MARKET REPORT. EXPERIENCED COUNTY CANVASERS GENERAL NEWS A COLLEGE GIRL'S FIGHT. beach, mending a net, he imp began an enthusiastic outburst of com-monplaces about the grandeur of the ocean. "Monsieur," interrupted Karr, "I love the sea; we have lived together a long time. But if you have come all the way from Paris to disgust me with it, I can only say it is a wicked thing to do." All About a Cushion and One of the Live NEVER HAVE FAILED Thomas A. Edison's Perfection of gressive spirit of the times, says the Philadelphia Times, the two higher classes of the Women's Medical college, Twenty-first street and North College avenue, on Thursday indulged in s regular college fight. The dispute arose over the ownership of a beautiful green cushion which a diguided senior captured from a less dignified junion and intended to use for her own special comfort. Shelley & Vanduyn, Ruling Prices of Poultry, Eggs and To make a success when they have under Diary Preduce. taken the sale of Thomas A. Edison's latest achieve- PEED, PLOUR, GRAIN AND LUMBER OTHAN MAGNER'S STANDARD STOCK BOOK. ment is the invention of a light by ment is the invention of a light by which pictures may be seen at night with all the, advantages of daylight. Electric lights have heretofore thrown either too brilliant or too yellow a light. Edison secures a perfect light for pic-tures by placing at the back of the bulbs in his system of lighting a lead piece covering half the bulb and fitting it closely. Inside of the bulb is a cont-ing of eliver. The natural vellow of Wool, Grass Seeds, Clover Seeds, Mincella-DON'T DELAY IN SECURING TERRITORY. Finest Book on Earth for the Farmer, Stockman and Blacksmith neous Soeds, Bie., Kie. LARGEST PROFITS! At 3 o'clock on that eventful day this Land boomers in Oregon are cause DAIRY PRODUCE. At 3 o clock on that eventual day this young lady entered the lecture-room carrying the cushion on her shoulder. Arriving at her place she threw it upon the bench, and, sitting on it, said to her companion: "Oh, my, but that is comfortable?" A few minutes later the members of the junior class assembled the bench and successful the members. Tazxoopers. For Catulogues and Agents' Terms apply to Statistics show that Ohio has \$1,600 307 Sansome St., San Francisco, Rat more boys than girls. G L. PEXBLEE, ing of silver. The natural yellow of the light and the silver reflection comdairy. Sec. 10. 11 Wolves and other kinds of game are plenty in northwestern Florida. Pickled (Cal.). bine to make a light that brings out all WIT AND HUMOR. Eastern cleamery fancy. Cal. fresh roll A Mexican giant 7 feet 6 inches in the colors in a picture harmoniously. It was first used in the illumination of in their department, and the possessor of the cushion missed her comfortable seat and informed her class-mates, who 186221 height is employed as a special officer Best place for a boll-In the tes ket 10 cents and receive ten as will make you more money than anything ever offered, new, durable and profitable. at Scranton, Pa. the "Angelus" in New York. Cheese. 11 4@12% 12@14 15 to 16 The baby king of Spain is the thir-centh of his name, which fact makes New California with one voice said: "We'll have that Whar's My Nigger! Oregon Skims and cream Swiss Cheese, domestic... Young America Or. The "old soldier's" home-The cus-idore.-Boston Bulletin. his mother feel nervous about him. John W. Dwight of Pennsylvania owns in North Dakota a farm nearly as In the month of January, 1800, in going down the big river from Vicks-burg to New Orleans. I happened to strike a boat on which were half a once to NORTHWERTERS SUPPLY Co., No 325 First Street, Portland, Oregon. The owner of the cushion. followed 14 Irish nationality wouldn't stand-founded on a sham-rock.-Pittsburg Chronicle. by her comrades, walked up to the senior, who by this time was enjoying the soft seat, and domanded her prop-Eggs. irge as the state of Rhode Island. 