"Of all the tortures I should think the most terrible would be to be awfully thirsty where no water could be "Why water?"

To Incline Toward Mercy.

Jim had been far from a good boy during the day and toward nightfall he realized the fact fully. Being well acquainted with the workings of famfly discipline, he assayed a little diplomacy.

"Shall you tell father about me?" he inquired of his mother. "Certainly I shall tell him." responded his mother, with corrowful

"Shall you tell him before dinner or after dinner?" asked the culprit. "After dinner," was the amnounce

"Mother," and Jim gave a wiggle of anticipation, "couldn't you have a blueberry pudding for his dessert? Couldn't you do that much for me, mother?"-Youth's Companion.

A Ruling Passion. "Uncle Pinchpenny spent a great deal of time at the home of George Washington."

"Yes: He couldn't be persuaded to stop looking for that dollar George is said to have thrown across the Poto-

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QUEER MOVING BALL

Remarkable Phenomenon in a Marion, Ohio, Cemetery,

Great Granite Sphere Actually Turns, and Furnishes Scientists With a New Subject for Their Various Theories.

Marion, O .- In the last few years the attention of scientists, and of the public in general, has been attracted to a remarkable phenomenon discovered in connection with the monument to the memory of C. B. Merchant, in the Marion cemetery.

The monument consists of a stone base, rough in finish, upon which is mounted a polished granite ball. The ball is 26 inches in diameter and weighs 4,200 pounds.

When the ball was placed in position in 1896 the monument builder left but one spot of it rough. This was the segment of contact with the stone pedestal, or that part of the ball which rested on the supporting stone. So thoroughly was the rest of the ball polished that its surface is like a mirror. It reflects perfectly the trees and shrubbery which surround it.

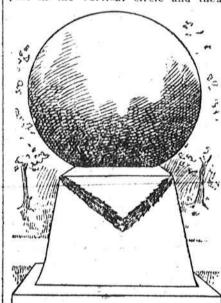
In 1900, four years after the monument was erected, a visitor to the emetery discovered that the granite sphere bad shifted its position. Investigation proved that the rough spot was no longer in contact with the pedestal. Repeated efforts on the part of cemetery employees failed to return the ball to its former position.

Those who attempted the task realzed that the ball had not been turned by human bands. At first its movement was ascribed to the motion of earth. This was the commonly accepted theory until newspaper reports called the attention of scientists to the phenomenon.

Men of science from the Ohio universities made special trips to Marion to study the problem. As the story of the ball was spread scientific men from universities further away came to study the ball.

When the first professor of physics ooked at the sphere the rough spot on the ball was about half way up toward its top as it rested on the pedestal. He took a photograph of the ball in that position, the rough spot designating that the ball was moving in the vertical circle.

The next scientist who took a picture of the ball showed it in a different position. The ball had turned in part in the vertical circle and then



C.B. MERCHANT

The Merchant Monument

had revolved in the horizontal. This ed to further controversy until many men of science met to study the unique problem

Many theories were advanced as to the cause of the movement of the ball. Finally many geologists of note and recognized authority evolved a theory which is generally accepted as true. That is:

The constant moving of the ballthat is acceded-is due to the unequal expansion of different parts of the sphere's surface. As a sphere its surface is presented to the four winds of heaven, and the portion of it to the rays of the sun would become more highly heated than the part of the surface exposed to the north and its cold winds. Also the surface of the whole would be more apt to become more heated during the day than would the base upon which it rests. as the latter is larger and heavier than the ball itself.

Now if one part of the ball expands minute quantity more than the other with each heating of one side, and contracts in the same ratio on cooling there would tend to result a slight creeping movement which in time would move the ball sufficiently to let the change in its position be noted by the noked eye. Naturally the expansion of one side of the ball would make that side heavier than the chilled side, and the heated side would

work its way toward the bottom. The case is considered one of the most remarkable on record and has furnished science with a new idea concerning the expansion and contraction of solids. The conclusions of American scientists who examined the ball were submitted to scientists of Europe. All agree that the action of heat and cold of the four seasons cause the ball to change its position a minute particle every day.

Nationalities in Our Cities.

