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	Constant of the second s	I may a the share some have	ARTIFICIAL FOODS.	face was almost painful in its eagerness	ODDS AND ENDS.	Powerful Medicine Evidently Needed.	
CURRENT NOTES.	A HUNDRED YEARS TO COME.	Then suddenly, after a pause, he re-		as he followed the man to the freight-	THE dull season on the great lakes		
MUDGE-"I'd much rather a man		marked:	The Natural Article the Only One to	as as source out and to at any	has forced rates down to an unprece-		
"called me a knave than a fool." Yab-	BY HIRAN LADD SPENCER.	"Ah, ves! You refer to the action of	Bely On.			sician, rapidly mixing the proper remedy,	Germ
called me a knave than a loon that	Where, where will be the birds that sing,	my hand whenever I reach for an ob-	Several years ago, when a French	"Now," said the freight-man, seating	dented level. Wheat is now carried		
sley-"Of course. It's the truth that	A hundred years to come?	ject? That is the result of a terrible	chemist succeeded in liquefying oxygen,	himself on a box, "we'll have a bit of		you must not eat them too freely at the	
hurts."	The flowers that now in beauty spring.			talk before we get to business. I don't	water and 500 in an air line, for one	beginning of the season."	the second states and s
. WAITER-"Very fine chicken that,	A hundred years to come?	shock I once had. Imagine, air, this	speculation was rife as to the possible	know anything about you, except that	cent a bushel, while the lighter grains		
air " Quest_"Yes. I wonder how it	The rosy cheek,	child has been buried alive!"	use to which the new substance could	you're cold and hungry; you look that.	are proportionately lower. For cheap	melon, doctor," wailed the unhappy boy	
escaped being killed for such a long	The lofty brow, The heart that beats	I could find nothing to say, except	be put as a food. People who believed		transportation this is probably without	lying doubled up on the lounge.	
escaped being amou tot batt a	So anickly now?	"Ah!" with emotion and surprise.	that there was such a thing as the "prin-	But I think it is likely that you've got	a parallel.	symp accord of an end to angle.	
time."	These where will be our hones and fears.	He went on: "Here is the story. It	ciple of life," thought that it could be	In some scrape, for it you hadn't you		Two Sweet to Sour.	"Weare
"WHAT is unselfishness?" asks a sub-	Joy's pleasant smiles and sorrow's tears, A hundred years to come?	is simple. Juliette had for some time		wouldn't be loafing about stations and	WHILE tearing down the walls of an		
scriber. Unselfishness is one of the	A hundred years to come?		directly reached and sustained by taking	sleeping in freight cars I'm not going	old house in the village of Deutsch-	"And you think I will never tire of	AFarmer at ily. We
rarest qualities in the world to find in	Who'll press for gold this crowded street,	seemed subject to disordered action of	solid oxygen into the stomach, the sup-	to ask you if you have done anything	Redingen, near the Luxembourg boun-	you, George? Never cease to regard you	place who
any one else.	A hundred years to come?	the heart. We were sure she suffered	position being that what could support		dary, the workmen found the corpses of	with affaction 9"	Edom, Texas, subject
"McGuine's father was an Irishman	Who'll tread yon aisle with willing feet,	from some disease of this organ and ex-	life in one way could support it in an-	wrong, but I am going to ask it you ve	a German officer and a private in full	"You never will. You are altogether,	Subject
"MCGUIRE'S lather was an instance	A hundred years to come?	pected the worst.	other. If we breathe oxygen and it	got a mother."	uniform. The bodies were wonderfully	too sweet to sour on me."	Says: Colds
and his mother a German." "Great	Pale trembling age		other. If we oreashe oxygen and is	"No; she's dead."	well preserved. It is supposed the men	She smiled, blushed, cast down her	Troubles.
heavens! What does he drink?" "O,	And fi ry youth, And childhood with	One day sue was brought in me es-	does us good, why should it not do us	"Got any father or folks that belong			used German Syrup for
he's an American-anything."	its brow of truth :	-dead. She had fallen dead while	even more good when we take it in	An	were murdered during the Franco-	eyes and the kiss he had been begging	useu German Syrup to
"My mind to me a kingdom is,"	The rich, the poor, on land and see-	walking in the garden. The physician	bulk, and let it reach the life principle		Prussian war.	for was grantedNew York Press.	Euccessfully for Sore Thro
