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TELEPHONE 226.

The ways and means committee of the national house has taken up the food probe. Why not use the pie

We suggest that everybody get innoculated with the anti-liar toxin before that south polo search is started in earnest.

John H. Jones, a wealthy Pittsburgwool and several yards wide. . . .

don't suppose it will hurt the dairy to favor the interests. cow's feelings any, though. . . .

Now the stock raisers are getting Somebody's always trying to step on scant consideration. the bunion-toe of somebody else. 8 10 10

merger. Oh, joy, we can still eat our sugared sawdust with an independent feeling!

Halley's comet is scheduled to be visible to the naked eye February 21. ting it here in time for the Washing- interests. ton birthday celebration.

Maine politicians and friends of to be right is quite another thing. Commander Peary are to push a resolution to have him made an admiral. First time we ever heard of an admirsled.

them a long talk.

most of us are not very particular get enough of them.

Eighteen Italians at Toledo, Ohio, have been found guilty of black-handing. America has no use for these cowardly criminals-no more than it bas for some of the "men higher up" in the sugar trust.

tion fight at coplin, Mo. But of arate the combatants, the victims? course with so much zinc in the soil there the citizens may require more dampness in their systems than in some other sections.

at Alton, Ill., got away with six big only one seriously injured? apple pies in an hour. A few more pie counter like a man. . . .

as their own when the husband re- business there, turns. "Where ignorance is bliss, 'tis folly to be wise;" and as long as the babies are given good homes, and the "fathers" are happy with the deceptions might be practiced.

Mrs. Philip W. Webster, aged forty-two, of Niagara Falls, N. Y., has has helped to support and build up. given birth to her 26th child, five He is not innocent, neither is any relative!"—Chicago News. pairs of twins and one set of triplets other citizen innocent who counted having been among the little ones who nances the existence in Falls City of have come to join her family circle an institution, whose fruits are evil. since her marriage at the age of six- and only evil. teen. Some people have to be overly kind to the stork to make up for some of the snubs it receives at the hands of those who are too lazy or too indifferent to the joys of motherhood to care for anything beyond an insignificant poodle dog.

It never rains but it pours. Close ly following a mine disaster at Primero, Colo., in which nearly a hundred lives were lost, came similar disaster near Drakesboro, Ky. in which thirty-five died, and numerous lesser accidents of the same character in various parts of the country. The wounds of sorrow at Cherry, Ill., were made to bleed afresh by the opening up of the mine there and the efforts to take out the two hundred buried bodies. It is an

THE FALLS CITY TRIBUNE odd fact, but a true one, that accicome in bunches,

> The observatory at Manila reports embodied in this little tale; that a third comet, supposed to be A school teacher said to his pupils ity this spring.

quit eating meat, that article has prize of course. continued to go up in price. And

er, has insured his life for one million dress to show that they are with the two years. dollars. John must think he's all president. To some this may sound confusing, but on closer inspectation it will be found that the statement is A bill is up in Washington to re- true, excepting in those instances A Sure, Quick Step in The Right duce the tax on oleomargarine. We when the president has been inclined

Be grateful to the man who put new idea into your head, even if together to squeeze the packers. he was compelled to beat it in with

Intensive farming, more than any Denial comes from Minneapolis one thing, save a moral reformation that there is to be a breakfast food will solve the present meat problem. . . .

and become a law.

Men who are in office to make We congratulate Mr. Halley in get- money are apt to be partial to the

* 2 5 BREAD CASTING.

the head of Coorge Washington. But and the stranger! But still, we would be largely solved. wouldn't advise anyone to feed every whose head it bears if we can only tramp that comes along with the exfor the meal later on.

WHY?

up in Alexander's saloon Saturday night, was the one really innocent The wets have won in a local op- man, Will Miller, who tried to sep-Why should his good intentions, and his advances in the interests of the The winner in a pie eating contest life? Seriously, why was Miller the a Quaker?" demanded the small boy

