By Charles Sughroe TALL TALES Persian Kitten Is Easy

The Household



in glazed chintz. It can be a main

cover or a slip cover to protect a

handsome cushion. Or it can be a

luxurious cover when fashioned of silk

brocade with plain satin or velvet for

For the center choose a square of

pictorial material. This may be a quaint toile de Jouy, one of the old

or modern reproductions of an Eng-

lish scene, or an American landscape.

Or it may be a square containing a floral motif of some sort. Any at-

tractive textile of pictorial merit can

be used successfully provided the square is of sufficient size to show

one full unit. It may have to include

fragments of other motifs when these

are in close repetition, but this is un-

important. The necessity is to have

the square contain enough beauty to

warrant its use for our purpose, and large so that the frame is so wide

The size of the square cannot be

given, as it must depend on the size of the motif to be framed. Also the

shape may have to suit the requirements of the picture. That is, the

motif may be somewhat wider than its

height, or higher than its width, and

then a slightly oblong shape would be needed. However, the discrepancies

must be slight to insure uniformity of

width of frame. The pillow may be

slightly shaped to conform to the

shape of the picture. Which, by the

way, should be woven or printed in

The frame must be of a one-toned

material, although it can be of nov-

elty weave, or in self-toned design,

Its width is determined by the size

of the picture and the cushion on which the cover is to go. A three or

temper-cost William Lanagan, Mal-

den, \$10 in court. Lanagan tried to

get a number from a Friend street

subway pay station booth. He failed

He also failed to get back the nick-

el. He fumed for five minutes, then

ripped out the telephone receiver

and handed it to Patrolman Jenkin-

son who had investigated the com-

motion. Lanagan paid the \$10 in

Temper; Costs \$10

Loses Nickel and

court.

that It will dwarf the picture.

the textile frame.



As Told to: FRANK E. HAGAN and ELMO SCOTT WATSON

Tremendous Turnip "HINGS are done in a big way,

down in the Ozarks. That's what Len B. Mitchell learned on his journey to Hot Springs, Ark. Mitch stayed overnight in the cabin of a hospitable mountaineer, and after supper had been disposed of and the hound dogs fed, he and his host discussed life's problems.

"I cleared four square acres here when I moved in, built this cabin and an eight-foot fence from the timber," recited the mountaineer.

"Then I planted the land to corn that wouldn't grow. Next I tried a field of turnips. The only turnip that came up was exactly in the center of my cleared ground but the growing it did, more'n made up for the failure of the rest of the crop.

"That turnip grew and grew and nothing would stop it. I just wish those turnips that didn't come up could have seen it. My, but they'd

"Well sir, before I could harvest that lusty vegetable it got so big if pushed down my eight-foot fence on all four sides."

On his return home, Mitch stopped again at the cabin. And he was questioned by the mountaineer.

"What's going on in the city?" asked that worthy. "Any manufacturing?" "Yes," answered Mitch, "where I went they are building the largest kettle ever known. It's 440 feet across and 79 feet high."

"What in tarnation will they use it for?" asked the Ozarkian.

'They'll cook your turnip in it," replied Mitchell.

The Deflated Bear BRIEF as the deer hunting season is,

hundreds of city dwellers invade the Wisconsin woods every fall.

Two of them established a camp con-

sisting of cabin, supply of canned food and condiments, and a nearby spring for drinking purposes,
One day, and this is vouched for by
August C. Hennig, American Legion

leader in Illinois, the hunters returned to camp and found they had left the door of the cabln open. Bear tracks were sprinkled liberally

outside and within the cabin signs of an invasion were unmistakable. Canned goods weren't disturbed but a sixpound bag of dried apples and a twopound sack of salt were missing.

The huntsmen sped immediately to the spring and found the bear had knelt there for a long draft to wash

down his salty luncheon, Following the trail again, the hunters traveled only 200 yards when they discovered Mr. Bruin, growling helplessly and swollen to immoderate proportions. The long drink had made the dried apples swell and the bear's expanding stomach had grown larger and larger until finally his feet no longer touched the ground.

The four-cornered balloon was at once dispatched by the nimrods. Before securing the pelt, one of them, who was musically inclined, deflated the bear by inserting a reed instrument in its side and practicing the finger movement for such tunes as "Over the Waves," as the bloat subsided.

When the bear was completely deflated the hunter had become recog nized as an accomplished musician.

Pale as Paste

H'S personal physician, Doctor Ram-sey, once concocted a sticking substance of unparelleled strength, as-serts Harry W. Ewert of the Chicago Board of Trade weighing department.

"Doc kept the ingredients of his great invention secret," Ewert says. "But I can tell you it was composed partly of a mixture of parbolled fishhooks, mustard plasters and worn out Scotch pocketbooks,

"My friend's only difficulty was in obtaining capital necessary for its manufacture in bulk. So he decided to demonstrate its holding qualities.

