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some member of the family [Let some member of the family read this story aloud, while with the dictionary, a late edition of either Worcester or Webster, and any other good helper to the study of language, the others criticise and correct or confirm the reader's pronunciation. There are 225 words here which are

frequently mispronounced.] Geoffrey, surnamed Winthrop, sat in the depotat Chicago, waiting forhis train and reading the *Tribune*, when a squadron of street Arabs (incom-parable for squalor) thronged from a scientbeing siller, uttering bildeous Free from Opiates, Emetics and Poison. neighboring alley, uttering hideous cries, accompanied by inimitable gestures of heinous exultation, as

they tortured a humble black and tan dog. "You little blackguards!" cried Winthrop, stepping outside and con-fronting them, adding the inquiry, AT DECEMENTS AND DEALTIMORE, MO

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Whose dog is that ?" "That audacious Caucasian has the bravado to interfere with our clique," tauntingly shricked the indisputable little ruffian, exhibiting combative-

"What will you take for him?" asked the lenient Geoffrey, ignoring the venial tirade.

"Twenty-seven cents," piquantly answered the ribald urchin, grabbing

the crouching dog by the nape. "You can buy licorice and share with the indecorous coadjutors of your condemnable cruelty," said Winthrop, paying the price and tak-ing the dog from the child. Then catching up his values and umbrella,

ATOR he hastened to his train. Winthrop satisfied himself that this sleek proust what its name implies ; \$

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humorous youths; and a jocose sailor (lately from Asia) in a blouse waist and tarpaulin hat was amusing his patriotic juvenile listeners by relat-ing a series of the most extraordinary legends extant, suggested by the contents of the knapsack, which he was calmly and leisurely arrange ing in a pyramidal form on a three-legged stool. Above swung figured placards with museum and lyceum advertisements, too verbose to be misconstrued. A mature matron of medium height and her comely daughter soon ea-tered the car, and took seets in front of Winthrop (who recalled having seen them one Tuesday in February, The in the parquet of a theater). The young lady had recently made her L D. BROWN. debut into society at a musical soirce at her aunt's. She had an exquisite bouquet of flowers that exhaled sweet perfume. She said to her par-ent, "Mamma, shall we ever find my lost Leicester?" Geoffrey immediately addressed her, saving, as he presented his card : "Pardon my apparent intrusive-ness; but, prithee, have you lost a pet dog?" The explanation that he had been The explanation that he had been stolen was scarcely necessary, for Leicester, just awakening, vehe-mently expressed his inexplicable joy by buoyantly vibrating between the two like the sounding lever used in telegraphy (for to neither of them would he show partiality), till, suc-cumbing to ennui, he purported to take a recess, and sat on his haunches, complaisantly contem-plating his friends. It was truly an interesting picture. nteresting picture. They reached their destination ere the sun was beneath the horizon. Often during the summer, Winthrop gallantly rowed from the quay with E. A. NOYES, the naive and blithe Beatrice in her jaunty yachting suit, but no coquetry shone from the depths of her azure eyes. Little Less, their jocund confidente and courier (and who was as sagacious as a spaniel), always attended them on these ocalways attended them on these oc-casions, and whene'er they rambled through the woodland paths. While the band played strains from Bee-thoven, Mendelssohn, Bach, and others, they promenaded the long corridors of the hotel. And one evening, as Beatrice lighted the gas by the etagere in her charming boudoir in their suite of rooms, there distance brilliantly a valuable soli-OREGON and glistened brilliantly a valuable solitaire diamond on her finger. Let us look into the future for the sequel to perfect this romance, and around a cheerful hearth we see again Geoffrey and Beatrice, who are paying due homage to their tiny friend, Leicester.-[Toledo Blade.

Mexican feather-work is used on dinner cards.

Reigning Table Pashiens.

Pretty chocolate sets have teak Water jugs are a special feature of the dinner table, just now, and should be in glass.

be in glass. Wedgewood designs in tableware are again popular and in much de-mand in this country. Russian cut glass glitters and sparkles in all manner of dishes, baskets, and flower vases. This style shows the hob nail and perfect diamond design

diamond design. Though tulips are the "popular" dinner flower, small ferns in pure white vases are much used by ladies who affect the pure and simple in their decorations.

Dainty gold salt cellars are in the shape of the four-leaved shamrock, and the little gold spoons accompa-nying them have shamrocks enam-

led in color on them. Bread is sliced very thin and placed in a servicite (napkin) and a white satin ribbon placed around it, a small spray of ferns and small white flowers being laid upon the table.

