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REYSTONE OF THE AMERICAN ARCH. for experts, who never agree with one another, and who too often square their findings to fit their theconsecrated American citizens, and no asset. They should study conditions, and keep open only half the time? investigate tendencies, furnish examples, make recommendations. They should tell us whether the system is things to happen? too elaborate or whether it does not go far enough; whether the teaching personnel is all it should be; whether right kind of co-ordination between cago, in which some hundreds of French tradition. elementary and higher education; known vagabonds and individuals

many other things. The purpose of The Oregonian In and to bring to them fuller and better support.

place, performing its vital function of holding the entire structure to- viously law-abiding young men. gether; and they do not take the trouble to see whether unseen hands may not be steadily undermining it.

We have in mind that a band of citizens in Portland not long ago set It was made up of one hundred exa share to the general welfare by studying school problems and aiding tion of worthy but misdirected enterprise. It served, perhaps, to discourage others from similar undertakings. The Oregonian does not know ble auspices, whether there were too many men and women with fixed noserve as a warning to others, or even ized, and if a painstaking effort were to be made to avoid fruitless debate.

that he has yielded for the schools his creditor, either in material af-great sums of money, and he may fairs or matters of the spirit. And the season—tidbits that a good many asked to give more. He has given makes work lighter as he labors. He Syria and Armenia, for example, ceedingly large and influential. The admits that he has been physically would like to have. The fox whose generously, to be sure, but he has tired, but he has never been so weary fur comes up to the high mark set courses have been multiplied, teachtaken their books in arm and gone that ever has been known

been. But we are talking about the dependence, in conscientious work, skin coat nowadays for \$600 or can truthfully be said that "there has les memes qui se font tuer."

lets it go at that.

known, if he gave any real thought the schools has been unevenly main- terpart in every community. Manager. Editor.

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LOYALTY NEVER CONQUERED.

They are on an average below the bodied in the paper and bodied in the paper and professors' salaries. Subscription Rates-Invariably in Advance. hod-carrier's; and we do not mean ceded without a single dissenting 1.00 must have pay on a par with the fact. Probably no other occasion Poor pay necessarily and inevitably ties. the world is to have the best schools. terance was one of protest.

It is all axiomatic. The Oregonian would like to have 1.2 mill tax for the higher institu- Rhine, and Moselle have made a a survey made, by competent author- tions—the State Agricultural college, unanimous declaration before the been a schism on doctrine." tty, of the entire public educational the State University, the Monmouth stituents and of their defeated opposystem of the state. It is not a job Normal school. The public has inories, but for earnest, intelligent, the thousands-in numbers far be- M. Francois, one of its members, who yond the capacity of those institutions. The alternative now is to close conceptions, except that the schools the doors of the higher institutions of the nation are its first line of of- to at least half the numbers of boys fense and defense. They should ap- and girls clamoring to get in, or to proach their task with a purpose to give sufficient money—enough money help, and not to hinder. They to keep the wolf from the door of should take nothing for granted, except that the principle of public ed. families. Shall we also let the ucation is sound, and that, with all country schools of Oregon take what its defects, it is the greatest national poorly trained teachers they can get,

What becomes of the keystone to

KNOWN CRIMINALS BUSY. Those who think that the wave of

Two men were killed while re- treaty." but also to reassure the public, to at- sisting arrest. The police went after tract a closer interest in the schools, them rough-shod, but the crime wave was checked, and one will be in-clined to believe that the end justified the means. The recrudescence know it. But most citizens merely assume that the keystone is duly in Nothing heads of criminal desire. Nothing has happened lately to make a new crop of criminals out, of pre-

THE WORLD'S RICHEST MAN.

emplary men and women, drawn would make use of the information. like these. from various walks of life, but all He makes no mention of dollars in united in the purpose to contribute his inventory, although he seems to ters around which many a romance these. He speaks of an excellent century ago a great trade in in their solution. They got nowhere. Rockefeller would give millions to chief market for them was found in because they could not agree either possess, and of a cozy home, a wife the orient, whose potentates and on what was the matter, or what to and children, a pipe, a shotgun and mandarins were glad to exchange do. It was an unfortunate illustra- a dog. There are a few other items, their goods for the seal and marten

