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| NEMAHA, $\quad-\quad$ NEBR. | Secretary Root Moralizes on Our no lations with Canada. from now; says secretary Root in his recent speech at Ottawa, e able tocelebrate the centennial an lowship between the United Statee and Canada- 100 years during which and Canada-100 years of industry and enterprise has been diverted from the uilding up of peaceful and hapgy homes, from the exercise and promoon of rellgion, from the education of children, and the succor of the dis. ressed and unfortunate to be expendpon the other.

Thts is an impressive fact of modern history. If it be sought to minimize its importance toward demon strating the possibility of avolding war by pointing out that the two na lons are of one in pollical training can be argued autfe as strongly on. the other side that this might be considered to increase the probabilities conflict. Our own great Civil war a case in point. So are the so called Latin races and Teutontc races of Europe, akin in blood and alike in the development of thetr political institutions; yet thls has not preventod an almost constant succession of armd conflict for centuries.
Secretary Root did not fall to take Into account the character of the men who settle new continents and build new countries as the American and Canadians have done. Such plonors are necessany vigorous and inpunsuit of their objects, to be unlelding in their confidence that their wn interests should give the law; they become so engrossed in meeting the difficultes and dangers of their onterprise as not to stick at trifles, nometimes even to the exclusion of houghtfuiness for the interests and eelings of others,
Root, with his worldly experience in plenty, very delicately put it. However, against all theortzings of what might have been, there looms up this en peace.
It looks like a sign of the millennial ations, where no forts beetle from olifs across the border, no bayonets are through with fieets without a gun. Here they stand-this puir of peaceful powers, proud of their 100 years of unshaken rellance on peaceful arbtrament in difficultes, whtch have not be
Trinseript.

## Too Late for Detalle

The reporter, a young lady, who ua ually "did" the weddings of a certain provincial newspaper, was unfortun tely in on one or these restiv oce ons. So she had to owing day
ton as possible.
On arriving at the home of the bride's parents, she remarke
"I have come to get some of the de talls of the wedding which took place esterday."
An expression of intense regre came
"I'm awfully sorry, miss," she exclaimed, "but everything is finished. You ought to have come last nigh Illustrated Bits.

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The kid-I sez don't you want to hire me wnile youre in ae city for Ide, phiflosopher and friend?

Dreyfus's Heroic Wife

## A WINDWAGON HIS PROJECT

 Death of Dr. James W. Parker $\begin{aligned} & \text { Long a Kansas Cityan. }\end{aligned}+$Dr. James W. Parker, who came to the age of 85 , at his home, 308 , street, in Westport. In the civil war Dr. Parker was for a period the only reased Into the Union service, was or two years attended the Federal troops stationed there, besides attend ing to a practice that took him some diers from both sides forced his fan ily to feed them, untll, in despair, the doctor fled in 1864 to Nebraska, where he lived for twenty-three years in Ne raska City. Prior to the war he had been an extensive traveler, going the
length of the Santa Fe trall and on own to the Inthmus of Panama. His advice often to be sought by those in erested in perpetuatiag the trall markings.
Or. Parker was a medical graduate Transyivanta university in KenKansas city he returned to his native hty, Lexington Ky., and was married. he widow survives him, and thre ii. Pa, Dr. Payton B. Parker, Joh Also there is an adopted son, Paul D. Parker. All reside in this city. Re Dr. Parker had Hed here continus ly since, not practicing, however, as his sight and hearl
Prior to war times the doctor ne of the three projectors of a wind wagon for freighting, which old set lers still tell about, but the exper ment proved a fallure. The services of
Dr. Parker :endered the governmen soldiers was later pald for in the sum of $\$ 1,500$.
For fifty yoars Dr. Parker had been n elder in the Cumberland Presby -Kansas City
ansas City Journal.
Johnny-Papa, papa, come quick: Mamma has fainted. Papa-Here put his ten-dollar bill in her hand. Johnwants ten more.-Fliegende Blatter. other

## The Cook Book.

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"Do you know, sir,' he began as he "Do you know, sir, he began as he
entered the grocery soon after the new year, "that the
in operation."
"I do,' replied the grocer gar." more
"No more." raspberry jam.
No more canned goods preserved with acids."
"All goods have got to be straight and square."
"They have, sir."
Well, now as we have come to anything in stock that you can recomment me as on the square?
I have," replied the grocer; and,
going to the back of the store he lug ged forward a bushel of turnips and ged for
said:
"Ther

There it is, sir. Real old-fashioned turnips with the tap roots on, and I give you my solemn word that none of the tops have been glued on or Joe Kerr.

STORYETTES.

> T man
man who fears God fears not

## An English vegetarian proposed to

 woman, whe reupon she delivered her self of the following scathing words. "Go along with you! What? Be flesh of your flesh, and you a-livin' on cab bage. Go and marry a grass widow!"Senator Thomas J. Allison, a member of the Missouri legisiature, is an acknowledged wag in that more or less dignified body. He was approached the other day by an enthusiastic motorist, who asked if he was not in favor of some legislation
for the benefit of those who own aufor the benefit of those who own antomoblies. T am, replied the Senator. awners of automobiles under the pro tection of the State game laws and providing that it shall be unlawful duriag certain months of the year for farmers to shoot chauffeurs and oc cupants of automobiles."

