THE DOMESTIC SIDE BEST PRIVATE SECRETARY"

The Story of How He Got His Start.

No one, perhaps, has more personal week. In my own time and desire I acquaintances than Elmer Dover. learned to set type, and that was They are in all of the states and worth something. cities, and practically in every village "Into this elysium of my content of this country. Even so, no man in came the editor of the opposition spend their summer vacation in the fact remains that Lalla Rookh's Vale the multitude con say he ever saw a paper, a Democrat, who bought a castle of Wilhelmshohe, near Cassel. of Cashmere is going to be encomcloud in Elmer Dover's face or heard weekly at Akron and persuaded me to

In its commonly accepted definition have. I had been reading law at Mc- first mother in the land.

At the sunrise of his activity, Elmer Dover was graduated from Senator Hanna's political training school, and and competent. Hanna, the man of the part was that questions are the part was that questions furniture, provided the Jhelum River, which flows through the slopes of Wilhelmshohe vans of giganthe dependence on the Jhelum River, which flows through the slopes of Wilhelmshohe vans of giganthe dependence on the Jhelum River, which flows through the slopes of Wilhelmshohe vans of giganthe dependence on the Jhelum River, which flows through the slopes of Wilhelmshohe vans of giganthe dependence on the slopes of the slope of Wilhelmshohe vans of giganthe dependence on the slope of the slope valor and deeds, as was Gideon, and of scant words, as was Moses, gave tions and answers must be put down to scant words, as was Moses, gave to send the send and the send to send the send the send to send the se Dover his heart, the custody of his pocketbook, and the testimony that he was "the best private secretary on earth." To wring these evidences of faith and affection from Marcus "A. ten to whole he said. In the grounds and answers must be put down to make the put down to make the put down to make the point where the plant is unlight.

In the grounds an army of peasant women in blue cotton gowns and white handkerchiefs rake and hoe, prune and phase system of electric railway will be built the entire length of the value. faith and affection from Marcus A. thing but talk into his ear and to listen to what he said. In about an hour plant, till the flower beds grow fairly ley, 180 miles. The power is

Mr. Hanna was running the cam- Then he turned to me and said: 'You'll file by. paign with a full head of steam in all do.' nearly every letter that went out of Mr. Hanna's office, wrote them in the brisk diction of his chief, and counterfeited the signature with such skill that even Mr. Hanna could not tell the imitation from the genuine.

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"Much to my consternation he telegraphed me to report to him in Chicago. As I sped along I had visions tell the imitation from the genuine.

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The relations between parents and children, however, are of the tenderest; and during the few weeks that the Emperor spends at Wilhelmshohe every moment that he can spare from affairs of state is devoted to his femtell the imitation from the genuine.
Throughout his time in the senate, Dick, I argued, after my surprise ily. about seven years. Mr. Hanna received more mail and had more callers than any public man in Washington except the President. His letters, made a work with a pair of selector in collect how a could be seen to select how and with a pair of selector in collect how a could be seen to select how a could be see

Harry S. New, another old newspaper reporter, directed the battle of the bard steel big edge in least of the bard steel big edge is leave and sure Oh west when Roosevelt was a candidate hard steel, his edge is keen and sure. Oh, a year ago last summer. As secre- it is a fine school for young fellows of tary of the Republican national com- the right sort. mittee he does as much practical busi- 'When a human nulsance drifts in I Today, But He Was Pretty Bad he delivers no preachments, he seeks serve the peace and dignity of your own no occasion to exhibit his ethical views, presence. You are rarely sure of a nuiknow the taste of liquor.

