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It is understood that a certain young an in Chicago is willing to accept at a man in Chicago is willing to accept at a moderate salary any position requiring close application, a high order of intelligence and a meek and uncomplaining spirit. He has learned that he is only a unit in the sum of human existence, and that it does not pay to try to "bluff" others into a contrary belief.

He had worked six months for a long established insurance company, fulfilling his duties, as he had reason to believe, with entire satisfaction to his superiors. He knew that the head bookkeeper had referred to him as a "bright young man," and that his fellow clerks regarded him with respect. The manager smiled cordially when he met him and addressed him familiarly by his Christian name. Altogether he felt remarkably secure in his position.

She brooded over that letter several days planning her revenge. At length she came to a decision. She got a large square pleace of cardboard and started her letter in the very center of it, writing in an ever widening circle. Her very first sentence was: "Dear Jack: If you persevere in reading this letter, you will find in it something you greatly wish to know. If you do not read it, you will never know it." There was something he did wish to know and only she could tell him, so he buckled down to it. At first he turned the paper around slowly as he read and in a few minutes almost toppled over with dizziness. He rested and tried it again, but was compelled to stop, for his eyes burned ness. He rested and tried it again, but was compelled to stop, for his eyes burned and his head ached. After another rest, he placed it on the floor and stooping over, walked slowly around it, reading as he went. The first evening he was compelled to stop before he had half finished it and before he had come to the desired its or the desired its and before he had come to the desired its or the desired its and before he had come to the desired its or the desired its and before he had come to the desired its or the desired

it and before he had come to the desired information.

The following night he tackled it again, and in the course of an hour's work, as hard as any he had ever attempted, he came upon this sentence almost near the end: "This is what I wanted to tell you. Don't ever again try to be funny with me—I can get even with you every time."

The young man didn't finish the letter, but he vowed to himself that he never would try to be funny at her expense is the future.

UNCLASSIFIED.

A commission will be appointed by the Postmaster-General to investigate into the troubles in the Kingston postoffice.

Sixteen cases of smallpox have been discovered in the 2,248 Doukhobors who are at present quarantined at Grosse Isle. The American Line steamer Paris is doomed. Her boilers have shifted, her false bottoms are gone, and the divers are unable to work.

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false bottoms are gone, and the divers are unable to work.

The Volksraad of the Orange Free State, in session, has endorsed all that President Kruger did at the conference with Sir Alfred Milner.

Sons of I'mperance at Laisauwine in last Tuesday.

S. Gardiner is preparing to immediately rebuild his barns, which were burnt down a few days ago.

A. Neal has got his new brick

The Bank of England has bought \$2,500,000 in American eagles to strengthen its reserves, to which end most of the gold on its way will be devoted. A society has been formed in Great Britain to fight cancer. In the past ten years the ratio of deaths from this cause has risen from 385 to 787 per million in-habitants.

habitants.
William Armstrong, officer in charge of the Dominion Fish Hatchery at Newcastle, arrived in Kingston with 100,000 salmon trout for that district on Friday.
Mr. Armstrong deposited some of them in the channel and in the harbor, and

Mr. Armstrong deposited some of them in the channel and in the harbor, and others near Knapp's Point.

The seismograph as Tcronto Observatory recorded two earthquake shocks during the past week. The first shock occurred on Sunday night, 4th inst. at 11.28 p.m. It lasted until 7.35 Monday morning. For ten minutes the shock was great, but after that it was slight. The second shock was recorded at 10.07 on Monday morning, and lasted until 13 18 o'clook. It was at its height at 10.15 o'clook.

o'clock. It was at the control of colors o'clock.
Friday the judicial committee of the Privy Council at London gave judgment in favor of Mrs. Patterson for \$13,500 and Mrs. Lang for \$20,000 against the City of Victoria, B.C., damages for the lives of their husbands who were killed in the Point Ellis bridge disaster four years ago Queen's Birthday. These two cases cost the city \$40,000 in damages and costs, and now there are the other claimants te settle with.

Lawton Sweeps Country Between Manila and Bay Lake South. Manila, June 12.—At daybreak on Sat-rday a force of 4500 men, under Generals arday a force of 4500 men, under Generals Lawton, Wheston and Oyenshine, ad-vanced from San Pedro Macati, sweep-ing the country between the Bay of Manila and Bay Lake, south of Manila. By noon the country had been cleared almost to Paranaque. The Americans lost two officers killed and 21 soldiers wounded.

