One wonders what would happen to Grand. Madness would probably be their fate if they made an effort to meet | watching the ezar, whose more or les the call. But then they would not. The burry and drive would simply revolt by was a matter of very great importheir sense of what was due to a gentleman.-Pail Mall Magazine.

House an old lady who was drawn up down and recover it, and those back of her in the line were too intent upon getting the one fleeting glimpse possible of the mistress of the White House to notice the oid lady's loss, and the hand kerrbing.

kerchief was trampled upon roughly.

Just before the old lady reached her Mrs. Cleveland stepped out of her place and deftly picked up the handkerchief, tucked it in her dress and, taking her own fresh one, which was of the most dogs are grand in aspect, with long apolis Journal delicate, dainty lace, smilingly handed flowing coats of silken texture that dedelicate, dainty lace, smilingly handed feark, "Please take mine, and when on lines that speak volumes for the anyou get home send it back to me, will And when the handkerchief came back to her Mrs. Cleveland returned that of the owner, freshly laundered, lying on the top of a beautiful box of House conservatory.

An Accommodating Neighbor

Not long back Mr. X. moved into a new house, which had not before been occupied. The bell wires were rather stiff, and in consequence the bells gave no uncertain sound. This was particularly the case with the doorbell, whose clangor disturbed the whole bouse.

Mr. X. is a man of sensitive nerves. The tremendous jangle of the doortell made him shudder, so he wrote in chalk

violent ringing. Somebody tugged at of an inch to the mile. The details are the bell as if he were going to pull it so minute that sheets having a scale of out by the roots. The noise was terrific. | 25 inches show every bedge, fence, X. himself ran to the door in a rage wall, building and even every isolated and found his friend Z.

What the dickens do you mean by ringing that way?" exclaimed X. indig-"Don't you see what's written "Yes," answered Z, "I do see-that's

why I pulled so hard." X. looked at the writing and saw the bell.-London Telegraph.

Artillery Terms. All artillery may be divided into two main classes, heavy and light. Heavy artillery is called also garrison artillery. Heavy artillery guns are placed perma nently in forts, and the men who handle them form foot artillery batteries and regiments. Light artillery refers to guns not permanently emplaced-that I ha light artillery gunners ride on the caissons and gun carriages. In horse artilare between heavy and light artiflery. are. - New York Sun.

way tells of a fragment of antiquity that still "lingers in the neighborhood of Redruth, where the country people, piece of practice in unraveling the corruption of language.

of "In nomine Domini," the Latin for "In the name of the Lord," a phrase so familiar in the devotion of the middle

Lost Time. "Time is precious," remarked the

minister. "It is indeed," replied the man business, "and I've wasted lots of it." "By indulging in foolish pleasures, I suppose?" said the good man. "No," replied the other. "I lost it

by being punctual in keeping my ap-pointments with others." - Chicago

A weman always credits another woman with having excellent judgment when they both dislike the same person. stand the desire of every woman to have a clear, beautiful skin, but 1 confess to -Chicago News.

Tears were not sent to blind our eyes, but to wash them .- Sunday School ternally and which have nothing like as

According to an old French saying. "A man's character is like his shadow, which sometimes follows and sometimes precedes him, and which is occa-

sionally longer, occasionally shorter Brazil produces on the average 860, 000 tons of coffee per annum—that is, about four-fifths of the whole amount

consumed in the world. A Painter's Conscience

In the course of some reminiscences of Sir Edward Burne-Jones a corre- would to some vicious drug or strong spondent of The Westminster Gazette remarks: Those who are not "offended" that unless she is in good condition inby the paradoxes of Charles Lamb would ternally she will be anything but a have delighted in Burne-Jones' play of pleasant object to look upon externally. humor and imagination. Let me justify my reference to Charles Lamb.

