One Way of Doing it That Is Said to He an tappossibility.

"I have a customer who thinks he smokes twenty cigars a day," said a downlown dealer. "As a matter of fact, he gives away many of them and throws away some that are only partly consumed, illowever, he is firm in the belief that he smokes more actual tohereso than any man in New York, and a beast on the subject in my store vesterday ied to a curious bet.

"The declared, to begin with, that he could smoke three ordinary cigars in lins. 'Bash," said my man right along and think nothing of it.'

can't do it right now,' said the other, made. By its terms the cigar was to he consumed in steady consecutive becan.

then he began to walldle. He shifted a good time, plire and simple. He the eight from side to side pulled thinks he must have little onlings and show and fast and seemed to have takes them, but his wife can remain at difficulty gett to his breath between home, doing her own work washing, the draws. At any rate, he kept turning his head to avoid the smoke and finally got to laughing. I could see he was in torture, but he stuck to it matil be got within half an inch of the threw the eight away and walked out tion, and he doesn't see why people mark. Then be jumped up suddenly

moderately strong eight through in York Press

HUMAN BRAINS.

The Difference Between Those of

the Male and Female. The female brain is human creatures. is some ler than that of the male and man's brain is between four and would be a burden indeed. If it were tive onness heavier than the average not for the affection of the wee folks wedness. The reason, it may be said, and their dependence on them, they Is that the woman berseif is smaller would find their lives unendurable and

The dimension size and weight of the tonic, are said to be a fundamental sex tall distinction in the human species.

of balines between the various parts difference that burt ber in the past, N. J., is considering the question of al-

thund out ity the woman in superior to the ham. Home Advocate.

JAMS AND JELLIES.

to mark a new layury that got among such a sellish existence, and yet there the commencity at this time. By the are plenty of them who do this very opening of new roads and by our thing. Do you wonder that the wives their yards had planted groset and ber-their eyes open to the state of affairs commercial subjects. The subjects of

that golly was an excellent medicine of the women, who have been meck houses. or a cold or a shortness of breath. In as they come for years, and then sudthe herry time there was no end to dealy assume the aggressive spirit and the streaming of her bross pan, which begin to not only talk but work in favor seller to the purchaser confidingly, "I peasantry and of the extravagance of occas; ned a great fasherie to Mrs. of Women's Suffrage, have not had the don't mind telling you that he is the British workman and his family

An Ili Fated Expedition.

St. Laurence, is a lighthouse the keep home life is altogether happy and gle-legged, frill-fronted song and dance, binde the date "1711" It is undoubted neglect of her, they seldom want to ly a relic of the ill fated expedition of change their mode of living or are active Admiral Walker, who left England in workers for the Woman's Suffrage 1711 with 11 000 men and a large fleet cause. A man's home should be as to take (pushes and Montreal. When he got off Seven islands he was over-taken by a dense fog and a great storm spring 1900 bodies were lying there.

Not Serious.

rious, Mr. Short? Why, I don't think I ever heard anything so ridiculous. Cynical. man race depends upon early mar to let selfishness rule them until it turns more coffee than the rest of the world

waited until he was really old enough

to get married he wouldn't .- Philadel-

phin Record.

Foolish men mistake transitory semblances for eternal fact and go astray more and more. Carlyle.

"Who has the hardest time in this life, Polly, a man or a woman?" was ample of their fathers. A man should the query put to me by a tired little select his friends accordingly. When friend the other day. There was only I hear a man say that some ordinary one reply to this question-a woman, every time, unless her environments are vastly different from mosts of her sex. Take many cases, however, and the home life is so pleasant that they don't mind the things that narrow a woman's life down to the next thing to has an lour. A bystander remarked servitude where they have indifferent that no man alive could smoke even and utterly selfish husbands. Where one eight continuously until it was is the man who would be content to consumed without taking it from his remain home day in and day out, month 'I do that in and month out, year in and year out without rebelling at fate? The majority " Til bet you a box of perfectos you of them cannot remain home contentedly all day Sunday. Off they go when Sunday comes round the minute breakfast is over and the family see nothing puffs and not removed from the lips more of them until dinner time. They until burned to a mark one and a half spend nearly every night in the week incles from the tip. A clear Havana at some club they say. If it is the Colorado Madura was selected for the truth, then here selfishness steps in test, and the smoker took a seat and again. For their own pleasure, the sick benefits they hold up before their families as their motive for joining these lubs being only a myth. It is to have

