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came in the limbed in F to the s wife, who is wife, who is wife, who is wife, who is wife, who how was a to bo was FLORENCE, OREGON, FRIDAY, May 6, 1898. 1X. SKELETONS IN CLUBS. cold indifference of the stars. For hours MAGYAR FOLKLORE VERSES TRAVELERS' GUIDE she would remain seated nuder a tree without once kissing the slenderest of TRAVELERS' GUIDE. ERAL DIRECTORY Ah, how muddy's our country lane After autumn rains have soak'd the dast! But worthy, worthy is the girl I love Of all that can a youthful lover move, And I my top boots muddy make Willingly for her sweet saks. her rosy finger tips. So great was her despair that at last THE QUEER PERFORMANCES OF THE STEAMER "COOS." STATE OFFICERS. GARDINER she resolved to destroy the rose that had dared question her title to incom-e but Am STACE LINE. culty that i iday within real trote I regulari REGULAR DAILY TRIPS beauty. Alas, she knew only Free Luncheons-Another Man With a Historical Name Who Took to Wearing parableWilliam P. Lord. H. H. Barrett, Prop'r, With caarda hat set jauntily And deckst with perfumed rosema I'll stroll adown the village street. How all the girls will amile on met too well that a dead rose did not mean the disappearance of roses altogether. They would bloom again every springof S'ate H. R. Kincaid - Batween ---Leaves Florence Mondays, Wednes Old Clothes and Was Dropped. Florence and Head of Tide. Philip Metchen Instruction....G. M. Irwin. day and the days and Fridays. time, every summer, to the shame of lips less red and of skin less rosy white. But at least Eve would have avenged A decently dressed man, with a sham-Wrinkled my top boots are and long. Upon their heels gilt spurs shine brights. They'll clank the time to dance and som. How all the girls will smile tonight! -"A Girl's Wandering In Hungary." w. H. Leeds. Arrives at Florence Tuesdays, Thursbling gait and a shifty eye, walked down girl of a led to m Broad street one afternoon last week and attracted the attention of a broker who days and Saturdays. R. S. Bean F. A. Moore C. E. Wolverton Connects with Steamer and Scotts the first insult. ORTHERN on him First she thought she would tear her burg Stage Line for Drain. Also with was standing in his office window. The enemy to pieces, trample it in the dast among the stones, then fing it to the furious wind as it passed. She had once Stage Line for Coos Bay. Charge broker watched the man closely until ASHES OF ROSES. ity-Tosat . d District....J. C. Fullerton the fellow had disappeared around the corner into Wall street. He had called a reasonable. Pacific, Ry. we had cond District ... W. E. Yates seen a vulture seize a lark; so would y would visitor's attention to the man. EUGENE-FLORENCE On that particular morning I was in she have liked to tear the rose. would un "Have you ever seen that fellow be-However, she bethought herself of another torture. She built upon the at made a a decidedly sentimental mood, because R lore?" be asked. cted an us the day before I had heard a young and "His face is familiar, and I am sure sand a little pyre of dried grames, light-Were to COUNTY OFFICERS. STAGE LINE. charming woman accompanying hersel that I have seen him somewhere, but I can't place him. Who is ho?" "John Blank," said the broker, men-U ed it with a glowworm, and picking the rose tossed it into the fire. A shudat the piano and singing the tenderest y as we h * E. Bangs, Proprietor. we shoal of romances in which during the last N der passed through its delicate petala, as, with a low, plaintive murmur, it yielded up all its perfume, its charm, us, a ch note the butterflies of the song linger tioning a family name that was well known. "I am a member of three good clubs," continued the broker, naming h that to Stage leaves Eugene Mondays at the heart of the roses. S rancing W. T. Bailey And the garden in which I was walkand Thursdays at 6 a. m. and aras hounds Commission its rosy whiteness, its life and incomthree that one would naturally place at the head of the list of New York clubs, ing was quite of a character to foster Pullman parable grace to the devouring flame. At last nothing was left on the dying rives in Florence at 4 p m. the 16 1. 34A. C. Jennings this gentle frame of mind. It was not cen harm Clerk Sleeping Cars "and in the course of a long experience with the management of them I have seen some curious club skeletons. They are anpleasant. Blank was a skeleton in embers but a little heap of white dust Ba gitta Sheriff wild or overgrown. -the ashes of the rose-and the wom-an, in whom savage instincts were al-Elegant er po, Ga Its flower beds, where blue, red andA. S. Patterson Returning stage leaves Flor-**Dining Cars** yellow balsams were ranged with as much precision as the Sevres cups andD. P. Burton ready rife, was satisfied. But the butterflies in the garden of ence Tuesdays and Fridays at 8 es and true tendent.....O. S. Hunt the --- club until we finally got rid Pahool the —— club until we finally got rid of him, and to this day none of the men who knew the facts about his expulsion has ever had any explanation of them. "So far as family connections are concerned, Blank is eligible to any club in this city, and we always understood that he had a good income. It was about five years ago, when I was a member of the house committee, that my attention was first called to Blank. A member of the club came to me one day and and: Saxony statuettes on a whatnot of ld, and the Eden were mad with anguish, for they loved the rose so bated by the woman. Sleeping Cars