PRESIDENT VISITS NORMAL

State School at Monmouth Praised By Former Leader.

On October 17, 1913, President P. L. Campbell, of the University of Oregon, visited the Oregon Normal school. Some years ago, Mr. Camp-bell was president of the Normal school, so that he takes a deep interest in its present growth.

In assembly, just previous to his address, while being introduced by President Ackerman, the faculty and stu-

blood that is a condition of ill health makes its first appearance in the skin. There are certain medicinal properties r the course of the blood stream and the influence of these properties is that of an antidote. This is why S. S. S., the best known blood purifier, has such a positive action in the skin. There is one ingredient i.; S. S. S. which peculiarly stimulates cellular or glandular activity to select from the blood or from this fine net work of blood vessels in the skin. those elements which it requires for remeneration.

any other blood condition that attacks the skin or seeks an outlet through the skin is met with the antidotal effect of S. S. S. The action of S. S. S. in the cellular tissues of the body serves the active purpose of stimulating each cellular part to the healthy and judicious selection of its ewn essential nutriment. Not only this, but if from the presence of some disturbing poison a condition of disease arises, S. S. S. so directs the local cells that this poison is rejected and eliminated from

why they do not return. Under the influence of S. S. S. this fine met work of blood vessels in the skin is constantly taking from the blood the nutrition required for healthy tissue and the cause of disease is just as constantly being removed, scattered and rendered harmless. These facts are more fully explained in a book on skin troubles sent The Swift Specific Co., 160 Swift Bidg., Atlanta, Ga. You will find S. S. S. on sale at all drug stores. Get a bottle to-day and banish all skin afflictions.

Work Ahead.

Don't give the lazy hen houseroom; she will never pay for her feed.

An easily prepared remedy for sore head or chicken pox is sent by B. F. Howell, of North Carolina. He says to dissolve enough epsom salts in water to cleanse the entire flock, using the solution to moisten a mash feed, and feeding it two or three times in the course of a week. Mix fine table salt with lard and cover the sores on the heads. One or two applications, be says, will cure.

When the pullets have about reached maturity, enough old hens should be disposed of to make plenty of room for the youngsters. Crowding brings on many diseases.-Farm and Home.

Constipation causes many serious diseases. It is thoroughly cured by Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. One a laxative, three for cathartic.

"Are you acquainted with Mrs. Hidy, your fashionable neighbor?" "Only in a roundabout way. Her cat boards at my house."

"Ever take a vapor bath?" "I've spent ten minutes in a tele-

SERIAL STORY

= To = Isolated Continent

A Romance of the Future

By Guido von Horvath and Dean Hoard

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SYNOPSIS.

In assembly, just previous to his address, while being introduced by President Ackerman, the faculty and students rose in a body and gave him the "Chautaqua Salute." Following this he gave a very capable talk on "The Oregon System" as the greatest of the "Oregon System" as the greatest provided the

CHAPTER XVI.-Continued "Is there an answer?" he asked in

"Will you see the countess person-

ally?" asked the chancellor. Who?" he asked stupidly. "Oh, never mind," answered the chancellor, knowing the man knew nothing whatever about the message. Who will come after the answer, if

there is one?" "A bird man " "A bird man?" The count did not know whether the man was really

simple or not. "Where do you live?" "In America." "H'm; that is a broad answer. Yes,

there will be a message." He sat down and wrote:

"My Dear Countess: I am glad to This is why skin troubles vanish so hear from you. Your wishes will be fulfilled to the letter. I will do my best to prepare things for your reception. Your legal advisers will receive the necessary papers in due

> "With best wishes and hoping to hear from you soon, I am, "Von Werdenstein."

> He sealed the letter, then gave it to the man, who left the room.

The chancellor pondered deeply over the situation, then started for the royal palace to report Napoleon's visit and Rositta's promises to his matters. majesty.

When Napoleon arrived home he had a long conference with Astra-They were both somewhat depressed. His disappointment in not securing the Peak Suemeg was great, because he had many inventions that required the use of cirynith, and he knew that the count's actions were a menace to the peace movement.

They decided that they would marry in the month of July. That evening they went to Ciryne to tell their determination to Mrs. Edison.