I once returned to Burne-Jones some books which he had lent me 30 years before, writing to him to the effect that if it was base to keep borrowed books way home and was stripped of his cherso long it was heroic to return them after such long possession as might well but his sleep remained unbroken till a

"The return of those books has simply staggered me. It has also pained me, for it seems to raise the standard of morality in these matters and perin't mine. Mine had boots on!" haps to sting the susceptible consciences Paris Figure.

of book borrowers. I have many bor rowed books on my shelves. I would rather the owners should die than that I should have to think about these things and return them. I have two costly volumes that were lent to me before that little incident of ours, which. you may remember, was in Red Lion square. I hope the owner is no more, for I simply will not give them up And you have made me uneasy and have helped to turn an amiable rascal into a confirmed villain. Your affec-tionate Nun."

Professor Aegidi, who was for many years the chief of the press bureau, un der Prince Bismarck, has published the following reminiscence of Prince Bismarck and the czar, Alexander II: "Be fore the outbreak of the Franco-German the dawdling officials one sees at these | war the ezar was with King William places if they were transported by some at Ems. They were together one even ing. and Prince Bismarck was standing or and. Madness would probably be at the other end of the room anxiously

"Suddenly the czar's big dog, which had been lying silent under its master's Mrs. Cleveland's Courtesy.

The following pretty story is told of Mrs. Grover Cleveland: At one of the public receptions given at the White it. The czar, who had attentively watched its movements, called out t in the line that was pushing its way forward to shake hands with the president's wife dropped her handkerchief see, the dog knows his master's

Faroff Russia, where winters are so severe that but for a few months in the entire year are the fields free from snow, is the home of a breed of dogs known | self." there as the Borzoi, or Psovoi. The it to the old lady with the sweet re- fy the terrible cold, and they are built haps done most for the breed. Some 15 plane, and at the bottom, directly oppolying on the top of a beautiful box of years ago the Briton secured the best site to a small plane that came from the White that Russia had and bred them with the exceeding judgment he displays in ever, Germany has made most wonderful strides in breeding these dogs, and, together with the Briton, has brought them very rapidly to the fore. -Outing.

The ordnance survey map of England, above the handle of the doorpost, "Pull gently."

About 9 that evening there was a scale varies from ten feet to one-eighth tree in the country.

"What is your idea of a political "Well," replied Senator Sorghum re "there's lots of different flectively. kinds. But my idea of the genuine ar-"Pull urgently." A passing wag had ded the "ur." X. has now muffled enough while he has an office to pay the expense of getting it for another term."—Washington Star.

The Rev. Dr. Lansdell publicly stated after a thorough visit to Siberia, that should he ever have to change from clerical to convict life, he would choose Siberia and not Millbank or any other English prison, as the scene of lebor. re no besitancy to say that person is, light enough to be taken from place ally I prefer prison life in Siberia to to place by means of horses and ma-neuvered by hand. In our army the approval upon the prison, following the kindly invitations of the chief of police, I was about to transfer my baggage lery the gunners ride horses, so that a from the hotel of the rich Chinaman to horse artillery battery has a great many more horses than a light battery. We have no horse batteries in our army. A better food and bathtubs. I had to give better food and bathtubs, I had to give field battery is a light battery. A flying up the project Interesting things were battery is a horse battery. Siege guns to be seen in the town and upon the great river every minute of the day, so They are intended to be placed perma- I remained with Tai Phoon-Tai, only nently for the time being and are visiting the prison for my tub every brought to their places by teams, but they are not maneuvered as light guns and visit all the prisoners, and I saw nothing to change my opinion of the In his "Highways and Byways In Devon and Cornwall" Arthur H. Nor-sal in Harper's Magazine.

The natives of the west coast of Suwhen they see a ghost, say, 'Numny dumny!' " and he adds, "I leave the still make offerings to the smallpox dev matra object to be vaccinated. They riddle to be solved by any one who is it. The heart and liver of fowls and bufcurious enough to undertake a useful falces are mixed with yellow rice and other ingredients, placed in the model ption of language."