140815 "Do you think I'll get justice?" "O. STAR COMPOSITION CO., no. You're all right. They'll acquit STAR COMPOSITION CO., ¥ dos. James Whitcomb Riley, the bachelo erty. On receiving a negative answer to her request the plucky junior grabbed hold of the cushion and pulled dozen professional gamblers. There poet, is in receipt constantly of letters from women who want to marry him. large number of other passe FLOUR were a gers, and a game was going on in the cabin night and day. I happened to Portland Pat. Rotler, p. bbl; Salem do do 3 75 Secretary Rusk and Representative cabin night and day. I happened to Reed are great friends. They are fall in with two young men at the start, called "Tom and Jerry" in Washing-and incidentally learned that they had do do do from under the senior. In an in A farmer who doesn't know how to run a newspaper has been discovered in Nebraska.—Philadelphia Inquirer. Dayton Cascadia dant there was a regular tug of war The members of each class came to the Country Brands McMinnville een off on a speculation which turned 8 50 assistance of their comrades. Each We live so fast nowadays that it out disastrously and were returning home + close to dead broke that they division held on to the cushion, pulling John Horn, of Orville, Ohio, is six and wrestling, and finally both came to keeps the recording angel busy putting down "breaks."-Brooklyn Magazine. Superfine. White Lily feet four inches high, weighs \$35 could only raise \$20 between them. 3 75 blows. nds, and is twenty-two years of The room was one animated mob of On the second night one of them came into the game with this money, and in the course of an hour won \$800. Then "Let us learn French Goslin. What do you say?" "Cawn't do it, Dolley; 'tian't Euglish, you know."-Harper's young and comely women struggling for supremacy and the possession of the coveted trophy. When the janitot entered, whether intentionally or not. Kye Flour A West Virginian has been arrested FEED. for personating his deceased twin brother and drawing the pension of \$17@18.00 \$18@20.50 \$30.00 luck shifted and he was cleaned out. As his last dollar went the banker in-There is hardly any man so friendless in this world that he hasn't at least one friend ready to tell him his faults.-Gr'd Barley, per ton Mill Chop per ton Oil Cake Meal per ton the latter. he engaged in the strife and soon be-came thoroughly mixed up in the fight. It was hard to tell which faction was quired. A proud mother in Merced, Cal., \$22(6:25 (0) Have you anything to raise a stake ton a four - months-old baby \$27 506430 00 that weighs twenty-six pounds and has cut . \$19@\$20.00 Texas Siftings. the strongest. The wildest excitement 'Yes. Whar's my nigger?" was the FRESH FRUITS. Teacher-"Now, children, by what is the earth divided?" Tommy (whose father is a kicker)-"By the politiprevailed when the professor, accom-panied by some gentlemen, entered the four teeth. "Yere, Mars John!" answered a voice, . 150@200 . 250@400 An exchange chronicles the fact that for order, but without avail. He then Mrs. Sophia Bennington, of Xenia, O., aged forty, has given birth to her tweaty-tifth child. and a "young and likely," as it used to be termed, negro boy about 20 years old entered the cabin and bowed very berries cians."-Epoch. 3 75@4 00 took a hand in the light and captured Clouds are a good deal like men-they are harmless when alone, but they make trouble when they get together. do Sicily, p. ba. new. Limes per hun. Or. Oranges, Riversides the cushion, which he bore off in The pope has expressed to the cardihumbly. "Thar's a nigger who is worth \$1.-600 in gold," said the young man. "How much will you put up against 1 50 umph to his desk. As soon as he could nais at the vatican his desire for burial make himself heard the lecturer ad under the Church of St. John Lateran, -Norristown Times. 4 50644 75 ministered a short reproof to the angry in the part restored by himself. An exchange exclaims: "In these Navels. maidens and finally succeeded in him? The lances reintroduced lately into Malta Blood 5 00 storing peace. Tired and tattered the young ladies then proceeded to their usual places leaving on the floor several days of roguery a man must have lost his wits to indorse a note." At any rate he is apt to lose his balance.