A Woman's Triumph. The first interview with the famous It is related that a grizziy bear that Chinese statesman, Li Hung Chang, had one of its fore paws so shot as to was obtained by a woman journalist, render it useless employed the other an American. Miss Elizabeth Banks, to draw its weight of 1,000 pounds up who has related how she hurried to an incline aimost precipitous, a seemthe Chinese diplomat before she had ingly impossible feat. A Californian had her breakfast, as she had been told asserts that while in the mountains he that her victim was an early riser, observed a mig grizzly in the act of But the attendants told her that she carrying a dead cow home to her cubs. was too late, as his excellency was From his position on the mountain about to go for a drive. American de- side the Californian could follow every provement of the bear in the sparsely termination was unabashed.

"Please go and say to his excel- timbered valley below. He contends lency that an American woman jour- that the big beast carried the cow in nailst called to see him before she had her fore paws for a distance of three had her breakfast, knowing that he miles, across jagged rocks several feet was an early riser. Tell him that in height, over fallen logs around the Americans are also early risers and rocky mountain side, where even a that the American woman will call on mule could not get a foothold, to a him tomorrow at 7 o'clock, and if that narrow trail up the steep mountain is too late she will call the next day at side. This bear, it appears, stopped 6, and if that's still too late she will not a moment for rest, but proceeded come the next morning at 5, but that straight on. The observer followed ber and about half a mile from her she must see him!"

In ten minutes the attendant re- jair shot her The cow it is reported.

"His excellency will be delighted to the weight of the grizzly was about see the American lady!" he announced, 450 pounds Fur News.

Cheating at Cards. Why is cheating at cards the quicknot so much that murder and burglary of his pheasants were being systematiare so infrequent as to offer no data cally purformed. Footprints were alfor generalization as that with cheat- ways discernible; but, as there was ing at cards, for which there is no le- nothing remarkable about any of them. gal penalty, society has to protect it- they were of no value for detective self and does so with characteristic purposes They served, however, to crucity. One of the men accused of suggest a plan. He went to the local the offense lived abroad for the rest of cobbler and offered him a generous rehis life, and the ban was never remov- ward for the performance of a very ed. He died a couple of years ago simple task. When three suspected Another with very high connections persons sent their boots for repairs, made a sort of fight against the taboo the nails or tackets were to be placed and lived on in England until the in the soles according to different deand, but he, too, was never forgiven, signs which the keeper would provide, The third man, who was concerned in The son of St. Crispin agreed to the a world famous case, is thought by proposal, and it was carried into effect many to have been wrongfully accused. as opportunity offered The result was He was one of the most popular and that a charge of pouching was proved brilliant men of his time, but he has against two of the three men through since fired quietly on his estate and the distinctive impressions made by never comes to London.-Manchester their boots in the retentive soil The Guardian.

Diplomacy and the Brute. "Listen." said the girl as the woman cause in from the party at 3 o'clock in the morning and stood at the head of her bed. "Do you hear her sob. the woman above? She has been sobbing the that for an hour. Now, listen to

his big, gruff voice storming at her." "I'll put a stop to that!" the woman declared as she hurried out of the flat

"Well," said the girl when she had come down again, "what did you dothreaten him with the Society For the Prevention of Cruelty to Wives?" "Not at all," said the woman. simply rang his bell and asked him if there was anything I could do for his wife. Wasu't she ill? We could hear her crying beneath in our bedroom, I told him. He thanked me and said there was nothing I could do. But you don't hear any more sobbing, do you?" -New York Press.

Webster's Compliment. While it is well known that Daniel

Webster in speaking of General Tayor's candidacy for the office of presi dent pronounced it "a nomination not to be made." he never failed to do justice to the general's military abilone occusion he paid the old sol-Her a delicate and well deserved comoliment. General Taylor was comaining of the crowds of people who around another way daily besieged him soon after his ac cession to the presidency.

"They interfere," he said, "with my official engagements and violate my domestic retirement, but still I do not wish to turn my back upon my

general." Mr. Webster instantly re-plied.

