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SINGULAR STATEMENT.

From Mrs. Rank to Mrs. Pinkham.

The following letter to Mrs. Pinkham from Mrs. M. RANK, No. 2,354 East Susquehanna Ave., Philadelphia, Pa., is a remarkable statement of relief from utter discouragement. She

to thank you for what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me.

"Some years ago I had womb trouble and doctored for a long time, not seeing any improvement. At times I would feel well enough, and other times was miserable. So it went on until last October, I felt something that being the first intimation she had had he had been in or near the terrible creeping over me, I knew not what, but kept getting worse. I can hardly explain my feelings at that time. I was so depressed in spirits that I did not wish to live, although I had everything to live for. Had hysteria, was very nervous; could not sleep and was not safe to be left

"Indeed, I thought I would lose my mind. No one knows what I endured. "I continued this way until the last of February, when I saw in a paper a testimonial of a lady whose case was similar to mine, and who had been cured by Lydis E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I determined to try it, and felt better after the first dose. I continued taking it, and to-day am a well woman, and can say from my heart, 'Thank God for such a medi-

Mrs. Pinkham invites all suffering women to write to her at Lynn, Mass., for advice. All such letters are seen and answered by women only.

"Ha, ba!" laughed Desdemons, de-

risively. "Do your worst!"

For, it being a one-night stand, the pillow borrowed from the hotel certainly wasn't large enough to smother anybody. "Think not to escape me, wretched

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Detroit Journal.

Tripe in Batter.

Wipe tripe and cut in pieces for serving. Sprinkle with salt and pepper, dip im batter, fry in a small quantity of hot fat and drain. Tripe batter is made by mixing one cupful of flour with one-quarter of a teaspoonful of salt, sadd gradually one-half cupful of cold water, and when perfectly smooth add one egg, well-beaten, onehalf teaspoonful vinegar and one teaspoonful olive oil or melted butter .-Farm and Home.

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are for, Willie?" asked his uncle. "You bet I do," replied the boy

That being the first intimation she had had he had been in or near the conservatory the evening before, naturally she blushed.—Chicago Post.

The Voice of Wisdom.

Says Epictetus-Only the things which are within your will concern into sheets one four-thousandth of an you. Those outside the power of your inch thick, in which form it weight

Hoax—So young Goldrox has take wife. What was her maiden name? Joax-Her maiden aim seems to have been to marry Goldrox, and she parasites. proved an unusually good shot for a woman.-Philadelphia Record.

A Hazy Term Defined.

Miss Fondart—Jack, what do they mean when they speak of a first-water diamond?

Jack-One that-um-er-one fresh from the mine-never been soaked, you know.-Jeweler's Weekly.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Greek and Roman doors invariably open outward; a person passing out of the house was therefore obliged to knock on the door before opening it, to avoid collision with a passerby.

It would be difficult to imagine more extraordinary digestive powers than current through two small platinum those of the hyens. One of those wires, the tube becoming effulgent on beasts has been known to swallow six the passage of the current. No glass large bones, whole, without crushing bulbe are needed, and the light, it is

A German investigator states that the cost of manufacture is appreciably the fig was known to eastern people be-fore the cereals, and that it was as important a fruit with these primitive tribes as the banana with those of his good wife, as she entered the sculp-South America.

The owners of the famous cog railroad running up Pike's Peak, have de- strike you?" said he, as he pointed out cided to change the motive power from steam to electricity. It is estimated that the cost of making the change will be about \$50,000.

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She Wanted Pull-Length. tor's studio.

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There is a popular idea that this disease is caused by exposure to cold, and that some localities are infected with it more than others Such conditions frequently promote the development of the disease, but from the fact that this ailment runs in certain families, it is shown to be hereditary, and consequently a disease of the blood.

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