The phrase is probably a corruption sion and finally launched into the sea -Singapore Free Press.

THE SECRET OF BEAUTY

One Can Never Be Pleasant to Look Upon Unless In Good Health.

"The most helpful and agreeable bath is that of tepid water," writes Ruth Ashmore in The Ladies' Home Journal. "Few people can stand absolutely cold baths, and, no matter how strong one may be, such a bath should not be in-dulged in unless a thorough rubbing be taken afterward. To speak plainly, it must be remembered that while a cold bath may be more or less invigorating it is not cleansing. I can easily under being provoked when I think of the amount of money spent on lotions, creams and powders to be applied ex

bath with good soap taken at least once The condition of the skin depends al most entirely upon the care given to the general health. The girl who is up late seldom and exercises less is certain to during the past half century. have either a dull, muddy looking skin or one covered with disagreeable look ing black and red spots. One should and not allow herself to become a slave either to tea or coffee any more than she stimulant. She should also remember

good an effect upon the skin as a tepid

A Russian peasant having gone to the town to buy himself a pair of new boots, fell asleep by the roadside on his ished boots by a light fingered tramp. breed the sense of ownership. In reply be said; passing wagener, seeing him lying baff across the track, shouted to him to

It is a curious fact that with all of

the improvements and modifications notable in our navy we are still using the old fashioned smoky, smelly powder that envelops everything in a gray pall ners. Only one of our ships has been using cordite, the wonderful smokele powder which the English navy has adopted. The results with this ship, the New Orleans, were truly amazing. Timrapidity, accuracy and precision of her fire were the admiration of all observers Smokeless powder has several advantages. There is no obscuring of the view, the explosion producing the morest leaves but little resideum to the gon has much more power and is every way more desirable. Higher muzzle velocity is obtained with a projectile, as the powder burns much more slowly than the ordinary sort, and, therefore, gen erates more gas as the ball travels up to the mouth of the gun. The demand for smokeless powder seems to be one of the imperatives of the immediate future — New York Ledger

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Reckless Nephew-Thanks! Crusty Old Uncle-Well, that's not a very enthusiastic way you have of acknowledging my generosity. I thought you'd be overjoyed at getting this debt off your mind

Reckless Nephew-Oh, it hasn't been bothering me! I had no intention of paying you anyway. - Cleveland Leader

The Policeman - What's your trade? The Suspect -- An ironworker "Is that so? I'll see what you know about it I used to be in the trade my

"1-I mean in a laundry "-Indian

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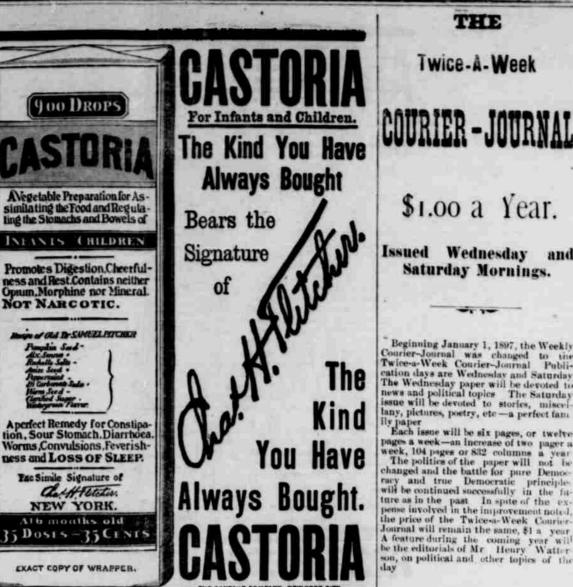
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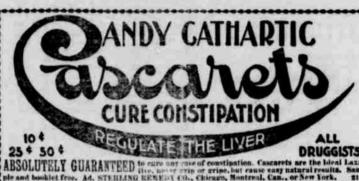
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