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Jellies of assorted flavors in large society, of the Center size tin cans with patent top, which church. The cast of leaves you a can which is very useful be exactly the same after the jelly is taken out. These gave the play in Ape

Remember we sell the H O Buckwheat and pancake flours at 8c.

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adults were nel number of souls the was only 15. The data parish in the first two mon WEDNESDAY EVE., MAR eight months of leat

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RCH 4, 1904.

CO-OPERATIVE BROKERS. Local Men Who Do a Banking Busi-

A meeting of the stockholders of the Mutual Deposit & Loan Association, of Manchester, was held at the Orford hotel Wednesday evening to report on last year's work and lay out new work for the coming year. This association was organized February Kate 1908, for the purpose of combining funds of a limited number of members, and investing some for their mutual benefit. The funds of the association are loaned on bonds, mortgages, notes, real estate, etc., and such securities as the board of directors many accept. The past year has been a very prosperous one for the association and the directors predict an even more pros-

es int. perous one for the coming year. The following officers were elected: President, W. J. Goltra; vice president, W. R. Palmer; treasurer, R. J. Dougan; financial secretary, J. O. McCaw; recording secretary, H. A. Schieldge. Directors, W. R. Palmer, W. J. Goltra, R. J. Dongan, W. E. Hones, J. O. McCaw. Following the

sing refreshments were served. Death of Mrs. Judson Rockwell by his Jessie Hollister, wife of Judson unavoidable causes he had been unable at the Rockwell, of Wapping, died at her to complete negotiations with several home in Wapping Thursday after an men who would make desirable stocked for illness of about two weeks. The im- holders. The amount subscribed up mediate cause of her death was heart to that time was \$45,600. The balance, The New runners. failure. Her funeral will be held he said, was easily in sight, but it

digging a member tomorrow afternoon at two Hartford banks toward the project clery the cook, Rev. Mr. Harlbut officiating. had changed and they were more the eldest daughter of Orrin G. Hol- from either one of three or four strong lister, of this town. She was born on Hartford banks could now be secured

BANK MEETING.

Stockholders Hear Report of Canvassing Committee.

Unless some unexpected snag arises. a bank for Manchester will be forthcoming within a very few weeks. The project has advanced much farther than any of the previous attempts tion. in this direction and the successful scribers called at the Orford hall last are always in style. Prices, \$1.50 to Wednesday evening about 35 were \$2.50. present. All seemed confident of the scription paper was presented for examination. It bore the names of 73 subscribers, including a majority of Men's Caps. the south end merchants, a few from the north end, several doctors, a clergyman, contractors, mechanics and manufacturers.

Dr. W. R. Tinker was elected chairman of the meeting and E. L. G. Hohenthal clerk. O. M. Nilson, who has been conducting the canvass for subscribers with the aid of the local committee, said that he had hoped to have the list closed so that the meeting might elect directors; but for evidence from the Wapping Congregational was best to place it where it would Styles in.... surch, of which the deceased was a do the most good. The attitude of burial will be in the Wapping friendly than at first. Mr. Nilson said he had the assurance that a Mrs. Rockwell was 87 years old and friendly banking man with experience farm on Avery street, as a member of the board of directors pettville and lived there should the stockholders care to have marriage to Mr. Rockwell. such a man on the board. Several of ased was a woman of pure the leading stockholders, he said, had character and beloved by expressed themselves in favor of this o knew her. She was an en- plan as a Hartford director would give sides the bank the benefit of his experience would aid in the periodical ion of the books. This, h ild be a matter for the

# Spring

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the ensuing six Rev. F. J. Murits Mary Wall; vice Mrs. James Burns; secre Mary A. Toohey ; treasurer,

ive committee: Mrs. John idan, Miss Mary Donnellan, W. J. Welch, Miss Mary A. Mrs. James Gill, Miss Nellie Mrs. W. P. Smith and Miss Toohey.

society will hold a whist party, entertainment and supper in the parish hall, Thursday evening, April 14, and also a May festival of three nights in

the opera house. rially this

Church Entertainment Resolved An entertainment under the auspices Making of the young people of the North tace at the Methodist church will be given at afternoon Apel's opera house one week from next Monday evening. Included in vision Fred the program will be readings and impersonations by Rev. H. E. Murkett, of Jewett City; a professional lady banjoist will render several selections oan's side soloist, of Pittsfield, Mass., will sing. Tickets will go on sale Monday. The proceeds will be used for the benefit

of the church. Special for Saturday, fresh plate regational beef, 4 cts. lb. O. F. Toop.

Special for Saturday, Norfolk which chocolates in pound boxes, 29 cts. house d a large Kandy Kitchen.

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ast year are the best goods on the market for the money. They are always up to

date and if high Collars, low Collars, large or any other shapes are wanted they due will be found right here. If there is a late style on the market you can be receive offers of sites either temporary reasonably sure of finding it in our or permanent and to receive bids for store. We have more different styles of Collars to select from than any Hib.

Collars, 2 for 25 cents. Cuffs, 25 cents a pair.

He made the point that were the managers of the bank and this case outside stockholders would be absolutely at the mercy of the local

directors. He said this to refute stories which had come to him that he was endeavoring to secure control of the bank. He said he did not wish the control. It would be suicidal for him to get it and any such purpose was farthest from his mind. Mr. Nilson explained the various safeguards which could be employed to protect the interests of stockholders and depositors. He said that in the list of

subscribers to the stock were men and from Oakland to Edgewood. Send us fully competent to officiate as directors your order or drop us a postal card and we -men of integrity and of brain. In regard to the relation of directors to depositors he said it was not customary for directors to have access to the individual accounts of depositors. This would defeat the purposes of the

bank, for many depositors feel delicate about having competitors in business know their financial affairs. Knowledge of personal accounts would be confined to the cashier, who, with his bondsman, would be responsible for a faithful report of their total. A further check might be placed upon hennery, all in first class condition, the cashier by electing to the presidency a neutral man, acceptable to all, who should have access to the cashier's books and send out mouthly statements to depositors himself with a request that he personally be noti-

Mr. Nilson, and Mr. Blish, who has been associated with him in the can- on Summit street. vass, both asked for criticisms. They said that hostile rumors had reached their ears and if there was any dissatisfaction with what they had done now was the time to express it. Mr. Nilson said that this bank was nothing more than a big partnership and all the partners should thoroughly understand each other before embarking on the enterprise. As for himself, he had nothing to conceal and if any misunderstandings existed they should be talked out face to face.

forthcoming. A committee of five was elected to the burglar-proof work and for stationery. The meeting adjourned subject to

The stockholders present seemed en-

tirely satisfied and no criticisms were

the call of the committee. The committee will have no difficulty in placing the remaining stock but are anxious to enlist the cooperation of three or four desirable men and therefore will reserve the stock until their answer is received. As soon as the list is completed they will call a meeting for the election of directors.

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Little of public interest has developed during the past week in the Eastern war. In fact that event has dropped so far away from public notice that the daily papers have ceased to give it scare heads on the front page. Although important engagements have been averted, both sides are straining every nerve in preparing for the big conflict that is sure to come. One of these mornings we will wake up to find extra heavy headlines in the morning paper annonneing a flerce battle and great loss of life. The Russians are hurrying troops to the East, running a dozen trains a day over the Siberian railway. The cars returning are loaded seen at the Armory next Wednesday with refugees seeking to escape the evening. seat of war.

Winter is taking backward steps before the advance of spring. Now and then it pauses stubbornly but it is slowly and surely driven back. For the last three days a thaw has been on and the streets have been flooded. day. Fortunately the rain did not by Richard Harding Davis, "The Dictivality of the land of the special training here at three. Yesterday it rained at intervals all come down in steady torrents and the waterways were able to take care of critics to be one of the best things room of the church. Singers from the the surplus. The ground has not thawed yet and the veneer of ice which covers it sheds the water and prevents it from filtering into cellars. During the night the murky air cleared, the temperature dropped, and this morning was bright and cold. There is comfort in the knowledge that with the sun as high as it is now the cold cannot last long and that from now on the mercury will spend most of its time above the freezing

A NEGLECTED INDUSTRY. for fresh eggs in the state of Con- be enjoyed. The scenes are laid in necticut than South Manchester. Eggs an old time school house and the fun bring a higher price here than in any is unctious and continuous. place we know of and the demand for Wednesday afternoon and evening Hartford hospital where he is first quality hen fruit is almost always at Parsons's theater will witness one greater than the supply. Poultry fanciers are numerous in this town, as the existence of the Manchester eccietion testifies; but me

THE MISSOURI GIRL.

Armory Next Week.