quoted the ostentatious young man, and	Where will the mighty millions be	issued a certificate of death. I watched	by absorption through the tissues of the	I ve an uncle and some cousing.	SAYS a correspondent of the Boston		Cold, Hoarseness, Pain
the girl said: "I don't doubt it. And	A hundred years to come?	beside her for a day and two nights. I	digestive apparatus? There was one		Transcript: "Henry Ware, Jr., of Cam-	"One to-day is worth ten to-morrows."	Chest and Lungs, and
the girl said: "I don't doubt in that	We all mithin our graves will sleen.	myself placed her in the coffin, which I			bridge, once told me a story of a young	A splendid rule for housekeepers to work hy	
you are Barren of Thought in that	We all within our graves will alsop, A hundred years to come;		fact, however, which was not taken into	nothing that a mother won't forgive;	man in the ministry who, in conversa-	aspecially if they use SAPOLIO. Postnone	of Blood. I have tried m
kingdom."	No living soul for us will weep,	followed to the cemetery, where she	consideration by the people who	but uncles and cousins are different.	tion with one of the elders in the faith.	anything before cleanliness.	ent kinds of cough Syn
THEATER Manager-"In my new play	A hundred years to come;	was laid in the family vault. It was in	thought that at last the true pabulum			the second se	time, but let me say to any
I'm going to have a tank of real water,	And others then	the country, in Loraine.	of life, of which the Rosicrucians and	"If I recommend you at the office,	allowed that he did not believe in the	All Pleased Except the Baby,	
a real fire-engine, and a real patrol-	Our lands will till, And other men	"I had wished that she should be	their successors had dreamed, had been	they'll take you; but mind, if I do it,	devil. 'Not believe in the devil!' said	An Atchison man recently woke his	ing such a medicine-Ger
wagon. Can you suggest anything else?"	Our bomes will fill.	buried with her jewels, bracelets, neck-	found. In the stomach solidified oxygen	I'm going to watch you as a cat does a	the elder; 'why you are an atheist.'	first baby up to show an admiring vis-	is the best. That has be
Tomkid-"Yes; you might try a real	And other birds will sing as gay.			mouse. You'll have to spend your	Now, if in addition to the regular three	itor the color of his eyes, and it took his	perience. If you use it
Tomkia-"Tes; you might ery a reat	And bright the sun shine as to-day,	laces, rings, all the presents that I had	would almost certainly act as a corrosive	evenings and Sundays with me.	persons in the Godhead we are to have		perience. If you use it
actor or two."	A hundred years to come.	given her, and her first ball dress.	poison. Davy imagined that the prin-		a fourth person, I, for my part, greatly	whe three hours to get it to sleep again.	will go back to it whe
SMART Customer-"You fellers are		"You can imagine the state of my	ciple of life must be a gas, and on this	"I went wrong myself when I was no	prefer the Virgin Mary to the devil.	But, like a woman, she was so pleased	t.eed it. It gives total re
makin' a heap o' souv'nir spoons, ain't	DITOTO AT TITE	heart on returning home. She was all	notion the theory was built up that the	older than you are, lowering his voice.	But perhaps it is because I am a man.	to think her husband was interested in	a quick cure. My advic
. ye? Why don't yer git up souv'nir	BURIED ALIVE.	I had, my wife having been dead for		"Au' if it hadn't been for my mother-		the baby that she never complained.	
knives?" Jeweler-"Well, people like			more gas one can get into his body the	Well, that was a long time ago. You've	Mother Eve, we know, preferred the		one suffering with Lung
to remember their spooning; it's differ-		many years. Stunned and half mad, I	more lively he is likely to be. The	got switched upon the wrong track I	devil."	When He Would Fight.	-Try it. You will so
ent when they've been cut."	BT GUY DE MAUPASSANT.	shut myself alone in my room and fell	doctrine that there is such a thing as	am very sure, and as you haven't any	"Dinner for Two. Appetite for One!"	Yabsley-There's no need of fighting	vinced. In all the fami
ent when they ve been cut.		into an arm-chair, almost senseless, un-	the principle of life except in connection		and the second	in this age of the world. If a man	your German Syrup
"Do you think," said Ruthers' wife,	The guests filed slowly into the great	able to move. I was merely a wretched,	with the living and organized matter,	mother to help you get on the right one,	Said a dyspeptic to the waiter, ordering for self	should call me a liar I would simply look	
