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HIS LOT AN EASY ONE. But the Pastored Butler Couldn't See It That Way. A butler who had been 25 years in the same family went one morning to his master and said that he wanted to leave, says the Weekly Telegram.

A Thumbscrew Torture to the BIGGEST NERVE is USE SCIATICA. St. Jacobs Oil. It turns back the screw. It unwinds the twist. IT SOOTHES. IT CURES. NO FURTHER PAIN.

McClure's Magazine For 1897 SEVEN GREAT SERIALS. A New Life of Grant by HAMILTON GARLAND. The first authoritative and adequate Life of Grant ever published.

TEN FAMOUS WRITERS. IAN MACLAREN. All the fiction that he will write during the coming year, with the exception of two contributions to another publication which were engaged from him long ago, will appear in McClure's Magazine.

One Dollar a Year. The new volume begins with November. Subscriptions should start with this number. The S. S. McClure Co., New York.

A Campaign Of Education How to Get It For \$5.00. AN UNPARALLELED OFFER. Leslie's Illustrated Weekly.

COUNTY JAIL CLUBS. A Queer Organization of Prisoners Behind the Bars. The Kangaroo Court and Its Various Offshoots—An Initiation Into the Mysteries of the Mystical Order.

The most interesting of these impromptu clubs is the one called in the vernacular "The Kangaroo Court." It is found almost entirely in county jail in which petty offenders and persons awaiting trial are confined.

STEWARDS OF AN OCEAN LINER. A Position of Responsibility with an Army of Subordinates to Oversee. It may surprise some old globe trotters to know that the big ocean greyhounds running between New York and the European ports carry on an average nineteen thousand pieces of sterling silverware for their table service.

The well-known circle on the pasture lands about six miles east of Helena, near the old overlaid stage road, and which has been a curiosity and a source of speculation for years, is identical with the fairy rings so common in some parts of England.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER. Absolutely Pure. Celebrated for its great leavening strength and healthfulness.

A HORSE'S EVIDENCE. It was of Great Moment in a Tennessee Murder Case. The Animal's Proverbial Sagacity Was Proved in a Startling Manner—A Fantomatic Description of the Tragedy.

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Wanted—An Idea. Do you think you can think of some thing that will interest the public?

Was Looking for a Queen. A son of the marquis of Salisbury is much interested in bee farming, and this very mild hobby resulted in the wildest kind of excitement in the neighborhood of Hatfield recently.

Lightness of Comets. It is now estimated that a comet as large as the earth, with a tail 3,000,000 miles long, would weigh less than 30 tons!

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WEEKLY The MONTHLY Outlook. Published Every Saturday. 13 Astor Place New York.

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Something, and not in fitting, strengthening, and not weak in small but, effective—such are the qualities of DeWitt's Little Early Risers the famous little pills. Conser & Brook.

The Outlook will be in 1897, as it has been during each of its twenty-seven years, a History of Our Own Times.

Wanted—An Idea. Do you think you can think of some thing that will interest the public?

FAIRY RINGS OF HELENA. Theories Advanced as to Their Origin—Common in Eastern Montana.

Something to Depend on. Mr. James Jones, of the drug firm of Jones & Son, Cowden, Ill., in speaking of Dr. King's New Discovery, says that last winter his wife was attacked with La Grippe, and her case grew so serious that physicians at Cowden and Pana could do nothing for her.

The Thirteenth Superstition. It is said this strange superstition extends away back to the time of King Arthur. When the good British king founded the famous Round Table, he requested Merlin, the enchanter, to arrange the seats.

Tetter, Salt-Rheum, and Eczema. The intense itching and smarting, incident to these diseases, is instantly allayed by applying Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment.

How to Cure all Skin Diseases. Simply apply "Swaine's Ointment." No internal medicine required.

Mat Lichtenhal has just received the latest styles in gent's and ladies' shoes. You should see them.

Schilling's Best are, on the whole, the best there are. That is as near as we can say. No—your money back if you don't like them.

A Momentous Proceeding. In Mr. Montague's "Tales of a Newland" he says that in the old days the Boer seldom used his pen, but when he did there was a regular commotion in the house.

Ed. B. Bishop, successor to the McFarland Mercantile Co., is still on deck giving great bargains in all lines. The stock must be closed out, and it is surprising how cheap things are.