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stakes."- soston Commercial Mulletin.

dying woman feebly.

## Offen the Case.

"In choosing a wife, said the scanty-haired philosopher, "one should never judge by appearances."

1043, by Torriceill.

The new peat woo merling of Dresden

ally have the most money."

## The Will and the Way.

Grieved Sister-Oh, Edgar, you don't know how it would please me if you would only settle down and go to work with a will.

Wayward Brother-Never mind, sizter; just wait till the old man shuffles off this mortal coll and you'll see me to to work with a will, if that document doesn't suit me.

## A Question.

What do you think of the new boarder?" asked Mrs. Starvem. "Oh, I den't know," replied star-ard. "I think he's very polite.

## Thoughtful.

Doctor-I think you understand fully now the directions for these medicines and this is for your dyspepsis. Patient-Why, I haven't dyspepsia,

have it when you have taken those other medicines.—Tit-Bits.

## The Pitness of Things.

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First Actress-I was entirely beside myself with rage.

Second Actress—You certainly were. banks that are sometimes acres in exwere upholstered .- Life.

## Misplaced Affection She kissed him and caressed him. But 'twas not what he desired;

He only looked at her and growled-For she made the poor pug tired.

Some people practice what they preach, But it's a lead-pipe cinch They preach to others by the yard And practice by the inch.

## Then and Now.

ing?" s ked the inquisitive youth.

"We still have but a single thought,"

## The Unexpected Happens. "Why that look of surprise?" asked

"Yes; that's the peculiar part of it," replied his friend Naggaby, "I happen to know that it is true,"

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float down stream faster than the water. The explanation is that both the pulled down the bill by gravity, but friction.

Pointing out the need of protecting Nothing Doing.

"I den't think I'll weger with you," billies of egret farming. This has said the baker, "you haven't the dough" been successfully establianed at Tunis, and as egret plumes are worth more completely, and simply went on offer and as egret plumes are worth more ling his papers to the passers-by as the profits of the passers-by as the profits of the pr birds should be large.

"My dear," said Mr. Cubbage to his which, as Dr. H. C. Belion notes, pro-wife, who was dangerously III, "Mrs. Kickshaw is downstairs and wants to instruments now used in weather ob-sec you." "Woat has she got un?" asked the vented about 1450, by Nicolas de Cusa; anemometer, 1578, by Egnatis Dante; thermometer, 1595, by Gailleo; raingauge, 1639, by Cartelli, barometer,

The new peat wood of Joseph Hem-merling of Dresden takes a high polish, "That's right," rejoined the very and is thirty-three to fifty per cent ung man. "The homilest girls usu- cheaper than oak. It is especially recommended for panels, parquet flooring and cellings. The material is produced by adding to the wet peat some binding material up to five per cent of its total weight, then forming into cylin ders under high pressure, and finally drying at a ligh temperature for four or five days.

An effort to determine from goysers the upper temperature limit of life bard. 'I think he's very polite.

'Either that or very sarcastic. Did you hear him sak if I'd have the cream?' —Philadelphia Press.

'Either that or very sarcastic. Did grees and below. How the protoplasm vention of mall-lous mischief, delight-of these organisms is made to resist the cosgulation that usually destroys terror of the neighborhood in which not clear.

By means of cross-breeding Mr. Doctor-th, I know; but you will as bright as snow in the sunshine, and the deforming pressure. The change so transparent that the seeds can be was immediate. seen inside the ripe fruit. The seeds The lad forgot his previous tastes are said to be unusually small, and end habits and was restored to his pothe berries are as sweet and meltingly remis a normal and lovable boy, "If you were a woman," said the tender as the finest of the black varie-bachelor girl who was entertaining a ties. The familiar Lawton berry is caller, "I'd show you my new frock, flut as you're a man I'll show you the the new white variety, to which has slippers that go with it."—Washington

Those.

The other was a soldler who was in jured in a skirmish and after his discharge for disability became a thief the new white variety and burglar. His previous character Those white heaving a na large a reason of the former self. Lawtons.

land lately of endeavoring to shorten the voyage across the Atlantic by developing the harbor of Galway, on the west coast of Ireland, and connecting it by swift steamers with St. John's Galway to St. John's is 1,816 miles; that from Liverpool to New York is 3,116 miles, and from Southampton 3.095 miles. It is assumed that transit between New York and St. Johns, nearly all by land, could be performed so rapidly that the time from London to New York would be cut down whole day below the present fastest

Many naturalists believe that antmale possess senses unknown to kuman beings, something not included in our fivefold range of seeing, hearing. feeling, tasifng and smelling. Insects especially give evidence of possessing powers of perception peculiar to themselves. The wasp Rembez, says J. Why, you quivered even in the places tent. On leaving she covers it up so carefully that it is indistinguis from the surrounding surface, and yet | nils bay, therefore, the official rat eggs in the same cells.

## NEWSBOY PICKPOCKETS

Two Little Experiences with Thieves, with an Interval of Thirty Years,

"One of my earliest experiences in "When I was courting my wife," this city," said a New Yorker of now lowed to dock at Maulia notif they are said the sad-faced man, "we were two thirty odd years' standing, "was with a single thought," a newsboy who tried to pick my man steamed back to Mariveles. 'How about you at the present writ- pocket; and among my latest experiences has been one precisely similar; this last experience showing, I replied the proprietor of the sad visage. suppose, that I am getting old and As soon as the anchor was dropped the 'We both think we made fools of so have come to be regarded as an selves.''
easy mark again, as I must have been considered when I was young and new

in the town. "The methods employed by the two Blowell, who had just finished relating boys, working thirty years apart, were seen in the Orient. First by the hun a remarkable story. "Don't you be- identically the same, the boy in each dreds and then by the thousands, they case attempting the comparatively easy pocket-picking task of extracting

"To do this the boy carries his news. papers, to the casual eye, held out in front of him quite in the ordinary them reached a point about 300 yards way; but he actually holds them with off the ship, but none got any farther. left hand only, carrying the right hand under the papers out of sight and apparently helping to support them, but wholly free.

"Offering his papers to a customer thus the newsbay pickpocket advances them closer and closer to the customer, with an appearance simply of im-portuning him to buy, until he gets the papers close to the man's and over the change pocket. Under the papers thus advanced he puts forth quick, out of sight, his dight hand, with which to rifle the pocket, if you leave it unprotected, though e may lose a chance by bungling him-

self, and so give you a chance. "This last boy that tried me was a novice and a bungler, who did just that; and I felt the pressure of his fingers on the coat plainly before he got into the pocket at all; and I turned on him, but not angrily, nor ever threateningly, but with a sort of re proachful and regretful exclamation Besides being chagrined for myself at being picked out as easy it really should deliberately set out, as be seemed to have done, on the wrong road; to follow a way that, in the nature of things, could lend to one end only ;and I am sure that the boy knew

how I felt.
"I don't mean that he figured it all out as exactly as I have tried to tell it to you, but he certainly did know in a general sort of a way. He started back with a shamed face, and at ater and the floating object are being | the same time with a scared sort of look, as though he thought I might the water is much more retarded by get after him, after all; but when he realized that I was just soft-hearted and sorry, and wasn't going to do egrets, or white herons, an English snything about it, why, though I

"He had and a good shaking up, from his failure with me and my dis-covery of him, and what with his wonder after that about how it was going to come out; but he was ratiled for a moment only. He was a novice but he was coming on.

"The moral of all this is that while the great bulk of the newsboys are independent, self-reliant, capable little chaps, who are strictly on the level, there are among them, more's the pity, some who will pick a pocket if they get a chance; and when you meet a boy who insists upon working his papers up close against you, over your outside change pocket, why of him you want to fight shy."-New

## MORAL REFORM BY KNIFE.

Surgery Credited with Having Cured Victoreness in Human Beings.

London is just now very much in terested in two surgical eases giving has led Prof. W. A. Setchell to con-clude that no animals exist in strictly subjects which promise to render valresults in changing the nature of the thermal waters, or those heated above unble assistance in pointing the wey 48 degrees or 45 degrees C. (109 deto the reformation of criminals. One vable assistance in pointing the way grees or 113 degrees F.). A filament of these patients was a boy of good tous plant, one of the bacteria, was family who had developed brutal in-found at 80 degrees C., and a few othlife at a little above 40 degrees C. is he lived and promised to grow up : desperado and criminal. A ciever sur gean took him in band, examined his Luther Burbank of Santa Ross, Call head with care, located what he confornie, has developed a variety of sidered the sent of trouble, removed a hisckberries which are perfectly white. portion of the skull and thus relieved

The white berries are as large as the had been unexceptionable, his military record was the best and the chara There has been some talk in Eng- was naturally attributed to the lajor; to his head caused by a blow from the lost of a musket. When he was taken in hand by the surgeon he had abou come to the end of a career of crime being paralyzed on one side and du in Newfoundland. The distance from able to get about except on crutches A depression in the skull sufficient t bring an abnormal local pressure upon the brain was found and an operation was decided upon, which restures his physical powers as well as his men tal and moral faculties. His discharge was secured and he has since lived an industrious and honest life, with a evidence of a disposition to go wrong New York Times.

## CLEARED OF SWARM OF RATS

to the Water and Brown, When the United States military transport Sherman arrived at Manila recently she was, as is the case of most other ships that arrive from or touch Hong-Kong on the way to Ma nils, detained for inspection to see if she had any rate on board. When the blg transport dropped anchor to Maon her return she fles direct to it spector went on heard to see what without hesitation. Another wasp, as was doing in the way of rodents. It if possessed of a kind of X-ray sense, the Manifa-American is to be believe unerringly locates the hidden eggs of in less than diffeen minutes be had the mason bee under a thick layer of riedly left the ship and going ashore sunbaked clay, and deposits her own reported that there was on board the Sherman, according to the patent rat cutimerator in use at Manlin, no fewer than \$50,000 rats.

The Sherman was immediately of dered to the quarantine station at Ma riveles, as no ship on which the dicase carrying rodents are found is a When she arrived there her lastches had been opened and enough sulphur carried below to kill millions of rate sulphur fires were started in the hold and in a few minutes the work of the

fumes became apparent.
Out of the hatches there poured such a stream of rate as was never appeared at the batches and then lear ed into the water. Every one tried "I hap money from the outside change pocket to swim ashore, but the distance work of an overcoat. far too great for any rat to swim and soon the great black line of paddling rodents began-to thin out. After the fumes had been working for about an hour the rats stopped appearing. An inspection of the ship was made and not a rat discovered. The Sherman then re-entered Manila and discharged her cargo.-New York

## A Hanging Railroad.

hanging overhead electric rai road for Loudon, similar to that i use in Elberfeld, Germany, is prelocted by a group of German, Amer can and English financiers. A parlie mentary concession will be asked to swing the single track required over the Thames from its south end fo eight miles.

## "Do you think that betting is

"It depends on circumstances," an wered the town oracle. "If you can't afford to lose, it's wrong; if you can it's merely silly."-Washington Star.

We would like to know a man wh emed a pity that this youngster can make things go right.



lows, is another one of the ing for several miles; and the beauty million women who have been restored to health by Lydia E. unthinkingly, and press farther and Pinkham's Vegetwie Compound. farther into the waving tangle. She A Young New York Lady Tells of a Wonderful Cure: -

" My trouble was with the ovaries; I am tall, and the doctor and I grew too fast for my strength. I suffered dreadfully from inflammation and doctored continually, but got no help. I suffered from terrible dragging sensations with the most awful pains low down in the side and pains in the back, and the most agoulzing headaches. No one knows what I endured. Often No one knows what I endured. Often I was sick to the stomech, and every little while I would be too sick to go to work, for three or four days; I work in a large store, and I suppose standing on my feet all day made me worse. "At the suggestion of a friend of my mothers I began to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it is simply wonderful. I felt better after the first two or three doses; it seemed as though a weight

pound, and it is simply wonderin. I felt better after the first two or three domes; it seemed as though a weight was taken off my shoulders, I continued its use until now I can truthing its level all round, the heart is taken out of your from the feeling that every stills without getting any help as I did out of you from the feeling that every stills without getting any help as I did not of your from the feeling that every stills without getting any help as I did not of your from the feeling that every still was like being drowned."

It was not until sunset, after a whole day in the blazing sun, without petting any help as I did not of your from the blazing sun, without petting any help as I did its level all round, the heart is taken out of you from the feeling that every still was like being drowned."

It was not until sunset, after a whole day in the blazing sun, without food or water, constantly wandering. Constantly pushing and tearing the second symbols are price to seed to produce and training the stagnant blood, preventing the ease walked auddenly out on to open ground the sample and price to spend. La published and the proving strikes at once appears to spend the stagnant blood, preventing the stagnant blood, preventing the ease walked auddenly out on to open ground the sample and price to spend. La published and the proving strikes at once and the proving strikes at once relieves the catarrhal kidneys of the very roots of the disease. It at once relieves the catarrhal kidneys of the stagnant blood, preventing the ease walked auddenly out on to open ground the sample and price to spend. La published the proving strikes at once relieves the catarrhal kidneys of the stagnant blood, preventing the ease and the proving stagnant blood, preventing the ease and the proving stagnant blood, prev

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above her head. "If I had been a foot taller," she said, in teiling her story, "I should have laughed and been out in a minute or two; but those few inches bur-

"Almost instantly I felt sick, as you do at the beginning of an earthquake; for although I must have been quite near the path, yet with the grass all round above my head there was no knowing what would happen. I might be going right away at that very moment, and the possibilities came like

tainside. Bhe slept from exhaustion, and the next day followed a winding mountain torrent over rocky land, her shoes and then her stockings worn from her feet, only to find, at sundown, that it had led her to a narrow gorge, without one inch of foothold or a torrent that hopelessly barred the mur

Light-headed with terror, hunger and weariness, she crouched for a time in despair. Then she suddenly waded into the stream and stood until after dawn waist-deep in water, while a rain storm pelted upon her from above. Whim or instinct, she believed that by the cool rush and sting of the water her reason and strength were pre-

way along the watercourse back to the heights; thence, fixing anew point to which she must direct her steps, she successfully made her way back to civilization. When at length Japanese woman, she had been four days lost without food, and had walked until her feet were so torn and inflamed it was thought she must have them amputated; but she fortunately regained her health unerlapied.

It had taken considerable persuasion to induce the old lady to trust herself decided an automobile; but finally she can ented because, says the Automobil Magazine, she was anxious to reach the bedside of her sick grandchild in

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The old lady found she had missed her train, and when he overheard her train, and when he overheard her law of the safe way. should accompany him. His route lay through that particular one of the hairozen Long Island villages named Hampton where the sick grandchild

They started at last, and everything went well until in attempting to pass et. ut pectedly into the ditch, and rather vioently deposited its occupants in an

Recovering from the rather somewhat confused from the rather manusual method of alighring, the old lady saked of the chagrined chanfleur: "Is this sas a Hampton?"

"No, ma'am." he managed to gasp: "No, ma'am." he managed to gasp: "The managed Recovering from the shock, although

hadn't oughter have got out here,

The young woman who, when asked she had read Romeo and Juliet, replied that she had never read Juliet, but she thought Romeo was lovely, was of the same temperament as a village postmaster who knew or pre tended to know something of all the toings of the world, great and small. who strolled into the postoffice one day thought they would have some sport with the wise man.

I suppose it's pretty dead up here, Mr. Pratt," sald one. Well, not so dead as you think

guess there ain't much goes on that we don't hear about, even if it don't happen right here." Why, you people don't know the war's over," said another, falling back

me," replied the postmuster, looking shrewdly over his spectacles. "I guess I follered the negotiations with Kitch-ener in the papers."

on the stock phrase.

"But there are some things that aren't in the papers," said another youth, "I don't believe you know when Shakspeare died." Well, no," sald the postmaster, "1

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Patrice—I guess you're right.
"Certainly I'm right. Even when shore. The stream dashed through in ery town that the train goes through she is getting married doesn't a man give her away and the maid of b stand up for her?"-Yonkers States

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BLOOD POISON IS NO RESPECTER OF PERSONS

this is an accident."
"O dear!" said the old lady. "Then skin is soon covered with a red rash, ulcers break out in the mouth and throat, swellings appear in the groins, the hair and eyebrows fall out, and 1?"

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