Finger bowls are used at the most modest table. It is a whim of fash-ion that the latter should be filled two-thirds with water, and a handful of sweet Parma violets submerged in

Pitchers of cut-glass, in classic shapes, are used for water and wine; claret jugs are seen in the same ware with leaf decoration about the neck and base; these are tall, narrow, and

oval. The fancy, bright-colored scarfs once used and much ornamented on dinner tables, have been discarded for those of dark-hued plush, undecorated, but with heavy fringe at the

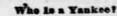
The newest China sets all include the chocolate pot as a necessary article of table use for luncheon. The The more costly tea services do not, as owners are supposed to have silver

Ices are served in little paper cups surrounded by the paper petals of a rose or tulip or other large blossom. Bisquit glace and cafe parfait are the favorite fashionable ices for serving

in this manner. Roman punch is now made tempt-ing by being served in cups of ice. So perfect are these frozen cups that one is sometimes deceived by the innocent fraud until one's fingers get

nocent iraid until one's ingers get nipped by touching them. The figures on table linen are mostly geometrical, following the lead of wall papers and general household adorning. Floral designs are not altogether displaced, and nu-merous beautiful designs of these are shown.

When fruit is served, either before breakfast or at the table, a napkin being placed on the plate, beneath the fruit, a guest should use that fruit napkin, after eating the fruit,



The Boston Herald, in headlining the last victory of the Puritan over the Priscilla, referred to the "Yankee" craft at least twice. What is a Yankee boat and who is a Yankee? Across the water this country is styled the Yankee nation. It is not so long ago that everybody north of the Poto-mac was a Yankee to those south; but if one west of the Alleghanies were now so styled, he would probably re-sentit. In New York a New Englander is a Yankee. In Massachusetts it is is a Yankee. In Massachusetts it is generally somebody from Maine, and in sections of Maine it is the man who lives "way down East," where they pry the sun up with a crowbar. Who is a Yankee, any how?-[Washington Post.

Southern Antis te for Malaria. It is generally known that Simmons liver Regulator, pur, ly vegetable, is relied upon to secure immunity from ail malarial disorders. That this medicine maiarial disorders. That this medicine does this is proven by its popularity, and any one who has lived in the South has seen its curative effects and the project tion it gives against the return of this weakening and dangerous malady. It ucts more promptly than calomel or qui-nine, without any of the injurious con-sequences following their use.

South Carolina men are in no hurry. One bitten by a mad dog two years ago didn't show signs of hydrophobia until quite recently.

Answers to Correspondents.

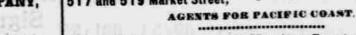
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although he may be served with an other at the table.

Cut glass is distinguishable from carved, etched, or engraved glass, by the patterns being more geometrical in design, generally consisting of prisms of facets of four, six, or eight sides; or of lines that are quite straight, like radiations, but which

do not form prisms. Very handsome, and somewhat costly tea sets come in fifty-two piece services in Bodley, Minton, and Royal Worcester from \$50 to \$100. These have neither chocolate nor coffeepot, no side dishes, cream mug, or butter dish, as the latter should

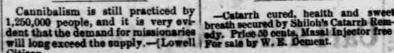
be of silver with such a set. Water and wave-like designs are in demand for silver dinner sets just now. A water god rising from the midst of undulating waves makes a handsome design. The spoons should be in the charge of or decorated with

be in the shape of, or decorated with, shells of different shapes, with twisted or coiled handles.

The glass used on even very elab orate and expensive tables is more of the inexpensive "Pantrio" make than real "cut." The craze for the than real "cut." Ine craze for the ancient or "antique" in all our pleas-ures and possessions can hardly ex-tend to glass. Few specimens of real cut glass remain in vases or vessels having any right to be termed ancient.

The correct form is to set lunch tables without cloths, but this, of course, necessitates a handsome, course, necessitates a handsome, polished table top. Those who pre-fer to have something upon the board use in the center a satin or damask cloth one yard square, heav-ily fringed. Upon this are arranged fruits, flowers, etc., while the plates and glasses are placed upon the out-side polished border.

Feeble Framer, Shaky Serree, And dyspeptie stomachs are usually foun in conjunction. Vitality is lacking in all three. How can this be created? Simply by using Hostetter's Stomach Bitters with reg ularity, abstaining from habits inconsonan with health, and by the use of a digestible with health, and by the use of a digestible dist. As an initial step toward the reinforce-ment of a depleted system, a resort to Hos-lettet's Stomach Bitters is most desirable, since it corrects addity consequent upon a vitiation of the gastric juices and the pres-ence of bile in the stomach, and having reg-ulated and, as it were, lubricated the diges-tive mechanism, sets it and keeps it at work. An immeduate gain in vigor is the result. The food is converted into blood, upon which the system draws for nutrition, the neries as they acquire vigor become tranquil, the muscular fiber gains substance and hardness, and appetite and sleep improve. Constipa-tion, fever and ague, rhoumatism and result aliments yield to the Bilters. and appetite and ague, rhouman ion, fever ague, rhouman ion, fever





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