"Yes." he said, in response to an inquiry, "I went to work at the age of zation. There is a fallacious notion that "I am a contractor and builder and 16 on a weekly newspaper in McConthe bum who wants a drink of whisky or my work causes me to be out and exnellsville, O. My salary was \$6 a week, a breakfast is a nuisance. To the conposed to all weathers, so I suppose it but I was the real editor and business trary, he is a diversion. Twenty-five cents was in that way I got cold. Anyway it sottled in my kidneys and made me manager, as well as the whole staff, and the joy I took in thinking of myand the joy I took in thinking of mycame. The actual nuisances, mostly are pretty sick. I got lumbago in the back, of Austria was 38 when she had the repulsion. self in the various relations of my came. The actual nulsances, mostly, are cramp in the muscles, pains in the various relations of my came. The actual nulsances, mostly, are cramp in the muscles, pains in the control of Austria was 38 when she had the reputations of the most becaused by the most because of the most because of the most because of the most becaused by the most because of the most employment was above a money price. worthy men. A public person of unusual cramp in the muscles, pains in the tation of being the most beautiful woman Besides, while going to the high school ability and wide reputation wrote a loins, shortness of breath, a dragging in Europe.

A DIFFERENCE IN LUNGS.

In the Edinburgh University three human lungs lie In life, this would be ruddy to snub, and so ne nad to be tolerated, treated courteously, and, to a degree, with rich blood. Another is given his own way." that of a coal-miner and is black. The other is of a town dweller and is a dirty slate Then I would recommend courtesy, gray, as are the lungs of most | which, if not natural, must be acquired. A private secretary is an agent; he never

One reason why Scott's Emulsion does so much to of political campaigns?" keep down consumption is

INTERVIEWED EDISON.

Hanna was a triumph well worth the affort, endurance, and intelligence of any young American.

I found myself in the street, baffled and humiliated, for I was without a single note. Here was a trial assignsorts and conditions of horses come River and thus minimize the floods, which under existing already to the graphs of the stables and thus minimize the floods, which under existing already to the graphs. and Portsmouth, two of the minor A. Edison will publicly denounce you cities of Ohio. As he journeyed as an impostor. You will go back to across the country Dover says that his heart was after with zeal and the hope that he would be set to writing I tried to argue down the voice, but thundaring essays against the moral it grey louder and louder I wrote.

A. Edison will publicly denounce you can be alouder you as an impostor. You will go back to party sitting round the supper table on the terrace of a warm summer evening. Indeed, the princes seemed to be omnipresent, and every one had a different tale to tell of them. thundering essays against the moral it grew louder ond louder. I wrote different tale to tell of them. thundering essays against the moral and intellectual obliquities of Bryanism, but that when he got to Chicago he was put in a back room, given a huge pair of scissors, and a mountain of country newspapers. The jolt, when he fell, chastened his pride.

Mr. Hanna was running the carangement of the c

his boilers. One man after another had gone into his office to help him

BECAME A MUSICAL CRITIC.

The admission of visitors each search searc had gone into his office to help him with letters, telegrams, and the world with Person When the Person When t with letters, telegrams, and the world for the Beacon. When the editor rejoinder. with letters, telegrams, and the world out of doors. All had been cast aside learned that I could drum on a piano

Then Then I was put to writing police news "Oh, bother Crown Princes!" came the office of the Beacon. When the editor rejoinder.

Then The Beacon of the as being clumsy and slow. Then Charles Dick, secretary of the national committee, Hanna's first captional committee, Hanna's first captional McKinley's refuge in many died in quick succession and I was learned that I could drum on a plano he sent me to concerts between fires and fights. So I was also a musical critic. A number of prominent men with his brother, the handsome sited with his brother, the handsome sited with his brother, the handsome sited from the powers being invested in the Maharajah and a native council. The annual tribute of the Maharajah to the British to the Maharajah to the Brit tional committee, Hanna's first captain, McKinley's refuge in many tempests, and Hanna's successor in the senate, remembered the cheerful and strong young fellow in the back room. It was only an experiment, room It was only an experiment, rooted the necessity of doing the course, I remembered to get up their obituaries, My specialties were diverse, but I liked them all, although, of course, I remembered to get up their obituaries, My specialties were diverse, but I liked them all, although, of course, I remembered to pummel him, saying: "I'll teach you who is Crown Prince!"