tinction. what was wrong - whether the product of a purely negative philo- ly stimulated exploration and was scheme was devised under unfavora- sophy, and so arrived at is not to be one of the prime motives of early benefit of particular interests; or the more complex gives too much for women, inaugurated a relatively what. It falled. It should not have trouble, is not inspiring, because it short while ago, seems to be only in falled. Above all, it should not does not fit in with our conception of its infancy. Wallis Nash, in his deserve as a warning to others, or even the destiny of the race and the duty scription of life in the Yaquina Bay of each individual to contribute his region in Oregon in the early to the same citizens, to try nothing of mite, according to his talents, to its relates how a single sea otter skin if a smaller body were to be organ-ized, and if a painstaking effort were boast that he has never failed to give cently told of trappers in the Adironhowever interesting, but to pursue setting a wagon tire, he has never probable season's average. Raw The taxpayer will doubtless feel dence is absolute, because no man is be disposed to hesitate when he is the element of pride in his work children in suffering countries, like enough to see what was done after with a good night's sleep. His great aristocrat of the animal world. One unification.

which he lives. But he is not alone. casts aside anything that resembles healthy emulation, but they have in the most devastating wars, are Yet the taxpayer must have He has, as anyone can determine for "fur." himself if he will take the trouble to

They are on an average below the bodied in the peace treaty and conto speak disrespectfully of the hod-carrier, who does his work, and in-sists on adequate pay for it. We vious to the recent exchange of ratiour schools efficient, the instructors France and Germany a technical pay of other working people. That has illustrated the sympathetic rela is all. It is enough. We pour and her lost colonies with greater sigenormous sums into the schools, and nificance than the opening of the then refuse, or fail, to see that the new French parliament in which Almachinery is put in the hands of sace and Lorraine are represented by engineers competent to handle it. twenty-four regularly elected depu-

attracts poor teachers, and poor the Germans waited three years beteachers only. Poor teachers mean fore any elections were held in the poor schools, and nothing else. The annexed territory; and when a deleonly way to have the best schools is gation to the Reichstag was finally to have the best teachers. The only chosen, its one outspoken purpose way to have the best government in was that of protest, and its first ut-

Now the case is reversed. For even before the treaty becomes ef-On the ballot in May is a new fective in all of its provisions, the two-mill tax for elementary educa- entire body of deputies from the new tion-the common schools-and a departments of Upper-Rhine, Lowersisted on an extension of the common ceased to be French. The character school system, and it is here. It has of the new delegation is indicated by Corvallis, Eugene and Monmouth by ceremonies at the Palais-Bourbon by said in part:

We are here solemnly to affirm that no protest has arisen in our two province against the treaty of Versailles which no gainst the treaty of Versailles which novestores to us our French nationality. Ver nuch is the contrary true—for the candidates of every ticket, even of those which the platforms their manifestor and it heir speches an ineradicable affection to the country to which they have been remited. France has, therefore, obtained manimous vote in the truly plebised manimous of November 16, and by virtue of the right, now universally recognized, each of the country to which recognized, and the country to the country to the truly plebised manimous vote in the truly plebised manimous vote in the truly plebised manimous which the country the country the country that the country the country that here well-determination for the country that the countr

the arch if we shall permit such should have been particularly impolgnant utterance of Emile Keller, fice," abides as one of the few re- ity which is called intelligence. their remuneration is sufficient; crime is the result of yielding to deputy from the department of Up- maining obstacles to complete orwhether the equipment is thorough; temptation by young men with pre- per-Rhine, who remonstrated on this ganic union. The manner in which whether the opportunities for all stu- vious spotless records, newly moved occasion for the last time at the vio- this barrier has been surmounted, if dents, rich and poor, to learn, are to adventure by the disturbing ex- lent seizure of his home by Germany, it has been surmounted, will be asdents, rich and poor, to learn, are periences of war, will be interested one of the speakers as a part of text of the new plan of unification

"I appeal to God, the avenger of whether the public attitude toward with known criminal propensities just causes," said Keller; "I appeal terpretation of Holy Writ by differthese criminals and vagabonds out of parties; I appeal to all peoples who

WHY THE TRAPPER LAUGHS. The trapper can afford to laugh lowadays at the talk he hears about fect willingness to give both trapper and middleman a fine reward for their enterprise. Nothing except perhaps, platinum jewelry and a few of the rarer precious stones, has so It is significant of a thing or two beaver and breeds the fox—even the or substituting for it that which is a that a man living in Pierce, Neb., farmer's boy who used to be satis-base counterfeit of the real thing. who represents himself as being the fied with twenty-five cents for a "richest man in the world," on being black muskrat skin and now gets his possessions showed no hesitation that even if they are not getting all out to look into the school situation. for fear that the county assessor or of the profits of the business, enough the federal income tax collector is as good as a feast, even in times

