \$10 for tying his little brother to the fence; while the same day a white brother was taxed a fiver for not tying his horse. It's a case of "To the coroner at the problem of the coroner was another attempt to obtain an andience was another attempt to obtain an andience was a series of the coroner attempt to obtain an andience was another attempt to obtain an andience was a series of the coroner attempt to obtain an andience was a series of the coroner attempt to obtain an andience was a series of the coroner attempt to obtain an andience was a series of the coroner attempt to obtain an andience was a series of the coroner attempt to obtain an andience was a series of the coroner attempt to obtain an andience was a series of the coroner attempt to obtain an andience was a series of the coroner attempt to obtain an andience was a series of the coroner attempt to obtain an andience was a series of the coroner attempt to obtain an andience was a series of the coroner attempt to obtain an andience was a series of the coroner attempt to obtain an andience was a series of the coroner attempt to obtain an andience was a series of the coroner attempt to obtain an andience was a series of the coroner attempt to obtain an andience was a series of the coroner attempt to obtain an andience was a series of the coroner attempt to obtain an andience was a series of the coroner attempt to obtain an andience was a series of the coroner at the To door in their faces. Half an hour afterwards another attempt to obtain an audience was made. The following conversation then en-

tie, or not to tie!"

The Civil Service Commission reports to Parliament that there is not enough esprit de corps among public servants. One of the remedies proposed is to make the clerks work harder, the insinuation being that Satan finds some mischief still for idle hands to do.

"Can we come in this time, Mr. Morri"What do you want with me? Let me alone, can's you. Why are you pestering me like this? I don't want to have anything to say to you. I'm busy."

"You'd better let us in. We want to the complete that affects you,

all Chinamen, next Monday, at your office, at \$1 per head."

"I didn't. I don't know anything about it. I never went down to Chinatown at all. I never authorized such a thing."

"You mean to say that you never gave authority for it?"

"I told you before that I don't know anything about it."

"Were you down in Chinatown last night at all?"

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"No, I wasn't. I tell you it's all a lie. I didn't know anything of it at all. Is that all you want to say to me?"

"No, not quite. Do you state that you never went into Chu Chung's store last night, and ordered that notice to be posted up to-day or told then that you were the Government doctor?"

The doctor stared fiercely at the reporters.

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"What if I did go; what if I did anything? What's it got to do with you? It's no business of yours. You mark me; say one word about it, and I'll cinch your crowd like you've been trying to cinch me lately. Get out now. I don't want you here at all. I've got my witnesses as well as you've got yours."

""We've got our witnesses, too, Mr. Morrison," was the reply as the Cotonist men faced the hurriedly banged door, and went down stairs.

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M. QUAD'S S. ing a Wild Man in an

(Copyright, 1892 by C In the spring of the atting not long since ane, on the coast of cent for the great ani rg. A letter from roken out among capt world. It was a s gan in the zoological gar and within thirty days America. I want you notice of this fact. No had ever occurred before since. Male lions were

every instance.

The first symptoms we sneezing, fellowed by los blindness. The legs sw like lockjaw set in, ar fter being attacked th A few escaped attack, every epidemic, but so that the price of lions highest figure ever k Calcutta, Paris, Berlin pean cities lost nearly pardens, and hardly a try had an animal of t hibition. The disease lions alone, and it sprea the flight of a bullet.

Well, as you have in the letter was an order ion market as fast as ping about one lion beasts were trapped country, and as I was the market I made my a full grown male lion, the sum of twenty-live for a lioness eighteen d half grown male or fem lars. If these figures you must remember the porter for about two do ture made was in pits, art and cage for tra As soon as I received together five or six were stowed in the cage for each and th country with forty nati imane is situated at the the Zambesi river, at Lake Nyassa, and ab west of the port that w country. We were the of a chief named Weo supply us with provincents' worth of powder

a pretty fair figure for the interior of Africa i live in. We no soone ing grounds than Weo queer story. They had not sent for a long time, and the that a strange and un interfered with them tured two lions in pits, beast had killed them could be caged. The n their descriptions. So mendously tall man wa great club in his grasp, seen an object resemble latter beast was not an district, but one had b then in the dense thick In both instances the killed with sharp point the fresh earth arou tracks resembling the ddition to the loss lions, a third one had h every evidence

were mysteriously

The African is easil of superstition, and I s with many grains o only method by which tured without injury t a pit. In forest and i game move about by the open they are free A frightened elephant and go rushing throughets, but a lion under stances will stick to In the course of a the ground over an pits. These were all water. They were being six feet long, the deep. If the groun tives were through est sighted animal c ground had been di same paths were use hyenas, deer and an or buffalo. Men we during the day and animals. The lion s by day, and our ob pits clear for him up

We had killed a and placed its body the pit. The men til they heard a li mile away, and it we low who got into tronly half a mile from an hour after the me by the roars of the l tive. We could do all turned in happy that we had made night! was aroused night I was arouse ering the tent and "Listen, master lion uttering cries

strange monster kill him !" It was true that very noisy, but afte concluded that the was exciting the li nuskets to create as been done all was ame and we went discovery which w
We had captured a
but he was dead.
atrange monster
around the pit, and
were two of his w
poles about as large
eighteen or twenty
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