"that there ought to be so much for-	dining-hall of the hotel and sat down at	breathing wreck	is now generally discarded, and the	God helpin' me, I'll do it, if you'll let	and friend. And, suppose he had had an ap-	deserve states blas soldb mides	is used we have no
mality about calling?" "Naw." said	their places. The waiters began their	"My old valet, Prosper, who had			petite, it would have agonized him, subsequent-	Mudge-If he was small enough for	trouble with the F
Ruthers earnestly. "If you're with the			man who believes that he can make an	"Preachin' isn't in my line, but there's	'y, to gratify it. Of the abominable pauge that		Lungs at all. It is
people, all you've got to do is to shove in	serving quite lessurery, in order to give	helped me place Juliette in her coffin	egg from which a chick can be hatched	just one thing you don't want to forget,	even a little meal causes the confirmed victim	me to look down upon, I think I should	
your chips."	the belated ones time to arrive and to	and lay her away for her last rest, en-	is, doubtless, a bold and original		of indigestion. Purgatory on earth-no loss,	hit him in the neck once, anyhow	the medicine for this
your cuips.	save themselves the trouble of bringing	tered noiselessly and asked:	thinker, but in practice his work is	and that is the good Father is giving		Indianapolis Journal.	country. 9
A NINETEENTH ward housewife whose	back the dishes; the old bathers, the	" 'Monsieur, will you not est some-	likely to be of little value. Eggs come	you a chance now to get back where	Altogether unnecessary, though. Begin at once,		G. G. GREEN, Sole Man'fr, W
bell had been rung by a sand peddler	habitues, with whom the season was far		to all a short it is a start of a	you can do right and feel right. Are	systematically, a course of Hostetter's Stomach	Is afflicted with fore Eyes, use Dr. Isaas	G. G. GREEN, Sole and ity
said to him in a tone of simulated as-	admonard hout an clost watch upon the	sungt I show my nead, without	in the natural course of events, and can	yon going to take it?"	Bi ters, ye unfortunates with refractory stom- schs. In saying this we merely echo the re-	Thompson's Eye Water. Druggists sell it. 25c.	
tonishment: "Sand! why, of course not.	advanced, kept an alert watch upon the	speaking.	in the natural course of events, and can no more be manufactured artificially	The boy answered faintly that he		M. EIFFEL, the daring civil engineer	Dr. WOOD, SIOUX
	door each time it was opened, hoping		than a Frankenstein can make a real	The boy answered initially that he	sorded experience of thousands who have used	who conceived the town in Danis which	DI. WOUD, SIGNY
a moment ago. How much sand do you	for the appearance of fresh faces.	"Monsieur is wrong. This will make	workingman. It is, of course, nomible	would try. ne was taken into the	the great stomachie to their lasting benefit.	who conceived the tower in Paris which	A Regular Graduate un
think a small family wants?"	A HING ID CHICLE CHINEL COLOCA ON WHICH	his all. Would Monsieur like me to			For the inaction of a sluggish liver, and for	bears his name, lives on the Jungfrau,	a yours hospital and p
think & small family wants:	ing-places. We go to dinner to inspect	mit him to had?	tune in the man in which Thatian	friend's eye constantly, and it was not	ardy or irregular action of the bowels, both	in the Swiss Alps. He has just obtained	10 in Chicago and 1
the second s	the daily arrivals, to wonder who they		sure, in the way in which Italians are	friend's eye constantly, and it was not long before the man had so won his	very apt to accompany dyspepsia, this fine reg-	bears his name, lives on the Jungfrau, in the Swiss Alps. He has just obtained permission to build a railroad up the mountain to his very dwelling. According to the census Philadelphia	Alexandre in Side
	the daily arrivals, to wonder who they		said to make blood oranges, by inject-	confidence that he told him his story.		mountain to his very dwelling.	Nervous. Chronie
1 N	are, what they do, and what they	" 'No; let me alone.'	ing aniline colors under the rind of the	coundence that he told him his story.	alator is equally efficient. Malarial complaints,		diseases, Sperm
	think. A restless desire takes posses-	"And he withdrew.	common fruit; but oranges doctored in	There was trouble and disnonesty con-	cidney trouble, rheumstism, and neuralgia de-	According to the census Philadelphia	floss of sernal power), and all Fema
K 1	sion of us, a longing for pleasant adven-	"How many hours may have needed I	this man and the property could be at ant	pected with it, but for two years the lad	part when a resort is had to the Bitters.	is the greatest manufacturing city of	Irregularities, etc Cures gu