-"Twe've hundred." None. Pears per box. the French cavalry are considerable shorter and lighter than those used in eaches per box. do do In just forty minutes the last dollar was gone, luck and trickery being too many for the young fellow, and as he rose up the "banker" called out: Plums per lb. Prunes per box Watermelons ¥ doz. Strawberries F B. locks of hair and other evidences of the this branch of the service under Na-Philadelphia Press. poleon I. Minister (to choir leader)—"I see you have dispensed with Mr. Deeptone's services." Choir Leader—"Yes, sir: I thought a change of bass desirable."— *Pittsburg Chronicle.* When quiet had been completely re-It is reported that the sheep raisers :0 "Luck seems to hate some folks. stored the owner of the much-coveted of eastern Oregon are selling off their SGRAIN. flocks as fast as they can. About one eashion quietly stepped down to the Whar's my nigger?" Barley, whole, p. cti..... Corn, per 100 lbs..... 80/290 desk of the professor and returned to the place with the prize which she, not No one could answer, but a search for him was at once instituted. Three Harper's Bazar. hundred thousand have already been 1 50 Oats, good, p. bu. Rye, p. 100 lb nominal Wheat, Valley, p. 100 lbs. do Eastern Ore..... disposed of. Minnie-"So he kissed you, did he?" Mamie-"Once." Minnie-"Youdon't tiguratively but literally, sat upon. or four men looked high and low, but A colored woman who said her age 20(41 225 he could not be found, and it was nually concluded that he had gone overboard. There was a great deal of 1 20@1 225 was one hundred and one years was say! Well, the smartest man on earth What a Boston Man Swallowed. arrested and put in the Birmingham, 1 15@1 175 is liable to make a fool of himself once. - Terre Haute Express. Ala., lockup the other day. She had There were a number of us in one of POULTRY. "cussing around," but it didn't help matters any, and all finally turned in Chickens, large young ¥ dz. 4 25@450 the London tayerns made famous been quarreling. Quills (meeting an old classmate) – "Well. old fellow, how goes it? Lots of patients, I suppose?" Squills (rue-fully) – "Y-yes; lots of patience?" – Lawrence American. Dickens, when a great, big fellow slouched in and made himself very dis-4 50@5 00 There is a Mission grapevine at Car-penteria. Cal., which has a girth of six for the night. When I went to my old stateroom I found the washbowl full of 7 000 5 50 agreeable with his month. One of our party was a man from Boston, and some Ducks ¥ doz cet at the base, branches out in every black water, and a strange coat and Geese, young & dz. 8 001689 00 direction for a hundred feet, and this 186220 hat on the floor. I was wondering over Turkeys, you way or other he and the big man came year produced four tons of fruit. "Is there any question more disagree-able to you than. Where did you get that hat?"" "Well. I should hate like thunder to be asked where I got this these things when one of the young men came in-the one who had not SEEDS. to exchange words. The first we heard of the row the hig man was say-In London they are utilizing electricity in a novel way. During heavy fogs horses carry an electric light on heavy played. 65 66% Timothy Orchard Grass "I came to remove these things," he 11012 You Yankees is great on the brag, their heads which can be illuminated Red Top explained. "I got into your room by umbrella."-Philadelphia Inquirer. and that's all you can do. as occasion requires, the storage batmistake, you see." "But what does it mean?" Well, I dunno," replied Boston blue Grass 2614 Wickwire - You say you are ac-quainted with Brown? Yabsley-He "It means that I am the 'nigger' who Italian do tery being in the wagon. 7 % @1 9% @11 7% @9 7@10 "But I do. When did you ever do a If you would gaze on an example of superb disgust, hud the Maine hunter is a particular friend of mine. Wick-wire-If he is a friend of yours he surebloomink, blasted thing?" superb disgust, find the Maine hunter was put up against twelve hundred who thought he fired at the shining dollars and lost." "How about 1776?" squite. "Never heard of it!" ly can't be so very particular.-Terre orbs of a ferocious wildcat and after-ward discovered that he had filled a to-"What an idea!" "How about 1812?" Haute Express. "Yes, we ought to have made a thou-Visitor to Editor- 'Could you use an