"The Missouri Girl, " which comes here March 9, is one of the greatest money-makers in the show business. Entered at the post office at Manchester as theater during the week at the Bijou, grip which left him in a weak condition and he was conditionable to the second class. night stands the business is proporformer business at the various theaouri Girl" holds the records in over 900 theaters in various parts of the country. This famous comedy will be

#### PARSONS'S THEATER.

Important engagements are annonneed for the week at hand by Prosupported by a talented company and a fine production is carried. The story deals with a fictitous South American republic with which locality Mr. Davis is most familiar.

Monday evening at Parsons's marks the second return visit of Al. Leach and the Three Rosebuds in that delightful musical comedy "Girls Will Be Girls," presented by William A. Brady. The work proved such a genuine delight when seen in Hartford previously and was so well received, Probably there is no better market that indications are that it will again

most interesting revivals,

Two Orphans' in wh ton will be seen in the d as many

TALCOTTVILLE.

A Comedy Success to Be Seen at the Death of Edgar W. Smith - News

Edgar W. Smith, whose serious ill. ert sands. ness was mentioned in our last issue, The profits on a single season are so died Wednesday morning at ten o'clock large that the business done by the at his home in Hartford. The immecompany is current gossip among diate cause of his death was inflam- in dist theatrical managers. For five years matory rheumatism, from which he houses: the company held the record on the had suffered for some weeks. Previous or adobe number of paid admissions to the to his last illness he had an attack of Yankees and other cities the top-notch busi- siege of rheumatism. Mr. Smith was ness for a week in the history of the the second son of Mr. and Mrs. George theater is only a few dollars above Smith, of this place. He was 29 years William the 'The Missouri Girl's' mark. In one old and was born here and up to the of the Net time of his marriage three years ago, were from tionately as large. Four and five had always lived in Talcottville. He Dutch came nights a week the show breaks records was graduated from the Rockville ice and atta until it has lost its novelty. Mr. Ray. high school in the class of 1898. mond formerly made records of this Afterwards he worked for Talcott capacity business when it exceeded all Brothers and later entered the employ of The Wm. H. Post Carpet Company, and or ters but nowadays the company breaks of Hartford, where he remained until said to records so frequently that it is almost his death. He was a valued employee impossible to keep track of them. It of the company. Besides his wife he fought is known, however, that "The Miss. leaves a daughter not yet two years allies w old, his father and mother and two from the brothers, Ernest and Frank Smith. The deceased was a young man of ex-

untimely death. The funeral was held this afternoon. Rev. H. H. Kelsey, of the Fourth church, Hartford, officiated, assisted prietor H. C. Parsons, of Parsons's theater. Saturday afternoon and evening Charles Frohman is to present William Collier in a new farce comedy will a new farce comedy will be completely and the complete farce will be after the minune, they chased some of the complete farce of the complete farce will be after the minune, they chased some of the complete farce in the farce of the complete farce will be after the minune, they chased some of the complete farce will be after the minune, they chased some of the complete farce will be after the minune, they chased some of the complete farce will be after the minune, they chased some take back to Indiana.

"Tom, don't make a fool of your some despetate struggles took place." prietor H. C. Parsons, of Parsons's by Rev. Mr. Yale. Prayers were said tator," which is said by the Boston The service was held in the lecture that Mr. Collier has appeared in dur- Fourth church assisted in the service. ing recent seasons. In it he is well The burial was in Mt. Hope cemetery.

cellent character who made friends

wherever he went and his many which hav

friends will be grieved to learn of his fiercest wa

John L. Sandy, who has been employed by Talcott Brothers on the farm for the past two years, will of the wor leave the company this month. He to a heigh has been engaged to work for ar, when full Comstock, who runs the Maple H farm on Avery street.

A party of Talcottville people he engaged Apel's opera house for a pri vate dance Saturday night. About 40 pe

The sucrament of the Lord's supper lent will be observed at the Talcottville bran church next Sunday morning. Jimmie Ferguson, eldest son of Mr.

and Mrs. Joseph Ferguson, is at the

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BATTLE PLACES,

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ANORY TREE

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ention. Curiosity of an investigation. One was dug up and Immediately upon

indignation by the foliage hung limp upright in the ground -Boston Globe.

A Grig. grig?" asks a correspond-

Chronicle. "kriek."-I an Income. e an income with true oes not exert his best father. put forth all the wisto make it fulfill cultar circumstances. If it does a fuller as ppier; if it does not develop the esty and vate and improve mannothing kind, the ste and not economy is shown in

spegement. Pierced His. -Papa says if I give ss kremer-No; I'll have to floor. "Not he wants to pay answer roun coin.—Philadel- Judge.

The leal Tuxpayers. -Pa the taxpayers are only bound to git into trouble-de man dat wio own properties, aren't won' take no advice at all an' de man A-N, my son. The real tax. dat tries to take all he hears."-Washure the people who rent the ington Star.

A man who lives at Belfast, Me., effect, and leave the natural condition. Sold by claims to have the record for railroad (fectly natural condition. Sold by Cheney's Drug Store, South Manchester, and Balch & Brown's Drug Store, Manchester.

BLUE GRASS

It Is a Native of the Wabash Valley

In Indiana, Battles have been fought in many cu-"A great many people contend that rious places, cauging from mountain blue grass was first found in Kens, from fee fields to destucky," said an eminent Indiana geologist, "but this is not so. Blue grass e of Mcnterey, in the is a native of the Wabash valley, in e Americans were able Indiana. It was found by William streets of the city with Henry Harrison's troops during that out they had difficulty solemn march to Tippecanoe in 1811. he Mexicans from the Harrison gathered a small army at Ohlo Falls and started north. At Vind blocks of houses, the cennes the gallant heroes realized that brough the walls from they could not go 200 miles up the her, fighting and driv- Wabash without feed for their horses. , so that the battle General Harrison had two cribs of largely fought incorn at Terre Haute and persuaded the men to go on. As they came on with eles of the wars of hungry horses and scant feed they or the independence found the ground covered with blue the Spanish ships Pothe Zuyder Zee. The

on horseback over the Collett farm, was found a bountiful supply of blue grass. Some places in attle in which cavalry the bottom it was growing three feet directly against ships. high, and such feed had never been ombats were fought be- heard of by the Kentucky soldier. At a the ice in these wars, State Line City more blue grass was found, and from there to Tippecanoe the whole line of march was covered Austerlitz was partly with blue grass.

sen lake, and when the "The seed was carried back to Keneating across it the shot tucky and sown there, but they could h artillery, plunging lunot make it thrive alone in the warm breaking it up, caused soil, and it had to be sown with oats ousands of Russiaus and and rye. Mr. Sandusky told me in an early day that no blue grass grew in y underground battles Kentucky until after it was imported ten place in history the from Indiana. Tom Downing of Terre obably that of the siege | Haute was an ardent admirer of Henthe Dutch wars. The ry Clay and once went to visit him at ed and the Dutch counhis home near Ashland, Ky. After equal industry, and be- seeing the fine farm well set in blue a flerce conflict raged. grass Downing suggested that Mr. rsailles troops took Par- Clay let him have some of the seed to

around your house and in the fence corners of your fields. We got the seed from Terre Haute and the middle Wabash and after a hard struggle stics of This Curiosity of got it to grow here in its present luxurlousness."-Indianapolis Journal.

#### MONKEY MOTHERS.

lant lift. It grows They Display More Pure Affection A wild beast tamer of long experience tells some interesting things of shape of pigtails. the affection of animals for their settled itself thus young. He had an elephant once, he touched the whole says, who did all in her power to spoll f agitated or im- her young one. She fussed over it and ched. The oftener cuddled it up so that when the time came for it to leave the cage it was haking of the simply unmanageable. When one of h the tree emits the men made a bold move toward the th if inhaled for baby he was promptly butted in the stomach and bowled over in a peculiar way which the youngster had of expressing his feelings toward those travelers, who upon whom he disliked. At last by a ruse night placed one the mother and son were separated. ring over one of But there was no such thing as keepusing it for a ing them apart. The baby rubbed the the tree began to skin off its forehead and trunk trying hes. The motion to get through the bars, and both

> A shy baby camel that passed through the hands of this same trainer refused to look upon the world except from its favorite station between its mother's legs. The mother, too, would show her displeasure at any effort to-

every one in sight. The kangaroo also is very fond of her offspring and will patiently carry ssed, finally ceasing it about long after it is ready to hop on

its own account. But for a display of pure affection the mother monkey beats any other April 4th. ter was applied to the animal, and when there is an addition soon it resumed its to the family circle there is general rejoicing. A baby monkey sticks fast by its mother, and, asleep or awake, it

seems always in her thoughts.

been worried by the phrase

The Lasy Koreans.

