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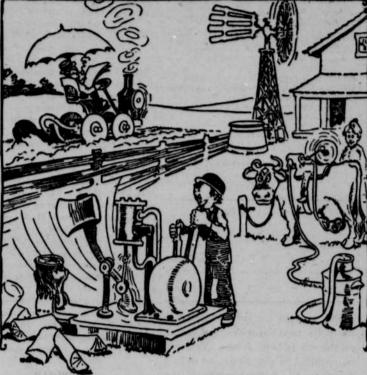
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WAS IT A CASE OF TELEPATHY? given off by the plant attracted all urer Sons of Temperance, writes:

Experience of Two Women Friends Who Had Been Separated. "Telepathy or the faculty of thought

transference, or whatever you've a mind to call it," said the average man the other day, according to the New the inquest, then. The coroner is still in the dark as to what caused that good deal of a stir nowodays. Personally, I don't fall for these newfangled things very often, and the more I read

> people to prove their theories, the more I wonder at their gullibility. I believe that in the few thousand years that we have been inhabiting and blessing this mundane sphere by our

presence, we have discovered about all the senses that we have. "You bet I do," answered the i. c. "I'm going to thrash him within an inch of

fronds.

the letters, which were frequent at first, dwindled until the correspondence, like the visits, entirely ceased. we, and neither family knew the oth- order which are highly esteemed by er's address. Yesterday my wife was them as food.

MRS. EMMA FLEISSNER. Suffered Over Two Years-Health Was In a Precarious Condition-Caused by Pelvic Catarrh.

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This Is the Method Adopted in Man;

Places. The land on both sides of the road-way can be planted with fruit trees of various kinds, says the Country Calen-dar. It will then become as valuable as an inclosed orchard—in fact, it will be an orchard without need of an in-closure, for most States now have laws which forbid allowing cattle to run at large. This would not be an run at large. This would not be an experimental step, for it has already been demonstrated that it can be satis-factorily taken. In a small way the advantages of it have been shown in one or two States of the Union, while in foreign countries it has long since become an established practice. In France, for example, great success has attended it. It appears that the move-ment was started by the government. but so satisfactory did it prove that the town and communes soon took it up on their own account.

FRUIT TREES BY THE ROADSIDE

It is now an important industry and is yielding a revenue of nearly \$60,-000,000 per annum. No particular tree is used, to the exclusion of others, but different kinds are chosen with regard to their adaptation to the soil and climate. In the South the cherry predominates and the fruit is used in the manufacture of wines, preserves and alcohol. In Touraine the plum is nost in evidence, while throughout the

HEALTH AND STRENGTH Allier and Limogne walnut trees transform the dusty highways into shaded and beautiful walks or drives. Nor is France alone in the work, for in Germany, in Belgium and in the duchy of Luxembourg the plan is largely in vogue. And it is profitable. On the Mrs. Emma Fleissner, 1412 Sixth Ave., Seattle, Wash., Worthy Treasroadsides of Wurtemburg, for instance, the fruit grown in 1878 was valued

manner of insects, which was not sur-prising, as the odor was so strong as almost to repel all investigation. The plant is called by the native Bicols "borac sa Mayo," that is, May at over \$200,000, while twenty years later it was estimated at \$750,000, and Belgium statistics show that up to 1896 there had been planted along the Bicols "borac sa Mayo," that is, May flower. It blooms only during the month of May. It is no doubt a mem-ber of the order lilecese better com-

over three months and found my ty \$2,000,000. In the light of these facts, let some

monly known as the lily or tulip fam-liy. It has the large bulb, the incon-spicuous calyx, the pronounced stig-ma and the characteristic structure of lilles in general. The remarkable feacompetent and careful statistician tell us what might be done in this wonderful land of ours. Surely it would be tures of this particular variety of lilies Our files contain thousands of testi- safe to affirm that the revenue which

are that it has such a pungent odor monials which Dr. Hartman has re- might be derived from these roadside and that it has absolutely no leaves at the time of blossoming. These ap-who have been restored to health by all needed highways, and for keeping them in constant repair.

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"'Nother piece of pie, please, pa." "But you haven't finished your first is used in large quantities, and conse-

"No, pa. But you know you told me not to eat fast. And if you give me a quently the warehouses of the firms second piece now I shan't eat so fast, because I won't be afraid that the store away a considerable supply. As of the calla lily, but they are divided into an irregular number of lobes or through with the first piece. Please, has a tendency to harden and cake pa."-Cleveland Plain Dealer. when piled away any length of time,

The Young Philosopher.

piece.'

