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PRESENT PORTLAND'S CASE.

The importance to Portland ship ping of the hearing on application of section 28 of the Jones shipping situation on a part of the Pacific coast, but, if put in operation genwould have most far-reaching effects on movement of rallroad traffic, on the entire rallroad rate system and on the shipping business of Pacific ports especially. In involved language the section

directs that, when adequate shipping from any port is provided under the American flag, preferential import and export railroad rates shall not be given on goods carried on foreign The interstate commerce commission is given power to susend operation of the section when the shipping board certifies that dequate American shipping facilities do not exist between any port any foreign country, but the commission is required to withdraw uspension when the board certifies that shipping facilities under the

American flag are adequate The board was about to move for opera- the allies has at last been confirmed tion of the section to Pacific ports and on other coasts, but was induced now face the question how and when inquiry before calling on the com-mission to act.

rates are considerable in amount are pay when Germany pays reparations, te on the Pacific coast. difference between the ordinary and that it probably could not begin to the preferential rates is so great that pay interest for two or three years, foreign ships could not pay it out of hope of anything from Russia must their ocean rate. But the bulk of be deferred to a remote future, and traffic moving under these rates to most of the smaller states may the Pacific coast originates so near frankly say that nothing can be the Atlantic or Guif coast that the expected from them till they get on her defense, a question of transcen-

so small as could easily be absorbed | Yet these smaller states have great traffic were diverted to those potential ability to meet their oblicoasis. Importers and exporters gations. Poland has rich agricul-cannot be compelled to route their tural soil, capable of producing a coasts. traffic by American ships, and would great exportable surplus, has oil in send it by the cheapest route. For- Galicia and has added to its reeign lines would exert themselves to make their new routes to Gulf and Atlantic ports the cheapest, and Slovakia has 60 per cent of the in-

competition. Coming when the sub- American capital, markets for large sidy bill will be under discussion in quantities of goods, ultimate payongress, it cannot fail to command attention from that body.

HOW NOT TO GET TOGETHER.

to be ashamed of or more to be be to put more money into it. proud of," says Chairman Hull of the democratic national committee.

From March 4, 1913, to March 4, Subscription Rates-Invariably in Advance. 1919, the democratic party controlled season, an allusion to the "cosmetic Doubtless both the executive and legislative urge," owes its point to a newly

In order to be effective, the "get-together" spirit must be reciprocal. In order that two bodies of men get

cratic side and indorse whatever a this most important question. democratic administration proposes people approach from different viewpoints a task on which they must agree and work together. It betokens the "keep apart" spirit, not the "get together" spirit.

HOW THE DEBTS MIGHT BE PAID. As the commission on debts of and is ready for business, it must a committee to hold an to secure payment. Great Britain

The only ports to which preferential may be expected to say that it will Here the Italy is in such bad financial position

mine whether the teacher shall employ certain prescribed, or proscribed, adjuvants to beauty or whether she If the powder puff may be banished. why not a certain style of colffure? Shall we attempt by statute or otherwise to regulate the length of sleeves ever unskillfully applied?

The school teacher, as a sercess. means that art has placed at their

Portland principle of fair and equal would find employment for much in drashing many graceful illusions over a Marcian capital, markets for large Negative though the evidence may

quantities of goods, ultimate pay in the rest of goods, ultimate pay in the second a point be. Mrs. Gliman has scored a point be. Mrs. Gliman has scored a point with her declaration that the women who do not dress "in the decorative sense" are apt to be let alone by sense." are apt to be let alone by sense. If it be "There has never been a time when the democratic party has less to be ashamed of or more to be here to you more more into it

factors which led them to eschew decoration also enter into the spirit of sex hostility, the proponents THE COSMETIC URGE. Undoubtedly the best pun of the

the theory are still no better off. Doubtless the unadorned female sheds no tears over being "let alone