Holmes on Domestic Economy. The laughable and the pathetic are sometimes strangely mingled in little exhibitions of domestic economy-a plate of apples, for instance, with the defective parts cut out for the children; a small basket of homemade singerbread, with one or two pieces of poundcake carefully disposed on the surface so as to appear to the best advantage.-"Autocrat of the Breakfast

Wanted the Record. A taxicab caught fire in New York The flames reached the gasoline tank. The two passengers, who had come a ong way, tumbied out, 'The fire department was summoned. "Play on the meter!" shrieked the distracted driver to the firemen. "Never mind

the cab. play on the meter!"-Ex-

change. Larger Wants.

"Does your wife want the vote?" "No. She wants a larger town house, a villa on the seacoast and a new limousine car every six months I'd be pleased most to death if she could fix ber attention on a small matter like the vote." - Washington Star.

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By M. W. Seabrook, Artorney. Sumter. S. C., April 4th. 1913.

Fortunate. Goodfellow I'm sorre to say my wife hes an aggravating nabit of interrupt

ing me in the middle of a sentence Binns Humph. You are fortunate to be able to get so far.

An Excuse. Bessie Did you scream when he tried to kiss you? Jessie No There is a poor man across the street who is dreadfully sick - l'hillidetphia Telegraph.

Exact Justice. Exact justice is commonly more mer ciful in the long run than pity, for it tends to foster in men those stronger qualities which make them good dit cons.-Lowell.

The love of fiberty is the love of others The love of power is the love of ourselves

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Strength of a Grizzly Bear.

weighed at least 1.200 pounds while

Trapping the Poachers.

cobbler's connivance in the keeper's lit-

tle scheme was, of course, kept a strict

A Persistent Tutor.

investigating the shortage of accom-

modation in the palace when he was

Grevy went to ask him personally

what his business was and learned

that he was the tutor of the children

of a former president, Marshai Mac-

"But the marshal reased to be presi-

"That may be," replied the gentle-

Eventually, in order to get rid of the

tutor, the president had to give him a

well paid job in one of the govern-

Wouldn't Take a Gare.

Can a dog respond to a taunt? A

Vermont dog, which was growing old,

was in a barn one day with-his mas-

ter The two were up in a haymow,

still capable of walking up and down

slanting ladder St. Louis Globe-

The Answer.

Louis XIV, playing at backgammon

and a doubtful throw A dispute arose,

and the surrounding courtiers all re-

mained silent. The Count de Gramont

"Decide the matter," said the king to

"Sire." said the count, "your majesty

"How." replied the king. "can you

"Berause," said the count, "bad the

lecide without knowing the question?"

matter been doubtful all these gentle-

men present would have given in for

Curious Question.

"A funny friend of mine up in Wis-

consin sent me a box of 'imported' lim-

"I buried it without opening the

"Eh: Why, how did you know it was

"W.h-a-t!"-Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Equivocal.

"Father, dear, won't you pay the ex

penses of my wedding with William?

He doesn't like to ask you to pay all

"Doesn't be? You just bring him

nere, and I promise you I'll foot your

Didn't Get the Chance.

"Did you tell her when you proposed

to her that you were unworthy of her?

"I was going to, but she told it to me

I owe all my success in life to having

been always a quarter of an hour be

Look to Your Plumbing.

You know what happens in a hosse in

which the blumbing is in poor condi-

ion-everybody in the house is liable to

ontract typhoid or some other fever.

The digestive organs perform the same

specious in the human body as the

lumbing does for the house, and they

would be kept in first class condition al

he time. If you have any trouble with

our digestion take Chamberlain's

Cablets and you are certain to get quick

rant is guilty of all the crimes which

He that rotuniarily continues igno-

eration will engage in parent study.-

their purents. Bocker The next gen-

Knicker-Children are now raising

Next Step.

worse looking chaps than you. Ex

cept me it I should propose; Ethel

Why, of course She has accepted iots

Henry-Do you think she would ac

Possibly.

ignorance produces.

