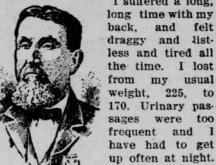
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Artyoshi has not made up his mind yet whether he will remain in this country or go home to Japan after he has been graduated from the school ship. A term on the schoolship fits a boy for service in the merchant ma rine. Artyoshi says he likes the United States and may stay here, but

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BY HARLAN EUGENE READ

When it came to the point of acless and tired all Watkins, who had been just on the the time. I lost tually carrying out his intentions on point of cursing the man roundly for from my usual that wonderful May afternoon, Mr. J. dropping the trunk on his foot at the weight, 225, to Spencer Parker seemed to accomplish top landing, contented himself with 170. Urinary pas- no more than a hunting dog chasing blaspheming inwardly instead.

sages were too a rabbit in the tall rye, continually At dinner there was a general hush when he entered the room, and he frequent and I jumping up and down and never getwas introduced to the lodgers, one by have had to get ting anywhere. A dozen times he up often at night. | walked resolutely toward the brass one. A sweet looking girl sat next I had headaches door-knob of 1316, and as many times him, who said:

"It will be so delightful to have you here, Mr. Watkins. Mr. Parker, who called here yesterday, tells us that you spent two summers in Europe." Memories of rough debauches in London and Paris and feverish gambling at Monte Carlo came flooding to his brain. His only subjects of "J. Spencer Parker, upon my word!" conversation, in regard to European travel, heretofore, had been coarse

exclaimed the middle-aged woman ones. But now, coloring, he spoke who came to the door. "And pray what brings you here to-day?" She spoke in a sweet, musical tone, in pleasing harmony with the diffident demeanor of her guest, whose every motion was quiet and respectable, and whose voice sounded strange-

ly like hers, as he replied: "Just visiting, ma'am. 1 wished to pay you my regards, Mrs. Simpson, and to congratulate you upon Mr. Watkins, who is coming to board with you."

"Congratulate me!" cried Mrs. Simpson. "Why, 1 am indeed delighted to hear that. Do you know, have never seen him yet?"

"Yes?" The look in Mr. Parker's eyes was far away as he replied, and his body bent forward attentively, "I have known Mr. Watkins-Jeremiah Watkins, ma'am-from a boy. 1 am glad he is come to such a home as yours."

"Indeed, you please me, Mr. Parker," returned Mrs. Simpson. "I shall be especially happy to tell our boarders what sort of person they may expect."

Mr. Parker gave a sudden start, but carefully recovered himself. "Ah," he said, "that's what I came to teil you of'

"Indeed?" "Yes, Mr. Watkins is a-a-a gentleman.'

Again the courteous speaker leaned forward as he spoke, struggling awkwardly for the next word-"but I want you to know that he is a -- a gentleman.

"Ah!" returned Mrs. Simpson, with ready intuition. "Then he is perhaps eccentric?"

"Not exactly," replied Mr. Parker, thoughtfully and sweetly, "but he looks, let me say, he looks rougher than he is." "But he is-"

"Yes," said Mr. Parker. "He is a gentleman."

Half an hour later the door closed softly, and J. Spencer Parker came asked him about his home and his its way. down the front steps of 1316, at first business, not as curiosity seekers or idlers, but as people sincerely inter smiling, and then sadly, walking with ested in him. They never talked of slow, unsteady step. As he passed themselves; but answered his quesby the little corner grocery store, he tions frankly. paused and smote himself pathetically When he returned to his room there on the breast.

### THE PROGRESS OF THE CANA DIAN WEST.

#### Nearly 200,000 of an Increase in Cana- platform than any other American da's Immigration in 1906.

an authoritative source the statement The progress of a new country can- comes that the South Carolinian's net not be better ascertained than by not- proceeds thus far this year from his ing the increase of railroad mileage in lecture tour are \$25,000. Senator Tillits transportation system, and, judged man is paid from \$250 to \$500 a lec by this standard, the Canadian West ture and he is constantly in demand. leads all the countries in the world His season is not confined to the sumduring the current year. Thirty years mery Chautauqua course and he fills ago there was not one hundred miles nearly as many dates in the winter of railroad west of the Great Lakes. as at any other time of the year. In and very little prospect of a trans- the last four years it is said that he continental route for many years to has laid aside over \$60,000 from his come, but by the end of 1885 the lecture receipts. Henry Watterson Canadian Pacific Railway was within perhaps comes next in the matter of measurable distance of completion, earnings on the platform. Champ and last year-twenty years later- Clark, of Missouri, ranks high as a

over 6,000 miles of railroad traversed popular favorite and makes about the provinces of Manitoba, Sas- twice as much as a lecturer as his conkatchewan and Alberta. gressional salary.