50.00 for the government. Of course, Mr. 50.00 hs. 225 but the interpretation to which has of the government. Of course, air, Hull did not mean to imply that, but the interpretation to which his words are fairly open should serve as a warning against the habit of making broad statements that sound well but do not bear analysis, to words are fairly open should serve as a warning against the habit of making broad statements that sound well but do not bear analysis, to words are for education, but the dis-but for not bear analysis, to which are the sound serve as a warning against the habit of making broad statements that sound well but do not bear analysis, to which oratorical politicians are for which oratorical politicians are too disposed. Mr. Hull is also quoted as saying: For two years after the war a small

For two years after the war a small sterie of republicans engaged in a utions, conspiraty to discredit the seriousness that the civilization of Wilson administration instead of getting the twentieth century is threatened by the lip-stick and the powder pot. We note with what we trust is a We note with what we trust is a

REVIVING THE PANCRATIUM. Those who are still interested in

In order that two bodies of men set courts. Two teachers in Arkanss, together, each should advance to-republicans made several advances by the directors of their school dis-to get together with the democratic administration for the purpose of the use of complexion beautifiers. Miss Byers was reinstated upon effectively making war, but at every Miss Byers was reinstated upon the topic of the owner the arguments with an aptheir classics may have been moved wrestling, which it would intrigue listen to the arguments with an ap-Mr. Lewis to know was called by praising air of superiority, having of section 28 of the Jones shipping iaw, which is to be held in June by a committee of the shipping board, can hardly be exaggerated. That seption was inserted by the senate without having been considered in committee and with little debate. It was designed to deal with a local situation on a part of the Pacific scorned its advice to make a peace only powder. She tells the court sumably what Lewis proposes to re-treaty first and form a league after- that she has always done this and vive. The Greeks took their sports ward. When he brought home the Versailles treaty, he refused to accept any change proposed by republicans, though they earnesly sought agreement with the democrais on reservations. The democratic idea of getting nounced that she will appeal to the afterward were and as Americans

together is that the republican party highest court, there is a prospect of are coming to be; the Greek idea an authoritative determination of was that athletic sports were chiefly for the benefit of the participants. Wherefore, after a time in which the The discovery in an ancient Egypwithout offering criticism or amend- tian tomb of a complete set of tollet pancratium flourished as an exceedment. This is not the way in which articles similar to those in use in the ingly cruel sport its rules were modi-

> y must It be-rit, not by the courts. They are not bound in law by the ancient precedent, but at least they may take judicial notice but the the trained to the the suggestion that but the the trained to the the suggestion that but the the trained to the the suggestion that but the the trained to the the suggestion that but the the trained to the the suggestion that but the the trained to the trained tothe trained to the trained to the traine The Roman boxer employed a dening counter to the modes. The is

sue is one of personal taste, which vice called the caestus, consisting of it is difficult to govern by rule, but leather thongs bound around the underlying it is the question of the wrist and hands and weighted with authority of a school board to deterbe prohibited from doing so. glove. said that boxing anciently reached the state of development that now

the height of heels? Is 'shine" on woman's nose to be declared more attractive, or less offensive, than the touch of talcum how-

we remember it, but indifferent suc- back. Atlantic ports the cheapest, and would leave Pacific ports dependent mainly on American lines, which be relieved of the spur of direct foreign competition at those ports, while ports on the other coasts would have the advantage of added would h ture, to subdue the glistening residue upon a too-oily cuticle, by every

tered a recent prize contest which We still have not forgotten the period brought out numerous explanations in library history when its busine of Einstein's celebrated "theory," was only to cater to the taste exclu-and it is pretty generally admitted sively of the elect. Its educational that mathematics is not a science capable of being influenced by ns-dreamed of by Benjamin Franklin

tional boundaries. The incident is a who was a pioneer in the dissemina reminder, however, of the attitute of certain Americans not long ago ization of books. The reading habi toward the reception of Dr. Lorenz grows upon the stuff it feeds on; it on the ground that he was an Aus- is our own fault if we have invited trian, and is further suggestive of a Frankenstein monster into our the expediency of abolishing war, midst, but a fault for which there is the after effects of which are nearly small reason for apology. The result as demoralizing as the destruction has on the whole been good. The wrought on actual battlefields.

