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FOR THE FUN OF THE THING
New Yorker Catherine L. E. Battle-
snake, but will never let it Agala.

NAPOLESBUR, N. Y., Aug. 28.—John
McDonald, 35, of this town, who has
and are three young men from New York
who have been spending the summer
near Grassy Swamp, this county. A few
days ago they were out on a fishing
trip fishing at a neighboring pond by way
of a covepath through the woods. They
went out two miles before they
reached the pond. The young men killed
two of the snakes. A hundred feet fur-
ther on they saw a third snake in the
path. McDonald was anxious to catch it
as his alive, "to have some fun with it."
He had a small net which is used to
catch small snakes and he tried to suc-
ceed in covering this snake with the
net and closing it. He carried the
snake to his tent's head, and the loud
and angry roar of the other two young
men was great amusement to the three
thermen. They had gone about a quar-
ter of a mile from the pond. The snake
strut its head through a mesh in the
net, and, quick as lightning, struck at

McDonald's pants clear through the hole in the cloth, and one through the crotch, and the other through the back of the seat. The other end of the cloth had to be cut out to release it from McDonald's trousers. Eugene Weaver's escape was a narrow one, and he was so overcome that he wept away. The smoke was five feet thick and the heat was unbearable. The same day Eugene Weaver, of Long Beach, California, was rescued from that place, when his horse suddenly dropped, threw up his head, and began to rear. Weaver was thrown and was a rattlesnake spring from where he lay lying in the cold and drizzle at the foot of the mountain. The fire instinctively divined this snake's intention and he crawled up the mountain to his nose. The snake coiled ready for another spring and Weaver jumped out of the fire. The ship was full of water, four feet high and seven feet long.

Round the World in a Canoe.

Two years ago, a man named Tracy, of New York City, sailed to the States, with the intention of going round the world in a canoe. As nothing has been heard of him since he left New York, it is supposed that he has perished. But his friends, who had just made arrangements with a man named Chandler to repeat the voyage, have been surprised to find supply a canoe 10 feet long. Richard

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is not less than scrofula of the lungs, completely out of the system. It stimulates and invigorates the liver, tones up the stomach, regulates the bowels, purifies the blood, and builds up the weak places of the body. It is a purely vegetable compound, and will do more than is claimed for it. We refer to Dr. Pierce's "Golden Medical Discovery."