In the past year the work of railroad construction has been vigorously prosecuted, and by the end of 1906, No one can be happy, light-hearted

some 5,000 miles of completed railroad | and healthy with a body full of blood has been added, making a total of that cannot do its duty to every part fully 11,000 miles in the three great because of its impurity; therefore, the grain producing provinces of Canada. first and most important work in hand Such an increase in the transportation is to purify the blood so that every facilities of the country is bound to organ will get the full benefit of a make good times not only in the dis- healthy circulation. There is no remtricts where the railroads are being edy so good as that old family rembuilt, but throughout the entire west. | edy, Brandreth's Pills. Each pill con-Allowing \$20,000 a mile for construction tains one grain of the solid extract of tion, the sum of \$100,000,000 will be sarsaparilla blended with two grains put in circulation, and this in itself of a combination of pure and mild should cause good times to prevail in vegetable products, making it a blood a land where work is plentiful, wages purifier unexcelled in character. One are high, and the cost of living is modor two taken every night for awhile will produce surprising results.

But the building of new railroads Brandreth's Pills have been in use through Western Canada means a for over a century, and are for sale greater benefit to the country than everywhere, plain or sugar-coated. merely the money put in circulation by the cost of construction. Addition-

erate.

where.

Chinese Superior to Japs. Discussing the little rumpus with

Water on a Battleship.

As many as 8,000 gallons of fresh

water are used in a large battleship

daily. About two-thirds of this is

taken up by the boilers, and the re-

mainder is used for drinking, washing,

cooking, etc. When the store which

she has taken out with her from port

pend upon her condensers for further

supplies. Every modern warship is

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their attractiveness to the way they

are laundered, this being done in a

manner to enhance their textile beau-

ty. Home laundering would be equal-

ly satisfactory if proper attention was

given to starching, the first essential

fitted with evaporating machinery to

distil the salt sea-y ater.

bas been used up, a vessel has to de-

Keep Your Blood Pure.

al railway building means the opening of new agricultural districts and an Japan, Senator William A. Clark exadditional area under crops; a largely presses the opinion the Chinese in increased output of grain to foreign this country are superior to the Japmarkets with consequent financial re- anese. "I have loaned thousands of turns: the erection of elevators and dollars to Chinamen," said the senathe growth of villages, towns and cit- tor, "and never have I known one to ies; and everything else that makes fail to meet his obligations." He emfor the progress of national life, and phasized his opinion as to the superiorthe opening up of additional thousands ity of the Chinamen by calling attenof free homesteads, so extensively adtion to the fact that the Japanese in their banking institutions employ vertised by the Canadian government agent, whose address appears else-Chinamen in positions of trust in preference to their own countrymen.

It was stated on the floor of the Canadian Parliament recently by a

prominent representative that ten years from now would see the bulk of beside him, brought to his memory the population of Canada residing west of the Great Lakes, and if the work of railway building during the present year is any criterion, the prophecy made by the Canadian statesman may be easily fulfilled inside of the time stated. During the present year no less than 189,064 persons have found homes in the Canadian west. of whom 57,796 were Americans who cise before retiring. One of them have seen the great possibilities of was the young lady whom he had sat this new West, and have decided to next to at dinner. The other was a cast in their lot with it. Certainly, young lawyer who occupied the room our neighbor north of the 49th parallel next to his in the hall. Their talk is making a great record, and deserves

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The Language of Commerce. Great Britain and her colonies and the United States represent together the fabuluous total of 111,000,0000 English-speaking persons, figures which leave all competitors hopelessly in the rear. Germany and Russia occupy second place with 75,000,000 apiece, and France, Spain, Italy and Portugal follow, with 51,000,000, 43,-

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# Mr. Watkins.

of Notre Dame and the Louvre; of St. Paul's and Windsor. The unaccountable influence of this slight creature scenes of beauty and interest that he had looked on only in passing, and had long forgotten. He talked without roughness, and even found himself thanking the waitress for things she passed him. He felt pleasantly uncomfortable. He walked that evening with two

was wholesome and happy. They the success that appears to be coming

of his fellow lodgers, for a little exer-

stood near it. Presently, Mrs. Simp-

son knocked at his door. "It occurred

to me," she said, sweetly, "that you

at Cabinet Dinner.

retary of the interior and Mrs. Hitch-

cock three years ago. The president

and Mrs. Roosevelt arrived in due

time, as did all the other guests ex-

After a delay of almost an hour

attractive handwriting, but had for

gotten to turn a leaf and was, ac-

cordingly, a day behind time. No one

appreciated the joke more than did

the president, and the dinner that be

gan in anxiety and apprehension end

ed in a big laugh at the dear old sen

ator.-Denver Times.

cept Senator Cockrell.

of Cuticura Resolvent Pills. Of course I keep Cuticura Soap all the time for my hands, but the one cake of Soan and half a box of Cuticura Ointment cured them. It is surely a blessing for me to have my hands well, and I am very proud of having tried Cuticura Remedies, and recommend them to all suffering with eczema. Mrs. Eliza A. Wiley, R. F. D. No. 2, Liscomb, Iowa Cot 18 1906."

