LOUP CITY, - . NEBRASKA Shut In.

A maiden aunt who had lost he. money was provided with a home in a well-to-do family. At once she identified herself with its interests, and be ing a housekeeper born, was able to serve them in many ways. As occasion arose, she played the parts of cook, maid, nurse, seamstress, laundress, gardener, social secretary and night watchman. So faithful was she to such duties that she never left town, when others took vacations, and for weeks at a time did not stir be yond the gate. The family "gave he a home," as they and she said. Actually she earned her living three times over. In return for board, lodging and clothing, she accomplished tasks and bore responsibilities that few domestics would have been willing to undertake at any price. Unlike the domestics, she had no Thursday and Sunday afternoons, and her social life was limited to the every-day association with self-absorbed and indifferent relatives The "shut-ins" who are confined by illness have a society by many gracious influences, says the Youth's Companion. The shut-ins who are too poor to maintain homes, and whose kinsfolk are too proud to let them seek the shelter of an institution, are unorganized and attract no notice; but in many cases they are equally deserving of sympathy. True, there is seldom intentional unkindness behind the process by which a dependent is turned into a drudge. If the relatives had been unfeeling they would have sent the old aunt or uncle to the poorhouse. When we "give a home" we do a fine thing. But before we plume ourselves unduly, it is well to glance at the other side of the account, and see how much money is saved and how many wearisome little tasks are spared us by the old woman who is "able to help round," or the old man who "just does the chores."

It has been discovered by a magazine writer that an ambitious child may secure a university education and board at Valparaiso, Ind., for about 23 cents a day. The northern Indiana university has placed education on the bargain counter. The poor boy can go there and learn from the same books used in the institutions where 23 cents a day wouldn't be a start on spending money. Of course, says the Chicago Daily News, it should be understood by the ambitious that only plain table board and unadorned knowledge go for that sum. No young man need expect to be able to break a rib as a baseball hero for any amount like that and neither can a young woman blossom out as a society queen with a few studies as incidentals. As there is nothing doing but education it will never be popular with the frivolous

The treasurer of the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor of New York recently received two dollars from two small girls, with a note saying that the authors had saved the money "from slang words." Every time they used a bit of slang they fined themselves, and every time they heard others use any they requested a forfeit or a contribution. This plan would make some young people realize that silence is indeed golden.

Several Vassar college girls are acting as probation officers for the city court of Poughkeepsie. They are studying the truancy problem in this practical way, and hope to learn why boys are naughty. A special course in as they should when attention was this subject might profitably be intro- called to them. duced in all the women's colleges. If the young women pursued it thoroughly there might be fewer truants in the next generation of boys.

the parent company and those controlled by it, and that there has been an increase of more than 16,000 stockholders in the past year.

the rule from the list of regulations. A physical giant is not needed to sort mail with speed and accuracy.

A new species of hazing has started. was being a mollycoddle, which shows how the young idea has been impressed by the strenuous life.

London suffragettes are flying kites power to checkmate the attempt to be dismissed from the service. with banners attached bearing the delve into the past. motto, "Votes for Women!" Is the glorious cause of woman suffrage in London up in the air?

A woman in Detroit wants a divorce from her husband on the ground that he prays so much that he has no time left in which to work for the support of his family. This plea of being "too good" will make men sigh again with resigned despair at ever being able to solve the puzzle of the feminine ego, "There is no pleasing 'em."

The British navy estimates lead one to think that Britannia will continue to rule the waves at the same

Loup City Northwestern ALIEN FELONS ARE MENACE TO LAND

Commissioner of Immigration Urges Drastic Changes in the Present Law

Would Have Foreign Nations Certify to the Character of Their Citizens Who Seek New Homes in United States

morra, the assassination at in their own exclusion. felons, says the New York Herald.

immmigration at the port of New come to this country. York, proposes a novel plan by which wherever it is feasible-and it could be so in the case of Italy-foreign governments would be required to vouch for the good character of every immigrant leaving their dominions.