New York Sun.

cpange.

elief. For sale by all dealers.

That always makes a bit with them."

ourger cheese by parcel post."

happened to come in at the instant.

"But I was appointed Elysee

The Elysee is still here, and so

dent some years ago," remarked M.

there for four or tive years.

Mahon

Grevy

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tutor

am I

ment offices.

adder any more."

Democrat

is in the wrong"

your majesty."-Life.

"Yes?"

oackage."

imburger cheese?"

of them himself."

Bill"-Baltimore American.

first." Houston Post.

forehand Lord Nelson.

secret-Glasgow News.

A keeper awakened to the fact that

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At the Bottom of the Ocean.

from which a sloping ladder led down The temperature at the bottom o to the barn floor The master walked the occur is nearly down to freezing down the ladder, but the dog went point and sometimes actually below it. There is a total absence of light, as When the animal reached the barn far as suntight is concerned, and there floor his master said tauntingly: "Poor is an enormous pressure, reckoned at old fellow: Daren't walk down the about a ton to the square inch in every thousand fathous, which is 160 times Whereupon the dog, with a quick greater than that of the atmosphere clance at his master, walked clear up we live in. At 2,500 fathoms the he ladder to the top, and then turned pressure is thirty times more powerful ound and walked down it again The than the steam pressure of a locomoproceeding tooked very much like a tive when drawing a train up a steep deliberate demonstration on the dog's part to prove to his master that he was

They Don't Speak Now. Gladys (just twenty two) - This is my birthday, Mabelle. Guess how old I am? Mabelle Ob, I'll guess twen-Gladys-Not very good. You are just four years out of the way. Mabelle-Well, dearie, I wanted to be sure and be on the safe side.-Magazine of Fun.

Considerate. Mrs. Dove-Henry, I think you are positively cruel. Here I've tried so hard to cook you a nice dinner and you haven't had a word to say to me about it. Mr. Dove-Darling, I love you too much for that. If I said what I thought

you'd never speak to me again. No Excitement. "Here," said the dramatist, "we have bushand who loves his wife and a wife who loves her busband."

"Well?" "How am I to construct a drama from such material?"-Louisville Courier-lournal.

Spend no time in making useless resolves; make plans instead and begin at once to operate them.

......... Found a Cure for Rhoumatism.

"I suffered with theumat sur rears and could no _ t m -i. t o my mouth for tale ho the writes Lee L. Chap Map ton, I 'I suffered terrior mate so le u. h sleep or lie still a night. Five ago I began using a hambersata's Lument and in two in this I was wehave not suffer d with recan a s since." For sale 5 - 1 a ---

Way Behind the Times. He-Is this the new cook's brend? I pever ate better. She Yes, but she's woefully unscientific- not up to date at all i asked her if she knew what caused the bread to rise and she said it was the yeast. Said she'd never heard of fermentation: I'm not at all sure I want to keep her .- Cleveland

Good Enough to Dine With. "These Millers are dreadful peoplehardly fit to be associated with!" "Yes; if they didn't give such excelient dinners they would be altogether unbearable!' Fliegende Blatter.

When Language Fails. Wife of His Bosom on course of do mestic difference - Coward: Brute Ruffian! Pig! Monster! Beast! Ob. 1 wish you knew what I thought of you; London Punch

Not His Say. Beggs - What do you say to your wife when you come home mite at might! Jaggs Footish man; What makes you think I get a chance to talk?

No rush to battle atomes for sin in the tent G Campbell Morgan.

mckfen's Arnica Salve The Best Saive in The World.

