# VESSELS BEARING ROYAL NAMES

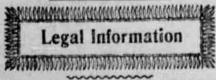
Brittah Men-o'-War that Seem Doomed to III Inck.

One of the strongest and most incffaccable of all superstitions in the royal navy-superstition almost as strong today as ever it was-is that vessels bearing the name of royal personages are doomed to ill luck, and strange 25 It may seem there is an undeniable historical basis for this feeling, says Tit-Bits.

Some of the most terrible daasters ever known in connection #ith our navy have concerned war Passels with royal names. Two vessels called the Royal James came to disastrous ends. One of them exploded, and some 800 officers and seamen perished; the other ship so named was withally carried out of the mouth of the Thames by the Dutch under circimstances disgraceful to those in charge of the craft.

Then there 12 the forever memorable disaster of the Royal George, that turned over and sunk in sight of crowds at Spithead, over 1,000 souls, among whom were 300 women, being sacrificed. And second only to this hidcous disaster is that which afterward befell 'he Royal Charlotte, which was consulted by fire off Leghorn, over 800 of the very flower of our navy perishing with her.

When in 1893 the Victoria, a new vessel and the very triumph of modern invention, was rammed and sunk in sight of the whole fleet there was not s sallor, however matter of fact he shight be, who did not remember the dire fate of royalty named craft. Three years later a schooner named the Royalist foundered in a gale off Holyhead. while in 1891 a British bark, the Queen, was sunk and her captain and six men drowned.



The burial of a dog in an adjoining lot is held, in Hertle vs. Riddell (Ky.) 106 S. W. 282, 15 L. R. A. (N. S). 796. to violate the property rights of a lot owner in a cemetery set apart for the burial of the white race, and for cemetery purposes only.

Baling of hay by a purchaser agreeing to pay a certain price per ton for hay and do the baling is held, in Driggs vs. Bush (Mich.) 115 N. W. 985, 15 L. R. A. (N. S.) 654, to be sufficient part payment to take the contract out of the statute of frauds.

The destruction of a bridge by extraordinary flood is held, in Mitchell vs. Weston (Miss.) 45 So. 571, 15 L. R. A. (N. S.) \$33, to be within the obligation of a bond requiring the builder to replace it if removed from any cause, fire excepted, within a certain period.

An attempt by a municipal corporation to prohibit loitering on the streets. in so far as applied to persons conducting themselves in a peaceable, orderly manner, is held, in St. Louis vs. Gloner (Mo.) 109 S. W. 30, L. R. A. (N. S.) 973, to be an interference with the constitutional right of personal liberty.



CHAPTER IL-(Continued.) Tell Sunny that she is to be good to you, "Ah, ah! very good. That is so like as you have not many hours at home. you, Miss Diana. Well, suppose Sunny Oh, there's Mrs. Hendrick's step on the reads Greville's letter to you. The lad gravel; she has stolen a march on the is in high spirits; he is captain now, and he is full of his matches and the splendid easy conscience. team they have got. He declares Queen's It was evident Greville needed no further bidding. He rose to his feet at once will beat half the other colleges." and strolled out into the veranda, cast-

"Commemoration will be here direct-18." observed Miss Carrington. "Yes, but he is not coming home for

word against you."

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terposed Miss Carrington, quickly.

lly the old man's Benoni and Benjamin-

CHAPTER III.

"son of his right hand."

the son of his sorrow"-as well as the

dens; then, satisfying himself that a ceranother five weeks, at least to stay; his tain broad-brimmed hat belonged to the tutor has written me this morning, and I person for whom he was in search, he have given my consent to Greville's joining his reading party to Keswick; the tracked it by sundry winding paths to the river bank. lad is a good lad, but he is young and a A little group of girls was gathered bit idle; at least, his love of fun carries

him away, and I am afraid he has not round a beat. They were evidently playing at hide-and-seek with their would-be worked quite hard enough." "Mr. Greville is not fond of putting escort, to the mischlevous glee of a young aside his own duckweed," put in Allson, Etonian of tender age, as befitted inckets

and turn-down collars. "Come along, girls," he shouted. "Letmischievously, for there was nothing she loved better than to tease the old man about his grandson, who was literally the tie and Dora, why don't you jump in? And, Miss Alison, you promised to steer. apple of his eye. He roused up directly at her irony.

