Retugees Tell of Bad **NEWS OF THE WEEK Treatment by Mexicans** San Francisco-Graphic reports of

Ceneral Resume of Important Events Throughout the World.

Sentiment in favor of arbitrating the Canal tolls question is growing.

Portland is made headquarters for the Northwest Fruit Distributors. Mobs in Vera Cruz hoot and hiss Huerta's ex-minister of the interior.

pounds.

North Pole.

tained at the San Francisco 1915 ex- ported to be an attempt to hem it in position.

The steamer Santa Clara is loading lumber in Portland for Atlantic ports and expects to pass through the Panama canal.

John R. Early, a leper patient, escaped from the quarantine station at Diamond Head, Washington, and is the Cetriana's passengers. For nearly still at large.

United States delegates to the Niagara peace conference are told that American troops will remain in Mexico until peace is restored.

Miss Thelma Hollingsworth, candidate of the Harriman club and the Transportation club, has been choser queen of the coming Rose Festival in Portland.

is thought barge traffic can now con- ed States revenue cutter Seneca. tinue permanently.

The village of Alfred, Mich., was wiped out by a forest fire. The inhabitants were forced to seek safety in the Escanaba river, in which they had to remain for hours.

Charles E. Mellen, former president of the New York, New Haven & Hartand give the names of the persons who profited by them.

Obstacles that beset the path of the Northwest Butter & Produce company, of Portland, have been swept aside stockholders think, and this association of country creameries is now ready to take on a new lease of life.

English suffragettes demand protection of the Unionist leaders.

Possession of the port of Tampico the ship had burst into flame

California newspapers urge the nomination of women for lieutenant governor of the state.

It is believed the importation of Chinese eggs will be considerably reduced next season.

The Butte, Boise & San Francisco railroad company files articles of incorporation in Idaho.

by a Mexican transport of the Amerby a Mexican transport of the Amer-ican brig Geneva, the imprisonment of United States Consul Edwards, of dairy state, so often asserted by the United States Consul Edwards, of dairy state, so often asserted by the United States Consul Edwards, of dairy state, so often asserted by the United States Consul Edwards, of dairy state, so often asserted by the United States Consul Edwards, of dairy state, so often asserted by the United States Consul Edwards, of dairy state, so often asserted by the United States Consul Edwards, of dairy state, so often asserted by the United States Consul Edwards, of dairy state, so often asserted by the United States Consul Edwards, of dairy state, so often asserted by the United States Consul Edwards, of dairy state, so often asserted by the United States Consul Edwards, of dairy state, so often asserted by the United States Consul Edwards, of dairy state, so often asserted by the United States Consul Edwards, of dairy state, so often asserted by the dairy state, so often a Acapulco, and many atrocities on the west coast of Mexico were brought here by the officers and 150 refugees on the British steamer Cetriana, which arrived from Manzanillo. Lientemant Edward J. Minister

the murder of Americans, the capture

Lieutenant Edward J. Minister, royal naval reserve, commander of the number of cows that have made note-The foregoing figures are from offi-Cetriana, got his steamer, loaded with worthy records in Oregon is a very cial records, which are kept by but refugees, away from Manzanillo by daring and skillful action on April 28. in the United States. when it was believed the Mexicans The Northwestern prune crop is were preparing to burn it at the dock estimated at from six to nine million by firing and dynamiting the wharves.

According to the refugees, when over 900 pounds of butter in a year 4 head of the College Dairy department, Jacques Suzzanna, a French artist and explorer, started on a trip to the United States reached the west 30 that have produced more than 800 show Oregon's unexcelled dairy recoast, it was taken by the Mexicans as pounds of butter, 6 cows, 20 per cent, sources.

J. K. Pardee, a defeated candidate were inflamed to a high pitch, they the beginning of war. The Mexicans at the recent primaries in Gladstone, Or., committed suicide. their homes and fled. As the Ce-A bureau for recovering lost people, triana got away from the dock, man-both children and adults, will be main-euvering adroitly out of what is reby four Mexican steamers, a rifle fire

was directed against it. Many of the to be used as columns for the Oregon rick in the Northwest that can handle bullets struck the steamer. Upwards of a score of murders,

the Cetriana's p Captain W. H. Ferguson, of the brig Geneva, of San Francisco, was one of

> a week his ship, crew and four refugees were held as prisoners of war by Bay.