Right and Left Handed Plants. Do you know that there are right handed and left banded plants? An English investigator, R. H. Compton. has thought the matter curious and interesting enough to make it the subject of extended investigation and has reported on it to the Cambridge Philo sophical society. He observed eight varieties of two rowed barley to determine the ratio of rights and lefts. in the first, leaves of seeds of different varieties and of the various kernels from the same individual spikes, and found that among 12.401 seedlings 7.237 or 58.36 per cent, had the first leaf twisted to the left. A variety of millet showed an excess of left handed seedlings, as was also the case with oats. In the case of corn the ratio was almost unity, and there was apparently "no inheritance of right and left handedness as such."-Scientific

Stretching. "My doctor," said the robust man, "is almost a fanatic on stretching. When you wake up in the morning he advises you to take a good, long stretch with the hands as far out sideways as possible, then over the head as far as you can reach. At the same time stretch the feet and stretch upward as high as you can. These simple movements equal a course in gymnastics and should be indulged in after any long take no other. period of sitting."-National Magazine.

Economical. "Mother said she thought you were extravagant. Tom, but I proved you

"You darling! How did you do that?" "Told her you were with me two

hours last night and only kissed me once." which straw is put after the thrashing season are seemingly endless. It is converted into bags for grain, shoes

for the feet, raincoats for the body. roofs for the houses, paper mats,

Her Share.

"What have you done for the bet-

terment of mankind?" asked the scornful female person. "Me?" answered the plump and widowly looking one. "I have been a better half to no fewer than three of

them."-New York Press.

Overcapitalized. Post-Professor Talkem has ten letters after his name, but he doesn't know enough to go in when it rains. Parker-Another distressing case of overcapitalization.-Judge.

who suffered with pains in the stomach and bick, writes: "My kidneys were and curative, build up the kidneys and restore their regular action John Vel-bert, Foster, Calif, says: "I suffered and to such degree that no real pashumany years with kidney trouble and meea wool can be sold or smuggled could d from the first dose. I now feel that a count never get that I will improve you, too ley Kidney Pills which effected a com- shawls are made in Punjab and oth- Ouly 50; and \$1 00. Recommended by plete cure." The Dicks in Drug Co., er provinces from goats' and sheeps' Manning, S. C., Leon Fischer, Sumnerton, S. C.

A Tantalizing Arctic Dream.

said the explorer, the members of the to fifteen months. expedition dreamed of food at night This is not an uncommon experience among those who have had, from various causes, to go short of the fuel necessary to keep the power going in the human machine, as various records testify. For much the same reason the troubled sleep of the toper is visited toward morning by visions of cooling beverages.

The explorer related that one night tiful sandwiches," but when he apnot get at them. Another time he saw in a dream a plate of sandwiches covered with a newspaper, but when he took away the newspaper he found never get to the food .- London Globe.

Wedded to a Vase. Not long ago considerable commoand ceremony to a large red vase Argonaut. which was supposed to represent a deceased bridegroom who had died a few years before his marriage, whereupon his grief stricken bride elect declared that she would never marry any one] widow for the rest of her life to the n-w life and vigor in the system family of her husband. In order to do this, however, it was necessary that she should legally belong to that family, and so the strange ceremony with the vase was gone through with to enable her to become a member of the family. Since then it has been suggested that an arch should be built in the city in order to commemorate the devotion of the young girl to the husband she never had .- Chicago Tribune.

The Senses of the Word "Lady." "She is a lady in every sense of the word:" exclaimed Blifkins. "Then she is the most remarkable woman that ever lived," replied John-

"What do you mean? Aren't there plenty of ladies in the world?" "You, but not in every sense of the word. For instance, if the woman is what you say, she is not only a woman of good family or of good breeding and refinement, but she is also, according to the dictionaries, 'a sweetheart clocal United States): a slate measuring about sixteen inches broad by ten long. the calcareous apparatus in the cardiac part of the stomach of the lobster, the function of which is the trituration of food.' And if she is all that her fortune is made in the museum line."

After that it was noted that Blifkins usually pruned down the remark to "she is a lady," simply.-Chicago Inter Ocean.

Coughs and Consumption.