It is hardly an exaggeration to say that the Koreans are the laziest people that the Koreans are the laziest people But a lonely ad- on earth. All day long they lie about define a substantive. the streets smoking their gigantic e are told, a grig is a pipes. A native pipe is a six foot length opy, we may hope. In of bamboo, with a metal bowl, and is is a bantam. But in carried tucked into the neckband and is a cricket, or grass- down the trousers leg. All work of very merry fowl. In Web- nearly every kind is done by the womprovincial English for en, who occupy perhaps the most decannot accept an eel graded position held by the sex of any nt of mirth, and we nation. The unfortunate female popuon the Dutchman's lation is collectively a beast of burden and denied even the most elementary recognition as human beings. A Korean girl has no name. She is merely known as "daughter of So-and-so," her

Sleep For the Young and Aged. A four-year-old requires 12 hours: one of 7 years, 11 hours; of 12 years, make some lives better, 10 hours, and of 16 or 18, 9 hours. After that 7 or 8 hours is sufficient until and educate the mind; after 60; then the hours should be increased gradually with each decade, as will; if, in fact, it does the man or woman of 80 requires as much sleep as a child of 10. And it should be remembered that the most health giving beauty making time is

It All Depended. "Don't we go any higher?" asked the earrings. Miss Sharpe facetious guest in the hotel when the forn earrings, have elevator stopped at the twenty-fourth

> "Not unless the elevator drops, sir." answered the truthful elevator boy .-

The people who help us most are A main of integrity will never listen those who make light of our achieve-

"Two folks," said Uncle Eben, "is

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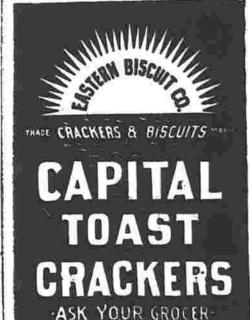
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out that in Connecticut poultry and olio of fine vaudeville turns will be it flies and gives it's pecul

Of course in order to make poultry thoroughly. The art of fattening try and in order to compete with the stand, not only how long and how Adams was to appear at Parsons's but the permanent loss of self control. different kinds of feed and different conditions generally have on the quality, flavor and even color of the flesh. The market also demands good looking, clean-picked birds, and the successful raiser must be careful that the birds are kept clean and free from disease, are properly killed, neatly plucked and carefully packed. He must also study the demands of the dealers at different seasons and know whether he can do better to save his birds for one season's breeding (and in the case of common fowl for eggs, ) or latten and market their young as "broilers," ducklings and green geese. Complicated as all these considerations may seem to make the tions of this country and Canada have made a great many investigations and

pains to look it up. Mexico is going to send a model of her largest penitentiary as an exhibit at the St. Louis fair. There are some and in close pursuit ran the man. ed by the sight of the hated sex and, people at St. Louis who will see a

hidden meaning in it.

grade fifty feet lower. .

nesday morning.

Survived Hard Winter, to Be Run Down by a Man With a Club.

be seen at Parsons's theater on Thurs-If it is seen three times in Experiment day evening, presenting minstrelsy up on the same house top in Value of poultry as food is to date. The old time first part with mote from its home it is be emonstrated and the fact is brought clever singers and new jokes, and an a sure sign of death in that eggs should be cheaper. The report offered. It is to be doubted if a more sick person is sure to die, pleasing program could be arranged.

Given his choice of two evening or cover. It is better for the s raising on a large scale successful the a matinee and evening performance, No one could be hired to bothe breeder must be near enough to a rail-road and a market to be able to ship his birds quickly and cheaply. In number of people living out of Hart- and if by chance one of them this respect Connecticut with its net- ford who would enjoy an opportunity die it is a sign of bad luck to the work of railways and its central loca. to see Mand Adams in "The Prefty of the property where it is tion between the important markets of Boston and New York, as well as Sister of Jose" and he accepted, therethe local market of its own cities and fore, Friday evening and Saturday and in this way probably more than as bar towns, is exceptionally well adapted to matines. There will be no Saturday the industry. The breeder must also night performance, since Miss Adams's understand his birds and his market health does not permit her appearance table-fowl, which has always been for more than one performance each practiced in Europe, is becoming day. The play that she will present more and more common in this coun- is the same that attracted an advance the lower animals. Yet many cases,

disposition. The sale of seats for

THE COON'S HARD LUCK.

(East Hampton Cor. Middletown Penny Press) It's rather the irony of fate for a monkeys have been observed to have coon to get so far through a most delusions very similar to those of inpoultry business, they need not frighten any one where the conditions chased by hounds and nearly starved are favorable. The experiment sta- to death, and go to his death, just as spring is about awakening, all through experiments along this line, and there the sprinting qualities of man and the is an abundance of reliable, practical ability to wield a club. It seems that and readable literature on all branches two of our citizens were over east not of the subject, to be had often for the long ago, enjoying a ride along the asking by anyone who will take the country roads. Suddenly the elder espied a large animal near the roadside and about the same time the coon,
for such it proved, saw him. Off
started the coon and out of the sleigh

started the coon and out of the sleigh Now a coon is no mean opponent when sympathizing with male posterity, it comes to a matter of a foot race, stipulated expressly for this division The crookedest railway in the world and the pace soon became quite hot. In his deed of endowment.—London

in said to be a line from Boswell to Through the deep snow, over rocks, Standard. Friedens. Pennsylvania. The airline fences, brooks and ditches they dashed, distance between those two points is with first Sir Coon ahead and then five miles, but the road doubles four almost a neck-and-neck race. Down times, and at one pont, after making into the ditch goes the pursuer as he The Cuban workman is a kind husa loop of several miles, the line comes slipped on a nicely snow-covered patch band and a fond father of a family back within 300 feet of itself on a of ice, and on goes the coon having usually of patriarchal size. He lives gained several yards by the accident. simply. At the bedega he buys his An Osage Indian recently tramped But he is reckoning not with his foe; tasajo (jerked beef), rice, vegetables An Osage Indian recently tramped into a small town in Indian territory and saw a gas stove burning gaily.

He did not seem to pay much attention to it, but on his way home bought a few yards of pipe, and then spent a week in trying to light them.

The Buffalo Express is wailing over the fact that trains have been from to 16 hours late in arriving in that the would have given up to 16 hours late in arriving in that to 16 hours late in arriving in that to 16 hours late in arriving in that the would have given up to 16 hours late in arriving in that the would have given up to 16 hours late in arriving in that the would have given up to 16 hours late in arriving in that the would have given up to 16 hours late late with late here.

A man believe the blow of the lapper are young the the stew Hills late her to the lapper are young the the stew Hills late her to the lapper are young the heat the line of the day, hours late of the lapper are young william?" While have a page and the music place is the stew Hills late her to 16 hours late of the lapper are young with the stew Hills late her.

Let BEST REMEDY FOR The ghost of Stevenson was flitting rows down until now pursuer is withintellectually through a library. in striking distance. "Biff," "Biff!" Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days. copy of his "Letters." "I like the Luxe," murmured the airy being.— orack sprinter to his companion await- Yale Record.

minstrel company will and long, portuge tal son if the bird does not com

and in this way probably more than compensates for the fear it occasions among the farmers. Animals Become Insane. Insanity in the human subject is sup. young o posed by some to have no analogue in Stafford sale of \$3,000 in two days when Miss according to Dr. Sneilson, will lead to much to feed, but also what effect a few weeks ago, and which money Cattle driven from the country through an eel. had to be returned because of her in- a crowded town will often work as the en themselves into a frenzy. Horses put our have gone mad on the battlefield. At both performances will begin on Wed.

Balaklava an Arabian horse turned on its attendant, threw him down and, kneeling on him, attacked him like an infuriated dog. An instance is related of a docile horse suddenly going mad on a hot day. Everything that came the higher his way it seized in its teeth and ble in his shook as a terrier does a rat. A scientist of authority even goes so far as to prove by what appears to be incontestable evidence that cats, dogs and

Dividing the Sexes. While worshiping in a little chapelof-ease a few miles from Ruthin, on the Wrexham road, the sexes are so strictly divided that they cannot even see one another. The building forms a right angle, in one arm of which the men sit and the women in the other.

The Cuban Workman.

