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"Are you still the city toastmaster?" "No. I gave up my post some time ago: but I am the queen's bailiff at the central criminal court, and am one of the dest servants of the corporation."

"How many dinners have you put through in your official capacity? "Four thousand and ninety.

"Most of the great speakers you have ing as his neighbor, the horse, until he, heard take something to keep their voice of cropping.

"Well, Disraeli, for instance, always Are there not scores of people who had his butler behind him with a bottle cannot see themselves as others see of egg and sherry, which he had ready them? They have bad blood, pim- mixed. Mr. Gladstone, I have noticed, ples, blotches, eruptions, and other kin- takes sherry, but no egg. The Prince of dred disfigurements. All these annoy- The Duke of Edinburgh, his servant al-Wales, he likes hock and champagne. ing things could be entirely eradicated, ways brings his special brand with him art which pertains to mining. The use -a Russian champagne."

> ALL THE CROWNED HEADS. "Well, Mr. Harker, you have certainly

heard more after dinner speeches than It cures all humors, from the ordi- any man living. Will you offer some

"Well, I suppose Charles Dickens was blood-taints, no matter what their na- as ready a speaker as I ever heard. The blood-taints, no matter what their na-ture, or whether they be inherited or accurate the index of the second seco speaker, because he was so interesting covery" is the only blood - purifier that you wished he would go on forever guaranteed to do just what it is rec- Now, that don't do for me, you know, for I have to stand by with the watch."

"The 'stop' watch, eh?" "Yes; I've stopped Mr. Gladstone before today." This in a confidential whis-

"You don't say so."

spoken into his ear, 'T-i-m-e, sir! t-i-m-e,'

dainties en caisse, en papillot, larks, lob-

sters, oysters. He is very fond of those." ALLCOCK's are the only genuine POROUS "Well, now, who are the most famous PLASTERS. They act quickly and with people you have attended?" Mr. Harker certainty, and can be worn for weeks with- looked hurt and his fingers fumbled irriout causing pain or inconvenience. They tably with his white tie as he proceeded: are invaluable in cases of Spinal Weak-"Why, nearly all the crowned heads ness, Kidney and Pulmonary Difficulties, in Europe. The queen, to begin with. and all Local Pains. Beware of militations, and do not be de-ceived by misrepresentation. Ask for ALLOCK'S, and let no scheltation or ex-planation induce you to accept a substi-fute. Malaria, Ague Cake, Strains, Rheumatism Then I brought out the Prince of Wales

1 remember swearing in the late emperor Nothing that shuns the light can be trusted in of the French as a special juryman at

first induced the Princess of Wales to make a speech in public. I was standing behind her, a good many years ago:

ord yourself it would make all the

THE TURKISH BATH

to the mine for fertilizers is substantially an invention of our own times. Chemists first told the farmer the cause of the or even Levantine luxury and elegance frequent speedy exhaustion in the grain as to fittings and conveniences, she can producing powers of the soil; it has claim to have a large contingent of fresh fallen to the geologist to show whence looking, handsome women who give full may be obtained the phosphatic element credit to the beautifying influence of which is the most quickly exhausted of regular Turkish baths. All the public year ago, and he is awfully afraid of it. I all the elements of plant food in process

Although artificial fertilizers are practically the invention of the last thirty of ladies prominent in society, in the doctor. He answered: "No. What the years, the industries connected with schools, in the churches-in all the sets Jordan medicine won't cure nothing on TRY GERMEA for breakfast. their manufacture now demand a capital and circles of the body social of our city. earth will."

of about \$100,000,000, with an annual On "Ladies' Days" this bath house can I found your medicines in Sacramento product of about that amount, and the hardly accommodate the crowds of this winter, and introduced them into one volume of the industries is increasing maids, matrons, children and school family where the children had the whoopmore rapidly, perhaps, than any other girls that are its regular customers. HAVE THEIR REGULAR DAYS.

The visitor as well as the attendants at were sick with colds in some form-took of artificial fertilizers grew out of the trade in guano. These heaps of bird the bath house soon learn to look for cer- the medicines, and were delighted with dung were first made use of by the Peru-tain classes on the same days of each suc-them. Very respectfully, vians. The account of Garcilasco de la cessive week. Those who come by order

Vega, published in 1604, relates that the of their physicians, or for some special Peruvians in the Twelfth century used physical ailment, are generally promptly guano beds as a source of fertilizers. Of on hand Tuesday; society women who such importance did they esteem the come to recuperate their expended material of these beds that the penalty strength and for beauty baths, favor of death was imposed by the early Incas upon any one found killing the birds which made these precious deposits. For many years the guano beds of the western coast of South America and other similar deposits within the tropi other similar deposits within the tropi- skin of their spent forces and relax the other device is a fraud.

cal region supplied the demands of our taut muscles of discipline on the slab gardens. As the supply of these guanos where the spray soothingly falls on the BLIND.

approached exhaustion and the price injust and the unjust alike, for most often, "A fact. When he is too long I have gists showed the manufacturers where come in gay, noisy little shoals and make

