(Original)
"I once had a case," said the constable, "that was unique. I was called upon to arrest Frank Hickox, a steepie Inch.

The listeners laughed and declared that the finish of the story was plain enough. The steeplejack climbed a spire and thus avoided arrest.

"Not at all," the constable proceeded. "Anthony Carver, a small merchant, had missed articles from his store and had missed articles from his store and purported to have found some of them in Hickox's room. He had sworn out the warrant on which I was to make the arrest. Refore I could get my fin-gers on the young man he had either left, the place or gone into hiding. I had a conference with Carver, who was very bitter against the steeplejack. He admitted that the young man had often been at his house and had accepted of his hospitality. Carver gave that as a reason for his having turned so merci-lessly against Hickox. Indeed he of-fered me \$100 in case I succeeded in making the arrest.

I hunted the town high and low, but if the steepleinek was in it I couldn't find out where he was concealed. The next day I heard of him in Fairmount and, telegraphing the police to hold him, took a train to go there. When I reached the place the police reported that they had been too late, but had in-formation that Hickox had taken a train for the junction, ten miles dis tant. I went there, but he had gone on.
After spending a day following him
from one point to another without getting any nearer to him I suspected his pals were inisiending me. I returned to my starting point, called on Mr. Carver and reported my ill success. His daughter, a young woman of twen-ty-one, was in the room at the time, Ble listened to my account somewhat contemptuously and when I go through said snappishly:

"I saw blm in Buckthorne yester You? Saw him? How did that hap

"I went over there to visit a friend."

I looked at the girl's father inquir-ingly, but he made no comment on his daughter's information. "Why didn't you call a policeman."

"Why didn't you call a polecenan," I asked, "and have the fellow heid?"
"In the first place, there was no policeman about, and, in the sesond, I wouldn't know what rights I have in such a case." And, turning on her heel, she whisked out of the room.
Had It not been for the reward of fered I would have given up the job. It seemed to me that the members of the family had some graden against

the family had some grudge against the steeplejack and wished to get him in limbo. However, a hundred dol-lars was not to be made every day, and early the next morning I went over to Buckthorne. I had telephoned the po-lice of that town among others to keep a sharp lookout for my man and on arriving went to the police office to score them for not getting him. They had kept watch of incoming and outgoing trains and were sure the accused had not either arrived or departed. Since not either arrived or departed. Since they were especially sure that he had not departed I remained in the town all day, expecting that he was there and would show himself. But he didn't, and that night I went back home discouraged. I arrived after midnight, when the town was asleep. Happening to cast my eye up at the spire of St. Mark's church, near my home. I thought I say something white home, I thought I saw something white at the very apex. I was a good deal puzzled, for I had never seen anything up there before—indeed, notody had been there, so far as I knew, since the church was built. I was so interested that for the time being I forgot my ill success in arresting Hickox. However, since it was too dark for me to make out the enrious thing, there was noth ing for me to do but wait for daylight, so I went home and to bed.

The next morning on going to the

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randing opposite the church. The rece all peering up at the spire, some of them with field glasses. I saw a nan lower his glass and laugh. He analed it to another, who looked up nd also laughed. Some appeared to be istonished and serious, but nearly ev-ry one laughed. Burning to get at a olution of the mystery, I dressed hur-delly and, seizing a field glass, ran lownstairs and across to where I could ee the church. There, lashed to the very summit of the spire, was an ob-long, white, significe looking thing awaying in the wind. There were let-ters on it, and, raising my field glass, I

> MARRIED, JUNE 7. PRANK PARSONS HICKOX AND CYNTHIA ISABEL CARVER.

For a few moments ideas were tumbling about in my head like died in a box. Then the revelation came to me, and it turned out to be the truth. Hickox and Carver's daughter were loyers. Carver, objecting to the finiteh, had accused filekox of theft and placed or caused to be placed articles from his store in the young man's room. Hickox had kept out of the way (he had prob-ably been hidden by Miss Carver) till they could arrange for a claudestine marriage. She had sent me to Buck-thorne on a fool's errand the day before (June 7) with that end in view.

I did not call on Mr. Carver again, but sent him a bill for the time I had spent on his case. He remitted the amount, with \$100 added.

As for the wedding card which Hick-ox had placed on the church spire, it fluttered there a week before Mr. Carver could hire a steeplejack to go up and get it down. His son-in-law finally did the job. ALEX R. SHERMAN.

THE GRAY SQUIRREL.

He Is a Genius at Hiding Nuts and Pinding Them Again.

