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Beauty In High Backed Chairs. "There is a certain chair in the Tuxedo clubhouse," said a New York man, "that all the women seem to go for. It is not particularly comfortable, but it has the reputation of being very becoming, having gravestones and funeral epitaphs are a very high back which serves as a distinctunknown. This is the village of Boreias Iy good background." It is a well known in the Maritime Alps. The dead are not fact that a high backed chair is much more becoming to the figure and face than a low One of the most successful patterns in the way of dining room chairs has a high leather back reaching several inches above to strengthen the garrison, and their maintenance there amounted to \$15,000 down. The dull coloring of the old Spanish leather is wonderfully efficacious in bringing out the fresh tints of a pretty woman in her best attire as she sits framed, as it were, in a beautiful setting studded with antique nails and quite separated in effect from the rest of the room. There is something very reposeful and aristocratic in such isolation besides being eminently

"How well Mrs. Blank's white head and fine features look against that old leather," said a young artist who was present at a dinner where the chairs were like the model described. "I feel as if we were all a collection of Vandyke portraits."-New York

Men Blush More Than Women.

On a work on criminology the learned nvestigator says that out of examined. Of 122 female criminals 81 per up with science, they must change their indicis of emotion. It must be the men who blush and the other sex whose sensitiveness must not be a regular feature. Leander blushes as he declares himself or is sudden-ly brought up against a sentimental out-expert will present to measures necessary to ly brought up against a sentimental outentist also notices that women blush about also requires a change in the novels. It is ed with the university. This may lead to an a pointer, too, for the ladies' man who is advance in the lowest rents, which, howwatching for signs that he is making an ever, will be more than offset by the feeling impression. If he fastens his gaze upon of security against avoidable illness.—Bosthe left ear, he may see something that will | ton Transcript. tell him he may consider himself happy .-San Francisco Argonaut.

Lightning at Marseilles. saw it play only last week. I was having the parlor. my lunch at Cabournat's—you know Ca-bournat at the corner of the Canebiere bridge, Cabournat, the best hand in all the province for preparing a bouillabaisse? All of a sudden the electric fluid invaded the restaurant-it double locked three doors

and opened four dozen oysters! Opened them, I tell you, as clean as with a knife!

manach Drolatique.

Moonstruck Sailors. There is no doubt that persons are often and the lunar rays therefore cannot reach tars sleep on deck and are often picked up

A Juvenile Opinion. An observing little girl, who lives in the upper part of the city, does her own thinking and speaks right out with juvenile tion. In brief it has been used frankness, was looking at some pictures by millions and its the only true and the other evening and came across one which represented a woman in a full sized hoopskirt, such as was worn when the style was at its height. She studied it as a rare curiosity for a second, and then ex-

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Taracturiosity for a second, and then exclaimed: "Mamma, just look at this lady with an umbrella on."—Detroit Free Press.

To Investigate the South Pole.

Professor Nordenskjold, of arctic fame, will soon start from Australia in two small sailing vessels, having auxiliary steam power, for an exploration of the antarctic ocean. The vessels will vice found useful in ice navigation. The locality has not been visited since James Ross' expedition in 1841, although the English ship Challenger went as far south as latitude 65 degs. 42 min. in 1874. -Exchange.

The Bear Scares the Ranchers. There is a bear roaming the river bottoms in the vicinity of Linda that, when it sees a man, rises on its hind legs and begins to dance. It is thought the creature must have escaped from some gypsies who recently passed through the town. Many of the ranchers living near there are so frightened that they sleep N. P. N. U. No. 510-S. F. N. U. No. 587 in their windmills at night,-

I was riding up through Arkansas with We were on our way back to Price's army. Missouri. The Yankees had let us alone so long we thought maybe they had quit fighting or had forgotten us. We were getting anxious about it. Along toward night I met a man who had lived up there in the mountains. He had been fishing and had his string of fish with him. He was going home. I was pretty full of patriotism and notions about duty. You see, I had studied the relations of the states to the nation, and the relations of the states to the states, and the relations of the states to the territories, and the relations of the citizen to the states and to the nation. I thought I knew all about it. I said to this man away up in the mountains of Arkansas:

"Why aren't you in the army?"
"What army?" he asked. "The Confederate army, of course," said I.

"Oh, yes," he said, "I did hear something about such an army.' "Yes," said I, growing a little hot, "I thought so. And why aren't you out with

it fighting the battles of the country?"
"What country?" he asked.
"This country," I said.
He looked all around him at the moun-

tains, and then he said: "Stranger, suppose you lived in this country, and owned all you wanted of it, and had all the use of it you wanted, and some other fellow was paying the taxes and the expense of keeping up the government, wouldn't you think you was a derned fool to go to fightin about it with that other fellow?"-St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

The Battleground of the Azores.

