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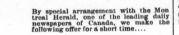
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Hood's Sarsaparilla. "For a number of years I was afflicted with some rhoumation in my lott side and all the way down my limb into my foot. I live five blocks from my work and provide the state of the state of the state of the state my lock and the state of the state of the state my lock and the state of the state state of the state state of the state of the state of the state of the state state of the state state of the state of hole. A live he blocks from my work and had to stop and rest several times in going and coming. I could get no relief from my trouble and was on the point of giv-ing up my job when I happened to hear of Hood's Sarsparilla. I purchased a bottle of this medicine and a visi of Hood's Fills and born the bottle block Bottle of the several hear of this medicine and a vial of Hood's Fills and began taking them. Before I had half finished them I was relieved and it was not long before I was completely cured. I never lose an opportunity to praise Hood's Sarasparille, for my cure meant a great deal to me, as I have a fam-ily and must always be at my post." WILLASK HAMENC, BRANTORD, ORANG Trunk Ballroad depot, Brantford, Ontario. Hood's Sarsaparilla

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ANIMALS AND FISH THAT EXIST NDER THIS COI

The Effect of Light Upon the Sid Sensibilities - The Experiences of Arctio Travelers-Nocturnal Eyes of Fine Construction-Animals and Fish That Beally Have No Ryes.

That Really Have Ne Ryes. In the long Arotic nights there is con-siderable difficulty in keeping awake; while, contrawise, the parsetual day ef-urant of the parsetual day ef-ing that the time had passed, until I discovered the fact by my journal, says a correspondent of the New York Times, a that no sense of sleepixes during this time. Last summer the sun set about 11 clock, and nobody seemed to be sleepix and the make very strict rules to keep his more about; otherwise they would pro-setting up only teep in the total string. The a days in a dark recome for some total ellipse' animals have been noticed to the astrong by the Arotic winters. Man kept in a dark recome for some total ellipse' animals have been noticed to fall asleep, showing the laster cond-tion day and relight, whose about a to a some aver system as the inter-set and the nervous system as the inter-more about a solution of the some areas the aster and relight, whose about a to acture upon the nervous system as to invite and the make open, as concerns their more. A man keept and the some as the system and the set of all asleep, showing the some on the source about a some and the source and the source all the hast out to actual the source all the system as the inter-tion and the source and the source and the source all the system as the inter-and the source all the source and the source and the source all the source and the source and the source all the system as the inter-and the source all the source and the source all the source and the source and the source all the source and the source and the source all the source and the source and the source all the source and the source and the source all the source and the source and the source all the source and the source and the source all the source and the source and the source and the source all the source and the source and the source and the source all the source and the source and the source and the source all the source and the source and

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times more edible portion from the others,

and every ounce of it was of better quality. The fattening gives increased value to every pound of live weight at which the chickens were put up. The chickens when put in were worth at the outside six cents a pound, which would be equal to $25\frac{2}{3}$ cents each. The same chickens when fattened were better value to the customer at 10 cents per pound, which would be equal

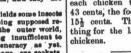
chickens.

optio nerve is almost always absent. The skin has grown over them, and they are incapable of sight. The Mammoth Cave yields some inscots not absolutely blind, being supposed re-cent migrations from the outer world, the absence of light being inufficient to have caused total degeneracy as yet. Mammoth Cave fish have eye sockets, but the eyes have entirely disappeared, ewing te disuse. All true internal parasites are blind, being very anfe and without necessity for eyes. We have some that are blind that-live parts of their existence in the cuter world, during which period shey have well-developed eyes. The degenerate eyes of the protous have avery slight deposit of pigment, with retina well developed, but lens entirely disappeared. In the myrine we have another eye in which the optic nerve has entirely disappeared. The oyster crab is not a true paravile, having well-developed eyes, and it can alis and watch for its proy. The males meer co into cysters, only the females. The male is secting is a beionging to he same snecks.

would not recognize it as belonging he same species. ARTISTIC TRIBUTE.

rek Sarcophagus Designed for the German Emperer.