> have accumulated a modest few of might be woven. Something over a tomach, which he thinks John D. was built up on this coast, but the but above all, and necessary to all, is and otter that men got by trading capacity for enjoying them. It is on with our Indians, but did not wear this that he founds his claim to dis- themselves. The foundation of the Astor fortune was hald in this fur Now contentment may be the trade, which at the same time greatconfounded with happiness in the adventure in the northwest. But sense in which this Nebraska black- there have been slumps in the fur smith undoubtedly means it. Mere business, too, and the advent of the the best that is in him to the task in dacks who were making as high as hand. Whether shoeing a horse, or \$500 a week, with \$300 a week as a

Breeders north of the Arctic circle

is the bulwark of our institutions and a poet, for none but a poet could do have taken place. The thrifty hunt- in the main contemplate consolida- good stock, from the eugenic point BY-PRODUCTS OF THE TIMES. full justice to the simple creed by er or trapper will hesitate before he tion so complete as to preclude of view, but they invariably, even

to the subject, that the progress of look around him, at least one counthe schools has been uncounted that the progress of look around him, at least one counthe schools has been uncounted that no trapper who is entailed by the labors of rival puted, but it is not this phase of and faithfully ran his mill. labor; and the back-to-the-land by the action of their representatives. Both those who contend, and those movement is bound to be delayed by in Louisville have taken a position of who deny, that there was deteriorater of that, fur-sewers are so much action, confirmatory or otherwise, of after the war are inclined to agree of Mrs. Whitelaw Reid, present owner understand. Yet it will be argued by gelical religion as a whole. nobody that these are not obeying natural laws in gravitating in the mean to say that if we are to keep fications which made peace between While demand for costly furs conmanufacture of common lottling will have to wait

The trapper is a producer of esentials, or not, according to the way me looks at it. But it is pretty certain that when he collects his \$300 a week, somebody—not the middle-man—pays the ultimate bill. An solve the problem of the high cost of living to suggest that the very onsiderable duty paid by the importer helped to pay the cost of the war.

"It is a notable fact," said an eminent Methodist educator two years ago, "that notwithstanding American Methodism has differentiated into a score of branches, there has never been a schism on doctrine." The statement, passing unchallenged, contains the seed of promise that the scheme for unification of two great bodies of Methodism agreed on the other day by a joint commission sitchamber in the name of their con- statement, passing unchallenged, con-

ratification, are non-essential. he right, now universally recognized, of ecclesiastical side lines, but they have but the dog in a stormy surfuer claim whatsoever to a territory their foundations deep in the history had been governed only by in the held only by the discredited right of the church organization. The issue of slavery, as a Methodist au-Such a statement as the foregoing thority has pointed out, "perished in for the nearest land. This New the crucible of war, and is only a Foundland dog, at least, must have French Assembly in March, 1871, to separation, the doctrine that the creditable to his moral sense, ratify the treaty of Frankfort. The bishopric is "an order and not an of- less than to the purely mental qualhas been received.

the schools is all it should be; and were put behind the bars. With only to the posterity that will judge both ent theological schools, one of which holdups dropped from cannot permit themselves to be sold the ministry, deacons and elders, and judged that the south, for which he so often asked by people who regard The purpose of The Oregonian in twenty-five in a certain period to like vile cattle; and above all, I apthe other that there are three, dearnone; automobile thefts declined 80 peal to the swords of those brave cons. elders and bishops should to invite a critical analysis of the per cent; other serious offenses men, who, at the earliest possible threaten a movement founded in the ness to work, for the loss of slavery. system for purposes of correction— showed a proportionate falling off. moment, will tear up this detestable spirit of fellowship seems now to be for the maintenance of the Union, tainment in the same book. It is mere commonplace to say that the second of the schools are the keystone of the national arch. We all believe it; we national arch. We all believe it is not that the future of the race has been eliminated. With the middleman. It is not that the latter has been eliminated to be it is not that the latter has been eliminated to be it is not that the latter has been eliminated. With the middleman. It is not that the latter has been eliminated to be i rank and file of both organization of the rarer precious stones, has so old delimitation of North and South tury after the recent war, will be General Gonzales. It is something for its truthfulness.—A. U. Mayfield, Better that man should meet man as luxury. The man who traps the has long operated against complete inadequate. fellowship. In the regional divisions pressed by a reporter to enumerate upwards of \$2.50 for it—may realize on's line, which it was desirous of come home maimed, blinded, and that he is going to find it hard to The St. Louis fur auctions are cen pastors to churches of white memcommission for seven regional conthe colored membership of the coun- can have much hope. try at large. We look with confidence for a composition of merely theologi-

wise, it was the sense of the conferhave grown mightily since that time. people. terprises of both institutions are ex- unit.

