Magnificent Harbor with Dry, Desc-

FORMER HAUNT OF BUCCANEERS

History and Romance of the Region-Sharks that Snap All Kinds of Balt Furnish Thrills for Seamen.

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America seized Lower California; but with the end of the war it was restored to Mexico, the United States being apparently unaware of the strategic features afforded by Magdalena bay for naval purposes. By 1807 this was recognised, and a syndicate, at whose head was General Logan, interested itself in developing the mainland in the hope that the American government would make some arrangements with Mexico. Nothing came of it. Thirst helped to oust the few men who tried to remain after the scheme died out.

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influenced the Mexican government suffi-States as a coal and naval station for

### Fat Weman's Troubles born a slave in Kentucky.

LIFE IN MAGDALENA BAY stories, the fact still remains that sharks are remarkably numerous there.

The morning plunge overside, regularly sjoyed by the officers and men in many question in the bay. There is, to be sure, no record of any one in the navy having been attacked by a shark in these waters, a fact not so remarkable when it is also learned that there is no record of any one having exposed himself. The closest call perhaps was that of a well known lientenant commander who took a dive into the bathing pen at the same time that this small enclosure was occupied by a fourteenfoot man eater.

which patroled the Pacific could be cluded. Here the ships would meet and exchange cargoes, transact all their business and then get away at night through one of the many small exits from the bay. And undoubtedly many a pitched battle was fought here, and ships went to join the gaileons of two centuries previous.

But the scene changes considerably by the time the middle of the nineteenth contury is reached. There was marked activity there, only this time we come upon flexis of whalers, scalers and guano gatherers. The whalers are Yankees, New Englanders in stanch vessels built in the rown harbors, who have no tear of the sa in any mood and have come these thousands of miles around the Horn in the certain knowledge that oil is to be found off, the California and Mexican coast—whale oil, which made the fortunes of many of today's prominent families in those times and first much.

Then the Mexican war broke out, although it did not disturb the whalers. righ it did not disturb the whalers, overboard, spinning like a taffrail log the wake of the flying shark.

### WHAT A NEGRO TOWN IS LIKE

An Oklahoma Sample Measures Up With Its White Neigh-

About five years ago the railway from zey of the western coast of Mexico. It was Fort Smith to Guthrie was laying out a scientific trip, but the future admiral townsites along its line. One of its offinever forgot his impressions of the vast cials got into an argument about the ca-

ciently to lease the bay to the United the troubles of other new towns. Its first marshal was killed in a pistol fight with

bay was as good as a dry dock because the dorsals of the sharks scraped all the barmacles off the bottoms of the vessels. Allowing something for "leeway" on these because, as he expressed it. "I don't want a leave to be the public officials there, came because, as he expressed it. "I don't want a leave to be the public officials there are the cast for "A Proposal Under Different to the public officials there are the cast for "A Proposal Under Different to the dorsals of the sharks scraped all the the cast for "A Proposal Under Different to the dorsals of the sharks scraped all the the there are the dorsals of the sharks scraped all the the there are the dorsals of the sharks scraped all the the the there are the there ar always to be led; I want to do a little leading." The present mayor of Boley was

Such communities as Boley are an en-If you try to get the fat off with the couraging symptom of development. They

Such communities as Boley are an encoraging to find-the time? I haven't any faith in it, anyway, as a reducer. It hurst the fat person's weakest spot—the heart. As for disting, that is out of the question, altogether. Better be fat than have cancer of the stomach.

The safest and quickest way to reduce excess fat is also the cheapest and easiest. Go to the druggist and set \( \frac{1}{2} \) comes men on the road write letters to those of the druggist and set \( \frac{1}{2} \) comes men on the road write letters to those of the druggist and set \( \frac{1}{2} \) comes men on the road write letters to those of the druggist and set \( \frac{1}{2} \) comes men on the road write letters to those of the druggist and set \( \frac{1}{2} \) comes men on the road write letters to those of the druggist and set \( \frac{1}{2} \) concess fat is also the cheapest and easiest. Go to the druggist and set \( \frac{1}{2} \) concess but a trifle. Take them home, shake them together in a bottle, and take a tenspoonful after meals and at bouttmen if you are not loaing a half to a pound of fat a day inside of a menth, your case will be one in a hundred. Try it—makes you feel better all over.

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#### NEWS OF THE ARMY POSTS

of the tropical ports, is quite out of the Army Officers at Fort Riley Checking Liquor Trade.

SEARCH FOR ILLEGAL TRAFFIC

Mexican Officers at Officers' School Enliven Post by Numerous Scrapes in Which They Got.