Napoleon and Astra spent another day on Ciryne. This time Napoleon conducted the three women through the wonderful plant where cirynith was refined and manufactured into parts of aerodromones and other useful articles.

Rositta kept her ears and eyes wide open, but not being trained along mechanical lines she could not under. I promised him that I would deliver it sions and five senses. stand many of the things she saw. Still she was glad that Napoleon honored her with his confidence as from now on there would be no objection to her visiting the shops whenever she Napoleon escorted his mother to her

sandy shore and sat listening to the waves. The mother was dreaming of the happy future for her son. The other was weaving fine throads of the

net she was tangling about her friends. Santos was away, but he was expected back soon. She disliked to see him leave her side, as she feared to lose the control that she had gained over him.

He returned that evening. When Mrs. Edison retired the counters stole out of the house and strolled toward the shore, where she knew Santos would be awaiting her. Santos was the happiest of men when she greeted him with passionate embraces and kisses.

He was like a faithful, obedient dos Whatever Rositta asked he did without question. Tonight he handed her the count's letter, that came in answer to the one he had sent for her.

Rositta opened it, and he held his pocket flashlight so she could read. "My little blond boy, the time is nearing when my name will be

Santos' only answer was kisses; he had begun to master the so-called lost art very quickly.

sound good to you?"

"Do you know how I have missed you? Mr. Edison and Astra were here, but since I know you I can't enjoy them any more. I know it is not right to feel that way, as Napoleon has been very good to me, but my sympathy is with you, dear." Her arm slipped around his neck. "I cannot hear him criticise you."

"Criticise me? Is he dissatisfied with me?" The words were heavy with dismay. Rositta knew that she had touched the right strings. "Who told you that ""

"Don't take it seriously, Santos. I I-I could not."

"Did he say that I had not served him well? Did he say that?"

"He did," whispered Rositta. Santos breathed fire and flame. Rositta subtly convinced Santos that he the aerodromone." was the man, and not Napoleon Edison, whose name should be the revered one in American history. When arguments were weak, kisses strengthened is fair in love or war." them, until poor Santos was molded she said:

"I own the cirynith deposits in Hunpoleon. I want you to be his master. Will you come with me?"

"I am with you and yours forever!" The tone in which this was said was enough for Rositta. She knew she had

CHAPTER XVII.

The Fifteenth of July.

continental holiday. lations. They had not planned a gor- may govern human actions. geous ceremony, but they could not remembered for years to come.

Island of Ciryne for the last few things turned out as they did.

wedding on account of her indisposition, he thoughtfully shook his head. It seemed incredible that Rositta, who was so full of vitality and energy. should be ill. He only said: "Every illness has a remedy."

He did not give the matter further thought. He spent the last day before his marriage in his aerodromone, the American Eagle. Where he was, or what he did, no one seemed to know. and he did not volunteer the informa- di Maggiore I found destruction.

After their wedding luncheon Astra returned to her presidential office, as there were things that she wanted to attend to personally. Especially the criminal case of Nikolay Mozrak. The Criminal Court of the continent had decreed capital punishment for atof the United Republics of America. Astra read the document carefully. and instead of signing it, she wrote:

"Pardoned, and shall be instantly released."

(Signed)

"ASTRA PRUDENT EDISON." She dispatched the pardon by a special messenger, and then took up other

At seven o'clock she was at the Crystal Palace, to dress for the banquet of the Continental Commercial and Industrial Association, one of the most powerful societies organized to promote the welfare of business people. She and Napoleon drove to the new Capital Hotel in an open car. The banquet was arranged for 4,000 guests and the whole upper floor was thrown open for the purpose.

At eleven o'clock the presidential party left and threaded its way toward the Crystal Palace. At the Palace Judge Scanlan of the Continental Court awaited them. His mission was to deliver a heavy looking letter to the President.

"Your excellency will pardon me for taking this liberty, but Mr. Mozrak, the prisoner you so kindly pardoned, insisted that this letter is important, and would not leave the prison until personally."

Astra took the letter and thanked him for its safe delivery, then diemissed him with a few kind words. rooms, then returned to the Harary, Judge.

