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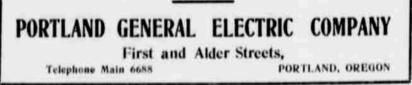
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An Irishwoman who owns a little stationery shop in the upper part of Manhattan frequently surprises customers with whom she falls into conversation over the counter by asking:

"Which of my eyes do you think is the blind one?" The customer invariably exclaims

that surely it is not possible that either eye is blind, for both are dark blue, sparkling and seem just the same. The shopkeeper, however, proceeds with the information that the left eye is quite without

sight. "That's my tattooed eve," she exdidn't pay for it, of course. A rich lady had it done for me.

"You never heard of a tattooed until I came to having one. It was after I was blown up by an explosion-oh, dear, yes, a terrible expehad been with her five years, and the thought a heap of me, and it was at her house the accident occurred.

"When I lost the sight of the eve bandages were removed and it was seen that a white film had spread over the eyeball she was terribly distressed.

" 'It ruins your good looks entirely, Mary,' she said. 'You'll never get a husband looking like that. But I know of a physician who can make it look as good as the other. even if he can't make it see. It will cost \$1,000,' she says, 'but I'd have it done for you if it was \$5,-000.

"So I went to a fine private hospital, and the doctor tattooed another iris and pupil on the white film. And he matched the blue exactly, now, didn't he? I could scarcely tell, when I looked in the glass afterward, which one I was seeing out of at all. "Did I get a husband? It's my

third that I'm living with now."-New York Press.