scrubbing, cooking, sewing; her work is never done, and if anyone suggests that his wife is t red and worn out, he

should expect him to give up all pleas-"I pand the bet and charged it to his ure just because he is married. He account, and he told use last evening must take in baseball games, put just that the very bles of tobacco made him little money up, for the excitement of sick. I doubt whether it would be the thing; he must go hunting because possible for any lody to smoke even a his chams are going, although it is a queer kind of hunting, for he is never known to bring back any game except misy excuses and wormout fish stories He must take a jamit into the country for recreation, and his wife, who never must economize a little more closely to make both ends meet. My heart aches for such women, for if it was not for the love of their children their lives

resents it. She has no business to look

tired. He is the one that needs recrea-

than the man in size and weight. That the mills of the divorce courts would assume's partly for the difference, but have to grind much faster. There comes a day when every down-trodden worm will turn, and then we unto the man who has lived his own selfish ex-It is not be a far to civilized men and istence, slighting his wife, making her women, but is found universally the burden-bearer for the household. minute savages, wherever sufficient obe she will soon learn to distrust him, and once her confidence is shaken in him, There is said to be also a difference she will never feel the same. His in-

"I should not in my notations forget for his family would not be guilty of his country,

a purposible probest, for it was found her life? I sometimes wonder if many national financial and commercial and uncomplaining and taking things misfortune to be doomed to live a mis- best horse I ever put a saddle on." But now and again a government re erable existence with utterly selfish and "And now," said the purchaser, "that turn conveys a reminder of the won indifferent husbands. If a woman's you vouchsafe to give me that old span- derful thrift of that section of the er of which re-easily turned out of the serene, and she has no reason to com- I will sell him back to you for \$50 less sand an add style swood bearing on its plain of her Tom, Dick or Harry's than I paid for him."

arose. He refused to take the advice sacrifices. If the home is not attractive of a French pilot, and as a result the chough to win him from the outside British ships were dashed to pieces on world then he should not become a the rocks off Egg Island, and next benediet. He should weigh the matter The fish weighed over two pounds. well before he makes the leap. Few men would stand the indifference to proposes marriage to the same girl and Mr. Short My dear Miss Kate, I home in their wives that they feel privhave a very serious question I wish to | ileged to show from the very first, and | ask you. Miss Long. What is it, pray? yet the wives have just as much right Mr. Short Will you marry me? Miss to demand outside pleasures as they Long (scornfully) - Do you call that se have. The machinery of the home will

never work in perfect harmony until the two who have pledged themselves for better or worse agree to share the Cynicus-The propagation of the hu- responsibilities of the home, and cease riages. Sillieus How do you make them from their duties to the home put together. that out? Cynleus-Well, if a man circle,

> Another thing that many men over- four of both sexes is a nail biter. look is that the eyes of the children are turned upon them; they are walking in their footsteps and they cannot be too careful in the selection of their friends. If they go with ordinary people they mility.

must not be surprised or annoved when they find that their children have chosen companions of the same order. They are no credit to them, and if they cannot pull them up to their level, they must naturally fall to theirs. There is no half-way medium—it is either up or down. Children are clever imitators and they delight in following the exand very common-place friend is as good as he is, I feel like saving, "I don't doubt it for one moment." They are every inch as good as he is for, like water, he is hunting his own level, but these questionable friends are not good enough for his wife or children to associate with. I heard a little lady say the other day, "I always aim high. pin my faith and hope to the stars, and try hard to reach the target. If I fall, I come down hard, but I can rebound. Doing the the little everyday common hum-drum duties of life does not suit me one bit. I want to make progress in the world and accomplish something. I may leave no great record to keep my memory green, but still I will have the satisfaction of knowing that I at least did not rust out. The latter is deplorable, for it means nothing more nor less than a miserable existence; aimless in every sense of the word. Whatever I do, I try and throw my best efforts into the task, if it is only sweeping or attending to the most common and ordinary affairs of the household. It is my aim to accomplish something in to do this, remember that I aim high.

