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Choose Ye! The man whose own indomitable will can calmly meet an unforeseen disaster...

dear, nothing will be unluckier than you give me," she added sweetly. In another moment the ring was on...

Killed a Big Wildcat. A short time ago Nate Bowen, a quarryman, shot the largest wildcat that has been killed for years in this region...

CHILDREN'S COLUMN. ALWAYS GLAD. When he opened his eyes each morning he was glad to be awake...

STUDENT DUELS. A Curious Manifestation in German University Life. The Contestants Try to Mutilate Each Other's Faces.

lined with hard pine. The walls and sides are erected on a steel frame, which can itself be taken apart and placed in a small compass.

Indications. The vocal robin's primal note has not as yet been heard. The robin, after all, is a discreet and foxy bird.

TWO OPAL RINGS.

Charlie Clifton, of the Pungal Cavalry, had bought two opal rings of a wandering pedler. What did he care about the superstition regarding the stones?

"We must be quick, Charlie," cried the young lady, as she threw down the reins. "I have run it very fine, I know."

STRENGTH OF A JUMPING MOUSE. In proportion to its size, I believe the jumping mouse is the most active and powerful of all vertebrate animals.

TWO LITTLE AMERICANS AT DENMARK'S COURT. Virginia Youmans Rummitt, in St. Nicholas, tells a true story of the adventures of two young Americans at the court of the King of Denmark.

The student duel, however, is not always the outgrowth of an insult or a suppressed insult. There is another form which is, perhaps, the more usual, and which leads to a greater number of encounters.

Tiger Hunting. The season for tiger hunting begins in April and lasts until the monsoon. During this time it is intensely hot.

Humorous. Repairs—Second marriages. A suit for darning a—Blue overalls. A side show attraction—A pretty pottle.

"Those jewels very unluckily jewels," began the ancient vendor. "They making very bad luck to different peoples. First sahib who bought them was Maharajah of Karosoor."

"Oh, what a pity!" cried Nettie, clasping her hands, "but never mind, dear, we have got each other," and she looked at the young man in a way that more than consoled him for all his disappointment.

A Woman's Queer Pets. A young woman residing near Monroe, La., has a pair of pet wasps, which are interesting as they are unique in their way.

The king opened the ball with little Ellen. Hardly understanding the honor, some sense of it nevertheless thrilled her childish heart.

The duelist must be specially dressed for the combat in a suit called the Pankwich, which consists of heavy bandaging for the neck and arms, a thick piece of upholstery, somewhat like a mattress, which is suspended over the breast, and glass goggles to protect the eyes.

Must Do Something. "Mamma," said Jack, "why I go out and play?" "No; you must sit still where you are."

Her eyes said "No." But her eyes said "Yes." By which did I go? Ah! can't you guess? No sweet words told Tom's.

The old man took his departure and Altony continued to muse over his queer story. "After all," he thought, "it may simply have been a coincidence that those three people should have come to grief."

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Among other things she has taught them to drink water from a tinable and to perform the "skirt dance," as she calls it, by fluttering their wings as they rest on the palm of her hand.

The evening wore on, and Ellen was overcome with weariness and sleep. Slipping away from the children, who now were whirling around in some dizzy game, she threw herself on a couch.

It is to be noted also that the rules are such as to protect the rest of the body. The "strike" must be made in only a certain way, and each combatant has a second, also armed with a sword, who must ward off foul blows.

Sharks in the Mediterranean. The opening of the Suez Canal has been commercially of immense benefit to the world, but in one respect it has been a disadvantage.

Proud Father—That is a sunset my daughter painted. She studied painting abroad, you know. Friend—Ah! that explains it. I never saw a sunset like that in this country.

"Why, Sir Officer," said the young lady, with the light of laughter in her eyes and its dimples in her cheeks, "what brings you here so early this afternoon? Have you been promoted? Are you ordered to the frontier to fight the Russians, or what? Do tell me, and don't—oh! don't look so serious." The young officer looked down at the bewitching upturned face, and then—

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An Interesting Bandit. Manuel Garcia was a curious character," said a Cuban gentleman in speaking of the reported death of that revolutionist. "He was more like a character in a novel than a man living in the nineteenth century."

Worse Than Being Jilted. "Where is the pretty girl you were making love to last summer?" "Oh, she's married long ago." "Jilted you, eh?" "No, worse than that; she married me."—Enter-Occan.

A Notable Church. One of the most unique houses of worship ever erected in Iowa, or possibly in this country, stands at No. 148 West avenue, out on West Hill, Burlington.

Two Sudden. Clergyman (showing a lady visitor round the church)—Now, madam, you have seen the organ, the font, and the nave, I should next like to conduct you to the altar.

The Book of England has \$150,000, 000 of private deposits entrusted to its care, as well as \$20,000,000 of public money.

"Did you come all this way to do that?" asked Miss Vernon with mock reproach. "Oh, how foolish and hot-headed the young men of the present day are. Now, when I was young—oh! The sentence was not finished. "Look here, Nettie," said her lover, "what do you think of this ring? That's what brought me here. Isn't it a beautiful opal? And the most beautiful girl in Pungal shall wear it if she likes."

Japanese Proverbs. The ignorant are never defeated in any argument. A woman with a three-inch tongue can slay a giant. Doubting minds will ever bring a swarm of demons.

The Federal Government of Mexico offers a bonus of four cents for every rubber tree planted. In addition to this, the State Government of Oaxaca offers one cent.

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