Police Commissioner Bingham, indignant over the present conditions with regard to the admission of for eign criminals to this country, inveighs against the immigration authorities, who, in his opinion, did not

EW YORK.-Crimes of the, tors will be able to establish by the

anarchist are events of a years ago to find out whether a man port which is less closely guarded. few days which point to the need of had a criminal record, and it has only through which they are ministered to more drastic methods in keeping away been within the last two or three years from these shores the horde of alien that the authorities have seriously addinal from outre mer dreads most, Robert Watchorn, commissioner of cluding the criminal classes that race which long nourishes feuds, is

> from other lands seems to be enforced venge in this way. with painstaking fidelity. The inspeclimitation of the statute to detect times?" criminals. For practical purposes, "It is a great lie," the response may present law is against them, to say it has been but twice." deport the wrongdoers as frequently nothing of the specific provisions. That is enough to bar the candidate, three years after their landing in this

eign consuls at this port send infor- course of his trial a prison record in have served terms in prison may be the immigration service net. deported, but those who admit having committed a felony or other crime or

physiognomy and other qualities of a the United States. Sherlock Holmes, and even then he

tion, if the intuition be keen, he may the ill-doing of a few hundred thoube able to establish a criminal record sands. The crimes which have recent for the suspected alien out of his own been laid at the doors of the admissions; but frequently the candi- Italians are committed by only a handdate has been so well coached that he ful of that race, perhaps not more Black Hand, the murders testimony of men suspected of being is able to baffle the inspector at every than 500 in all. of the Mafia and the Ca- felons the facts which would result turn. If he is tripped up he can rethe altar of a priest by an | Practically no effort was made ten | try again for admission through some | alien felons, no matter whether they

> Dread Foes Here. The thing which the habitual crim that some favorite enemy has warned Observations made at Ellis island the authorities about him in order to show that the immigration laws, such even up old scores. It is nothing unas they are, with regard to criminals usual for the enemy to take his re

> "Can it possibly be," an inspector ors are laboriously conscientious, as will ask suavely, "that you have an a whole, in their duties and seem to enemy in this country who would say do all they can within the narrow that you have been in prison six

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consuls on the other side or the for- Francisco six months ago, and in the mation which is of the greatest value. Italy had been discovered. He landed An alleged embezzler, Schouawe, was originally at this port. Many a man apprehended on the complaint of the who by hook or by crook has entered Russian consul general, whose de the country and has taken up his scription and that which the man gave abode in the Italian quarter, there to of himself tallied so exactly that he prey on the respectable members of admitted his identity to the immigra- his own race by threats of violence, is tion authorities. Owing to the repre- returned by Ellis island to his native sentations of Commissioner Watchorn land. The finding of so many crimyear ago not only immigrants who inals of this class indicates there are have been convicted of a crime and many who get through the meshes of

Always Source of Danger. "Criminals such as these are like misdemeanor involving moral turpi- the foxes with the brands tied to their tails which caused the burning of the This is especially effective where corn. No matter where they are at immigrants are fugitives from justice. large they are the cause of damage Without friendly suggestions the in- and trouble, and I never found any spector must depend upon his knowl- foundation for the stories that other dge of human nature, his study of governments turned them loose upor

"It is unfair that the 26,000,000 of immigrants who have come to this By dint of prolonged cross-examina- country should suffer on account of

Mr. Watchorn declared in favor of turn to the land whence he came and the utmost vigilance in watching for were supposed to be in the steerage or the first cabins of the liners. He declared gifted swindlers and embezzlers and persons of immoral chardressed themselves to the task of ex- especially if he be a Sicilian or of a acter were as likely to be found in the

salcon as in the steerage. During the administration of Commissioner Watchorn the number of foreign felons returned in a year has increased from 34 a year to nearly ten imes that number and extraordinary vigilance has been exercised, yet there are many who are able to run the blockade with success for all that.