#### Rothschilds Never Prosecute.

While the Bank of England makes it a point never under any circumstances to relinquish the prosecution of those who have defrauded it in the slightest degree, being willing, if need be, to spend thousands of pounds to capture and prosecute people who have robbed it of even a few shillings, the Rothschilds make it a rule never to appeal to the courts or to the police in such matters. Of course, they are, like every other banker, occasionally the victims of dishonesty, but neither the police nor the public ever hear about the matter. This has always been a principle of the heads of the house, who take the ground that it is better to bear the loss in silence than to disturb popular confidence in the safety of the concern by allowing it to be seen that its treasures are not adequately safeguarded.

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#### Horses Still in Demand.

Happily the horse has a faculty for he is fated to be put out of business his trunks, she extended her hand by the automobile. The horse business and said: has kept right on developing in spite of the fact that the automobile industry has been engaged in similar undertaking. The demand for horses is still great. The supply of some before her eyes; but something in her classes of them is inadequate. The prices are high. The automobile may from what he had been accustomed to, scare the horse into the ditch, but checked him. it isn't likely to crowd him to the wall. There will always be a field for the

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was a flower on his bureau. The gas "Liar!" he said, groaning. "Liar! was burning low. The windows were And yet-it had to be done. God slightly opened, and the fresh, pure forgive me!" air surrounded him. He found a pitch

Anyone who had happened to see er of cool water at hand, and a glass Mr. Parker's friend, Mr. Jeremy Watkins, on the next day, when he came with his trunks to 1316, might have been excused for cherishing the sus-

might not yet have unpacked your picion that he was not exactly a Beau books.' Brummel or a Lord Chesterfield. He Watkins looked apprehensively at cursed the baggage man for letting the cheap, trashy literature that his trunk fail roughly to the ground adorned his shelves. "N-no," he and quarreled with him over his fee: said slowly. "I haven't." and, to further give vent to his feel-"If you would like to use any of our ings, he strode to the door and gave books, just go down into the library the bell knob a vicious jerk. There and help yourself. You need not was not a look on his face or a gesbother to return them to their places, ture of his body that did not reveal if you get interested. Just leave them him a coarse, ill-mannered young man. here in your room." properly of the stable, rather than Upon the following Sunday one of the house. His square, rough face. with its loose mouth and broad nose. front of 1316. his burly shoulders and big hands, "I suppose this is Mr. Watkins," he and his clothing, inviolate with resaid, cordially offering his hand, "I spect to any previous contact with the am indeed glad to meet you, for I whisk broom, bespoke a vulgarity of

have heard of you from your friends person that he did not attempt to con-Come up to-morrow to 1324, three ceal. It seemed almost impossible doors up, and have dinner. We shall that he should be a friend or acquaintbe glad to add another gentleman to ance of such a person as J. Spencer our list of acquaintances." Parker. And so time passed, until one

Mrs. Simpson, radiant, sweet and bright day, three months later, there fresh, appeared at the door, and gazed upsetting the gloomy predictions that at him for a moment. Then, seeing came again to 1316 Mr. J. Spencer Parker. He pulled the door knob with some trepidation, and heard

"Mr. Watkins, I suppose?"

"Yes." J. Watkins was on the point tion cowbell in the rear. He talked of asking her who in h-l she thought again to the middl-aged, delightfully he was, with two trunks right there beautiful woman who answered his He left agat; in about half an call hour. But this time, as he passed ladylike manner evidently different the little grocery after on the corner. he was seen to sig, himself enthusias tically on the less and to smile ra-

"I am so glad to see you," she went on. "So glad to know that we diantly. horse, as there will always be a field are to have you here. We are almost for the automobile .- Hartford Times. like a family here, and so you can SENATOR HAD DATES MIXED. imagine how much I was pleased to

learn that our new lodger was a cultivated gentleman." Watkins flushed angrily, supposing

that she was making sport of him, but one glance at her frank, ingenuous face convinced him of her sincerity. "Some one must have been here-" he stammered, uncomfortably, "telling dinners that were given by the secyou about me."