AN ECHO FROM THE PAST.

creased cost of books, which in turn The controversy now raging in has depleted library supplies, has London between Lord Knutsford and reated a kind of endless chain, or Miss Elizabeth Robins, the play- vicious circle. Elther the demand

wright, over the decision of the Lon-don hospital to close lis doors to women students sounds on this side of the ocean like a muffled ocha. It is not so well be owned by the ocean like a muffled ocha. of the ocean like a muffled echo from the distant past. It is true that the first woman graduate of a medi-cal school in the United States re-indication of the states re-the states re-indication of the states re-indication of the states re-indication of the states re-indication of the states re-the difference of the states re-indication of the states re-states restates re-the difference of the states re-the states rether the states re-the states rether the states re-the states rether the states re It is not so well known as it ought ceived her diploma only seventy- the disparaging implication of only paired as unfortunates. For three years ago and that many pro- a few years ago-represents a con- his difficulty in hearing had been fessional colleges of this country stantly declining proportion of the growing, but it had been so gradual were closed to women long after whole. Science, particularly in this that he had not noticed the change that, but we have a right to all the age of the development of the autofeeling of self-righteousness that we mobile and the radio, engages the and had learned to like it. His deaf-are able to extract from our preattention of its millions. Poetry is more read than it used to be, under here did not seem a severe trial and he got along all right with his daily eminence. We have made a marked advance since then. The number of emotional stimulus of the war; women physicians in the United States in 1880 was less than 2500; in the breaking up of nations is responded to by a large call for works on history and political economy; 1910 there were nearly 14,000; the census figures for 1920, which have the inquiring minds of people who not yet been published, in all prob- never until recently asked the reason for anything that came to pass are walting to be fed; entertainment

eading where once it was the The student rather than the idler is tiles in the corridors as they the patron of the library of today-a fact of significance to those who heard all of them during the early stages of the campaign in America nay, be planning how best they can Lord Knutsford says, first, that male students are much more sensitive ald in the general scheme of uplift clamor of voices were like thunder and than women are, that it would be out of the means at their command. nearly drove him distracted. He out of the means at their command. Recent donations to the library highly subversive of morale and disshelves reflect, we think, an imupline, for example, for a woman proved conception of the real need physician to be placed in a position of the time. We wonder at the man of authority over a man who though who can persuade himself to part her senior in years might be her with his copy of the life of John Marshall, but the thing has been junior in medical experience, and third, that many men positively could not survive the shock of being done. - Classics like the "Education of Henry Adams" came in. cured of disease by a woman, Especial stress is placed on a class of Gay-Dombeys" is representative of a class of not too ancient literature ases in which the factor of sex emthat is in high demand. We are not barrassment is peculiarly involved.

From an issue whether women all be admitted as students in a of Kyne's "Pride of Paloma" when shall be admitted as students in particular institution the discussion has extended to the fitness of women in general to practice medicine. Lord by the courts. They are not bound somewhat less disabling than twenfectively with the suggestion that women who have been compelled to this fine old story reposes neglected have recourse to men physicians for on many a shelf is only an illustra-

centuries ought to be the ones to be consulted now, and that in any event iron studs, which has a modern nothing in the proposal to extend counterpart in the horseshoe that medical education to women affects our early-day pugllists used to be acthe right of members of either sax cused of slipping into the boxing to choose their own medical atten-giove. Nevertheless it can hardly be Lord Knutsford reserves what is