Suggests Change in Law. has suggested that the law be so modihowever, the whole attitude of the be. "I swear, crossing my heart, that fied as to make it possible to deport aliens who commit crimes within

DON'T LIKE LITTLE STRANGER.

Did Ever Youngster Welcome Advent of Little Brother or Sister?

The mothers were talking shop. "When little Harold came," said the first mother, "bis older brother Reginald was very curious about him.

"'Yes, Reggie, dear,' I told him, 'the little baby is a Washington's birthday present to us from the angels.'

"He frowned in thoughtful silence Then he said:

"'Well, mamma, if we wrap him up carefully and put him away and don't use him, we can give him to some body else next Washington's birthday, can't we?"

The other mothers smiled and sighed. The second said: "On the-er-advent of my little

Miriam, Hannah, our five-year-old, was taken upstairs by the cook to see the newcomer "Hannah looked her little sister over

sternly. Then, turning to the cook,

"'Jane, you can keep that in the kitchen. Again the mothers smiled and sighed

and nodded sadly "Yes, it is always so." they said.

SKIN TROUBLES CURED.

First Had Itching Rash-Threatened Later With Blood-Poison in Leg-Relied on Cuticura Remedies.

"About twelve or fifteen years ago I had a breaking-out, and it itched, and stung so badly that I could not have any peace because of it. Three doctors did not help me. Then I used some Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment, and Cuticura Resolvent and began to get better right away. They cured me and I have not been bothered with the itching since, to amount to anything. About two years ago I had la grippe and pneumonia which left me with a pain in my side. Treatment ran it into my leg, which then swelled and began to break out. The doctor was afraid it would turn to blood-poison. I used his medicine but it did no good, then I used the Cuticura Remedies three times and cured the breaking-out on my leg. J. F. Hennen, Milan, Mo., May 13, 1907."

Watered Stock.

Edward R. Emerson, the president of the American Wine Growers' association, came from Washingtonville to New York the other day and lunched in a Broadway cafe with an editor. Mr. Emerson, naturally, is a connoisseur of wines. The editor deems himself something of a connoisseur, too, and introduced Mr. Emerson with some pride to a Rhine wine, presumably of the famous '95 vintage. "Well," he said, "how do you like this Rhine wine, Mr. Emerson? De-

licious, don't you think?" "Not bad," said Mr. Emerson, "only I fancy there's a trifle too much Rhine

He Saw a Difference.

Barney Malloy and Mike Cairey were shingling a roof, "Barney, Mike asked, removing a bunch of shingle nails from his mouth, and settling back comfortably, "what is the difference between satisfied and content?" "The difference? Sure there's none," answered Barney. "If you're satisfied you're content, and if you're content you're satisfied." "That was my opinion, too, Barney, me boy, up to now, but it struck me sudden like as I put that last nail in that I am satisfied all right that Molly Cairey is my wife, but I am durned sure I am not

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When It Came to Raising.

"I hope, now that you've become a young wife," said the enthusiastic anti-race suicide lady, to the newlywedded country girl, "you'll make good use of your blessing and raise many

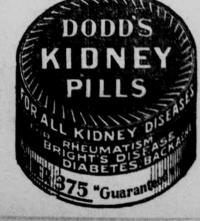
"Wall," spoke up the rural husband. who had overheard this utterance and o' her time outside th' kitchen'll be ports-one which states that the per- put t' raisin' vegetables!"-Illustrated Sunday Magazine.

> wash goods when new, owe much of their attractiveness to the way they are laundered, this being done in a manner to enhance their textile beauty. Home laundering would be equaliy satisfactory if proper attention was given to starching, the first essential being good Starch, which has sufficient strength to stiffen, without thickening the goods. Try Defiance Starch and you will be pleasantly surprised at the

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Allette Dauber," remarked Mrs. Old-"Now isn't that too bad!" exclaimed Mrs. Justgotit. "One of them smooth fellows tried to sell me a bunch of

oil stock a spell back and I turned him It takes a woman to sit down and cry when she happens to think what a hard time her children might have had



What He Pnated For.

