Hunted Mustangs Leap to Death.

'The annual wild mustang hunt began in the valleys and mountains southwest of New Kanah, Utah. Ranchmen from all over Northwestern Arizona and Southwestern Utah, with some from Nevada, gathered, and twoscore men mounted on the best horses at their command and supplied with relays to enable them to keep up the pursuit started.

A drove numbering fully 500 was discovered, but it divided into three droves under the leadership of stallions. One drove was forced into a canvon where from a ledge the horses were compelled to jump twenty feet to safety across a gorge or fall on the rocks below.

Then another tried the leap. His forefeet caught, but he fell backward to the rocks. Another and another followed. Not a member of the drove failed to make the attempt. Three succeeded. The rest fell upon the rocks.

The little party of hunters came to the edge of the gorge and counted twenty-eight horses on the rocks below. Bullets soon put an end to the misery of the living .- New York World.

A SUPPOSITION. MERELY. Tess-Did you notice how that man stared at me?

Jess-Yes; he's a reporter. Tess-But why should he stare at me 50?

Jess-He was probably watching your nose. He's supposed to keep his eye on everything that turns up .- Philadelphia Press.

A GRAVE PROPOSAL

Tess-Did he really propose to you? Jess-Yes, and it actually made me shiver. Tess-Why so?

Jess-He asked me if I "would care to share his lot," and he looked so funeral I thought he referred to one in a cemetery .- Philadelphia Press.

The First Ironclad. -

According to records recently discovered, the first ironelad was built in the sixteenth century, but as it proved unmanagable was soon abandoned. In the present century peo-ple are trying this medicine sml that one in the hope of finding relief from ailments of the stomach, liver and bowels. There is only one medicine that will cure indigestion, dyspep-sia, flatulency, biliousness and malaria, fever and ague, and that is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Try it and you will be convinced.

The man who can never find anything when he wants it can usually be depend-ed upon to find fault.

Best For the Bowels.

No matter what ails you, headsche to a cancer, you will never get well until your bowels are put right. CASCARETS help nature, cure you without a gripe or pain, produce casy natural movements, cost you just 10 cents to start getting your health back. CAS-cARETS Candy Cathartio, the genuine, put up in match loves every tablet has C. C. C. stamped on it. Beware of imitations.

THE SONG OF LIFE.

One must sing of the mountains; One must sing of the sea; One must sing us the song of love, And one in hate's shrill key; Yet all will rise to the blending skies In one grand harmony. Love and hate and compassion,

Sorrow and right and wrong, Past and future and war and peace-Rise in an anthem strong, And all will grow, as they ebb and flow, To life's unceasing song. --Baltimore American.

**** THE MAROONING OF CAPTAIN SUTTLEBURY. 🛠

By R. E. Vernede.

ingly.

"Yes."

fast?"

net.

the line.

found you."

apology.

foot.

"Was I really asleep?"

shooting away to the right.

"Well?" said Joan coldly.

"You were looking for me?"

luck in a way that you came, oughtn't

1? because my canoe has drifted off,

and Mr. Maynard has lost his pole,

and we might have been left here in

lose a rather large pike."

"Were you?"

ISS JOAN RYE was having the last hat pin run through the flopplest of hats by her maid, so that, | head. quite plainly, she was going out to brave the sun. She rose as graceful as a panther, and full of spirits, and went out

One must sing of the sunshine;

In one harmonious strain.

Free Lagent - and of a lot a start

One must sing of the future,

One must sing of the rain; One must sing us the songs of joy,

With hopes and fearings rife;

One must sing of the misty past-

Its dreaming and its strife-

The marvelous song of life.

