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Sunday.

requirements:

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The prizes are worth working for and winning. To the person who sends in the best solution of the Skiddo problem, \$10 in bright new pennies will be given; for 23 others, beautiful "22" stickpins are the award; and others will get 23 pennies just from the migt.

Congright 1906 by C. C. Kelly, Chicago

Have You Sent the Answer?

"That Skidoo puzzle," writes S. B. really answers Mr. Martin better than Martin of Vancouver, Washington, "can- the puzzle editor could do. She says: not be solved. There is no answer to t except it may be skidoo. A dozen oldiers at the barracks tried it for two ours on Sundar and all we got out of it was a headache."

"I was a headache." "I must congratulate the man who invented the Skidoo problem." says R. T. Brainard of Eugene. "It has given us a lot of pleasure. Four of us tried it on the train after the Thanksgiving game in Portland; two said there were 23 pennies in the collector's hand; one said the answer was 520. I four of the same train after the answer was 520. I four of the same train the same train after the same train after the same train 23 pennies in the collector's hand; one said the answer was 528; I figured into so many millions that I'm afraid to show the answer. But the puzzle gave us some capital mental exercise. Maybe

the Multnomah men could figure it out; they haven't been able to figure out how Mrs. N. E. Ford, 231/2 Union avenue,

## WRAT'S

worth doing is worth doing well. If you wish to be cured of Rheumatism, use Ballard's Snow Liniment and you will be "well cured." A positive cure for Sprains, Neuralgia, Bruises, Con-tracted Muscles and all the fills that lish is heir to. A. G. M. Williams, Nav-asota, Texas, writes: "I have used Snow Liniment for sprained ankle and if gave the best of satisfaction. I al-free the best of satisfaction. I al-tington: F. S. White, Ashland: R. M. Brown, Cottage Grove; William Hillyer, Eugene: Mrs. V. B. Price, 46 Glisan block, city: Frank Michael, 144 Eleventh

A coin collector had an accumula-

tion of pennies. He told his son he would make him a present of the

entire lot if he would put them in boxes, the same number in each box.

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nies so that if he put an equal num-

there?

requirements: J. G. Foster, 268 ½ Front street; Clare Eaton, 595 Overton street; Mrs. Eva Perry, 287 East Twelfth street, Eugene; Nellie Busbee, North Yamhill; Mrs. A. B. Eagtham, Vancouver, Washington; E. Bjorkland, 412 North Nineteenth street; Vida Evans, St. Johns; Carl Cook, 575 East Twenty-sixth street.

reached and it is very convincing. T. M. Burns, who does not give his address, has written to ask if he must deliver his answer in person, or if he should have the solution registered. "The problem is plain enough. The should have the solution registered His reason for this carefulness is that trouble is some people can't tumble

The knows he has "the right answer." "The correct solution," he writes, "has not appeared yet, and I do not want mine to get out until it is too late for anyone else to get the benefit of it. This is not selfishness; it is merely the Mrs. Ford insinuates that those who think Skidoo is hard have not given it enough thought. It would not be surprising if Mr. Martin tried it again and sot the right answer. But he has to be quick about it; the contest ends this week; no answers will be received after ordinary care that one should exercise in a business proposition."

All right, Mr. Burns, send in your answer, either with or without register-The answer that appears to be the most popular is 529. Here are a few who found that that number fills the ing it. Some Big Ones.

A few answers that are respectable for the size of the sum reached are: George M. Taylor, Drain, 5,354,258,903; Peter Lee, 23514 Second street, 8,729,-721,001; Lewis M. Clark, Forty-first and Holgate streets, 1,060,001; H. C. Till-man, Salem, 27,469,522,081; Mrs. Etta McDonough, Medford, 23,279,256, 20 cyphers, 1.