Casualties of the War. Casualties of the War.
Washington, June 12.—Among the reports submitted by Ceneral Otls concerning the operations of the army in Manila is one from Col. Henry Lippincott, chief surgeon of the army. for the month of March. Col. Lippincott says: "The long slist of engagements between our troops and the Filipinos continuing through the month resulted in the following casualties to our command:

month resulted in the following casual-ties to our command:
"Killed-Officers, 6; enlisted men, 71.
Died from wounds-Officers, 2; enlisted men, 14.
"Wounded-Officers, 18; enlisted men,

485. Total casualties for the month, 596. Total casualties since outbreak, 1,029."

"Our orchestra has gone to pieces."
"What was the matter?"
"The leader trained us to play as one nan and then wanted to pay us that way

Kiteflying has been popular in Japan for many centuries, the kites depicting the most absurd figures, generally of aged gentlemen, birds or puppy dogs.

The loftiest cliff on the coast of Eng-and is Beachy head, the height of which

A Child's Suffering.

MR. WM. McKAY, CLIFFORD, N. S. TELLS OF HIS DAUGHTER'S CURE.

specific for d.seases arising from an impoverished condition of the blood or shattered nerves, such as St. Vitus' dance, locomotor ataxia, rheumatism, paralysis, sciatica, the after effects of la grippe, headache, dizziness, erysipelas, scrofula, etc. They are also a and sallow cheeks. Protect yourself against imitations by insisting that against imitations by every box bears the full name Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. If your dealer does not have them they will be sent, post paid, at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50, by addressing the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

SEELEY'S BAY

SATURDAY, June 24 .- A number from this section attended the guarter-ly session of Leeds District Division Sons of Tomperance at Lansdowne

machine in running order and it is turning out from eight to ten thousand

finely moulded brick daily.

Rev. T. Brown is now entering on his fourth year on Seeley's bay circuit. Putnam Bros are pushing the work on the erection of their new bakery. They expect to make their first batch of bread in it on Monday (26 inst). Robt. Tait has been quite ill for the act few days with a severe attack of

ronchitis.
Mr. and Mrs. C. Brady are spending few days with friends at Clayton, N. Y, and vicinity. Mr. John Cawley and son of Athens isited friends here on Friday and

Saturday last. Mrs. remains about the same.

Work at Dr. Christie's new house is being pushed rapidly. The founda-tion walls are completed and the brick walls are built up to the first

vindows.

The painting and decorating on the new English church will be completed next week.

The cocoons of the caterpillars that have worked such havoc among the trees about town, can be seen in abundance now. They are most plentiful on fences and on the edges of clabboards of houses. They should be destroyed at once, as in a couple of weeks it will be too late and the grub will be thicker than ever in another year.

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Encourage you to eat what you like, and they correct indigestion in a natural way. They relate distress in an al way.

ANNUAL DICOESAN PILGRIMAGE

ill Take Piace on July 25th Under the

Tweeten of Rev. Fathers States and Tweeten and Tweeten and University of His Grace Most Rev. Charles Hugh Gauthier, D.D., Archbishop of Kingston, is announced to take place on Tuesday the 25th of July. It will be under the direction of Rev. Father Twomey of Tweet and Rev. Father Stanton of Brockville, who has so successfully organized the pilgrimages of past years, and have very kindly and generously consented to give his invaluable assistance on this occasion also. Starting from Toronto it will take in all stations on both G.T.R. and C.P.R. as far east as the limits of Ontario. Fares and time

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proved false, for now nearly three years she has had unbroken good health, nerves as strong as they are made, and stands school work and country newspaper man has if he made, and stands school work and country newspaper man has if he chooses to "bite".—The White bicycle household work as well as a mature person. We have no doubt about Dr. Williams' Pink Pills restoring to us our little girl whom we looked upon as doomed to an early grave."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a specific for diseases arising from

A New York Irm offers us a suit of clothes in exchange for advertising. Loyalty to the home merchant forbids our accepting the nickle-plated, gold brick of the New Yorkers.