Quick, quick !" "Come now, that is too had to say that "Not so fast, Jack ; where's the hurof the lad when he fights all your batry?" called out a fresh voice ; and at the ties for you, and never lets any one say a merry tones Alison turned round with a sudden start.

"Oh, Mr. Greville !" and her bright "She does not mean it, Mr. Moore," inface looked brighter still at the unex-"Now, Aunt Di, please don't interfere. pected sight of her old friend. "What does this mean? Mr. Moore never hinted I do mean that Mr. Greville Mcore will never kill himself with overwork, unless at your coming. I do not believe Aunt he dies from too much cricket or lawn Diana knows, either." "I thought I would just run down and

"You naughty child," but there was have a look at you all before I started no mistaking the fun in his voice now, for Keswick," returned the young man "I shall report all your hard speeches to with assumed carelessness. "I forgot all about Miss Carrington's Wednesday Pop-Greville when I see him; do you think i fine young man is to slave and toll all ulars; never mind, I have just arrived in his best years away? A little harmless time for the fun. How do you do, Miss fun will not hurt him; he is strengthen-Dora? Miss Lettice, I should hardly ing his mind and his muscles at the same have known you; you have so grown.

Well, what's the matter, Jack?" for the Alison and her aunt exchanged amused bey was grumbling andibly. glances at this. They both thought highly "Only Fortescue and that other fellow of the young man, who was indeed a will be down upon us directly, and the

sweet tempered, honest fellow, with plengirls made me promise to get under way y of good in him, though hardly up to before they came to spoil everything. Let-Miss Carrington's idea of "thorough ;" intie and Dora want to pick forget-me-nots deed, he was a favorite with most people ; on the Long Island-there are quantibut it was droll and at the same time ties on the east side, where we had our picnic last year." almost touching to see Mr. Moore's implicit faith in his grandson, who was ver-"All right, I'm your man. Miss Ali-

son, if you will be good enough to steer. Jack and I will soon row you across. And suiting his actions to his words, Greville assisted the girls into the beat; and promptly taking an oar, they were

People said Miss Carrington's Wednessoon gliding down the river. Now and then they passed other boats days were always fine, that she had betwith which they exchanged greetings, and ter fortune in that respect than other folk, and certainly the worther favored once, as they came to a reedy island, a swan came out with ruffled plumage and her on this occasion, for it was the very angry and stretched neck, and would have perfection of a June afternoon, with plenpursued them, only Jack threatened her ty of sunshine and freshness to mitigate

with his oar. These Wednesdays were very popular "I suppose there are some young ones in the neighborhood. Miss Carrington in there," observed Greville, thoughtfulwas a charming hostess; she had just by; and then he let them drift a moment the right knack of entertaining people; as he contemplated the scene. The broad she welcomed them heartily, put them gleaming river flowing so smoothly beat their case with themselves and other tween its banks; the meadow land dotted people, then left them to be as free as with groups of cattle worthy of the brush her own butterilies. The little wicket gate of Vicat Cole; the girls' happy facesbetween Moss-side and Fernleigh was al- faces that had been familiar to him from ways set open on these occasions; Miss boyhood, for Dora and Lettice Morville

ings.

would follow his dear Clara, as he

roken toy, or help him out of some tiny

lifficulty; and he was dear to her now,

"I am going to stop and help you," re-

turned Greville, with gay defiance of her

mandate. "Is that cup of tea for Mrs.

Morville? She is sitting so cozily in

Effingham, that it seems a pity to disturb

"Old Miss Effingham, indeed !" ejacu-

Miss

the honeysuckle arbor with old

enter even than Allson.

them.'