-----DESIRE to inform the public that they are still on deck at the old PIONEER CONVERSION record of TWENTY-FOUR YEARS. While many changes have been wrought during all these years, not only in our City, but among their patrons, as well as upon the methods of business, yet with an unswerving policy long years ago established of keeping GOOD GOODS, giving GOOD VALUES and always extending to its patrons, kind and courteous treatment, it has ever occupied a front seat among the Valley Stores, and to-day is a leading factor in the Commercial Circles of Polk County. And while its present Managers. SHELLEY & VANDUYN, are proud of the record of the old Corner, and thankful for the patronage THEY HAVE received during the past, they now desire to say to their friends and patrons that their SPRING STOCK is now Complete and will be replenished almost daily with the Latest Styles of GENERAL *MERCHANDISE, the items of which are too innumerable to mention, some of which however are as follows: **DRESS - GOODS** CONSISTING OF Imported Henriettas, Berges, Almas, Cicilian

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surcastic tinge in her v ice, "but a soft question doesn't."- Washington Post.

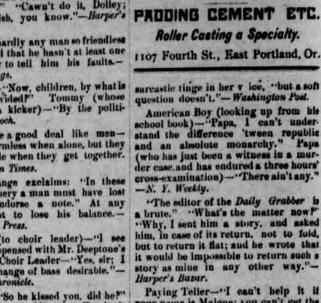
a brute." "What's the matter now?" "Why, I sent him a story, and asked him, in case of its return, not to fold, but to return it flat; and he wrote that it would be impossible to return such s story as mine in any other way."-

Paying Teller—"I can't help it it your name is Malone; you can't get the money on that check unless you are identified." Malone—"Hould a bit wid ye! O'll bring Jim Maginnis in an inthroduce ye to him, an' begorra he kin oidentoloy us both. Phat name, sir?"-Harper's Weekiy.

"Ma." said Willie, who had been to "Ma, "said withe, who had been to the missionary sewing society with his mother, "I feel very sorry for the poor little heathen." "That's right, Willle. I am glad to see you show such a spirit." "Yes'm. I'd feel sorry for anybody that had to wear the clothes that you people were making today."-Washington Post.

He Had One on The Squire.

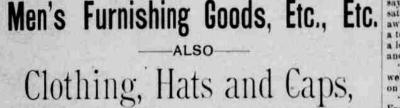
An amusing scene was recently en-An amusing scene was acted in a country court-room in Maine. The trial Justice, a big, pompous official, with a voice like a trom-bone, took it upon himself to examine a witness-a little, withered old man, whose face was as red and wrinkled as





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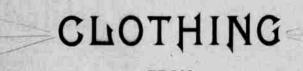
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A watch for blind people has been invented in Switzerland. In the midsays," 'I have done that 'ere, you bloomink idiot, and it says as how all you Yan-kees run at the first fire! Don't it, now?" "I never heard that it did." dle of every figure is a small peg, which drops when the hour hand reaches the figure. The owner feels that the peg is down and counts back

mato can with shot-holes.

Eight cotton factories, sixteen banks

Railroad, near Manito, Ill., has bee

recently drained. The result of the til-

"Don't it say that?" to twelve to determine the hour. The big fellow had pushed up his sleeves and put up his lists, and it 11.11.4 unto death in Italy, not very long ago, plain that a row was on hand. He was he told his nurse one morning that he big enough to eat up two such men as had had a dream. "An old man came

Boston, while he had friends to look to me," said Dom Pedro, "and in a out for the rest of us. Our companion most carnest way informed me that I therefore took the most prudent course should lose my crown before 1 lost my and acknowledged that history might say so, and probably did say so. This satisfied the big fellow, and he turned away and glared at a Frenchman, also a tourist, who had come in later. After a long stare he walked up to Crapo covered by the postmaster which was

nd shouted: "Blast yer bloomink parley yous, but in the habit of making one meal a day out of postal cards. After being dewe've always licked ye out of yer boots prived of this diet the animal soon on land and sea!" "You speak you big lie!" shouted the Unequivocal contradiction is given Frenchman, hot in a minute.

