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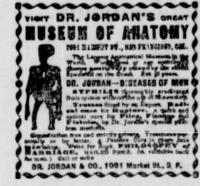
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with his face the color of milk. thought he was gettin' ready to jump. an' I see his finish if he did. "'Mike,' I says, 'for heaven's sake don't jump!" "He clamps his fingers on the runnin' board to give him a chance to turn round an' lookin' at me con-

"'Jump, is it?' Do yez think I'd be afther jumpin' an' me makin' money as fast as I am?"-Portland Orego

A Boston Translation. Little Emerson-Mamma, I find no marginal note in elucidation of this expression, which I observe frequently to occur in my volume of "Fairy Tale Classics," "With bated breath." What

is the proper interpretation of the Mamma-"With bated breath," my on, commonly occurs in fairy tales. Your father often returns from piscatorial excursions with bated breath. The phrase in such instances, however, has no significance as applying to the balt employed to allure the fish, but is merely an elastic term of dubiou neaning and suspicious origin, utilized as I have already intimated, simply be

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Feline Depravity.

"Oh, Horace," walled his young wife, "I have just found out that Ajax, our beautiful Angora cat, has been leading a double life!"

"That makes eighteen, I suppose," said Horace. "What has he been do-

"You know I let him out every morn ing, because he seems to want to go pet him."-Chicago Tribune.

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> How to Cook Salt Cod, Creole Style. Soak one pound of white salt coo over night. In the morning change the water several times, says Mrs. Rorer. Put two tablespoonfuls of butter and wo good sized onions, sliced, into a stewing pan. Allow to cook until the onlons are soft, but the butter must not brown. Put on top of this the codfish cut into neat pieces. Cover with a cup of rice that has been boiled twenty minutes and drained. Pour over a pint of strained tomato, season with a level tenspoonful of salt and a saltspoonful of pepper. Cover and cook slowly twenty minutes. Carefully remove a portion of the rice and put in center of your dish. Put the codfish on top. Stir a tablespoonful of butter into the remaining rice and heap it over the fish. Garnish with chopped hard boiled eggs and parsley. This makes a very nice luncheon or supper

How to Make Bean Soup. There are several different ways of preparing this, and that which we like best, says a Boston Globe correspondent, is to first make a stock by boiling salt pork five or six hours, one pound SALEM, OR. to three quarts of water; renew from time to time. I take the salt pork, cut bound volume. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, in string and fry a golden brown in



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and play out of doors. Well, I have bottom of soup keitle, then cut an lime will absorb the carbon dioxide, discovered that he goes over to the onion very fine and fry in the fat; now add the beans, which have soaked over thus liberated will fall to the bottom night, and the water. Let cook slowly for five or six hours; then mash and the water will be soft. Betel nuts, the produce of the areca and pepper and serve with little cubes palm, are chiefly used as a masticatory of bread tossed in flour and fried in by the natives of the east. They are deep fat until golden brown. Drain

How to Cook Ham a la Savaria This is really a delicious way to and other little fancy articles. In the cook a ham: Wash the ham well in cold Museum of Economic Botany at Kew water, cover it with cold water and there is a walking stick made of these soak for twenty-four hours; then wipe ough cider or champagne to cover FROSTBITE AND CHILBLAINS the ham and simmer gently, allowing move the skin while yet hot, brush the am over with beaten egg, sprinkle with dried breadcrumbs and put into the oven to brown and crisp. Serve hot, garnished with "baby sausages"

How to Escalop Oysters Drain liquor from one quart of oysroom, rub him up and down with flan- ters. Pour cold water over the oysters nel soaked in alcohol or whisky and and drain. Season them with salt and pepper. Butter a baking dish. Put in Make artificial respiration at the start a layer of crumbs, then a layer of oys (the same as practiced for a person res- ters, then more oysters and crumbs in cued from the water). After a time layers until all are used. Have the wrap the patient in warm blankets top layer of crumbs mixed in a little melted butter. Pour the oyster liquor heart and spine. Give injection into over all. Bake twenty minutes in a

> How to Soften Hard Water. To make hard water soft use ounce of lime slaked to a thin cream to forty gallons of water. Stir it in and



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which held the hardening substance, carbonate of lime, in solution, and if

Into a half pint of mashed petato beat two tablespoonfuls of melted butter, a pint of milk and two beaten eggs. Add enough flour to make a dough that can be rolled out, season with salt and make into a sheet. Spread over a meat ple just before putting it in the oven,

Bake to a good brown. Woolen goods when washed in soap and water shrink and acquire the ode of the soap. Therefore steep the articles in a warm solution of washing soda for several bours and then, after the addition of warm water and a few drops of ammonia, wash and rinse in

lukewarm water.