Five Survivors Picked Up

After 13 Days' Drifting Festival Queen and Suite

Halifax, N. S. - After 13 days of ortland. Five loaded barges were towed terrific suffering in an open boat adrift at sea, five survivors of the adrift at sea, five survivors of the most spectacular and thrilling cam-vallis—There are now 92 pure-bred Five loaded barges were towed address and the search of the search of the second secon terfering with excavation work, and it up in the North Atlantic by the Unit- Portland-the contest for the selection

Eleven others of the boat's crew who left the Columbian when she was who left the Columbian when she was burned just south of Sable Island on May 3 had succumbed to injuries and whirlwind of excitement. Millions of

The men snatched from death by the Seneca were the first officer, whose name was not given in the radio dis-patch from the vessel; Seamen Robert Ties, Oscar Kendall and Peter Bellan-ger, and fireman Michael Ludwigsen. The survivors had lived on only a friday, may 29, and be on their jour-ney eleven days, visiting Tacoma, Se-ter, which had long ago been ex-ter, which had long ago been ex-Lake City, Los Angeles and San Fran-ter, bauted They had cone the limit of

human endurance. Hope for this missing third boat had sen abandoned after a dozen of the ans-Atlantic liners searched for five takes place June 9-12 inclusive. by the rebels raises new diplomatic questions. trans-Atlantic liners searched for five days in a wide radius of the spot where

Sutherlin Has Fine Bait

parts of Europe and Asia and partial items on the program arranges by the darry needs will be up to the program arranges by the darry needs will be up to the both to the coming of greater value both to the dary may and traveling men of Portland and the breeder."

Are Relatively High A ROMANCE OF STRENUOUS AFFECTION 199 EX BEACH SUGGESTED BY THE PLAY BY REX BEACH AND PAUL ARMSTRONG Illustrated By In the Jersey breed this condition is Oregon, and but twelve are doing ad-Edgar Bert Smith YRIGHT 1910 BY HARPER & BROTHERS SYNOPSIS. in a surging group, the opposing side.

Cowboys of the Flying Heart ranch are the Cent pede ranch hour of your defeat!" to Panama-Pacific Expo. Blake, Speed's Mr. Chapin." Portland-Shipment of the 48 logs 29,000 pounds. There is only one dernograph of y'all's money. building at the Panama-Pacific expo- them and that is the O.-W. R. & N. mostly of Americans, were reported by next two or three days. The Oregon The Oregon building at the exposi- against the completion has sout out out of the oregon building at the exposi- against the The man. Wally, commission has sent out seven cars tion is to be of Grecian architecture on containing 21 logs. Three cars of logs the plan of the Parthenon at Athens. cowboys join in the ap fearing that Helen wil consents. He insist, shall be entered as an that Covington will arr his place. Fresno, gle will be sent from Central Oregon and The 48 log pillars surrounding it will Speed with Speed and GI of bills, remarking on Skinner." it is up to race. Will ner will go b ed fails. A to ton saying he days. Glass gin training e Speed to e id prepare hi . Miss Blai

ver and Gallagher faced each other hard before turning. Jean saw it, and whispered to Chapin: "Oh, Jack, dear, I'm so terribly frightened!" But Helen Blake, who overheard, left her companions and went straight to Gallagher a few dollars on Mr. Speed and the the Centip oposition to throw the ra-inpts to escape at night, but honor of the Flying Heart."

treasures an' trappin's-"But how much money ?"

"We got three hundred pesos down but they sent word they was comin oaded for b'ar, so we rustled five hundred more.

but I think our side ought to bet as much as your side. That is the way Skinner's eyes gleamed. "I wish I it is done, isn't it?" had a couple of hundred to bet on "You mean that you aim to cover what Mr. Speed don't?" The girl myself." Broke, eh?"

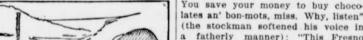
"I'm as clean as a hound's tooth."

"I'm sorry y'all tossed off your wages, but"-Gallagher started suspiciously-"say! I reckon that won't affect your runnin' none, will

Skinner admitted that he could run best when he had something to run "You might advance me a month's wages," he reflected.