Napoleon took Astra back to Wash ington late in the afternoon. Mrs. 8d did, beautiful face was pale and tears is not and Rositta walked down to the glistened in her eyes. Her whole be ing expressed sorrow.

"What is it, dear?" asked her husband, sympathetically. Instead of replying, she handed him

a letter. He recognized the fine handwriting of the Countess Rosiny. It rend:

My dear Friends and Protectors: "I am writing this to you both, as know you will be married when you receive it. I know you will receive all kinds of presents, surprises and congratulations, as you are both the beloved of your followers. But in order to give more value to the kind wishes, I have decided to tell you the truth, the unvarnished, cruel truth.

"I wonder if it will surprise you to find that I am, and have been in the service of Count von Werdenstein. You have been the kindest of hosts, indeed, so good that you made my task really despicable but much easier.

"Don't take this very seriously. Life is made up of an equal portion of bad and good, and the end is always the same. Death gathers us all in, changed to Duprel. What do you think and puts in our places others who may of that? Mrs. Duprel? Doesn't that find pleasure in destroying all that we have created. You both dream of world peace-I wish I could create is written upon a little card furnished peace in my own heart!

"I admire you both, especially Napoleon, and for that reason, I hate you both, being unable to love you, as there are no middle streams in my na-

ture. "There is no use of my telling you what I intend to do; you will know it soon enough, and you both will be sorry that you ever met the unhappy person whose name was, once, Rositta Rosiny

"And now, I wish you all happiness, until we meet again.

"ROSITTA. "Princess of Schomburg Lithow."

York postmark. "It is clear. The countess has the secret of cirynith and, very likely, of

"But how did she get it?" "That remains to be seen. Werdenstein evidently thinks that everything

"Will you read me that other letter, into a form that suited Rositta. Then the one the judge brought?" asked Astra.

"Of course, dear. This is Mozrak's gary. I never will give them to Na communication. I wonder what he has to say." He opened the heavy envelope and a number of sheets fell to the table.

"To the President of the United Republics of America:

Since that unhappy event, in which I was selected by Fate as the instrument of Death, I have had many hours to think clearly and to learn from my inner seif that it is the rule of Love. July 15, the marriage day of Astra and not the rule of Force that should and Napoleon, had been declared a rule the world. I have set down the following facts, so that your ladyship From near and far came congratu- shall know all the motive powers that

"The fact that my bullet went astray stop the expressions of love that came is due, not so much to the quickness from the loyal citizens. The whole of the great humanitarian and Americapital was alive with color, and the can patriot, Napoleon Edison, as to messages that came and the sincere the fact that I beheld the Countess Rojoy of all, made the day one to be siny in your company. A moment of hesitation is enough to frustrate plans. Astra had missed Rositta very much. Her influence naturally, unintention-She had been unable to attend the ally saved your life, as my hand and wedding, as she had been ill on the eye are always true. I am happy that

"Before I explain why the countess' When Napoleon heard that the presence saved you (she has done, countess was unable to attend their however, involuntarily, at least one good act in her life), I want to tell you that my name is not Mozrak, and I am not a Russian.

"My name is Aetzel von Rothenberg. and some years ago I wore the uni-

form of the famous Red Hussars "Years ago, when on a vacation trip, I traveled through Italy; at that time I could enjoy the great marvels of Nature. I was young and noble-thinking -and free. On the shore of the Lago

"I was tramping through the country with a sketching outfit and let people think me an artist. In a seciuded and beautiful spot, from where I had an uninterrupted view of the snow-covered peaks of the Alps, and a wide vista of surroundings pine-covered land, I struck my easel and began tempted assassination of the President | work. A girl emerged from the only path and walked toward me. I say a girl, but I ought to say a vision She was the most bewitching creature I had ever seen.

"She came to me fearlessly and greeted me in a friendly way; I sketched her in my picture. Ineide of an hour my fate was sealed, as I had fallen in love with her.

"One day near the end of my vacation, I received an invitation to visit the castle of the Rosinys. There I found her. She was married and had a beautiful little girl about three years old. She told me that she loved me, that her husband was cruel to her, and I believed everything. We elopedand she made me a traitor inside of a few weeks. I was entrusted with important secrets and I entrusted them to her. I loved her so!

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Vanity.