Immediately after Kaiser Wilhelm re-ceived the sad tilings of the death of Prince von Bismarck, he commissioned Reinhold Bages, the great German sculp tor, who projected the plans of the new Reichstag building, te plan an artistic



showing a rudimentary eye. The mole, living just beneath the surface of the

ground, is in darkness, the lids are glued together and in the European mole one option arres is almost always absent. The skin has grown over them, and they are to 683 cents per chicken To give each chicken the increased value of 43 cents, the food consumed was worth $15\frac{1}{2}$ cents. That does not allow any-thing for the labor of fattening the

AWFUL HEART DISEASE.

each Charmed Away Under the Spell of Dr. Agnew's Curo for the Heart-More Won-dertui-Thara-Fairy Take is the Bory Mrs. Roadhouse, of Willscroft, Ont. Where disease has affected the heart the remedy to be applied must be speedy in its effects, or all may be lost. Mrs. Roadhouse of Wilscroft,

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Main street, S. C. A. Lamo, D.R.O. On motion, the sum of \$2.00 was refunded to Sydney Moore for taxes charged against Edward Pepper, his tenant. On motion, the sum of \$2.00 was

refunded J. H. Mills, being poll tax illegally collected, as he is tenant of property on Elma street.

The monocle, or single eye glass, is getting to be a fud among the fashion-able women of London. It is under-stood, of course, that 98 per cent of those who wear them are not short-sighted—they simply want to be in the movement.

The Eganville Enterprise says : "So

nany Renfrew courty teachers' certi-ficates are running out this year and comparatively few new ones taken, that it is said there will be a scarcity that it is said there will be a scarchy of teachers for the ensuing year. Trustees may find themselves under the necessity of offering higher salaries in order to attract teachers from other

speedy in its effects, or all may be lost. Mrs. Roadhouse of Wilscroft, Ont, says: "Cold swest would stand out in great beads upon my face be-caume of the intense suffering from heart disease. I often felt that the death struggle was at hand. No medi-cine gave me any relief until" I used Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart. In thirty minutes the seyere pain was re-moved, and after taking little more than one bottle the trouble had van-ished. I kinow nothing of it to-day. parts of the province."

ished. I know nothing of it to-day. conception.

The Kingston Dairy school has pened for the winter season with the is bound of a railroad conductor, whose run is not a thovsand miles from Prescott. It apprars that besides being a "ticket puncher" the genttman referred to takes up the collection in the church he attends. One Sunday after a long sermon the conductor in going the rounds of the church cane across a member of the flock who was enjoying a sleep and forgetting for

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ine greater part of it with the cheans relatives. "Mr. Spooner applauded my motive, but advised me to examine for myself and select the worky ones. So I called myself Sprout and went at the work. As you would have done unto Jedediah Sprout, I give you full permission to de unto yourealyze. Dinner will be ready

a wild, wayward fellow, who under a cloud had changed his name to Sprout and who had left no record of having ever married. Jedudiah acknowledged that the said Solomon had never mar-ried, and yet he had the hardihood to laim to be his son. Oold anything be more impudent? The cousins, from the first to the siz-teenth remove, hold up their hands in holy horror. That a man in possession of his senses should unblushingly ac-knowledge such shame, and, above all, that from such a slough of ignominy he should thrust himself into relationship

with honest people! And yet Jedediah Sprout worked in his humble station for Mr. Spooner. He visited the cousins with his instructions from his patron, and to each he tear-19 years old, or even older than that, pull off another boy's hat, usually in such instances the hat of a smaller boy, and throw it away. Here the act is in-

atch Cold Easily ?

