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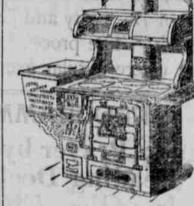
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AT J. M. HAGER'S RESIDENCE.

ROUGH ON THE SENTRY. The Remedy Was All Right, But It Was

Given to the Wrong Man. One of the most amusing stories of the day treats of mistaken philanof malleable iron and wrought steel. Will thropy, according to Tid-Bits. At a not break by overheating or rough usage | certain army post there was a London sentry on duty near the hospital. The surgeon was preparing to go to bed inside, when he was annoyed and alarmed at the sentry's coughing. His experienced ear told him that the man had a severe bronchial affliction need-

He debated awhile with himself and then going into the dispensing-room compounded a powerful mixture. This he took outside to the sentry, with instructions to swallow it immediately, The man refused. The surgeon insisted, and finally commanded the soldier to take the medicine, which he did with much grumbling. Then the worthy surgeon went to bed, pleased to

hear no more coughing. Next morning, to his surprise, the commanding officer sent for him and said that the sentry had complained. declaring that the surgeon had forced him to swallow something he thought was poison. An investigation followed, and revealed the fact that while the surgeon was mixing the medicine the soughing sentry had been relieved, and consequently the remedy had been given to the wrong man.

LONG AND SHORT LEGS. fregularities in Land Divisions Due to

the Manner of Measurement. is a commonly accepted theory that a man steps three feet, and many a tract of land has been "stepped off" instead of measured with a chain. In the west they obviate the difficulties of surveys by the land being divided into sections, but in Pennsylvania much of the property, especially in the mountains, must still be described by metes and bounds. In one of the counties in western Pennsylvania, says the Washington Star, are two brothers, one of whom is tall and lank, the other short and fat. Many years ago they purchased a tract of mountain land calling for a mile square. They divided the labor of measuring it, one stepping off one side, the other the other side. Then they fenced it in and were perfeetly satisfied until recently when suit was brought to recover a considerable tract of the land. Each brother awore that they knew the measurement to be right, and told how it had been done. Then, as the spectators saw the short legs of the one, scarcely long enough to. reach the floor when he sat in a chair, and the elongated extremities of the other, there was a general laugh, in which the judge and attorney joined. Upon surveying, it was found that online was a mile and half long, and the other and a little over half a mile.

BRAVE AND COOL.

A Philadelphia Tenement-House Fire Develops a Young Heroine.

In January last a Philadelphia tenement house was burned. Two men were killed and several persons were badly injured, while others escaped in an almost miraculous manner. The fourth floor was occupied by the family of Joseph Zellers. The father and mother seem to have been absent, but the five children were at home. All were saved through the bravery and coolness of the oldest of them, a girl of 16, whose conduct is briefly described by the Rec-

cloud of smoke came into the room and iose below reached her ears.

Hastily opening the door, she saw the flames leaping up the stairway toward her. Never hesitating, she closed the door, and calling the children together forced them up a ladder and through a trap-door to the roof. They were eleated high above the surrounding buildings, and below them the flames were roaring with terrible fury.

Still retaining her presence of mind he brave girl dropped her brother, a lad of 14, to the roof of the house to the south. It was a fall of ten feet, but the boy landed safely, and then the girl praved the fire in her doomed home to secure a quantity of bedding.

This she threw to her brother, who arranged it on the roof, and then, one by one, she dropped the other children. The infant she took in her arms and leaped with it in safety to the bedding. Next she broke a skylight in the rooi to which all had escaped, and lowering the children through it, they all reached the

AN HONORABLE VEGETABLE.

The Onion Has Its Admirers The Anaconds (Mont.) Onion | ociety, The nutritious and wholesome onion occasionally finds its vindientors. At the thriving Montana city of Anaeonda there is a dining club called the Anaconda Onion society. Its first feast was recently given with distinguished suc-

Down the center of the hall, says the Anaeonda Standard, was set a long table, with cover for all the guests. At each plate was a large and juicy onion; in the middle of the table was an array of meats, bread, fruit-crackers, cheese and other things.

standard of the club in proud conspicnousness. It consisted of a pole surmounted by a string of the vegetables MAKES ABSTRACTS. On the wall hung this motto, beautifully IN ONION THERE IS STRENGTH.