In that part of the world there is plenty of snow in winter, and the avalanches and strong young fellow in the back room. It was only an experiment, but the mystery of fortune is found but the mystery of fortune is found death notices. In two years the editor peror was told of the occurrence, and formidable. In the rainy season, too, the rooms have a strong round of the rooms have a strong round rooms are rooms as the rooms have a strong round rooms are rooms. at the beginning of opportunity. Dowho had caused be to go to Akron
calling the heir to the throne before vast quantity of rocks or drift
carried down these gorges after was not merely the shade personality. There was with his and took service with him when the how had spished: "and row works. There was with his and took service with him when the boy had finished; "and now be constructed underneath the beds of power within himself, also intiation. Inch by inch he compelled Mr. HanInch by inch he compelled Mr. Hancampaign of 1898 began I wrote to whereupon he administered a severe na's reliance. By and by he wrote Charles Dick, Akron, who was secre- rebuke to the Crown Prince.

In all this business Elmer Dover was the dominating spirit, and emthe best training in the world in some the best training in the world in some ployed from five to eight clerks and respects. At the start he is drilled in getstenographers to help him. Further- ting the truth. While others are running more, he dealt with most of the men about in noise and confusion he balances who came in person from every part one statement with another, and out of of the nation. And he was invariably the orgy of excitement and exaggeration He Found Nothing to Equal leisurely, hearty and patient. During walks away with the facts. Moreover,

tongressmen. Dover is no evangelist, That is the way to save time and to prebut it can be said that he does not sance until he is into his story. You have lost ten minutes; spend ten more as a cial.)—"It was a cold started my trouconcession to the responsibilities of civilible," says Mr. Wallace, of this place. I had written local news for \$2 50 a speech which he thought would carry the pain at the loins and my urine was ountry in 1896 for McKinley, even if not another word was spoken. Print it by the million, he begged, and keep the spellside by side. One is of an was besieged by letter, by telephone and Eskimo and is snow white. in person. This individual was too big

city residents. That's why acts in his own capacity. His is an imconsumption thrives in cities. portant place, and his vocation is worthy

"Within my own knowledge I can say that it is. Money was declined in 1900 by Mr. Hanna, and in 1904 by Mr. Cortelyou.

Whole months. To each raminy it would give \$350 for provisions, \$80 for clothing, \$30 for shoes, \$20 for newspapers, magazines and books, \$50 for church and charitable purposes and books, \$50 for church and charitable purposes and would build for each because it helps to keep the Mr. Hanna, and in 1904 by Mr. Cortelyou. because it helps to keep the lungs clean and supplies them with rich, red blood. It makes the lungs germ-resisting. If the body is run down and health is at a low ebb Scott's Emulsion will build it up quickly and permanently.

Mr. Hanna, and in 1904 by Mr. Cortelyou. I remember a check for \$10,000 which came to Mr. Hanna in the second McKinley campaign. It lay on his desk for three days, and was then sent back with a polite note of thanks. I was so what amazed, I must confess, but Mr. Hanna said: "I have been thinking about that contribution, and now believe the givers of it expect favors in return. We must contribution, and now believe the givers of it expect help under such circumstances." I know, too, that Mr. Cortelyou could have largely increased his fund had he been willing to put Mr. Roosevelt under implied obligations to certain persons. These are facts, and there can be no harm in making them public."—James B Morrow, in Chicago Tribune.

Mr. Hanna, and in 1904 by Mr. Cortelyou able purposes, and would build for each family a house costing \$1,500, with \$350 to fit the space of \$264,110,000 to erect 52,818 churches, each costing \$5,000.—Pearson's balance of \$264,110,000 to erect 52,818 churches, each costing \$5,000.—Pearson's heart if he has a pain in the back or a cold with a racking cough. To be merry one must be well and free from aches and pains. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil will relieve all pains, muscular or otherwise, and for the speedy treatment of colds and coughs it is a splendid medicine.