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present himself and claim the basefit is present himself and claim the basefit within one year from the death of the tostator them the property was to be divided among his other relatives, so-ording to their rank of kin. Only in one direction, setting aside his brother Jepthn, did the tide of rela-tionship to Absalom Bogle flow. There were no nephews or nicces, no uncles, or sunts, but only cousins. There were two first cousins, four or five second cousins, several third and fourth cousins, and so on, in increasing ratio as they were farther and farther removed. Bidney Spooner, Esq., was the attor-ney whom Bogle had selected to hold in trust his estate. When the frosts of October had begun to trace their deli-cate pencilings upon the orisp foliage, Mr. Spooner such his olerk around among the relatives of Absalom Bogle to bid them prepare for presenting their claims at the appointed time. If the long absent brother did not show him-self on or before noon of the fourth day of the coming December, the property would be theirs. This clerk of Mr. Spooner was a quaint old fellow, answering to the name of Jedediah Sprut. He never hesitated to acknowledge that the at-torney had taken him in out of charity, and in his humble way he sought to serve his patron faithfully. But the most wonderful thing about Jedediah Spront was that he claimed to be a near relative of Absalom Bogle-nearer by far than any other iving. He claimed descent from a brother of Absalom-an elder brother, much older than either Absalom or Jeptfins—who had died in South America many yenrs ago. The consins looked up the family history. As you would have done unto Jedediah Sprout, I give you full permission to de unto yourselves. Dinner will be ready in half an hour, but you will excuse me to bid them prepare for presenting their form attituing at table with you, as I am engaged elsewhere—Jack and Kate winktrop will come with me. As they self on or before noon of the fourth day of the coming December, the property would be theirs. This clork of Mr. Spooner was a quaint old fellow, answering to the name of Jedediah Spreut. He never hesitated to acknowledge that the at-torney had taken him in out of charity, and in his humble way he sought to serve his patron faithfully. But the most wonderful thing about Jedediah Sprout was that be claimed to be a near relative of Absalom Bogle—nearer by far than any other living. He claimed descent from a brother of Absalom—an elder brother, much older than either Absalom or Jeptifa—who had died in South America many years ago. The consing locked up the family history and to the sen one Solomon Bogle, out have head cut short head the du and the souch the dide the wont had action about bistory and to baked up the family history and to be no ne Solomon Bogle, or wait was head be callow, who under a of the way the solome book was the second the the second of the young couple who, they were and fooud that the action brother in question had been one Solomon Bogle, wild be head been one Solomon Bogle, we was the head of hor disc han dide in south America many years ago. The consing locked up the family history was the head been one Solomon Bogle, wild way was the head on the sub wonder an unit lock had the an other brother in question had been one Solomon Bogle, wild way was did be on year of the was the head relay who under a of the was the head relay who under a of the was the dide the sub relay was the sub relay with the sub relay was the sub relay was the the sub relay was the sub relay was the sub relay

and found that the ancient brother in question had been one Solomon Bogle, a wild, wayward fellow, who under a of the enjoyment before giving to them of the wealth which he had resolved

play that all boys have all the during a considerable period of their youthful ex-istence. This consists in pulling off oth-ar boys' hats and throwing them in the street. The desire, or impulse, to do this comes at a very early age, and it remains in the boy until he is pretty well grown. "It is not unusual to see a boy 10 or 12 means old on zero older then that

<text><text><text><text><text> THE CHINESE CHOPSTICK.



do you raise more mucus in the morning?

Koppel Graven, laid a plot to get rid of them. They hired Mondosa, the Jamous prise-dighter, and dressed him up as a dean, with a shovel hat and apron. Another prizedighter, a short man, was dressed as a middle aged lady and passed as the dean's wife, and one evening they were seated as Vauxhall in a complexous position to watch the fireworks. It was not long be-fore the old fashioned, countrified pair as-imated the attention of the gang, who as-sailed them with every kind of coarse mil-lery and insult; all of which they born very meetic. Ayer's Cheppy

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HE DOESN'T PLAY POKER.

The Startling Incident That Ended His Interest In the Game.

sailed them with every kind of coarse mil-lery and insuit; all of which they bers very meekly. At length one of the persecutors, grow-ing bolder by impunity, stepped up to the dean and squirted an orange into his eye. On this the dean, rising, said in a meek, quiet tone, "Really, gentiemen, I have borne a great deal, but I must put a stop to this." With that his hat went one way and his coat another, and, followed by his "wife," he sprang into the middle of the-party, hitting out in all directions. Filled with astonishment and serror, some field and some tried to show fight, but the hab-dling they got from the prizedithers was too severe for the fraces to last long. All the time Lord Alvanley and his friends, who ware in the boxes, ware call-ing out in delight: "Go its, Mr. Dean!" An effectual stop was thus put to the annoyance. Lord de Ros, who was present, was a boy as, Westminater, and some of the Lennors, had given him a him that if he went. So Vauxhall that evening he would see some fun.-London Spectator.