"you have not grown a bit wiser." And | so five forever in this sort of world, unthen he knelt patiently while the thin, less you young people improve it very wrinkled hand passed softly over the much. Now. Greville, you know our rules merry face, and felt the broad, stalwart for these Wednesdays. This is Liberty shoulders, and then rested lingeringly on Hall; if the ladies like their meal at

fresco, there are plenty of gentlemen ser-"Heaven bless you, lad, you are strong | vitors to gratify their whims. Now, take and broad-shouldered like Gerard; you this tray of tea and strawberries to the are every inch as fine a man as your honeysuckle arbor, and I will get ready father. Grow like him, my boy. Though another for your grandfather and Mrs. he was my own son, I will always say Hendrick. Jack, what have you done with your sister Dora? We want all hands just now."

After tea the tounis nets were taken down and the notes of a cornet began to make itself heard ; then singing began in earnest, and Miss Carrington and her elder guests joined in the part songs. Grevicar. Now you can leave me with an ville and Alison had been singing togeth er, and when Alison was tired they strolled down one of the paths in his grand-

father's garden. Just now it was deserted, and they had it to themselves; ing comprehensive glances over both garthis was the opportunity Alison wanted, for she began at once:

"Mr. Greville, I do hope you mean to work when you are at Keswick ; Aunt went leisurely through the little gate and Diana said the other day that she knew how disappointed Mr. Moore would be if you failed to take your degree. And I am afraid"-hesitating, as though she feared to give him pain-"I am afraid, from what you told us in the boat, that you have not done much this term." Greville bit his lip, and a cloud came

over his face. "What makes you think so?" he asked,

rather shortly. "Your own words," she returned, so softly that his man's pride could not take alarm. "Please do not be offended with me; we have always spoken the truth to each other; but all this cricket, tennis, boating and riding about must have hindered work. Aunt Diana says-may I go

on?"-a little timidly. "Yes, yes," rather impatiently.

"Aunt Diana says-and you know how wise she is-that though your grandfather has set his heart on your taking

good degree, he will never tell you so, or let you know if you disappoint him. It is just because he is so kind and generous, and gives you full liberty that, she says, you owe him a grand return-that your work and all you do must be for his sake.

"I see, I see," returned the young man hastily. He had flushed a little over her words, as though they had gone home to his conscience. "Yes, grandfather is far too good to me. I do not half deserve to belong to the dear old man. I'll make a clean breast of it, Miss Alison. I have not worked as I ought, and that is the truth and the whole truth."

"Oh, Mr. Greville, what a pity !" fell still more softly from Alison's lips.

"Yes," he returned a little gloomily, "It is a pity; but I will promise you one thing"-his manner changing into earnestness-"I will work this summer. I will turn over a new leaf and ary and make up for lost time. When I come back in August you shall not have to find fault with me.

Ab, he did not know that when August came he should no longer find Alison there.

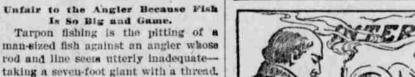
(To be continued.)

TARPON FISHING UNFAIR SPORT.

It is using a twenty-five pound pressure

with such an art that it offsets a 200-

pound plunging fish. By a masterly



**Opinions of Great Papers on Important Subjects.** and the second s SERMONS AT TWENTY-FIVE CENTS EACH. CIRCULAR letter offering sermons at 25 cents each has stirred up a hornet's nest of protest among the clergy of many denom-



instions. A bureau in New York is the circularizer, and it offers either the whole sermon, or an outline including text and simple subdivisions upon which an argu-

ment can be based. The Churchman hints that the amount of circularizing and advertising spent on this scheme indicates that some of the brethren are taking advantage of it, and remarks that the price is "cheaper than the thirty pieces of silver." The Texas Christian Advocate believes it best "for the minister to be himself and depend upon himself and the Holy Spirit." Altogether there is quite a teapot tempest about the matter.