conviction that the American school braska blacksmith should have been tain changes in trade nomenclature Proponents of church union do not Not only do the survivors constitute this time of year.

and \$4.50 overalls that the drift of the likely to be fraught with important ligible. War's aftermath is undemore talented worker is quite easy to | consequences to the cause of evan-iniably grave, but not always a reason Reasoning, says a writer on the subject, is a successive association of the "stock" of the people.

There had been loss of opportunity, subject, is a successive association of judgments, and other students contend that only man possesses the faculty. These are careful to disassociate reason from instinct, which is a far different matter. "Too much schooling by girls," another explanation honestly made, will not be regarded seriously by scientific in inverse ratio to the superiority of their intelligence over that of the brutes. But controversy is likely to be revived by the recent performance of the recent performance of the properties of the bodies removed was that of Benjamin Holladay, who named his westchester county farm for the Ophir mine. In Nevada, whose silver to the door were blessed with of smiles.

While the rich and poor who came to the superiority of the fortune dissipated, and already there were many of his better, stronger, freer, and more agressive than ever," and that "the Westchester county who had forgot."

There was elixir that thrilled the veins, his mill was beloved to Benjamin Holladay, who named his Westchester county farm for the ophir mine. In Nevada, whose silver to the door were blessed with his wealth of smiles.

A rich man dwelt by the selfsame brook in a mansion a-top the westchester county who had forgot.

There was velvet lawn where no man \$50,000 fur coat was brought into the country by way of the New York customers and the country by way of the New York customers and the country by way of the New York customers and the country by way of the New York customers and the country by way of the New York customers are as high as ever in the country who had forgotten the country by way of the New York customers are as high as ever in the country who had forgotten the country by way of the New York customers are as high as ever in the country who had forgotten the country by way of the New York customers are as high as ever in the country who had forgotten the country by way of the New York customers are as high as ever in the country who had forgotten the country by way of the New York customers are as high as ever in the country by way of the New York customers are as high as ever in the country by way of the New York customers are as high as ever in the country by way of the New York customers are as high as ever in the country who had forgotten the country by way of the New York customers are as high as ever in the country who had forgotten the country who had forgot

The movement toward church union of nature there at their grandest can progresses, and in an important re-appreciate fully what the dog in this spect elimination of a good deal of story did, but a good many persons innecessary duplication of effort can recall some incident tending to may be regarded as almost accom- show that dogs think for themselves, plished. But this will be true only beyond the degree involved in their if the members of both bodies con-tinue to bear constantly in mind that of their appetites. The dog burying the issues which still stand in the the bone for which he will never way, and which may defeat final have any future use is the embodiment of instinct inherited from an-Differences which still exist will cestors who did not know where seem trivial to the observer on the their next meal would come from, ecclesiastical side lines, but they have but the dog in a stormy surf, if he their foundations deep in the history had been governed only by instinct-

ANIMALS THAT REASON.

"For the war as war," said a con-That conflicting opinions on an inanachronistic, and there is ground for and for the development of busihope that a way has been found to ness." War's full consequences are distinction, and it will be supposed that the future of the race has been "wife" and .commit suicide. will contain deeper interest for the of many lands. The question of

originally proposed, the north suspected that the lines followed too sor Nicolai, in his book, "The Biology closely the historic Mason and Dixof War," "were either killed or have Admission of negro pasters to white course, sickly, hunchbacked, feebleconferences, it was feared, though minded or idiots. These classes of tion is established. apparently without sound reason, men it is who have been spared to would invite appointment of negro build up the new Germany." If Professor Nicolai's conclusions are coraliayed by provision by the Louisville other countries, and the future of all ferences, six consisting of white con-gregations in as many geographical tively small loss in proportion to its districts, and the seventh comprising population, and the neutral nations The book, "War's Aftermath," to