FACTS ABOUT LENSES.

me Things That All Amateur Pho tographers Should Know

Very few anatours have time or oppor-tunity to make a thorough study of optics, but if one wishes to use his camera to get the best results he should understand something about the lens is a term used to denote the length of time which is requires to form and impress an immee on the

denote the length of time which is requires to form and impress an image on the sensitive plate. Rapidity depends on the manner of construction and the glass sum-ployed in the making of the lens. The in-tensity or brilliancy of the image depends upon the amount of light gathered by the

upon the amount of light gathered by the lens. The focus of the lens is the point dis-tant from the lens where the rays meet. Now, if the ground glass which recoives this image is placed either side of this point, it will receive not a point but a spot of light, and the image will be more or less distinct as the glass is removed nearer to or farther from the point where the rays meet. The centers of the bounding surfaces of a lens are called centers of ourvature, and the straight line through the center of survature is called the axis of the lens. If a beam of light parallel to the axis falls upon a lens, it will be collected by refras-tion at a single point. The point is called the principal focus, and its distance from the lens the principal focal distance.

tion at a single point. The point is called the principal focus, and its distance from the lens the principal focal distance. The conjugate foci of a lens is the rela-tion between the different distances at which an object is formed by the lens.

The farther away an object is from the lens the nearer to the lens is its image formed, while the nearer it is to the lens the farther away will be the formation of the image. So for every distance at which an object is placed from a lens there is a corresponding distance in the formation of the image by the lens, and these rela-tive distances are called the conjugate foci.—Harper's Round Table.

Tacitura Men.

Tracting Men. The late Mr. Parnell was a mather thei-turn man. One night in the early eigh-ties, says a writer in The Cornhill Maga-sine, when he and some of his followers were suspended for persistent obstruction in the house of commons, he went up to the distinguished strangers' gallery with a colleague to watch the subsequent source of events in the house. Noticing that he was very preocoupled and abstracted, his colleague so said, "A penny for your thoughts, Mr. Parnell," "Well," replied the Irish leader, "I was thinking how it's had nover struck me before that there are so many baldheaded members in the house."

hours in company without ever opening his lips. During his visit to this country he dined at Apsley House, the guest of the second duke of Wellington. A very dis-

second duke of Weilington. A very dis-tinguished company was present to mees him. He spoke in monosyllables only dur-ing the dinner, but when the ladies had retired he remarked aloud to his host, "My lord, I have heard that your father was a military man!"

He Had No Choice.

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THE DEAN AND HIS WIFE

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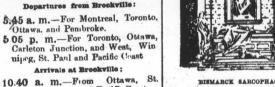
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Paul, Winnipeg and Pacific Cuast. 10.30 p. m — From Ottawa, Si broke, Toronto and Montreal. servephagus, which was to be placed in the Imperial dome, where the remains of Wilhelm I. rest. The artist, after learn-ing that this order clashed with the last will of the Frince, thought no sarcopha-gus would be built. Recently, however, DORG, FORDTO AND MONTREAL. Palace Sleeping, Parlor and Dining Cars on all through trains. Close con-nection at Carleton Junction with the trans-continental trains for the Pacific Const. Leaves Brockville daily (except Sundary) 45005 gus would be built. Bages had cocasion to meet the know. Bages had cocasion to meet the know. the cathedral, who said to him: "Never the cathedral, who said to him: "Never ad reports; just go to work on the as submitted to me. I will have my Sunday) at 5.05 p. m. For tickets and further information In the middle of the sarcophagus e-size figure of the Prince in cui-GEO. E. MCGLADE, AGENT

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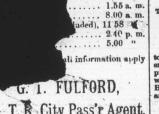
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plans submitted to the sarcophagus is a life-size figure of the Prince in oui-rassier uniform, and at his feet lies a large dog, the sublem of fidelity. The entire structure, as well as the figures, will be of white mable. The sarcophagus will be fready soon after the Kaiser's re-sure from Palestine.