# YOUR HUSBAND WORKS TOO HARD

husband works too hard, and worries because he will not take the rest she knows he needs. She sees how tired and exhausted he is at night and how his sleep fails to rest him. She knows that his business is killing him-but she also knows that he will stick to his work just as long as he is

able to stand. If he could only take a vacation, if she could only get him away from business for a few weeks-but that is out of the

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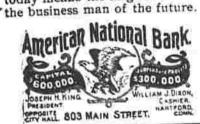
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ed Product-How They Are Made. Among the little things seen in daily life about which most people know very little is the common, ordinary clay pipe. In almost every cigar shop

window, in the mouth of every third laborer met and even in the nursery this snow white little instrument of comfort and amusement may be seen, yet few know, for instance, that most New Jersey. Woodbridge is the name of the queer little town given over to settlement, to follow the pipe from the

Looking at the chunks and lumps of clay as they are transported from the banks to the factories, one would hardly believe that the snowy, cheap little article could have been manufactured from material so different in color. The color of this clay before it He once said to a friend: "I couldn't is burned is dark gray, like cement; be bothered with all those whimsnor is the process of manufacturing one of these pipes as simple as might be imagined from the absurdly low price. As the clay comes into the factory it is divided finely and put to soak in water for ten to twelve hours. This soaking is to divide the clay to ts smallest possible particles so that in the ensuing process it will not cake or lump and will work smoothly and venly. This attained, the clay is put into a "pug" mill, where it is stirred by machinery until it gets stiffer and stiffer, finally becoming as stiff as dough. In this state the clay is roughly molded into lumps and distributed among the pipemakers, who begin the first step in the life of the humble cre-

appears ready for the market, is inter- the uses of the two bits.

Grasping a small chunk of clay in each hand, the artist begins work to fashion roughly two pipes at the same time. Rolling the clay between a table and his palms, he quickly produces two carrot shaped and pointed rolls that bear little or no resemblance to the article when it shall be finished. With incredible speed the fashioning of these rolls continues, for ahead of the expert is the problem of manufacturing something like seventy-five and ends in a complete physical fi The troubles of people are unneces- gross of pipes within the week. Then No room left for a spontaneous life sarily multiplied by the fact that they the rolls are put away to dry some place for free, joyous liberty. N are forever looking down instead of what, and for ten or twelve hours they minute's space for rollicking disre up, which is only another way of say- stiffen so that once shaped they will ing that they live on a low plane in- not fall readily to pieces. After that posed of, introspections with

stend of on a high one; that they the clay is ready for molding. The ordinary mold consists of two ing vaguely about the mind, breathe the minsmatic airs of the pieces of iron hinged on the side and swamps instead of the pure ozone of the hills, and so miss the real meaning opening like a sewing box. Most of the fittle factories have numerous molds, from the common, unadorned sort that comes in two pieces and is intended "A tall bride is the best looking, for the ordinary plain pipe to all sorts of elaborate patterns that come in six eight pieces and are made of brass who had caught on to a little American mand intended enterplien nines in imi-

tation of wooden moders east happen slang, "so far as I am personally con-terned I certainly am not locating for to be in vogue. The pipemaker grasps one of the shapeless rolls, tilts the fat end upward, which at once gives the one who is 'short.' "-Chicago Post suggestion of a pipe, and runs a wire A Missouri [court seems to have broken the record for the trial of s through the pointed end, out of which ase. A negro was up for theft and a the stem is to be pressed. political meeting was scheduled to

begin 15 minutes later. The case was this roughly fashioned clay is then tried, the jury found the prisoner put into the mold, which is jammed quilty, and the court adjourned eight shut, while at the same time a plunger and hostess to join her at lunched is pressed to enter the mold and to dinner. press out the clay so as to form the bowl. With a dull knife the clay pressed out at the side of the mold is shaved off with a single lightning stroke by the expert, and then once more there must be a drying process, this time in a room heated to about 85 degrees, where, as before, the pipe is kept for twelve hours. Except that the pipe is of its original gray color and soft and supplied with the "burs" where the molded ends are joined, it is

now practically finished. Then comes the process of shaving off the burs. At this stage the pipe still retains considerable dampness, so that the clay may be cut smoothly, while at the same time a wire is again drawn through the stem, so as to insure proper draft. All is now ready for the pipe in its final state except that it needs to be burned. For this purpose it is put into a cylindrical vessel twelve inches high and as much in dlameter. This is known as a "sagger." Set one against the other, the Wonderful Discovery by a Fapipes are adjusted solidly in the sagger, which will hold something like a gross of pipes properly packed. If the pipes consist of the more fancy designs-that is, merely pipe bowls that are to be provided with mouthpieces Relieves Pain, Eliminates the of wood or rubber-the saggers will hold as many as two gross of pipes. Nine of these suggers filled with pipes are known as a stand, and a medium sized kiln will hold twenty-one stands and will burn them all at the same time. For five hours the heat in the kiln is kept at a moderate tempera-THE REMEDY IS FREE TO ALL. ture. After that it is allowed to run up until at the end of twelve or four-Sufferers from teen hours it is driven to a white heat.

be glad to know which gives the pipes their spotless that at last a rem- white finish.-New York Times. Every farmer should own his farm. If he cannot own a large one, let him ong you have had it, you can now be own what he can and gradually incured sound and well. The reports that crease the size. Land ownership conduces to happiness, contentment and restfulness. One of the greatest himdrances to the prosperity of the tenant

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> Omar Khayyam's Translator. To FitzGerald, careless, disorderly, unconventional, who had for so long followed his own sweet will, punctilious etiquette and fastidious neatness in attire were above all things hateful. dressing for this and dressing for that

couldn't put up with it." He and a friend were dining at ahotel, and among the good things set before them was a noble fruit pie. But they had eaten so heartly of the first course that when it came to the ple's turn they were beaten. FitzGon ald looked troubled. "Mrs. So-and (the hostess), who knows my partial for fruit," said he, "will take it a slight if we leave the ple untouched. So without more ado he cut out a good sliced wedge with a fair allowance of fruit and dropped it into his hat, which he covered with his relieve silk handkerchief, and rang the bell for the bill.-Wright's "Life of Fits

Health Fads on the Brain. To get all sorts of health fads on the brain is a disease in itself. It is a very prevalent disease too. With a fow foolish rules to observe, a whole lot of hygienic quirks to adjust to and a schedule of superstitious sanitary no tions diligently followed by day a dreamed of by night, is a mal which begins as a mental derager Everything fixed, every minute ber. Forebodings, misgiving of carrion crows. Such a life worth living.-Medical Talk.

Victoria Was Exclusive. When Queen Victoria visited her subjects it was by nomatter of course that people the house should have the p sitting down at table with the visitor. It was her house where she designed to the old phrase was) for a night? horses and servants (including sionally her cook), but also to herself at media to the con own suit, sometimes inviting

The Pickle Pair On more lightly and broken far more ear ily than used to be the case, when a be trothal was as serious an affair as mu riage. Now it is not unusual for a to be engaged once or twice helor is married, and people think no worse of her. Young girls way beginning to resemble those of maids, who walk out with a man not always with a view to matrimo -Lady Greville in London Ca

New Year's In Japan Most of the people you meet on Japanese New Year's day are carrying squashed salmon with a piece of par tied round its waist by a paper strip which holds a little gold paper ki That kite means that the thing is present and has not to be paid f Those who are not carrying crush salmon or taking up the street in a ing correct New Year's salutations. playing battledoor and shuttlecock.

"Don't you wish you were as smu as Conan Doyle's detective? "My dear sir," replied the modi detective, "if they'd let me plan crimes in the first place 1 could cover the facts in ways quite as traordinary as those of any detect

After the Honeymoon. "Anyhow, Jack, you cannot say ran after you at the time of our

Chicago Post.

"You never spoke a truer wo ria, but neither does the me tches run after the mouse, yet it it all the same."

One Sense Keen. Rob-Say, Bob, loan me \$ you? Bob-Why, man, have your senses? Rob-Nope; at my sense of touch .- Yale Rec

CHICAGO.

Attractiveness of New Fr Edmonia-How you do' love new friends! Eustacia-Yes so much more polite than o Detroit Free Press.

Of all the evil spirits abs world insincerity is the mo -Froude. DEATH RATE IN NEW ORK AND

During November 1908, one-fifth of the Foley's Kidn

A NEST BUILDING FISH. Sature Affords a Setfe Asylum For the Helpless Fishes.

bourd that it could. arly childhood we diss frequent warnings oe cat. Do not allow o bed with you, espebed with the baby, as nek the buby's breath, foundation for such a We never could discoveaning to the belief that k the breath of a child. ntence is totally uninteleant by sucking the breath? rue that the cat, attracted th of a child who had renursing, might attempt to n come manner with the In young cats the ime might be excited by the breath. It is barethe cat might be seized to bite or to devour the tongue, lured on by the We are not in a posithese possibilities. Maybe my of these suppositions furs for the statement that the le to suck the child's breath. always heard this statement hudder of horror. It seems to some welrd, horrible tragedy a hardly be imagined. But it is fancy, the origin of which is scribed was found to be full of eggs. il about leaving the infant with We do not favor the idea of eeping with children, nor do we the practice of children playing

Nature has thus afforded a safe asyum for these somewhat helpless fishes, whose cutaneous filaments, which are pientifully provided on the belly, around the mouth and on the dorsal spine, so better than to speak them has been nearly resemble the weed itself that predaceous fishes doubtless fail to recognize the living animals, and thus the so that there is less liability to spaslatter escape extermination.—Scientific modic action.

a child's breath has operated as reventive to mothers allowing their liter to play with cats, it has served very good purpose, but such childish tions are hardly compatible with mare reflection. It is one of the old ives' fables which may have served good purpose, but it is too ridiculous to a beggar. r Tetition. There are other and ons why the cat and baby with his wife. be seft together than the

we would advise mothers to be

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the child's breath.-Medical The Care of Children. in that the modern scientific methmad in the care and bringing up Infants tend to increase the average uration of human life. Mr. Chariton Lewis, writing in Harper's Weekly, resents a different view. When innts were treated with less wisdom, e points out, the weaker perished and the stronger survived. When the sick are cared for so that a large number cover from representation who are thus

Lewis in conclusion, while saving life, "tend especially to save lives which to feeble in a greater proportion than ing and thus in the name lower the vitality of the at inner of the population.' Making the Chances Even.