"The doctor wheeled out his small stunt plane one day and hired an aviator to fly it. He dropped a small line, approximately the dimensions of a human hair, from the plane and grabbed ahold of it. Then he clung tight while the aviator made a perfect takeoff.

"Doctor Ramsey rode through the air with the greatest of ease for more than two hours, dangling from the hairline, which of course, was fastened

to the plane by the sticking liquid. "When they alighted it was necessary to burn away three and three-quarter inches of the plane's surface with an acetylene torch in order to detach the hair.

"The doc was pale as paste after his adventure but the demonstration proved a boon to everyone, including the manufacturer who sold doc a new

& Western Newspaper Union.

Unearth Old Cloth

Fragments of cotton cloth 5,000 years old, found in the ruins of a town in India, were examined micro scopically, and the fibers were found similar to a kind of cotton still grown in India.

Examine Old Finger Prints Finger prints made 3,000 years ago are being used to determine the age of pottery recovered from what are thought to be the ruins of the Biblical city of Mizpah in Palestine.



to Do in Cross Stitch

Pattern 1148

How would you like to find this cute Persian kitten curled up in your favorite chair, or in a pretty frame above your bed? Embroider a pillow or picture with her soft likeness, as you can do so easily in cross stitch, and make her adoption complete. Use wool, silk or cotton floss, though angora yarn makes the most realistic likeness. You'll love doing this needlework in your spare time, and

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ROBOT EXPLORERS ARE SENT UP INTO THE STRATOSPHERE

The secrets of the sky are being discovered by balloons. These robot explorers climb ten miles into the stratosphere from Kew observatory, where they are launched by Professor Paneth. On reaching the ten-mile limit they burst, and the vacuum flask, carried by each, opens automatically, collects a sample of air, reseals itself and floats home by parachute. Self-registering instrum record the temperature and the maximum height reached.

Their main object is to discover what happens to helium, the rare gas which is set free when radio-active materials break down into commoner elements such as lead, a process that takes thousands of years.

The balloons also explore thunder clouds in order to find out how the source of atmospheric electricity is replenished. Little pilot balloons calculate the height of clouds. Their rising speed is constant, and the number of seconds they take to disappear shows the height of the lowest cloud layer. Twenty-two miles is the soaring record of an unmanned balloon.-Tit-Bits.

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(Adv.)

Ambitious Men

Ambitious men, if they be checked in their desires, become strictly discontented and look upon men and matters with an evil eye .- Bacon.

Cardui Helped Three Times

"I used Cardui, when a girl, for cramps, and it helped then," writes Mrs. Ike Wright, of Sealy, Texas. Next, after marriage, she reports having taken Cardui when she felt weak, nervous and restless before

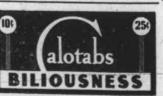
weak, nervous and restless before her children were born. And during middle life, it helped her again.

"I was miserable," she explains. "I did not have an appetite. I was very blue and upset. I remembered Cardui had helped me, so took it again and soon began to pick up. I ate and had more strength. I kept up the Cardui and did not have any more trouble. Is it any wonder that I recommend Cardui to all my friends?"

Thousands of women testify Cardui benefited them. It it does not benefit YOU, consult a physician.

A Merry Chase

Correspondent wants to know if debt collecting is a profession. Usually, I think, it's a pursuit.



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SURE WAY TO KILL

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New U. S. Buildings Will Suit Locality

Outward Appearances Show Great Diversity.

Washington.-Three basic architec tural designs account for the simplicity and beauty of lines of the hundreds of federal post office buildings now springing up all over the United

The depression and the Public Works administration have made new post office buildings as common as "little red schoolhouses" once were. The procurement division of the Treasury department has awarded 780 construc-tion contracts since February 14, 1930 A great majority of these have been for post offices. Several hundred remain to be built.

The outward appearances of these structures are almost as diversified as the contracts are numerous. Yet they all trace their origin back to three basic designs: The colonial, found most frequently in the Atlantic seaboard area; the contemporary or modern, found in all communities of the country, and the Spanish or mission type, in the Southwest.

Local Scenes Studied.

"This is not an attempt to make "canned" architectural drawings or designs," one of the chief architects of the procurement division explained. "It is an attempt to make the post

AFTER CURTIS CUP



Mrs. Glenna Collett Vare of Phila delphia is captain of the team of eight American women golfers that has salled for Europe to compete for the Curtis cup at Gleneagles, Scotland, She and her comrades will also play in the British women's championship tournament at Southport.

office buildings fit or blend into their surroundings as if they had grown up out of the ground in their respec-

tive localities-in short, local prod-The procurement division has developed scores of designs of each type of architecture used. In some localities where two types of architecture prevail, a post office building in which both types are blended may be con-

structed. "In considering plans for a post office building in any city or town there are three basic requirements which we must take into account," an architect explained. "We must consider the total floor space required or likely to be required in the reasonably near future in that locality by the government. We must take into account the historic or traditional type of architecture in that locality. We

also must consider climatic conditions." Space Requirement Survived.