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Next comes the Ridgelane Cycle Co.
offering us one of their wheels '99
model, for \$14 cash and \$14 advertising. We want a model for 1900, with stays to brace the back, a wheel that specific for the troubles peculiar to the stays to brace the back, a wheel that femsle system, building anew the blood and restoring the glow of health to pale can behave itself going down hill, and

ber yard, he had to drive across the G. T. railway track, which cannot be seen west of the crossing by parties coming from the north, the view being shut off by buildings. When Mr. Cornett reached the track, a freight train came upon him from the west. He was thrown some distance, one of the horses was killed, and the wagon broken up. The other horse was not much injured. He received every attention, but died at 2 o'clock yesterday morning.

Patrons of Glen Bue'll cheese fact ory last week received an interesting circular letter from their Sec'y-Treas, giving the finding of Inspector Publow on his recent official visit in search of trouble, butter-fat, and water." It is the presence of the last that produces the first, and both were contended to start hims of the presence of the last that produces the first, and both were contended to start hims going again in San Francisco, but he smilingly asked them not to talk business during hours of diversion. The next day he was on board the steamer to talk business during hours of diversion. The next day he was on board the steamer to talk business during hours of diversion. The next day he was on board the steamer to talk business during hours of diversion. The next day he was on board the steamer to talk business during hours of diversion. The next day he was on board the steamer to talk business during hours of diversion. The next day he was on board the steamer to talk business during hours of diversion. The next day he was on board the steamer to talk business during hours of diversion. The next day he was on board the steamer to talk business during hours of diversion. The next day he was on board the steamer to talk business during hours of diversion. The next day he was on board the steamer to talk business during hours of diversion. The next day he was on board the steamer to talk business during hours of diversion. The next day he was on board the steamer to talk business during hours of diversion. The next day he was on board the steamer to talk business duri

C. Blackman's condition about the same. "trouble, butter tat, and water." is the presence of the last that produces the first, and both were conditionally the same. spicuous by their absence. The samples taken from the several lots of milk presented a uniform high per cent of fat for milk in the flow of the season. The test applied to the vats when the milk was all in revealed the fact that he had found at Glen Buell the highest average per cent of butter-fat of any factory tested up to June 17. This is very properly described as being "a good record, coming from a good man to good people."

Dr. Marschand, the celebrated

Dr. Marschand, the celebrated French physician, has at last opened his magnificently equipped laboratory in Windsor, Ont. There is a large staff of Chemists and physicians at his command, and the men and women of Canada may now procure the advice of this famous specialist free of charge.

Dr. Marschand has a world wide reputation for successfully treating all nervous diseases of men and women, and you have but to write the doctor to be convinced that your answer, when received, is from a man who is entitled to the high position he holds in the medical frateinity.

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Why suffer in silence when you can why somer in stence when you can secure the advice of this eminent physician free of charge.

All correspondence is strictly confidential and names are beld as sacred.

Answers to correspondence are mailed

in plain envelopes.

You are not asked to pay any exor-

You are not asked to pay any exorbitant price for medicines, in fact it rarely happens that a patient has expended over 50 cents to one dollar before he or she becomes a firm friend and admirer of the doctor.

A special staff of lady physicians assist Dr. Marschand in his treatment of female cases. A lways enclose three cent stamp when you write and address the Dr. Marchand Chemical Co., Detriot, Mich., U. S. A. — Mention the Athens Reporter when you write the Athens Reporter when you write the doctor.

TWO NERVY LOSERS.

SEEMED TO ENJOY THE LOSS.

of the money he had won from the sheep man.

"No, you won't,' replied the herder, 'but you can give me a drink and a bottle to put in my pocket.

Better take a couple of thousand and run to Frisco or Denver and have a whirl out of it, anyhow, 'persisted Hosford.

"I've had my whirl,' was the man's reply. He wasn's sulky at all, and he didn't try to look abused. He was simply all man and all game.

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"Where are you bound for now? asked Hosford after settling for the drinks.

