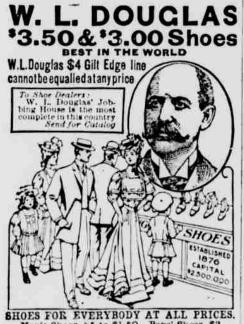


Her Divorce Portion. "Mrs. Jones just got a divorce from her husband for throwing salad in her face." said one.

"Did she get alimony?" asked the other.

"No," replied the first. "She got the salad."-New York Press.



LENGTH OF BLACKSNAKES.

Rapidity of Movement Makes Them Seem Longer. dear?

One of the significant features of this , snake season, and of any snake season that occurs, which is every year, is the very long length of the blacksnakes that are seen, says the Ohio State Journal. This is not at all remarkable, for about the only thing a blacksnake has to show for itself is its length. It has no musical tail like the rattlesnake, nor the puffed-out head of the hissing viper, nor the livid, languid manners of the housesnake-it has only length, and when with amazing speed it whips through the deep grass or dead leaves It seems to be thirty or forty feet long. | So truly does this little illusion exist that when a person tells of a black-Transcript. snake seven or eight feet long, he prides himself on great modesty of statement. And, by the way, we have noted many blacksnake stories this summer, and we have not encountered

a snake under seven feet. There was that story of a girl out in York State, who heard her little dog barking violently out in the stable. She again at 4:30. went there to discover the cause, and HOWARD E. BURTON -Assayer ar 2 Chemist. lo! that little dog was in fight with a Leadville, Colorado. Specimen prices: Gold, Silver, Lad, 81: Gold, Silver, 5ac; Gold, Soc; Zine or Copper, 81. Cyanide tests. Mailing envelopes and full price list sent on application. Control and Um-pire work solicited. Reference: Carbonate Na-tional Bank. blacksnake seven feet long. It was a great fight and the dog was doing herole work, keeping the python at bay until the little girl hunted up a pltchfork and with that dispatched the serpent, which, the account says, was seven feet long. Of course, it had to be seven feet, for there is no other kind. Is there a moral to this? There is, of course, to every snake story. It is this: Be exceedingly careful not to make bigger than it is the horrible incident in your life which you encounter. See that your blacksnake is under seven feet long.

New Monthly Magazine.

A bright, new monthly magazine has made its appearance on the Pacific coast, and looks as if it had come to stay. It is the Coos Bay Monthly, pubplished at Marshfield, Oregon, the bus-Brate of OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, and Control of the most resource-ful districts of the entire Northwest.
The November number consists of about 125 pages of good reading matter, most-ly and of general interest to all who wieth to know antyhing of the Great Northwest. The number also contains nearly 30 pages of local advertising. This speaks volumes for the business enterState of OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, and State Council and the same set of the firm of F.J. CHENEY & have one policeman to every our finance. Lucas County, State Council and the same set of the firm of F.J. CHENEY & have one policeman to every our finance. The November number consists of about 125 pages of good reading matter, most-ly and State aforesaid, and that said firm will be same of the firm of Not HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarnet that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARNET CHEN. Shown to before me and subscribed in my presence, this til day of December A. D., 186.
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off the Wagon. Mrs. DeChise-Why are you weeping,

Mrs. McSosh-Oh, I'm so disappointed! You know John signed the pledge last week. Mrs. DeChise-Yes?

Mrs. McSosh-And-and this morning he went on a fishing excursion !--Cleveland Leader.

Mothers will find Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Byrup the best remedy to use for their children during the teething period.

System.

Operator-'Sh! There's going to be a

machines?

Origin of Woman.

Madam-Have you had experience? Miss Newgirl-So you insist that Cook-I've had tin places this month -man and not woman was the chief con-Harper's Bazar. sideration at the creation? Tommy-Pop, what is fret-work? Mr. Sparks-Certainly I do. Wom-

Exchange

an was only a side issue.-Boston Philadelphia Record.

She (on shipboard)-Is the moon up,

dear? He-If it isn't it's lonesome !--

She-So you have had a great many FITS St. Vitus' Dance and all Nervous Diseases permanently cured by Dr. Kline's Great treatise. Dr. R. H. Kline, I.d. 931 Arch St., Phila, Pa thrilling escapes? He-Yes-I am still

"Is he a criminal or a corporation lawyer?" "Both. He's a criminal cor-Frequent Patron-Where are your slot poration lawyer."-Omaha News,

Ethel-How long have the Newlyraid on 'em at 4 o'clock. Come around riches been in society? Bob-From the way they play golf I should judge about The other day a juror asked to be two days .- Judge.

> Bacon-She says she is 28 years old. Egbert-Well, she looks as if she would say she was about that old .--Yonkers Statesman.

Tommy-How do girls spend their Cholly-How do you think I look with time? Jimmy-Trying to make little boys stop asking questions and big Miss Capsicum-I suppose you look boys begin.-Exchange.

> Medium-I see a large dark obstacle rising suddenly in your way. Railroad Magnate-I guess that's my coal stock. But he did not excuse that juror.

-Baltimore American. Always shake in Alen's Pool-Lize, provide feet. It cures hot, sweating, aching, swollen feet. Cures corns, ingrowing nails and bunions. At all druggists and shoe stores, 25c. Don't accept any substitute. Sample mailed FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y. —Baltimore American. "Life is so uncertain," she said. "I know it," he replied, "let's get married. One of us may die within a few years." One of us may die within a few years."