BRIEF REVIEW.

Use of Bug Produces Longevity.

Professor Metchnikoff's new youth oacillus, based on Pasteur's theory of the existence of beneficent as well as malificent microbes, continues to extitic world. Metchnikoff is indifferent o this feeling. He is certain he has and then slunk away into a corner. discovered the long-sought secret of indefinite longevity. He said recently: Demanding Tips In Face of Death. this remedy destroys what we might Parisian workman and workwoman seams finished with straps and stitchcall intestinal flora, which are notoris and existence is such a struggle that ing. Perhaps it is laid in box plaits at In this way we arrest the gradual pu- tenacity with which earnings are either case it flares wide at the feet. trefaction of our bodies. I prefer a spe- clutched at. When some years ago the cial kind of congulated milk, but it is hard to obtain. A substitute consists men attendants thought of their tips. of ordinary milk boiled and skimmed. the buil frame due here and there for To this is added a quantity of my Bul- a footstool. Unmindful of their own but sugar may be added to suit particus half demented creatures for money. lar palates. Two bowls at a temperature of 72 should be taken daily. If taken regularly many years may be ad- the delay of a few seconds might mean effect between also appear in ribbons. Baitic ded to life, while the remedy is also an life or death, many workmen refused almost certain cure for dyspepsia and to move from the crowded station,

The Boy and the Flag.

The Board of Education of Orange. will be of no moment to her, she will lawing boys in the public schools to ing has just been broken at Conneaut, expect nothing of him and the warring raise the flag each morning as a reward on Lake Eric. The Wolvin, the largest are declared to be more voluminous in affection will grow from day to day for good behavior. At present the ianthe female flam in the number a physical fact which is contrary to company the physical fact which is contrary to contrary the physical fact which is contrary to c why, after a man is married, he should allowing them to raise the flag. On made. The total delay from the be-It appears to be unquestionable that consider that he was licensed to do just the other hand, what could make a boy ginning to the end of the unloading did In purely intellectual endowment the as he pleased, remain away all day Suns more inclined to subdue the old man not exceed five minutes. One by one man is superior to the woman. On the day, carely spend an evening at home. Adam in him than the prospect of eight monstrous holsting machines belong to various clubs and take the being allowed to raise the flag over the were transferred in turn to the thirty money needed at home to pay his dues, school building? The Orange educators three cargo hatches of the Wolvin, just because he wanted to be considered a jolly good fellow, and have a good time. To take his regular summer outtime. To take his regular summer out- discourage deviltry in ingenious youth. at Conneaut. It is today the foremost How They First "Got Among the ing, leaving his wife to swelter in the Still, it is possible to suspect and there ore port of the world, its ore receipts kitchen while he was enjoying himself, are grounds for the suspicion that in for July being 786,554 tons, nearly 100, In Galt's "Annals of the Parish" How he could enjoy it under the cir- case of war the "baddest" boys would 000 tons more than were ever received the Rev. March Balwhilder quantly counstances is a mystery, and he be among the first to volunteer. Let before, chronicles the excits of his district in couldn't do it if he was not altogether goodness have all due honor, but the Scotland about the year 1760. In the selfish. A man with genuine affection fighting bad boy is often very useful to

Princes Must Study Business.

Emperor William is fixing the course young then solding to the West Indies get weary of this sort of a life after of study for Princes August William, hears of sugar were brought home, awhile, and is it any wonder that as Oscar and Joachim. He has prescribed while make among the cubbiges in the children grow up and begin to get a course of comprehensive lectures on existing in their own household, that these lectures will include industrial surface with a hot sugar lotion. The and bely, which hitherto had been only the love and sympathy go out to the problems and technical questions in the brush used should be very soft, and known in the kitchens of the gentry, patient little mother, who has suffered railway business, embracing railway the painting should be done quickly: came to be largefreed into the vil in silence for years, and yet borne it problems and progress in the United The sugar solution melts the surface with a brave face on account of her States. Further lectures will be given "All this, however, was not without little ones, whom she loves better than to elucidate the relations of great inter-

The Way Of It.