Stupidity and Sangfroid. A Columbia university man who in house, in same class, at price in Full Professional Services Five Per Cent. Commander Gambier of the Britfigures the human body more than makes frequent use of foreign ish navy tells in his book this story any other kind of work. In this that class, from 5 to 20 cents per words and phrases in his talks and of a soldier servant named Anindustry it is inevitable that sooner book. Saint Johns and Portland, Ore. his literary products was under fire or later the workers must succumb to lead poisoning, and there would Blank books, legal blanks, stadrews, a fellow of stupidity and for this practice. The feeling tionery and children's books. sang froid: "We were practicing N. A. GEE among his antagonists was that the with a saloon pistol in my brother's appear to be no part of the body We also carry a small stock of House Mover and Repairer English language is a good enough quarters, and Andrews was in a that the poisonous fumes and floatcigars, tobacco and candies means of expression. "Well," said ing particles which permeate the small dressing room adjoining when the expert in word pictures, "to me atmosphere of the workshops do CHIPMAN & CO. a ball went through the door and a number of these foreign phrases took the tip off his ear. Most men would have made some remark. He not affect. The complexion takes have an interesting history which their use recalls. I plead guilty to a sentiment for just this kind of thing. Take the expression 'sub rosa. Its English substitute is 'pri-vately.' I prefer to think of the have an interesting history which Woodlawn 586. did not, and we knew nothing about their use recalls. I plead guilty to Ladies' and Gents' Saint Johns N 1971 M it until by chance, looking into the a sentiment for just this kind of **Billiard Parlors** F. M. LASHBAUGH room, we saw him groping about under the table for something he rosa. had lost. 'What are you looking for, Andrews?' said my brother Greece, and the custom which had Greece, and the custom which had STINE BLOCK. replied in an apologetic tone-as if blood, the eyeballs are drawn into Corner Jersey and Catlin, ST. JOHNS **OWENS BROS.**, Proprietors. over the table where guests were oblique positions and take on a dim deprecating his master's wrath, T entertained in token that nothing and bleared appearance. The joints, LAUREL LODGE was only a-looking for a bit of my heard there was to be repeated; hence the expression 'sub rosa.'" especially the knee and the wrist, Five First-class Tables. ear as come off when you fired that No. 186 I. O. O. F. become semiparalyzed, and the whole form is gradually bent and shot through the door, sir."" ST. JOHNS. OREGON Meets each Monday evening in Odd Fellows hall, at 8:00. Visitors welcomed. Henry Allen, N. G. A Lively Court Scone. Drop in and play a game. Early Protest Against Tea. contorted. They had a lively scene in a court The introduction of tea into Euin Algiers when thirty thieves were E. B. Holcomb, Secretary, Failed to Please. ropean communities met with conbrought up for their sentences. The judge had just sentenced the pris-Central Bar. His eyes make no attempt to considerable protest. In Germany tea ceal his admiration of the boautiful S. C. NORTON dealers were considered immoral, oners when a notorious thief flung young thing as she enters the parand many pamphlets were publish-**Real Estate** a boot at him. It hit the presiding ed condemning the use of tea in Insurance judge squarely on the nose, making Indeed, he does not want them to. any form. Tea was first brought to the blood spurt. This was a signal Resident agent N. F. Noren & Co. "You are positively queenly," he declares enthusiastically. SAM. COCHBAN, Prop. England from Holland in 1666. 110 S. Jersey street. to the other prisoners, for immedi-Soon the drinking of it became THOS. CONDON, Mgr. Phone Woodlawn 927. St. Johns, Ore. ately a storm of boots, caps and oth-An offended expression comes to fashionable in London, and a pound er articles hurtled through the air, her face. of the leaves sold for 60 shillings J. R. WEIMER "Queenly?" she asks disdainfully. Fine Wines, Liquors and Cigars. and amid the confusion the band of Thomas Garway was the first dealthieves made a dash for liberty. "Yes; you are a veritable queen er in tea in England. He recom-Transfer and Storage The gendarmes had to draw their in appearance." mended it as a cure for all disorders swords before order could be re-Haughtily she bids him leave. and sold great quantities of it at a Cochran Block, St. Johns, Oregon **Your Patronage Solicited** stored. All the prisoners were "But why?" he inquires, amazed. large profit. Records show that tea "Oh, nothing. I'm a queen in ap-pearance, am I? Well, I happened to look over a lot of magazine pictos East Burlington street, St. Johns. caught and lined up again before the judge, who gave them all three has at times been sold in England LOUVRE! for as much as £10 a pound. THE years more at hard labor for com-WOOD tures of different queens and prin-cesses today, and if you think I look mitting an outrage on the magis-Various How Are You's? tracy. "How are you?" in German is like them it's time for you and me to be strangers."-Life. "Wie befinden sie sich?" (How do L. RICHARDS, Prop. Persian Justice. you find yourself?) It is also "Wie Professor Williams Jackson tells in his "Persia Past and Present" What Restrained Him. Buy your wood at the The Dutch say "Hoe vaart gij?" A stranger in a small town want- The Finest of Wines, Liquors and some stories illustrating character Old Reliable (How do you fare?) The Italiana ask, "Come state?" (How do you in the land of Omar Khayyam. One ed the advice of a lawyer and as he Cigars. is of a man who, suffering from inwas hunting for one one day he stand ?) The French, "Comment vous portez-vous?" (How do you flamed eyes, went to a horse doctor came upon a sign which read, "A. Peninsula Feed & Fuel Co. for treatment. The veterinary gave Swindle, Attorney at Law." A Fine Lunch Served Every Day. him some of the salve that he used He entered the office and after The Greeks ask what you are doreceiving the necessary advice said that the lawyer was a fine man, on animals, and the man 'ost his ing, the Chinese want to know if cyesight. He then brought suit in PHONE UNION 3105 Coal For Sale. you enjoy your rice, and the Ruscourt to recover damages. The but he wanted to know why he sians inquire how you are living. Liquor for Medicinal Purposes Green and dry slabwood. judge, after weighing the evidence in the case, handed down his decimade his name sound so ridiculous The Arabs, a devout people, say, "God grant his favors to you." The and why he did not put his first and Family Use Phone East 297. sion as follows: "There are no damname in full. Turks, no less devout, say, "Be un-"I would," replied the lawyer, laughing, "if my first name were not Adam."-Magazine of Fun. W. H. MCBRAYER ages to be recovered. The man (Cedar Brook) This whiskey direct from the Housekeeping would never have gone to a veteri-nary if he had not been an ass!" Forehanded. The London Telegraph tells of a distiller to us. In bond six years small girl who entered a grocer's One Way to Catch Fish. A Willing Witness. old and aged in wood. Apartments A curious method of catching To solemnize the ceremony of shop in Whitechapel and said: fish is practiced by the Chinese. taking the oath Chinamen kill a "Please, sir, I wants 'arf a pound E. O. MAGOON, Distributor cock. By another process they break a plate. The English habit The fisherman lowers a screen of of butter and a penn'orth of cheese, Suites of two to four rooms, also 111 North Jersey St. St. Johns, Ore white canvas from the side of his Surfees of two to four rooms, also single rooms. Situated one block from Columbia University, near cor. of Fisk St. and Boulevard. Furnished or Unfurnished. 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Supposed Source of the Plot of Shakespeare's "Hamlet." While Shakespeare no doubt Saxo Grammaticus, a Danish historian who died about 1204. His |

