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Delicate Baby.

se points to be consid-
a delicate baby, writes
son Seovil.
food.
given at once.
green the meals.
food must, of course,
the child; what agrees
to be taken by another,
quits a third. A good
teaspoonful of cream
of lime water,
led water, sweetened
of milk sugar,
m, and the food is
his is sufficient for one
ordinary sized baby
months old; after that
eases the quantity
ing the proportion of

In the Mountains.

The Southern papers are telling about
the wonderful miracles performed by
Teressa Urrea, who lives on a ranch in
the heart of the Sierra Madre mount-
ains.
The nearest town to her home is
Trinidad, some fifteen miles away.
She cures by the simple laying on of
hands, and is called a saint by the
thousands of Mexicans and Indians
who have learned of her wonderful
powers.

The scene at the humble ranch baffles
description. Living in improvised
jacals and tents all along the mountain
side from Trinidad to the woman's
home were thousands of decrepit, dis-
cussed and haggard-looking Mexicans,
who were patiently awaiting their turn
to be cured of their afflictions. St.
Theresa, as she is called, is 17 years of
age, has a strikingly beautiful face,
straight black hair, and dresses in the
plainest kind of a woolen garment. She
said she was first made aware of her
wonderful power last summer, and,
while she firmly believes it is a Divine
gift, yet she is at a loss to account for
it being given to her any more than to
any one else. She performs her cures
by merely laying her hand on the head
of the person afflicted, and giving the
command to arise and depart in health.
A stream of unfortunate sick people
poured through her room during the
correspondent's visit, among them be-
ing men and women afflicted with
rheumatism and many cripples. Every
one who has submitted to her treatment
claims to have been instantly cured.
Three cases of leprosy and seven of
small pox are among those which the
woman says she has cured. She will
accept no money or gift of any kind in
payment for her services.

Love and War.

Myram, a Bedouin beauty and Bone,
in Algeria, was loved by two men
called Belkassem and Lahmiri. She has
been living with the latter and seems
to have been desirous of making a
change. The advised Belkassem to
kill Lahmiri, which was done. She
again changed her allegiance and went
to Lahmiri's family advising them
to take their revenge upon Belkassem.
Both families then looked about among
their friends and mustered a fighting
party each. The encounter was bloody.
Four men were killed outright and not
one it seems, escaped without wound.
The brother of Belkassem and the son
of only 9 years, were among the
killed. The guilty parties were tried
according to French law. Belkassem
was sentenced to die and Myram was
condemned to forced labor for life.
The combatants in the battle were
sentenced to six years in the peniten-
tiary. (Beauteous Myram is beside her-
self at the dignity inflicted upon her
innocent person and tried to commit
suicide, but was prevented.)

He Stood High.

"How about that young gentleman
who comes to see you and your sister
so often, Millie?" said the old gentle-
man to his daughter.
"Why he is very nice and entertain-
ing papa. I'd like to have you meet
him."
"Very likely. But what is his
position? Does he stand high in
society?"
"Oh, yes, indeed papa, he is six feet
tall."—Texas Siftings.

In a Barber Shop.

Barber—If my plan was adopted
there would be no more bald heads.
Customer—I have tried a number of
preparations and they are all humbugs.
"My idea can't fail."
"Wear a wig."—Texas Siftings.
Coffee bleachet and improves with
age, but old coffees, which used to be
highly esteemed, are now no longer
obtainable, as the prices of coffee have
been so high that the planters have
hurried their product to market in-
stead of keeping it, as was often the
custom in the olden time.
No people in the world are more
dependent upon the boats than the
natives of southern Alaska. They
live in a region where the coast line is
broken into many channels, straits and
by the numerous islands of the Sitkan
Archipelago.

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Was the Goose Murdered.

Old widow Barbara Sellers has the
finest flock of geese within a radius of
five miles of Williamsbridge, declares
the Toledo Blade. She supports her-
self and educates two grandchildren
on the product of the birds, all but one
of which contributed, either with eggs,
feathers or flesh, to her income. The
exception was a goose known to be
twenty years old, and with a possible
claim to much greater age, for nobody
could say when it was hatched.

It long ago ceased to lay, and its age
protected it from slaughter. After it
was plucked, five years ago, its feathers
did not grow out again, and every
winter it suffered severely from the
cold. Its companions insulted it with
derisive cackling, stole its share of the
food and occasionally assailed it with
their broad beaks. Life was a burden
to it, and one morning before Williams-
bridge awoke to the fact that it was
freezing hard, the old goose died.

Mrs. Sellers was in doubt whether it
committed suicide or was murdered.
Long before daylight she was awakened
by the cackling of her geese, and,
though it was too dark to see them by
looking out of her bedroom window,
she knew by the direction of the sound
that they were in and around the duck
pond, a sheet of water about three feet
deep at the rear of the house. At in-
tervals, she says, she could hear the
querulous complainings of the old
goose, but its voice, after being several
times cut off, at last ceased entirely.