What! Call the Liverpool Kid a liar to his face! itly current tales of his engagement "Ave! and I shall now give you you and marriage to a young English lady whom he met on board ship while go-ing to Europe last month. "The roawful beeg licking!" "Johnny" got out of his coat in a jiffy, danced around with his hands up, and to our utter astonishment the Kid foundation.

went right down into his boots and slunk out of the room, having no Citizen George Francis Train when in Boston recently was surrounded by a crowd in a hotel corridor, when he more pluck than a hea. We sat there for five minutes before any one spoke. Then it was the Boston man, who said: "Just think of it! I can lick six fellows like that banty Frenchman, and yet the big duffer made me swallow forward and said: "Til take your bet, stranger, provided you are not George Francis Train." two wars of independence and Bunker Hill on top of them!"-N. Y. Sun.

A well-known London journalist, a man of culture and ambition, is having The Supply of Parents. his eldest son educated to be a cook Lucy (aged 11, who is reading a The boy has been trained by a famous paper) — "It is perfectly dreadful!" Father—"What's dreadful, Lucy ?" chef at Brussels. He afterwards studied under the chef of the Grand Hotel. Lucy-"Another faithless wife, the Paris, and has just been apprenticed for three years to M. Charpentier, chef of the Savoy Hotel, London. mother of six children, runs off with a married man, who leave a large family behind. Dear me, if this don't stop A large tract of swamp land on the line of the Jacksonville Southeastern

pretty soon there will not be any pa-rents left."-Texas Siftings. Lives Alone in a Hat at 119.

ing has been peculiar. In some places the roadbed of the Southeastern sunk Richard Hoops of Osage City, this county, is beyond question the eldest person in the State of Missouri. He is four feet, and the road was compelled to spend a large amount of money in a negro, and lives alone in a small but making the necessary repairs. on the banks of the Osage River, just John B. Allen, the Senator-elect

below the Missouri Pacific railroad bridge. He is 119 years of age, and from the State of Washington, is the youngest-looking man in the upper house of Congress. He has blonde in appearance somewhat resembles a mummy, his skin being parchment-like, but he is full of life and energy hair and rosy cheeks and the extremely youthful appearance that accompanies that complexion into middle life. He ties. In the summer and fall he finds work as a farmhand, and what he earns is not as young as he looks, but the fact does not give him any uncasiness. in this way is eked out by the aid of his skill with rod and gun to a respecta-ble living. During the last fall he con-tracted with a farmer to grub out the stumps in a large field and faithfully carried out his obligation, performing all the labor himself. "Uncle Rich-ard" has more than the Dr. Drafft-Ebing, an eminent professor in the University of Vienna, says that 60 per cent of all cases of insanity inherited a predisposition from their ancestors. In 20 per cent of all cases intemperance is found to be the sole ard" has a good memory and can re-call incidents that happened in his boyhood, just after the Revolutionary War. He remembers having seen on one occasion Gens. Greene and Wayno or chief cause, and in 30 per cent more one of the causes of mental disease He advises legal measures to comba the habit of intemperance, or the for-

mation of societies to counteract it. and other heroes of the War of Inde The other day at Jackson, Mich., a pence, whose names he can not recall now. He was born in Chatham Coundog chased a mouse, and the frighten little animal ran up a telegraph pole and then started out on a wire for the ty, South Carolina, and his master's name was William Hayden. He came to Missouri in 1843, and for the last twenty-five years has been living about next pole, 160 feet distant. The wire swung gayly in the breeze, but the trembling traveler hung on and reached the next station in about an hour. He Osage City. As stated, he lives all alone in his hut, and, so far as he descended the pole, and when he reached the base he was so tired that knows himself, has no relatives living. He is very economical in hi methods of living, and the head of a large cat-fish furnishes him with material enough to supply him with soup for over a week. The old fellow is quite he allowed himself to be picked up by a spectator.

A good story is told of Alphonse Karr. A youthful man of letters ar-rived at Etretat with a letter of introduction to Alphonse Karr. He had been particularly told of Karr's passion-ate love of the sea; and, finding the author of "Genevieve" seated on the

ging Yankees!" "I guess not." "Not! Does you dare to dispute the Liverpool Kid?" White Clover. ISSS, and ISS9, number eighty-two, with an aggregate capital of over died by inches .- N. T. Sun.