provincial housewife; the sand of its paths, where the rake had left markings U We TesJ. W. Harris co......F. B. Wilson p. m. the day following. xeited t. Never again, quivering with pleasure and delight, would they settle on its trembling petals, never again brush with open wings the perfumed myster-ST. PAUL as distinct, straight and exact as the for fee John F. Tanner MINNEAPOLIS lines in a bar of music, and its correct e. Betth Single fare - - - \$5.00 and uniform borders, stiff as the frills DULUTH of a dress that has not been crushed, Round trip - - - - \$9.00 FARCO ies of its heart. seemed to suggest the ambition of a GRAND FORKS TY OFFICERS. While the fatal act was being TO very pleasant ideal-an ideal in perfect Louisk mitted they flew wildly round the mer-ciless executioner, but Eve did not even Tickets for sale at E. Bangs's taste, without violence or exaggeration; CROOKSTON livery barn, Eugene, and at Hurd marrow, elegant, pretty and quite suit-ed to furnish water color subjects. A July sun lavished its gold and threw into the garden all the infinite the club came to me one day and said : WINNIPEG see them, so entirely was she given over to her revenge. And now, as she walk-MINS: & Davenport's office in Florence. W. H. Weatherso "'See here. I've got a disagreeable MELENA and duty to perform. You know that re-freshments are served at every regular meeting of the club, and I have noticed ed off triumphant, they drew near to gaze upon the pale remains of their be-loved lying on the little heap of extinn a Patra O. W. Hurd BUTTE' that a bouquet is capable of holding. Wm. Kyle MORRIS *** HOTEL. L. Christensen J. A. Yates wife of a A butterfly which was fluttering THROUGH TICKETS for several months back that John Blank guished grasses. mound like two flower petals set free as icolaing has stowed away a lot of things in his At least they would keep as much ofJ. C. FLINT, Proprietor by the wind brushed past my hand, leaving on it a little of its fine, white when a pockets on every such occasion.' "'Why, that is absurd,' I replied, her as they could. So in a tumultuous swarm they fluttered down upon the John H. Morris TO olly wak Florence, Oregon. CHICAGOJ. A. Pond 'and I suspect that he has been drinking too much. You know that these month-ly lunches are free to the members.' agged ann powder. "White butterfly," said I, for the reprecious relics, sometimes singly, some-times all together, rolling themselves in the ashes, enveloping themselves in herG. C. Cumpton WASHINGTON OUR AIM-To furnish the best PHILADELPHIA membrance of the song led me into am," b such conversation with this delicate y, "bat l 'That was the view that I took of accommodations at reasonable NEW YORK dust. winged creature, "white butterfly, do BB I fe ORET SOCIETIES. it the first time that I noticed it,' be And ever since that time the fine BOSTON AND ALL not hasten away, but stay, rather, and settle down on this leaf-a flower would replied, 'but I watched this man at the prices. white powder, scattered from the wings of butterflies, is the ashes of the rose. POINTS EAST and SOUTH as too ... last meeting very closely. He was not intoxicated. He ate his lunch, and then take too much of your attention-and listen to a question which I have al-ways wanted to ask you or one of your sht of the -From the French for Short Stories. M. Florence Lodge No. 107 For information, time cards, maps and tickets iously up Head of Tide Hotel, I saw him wrap up a piece of chicken, some lobster salad and a brick of ice r communication ou second etc., call on or write iguatio Saturdays in each month. The Absentatinded Men. W. W. NEELY, Prop'r. kind.' R. MCMURPHEY. ie passes cream in separate packages, put them under his overcoat and leave the club. O. W. HURD, W. M. An amusing case of absentminded-The butterfly poised himself ou dly, assed General Agent. Rooms 2 and 4, Shelton Block, ness was experience. by a young south sider the other evening. The young man is usually of a bright nature, but leaf. "I am listening," said he. For why should he not have answered, Tables furnished with all the TR, Secretary. 1. C/ E issed lia It's an amazing proceeding, and I think that it is high time that something was EUGENE, OREGON. t was not delicacies of the season. Wild A. D. CHARLTON, since I had spoken to him? for sur-ted up by 1. Ga with "Frivolous lover of roses and lilies," I began, "whence comes this delicate done about it. General Lyons Post, No. 58. second and fourth Saturdays nth at 1:30 p. m. for some time past his friends have been game, fish and fruit in season. Best Assistant General Passenger Agent. 255 Morrison St. Cor. 3d. "This man's complaint interested me noticing that he does some peculiar and I investigated it. Some of the club waiters told me that Blank had occathings. Not long ago he was at a re-ception, and a few minutes before clospowder you scatter from your wings as you fly from flower to flower can you tell me? I am sure you must have sugaccomodations for the traveling Portland Or. taken if window," BUTTERFIELD, Commander. ionally taken articles of small value public. Charges reasonable. ing time he went to the coat box and from the club, and that he always cor-J. L. FURNISH, Adjutant. ured his hat and coat. Then he walk-The Funk & Wagnalls seated the arts of the toilet to the peru who is ried away a package after a free supper. There seemed to be no reasonable ex-planation for his little steals. He was ed up stairs to the dancing floor and picked up another coat and walked fumer, for yours are the only wings Elk Prairie Hotel.

