Ship Saved by Dancing.

tiously feeling her way toward Quebec | should. on the night of August 16, 1906, when the navigating officer, misled by a bush fire on land, took the wrong bearings and suddenly struck on a hidden reef with such force that the huge ship was shaken from stem to stern. Orders were at once given for the whole crew, officers as well as men. to assemble on desk with their kits in their hands, and all the 850 men were told to dance so as to keep the ship "alive," and so prevent the . Dominion's keel from settling down on the ledge. At first the bluejackets whistled an accompaniment to keep the men in step till the captain ordered the ship's band to play lively selections. The men danced with a will, stamping their feet and swaying their bodies, and doing all they could to rock the ship. In the end they succeeded, for finally, with the engines working full speed astern, the Dominion slowly gave way and backed again into deep water. The dancing had saved the ship.

A Bath-Tub Joke.



Clean and sweet from head to feet Is Jerry, but not his twin. "Now for the other!" says merry mother, And quickly dips him in

Jim and Jerry, with lips of cherry, And eyes of the selfsame blue; Twins to a speckle, yes, even freckle-

What can a mother do? They wink and wriggle and laugh and giggle-A joke on mother is nice!

"We played a joke"—'twas Jimmie who spoke-

"And you've washed the same boy

# History Game.

The following is a pleasant little launching of the boat, and is claimed game to play with your friends or with to bring good luck to the vessel and the grown folks. Try it with the lat- her crew.

EX-QUEEN OF HAWAII'S GIFT.

Liliuokalani Provides in Will fo

the Orphans of the Islands.

By the terms of a deed of trust just

executed Former Queen Liliuokalani of

the Hawaiian Islands has provided for

the endowment, after death, of orphan

asylums for children of Hawaiian or

part Hawalian blood. The entire es-

tate is valued at \$200,000. The trustee-

ship of the large portion which will

fect rests in W. O. Smith, A. S. Cleg-

claims against the United States gov-

forward the asylum project.

in the Episcopal church.

ment, became notorious.

first converts to Christianity at the

circulation a few years ago. Her re-

lations with Marshal Wilson, a Tabi-

tian half-breed who enjoyed many of

her royal favors, to his own enrich-

Queen Lilliuokalani made the latest

of many visits to Washington last

January as a claimant for \$250,000

which represented, it was held, the

value of lands passed to the United

States. During her reign the queen

maintained the area of the crown lands

was about 1,000,000 acres, and their

A life interest in the crown lands

became vested in each monarch as

successor to the trust, and it was a

private income to be used as the mon

arch saw fit. The income from this

source, when the government was

overthrown, she placed at \$65,000 a

year. In addition to this the privy

purse, amounting to \$20,000 a year, in-

ured to the occupant of the throne.

These items formed the basis of her

claim. It was her hope, after ineffect-

ual appeals to Congress, that the con-

science of the American people could

be aroused. Her claim has had promi

nent supporters in this country, among

values in excess of \$12,000,000.

horn and C. P. Iaukea,

ernment.

ter, and see if they remember as much The battleship Dominion was cau- of their American history as they

The initials, or first letters of the words correspond with those of the When you have character's name.

used this list, make a new one. Perilous Rider. Great Warrior. Always Loyal. Worthy Peacemaker. Harbor Hunter. Exceptional Ally. Considered Crazy. Before Foreigners. Religious Wanderer. Sailed Confidently. Unusually Successful General. Marching Suitor. The answers in this case would be Paul Revere George Washington. Abraham Lincoln.

William Penn.

Ethan Allen.

Henrik Hudson,

Christopher Columbus.

The American Cattail.

but from its root is prepared an astrin-

gent medicine, while its stems, when

prepared dry, are excellent for the

manufacture of mats, chair bottoms

Old Bullfrog.

For playing this merry game one

child is seated on the ground with

his legs under him while the other

players form a ring around him. They

then pull him about and give him lit-

tle pushes, and he must try to catch

one without rising from the floor. The

child who is caught takes the middle,

Coin Under the Mast.