"Yes," replied Mrs. Simpson, "Mr. Parker was here yesterday. He thinks highly of you."

Again the surging suspicion that Mrs. Simpson was mocking him-and again the sweet and straightforward look from her.

the dining-room and dispatched a "I have known him a number of messenger to the residence of Senayears, ma'am." replied Watkins, in a tor Cockrell to make inquiries. Great subdued voice. fear was felt that the Missourian had

"So he said," returned Mrs. Simpson, "and it is indeed delightful that those who know one well can speak so well of him. But come-your Subscribed and sworn to before me trunks must be taken care of. I will call our man.'

The man came-a wizened man. whose face was wrinkled into a con-My commission expires July 1, 1907. stant smile; and as he bustled about. assisting Watkins with the trunks, he talked pleasantly and respectfully. "You will be pleased here, sir." he

said, as they stopped, panting, at the top of the stairs. "If I do say it myself, there are no more gentlemanly or lady-like people in the world, than at 1316."

Monarchs as Linquists. Monarchs must know more than one | being good Starch, which has sufficient

than some Frenchmen, and also Ger- you will be pleasantly surprised at the man. The czar of Russia speaks improved appearance of your work. French as well as his native tongue and knows the numerous dialects.

Emperor William of Germany speaks The people of Cornwall's coast ob-French and English correctly, and is ject to the Great Western Railway also well versed in Latin. The king company applying foreign names to of Spain, the youngest of all, speaks their climate and scenery. One advertisement called a certain locality the German with ease and also French "English Riviera," and a Cornishman and English. Because of his marriage he now practices the latter. The king at a meeting of protest the other of Portugal speaks French, English, night said Cornwall had "nothing to German and Spanish. The king of gain by being called after something Italy is a master of French and Gerin the south of France or a dirty lit-

man and is also well versed in the va- the Italian town." rious Italian dialects.

No Advance in Wisdom. Mark Twain tells how four years ago he was invited by the University of Missouri to go out there and receive the degree of LL. D. At the same time the neighbors met Mr. Watkins in he visited Hannibal, his boyhood home. Just as he was about to leave. being accompanied to the station by a crowd of citizens, Tom Nash, a schoolfellow, came up-white headed, but still a boy. He shook hands with his friend of many a year and nodding toward the crowd said: "People of this town are the same blamed fools they always were, ain't they, Sam?"

> Somewhat Embarrassing Gift. Dr. W. G. Grace, the famous English | bration sets them jingling. The delicricketer, has been the recipient of cate tinkling serves to remind their

many gifts from lovers of cricket as tangible proofs of their admiration of fanciful name. again the faint timale of the imitahis prowess. Some of them have been remarkable in character, but perhaps the most embarrassing gift he ever received was one of three young pigs which a Worcestershire farmer sent to him in recognition of a great batting feat which he had witnessed.

CRIED EASILY.

#### Nervous Woman Stopped Coffee and Quit Other Things.

Why Missouri Statesman Was Late No better practical proof that coffee is a drug can be required than to note how the nerves become unstrung in Ex-Senator Cockrell probably is the women who habitually drink it. only man in Washington who ever The stomach, too, rebels at being kept President Roosevelt waiting at a continually drugged with coffee and dinner. It was one of the cabinet

tea-they both contain the drugcaffeine. Ask your doctor. An Ia. woman tells the old story thus

"I had used coffee for six years and sired, with either gloss or domestic was troubled with headaches, nervous- finish. Try it, 16 oz. for 10c, sold by ness and dizziness. In the morning all good grocers. upon rising I used to belch up a sour Mrs. Hitchcock invited her guests to fluid regularly. Country youths sow wheat and raise

"Often I got so nervous and misercorn, but some of their city cousins able I would cry without the least rea- sow wild oats and raise Cain. son, and I noticed my eyesight was Top Prices for Hides, Furs, Pelts. getting poor.

started and had fallen by the way, as Write for circular No. 9 N. W. Hide & Fur Co., Minneapolis, Minnesota. "After using Postum a while, I obthe day was a cold and wintry one. served the headaches left me and soon The fact was, however, that the sen the belching of sour fluid stopped (waator was sitting quietly at home when ter brash from dyspepsia). I feel dethe messenger got there, clad in his one's present lot .-- Quintilian. cidedly different now, and I am condressing gown and slippers and con

vinced that it is because I stopped gratulating himself that he could be Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinipe Tablets. Brog gists refond money if it fails to cure. 16. W GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c. coffee and began to use Postum. I can indoors. He had put the date of the see better now, my eyes are stronger. dinner in his calendar in large and

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