To Double the Populati

To Double the Fogulation. While European Russia will need only 45 years or so, Germany about 65 years, Austria-Hungary 70 years, England 80 years, and Italy 110 years, it will take France ever 860 years to double its popu-

SMILE PROMPTERS.

The Burial of Sir Turkey Gobbler Not a drum was heard, not a funeral not As his corse to the ramparts we hurrie Not a waiter discharged a farewell shot O'er the grave where the turkey wi buried.

No useless coffin inclosed his breast Nor in sheet nor in shroud they wound

him, But he lay like a hero taking his rest, with the ovsters all around him.

Simple and short was the grace they said, And they spoke not a word of sorrow. They steadfastly gazed on the dishful of

dead And painfully thought of tomorrow. swine in cholera or other times is some Little they'll talk of the turkey that's gone And o'er his cold hashes upbraid him. But little he'll reck if they let him sleep on In the grave where the eaters have laid

Slowly and sadly they put him down, From the field on the farm fresh and gery. They carved not a line, but they did carve

And left him in gravy and glory. -Detroit Free Press

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Boiling to Death. The last instance of boiling to death took place in Persia in 1890. The offend-er, guilty of stealing state revenues, was put into a caldron of cold water, which was slowly heated to the boiling point. His bones were distributed as a warning among the provisional tax collectors. the provisional tax co

Osaka has been called the New York of and happiness reign wisery and suffering P. Lamb & Son. ing villages n. With the ma that cluster around it it has a popul of about 1,000,000.

enjoying a sleep and forgetting for the moment that it was Sunday he shortly arrive to take charge of the milk testing department. It is stated that the following ex-

the moment that it was Sunday he gave the sleeper a dig in the ribs with the plate and called "tickets for Pres redicatively and that the tonowing ex-pedicatively will care a horse from kick-ing :--Put the animal into a narrow stall thickly padded. Suspend a sack filled with hay or straw so that it will strike his heels, and let the sack and EASY VICTIMS.

Large Percentage of Members in the Com-mons Suffer From Catarrh-The Hope of Fifty Found in Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder-They Tell Their Own Story of Successful Recovery Through this Remedy orse fight it out. Be sure you have things so arranged that the horse can-not hurt himself. The sack will be victorious every time, and in the end the horse will absolutely refuse to Mr. W. H. Bennett, member for

East Simcoe, and forty-nine others of the House of Commons, have over kick the sack or anything else.

their own signatures, told of the good effect of Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Pow-Judge McDougall gave a decision t Toronto on Saturday that is of inter der. What the remedy has done fc. st to benefit societies. Michael Nolar these Parliamentarians it is doing for sued John J. M. Landry for \$200 thousands of others in public and pri-vate life the Dominion over. With damages for alleged breach of contract in resigning from the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association, thereby voiding an insurance policy in Nolan's favor for \$2,000. Nolan had become bene cold in the head it gives immediate relief inside of half an hour, and a little rener mance on main an nour, and a nittle perseverance quickly rids the head of alt trouble. It is easy and pleasant to use and produces no hurtful after effect. Sold by J. P. Lamb & Son. ficiary by agreeing to pay all the dues-His Honor held that under the domin-ion charter he was not one of the class

to be a beneficiary, the association' object being the protection of widows The Trades and Labour Council of

and orphans. Napanee Bearer : Three young men

Vancouver have decided to demand an eight-hour day system from con-tractors at the Commencement of the uilding season of 1899.

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the r. M. on monday and being the first offence they were let off with costs -\$3.75 each. The young men think they were very badlv used. It does not seem to be generally known that any person not a lodger in a public it is peerless. Also cures teter, salt rheum, eczema, barber's itch and all eruptions of the skin. Rélieves in a house obtaining or even asking for liquor during the hours prohibited by law and can be punished therefor. day. 35 cents. Sold by J. P. Lamb.