One of the old customs which have

never been changed in the launching

of a new ship is that of placing a gold

coin under the mainmast. This coin,

which is not of any certain denomi-

nation, always bears the date of the

who interested himself in her behalf

CITY COMFORTS INCREASING.

Statistics Relative to Bathing

Beaches, Zoos, and Play Grounds.

for 1907, now in press, relative to the

New York has the largest acreage

Playgrounds are maintained in 76

playgrounds increased from \$516,177

ington. The total acreage devoted to

playgrounds was greatest in Indian-

apolis, followed by New York, Boston

and Baltimore. In New York most

of the area devoted to playgrounds

was connected with public schools.

Woman's Point of View.

Husband-What! Three hundred

Wife-No more than you. Didn't

you spend \$75 for your last suit?-

Immune.

poin' to git the automobile fever, Ezry.

Farmer Hornbeak-Nope! I've been

A New York dressmaker duns delin-

uent customers by sending them

How a woman does enjoy

vaccinated in the pocketbook and it

Farmer Grayneck-S'pose you

and fifty dollars for that gown? My

dear, how extravagant you are!

New York Press.

like everybody else?

ounches of forget-me-nots.

took.-Puck.

them Senator Hoar of Massachusetts, tired, if it is frem shopping!

(278.5) devoted to zoological parks,

statistics of the 158 largest cities each

It is shown in the United States

ulation in 1907.

The ex-queen is a woman of culture

without success.

and in music.

be devoted to this humanitarian ob- Census Bureau's special annual report

queen is said to be in excellent health, that from 1905 to 1907 the number of

says an exchange. W. O. Smith, oddly bathing beaches reported increased

enough in view of his selection as a from 44 to 53; swimming pools, from

trustee, was a leader in the movement | 56 to 61; and all the year baths, from

to bring about Liliuokalani's dethrone- 15 to 78. The total bathing attend-

Honolulu, represented the Hawaiian to 29,204,838 in 1907, an increase of

government at the coronation of Czar 52.4 per cent. More than half of this

Nicholas and the jubilee of Queen Vic- attendance was reported from New

toria. He was Llliuokalani's manager York City, those ranking next in order

until her return from Washington last being Philadelphia, Boston, Chicago

The trust deed stipulates that cer- followed in order by Washington

tain annuities are to be paid to a few (166.5) and Atlanta (140). In the

former retainers and that relatives are number of mammals and birds that

to have the use of the real property. such parks contain, New York ranks The Spreckels mortgage of \$70,000 is first and Cincinnati second, while

also to be paid. The entire residue Washington ranks third in number of

of the estate, of wihch she is to enjoy mammals and Philadelphia third in

Lilluokalani is the great-grandniece of the 158 cities included in the re-

of the celebrated Kapiolani, one of the port, and the city appropriations for

Boston visited Hawaii, in 1820. The one-third of the amount was appropri-

ex-queen was herself a communicant ated by New York, the cities next in

none too favorable a light gained wide for playgrounds was greatest in Wash-

parks.

laukea, formerly a sheriff in ance increased from 19,158,562 in 1905

Though 71 years old, the former having over 30,000

year, where she had gone to urge her and Milwaukee.

the benefit while she lives, will go to number of birds.

while the frog joins the circle.

Benjamin Franklin.

Roger Williams.

Ulysses S. Grant.

Sebastian Cabot,

Miles Standish.

and the like.

tecture shall approximate to and follow the leading features of well known lofty edifices in New York, and be fitted with appliances for luxury and in' lesson. It's a composition. domestic economy quite novel to this country. There is nothing of this character at present in England, and light)-Honestly? the promoters say that should the scheme be carried out Richmond will at all events benefit, as its vast natural beauties have not sufficed to save it from a lack of material prosperity The cattail of the American swamps almost exactly the same plant as which has been creeping over it for the Egyptian bulrush. It is no longer some years past. Lovers of natural used for making paper, as it once was,

> Ancaster House was given to Sir Lionel Darell by George III., who used to make a stay there every week. More recently it was the residence of Sir music,"-Cleveland Leader.