How to Clean Silver. Rub badly discolored spots on silver with sait before the usual cleansing with flannel and chamols. A thick paste of prepared chalk and water with a few drops of ammonia or alcohol added is an excellent silver paste.

How to Make Potato Mince Balls. Chop hare very fine, add it to mashed potatoes and the volk of one beaten egg, form into balls and fry.

SUGGESTION FOR ROADS.

National Vehicle Tax and a System of Road Maps. State Senator Earle of Michigan is

an enthusiastic advocate of good roads, and he has induced several counties in his state to provide funds for a pracit should be carried on by city, county, state and federal governments, says the Philadelphia North American. He expects to start out next spring as soon the season will permit with a good will be selected where the train will them. The fragments of which they stop and build a sample mile of good are constructed are liable to be at-

the betterment of highways, and he ticles are constantly grinding against also advocates a national vehicle tax of each other and being exposed to the 50 cents a year for that purpose. One impact of the tires of vehicles and the of his schemes is to have the government make road maps of every county in the United States, showing bad integrating the material. It is obviousroads in red, fairly good ones in blue ly necessary, therefore, that great care and improved roads in black. He be exercised in selecting for the surwould have these county maps pub- facing of roads those stones which are lished in book form and sold at post- less liable to be destroyed or decomoffices for 5 cents. Senator Earle says: posed by these physical, dynamical and "If I wanted to buy a farm in a certain locality, my first step for the purpose of investigation would be to purchase one of these little maps, and I would be very sure that I would pur-chase my farm along the route of one of El Camino Real, the royal road, or of these good roads, for I have found the king's highway, which was travel-

than good roads to the material wel- the missions. It ran through very fare of a country, and it is to be hoped many of what are now the countles of take the matter up earnestly and make counties have been asked to aid the liberal appropriations in aid of the movement. Many of them have congood roads movement even if it is sented. necessary to reduce the sum customarily devoted to the improvement of waterless creeks.

over a bad one."

MAKING A GOOD ROAD.

Without Competent Men There Is No Chance of Success. A good road can be made by putting in a layer of large or medium sized stone, then on that a layer of crushed stone and on that a covering of gravel and rolling the surface down hard and smooth. But that is not all that is

needed, says the American Cultivator. A part of the skill is like the old gentleman's rule for making good coffee, 'When you make it, put in some." We have been watching the work on a bit of road this season. There are about three inches in depth of the round cobblestones, one inch of crushloam mixed, which, by wetting and rolling, has been so pressed down into the stones that it is now less than a half inch. If it were whitewashed after it was rolled, it could not look much better, but it might be more durable. We

think before one winter passes the

larger stones will be at the surface and

the covering will have washed away or

settled down below them. In close proximity to a strip built by the state as an example of how to build a good road, it is likely to furnish an equally good example of how not to make a good road. It is one of those cases, too common, where the town thought to give employment to its own citizens instead of hiring the work done by contract, when it would have been better to have employed a com-petent man with ablebodied help and supported its cripples from the town's poor fund than to have paid them \$1.75 for eight hours' loafing or trying to do that which some of them were unable to do by reason of old age and others were utterly incompetent to do well, tical demonstration of roadbuilding as while few of them cared for or took any interest in any part of the work excepting drawing their pay.

Durability of Roads.

The durability of roads depends roads train drawn by a traction engine, largely upon the power of the materials which will make a tour of the central of which they are composed to resist part of the state, traveling about 500 those natural and artificial forces miles. Before the start central points which are constantly acting to destroy tacked in cold climates by frost and in Senator Earle urges an appropriation all climates by water and wind. If of at least \$1,000,000 by congress for composed of stone or gravel, the par-

> Restoring an Old Road. A California association is making an

out from observation that it costs 17 ed by the Franciscan missionary friars cents less a mile to transport farm in the days, more than a century ago, produce over an improved road than before the "gringos" invaded the land. This road was the most direct route There is nothing more important practicable between the pueblos and that congress may have the wisdom to the state, and the supervisors in these

> Forests cover one-tenth or the surface of the earth and one quarter of Europe.