perhaps his weakest argument for characterizes it: there are allusions the last. He says that colleges that in the classic writings to broken ears admit women will not attract the the and not broken noses, which indi- class of male students who excel at cate that the Greek fought windmill football. Here in the United States, fashion and did not hit out from the where we know that the male stu shoulder, from which we are able to dent rather enjoys a chance to exconclude that Euradymus would hibit his athletic prowess before the have had small chance in a match co-eds, we think there should be a with Dempsey, though he was a ready answer to that. The entire disdant importance. Private employers powerful chap and might have been cussion in other respects is reminishave tried to force the issue, with, as able to put "Strangler" Lewis on his cent of the files of the American But the pancratium was magazines in the early fifties, about nevertheless the sport of sports and which time Rush Medical college vant of the community and possess- was reserved for the doughtlest of was being roundly censured for hav ing certain rights not common to athletes. Its possibilities for barbar- ing granted a diploma to Emily private employes, is just the person ism seem to have been enormous. Blackwell, whose sister, Elizabeth, ing certain rights not contract an interest to have been enormous. Blackwell, whose sister, Encaded in private employes, is just the person is measured to bring the whole matter to a final employment of the caestus was only only a few years previously had achieved the distinction of being the cocastonally forbidden and fatalities achieved the distinction of being the

The Listening Post. Defiance. By Grace E. Hall. By DeWitt Harry,

In these days of wireless phone and Let no man say to you that you shall surveis of the air there seems to be fall; narvels of the air there see ms to be The reading habit no ilmit to the possibilities. Humor sts and comic artists have profited enormously and many are the unique Ideas that they have suggested. Interest is increasing in somewhat the

age dies; So long as you are brave enough to same way a snowball gains size by try, being pushed through the new snow. The flame of strength within you candemand for reading matter, fostered It opens up unlimited vistas of what may be. The day cannot be so not die by the library itself in the first

instance and accentuated by infar distant when almost everyone If sometimes you shall feel the fatal will be equipped with a set of receiv-ers and in instant communication Urge To let your grip grow loose upon life's relas. Lash every energy with scorn and with certain sources of information Your forces in a drive against your

many clamors were too much.

wants odd jobs. The men who follow

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gree. Many of them, students in our

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merely for the pleasure of physical cation to a perfectly marvelous de-possession that the library drive par- gree. Many of them, students in our

we reflect that there is a large class

of books that are worth reading once

but that thereupon exhaust their value for the individual and fulfill

tion of the unequal distribution of the kind of wealth that counts. We

think it creditable to the good taste

of the reading people that no less

than 200 copies of "David Copper-

field" are necessary to fill ordinary

waiting list that will still be waiting

six months or so from now. For books like Van Loan's "History of

Mankind" the demand is avid. Louisa

M. Alcott is still read, the classics

of a generation ago vie with the

best sellers of the day and promise

lished inter-relation of public library

ate the situation out of which the

It is better, in the new conception

colume should wear out than rust

ut, and it is to this sentiment in

A little dust beats much

Several sittings of criminal assizes

those who do not acquire books

and public school has helped to cre

to outlast them. The newly

irive for books has arisen.

pains; Let no one have the chance to pass and say This man, while not completely You are a weakling, wrecked along the way. YEARS

Let no man laugh and say you've lost your hold--You're judged by what you seem in actual view; Within his heart he, too, may be less

He

A thousand times than he may seem to you; The man who takes the upper sphere he got along all right with his dally

merge

tasks and managed to communicate with his friends and enjoy life. Who fights each day a stronger man But there came a time when his

Fling back his words and prove they are but lies!

Although your spirit falter-aye, and

You shall not lose until your cour-

wife prevalled on him to purchase an Whatever be the place that now is audiphone. It immediately corrected his hearing to near-normal, but it Be sure he fought to be the man he is.

was a punishing experience for the comes the least of the motives of deaf man. He never knew how hard NATURE'S TONIC. some of his friends walked over the When affairs of life are pressing

And the world seems going bad: When those you thought were friends prove false. And the heart of you is sad, proached the office, and he could not work for the noise. The clatter of

foosteps and of typewriters and the Hawb you ever spent a day in the

Away from the burrying throng, With mothing of noise but the bab-bling brook, could not think clearly, he who had been accustomed to live in a world

of quiet. The sudden transition was Or the trill of some woodbird's too much, the cars, the traffic, all the song [

threw his ear sets away and once Have you felt the pine leaves underagain was content; he had learned Caught the odor of fir and baim,