Texas, has given an important treatise baths. Those who groan with flesh think on phosphate deposits, and although his the bathing and the rubbing will make report mainly concerns the phosphates of the burden roll away; those whose com-North America, it gives a synoptic ac- plexions are too pale or too sallow seek count of the known beds of this nature there color and clearness. The pimpled in all parts of the world. The report face expects to grow smooth, the flushed makes it plain that only a small part of face pale-in sooth, they think the Turkthe deposits of this nature are yet known ish bath the real fountain of eternal

youth and beauty. Women as ugly and to us. The process of discovery of these val- old as the Witch of Endor have parboiled uable resources is now, and for a long themselves until the sap of life has left time will be, slow, and this for the rea- their skins like parchment, and they son that the material occurs in forms have finally dried up and blown away which are unfamiliar to the public or on the way from their tri-weekly trips even to the ordinarily trained prospector to the Turkish baths, where they hoped who seeks for mineral resources. In to grow fat, fair, and 40 at least, when most cases the material appears either scragginess and the seventies had seized in the form of greenish crystals or in the them ten years before.

shape of nodular masses looking much | One entire fat family of social as well like claystones. In neither of these as personal magnitude in this city never shapes is it likely to attract general at- fails to send its ample supply of daughtention. In fact the great deposits at ters for a douche and a pounding every Charleston, S. C., had been in view for a Thursday; but pounding only seems to century or more. Concretions of cerne make them more pulpy. Then there are phosphate were dug up in the ditches of three thin sisters who go to gain sym the rice fields and condemned as worth- metry; and three other sisters who have less until after the war, when a native the natural rotundity and rosiness of chemist, once a man of fortune, but stocky girls only one generation removed brought to need by the havoc wrought from the farm life of their mother's paupon that country during the rebellion, | rental precincts, go for-well, for what groping about to find some means of Perhaps to get elongated; perhaps to acmending his resources, analyzed the re-jected stones. As the result of his in-knows for what-perhaps only for the quiry they became the very foundation fun of it. Then there comes a tall girl, of the commercial prosperity in his state. neither too thick nor too thin, too rosy -N. S. Shaler in Boston Herald. nor too pale, and, as is natural, she inclines to the stout, short girls, and they Curiosities of Natural Gas.

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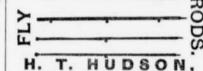




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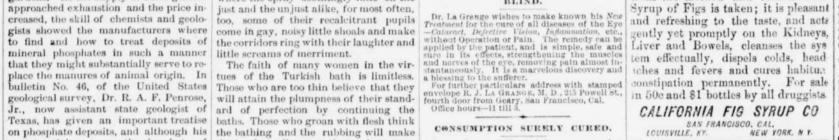
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difference,' and she did. The Baroness bore the earth too much. He assumes Burdett-Coutts, too, I induced to speak when she opened Columbia market." the earth to be a hollow sphere filled with a gaseous substance called by us "Well, you heard about your successor

who couldn't pronounce Massachusetts? these reservoirs will cause disastrous exever had to tackle?"

cautions 'Riandriandrianivo,' as near probably caused by vacuums created by as I can remember it," said Mr. Har- the outflowing gas. He compares the 'Rain and rain and dry again,' ker. as Punch called it. The biggest number I think I ever did was 5,000 foreign doc- if exhausted, will cause the crust to coltors who dined at the Guildhall, and they said I didn't make one mistake." "What preparation had you for your the heavenly bodies, and falls in pieces

"In 1844 I shipped with Sir John Ross should be prohibited by stringent laws. or the Antarctic expedition. We win He, too, thinks there is a possibility of tered twice in 76 degs, south; then we an explosion, though from another cause went to China, Australia, New Zealand. Tasmania, getting remounts for the regitry along the gas belt from Tolede nents engaged in the Indian mutiny. had joined the commissariat then. 1 will be ripped up to the depth of twelve came home in the fifties, and served or fifteen hundred feet, and flopped over through the Crimean war." 'Any wounds?'

"A bullet in my leg, a gun carriage howling down, filling the Ohio and Misrushed my ribs, and a slice of my chin sissippi valleys, and blotting them out out off with a saber. Pretty tough, chi | forever." Still another theorist has investigated I have twenty-six medals and orders, and my collection of autographs is not to be | the gas wells with telephones and delieaten, I think, for I have 600 cabinet cate thermometers and he announces

portraits of all the famous men and women for thirty years past, with autographs attached." "By the way, what are your fees?" "Two guineas for a city dinner and ten earth is 3,500 degs. This scientist says guineas if I travel.