"Back to the old G—8,' said the herder, and he started for the ranch an hour later. He had bought three blue flannel shirts, a pair of top boots and a poncho, and he took these things along with him in a bundle. They were all he got out of his \$18,000. He was found frozen stiff on the south bank of the Snake river the next winter.

winter.
"Tom Vanbrugh, who in the late seven 

Mining engineers agree that the limit to which shafts may be sunk into the earth with the present machinery and equipments is 10,000 feet. The deepest shaft ever dug is the one now in existence in one of the copper mines on Lake Superior. It has a sheer depth of 5,000 feet. Dr. A. C. Lane, the assistant geologist for Michigan, in an article in Mineral Industry on "How Deep Can We Mine?" places the probable limit at 10,000 feet. He sees, however, that enormously rich deposits might lead man to dig to 15,000 feet with profit. The element of danger is not con-How Deep We May Dig. might lead man to dig to 10,000 less what profit. The element of danger is not considered in these calculations. In conclusion, he says, "The present knowledge cannot foresee reaching a depth of 20,0% feet."

THE COBRA AND THE HARE. Rider Haggard's Startling Adventure on the Transvaal Veldt.

Rider Haggard's Startling Adventure on the Transvani Veidt.

Once, many years ago, I was riding in soarch of small game upon the veidt in the Transvani when a hare jumped up before me. Halting the horse, I shot at it from the saddle and with the second barrel broke one of its hind legs and injured the other. Springing from my horse and without reloading the gun, I ran to eatch it, but as it could still travel faster than I did I saw with chagrin that it would reach a hole for which it was heading (in Africa these hares go to ground if pressed) before I was able to overtake it. Presently it came to the hole, but instead of bolting down it sat quite still upon the hither side. Thinking that the animal was expiring, I crept up cautiously and stretched out my hand to seize it.

The next instant I received one of the sharpest shocks that I can remember to have experienced, for on the other side of the hole, within about four feet of my face, like some child of an evill magic, there rose up suddenly the hugest cobra ("ringhals," I think the Boers call it) that I have ever seen. The reptile, which appeared to me to be about six feet long, stood upon his coiled tail and, puffing out his horrible and deadly hood, flickered his tongue and spat upon me. There was no reason why he should not have struck me also, since for the moment I seemed paralyzed and did not move. Recovering myself, I sprang backward and began to search in my pocket for a cartridge to put into my gun, whereon the great smake, sinking down again, with a single swift movement vanished into the hole which was between it and me.

Now, as the "ringhals" had gone. I movement vanished into the hole which was between it and me.

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Just a Little Fib.

"Seeing the name of the painter, Alfred Stevens, in the papers reminds me of a neat little faux pas made by a would be art connoisseur in Paris a few years ago," said a gontleman who owns a few masterpieces himself. "It is hard to realize that a man with the thoroughly Anglo-Saxon name of Alfred Stevens is not English or American, and, in fact, there is a ring to the name that suggests the United States. As a matter of fact, Stevens is a Belgian master, pronounces his name 'Stayvenz' and is as far from English in his style as it is possible to be.

"Stevens is a prominent figure in Parisian art circles and is greatly respected. In one of the American aslons of Paris a newly arrived young lady, with art aspirations, was discoursing learnedly on painters and painting when some one chanced to ask whether she had met Alfred Stevens.

"After a moment's hesitation the young learnedly late." No. 1 don't believe I see

"After a moment's hesitation the young lady replied: "No, I don't believe I ever met him, but he has relatives in Bridgeport, Conn., and I have seen him there several times. I think he is one of your eleverest young painters, don't you?"—
New Orleans Times-Democrat. A Bank of Brides. A Bank of Brides.

Simla, the summer capital of the Indian empire, is a pretty pine treed place well up in the footbills of the Himalayas. A feature of Simla life is the annual fair held by the native hills people, an attractive item of which is a "bank of brides" tive item or which is a "bank or brides in an amphitheater, where sit numbers of young women who thus calmly announce that they are candidates for hymeneal

Some of these aspirants to matrimony so patiently awaiting a choosing are quite pretty and have intelligent faces, but those of Mongol caste must needs linger long for a partner, if personal beauty enters into the equation.—Exchange.

It's Well It's So. "When one breaks an engagement," suggested the bud, "I suppose it is the proper thing to return the engagement ring."
"If it were not," replied the girl who had been out three seasons, "some girls would have to have their engagement ring fingers lengthened."

Charles Dana Gibson, the artist, engaged an Arab servant during his recent oriental trip, and the man has become Mr. Gibson's regalar valet in New York.