Heard the sound of wind in the tree-tops tail. That brings a soothing caim? Have you noted the call of mountain Not all the crops of spring are flowers. For instance, there's the canvasser crop, extra flourishing this

particular year. Hordes of them flock to the residence districts like quail; Watched the woodpecker tap a free, Or heard the hum, as over your head Flew a wandering honey bee?

song birds returning after a winter migration. The canvassers' songs are of horse-radish and hominy, vacuum Have you smelled the smell of bon-

cleaners and electric irons, stocks fire smoke As it curied up through the air, and bonds, corsets and stockings,

magazines and books, and so on, ad Or the ravishing odor of infinitum. Not a one but offers steamed and sizzled there?

As it steamed and sizzled there? And then at last, your hunger apa wonderful bargain. And they are of every style of persistence from the peased.

Have you stretched yourself on the easily handled to the stubborn who insert heavy-toed boots in doorways. And gazed at the sky through leafy And then there are the men after

boughs work, or who say they are chasing As slowly the moments passed?

it. The man who comes, armed with a pair of shears, and offers to prune Have you felt the peace of the wide, requirements, or that some 20 copies of the "Outline of History" find a with a four-day growth of beard and

wild space; The arch of the sky, so broad, Afting your soul into closer touch With nature and nature's God?

the wood and coal wagons and seem Oh, say! Have you spent a day in the to make a fair living handling fuel woods When the heart of you was sad? If you have, then I know at the end of that day, from the curb to the basement window. And just the bums, the discon-

solate ones with the hard-luck tales, The heart of you was glad! -GRACE PADDOCK EDGERTON. This winter undoubtedly has been

a hard one for many men who have WHAT TO DO WITH EINSTEIN! not had steady work, but many a What we going to do with brother Einstein? housewife will tell the world that it

slow

has been a strenuous winter for thos All the world he'stilling up askew. of the function of the book, that the who have to answer the doorbells. Relatively speaking, he's deliberately Chinese youngsters seem to absorb

seeking To smash and build the universe anew. Sober little planets that have plodded Round the heavens thoughtfully and

schools and universities, make envi Now are being vigorously prodded, And they're looking worried as they able records, and as a general rule Perhaps discouraged by wet they seem hard-working, sincere and g0.

weather and poor attendance in sev- bright. Their adoption of American eral years, but ambitious and hope-ful, the directors of the Gresham act in a fashion as truly of this coun-Einstein? ful, the directors of the Gresham act in a fashion as truly of this coun-He has gone and speeded up the were Caucasians Relatively stated, with poetic glimmer freighted, It will visit us at morning, night and will degenerate into a species of the vector and the recoupment of the supply with a date a week of two later and the season fair has led the season fair has had good weather and the success performing of the opportunity for the cleaning cess good weather carries. Septem-

between them and American are very backward in development nes. The effect would be less frequent or the constant apprehension of war lines.

sailings fram Pacific ports across The only manner in which they can the Pacific ocean. As about 80 per provide revenue to pay interest and cent of exports from Portland is of principal of their debts is to accept local origin, foreign ships would still present frontiers as fixed, to cut come here to carry them, but, being their armies to the minimum and deprived of the opportunity to fill to concentrate their energies on in- zine discuss the momentous question up their space with transcontinental ternal development. freight, could not make as low rates An extreme case i