### Knowledge That Is Power.

ture which they can scarcely lift.

It is not the ability, the education, the knowledge that one has that makes the difference between men. The mere possession of knowledge is not always and marked personal charm. She has the possession of power; knowledge found refuge since her dethronement which has not been digested and asin reading, in the study of languages similated and become a part of yourself, knowledge which cannot swing into line in an emergency, is of little use, and will not save you at a critical hind the window. "Has the cashier their own risk is held in Tompkins moment.

To be effective, a man's education must become a part of himself, as he goes along. All of it must be worked up into power. A little practical education that has become a part of one's give gas. being and is always available will ac- a millinery display. When the wom- That no question as to the title of complish more in the world than en get absorbed in looking at the hats the insured can be considered by refknowledge far more extensive that they're oblivious to pain."-Kansas erees appointed in accordance with a cannot be utilized.

## Just a Little Dublous.

uccession of four admirable wives, all Cowpuncher-That line, as you cail of whom had been removed from the it, lady, we use for catching cattle whom should be conclusive as to the scene of their earthly activities by one and horses. Young Lady-I dare say, amount of loss and damage, is held cause or another within a period of Now, may I ask what do you use to: in Dunton vs. Westchester F. Ins. Co. twenty years.

to be so much a matter of course that the door in response to Wigglesby's when, after a year of widowerhood, he ring. announced his approaching fifth marriage, one of his neighbors said, "Well, but she's engaged," said the maid. change or discontinuance of a private

"This one won't," said the prospective bridegroom, "for old Parson Frost's off on his three months' leave. you know, and he's never failed to tie the knot for me.

"I said to Susan that I didn't know as 'twould hardly seem like a wedding ter, and if he did well she guessed last night. O'Sudds (after waiting a in fact it had been paid by assign-

added Uncle Solon, thoughtfully, "but truthfully. I appreciate the effort, it sounded kind of ominous to me."

## A Bright Idea.

Yeast-It is said that the baya bira of India spends his spare time catch while in the other cities named most ing fireflies, which he fastens to the of the playground area was in city sides of his nest with moist clay. On a dark night a baya's nest glows like an electric street lamp.

Crimsonbeak-Say, there's a bright idea for decorating that keyhole in my 'ront \*door .- Yonkers Statesman.

In an oyster house a man ordered hot or cold?" asked the waiter. "Hot, counter and roared: "One plate of hot devils!" and a clerical looking gentle- your magazine."-Chicago Tribune. man not ten feet away from him nearly fell out of his chair.

bly get over it in time; experience not. Anita-Yes, it is, because my fatakes it out of him. But there isn't ther said so, and my father is a pro-

you can't do

SKYSCRAPERS FOR ENGLAND. lowering Flats to Be Erected in London's Ancient Resort. Possibly no spot equally close to

London has maintained its old-world exclusiveness to such an extent as Richmond, but there are signs that it, in its turn, is giving way to the march of modernity. A group of American capitalists is having prepared plans for the erection of a towering pile of flats, in one single edifice, on the summit of the hill, the Boston Transcript

The site selected, which has been in the market for some years, is that of Ancaster House, a Georgian mansion of considerable interest and an oldtime hunting box of the duke of Ancaster, situated opposite the Star and Garter hotel and adjoining the park gates. The crown, on enfranchising the estate from copyhold, stipulated that buildings over a certain height should be set back fifty feet from the park, but outside that distance there is no height limit, and the proposed structure, nearly 400 feet in length of the park frontage, would enjoy unparalleled views both over that domain and the world-famed Richmond hill scenery.

The general idea is that the archibeauty, however, may have something to say

Francis Burdett.