THE MELANCHOLY DANE.

writings were in Latin, and in Shakespeare's time they had not been translated into any modern language. The story is to be found in Belleforest's collection of novels, begun in 1564, and an English translation of it was published entitled 'The Hystorie of Hamblet, Prince of Denmarke." Horvendile in the novel is the name of Ham-

let's father. Fengon that of his unplains proudly. "It cost \$1,000. I cle and Geruth that of his mother. Fengon traitorously slays Horvendile and marries his brother's wife. In the second chapter Hamlet coun-

eye? Shure, I never did myself terfeits the madman to escape the tyranny of his uncle. Through the machinations of his uncle he is tempted by a woman, the uncle rience it was! I was living with the lady at the time as her maid. I prince and find out whether his madness is counterfeited or not. In the third chapter Fengon, the uncle, tries a second time to entrap Hamlet in politic madness and

causes one of his councilors to be she felt had enough, but when the bandars were removed and it was hear what speeches pass between Hamlet and the queen. Hamlet kills him and thus escapes danger. In the fourth chapter Hamlet is

sent to England by Fengon, with secret letters to have him put to death. While his companions sleep Hamlet counterfeits the letters "willing the king of England to put the two messengers to death." Here ends the resemblance between the history and the play. The Hamlet of the history returns to Denmark, slavs his uncle, burns his palace, makes an oration to the Danes and elected king. He goes back to England, kills the king of that country, returns to Denmark with two English wives and finally falls

through the treachery of one of these ladies. This is the supposed "Hamlet."

source of the plot of Shakespeare's A Pardonable Excuse.

Louis XIV. and the Famous Crown of Agrippina. Louis XIV. had an unconquerwrote the tragedy of "Hamlet," as able passion for jewels, and his most are cordially invited to attend these it is found today, he borrowed many valued possession was the famous services. of his data from an earlier writer, crown of Agrippina, which was composed of eight tiers of immense brilliants in a transparent setting. Ne kept the most precious of the

A ROYAL FAD FOR JEWELS.

crown jewels in his private cabinet in order that he might admire and examine them at his case, an occupation in which he took much deright. Nor did he ever hear of a gem of great value either in Asia, Europe or any other country without making strenuous efforts to se-

cure the prize. At an entertainment given by Louis to the Princess of Modena it every Friday at 10 a.m. happened that the conversation of jewelry, which prompted the Junior K. L. C. E. 2:30 p. m.; Marquis de Dangean, who prided Senior K. L. C. E. 7:00 p. m. Also edge, to observe that it was in the Gates, Pastor. time of Nero that the imperial crown was first arched, whereupon G.W. Nelson, pastor. Sunday school one himself and that the Marchion- 7:30 p. m.

for him.

tained a close look at it he exclaimed to the marchioness: "How is this, madame? This is no longer

The setting was intact, but the brilliants had been replaced by paste. When the mystery was solved it was proved that the maker of the casket which held the crown had pretended an attachment for one of the waiting women of the Marchioness de Montespan, who during his visits, having free access to where the crown of Agrippina was kept, had substituted mock diamonds for the true ones. He was convicted and hanged, upon which occasion Louis remarked to the duchess, "He has at least left us the setting, but Cromwell would have seized it whole."-Sunday lating library, open to the public Magazine.

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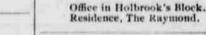
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