. . . There is a stirring of the body. People are breaking down under the tyranny of material possessions. There never was a time when women's intelligence was so eager and inspirational; never a time when men were so weary of metal and meals and miles. It is all clear to a prophetic understanding that we are nearing the end of our lessons in three dimen-

Striving to Oblige, Angry Diner-Waiter, you are n fit to serve a pig. Waiter-I am doing my best, sir.

YOUNG

AMUSING LITTLE FUN MAKER

Game of "Word Rhapsody" Gives Much Entertainment-Excellent School Exercise Afforded.

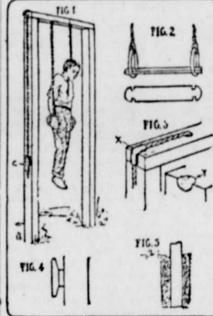
With the coming of the long autumn evenings and the entertainments and parties which they bring. comes the old question: "Isn't there something new that we can play?"

It is always difficult to find any thing altogether fresh and original, and some of the older games, a trifle worked over and freshened up, will be found quite as interesting as anything else. For instance, there are many word games, but not one is quite like the little fun-maker known as the "word rhapsody." In playing this game each of the guests is called upon to choose one word. This word by the hostess. It may be an adjective, a verb, a common or proper noun, or any other word that may suggest itself. The cards are then gathered up and the hostess writes all the words on a large piece of white paper with a red pencil, so that, when hung up, it can be seen all over the room. Then each guest is invited to write a short story in which every one of the words appears, all of them being used grammatically and in a manner to make sense. The time of work should be limited to ten minnot seem disturbed at all. He picked are often very amusing. The rhap the dirt from the roots as the stump up the envelope and saw the New sody also makes a good school exer-

PROPER EXERCISE FOR BOYS

Half Hour's Daily Practice on Machine Will Keep Growing Youth In Best of Condition.

As indicated by the Illustration this simple device will serve for a swing flying ring and trapeze. In setting it up keep in mind the fact that it must necessarily be strong. It must not wobble very much, and the timbers used must be at least 4 by 6 and of a



Parts of Swing Trainer.

strong, sound oak. For a fifteen-yearold boy of ordinary stature the height above the ground should be ten feet. The best way of setting the posts is to bed them in concrete. Dig your holes three feet deep and erect the timbers in a perfectly upright position. You will need a level to do this, and you must have light slats or props nailed to the uprights to keep them from moving while you are shoveling in the concrete. The concrete mixture is one sack of cement (100 pounds) costing 40 cents, and eight cubic feet of broken stone and sand or river sand. Mix it thin and put in around the posts, a little at a time. Fig. 5 makes the idea clear. It will take three weeks for the concrete to set firm and hard and during that time you must not touch the posts.

The top crosspiece has two holes bored for the rope, and a rounded notch "Y" for the rope to slide in. The cleat Fig 4 is used to shorten the rope by tying it around same. Fig. 2 shows the shape of the swing seat and

the method of setting it in place. A half hour's daily practice on this device will go a great way toward keeping a growing boy in good condition. Begin with ten minutes of light work and gradually increase it.

Juvenile Wisdom. The elderly visitor with the benignant countenance was addressing the

Sunday school on the subject of kindness to dumb creatures. "Children," he said, "In the downtown district of Chicago, in the very heart of the city, you will see thousands of pigeons, all plump and well

Why do we feed and cherish them?" 'Cause you're 'fraid you'll have to use 'em fer meat some day," hazarded a deeply interested little boy in the infant class.

Longest Sentence.

For the longest sentence on record we must go to the French. In "Les Miserables" Victor Hugo has one sentence that runs through a hundred lines, and earlier in the book, in one of the chapters descriptive of Waterloo, there are over 50 lines without a full stop.

HAND POWER STUMP PULLER

Opinion of Farm Manager for Western Fuel Co., Nanaimo, B. C.