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria, When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria, When she had Children, she gave them Castori

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"And, abruptly, the bell rang twice ing ties. We see each other every day, know each other very soon, and in the affection that springs up is mingled and descended. I was about to de-

An Express Messenger's Grit. "While we are talking of faithful-ness," Colonel, "I may mention Ned

variety of food. What we want to get Banks, an express messenger on the from nature is that which she herself Kansas Pacific a good many years ago. produces in reasonable ways. The orange must be the product of the tree, and the delicate gelatine must come from the sources to which the primitive man used to look for it when he boiled "I was on his train once when we had

proved himself faithful and trustworthy

in his new occupation. He was then ad-

vanced to a more responsible position,

the bones and sinews of the lower ani- a wreck. It was clearly the work of mais that ranged the forests of primor-dual times. In short, though there are were practically knocked to kindling steamer rules his marine microcosm, many ways in which man can manipul-ate for his own purposes even the refuse of nature, there is little or nothing that forward to help him in case any efforts he can do in the way of improving na-tural products. The egg of the hen his treasure. I found him sitting in his must come directly from the nest, and wrecked car, white of face, but holding not be cunningly contrived in the a six-shooter in one hand while a rifl aboratory. The apple and the orange rested across his knees. have only one proper way of coming into existence, and that is the way in " 'All right Ned!' I cried to him. be with you in a minute. which they have always grown. " 'Hold up,' said Ned. "Special creations" of this sort are come in here. works for the production of which we " 'Well, I'm coming anyway, old man must look to a higher power than that I answered climbing over some shat of man. - American Agnalyst. tered timbers. "'Hold up, Colonel,' said Ned, level Rubbed Out. ing his six-shooter at me. 'If you come During the Russo-Turkish War, while a step nearer I'll kill you. Mr. Irving Montagu was in Turkey as "'For heaven's sake be reasonable war artist of the Illustrated London Ned,' I cried impatiently; 'you're hurt, News, he was one day attracted by the you're bleeding. Let me get you out strikingly characteristic features of one of this.' of his guards. Having his note-book in "'No, sir,' said Ned, 'Look out,' he his hand, he jotted down a sketci of the added threateningly, 'I'll shoot, as sure face. Before it was finished the man as I am Ned Banks. looked up and saw what was going on. At once such an expression of horror 'But you don't think, do you, that am trying to rob you? and revenge passed over his counten-ance that Mr. Montagu was, as he says, "'I don't know anything about that Colonel. I only know that my boxes are in danger, and I am going to take care of them. You can go out; send thrilled by it.

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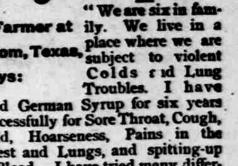


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was 2 in the morning. Who could be

with other eyes, through the special optics of a watering-place acquaintance.

sion of us, a longing for pleasant adventures, for friendly acquaintances, for lovers, perhaps. In this elbow-to-elbow sume extreme importance. Curiosity is aroused, sympathy is on the aleri and the social instinct is active. We have hatreds for a week and friendships for a month; we view men

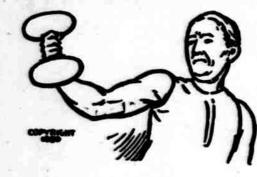
"How many hours may have passed, know not. Oh! what a night! What a night! It was cold; my fire had burned

sort of life, our unknown neighbors as- out in the great fire-place; and the wind,

a wintry gale, charged with icy frost, howling without and rapping at my windows with a peculiarly sinister

sound. "Long hours rolled away. Isat there,

wide-awake, prostrated and whelmed; my eyes were open, but my body was nevertheless, dead, and my soul was engulfed in despair. Sud "I gave such a start that my chair creaked under me. The slow, solemn



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reasons for trying Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. In the first place, it cures your catarrhno matter how bad your case, There came only two, but very strange ones, those of a man or a woman-father or of how long standing. doesn't simply palliate - it cures. If you believe it, so much the better. There's nothing more to be said. fatality. The gentleman was very tall You get it for 50 cents, from white, too white for his still young all druggists.