In days when tavern brawls in Engand were frequent and swords were out on the alightest provocation comal length. In a sudden affray ere would be no thought of measurg swords, so the authorities took the atter into their own hands at the ates of the city of London, where every gallant was liable to be challenged, and if the public official found any blade beyond thirty-six inches the smith stood by to snap off the steel to the required length. In Queen Elizaboth's reign this was the common

Bread. Freshly made bread is more indigestible than stale bread because it is more moist and becomes more solid in the mouth; hence more impenetrable to the saliva and the gastric juices. For the same reason bread crust is more digestible than what is beneath it, being drier. Bread may be unfit for use from being made of adulterated or too old flour, by turning sour or developing a bitter taste from the yeast, from getting moldy and from insufficient fermentation in the rising process, which leaves it too heavy for the digestive fluids to act well upon.

Earning a Spanking. Mrn. Brown-I was downtown yesdidn't know but I might nest you. Mrs. Greene-I was downtown too, end I'm awfully sorry didn't see you. Little Johnny Greene-Ma. Ma, don't you remember we saw Mrs. Brown's dog and you said: "Come, let's hurry away from here. That old cat must be somewhere near." What old cat did you mean, ma?

An Invitation Accepted. "No, I never carry my watch when not I go out," she said aftlessly. "I am so careless that it wouldn't be safe. Why, a person could steal anything right from under my nose, and I wouldn't make miss it." Then the young man by her ley and side stole a kiss, and she didn't seem miss it.

The birds' nests used for soups are the little gelatinous things made up princibally from the saliva of tiny birds of

> INFLAMMATORY RHEUMATISM OURED.

Chamberlain's Pain Balm, at which time I was unable to use hand or foot, and in one week's time was able to go to work as happy as a clam." For tains no opiates and is safest for unle by Cheney's Drug Store, South Manchester and Balch & Brown's Drug Store, South Manchester and Balch & Brown's Drug Store, South Manchester, and J. P. Bhore, Manchester.

FOLKY'S Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered as no other prevent the attack. For sale by Cheney's Drug Store, South Manchester, and J. P. Bhore, Manchester.

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It is doubtful whether protective mim

lery among animals in better exemplified than in the case of the fish commonly known as the marbled angler of the Sargasso sea (Pterophryne histrio), ed the people by his performances. Owing to its peculiar structure it is a One day in Seville he was visited by a poor swimmer, and it therefore spends most of its life moving slowly about on the bottom among corals, seaweed, etc., which these fishes closely resemble in color and in outline. They cling, too, to the floating masses of sargassum weed with their peculiar fins, and the color markings of the fish closely resemble the weed itself. Not only does the weed thus furnish a home for this species, but the fish actually constructs nest from it and therein deposits its eggs. One of these nests, found in connection with the Hassler expedition. was described as consisting of a round mass of sargassum about the size of two fists rolled up together. To all appearances it was made of nothing but this gulf weed, the branches and leaves of which were, however, evidently knit together and not merely tangled into a roundish mass, for, though some of the leaves and branches hung loose from the nest, it became at once visible that the bulk of the ball was held together by threads trending in every direction among the seaweed. By close observation it became apparent that this mass of seaweed was a nest, the central part of which was bound up in the form of of speech. Over either of the groups a ball, with several loose branches extending in various directions. On still closer examination the nest above dewhich were scattered throughout the

WHY HIS MARRIAGE FAILED. He regarded children as a nulsance. He did all his courting before mar-

He doled out money to his wife as if He never had time to go anywhere

He never dreamed that there were two sides to marriage. praise or compliments.

He thought his wife should spend all her time doing housework. He treated his wife as he would not have dared to treat another woman. He never dreamed that his wife needed a vacation, recreation or

He never made concessions to his wife's judgment, even in unimportant

He thought the marriage vow had made him his wife's master instead of He took all the little attentions lav-

saker than the comvine right" and not as favors.-Suc-

Flowers For London. In Scilly and Guernsey the industry of growing early flowers for the London market has reached large proportions. From the former island as many as fifty tons of early spring blossoms are shipped to the mainland in a single day. The flower season begins in January, when the early varieties are coming into bloom. Often, when the weather is cold and cloudy, the buds are tardy in opening, and it is necessary to resort to artificial aid in order that the waiting markets may be supplied. The flower heads are picked as soon as one bud penetrates the calyx and placed in jars of water, which are ranged upon temperature of 60 to 70 degrees. In a few hours the backward buds respond

to the genial warmth, spread their pet-

als, assume their glowing colors and

are ready for bunching and packing. An Anecdote of Whittief. A friend in conversation with Mr. Whittier, the poet, remarked that he was about to contract to furnish a lot of oak timber for the government gunboats and asked him if he thought it was in consistence with the peace doctrines of the Quaker denomination. Without saying anything calculated to decide the question the two arrived at their parting place, when Mr. Whittier, shaking his friend's hand, said, "Moses, if thee does furnish any of that oak timber thee spoke of, be sure that it is

Deserving of Pity. "There goes Roxham. Every time ! think of that man's financial embarrassment it makes me yearn to help

"Financial embarrassment?" "Yes. He's got so much money he doesn't know what to do with it."-Catholic Standard and Times.

A Temporary Opinion. The Flancee-The idea of his thinking that he is unworthy of me! The Confidante-Yes, but you needn't argue the matter with him. He'll discover his error in time.-Brooklyn Life.

"I wonder what Bragg means by forever talking of his 'social obligations?' " "I suppose he's a member of several social organizations and never pays his dues."-Exchange. Country.

An Economical Scheme. "But why did he marry?" "So as to have some one to help him tool that grows keener with constant live within his income. He couldn't use.-Irving. do it alone."-Chicago Post.

THE ORIGINAL.

Foley & Co., Chicago, originated William Shaffer, a brakeman of Honey and Tar as a throat and lung of small children. It quickly cures Dennison, Ohio, was confined to his remedy, and on account of the great their coughs and colds and prevents bed for several weeks with inflamma. merit and popularity of Foley's any danger of pneumonia or other tory rheumatism. "I used many rem. Honey and Tar many imitations are serious consequences. It not only edies, '' he says. ''Finally I sent to offered for the genuine. Ask for cures croup, but when given as soon McCaw's drug store for a bottle of FOLEY'S Honey and Tar and refuse as the croupy cough appears will pre-

A Test of Strength. Tradition has immortalized one Adargoma of Grand Canary, who could wrestle for two consecutive hours and having been thrown undermost in a certain contest, got his antagonist between his legs and arms and squeezed him so that his bones began to crack.

The native was subsequently sent as

brawny youth of La Mancha, who was anxious to try a bout with him. "My good friend," said Adargoma, "as we are going to wrestle together it is only reasonable that we should begin by drinking something." A large bowl of wine having been brought, he took this in one hand and continued to address his challenger: "If with both your arms you can overpow-

er one of mine so as to hinder me from drinking every drop of this wine we will try our strength together; if not, you may return to your home." The struggle took place, and Adargoma by degrees drained the bowl in the coolest manner without spilling a drop of the wine. His one hand was more than a match for the other's two

Why People Stammer.

Stammering depends on a want of harmony between the action of the muscles (chiefly abdominal) which expel air through the larynx and that of the muscles which guard the orifice by which it escapes with that of those which modulate the sound to the form of muscles by itself a stammerer may have as much power as other people, but he cannot barmoniously arrange their conjoint action. Nervousness is a frequent cause of stammering. It is possible that the defect in some instances may result from malformation of the parts about the back of the mouth. The fact that stammering people are able to sing their words usually explained on the supposition that in singing the glottis is kept open

A Bit of Good Advice In Time. An Antoinette Sterling story relates to "The Lost Chord," which she made famous. The song did not appeal to her when the manuscript was sent to her by Sullivan. But Sir Joseph Barnby spent an evening at her house at that time, and in a casual way she remarked: "By the way, Arthur Sullivan has sent me a manuscript of a new song, which he has asked me to sing. You might look at it. Personally, I don't think much of it and am going He never dreamed that a wife needs to return it." Barnby tried it over here and then, and before he had gone half through it he stopped and said: 'Going to return it,' did you say? It is wonderful-an inspiration. Certainly, tell him you will sing it. It is bound to 'make' both you and him." Mme. Sterling always thanked the fates for bringing Barnby to her house that night.-London Chronicle.