Trout With Two Mouths.

other, was a singular catch recently made in Clear lake, Georgetown, Col., by Robert Maxwell. Each of the nouths had the customary teeth, and was practically perfect in every detail.

goes on a spree when she rejects him will sooner or later regret his course. some day the girl will accept him.

"There is no one so logical in argu-

gument," remarked the Cynic, "as the gan who is trying to induce you spend The United States uses nearly a third

In the schools of France one child in

Great men lose their greatness when on get close to them.

Conceit may be only exaggerated hu-

To Prevent Collisions.

New Zealand, which has people's railways, thinks it has them now arranged so that they won't kill people, The state railways have made an interesting change in the signaling sys-

lisions impossible. For a long time the block system has been used, but the "tablet" system has now been introduced. No engine driver is allowed to leave a station without a tablet in his possession, and the element of safety rests on the fact that the machines are so made that it is Impossible for two tablets to be out at

the same time. If a driver leaves Auckland for New market with a tablet, that tablet has to be deposited in the machine at New market before another tablet is issued allowing a return train to leave for Auckland, and the electrical connection between the two stations makes it impossible to extract a tablet from the Auckland machine until the tablet has been put into the machine at Newmarket.

It is claimed that two trains cannot be on the same section at once, so that the danger of collisions is entirely done away with.

The New York Zoo.

The sides and rear of the animal cages at the New York zoo have been hung with painted scenes, like those on the stage of a theater. The animal lies down in the afternoon for a nap. When it goes to sleep it is in the center of a vast desert. When it wakes the stage manager has shifted the this life to show that I have lived and scenes, and the beast is lying on the bank of a brook, with mountains in the background. When a Manchurian leopard awoke the other day the scene had been changed to a hillside, with a few trees close by. It rubbed its sleepy eyes for a minute, saw the crowd staring at it through the bars and turned to one of the painted trees and attempted to spring into the branches. Down it came again, scraping its claws cite half-derisive interest in the scien- looking very disappointed. For a few through the length of the canvas and minutes the leopard looked at the tree

Thus far we have simply declared that | Money is so hardly earned by the with five, seven or eleven gores, its ously abundant in pernicious microbes. We need not wonder at the deadly intervals of six inches all around. In Opera Comique blazed amid a scene awful as that of a battlefield the wochamoring for the return of the two-

Rapid Unloading of Ships. The world's record for be anload

penny ticket. Reynolds' Newspaper.

Sugar Coated Butter.

German practice of glazing butter by the use of sugar. Blocks of butter coated with a glass-like sugar cover ing, it is found, keep fresh much lon ger than if not so treated. The butter is first carefully kneaded and washed, then put into forms weighing one pound each and placed in a cool room. The glazing is done by painting the of the butter, and the sugar and melt ed butter form a sort of varnish which protects the butter against deterioration from outside influences.

British Thrift.

The London Times says a good dea "Now that you've got him," said the is made of the wealth of the French British people who save by pence and shillings and put by in one form or an other for a rainy day. Including friend ly and co-operative societies, trade unions and various types of savings banks, the aggregate funds of the An Eastern brook trout, with two thrifty members of the working well-developed months, one above the classes reach the sum of £308,000,000.

Dirty Children of Europe.

Susan B. Anthony on her return from Europe talked in an engaging way about the things she had seen ovethere. Of a certain slum she said. latest designs. The quantity of mate Bowley, approaches £2,000,000,000, and "The children in this slum are dirty, risk required for a woman of medium its population at this moment is as The Cleveland man who frequently very dirty. I hardly know how I make size is for coat five and three-quarters nearly as possible 43,000,000. Dividing clear to you the superlative degree of yards twenty-seven, four yards forty- £2,000,000,000 by 43,000,000, we get dirtiness that marks them. I was told four or three and a half yards fifty-two nearly £47 as the annual income per for one thing that a mother in this slum | inches wide, for skirt eight and three- head of the British people. Taking a often goes out on the street and washes quarters yards twenty seven, five yards family as five persons, the average in half a dozen children's faces before forty four or four and a half yards fifshe is able to find her own child."