Thousands of newspapers all over this country avail themselves of all kinds of literary matter published simultaneously in many places, and in each place as the work of the paper publishing it. Thus they are able to give their readers matter of much higher class than any one of these papers could afford to buy for its exclusive use.

If the sermon syndicate furnishes sermons above the average, where is the wrong in their purchase and use by a clergyman? Would he not be neglectful of the interests of his flock if he failed to furnish them with the best spiritual pabulum available?-Chicago Journal.

#### PAYING THE BILLS



OVERNMENTS, in response to popular demand, have been adding to their activities for generations. The result is constantly increasing expenditure and a constant search for new objects of taxation. Somebody must pay for what the government does. The German Empire came into ex-

istence in 1871. Not only did it have no debt, but it received a billion dollars' war indemulty from France. Its debt is now a billion dollars or more. The practice has been to meet the annual deficits with loans, and thus to throw a part of the present burden upon future generations, which will have burdens enough of their own. The unwisdom of the policy is now conceded, and it is proposed not only to raise money enough to pay the current expenses, but to provide a sinking fund for the redemption of the debt.

The British government is troubled in the same way. Although its fivances have been managed much better than those of Germany, the rapid increase in public expenditures is causing considerable anxiety to the government. The latest demand on governmental resources, in the form of pensions for the aged poor, has made it necessary to find some new source of revenue or to increase the burden of the old sources.

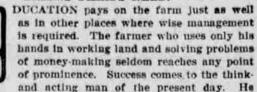
In America the change within a few years from a billion-dollar Congress to a billion-dollar session of Con-



gress has come about not wholly because of extravagance the defenders of the party in power insist that it has not been because of extravagance at all-but largely through the multiplication of governmental bureaus for the superintendence of various activities of the people, or from an extension of governmental activities, such as the free delivery of mail to residents in the country districts.

If the rural letter carrier delivers the mall at the door of the farmer, some one must pay him for it. Although many persons complain at the growing burdens of taxation, no one would be willing that the government should abandon all the enterprises in which it is engaged, and return to the simplicity of its operations as they were conducted during the administration of Thomas Jefferson or of John Adams .--- Youth's Campanion.

### BRAINS FARM'S NEED.



puts system in his work and keeps the fields in profitproducing crops. He figures out the cost of every investment and discontinues branches of agriculture that do not give satisfactory returns. Such a man has no occasion to leave the farm and enter the wage-carning centers in order to make a living for his family.

The trend of thought in the Western States is toward the farm as an investment. Business men look upon the land as the most stable asset obtainable, because it produces more cash results year after year than the same amount of money invested in other lines of industry .--Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

### PUBLICITY IN DIVORCES.

HERE are three parties in every divorce case. The first is the plaintiff. The second is the defendant. The third is the public. The public, by which the courts are created and to which the courts are responsible, is entitled to know the facts developed by any court in the trial of any suit for divorce.

Publicity permits criticism and prevents collusion. It assures honest trials and fair decisions. To say that free access to the records encourages sensational and indecent journalism is equivalent to saying that a press consorship is advisable in a free country. Responsibility for publishing what cannot be published without outraging public decency will seldom be assumed, and when it is assumed public opinion can be trusted to so express itself that a repetition of the offense will be unlikely .-Brooklyn Eagle

> Ten Commandments for the Bustness.

1. Thou shalt not walt for something to turn up, but thou shalt pull off thy coat and go to work that thou mayst prosper in thy affairs and make the word "fallure" spell "success."

2. Thou shalt not be content to go about thy business looking like a bum, for thou shouldst know that thy per sonal appearance is better than a letter of recommendation. 3. Thou shalt not try to make excuses, nor shalt thou say to those who chide thee, "I don't think." 4. Thou shalt not wait to be told what thou shalt do, nor in what manner thou shall do it, for thus may thy days be long in the job which fortune the latter, and hold the can in place. hath given thee. 5. Thou shalt not fail to maintain thine own integrity, nor shalt thou be guilty of anything that will lessen thy being jolted about so much that the lid good respect for thyself. 6. Thou shalt not covet the other fellow's job, nor his salary, nor the position that he hath gained by his own hard labor.



