

Will buy any kind of a stove, but Experienced Cooks always select a



MISCELLANEOUS.

She-"Do you intend to go abroad on your wedding trip when you get married ?" He-"I do, if I marry the right girl."

There are now 109,000 locomotives on the earth. Europe has 63,000; America, 40,000; Asia, 3,300; Australia, 2,000, and Africa, 700.

At Ambaston, in Derbyshire, there is a loaf of bread 600 years old. It was included in a grant of land from the crown in the reign of King John, and has remained in the Soar family ever since.

"May I kiss you, Miss Jane?" "I am sorry to see, Mr. Briggs, that you, too, are affected by the prevailing cause of business depression." "And that is ?" "Lack of confidence." Then he kissed her.

Mamma-" How cruel, Eleanor, to burt the poor little worm." Eleanor-"But he looked so lonesome, mamma, an' I jus' cut him in two so's he'd have company, an' the two of him wiggled off together jus' ever so happy ! "

The cloth of the old Egyptians was so good that, although it has been used for thousands of years as wrappings of the mummies, the Arabs of to day can wear it. It is all of linen, the ancient Egyptians considering wool unclean.

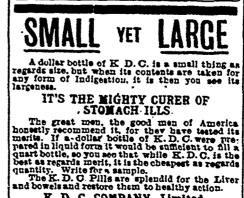
When Richard Harding Davis met the viceroy, Li Hung Chang, in St. Petersburg, he was asked how old and how rich he was, and what he did. He replied, "I write books." "Why do you write ?" said Li; "are you not strong enough to work.

Flowery Fields-"S, after hearin' dat stump-speaker las' night yer decided not ter vote fer McKinley, did yer?" Weary Willy-"You bet I did! W'y, ho said if McKinley wuz elected dere wouldn't be a man in de United States out of a job."

ILL TEMPERED BABIES

are not desirable in any home. Insuffi-cient nourishment produces ill temper. Guard against fretful children by feeding nutritious and digestible food. The Gail Borden Eugle Brand Condensed Milk is the most successful of all infant foods.

Satan tempts the young man with this plausible yet meretricious argument : " The desires of the flesh are natural and God-given. It cannot be wrong to gratify an instinct or appetite implanted by the Creator." Having lodged this thought in the untutored mind, the devil inflames the imagination with false pictures of pleasures and glosses sin over with the glittering expectations, until a pure youth, from a pure home, is willing to venture on unknown and forbidden paths, and then all too late, says Rev. D. M. Pratt, awakes to the awful fact that the slime of the pit has entered his soul ; that he is no longer iunocent, and can never escape from the consciousness of the fact that he is a moral blot on the pure life about him, is a contaminating influence in the refined home of his childhood, is a moral leper everywhere, and holds under cover a secret which he dare not expose.



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"Your money or your life," he hissed. The girl, who was taking advantage of The number of persons to the square mile in England is placed at 480; in the United States at seventcen. felt that it were necessary for me to be held up, I should employ a regular in-structor. Good-evening."

Mark Twain does not like to be interviewed. His opinion of the literary ability of the average interviewer is not at all flattering either. In a talk with Rudyard Kipling, Mark Twain once said : "I think the poorest article I ever wrote and destroyed was better worth reading than any interview with me that over was published. I would like just once to interview myself, so as to show the possibilities of the interview.

CATARRH MEANS DANGER

because if unchecked it may lead directly to consumption. Catarrh is caused by impure blood. This fact is fully established. Therefore, it is useless to try to cure catarrh by outward applications or inhalants. The true way to cure catarrh is to purify the blood. Hood's Sarsapa-rills, the great blood purifier, cures catarrh by its power to drive out all impurities from the blood. Thousands of people testify that they have been perfectly and permanently cured of catarrh by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

It is related of the Rev. George Smith, a missionary chaplain in Natal, that, though he did not bear arms against the Zulus in more than one attack, he did essential service by going round the various posts and distributing reserve cartridges. On one occasion, one of the men, in the heat and excitement of battle, was cursing his enemies and using most profane language. The chaplain, coming behind, heard his words, and said : " You should not speak like that, my friend. Don't curse them !" Then, shoving a package of cartridges into his hand said : Shoot them ! shoot them ! '

The Prince of Wales is not averse to having a little fun over his august mother's propensity for giving away India shawly. At the recent Henley regatta he had his attention drawn to an elderly lady who, the prince's friend said, bore a striking resemblance to the queen, and might be Her Majesty incognito. As the prince levelled his field-glass on her, she rose, and taking the shawl on which she had been sitting, threw it around the shoulders of the young girl who was with her. "It is undoubtedly the queen," the prince re-plied, quietly ; "she has betrayed herself. She has just presented one of her India hawls.

There is nothing that so promptly cuts short congestion of the lungs, sore throat, or inflammation of any kind as hot water when applied promptly and thoroughly. A strip of fisnnel doubled, dipped in hot water and wrung out and applied around the neck of a child who has the croup, will sometimes bring relief in ten minutes. Headache almost always yields to the simultaneous application of hot water to the feet and to the back of the neck. Hot water will relieve neuralgia, and a cupful taken before retiring is very beneficial. A glass of hot water taken before breakfast has cured many cases of indigestion, and no simple remedy is more widely recommended by physicians to dyspeptics.

God has sympathy with anybody o is in any kind of toil. I how heavy is the load of bricks which the workman carries up the ladder of the wall; He hears the pick of the miner down in the coal-shaft; He knows how strong the tempest strikes the sailor at the mast-head; He sees the factory girl among the spindles, and knows how her arms ache; He sees the sewing-woman in the fourth story, and knows how few pence she gets for making a garment ; and louder than all the din and roar of the city comes the voice of the sympathetic God : " Cast 127 State St., Voice of the sympathetic Lord, and H. Boston, Mar. thy burden upon the Lord, and H.