Space requirements by the government have been carefully surveyed in every city and town of the United States. A "space control" department has been set up within the procurement division to inventory these space requirements and the space available. This "space control" department allots the space occupied by government bureaus and agencies throughout the country.

"We have found," the architect explained, "that when we take the three basic requirements for post office buildings in two or three hundred cities, itemize them on cards and shuffle those cards thoroughly, they fall into a comparatively few designs From those basic designs we have worked out a multitude of designs and types which fit virtually any require

Snakes Rid Isle of Rats; Duty Done, They Vanish

Melbourne.-Thursday island, off the Cape York finger of northeastern Ausery prospect pleases and only rats are

especially to the shipping company which owns the wharf and its store. Cats were taken on the staff and paid 84 cents a week in cat's-ment currency. They did almost Hamelin service, but not quite.

worked.

rat disappeared. So, now, have the snakes. No one knows where, but Thursday island has deleted the "only"

tralia, until recently was a tropical, palm-girt spot on the map "where ev-

In fact, the rats were a perfect pest,

Then two large carpet snakes were appointed with board, lodging and other emoluments. By day they slept in the rafters of the store; by night they

In an incredibly short time every from its pleasing prospects.

Varnishing Walls

Any painted wall may be varnished over. It is a common practice to var-nish fine Tiffany glaze finishes as well as plain walls, for reason of protection.



THE LONELY **CROSS**

LEONARD A. BARRETT

The cross is the cardinal symbol in Christianity regardless of its various

creeds and denomi nations. The popu lation of a certain city was assembled by the city's officials for the purpose of discussing ways and means for erecting a beautiful cathedral. The first decision was to appeal for funds adequate for the task. The people gave generously and many, sacrificially. It was not long ere

the foundations of the cathedral were laid, the cornerstone set, and the sanc-tuary finally completed. The day of dedication brought throngs from far and near. A general spirit of rejoicing prevailed, and the cathedral was filled dally with devout worshipers. On the high altar was a very beautiful cross that instantly caught the eye of every one who entered the cathedral. cross was one of the most expensive that money could purchase. It was wrought of pure gold and studded with rare and sparkling gems, There

VICEROY OF INDIA



The marquess of Linlithgow, a Scot tish peer only forty-seven years old, has undertaken one of the most difficult jobs in the British empire. He has been made viceroy of India for a five year term, succeeding Lord Will-

the cross stood all alone-a "Lonely Cross" for many years, while thousands of people through its symbolism were uplifted and strengthened in mind and heart.

One day something almost miraculous occurred. The cross of gold seemed to speak. While passing in front of the altar, an attendant of the temple seemed to hear a voice from the cross which sald; "I am very lonely here. Many people gaze upon me. but they are so very far away. None of them ever touch me. I seem so re mote, so very far away from the thronging mass of people in your big city." The attendant could scarcely believe he heard aright, but the voice from the cross continued: "Will you not remove me from this secluded nook and place me where human need is the greatest; where people live in congested centers and are neglected and discouraged; where men are out of work and where little children cry with hunger?" So they took down the cross. The precious gems were sold, the gold was melted, and with the money, food was bought for the hungry, raiment for the poor and naked. Once again the lamps of courage and hope burned within the hearts of many

But no cross stood upon the marble slab of the high altar. So the keepers of the cathedral passed among those who had been helped an alms plate. and upon it the poor gave of their small earnings-many coins small in value but rich in gratitude. With these coins they had made, in a carpenter's shop, a cross of the finest wood; a beautiful cross symmetrically perfect. This cross was tenderly placed upon the high altar. As the attendant passed by the cross he seemed to hear another voice which spoke in a spirit both joyous and victorious: "Love I gave thee with myself to

"Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me." @ Western Newspaper Union.

Insured Against Disease Sixty-six per cent of Denmark's pop-ulation is insured against illness.

The Framed Picture Pillow Cover Is Jaunty and New. Note the Knife Pleated Ruche Like a Narrow Fancy Molding for the Plain Frame, HE fabric framed picture pillow ! four-inch frame is the average. The cushion cover is a smart novelty. picture can be centered on the square It is just the thing for summertime use for it is charming when developed of material forming the frame, or the frame can be seamed to the edges of

> There is an interesting molding effect secured by having a very narrow, three-quarter or one-inch knife pleat-ing or narrow fringe edging the frame where it meets the picture, and also extending all around the other edge. This fancy molding effect sets an immediate stamp of smartness on the gay novelty framed picture cushion

@ Bell Syndicate.-WNU Service

CROCHETED BLOUSE



Two colors of soft zephyr yarn are used for the shell stitch crocheted blouse which tops a plain knitted The unusual pattern of the skirt. blouse is achieved by working lengthwise rather than horizontally. The scarf matches the skirt.

Taxi Driver's One Man Exhibition



Edward Van Baerle, a taxi driver in New York city, is also an artist and does his art work while waiting for fares. He is shown here with his one-man exhibition on the hood of his cab.