The world is full of people who know a great deal but cannot use their -But I'm not fair; I'm dark. knowledge. They are weighted down with unavailable facts and theories, Orison Swett Marsden in Sucpeople who seem to know much, who place to stand."-Jack O'Lantern. are so encyclopedic in their greedy absorption of facts, that their general on a soldier's back, which exhausts his vitality and impedes his march. It makes them heavy of foot and clum- mer. sy in everything they do. They impress you as not being large enough to swing their loads and carry them with ease. They are like children tugging away at great pieces of furni-

Uncle Solon's weddings had grown

to me without him, and she said to me time the American missionaries from in 1906 to \$741,912 in 1907. More than that 'twas her turn to choose this time. and she intended to start out with young Parson Corner over to the Cen- late you on your speech at the banquet had been actually paid in cash, when sanitary stables. order being Milwaukee, Washington Reports putting her character in and Pittsburg. Private contributions she'd stick to him.

## Ensily Shocked.



Stella-Two is company and three Bella-Divorce.-The Sun.

Teacher-How many make a million, Johnny? Johnny-Not many.

"Ever had appendicitis?" There ain't never been a time when I could afford it."-Detroit Free Press. Barber-Have anything on your face when I get through, sir? Victim-Some skin and a nose, I hope.-Boston Transcript.

George-Do you think that I'm good enough for you, darling? Darling-No, George; but you're too good for any other girl.

"The chicken stew has two prices in the bill of fare. How is that, wait-"With chicken in it, it is 30 Br ?" cents, without it, 10."

shoulder)-Your spelling is perfectly terrible. Little Son-This ain't a spell-Politician-Congratulations, Sarah;

Mother (looking over her boy's

I've been elected. Sarah (with de Politician-What difference does that make?-St. Louis Times The Father-Did mamma punish

you to-day, Tommie? The Boy-Yes, "What did she do?" "Made me stay in the house while she was taking her singing lesson!"

"They are going to lock Jones up for he done?" "He's talking of setting Browning's poems to Richard Strauss'

The Man-No, I don't suppose that I shall ever marry. I'm too shy, don't you know, and "faint heart ne'er won fair lady." The Girl (helping hkm on)

"Why," asked a Missouri newspaper. does our State stand at the head tu raising mules?" "Because," said an cess Magazine. You have often met Iowa paper, "that is the only safe

Teacher-If you wear one pair of shoes three months, how long will two get thoroughly and comfortably warmknowledge is like an enormous pack pairs last? Jimmie-A year. Teach- ed up. Another illustration of the er-Oh, no; how do you get that? power of imagination. Jimmie-I don't wear any in the sum-

"Yes, I do most of my work at night over the heat." now." "What's the reason?" "Why, I'm a Wilevite and cook my food four Lours, and being a Fletcherite it takes me three hours to eat."-Clevelan1 Plain Dealer.

Wifey-Do you think there is a man that could conscientiously say to his wife, "You are the only woman I ever loved?" Hubby-Only one that I can "Who? You, dearest?" no, Adam."-Spare Moments.

ticed that there was a new face be-

"he has gone away to avoid it." "But my office is opposite

City Times. Young Lady (on first visit to Western ranch) -For what purpose do you bait

The new housemaid had just opened 1058. Wigglesby. "Yes, sorr, she's in sorr, ed by the taking of land or by the "Yes, I know," smiled Wigglesby. "I'm way or by the taking of an easement ural to you by this time-weddings, I what she's engaged to."-Harper's it is held, in Davis vs. New England Weekly.

what I preach, eh?" queried the minister in talking with one of the deacons. "No, sir. I don't," replied the air or prospect of his property through deacon. "You've been preachin' on the an elevation of railroad tracks in the subject of resignation for two years absence of any taking of his land or an' ye haven't resigned yet."-Ladles' destruction of his easements. Home Journal

Tubb-Old boy, I want to congratu-"She didn't explain what she meant," you're awfully sorry you can't do it then granted. Another person, relying just the same. Nasty weather, isn't it?-Chicago Tribune.