Emerson on Newspaper Reading.

CAD The following is from "Emerson's LUMBER -ROUGH AND DRESSED. Talks with a College Boy," in the Cen-Rough. ---- T. & G. Sheathing. Newspapers have done much to ab-No. 2 flooring breviate expression, and so to improve When Dom Pedro, of Brazil, lay sick style. They are to occupy during your into death in Italy, not very long ago, generation a large share of attention." No. 2 ceiling (This was said nearly a quarter of a century ago. It was as if he saw ahead the blanket editions.) "And the most Clear rough. Clear P. 48. No. 1 flooring. No. 1 ceiling studious and engaged man can neglect them only at his cost. But have little to do with them. Learn how to get A queer circumstance has just been their best, too, without their getting

No. 2 rustic..... Stepping. Over 12 inches wide (extra) Lengths 40 to 50 brought to light in the Marvinville, yours. Do not read them when the Longhts 05 them thoroughly, column by column. Remember they are made for every-body, and don't try to get what is not 15 Lath. Marken, cedar, per 1000. 225 ∴ red cedar, ¥ 1000 45 00@50 00

meant for you. The miscellany, for instance, should not receive your atteu-WOOL. Eastern Oregon. tion. There is a great secret in know-According to shrinkage ing what to keep out of the mind as by Colonel George W. Williams, the well as what to put in. And even if negro orator and historian, to the re- you find yourself interested in the Valley Spring clip Umpqua

Lambs and fall selections, you cannot use them, because the original source is not of re-VEGETABLES (Fresh.) ference. You can't quote from a news-"The ro- paper. Like some insects, it died the Turnips per sk. mantic rumor," he says, "is without day it was born. The genuine news is Tomatoes per box what you want, and practice quick searches for it. Give yourself only so Asperagus .

many minutes for the paper. Then you will learn to avoid the premature Beets # 1h Cabbage ¥ lb Cauliflower, per dox. Carrots per sk offered to bet that he was the biggest fool in America. Nobody accepted the wager at first, but finally a man came

The Jews Still Wander

do young ¥ doz Celery per doz Cucumbers ¥ doz Green Peas ¥ lb ... Lettuce ¥ doz Onions ¥ 100 lbs Destroe № 100 lbs It is remarkable that Emin Pasha hould be a Jew by hirth, and one of his rescuers-Vita Hassen-a Jew by profession. But the presence of these Jews in Equatorial Africa does not stand alone. From the time of Abra-Prunes. ham downward the migratory instinct

Oregon French Petite DRIED FRUITS. has been dominant in the race. Me-

sopotamia, Canaan, Egypt, Canaan once more, Assyria, Babylonia, Persia, Canaan a third time, and then the world at large-such are the successive Apples sun dried qrs. do factory sliced Cal.... do evap. 50 lb boxes.... do unblea..... stages of Israel's national migrations. The Jews, indeed, have ever been the "tribe of the wandering foot." In an Cherries pitted . Peaches hlvs, unp'l'd new... age when movement from one country to another was a rare and hazardour do evaporated Pears mach dried proceeding-in the twelfth century. Plums pitted Oreg factory Citron, Currante, Currants, in bxs or bbls.

proceeding—in the twelfth century, to wit—Benjamin of Tudela and Pe-tachia of Ratisbon traveled through a great part of Europe, Asia and Africa, and were thereby able to make con-siderable additious to the world's knowledge. The second Benjamin and Halevy, who explored the Felashas, may also be mentioned. The existence of Jews in out-of-the-way corners of the globe, the Felashas and Beni-Israel and the Cochin Jews, has only been Dates in boxes Far Dates, 15 lb bxs..... They begin the classes in some of the and the Cochin Jews, has only been made possible by the migratory ten-dency of the race. The four young public schools nowadays in the rudi-ments of civil government at a very early age. And it seems that the men who kept last Yom Kippur in so queer, yet touching, a fashion in the wilds of South Africa, are among the young people get, on the whole, a pret-ty correct idea of the way we are governed. A teacher, who, by the way, is rather foud of English things, was orally instructing a class the other day latest illustrations of the tendency. No doubt the waudering instinct has been strengthened by persecutions, but now that peace and quietness are his in greater measure, the Jew still retains his predilection for travel.—Jewish (heaviet) in the foundations of political science. She had given her young pupils a very interesting lecture about the British