And one sing woe's refrain; Yet in the end all the songs will blend

Yet they will meet in a chord full swcet-

swiftly and silently into the park, taking care to evade any other of allowing her attention to be distractthe Wattle House guests who might cd from the business on hand. be about. The kennels were in quite the opposite direction, but then Miss Rye

had a passion for the waterside, particularly this morning, when the sun was so riotously hot, and the mere sound of the swish in the reeds would be cooling. Also, nobody ever went down to the lake in the morning. She would be alone and unpestered for

once. Captain Suttlebury could bestow his insufferable attentions upon the hounds. She laughed aloud at the thought It was understood, as such matters generally are understood, that Miss

Rye was the destined bride of the Captain. He was ugly, vulgar, and one of the wealthiest of landowners. so that he could marry anyone he chose. And his choice seemed to be

Miss Joan Rye. "Beauty and the Beast," as Lord Wattle remarked to his distant connection and temporary private secretary, Mr. Dick Maynard, anent this affair. The young man nodded. "I hope she'll refuse him," he said,

frowning. "My dear man," said Lord Wattle, "how can she? Lady Wattle gives me to understand that Miss Rye and

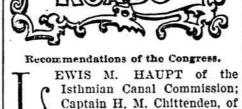
Shuttlebury have fixed it up, kindly

making my house the base of operations. He's a vulgar little brute, and he'll flutter around till she's worn out. Then I shall have to congratulate him." Maynard shut his mouth at this GOXOD

at the Yellowstone National Park.

and William Pierson Judson, Deputy

the United States Engineers



State Engineer and Surveyor, presented some interesting stereopticon pictures before the International Good Roads Congress at Buffalo. Mr. Haupt showed some examples of neglected highways in various parts "Can I help?" he said half unwillof the United States, and in contrast some of the modern paths of business She answered without turning her and pleasure travel here and abroad, and pointed out where the inability "Have you got the landing net?" to get produce to market at a critical time had resulted in the loss of much more money to farmers that would He went forward, and she held up have been required to keep the road the pike nearer the side. She was a

in decent condition for travel. little breathless, but talked without Captain Chittenden's illustrations were of road construction and maintenance in the vast National Park. "You owe me a pair of gloves, Mr. Maynard. Fast asleep-aren't you One remarkable contrast between cost in different parts of the country ashamed-only an hour after breakwas brought out by Captain Chittenden, who stated that the sprinkling of the Yellowstone Park roads in dry The pike was head up, trying to weather costs about \$125 a mile, while at the session of Wednesday Professor furrow the tops of the water with Holmes, State Geologist of North his narrow tail. Maynard made an effectual dive with the net, the fish Carolina, cited instances where durable roads had been built from clay and sand in South Carolina for \$125 "Ahem! Good morning, Miss Joan." They had both been so wrapped up a mile and did not require watering. in their fishing that they had entirely Mr. Judson showed how the Higblefailed to notice the approach of Cap-Armstrong law was working out the tain Suttlebury in the second punt, salvation of country highways in New and at the very moment that he sent Yor!: State.

the nose of his punt into theirs May-Senator H. S. Earle, of Detroit, nard had the tail of the fish in the President of the League of American Wheelmen, made a vigorous address, in which he spoke of the work accom-Maynard had relieved her of the plished by wheelmen for road improvement, and advocated placing a tax on rod and was reeling up the slack of every seat in every wheeled vehicle used on a road in the United States "Well?" repeated Joan, tapping her to form a fund for the repairing and rebuilding of roads. "Er-I supposed I'd find you on the

The Committee on Resolutions made lake," said Captain Suttlebury. a long report, some of the principal recommendations being: "Of course; it was just as well I That'the work of the Government

Office of Public Read Inquiries in the "Perhaps," said Joan. "It made me Department of Agriculture should be enlarged into a bureau, and that an Captain Suttlebury was dimly conappropriation of \$150,000 should be scious from her point that he was made by Congress for this purpose. expected to apologize. But that was That it is necessary for the purpose not his way-on the contrary, he felt of carrying on the work of good roads that he had a right to demand an construction to complete and protect a chain of organization in each State.

EXECRATION, ICNOMINY OBLIVION. such is the Fate of Wretches Like Czolgosz, the Assassin.