"I'll do it. Hello! Say, ain't that one of them Flyin' Heart city visi-From the direction of the and he-he is so brave!" Miss Blake's tors ?" ranch buildings Berkeley Fresno was approaching.

"Good-afternoon! You are Mr. Gal-



money?" Gallagher pointed to the suit

case. "On the contrary, it is full of clothes. It is I who contain the mon-He thrust a cold palm into his pocket as Covington dragged him aside to advise him not to be an utter idiot, to throw his money away if he must, but to throw it to charity or to his friends.

"Yes," Glass seconded, lugubriously, "and hold out enough to buy me a 'Gates Ajar' in immortelles." But he said also, as if to himself, "He may be wrong in the burr, but he's a game little guy."

As the Centipede foreman counted the money, Helen came forward, announcing:

"You'll have to win now, won't you, Mr. Speed? I've wagered five hun-dred dollars on you. I bet against Mr. Fresno.

"Fresno! So he's out from cover at last, eh?"

"I haven't been under cover," spoke "Good-evenin', Gabby!" Stover called, loudly, as he came within up the Californian. "I've been wise speaking distance. "Here we come all along."

Chapin wheeled. "Does it seem to en massy, and with ladies, to further you quite the thing to bet against our man, Fresno?" he inquired, his glance embarrass and degrade you in the full in the other's eyes. "We ain't defeated yit! How do,

"Why not?" There's no sentiment in financial affairs."

"Yes. But we ain't seen the color Speed shrugged. "Our tenor friend will sing his way back to California." "Mr. Speed borrowed five hundred He turned with his thanks to Helen. "The talkin' machine!" interrupted dollars from me, and said he might Still Bill suddenly. A group of men

want more," Chapin volunteered. was approaching, who bore the pho-"All!" jeered Still Bill. "Why, this nograph upon a dry-goods box, and demangy layout ain't never saw that posited it in state beside the racemuch money," upon which Gallagher course. "Say, Gabby, s'pose you give carelessly displayed a corpulent roll us a tune, just to show she's in good order.

"Suspicious, eh?" "Count a thousand, Bill. It all goes

"You bet! There's a monologue I'd admire to hear. It's called-

"I ain't heard of no train-robbery." "We'll have "The Holy City," said muttered the lanky foreman of the Flying Heart, "nor 1 don't aim to willio, handle no tainted money." And Sto-Willie, positively. "It's more appro-

So, with clumsy fingers, Gallagher fitted a record, then wound up the mathine under the jealous eyes of the Flying Heart cowboys.

Drawn by the sound, Skinner, vrapped to the chin in his blanket, idled toward the crowd, affording Glass a sight of his face for the first "I should like," she said, "to wager time. The latter started as if stung, and crying under his breath, "Salted car-horse!" drew his employer aside. Both Skinner and his foreman "Say," he said, pointing a finger, "You don't look like a bettin' lady."

'who's that?' the latter managed to remark, jocu-"Skinner, the man I run."

Glass groaned. "His name ain't Skinner; that's 'Whiz' Long. Six ears ago I saw him win the Sheffield Handicap from scratch in nine-three." Then, as Speed did not seem to be particularly impressed, "Don't you understand, Wally? He's a pro; this is his game!

To which the younger man replied, serenely and happily, "It's fixed." "What's fixed?"

"The race. It's all arrangedramed."

'Who framed it? How? When?" Gallagher spoke admiringly. "You're right game, miss; but I reckon we "Sh-h! I did! Yesterday; by stealth; fixed it.

"You win from 'Whiz' Long, and "I suppose there ain't no particlar ou can't run under fifteen?" Wally nodded. "I told him that-

t's all right." "You told him?" Glass staggered. 'It's all right? Say! Don't you I'm sure he can defeat Mr. Skinner, know he's the fastest, crookedest, who never went to college at all. They have all turned against him, cheatingest, double-crossingest-why, he just came to feel you out!" And Speed turned dizzy. indignation was tearful, and Gallagher

"And you fell for that old stuff!" Larry's voice was trembling with anger and disgust. "Why, that's part of his 'work.' He's double-crossed ev-