Magdalens Bay, where the battleship fiest is now engaged in target yractice, has few of the attractions toward which salier, and the property of the property

ment, and who had been ordered to the military prison at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., to serve the remainder of his sentence, escaped from the sentry in charge of him while at work cleaning harness at the quartermaster corral on March 16 and was not apprehended until 2 p. m. on March 18. He remained in hiding during the remainder of the day be escaped and that night seof the day be escaped and that night se-cured a suit of civillan clothes and intended to make his departure from the post the next night. He had been without food for over thirty-six hours and was leaving the the hope that the American government would make some arrangements with Mexico. Nothing came of it. Thirst helped to count the few men who tried to remain after the scheme died out.

Dewey Was There.

Seven years later, in 1874, a young naval officer, destined to loom large in his countington.

The growing race consciousness of the black American is shown most clearly in by name, who grabbed him and turned him over to the guard. Harden was under the impression that he would be rewarded with a \$50 bill, as he did not know that a civilian in government employ could not receive money for the apprehension of deserters. Had he known this it is not likely that he would have turned the man up so quickly. would have turned the man up so quickly. Military convicts Hester, Bennington, Crippen, Johnson, Kelly, Oakley, Redlon and Young leave under charge of a guard for Leavenworth on March 20, where they will be confined in the military prison.

a scientific trip, but the future admiral never forgot his impressions of the vast wheet of still water which lay to the southsest of Lower California. But it had already become important to American statesmen. Blaine, when secretary of state, worked hard to secure Magdalena hay from Mexico. The Mexican people were so aroused that an amendment to the Mexican constitution was jammed through, forbidding the government to part with any of its territory by sale or treaty. Its immense value impressed itself upon Secretary Root as it had upon Blaine, and it is hard to say whether Admiral Dewey's enthuisiasm in the matter was not a factor in reopening negotiations with Mexico. On his trip to South America Mr. Root influenced the Mexican government sufficiently to lease the bay to the southmere admiral beauth and argument about the cappacity of negroes for self government, and argument about the cappacity of negroes for self government, and algument about the cappacity of negroes for self government, and argument about the cappacity of negroes for self government, and algument about the cappacity of negroes for self government, and algument about the cappacity of negroes for self government, and algument about the cappacity of negroes for self government, and algument about the cappacity of negroes for self government, and algument about the cappacity of negroes for self government, and algument about the cappacity of negroes for self government, and algument about the cappacity of negroes for self government, and algument about the cappacity of negroes for self government, and algument about the cappacity of negroes for self government, and algument about the cappacity of negroes for self government, and algument about the cappacity of the seventh cappacity of the week for the purpose of instructing the members of the Becond cavalry machine gun platoon. Major William Lassier, Sixth field artiliery recently promoted from cappacity of page in the factor of page in the former and confined in the military price.

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Fort Crook.

three years. And just before our fleet sailed for the Pacific, permission was also granted for the present year's target practice. More than that Maxico could not do reamending its constitution.

The "natives" round about used to go over the suspices of the Sixteenth Infantry Amateur association, under the auspices of the Sixteenth Infantry branch of the Army Relief to Prague, across the Oklahoma border, come back drunk and "shoot up" Boley. But there are no saloons in Boley, and for the last two years hardly an arrest has been necessary.

Angeles Times, telling some visitors that the man eaters were so thick around the bow of his ship when she steamed into the bay that they couldn't heave the lead through them to take soundings.

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brescht good health to the success of the same.

First Lieutenant Jack Hayes, Sixteenth infantry, who has been on leave for the last four months in Atlanta, Gs., has rejoined. Mrs. Hayes and son did not return with the lieutenant, but are expected in the near future.

Lieutenant Hayes will take his examination for his promotion to captaincy at this post, as the papers in his case have arrived from the infantry board at Fort Leavenworth, Kan. Let us hope that Lieutenant Hayes upon his promotion to captaincy will continue with the regiment, in which he has been since 1890, as he is one of the most popular officers in the service for two months, with permission to apply and holds the respect of all who know him. Lieutenant Hayes is the son of Brigadier General E. M. Hayes, U. S. A., retired.

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Major W. F. Blauvelt, Sixteenth mantry, has been appointed as officer to conduct the examination of First Lieutenant Hayes for promotion, while Captain Charles E. B. Flagg, assistant isurgeon, and Contract Surgeon C. W. McMillan have been appointed to make the physical examination to determine his fitness for promotion physically. physically.
Second Lieutenant F. C. McCune, Six-

Second Lieutenant F. C. McCune. Sixteenth infantry, has been relieved from temporary duty with Company H and attached to Company K for duty. Second Lieutenant N. W. Riley, battallon quartermaster and commissary, Sixteenth infantry, in addition to his other duties has been placed in charge of the post garden. Lieutenant Riley has also been detailed to take an inventory of all quartermaster property on hand at the post. Captain James W. Van Dusan, assistant surgeon, who has been on leave of absence Captain James W. Van Dusan, assistant surgeon, who has been on leave of absence at Norwalk. O., and in compliance with in-structions from the War department, re-ported for duty at this post on March 15. Captain Van Dusan has been appointed re-cruiting officer, relieving Captain Flagg. The lecture on the subject of "Criticisms of the Soldier and Army Life" given in the First Lieutenant George H. White, Six-

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retiring board incapacitated for active service on account of disability, and such findings having been approved by the president, to take effect March 5, 1998, the retirement of Captain French from active service will take effect on that date.