Little Tommy Whacken was taken by his mother to choose a pair of knickerbockers, and his choice fell on a pair to which a card was attached, "These can't be beaten."-Current Literature.

Nearer the Soil.

An Atchison man is all the time complaining about his stomach. He was seen to go into a restaurant at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon and order a bowl of chili and a piece of lemon pie.-Atchison (Kan.) Globe.

VALUE OF STOCK FOODS.

Prof. F. W. Woll of the Agricultural Experiment Station of the University of Wisconsin official bulletin No. 151, says of stock foods:

"First-They are no benefit to healthy animals when fed as directed, either as to increasing the digestibility of the feed eaten, or rendering it more effective for the production of meat, milk, wool, etc. "Second-They are no benefit as cure

all for diseases of the various classes of live stock neither do they possess any particular merit in case of specific dis-cases or for animals out of condition, of feed, etc., since only a small proportion ingredients having medicinal value found therein, the bulk of the foods cinal properties whatever.

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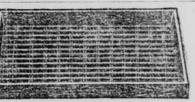


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O SANTO STABBUNG MAN) ANNIA FRINGS ALLAS ANNA FRANK. (CRUMINAL RECORD)

It is not unusual for the noted crim- country irrespective of any prison sen-

inals to cross the ocean ferry two or tence they may have served in their

three times before their identity is native land. This would rid the United

Mr. Watchorn makes an equally emphatic denial that the charge of Gen. Bingham had any substantial basis, so far as the administration of

affairs at Ellis Island is concerned. It is a fact, aside from the contro-That the preservation of the value versy that the depredations of desperof railroad investments is a matter of ate criminals from abroad, the majorwidespread interest is illustrated by ity of whom are Italians, has become the recent report of the Pennsylvania a menace to the state. Even admitting Railroad company, showing that there that the present immigration laws are more than 78,000 shareholders in were enforced at every port with the utmost efficiency the whole system of dealing with the foreign criminal

seems weak and ineffective. It is a habit of first-class passengers Enlistment in the peaceful army of them by the immigration inspectors, postal clerks has heretofore been de such as "Have you ever been in of the steamship are 30 names, and over of many of them to the immigra- bring genal passports with them. nied to applicants under five feet four prison?" "Have you ever been an in- their owners have answered every in- tion authorities comes through their These would have to be well authentiand weighing less than 125 pounds. mate of an almshouse?" and the like. quiry propounded to them. Age, sex, arrest by the police for some deed of cated and they would serve as com-The authorities have recently dropped | The objection on their part is based on personal grounds because they

consider the questions unnecessary. punishment that can be meted out to house. A college student in St. Louis was the person who perjures himself is extaken to a train by a party of fellow- clusion from the country. He rarely stduents and sent home, with a warn- returns to his own land to make anmain. He knows that the inspector is thing which he wishes to conceal and exerts all the ingenuity within his if his errors accumulate he is likely to the immigration authorities.

On Their Own Testimony.

American Woman's Good Work.

was nothing if not frivolous, is begin-

ing in for practical philanthropy.

Malmesbury, where her husband's an-

cestral home, Charlton Towers, is

ers to give lessons to the girls of the would do well to follow.

which are greatly in favor of the immigrant.

All Supposed Innocent. "All immigrants in coming to this noted. The law provides that any alien States of many who are unfit for citi-

country," said Mr. Watchhorn, "are felon may be returned to the place zenship. He thinks also that the cosupposed to be innocent, and it is whence he came if complaint is made operation of the foreign governments children. something opposed to the genius of within three years of his landing in might be obtained. American institutions to suppose that the United States. After three years "There are some nations which isevery man is guilty and that he must be is beyond the power of the law, sue what are called penal passports," deemed it akin to interference, "a deal prove that he is innocent. So the im- and no matter if his record outruns said he. "Italy has two kinds of passmigrant is welcomed here and the op- Herod he cannot be disturbed. portunity of citizenship is offered to Italians predominate among the son bearing it is a subject of the king him. He is supposed to be a man of criminal occupants of the detention and yet another which states if the good character until something devel- pen, and most of these are from the bearer has ever been in prison, and if south of Italy or from Sicily. Swarthy, so the offenses of which he was conops which proves the contrary."