Standard Dictionary

Well, I hev hed th' mumps an itch An fevor'n ager'n grip an sich, An oast er twice a felon, But nathin quite kerflummuzed me Bo's my anat'my wouldn't goo, Like lovin 'Liza Ellen. TWO BLANKS OF NEW YORK. Mystery of the Man Who Stele Food at

Th' symptoms kept a foolin 'bont A right amart while an then broke out Immense one night at spellin. For months-well, I jost lost myself. Pat every thing up on th' shelf, 'Cupt love an 'Liza Ellen.

My head just whizzed! I couldn't sloop At nights. My idees spread like shoop You've seen without a bell un. Panrammers warn't a circumstance To how her face'd alide an dance. Th' air wus full of Ellen.

"LOVIN 'LIZA ELLEN."

I couldn't cat, an jest th' sight O' vittles floored my appetite. No use o' my rebellin, Fer I wuz soaked plumb through

through. Winhed everything in Kal'masoo, 'Cept me an 'Live Ellen.

On mem'ry farm things wouldn't est. I'd go t' town an clean forget T' ask how eggs wus sellin, Remember'n jest t' not be late A-hustlin home t' keep th' date I'd made with 'Lies Ellen.

All p/ture peared i' wear store clothes, An't seemed i' me like every rose About th' place was smellin. I never did care shucks for birds, But when they'd ing they'd jest say we T' me o' 'Lisa Ellen.

I'so mixed, but things got mixeds Grass wus a carpet; ditch, a rill, An every squash a malon. I taiked so dad 'lowed I'se a fool An ought t' be caged somewhare i Fer carryin on 'bout Elles.

I molted round as fed on sir, But got so thin on thet biame fare A ohange wus jest compellin. It came-quite suddent-in th' fall, When 1-she-well, no matter, all Flipflopped 'twixt me an Ellen.

I didn't die's I 'lowed I would, But in a week wus feelin good. Th' rost 'tain't worth while tellin. Last week she planted "number three. I s'pose they all tak worse than me A-lovin 'Lizz Ellen. -Paul L. McKendrick in Atlanta Constitut

A Phrase That Fas

After a long period of silence, Mean-ering Mike raised himself on one et bow, pushed the hay from in front of his face and in a matter of fact tone said :

"Hooray !" "What's de matter wit yer?" inquir-

ed Plodding Pete. "I've been intendin ter do dis fur a long time. An I come ter de conclusion dat dere was no ase o' puttin it off no longer. It's a debt o' gratitude ter a great man, am I'm goin ter pay up. Hoorsy !"