Other answers have come from W. H. Other answers have come from W. H. Hudson, 131 North Thirteenth street; H. T. Canten, Nampa, Idaho; B. O. Wagner, city; H. A. Dillard, Burns; R. E. Beegle, Clifton; Ed Curtin, 41 North Fifth street; J. R. De Spain, Onseco; P. L. Wise, 488 Washington street; C. H. Bell, John Day; Stephen J. Kirby, 275 Foat Ankney, street, Mrs. M. 675 East Ankeny street; Mrs. M. F. Mulligan, Springfield: Arthur Jen-son, 869 Thurman street; A. E. Joselyn, Lents: Daniel P. Hort, 201 LAST WEEK OF THE GREAT North Sixteenth street; Kenneth Ran-dall, Woodburn; Robert E. Campbell,

201 North Sixteenth street; Floyd Wal-lace, P. O. box 219, Portland; Katie Shimera, Huntington. K DOO PROBLEM

## **COMMISSION TO TAKE**

burger Clifford Hartridge for the appoint-ment of a commission to examine Truxton Beale and Thomas Mc-Caleb, witnesses for Thaw, who are outside the jurisdiction of the court. The powers of this commission are so extended as to permit it to /take the depositions of witnesses that District Attorney Jerome wants, who have left the state, among them being Evelyn Thaw's mother, sister and brother. Je-rome said he would like to have the tes-

liam Thaw. Edward has just arrived from England.

SOZODONT CLEANSES AND BEAUTIFIES

TEETH

BY HELEN HAWTHORNE The New Old-Fashioned Girl.

Sometimes we hear what the mothers' neetings which are held in boardinghouse parlors call a "likely bachelor" express himself of the opinion that the old-fashioned girl is no longer with us.

He knows plenty of girls; girls whose hair has an unnatural blondness, girls whose complexion is widely varied in hue, girls who go into hysterics over a

young mothers "darling baby" and who never lift a finger to help make a gar-ment for the youngster in their own homes, and he falls into this depressing mental attitude. He imagines that the girl of the

period is a vapid creature, adoring the latest matinee hero, and consumed with idle vanities and selfish indulgences.

This is largely due, I fancy, to the fact that the kind of girl he has in mind is very much in evidence when she is in evidence. I mean that the kind of star part which she assumes on the stage of every-day life somewhat obscures the

more modest girl. Yet the quiet, helpful home-loving girl was never so much with us as now. She is more likely to be found amusing the children at home than with the matinee throng, more apt to be setting the table than munching candy in the rice p streetcar, more apt to be found reading it is in a quiet corner of the public library than flaunting her gayest attire on the street. Perhaps the "likely bachelor"

looks for her in the wrong place. Another thing that suggests this note THAW TESTIMONY of despondency is the fact that often the old-fashioned girl is very much up to date in other matters, and old-fash-

ioned only in her tastes. She reads the new books, she dresses in the latest

(Journal Special Service.) New York, Dec. 4. — Justice. New-purger has granted the motion of "lifford Hartridge for the appoint-tifford Hartridge for the appoint. Me-Mely in the grooves worn by her ancestors, and while she had a knowledge of do-mestic matters and could darn the family clothing with scrupulous nicety, she was of necessity circumscribed in

she was of necessity circumscribed in view, narrow in comprehension and superstitious. "Not superstitious?" How about her troubled mind, when her dreams foreheded illness or sorrow? How about he grounds in the tescop? The new old-fashioned girl, on the countrary, has the advantage of having countrary. If a warrow life and these

outgrown this narrow life and these empty foolings. She has some knowl-edge of chemistry, and she uses her knowledge in the kitchen, she dresses in admirable taste and makes her own

gowns: she can talk on almost any sub-ject that interests the mon of her ac-quaintance, and has ideas of her own. Yet she has to be understood to be

