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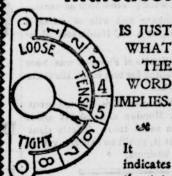
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To Smoke Out Mosquitoes London women have discovered very agreeable way of ridding their an oriental idea. In London it is possible to get the wood prepared for this purpose, but here it is not so easy, as American women have not yet taken to

the practice. Sandalwood can be bought at almost any Turkish or Japanese importing house. It is prepared for burning by be ing first cut into small pieces a half an inch thick and three inches long. Then it is baked or dried out in a slow oven for 24 hours. A piece of the wood is put into a metal urn, lighted and allow ed to burn until well aflame, when the fiame is extinguished and the redhot ember left to smolder until the wood is consumed and nothing is left but a heap of fine gray ashes. During the smoldering process the wood sends out a sweet and aromatic smoke.

"Now that the summer is again upon us," explained a shoe dealer to a Star reporter, "people are asking as to how to prevent shoes from creaking, for, as you know, shoes rarely ever creak ex cept during exceedingly dry weather or in the summer time. There are all kinds of cures for this trouble, but the simcoal oil in the soles, near the edges. It this doesn't stop it, the next best thing is to bave a shoemaker drive a few wooden pegs in the soles. The combination of both will surely keep them quiet. Sewed shoes of the best makes often creak as much as cheap shoes. The difficulty comes from cutting the inner and outer soles. If they are not exactly the same size, they are liable to creak. Water, hot or cold, is only a temporary remedy, for the shoes are just as liable to creak as soon as they get thoroughly dry."-Washington Star.

A lecturer on ventilation points out, what everybody has known if he has thought of it, that air is more necessary than food. The body can exist longer without food than it can deprived of pure air. The new crusade, according to this speaker, is to be preached in favor of ventilation. In protecting one's self against a draft it was asserted that to have a window open at the top and bottom both made a draft much less unlikely than to have it open from one end only. Paper should not be used behind summer picces in fireplaces. Let there to room for the air to percolate through the open ironwork, and the register open in summer, provided the cold air box is perfectly clean and the air supply comes from out of doors, assists by creating a current in the ventilation of a room.

Some Knowledge of Business. Some young girls just out of school have this last season included in the week's round an hour at a bookkeeping class. The course has been confined to the sort of accounts a mistress of a home would keep, including careful instruction in writing up a checkbook. The opening of the many banks up town has had the effect of increasing the list of women depositors. Many fathers now put their daughters on an allowance, starting a bank account for them, and letting them manage their money matters as a preliminary to the care of the property which will some day be their own. It seems a pity that the scheme has been so long delayed. What a saving it might have effected for the Amer ican women now enrolled in the continental peerage!-New York Letter.

A Traveling Lumber Saleswoman. A New York lumberman says that in ed, and in a little more than a year and has known a number of women engaged experienced no inconvenience whatever well. One woman was a traveling saleson account of baving only one too ou woman and another took her busband's each foot. She rides a wheel, plays ten- position at the head of a yard at his her age are fond of. The cause of the as well as men could do in similar posttrouble was originally childrains, which tions. The Lumberman's Review now traction of the muscles with the most is "the latest thing in lumberdom" in less suffering is endured which might shingles for another. She has been on be relieved by extremely simple opera the road three months and is said to be

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When these earthly fetters part, All those clasps around my heart Fail away, and I am left Of life's sweetest joys bereft,

And I find myself indeed Leaning on a broken reed

To what depths of woe I drop, Seeking vainly for some prop All sufficient to sustain One in loneliness and note.

Through the desert, through the tide He has promised to abide Ever near; where'er I be, Whispers gently, "Lean on me." Earthly ties, how insecured Heavenly ties alone endure, And my idols all were slain That I might this knowledge gain.

THEY GAVE THE BALLS.

and the People Danced to Pay the Debts In 1712 Louis XIV favored the Opera then established in the first salle of the Palais Royal (there have been two) with a special mansion for the better accommodation of its administration, archives and rehearsals. This hotel is situated in the Rue Nicaise. The building was generally designated under the uame of "Magasia," whence the term "Filles du Magasin" (not "de magasin") subsequently not only to the female choristers and supers, but the fe-male dancers themselves. It so happened that the king forgot to pay his architects and workmen. In order to satisfy them the Chevalier de Bouillon conceiv ed the idea of giving balls in the opera house, for which idea he received an annual pension of 6,000 francs. He was paid, but the king's debtors were not, for, although the letters patent were granted somewhere about the beginning of 1713, not a single ball had been given

when the most magnificent of the Bourbon sovereigns descended to his grave. One day, shortly after his death, d'Argenson, the then lieutenant of police, was talking to Louis' nephew, Philippe d'Orleans, the regent. "Mon-seigneur," he said, "there are people who go about yelling that his majesty of blessed memory was a bankrupt and a thief. I'll have them arrested and have them flung into some deep underground dungeon." "You don't know what you are taiking about," was the answer. "Those people must be paid, and then they'll cease to bellow." "But how, monseigneur?" "Let's give the balls that were projected by Bouillon." So said, so done, and the people danced to pay Louis XIV's debts, as, according to Shadwell, people drank to fill Charles

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ANIMALS THAT COUNT. astances That Prove Their Poss

Eugene.

the Computing Faculty Several years ago there lived in Cincinnati a mule which was employed by a street railway company in hauling cars up a steep incline. This animal was hitched in front of the regular team and unhitched as soon as the cas arrived at the top of the hill. It made a certain number of trips in the fore-noon (I have forgotten the number, but will say 50 for the sake of convenien and a like number in the afternoon resting for an hour at noon. As soon a the mule completed its fiftieth trip is marched away to its stable without or

ders from its driver. To show that it was not influ by the sound of the factory whistles and bells the following remarkable ac on the part of this animal is vouched tor by the superintendent of the line who gave me these data: On a certain occasion, during a musical festival, this and the very instant it completed its took the combined efforts of several men to make it return to its duty. At night there were no bells or whistles to inform the creature that "quitting time" had come. It had connied the trips, and having finished its full quote of 50 it thought that the time for rest and food had arrived.

Some monkeys give unmistakable evidences of the possession by them of the computing faculty. In 1889 I made the acquaintance of a very intelligent chimpanzee which could count as high at three. That this was not a trick suggested by sensual impulses I had ample opportunity of satisfying myself. The owner of the animal would leave the room, no one being present but myself, and when I would call for two marbles or one marble or three marbles, as the case might be, the monkey would grave ly hand over the required number. Romanes mentions an ape which could count three, the material used in his experiment being straws from the animal's cage. Wolff, Darwin, Forbes and Hartman also give instances of the computing faculty in apes and monkeys .-James Weir in Lippincott's Magazine.



In military prisons an offender is sometimes sentenced to carry cannon balls from one place to another and pile them up all day long. That is all. Perhaps it does not seem very terrible but it soon wears his life out. It is practically a death sentence, and he knows it; he would rather be shot. Many a sick man feels the same way about the burden of disease that he is lugging back and forth from day to day. He would as soon be down with a mortal disease. It will come to that sooner or later.

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