Mark Twain sometimes takes an The best medicine that can be give interest in politics. Once, being invit-ed to speak in the interest of his felthing to keep them well and in good appetite. It is hard to doctor a sick lowtownsman, General Joseph Hawley, who was a candidate for re-election, he said, in the course of a droll address : hog. A half pail of skim-milk, in which are stirred a half dozen raw eggs, is a good and grateful dose, and will soothe and heal the inflamed stomach and bowel linings. said, in the course of a droll address : —"General Hawley deserves your sup-porty, although he has about as much influence in purifying the Senate as a bunch of flowers would have in sweet-ening a glue factory. But he's all right; he never, would turn any poor beggar away from his door empty-handed. He always gives them some-thing — almost without exception a

What a Fleet I-Sour Stomach Distress after Eating, Weight in the Stomach, Wind on the Stomach, Loss of Appetite, Dizziness, Nausea, Sick Headache-formidable foes to good bealth--but Dr. Von Stan's Pineapple Tablets are the invincible battleships that can put to rout and destroy the last vestige of them, and make peace and happiness reign where all mass misery and suffering 35 con J. thing - almost without exception a letter of introduction to me, asking me to help them."

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The Fatal peaket-Pistol.

There is a strong impression that fewer deer hunters would be shot if there weren't so many of them half-shot.-Ex.

structions which he brought from the attorney, and then kicked bin out. In a neighboring town lived Kate Winthrop. She had been Kate Wether-bee, but during the very last summer, while other cousins had been cultivat-

while other couldn's had been curve-ing their golden expectations, she had married Jack Winthrop and had settled down in a mug, quiet home, peaceful and happy. Her husband worked hard for a living, and she helped him, and she was grateful and glad that she had the structure of a construction of the structure of the set

the was graterul and glad that she had the strength so to do. Jedediah Sprout called upon Kate and presented the attorney's instruc-tions. "Come in—come in and rest," said

Kate, in her winsome, cheery way. "Come in and stop for dinner, but don't

"Come in and stop for dinner, but don's say anything about the Bogle property. I don't case to hear it." "But," urged Jedediah, "you are a melative!" "My mother was a cousin, some four

"My mother was a cousin, some rou-or five times removed," appwared Kate, "but I found no claims upon that cir-cumstance. My poor pittance wouldn't be worth the wrangling and tangling I should have to endure, and, moreover, Jack and myself have concluded that we had better media our our cance."

we had better paddle our own cance." By and by Jack came in, and to him Jedediah presented the subject. But

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By and by Jack came in, and to him Jeddiah presented the subject. But Jack was as emphatic as his pretty wife had been. He didn't care to mix in the feverish, sorambling mess. "But," said he, "I'll tell you what

Napance Bearer : Three young men applied for liquor refreshment at one of the town hotels one night last work during prohibited hours. Not only where they refused their request, but the manager complained to the license inspector. The case came up before the P. M. on Monday and being the fort offere they were let off with cost I will do, Mr. Spront. I have heard your story, and in all honor and hu-manity I tink your claims are just. If you cannot get the share of Assalom Bogle's property to which you are morally entitled, you are welcome to all you can get in the name of my wife. How is that, Kato?" "I agree with all my heart!" cried Kato.

share to him."

Kate.

Kate. The rich moisture in Jedediah's eyes gave token of the feelings which he did not speak. He sat down and ate dinner with the happy young couple and said no more upon the subject of business. The weeks rolled on, and the morn-

ing of the 4th of December at length arrived. In the great, old, shambling house which had been vacant since the day of Absalom Bogle's fuzeral an anxious orew were assembled. On that very morning Jack and Kate Winthrop had been visited by Mr. Spooner, who had asked their attend-ance on the coming occasion. They had replied to him that they had no interest in the matter.

Her Occupation.

in the matter. "But," said Mr. Spooner, "Jedediah Sprout tells me that you will give your Press.