DR."-Cleveland Flain Dentry BTATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, LUCAS COUNTY, FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F.J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Diedo. Coun-ty and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATABHE that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATABHE URE. FRANK J. CHENEY. Be Sworn to before me and subacribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A.D., 1886. BEAL SEAL SEAL

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A Woman's Opinion.

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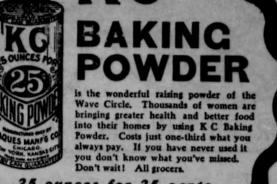
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olony, a man who had a desire to set

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WAS A VERY ASTUTE LION.

Ate Superiors of Kind Lieutenant, Whe Thereby Became a Colonel. John Burroughs, the naturalist, was laughing about the story, widely pub-lished not long since, of a wild duck

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A Pertinent Question.

A Chinaman was one day walking along a street in Glasgow when a dog ran up to him and began barking. He became greatly alarmed and dodged about all over the place to avoid it. A benevolent gentleman who happened to be passing at the time saw the trouble he was in and immediately went up to him, and, putting him on the shoulder, said, in a pacifying tone: "Come, come, my friend, you mustn't

"That's all velly well," replied the me knowee proverb, but does the dog

to Eat. In America, eating is becoming more badly crippled lion. The great brute of a fine art as well as a pastime and limped over the tawny sand on three accomplishment every day. Americans paws, holding its fourth paw in the are learning how to eat. They have air. And every now and then, with passed the stage of civilization where a kind of groan, it would pause and lick the injured paw.

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ackages. Look for the words, "Meat of the

A package will make you twelve pounds of Substantial family food and can be purchased at your grocer's for way it rewarded the young man. "This lion ran over the regiment's list of officers, and ate all who were the lieutenant's superior in rank. Thus,

he knows he sells you satisfaction.

As capable of varied interpretation as the utterances of the ancient oracles was the speech made by a Swiss

Stutfield and Collie exploring expediby Roman women. tion through the Canadian Rockles.

The Aspasias and Julias and Claud-

in a few weeks, the young man, thanks to the astute animal, became a colo-nel."

that got a sait water mussel on its tongue and had intelligence enough to fly from the sait to the fresh water, where it dipped the mussel, sickening it through osmosis, and thus causing "Come, come, my friend, you mustn't be afraid. The dog won't harm you. Don't you know the old proverb that barking dogs never bite. You sure-iy--" implicitly as I believe the story of the

crippled lion and the young lieuten Chinaman; "you knowee proverb, and ant. "Perhaps you have heard this story?

knowee proverb?" No? Well, then: Says Americans Are Learning How to Eat. "A young lieutenant, during an Af-

are becoming particular eaters. Nothing but the white heart of the wheat berry (Pillsbury's Vitos) is NOW good enough for those who have tried this cereal breakfast food. It is the most economical and it is actually the

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Put up only in two-pound, airtight lief and gratitude, the animal withdrew. "But it remembered its benefactor.

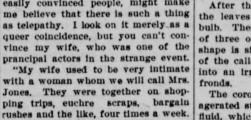
Wheat." It was grateful. And in a practical

Ask him today. He will gladly fill your order because

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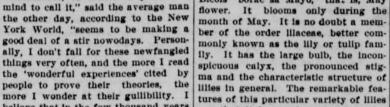
That Deadly Hatpin. That deadly implement, the hatpin of modern times, is a descendant of an equally formidable toilet article used mountaineer who accompanied the

however, that, if I were one of these easily convinced people, might make me believe that there is such a thing as telepathy. I look on it merely as a queer coincidence, but you can't convince my wife, who was one of the prancipal actors in the strange event. "My wife used to be very intimate with a woman whom we will call Mrs.



When one was away or unable to see kept on for some years, and suddenly

and circumstances in general com-bined to make them see less of each other. For perhaps a year the two women have not seen each other, and hours. During the period of frondes-



at the time of blossoming. These appear later, when the flower has died. his remedy, Peruna.

The blossom rests immediately on the ground and is not more than eight or nine inches high. The calyx often

measures a foot in diameter. After the blossom has disappeared the leaves begin to sprout from the bulb. These often grow to the height of three or four feet. Their general

shape is similar to that of the leaves

The corolla and the remarkably exagerated stigma exude a clear viscous fluid, which seems to be the cause of the offensive odor. This fluid attracts the flies, thus insuring the transmission of the pollen from plant to plant.

