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"Hope for the best," she said. "My oath!" answered the manager but the best things never come off." "Yes, Dick," responded his wife, "but the worst things never come off."

Night after night this man had walked the room, alternating between prayers and curses, as each day's record was an other thousand sheep dead, another emp ty well, until at last he had come to thi grim courage of despair.

"I shouldn't care so much," he said to the traveler, "but then my wife, m

He drew his sleeves across his eye and bowed his head on the table. For ten minutes he sat there so. Then the visitor saw him raise his head, start spring to his feet and listen with strainattention. What was that? Somethin pinged on the corrugated roof overhead "Rain, rain. rain!" he shouted as he rushed outside and fell on his kne with his hands stretched out toward th clouded sky. "Thank God! Wif-

Girls! Mary! Rain!" Even so. The flood gates of the sh were opened, and before morning the visitor was helping to put up a dyke o one side of the house. The march of d struction was staid.

Hunting Zebras.

After crossing the usual heated yel low plains, looking for all the world lil. an expanse of overparched hayfields an detted here and there with droves of springbok, we outspanned two and s rode back again across the hot, wear; plain for camp. We had not long qui ted the forest before we sighted a goo troop of Burchell's zebra, feeding quiet-We spread out in line and rode up

The troop, which consisted mostly of mares with a yearling foal or two, was guarded by an old stallion, who stood sentinel nearest to us with his head up. Presently, turning half round, he gave some sort of signal and the rest of the band galloped briskly off, curveting and capering as they ran. After moving a few hundred yards the troop suddenly wheeled round in line to have a good look at us again.

These tactics of the zebras were displayed in a retreat of some miles, the old stallion always covering the rear, until the troop, outflanked by Dove, shot off to the right and my chance came. I galloped hard to intercept them, and as they stood for a minute on seeing me in the line of flight, got a steady shot at 200 yards. The bullet chapped as if on a barn door, and as the troop continued their flight I saw one zebra turn away alone. Presently she stood again, I was soon within sixty yards, and with another bullet finished her. She proved to be a fine mare in beautiful coat, and her head and skin now decorate a room at home.—Longman's Magazine.

A Story of Millionnire Lick.

James Lick, of San Francisco, was an unlovable millionaire, of whom a curious story is told. When a poor youth in Pennsylvania he was rejected by the daughter of a wealthy miller on account of his poverty. He vowed at that time that he would some day build a mill that would far surpass that of his sweetheart's father. Many years later he kept his vow and constructed at San Jose a mill of highly polished California wood valued at \$200,000. During his lifetime Mr. Lick had few friends and apparently cared for none. He lived plainly and was seen very little in public. The larger part of his fortune was left to charities and public institutions, one notable bequest being the sum of \$60,000 for the erection of a statue to Key, the author of the "Star Spangled

While many institutions profited by Mr. Lick's posthumous gifts, his most famous achievement was the establishment of the Lick observatory on Mount Hamilton, under the management of the University of California, Mr. Lick's body was placed in 1887 under the base of the pier sustaining the great telescope. -New York World.

The Value of Thought.

It is hardly necessary to say that all men need to "swing" the moral compass from time to time and to take their bearings in the sea of life. The advice is as true as it is conventional. Upon the use of thinking for such purposes we shall not, then, dwell. We may, however, point out, as a means of strengthening and invigorating the mind in a secular and worldly sense, the habit of thinking is of the greatest possible value.

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> The Khan of Khiva in Europe. The khan of Khiva, Lyed Mohammed Rahim, is now paying a visit to the courts of Europe. He has visited St. Petersburg and will visit Berlin, Vienna, London and Paris. The khan is in hi fifty-third year. He speaks several languages, including the Persian, Arabic and Russian, and his dress is that of a European, although his connections are those of an orthodox Mussulman. He travels in company of his mollak or priest and his own cook, as he eats no food but that prepared according to the rites of his religion. The khan's annual income is about \$200,000. His court is quite modern in its rules and observances. - Milwaukee Sentinel.

A Bad Speculation.

A Newton (Kan.) man recently made a bad speculation. His gun was stolen, and when the thief was captured and the gun recovered, he agreed not to appear against the prisoner on his paying him fifteen dollars. He was prosecuted for compounding a felony, and his fine and costs amounted to \$43.50.—Exchange.