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Three Centuries on a Throne. There has been only one monarch who for 350 years sat on his throne, crown upon his head, scepter in his hand and dressed in the royal robes, keeping solemn dominion over the dead. Charlemagne, the great Frankish ruler, during his life built for himself at Aixla-Chapelle, in Prussia, a chapel and beneath the chapel a tomb. When the monarch died in 814 his body was Nothing is wasted in Japan. Uses to placed, fully dressed, with scepter and crown, in a sitting position upon a mar ble throne in this tomb. Nearly 200 years afterward the Emperor Otto III. had the vault opened, and it is said that the body of the great emperor was found in a state of wonderful preservation, still seated upon his throne, with his sword by his side and the gos pels open in his lap. Again in 1165 the Emperor Barbarossa (Frederick I.) had the vault opened, and in 1215 Frederick II. took the remains from the silent chamber over which for so many years they had kept gard and had them put into a casket of gold and silver, in which they are still kept.

Cashmere Shawls, Cashmere shawls are of two kinds, one made by weaving small pieces and sewing them together, the other by embroidering the pattern on a plain woven cloth. The real cashmere thread is called pashumeea and is made from the down, not the hair, of the Tibet No matter how long you suffered, or gout, which is raised in the mountainwhat other remed shave failed to cure. ons provinces of that country, but the Foley Kidney Pills will surely help you. wool or down is all carried to Cashmere for manufacture, the business being under strict government control never general funtil I tried Fo into any other province of India. Fine wool and sold as genuine cashmere, but are of an inferior grade. In Cashmere 100,000 persons are employed in the shawl manufacture. The weavers Speaking on the subject of his three are all males; most of the spinners years' expedition to the icy regions of are women. The weaving of a shawl northeast Greenland, Captain Mikkel- of ordinary pattern occupies three sen told of his dreams of sandwiches, weavers for three months, the more

Bizet and "Carmen." It may well be doubted whether the world will ever see Wagner's equal in the triple role he played, says Edgar Stillman Kelley, but when kindred talents unite they may yet produce music dramas of merit and magnitude. Thus the libretto of "Carmen" involved the labors of four men, Prosper Merimee, Meilhac, Halevy and Bizet himself. be dreamed of a large plate of "beau- Nevertheless the result was worth the effort, for, combined with the rare muproached them he found that they sic of Bizet, it has become one of the were inclosed with glass, and he could most valuable contributions to the literature of the stage. By preserving a greater proportion of purely musical features-lyric forms, subtle returns from foreign tonalities to the main key. another one and still another and could refined orchestration so humanely planned that the singer has a fiving chance -Bizet has done the world of art a service of inestimable value. Its influence is heard in the charming "Lak-

tion was caused in the Chinese city of me" of Delibes, "Pique Dame" and Hankow when the attractive and popu- "Eugene Onegin" by Tschaikowsky lar daughter of a prominent Chinese and many of the more refined works official was married with great pomp of the French, Italians and Russians -Drive Sick Headaches Away.

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The Danes.

The Danes, or Northmen, first became prominent in European history in 783, when they began to ravage the north coast of France and southern shores of Great Britain. The daring of these hardy seamen was remarkable, for in their small ships they even penetrated the Mediterranean and became terrors to the seaboard population of Italy, Sicily and Greece. The first king of Denmark is said to have been Skiold, 60 B. C.

A Bonehead.

Reggie (over on a visit)-Do you know, old chap. I think that vulgah fellow over there insulted me. American Friend-You think so? What did he say? Reggie-Why, he suggested in a very rude manner that when I die I bequeath my head to a collar button factory. - Boston Transcript.

A Sad Condition, "Yes," said Bildad, settling back comfortably in his chair. "I must confess that I've got about everything I want.

"Poor chap!" said Dubbleigh sympathetically. "Not a thing left to look forward to, eh?"-Harper's Weekly. Scientific.

A scientist figures that the earth is

shrinking about two inches a year. This may account for the anxiety of The wisest thing to do when you have | some people to possess it while it is of some stze.-New Orleans Picayune. A Well Mated Pair.

Manager-1 am looking for a man I

can trust. Applicant And I'm looking

for a man who will trust me. We ought to get along fine.-Boston Transcript.