Each member wore a pretty bouton nier of little onions. The occasion was greatly enjoyed by all the participants and the society hopes to do much to restore the onion to the honor and esteem

of the world. In Montana, as well as on the whole of the Pacific slope, the onion attains a deliciousness of quality which is comparatively unknown on the castern side of the continent. If the people of the east could have onlone as good as those of Montana and California, it is possible that the Anaconda Onion society might find imitators in the east.

CARPETS WERE UNKNOWN.

How the Fourteenth Century Mansions Were Furnished. Carpets in the fourteenth century were inknown luxuries, says Good Words. but the fashion of strewing the apartments with rushes was being gradually abandoned. Rushes were still used in the retainers' hall, but for the better rooms sweet-scented herbs and fragrant twigs were usually employed.

In the fourteenth century windows were apertures filled with glass so a to admit light, but to exclude wind. The valls also were frequently hung with cloth or tapestry to protect the inmates of the room from the many currents of air that penetrated the strong but badbuilt walls. We learn from various ancient documents that it was the duty of the serving men and pages to sweep out the principal apartments, but as the use of water is rarely mentioned, damp and fragrant leaves and twigs must have aided not only in collecting the nosphere in such costantly closed rooms, fresh air being only admitted through the doors opening on to the battlements or balconies.

From old inventories at Thurleigh and elsewhere we ascertain how scantily furnished were these ancient manions, although they seem to have been abundantly supplied with flagons and drinking cups in gold, silver and finely engraved pewter, besides an infinite number of black jacks or cups made of

Nature Now Does What Men Have Long Tried is Vain to Do.

Nature is doing for California vinevardists what they long and fruitlessly tried to do for themselves. It is reported from many localities that the phylloxers, the most serious pest that has ever attacked the vines, is dying The experts have tried every remedy to stay the progress of this peat, but without avail, and six years ago the vineyardists of the Sonoma and Napa valleys plowed up all their vines and replanted the ground with resistant stock. The experts believed that all non-revistant vines were doomed to destruction by the phylloxers. But reports have recently come to the state inspector of orchard pests that a material falling off in the ravages of the pest has been noticed for some time. Vines once affected by it are now almost free. The inspector has begun a thorough investigation of the pleasing phenomens. He thinks some natural enemy of the pest has appeared or that some deadly disease has attacked the phylloxers and is exterminsting it. Whatever is the cause, the result will bean great gain for the vineHighest of all in Leavening Power.-Latest U.S. Gov't Report

QUEEN VICTORIA'S BOSS. Had One in Mrs. Mussens, Hous keeper at Balmoral.

Queen Victoria has just sustained a severe loss by the death of Mrs. Mussens, who, from time immemorial, had been her housekeeper at Balmoral, says the London News. Though unknown to the public at large, she was an important personage in the eyes of everybody connected with the court, as she was one of the few who had the courage to "talk up" to her majesty, and even on occasion to deliberately "boss" her august mistress. Once when the queen wanted a certain maid to whom she had taken a fancy detailed to the care of her own room, Mrs. Mussens remonstrated in the strongest fashion, telling her majesty that it was quite out of order, and she really must not spoil the servants by taking undue notice of them. The queen, as usual, gave away, and "dear Mrs. Mussers" won the day. She was a typical personage of her class, gowned always in black silk, lace-trimmed apron and white cap, with corkscrew curls. She and the queen were excellent friends, and her majesty used to delight in her conversation. She also stood high in the favor of the royal grandchildren. who used to seek her out as soon as they arrived at the castle. But to the world at large she was a holy terror. and with the servants and members of the household she was infinitely more exacting and imperious than the

FEED UPON SALT WATER. Countless Living Things That Exist in the

queen herself.

The salts of the sea have fed throughout all time countless things which have thronged its waters and whose rethickness over 66,000,000 square miles At one end of the hall floated the per cent., in the 290,700,000 cubic miles of water which makes up the lands of the earth with a uniform layer of salt to a depth of 1,000 feet.