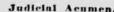
-Chicago Record-Herald. "De man dat nurses unreasonable hopes," said Uncle Eben, "may be foolish, but ain't so foolish as de one dat

"I see, Katle, that New York is to

life.-Exchange. "I would deem it a great favor if you would give me a little writeup," said the poet to the editor. "Nothing

or. "When do you contemplate dying? -Milwaukee Sentinel.

"Believe it !" echoed Senator Sor- the theatrical manager; "I want a play



The late Justice Daly of New York frequently enlivened the tedium of legal proceedings had before him by his kindly wit.

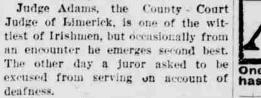
One day a sult was brought before him in which damages were claimed by reason of an assault. Plaintiff had been knocked down by the defedant and severely pummeled while prostrate. One of the witnesses seemed very reluctant to answer the questions put to him on

cross-examination, in which he was upheld by the court. "With all due respect to your honor,"

complained the attorney for the plaintiff. "the court does not appear to take cognizance of the underlying principle in this case." "In my opinion," replied his honor,

good-naturedly, "the underlying principal in this case is your client, Mr. Attorney."-Harper's Weekly.

Judge and Juror.



"Were you in court during my charge judge.

"Yes, yer honner," replied the juror. "Did you hear it?" "Yes, yer honnor, I heard every centative Business Firms.

word of it, but I couldn't make any sinse of it!" The reply evoked a roar of laughter,

Look but Do Not Touch.

"Has your wife got your den fixed up set?" "Yes, and you ought to see it. It's

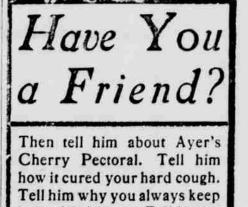
the coziest place in the whole house." "I suppose you find great comfort in It, don't you?" "Oh, she won't let me go in it. It's

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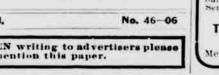
ghum, "why he doesn't even understand that ends happily. "All right," replied

merely to look at."-Milwaukee Senti-The Kidneys

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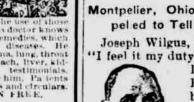
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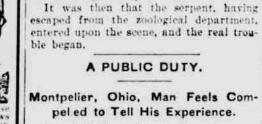
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Exposure and driving Philadelphia Ledger. Sometimes there was were too frequent, especially at night.

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the obliging dramatist; "I'll have my hero and heroine divorced in the last act."-Philadelphia Record.

Not the Kind He Wanted .- A smart young fellow called out to a farmer who was sowing seed in his field, "Well done, old fellow, you sow ; I reap the fruits." "Maybe you will," said the farmer, "for I'm sowing hemp." Grandfather (enthusiastically)-Say,

Willie, don't you want to go through a toy shop with me this afternoon and see all the pretty things? Willie (indifferently)-I'm willing to, pop, if you will

get any pleasure out of it.-Life. "Mr. Jones," said the office boy, "I got ter get off dis afternoon. Me gran'mother is dyin'." "I've something for "Who are you, sir?" asked Eve, in you to do to-day, Johnnie," said Mr.

Jones; "but you may go at 4 o'clock." "Aw! wot good is 4 o'clock?"-Judge. News Editor-Here's a cable from meat and vegetables. Cooks and waitonstantinople saying the Sultan's prin- ers also demand much more than forcipal amusement is scaring his wives merly.

into fits. Managing Editor-Well, head it "A Harem Scarem Fellow," and run it in the joke column.-Philadelphia Record.

"You say you wouldn't like to get out?" exclaimed the prison visitor. "Why, I thought you were in for life." "Oh, worse than that, ma'am," replied "I feel it my duty to tell others about the convict. "I'm in for a couble life. Doan's Kidney Pills. I've got two wives waiting outside."-

brought kidney trou- First Girl-What are you waiting ble on me, and I suf- for? Why don't you finish your letter ered much from irreg- to Ella? Second Girl-I don't know ular passages of the whether to say "Ever yours with truest kidney secretions. love," or simply "Yours affectionately." You see, I can't endure Ella-I think retention and at other times passage? she's detestable :- Tit-Bits,

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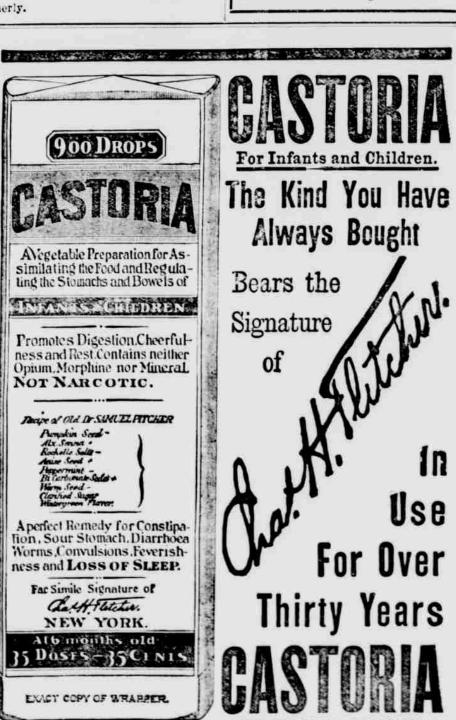
in the future. "This automobile is an American mathine, and some business may result from the present enthuslasm. I shall be pleased to receive catalogues from automobile manufacturers of the Uni-

ted States for filing in the reading room DTC.

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