Mrs. A .- I do love lobster, but I never have them at home, because 't ting them in a kettle of boiling wawater and let them come to a boil.

use your story," said the magazine on, whether false or true, were made editor, handing back the manuscript. to the Secretary of State to procure "It's astonishing how much really good two deviled crabs, "Do you want them literature we are compelled to decline." "It's more astonishing, though," said of course." The waiter went to a rear the disgruntled author of the story, "that you never let any of it get into

Little Nelly told little Anita what she termed a "little fib." Anita-A fib is the same as a story, and a story A conceited young man will probatis the same as a lie. Nelly-No, it's much hope for the conceited old man. fessor at the university. Nelly-I Don't be crazy to do a lot of things real estate man, and he knows more about lying than your father.

POWER OF THE IMAGINATION.

illustrated to Mr. Billtops by His Experience with a Thermometer.

"I don't know when I've been so put out by a little thing," said Mr. Billtops, according to the New York Sun. as I was by the discovery that my thermometer was four degrees wrong; it gave me a real hard little jolt for one thing, and then it made me realize that for two years I had been making myself uncomfortable over nothing.

"Out of doors I can stand the cold as well as anybody; but indoors I like to be warm; 72 is about what suits me in the house.

"Two years ago I bought a new thermometer, which I hung up in my room, and I haven't been warm there in winter since.

"Other parts of the house seemed all right; in the parlor and in the dining room they got it up to 72 apparently without any trouble, but in my room it never seemed to get above 58. I didn't shiver, but I never could get really warm, and one day I said to Mrs. Billtops:

"'Elizabeth, why can't we get the heat up in my room? Why should my room be the only cold room in the house?'

"Mrs. Billtops comes in and stands around a minute and then she says: "'Why, Ezra, it's just as warm here

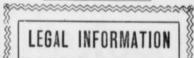
as it is anywhere else.' "Nonsense!" I says to her. 'Look at that thermometer! It's only 68 here and it's 72 this minute in the parlor.'

"But Mrs. Billtops insisted that it was as warm in my room as it was anywhere else, and she said that probably the trouble was with my thermometer; that my thermometer didn't mark correctly, and I said it did, and I'd show her conclusively that the thermometer was all right, I'd prove the good of the community." "What's to her that my room was cold. I'd put my thermometer right alongside the one in the parlor and she'd see it go up in no time to 72.

"So we put it out there, but it didn't budge-that is, upward-but it did go down one degree. Standing side by side with the parlor thermometer marking 72, mine went down to 67; they were 5 degrees apart.

"The temperature in the parlor, actually one degree colder than in my own room, had been entirely agreeable to me, while in my room, though it was actually warmer, I had, misled by my thermometer, never been able to

"Now I've got a correct thermometer and I don't have any more trouble



One voluntarily becoming a passenger on a street car so crowded that he is compelled to ride in the vesti-A woman went to a bank. She no- bule, with knowledge of a rule that 1879-Rev. Arthur Sweats persons riding on platforms do so at gone away to take a rest?" she en- vs. Boston Elev. R. Co. 201 Mass. 114, 1887 "No," replied the new man; 87 N. E. 488, 20 L. R. A. (N. S.) 1063. to assumme the risk of injury from "How do you extract women's teeth being compelled temporarily to alight without their screaming? You don't to enable other passengers to leave the

clause in a standard insurance policy which provides that, upon failure of the parties to agree as to the amount Uncle Solon Winslow had secured a use that coil of line on your saddle? of loss, it should be referred to arbitrators, the award of a majority of (Me.) 71 Atl. 1037, 20 L. R. A. (N. S.)