But was Miller innocent? If a contests like that and he'll be quali- man shuts his eyes to what he sees, shaking Quaker?" pursued the boy. fied to stand up against the political and refuses to hear what comes to "Well, then," said the small boy, "do him, is he wholly innocent if he tt!" gets hurt? If a man refuses to be There are fully three thous-instructed and will not learn, is he and bogus babies in good homes in blameless for the hurts that come Chicago, wives taking them from to him because of his not knowing? foundling hospitals while their hus. That the saloon is a gender of strife bands were away from home on ex- is common knowledge and no peacetended stays, and proclaiming them loving man of intelligence has any

meant well. But good intentions can sort, not of infidels, but atheists." never atone for violated law. He is a type, one of thousands, who having little ones, it is possible that worse permitted the thistle to grow and flourish in his front yard is [nad- | Small Elmer was playing with his

vertantly stung while passing by. The victim of a system which he

WHERE one man gets rich

speculation, a hundred get

poor.

through hazardous

BREAKING HABITS.

dents of similar nature nearly always Ever try to break a habit on the installment plan? If so, you will ap. That Country Absorbs Immense Per. Marked Dissimilarity Exists in Cos- Fife Held the Weather Berth and preciate the big hunk of veiled truth

the Winnecke wanderer, has been that to the boy who would make the is to-day paying golden tribute to Attached to the middle of the belt under him, tells this incident as char-Published every Friday at Falls City, discovered a few degrees south of best piece of composition in five France. About two score govern behind is a dark lantern. The cuffs acteristic of William Fife, Jr., Scot Venus and approaching the earth, minutes on "How to Overcome Hab- ments have to remit interest money of their coats have vertical stripes, land's famous designer and sailor of Somebody should notify Mr. Winnecke it," he would give a prize. When the to her. The interest and dividends on blue and white, signifying rank and yachts: at once. In all probability his sta- five minutes had expired, a lad of the capital for her small investors rep- distinguished service. During the freble door has been carelessly left open nine years stood up and said; "Well, resent earnings in all parts of the quent showers and rains they wear lit- on the port tack, dodging around the and his comet has ambled out with sir, habit is bard to overcome. If world, says the Amercan Review of the waterproof capes. Their silent regular to the enemy," to be every and the comet has ambled out with sir, habit is bard to overcome. \$1.50 out him knowing anything about it, you take off the first letter it does therefore the route of the rou From present indications, it looks not change "abit." It you take off like the comets are getting ready to another letter you still have a "bit" absorbing into her banks from 35 to blue caps and coats, and in summer then weather-bowing him. The yachts hold a mass convention in this vicin- left. If you take off another, the 40 per cent, of the metal freshly taken white duck trousers. They carry short were side by side. whole of "it" remains. If you take from the mines. So uniformly favor- swords, rather as an emblem of au- "I'm not coming about," Fife sang off another, it is totally used up. able is the international credit bal thority, but in extreme danger use the out in warning to the other. Remarkable isn't it, that while hun- All of which goes to show you must ance to France that, since 1891, about flat side as a club. In a downpour of The headsails of the enemy flux dreds of thousands of people have throw it off altogether." He won the one-fifth of all the gold mined has rain the Paris policeman hangs his tered. It looked like come about or

THE KING ROAD DRAG.

Direction.

Of all the problems agitating the minds of the people at the present time, the "Good Roads Problem" is one of the most far reaching in its effects. It touches every pulse American He-

Probably no man before the publie today has done more for the improvement of our highways than D. Ward King of the King's road drag Senator Burkett's postal saving drag, while living on a farm near fame. Mr. King devised his split log bank bill win in all probability pass Maitland, Mo. He began to use it by dragging the roads nearest his place. Soon his neighbors, who had first laughed at his log "dufonny" began to take notice. More drags were made, and now Mr. King's time is argely taken up in going about the distant landscape, and then said: that her milk could float a shipload of keep them on the safe side of the sea-To think we are right is one thing, country telling of the marvelous results that come from a persistent and of Holland, on a like occasion, simply to New York? Or, if all the mules we humorists insist; so carefully on the intelligent use of his drag.

It is a simple thing. Anybody can Cast your bread upon the waters make one in an hour, with an axe, al trying to gain his rank on a dog and it shall come back in a blue- a two-inch auger, and a piece of ribboned package. The other day a round timber about eight inches in man called st the home of David diameter and as many feet long. It Hon. C. W. Fairbanks has been ask-Ornstein, near Nashville, Ind., asked is so simple that every farmer can gave it out that she would choose as Panama canal in three roots, without nearly a century; one of them, the ed to make a speech in Rome on for a meal was fed, and then gave the have one, and should have one. Its Lincoln's birthday. The natives over amazed farmer a twenty dollar persistent use on the road is so there probably think that because gold piece, with the explanation that fruitful of good results that every of his build Mr. Fairbanks will give he had been fed there in the same land owner ought to be compelled to way on a bitter cold night, six years drag regularly after every rain, all

Dissolution Notice.

pectation of getting twenty dollars Notice is hereby given that Thomas Winterbottom has sold his interest in the firm of Wirth & Winterbottom to L. P. Wirth, and the business will Why must the innocent suffer? hereafter be conducted by Mr. Wirth Why, in the so-called innocent mix- All accounts payable to L. P. Wirth, and all liabilities will be paid by L.