It seems, says Popular Science Monthly, that the sea was made salt in the beginning as a part of the grand design of the Creator to provide for the system of evolution which has been going on since the creation. Many distinct species of living organisms live in the sea as a result of its salinity, and their remains have largely contributed Indian and his pony, both dead. The great factors in accounting for the system of currents in the ocean, by which it becomes the great heat distributor of the globe, are changes of temperature, the winds and salinity. The last mentioned becomes an important factor through the immediate and essen tial differences of specific gravity and consequent differences of level that it produces in different parts of the ocean through the action of evaporation and

THE VEGETABLE SALAMANDER. Fire Cannot Injure the Rhopals, a Hardy

Tree of Columbia There is a tree of Colombia, the Rhopala odorata, of the order Proteaceae, which presents, says an article quoted in Current Literature, a most remarkable power of resistance to fire. In the district of Rollma it is customary every year, during the dry season, to set fire to the plains in order to de stroy all the dry weeds that, during rains, might interfere with the growth dust, but also toward refreshing the at- of the young and tender vegetation. This periodical conflagration naturally produces the most disastrous effects upon the trees, which gradually disappear without being replaced, since it is difficult for an old tree to resist. and still more so for a young shoot of one or two years. A single tree forms an exception, and that is the one above mentioned—the Rhopala. Small, distorted and soraggy, and having a wild and desolate appearance, this tree not only does not suffer from the fire. but derives profit therefrom. It grad-ually establishes itself in localities shandoned by other trees and installs itself therein. We have here a very typical case of a survival of the fittest. it, alone capable of resisting fire, witnesses the disappearance of its rivals, and is seen to gradually encroach upo an always more extended domain. resistance to fire is due to its bark. The external portion of the latter, more than than half an inch thick and formed of dead cells and fibers, acts like a protoctive jacket with respect to the more central and living parts, and this assures its triumph in its

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HYPNOTIZE THE SHAVERS. Barbers Require Strong Nerves and Will

to Resist Magnetic Influence. "Did you ever know," said a Ninth street barber to a Philadelphia Record man, "that certain men who come into this shop to be shaved exert a queer hypnotic influence over one or more of the oarbers? It's a fact. Now, there's a man over there at the next chair but one. He doesn't look like a nervous fellow, does he? No! Well, he isn't nervous as a rule, but there's a certain man-about-town whose very appearance in the doorway sets that man shivering like a man in a fit. He could no more shave that particular customer than fly. Another man who used to work in this shop a couple of years ago was similarly affected, but to a greater degree, by a prominent business man, a Mr. B--- Whenever Mr. B--- came into the shop the barber would grow deathly pale and quiver spasmodically. It frequently compelled him to knock off work for a whole day, and finally the boss had to discharge him. Fact! Here's another funny thing. Did you ever know that the average barber hates nothing so much as to have to shave a man's upper lip? I don't know why it is, but I feel that way myself. I'd rather lose a day's pay than shave off a man's mustache, and when a smooth-faced man comes into this shop you ought to see the way each of us 'soldiers' and "monkeys' around, so as to keep him from getting in our chairs."

INDIAN TREACHERY.

A Red Man's Cold-Blooded Villainy Meets with Speedy Punishment.
A sergeant in the Second cavalry recalls an incident in his life in the Milk mains now form the rocks of the con- river country, Montana. He was then a tinents or lie spread in beds of unknown private, and was carrying the mail between the camp and Fort Assiniboine, of the 143,000,000 square miles of One day he met an Indian, and, riding the ocean's floor; they have lent the along together, the soldier proffered substance to build the fringing reefs him a pipe, which the red man smoked of the land and all the coral islands peacefully. After traveling thus all of the sea, and there are at present, the morning, they came to a creek, and on the basis of an average salinity of the Indian reined up, saying that he the mail route led upward. So they oceans, 90,000,000,000,000,000 tons, or 10,- separated, and, when the soldier had 173,000 cubic miles of salt. This is gone about 50 yards, he turned in his sufficient to cover the areas of all the his horror, he saw the Indian in the act of drawing a bead on him. Quick as a flash he tumbled off his horse, un slung his carbine, and returned the fire of the treacherous savage. The Indian then fled, with the soldier in pursuit, when suddenly the Indian and his horse disappeared from sight. The soldier followed up carefuly, until he stood on the brink of a preciplee, 200 feet in depth. At the bottom lay the faithless Indian, in his hurried attack forgot about this cliff, and in his flight went to destruction.

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