Discretion a Failure.

"I was at the husking bee one day.

Great fun." "Find a red ear?"

"Yes." "Kiss the prettiest girl?" "Nope. Didn't dare. All the pretty girls were engaged to husky farmers." "What did you do?" "Kissed the homeliest girl."

"Did that give satisfaction?" "Not a bit of it. Each of the husky farmers felt that I had personally Plain Dealer.

CHOICE MISCELLANY WOMAN AND FASHION FACTS IN FEW LINES

In Japanese Style.

Kimono dressing sacks are alway: fever cure. satisfactory and comfortable at the The canine population of Ireland is one allows a choice of pointed or plair ing to a return just issued. tem which it is thought will make col- materials, but as illustrated is purely spoken of in Ireland-a Home Rule



KIMONO DRESSING SACK. oriental in style and combines a Japanese slik, white with figures of red introduce a bill in parliament next year | finished buildings on new foundations and blue, with bands of plain blue, making it a crime for even a qualified should be pulled down, The full fronts and back are joined to medical practitioner, unregistered, to There would appear to have been a shallow yoke, and the banding which attend a patient. yards twenty seven or three and a half yards thirty two inches wide, with one and seven eighths yards in any width for banding.

The New Skirts.

New short dresses are very short. New long dresses are very long. The accepted tailor dress for morning wear has a skirt that stops from two and a half inches to three and a half inches above the ground. It is made of pepper and salt tweed or of dull brown homespun. Perimps its skirt is cut

Ribbons In Favor. ings rather than quillings. Some of the the hot globes above. garian bacillus abounding throughout peril and that of others, they rushed ribbons will be shirred or plaited In less than half a dozen years Harthe Balkans. The taste is agreeable, to and fro, besieging half suffocated, Huge rosettes made from short bits of land & Welff, Belfast, have earned the terrible entastrophe on the Paris un are used in these resettes. Double ro lattest" with their Oceanic, Celtic, Cedderground railway last year. Although settes that is, two, with a sort of sheaf the and their latest and largest, the

The New Skeleton Collars.

tar, which is planed around the neck, that hubbles continually in the center.

Latest Fads In Linings.

Pale yellow and poppy red are the latest things for skirt linings, and both wool and silk are lined with these two during shades. A touch of the same shade as the lining either on the stock or in jewels on the girdle is quite the

Smart Walking Suit,

Walking costumes made with short skirts and long coats are among the smartest things for the incoming seaand blue and is trimmed with straps England has recently imported the their edges. The skirt is an excellent not deteriorate one that is cut in seven gores, with a



THREE-QUARTER COAT AND SEVEN GORED TUCKED PLAKE SKIRT.

tuck at each seam, and the coat is fitted by means of the seams extending ple of the United Kingdom, as estimatto the shoulders, which mark the very ed by Sir Robert Giffen and Professor ty two inches wide.

Musical Taste.

"Say, pa!"

be married."

"Well, what?" "Why does that man in the band accative virtues. What are they? Dawrun the trombone down his throat?" "I suppose it is because he has a He always says no when you want to taste for music."-Town Topics.

Interpreted.

"She told me," said the young man who had consulted a fortune teller, "that I was born to command." "Well, well," exclaimed Henpeck,

The heliotrope is recommended as a

same time that they are graceful. This not far short of half a million, accord sleeves and can be made from many Two new political organizations are

league and a Progressive party.

The census returns of Cape Colony show that the total population is 2,404, 878, compared with 1,527,224 in 1891. The Irish department of agriculture and industries has taken over the working of a jam factory at Drogheda It is probable that before long one of the sights popular to the tourist, the parish morgue, will have ceased to ex-

The Zoological gardens in London have just acquired four Japanese apes. the tail is reduced to a stump.

the number of names it gives Chicago a population for 1904 of 2,241,000.

The promoters of the Irish industrial exhibition of 1906 are getting on. They have gathered in £100,000 of the £150,-000 they alm at before beginning the building.

America.

finishes the front also forms a collar. The British empire is mistress of the ling proclamations, which were issued To make the kimono for a woman of seas in one sense from the fact that the every six or seven years. Thus at one medium size will be required four and imperial shipping alone numbers 11, three-eighths yards twenty-one, four 134 vessels of 16,006,374 tons, almost ten miles of London, at another (as half the entire world's shipping.