now do. situation would bring a Slavia. Its debt is almost \$1,000.-by a spirit of emulation which quite as they now do. further danger to Portland com- 000,000 is due to the United States As the only foreign-going and twice that sum to Great Britain, tain the approbation, if not to inspire ships from this port under the its budget is thirty times as great the envy, of members of their own serican flag are those of the ship- as before the war, its expenses far sex. The debate is conducted by a ping board, we should have to rely exceed its revenue, its money unit, man and a woman. Curiously, it is on the continuance of its line. When the dinar, has depreciated from a the man who takes the ground that the subsidy passes congress, the normal 19 cents to 1% cents, and board intends to make a great drive the whole of Serbia was so ravaged feminine penchant for doodads and to sell its fleet. The ships which it during the war that the Bulgarians the work is need in single which is a fact of interest that the bulgarians folderols, while the woman insists binstruction comes from the all-then be sold to a company which Yet its statesmen believe that it can bulgary Light that the modes have a basis in instruction comes from the all-though the ibrary is in theory then be sold to a company which Yet its statesmen believe that it can biology. Listen to Alexander Black, would run them from some other recover, the finance minister saying: who takes what will seem to many recover, the finance minister saying: Our state possesses within its frontiers all the elements necessary for great pros-perity and the means of securing a more rapid restoration than any other country which may have suffered the same losses. Our coal, our fron and other mineral products, our varied agricultural produc-tions, our great water power, exhaust-less forests, immense river traffic, our contact with the great industrial conters of Central Europe and the apportionment of property among the people-all of these conditions, I am sure, will contribute to the rapid restoration of our kingdom. There is no economic reason why we should despair of our future. One means of averting this langer would be to establish a Portland line, to buy ships and operate them in Portland's service. Failing that, the only recourse would be to ask the shipping board to move the interstate commission to suspend application of section 28 to Portland on the ground that this port no longer had adequate service under the American flag. We know from experience how difficult it is to convince the shipping board of any facts To realize on all the wealth that

that do not accord with its policy. It still believes that section 28 can used to maintain an American merchant marine, for the principle of that section figures in its subsidy bill, but the terms in which Chair- | own country for capital and skilled man Lasker referred to it in his statement to the joint committee of that doubt has congress imply that dou entered his mind. He said:

It is believed by many that considerable ndirect aid will result from the making factive of section 28 of the merchant marine act. The legislation is mandatory aduat trias. The shipping board is naking an exhaustive investigation of the emotional application of this section as a realignment to certification to the tranmaking an exhaustive investigation of the predictional application of this section as a preliminary to certification to the inter-state commores commission that adequate shipping facilities are afforded by Ameri-can ablus.

In other words, try it on the dor the hearings offer Pacific ports their last chance to escape being the That prospect should spur the chamber of commerce to begin in Roumania, which has coal, oil and commercial institution. On this good season for a presentation of other minerals and much timber; heading, Mrs. Charlotte Perkins Gil-Portland's case in its full strength. Poland, Czecho-Slovakia, Hungary, man makes a much clearer exposi-The hearings mark the shipping basis in the shipping the pleas of interested parties of deciding important questions as they affect ports that no portantly is now practice which has up the offer, the interested states that they is an operated states that they is an operate operated states that they is an operated sta hearings mark the shipping Greece and the Baltic states.

command? FOR WHOM DO WOMEN DRESS? Two writers in the Century Magawhether women dress to please men

An extreme case is that of Jugo- or for the pure love of decoration, naturally merges into desire to obthe sex instinct does not underlie the age individual is not very likely to folderols, while the woman insists to be the higher ground in the con-

troversy: I don't believe that women "dress" solely to please men, not only because they don' have to take that much trouble, not only because dress is so satisfying in itself, an because, as an art, it must slways be in fluenced more than by its specialist criti fluenced more than by its specialist criti-cism than by its spectators, and women are the specialist; but because women have other business in life, and pleasing other women has become as important to them as pleasing men. in vast number of cases more important.