By Thos. Cunningham

The most economical, powerful, safe and satisfactory stumping device I have yet seen is a hand power stumping machine, known in the United States as the "K" hand stump puller, sold by Mr. W. J. Fitzpatrick, in Saattle, Wash. This machine weighs 190 pounds and can be wheeled around like a barn truck. I venture to say that it will come off with flying colors in a contest with any of the various makes of horse-power stumping machines. It is built on the double action pawl and ratchet principle. I heard about this machine last fall and traveled twenty miles to see it, very skeptical as to the stories I had heard about it. The agent attached it to a standing tree (fir), about 36 inches in diameter, placing the cable about 12 feet up the tree. I took hold of the lever, and pulled the tree down myself, in eight minutes. I bought the machine on the spot, and have pulled the stumps from 30 acres of land with it since, the machine coating not one cent for repairs. Very recently I gave a demonstration on stump pulling to the members of the Royal Commis sion on Agriculture, appointed by the government of British Columbia. In this demonstration I first attached a large sized, horse-power stump puller the capstan variety to a fir stump of about 20 inches diameter. This stump was on an open gravelly soil and the roots penetrated quite deep.

I hitched a 1600 pound horse to the stump puller and it failed to move the stump. I then attached the Trewhella machine to the same stump and pulled it out quite easily in seven and oneutes. When the stories are complete half minutes, the roots being pulled the authors are invited to read them out clean and clear. While pulling Napoleon quietly folded the letter aloud, or the hostess collects them the stump (as is my usual custom) I have tried to keep it to myself, but and handed it back to Astra. He did and reads them herself. The results kept a man with a mattock knocking was raised and allowing it to fall back into the hole made by the lifting of the stump. By doing this the ground is left nearly level and requires very litte grading afterwards. Naturally the members of the Commission were greatly delighted with the machine and in order to personally test it, Mr. Hayward, M. P. P., chairman of the commission, and Mr. Shannon, one of the members, took hold of the lever

> and pulled out a stump themselves. You Can Get Allen's Foot-Ease FREE. Write Allen S. Olmsted Le Roy, N. Y., for a free sample of Allen's Foot-Ease. It cures sweating, hot swollen, aching feet. It makes new or tight shoes easy. A certain cure for corns, ingrowing nails and bunions. All droggists sell it. 25c. Don't accept any substitute.

Social Calls in China.

It is difficult for a Chinaman to master the English pronounciation, and this accounts in great measure for the prevalence of pidgin English. The letter r is almost always sounded like l, so we have ki-lin or kleen for green, and lain for rain. "Too muchee lain just now" is often heard; "just now" being a favorite expression to denote the immediate present. In calling upon a lady, one says to the boyhouse servant of any age from 16 to 60 - "Missee have got?" and the answer comes, "Have got" or "No have got," according to whether she is in or out. This recalls the timeonored, true story of the la called and the boy reported to his mistress of the house: "One piecee man down side, b'long missus. Scarcely complimentary to the "one piecee man!"-National Magazine.

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Moles in Ginseng Beds.

Moles are sometimes very troublesome and cannot always be caught with traps. A very effective means of keeping them out has been followed by T. S. Curtis, a Tennessee ginseng grower. He dug a narrow trench 10 inches deep all around his beds outside of the row of posts that support the shade. Galvanized roofing in strips 26 inches wide was purchased and cut in two, lengthwise, making the sheets 12 inches wide. They were given a coat of heavy black roofing paint on each side, then set in the trench and tacked to the posts so as to form a perfect barrier all around the beds. The earth was then filled in and tamped hard. The roofing projects three inches above the ground and 10 inches below the surface and the moles will neither go over nor under it. - Farm and

Use Roman Eye Balsam for scalding sensation in eyes and inflammation of eyes or eyelids. Adv.

A Mercenary Lass.

Willard D. Straight, the brilliant young financier of Morgan & Co., was discussing the American bankers' withdrawal from the Chinese loan.

"I like China," Mr. Straight said. 'My regard for China will not let me consider her from a purely selfish and commercial viewpoint. I annot, in this matter, put myself in the position fed. Somebody looks after them. of the young lady who was asked by her chum:

"Do you think, dear, that it is better to have loved and lost than never to have loved at all?' "'Why, of course it is," the young lady replied, 'provided he lets you keep all his presents."

"Whatever became of that woman who was married on a bet?" "She is probably now giving her

time to a crusade against gambling. A modern Chinese trade union has been formed in Shanghai by 8000 goldsmiths and silversmiths.