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The Worship of Serpents. The small town of Werds, in the hingdom of Dahomey, is celebrated for its "temple of serpents," a long building

brought to them as offerings by the natives.

These corpents, many of them of enormous size, may be seen hanging from the beams across the ceiling, with their heads pointing downward and in all sorts of strange contortions.

The priests make the small serpents go through various evolutions by lightly touching them with a red not vertice. not venture to touch the largest ones, some of which are large enough to infold a bullock in their colla.

It often happens that some of the serpents make their way out of the temple into the town, and the priests have the greatest difficulty in coaring them back. To kill a serpent intention-ally is a crime punished with death. and if a European were to kill one the authority of the king bimself would scarcely suffice to save his life. Any one killing a serpent unintentionally nust inform the priest of what has securred and go through the course of purification which takes place once a

Artificial Limbe

"A manufacturer or dealer in artificial limbs who wears a cork arm or leg himself is much better equipped for business than his competitors who are sound," said a man who uses a cork leg. "In fact, it has become a sort of unwritten law among us to patronise such men when possible. Sentimental reasons may have something to do with the case, but I guess the chief reason is that we consider that if a man can make a limb for himself that fits like the paper on the wall he can make argument, for it's no easy thing to get an artificial limb that just fits. For-sons who have trouble getting shoes that are just right are in great luck compared to us."—New York fius.

Aimest insulted.

Amid the lace bargains in one of the large department stores the other day a shopper engrossed in thought set her a shopper engrossed in thought set an ittle Japanese spaniel on the counter. One of the salesgiria, not seeing the little dog, threw a remnant of reduced lace over him and entirely submerged lace over him and entirely submerged him. When the woman went to look for her pet he was not to be found, but several shrill yelps, accompanied by an upheaval of the lace, betrayed his presence. He was quickly rescued from his predicament, and the woman, showering kisses upon his moist, upturned nose, said, "Did they cover mamma's precious with cheap fifty cent lace?"

The salesgiri, who evidently had cul-tivated diplomacy, assured the dog's mistress that the lace had been re-duced from \$1 to 50 cents, and the wo-man took her pet away mollified.— Philadelphia Becord

"Yes," said the Biliville story telles, "the cyclone carried his house into the next county and set it down there as somfortable as you please, and as he stepped out of the door to survey the country the man who owned the land notified him of suit for trespase and the tax collector handed him a bill for taxes."—Atlanta Constitution.

LOVE FOR TITLES.

The Way the Average German Surger

The average German burgher's love of titles is a source of never ending fun to the rest of the German popula-tion and of continual ridicule to the rest of the world. Any one caring to see how far some people of the father-land will go in this direction need only have a look at a hotel register at a summer resert. He will see added to the name of the guest the most curious combinations of appellations

road subsecretary."

The ladies are not better. "Frau quite usual and means "Mrs. Widowed Supertax Collector." Then there are the "Mrs. Secretary and Calculator" and "Mrs. Widowed General Agent." The best of all, however, is a title which a lady entered in the register of a hotel at which I recently stayed. It read, "Mrs. Prison Warder and Chil-dren."—Pall Mall Gasette.

TAMING A BIRD.

Touching a Posthered Pot to Trust You is Not Difficult.

No creature is more jealous or sensi-tive than a bird. It is easy, however, to win the heart of almost any bird, and that without starving him or mak-

hing him think he has mastered you.

Simply talk to him a good deal.

Place his cage near you on your deak
or work table, and retain his choicest dainty to give to him with your own fingers. Let him know that he can never have that particular thing us he takes it from you, and he will soon learn, if you are patient and do not disconcert him by fixing your eyes upon him.

it from your lips, and then when you let him out of his cage, after the first excitement is over, he will come to you, especially if you have a call to which you have accustomed him, and accept the dainty from you while free.

A Lest Opportunity.