> The Wickedest Bit of Sen. Nine out of ten travelers would tell inquirers that the roughest piece of water is that cruel stretch in the English channel, and nine out of ten travelers would say what was not true. bit of se or in ya Jean de to Tangier, nor is it in rounding c Horn, where there is what sailors call a "true" sea. The "wickedest sea" is encountered in rounding the Cape of

Good Hope for the eastern ports of Cape Colony.-Shipping World. The Mails In Sweden. In certain parts of Sweden, where the most absolute confidence is reposed formal postal system is in vogue. As the mail steamer reaches a landing place a man goes ashore with the letters, which he places in an unlocked box on the pier. Then the passerby who expects a letter opens the box. turns over the letters and selects his own without being questioned by any

The Wrong Notion. "I would like to get a ribbon for my typewriter," said the man to the young woman with the yellow, home destroying hair behind the notion counter of a

department store. "Woman or machine?" asked the

"Stationery counter to your left."-Cleveland Leader.

"A woman will not esteem a man whom she cannot trust," said the mor-"Yes," answered Mr. Meekin, "and I

am delighted to note that Henrietta always trusts me to put the cat out and fix the furnace fire and lock the basement door and do a lot of things.' -Washington Star.

Perhaps It Was. "I wonder what time Mary's young man left last night," said mamma. . "It must 'a' been exactly 1 o'clock,

ma," said the younger brother. "The idea! How do you know?" "Why, just as he was leavin' I heard kim ask Mary some question, and she sald, 'Just one, only one.' "-Philadel-

phia Ledger. Would Then Be Useful. Grinder-What! Asleep at your desk, and work so pressing! Meekly-Excuse me, sir, baby kept me awake all night. Grinder-Then you should have brought it with you to the office.-Town and

A sharp tongue is the only edged

A FAVORITE REMEDY FOR BABIES.

Its pleasant taste and prompt cures have made Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a favorite with the mothers

cures colds, prevents pneumonis.

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## In New Color Effects.

According to the mandate of fashion Pongee is to be a favorite material this summer for Ladies' Costumes, especially for the popular Shirt Waist Suits. We have a fine array of the natural color Pongee priced from 45c. to \$1.25.

### Special Attention

called to our new showing of Pongee in colors, one of the most stylish silks of the season in Champagne, Brown, or Navy; will make up most handsomely and must be seen to be appreciated. They are 27 inches wide and \$1.25 yard.

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They're of muslin. You'll want to know about these. They are special lots of which we have but two, three and four pairs of a pattern. To make room for new spring lines, we have priced these very low for a quick clean out. It is a chance for you to get some choice styles for very little money. Come early to get best pick.

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79c. pair. \$1.25 Curtains for only 980.

\$1.87%, \$1.50 and \$1.75 ones, \$1.19 pair.

### Young Men

32 to 36 inch chest can easily be fitted at our Boys' department to a good spring suit made of the newest fabrics in the latest style at considerably less cost

than at regular clothiers. They are made of Cheviots, to clear, only 50c. each.

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Does a general banking business. Ac

SAFE DEPOSIT VAULT.

paper having a circulation in said district on or before March 4, 1904, and by posting

a copy of this order on the public signpost in the Town where the deceased last dwelt, six days before said day of hearing and return

A TA COURT OF PROBATE HELD AT Manchester, within and for the district of Manchester, on the 2nd day of March A. D. 1904.

A. D. 1904.

Present OLIN.R. WOOD, Esq. Judge.

Estate of Mary McGrath, of Manchester, in said district, incompetent.

The conservator having exhibited his final

account with said estate to this court for

ORDERED: That the 7th day of March.

A. D. 1904, at 9 O'clock forenoon, at the Probate Office, in said Manchester, be and

OLIN R. WOOD, Judge.

TA COURT OF PROBATE HELD AT Manchester, within and for the district Manchester, on the 2d day of March,

A. D. 1904.

Present OLIN R. WOOD, Esq., Judge.
Estate of James Trotter, late of Manchester, in said district, deceased.
On motion of Emma J. Trotter, adminis-

make to this Court. H-3-4-04 OLIN R. WOOD, Judge.

and convenience it is unsurpassed.

CAPITAL \$650.000.

counts invited.

plain color worsteds, and fancy mixtures, suits that could not be equalled in most stores for less than \$10 or \$12, our price for them is only \$8.50 each.

#### Fine Silk Shirt Waist Suits.

They are decidedly up-to-date costumes for ladies' spring and summer wear. Made in the very latest styles of excellent quality, small figured satin foulards. Waits with long shoulder effect, beautifully strapped, nine gore flare skirt, colors blue, black and brown, sizes 32 to 40, and would be cheap at \$30, our special price \$15 each.

#### Colored Caps

For babies' wear. We offer choice of twelve pretty little colored caps, made of silk and velvet, in one and two year sizes only; the colors tan, red, brown and blue, such as were priced \$1 and \$1.25, now marked

We call special attention to this depart ment and invite inspection. For security T A COURT OF PROBATE HELD AT Manchester, within and for the district Manchester, on the 3d day of March

A NOVEL AND STARTLING CASTING ACT A. D. 1904.
Present, OLIN R. WOOD, Esq. Judge.
Estate of John Trotter 2d, late of Manchester, in said district, deceased.
The executor having exhibited his administration account with said estate to this MUSIC BY COLTS BAND.

ministration account with said estate to this court for allowance, it is

ORDERED: That the 12th day of March.
A. D. 1904, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon at the Probate Office in said Manchester, be and the same is assigned for a hearing on the allowance of said administration account with said estate and this court directs the executor to give public notice to all persons interested therein to appear and be heard thereon by publishing a copy of this order in some newspaper having a circulation in said district. Office: ROSE BUILDING.

> FOR SALE: On account of working out of town, I offer my place, corner of Main and Hudson street, for sale. House in first-class condition, consisting of two tenements, equipped with modern improvements. Good location and site for any kind of business, also suitable for small hotel. Inquire on premises. Matthew Schuettler, Manchester.

12:45, 1:15, 1:45, 2:15, 2:45, 8:15, 8:45, 4:15, 4:45, 5:15, 5:45, 6:15, 6:45, 7:15, 7:45, 8:45, 9:45. Sundays, A. M. 7:15, 7:45, 8:45, etc. Leave Hartford. A. M. 6:52, 7:52 8:52, 9:52, 10:52, 11:52; P. M. 12:52, 1:52, 8:22, 2:52, 8:22, 8:52, 4:22, 4:52, ORDERED: That six months from the 2d 5:22, 5:52, 6:22, 6:53, 7:23, 7:52, 8:22

Leave South End. 6:00 A. M. and results. Dr. W. S. Smith, of Sanders

March 16, and the ma job has attracted the tractors from places Boston and New York tions have been prin sent to all who wish The following is a conmen of work to be less chester Sanitary and Second March 16th, 1994:

One concrete septic tangents 240 cubic yards of con-

450 cubic yards said tank. 450 cubic yards said tank. 500 cubic yards c around and over said tax 16 feet of 15 inch cast to septic tank. 150 feet of 12 inch o

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district sewer.

and 12 inch gate. 50 feet of 8 inch cast inch gate. 100 feet of 6 inch cast iron wo 6 inch gates for flushin 1400 feet of 15 inch pipe foot lengths, deep and wide 100 feet of 19 inch pipe eptic tank.

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1300 feet of 8 inch sewer, on street and Golway street, 200 feet of 8 inch sewer on Main street east of railroad cross: 2250 feet of 10 inch sewer on 10 Woodbridge to Stark street.

