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Soak the feet in mustard water as hot as can be endured. Drink a glass of hot water and Scotch whiskey, then jump into bed and have blankets heaped upon you.

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TAKING A BATH PROPERLY.

Some Timely Hints Upon an Important

Subject.

Bathing is a very important daily duty, according to the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, yet few people know how to take a bath to get the most good out of it. There are certain things that add to the comfort of a bath which should not be missing from a well-appointed bath room. Every bath room should have a cork or rubber mat beside the tub. Woolen mats absorb moisture and become dingy and unhygienic. Every bath room should have attached to the wall beside the rub, low enough to be accessible, two small wire trays; one Sit so that the back is near the fire to hold the sponge and the other the soap in the intervals of bathing, when these articles are not in active use. Every bath room should contain a set of shelves on which should be kept soap, tooth powder, a can of almond meal, a jar of cold cream, a bottle of ammonia, it. After coffee Green's patience be- blessing. a bottle of alcohol, a bottle of lavendar | came exhausted, and he said: or violet water, a bottle of listerine and a bottle of witch hazel. Of course, the woman who indulges in lotions and bleaches will keep them also. If medicine is kept in the bath room it should fect remedy, Syrup of Figs. One bottle | not be mixed indiscriminately with the toilet preparations but should have a section to itself.

The brushes which very woman needs for her bath are a flesh brush for occasional use, a rubber complexion brush and a nail brush. Some skins are kept smooth by friction; others are roughened. It will, therefore, be the part of wisdom not to indulge in continual scrubbing until one discovers which sort of skin one has. Cold water is not cleansing. It is bracing; it is hardening and it helps to make the skin firm, but it is not cleansing. The shock of cold water application closes the pores at once and they retain all the impurities which they should cast out. So that the woman who wishes to be clean must wash in warm water every day and use her cold water sponge only as a skin tonic. When one is fatigued a sponge bath with warm water and alcohol will restore one's strength and vigor. When one is not well a thorough rubbing down with oil is an excellent medicine.

QUEER STORY OF REAL LIFE. A Young Girl Arose from the Grave to

Live Many Happy Years.

One night in 1801 a little girl about one year old was deposited on the steps of the foundling hospital at Brest. She was dressed with much finery and a note attached to her skirts told that her name was Solange and that she would | the prizes have been awarded. be reclaimed by her father, says an exchange. The claim was never made, however, and in due time the child was transferred to the orphan asylum to be educated. As she grew up she developed a most extraordinary beauty; but her intellect appeared to be very weak and she suffered from frequent nervous fits. When she was twelve years old she was sent out into the streets to sell flowers, and her beauty and her modesty attracted many people's good will; but she grew weaker and weaker, and at last she died, or at least it was thought so. According to French custom, she was buried in an open basket, and, as it was winter and the soil was frozen, she was laid into the grave covered only with a thin layer of sand. During the night she awoke. and, pushing the sand away, crept out from the grave. Not exactly understanding what had taken place, she was not so very much frightened; but in crossing the glacis between the cemetery and the fortifications she was suddenly stopped by the cry: "Qui vive?" and, as she did not answer, the sentinel fired and she fell to the ground. Brought into the guardhouse, her wound was found to be very slight and she soon recovered. But her singular history and also her great beauty had made so deep an impression on a young lieutenant of the garrison-Kramer-that he determined to be her protector and sent her to one of the most fashionable educational establishments in Paris. During the next few years Kramer was much tossed about by the war; but when in 1818 he returned to Paris he found Solange a full-grown woman, not only beautiful but accomplished and spirited, with no more trace of intellectual weakness or nervous fits. He married her and for several years the

couple lived happily in Paris. The Position of Portugal.