"One of the most familiar sounds of the summer woods is the rattling bark of the red squirrel," writes an observ-er. "The tones of his voice are varied, and there is a great difference between his angry bark, his cry of fear, the chattering monologue with which he addresses an intruder on his domain, the running fire of repartee which is the constant accompaniment of the an-ties of a pair at play and the long rat-tling roll call which he utters apparently from sheer enjoyment of the sound or as a challenge to some un-seen enemy of his own tribe and which reverberates through the woods often with sufficient force to carry the sound for as much as half to three-quarters of a mile. If we listen for an instant when we hear one of these challenges sent forth we may hear it answered from some distant point so faintly that we cannot be certain that it is not an echo. Some other male has heard the challenge and, detecting the self satisfled note in it, has answered and we may be fairly certain that they are hastening toward each other, each with the intention of annihilating his foe or at least teaching him a lesson.

"Gray squirrels, unlike most of the rodents, do not hibernate in the winter time, but are abroad and very active during most of the season. Their nests are then in hollow trees, but they usu ally leave these retreats in March and build airier and less vermin infested abodes in the tree tops of leaves and twigs. If you can watch a gray squirtwigs. If you can watch a gray squir-rel gathering nuts in the fail you will see him take a unt in his cheek pouch and hop along the ground, testing it overy few yards with his front feet. When he has found a spot entirely to his liking he will secop out a shallow hole and, placing the nut in it, will cover it up with the loose earth. This he will stany down and pasters to he he will stamp down and restore to its

former condition by scraping the loose leaves and small stones over it. "This performance he repeats again and again in that and other localities until he has hidden away in this man-ner a large quantity of nuts, one squir-rel often burying several hundred. In the winter, as he needs them, he un earths these nuts, and it is wonderful how uncertingly be can go to his various caches, even though, as frequently happens, they may all be covered with a foot or more of snow.

### BITS FROM THE AUTHORS.

The three qualities I admire in wo man are beauty, unselfishness, gentle-tess, T. P. O'Connor,

Why do so many women spoi men, even as they spoil horses, by too lavish use of spur and whip and bearing

r disease, according to our constitution.-Surah Grand.

Instinct is the name that we give to notives which cause actions not to be accounted for by common sense. Power and foresight are things that keep ntion alive.-Bart Kennedy.

So long as men and women marry with inferior motives or with no mo-live except the novelty of being mar-ried they are going to reap results which they do not want-Lavinia Unrt.

He Told the Truth.

An Irish gentleman had a splendid looking cow, but she kicked so much that it took a very long time and it was almost impossible to milk her, so he sent her to a fair to be sold and told his herdsman to be sure not to sell her without letting the buyer know her faults. He brought home a large price which he had got for it. His master was surprised and said, "Are you sure you told all about her?" "Bedad, I did, sir," said the berdsman. "He asked me whether she was a good milker. 'Be-gorra, sir,' says I, 'it's you'd be tired milking her.'"-"Seventy Years of Irish Life."

Comical Sayings Out

Of the Mouths of Babes

STERN Parent-Tommy, I'm sur prised to hear you tell a false prised to hear you tell a false-hood! I never told a falsehood when I was a little boy. Small Tommy-When did you begin,

papa? Little Fred-Say, papa, what is the

Deaning of Intuous? Papa-Fatuous means foolish, my Little Fred—Then if a foolish man is

fatuous a wise man must be leanuous, isn't he, papa? Johnny-Mamma, why did you say I should not fight Willie Jones when I

am at his house or when he is at my Mamma-Because it isn't polite

Johnny-Huhl Then I s'pose I'll have to lay for him and fight him on the street. TIG. SHOW

"Mamma," said five year old Margie, I'll make a bargain with you."
"What kind of a bargain, dear?" asked her mother.

"If you'll give me a penny every day to buy candy with," replied the small diplomat, "I'll not tell any one you have store teeth."

Little Harry lived in the country and had never seen a sailor.

"Papa," he said one day, "sailors must be awful small men."

"Why do you think so?" asked his

"Because," answered Harry, "I read in the paper about one who went to sleep on his watch."—Chicago News.

A Useful Relative.

"Yes, my mother-in-law can make herself very useful at times." "Glad you are fair enough to admit it."

"Of course I'll admit it. Why, just the other er morning she was so provoked because I didn't get out and chop the ice off the front steps that she went out herself with a broom and tee pick. She is a stout lady, and when she slipped on the top step and bumped herself all the way to the sidewalk she fell so hard that she cracked the ice on every step. Then her language regard-ing my shortcomings was so warm that it melted all the fragments and left the steps as clean and smooth as they ever are in July."—Cleveland Plain Dealer,

Trouble in Store For Him

Indignant Mamma—Amanda, I have been credibly informed that Mr. Spoonamore is boasting of having made an cany conquest of you. He says, in effect, that he has but to speak the word and you will be wearing the engagement ring he has given to a dozen girls

ment ring he has given to a dozen girls before you. I trust that you will take advantage of an early opportunity to robake his intolerable insolence. Miss Quickstep—Dou't you worry about that, ma. Next time he comes here he'll get his bumps, all right, all right—Chicago Tribune.