L. P. WIRTH. THOMAS WINTERBOTTOM.

Wanted to Be Shown.

A St. Louis paper printed this story in its editorial column as a pointed common place have been met with suggestion that the public required such a carving as to endanger his action of municipal officers. "Are you of the man with the wide-brimmed hat. "Yes, friend," was the reply. "A

Believed in Witchcraft. Sir Thomas Browne, author of the

"Religio Medica," believed in witches. He wrote: "For my part, I have ever believed, and do now know, that there are witches. They that doubt of these do not only deny them, but spirits, and Mr. Miller has our sympathies. He are obliquely, and upon consequence a

At a Distance.

mother's opera glasses. Happening to look at her through the big end, he exclaimed: "Oh. mamma, you are so far away you look like a distant

Ivory as Good Investment. lvory doubles in price every few years.

WHERE one man stays

methods of saving, a hund-

red get rich.

poor through the slow

THIS AND THAT

The wise man saves a part of his earnings and places his mon-

ey in the bank to use when needed. Start an account now-no

matter how small or how large; it will get bigger after while.

Falls City State Bank

centage of the World's Supply of the Precious Metal.

therefore, the route of least resistance naling is a realization of perfection. but put his helm alee on the chance for the floating gold supplies. Paris is In Paris the ordinary patrolmen wear of forcing Fife to come about and found its way into the republic. In cap on a hook in the back side of his a collision. the year following the panic the belt, and draws over his head the hood stock of gold in the chief banks of of a short blue cape of heavy cloth. the Clyde man, dropping a "t" from while meat has been going up, cattle The grand jury of Chicago has the world increased \$400,000,000. This This hooded cape is called a capochon, and hogs have been going down, stared up a muss again in returning actually equals the 12 months' propand in its longer form, reaching to his own tiller arm amidships. It ought scarcely require a congress- increments against eleven present duction of new metal. Of this gold the knees, in used by civilians as well, ional committee to locate the guilty and former city employees and offi- the Bank of France secured \$100,000, in cold or rainy weather. According bluff was called. Hard-a-weather cials for alleged boodling. It's wond- 000; Bank of Germany, \$75,000,000; as- ly, at such times the streets of Paris went his helm. His boat was almost erful how the eye-sight of grand jur- sociated banks of New York, \$100,000, seem to be alive with cowled monks. in the wind's eye, sheets and sails The insurgents have issued an ad- ies has been improved in the last 000; Bank of Russia, \$55,000,000; Bank Recently the London plan for conof Italy, \$50,000,000; the Bank of Austrolling vehicles has come into vogue | She had just enough way on her to tria-Hungary, \$17,000,000, and the Bank successfully on the Paris boulevards. of England about \$9,000,000. The The policemen detailed for such duty \$1,250,000,000 gold held by France and wear white gloves, and signal with Russia is greater than the combined white clubs. German policemen wear holdings of the banks of other nations. helmets and have a distinctly martial Before she had gathered way again In ten years gold in the Bank of air.—Travel Magazine. France has increased \$300,000,000. while the Bank of England has been gaining less than \$20,000,000.

WHEN ROYAL MAIDS PROPOSE

Have Many Delicate Ways of Notifying the Man They Design to Honor with Their Hand.

When a reigning queen is to be marthe subject first to her future consort. to all royal ladies who marry com-

moners. their meanings. The Duchess of Arlected the Marquis, who subsequently trees along the canal zone? became her husband.

But perhaps the most interesting of all ways chosen was that of the before, when he was a tramp; now he the road next to the land. In that way Duchess of Fife. She took the Earl and now a new nickel is to be coin- was prosperous and wanted to re- all our roads would be kept in excel- as he then was, to a drawer, and ed soon by the government, bearing pay the kindness. Good for Dave lent shape and this vexing problem showed him its contents. There he saw a number of trifles he had given her at different times, including sprigs of several kinds of flowers, struggle and plunge in their endeavnow dead, he had picked for her at various times. He was much imquire words on her part to make her meaning plain.—Answers.