which reference already has been cal differences as to "orders" and made, was written by Dr. David Starr "offices," once the historic problem Jordan, then chancellor of Stanford of the colored brother has been university, and Harvey Ernest Jordan, professor of histology and em-The immediate cause of the separ- bryology in the University of Viration of 1844 was a resolution adopt- ginia. Association of Dr. David Starr ed by the general conference of that Jordan in its authorship is a warrant tions, whether there was a harmful absence of ambition, the quality of tall silk hat for men was the cause of Andrews had become connected biological necessity," and his colyear setting forth that whereas Bish- against bias in favor of war as a with slavery, by marriage and other- league also has an established reputation as an investigator who seeks ence that he "desist from the exer- truth only. The principal chapter of cise of this office so long as the impediment remains." On the day fol-sults of a painstaking inquiry into lowing its adoption, the boundary the effects of the civil war on the the kind, and to leave the schools in development. But the blacksmith's was supposed to represent a year's line between the churches was fixed southern people. It does not indicate the kind, and to leave the schools in development. But the blacksmith's was supposed to represent a year's the hands of the professionals. Problem in the hands of the professionals was supposed to represent a year's and amicable division of property that the war appreciably affected the land commonly fetched from \$200 to The conference before the separation stock all over the country," said an gallantry, to return the compliment. greeted with a chuckle from the audiconsisted of 4828 "traveling preach- eminent judge whom the authors ers" and 1,109,060 members. The quote, "but this is due to social en-Methodist Episcopal church a year vironment. There are just as good Methodist Episcopal church a year vironment. There are just as good made from peanuts, but at the groom came on with his future bride, ago was estimated to have 20,504 men today as there were at the time present price of peanuts we don't see the chunky leading lady. Both were unfalteringly a comprehensive policy skimped a job nor overcharged a skins at the regular February sale of searching investigation on lines customer. The satisfaction that he in New York showed an advance of preachers and 4,283,280 communiof searching investigation on lines customer. The satisfaction that he in New York snowed an advance of previously laid down. Perhaps we has derived from giving always a from 15 to 25 per cent over prices cants, while the Methodist Episcopal not give them opportunity to show that derived from giving always a from 15 to 25 per cent over prices cants, while the Methodist Episcopal not give them opportunity to show that derived from giving always a from 15 to 25 per cent over prices church South had 7507 preachers their ability." He admitted that the attempted in the received, whether in labor or cass of three-quarters of a million and 2,154,307 communicants, a total "principle of contra-selection" was more friendly attitude" toward the you be seated." asked the rector's material, in time or pains, is his dollars a day. Prices have mounted to greatest happiness. His indepension of 28,011 preachers and 6,437,596 wifely accepted, but regarded it as greatest happiness. His indepension of both conferdation of the property of both conferdation of the property of both conferdation of the property of both conferdation of the principle of contra-selection was more friendly attitude toward the principle of contra-selection was more friendly attitude toward the principle of contra-selection was more friendly attitude toward the principle of contra-selection was more friendly attitude. The bride-to-be attempted to greatest happiness. His indepension of the principle of contra-selection was more friendly attitude toward the principle of contra-selection was more friendly attitude. The bride-to-be attempted to greatest happiness. His indepension of the principle of contra-selection was more friendly attitude. The bride-to-be attempted to greatest happiness. His indepension of the principle of contra-selection was more friendly attitude. The bride-to-be attempted to greatest happiness. His indepension of the principle of contra-selection was more friendly attitude. The bride-to-be attempted to greatest happiness. and 2,154,307 communicants, a total "principle of contra-selection" was more friendly attitude" toward the members. Property of both confer- difficult to prove. A principle fre- heard something. ences was valued at \$326,483,918, in- quently ignored by the doleful cluding 48,133 church buildings and prophets is that the family, rather 20,255 parsonages. Educational en- than the individual, is the eugenic

Though the loss in proportion for a while. latter, no less than the church mem- to population was far heavier in the bership itself, are intensely interested south than in the north, "families not interested himself as a citizen that he did not recover completely by a capricious fashion is the true in the outcome of the movement for which were entirely wiped out by the whisky taken out of bond for shipwar are the exception. There was ment to Havana seems a lot for 3000 be had performed his function as a happiness, superior, he believes, to can buy twenty farm horses, or half taxpayer. Buildings have been built, that of Rockefeller or any other socalled rich man, undoubtedly can be single fox skin. Lynx has jumped towns, which have failed in a good comment was invited in the survey traced to his discovery that service from two to three dollars to forty— many instances for reasons that have was: "The war destroyed the cream, would know that the pitcher that ers have been hired, children have is the best promoter of soul peace in the trapper's hands, not in the man may be man may be represented by the stimulated our faith in and stirred up the dregs." But this goes often to the well is sure to be finished coat. The pioneers who men, may or may not be stimulated quite generally was not approved. "It broken. away from home in the morning, and have come home at night, and that is about all he has known about it.