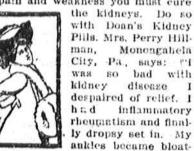
New York.—In a single block in New York there are 1,400 people of and the sick and diseased conditions 20 distinct nationalities. There are begin to disappear, the proof is unmore than two-thirds as many nativeborn Irish in Boston as in Dublin. With their children, mainly of pure Irish blood, they make Boston unquestionably the leading Irish city in the world. New York is a larger Italian city today than Genoa, having 500,000 Italians colonists. It contains no fewer than 1,000,000 Jews, mainly immigrants from Russia. Thus it is the foremost Jewish city in the world. Pittsburg, the center of the iron and steel industry, is another Tower of Babel. It contains more of that out of the way people, the Servians, than the capital of Servia itself.

Men and Animals Have Made Some Remark-ble Frets a Matter of Record.

The record for fasting, so far as humanity is concerned, is held by termined to starve himself to death, to cat. In spite of every effort on the tempting him to cat by placing the most dainty meals in his cell, and when that failed, attempted feeding him by force, he held out for 63 days. at the end of which time he died. Up to then the longest authenticated fast on recard was that accomplished by Giovanni Succi, who fasted at the Royal Aquarium, London, for 45 days. But these records sink into insignificance when compared with the fat pig of Dover, enshrined in Dr. W. B. Carpenter's "Manual of Physiology." This pig weighed 160 pounds and was entombed for 160 days by the fall of a portion of the chalk cliffs. When dug out it weighed only 40 pounds. but to the surprise of its owner was

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Kind but Careless.

John P. Irish, the San Francisco orator and officeholder, was entertaining Joaquin Miller, the poet, onc. night. Upon hearing a particularly funny story by the host the poet fell off his chair in a paroxysm of mirth. Irish thought the poet had a seizure of some kind and he rushed to the sideboard, took a bottle of whisky and stuck the top of it into Miller's mouth, hoping to revive him.

Presently Miller waved his hands feebly and Irish removed the bottle. "What is it?" asked Irish solicitously.

"Remove the cork!" whispered the poet, hoarsely. "Remove the cork!"---Saturday Evening Post.

Dare to Be Happy.

Let us never be afreid of innocent joy: God is good and what he does is well done; resign yourself to every thing, even to happiness; ask for the right of sacrifice of detachment of renunciation, and above all, for the spirit of joy and gratitude, the genuine and religious optimism which sees in God Father, and asks no pardon for his benefits. We must dare to be happy and dare to confess it, regarding ourselves always as the depositories, not as the authors of our own joy .- Amiel.

Brought the Tears.

An unusual incident marked a recent fire in New York. The fire started in the cellar of a five-story tenement and before it was extinguished the 18 families in the building and all the firemen were weeping copiously from inflamed eyes. In the cellar many bags of on ons had been stored. The chief fireman allowed the tenants to remain in the building, assuring them that the fire was confined to the cellar. They did not stay, however, when the onions had got well

EDITOR BROWNE Of The Rockford Morning Star.

"About seven years ago I ceased drinking coffee to give your Postum a

"I had suffered acutely from various forms of indigestion and my stomach had become so disordered as to repel almost every sort of substantial food. My general health was bad. At close intervals I would suffer severe attacks which confined me in bed for a week or more. Soon after changing from coffee to Postum the indigestion abated, and in a short time ceased entirely. I have continued the daily use of your excellent Food Drink and assure you most cordially that I am indebted to you for the relief it has brought me.

"Wishing you a continued success, I am Yours very truly, J. Stanley Browne.

Managing Editor." Of course, when a man's health shows he can stand coffee without trouble, let him drink it, but most high'y organized brain-workers simply cannot.

The drugs natural to the coffee berry affect the stomach and other organs and thence to the complex nervous system, throwing it out of balance and producing disorders in various parts et the body. Keep up this daily poisoning and serious disease generally supervenes. So when man or woman finds that coffee is a smooth but deadly enemy and health is of any value at all, there is but one road-quit.

It is easy to find out if coffce be the cause of the troubles, for if left off 10 days and Postum be used in its place answerable.

Postum is not good if made by short boiling. It must be boiled full 15 minutes after boiling begins, when the crisp flavor and the food elements are brought out of the grains and the beverage is ready to fulfill its mission of palatable comfort and renewing the cells and nerve centers broken down by coffee.