Charles H. Hoyt once visited a small town in Pennsylvania. Where
there is a notel they say George there is a notel they say George
Washington, the father of his country, used to stop at when he passed through. One of the company was given the Washington room, and floor the proprietor not knowing who he was. When he came downstairs later the gentleman who had the good later the geid: "Mr. Hoyt, they have given me the room that they used to give George Washington when he came here." "Well," sald Hoyt, "the one they have given me must be the one they
he came."

Some time ago there was a political campaign in tlifinois in which a cer tain candidate was so certain of his election as sheriff that he actually arranged for the distribution of the subordinate offices that were to come un dor him. Some one was telling "Uncle veteran of many a poltical battle smiled and observed: "I trust that our friend's case will not be like that of went on a hunting trip, accompanied by his falihful retriever. Things went on finely up to a certain point; then the expedition suddenly ended in dis.
aster. The dog undertook to jump aster. The dog undertook to jump
over a deep well in two jumps.

During a critical time in the Civil War, when the Senate had been parIcularly obstructive, one of Presiden incoln's ardent sympathizers burs Senate and finished his tirade by asking: "What's the use of the Senate, anyway?" Mr. Lincoln was drinking a cup of tea. In his homely fashon he poured the tea from the cup $t$ off, undisturbed by the callers off, undisturbed by the caller's ve
hemence. "Well,' said the man, impa tiently, 'what's the use of the senate? II have just shown you," was Lincoin' answer, and once more the tea wa poured. The man looked puzzled. Then a great light broke upon him You mean "t enables puble pansion can Presidents nodded and draak his

## 'PHONE NUMBER SEORAT.

## Why Maglatrate Scoft Wouldn't Cat

 Up His Own HorgeMagistrate Scott recently had as unlisted telephone put in his house but forgot the number on his waj downtown, and then, to his chagrin he discovered that the telephone com pany keeps faith with its unllsted sub scribers. The company tells the num ber of the unisted subscribers to no body-not even to the selves. Say, 400, will you please give me house?" asked the magistrate, when he wanted to tall his wife not to wall for him with supper, as he was detain. ed on business.
'No, sir,' was the curt reply
"What, can't you give me my num ber? I am Magistrate Scott," thun dered the amazed member of the min or judiciary. "It is me, myself; I wan my house. I must speak to my wife want that number, and I musst havi it. If you don't give it to me yóu wil have to take the blamed 'phone out of he house to-morrow morning. I an he man who pays for that phone, an "But I can't toll you," came number again.
Because you pay to have the num ber kept secret, your prone is unlist ed, and noiody has a right to tell you the number; good-by."
Magistrate Scott was angry, but af ter he thought the matter over he
considered that, after ${ }^{-}$all, the comi considered that, after all, the com4 pany was only keeping its contract.
Now the judge carries his telephons number with him, engraved on a plate safely kept in a leather wallet in his hip pocket.

At the Symphony
The great orchestra was playing its nost compelling number. She sat as He sat beside her. It was he who ad bought the tickets.
"Perfectly grand!" be whispered in

She remained silent, drinking in the divine melody.
Don't you think so?" he added a
A faint sign of distress passed over her beautiful features. "Yes," she breathed, so faintly that she hoped a chantment. A moment of heavenly hush, and She said nothing. She was fat way in a realm of delight so deli. fous, so delicate, the faintest breath She sought to deaden her organ of hearing to his rasping words and to
make herself believe he had not spokBut he had, and he followed his pre ious remark with, "Did you ever hear She very nearly succeeded in giving him a mere mechantcal lip-formed
"no" without vexing her transported consclousness.
For a full moment he remained peechleas, forgetting to bruise the ander blossoms of melody with his arsh bluageon of words. His eyes seemed! she was drifting in an thereal sea of harmonic bliss, when hore carme crashing into the charmed udionce chamber of her dreams the
question: "Have you
俍 ning to musie with your eyes clos. The erisis had come. She uttered a int gasp of starless despair, like onf ldding farewell to a dear divint all in the eyes she sald sweetly, at only thrice embittered wöthan can: Oh, yes; and Ithink it heightens ered $y$ listening to music with the mouth And the futes and the oboes and the violins played on.
Likewise the tuba, the triangle and kettle drums-Nixon Waterman, in the ke
Life.

Tells Which One She is. ist, has a great affection for children In San Francisco there are two vwis sistors, little girls of 6 years, of whon Mr . London is very fond.
On the way to his boat one morning Mr. London met one of the twias. Hi atopped and shook her hand.
"Good morning, "Good morning, my dear," ho satd "I am the one that's out walkia'."m
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[^0]:    Telephone Statistics.
    Figures of the amount of business connected with telephonès made pubIf today, indicate that there were and $133,600,000$ long distance communioations in the year 1906 in this country. On December 31 there were $7,107,835$ instruments in use,
    $1,436,326$ miles to toll wire, $2,385,744$ miles of underground wire, 11,87 miles of submarine wire, and an aygregate of $6,080,282$ miles of wire de roted to telephone service. The sti.
    tons number $2,716,367$, the total cirCons number $2,15,66$, the total cils 90,000 . These figures show a growth In alx yeara of 117 per-cent in aum. the num
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