The pioheers who is simulated quite generally was not approved. It broken.

In the belief that he is the "richest killed the buffaloes for their meat and left the hides to wither in the within the ody of exceptional thoughtfulness and dulging him. Richer than many so agood deal that is pertinent to the of special opportunity for becomparis is denouncing it. But what Doubtless we shall be told that the called rich men he probably is, but cause for regret that this noble ani- success of the new movement to en- ing conversant with the facts." The have they to offer in its place? there are many reasons for believing mal was exterminated, but if Daniel large the influence of the church as statement that "the men who got Parent Teachers associations, admirable organizations of fine women. have been on the job. So they have average citizen who supports the schools with his money, and with his not enough on giving may accumu- thousand dollars or more. A fine litical, or administrative obstacles, to getting killed. Those who went "vers libre" "vare leeb." enthusiasm, but not with his actual and a late material wealth, but they are squirrel is worth, raw, a dollar and a agree, a vast number of present out to war were apt to have been as service or interest. He contents himnot rich, as the true philosophers of half. There is a new use for house siders will find only discouragement brave as those who were killed candidates for vice-president are where much had been hoped for in war, is the sense of the proverb. Keeping unusually quiet, even for

'fur." counted on elimination of a great a large proportion of the army. Di-It will not escape the attention of amount of duplicated effort such as rect loss in excellent men is not dis-

the call of the wild. For the mat- peculiar strategic interest and the tion of human stock in the south better paid than workers on \$7 pants their coming general conferences is that the eugenic element was negr of Ophir farm, says the New York for utter despair. One influential teacher of youth in the region embraced by the Jordan survey believed there had been deterioration, but coast of Labrador last month. A steamaship was stranded on the rocks with ninety-two persons on board, and the only possibility of saving them was by getting a life line ashore. Mechanical means had failed.

**Standards are as high as ever in the standards at given farm or in the state where he died.

The record of reinterment filed at Harrison, N. Y., shows that the bodies of the following persons were reasons ashore. Mechanical means had failed.

**There was velvet lawn where no man took his rest in the evening still;

For an iron fence stood hard and grim to the following persons were reasons of southern people, two generations ashore. Mechanical means had failed.

**There was velvet lawn where no man took his rest in the evening still;

For an iron fence stood hard and grim to the following persons were removed from the civil war, will be compared to the standards are subject to change, but the present generation of southern people, two generations ashore. Mechanical means had failed.

**The record of reinterment filed at the bodies of the following persons were removed from the civil war, will be considered. A correspondent thus describes how little disposed, we think, to admit removed from the civil war, will be

Only those who have lived near a he might be willing to revise his sent its young men and women to the speech made during the opening ting at Louisville will be adopted. rocky coast and have seen the forces true that despite the millions of deaths that the war has caused, more millions, eugenically sound, and vigorous in mind and body, survive. The present generation has much to do to atone for its own sins. It will however, be unduly handicapped it it sets about the task of reconstruction under the fatalistic assumption that war's ravages are so fundamentally "biological" that they can-

not be repaired. It is Charles Leonard Moore's pinion that George Eliot is largely responsible for the prevailing notio that "the atmosphere of mid-Victorian literature was the atmosphere pressive to those who remember the memory of a bitter strife and consession held at Bordeaux by the fliet," but another reason for the clusion he arrived at was altogether on the theory that so long as virtue of a Sunday school," but he accounts on the theory that so long as virtue triumphs a good deal of its antithesis can be borne with by way of spir itual discipline. Even George Eliot needed vice to spice her novels, but it is a mistake to regard her as only a "preacher." Her humor was the federate officer a few years ago, re- finest of the time, and her wisdom viewing the consequences of our civil was homely and genuine. Enough of conflict, "there was no redeeming her work rose above the topical infeature, no benefit to anyone, not one terest of her time to warrant the atword to be said." But the same of-ficer, quoted in "War's Aftermath," now being made. Half a dozen, at ent theological schools, one of which a book published soon after the least, of her novels are fit to answer contends that there are two orders in breaking out of the war in Europe. the question, "What shall I read?" spoke, was "the better by far for the the output of present writers as un-

A bit over three months ago a

"The strongest and ablest men ment as a drawing card in a Mexican

avoiding, and the south was still un- nervous wrecks. Those who did not maintain. He won't be able to kiss der the spell of the race bugaboo. go to the front were mostly, of all the pretty little girls who will attend his meetings, once his reputa-Discussion of the "status of the do-

bership. But this fear is seemingly rect, the same will be true of many ing the academic stage. Already there are plenty of housewives will Europe will be dark indeed. Only the ing to testify that "there ain't no It is hard lines for the fellow who

expected to profit by this year's decrease of the income tax to 4 per cent, but whose income went up so much that his tax is higher than ever. The price makers are still con-

advance, and they will continue to do so as long as people say "wrap it up" instead of "how much?"

the incubus.