At dawn Mrs. Sellers saw that the
pond was frozen over, and in the center
was an old goose with its head
under the ice. The other birds were
around it on the slippery surface. They
were watching it closely, and had it
moved they would, no doubt, have
forced it back. It was quite dead,
however, and Mrs. Sellers thinks the
younger geese beat its head below the
water and made it stay in that position
until the ice formed around it. She
admits, however, that it may have
grown weary of its life and bent its
neck while the water froze it in.

Frank Leslie's Husband.

It all happened because Mrs. Frank
Leslie tried to make a blooming jour-
nalist out of her husband, and Mr.
Wilde didn't see it in that light.
Mr. Wilde has many of the attributes
of a newspaper man. For instance, he
breakfasts at 1:30 p. m., takes his meals
at his club, spends most of his night
there and keeps up his acquaintances
with his wife by meeting her at four
o'clock in the afternoon and taking a
drive through the park.
After studying Mr. Wilde's charac-
teristics for awhile Mrs. Leslie came to
the conclusion that he ought to be a
reporter or have something or other to
do on a newspaper, so that he would
have some reason to stay away nights.
The fact is, Mrs. Leslie can't get used
to his business hours and wants to
drive him to work or to drink, or else
get him to live like a Christian. When
this happy couple went West recently
one took a section in the Pullman
and another a stateroom, because of
this disturbance in their domestic
arrangements, and Mrs. Leslie, accord-
ing to her own confession, has to eat
most of her meals alone. Mrs. Leslie is
not going to get a divorce or put her
husband on an allowance of \$25 per week.
She is going to keep at him until he
braces up and makes a name nearly as
famous as her own, when she will
assume it. Her faith is big enough to
move a brickyard.

The Drum-Fish.

At a meeting of the Berlin physiologi-
cal society Prof. Moebius described
a most peculiar specimen of the finny
tribe—the drum-fish. They are found
only in the waters of the Harbor of
Mauritius, the St. Louis Republic states
and when caught and held in hand
they emit a most "striking" noise—a
sound resembling that produced by
tapping the head of a tenor drum. A
careful examination of this strange
creature fails to reveal any movement
of the mouth, the only motion observ-
able being just behind the gill slit,
where a continuous vibration of the
skin may be seen. The portion of the
skin which vibrates stretches from the
clavicle to the bronchial arch. This is
provided with four large bony plates
and lies just over the air or "swim
bladder." Behind the clavicle is a
curiously shaped long bone, which is
attached by the middle to the clavicle
muscle in such a manner as to form a
lever with two arms. The long arm of
this horny lever is imbedded in the
ventral trunk muscles, and is capable
of easy movement to and fro. The
short arm slides, during this movement
over the rough inner side of the clavicle
which gives rise to a cracking noise
which can be plainly heard at a dis-
tance of twenty feet. Naturalists are
of the opinion that the grating noise is
intensified by the near proximity of the
air bladder, the latter acting as a
resonator. Be this as it may, the
"drum-fish" is a natural curiosity of the
most curious kind. Especially does
this strike home when we consider the
maxim of the older naturalists: "All
fishes are mute."

Paid His Way.

Hotel Porter (to traveling salesman
in wash-room)—Excuse me boss but
dem towels are for de use ob de guests.
Traveling Salesman—Well, where
are the towels for the boarders?—
Cloak Journal.

Concerning Inventors.

"While the path of the inventor is
generally strewn with rocks instead of
roses," said a well known-patent law-
yer to a New York Advertiser reporter
"sometimes he strikes an idea that in
sporty language, lands him on Easy
street for the present, and eventually
locates him on Fifth avenue. And the
strange thing about these ideas is that
they areal ways so painfully simple that
every other man when he hears of
them kicks himself for not utilizing the
same idea when it occurred vaguely to
his own mind several years before.
"One instance of this fact is the in-
vention of the sand blast.

"The inventor, while on a visit to the
seashore, noticed that the glass in those
windows which fronted the beach of
the place at which he was stopping was
dulled in some peculiar way. He made
inquiry and found that this was caused
by the clouds of sand which the winter
storms drove against the exposed panes.
"The sand blast resulted from this
little bit of trivial information, and the
man who utilized it is at present
sporting purple and fine linen and
possesses numerous duents.

"A second example is that of the
rural gentleman who found his watch-
key plugged with dust one afternoon.
After scraping it out he sat down to
think of some way to stop future an-
nouncements in that line. By way of ex-
periment he bored a hole in the key
near its end and found that he could
clean it at once by simply blowing
through this orifice.

"He patented the idea, and realized a
big sum of money on it. But ideas
like these don't occur every afternoon."

A Very Young Bachelor.

The effects of red tape on the official
mind seem to be experienced by all
who are brought under the influence
of the circumlocution office. A
Parisian dancer has picked up the fol-
lowing particulars of a conversation
which passed in an emigration office.
The father of a family presents him-
self and asks for tickets.
"How many are you?" asks the
agent.
"I, my wife and my child."
"Good; your age, your profession?"
"Thirty years; carpenter; my wife
twenty-four; needlewoman."
The boy? asks the agent.
"Seven months."
"His profession?"
The father's eyebrows formed Gothic
arches on his forehead.
"His profession I say?"
Repeated the agent, angrily. "We
have no time to lose."

It Depends.

"The father reflects, and at last re-
plies—"Bachelor!"—London Tit-Bits.
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