She Demanded a Count.
"The other day," remarked a physician, "when I was called in to attend a

little patient I found the girl was suf-fering from measles. She demanded to know what was the nature of her illness, and her mother repeated the ques-" 'Oh.' I said as I left the room, 'you

may tell Elste she has mensies."
"Quick as a flash the child said: 'Ask the doctor how many.'



Yus, it's our downright pluck henterprise wot 'as made us British ers wot we is!-Tatle

rein?-Rita.

Our minds find in books what our bodies find in our syrroundings-health was desired.

"Why don't more girls marry?" demanded the lyceum lecturer in tones of thunder.

"Becuz nobuddy axes 'em. in course." responded a voice from the rear of the

And the lecturer did not attempt to argue the question.-Louisville Courier Journal.

Entirely to the Taste. Gracie was taking her first look at the new baby and mimicking its wrinkled little face.

"I'm afraid you don't like your new sister very well," said the nurse. "Oh, yes, I do!" she loyally affirmed. "It's just my favorite shade."-Lippincott's Magazine,

A Good Reason Why. Weeks-I laughed at my wife when she first took up physical culture for s

nd. Peeks—Why don't you now? Weeks—I dassen't.—St. Louis Repub-

Could Sympathize.
Clara—Yes, she has refused him. She says she's quite sorry for him.
Olive—Well, she ought to be. She knows what a disappointment in love is.—New York Press.

KING ARTHUR A PRIZE SHIP British Vessel Has Been Ordered Con-

Nagasaki, March 11 .- The British steamer King Arthur, which was tured while leaving Port Arthur comber 19 by the Japanese guardilip Asagiri, has been ordered by the naval court at Sanebo to be confiscated.

The decision, however, is subject to the admiralty court at Toklo.

The captain's plea was that his yes-The captain's pies was that his ves-sel, which he said was bound for New-chwang, had been seized by the Rus-sians and its cargo confiscated. He produced a letter to this effect from the Russian authorities at Port Ar-thur, but the court refused to allow the plea.

The King Arthur had on board sev-

eral Russian officers who, it was be-lloved, were attempting to join the Russian second Pacific squadron.

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Riot in Italy Ends in Deaths.

York, March 11 .- Dispatches from San Marco, in Lamis, near Man-fredonia, report, according to a Herald dispatch from Naples, that peasants. dispatch from Naples, that peasants, provoked to riot by local matters, attempted to storm the customs house and town hall. There was a conflict with the troops, who had fifteen wounded, while the rioters had numerous injured and four dead.

#### The Colonel's Waterloo

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Colonel John M. Fuller, of Honey Grove. Texas, nearly met his Waterloo from Liver and Kidney trouble. In a recent letter he says: "I was nearly dead, of these complaints, and although I tried my family doctor, he did meno good; so I work a 50c bottle of your great Electric Bitters, which cured me. I consider them the best medicine on carth, and theek God who gave you the knowledge to make them." Sold and gmaranteed to curre. Dyspensia Billiousness and Klütney diseases by Chas. Strang, drugglet, at 50 a bottle.

Cuts Off Refreat.

Paris, March 11.—The Japanese oc-cupation of Mukden is conerally con-sidered here as definitely showing that the Japanese have won a victory and that General Kuropatkin's re-verse may soon reach the magnitude of disaster. The French military critof disaster. ics say the Japanese capture of Tie pass practically cuts off Kuropatkin from retreating northward. They also attach much moral importance to the capture of Mukden, the capital of Man-

#### Startling Morality

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Statistics show startline mortality, for appendicitis and peritonitis. To prevent and cure these awful diseases, there is just one reliable remedy. Dr. King's New Life Pills. M. Flannery, of 14 Custom House Piles, Chicago, says: "They have no equal for Constipation and Billioueness," 25c at Chas. Strang druggist. Strang druggist.

Vesuvius Active.

New York, March 11.—Vesuvius, which has never been completely inactive, has become more agitated, cables the Naples correspondent of the World. Incandescent lava, accompanied by flashes of light, was frequently throws out. Wadnaday vield. thrown out Wednesday night

No Choice Yet.

Jefferson City, Mo., March 11.— There was one more desertion from Niedringhaus' ballot for senator. The ballot resulted: Niedringhaus 51, Cockrell 71, Kerens 15, McKinley 5, Barthholdt 5, Warner 3, Dyer 1, Lyons 1, Walmsley 1.

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#### ATTEMPTS MURDER.