Emile Zola, during his stay in England, has become deeply interested in the controversies between high church and low and reads all that he can regarding the matter.

matter.

Max Nordau has become a most ardent advocate of Zionism. He is in Holland lecturing on the subject, and to show that he is not doing it for money the admission fee to his lectures is 4 cents. There is no foundation for the report that Edmond Rostand, the French dramatist, author of "Cyrano de Bergerac," has become mentally deranged. On the contrary, he is in excellent health and is now engaged in writing a new play.

Thomas Bailey Aldrich, since inheriting a fortune, has been criticled for writing less than the tofore. "This is unjust," he says, "fee, though I do not have be produce so much, I give the time to careful consideration of what I do write. I work just as much as ever."

I work just as much as ever. GLEANINGS.

The last issue of the London (England) Directory, it is said, weighs 11½ pounds. A bottle head whale 14 feet long was recently captured in the Trent river, Eng-land, 40 miles inland. A society has been formed in Vienn

A society has been formed in visinal for the purpose of testing inventions and providing means to those who have them not for applying them practically.

A San Francisco man who died not long ago with pleurisy was found to have had three-quarters of an inch of a needle in his heart, which had been there long enough to rust. A circus elephant needing surgical treatment was recently chloroformed in Peru, Ind. The annesthetic was given through the trunk by means of a trouser leg slipped around it and packed with cot-

ton.

In Europe physicians no longer prescribe medicines for their patients in the form of pills. All medicines which are not liquid are compounded into tablets or cachets. Capsules are also out of date on the continent.

THE ROYAL BOX.

Of the present rulers of European em pires and kingdoms only one-third as-cended the throne by direct hereditary right.

right.
Queen Victoria's fondness for the poetry
of Longfellow has more recently led her
to the study of Emerson, a volume of
whose essays she is now seldom without.
The Prince of Monaco is now worth
\$10,000,000 and has more in prospect. The
prince takes \$250,000 a year from the
gambling tables at Monte Carlo. He pays
no taxes; police, drains, electric light and
government socials are all paid from the
profits of the tables.

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Queen Withelmina goes to bed at 11 and gets up very early. Her first toilet is a quick one, for it is merely a preparation for a brisk walk in the park. On these excursions she wears a rough woolen "mante" like those of the Friesland pease.

When she comes in, she has a out

Hand Over Mr. Field's Name.

For years Marshall Field has had an ardent admirer in Professor Johnnie Hand, the musician, and Johnnie has fiattered himself that Mr. Field has enfectioned a most friendly feeling for him. Whenover Mr. Field has the music, he always smiled as he passed the band leader and said pleasantly, "How do you do, professor?" and the professor, beaming most delightedly, always made a profound salute and replied, "How do you do, marshall"

Johnnie noticed on numerous cocasions thas Mr. Field's friends looked astonished when the courtesies were exchanged and that Mr. Field always smiled. But he supposed it was due to surprise at finding supposed it was due to surprise at finding the two titled people knew each other and to kindness of disposition on Mr. Field's part.

"How do you do, professor?" said Mr. Field.
"How do you do, marshal," said Professor Hand.
"Great Scott," exclaimed Johnnie's friend as Mr. Field got by. "Don't you know that's Marshall Field you just spoke

"To be sure," replied the professor.
"But, good heavens, man, you called
him by his first name!"
"First name!" gasped the astonished
bandmaster. "First name! I t'ought is
vas his teetle!"
His friend laughed long and loudly, but
Johnnie's misery was sad to behold. He
refused to be comforted, and went home
figuring out how he could apologize best.
The next day Mr. Field received a note
containing a most elaborate apology from The next day Mr. Field received a note containing a most elaborate apology from his friend, the professor, who explained how he had become mixed between a first name and a title. In due course of time a reply reached Johnnie. It was kind in the extreme. In it Mr. Field asked that Johnnie continue to address him as Marshall. Mr. Field said it reminded him of his youth, and that few of his childhood friends were left to use it. A substantial check for Professor Hand's band concerts in the parks was inclosed.

When feeling good, Johnnie delights to tell the store. "But west dish contracts of the contract of the contra in the parks was inclosed.

When feeling good, Johnnie delights to tell the story. "But yust t'ink of mela ignorance," he always adds, "I t'out sure it vas his teetle."