The savage attack upon the wretched assassin of President McKinley by the crowd gathered at the gates of Auburn prison is another reminder of the execration in which such a criminal is held by all the people. In the World's interview with the

assassin of King Humbert the murderer complained of the fury of the bystanders. "Everything and everybody was against me," he said; "every mother's son, every woman and child present seemed bound to kill me, or at least to harm me as much as was in their power." And he professed surprise and bitter disappointment that none of the "poor people," or even the soldiers, whose

cause he thought he was serving. showed the slightest regard for his life It has been the same here. Not a solitary human being-not even the most wild-eye of the Anarchists-has expressed any sympathy with the assassin. Only the armed guard of marines at Buffalo saved him from instant death. Only a strong detachment of police prevented the crowd at Auburn from despatching him. Even his father bitterly lamented in his presence that he was ever born. His family are to change their name to escape the ignominy and reproach that attaches to it.

much as a more generous diet and ab-And for what? "It was a mistake!" stention from parboiling is bringing its wailed the doomed man on his way reward in an accumulation of muscle to prison and death. "Nobody was and tissue.... Chambers' Journal helped." To complete the lesson, consider the cowering and whimpering wretch, his bravado all gone, "shak-

ing in the palsy of fear" and collapsing in abject terror as he was dragged limp and shrieking to his cell. And in "the week beginning October 28" a lightning bolt of death, the body destroyed with quicklime, and an unknown grave! Is it not well to recite these facts

for the everlasting remembrance of other half-baked intellects that contemplate serving some nebulous "cause" or gaining the notoriety they mistake for fame by attacks upon the heads of governments? Their reward is execration, ignominy, oblivion!-New York World.

WORDS OF WISDOM.

The man who procrastinates struggles with ruin.-Franklin.

An apt quotation is as good as an original remark.-Johnson. Progress is the activity of to-day and the assurance of to-morrow.-Emer-SOL

To be vain of one's rank or place is to show that one is below it .- Stanislaus

The desire of appearing clever often prevents one becoming so .- Rochefou-



Mrs. Kate Berg, Secretary Ladies' Auxiliary of Knights of Pythias, No. 58, Commercial Hotel, Minneapolis, Minn., After Five Years Suffering Was Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM : - Whatever virtue there is in medicine seems to be concentrated in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I suffered for five years with profuse and painful menstruation until I lost flesh and strength, and life had no charms for me. Only three bottles of your Vegetable Compound cured me, I became regular, without any pains, and hardly know when I am sick.

Some of my friends who have used your Compound for uterine and ovarian troubles all have the same good word to say for it, and bless the day they first found it."-MRS. KATE BERG.

\$5000 FORFEIT IF THE ABOVE LETTER IS NOT GENUINE.

When women are troubled with irregular, suppressed or painful menstruation, weakness, leucorrhœa, displacement or ulceration of the womb, that bearing-down feeling, inflammation of the ovaries, backache, bloating (or flatulence), general debility, indigestion, and nervous prostration, or are beset with such symptoms as dizziness, faintness, lassitude, excitability, irritability, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, "all-gone" and "want-to-be-left-alone" feelings, blues, and hopelessness, they should remember there is one tried and true remedy. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once removes such troubles. Refuse to buy any other medicine, for you need the best.

Mrs. Pinkham invites all sick women to write her for advice. She has guided thousands to health. Address Lynn, Mass.



Atlanta, Ga.

don't pick them to pieces."

The Japanese and Their Shirt Collars.

Japanese is very perceptible; and the

substitution of tepid and even cold wa-

ter for the hot baths among many of

the people is responsible for an increas-

ing floridity of the complexion. Before

the advent of military discipline on Eu-

ropean models the Japanese were not-

able as the smallest necked race in the

world, a firm of London collar makers

with a large trade to Papan asserting

that thirteen inches was the normal

circumference of a full-grown Jap-

anese's throat. In a little over twenty

years, owing to more athletic develop-

ment, the average has risen an inch and

a half! To athletic development should

also be added greater avoidupois, inas-

The increase in stature among the

Johnny--"I don't dast to tell yer Ma'am." -- Catholic Standard and

Times.