Under a statute requiring compen-"Is Miss Darborough in?" asked sation to be made for all damage caus-R. Co. 199 Mass. 292, 85 N. E. 475 "Then you don't think I practice 20 L. R. A. (N. S.) 1061, that recovery cannot be had by an abutting owner because of interference with the light,

The charter of a corporation showed that a large part of its capital stock moment)-I know you do, pard, and ment of patents applied for, but not on the recitations in the charter, loaned money to the corporation, for which later he sued. In McKee vs. Rudd. 121 Southwestern Reporter, 312, this question was squarely presented: Can seems so inhuman to kill them by put- in the articles of association filed by a creditor rely upon statements made a business corporation, and upon proof cals indorse the proposition ter. Mrs. B.—Gracious! I never kill of the falsity thereof be permitted to national will have to recover against the parties signing the endum vote on the matter rible; I always put them on in cold articles, in an action for fraud and deceit? The Missouri Supreme Court voted in favor of the "I regret very much that we cannot decided that the representation relied a certificate of corporation, and not to the plaintiff to secure credit.

### A Subtle Force. "What do you understand by 'mag-

netism' as so often applied to an zation in 1890 was in 1890 actor's personality?" "Magnetism," replied the manager,

is the force that draws dollars to the box office."-Washington Star.

If there are party guests at a house, the man of the house isn't the host: He is only the husband of the hostess.

The more talk it takes to run things the slower they move



1628-Charter granted to the chusetts Bay colony. 1681-Charter granted by Chan William Penn.

1774-John Hancock delivered nual oration in Boston, memoration of the Boston cre. 1776-Dorchester Heights.

ing Boston, occupied at the Americans. 1779-Americans surprised and ed by the British at Br

Ga. 1780-Two men were brander letter "M" for murder h .Pennsylvania Assem ed a bill for the gradual of slavery.

1789—First Congress of the or States under the constituent sembled in New York. 1799-A patent was issued terri Whiting of Massachus

method of extracting oil tonseed. 1811-British defeated the

Barrosa, in Spain. 1826—New England Society Bu Promotion of Manufact the Mechanic Arts char 1837-Independence of Tex

nized by the United Sta 1838-The first express stars Harnden, between and Boston. 1845-President Tyler author annexation of Texas.

1847-Gov. Alpheus Felch, of resigned to take his s Senate.

1848-Louis Philippe France to England.

the homestead bill to settlement on public land manual. York, Newfoundland and Telegraph Company orga

Cyrus Field. 1861-Flag of the Confederacy: played in Georgia....L Lincoln inaugurated Pre

the United States. 1863-Rev. Thomas Hill i president of Harvard Col 1868—Impeachment court cor try President Andrew Joh

870-Thomas Scott shot at Fa by order of the rebel lead Riel. 1871-The House of Comm wa adopted resolutions

the admission of British into the Dominion. Bishop of Toronto....Un geological survey create

-United States Congre the fisheries retaliation Henry Ward Beecher strice apoplexy. 1891-United States Congre

1898-Canada received from indemnity of \$40,000 is of the Behring Sea ch 1902-The census return of land showed a populati 249.

international

1905-The Rt. Rev. Samuel Matheson chosen archibite metropolitan of Rupert's GR -L. J. Tweedle appoin ant governor of New 1908-One hundred and sixty in school house fire at Co Ohio.

1909-William H. Taft President of the United 8 President Roosevelt ap commission to investigat



The Boot and Shoe works \$66,629 in sick benefits in the San Francisco, Cal., union are starting a movement

In the Hood River count gon, where some of the fins the world is raised, the fars formed unions for mutual and also to aid each other

Portland (Ore.) barbers' in Right of ithe R amendment to the interact so that a barber who job S O'N shall always be a member

Boston Metal Trades department of the A. F. the day when all the n the country will strike ishment of the eight-ho The council names May latest time for such action

The smallest average m p membership of the I number was 9,617.

le D'A Of the 12,000 saleswon York department stores, of wives and mothers, the gre these having taken position marriage.

Typographical Union N Newark, N. J., is the first abolish all overtime in book job offices. No member haraafter, to accumulate and