WHY THE PAPER DIED

It Was Too Conscientious For This Wicked, Wicked World. Wieked, Wicked World.

This is a French story—of Louis Blanc, who, as the world knows, was the most uncompromising man in the world and the most conscientious. He spent about half his life in prison because he would say what he thought was right, regardless of consequences to himself. In one of the brief intervals when he was out of prison, and when his popularity ran high, a paper, l'Homme Libre, was started for him. He was made the sole responsible head of it. One day he took the paper up as soon as it came out, and his eye happened to fall on a conspicuous advertiseas soon as it came out, and his eye in pened to fall on a conspicuous adver

pened to fall on a conspicuous advertisement, which read thus:

"The best pills are X—'s pills."

Blanc called his secretaire de la redaction, who was as near to being a business manager as the paper had, showed him the 'ad." and said to him:

"Don's you think we are taking a good deal on ourselves in making that statement?"

"Why, what do you mean, sir?" the man asked puzzled.

"How do you know that X—'s pills are better than anybody's else's pills?" demanded Blanc. "Have you taken them ail?"

all?"

"No, sir."

"Then what justification have we in attempting to guarantee the superiority of one kind of pills?"

"But it's an advertisement, and all papers do the same."

"What all papers do is no guide to us. Let us make no attacement that we are not perfectly sure of Let this statement not appear again."

The advertisement did not appear again—nor for that matter did any adverse again—nor for that matter did any adverse.

Just previous to his death.

It is reported that John Philip Sousa has set the poem, "Oh, Why Should the Spirit of Mortal Be Proud?" to music, and the number will be added to "The Bride Elect."

Madeleine Lucette Ryley is at her home in New York, engaged in completing her new play, based upon the romantic career of Richard Savage, which will be presented in Ellicit.

Richard Le Gallienne has denied a Lon-

The advertisement did not appear again—nor for that matter did any advertisements appear very long in the paper. Conducted on so careful a basis l'Homme Libre proved too bright and good for human nature's daily food. But it died a beautiful death

It's Well It's So.

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"If it were not," replied the girl who had been out three seasons, "some girls would have to have their engagement ring fingers lengthened."

Diplomacy In the Home.

Jepson—How did your wife fancy your new suit?

Harveys—She disliked it so much that I had to tell her I got it at a bargain sale.

—Rrooklyn Life.

PEN AND BRUSH.

Charles Dana Gibson, the artist, engaged an Arab servant during his recent oriental trip, and the man has become Mr. Gibson's regular valet in New York. No Use For Clocks.

An Ad. on the Gallows.

A dangerous criminal was about to be executed in Calcutta. While his last tolies was going forward, an Englishman who had just landed begged five minutes' conversation with him, which was granted. All that was heard of the interview was the final remark of the criminal. He called after his visitor: "A thousand pounds to my hoirs' You understand?"

When the hangman had prepared for his sad duty, the culprit claimed the right to say a farewell word. Lifting up his voice, he roared aloud to the assembled multitude: "All you who listen hear my dying statement: The best coffee is the coffee of Messrs Chicory, Chewem & Chocker of Calcutta and London!"—San Francisco Argonaut. An Ad. on the Gallows.

Enjoyable.

"Did you have a nice time at the concert last night?"
"Splendid! Sue Dallington told me of a lovely new dressmaker that she has found."

Rarely indeed is a wealthy Turk seen at his wife's dinner table. He usually dines in a part of the house remote from that occupied by his connubial partner or partners. Roast monkey is said to be quite a dainty dish. Its flavor is a sort of com-promise between pheasant and hare.

Hon. R. P. Bland died at Lebanon, Hen. R. P. Bland died at Lebanon, Mo., on Thursday morning, after a sleep of 83 hours. Richard Parks Bland was one of the best-known men in the House of Representatives. He served the Eighth Missouri District for 11 consoutive terms, the longest continuous service of any of the present generation. This earned him the title of "Father of the House." He was also known as "Boft-Money Bland."

MR. MACNISH RESIGNS.

The Liberal M.P.P. for West Elgin Dis-claims His Assembly Seat. elaims His Assembly Seat.

Toronto, June 19.—Mr. Donald Macnish, M.P.P., for West Elgin, has vacated his seat. His return is protected by the Conservatives.