THE ORIGINAL WAS PRE-SERVED.

Clara--Well, aunt, have your photographs come from Mr. Snappeschotte's? Miss Maydeval (angrily)-Yes; and they went back, too, with a note ex-

pressing my opinion of his impudence. Clara-Gracious! What was it? Miss Maydeval-Why, on the back of every picture were these words: "The original of this is carefully preserved.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, | 38.

Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County

cured by the use of HALL'S CATABBH COBE.

SEAL A. D., 1886. A. W. GLEASON. Notary Public.

of the system. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.

dom have any money to carry them out.

Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

LUCAS COUNTY.

Dyeing is as simple as washing when you

Largest in the World. Walter Baker & Co., Ltd., Dorches-

Worth Knewing About.

ter. Mass., are the largest manufacturers of cocoa and chocolate in the world. They received a gold medal from the Paris Exposition of last year. This year they have received three gold medals from the Pan-American exposition at Buffalo. Their goods are the standard for purity and excellence.

Unmentionable. Teacher-"What does b-u-l-l-y spell?" Johnny-"Way, er-u'm-m-' Teacher -- "Come! Come! Suppose a great big boy were to strike a little fellow, what would you call him?"

Even the professional swindler works his way in the world. H. H. GREEN'S SONS, of Atlanta, Ga., are

the only successful Dropsy Specialists in the world. See their liberal offer in advertisement in another column of this paper. The girl who marries to please her

family assumes an awful responsibility.

FITS permanently cured. No fits or nervousness after first day's use of Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restoror. \$2 trial bottle and treatise free Dr. R. H. KLINE, Ltd., 931 Arch St., Phila. Pa.

A bent pin on a chair is no joke if you can't see the point.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething, soften the gums, reduces inflamma-tion, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle

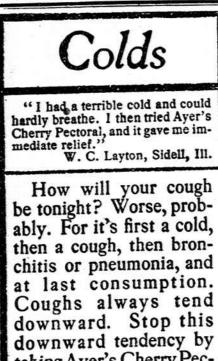
True happiness, with some people, con-sists in being able to say "I told you so."

Piso's Cure is the best medicine we ever used for all affections of throat and lungs.-Wm. O. ENDSLEY, Vanburen, Ind., Feb. 10, 1900.

Dull care isn't a marker to a dull razor.

See advertisement of EE-M Catarrh Cure in another column-the best remedy made

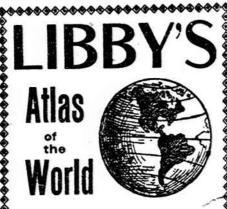
A woman can't throw a stone, but she can heave a sigh.



taking Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

Three sizes : 25c., 50c., \$1. All druggists.

Consult your doctor. If he says take it, then do as he says. If he tells you not to take it, then don't take it. He knows. Leave it with him. We are willing. J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.