Altruistic as is this attitude toward dark browed, with faces furrowed by victed and the terms are specified. the immigrant, as interpreted by the the records of evil lives, they are "Since certain nations among which commissioner, the inspectors within closely watched on the island, al- are Italy, Russia, Germany and to inveigh against the "offensive the little latitude which is given to though no special prison is provided France, issue such passports it would idiocy" of the questions propounded to them seek to find out as much as they for them. They are carefully searched be feasible to pass a law requiring can. On each sheet of the manifest for knives and stilettos. The turning that immigrants from those countries calling and the like are duly set forth violence. and the immigrant is required to state whether or not he is a polygamist, an steerage passenger bent on evading whether or not he has ever been in information as to when they came to here.

May Make Few Mistakes.

Under the present law the inspectors | tion pen recently were several immi- | The foreign nations are not anxious who chance their positions on their grants with long records of crime. that criminals should flee from justice Yet the main dependence of the au- judgment proceed to a large extent by There was Benedetto Tordini, for in- in order to come here to ply their thorities is the hope that the inspec- dead reckoning. Sometimes American stance, who had stabbed a man in San calling.

"'Thinkin' to take a fiver in the Secretary Wilson of the department Malmesbury point lace, which were of agriculture told at a dinner in wrote and asked 'em how high wheat

ning to take life seriously. She is go part of the Dowager Lady Suffolk's Washington some of the strange and was going up to, an' here they write gifts to her on her marriage. It is a impossible things that were expected back this mornin' an' can't give me no satisfaction at all.'

district. She also has lent for copy-Lady Suffolk, who, as Daisy Leiter, ing some fine examples of the

folk is trying to revive it. At her own with the humbler sort of folk, among provided premises for their accom- Suffolk is setting an example which the first farmer.

expense she has equipped classes, whom they reign as "My Lady." Lady of agriculture is any good at all, said shooting fish with a bow and arrow. "'What's the matter now?' said the flection of the water has to be allowed

modation and engaged expert teach- some of her titled countrywomen second.

scheme that deserves to succeed. of his department. "Why," he said, "one of my clerks American peeresses spend money situated, was once the center of a lavishly, but beyond that few of them overheard the other day two farmers flourishing lace industry. Lady Suf- do anything to identify themselves talking. "Blamed if I think that department

Shoot Fish with Arrows. Many of the natives of the islands of the South Seas are experts at The art is a difficult one, for the re-

plete records. Any person who had Hard to Make Case. a prison record would thus be barred In order to make a case against from coming to the United States and Such questions propounded to the anarchist, a contract laborer and them it is necessary to have accurate none with such a passport would come the law border on the futile. The only prison or been an inmate of an almsthis country and on what ship. Fre- "It would be just as well to make quently for lack of definite informa- the law far reaching and to permit no tion and evidence of previous guilt it one to land here who had ever been If within three years to come immilis impossible to deport criminals in prison. There are a few cases, I adgrants who have been admitted are against whom the police believe there mit, where a man by years of correct

ing not to come back. His offense other attempt to gain the coveted do found to have been criminals before is a strong case. The differences be living may have completely reformed. they came to this country there is a tween the local and the federal views but it would be just as well for him charged with finding out the very long black mark made against the of the matter led recently to the criti- to remain in his own country. I berecord of the inspector concerned, and cisms made by Col. Bingham against lieve that the various governments would willingly co-operate in this, for Among the occupants of the deten- criminals are the foes of all humanity. if some other woman had been their

market,' the first farmer answered, 'I