Chronicle. On the Verge of a Panic.

covered a new species of pine.

system of government, And then she asked the boy at the head of the class: "And now, Johnny, what are the men called who govern or rule over us Jackson (whose tinancial credit is Jackson (whose financial credit is gone): "I tell you, Witherbee, we are on the verge of a financial panie." Witherbee: "Pahaw! What makes you hink-that?" (Confidentially): "Well, dr. Bagley and Boberts used to lend ne small sums a year ago, but when I go to them nowadays for a five or a en they full ma frankling that they "Kings!" said Johnny, promptly. "Oh, no. Tell me, the next one, by whom are we governed?"

"Queens!" "No! Next boy." "Jacks!" said the next boy. And he was not promoted to the head of the class.—Boston Transcript en they tell me frankly that they aven't got it. Bagley and Roberts are two of our best business men, too.

ere are only five workingmen justices of the peace in Great Britain. Force of them are in England and two I tell you, sir, we're going to have . Charles V. Piper, of Seattle, has disin Scotland.

A Budding Monarchist.

off's Manazine Kansas Farmer - "Got any

molasses jugs?" Storekeeper (briskly) -"Yes, sir-new kind just out; tin top to the neck; hold about four lingers; 500519 34 (44%

entirely original poem on 'The Narco-tic Weed'?" Editor-"I could, of

rubber cork, so the smell won't get out."-N. T. Weekly. Per M \$10 00 Bluster-"Yes, abem! My corres-12 00 pondence is, ahem! remarkably large, I receive, ahem! on an average 300 letters a day." Coolley-"Why in

thunder don't you pay up, then?"-Lawrence American. Clerk of Bookstore to Proprietor-

22 50 "What's the price of this book?" Pro-22 50 "What's the price of this book?" Pro-22 50 prietor—"That Bible? Forty cents." 22 50 Clerk—"It is not a Bible; it is an in-25 00 fidel work." Proprietor—"O, I see. 100 Four dollars."—Washington Post. Quevedo-"There is a man who doesn't care any more for his life than

a small boy does for his clothes," Curtis — "Disappointed in love?" "Love? Bosh! No; he's a writer of funny paragraphs."-Philadelphia Inquirer.

Ted-"I hear Mrs. Bellair is married 100015 again. Isn't it rather soon after her first husband's death?" Ned-"Yes, 16@19 but there were extenuating circum-stances. Her second husband was the 18(#20) 100 14 undertaker who buried her first."-

Undertaker (to new assistant)-Go 1 75 down town and get a bier. Tell them to charge it to me. New Assistant (to himself) — Jewbillikens! That's the kind of a man I like to work for. I'll make it two, for luck.-Minneapolis 1 40(@1 50 Journa 1 00

Miss Plympton — "After all, Mr. Broughton, what is the advantage of having ancestors in the seventeenth century?" Mr. Broughton—"O.a great 90/001 00 deal. They can't hang around and man your social aspirations today."-Har-3 00 per's Bazar. 2 25

Little Edith -- "Mamma, did you say that we should all know each other in Heaven?" Mamma-"Yes, my child." Little Edith-"You can play that you're out, though, can't you, mamma, when people call that you don't want to see?" 7008 -N. Y. Ledger.

7%@8 9@10 Mr. Fangle (looking over the house he has just moved into)—"I wonder who lived here last?" Mrs. Fangle-"I don't know; but the lady was a Christian." "How can you tell?" "She 11 to 13 6 10 13 to 14 11%@13 10(412 120015

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What a beautiful tribute was that paid to a departed citizen of a Western town! The editor of a local paper wrote that "J— was an houest man; he was a truthful man; he was one of the best trout fishermen in this section.' -Kearney Enterprise.