A French chemist has shown that the apple contains an oxidizing ferment which produces the brownish or reddish color of cider. The manner in which this substance produces oxidation can readily be observed by any

one who cuts an apple open and leaves it exposed for a short time to the air The cut surfaces gradually turn red as the oxygen of the air unites with the juice-in a word, the apple rusts. Rusting of an apple may also be brought about by simply bruising the fruit without breaking the skin Everybody knows that apples that have fallen violently to the ground show red or rusty spots underneath the bruised rind In this case the oxygen is derived from the air contained in the ducts or interstices among the tissues of the fruit, and it becomes active through the breaking of the cells that nclose the oxidizing ferment If an apple is cooked before its skin is roken its tissues do not oxidize when exposed to the air This is explained on the supposition that the oxidizing properties of the ferment are destroyed

Apple Rust.

by heat Harper's.

"Dear, will you please follow directions while I read the recipe? said Mrs. Walbrook to her obedient husband He took the pan while she read aloud:

> First you mix a beaten batter. you take an earthen platter. Bat the batter in the platter Without clamor, clash or clatter: Stir it gently while you scatter Milk and sugar till the batte In the platter grows much fatter.
> Pour it in a dish that's flatter
> Than the first and earthen platter— Tin will do: it doesn't matter So the fatter batter's flatter-Then.

Gently lifting up the latter Flatter platter, pour the batter With a percolating patter In the former earthen platter Without clatter, clash or splatter.

Once again in latter platter Scatter fatter flatter batter-"Catch your wife and throw it at her," were the last words of Marmion, for the poor man was dead -Baltimore

Music In the Home.

We are all more or less aware of the value, and indeed the necessity of fur nishing books to all children and even of making it possible for them all to see good pictures We are apt. how ever to regard music as something that we need provide only for the exceptional child, the child who shows signs of being what we call "musical" This is due partly to the fact that music lessons are more expensive than books, and that a ticket to a concert costs about four times as much as a ticket to a museum. Our mistake is in fancying that costly music lessons and concerts are the only means of furnish ing musical instruction of the best kind to children. Some of the finest music in the world is so simple that any mother who plays the plane at all can perform it for her children, and, moreover, teach them to play it themselves.-Home Progress.

Formosa.

Geologically speaking. Formosa is divided into three longitudinal belts The western belt is on the average about twenty miles wide and is an alinvial formation containing no mineral deposits The middle belt is of tertiary formation This belt is about fifteen miles wide, broadening out in the north to include the entire north coast. and ranges to attitude When the food supply was giving out, elaborate and costly for from twelve 3,500 feet above sea level. This strip contains all the mineral deposits which are at present productive. The eastern belt includes about one-half of the island and consists of high mountain ranges, reaching an attitude of 13.000 feet. The formation of these mountains is paleozoic limestone, granite and crystalline schist. Their mineral resources are practically unknown .-New York Post

> Tragic Applause. Two friends, juniors at Brown, were

attending a French play one evening when the leading man suddenly appeared before the curtain and made a few brief remarks. "Why did you applaud him so vig-

orously when he made his speech?" inquired the tall young man of his "So that folks would think I un-

derstood French, replied the other confidentially "What did be say?" "He said the remainder of his part must be taken by an understudy, as his father was dying." Boston Herald.

No Pleasing Her. "That Mrs Oldes is dreadfully hard to please." said a woman

"How so?" another woman asked. "Why I told her the other day that she carried her age well, and she didn't seem to like it at all So then I told her that she didn't carry it well, and she fixed that less than ever."-Ex-

Tempo. "In what time was that composition written?" asked the man who profess es to be expertly musical

"I don't know." replied the man who doesn't "But it sounds to me as if it ought to have been written in about ten minutes."- Washington Star.

Educated. The Press-And we understand you are a self taught as well as a self made man? The Personage I ham, sir. At twenty-one I knew nothink Then set to work, and at twenty-two I'd taught meself all I knew!--Sydney Bui-

He is wise to no nurrose who is not wise to himself Latin Proverb.

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