"And your uniform?" "Well, evening dress as often as not ow. In the good old days I wore a mass of rearing, seething flame, which eautiful velvet dress, with knee breeches and silver decorations, which cost £200. of the cavern and thinning it. Event But the city can't spend money like they used to do. They are watched by the newspapers."-Pall Mall Gazette, and Findlay and its neighborhood will be blown shy

Some Curious Misnomers Arabic figures were invented by the spect to this new fuel.-Professor Joseph ndians, not by the Arabs. Dutch clocks are not of Dutch, but

Jerman (deutsch) manufacture. Irish stew is a dish unknown in Ire-

Baffin's bay is no bay at all. Catgut is the gut of sheep, not of cats. Down is used instead of a-down and

utterly perverts its meaning. The Saxon condensed milk on the kitchen table with a violent hiccoughing or jumping of dun is a hill, and a-dun is its opposite, a sardine opener beside it.-Life.

A Pertinent Question.

is, I desire-er-the hand of your daughter. Roks-What's the matter with the rest of hert-Judge.

Other Identification Needed. "What name, pleasef"

"Dear met How indefinite!"-Lowell Citi-

Missuderatood.

Impresario-Do you sing chest-notes! Signora Harlemotti-No, sir! Everything in my reppytory is dead new.-Judge,

you two are so different. - Epoch.

One writer asks whether it is safe to Turkish baths. SOUNDING THE MAN ALARM.

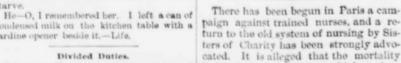
The mother of nine children, whose with a gaseous substance called by us natural gas, and he thinks that tapping friends tell her she "doesn't look a day What is the most difficult name you plosions, resulting from the lighted gas ularly, and says, "it's the Turkish bath does it." The phrase may be a little coming in contact with that which is "The Madagascar envoy's. They were escaping. Earthquakes, he says, are promiscuous, but it seems to be understood by her friends and fellow bathers. After her will come a beautiful matro earth to a balloon floated and kept dis- of ten years' standing, who never had any children, and her acquaintances will tended by the gas in the interior, which. tell her she never looked so beautiful and strong, and congratulate her on the lapse, affect the motion of the earth in good times she has going around the its orbit, cause it to lose its place among world and having no children to keep Another writer thinks that boring

her at home, and wind up by saying she looks younger than ever, and she says, it is all the Turkish bath.

Then a widely known teacher, wis and learned, will be heard telling a pale Should such a disaster occur, "the counlittle Dante woman that nothing so helps to clear the brain and put spring into the through Ohio, Indiana and Kentucky vertebra and make keen the nerves. which, unclogged, aid all the faculties to digest the learned dissertations of the like a pancake, leaving a chasm through doctors now expounding doctrines of the which the waters of Lake Erie will come flesh and the devil as given forth by Goethe at the guild rooms of St. George's as a thorough massage of the physical woman

A suffragist, tossing wildly on a hard couch near by, from which she can see the clock, whose warning hour hand startling discoveries. He distinguished stands at half-past 12, notes the fact that sounds like the boiling of rocks, and es-"we must all be getting out of here pretty timated that a mile and a half or so besoon for those selfish men, who want the neath Findlay the temperature of the place at 1 o'clock. When women can vote we'll change all this." "I hope you an immense cavity exists under Findlay won't vote to let the men in during th and that here the gas is stored; that a women's hours," exclaimed the horrified mile below the bottom of the cavity is : woman of calculus and belles lettres "No! wait till I get my corsets on," cries is gradually eating into the rocky floor a beauty from her dressing room who has only heard "men" mentioned, and ually the flames will reach the gas, a she immediately applies the rabbit's foot to her cheeks, ties down her lace veil and goes out with a last injunction to her ward in an instant. Such are some of bather to "take care of my terry blanket the theories gravely propounded in reand things"-and with her face toward the door to get the first glimpse of any of those "horrid men" who may be com-F. James in Popular Science Monthly. ing, she looks over the register as she signs her name and reads therein a list

of the best known names in the city .-She-I forgot all about poor pussy, left in St. Louis Republic. the house alone, and we off for a week. She'll



Divided Duties. Daughter-Ma, the new girl has got mad in hospitals is 4 per cent. higher since and gone, and we'll have to get another right the introduction of trained nurses.

Mrs. De Style-Well, telephone to your pa Young Goslin-Mr. Roks, I wish-er-that I desire-er-the hand of your daughter. Roks-What's the matter with the rest of nyself .- New York Weekly.

Forethought.

She-Oh, horrors!

He-What is it, darling?

Took the Hint and Got Even. Miss B. (hinting for Mr. C. to leave)-I should think you would take cold out here. Mr. C.-Yes, if you were the weather I might; good night.-West Shore.

Delicately Put. He-I am sure you would like my brother. She-I have no doubt I should. I am told

Didn't Know Which. "What is the matter, Alice! You look

"I am. It's too mean for anything! Thes reses have just come with a card, 'Wear the for Jack,' and I don't know whether th

om the Jack I hate or the one I like It's too horrid!"- Harper's Bazar.

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Miss Giltman-Why, these I'm wearing 0081 \$10. Miss C .- Well, I suppose they charge according to size .- Ohio State Journal.

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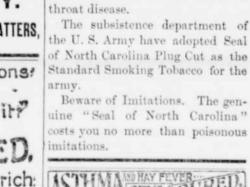
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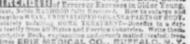


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