OF A ROYAL PICTURE

AT PLAY.

in their hearts.

paper and two 1-cent lead pencils. I draws near there toil up the wooded The power plant is to be erected on

tion from the high school at McConnellsville, and a reporter in Akron and Portsmouth, two of the minor A. Edison will publicly denounce you are a cheat; you ar tion from the high school at McCon- are a rascal; you are a cheat; you are glimpses of the mother playing tennis tories to Srinager.

ver stuck to the wheel of his master, started a daily paper in Portsmouth, him, made him tell his version of the

as a reporter. When the national I shall teach you will be campaign of 1898 began I wrote to whereupon he administered a severe to allow everything to slide by without to the Crown Drings.

ton except the President. His letters, seldom less than 300 a day, at one seldom less than 300 a day, at one a room full of country newspapers. They set on 100t. Any nne morning the four eldest boys could be seen tridging along to the carpenter's shop, where time equaled about half of the total Presently I got into Mr. Hanna's of-

BUILDER SPEAKS

Dodd's Kidney Pills for They Cured Him of His Trouble.

Before He Got Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Campbelltown, N. B., April 20.—(Spethick with a dark sediment. Then I knew the kidneys were to blame so I took Dodd's Kidney Pills and they soon put me in shape and cured me so roses complexion is, it is true, the monopole of youth but a woman's best and

Fortune Spent in Liquor.

According to figures furnished by the government bureau of statistics, there are consumed in the United States in one year given his own way."

What are the first qualities of a papable private secretary?"

"The temperamental quality is patience, hen I would recommend courtesy, hich, if not natural, must be acquired, private secretary is an agent; he never is in his own capacity. His is an imtant place, and his vocation is worthy ood manners and excellent to the provide 500,000 families, or 2500 to the consumer in a single twelvemont his same private secretary is an agent; he never is in his own capacity. His is an imtant place, and his vocation is worthy ood manners and excellent to the provide 500,000 families, or 2500 to the consumer in a single twelvemont his same private secretary is an agent; he never is in his own capacity. His is an imtant place, and his vocation is worthy ood manners and excellent to the secretary is an agent; he never is in his own capacity. His is an imtant place, and his vocation is worthy ood manners and excellent to the provide 500,000 families, or 2500 to the world and letrened to be sympathetic and tactful—the oqualities of the very young—and thus she is not only more lovable, but more capable of retalting the love she has inspired, than when she was in her teens or early twenties.

It is an error for any woman to regard herself as passe at middle age, for she may be then at her best, and there is not thus she is not only more lovable, but more capable of retalting the love she has inspired, than when she was in her teens or early twenties.

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acts in his own capacity. His is an important place, and his vocation is worthy of good manners and excellent talents."
"Is money ever refused by the managers of political campaigns?"

"Within my own knowledge I can say "Within my own knowledge I can say"

"Within my own knowledge I can say"

"It would provide 500,000 I ammies, or 2,500,000 people—more than the entire population of the States of New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Verment, Maine, North Dakota and Montana—with comfortable homes, clothing and provisions for twelve whole months. To each family it would give \$250 for provisions \$80 for clothing. family a house costing \$1,500, with \$350 to furnish it—thus bestowing upon each one of the 500,000 families \$2,380, and leaving a balance of \$264,110,000 to erect 52,818 cane sugar, and therefore cannot pro-

TROLLEY CARS INVADE LALLA ROOKH'S LAND

THE GERMAN KAISER'S FAMILY WILL WHIZ THROUGH THE VALE OF CASHMERE.