The large bulb, in fact, all parts of the plant, have the peculiar acrid juice which is so poisonous, a trait common to the lilaceous order. The acrid taste and the poisonous effect of the juice

cence there is no odor present. This plant is not used for food by the natives where it is found, though there "The other woman moved, so did are several other species of the same

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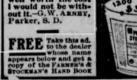
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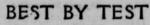


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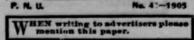
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ters. Her desk is near a window over As to "Early" Vegetables. looking the street. After writing a Every well-regulated family ought to while she looked up and said: have at least one cold frame and one

sitting in the front room, writing let-

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waves from our window to theirs, but

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Peculiar Lily in the Philippines with

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hotbed, says the Garden Magazine. A "'It's strange, but I can't help thinking about Mrs. Jones. I haven't cold frame differs from a hotbed in see her."-Cleveland Leader. having no fermenting manure to supseen her for a year, nor have I thought of her for weeks and months, ply heat, and in being used chiefly for but to-day she is in my mind all the protecting, over the winter, plants that time. I wish I knew where she lives. could not live outdoors, such as ten roses, while a hotbed is used chiefly to "'Wish you did, my dear,' said I,

get fresh vegetables a month or more and went on with my reading. But in earlier in the spring. Both are, of a little while she said again: "'Don't you suppose you could find course, cheaper than greenhouses, and both have other uses than those menthe Joneses' address in the directory? tioned above.

If you are not too tired to go out to A cold frame may cost anywhere from nothing to \$15. If one does not the drug store-"'All right,' said I, 'I will, in a litcare about looks, a loosely thrown totle while. Do you want to write to gether frame-work, such as is used in

the field and removed, leaving the "She went on writing a little while plants to mature where they started, longer, and suddenly she gave a shout will be found useful for some things. that made me jump to my feet in fear but the best thing is to have a permathat something had happened to her. aent structure which is stoned, bricked She was standing at the window, gazand painted. One that will answer ing fixedly at a window in the apartevery purpose is nothing more than a ment house across the street, where topless and bottomless box with a another woman, gazing just as fixedly slope of a few inches to the front, at our windows, stood. That other which must face the south or south woman was-Mrs. Jones. east. Set it where there will be a fence

"My wife rushed downstairs and or building to protect from north across the street, and the two women winds. Fit the top with a sash which met at the doorway of the apartment can be lifted for airing and watering; house. After the imaginable caresses see that the soll is rich and mellow they each told the same story of havenough for a garden bed; bank up the the other constantly in her outside, and you will be ready to sow thought, and wishing she knew her the seeds of joy for yourself and of address, so as to write a letter. And envy for your neighbors. now they're good friends again.

"Was it telepathy that made the two women think of each other as they were brought into near association? neglected to state that the Joneses had just moved into their apartment across the way from ours. You can't make I'm all broken up I'll make dandy Mrs. Jones and my wife think that macadamizing material.

Overhead Wire-My, won't you be fine, then?

Cobblestone-Fine? I should say so Almost pulverized. And all such things as you will be beneath me. Catching the hint of future underground conduits, the wire suddenly re-

sembered that it had a load of cur Two American teachers in the Philrents that were to be delivered and ippines while walking some time since in the fields in the vicinity of Neuva was silent .-- Baltimore American,



Caceres, in southern Luzon, came "If we have seven days of this sort across a peculiar specimen of the lily family of plants, says the Scientific of weather we can cut eight inches of ice without any trouble," said Mr. Cre-American, which has not yet apparentsus, looking at the thermometer.

"That is not the view taken by the It was while passing through a dense cluster of underbrush that the men noticed a remarkably strong odor fanitor of our flat building," replied Gadby. "When I asked him, as a special favor to a sick man, to bring up of decaying flesh which seemed to a spoonful of coal he said: "T'blazes emanate from the ground close by. wid you! You don't cut no ice 'round Suspecting the presence of some grew-some thing concealed in the bushes, they commenced to search. They were here.' But, of course, I am only pay-ing \$90 a month rent, and I suppose ought not to ask too much."-Clucinassisted in this by the presence of nunati Commercial Tribune. erous "blue-bottle" files, which seem There is one thing about a man with

ed to be buzzing about some object balf concealed under the dense vega gloomy disposition; he does not bore etation. This object proved to be a his friends to death with his everplant. The strong smell of rottenness | lasting jokes

"I'm sorry for her lawyer. "Why?"

"Because the jury will give a verdict for her husband as soon as they

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its contents can easily be broken out. "My friend," said the perspiring char The advantage of this method is seen feur, whose tonneau had broken down when it is said that two men can get the pike, "can you tell me how far out as much salt by the power method it is from here to Three Oaks? "Thirty miles as the crow flies," re as two dozen men by using picks and

sponded the sun-tanned farmer. shovels .- Technical World. "Thank you. And now will you please hand them over?"