Containing thirty-two new maps, pub-Louisville, Ky. San Francisco, Cal. New York N.Y. regret this delay and am unable to ol a man. Otherwise she would not lished expressly for us by the largest "That is what I hope," she said. An Automobile Highway. have done what she did. That was to account for the absence of Professor map and atlas publishers in America, is And at that he had no more scruples. "Some enterprising man has suggesraddle up to the punt and step aboard. just out. It is complete to March 1st, Smythe, who was to lecture here to-PRICE SOT PER BOTTLE "As fast as you can, please," sa'd FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS ted to Mr. Carnegie that instead of 1901. Indexed, and gives new maps of She took up the rod and freed the night. He told me that he would le DAADAADAA2AAQABQABQ Joan, "for I'm sure he's using bad china, South Africa, the Philippines, on time if he was alive, and, as he reel carefully. building any more libraries he con-Cuba, Porto Rico, and is-of as much language now, and I've been insulted "What a splendid fish it must be!" struct a model road suitable for autois not here, we must conclude that he enough for one morning. And I am practical use as any atlas published. We mail it to any address for five 2she said, feeling it delicately as she mobiles clear across the United States. so vexed to have made you lose that is dead." reeled in a little. It must have been That would surely be a high way of Just then the professor rushed on ASTHMA-HAY FEVER Y .UNION MADE cent stamps. Address pike, Mr. Maynard." spending his surplus millions."-San the sporting instinct that was aroused. the stage all out of breath. "Ladies W.L.DOUGLAS Later in the day Captain Suttlebury for she forgot her canoe and her de-Francisco Call. CURED BY OP DR. TAFTS ALENE SEND FOR EDFE TRIAL BOTTLE Advertising Department and gentlemen," continued the chairwas observed by the waterman and sire for solitude, and began to play man, "allow me to introduce to you rescued, but that was not until after Libby, McNeill & Libby, Value of Object Lessons. the fish. the late Professor Smythe, who will \$3.50~\$3.00 SHOES lunch, and everyone was curious to Now, pike is not the gamest of The United States has one servicenow address us on The Inferno."-New know what had become of him. Not CHICAGO. tnings that swim, but even a pike able road where France has a hun-York Herald. saving the spirit to confess his dis-FREE TRIAL BOTTLE dred. A person who has bounced over will make some struggle, and this THE 'WORLD'S GREATEST CATERERS SOLD BY OVER SOLD IN OUR comfiture, he decided to leave Wattle House by the next train, which our country thoroughfares in the mud ADDRESS DR. TAFT. 79 E.I30 T ST. N.Y. CITY Turkish Flags Half-Masted. was a big one. Joan reeled in, and 63 RETAIL STORES 5,000 DEALERS The most remarkable feature of an early spring is willing to state the pike resisted, and the punt rocked he did, much to Mrs. Rye's grief. \$900 TO \$1500 A YEAR of the memorial services held in Con-Later in the year-much to her moth- | the case more forcibly. up and down. Presently from a dream DROPSY NEW DISCOVERY; give-book of testimoniels and 10 days' treatment re. Dr. H. E. GEEEN'SBONS. For B. Atlanta. Ga. stantinople in honor of President Mc-We want intelligent Men and Women as Traveling Representatives or Local Managers; salary \$900 to \$1500 a year and all expenses, according to experience and ability. We also want local representatives salary \$9 to \$15 a week and commission, depending upon the time devoted. Send stamp for full particulars and tate position prefered. Address, Dept. B. in which he and Captain Suttlebury er's horror-Joan maried Lord Wat-Kinley was that on the day of the Cows in the United States. were exchanging pistol shots across W. L. Douglas \$4.00 Gilt Edge Line Cannot Be Equaled At Any Price. tle's private secretary .- The World's a pocket handkerchief-all for the New York State has more cows than funeral the Ottoman guardship at Pennsylvania and New Jersey com-Therapia half-masted her flags. This Events. HANDSOME AMERICAN LADY, indepen dently rich, wants good, honest husband. Ad-dress Mrs. E., S7 Market St., Chicago, 111. love of a lady-Dick Maynard awoke For More Than a Quarter of is quite unprecedented, as Turkish and rubbed his eyes. The girl was bined, and more than any other one For More Than & Quarter of a Contury the reputation of W. L. Douglas \$3.00 and \$3.50 shoes for style, comfort and wear has ex-celled all other makes sold at these prices. This excellent reputation has been won by merit alone. W. L. Douglas shoes have to give better sat-isfaction than other \$3.00 and \$3.50 shoes because his reputation for the 1 and \$3.50 shoes must be maintained. Sick of Tigers. flags are never half-masted. The State in the Uonin, Iowa being secstanding at the far end of the punt. Egyptians do it regularly, but the THE BELL COMPANY, Philadelphia, Pa. Gold Medal at Buffalo Exposition. ond, Illinois third and Wisconsin A cynical old man once found himwith feet firmly planted, tense in MCILHENNY'S TABASCO every limb, and beautifully balanc- self in the company of a large number Turks look upon it as a bad omen and fourth. The entire number of cows USE CERTAIN CORE. ing the heavy rod. She had not of Anglo-Indians, and he proceeded to in the States and Territories, in the insist that the Turkish flag shall al-\$8.00 one of the called out for assistance, or begun ask each guest if he had shot a tiger. exact census figures, is 16,292,360, with ways be at the top of the mast. The W. L. Douglas \$3.00 and \$3.50 shoes are made of the same high-grade leath-ers used in \$5.00 and \$6.00 shoes and shaking, as some women do in their At last one gentleman declared he had a total valuation of \$514,812,106. commander of the French gunboat BUYS best made Best Cough Syrup. Tastes Good. Use Cough Syrup. Tastes Good. Use Cough Syrup. Tastes Good. Use Cough Syrup. excitement. He could imagine ner never even seen the royal beast. went on board the English gunboat to 800 Lb. Platform Scales r cap toe; heavy, lips quite firm and curved, and it "Thank God!" exclaimed the questionthank the captain for having landed are just as good in every way. The railways of Austria belong piqued him that he could only see er; "may I sit next to you at dinner? largely to private companies, while from factory to wearer at one profit; and the best W. L. DOUGLAS, Brockton, M ever Sold. Well made. a large party of marines and sailors Sold by & Douglas stores in American cities selling direct everywhere. Catalog O Free. her back, and the back, curled clouds I am so weary of hearing about the to attend the services at the Chapel .-WILL LAST A LIFE TIME. FULL CONSUMPTION those of Germany are a Government Size Platform. Catalogue free. deaths of tigers."-The Athenaeum. London Telegraph. or her hair. monopoly. JONES (HE PAYS THE FREIGHT). BINGHAMTON, N. Y.