The German Emperor and his family It's a sad blow to poets, but the an unkind word from Elmer Dover's leave home and go with him. It was Bazar, it is really a vacation. Here is mir" now, by the way. '10m Moore at this conjuncture of my happy days seen the domestic side of the royal conjured up many evils in rhyme, but Tact? Not at all. Tact too often that ambition crept into my heart, picture which appears so strongly to it's sure he never foresaw a Feramorz is a wanton word employed to de- and for the first time in my life I be- the German. The Empress is not alone Light, Power and Traction Company, scribe a vice and not a sound quality. gan to yearn for something I didn't the first lady of the land—she is the Limited. Of course, that won't be It is the genteel blood cousin of cal- Connellsville, and I fancy there must The aristocracy may grumble that the fact remains that Americans are culated untruth. However, this is the have been some fire in that pursuit. she neglects her social duties and culnarrative of a country reporter who have been some in that parative of a country reporter who hecame the adjutant of presidents a daily newspaper. I carried my deand other party chieftains, one of the sire to the editor of the Akron Beacon, Kirche, Kinder und Kuche (church, ernment-owned electric railroad sysdirectors of a national campaign, and and as a test he sent me to interview children and cooking)—but it is pre- tem in the Kashmir Valley, and to is now associated with as great an Thomas A. Edison, who had come to cisely because of this that the bulk of furnish power for other purposes in industrial interest as there is in the town on a visit to Lewis Miller, his the German nation have enshrined her the Himalaya Mountains, North India. The scheme, which involves an ex-As spring changes to summer and penditure of almost \$10,000,000, is the "I bought a tablet of fine linen the date set for the Empress's arrival most extensive ever broached in Asia.

ment and I had miserably failed. I one by one to the stables, and at the which, under existing circumstances. A round-faced lad from a village walked along in woe and wretchedness until I came to a hotel opposite the which we regarded as our special proprural merchant, went to the Republican headquarters in Chicago at the beginning of the campaign of 1896. He terview from memory. As a went had been editor of a world name to a hotel opposite the erty, a polite notice was posted that it was "for the very most highest personages reserved."

Soveral world we regarded as our special property, a polite notice was posted that it was "for the very most highest personages reserved." had been editor of a weekly newspa-per at the age of 16, on his gradua-ears and saying: "Elmer Dover, you Several years ago, when the Crown Prince was still a boy, we used to have be for operating the large silk fac-glimpses of the mother playing tennic tories to Srinager. Several years ago, when the Crown other important use of the power will

file by.

His tutor reproved the boy for his at
Cashmere has for years been noted in the

time equaled about half of the total number received by the other senators.

DOMINATING SPIRIT.

The power full of country newspapers along to the carpenter's shop, where they amused themselves with hammer and saw, each one carrying his own tools, and a plank some four feet long over his shoulder.

Presently I got into Mr. Hanna's office and my days as a reporter were at an end.

HOW TO HANDLE A BORE.

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"I think a newspaper reporter obtains"

"I think a newspaper reporter obtains" brake horse power to shaft under an effective head of 400 feet.

offective head of 400 feet.

Other electrical apparatus to be supplied by the General Electric Company will include twelve 60,000-volt transformers, each of 1,000-kilowatt capacity, exciters, high and low tension switchboards, and the wire for transmission lines.

The conditions under which the plant will be installed are decidedly out of the ordinary as compared with similar work in the United States. Specifications for the electrical and hydraulic equipment stipulate that no single piece of machinery shall weigh more than four tons when ery shall weigh more than four tons when packed, for the reason that there are 200 es of road transportation, inclu lift over a range of mountains 8,000 feet high. Transportation in that section of the country is limited to bullock carts, a total of five tons, including otal of five tons, including cart the maximum weight that can be hauled over the mountains.

Woman at Her Best.