But perhaps you won't be- and about his person the serious air of austerity that bespeaks the Puritan. lieve it. Then there's another reason for trying it. Showthat you can't be cured, and you'll get \$500. It's a plain business offer. The makers of Dr. Sage's Remedy will pay you that amount if they can't cure you. They know an apparition; she ate with extreme daughter, opened is spasm of fright and his back, stark dead. "It was he who had that they can - you think able of moving her arms. It was she undoubtedly who that they can't. If they're the benefit of the waters. wrong, you get the cash. If you're wrong, you're rid of catarrh.



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something of the sweet abandon of old mand : timates. Later on tender recollec-"Who is there?" tions are cherished of the first hours of "Then, ashamed of this weakness, friendship, of the first communion in slowly drew back the heavy bolts. My which the soul was brought to light, of heart throbbed; 1 was afraid. I opened the first looks that questioned and re-sponded to the interrogatories and se-gloom a shape like a phantom, dressed cret thoughts the lips had not yet utin white. tered, of the first cordial confidence,

"I recoiled, impotent with anguish and that charming sensation of opening and stammered: one's heart to some one who also seems "Who-who-who are you?"

to lay bare his own to you. "A voice answered : Then, too, the very dullness, the monotony of days exactly alike, hourly "'It is I, father.'

"It was my daughter. "Really, I thought myself mad; and] hrank away, retreating backward be-That evening, then, as every evening, we awaited the entrance of unfamiliar fore the spectre as it entered, gesticulating with my hand, as if to ward of he apparition. That gesture has never

left me "The phantom spoke again:

and daughter. They reminded me at "'Have no fear, papa: I was not dead once of some of Edgar Poe's characters; Some one has stolen my rings, and has and yet there was an attraction about cut off my finger; the blood I flow, and that has revived me.' began t them, an unpleasant attraction; I set them down as the victims of some "And I observed, then, that she was covered with blood. "I fell on my knees, gasping, sobbing

hysterically. countenance: there was in his carriage "As soon as I had partly recovered my senses, so dazed still that I hardly aded the terrible happines compre The daughter was, perhaps, about that had come to me, I made her go up twenty-four or twenty-five years of age. to my room and placed her in my arm-She was small and emaciated, and her chair: then I rang sharply for Prosper, exceedingly pale face wore a languid, that he might rekindle the fire, prepare She was small and emaciated, and her spiritless expression. We sometimes encounter people who appear too weak for the cares and demands of life, too a warm drink for her, and summon a physician.

"The man entered, gazed at my feeble to move, to do the things we daughter, opened his mouth with spasm of fright and horror, then fell on

"It was he who had opened the vault slowness, as if she were almost incapwho had mutilated and then abandone my child for he could not efface the traces of his robbery; he had not even taken pains to place the coffin back in its case, certain, moreover, of not being

They happened to be opposite me, on the other side of the table; and I suspected by me, who trusted him fully. immediately noticed that the father had "You see, monsieur, that we are very anfortunate people." a very singular nervous affliction.

Whenever he was about to reach for He was silent. anything, his hand, with a quick jerk, Night had come on shrouding with described a sort of fluttering zigzag be-fore he was able to touch what he was after. In a few moments this motion annoyed me so much that I turned away my head in order not to see him.

nered :

"What a horrible thing!" Then, after a while, I added: "Let us return! The night has grown And we walked back toward the hotel.-Translated for the San Fran-

Too Many Bears. A young huntsman of Helena, Mont.

above the long chain. Chatel-Guyon begins the land of "Domes." Milk River, and came suddenly face to Beyond the "Domes" are two other distinct regions, the one of needle-like peaks and the other of abrupt, precipitden. The young hunter again made a

bear came out of the den. He killed this du Cantal is the greatest of the last one also, and before he had time to move from the spot, bruin number four ap-

"The fellow's manner became rapid!y ullen and morose; nay more, utterly the conductor and brakeman here, but wretched." writes the correspondent. you can't come in, If he supposed me possessed of the "That settled it. I saw that he mean

evil eye, surely he was possessed of two what he said, and went off to find the of the most malignant orbs which ever trainmen protruded from human cranium." "Now would you believe it, when they

got him out he fainted dead away. He had his leg crushed and three ribs "Things went on in this mysterious way till I asked one of my comrades if he could throw any light upon the mat-ter, when he explained that, in that broken, but he stuck to his boxes.