pompous manner, "that your mother feeble-minded view and busied himwould approve of this sort of thing." self over his work. He spent a restless night trying to devise disinter-"What sort of thing?" "Fishing with one of the s-" ested schemes whereby Beauty might be saved from the toils, and woke He had meant to say servants, but caught Maynard's eye. early and angry, with a conviction "Perhaps," she said meekly, "you

that a secretarial post precludes one from undertaking the duties of a knight-errant. He went down to the lake (because

in the morning nobody ever went there), got a rod from the waterman, and, having punted himself across to the shady side, fixed the pole in

mouth

tude.

which he meant to follow. And on

the other side of the haze things

were happening of which Joan's first

intimation was this: Towards her,

from the opposite bank, came an ap-

parently unoccupied punt. It came

the middle of the lake for hours." the reeds by way of anchor, set his Maynard froze up. Nothing would float running, clinched his rod in the have been more lucky, to his way of bows, and promptly fell asleep among thinking, than the contingency menthe cushions, with a pipe in his tioned, but he imagined Joan was

making her submission. So did Cap-That is why the following things tain Suttlebury, and he assumed a came to pass when about half an conquering pose. hour later Miss Joan Rye came down to the boathouse, followed at a dis-"Lost his pole, has he?" he inquired, loftily. creet distance by the irrepressible

"Yes," said Joan. "It is stuck in the Captain Suttlebury, who by an ill reeds. You can almost see it from chance had marked Miss Rye's direchere.' tion, and had not therefore taken the

trouble to inquire of her maid as to "Then, Mr. What's-his-name," said where she might be found. The Capthe Captain, turning towards Mayntain was feeling uncommonly sulky ard, "you can take my punt and fetch and spiteful, knowing he had exerted this pole back here. After that you himself for some days past in a mancan go. Miss Ryc and I shan't need

ner that "no woman was worth." you, d'ye see?" He held out the pole belonging to without marked success. Meanwhile Joan came to the water's his own punt as he spoke, and for a edge. A shimmering heat-haze lay moment his fate hung in the balance. lightly over the lake, making dim Then Maynard puts his hands in his the further shore under the hill, pockets and turned to Joan-

whose imminent pines would, as she "Am I to understand that is what knew, throw the coolest shadows, and you wish?" he asked, stiffly. all among the rushes on either side "Please do," she said.