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Men's Belt Is Improved.

An improved belt for men, exceed

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leather bolts.



Failure to enclose the elevator on which an employe was injured by the falling of a barrel from an adjoining elevator operated in the same enclosed shaft is held, in Fowler Packing Co. vs. Enzenperger (Kan.), 94 Pac. 995, 15 L. R. A. (N. S.) 784, to be prima facle evidence of negligence, within the meaning of a factory act requiring owners or operators of manufacturing establishments properly and substantially to inclose or secure elevators, etc.

Where an agreement by the owner of land with an adjoining owner not to sell, or permit the sale, upon the premises for a period of years, of intoxicating liquor, is not contained in a deed or indenture in the chain of title, subsequent purchasers and assigns are held. in Sjoblom vs. Mark, 103 Minn. 193, 114 N. W. 746, 15 L. R. A. (N. S.) 1129, not to be bound thereby, unless they have such knowledge or notice thereof as to imply that the burden was assumed as part of the consideration; and the record of such an agreement does not constitute constructive notice.

## GET OLD AIRSHIP PATENTS.

They May Make Heirs of Dr. Arthur de Bousset Wealthy.

Regarded as a dreamer during life, Or. Arthur de Bousset, who died three rears ago, provides in his will, filed recently, material for a romance of the skies, says the New York Herald. The beneficiaries under his will believe the patents he had taken out on airships and devices pertaining thereto, hitherto considered valueless, have become of immense value through the recent developments in aviation. If their belief proves well founded those who cared for the aged inventor in the last years of his life will become wealthy.

Dr. de Bousset, who was 76 years old when he dled, in the home of Charles A, McCready, broker, with offices in the produce exchange, was well known in this country and Europe us an experimenter in all things mechanical, but more especially through his work in aeronautics. In 1902 he obtained a patent in this country for a machine said to be more on the lines of Zeppelin's device than any other, and the next year similar patents were obtained in Europe.

None of these patents went beyond the model singe, but the aged man convinced some good mechanics that the devices were practical.

Subsequently, he made of aer inventions, including a propeller for boats, which, it was stated recently, is now being tested in a small vessel, and other improvements in sirships, none of which has been patented. All these papers, plans, and models he left with his friend, Mr. McCrendy. With him he also left a will, dated May 9, 1904. The estate, however, so lacked promise of value that it was not thought worth while offering the instrument for probate, and until recently the old man's models and patents were forgotten. Then with the work of the Wrights the patents and papers were recalled, mechanics were called in to pass judgment upon them, and on their advice that the patents possess value the will was offered for probate

Carrington's lawn was devoted to lawn tennis; when they had finished their game the young people were welcome to stroll adjuncts of a pleasant picture that he through Mr. Moore's garden, and make might carry away and remember. themselves at home in the cozy nooks and In a few minutes they had landed,

shady seats with which it abounded. and Jack, who was the hero of the hour, As a general rule, Mr. Moore seldom for it was he who had planned this little mingled with the guests; his habits were excursion, was leading them proudly to those of the recluse. A few of his old the little sheltered island, where friends who were sure of their welcome, ground was blue with the tiny flowers; and one or two of his younger favorites, and in another moment they were all would sometimes cross the threshold and busily at work. In the intervals of his keep him company in the cool shaded labor, Greville found time for a sentence or two with Alison; and by and by he

To these he would speak of his boy, recounting endless anecdotes of his prowess and courage, and often making mention of his pupil Alison, or as he called her, Sunny, for the young girl had been a veritable sunheam to her old tutor, making his darkened bours pass more quickly by her ready sympathy and aptitude for learning. On this afternoon he was not alone. for days."

A young man in a light gray summer suit. with a sunburnt, handsome face, was standing by the window looking at the knots of people already gathering on Miss Carrington's lawn, with a humorous, balf-vered expression in his wideopen blue eyes.