The Life of a Nation.

is not the business of a government to short on gray matter.—Outer's Book. support its people, but of the people to support their government; and once to lose sight of this vital truth is as dangerous as to trifle with some stealthy narcotic poison. Of the two opposite perils which have perpetually threatened the welfare of political society-anarchy on the one hand, loss of self-government on the other-Jefferson was right in maintaining that the latter is really the more to be grown. dreaded because its beginnings are so terribly insidious.-John Fiske.

An Eye For Business.

chants' association of that place in ure when she sees him. vited him to deliver a lecture there, and in reply received a letter from the dog could be more lovable than my explorer in which he said he would coyote is."-Dallas News. be delighted to comply with the request, but expected to receive in return 4,500 marks. The secretary of the organization answered that the price was not in keeping with their modest means and that the explorer probably fancied that the invitation emanated from a colony of American gold mine owners.

Japanese Girl's College Honors.

the First Congregational church. sophomore work at the University of love with each other!" California and lives in Oakland .-- San Francisco Chronicle.

The Bachelor's Answer.

"Dear me," she mused as she type of bachelor. watched her reflection in the mirror. basket' hats?"

"I'm not sure," laughed the jolly bachelor, "but I guess it is because world, eh?" said the reporter. there is often a 'peach' under them." And then she said he was the nic need any cloak there." Harper's est man she had ever met.

GOLDEN STREAM FOR FRANCE POLICE OF FOREIGN CITIES. SKIPPER'S BLUFF WAS CALLED

tume and Methods in London, Paris and Berlin.

Nearly every nation under the sun London policemen carry no clubs. C. H. J. Snider, who often sailed

THE SCREAM OF THE EAGLE

Southern Congressman Soared High in Speech in Eulogy of His Native State.

The following is quoted from a prosperity speech of a southern congressman: Has it ever occurred to you, Mr. Chairman, that the cotton cloth ried she must be the one to broach made in South Carolina annually MAINE'S "APPLE-TREE FLEET" would make a sheet big enough to The same rule holds good with regard cover the entire face of America and Antiquated Coasting Vessels Have Europe and lap over on the toes of Asia? Or, if all the cattle she raises Queen Victoria has told how she in each year were one cow, she would managed to "put the question" to browse on the tropical vegetation Prince Albert—how she first showed along the equator, while her tail the apple-tree fleet," writes Holman him Windsor and its beauties, and the switched icicles off the north pole, and Day, "because their skippers intend to "All this may be yours." The queen her butter and cheese from Charleston faring-or seafearin', as the aforesaid sent a sprig of white heather, beg- market each year were one mule, it safe side that they do not venture off ging Prince Henry to look out its would consume the entire annual corn shore far enough to lose sight of the meaning in a book of flowers and crop of North Carolina at one meal, apple trees." The "apple-tree fleet" and kick the spots off the sun without consists of certain antiquated coast gyle took the following means of pro-swelling its sides or shaking its tail? ing vessels that run cargoes from posing to the Marquis of Lorne. She Or, if the hogs we raise annually were Maine into the New England ports. was about to attend a state ball, and one hog, that animal would dig the Many of these relics date back for her partner for the first dance the grunting, and its squeal would be loud Polly, was a privateer in the war of man she intended to honor. She se enough to jar the cocoanuts off the 1812. Many are the amusing stories

Do Fish Suffer?

When they find themselves caught Chesapeake bay. "I know what I'll either in a net or on a hook the law do," said Capt. Skibles to himself. "I'll of self-preservation gets busy and put on my best clothes and go up to their natural instinct leads them to or to escape. If the hook hurts them, why do they come back again and pressed at the sight, nor did it re- again after it? I remember once fishing for ring perch when a party near me hooked one which in its struggles took off his hook. In a very short time, not to exceed three minutes, I caught this fish with the hook fast-Your nation may have art, poetry ened in its tongue. There could be and science, all the refinements of civ- no doubt about it, this was the same ilized life, all the comforts and safe- fish, as the snell was sticking out of guards that human ingenuity can delits mouth. I returned the hook to the vise; but if it lose this spirit of per- owner. How many times have we all sonal and local independence, it is caught fish with their mouths and lips doomed and deserves its doom. As torn? This would indicate that they President Cleveland has well said, it suffer no pain, or else they are very

Coyote, Texas Boy's Pet.