of the boathouse the coots winged Because she wished it, he stepped a flustered escape at her approaching. across on the other punt, disregard-Some white swans, too, oared them ing even the supercilious smile with selves off shore after the fashion of which Captain Suttlebury handed him shocked dignity. The waterman was the pole. Then, without a word, he nowhere about, and Joan had to unpushed off. As the gap between the | the burden falls largely, as few of moor her own craft. She had fixed two punts widened to a yard, before on a Canadian canoe, and, having either of the two were aware of it. seated herself, made away with Joan had taken a running leap from broad, gentle scoops of the paddle, reone to the other. She was beside joicing in her liberty and her soli-Maynard now, and the gap had grown

a gulf of a dozen yards, and the Cap-She had disappeared into the haze tain's smile turned to a stare of disbeyond Captain Suttlebury's view may. before he was ready with the punt in

"What the-what are you doing?" he stuttered angrily. Joan settled herself composedly

down among the cushions. "Marconing you," she said. "Maroo-maroo-what do TOIL

mean?" erratically, with slow jerks and "For bad manners on the high swerves to left and right. A stout seas," Joan explained affabry. "I am pike-rod was fixed in the bows and the pirate queen of the lake this bent almost to cracking. morning, and any one displeasing me

"Some one must have_been fishing has to suffer. Your punishment is from it." thought Joan. The float to swim ashore or else wait until was invisible, but the taut line and someone calls for you. The pole is twisted reel showed her what was in the reeds, remember, in case you the matter. The fisher must have want it, and don't forget lunch is at gone ashore and a pike hooked himtwo. Good-by, Captain Suttlebury!" self-in the meantime. How annoved She waved her hand at him misthe man would be! And thenchievously and beckoned Maynard to "Why, it's Mr. Maynard!" she said, pole on.

Dester C aloud, quite suddenly. "Asleep!" "You are sure you wish it?" he She had wanted solitude, but some their particular locality, but of the foot lights. asked, anxiously. "I'don't think he's "Ladies and gentlemen," he said, "I how was in no way vexed to come whole country. the sort of man to forgive it."

"I do not imagine," he said in his Territory and county for thorough concerted action, and that the Vice-President of each State for the National Good Roads Association be authorized to organize a State Good Roads Association in his respective

State or Territory. That we recommend the plan of are right. You are so often right, State supervision and co-operation to Captain Suttlebury, aren't you? And the several States. in any case I ought to consider it

That this congress indorses the use of the wide tire on all public roads and the payment of the usual road taxes in cash instead of in labor. A committee of five was appointed

to see that the matter of a national appropriation is placed before every Representative and Senator in Congress.

A Fine Argument.

God is on the side of virtue; for whoever dreads punishment suffers it, and whoever deserves it dreads it .-- Colton. Despite all refinement, the light and habitual taking of God's name in vain betrays a coarse and brutal will .-

Chapin. Human nature is so constituted, that all see, and judge better, in the affairs of other men, than in their own .-Terence.

The mind that is much elevated and insolent with prosperity, and cast down by adversity, is generally abject and base-Spurgeon.

A Notable Bridge Feat.

In the transportation of logs from the heart of the California timber belt to the mills, an important engin-One of the best arguments yet ofeering feat has been accomplished. A fered for road improvement is concanon on the south fork of the Ameritained in a report of the Industrial can River had to be traversed, and as Commission on the distribution of It was 1000 feet deep, it was determined farm products. The important fact is to build a steel-wire suspension tramthere brought out that the cost of way. The distance across the canon hauling farm products to markets is 2850 feet. Between the two termiover country roads is in excess of the nal towers the space is 2650 feet. cost of operating all the railroads in Two parallel cables span this imthe United States. It has been shown mense gap, without support between by careful inquiry that the average the towers. On these cables runs a haul of the American farmer in getcage conveying a car capable of carryting his produce to market or to the ing 3000 feet of green, and, therefore, nearest shipping station is twelve very heavy, timber on each trip. The miles. The average cost per ton for tower terminals are anchored in the hauling over the ordinary country solid rock, supporting the cables, on roads is twenty-five cents per mile, which, over the canon of a depth of or \$2 per ton for a twelve-mile haul. Careful estimates place the total num-1000 feet, where the river's course ber of tors hauled at 300,000,000 per seems like a rivulet, passes to and fro the skeleton iron cage, running on annum, and this, at the average deep-grooved trolley-wheels, and carrytwelve-mile haul, would make the ing its enormous load of green timtotal cost \$900,000,000, as compared with the \$\$18,000,000 expense of railber with great apparent ease.