"What a lot of people !" he grumbled. "I believe all Riverston is there; there are three boats full, and two sets of lawn tennis forming, and I do not know how many more; these goes Miss Merle Miss Alison, I mean. What a bore, grandfather, that I forgot all about Miss Car-

rington's Wednesday, and I shall have to go up to London to-morrow." "Why, the more the merrier. Is not that the opinion of young folk like you?" returned Mr. Moore, smiling. "Now, if I said that I wanted you all to myself for this one day you have spared me that would only be an old man's selfishness, and I should be ashamed of myself for

giving it utterance. But you are not work before you; all these good folk to nerally so unsociable, Greville." serve with tea and strawberries. By the "There is a regular crowd," returned bye, Allie, a little bird tells me that the young fellow, still more pettishly. Greville has put in an appearance. Why, "I shall not be able to speak to Miss bless the lad, there he is," as Greville's Carrington, or to Miss Alison either; and amused face suddenly confronted her, and you forgot, grandfather, that I shall be her hands were grasped, and then de-

off to Kenwick the day after to-morrow tained. for six weeks at least." "I am not likely to forget that, my boy, good look at you. I have not seen any Well, it is a pity if you are not pleased, one so worth looking at since I left for they are going to keep it up unusually late; there is to be music on the lawn. Sunny has been telling me all about it. The moonlight is so clear that Miss Diana has given in to the notion, gray eyes softened as they rested on the and young Hepworth bas brought his young man's handsome face. She had If I were you, lad, I would just known him from boyhood. It was she make the best of it, and join in merrily. who had closed his dead mother's eyes, in with the rest." whose loving arms the little fellow had

"And leave you sitting here alone, often nestled in these first sad days when grandfather? And I thought we should the stricken household were too muchhave just one of our old evenings on the river, and I should row you and Mis-Carrington, and her niece to the Long called her, all over the house, with unertain, toddling footsteps, to mend some Island.'

"Nøy, lad, I am not likely to be long alone; the vicar will be in by and by for a chat, and most likely Mrs. Hendrich and one or two others. Miss Diana will drop in, just to tell me how things pro greas, and Sunny, too; she never neglect-Come, come, it is not like you to sulk, boy; I want to hear you laugh with the others; it will make me feel young myself. And, Greville," with a sudden tenderness in his voice, "we have shaken hands, but until I feel you I shall not believe my boy is really with me."

The young man's cloudy face cleared temporary." in a moment, he left his place at once and dropped down on one knee beside his in my eyes," was the gallant reply. grandfather's chair, and a sort of laughthink g light came in his eyes. "Yes foolish old granddet," he said ;

had been old playfellows of his; their series of compromises, granting an ell simple summer dresses-all made up the that he may gain an inch, handling the mouth of his fish as a jockey feels the lip of his racer, says a writer in Coun-

> try Life in America, the angler neutralizes a force that could snap his tackle and carry him off his feet. The secret of this spell is a persistently taut is constructed with a right and left justed. When the can is placed in the the line, flowing through the agate tip when the fish is in a fighting mood, and then reeling in till the winding drum smokes.

No two leaps are quite alike. As the induced her to rest for a moment on a tarpon comes out into day his jaws dismossy log, that had lain there for years tend, his gills flap open, and the mullet "I suppose we must be going back balt flies out across the water for a now," observed Alison, regretfully, as she hundred feet, while he retches at the watched the others' busy movements. hook, shaking his head angrily from "Aunt Diana will want me to assist her side to side, as a horse fights his bit. with the tea. She knew we were coming, for Jack was put in charge of us: In midflight he will turn and cut into but she told us not to be long. Dora the stream with a head-on dive that and I have been wanting to come here makes a perfect cleavage of the whitened water. His next emergence may

"It is a bore going back to the other be a back somersault, and his third a people," returned Greville, lazily; "there long-distance jump with no height to is a host of things I wanted to consult it but a substantial gain in feet. With you about. I have an idea! I will get Miss Dora to take my oar, and I know infinite spirit he will continue his play Miss Lettice loves steering, and then we until absolutely worn out, when the can manage to get a little conversation. spring and somersaulting lapse into a And as things were arranged after this long, rolling stroke from side to side, fashion, Greville was soon engaged in an showing the two-foot dorsal filament, animated account of his last term's dowhich waves and floats out behind, like ome independent water-creature.