A scientist tells us that milk can be The politicians are "showing

When the courts affirm Berger's sentence there will be no doubt at lery. all about his being "out of congress"

Seven million dollars' worth of

It seems to us that the offense is photography. aggravated

Mrs. Whitelaw Reid Provides New Burial Place for Ben Holladay The bodies of eight members of the on the estate to a vault in St. Mary' cemetery, Rye, which was constructed Each man who came with a grist to for the purpose under the direction Herald. Many private cemeteries in Westchester county have been obliterated in the changing ownership of The miller was free in a heedless property, and Mrs. Reid's motive in raintering the hodies was to save the reinterring the bodies was to save the remains of the Holladays from such

a fate.

"Madge Holladay, born in Platt county, Missouri, January 24, 1844; The rich man passed by the mill each that they are intrinsically inferior to died in San Francisco, Cal., November 9, 1853.

Kong, China, March 13, 1872; aged 23 Years. "Jennie Lind Mary Holladay, Coun

15, 1873; aged 21 years. "Notley Ann Calvert, wife of Ber jamin Holladay, born in Scott county Kentucky, April 17, 1824; died in Pur chase, N. Y., September 18, 1873. "Pauline Cassandra de Bussierr

wife of Baron de Bussierre of Paris cember 16, 1877. "Benjamin Holladay

"One unidentified infant."

Ginger is dead. Ginger was only a cat-a fine, big Persian cat-but it was worth one's while to have known him. He did some things that even human beings too often neglect to do-he said his prayers every night, and he nevet stayed out late nor disturbed the neighborhood by singing "We won't go home till morning." He was a re spectable cat, and if there is a cat

neaven Ginger went straight to it. Ginger made his home for nine years with Dr. John A. and Josephine Carten Price in Denver, and when he died a few days ago he was buried They with all the rites and ceremonies usually given a human being-coffin, And roses grow from the tears that

shroud, tears, tombstone and all. Ginger could sing, talk, wink, say his prayers and hold a conversation over the telephone. His wonderful in tellect was almost human, and he was known to scientists and students in Deep as the pearls in the deepest sea, psychology all over the country. His What are you seeking to keep to the articulation on human words was Tears of the roses or breath of th marvelous.

of the most wonderful traits of Gin- What are you trying forever to say? ger was his delight in "talking over Truer than ever my the telephone" to his human friends. Heart of the heart of the heart of and he would listen to the mysterious me? and he would listen to the mysterious We doubt that the average layman is least of all have made out an indisvery much concerned with so fine a putable case for their preconception release was to murder the second bell would ring he would run to his Prophecy holds when the prophets literally "eay his prayers." A wonderful cat was Ginger, and when he Waftures the deterioration of human stock is There is one candidate for presided it was almost like taking a baby It is plain that the colored brother has not yet ceased to be a cause of contention; beneath the surface the sion are, and for perhaps half a conclusion are, and for perhaps half a conclusion of North and South tury after the recent war, will be General in National Humane Review.

Lord Dunsany, who met Maurice General Pershing has set a pace juncheon in the home of Mrs. Newbold From the veins of the man our in Leroy Edgar, given in honor of the justice is killing;
Beigian poet, confided his impressions Wise to take healing nards into the to a friend the next day.

a master of poetry and philosophy," he said. "But when I saw him I realized Wisdom forbids we should cause that he resembled nothing so much as Mercy invites us to constant forgeta quaint, whimsical child who had defied time.

"His charm is expressed in his delightful 'new' English, which at that, must confese, is much more understandable to a lot of my American friends than the 'dialect' of some English lecturers. "Of course, Maeterlinck hasn't ex-

pressed his impressions of me; perhaps he would liken me to a carrot grafted on a lime tree. Even poets will indulge in symbolism once in a inced that prices must continue to while, you know."