The men snatched from death by the the Pacific Coast, at each of which

hausted. They had gone the limit of cisco, with short stops at intermediate ports. Most of the Jerseys are being points. Upon their return, the queen

To Occur August 21

The ball game slaughter will begin at

far as this market is concerned.

one from Southern Oregon, and 12 logs be five feet in diameter and 45 feet will be sent by steamer from Coos high. They will be dedicated to the The logs are assembled from 48 states of the Union and each will the Mexicans, he reported. The ar-trival of the cruiser Raleigh brought Willamette and are donated by the will be a ceremony around each column Willamette and are donated by the will be a ceremony around each column mber interests of the state. by representatives of the particular

The average weight of these logs is states.

Giant Logs Are Shipped

Oregon Dairy Records

Many Cows Under Test Will Travel in State

For Advanced Registry of the "Queen of Rosaria" who will registry in Oregon, according to the pure bred Jerseys have placed their

privations, and their bodies had been thrown overboard. The death roll of the lost freighter now stands at 15. Twenty-seven other members of the crew were saved by the Cunard liner Franconia and the steamer Manhattan ford road, promises to tell all he knows of the road's high finance deals after two days' exposure. The most the days' exposure. The most the days' exposure. The most the days' exposure. the actual work of advanced registry

tested for one year, but a few are on

qualities of the cows used for breeding dairy cattle, and then retain only the

cows whose records are satisfactory, for Decoration Day Crowd said Mr. Steekyell. "The time has come when the purchaser of pure bred

Umatilla, Baker and Wallowa counties

have been designated by the Federal

on the additional tract when

land sales were held, 25 final proofs

were made, and 15 allowed. A total

Boy, 14, Is Best Speller.

This was the last spelling bee of

Woman Marion's Choice.

Salem-Leading her nearest oppo

dis

you.

avvy.

Sutherlin-Fried chicken, strawber- dairy herd bulls demands that their anries and cream and a ball game be- cestors have records of high produc-Washington, D. C.-The eclipse of tween the traveling men and business tion. By thus improving the best the sun on August 21 next-total in men's teams are only three of many strains and eliminating the poorest, parts of Europe and Asia and partial items on the program arranged by the dairy herds will be improved, be-

containing no timber.

Re-

that time

CHAPTER XVI.-Continued. "They fool you sometimes," said Skinner. "By-the-way, what have you bet?" "We laid the phonograph agin their

Two men were badly burned in a \$75,000 fire at Astoria, Or. The case of the Englishman, Benton, killed at Juarez, Mex., begins to loom up in international diplomatic will be seen. It will be seen as a partor between the fired chicken will be seen. It will be seen as a partor between and strawberries and "real cream." relations. will be seen. It will be seen as a par- and strawberries and "real cream, tial eclipse at sunrise in the Northern the posters announce, will be served.

Two men, with their wives, were states and Canada. badly injured when their auto skidded In this eclipse the diameter of the one at the earth's surface is only 6:30. The dance will begin at 6:30. The dance will begin at off the road and turned turtle near Medford, Or.

Club,

Ex-President Mellen, of the New visible as total only in a belt about 85 cry enough. A large and lively crowd Haven railway, promises he will tell miles wide stretching over the coun-all he knows of the financial deals of tries named above. The important the company.

and Riga lie near the center of this belt. PORTLAND MARKETS Stockholm and Trondheim.

Total Eclipse of Sun

Circle City Almost Gone.

Wheat-Track prices: per bushel; bluestem, 94c; forty-fold, 90c; red Russian, 881c; valley, 89c. Millfeed-Bran, \$24 per ton; shorts,

\$26,50@27; middlings, \$32@33. -No. 1 Eastern Oregon timo-Hay thy, \$16@17; mixed timothy, \$14@15; valley grain hay, \$12.50@14; alfalfa,

12@13.50. Before putting the fourth studies hanged in price from Barley—Feed, \$20.50@21 per ton; roof on, the shingles were rounded at \$1.25 to \$1.75. Some Jessies from the same place sold as low as 60 cents. brewing, \$21.50@22; rolled, \$23.50@ one end to make them conform to the 24.50.