Their return was hailed with delight One evening recently Thomas A. Edlby the young people, who were gathered son was holding an electrical conferon the lawn. While Dora put their ence at his West Orange laboratory treasured forget-me-nots in the water Lettice and Alison hurried into the stuwith the heads of departments, when dio, where they knew Miss Carrington he learned that an investigator was would be busy over the tea table; nn without, desiring to know the ortho-Greville, after exchanging greetings with dox snell (the point of juncture between his friends, followed them more leisurely the fish hook and line). At once his "Well, girls," observed Miss Carring office was opened, and the problem of ton, brightly, "you see you have your belting the world with light was dropped for a consideration of the relative pliability of leather and piano

wire. "Tarpon fishing," he said, "is better than all other kinds of fishing because of those allver leaps. I have seen tarpon jump twenty and thirty times after "Miss Carrington, I mean to have a being struck, and then the balt goes flying across the water a hundred feet. They certainly clear five feet in height

"Go away, you foolish boy," was Mis -I have seen a seven-foot fish make it. Carrington's response to this. "I am too The authenticated reports give their busy to listen to your flattery ;" but her weight as more than 200 pounds, and I

have seen them tip the scales at 185 During the dinner at which he made pounds. No, I never catch the first this remark he criticised Shakespeare. tarpon." (There ' is an agreement sharply declaring that his metophore among New York sportsmen that Mr. often were absurd, "as, for example," Edison ushers in each season with the he said, "'Sleep that knits up the ray first catch). "John Paul Jones does eled sleave of care.' How ridiculous that each year. He's a native, down ugaged to care for the lonely child; when to figure sleep as kultting up a tora there. But last year a northern dude sleeve of a cont!"

came down, who didn't know how to A young American sitting near him fish. John Paul Jones had been out day after day, but hadn't made a catch. not sleeve, but aleave, the thin fluff of And this dude on his first ignorant day a damaged web. It is a technical excaught a big fellow, and started the pression among weavers." season. I like a chain next to my re

hook. But I let them fix me up as they want to. Is it sport?" Mr. Edison raised both hands over sleeve." his head to prove that the joy of it to

lated Miss Carrington, "you disrespect-ful boy, when you know she is my con-In Germany more than five hundred out of every thousand women reach the age of fifty years, while only 413 men "Miss Carrington, you will never be old -1 live so long.

you grow younger every time It takes six months to tan an ele-"Humph, I hope not. I should be sorry phant's skin.

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be fitted around cans of various sizes Safety Trolley Wheel. Here's a new safety trolley wheel, From the sides of the band project invented by a Detroit man. The wheel lugs, to which spurs are pivotally ad-

worm on either side bucket, the spurs engage the sides of the main groove. 0 The inventor fig- Pivoted as they are, the spurs adjust ures that if the themselves to the circumference of the trolley slips from bucket. Many a quart of ice cream has the wire, the latter been spolled from the can upsetting or will be caught by one or the other of has come loose and the salt water has the worms, and the wheel will be led

TROLLEY WHERL back to its proper phere of action by the revolution of the wheel. The device is six inches wide over all, and the wheel itself is five inches wide, and five and a half inches in diameter.

> Keeps Ice Cream Safe. When ice cream is mentioned the



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body the springs expand or relax as ed with a hook and slots so that it can required.

# HIS CORRECTION.

The American Knew a Little About Shakespears and English.