Hooray!" "Bat who are you hoorayin fur?" "Speaker Reed." "But he never dome nothin for you." "Not personally. But he expressed my feelin's. I understand he's de man dat come out flatfooted fur a do nothin policy."—Washington Star.

"Your clam chowder," remarked the diner to the restaurant cashier, as he paid the amount of his check and stowed away a pint of toothpicks in his v pocket, "is distinguishable above the other clam chowders I ever ste," "In what way?" asked the cash who did not know whether to be plea or not. "By its clamlesses."-Pittebu Chronicle Telegraph

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ks and not known by learned f we chatted more frequently with sects of the woods and fields. en auburn haired Eve was born at age at which the women of our do not linger half long enoughmiraculous Eden, teeming with imagine what made the passersby smile at him. Finally he reached the restau-rant where he takes his meals, and then ind youth, she was plunged at into an ecstasy of admiration at ght of so much magnificence, and he realized that he was carrying some e smallest pang of envy poisoned eart. Even before she had gazed inthing in his hand. He looked at it and found that he had carried the lighted pearest spring all creatures crowd-ound to do her homage, and after lamp from his room and had walked several blocks along the main street r seen her own radiant reflection with it in his hand. succived a profound feeling of assion for all other created things. splendid lights in the lion's luminous in the sunshine, could val the tawny brightness of Eve's floating locks. y should she have been jealous of wan, since her own throat and were made of living snows, or why great vines in the forest, her own ace being far more treacherous nore sweet? sky, in its deepest, clearest blue, have hoped to rival her eyes had ot had a softer and more exquifine, she looked at all things, and at wave of pride came over her. ithout doubt," she said, "all good, but then what of it all?" thereafter her favorite amusewas to sit under a tree and pass day kissing the rosy tips of her er fingers. I one day she saw a ross. rose was there before her. as yet ly a rose, almost pale in its trimapper and talk it over. hant grace. It opened and widen-adiant as a star, lominous and livimost human, like a woman. iger passing that way lingered to on it and wept from tenderness. en Eve felt something stirred her. She understood that gbout all eternity she had a rival. tiful as she was, the rose was not beautiful. Perfume against pergrace against grace, to the end

that scatter whiteness like a puff." The butterfly said, "'Tis strange."

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endless and uncessing struggle. vain impassioned poets of all ages ld try in enthusiantic madrigals to e to their mistresses the defeat of overeign flower. Eve had no illuon the subject. The rose would rs dely her, and to woman's cteruniliation she would be compared r splendid and victorious rival

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adacse, of which you can form no took possession of her, whose su-nery, acknowledged by all other ted things, was disputed by a mero er. She no longer had any pleasure e limpid streams, whose clear waourned her bright image. The a, whose whiteness had not rival-rs, still sported on the azure lakes,

eve no longer watched them. I night she dreamed bitterly of her

ed to enlighten me. I am sure we coat on and another on his arm. The next day he found the owner of the exlearn many things that are not been eclipsed by his latest exploits. had finished his toilet and started the street. As soon as he made his appearance he was greeted with amiles from everybody who saw him. He walked down the street and could not

home with it on his arm. Arriving at

Another case is cited concerning the same young man. At the office where he is employed he has occasion to answer many calls at the telephone. One evening he was reading a book in his room when an alarm clock rang in the never have been able to find one that adjoining room. The absentminded youth got up and commenced to yell "Hello! Hello!" and when the occapant of the other room inquired as to the cause of the yelling the young man enid in a sheepish manner, "Oh, I thought it was the telephone bell ring-ing."-Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

Talk It Over.

I have learned some things in the course of a long business life and still have a great many others to learn. But the chief thing I have learned can be condensed into one nugget of wisdom in three words, Talk it over. If thy business enemy offend thee, don't smite him on the cheek. Take him by the battonhole in a friendly

Some one tells you that Smith, down the street, has said or done something to your detriment. Perhaps be has, and perhaps be has not. If he has, your best policy is to prevent his repeating his re-mark or deed in the future. If he has not, you don't want to do him an injustice. even in your own mind.

