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his claim, and that said proof will be made
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at Heppner, Oregon, on May 17th, 1897, viz:
HENRY D. MIRESELL,
Hd. E. No. 7498 for the E1/2 8W1/2 Sec. 11 and E1/2
NW1/2 Sec. 14, Tp. 35, R. 27 E. W. M.
He names the following witnesses to prove
his continuous residence upon and cultivation
of said land, viz: Benjamin F. Hevland, Samnel C. Creeson, Leander Copple and David A.
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> hasn't known you long."-London Figaro. -Doctor (to Irish patient)-"Do you sleep with your mouth open?" Irish Patient-"Shure, Oi don't know, doctor. Oi've never seen myself when Oi've been aslape, but Ol'll have a look to night!"-Tit-Bits. -Benedict-"I tell you, my boy, it is impossible for me to find my wife's pocket!" Batcheller-"You shouldn't

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Borgenbaum-"If one could only live a hundred lives!"-Boston Transcript.

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-"Uncle Simon, what is a phenome

-Stikker-"I dreamt last night that

you gave me ten pounds." Stryker-

"Good! that makes us square. I owed

believe the baby is trying to say he loves me." The Brute—"Very likely. He

you a tenner, you know."-Tit-Bits.

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about 'im is that he used to be a Philadelphy car horse."-Chicago Tribune -The Only Drawback. - Visitor-"There is a panel in my new dining room that that would just fit," Hungry Artist-"Most happy, I'm sure." Vis itor-"Only, when the room is paid for, I shall have no money for pictures.'

-Tennyson used to tell the story of a

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-Harper's Bazar.

was trying to write a letter, "to realize that it is ''97' and not ''96.' " "That's so," replied the friend with knotty legs and a downy mustache; "the bicycle makers don't give us nearly the differ-Among the testimonials received reence in style from year to year that cently by the proprietors of Paine's they used to."-Washington Star.

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GEOLOGICAL CONJECTURES. tions Aroused by the Discovery of

a Buried Tree. The recent discovery of an oak tree, two or three feet in diameter, 50 feet below the surface, while sinking a well He defeated Tom Burroughs and others, with a drill at the confluence of the Oneida and Seneca rivers, is an im-Not long ago Hjertberg, the champion portant discovery. It indicates that the steeplechsser, wrote to Wells, Richard-Oneida river was at one time the outlet son & Company that Paine's celery com of an immense volume of water and pound had been of great benefit to him, opens to our readers very interesting and said that he wished to recommend

geological conjectures. The theory would seem to be plausible that the Opeida river was once the outlet of the great chain of lakes. One is reminded that Lake Ontario is 334 feet lower than Lake Erie. Three Rivers the champion long-distance bicyclist and, is 115 feet higher than Lake Ontario at George Wright of Wright & Ditson, are Oswego. A great depression has taken among those who have recently indorsed place, unquestionably, in conditions immediately connected with Lake Ontario. this best of all spring remedies. Advice It has apparently subsided several hundred feet, while the Oneida river has been raised up so that to-day it is 115 feet higher than the surface of the

waters of Lake Ontario. The waters from the great chain of lakes must have passed from Lake Ontario south through the valley where the Oswego river now runs, a reversal of the present course of that river. At which is unlike that followed in any of the confluence of the Oneida with the the New England states. According Oswego this great volume of water made its way eastward through the Oneida river to the Mohawk and Hudson rivers. The Mohawk valley shows plainstate in 1820—the judges of the supreme | ly that it was a great water course at one period and the discovery of the buried timber at Three Rivers proves conclusively that the water bed of the Oneida was at one period at least 50 feet lower than it now is and perhaps 100 to 150 feet lower.

addressed to them with the word "Honorable" prefixed to the name in every case, while the members of the house of It is even asserted that the shores of representatives, the judges of the mu-Lake Ontario were once located as far nicipal courts in the cities-whose salsouth as Baldwinsville; thence the aries in some cases exceed that paid to course of the shore has been traced the governor-and all minor officeholdthrough Cayuga, Wayne, Monroe and ers must content themselves with the adjacent counties. This condition term "esquire" following their names. shows, if correct, that the whole re-As for the governor, he is always ad-dressed as "His Excellency." gion, including Schoeppel, Clay, Cicero and portions of Madison county, was Other New England states-Massaat one period a vast lake, but that in subchusetts and New Hampshire in particsequent years a subsidence of the waters ular-are more liberal in the distributook place by the depression, causing tion of titles, for they prefix "Hon-Lake Ontario. Silt was washed down orable" to municipal judges, reprefrom the west through the Oswego and sentatives and aldermen in the various Oneida rivers and valleys. The drift cities. It is probable that Maine is the of alluvium was eastward and, as now proved, covered up trees and filled in deep channels. It is conjectured that only state where a municipal judge can be addressed verbally as "Your Honor," but is not entitled to the prefix of "The the St. Lawrence river did not exist at that time.—Popular Science News.

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A Beartless Test. Penelope-You vow that you love me, water for me?

ment. He was angry and wrote to the Col. Kaintuck-Through all th' flahs president requesting his intervention. He received instead a chilly letter from of backes: but, well, ah dunne about th water N. Y. Trush

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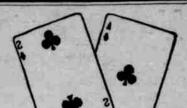
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