Every stage of life has its beauty, but there is no doubt that the fair women who have had most influence on men have generally reached the zenith of generally reached the zenith of their power towards middle age. Helen of Troy became famous at the age of 40; Cleopratra was over 30 when she met Antony; Diana of Poictiers was 36 when

binders at home. He lured some of the most sedate and eminent men in Washington to his hotel one by one and read some kindeys since."

soon put me in shape and cured me so that I have had no trouble with my kindeys since."

roses complexion is, it is true, the monopoly of youth, but a woman's best and richest years are from about 28 to 40. By that time she has acquired some knowledged to be supported by the support of the

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pure, healthy and life-giving preparation for infants, children and invalids. grow inside the opening. "Lactated Food is a cooked food; it churches, each costing \$5,000.—Pearson's duce irritation of the stomach or

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Origin of the Chinese Cue.

The custom of shaving the forehead and wearing the back hair long and braided in a cue is now so firmly established in China as to be quite universal. Yet it has obtained for something less than 300 years only, and is of peculiar origin. When the Tartar There is no denying the charm of the tribes of the north invaded the Flowery Kingdom and completely subdued the inhabitants of the country, they decreed that all Chinamen should wear their hair in this style as a badge of servitude. The rule was so vigorously

Chinaman who fails to comply with it is treated with contempt and life for him in the Celestial Empire would be unbearable. The face of the Celestial is generally clean shaved, as well as the forehead,

only under certain conditions.

The shaving is done with a razor New York Tribune. much like those at home, except that changed starch; it is not sweetened by it is without a handle, and, being somewhat dull, it becomes a case of persistent scraping. This operation is performed without moisture or lather "Lactated Food contains more nutri- and must be extremely irritating. A Chinaman must be regular in his

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sons, the Chinese seldom fail to take | notches in my voice. religious care of their heads and beard. thundered, 'an axe, a hammer, and sixshooter." 'Good Lord,' said the kicket

A few of the Chinese barbers have paleregular establishments, where they going to do? I'm going, sir, I replied

Testing Age of Eggs.

There is a simple method of ascertainmustaches and beards being permitted only under certain conditions.

the egg increases with its age. Now, when the egg is placed in a tumbler of water in which any amount of common them. A mustache indicates that its wearer is a grandfather, and each other style with its longitudinal axis in a perpen display direction. A fresh laid egg will salt is dissolved it will with increasing has its own significance. The peculiar style of headdress makes the Chinese barber a man of considerable importbarber a man of considerable importance and his strange methods are interesting. The barbers in the Orient teresting. The barbers in the Orient horizontal axis an angle of 20 degrees not only shave the face and forehead and braid the caes of their customers. It is also part of their art to clean their ears and remove the hairs that the egg is more than a month old it will grow inside the eneming. float perpendicularly on its small end .-

Trials of an Editor.

Talking about the various persons who make the life of an editor obnoxious to him, by telling him how to run his paper Colonel Charles A. Edwards, of Texas, said the other day: "I know all about it. I was an editor myself once down in Texas." and, in the past, has saved thousands of babies' lives."

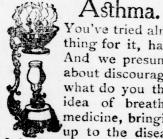
A Chinaman must be regular in his patronage of his barber, as it is difficult to imagine a more repulsive human being than a Celestial with a two days' growth of thick black hair on his forehead, and, although they may neglect all other attractions to their per-

forced that it has become a firmly established custom, and, in fact, a Chinaman who fails to comply with it.

Await the coming of their customers, to kill every printer and reporter in the but most of them are of the itinerant variety.

The going, sir, I replied, but most of them are of the itinerant variety. running a paper for, exeverybody?"—Argonaut. for, except to please

The municipality of Nice has trained There is a simple method of ascertaining the age of eggs, based upon the fact that the air space at the broad end of that the air space at the broad end of the end of it, through the



You've tried almost every. thing for it, haven't you? And we presume you are about discouraged. Now what do you think of our what do you think of our idea of breathing-in the medicine, bringing it right up to the diseased part? It looks reasonable, doesn't it? And

it's successful too. When you inhale Vapo-Cresolens your breathing becomes easy, the wheezing ceases, and you drop to sleep. For croup and whooping-