Then Tries to Induce Victim to Say
That He Shot Himself.
Cottege Grove, Or., March 11.—The
city marshal of this place received a
letter purporting to be written by
John Fletcher stating that the writer
was tired of life and had decided to commit suicide and telling the mar

shal where to find the body.
Fletcher was found as indicated with a bullet wound in his head, but subsequent developments show he was shot by John Branton, who, i ne was snot by John Branton, who, it is said, wrote the letter, the crime be-ing for the purpose, it is alleged, of getting life insurance of \$3000 paya-ble to Branton at Fletcher's -ienth. Branton, while walking along the road, it is claimed, borrowed Fletcher's revolver on the pretext of waning to

revolver on the pretext of wanting to revolver on the pretext of wanting to kill a wild animal. He then, accord-ing to Fletcher's sworm statement, turned the weapon on the latter. Af-ter having shot Fletcher, Branton tried to induce the wounded man to say that he had shot himself. This Fletcher refused to do and later swore to an affidavit charging Branton with the shooting.

If it is a billous attack take Cham berisin's Stomach and Liver Tablets and a quick cure is certain. For sale by Chas. Strang.

He Sold and Left.

A lawyer had a horse that always stopped and refused to cross a certain bridge leading out of the city. No whipping, no urging, would induce him to cross it, so he advertised him, "To be sold for no other reason than that the owner wants to get out of town.'

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1 O. O. F.—Rogne E ver Enchmpment No. 10, meets in L. O. O. F. hall the second and fourth wedersons of each month at b. n. H. H. Hanner Section

H. H. HARVEY, berlie. Olive Rebergh Lodge So. 28, meets in 1, 0, , F. hall first and in het Tuesdays of such count. Visiting st acts in y'ed to attend the Saker and Saker and Wilson, N. C. FANNIE HASKISS, Rec. Sec.

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K. of I - Talisman lodge No. 31, meets Mon-lay evening at 9 p. in. Visiting brothers al, ways velcome. Mailtor Punous, K. of B. and S. Waysen, C. C.

Knights of the Maccabous, "trum, bTont No. 14, meets in regular review on the 1st and 3d Fridays of each month in A. O. U. W. Hall a 753 y. n. Vesting Sr. Knights cordinally in-vited to attend. A. R. ELLISON, Communiter, W. T. Yukk, R. K.

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P : of A.—Mediord Lodge No. 42, meets every Tuesday evening in A. O. U. W. ball, VI. Hing Fraters invited to attend. L. A. JORDAN, Sec. FRANCIS JOJDAN, P. M.

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W. R. C.-Chester A. Arthur corps No. 34, neets first and third Wednesday of each, nouth at 2 o'clock p. m., in Woodman's hall. month at 2 o'clock p. m., in Woodman's hal Visiting sisters invited. Mns. IVan Humason, Pres. Mns. Hesten Hahtzell, Sec.

G. A. R.—Chester A. Arthur Post No. 47, meets in Woodman's hall every first and third Wednesday night in each month at 7,230 Visiting Comrades cordially invited to attend.

F. M. Stewart, Ad utant.

W. C. T. U.—Meets every other Thursday at the Presbyterian church. Mns. BUCK, President. Mns. J. Monaan, Secretary. Fraternal Brotherhood-Meets first and third Friday eventures of 7.59 p. m. ha their hall in S. of P. building, Medford, Gregon, Veiling Baters and Brothers conduity invited, W. J. HOCKENYOS SECTIONS.

O. E. S.—Rempes Chapter, No. 66, meets second and fourth Wednesday's of each month at Mesonic Hall. Notice report, Visiting Slaters and Brothers always were not the State of State of

Uniform Rank, K. of P. Meet at the call of the captain in K. of P. hall. H. H. Howard, Captain, E. L. Et.wood, Recercer,

A.O. F.—Court Medford, No. 8985, meets every Monday night at 7:20 p. m. in A.O. U. W. Hail, Angle bloca Medford, Oregon. Visiting Foresters certainly welcomed. L. E. Hoover, C. R. FRANK H. HULIG Rec. Sec.

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TIMBER LAND ACT, JUNE 3, 1878,—NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office,
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Resoburg, Oregon, January 7, 1995.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878. entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892.

SELHA A, CARLITON, of Weller, Smith Public Land States by act of Township, No. 36 South, Range No. 2, East, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber and stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land usefore A. S. Bliton, U. S. Commissioner, at Mediord, Oregon, on Saturday the 25th Agy of March, 19, William Stanley and George West, of Prownshipor, Oregon, Gus Nicaols and John H Carlton, of Eagle Point, Oregon,

Nichols and John R Carlondon All Andrews of Corgon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on ar before said 23th day of March, 1955.

J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

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