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street. 550 feet of 8 inch sewer on Wo land street. 400 wys branch a with stoppers. 62 manholes with castings and st and brick inverte. One brick manhole and i

One 15 inch and cone 12 sluice valve in manhole. 2700 cubic yards of rock its trenches. 550 cubic yards extra the 15 inch sewer to be

the price per foot for the sawet. There will be three wise only the 15 inch sewer. On all other sew there will be one wye to about 50 for of sewer on each side of the sewer. The depth of the sewers will at age 9 feet or less. The price nat must be by the linear foot. The will be no extra prices for extra dep of cutting. The manholes will be 8 inch bri work except for the large man

near the septic tank and inches thick, All oles is n contra. The flexu and cover-ach manbole to weigh 450 lbs. in contra All forms for concrete to be nished by the contract ement to be used of or of a brand so

be mixed; one plus The contractor will bear all expent f crossing under railroads and tre ways, including any charges made the railroad company. All macad roads are to be put in as good shap as found and maintained over the pil trench to December 1, 1904. contractor is to furnish grade pland men to assist the engineers in

ting them. Work must be completed Septe: 1904. Plans and specifications the work prepared by T. H. McK cie, C. E., can be seen at the hor of John M. Williams, No. 6 Hurson street, Manchester, or at sin office J. T. Robertson, president

### Company G New

Company G was inspected last evening, at the Armory, by Captain Thos. W. Winston, United States Coast Artillery, stationed at Fisher's Island, The company made a good appearance. Fifty-three out of 62 members were present. The men were first inspected in blue uniforms, leggings, haversack canteen and blanket roll. The com pany then donned their kahki uniforn and discarded their blanket rolls -ar other equipment. Captain Willia Madden put them through sever maneuvres and then turned the count pany over to Lieutenant Keating We put them through the drill of this company. After this they were dis

missed. The visiting officers were Cale Schultz, Major Moran, of the light of battalion and Captain Mullen, of company H, Hartford.

No advice has been yet received concerning Captain Madden's resigna- ti

MONIA.

Pneumonia is too dangerous a dis-th ease for anyone to attempt to doctor in himself, although he may have the proper remedies at hand. A physician should always be called. It should be borne in mind, however, that pneu-monia always results from a cold or

WEDDING TOMORROW

larriage of Richard Mommers to Miss Grace R. Wallace.

Hichard Mommers, youngest son of lighard J. Mommers, of this place, who is now superintendent of the Corn Products Company's plant at Pakin, Illinois, will be married at his me here tomorrow noon to Miss Grace Ritchie Wallace, of Peoria, Illinois. Miss Wallace has been visiting the groom's parents the past two months. The ceremony will be per-formed by Rev. Manning B. Bennett, ctor of St. Mary's Episcopal church, and will be witnessed only by relatives and close friends of the family. The oride and groom will visit Boston and en return to Illinois, stopping at of interest on their way.

#### ABOUT TOWN

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Robertson have returned from their trip to Florida. Policeman Almeron G. Hayes has been off duty this week through sick-

Professor Kelsey is planning to give concert in Chency hall in the near Mrs. James Marley has moved back to town and will reside with her son,

John Marley. a party of Talcottville people will have a private dance in Apel's opera use tomorrow night.

Andrew Orawford, of Middletown, merly of this place, spent Thursday with his uncle, John Marley, of Eldridge street. The annual meeting of the Man-licetor Water company will be held

if the office of the company tomorrow raing at ten o'clock. The program for Boethia, at the high school, this afternoon was a

spelling match between the freshman and sophomore classes. It is safe to predict that one year from today, March 4, 1905, Theodore

Rossevelt will take the oath of office to the highest position in the land. moker at the town hall Saturday entry. The committee of arrange. nts includes Frank Madden, Thos.

Raby and Edward Modin. he Rebekah social at Cheney ng was well attended in on than men braved the

red an impressive lenten sermon

h Madaadist church W.

conference will be held in rd the last week in March. received in town this e death of Miss Ellen A. of Bookville, which occurred in place lest night. She was sister net Dart, foreman for the rs Paper company, and also to Henry A. Slater and Miss Grace lart all of this town.

A concert, under the direction of bers by grammar school pupils and as though it might have the intoxicatwill end with a cantata, "The Building of the Ship," sung by the high al chorus.

Special for Saturday, round steak Mots. lb. O. F. Toop.

Partonize Post Office Barber shop over Manchester Post Office. Hair wish you would get away from trite cutting 20c., sea foam 10c., shampoo old expressions as much as possible. 25c., shaving 10c., with extras 15c. Here you have written that at a cer-All work strictly first class. Stephen tain point in this big meeting 'the si- plate at dinner, and, waving her hand. D. Pearl, proprietor.

Rapid Typewriting.

An official stenographer, Deming, at Albany, years ago reported court proceedings on a typewriter at the rate of 150 and 170 words a minute. He eliminated the vowels, using consonants mly, with a dot to separate words. I Its typewriter was incased in glass to to the machine from a roll. Lawyers in read the notes.

> Happiness. 'am sometimes accused," writes John Lubbock, "of being too opttic. But I have never ignored nor d the troubles and sorrows of life. e never said that men are happy, mly that they might be; that if are not so the fault is generally own; that most of us throw away happiness than we enjoy."

Too Deserving. oung village maiden had obtained desty prize. "I suppose then. sid," said a Parisian lady adig her, "you are the most modest the parish ?" re is not the slightest doubt

that, ma'am, and it's a down-hame I didn't get all the other -Paris Journal. . A Eard Proposition.

tried to go to bed wife he heard it was a was throat.-New York that makes character makes

GARDENS OF THE ALCAZAN

One of Their Greatest Charms Is the Apparent Lack of Cultivation. The garden of the Alcazar is one

sarden composed of several, each opening into the other by steps descending from a terrace or through arches in marble or living green. All the gardens are surrounded with

wonderful hedges of myrtle, juniper or box. If the gardens of the Alcazar should be stripped of all but their hedges, palm trees and magnolias. they would still be most wonderful. In some places walls about eight feet in height separate the gardens, and against these walls are trained orange and peach trees, with a tangle of jasmine and roses climbing among them as they will. In fact, the flowers grow in such careless and natural profusion and there is seemingly so little cultivation that one might almost think the hoe of a gardener had not visited the place for a hundred years. This very carelessness was one of the greatest charms of the place and added to the effect of age that clung to everything, Modern gardeners would stand aghast it such apparent neglect.

I recognized that the very lack of modern care was artistic and suitable and yet wondered, if the place were mine, whether I could forbear the use of shears, trowel and hoe. The hedges were trimmed. These, with some or- a certificate of deposit. The clerk ange trees growing in a solid mass of green along some fifty feet of palace wall and reaching to the very roof, alone bore signs of the gardener's

The flower beds were of intricate shapes, filled with a tangled mass of flowers and always surrounded with box. And such box! My heart sank within me when I thought of the box in my garden at home, where not even a hundred mild winters and a hundred rainy summers could give growth like

the smallest of that at the Alcazar. The bouquet that is considered in Seville as a model of beauty and elegance was to our eyes a most hideous thing. In shape like a pyramid, about fourteen inches high, it was formed by fastening a magnolia bud to the top of a smooth, round stick and then winding flowers tightly around the stick, each succeeding row becoming larger, so that at the bottom the bouquet was probably two feet around. It was a frequent sight to see two men carrying The Pierce Athletic club will have a pole between them with from six to a dozen of these bouquets swinging, heads down, from the pole.—Scribner's

Pussled His Tutors. Lord Avebury, better known as John Lubbock, was a naturalist even as a schoolboy at Eton. In his day the uppleasant weather. A there, however, the instructors cared by of the gathering was that for nothing except the classics and were ignorant of natural science. In his autobiography Lord Avebury says: t. Edward M. Hayes, curate in St. "At that time Eton boys, especially if oph's cathedral, Hartford, de. they were quick at writing verses and d an impressive lenten sermon learning by heart, had much more lel-sure than they have now I devoted a good deal of mine to natural history Tuesday evening before a large and geology in spite of the temonof my tutos, who thought

occasion we were given The Bee' as a subject for a stended to the pastpr, Rev. W. theme. I took some pains with it, and to return muother year, my tutor sent for me and asked me is when he compares the volume as it confidentially whether it was all true. From what he said I inferred that they rather suspected I was quizzing them and doubted whether to com-

mend or to flog me." Cats Fond of Olives. "I have often wondered if all cats like olives," remarked a woman who is very fond of the feline tribe. "All mine do, and I have six. Olives are usually an acquired taste with the human race, but cats seem to take to tiss Carrie Kanfmann, musical in them naturally—at least mine do. An mater at the Ninth District school, olive will set any one of them into parbe given in Cheney hall on oxysms of joy. They will leave milk mrsday evening, March 24. The or fish or any other article of food for bgram will consist of musical num- it, purring and rolling over it much ing effect of catnip before they finally eat it. I have often tried olives on other cats in the houses of friends and have found them equally appreciative, only they prefer their olives cut up in-

> Fitted the Event. "See here!" said the city editor. "I lence was oppressive.' Now, that is a saying"-

to pieces."-Philadelphia Record.

"That is especially apropos," replied the dignified press person. "It was a meeting composed entirely of women." -Cincinnati Times-Star.

Papa's Sage Conclusion. "Papa," piped little Willie, "which is puddle or a little toad in a big puddle?" "It's better to be a big toad in a big puddle," answered the ambitious father.-Detroit Free Press.