A.50. Oats-No. 1 white milling, \$23 ton. Corn-Whole, \$34; cracked, \$35 ton. North Carolina, and are of the same was shown by a sample for brought in by an Italian gardner. These arti-chokes sold at \$1.25@1.40 a dozen. Vegetables - Cucumbers, \$1@1.75 size as those used when the house was

per dozen; eggplant, 20c per pound; first roofed. peppers, 30c; radishes, 171c per doz.; head lettuce, \$2.50@2.25 per crate; artichokes, 55@65c per dozen; celery, \$3.75@4.25 crate; tomatoes, \$4.50@5. spinach, 5c per pound; horseradish, nips, new, \$1.50 per sack; carrots, \$1; parsnips, \$1; beets, \$1.

box; strawberries, Oregon, \$202.50 per crate, cherries, \$1.25@1.75 per box; gooseberries, 5@7c per pound.

Onions-New, \$202,50 per crate. Potatoes - Oregon, 75c per cwt.; says he has plans to regain the throne. buying prices, 50@65c at shipping points.

Eggs - Fresh Oregon ranch, case

count, 20c; candled, 21c. Poultry-Hens, 15@16c per pound; broilers, 25@26c; turkeys, live, 2061 22c; dressed, choice, 25@26c; ducks, 13@15c; geese, 10@11c.

Butter per pound; cubes, 22

Pork-Fancy, 101@11c per pound.

Veal-Fancy, 111@12c per pound. Hops-1913 crop, prime and choice, 120014c; 1914 contracts, 14c. Wool - Valley, 180020c; Eastern

Oregon, 14@19c; mohair, 1914 clip, 271(0.28#c.

- Prime steers, \$7.75608.25; Cattle choice, \$7.25@7.50; medium, \$7@7.25; banks, Alaska, says: choice cows, \$6.50@7; medium, \$6@ 6.25: stags, \$6007.50.

7,40.

\$3.75@4.50; yearling lambs, \$6.25@ ice. 6.50; spring lambs, \$7.25@8. port

about 85 miles, so that the eclipse is any time and end when the visitors cities Bitlis, Trebizond, Kief, Minsk Oregon Berries Shut Out Others --- Artichokes Fine they have not made final proof may

It passes 100 miles north of Portland-This week will wind up 160 acres of land, and can make proof the California strawberry season, so

Mt. Vernon Is Reshingled. Washington, D. C .- Mount Vernon, ceipts of Oregons are increasing rap-

the home of the Father of His Coun-try, is to have its fourth set of shingles since it was built, in 1743. The \$2.75 a crate, according to quality. mansion was reshingled in 1785 and Alameda berries cleaned up at \$2. in 1860. Before putting the fourth Florin Dollars ranged in price from

That Oregon can grow artichokes of 27,120 acres were filed on original shingles of 1743. The shin-was shown by a sample lot brought in posed of during the month of April by this land office.

Pure Baby Milk Is Plan.

Oregon City - Austin Young, 14-Portland-The city may co-operate Barkeep Claims Throne. year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Boston — Declaring that he is a di-with the Visiting Nurse association in Young, a student in the Corral Creek

rect descendant of Chaufa Ekaduat establishing a public milk depot, school, near Wilsonville, is the best 8 Anamak Moutri, ex-king of Siam, and where especially prepared milk for speller in the schools of Clackamas and the allasparagus, \$1@1.50 per dozen; peas, because of the recent death in prison months. The association has asked Clackamas spelling bee last Saturday, segaration per pound; beans, 111c; tur- of his grandfather, Devan Moutri, bet- the city commission to help to the ex- when each of the 17 districts into ter known as George Russell, is at- tent of furnishing quarters where the which the county was divided was reptracting attention here. He is a bar- milk may be sold to those able to buy resented by its best speller.

Green fruit — Apples, \$1@2.50 per tender at the American house. Rus- it and given away to those who are sell says his grandfather was thrown not. The question was considered by 18 which began in March. A beauinto jail on a false charge of invading the commission Thursday, and it is tiful silver cup was presented to the the royal harem and was subjected to probable an appropriation will be made winner. cruelties which caused his death. He for store-room.

Potatoes Almost Gone.