A stone tablet representing a Bible has been discovered in the province of | houses only were required to be pulled Shansi, China, among the ruins of a down, orders were issued later under Buddhist temple. This tablet was erect- which houses which had been erected ed by Christians 1,300 years ago.

Statistics show that from 1801 to ished. 1892 more than 230 periodic comets have been observed with precision. Of period commanded that "persons of these, however, there are only fifteen livelihood and means should reside in whose return has been actually ob- their counties and not abide or sojourn

solicitor, London, said, "I wish my body to be burned and my ashes scattered having an abhorrence of the barbarous practice of burial of the human | obedience. All persons of livelihood body in the earth." Tonds sit at night around the bases

of electric light poles along the coun-Ribbons are much used this autumn try roads of England waiting for the in millinery. Bows, rosettes, cockades fill of the dead, injured and partly and choux adorn hats; also flat ruch- cooked moths which have alighted on

ribbon, with vandyke points in sevi distinction of having four times in suc-A similar scene happened during the eral harmonizing or contrasting shades, cossion constructed the "biggest vessel

> In the state of Washington there is a remarkable old tree. Inside of it twen-The girl who has had trouble with to adult persons have gathered at one the ruching and ribbon combination time and, comfortably scated, have should try one of the new skeleton col- eaten their lunch, which they spread lars. The ruching is basted on the col- around the wonderful living spring and then the ribbon is fied around it. Butter color is made from uniline, Thus the weight of the ruching does and the desired shade is technically not bear down the ribbon, and the called "azo." As a very small quantity neck has a more trim and tailored look. will cover a large amount of butter, the presence of the chemical cannot be Edetected by the taste, but in large amounts it is poisonous to a degree.

> > A remarkable instance of mimicry a tishes is described by Dr. A. Willey fishes known as sea bats have leaf diagod and leaf colored bodies, and mertly to the bottom just like a leaf.

son and are pocultarly chie made of the tacks can be made to compete with fashionable platits. This one is green copper, Among other advantages claimof for the new material is that it is filed against Sir John Suckling, the and cuffs of plain green stitched at | not affected by the weather and will When the governor of Fengwang by these prosecutions that on all sides

noticed that the Chinese guard of hon be seen preparing for flight into the or was miserably armed. Nearly every country, cursing the hardship of being man had a different arm from his fellow one an old carbine, another a leaving town and its pleasures behind. muzzle loader, a third a Winchester, a To encourage gentlemen to live more fourth a Mauser.

The Hon, C. A. Parsons, now famous of the times, all game fowl, such as as the inventor of the turbine, which is pheasants, partridges, ducks and hares, revolutionizing the steamship, has recently amused himself by devising a dressed or eaten in any inn, little valve called the auxetophone, which promises similarly to advance II. in 1661-one of the last in this dithe phonograph, which it endows with rection among the inconveniences set extraordinary power and purity of forth as daily growing by the spread

landers use windows made of plates of the shells of a kind of oyster. These windows do not let in a bright light ment of the price of vituals, the ennor floods of sunshine, but where they are shaken by the frequent earth quakes of that country they do not break as easily as glass windows the migration townward of the popula-

The Germans are encroaching on what has been for many years an Ealish monopoly, the hotel business in the Island of Madeira. They have obtained from Portugal a concession for the es tablishment of sanitariums there, the company to be exempt from payment of duties for many years, and now the his late majesty say now to "those Germans are likely to get a concession swarms of gentry who, through the to supply Funchal with water.

The total annual Income of the peocome per family is thus about £235 per BUILDIN

His Negative.

Transcript.

Bunsby They speak of Multby's son-They're something I don't like.

Had to Have It. "You married me for my money!" she

exclaimed angrily. "Oh. well," he replied soothingly. other way, you know."