His Fault. Nodd-On the impulse of the moment strongly objected. the other night I told my wife an awful lie and got caught. Todd-Serves you right. Every lie a man tells his wife ought to be premeditated.-Life.

"Yes," he declared, "I think one grows to be like the things he eats." "You must have been brought up on marshmallows," she suggested.-Chicago Record-Herald.

Part of Her. Doctor-Your wife must keep out of excitement. Mr. Brisque-She can't, doctor. She carries it around with her.—Indianapõlis Journal.

Contentment comes from making the very best of whatever you have, be it by years or dollars. He's sixty and much or little.-Maxwell's Talisman. one the hardest things for a man special for Saturday, roast pork CURED HEMORRHAGES OF THE

> axative Bromo Quinine Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days 16. W/1000 box, 250

BANK WORRIES.

One Clerk Protted a Whole Year All For Nothing. An ex-bank official said that during is career in the banking business he had known more than one employee of a bank to get into trouble on account of carelessness in handling

money. One collector, who was a light hearted fellow, was going along the street n high water season flipping up a twenty dollar piece with his thumb and finger and catching it as it came down. Finally it slipped and fell through a grating on the sidewalk-into about two feet of water. He made some efforts to recover it, but finally decided to wait till the water was gone, and then it was found that the coin was also gone. Another time the same fellow was coming up the street with \$10,000 in twenty dollar pieces to his legs, remarking, "I'll larn you on his shoulder. In some way he lost to be a boy!" The popular hatred of his hold on the sack, and in striking the sidewalk it burst, and the coins rolled in all directions. A number of eradicable. That the creature is not people rushed to his assistance, but he described a large circle around the sack and, waving his arms wildly, ordered everybody to "stand back." He recovered most of the coin, but decided to get out of the banking business. Another time a Chinaman came into

the bank and deposited \$200 and took who made out the certificate was preoccupied and wrote \$2,000 on it and on the stub. When he made up his cash at night he was \$1,800 short. He knew where the mistake was and tried by which Milton describes the evil one to hunt up the Chinaman; but, although he got a clew, he could never find him, and he remained \$1,800 short on the books. He had a notice of the date of the certificate, amount, etc., pasted in his desk and was always on the lookout to catch the certificate as it came in. Just a year from the day the deposit was made the Chinaman walked into the bank and presented the certificate to be cashed. When asked how much he wanted he said all-\$200. He had never noxced the mistake in the amount of the certificate, and he has never found it out, and the clerk suffered the worry of being short in his mind for a whole year all for nothing .- Portland Oregonian.

#### WISDOM OF NOVELISTS.

The great thing to learn of life is not to be afraid of it.—Jerome K. Jerome. Audacity stands in the place of ancestors to those who are not well born. -Lucas Cleve.

All knowledge is gain, even the knowledge of evil. Like eating alives, to polson the stone sweated and changit prepares you for the next course. ed color, thus conveying to its wear-G. B. Burgin.

If a woman wasn't handicapped by It is to these peculiar amulets that her affection or need of it, the clover "As You Like It:" est chap in Christendom would be just a bit of putty in her hands.-George

Egerton. There are only three men of whom it may safely be predicted that they will

The life of every man is a diary in which he means to write one story and more beautiful in nature?
writes another, and his humblest flour Perhaps the most famile is with that he vowed to make it .- J.

Soothing His Last Moments. Speaking of unpleasant surprises, an Englishman told of the one Jonathan Rochell got upon his deathbed: "Jonathan, feeling that the end was

near, gave a few words of parting advice to his young wife. He had a bachelor friend named Howard, a steady fellow, and the thought came to his mind as he was concluding his farewell talk that if Kate, after he was gone, would marry Howard it would be a good thing. He told her this.

"'Kate, woman,' he said, 'it would please me dearly if ye was to promise to take up wi' Howard when I'm gone.' "'Don't ye worry about that, Jonty,' says Kate in a soothing way. 'Me and Howard have already settled it betwixt us!""

An Anecdote of Pitt. A certain Mrs. Beaumont of Bretton, England, who lived in the time of Pitt and whom the possession of lead mines made wealthy and purse proud, one day thought to impress Pitt, who was staying at Bretton, with her riches. She had a most splendid service of she said, "There, Mr. Pitt; that's all from the mines."

"Indeed," answered Pitt, "if you had not told me, Mrs. Beaumont, I should have thought it was silver."

Taking It In Good Part. An absurd caricature of James Russell Lowell appeared in a Harvard pabetter to be-a big toad in a little per soon after he had accepted his professorship. Some one ventured to ask him how he liked it, to which he replied that he was glad to see that the artist had kindly permitted him to wear plaid trousers, an innocent fancy of his to which Mrs. Lowell most

> For the Land's Sake! Uncle George-Have you heard the news? Tom Tyler is going to marry Tillie West, Aunt Hannah-For the land's sake! Uncle George-Yes; I guess you're right. Tillie owns some very valuable real estate. - Boston Transcript.

For a Finishing Touch. Spendthrift Son - Father, do you want me to go through college? Discouraged Father-You might as well. You've gone through everything else .--Chicago Tribune.

Her Marriage. "Did she make a good marriage?" "That depends on whether you figure rich."-Exchange.

hemorrhages," writes A. M. Ake, of Wood, Ind. "I took treatment with several physicians without any benefit. I then started to take Foley's Honey and Tar, and my lungs are now as sound as a bullet. I recom-

## THE DESPISED TOAD.

POPULAR HATRED OF THE ANIMAL IS OF GREAT ANTIQUITY

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Part-The Belief In Toud Stones.

The unfortunate toad has from time immemorial been an object of distrust and aversion, especially among the common people. A pleasing tale runs that a gentleman, walking along a country lane, came suddenly upon a village boy belaboring the crushed body of a toad with a heavy stick and exclaiming at each blow, "I'll larn 'e to be a toad!" whereat the indignant newcomer, seizing the miscreant by his collar, vigorously applied a cane the toad, indeed, is of such antiquity and is still so general as to seem indangerously poisonous it is hopeless to attempt to convince the ordinary rustic. Doubtless this belief has its origin in the acrid secretion which the toad has the power of emitting when disturbed or annoyed unduly and which will cause a dog that has incautiously picked up a toad to foam at the mouth. Again, the uncouth appearance of the creature has had much to do with the feeling of repulsion with which it has always been regarded. "Squat like a toad" is the phrase essaying to reach the ear of Eve.

Superstition, in truth, has laid a firm hold on the toad's misshapen figure. The belief, not only in the existence of "toad stones," but in their efficacy as a sovereign remedy for certain ills. which is still common in parts of the country, is of very ancient date. There is to be found in the heads of old and great toads," says Fenton, writing in 1569, "a stone they call borax, or stelon, which, being used as ings, gives forewarning of venom." In the Londesborough collection is a silver ring of the fifteenth century in which one of these toad stones is set. They were supposed always to bear on their surface a figure resembling a toad, being somewhat similar trinkets. one may imagine, to the scarabous ornament of the Egyptians. Another early writer remarks, "A toad stone called 'crepandia,' touching any part envenomed by the bite of rat, wasp. spider or other venomous beast, ceases the pain and swelling thereof." It was believed that when brought near

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of the which there we ten Perhaps the most familiar superst tion in regard to toads is that, still rife. which supposes them capable of existing for an indefinite period in the interior of rocks, stones or hermetically sealed cavities. Numberless "authentic instances" of this remarkable power er have been brought forward from time to time. The following example from an old book is typical: "In 1793 Mr. George Wilson, a mason, met with a toad, which he wantonly immured in a stone wall that he was then building. In the middle of the wall he made a close cell of lime and stone, just fit for the magnitude of its body and seemingly so plastered as to prevent the admission of air. In 1809, sixteen years afterward, it was found necessary to open a gap in this wall for a passage of carts, when the poor creature was found alive in its stronghold. It seemed at first in a very torpid state, but it soon recovered animation and activity and, as if sensible of the blessings of freedom, made its way to a collection of stones and disappeared." It is known that toads can exist for a long time without food, and it is generally believed that they live to a great age, and doubtless these two peculiarities have had much to do with

remarked that none of his victims survived the incarceration. In legendary as in superstitious lore the toad plays no small part. It may not be generally known that the fleurde-lis of France was originally in shape a toad. Thus at least runs the tale. Clovis, king of France, bore on his banner the device of three toads, or "botes." as they were called in old French. His baptism gave great umbrage to the Arians, who rebelled and assembled a large host against him under King Candat. Clovis while on his way to meet the heretics was granted a vision, wherein he saw in the heavens his device of three toads miraculously changed into three lilies "or" on a banner "asur." Such a banner he caused instantly to be made, calling it his "lif-

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