"There's a Reason." Get the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

Biggest Baltimore Traffic Officer Says It Keeps His Feet Warm and Dry

Pattimere, Md.-Anthony J. Timmercian is a 12 year copper and big-Granic, a French murderer, who de gost of all the traffic squad, and be doesn't propose to take a chance with and from the day of his arrest refused grip or pneumenta and deprive Sun Square of the pleasure of seeing him part of his warders, who first tried on duty every day, keeping the cars and wagons running straight and clearing the way for timid pedes-

And that's why he is the only copper in town who stands on a pedestal. When the bad weather hit Baltimore recently a gang of Italians happened to be working on the pipes at Baltimore and Charles streets, and one of them, noticing Traffic Officer Timmerman standing flat on the cold ground that cozed slush and sleet and



snow, scratched his head in meditation. Then with a hammer and nails and a few boards he knocked tegether a little platform about two feet square and raised two inches from the ground and handed it over.

"Great!" said Timmerman as he stepped aboard, and ever rince, every day, you can see Timmerman standing on his little platform at the corner, recure from dangers that threat en under foot and keeping others from dangers that threaten in traffic.

"it's a fine idea. It keeps the cold out of my feet, and if you'll take a book at my feet you'll see I've got plenty of room to catch any cold that's coming my way."

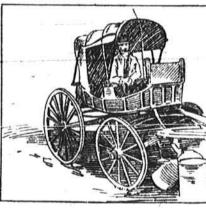
Not a few who have seen Timmerman on his stand have remarked that it wouldn't be a bad idea for the police board to provide stands for all traffic men in bad weather or during the chilly season as a precautionary measure and to keep down drafts on the pension fund.

CARRIAGE IS 150 YEARS OLD

Ohlo Farmer Owns Vehicle Which Was Once Considered Finest In the West.

Columbus, O.-Here is a picture of one of the first carriages manufactured in the United States. It is nearly 150 years old and now belongs to a farmer living near Mt. Healthy, in this state. The vehicle was considered the finest rig in the west and the original owner paid \$275 for it. The workmanship is guaranteed strictly hand made and the wood entirely of blckory.

There were only a few pleasure vehicles during the days of the carriage and they were mostly in the form of heavy wagons. Everybody for miles



150-Year-Old-Carriage.

around came to see John Spriggs' fine rig and everybody west of the Allegheny mountains knew John Spriggs was the owner of the finest rig in the country.

One of the famous trips made by the carriage was when the Spriggs family, consisting of John, his wife and two children, started out from Cincinnati for a long trip to Philadelphia in this new carriage. Two horses were hitched to the combination shaft and enough provisions for a month were packed in the little bearskin covered trunk firstened to the back of the carriage. It took all of two weeks to go from Cincinnati to Philadelphia and ten days to come back. The carriage stood the trip well. It made other trips just as well and is yet a good rig though somewhat out of date. The present owner, pictured seated in it, came into its possession by inheritance, and occasionally takes it out for a run but it is valued mostly now as an heir-

Beef From Mexico.

Paso, Tex .- The constant decrease in the cattle ranges of this state has given a boom to the cattle Industry across the border in Mexico and shipments of live stock from the latter country into the United States are growing. American ranches are being located in Mexico, where range and may still be had, and the repub-ic across the border promises to be-come a great cattle country.

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Some time ago I began the use of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root with the most remarkable results. For years I was almost a wreck and was a great sufferer. The doctors who treated me made me believe that my great sufferings were due to female trouble. I was so bad at times I would faint away and had sinking spells. Finally a new doctor was called in and he said that I had kidney trouble and gave me medicine, of which I took reveral tottles. I obtained some relief from this but I was getting weaker all the time; I could not sleep and suffered so much pain that my husband and children had to lift me in and out of bed. After this time two friends sent me word to try Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, which I d.d. and I am glad to state that the first door gave me great relief. After taking the third dose I was helped into bed and slept half of the risk helped into bed and slept.

half of the night. I took several bottles of Swamp-Root and I feel that I owe my life to this wonderful remedy. The two family dectors said that I could not live three months; my urine was in a terrible condition—thick and slimy—and I would have to be helped in and out of bed ten to twenty times every night. After taking Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root for two days I was entirely free from getting up and could sleep soundly.

MRS. D. E. HILEMAN.

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The Practical Agriculturist. Adam sniffed at the book farmer. "I don't believe in spraying apple rees," he snorted.

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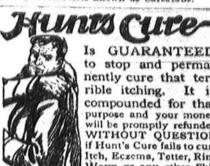
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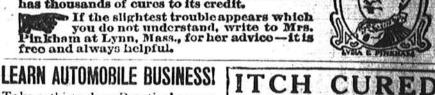
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