It would appear that Mr. Black has weakened his case by resort to lies in the ground requires wise and close application of both capital and peculiar instances in which women as a matter of business concern find labor. The Serbs, though terribly reduced in number, can provide the it expedient to meet the approval of dulge in them. others of their sex, as, we suppose labor, but they must go outside their where an employed woman is the superintendency of another management. When the commission woman, or where in the business of inquires what adjustment of the debt it can make, Jugo-Slavia may reply of both sexes with which 'meeting the public" it is a public that, if the United States will provide capital to develop its resources. of the question-which is not knew suspicion that Lewis and Dempsey will not only pay interest on the to this age or generation-one re-

investment but will thereby so increase its revenue that in a few gards it in the aspect in which woman is free to make her choice, years it will begin paying interest and installments on the principal of discritions such for armple siderations-such, for example, as its debt. Its improved prosperity those of business. would also make it a good market for American products, to which whether a woman left to her own

for American products, to which American investors in new industries would give preference. Similar pro-positions might come from Austria, which has abundant waterpower; which is a instinct much older than any of the spirit of the Greeks, whe

tion. She says:

played their own games.

The refusal of an important group

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never proved anything except the out of garret and the riddance of ber generally is a rainy month, yet clothes seemed the most natural old rubbish, which, curiously enough, its dates are crowded. The date

courage of the individuals contend-ing and the amount of punishment they could stand. There is not much the time came for people to give it in the last week, running into Oclikelihood that the pancratium will be revived in this country, nor would away. However much we may now tober, and it has had a measure of it, even feel sorry for the recipients of those feel sorry for the recipients of that good weather, sentially is a dry August here essentially is a dry month of sunshine, and its merits good weather, but not enough. there be profit in reviving as a spectacle. There would be point, Providence moves in a mysterious month of sunshine, and its merits way its wonders to perform. The should be considered by fair mantowever, to wider indulgence in both boxing and wrestling in moderation new demand for a better class of for the good they would do in proagements. reading matter, made insistent by moting general physical developmud. The experiment by the conditions" over which public libra-Gresham people will be an innovament. It is fine to possess the sense of power that is felt by the rians have little or no control, comes at a time when owners of books lack of exhibit "stuff. well-made man, but since the averpresumably have only to engage in brawls a large part of the which, among a number of excellent benefit of boxing and wrestling ones, they can the most easily spare. It is a fact of interest that alnecessary to produce expertness in primarily a repository of books, and its fundamental purpose is the placerime either line.

ing of the book in the hands of peo-The Japanese have a better conception of the function of athletics ple who want to read them, as a ception of the function of athletics than most Caucasians have; their much-talked of and somewhat over-chasing fund that in every emergency estimated system of jiu-jitsu probmuch-talked-of and somewhat overably owes most of its success as an of "overhead" are commonly a fixed athletic regimes to the circumstance of overnead are contaction. Salaries that it includes scientific diet, deepincrease, though slowly, and the breathing exercises, plenty of sleep, physical appurtenances of the library respond to the law of supply and abundance of fresh air and general

abundance of fresh an another in-moderation in habits. These are in-deed the desiderata of any system of which are involved all the factors deed the desiderata of any system of athletics, and the extent to which athletics, and the extent to which they are promoted is the measure of lication, including the rewards of the benefits derived by those who in- authorship, increases disproportionately to the growth of book-purchas-

We can see no particular objecing funds. It is not generally known, tion to putting Lewis and Dempsey for illustration, that the average in a ring-or, better yet, a pit-and outlay for a single book in a library letting them go at one another, with or without caestus, and it will not increased from about \$5 cents in 1915 to about \$1.20 in 1922. We do called on to deal. When one thinks Kilkenny finish; there is at least a not know why it should be so, and press agents are behind the whole dispute. But we do need a revival we have our own suspicions that cer-

of interest in non-professional ath- that out of a depleted fund it beletics, in both boxing and wrestling, comes necessary to replenish supplies and in particular in the general sys-The issue is tem of right exercise and sound living that amateur athletics promotes The data thus presented are gernane as illuminating a topic interest to those who wonder why a

public institution should be reduc to the extremity of an appeal for private aid in carrying out an estab-

surely, For the moon comes, sips and comes again. She will no more linger round dethan did the white American girls murely.

Dallying for love-sick maids and -EARL E. STANARD.