Some Foods That Are Pure. In contradiction to the violent handling of matters connected with our pure food investigations and the hue and

or horriculture will be discussed. The program prepared is as follows: "Fruit-growing in British Columbia," Profes-sor E. R. Lake of Corvallis: "Lessons Learned From the July Cherry Fair." George W. Weeks of Satem: "The Atti-tude of the County Court Toward the Enforcement of the Horticultural Laws." Judge 4 H. Scott: "Experience in Clean. cry which have been raised regarding adulterations, it is pleasant to be able to quote from good authority that some of those products which have been un-der condemnation have been proved to be neither injurious nor dangerous. One of these is the ever-ready canned to-Judge J. H. Scott; "Experience in Clean-ing Up an Old Orchard," Alonzo Brown This extremely useful food, mato. which is good in combination with meat, in sauces, in soups, with bread crumbs, of Silverton; "Will the Enforcement of the Present Hortlcultural Law Make Apwith rice, with macaroni, and so en through the list, has its champion 'n ples Too Extensive for Common People to Buy?" H. B. Thielson of Salem. "Why Are the Willamette Apples Equal to Any in the World?" Loyd T. Reynolds no less an authority than Good Housekeeping.

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That some brands are superior to That some brands are superior to others, on account of the kind of fruit used, and the careful handling which it has in process of canning, is true, yet careful investigation shows belther deleterious coloring matter nor proservatives in the brands commonly of-

fered for sale. Ever since the dainty novelty known as puffed rice came into prominence, housekeepers have wondered what proc-ess is employed to produce the result. It is interesting to read something of the manipulation. Selected home-grown Japan rice is

thoroughly cooked in its own moisture in sealed steel cylinders; then the ends of the cylinders are automatically removed, the superheated moisture once changes to steam and makes rice puff out in the light form in which it is known to the public. It is run over large screens to take out defective or small rice, and the perfectly puffed kernels are automatically fed into pack ages sealed by machinery, It is not touched by hand, not artificially bleached and no sweetening or preserva

tives are employed. ....

Some Recipes.

The Seasonable Sweet Potato.-Wash and boil six large sweet potatoes, pare and cut into cubes. Prepare a brown sauce, using one small onion, one table-spoonful each of flour and butter, half a teaspoonful each of salt, a dash of grated nutmeg and paprika and a few drops of kitchen bouquet. Thin this with a cupful of rich brown stock, seasoning with a little lemon juice. Arrange the potatoes and sauce in alternate layers in a baking dish, covering the top first with grated cheese and then with browned bread crumbs; cook 15 minutes. Sweet Potato Hash.—Dice cold boiled sweet potato man. Dice con honed sweet potatoes, adding a little chopped onion, two tablespoonfuls of minced, cold boiled sait pork, a tablespoonful of chopped celery and sufficient cream succession of the state of the second state of the second state succession of the second state of

sauce to moisten slightly, season with salt and pepper. Turn into a hot fry-ing pan in which is a tablespoonful of melted butter and cook until browned on the under side. well

## Lebanon's New City Officers.

Yet she has to be understood to be appreciated. Moreover she is not, attracted by every offer of marriage that comes her vay, and it takes a man who is a man to win her. If the bachelor above re-ferred to is not a pure-minded, largy-hearted man, one who cares for a com-panion for life instead of a drudge, one whose mind and heart are open to the

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Salem, Or., Dec. 4. — The Marion County Horticultural society will hold next Saturday afternoon one of the RANCH IN CALIN most attractive meetings local orchard-ists have ever been privileged to at-tend in this city. The various phases of horticulture will be discussed. The

KANCH IN CALIFORNIA

(Journal Special Service.) San Diego, Cal., Dec. 4. - A mes-

age to the sheriff reports triple tragedy at a ranch house 16 miles from Escondido. The report says a rancher named Gore shot Edward Brady dead and fatally wounded the latter's wife. The woman, however, managed to secure a gun and killed Gore before she died. The families were neighbors and had long been quarreling.

Stranger Dies on Shipbo

(Journal Special Service.) New York, Dec. 4.—Miss Agnes Grey. cabin passenger on the St. Paul, which of Chemawa; "Some Experiences and Lessons From the Wallace Orchard," C. A. Park, manager of the Wallace or-chards, near Salem. The subject of holding another cherry festival next summer will be discussed





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