In the farce-comedy, "Imagination," the character of a Swedish servant girl has what is called in theatrical Heart of the heart of the heart of me. Holland's honor will not permit parlance "a gag line," which is, in her to surrender the kaiser, but just brief, a line often repeated by the Deeper than pitiful, pitiful pain the same we suspect that Holland same character during the course of Deep as the graves of the things we would like mighty well to be fid of the play. would like mighty well to be fid of the play. This particular gag line was: "Ay

knew a connundrum; Ay don't know Is there not love which loves on Emma Goldman says she is com- what that question ban, but the ainser ing back. Evidently she sees some ban, because et kaint sit down." Each "There is degeneration of good in us, but it is not easy, even in time the line was repeated it was ence and had thoroughly impressed Itself by the time the cloping bridein riding habit.

They showed the fatigue of a 20comply, then falteringly replied: "I-I-think I had better stand." "Great!" chirped a boy in the gal-

"Tell it to the Swede!"-St. Louis Star. Details of the method by which a

remarkable photograph of the wrecked Laurentic was taken at the bottom of the Atlantic ocean, off the Donegal coast, are given in a recent issue of the London Times. The camera was deep in water, and fitted with a ves sel's porthole glass. A diver took it down, and electric bulbs were lowered from the Admiralty salvage steamship to provide light for the picture After exposure of an hour and a half it was found that an admirable photoming" to teach the other half how to graph of the wreck had been obtained The experiment is regarded as a

> It is very well to think of Amerunless we make it very hot for them. We fight alone-but God

unique instance of successful deep-sea

Miller and Miser. By Grace E. Hall.

grind went out with his own full share, And the miller sung while his great wheel flung its tune to morning air.

Declaring that naught did he save each day the shingles to mend

There was velvet lawn where no man

day and the miller would smile and wave. "Joseph C. Holladay, died in Hong But the brief response from the near highway was chillingly cool and

grave; The miller but twirked a pudgy thumb tess A de Pourtales Gorgier; died May Nor gave more thought to the snub he got from the miser riding by

Years hence and the Reaper came for toll and two men answered low silent the wheel the waters roll the mansion is dark and

drear; France; born April 20, 1854; died De- They made two graves on the hillside green 'neath skies that were limpid blue. The miller's hands were empty, clean: the rich man's empty, too

There's an iron fence 'round the rich man's tomb where he slumbers in lonely state, no one comes in the twilight gloom to weep by the iron gate;

disdain that enfolds him within found on his lowly mound -for thistles were all he gave But the old red mill brings many a

pass that way, gently speak of the love and cheer that the miller had spread each day talk of the leak in the old mill roof as they pause by his lowly grave. flow-for roses were what he

guve.

Heart of the heart of the heart of me. Such words as "daddy" "mamma," Passion of morning or science of "cowboy ranger." "I love you" and Gleam on the water or moan of the many others were pie for Ginger. One bay?

voice that came back to him with Singers may die, but their songs will heart is breaking, joy in the wondrous re-

his brother. Better than scorning and mangling each other Maeterlinck for the first time at a Better than drinking the blood that

"I had always looked upon him as Kind to sow myrtles and paims o'es master of poetry and philosophy." he the land;

ting. Are these the things you invite me Heart of the heart of the heart of me? Far in the palace of opal and gold Tell me the things which have never been told. Shake from my brain and my spirit Link me to being which links me to God.

Tell me the plan and the purpose of Voices deceive me and envies disgrace, Writing a lie on the brow of the race, Fixing a devil's name into each face: Oh, take my wounds to the healings

Is there not faith in the innermost evermore? Are there not angels unwaked from their dream,

Waiting for aye for the blaze of the

beam, Of the hope and the truth and the partion and prayer Too holy, too true for the touch of despair? Lips may have issues outliving their ces rests under no sentence of death; Kinda Art, imitation and wealth may beguile.

Living as God is the soul of a smile. Leap to life's surface clean togaed and free Heart of the heart of the heart of me —GUY FITCH PHELPS.

EBB OR FLOW? When I pursue the even tenor of my way, Life is becalmed, the tide ebbs slowly day by day.

Then comes unrest, I trace monotony the London Times. The camera was upon the sands; inclosed in a water-tight iron tank. And for the turning tide impatient, tested to stand pressure 29 fathoms wait with outstretched hands.

Yet, when the fullness comes, from I turn again and court oblivion's

And which were best? (The question puzzles so)
The quiet ebbing tide or surging -JANETTE MARTIN.

GOD IS NEAR.

We fight along in speedless haste; it is very well to think of America as a melting pot, but one must remember that some things won't melt we fight in the dark in hope and fear: