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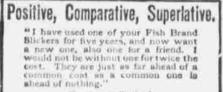
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DISSECTING A BILLION.

Says Henry Beasemer.

One billion! What is it? Its arith-SWPPS.

I'm.

Let us briefly take a glance at it as olas. This lad was not a small boy self in thought through the lapse of the name and date of the birth of each seconds to constitute a billion of sec-

onds of dime. Let us try in imagination to arrange much of the time .- Yonkers Statesman. upon if as many as will reach twenty tact, forming a straight line and mak-

1,000,000,000 of coins. ley, desert and plain, crossing the "you," equator and returning around the drag this imaginary chain no less than the same difficulty." The President 763 times around the globe. Such a showed him a very scientific jin-jitsu hain would require for its transport grip. And this was followed by an inno less than 2,325 ships, each with a terchange of lore on this interesting full cargo of 3,000 tons. Even then Japanese science of physical culture, there would be a residue of 447 tons, with Illustrations, in which the boy representing 61,081,920 sovereigns.

For a measurt of height, let us take presentation" and talked and acted the thin sheets of paper on which with entire respect, but entire freewell-bound book, these would repre- oriental skill, but he was plainly consent a measure of about 1-333 of an vinced that the President had both. inch in thickness. Let us see how high Questions of boxing and riding came vertically upward, by degrees reach- limitations. Young Theodore, who has ing to the height of our tailest spires; this year entered Harvard, was then grow higher, topping the Alps and father culled a bit from his son's exands and millions of thin leaves, for matters, he had the same point of

ROOSEVELT AND A BOY.

Arithmetical Symbol Simple, They Had a Jolly Informal Chat About Outdoor Sports.

One boy-one of many-who had metical symbol is simple and without the honor of meeting the President bly the greatest blood and much pretension, says London An- now acts as if Mr. Roosevelt's eyes were constantly on him, says St. Nich-

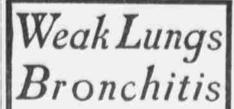
positively and permanently a measure of time, distance and weight, when he was presented; he was big cures every humor, from As a measure of time, I would take mough to play baseball with skill and one second as the unit and carry my. energy and on ordinary occasions he was a haughty sophomore. This boy ages back to the first day of the year wanted to see the President, but his I of our era, remembering that in all outward calmness was disturbed by those years we have 365 days and in the infimation from his sisters that every day just 86,400 seconds of time. he would have to make three bows as Hence, in returning in thought back he approached the President and say, again to this year of grace 1905, one "Your excellency." The courage that might have supposed that a billion of had stood six hours' exposure in a seconds had long since lapsed, but this heavy sea on the keel of an upturned to his own and his wife's birth dates is not sa for it takes just 31,687 years, boat weakened before this prospect and the record of their marriage he has 17 days 22 hours, 45 minutes and 5 A benevolent friend corrected the niarming suggestion of the sisters by telling him that he would simply be

expected to say, "Mr. President," to pen to lose his wife and go courting a billion sovereigns for inspection. Let stand until everybody was seated and us put one on the ground and plie to go when the President should rise This seemed easy; still, it was evifeet in height; then let us place num- dent that the fearless athlete was revbers of similar columns in close con- evently practicing "Mr. President" with his lips as he approached the White ing a sort of wall twenty feet high. House, All uneasiness disappeared, Imagirs two such walls running par- however, when the President, eatchallel to each other and forming, as it ing sight of the boy stepped forward were, a long street. It is not until we and called him by his surname. "Sit have extended our imaginary street to down?" he said, and then he began to a distance of 2,386% miles that we talk about a subject dear to the shall have presented for inspection our lad's heart-the recent races at Poughkeepsle. Etiquette was forgot-

Or, in lieu of this arrangement, we ten; the boy held fast to "Mr. Presimay place them flat upon the ground, dent," when he thought of it, in the forming one continuous line like a long delight of talking with somebody who golden chain, with every link in close "really knew" all about the lins and contact. But to do this we must pass outs of intercollegiate races, but over land and sea, mountain and val- sometimes he forgot and merely said

The boy was pained for a moment southern hemisphere through the to discover that the President could Dealer. trackless ocean, retrace our way again not play baseball. To a near-sighted across the equator, then still on and man who must wear glasses a baseon until we again arrive at our start- ball flying at large is much worse ing point, and when we have thus than a built. The lad admitted this passed a golden chain round the huge and said afterward that "if Thackbulk of the earth we shall be but at eray were alive and played baseball the beginning of our task. We must instead of cricket he would have had

entirely forgot his fear of the "court



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Unenthusiastie.

"Be studious, my son," said the habitual adviser, "and you may have a tablet in the Hall of Fame." "Yes," answered the cautious youth, "and be pointed out as an example of what ordinary people get in while real genlus is excluded." -- Washington Star.

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"I cannot accept your affection," she Haid,

"And yet I don't feel I could spurn it." "In that case," he answered, "I'll be satisfied

If only you'll kindly return it." -Baltimere American

The black flag is an emblem of horror and dread, "When it is hoisted by an army, the order has gone forth that "no quarter" will be given, everything must be destroyed. Helpless women and children, as well as opposing soldiers, meet the same fate, and a trail of desolation, suffering and death is left behind. Contagious Blood Poison is the black flag of the great army of disease. This vile disorder is known as the blackest and most hideous of all human afflictions, overthrowing its victims and crushing out the life. It is no respecter of persons; no matter how pure the blood may be or how innocently the disease is contracted, when this awful virus enters the circulation the hideous, hateful and humiliating symptoms begin to appear, and the sufferer feels that his very presence is polluting and contaminating. Usually the first sign of the disease is a little sore or ulcer, but as the blood becomes more deeply poisoned the severer symptoms are manifested, the mouth and throat ulcerate, the glands in the groins swell, a red rash breaks out on the body, the hair and eyebrows come out, and often the body is covered with copper-colored spots, pustular eruptions and sores. In its worst stages the disease affects the nerves, attacks the bones and sometimes causes

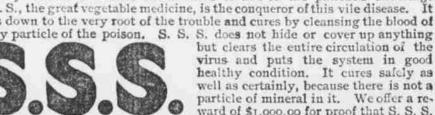
tumors to form on the brain, producing insanity and death. Not only those who contract the poison suffer, but unless the virus is driven from the blood the awful taint is handed down to offspring, and they are its innocent victims. Blood Poison is indeed a "black flag." Mercury and Potash, so often used, never can cure the trouble. These minerals merely drive the symptoms away for awhile and shut the disease up in the system, and when they are left off it returns worse than before. This treatment not only fails to cure blood poison but eats out the delicate lining of the

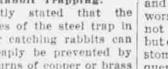
stomach and bowels, produces chronic dyspepsia, loosens the teeth and frequently causes mercurial rheumatism to add to the patient's suffering. S. S. S., the great vegetable medicine, is the conqueror of this vile disease. It goes down to the very root of the trouble and cures by cleansing the blood of every particle of the poison. S. S. S. does not hide or cover up anything

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great remedy the symptoms all pass away and no sign of the disease is ever we are only beginning to rear the view as his sons. During all this in-mighty mass. Add millions on mil-terview the President was as enthutive to food, while dogs, cats and seen again; nor is there left the least trace to be handed down to posterity.

Several years ago I had blood roison and my fiesh was in an awfal condition. Great screes would break cut and noth-ing I put on them would do any good. My hair and eyebrowsfellout and I was "a fright." My mouth was so rore I had to live on milk and water. I took Mercury for a long time and instead of gotting better I continued to grow worse and my arms and hands became solid sores. My legs were drawn so I could not walk and I feit that my time was short here if I did not get some re-lief. I began to use your S. S. and it helped me from the start. After taking it awhile the sores all healed, my rheu-matism was cured and to-day I am a strong, well man. It got all the mer-sound and well. ADAM SCHNABEL. Evansville, Ind. No. 211 Mary St. Several years ago I had blood poison







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Degrees of Kicks.

world; the kick of a giraffe is second, and the stroke of a lion's paw the third." "Oh, well, I s'pose, boss, by de time dey gets down to de kick of a mule dey'd

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love. "When it comes to boxing or rid-"Let me tell you something, Sam," ing," he said, with conviction, "I said the overseer; "the blow of a whale's think that my boys and I can hold tals is the strongest animal force in the our own." And several times the "we" was repeated in a way .which showed that Mr. Roosevelt and his sons were to be considered a happy have us believe it is just a gentle lub family of boys thoroughly in accord. It is not convenient to take his large "boy family" on his western and southern bear hunts, but the President does the next best thing. Every summer he goes "into camp" with his boys a few miles from his summer

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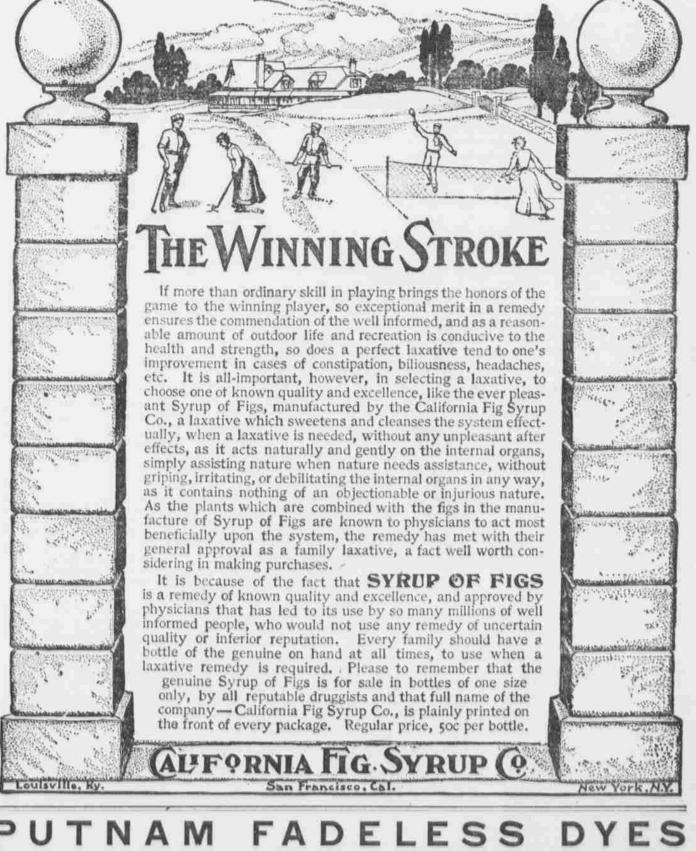
"He went to de pawnshop to soak his bed, an' wanted to know if de pawnbroker wouldn't let him take it home nights to sleep on."-Cleveland Leader,

Tickled Him,

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