An English literary man who visited When Turner, the famous painter, this country some years ago to lecture was dying at Chelsea he sent in de frankly declared that he came not exspair for a Ramsgute doctor who had pecting to find accurate scholarship done him some good during his recent among Americans, especially on purely literary subjects, adding affably : stay at that place and who, he hoped "You have been too busy and useful

a nation in practical matters to give had expressed. The doctor arrived and much time to the arts and graces of confirmed the opinion that the artist learning."

and very little time longer to live 'Wait a bit," said Turner to the doc you will find some refreshment, and

there is some fine brown sherry-don't mare it-and then come up and see in said modestly: "I thluk the word is again." The doctor refreshed himself and then came back to the patient "Now, then," said Turner, "what is it? Do you still think so badly of my "In the United States probably !" case?" The doctor regretfully said he

never could have heard it. He meant artist shook his shoulders, turned his face to the wall and never spoke again ! -Dundee Advertiser.

gently, "the word is printed sleave in

she had known him a year. Although she never forgives a man for not be-The visitor frowned and then with ing a hero.

When a man talks about his priu-"Thank you. I was mistaken. Perhaps | cipic, he usually means his prejudice.

7. Thou shalt not fail to live within thy income, nor shalt thou contract any which overcomes the objections of the debts when thou canst not see thy way elastic belt and also clear to pay them.

those of unvielding 8. Thou shalt not be afraid to blow thine own horn, for he who failest to This belt is in blow his own horn at the proper octwo sections. At casion findeth nobody standing ready to the back, between blow it for him.

the two straps, are 9. Thou shalt not hesitate to say several small "No" when thou meanest "No," nor springs, which give shalt thou fall to remember that there NEW BELT FOR MEN. the resiliency desirare times when it is unsafe to bind thyed. The buckle usually seen in the self by a hasty judgment. front is missing. Instead the belt is

10. Thou shalt give every man a attached to the trousers by detachable square deal. This is the last and great ommandment, and there is no other like unto it. Upon this commandment hang all the law and the profits of the business world.

## Wonderful American Hen.

The cackle of the American hens are swelling into a mighty chorus. Sixteen billion times a year these small citizens am mistaken about other things and announce the arrival of a "fresh laid," and the sound of their bragging is waxwill be corrected before I leave your ing loud in the land.

According to the last census, there are 233,598,005 chickens of laying age in the United States. These are valued at \$70,000,000, and the eggs they lay, would, if divided, allow two hundred and three eggs annually to every person,-man, woman and child-in the might take a different view of his case United States. The value of all the from that which the London physicians forvis, \$85,800,000, would entitle every person in the country to \$1.12, if they were sold and the proceeds divided. All the weight of the animal products exported, the pork, beef, tallow, hant, tor. "You have had nothing to eat and bacon and sausage, weigh 846,860 tons, drink yet, have you?" "No, but that's while the weight of the eggs laid yearly of no consequence." "But it is," re- tips the scales at 970,363 tons .- Techplied the painter. "Go downstairs, and nical World Magazine.

# Watching Out for Him.

"Does your wife read your personal letters?"

"She didn't up to a few weeks ago. Now she's so scared I'm going to get a otter from Archbold that she opens everything."-Detroit Free Press.

## Quite Appropriate.

"What did you think of the aristocratic theatricals in London ?" "It was a rank performance."-Balti-

more American.

All old people can remember when times were so hard that chickory was substituted for coffee, lard for butter, and the principal diet was bread and sorghum, but does anyone remember when times were so hard that a bride had to be married in her old clothes?

torted the critic irritably. "Shakspeare could not alter his former opinion. The

"I believe," persisted the American

No man ever suited a woman after all the old editions. It is not an Amer-Ican word, but has been used for centuries by weavers in Scotland and the a woman knows she is not an angel. north of England."

English frankness said, laughing :

tachment to keep ice cream from upsetting in the salty ice that fills the buckets they are placed in may be looked upon as a SAFEGUARDS CREAM. PRCS.

This device is a metal band, provid-