Parks' Execution Seen. Vera Cruz-Additional confirmation the execution of Private Samuel most at a close, and as the end ap-the execution of Private Samuel most at a close, and as the end ap-the execution of Private Samuel most at a close, and as the end ap-the execution of Private Samuel most at a close, and as the end ap-the execution of Private Samuel most at a close, and as the end ap-the execution of Private Samuel most at a close, and as the end ap-the execution of Private Samuel most at a close, and as the end ap-the execution of Private Samuel most at a close, and as the end ap-the execution of Private Samuel most at a close, and as the end ap-the execution of Private Samuel most at a close, and as the end ap-the execution of Private Samuel most at a close, and as the end ap-the execution of Private Samuel most at a close, and as the end ap-the execution of Private Samuel most at a close, and as the end ap-the execution of Private Samuel most at a close, and as the end ap-the execution of Private Samuel most at a close, and as the end ap-the execution of Private Samuel most at a close, and as the end ap-the execution of Private Samuel most at a close, and as the end ap-the execution of Private Samuel most at a close, and as the end ap-the execution of Private Samuel most at a close, and as the end ap-the execution of Private Samuel most at a close, and as the end ap-the execution of Private Samuel most at a close, and as the end ap-the execution of Private Samuel most at a close, and as the end ap-the execution of Private Samuel most at a close, and as the end ap-the execution of Private Samuel most at a close, and as the end ap-the execution of Private Samuel most at a close, and as the end ap-the execution of Private Samuel most at a close, and as the end ap-the execution of Private Samuel most at a close, and as the end ap-the execution of Private Samuel most at a close at a cl Portland-The potato season is alof the execution of Private Samuel proaches prices are gradually being prominent Marion county family, has Parks, of the Twenty-eighth infantry, was received here. There was brought 75 cents at country points for the best party for county recorder. Her plu-teeth. "If you win, I'll send you some sed, choice, 25@26c; ducks, geese, 10@11c. —Creamery prints, extra, 25c i; cubes, 22c. Creamery prints, extra, 25c

cution of Parks and agreed to relate 100 cars can be located by shippers, the facts as far as he knew them to and this supply will probably be ex- for the Republican nomination for the American general in command if hausted in the next two weeks. The county treasurer, although late in return work was given him here or shipments going out are mostly headed announcing, is second in a field of for California points. Only a few cars five. he was otherwise cared for.

are being sent to Arizona and Texas.

Seattle-A special cable from Fair-First Flour Is Hailed. Astoria-Astoria Thursday celebra- 61 precincts, the \$850,000 road bond "Reports from Circle City say the ted the opening of its new flour mill. issue 6.25; heifers, \$6@7.25; light calves, flood caused by the break-up of the ice During the day great crowds of peo- with 3079 for. It is believed complete \$8@8.50; heavy, \$6@7.50; bulls, \$5@ on the Yukon river was the worst in ple visited the plant. In the evening returns will show the proposition dethe history of the camp. The town there was a special programme of ex-

fund.

Bonds Defeated Badly.

feated by more than two to one.

party is wise; five hundred of this coin is his." Helen uttered a cry. "Do you mean

he is betting against Mr. Speed?" "Nothin' else.'

"Did you get our message?"

"Is that all?"

stared at her nonplussed.

"I'm not, I never made a wager be

fore in all my life; but you see, Mr.

Gallagher lowered his eyes. "How

"I don't know what the rules are,

"If Mr. Speed can beat Mr. Coving-

"He may be brave all right, miss,

but he can't win unless Skinner dies

ton, who is the best runner at Yale,

Gallagher, I believe in our man."

much do you aim to risk, miss?"

don't want your money.'

"Why not?"

spoke hurriedly:

larly

nodded

'Wait a moment, please!" Helen hurried beck to Chapin, while Gallagher muttered something like "I ain't takin' no orphan's money.

with excitement), "you told me on the way over that you had five hundred dollars with you. Let me have it please. I'll give you my check when we get home." to-bet It?"

"Yes, I am." "Don't do that."

etbook from his hand. "Mr. Gallagher!" she called. Skinner watched from afar. "Some class to that gal!" was what he said, which proved that he was a person our crowd just now." Fresno looked

CHAPTER XVII.

