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ar out of town or out of local present at one of the final rehearsals. irculation.

buy out of town and all our Neighthunder will become of Our Town? Ever look at it that way?

Love your Country, love your might not be all he should like it to State but love Your Home Town composer, who affected not quite to



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CRUSHED THE CRITIS.

An Anecdote of Verdi and a Bothersome Paris an Journal st.

The first production of Verdi's opera "Othello" took place at Milan, and all the prominent musical critics of Euforegath ted in the Cathedral rope mother argument in favor of City in honor of the occasion. Among them was a Parisam losermalist of wid reputation and administ authority is the musical world. His first care on Dont send your Dollar away his arrival in Milan was to seek out from home. Dont run your Dol- Verdi and ask to be allowed to be

The composer received the critic with extreme politeness, but replied that h could not possibly grant his request If You buy out of town and We as he had decided that the rehearsalwere to be absolutely private, and he could not make an exception in the pors buy out of town, what in favor of any one journalist, however distinguished.

The Paris critic, far from pleased at this answer, protested that in these cir umstances his a count of the opera understand, "I shall have to telegraph my article the same evening. It will ne essarily be instily written, and the impression in Paris the next day may suffer in consequence."

But Verdl was more than equal to the occasion. "My dear sir." he made answer, "I do not write for 'the next The critic bowed himself out.

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This is selfish care. It fences the individual in. It hampers him and makes his field of pleasure and activity cramped and rasping

When one knows that another is trustworthy, why hold so tight a rein? Some of us have got into the habit of repressing and suppressing ourselves for the sake of pea e and the absence of anxiety. Freedom is necessary for the development of individuality and the best that is in each one of us. The cared bird never sings so joyously as the filed in the field or forest.-Shirley in Farm Life



Violet Sarver Wins

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With John Page as judge, Jim Park as official announcer and the editor, as expert adding machine operator, over two hours and a half was consumed in adding the votes. The total votes cast amounted to 124,173, with Miss Sarver leading with 58,785, Miss Wooster, 45,211 and the remaining 22,177 being divided among a score of other contest-

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