Portugal is a weak nation and seldom considered in speaking of the powers of Europe, but she is in a position now to be of great importance in the controversy between England and Germany. The only seaport through which German forces can go to the assistance of the Transvaal is on Delagoa bay, which belongs to Portugal, and if that power refuses to assent Delagoa bay cannot be used for hostile purposes without making war against Portugal. The situation is awkward for Germany, if Portugal sides with England, as reported, for she cannot give the Boers the encouragement of a military demonstration without committing an act of war against a power with which she has no quarrel; but it is still worse for Portugal, who finds herself between two fires. and in a fair way to be burned whichever way she turns.-Philadelphia Ledger.

Something to Ponder Over. The sailing tonnage of all countries fell off 106,000 tons last year, as compared with 1894. But there was an increase of about 824,000 tons in steam tonnage-a very significant sign of the times. England leads in ship building, as a matter of course. Indeed, 621/2 per cent of the new tonnage launched during the year was acquired by her, al-

eign countries and more than one-

fourth was secund by Japan.

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"Well, sir, what do you think of it?" "Oh, your anthem! Ah, I did t'ink Regent Sq., Phi adelphia, Pa., Dec. 8, 95. dat it wanted air."

"Air!" cried Green. "Yes, sir; and so I did hang it out of

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No man's creed is complete which does not declare a telief in himse f.

Still Glving Away Prizes. The novel prize contests of the Omaha World-Herald still continue. The last one closed February first and

The new prize contest just announced in our advertising columns is to see who can construct the longest good sentence in English without using any letter more than three times. As usual the first prize is a \$600.00 piano, this time a Kimball, and five or six hundred dollars in eash prizes follow:

Of course the object of the Weekly World-Herald is to secure new subscribers for their popular and newsy

This is the third big contest of the kind which the World-Herald has had to boom circulation and Editor Bryan's paper, which champions the cause of free silver, must be spending a good deal of it in prizes.

All things come to him who knows when not to wait.

Free to "Comrades." The latest photographs of the Hon. I. N. Walker, commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic. Write to F. H. Lord, Quincy Building, Chicago, and you will receive one free.

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been a dreadful lot of talk in the financial articles about a gold ring. What We, the undersigned, have known F. do you suppose they are driving at?" "Oh, I don't know," replied Mamie, Heve him perfectly honorable in all in a weary tone. "I guess it's just some business transactions, and financially more of this silly joking about engage-

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...in Season."

"A Word

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YEAR AGO THE CHICAGO RECORD offered \$30,000 A in each prizes to authors for the best "stories of mystery." The should run through the entire story and be disclosed only in the last

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stories were so called because it was required that a mystery

THE AWARD OF AUTHORS' PRIZES HAS JUST BEEN MADE. Stories from all parts of the English-speaking world, to the number of 816, were entered in the competition. Twelve Cash Prizes were offered for the best twelve stories. The first prize was \$10,000, and was won by Harry Stillwell Edwards, of Macon, Ga. His story is entitled:

AND ITS PUBLICATION WILL BEGIN IN THE CHICAGO RECORD ON MARCH 23, and continue in about thirty daily installments until completed. "SONS AND FATHERS" is beyond all question THE GREAT STORY OF THE YEAR. There will be an interval of a week or more between the publication of the last installment containing the explanation of the mystery and the immediately preced-

ing chapter, during which period the guesses will be received by THE RECORD.

To still further promote popular interest in this remarkable story THE CHICAGO RECORD offers \$10,000 in 889 cash prizes for the 889 guesses which shall come the nearest to being true and complete solutions of the mystery in the story.

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the reader subscribes for the paper direct to the office of publication, or whether it is bought from the local newsdealer. The contest is open, under the specified conditions, to all who read the paper. 2. -The explanation of the mystery may be made in the reader's own words, in the English language, and without any attempt at "fine writing." simply giving as many of the facts that go to make a "complete and also Intely correct solution of the entire mystery" as the reader may be able to

cording to the best judgment of the judges appointed by THE CHICAGO RECORD, and they will have complete control and final deany appeal, in all matters relating to this unique contest.

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