In 1580 the Azores came under the power of Spain, and in the history of the next 20 years their name is frequent as the favorite battleground of the English and Spanish The partiality was indeed mainly on the side of the former and for a good Spanish Main.

On the highest peak of Terceira, whence in clear weather the sea could be scanned for leagues around, were raised two columns, and by them a man watched night and day. When he saw any sails approaching from the west, he set a flag upon the western column-one for each sail. If they came from the east, a similar sign was set

on the eastern column. Hither in those days came up out of the mysterious western seas the great argostes laden with gold and silver and jewels, with silks and spices and rare woods, wrung at the cost of thousands of harmless lives and cruelties unspeakable from the fair lands which lie between the waters of the Caribbean sea and the giant wall of the Andes. And hither, when England, too, began to turn her eyes to El Dorado, came the great war galleons of Spain and Portugal to meet these precious cargoes and convey them safe into Lisbon or Cadiz before those terrible English sea wolves could get scent of the prize.-Macmillan's Magazine.

Health of Harvard Students.

Harvard's sanitary condition is the subject of some adverse comment just nowgroundless, it would seem, because for the present it is authoritatively denied that the health of the college is anything but the best; for the future any demand for revision is anticipated by measures already in hand. The desire to keep expenses at a minimum causes the demand for cheap lodgings, and therein lies the greatest day criminals 44 per cent did not blush when ger. The right of a student to live in any locality is still subject to the permission of cent did not blush. If our novels are to keep | the faculty, and an inspection of students quarters has begun with a view to black

listing unwholesome houses. In one department at least every student's room will be visited. Where such a course crop, but Hero takes it calmly. The sci- obviate any suspicious conditions, and unless these are complied with the places will the ears rather than on the cheek. This be declared untenantable for those connect-

> Who Was Doing the Calling. William came to see the small boy's sis-

ter oftener than anybody else, but George A party of gentlemen were discussing the and one or two others appeared between singular effects of lightning in the hearing times. Several evenings ago the small boy of a Marseillais, who broke in with: "The came in about 9 o'clock, and meeting his effects of lightning! Just fancy the trick I older brother in the hall asked who was in

"I don't know," he said; "some young man. I heard his voice, but didn't see him. "What are they doing in there!"

"Oh, billing and cooing, I presume." "I guess not," retorted the boy. "They may be Georging and cooing, or something like that, but no billing. I met Bill on the There, that'll give you an idea how the lightning goes to work at Marseilles."—Al- load of coal."—Detroit Free Press. street as I came in, looking as black as a

A Boon For Women.

Imagine the bliss for women if they could go in and order a gown and then go back moonstruck, particularly in the tropics.

There is in port today the master of a vessel whose face is horribly distorted by a sorts of weather and on nearly every ocshock from the moon's rays while he was casion for six months to come. Of course, crossing the equator on his way north. On | with a certain class of women (and a large warships no one is allowed to sleep on deck, and the lunar rays therefore cannot reach "Othello's occupation's gone." But for them, but on merchant vessels, where there | those of the weaker sex who fondly imagine is less discipline, especially in hot weather, that they have brains and would like to cultivate them, and have a higher aim in bleak, bitter North, in damp New insensible in the morning.-Philadelphia life than shopping, it would be a great boon.—Chicago News-Record.

> The Earth Was Round Before Christ. Between 380 and 276 B. C. Aristotle, "the Stagirite," observed an occultation of Mars by the moon, and Eratosthenes of Cyrene computed the ciecumference of the earth by measuring an arc of the meridian. It seems strange that such experiments as this last should have been successfully carried out 276 years before the birth of the Saviour, and yet the scientific (?) men of the world refuted the doctrine of the earth being round for nearly 1,500 years afterward.-St. Louis Republic.

The Price of Mr. Astor's New Home. I have reason to believe that the £350,000 which I mentioned last week as having been paid for the Cliveden estate by Mr. Astor to the antarctic ocean. The vessels will the Duke of Westminster was the sum be thoroughly equipped with every de- which his grace asked and not the amount which he eventually accepted. I am given to understand that the figure at which the deal was actually effected was £300,000. It is said that the relations and friends of the duke are not at all pleased that his grace should have parted with the seat.—London

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And if you should want to win it" And again I boked, and to my surprise I raw two tears in her deep, dark eyes: 'Whom do you leve this minute?'

'Whom do you love?" and I caught the swell Of her breast ber grief had given And I touched her lips, and I smelled the

Of the passion flower and the asphodel, And the earth was changed to heaven.

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—Cy Warman in New York Sun.

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