General Armstrong, of the Hampton institute, Virginia, although much improved in health, still gives some evience of his paralytic shock of a year or DAY 190-TELEPHORE-NIGHT 144. two son world. BREAST .

can be compelled to redeem their promises in the English courts. A test case decided this week by the court of ap-peals establishes an interesting precedent for America as well. A year ago. when the influenza was prevalent, the Carbolic Smoke Ball company in an advertisement guaranteed immunity from the disease to everybody who used the remedy three times daily for two weeks, £100 to be the forfeit. Mrs. Carlill used the smoke ball faithfully for three weeks and then the epidemic seized her. She sent in her claim for £100, but the money

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wasn't paid. All sorts of excuses were offered. It was argued that the offer was a mere device to attract attention, a wager vague in its terms, that there was not a complete contract, because Mrs. Carlil did not notify the company of her acceptance of the offer. All these excuses have been brushed aside by the courts in which Mrs. Carlill brought suit. Lord Justice Bowen, in the decision, likens the case to the offer of a reward for a lost dog. People do not write let ters to the advertiser accepting his offer, but they look for the dog. It is safe to say that the decision will work a sweeping modification of the claims made on behalf of the thousand and one curealls in the public prints.-London Letter.

Officeholders Who Pay Rent. Governor Leon Abbett, who was in formally nominated for senator from

New Jersey by Governor Elect Werts at the Democratic society's dinner in Jersey City a few evenings ago, has a law office on Broadway opposite the postof-fice. The sign is on the stairs and on the door, but "Leon Abbett, Lawyer," is very seldom inside. Callers are informed that the governor is in Trenton or that the governor is in Jersey City or elsewhere in New York, or in some other part of New Jersey. Many other out of town officeholders have offices on Broadway. Railroad Commissioner Chapin's law office is in the Corbin building. He drops in occasionally, but one cannot find him unless he makes an appoint-

Mayor Boody, of Brooklyn, is a mem ber of a banking firm. He keeps an eye on his business, but does not go to his office regularly. Commissioner of City Works Adams, of Brooklyn, has a law office in this city, and finds time to drop in and pass the time of day with the office boy occasionally. It is estimated that upward of 500 officeholders and others are paying rent for offices which they do not occupy. It's a good thing for the landlords.—New York Adver-

The Dedicatory Ode. Departing from the precedent established when the preliminary arrangement for the recent dedicatory cere monies were made, it has been decided to pass by the younger aspirants for the laurel wreath and request the veteran Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes to furnish an appropriate ode for the May Day celebration of the opening of the exposition. It seems to be the universal opinion of the directors and of the commissioners that the last member of America's first school of great writers should be paid this compliment.

After Miss Harriet Monroe had been commissioned to prepare the dedicatory ode, and until the young lady had her-self disarmed criticism, many harsh things were said of the committee's action. In this case it will be impossible for the most exacting to find fault with the choice. This has been the idea of those who have made the decision. No direct promise has been received from Dr. Holmes, still it is understood that if the request is made he will consent to serve the exposition. It is also said that he will make the ode his final master piece.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

A Remarkable Decision

The decision of the New York courts the other day in favor of the Godeys, granting them the right to illustrate their new style dresses by printing representations of them on the figures of prominent society women, whose faces Ar. Spartanburg... are so well reproduced that one cannot but recognize them, will strike terror to the hearts of prominent women in the north and everywhere, but if the law says it's right it's right, and that is all there is to be said about it. If your face appears in a fashion magazine over a dress pattern of a gymnasium suit, a full dress costume, or anything else the fash ion designer cares to represent in the line of women's clothes, all you can do is just "to grin and bear it" and say nothing at all .- New Orleans Times-Democrat.

An Amusing Newspaper Blunder. Edmund Yates writes: "One of the most amusing newspaper blunders I have recently met with occurred in connection with the manifestations at Brussels. On the line of the route followed by the procession stands a marble statue of General Belliard, a Frenchman, who fought at Waterloo and died in 1832. Somebody placed a universal suffrage placard in his hand. Upon this the Paris papers, misled by a telegram, announced that the insurgents had attacked the king's escort, seized General Belliard and forced him to carry a seditious handbill against his will."

Eighty Elopes with Fifteen. Ezekiel Morrow, eighty years old, passed through Evergreen, Ala., with a girl of fifteen he claims as his wife. They were cloping, they said, from his home near here to Texas because Mr. Morrow's children and grandchildren objected to the marriage.--Cor. Phila-

delphia Record. The Voice of Experience, First Collegian-This newspaper talk about the brutality of football is perfectly ridiculous.

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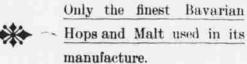
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