The father of the late Benoit Constant Coquelin, the great French actor, was a baker, and young Coquelin was brought up to the trade. At thirteen, a writer in Le Figure says, he manifested an irresistible inclination toward the stage, an inclination which his father steadfastly strove to repress.

"Don't devote so much time to those

"Don't devote so much time to those dramas," his father used to say. "You have learned a good trade, the business is running well, and you shall be my

A number of years after Constant had made his way into general favor his father, who took pride in his boy's success, but could never quite get over the feeling that Constant should have been a baker, was congratulated upon his son's eminence."

"I remember" said the old man.

"I remember," said the old man, "that Constant was a good baker. He would have gone far in the trade."

Blowing Up the Leeks.

Would it be easy to blow up and destroy a lock canal by the malicious use of dynamite or other high explosive?

The question has been debated much in connection with the Panama canal.

The Engineering News calls attention to the fact that an attempt made in 1900 to wreek the Welland canal in 1900 to wreck the Welland canal in this way produced surprisingly small results. After two weeks' examination ficial limbs know this, and frequently you will find an advertisement like the two men concerned selected lock. Metallic the two men concerned selected lock this: 'The Bo-and-so artificial leg is built by a man who is wearing one and who knows from experience what you want for comfort.' This is a strong argument, for it's no easy thing to get an artificial limb that just fits. Persons who have trouble getting shoes through each gate and loosened thinges, the gates remained in positional bolding back the water.

in the Regular Establishment. "Yes," said the fresh young lieuten-ant, "the army has fallen on evil

The sophisticated captain merely

"Why," the F. Y. L. went on, "look at the names on this roll—Private Entrance, Corporal Punishment, Major Domo, General Housework. What

But just then the S. C. shied a-a-well, a ginger ale bottle at the feeing offender.—Lippincott's.

"You say the defendant pulled the plaintiff's hair. Now, how could the defendant, who is an unusually short man, reach the plaintiff's hair, the plaintiff being fully six feet tail?"

"Why, you see, your honor, the plaintiff was butting him at the time."

—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Evidently a Connelscour.
"Bilggins is a connelscour in cigare."
"He must be. Otherwise be might make an occasional mistake and give away a good one."—Washington Star.

Mary, aged fourtren, was found one day by an older sister sobbing and cry-

ing.
"What is the matter?" she asked, with great concern.
"Three boys have saked me to go to
the dance tonight," was the unexpect-

ed reply.
"Well, my dear child, certainly that

is not such a terrible misfortuse."
"Yes, but I told the first one I would go with him, and the last one was a long panter."

drawn together to form a title. He will, for instance, find:

A "Technischen Provinzialfeueraosic-tatsinspector" (a technical provincial fire insurance inspector).

A "Gebeimen Expedierenden Sekretar im Ministerium der Offeutilchen Arbeiten" (meaning a special sort of secretary at the ministry of public works).

A "to continue in English as well as possible—"cashier president of the Royal Raxon railway," a "royal railroad subsecretary."

The ladies are not better. "Frau mead was given, the man under indictivation of the provincial fire in use every day, parks to the times of facettish remance and traggety and use every day, parks to the times of facettish remance and traggety as in use every day, parks to the times of facettish remance and traggety as in use every day, parks to the times of facettish remance and traggety as in use every day, parks to the times of facettish remance and traggety as in use every day, parks to the times of facettish remance and traggety as in use every day, parks to the times of facettish remance and traggety as in use every day, parks to the times of facettish remance and traggety as in use every day, parks to the times of facettish remance and traggety as in use every day, parks to the tim mend was given, the man under indict-ment would begin running and the archere firing, and if in running this gantlet none of the arrows hit him be was allowed to go seet free.—Exchange.

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When Mrs. Jackson

saw the piano she said "That is a fine instrument, and I am going to work hard to get it for my home

Little Miss Martin

who is just ten years old and taking her first music lesson, said that "Her Papa would have to buy all of his clothes and shoes and hats and everything at Hec-tor's so that he could get the piano for her."

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