The following notification was regeived at the Parliament Buildings on Saturday morning, and notification given to the registrar of the Court of Appeal at Osgoode Hall:

To the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly, Toronto:

To the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly, Toronto:

Dear Sir—I, Donald Macnish, memberelect to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario for the electoral division of West Elgin, do hereby disclaim all my rights or title to sit or to vote as such member or in any manner to act as such member.

(Signed) Donald Macnish.

Marchand Welcomed Home. March and Welcomed Meme.
Thoissey, Erance, June 19.—Major
Marchand arrived yesterday morning at
Thoissey, his birthplace, and was received
by the/mayor and enthusiastic crowds.
His pissage from the railway station to
the residence of his father was a tribus-

Why let your neigh know it?
And why give them a chance to guess you are even five or ten years more?
Botter, give them good reasons for guessing the other way. It is very easy; for nothing sells of an bo quickly as grey halt. is a youth-renewer.

It hides the age under a luxuriant growth of hair the color of youth.

It never fails to restage color to gray hair. It will stop the hair from coming out also.

It feeds the hair built. Thin hair becomes thick hair, and abort hair becomes long hair.

CURTAIN RAISERS.

Della Rogers is singing at Bern, in Minnie Tracey is singing in grand open

at Marseilles.

Albani has started another barnstorming tour in South Africa.

Marie Burroughs will go starring at the head of her own company next season.

A dramatist has produced a play in England called "The Power and the Glory."

It is understood that John Drew will produce at least three new plays next season.

Clyde Fitch's "Courtship of Be

song recital.

Puccini was decorated with the cross of the Legion of Honor by President Faure just previous to his death.

ine Ellicts.

Richard Le Gallienne has denied a London report that he is dramatizing his book, "The Quest of the Golden Girl," but admits that his consent has been requested for the making of the story into a "fantastic opera."

THE SPEAKERSHIP. Possibly Speaker Reed has come to the conclusion that the house is fit for self government.—Detroit Tribune.

It would be too much to expect the next speaker to take up the czar business right where Mr. Reed left off.—Washington

Post.

It is curious how many men are willing to accrifice their political futures by becoming speaker of the house of representatives.—Albany Times-Union. General Grosvenor of Ohio says that if

There is a demand for Reed's old sho but not for his scepter. There is nobo with the nerve to play czar over the hot of representatives as he has done.—Wa Having dropped the speakership ball right in the center of the field, Mr. Reed has wisely gone far enough out of the way to keep clear of the ensuing scrim-

POLITICAL QUIPS. Princeton is to have a professor of poli-tics. An Ohio college would think such a teacher superfluous.—Pittsburg News. After the primaries have been reformed something might profitably be done the way of reforming men that do not tend the primaries.—Detroit Tribune. eand the primaries.—Detroit Tribune.

Admiral (Lower thinks that politics is largely a question of geography. It certainly keeps a good many politicians guessing where they're at.—St. Louis Republic.

There are a great many statesmen who would be in a bad way if it were not for their fool friends. Fool friends manage to assimilate a great many mistakes in the

DER KAISER.

Emperor William has sent President McKinley a condensed story of Christianity. Is this William's method of reflecting on the tendencies of America?—St. Paul Globe.

Emperor William will have a great deal of sympathy in the United States. The American public has had much sad experience with the comic song as an instrument of torture.—Rochester Democrat. ment of torture.—Rochester Democrat.

One of the German papers says Kalser
Willie characterized what Coghlan said at
the Union League club as "aussfuss der
weinlaune." That's simply awful. If
Coghlan actually was guilty of it, there
seems no way of getting round a crisis.—
St. Louis Republic.

WIRELESS TICKS.

If the wireless telegraph will figure the liarless dispatch, there will be a great gain indeed.—Pantagraph.
Wireless telegraphy may be the first step to communicating with Mars.—New York Commercial Advertiser.
It doth not appear which we shall have first—a wireless telegraphy or a stampless telegraphy.—Detroit Free Press.

Summer Colds

are noted for hanging on.

They weaken your throat and lungs, and lead to serious trouble.

Don't trifle with sham

Don't trifle with them. Don't trifle with them.
Take Scott's Emulsion at one. It soothes, heals, and cures.
Soc. and \$1. All druggiest.

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