The Blessings of Flowers.

There is pleasure in seeing our pretty them probably add the expense of girl acquaintances wearing at their corsage the violets or tea roses of our own raising; there is pleasure in decking our elderly visitors in the modest splendor of lavender, purple, blush and white sweet peas; and there is a hopeful optimism that comes to the owner of a garden when she shares it with the boys and girls whose homes are bare of all beauty. Hopeful because they are so grateful for the little breast knot of flowers: hopeful. because even that little thing wakens a love of the good and the beautiful.

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and then to better things. The one so fortunate as to have a garden is blessed with the means of conferring much happiness and doing a vast amount of real good.-Los Angeles

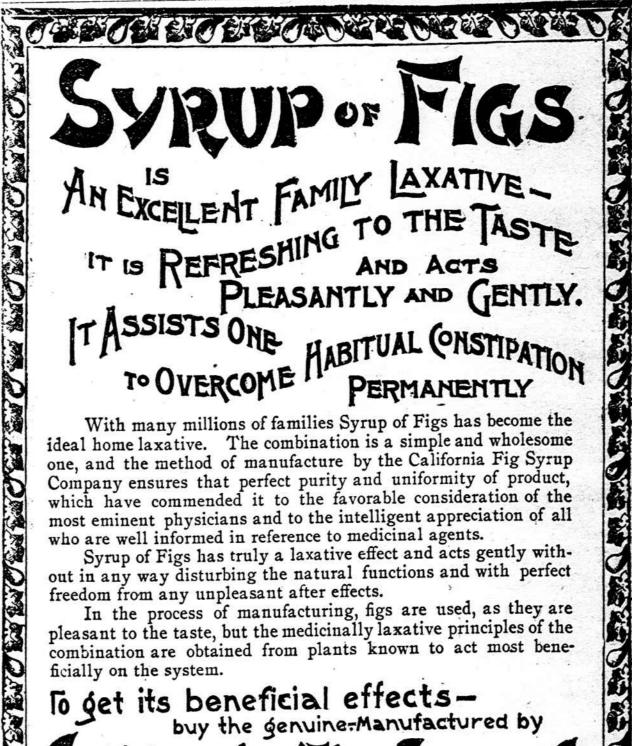
Late. Indeed. The chairman of a lecture committee of a literary society sat restlessly on the stage before a large and waiting audience, wondering why the expected lecturer did not arrive. Finally, he felt that some sort of an excuse was necessary, and stepped to the

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into first-class form. Mrs. Bishop, the well-known traveler, says she passed some remarkable "highways of commerce," cut through the rocks in mountain passes, scaffolded over rivers and carried through galleries in which were tablets in honor of the givers of the road. Cycling is not yet a popular institution in China, but at some fu-

ture date when the Flowery Kingdom has contracted the "infection" of western countries the names of these ploneers of the good roads movement will be honored, not as the benefactors of

hauling to the cost of the product. Yet, with few exceptions, this class of producers has stood in the way of road improvement.

An Example to Imitate.

road management. These figures

ought to appeal to farmers. On them

They have a very commendable way of displaying patriotism in China. The wealthy Chinaman who would seek popularity at the hands of his country does not endow a hospital or get some one to raise a statue in his honor-no, he just goes out, finds a bad bit of road and has it carefully made up