Captain Edger Ridenour, Sixteenth infantry, has been detailed to enter the class at the army school of the line, with instructions to report in person to the commandant of that school at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., on August 15, 1998, for duty. First Lieutenant Sidney Smith, Sixteenth infantry, has been directed in War department orders to report in person to Brigadier General Charles Morton, U. S. A., president of an army retiring board at Gmaha, Neb., at such time as he may determine, for examination by the board, and upon completion of his examination will return to his proper station.

First Lieutenant Daniel E. Shean, Sixteenth infantry, has been granted leave of absence for two months and fifteen days, to take effect about March E, 1997. Mrs. Shean will accompany the lieutenant, whose address will be The Gregson, Santa Barbara, Cal.

Captain Edgar Ridenour and Second Lieutenants Walter O. Boswell and James M. Churchill, Sixteenth infantry, have

Lieutenants Walter O. Bosweil and James M. Churchill, Sixteenth infantry, have been detailed as additional members of the court-martial now in session at Fort Crook.

Lieutenant Colonel William A. Glassford, signal corps, was at the post as a witness before the warral court-martial in corps. before the general court-martial, in con-nection with the trial of several enlisted men of the signal corps being tried for Captain George D. Guyer, Sixteenth in-

fantry , who has been on duty at the Brookings Agricultural college, Brookings, S. D., since 1904, has been transferred from Company D to Company H of the regiment, and is expected to join his company at Fort Crook in a very short time.

Regimental Bergeant Major Hoster, Sixteenth infantry, who has been confined to teach infantry, who has been confined to the hospital for the last seven weeks from the results of an operation, is again ready

the results of an operation, is again ready for duty.

Battalion Sergeant Major Danielson, Privates John B. Sanders and John J. Sultivan, Company G. Sixteenth infantry, in charge of military convicts Jesse Ogles, John H. Foley and Benjamin J. Tigett, have been directed to processed on the 20th instant to Fort Leavenworth, Kan. turning their prisoners over upon arrival therat to the commandant of the United States military prison for the completion of their santences. The above named convicts were sentenced for describin from the army and sentenced to eightsen months cach.

Chief Musician William H. Sheridan, band. Sixteenth infantry, having completed thirty years in the army, has been retired and ordered to proceed to his home. Santa Cruz, Cal. Chief Musician Sheridan has been in the Sixteenth infantry band since 187, and upon his departure for home the members of the noncommissioned staff and band presented him with a handsome mecrechaum

Columbus Barracks, O., has made present is very strenuous. Their time at present is being occupied by drills and learning the required orders for sentinels in charge of prisoners while at work. There still remains 212 vasancies in the companies at the post, which it is hoped in the near future will be filled by receiving another similar batch. Of course, like the old riddle, "Why is the last batch of recruits received at Fort Crook like the trees around the parade ground?" Because those who have not already leaved will leave in the spring. ledutenant Hayes is the son of Brigadier
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to those who have been trying to keep posted on the pay bill are at a loss to know just what the increase, if any, is to be. One thing we do know, and that is the Dick-Capron bill has been cloowed aside.

The finding of William Fouse, the negro, guilty of the murder in the first degree of the killing of Private William Bowles. Company K. Sixteenth infantry, on December 11, 1907, was met with universal approval by the officers and enlisted men of the post.

Big Power Dam Carried Away. NILES, Mich., March 31 .- The large that long."-Harper's Weekly.

"Tommy," queried small Dorothy, "what is food for thought?" "I don't know," replied Tommy, "unlers

Mamma-Why, Elmer, haven't you a kiss for papa when you haven't seen him for two months? Elmer (aged 5)-No. mamms. Men don't kiss each other; it looks childish.

Small Eleanor-Papa, have you paid the doctor for the new haby yet? Papa-No. dear. Why do you ask? Small Eleanor-'Cause if he charges full price I wouldn't pay it. It sin't near as big as the one he left next door.

"Mamma, did you ever notice how Uncle Janney enter" "No. dear: It is impolite to watch your uncle while he is eating." "But you don't have to watch him, namma. You can hear him eat."

At a recent monthly examination a boy of 14 failed to spell 15 per cent of his words correctly. The tutor told him this was surprising and must not happen again. The boy replied that he thought he had done pretty well, on the whole.

"You must study those words over and over again," replied the tutor, "This must not occur at any future time. Study them so that you can remember them forever." The boy stood still in allent contemplation for a few moments, and then remarked: "I was just thinking that I wouldn't live

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