AFRAID OF BIG CITIES

ENGLAND LONG TRIED TO KEEP DOWN

LONDON'S POPULATION Laws Passed That Made It an Offense to Live in the Metropolis and Proc-

lamations Issued to Restrict the

Size and Number of Buildings. From the days of Elizabeth to those of Charles II, the various English governments tried by every means within their power to preserve the kingdom from the "evils" attendant upon a huge metropolis. The frequent out breakings of the plague afterward culminating in the terrible visitation which carried off over 30,000 personsthe fear that with the deluge of building the population would be "poisoned by breathing in one another's faces," One of their chief peculiarities is that the incapacity of the police of the time to preserve order and their utter help-The new city directory for Chicago lessness in the face of mob low-these has been given to the public. Based on were among the contributory causes which brought about a long series of

vexations and annoying prohibitions. In 1580 a proclamation was issued prohibiting the erection within three miles of the city gates of any new houses or tenements upon sites where no former house had been known to Italy has 16,700,000 trees bearing have been erected. Later came another oranges, lemons and pomegranates. Of proclamation, by which it was ordered last year's crop \$44,329 hundredweight that only one family should live in went to Great Britain, 726,327 to North | each house, that houses erected within the past seven years and still unlet The British medical profession will should remain empty, and that all un-

neither order nor system in these varytime buildings were probibited within quoted above) within three miles, and, while under Elizabeth unfinished several years were ruthlessly demol-

Further proclamations of the same in the city of London, so that counties remained unserved," but these seem to of Charles I., when they were renewed and definite steps taken to enforce and means unconnected with public offices were ordered within forty days from the date of the notice to resort to their several counties and with their families continue their residence there, and they were further warned "not to put themselves to unnecessary charge in providing themselves to return in winter to the said cities"-I. e., London and Westminster-"as it was the king's firm resolution to withstand such great

and growing evil." Even this had little effect upon the public in its first issue, and a copious list was prepared of offenders, including a great number of the nobility and ladies and gentlemen, who were accus ed of living in London for several months after the given warning. Most of these had made a pretense of quitting the city, to return again after a brief absence, hoping thus to escape

the penalty of their disobedience. It came as a bolt from the blue in 1635 when Mr. Palmer, a large land holder in Sussex, was brought into the star chamber and fined £1,000 for disobeying the proclamation as to living in the country and remaining in London after the prescribed period. He was a bachelor, and he urged in his dein Spolia Zeylancia. The Cingalese fense that he had never been married, had never been a "housekeeper" and had no house fitting for a man of his when in danger they sink gently and birth to reside in, his own mansion in the country having been burned down, After tunnerous experiments and tri- but his judges were inexorable, and als an alloy of aluminium has been the fine was accompanied by a severe made with which nails, staples and reprimand for having deserted his ten-

ants and neighbors. In the same year information was poet, and many others for the same offense, and such was the terror caused cheng received General Kuroki it was folk of condition and quality were to confined to their country houses and willingly in the country, says a writer were at certain times forbidden to be

in a proclamation issued by Charles of new buildings were: The increase Instead of glass the Philippine Is of the people in such great numbers as to prohibit their proper government by the wonted officers, the enhancedangering of the health of the city in habitants and the damage done to the tradespeople in the boroughs by

> But it was all of no avail. Nothing rould stop the increase of "upstart London," as it was termed by some of the old writers, and the prediction of James I. that "England will itself be London, and London England," is fast approaching verification. What would instigation of their wives or to new model and fashion their daughters, neglect their country hospitality and cumber the city, a general nulsance to the kingdom?"

Somewhat over a century later, in 1773, a bill was brought before parliament in which it was proposed to put a tax of 2 shillings in the pound (on net rents and annual profits) on absentee Irish landlords, and this would appear to be the only recorded at tempt since to penalize absenteelsm in any shape or form.-London Tit-Bits.

Sweet Revenge. Aunt Hannah-Have you told any

one of your engagement to Mr. Sweetser? Edith-No. I haven't told a soul, except Bessie Miller, who thought he borrow anything of him. - Boston was going to ask her.-Boston Transcript.

Jarred Him.

Mrs. Henpeck-This paper says that married women live longer than single ones. Mr. Henpeck-Heavens, woman! snubbed his best girl." - Cleveland "she means, then, that you will never "don't blame me. I couldn't get it any Can't you think of something pleasant to talk about!