Fully Recovered. share to him." "If he can get it," added Jack. "If he is to get it at all," said the attorney, "it will be necessary that you and your wife should be there to relinuirer.

quisa it." "On your honor, Mr. Spooner, do you think our presence would help poor Jedediah Sprout?" asked Kate. The attorney replied that he thought

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teman, mentions in his "Recollections" that when 10 years old he had a tutor whe constantly inculcated in him recitude, purpose and energy. The tutor's praise of energy was ex-pressed by the saying: "There are three letters of more value than all the rest in the alphabet—namely, N R G." Good Advice Wasted. "Young,man," said the severe looking individual on the same seat, "do you ever go hunting?" "Sometimes," said the young man. "And are you as careful as you should be about lifting a gun? Do you know that when you raise it you should do so with the muzzle pointing down?" "I don's believe I ever thought of that," said the young man, "and I've raised sev-ernl." Good Advice Wasted.

a control of the second of the second "You are criminally careless," said the serious party, "if you neglect these pre-

eautions." "Blessed if I ever saw it in that light before," said the young man. "Does it make any difference if the guns are full of "Full of water?" cried the serious man.

"Yes," said the youth calmly; "that's the only kind I raise. My name is Hob-

Consent Not Necessary.





Bessie-J'll let you ride my bicycle if no want to, little boy. Muggsy-Huh! If I'd wanted to, I'd aken yer wheel long before dis!-New ork Journal. stages, especially in young people. We make no exaggerated claims, but we have positive evidence that the

He Enjoyed the Uproar. early use of "Did you enjoy the English opera la "Why, yes, I enjoyed it, but I didn't know it was English."-Philadelphia Scott's Emulsion

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"There goes a woman who makes her ving out of hush money." "What's her business?" "She's a baby's nurse."—Philadelphia

"Has your husband fully reco his army experience?". "Oh, quite! He finds fault with the victuals every day now."-Cincinnati Er

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The wise of a dynamo tender went to a haberdasher's to buy a necktle for her hus-band. She selected a brilliant red one, ready made, whereupon the young and in-experienced salesman, with compassion for the future owner, was moved to remark: "Excuse me, missus, is this tie for your buschend?" With the evidences of Asiatic contact supposed to be so strong in Central Amer-ica one might have imagined that so use-ful a device as the simple chopsticks would have secured a footing. These two sticks, held in one hand and known in China as "hastoners or nimple lads," are cortainly the most useful, the most economical, and the most efficient device for their purposes ever invented by man. Throughout that vast Asian region, em-bracing a population of 500,000,000, the chopstick is used as a substitute for fork, tonze and certain forms of tweezers. Even

husband?" "It is," replied the woman. "Don't you think he'd rather have some other color! I'm afraid he won's wear this red tie." "Oh, yes, he will!" said the woman firmly. "He'll have to-he's dead."— Electrical Review.

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Attle. Now, Aristophanes also had the curious notion that just becauge he had written successful comedies he could be funny. "You write in the attio," he mused, palpably struggling to remain calm. "Why not on the ground floor?" "That," replied Damosthenes, whose great prophetic soul enabled him aptly to quote words as yet unspoken, "is another story."

In ancient Egypt when a cat died in a private house the inmates shaved their sysbrows. The killing of a cat, even accidentally, was considered a capital offende.

The psaltery of Spain is supposed to save been introduced into that country by the Moors. It is still in common use mong the pea

In the Far West. Stage Manager-Here, what in thunder delaying the performance? Where's Pil Stage Hand-He says he'll never go on

again as Cyrano unless you git him cage for his nose.

Changed, Indeed Changed, Indeed! For ten long years we had not met. Now by her side I sit. My arm steals gently 'bout her waist— She has not changed? I guess I'm wrong. That can be plainly seen. Just twenty-three her years were then, But now she's seventeen! —Yonkers Statesman.

Easily Answered. Eastly Answered. "I am glad to see you take an interest in the dear little birds, shildren. Can any one tell me what this one is? I see Katle Upjohn's hand is up. What is it, Katle? "it's the kind mamma always wears on her hat."--Exchange.

Uncle Allen. "In everything you do," counseled Un-cle Allen Sparks, "always try to improve on your previous efforts. You will not succeed, of course, but it will help you to keep up a respectable average."--Chicago Tribune.

ever, where a cure is impossi-"Injun Summer." Don't like Injun summer days-most too still fer me. Every time a hick'ry nut comes fallin from a tree ble, this well-known remedy should be relied upon to prolong life surprisingly. Hear it fer a mile or more! Wish, from soc. and \$1.00, all druggists

sun to sun. They'd send along a Injun an scalp things