"Hand what over, stranger?" "Why, a pair of crow's wings."

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pushed against the mass of sait and creek, and Hans did not enjoy it, al- thousand years or more ago, to the unthe augur is set in motion, and in a though he faced it with exemplary doing of the particular Balbus or Marminute or two, so rapidly does the tool fortitude. Once safely across, he work, a hole about five inches in diam- turned and surveyed the stream eter is made in the formation the engravely. tire length of the augur. Then anoth-

suid, enigmatically, "but yet once is atise, first, and another, until the pile has the last time." been undermined, so to speak, when

Prof. L. H. Bailey, director of the New York state school of agriculture at Cornell, is writing several articles which are soon to appear in The Cen-tury on the subject of the young man and the farm. He will tell why he thinks the young man now leaves the farm, and he will show how the farm People in Birchtown were used to

can be made more attractive and better Uncle Randolph Green's way of talkworth the young man's while. ing and enjoyed it, but at last there Diamond Expert. ame, as a member of the summer

First Stranger-Excuse me, sir, but I understand you are a good judge of diamonds.

everything and everybody straight acmonds. Second Stranger—That's right. First Stranger—Would you mind giv-ing me your opinion of the stone in this ring? Second Stranger—Don't know any-"What is the sense of your referring

thing about stones; I'm a baseball um-pire. See?

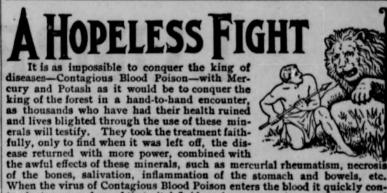
cus they desired to fascinate, wore bone hairpins of prodigious length. Yet, like the women of this present "Several times you cross it," he time, they seem to have experienced the same difficulty in keeping them in place. This fact came to light during excavations at Silchester, in England, a hundred or so of these bone hairpins being found in the Roman bath, collected, maybe, by the bath attendant, to prove all these centuries later that there is nothing new under the sun, and that in all ages the same little foibles have been possessed by women.

### Tickled Him.

The major found Remus sprawled out in the blazing sunshine. "You don't seem to mind the heat, Re-mus?"

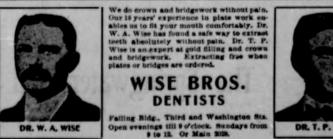
"No, sah; et jes' suits me. De hottah

"No, sah; et jes' suits me. De hottah et is de sweetah de melon grow." "But don't your garden suffer?" "Nuffin' in deh now, sah, but tatehs. Like to see et so hot det dey'd reast right in de ground en den Ah wouldn't hab de trouble ob buildin' a fiah to cook dem."



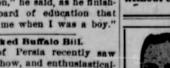
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hardships until after they are married



ng than grand opera.

was of use to me when I was a boy. Shah Liked Buffalo Bill. Shah of Persia recently saw

o that animal of yours as a 'colt'?" emanded this person one day. "How "Well, he's going on eleven years," said Uncle Randolph, mildly. "Eleven years!" sneered the man. "Well, we should call that pretty an-

clent for a colt-in New York." "I think likely you would," said Uncle Randolph, without rancor, but with considerable firmness in his soft, old voice; "but perhaps 'twould be well to consider, mister, that this colt o' mine resides in Birchtown, where eleven years is pretty young for a horse."

A Base Board.

Mrs. Dobbs waited until dinner was over, says the New York Press, before she handed Mr. Dobbs the note Willie had brought from his teacher.

"My boy," said Dobbs, when he had read it, "I understand from this that you are excused from school until the board of education has an opportunity to consider your case?"

"Yes, sir," answered Willie, who had begun to whimper.

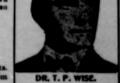
"Do you know what the board of education is, my son?"

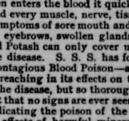
"No, sir." Mr. Dobbs went into the shed and selected a thin, flexible strip of board. Then he summoned his son, and for several minutes he was busy with

Willie "That, my son," he said, as he finished, "is the board of education that

affalo Bill's show, and enthusiasticaldeclared that it was more interest

A man and his girl can endure a great many hardships when they are courting that they don't know are





Information Wanted. Uppson — Yes, me dear boy, I am very proud of me family tree, doncher

loncher know?

A Street Conversation Overhead Wire-I think you'd feel

all broke up to leave these old streets where you'd been so long. Cobblestone-I will be. And when