SPRING MORNING.

Here's a joke that nearly fell flat. Wiss cheese in the subject matter when the soft, wet wind of the Swiss cheese is the subject matter tion for the better. There will be no and, of course, the holes, or lack of when the solt, wet what of the south is sweet. When the sun from his pathway the rain cloud has flung, And folds a new world in the joy of his heat. them, the feature.

A restaurant programmed individ ual imported Swiss cheeses, and the British Columbia have been can- daring patron decided, inasmuch as

nearby. And their dancing, why it

must have made all the young fel-

lows who saw long to make their

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acquaintance.

celed this spring for lack of business. he had a fondness for the delicacy. As a begunr, beseeching, prays largess The sureness of swift punishment across the line is a deterrent of looked fine, tasted fine, but was hole e. The cheese came, ed fine, but was hole-te the inspiration to So the diner called Informed her that she no holes with his itress, plainly taken and emphasizes the contrast less., Then came the inspiration to

have some fun. So the diner called the waitress and informed her that she The reported organization of a had brought no holes with his trust reminds us that the cheese. The waitress, plainly taken world still needs a suspender button unawares, took her troubles to an-And the seed of old sorrow has other girl, and after they had dis-

And the seed of old sorrow has mouldered away, With the flower of Falth springing fair from the shell; And I open my heart to the joy of Lifo's day, While the soul of all beauty sings "all shall be well" --MARY ALETHEA WOODWARD. cussed the matter for a while the two went into conference with the head waltress, and she went in search of the manager, who brought in the original package and proved that this cheese came from Switzerland. And the nearby diners looked their disgust at the inoffensive one who had caused so much trouble. , and the Set your affections on things above, not things on the earth. cheese-eater felt bad for he had not

meant to cause such a stir by his simple little impulse. Two boys of about 5 years of age

Conan Doyle intimates, that the Two boys of about 5 years of age, who evidently believe in signs, were on the Twenty-third-sireet street car The Twenty-third-sireet street car My home, in a star-sprinkled way. the other noon. They walked out to the front of the car to get off. There they stood, waiting for the motorman to open the door, as block after block was passed. And down the street,

was passed. Finally they came back through the car and complained to the conductor that the motorman wouldn't

were now The con-gstors had Glad body, thrilled with strange, sweet loveway beyond their street. ductor inquired if the youngsters had The Master near With kindly cheer "No," they replied, and pointing to Un the sign-"No talking to the motor-

LOOK AROUND.

Swift apirit feet

Soft, tender light?

Tell me that here my loved ones are!

"THINGS ABOVE."

A lift of wings, And earthly things . Are lost among the cloud's white

new oneoveries tends is able to gets in gales of iscard, the second end of the drys who still believe in hoo-doos. In a while a condemned man contrives to "cheat the galews." But what, as the old song has it, is he going to say to St. Peter at the gate?

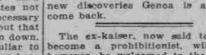
wave calls for a master mind and there are a lot of questions that we think Sherlock could answer more let them off and that they were now intelligently than the spirits do. It is an intriguing thought that the asked the motorman to let them off. Genoa conference is being held at

lished public function. But the fact the place where Columbus was born. stands out that a period of "hard Here's hoping that when it comes to man"-got off, leaving the passen of members of the French Academy times" in the library operates not new discoveries Genoa is able to gers in sales of laughter.

this side of it.

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price.



We sometimes wish that Sir Arthur had come over in his capacupon which is imposed an added burden of 50 per cent or more. ity of Sherlock Holmes. The crim-wave calls for a master mind and

heavenly law forbids the angels to butt in on mundane affairs. But we would like a tip from St. Peter on how he manages to enforce it so well.

The business men who are blaming hard times on the lateness of Easter will not be comforted by reflecting that the next six Easters occur in April. It is up to them to readjust themselves to the inevitable facts.

We are fortunate, as Sir Arthur

that won't come off. Let the in-ventor of one that really does what is promised for it name his own