A pet coyote belongs to Roy Calloway, a Dallas boy, who declares that coyotes can be made tamer than dogs. This particular coyote came from Stamford in western Texas when two and a half months old. It is now a little over a year old and fully

This pet plays with the children, lying down to be rubbed by them, and frolicking about the yard with them. She likes to play with dogs, but the dogs object. The coyote sits on her The people of Eschweg think Sven box and waits for Roy to come home Hedin a good business man. The mer- in the evening, and shows her pleas-

"I don't think," Roy says, "that any

Chinese Scholar on Marriage. Sir Robert Hart, speaking of mar-

riage and death customs in the far east, tells a story of a great Chinese scholar and high official who said that our foreign way of letting the young people fall in love and choose and the chinese way of first marrying and then making acquaintance reminded him of two kettles of water; the first-the With the degree of bachelor of di-foreign-was taken at the boiling point vinity a Japanese, Miss Ochima Oku- from the fire by marriage and then bo, was graduated from the Pacific grew cooler and cooler, whereas the Theological seminary with six other second—the Chinese—was a kettle of students when the commencement excelled water put on the fire by wedlock, ercises of the seminary were held at and ever afterward growing warmer and warmer, "so that," said his friend. Miss Okubo is also registered in "after 50 or 60 years we are madly in

Rather a Fan.

Dr. Madison C. Peters was discussing the question, "Will the coming She had just tried on her new hat. man marry?" He instanced a certain

"This man," he said, "is a hypo-"I wonder why they call these 'peach crite. He uses his religion as a cloak.

"And what will he do in the next

Weekly.

Would Not Yield It to His

Opponent.

He was in the weather berth once.

"I'm no coming about!" thundered the "not" for emphasis and keeping

The other man realized that his slatting wildly, everything adrift. pay off. She went clear, but you could have cracked an egg between the two boats as she did.

Then, of course, Fife had her nailed we were on her weather bow. The back draught from our mainsail killed her. Every time she tacked we did the same. Fife's position was as impregnable as a stone wall. There was no passing us in all the buck to windward; and as it happened that we had the heels of her running, the race was ours from the start-and all due to the grit of the Scotchman.-Yachting.

Earned Peculiar Name-Amusing Story in Connection.

"The humorists long shore call them which the author tells of these ships and their skippers. One Capt. Skibles sailed from Thomastown with a cargo My observation is that they do not. of lime, but found a dull market in Washington and see President Andrew Jackson." The captain did so, and was admitted to the White House, and, with his "plug hat" under his arm, thus delivered himself: "President Andrew Jackson, esquire, I have called to pay my respects to a man I admire, and to say that I shall continue to vote for you as long as you live. And not to take up any more of your valuable time, I want to ask you if you have any use in your business, or in the business of the United States, for a cargo of Maine lime?" The president bought it for the navy yard.—Harper's Weekly.

Trout Held on Weeds. A correspondent says that when fish-

ing a small river lately he hooked a small trout. "After a little I managed to pull him free and he came along the surface side up toward the landing net without further resistance. Finding the line a little too long, I be gan to reel in, carelessly allowing the rod to drop almost to the straight, when the fish, then only a foot or two from the shelving shore, suddenly recovered his wind.

"The water was but two or three inches deep at the spot, quite still and clear, with one or two small patches of surface grass on it. Instantly the trout rushed at one of these patches and seized the grass in his mouth. holding on for all he was worth and defying me to drag him free. I then put the net under him and lifted him out with the bit of weed stuck in his teeth.-Field.

Her Souvenir,

"Why did you hurry so?" he asked her when he had finally caught up with her at the foot of the stairs of

"Do you remember how the waiter prepared to put a clean tablecloth on our table for fresh guests," she asked. "before we got through listening to the music? "Yes," he said.

"Well, then, here," she said, and showed him a large white tablecloth that had been hidden under her coat. "This is it. He laid it on the window sill. Serves him right."

He gazed upon it in amazement. "Why didn't you let me know?" he queried, "and I might have taken the table and walked out with that."

Chattering Golfers.

When serious gold is being played it is best for the game and the enjoy ment thereof that there should be as little conversation as possible, and the man who will persist in giving you his views about free trade, tariff reform and the efficiency or otherwise of the army and navy, just when you are "Oh," said Dr. Peters, "he won't thinking deeply how the next shot ought to be played, is generally a nut sance.—The Golfer.