Suitor-"I do not see why you refuse to allow me to pay attention to your daughter. I have plenty of wealth and, besides, I am just in the prime of life." Parent—"In your prime, eh? Well, then, you are all ready to be fired, so oft "_____Korner, Estimation git."- Kearney Enterprise.

"Is Mr. Smith a very religious man?" "Is Mr. Smith a very religious man?" "I guess you'd think so. I never saw a more devoted man in all my life. He attends all the part h fairs, takes shares in all the raffles, and when it comes to Copenhagen he is the very life of the church."—Boston Transcript.

"What is your name?" asked

- any "Why, 'Squire," said the astonished I know yourn."

"Never you mind what I know or what I dou't know," was the caution given with magisterial severity. "I ask the question in my official capacity and you're bound to answer it under outh."

With a contemptuous snort the witness gave his name and the question ing proceeded.

Where do you live?"

"Where do you live?" "Wal, I shum!" ejaculated the old man. "Why," he continued, appealing to the laughing listeners. "Twe lived in this town all my life, and so's he." pointing to the Justice, "an' b' gosh, to hear him go on you'd think....." "Silence!" thundered the irate Magis-trate. "Answer my question or T11 fine you for contempt of court." Alarmed by the threat, the witness named his place of residence and the examination went on.

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"What is your occupation?" "Huh?"

"What do you do for a living?" "Oh, git out, Squire! Jest as if you don't know that I tend gardens in the Summer season an' saw wood Winters!" "As a private citizen I do know it, but, as the Court 1 know nothing about

but, as the Court 1 know nothing about you," exclaimed the perspiring Justice. "Wal, Squire," remarked the puzzled witness. "if you know somethin' ont-side the court-room an' don't know nothin' in it, you'd better get out an' het somehedy try this court they get let somebody try this case that's got hoss sense.

The advice may have been well meant, but it cost the witness \$10,-Lowision Journal.

What Becomes of the Rags.

Housewives must often have won-Housewives must often have won-dered where all the rags go to after they pass into the wagon of any one of the several hundred ragmen who pass through the alleys with their monoton-ous cries, according to the *Globe-Demo-crat*. These gatherers of old rags take them to warehouses where they are bought in bulk and then assorted by girls according to quality. There was

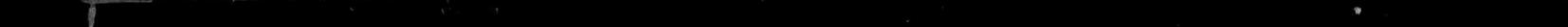
Mr. Fangle (looking over the house be has just moved into)—"I wonder who lived here hast?" Mrs. Fangle— I don't know; but the hady was a Christian." "How can you tell?" "She left no rubbish in the cellar."—*Lippine soft's Magazine.* Benedict (after a conjngal tiff)—"It's too bad a man can't have a wife made to order." Mrs. B.—"Well, I think you ought to be satisfied, that's all I seem ty) "What?" Mrs. B.—"To order."— Philadelphia Press. What a heautiful tribute was that be told when new from wool by the ex-pert, and by experience with the wearer. I heard of one "shoddy" mill located at Newark, N. J., which has just increased its capacity to 90,000 pounds of "shoddy" per month, and they have been running overtime for a

month. "Shoddy is king," say the wool men, and this accounts for the mercurial condition of the wool market.

A Springfield (0.) baggage-handler roughly jostled an elderly geutleman and bade him "get out of the way." The elderly mau was the superintend-eut of the road, and when he turned around the baggage-man crawled be-hind a trunk and kicked himself.

Chief-Justice Fuller's Activity.

church."—Boston Transcript. The tired wife was struggling slong, overburdefied with parcels. "John, we were single you didn't allow me it we were single you didn't allow me it carry bundles." "That was because you hadn't so many of them." was this unfeeling reply.—Detroit Free Press. He had asked her the momentouse whow it greath warmth. "You know." he said, after a pause, "that a soft answer turneth away wrath." "That's very true," she replied, with * Chief Justice Fuller is a man of



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