Put on your bat, leave your temper at home, go down and make a friendly call. Be neighborly, frank, open. Tell him the truth and ask him for equa ast one another and there would frankness. Nipe hundred and ni nine times out of a thousand the whole matter will be explained and straight ened out in five minutes, and you will part as personal friends rather than as personal and business enemies. You will both feel better, you will live side by side in harmony; the earth will be brighter, the sunshine clearer, your own heart lighter and mankind take on a more friendly aspect. Don't get man and rush to your desk and seud a scorch ing letter; be a man and a Christian and go yourself.

Talk it over. -Hardware.

Unlucky.

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Wife-My father used to say I was the brightest jewel he possessed. Husband (growlingly)-Opal he must have meant, for you've brought me bad luck ever since I've had you -- Fun.

vver in good practice, and, as you know, he lives very comfortably. I consulted with some of the other tra coat, and mutual explanations fol-lowed and all was well. But that has to look out for Blank at the next supper. He turned up promptly, and, sure enough, we saw him stealthily make up a package from the lunch table and walk out with it. There was nothing left for us to do but to ask for an erplanation.

"Charges were preferred against him and a formal notification was sent to him. Blank paid no attention to it. We thought that he might not have receiv. ed it and we sent him another not tion and made sure that it reached bim Blank ignored it, and then we dropped him for conduct unbecoming a gentle-man. Blank never came near the club

boase after his first notification, and so far as I know he has never given an indication of resetting our action in dropping him. Now what do you suppo was the explanation of his thefts? was satisfactory. It has been asserted that despite his large income he is nat-urally a very miserly fellow, but that is merely goasip. I meet him occasionally, and he is always affable. It was a disa greeable affair, and to this day an inexplicable one."

A man who had listened attentively to the broker's story said: "I can equal that with an experience

in my own club. The man in question has recently died and it is only charitable to say that he was probably insane for several years before he died. He was Arthur Blank"—mentioning a histor-ical name. "About three years ago this man began to wear very shabby clothes. He had always been very careful in his dress, and this change was surprising. He came to the club and sat around, looking like a tramp. His linen was ragged, and even the waiters looked askance at his clothes. I knew that he had money, but it was not a pleasant task to suggest to him that he should get some new clothes. He was an old bachelor, and he had rooms in an ex-pensive bachelor spartment house. His condition was a diagrace to the club and as a last resort half a dozen of his and as a last resort half a dozen of his old friends got up a purse of \$100 and went to his tailor and ordered a new suit of clothes for him. They told the tailor that it was in payment of a wager. When the suit was made, they packed it in a box with a new hat,

es, collars, shirts and two scarfs and sent it to Black. A letter was inclose which read : "DEAR BLANK-Dy express I cond you the outfit that I loss by my has election wager.

"The signature was such that no one could read it. There was some specula-tion as to how Blank would take this hint. Two days later he turned up at the club in his new clothes, and wh he was congratulated on them he said they were the result of an election wager. The new clothes were too much for him, however. He got drunk on the strength of them and staid drunk at the club for the next two weeks, when he was dropped from membership."-New York Sun

Up to All the Tricks

"The man who runs the clubbouer next to the skating pond used to be pro-

"How do you know?" "By his methods. I was skating there yesterday, and I fell through the ice." "What has that to do with it?"

"He tried to charge me for a bath -Chicago Post.

What She Wanted



Old Lady (to photographer)--I don's mind about a good likeness, you know. but I must have a pretty picture .--Punch.

Cause of Death Unknown

Abe Linkum Johnsing-Did yo' heah about Gawge Wash'ton Jackson how he done die aftah he eat two big possums

an a whole peck o' sweet potatoes? Henry Clay Jones-Nub, 1 didn's beah about dat. What was de mattah wid him?-Town Topics.

"Do you think that marriage is a failure?" asked the fat passager. "I refuse to answer that question."

replied the slim one, "on the ground that I might incriminate mycelf. New York Journal.

Real Horstom

"Mrs. Jinks is the most courses "Why?"

"She goes over and ness Dr. Blank"s telephone to call up another doorn." Chicago Record.

His Appearance Ageinst Etm. Admiring Friend—And how did yum arrive at the conclusion that he was merely the tool of ablar men? Confident Detective — What, that hatchet faced freak? Is was a cinch —

Detroit News.