PEED leaped down from the

had driven him and Glass over to the Centipede cor

A quaint charity exists in South Shields, Eng., which operates, accordwhen we crossed that bridge," was Larry's re-once a year. It is known as the "Wining to the will of the deceased donor. proach to him. "You could terbottom Awards for Unmarried have broke your arm. Now-it's too Female Domestic Servants," and the chief object is to reward domestics for faithful and satisfactory service. This year the candidates numbered 16, and

They responded nervously, shocked all fulfilled the conditions, which are this flippant assurance. years' service in one situation. The your defeat!" Gallagher made the in- last awards ranged from \$15 down to \$12.50, according to length of service.

What the Public Wants?

"But are there no plays presented refused to recognize his knowing wink, at the theaters on this planet," asked the astounded visitor from Mars. "You think pretty well of yourself, "that are fit for a modest young girl don't you?" suggested Gallagher un- to see?" "None worth mentioning," pleasantly, and Speed laughed. There responded the mundane host, reflec-"Thanks," said the other; "but I've was no reason why he should not tively scratching his jaw. "That sort laugh. Either way his hour had come. of play, you see, doesn't pay nowa-

EAR NEVER STOPS GROWING | A woman with small ears at twenty study of ears that the age of a perprobably will have medium-sized ears son can be judged by them with great at forty and large ears at sixty. accuracy by an expert.

Again, it is said, as the result of the After the age of ten, ears assume an examination of 40,000 pairs of ears, increased form and give the clue to that probably no person in the world the age of the owner. Nordau, Lom-Persons who have large ears in has ears perfectly matched. In most broso and others lay great stress upon their youthful days are decidedly un- people the two ears differ perceptibly. the ear as an indication of character; lucky, according to students of anat- not only in shape, but in size. Fre yet some of the best men we meet omy, for no other portion of the hu- quently they are not placed on the have outrageous ears, while almost

let, and took from it five one-hundreddollar bills. "Bet this for me, and at his flippant assurance, don't let on where it came from. I'll see you after the race. Mind you, not a word!" "I'm dumb as the Egyptian Spinks." "This race means a lot to me, Mr. "There's a girl in it. Understand?"

Mrs. Catherine Pooler, aspirant

omy, According to Physicians, Which Does This.

lost by a vote of 6080 against

The

"Despicable!" breathed the girl. "Jack!" (the girl was trembling

'My dear girl, you aren't going

For answer she snatched the pock-

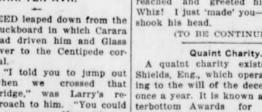
back. "Let's step around to the other not wholly without sentiment.

buckboard in which Carara

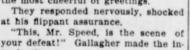
"Mr. Gallagher!" She Called. ery runnin' mate he ever had. He'd cheat his mother. Wait!"

Skinner had left the crowd, and was seated now in the shade of the corral fence. He glanced upward from beneath his black brows as Larry reached and greeted him. "Hello, Whiz! I just 'made' you-" Then he

(TO BE CONTINUED.)



But Speed joined his friends with the most cheerful of greetings.



troduction. "And this is Mr. Skinner, no

doubt?" Wally shook hands with the Centipede runner, who stared at him, and turned away.

ral.

As Fresno left, there approached, "I s'pose that satchel is full of days."

The Only Portion of the Human Anat-Salem-With complete returns from

comply strictly with the time for filing and to reject all entries made prior to "Bet This for Me, and Don't Let On During the month of April, 182 Where It Comes From." mesteads were filed on, 12 public lagher, I believe? I rode over with



government as subject to entry under the enlarged homestead act. All of this land is, or is supposed to be, of semi-arid character, non-mineral and It will be subject to entry June 1 of this year, where vacant and public, Persons now holding a claim on which they prove up on the first entry. Entries prior to June 1 are of no value, and local land officers are instructed to

side of the corral: I want to talk to

you." He led the way; then inquired.

"That's him. His name's Skinner

and that's a promisin' title to bet on.'

Gallagher slipped a roll of bank-notes

from his pocket. "Unhook! I'll get

ner will win. That's why I'm here."

"No no! I think myself Mr. Skin-

"Strip your hand, son. I don't

"You see, I'm a guest over there;

but there's no sentiment with me in money matters." He produced a wal-

'Is this your runner?"

And Fresno explained.