"I believe his company did the hand some thing for him. He was trans uperstitious country, to have one's ferred to another railroad and ran on features reproduced in any way was a for about three years. One night his

sign of impending death. "The whole thing was explained in a moment. Death, of whom I was the train leaped like a thunderbolt into another, running in the opposite di agent, had, to all intents and purposes, set his seal upon my unfortunate fol-lower, a condition of affairs truly terri-his boxes. He had been instantly ble to contemplate. 'Melancholy had killed."-New York Tribune.

He Was the Man. As a peddler of rugs was passing

house on Joy street a woman opene gloom affected us all not a little, and no the door and called to him : explanation seemed likely to break the "You man, there say." spell which hung over him." He halted and looked at her and saw

the grim determination in her eye. "Ain't you the same young feller that was suddenly "inspired with a bright sold me a rug las' spring ?"

idea." He called the fellow, and ex-He was, but something in her voice plained to him that he had a magic anmade him forget to tell the truth. idote to the lines of the fateful pencil. "No'm, this is a new root for me. With it the man himself could blot out That mus' have been Soapy Jim. He's out of the bis'ness now."

the pencil's work forever, and so break the fatal spell. "I reckoned it was you," persisted the woman; "think a spell. It was a "The effect was marvelous; the man's face lighted up with inexpressible dered and yaller rug with a green border, light. At first he took hold of the and I paid for it once a week for two India rubber with the tips of his fingers months. 'I do believe you're the same in the tenderest possible manner, but on realizing its miraculous qualities, he yonng feller." "Never was in this part of

rubbed literally for dear life. afore, ma'am," vowed the man. "Is that so? Well, if you'd a been "Born and bred in a remote part of

Anatolia, Suleiman had never even the same man I was goin' to buy another rug for myself and one for my sister who is going to Dakoty, dut I wouldn't want to deal with a stranger. Excuse heard of India rubber. The picture was rubbed out. He smiled again, and me for doubtin' your word, but you do What a Freight-Master Did. favor that young man amazingly. see now you ain't him." An engine bumped against some emp-

ty cars in the early dawn of a winter She went in and shut the door, an morning. A boy who had been saleep he knew that he had made the mistake in one of them was thrown, dazed and of a lifetime. - Free Press. bewildered, against the door, which he

had pulled to when he crawled into the A writer on the loon says the bird's Just then a brakeman thrust his head | wings are more than wings under water, into the car, and reached for his jacket, and that it moves with marvelous speed Describing the pursuit of a loon by a sportaman, it is said: "Seeing it was being pursued and no mistake, it dived

should develop into admiration and admiration into adoration, as it did with so many of his followers. He was not perhaps the greatest orator in the house, but he was unquestionably the greatest debater.

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its gloom the sad and solitary little vale, and a kind of mysterious dread seized me at finding myself alone with these uncanny beings-this corpse come to life and this father with his appalling I also observed that the young girl kept a glove on her left hand while she I could find nothing to say, but stam-After dinner, I went out to take a

turn in the park belonging to the water-cure establishment. It extended to the little station of Auvergne, Chatel-Guyon, hidden in a gorge at the foot of a high mountain, from which run so many bubbling springs, hot from the deep furnace of old volcances. Over cisco Argonaut from the French.

there, beyond us, the domes, extinct craters, raised their mutilated heads was following the upper course of the face with a bear. He brought his rifle to his shoulder, took careful aim, and shot the bear dead. The next mement second bear appeared from a rocky

ous mountains. The Puy de Dome is the highest of the craters, the Pic du Sancy the most successful shot. To his surprise a third elevated of the Peaks, and the Plomb

duced, pleasing to the taste and ac-ceptable to the stomach, prompt in its action and truly beneficial in its effects, prepared only from the most ing forth from the casino on a mound the taste and ac-it was very warm that evening. I was walking back and forth in the shady path, listening to the music pour-ing forth from the casino on a mound the taste action and bruin tumbled the made a good shot, and bruin tumbled

marked him for her own.' "However, there was no help for it; the thing was done, though his settled The man's moroseness was becoming almost insufferable, when Mr. Montagu

healthy and agreeable substances, its that overlooked the park. many excellent qualities commend it I perceived the father and daughter to all and have made it the most popular remedy known. Syrup of Figs is for sale in 50c

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coming toward me with slow steps. I saluted them, as, in watering places, one salutes his hotel companions, the gentleman, stopping immediately, in-quired of me: "Pardon me. sir, may I ask if you can direct us to a short walk, easy and

pretty if possible?" I offered to conduct them myself this he received a severe squeeze from the valley through which the slender river flows-a deep, narrow gorge be-tween two great declivities, rocky and shoulder. Then he lost consciousness. When he recovered his senses, his rooded.

They accepted. And, naturally enough, we spoke of horse was between him and the bear. The horse was kicking viciously, and bruin was making but feeble resistance, and soon lumbered off into the brush. The hunter was badly shaken up, and the wound in his shoulder was exceedthe virtue of the mineral waters. "Ah, yes," said he, "my daugater has a strange malady, the seat of which her physicians are unable to determine. She suffers from incompreheusible ingly painful. With difficulty he mounted his horse, which was quite unnervous symptoms. Sometimes they think her afflicted with heart disease, hurt, and rode to a place of shelter a few miles further on, where his injuries sometimes with liver complaint, and received attention, and his game was sometimes with liver complaint, and sometimes with spinal difficulty. At present they attribute to the stomach, which is the great motor and prime reg-ulator of the body, this Proteus-like malady of a thousand forms, a thousand modes of attack. That is why we are secured. - Youth's Companion. A Guardian of the Ponce. First Officer-What was that no over on your best? Second Officer-A man stole a watch

here. I am myself rather of the opinion that it is her nerves. In any case it is "But is that not hereditary? Are not your own nerves a little affected?"

Tranquilly he answered. "Mine? Oh, no; I have always poesensed very calm perves."

ver, making four dead bears While the huntsman stood watching

upon him! One blow of the huge paw thrusting the boy from the door. "If I sent the gun flying from his grasp, but catch you in one of these cars again, I'll

he quickly drew his hunting-knife, and give you to a policeman! wounded bruin in the neck. In doing "What's he been up to, Bill ?" said a

so did we."

man who was putting freight into the the brute, and a fearful bite on the next car.

"Up to my coat," he said, giving rigorous shake as he walked off. The boy looked dirty and dejected, as he limped along by the side of the track. The man who had spoken called horse was between him and the bear.

after him:

"Hhllo, there! Do you want a job?" The boy turned back quickly. "If you'll help me load them firkins, I'll pay you for it; but you'll have to work spry.

The prospect of a little brightened the boy, and he set to work in earnest, though he cramped and hungry. "Do you live round

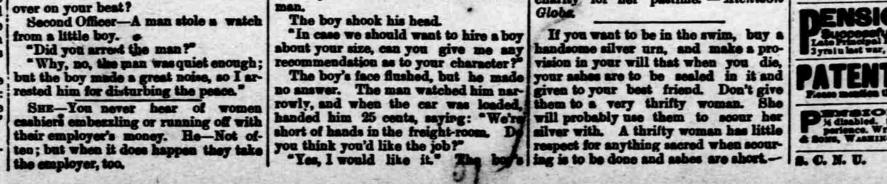
The boy shook his head.

quickly, and when it came up again had gone many times as far as the boat in the same space of time. Then it dived again, and distanced it pursuer so easily that he gave up the chase and rested upon his cars. But the bird made a final plunge, and when it emerged upon

the surface again it was over a mile away. Its course must have been, and doubtless was, an actual flight under water, and half as fast as the crow flies

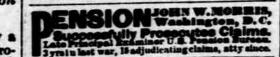
> After a man has made a certain amount of money, he begins to pay par-ticular attention to his stomach and the good things of this life. He has

a mushroom cellar, raises his own cel-ery, and invents drinks that are famous for the speed with which they will go to the head. It is different with a woman. When she has all the money she wants, she takes up religion and charity for her pastime. - Atchison





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