PRESENTATIVE PIRATE

Kidd Was Utterly Without Any

mid that Kidd showed no ret he was the victim of malicious yet a more thoroughly dishonest l never sailed under the black flag. e guise of an accredited officer of nent he committed the crimes as sent out to suppress. He deceivmen. He robbed and misused his w countrymen and his friends, and en descended to the meanness of

ed. These people were in the habit applying pirates with food and other searies, and they always found their h customers entirely honest and ing to pay for what they received, as the pirates made a practice of ping at certain points for supplies wished of course to be on good ne with those who furnished them. Kidd had no ideas of honor toward de of high or low degree. He would with the natives as if he intended treat them fairly and pay for all he but when the time came for him to part and he was ready to weigh anor he would seize all the commodis he could lay his hands on and thout paying a copper to the distress-and indignant Indians he would gaymil away, his black flag flaunting risively in the wind.

But although in reality Captain Kidd | er-in-law come next September." as no hero, he has been known for a ste, and his name has been repreer he had been hung, when people you know, is not the best in the world." ard that a vessel with a black flagone which looked black in the disce—flying from its rigging had been dead and imagined that Captain idd was visiting their part of the coast per safe for him to carry about .rank R. Stockton in Century.

RARE OLD DISHES.

fried Grasshoppers and Scorpions Delica cies of the Arabs Long Ago.

An erudite Egyptian writes in The evue des Revues of the diet of the anient Arabs. Dog meat, it appears, was | nel." me of their favorite dishes, and young logs were as precious in old times among ent had the virtues of curing them of the effects of a hoodoo and the evil eye.

Fried grasshoppers and scorpions also formed a very choice dish. The naturalist, Al-Djahey, who lived in the tenth century, speaks of his visit to the Aramire of the control of the control of the century of the centu

He also says that when he went to see his friend, the poet Roobah, he found him seated on the ground enjoying a repast of reast rat. Afterward he had fried lizards.

Netwithstanding the almost religious worship which the Arabs profess for the horse, they ate horseflesh, but only the fiesh of draft horses, never that of saddle horses. They ate all sorts of mol-Insks and Insects. The Arabs were also very fond of black snakes, and they hunted them at the time when the reptiles were about to change their skins, the flesh in that season being extremely

Why He Didn't Finish.

Fred Buskirk was born at Portsmouth, O., and lived there until he was a young man. Fred naturally thinks mouth is one of the nicest places in the state of Ohio. Fred said: "Everybody evidently doesn't think as well of Portsmouth as I do.

"Not long ago I went over the Chesspeake and Ohio road and when the train reached South Portsmouth, which is across the river from my native place, quite a long stop was made. Most of the male passengers got off the train and walked up and down the platform. It was after dark, and the many lights of Portsmouth were plainly visible. I stood looking across the river at the city, thinking what a fine place Portsmouth was, when a fellow passenger on the train came alongside of me and said, 'Can you tell me what place that is across the river? Of course I could tell him, and I threw out my chest and with considerable pride said: 'That is Portsmonth, O. Have you ever been there?" My fellow traveler in a very weary voice, replied; 'Yes, I have been there. I spent about two weeks there one afternoon.' I had intended telling that man about what a charming place Portsmouth is, but after his rudeness I concluded not to."-Cincinnati En-

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after a few preliminaries, "where I can I was unable to discover the origin of stop for a week or so while I look up the singular combination of articles on some timber I have in this neighbor- sale. - Truth. hood. Do you know of any?"

"There ain't much uv that sort eround here," he replied, "exceptin you go to Mount Pleasant, an I reckon deliberately sank his ship to save her that's too fer. But hol' on," he broke from a still worse fate. He was in comin with a sudden thought, "thar's the mand of the coast survey steamer Blake Widder Tackett. She axed me yistidy and was anchored in a West Indian to see some uv you folks at the mill and port when a hurricane came up, and tell 'em she had a place to sleep and eat in the heavy sea the ship's anchors betwo er three men ef they wuzn't too gan to drag. She was drifting to utter pertickler."

quired thoughtlessly.

The young man's face flushed. "Well, I reckon," he said with some emphasis. "She's goin to be my moth-

"Oh, I beg your pardon," I hastened ntury and more as the great American to explain. "I only asked to know if she had good eating. Some of that we stative of piracy ever since. Years get in private houses even in the cities,

"Cities be derned," he said with a fine feeling. "Yer ain't never tried the Widder Tackett's pie yet, mister, an n, they forgot that the famous pirate | yer want to keep still till yer do. Ain't nothin like it nowhere, no matter what kind uv a pie she sets afore yer. It's all ne plusibus unum, an no mis- in which she is fit to be seen at court. bury some treasure which it was no take. Why, I'm tellin you that I sot Notwithstanding her large income, she down to one uv her pies last week, dern ef I recomember what kind it wuz, ef for any purpose whatever, and haggles I ever knowed, an I wuz eatin right over every purchase she makes. Years into it like a hot shovel goin into a snow pile, an Bill Rogers acrost the Rudolph of Austria, and the engagetable frum me called me a liar, an I ment was announced, but when he saw never said a deru word to him tell I her he fled to Vienna, and poor Mahad lum e't my pie and got my teeth thilde dropped into the ranks of Eupicked. Dern my buttons ef I did, colo- rope's unmarriageable princesses, be-

I did not like to inquire further into the mystery of what shappened to Mr. the Arabs as spring chickens are among Rogers after the last taste of the pie the people of today. They were also was safely housed by my informant, but fond of cat meat. The flesh of a black I made a fair guess and went on to see the Widow Tackett concerning board and lodging for one man for one week. -Washington Star.

STORY OF A HAT.

A number of literary men were at one time gathered in a well known chophouse in New York. The conversation was of course brilliant, and the repartee sparkled with mirth and wit. During a lull in the talk the door slowly opened, and an old southern darky, grizzled and Recollections." with age, poked his head in and then slowly drew his body in after him. A waiter started to eject him, when one of the gentlemen cried:

old boy wants."

The darky bobbed up to the table back the money he puts into such things where this gentleman sat and held out back the money he puts into such things NEW ADVERTISEMENTS F. H. ZIEGLER & BRO. his hat. Throwing a wink to his neigh- as that. bors, the gentleman took the hat and, making a show of placing something any of the stock himself. - Boston Traninto it, passed it on to the next man, script. who did likewise. The hat made a tour of the room, to the puzzled wonder of the darky. The last to receive it solemnly handed it back with a polite bow, saying:

"There, sir, don't you think you have something to be thankful for?" The old darky looked solemnly around

the company and, mechanically taking the hat, he said: "Gen'men, I'ze indeed glad dat I got eben de hat back!"

The reply was so thoroughly enjoyed by the company that the darky left the place a much richer man than when he

Why He Falled.

had entered it. - Kansas City World.

A Wellington Chinese trader known as William Joe Gett, formerly a Chinese interpreter, failed some time ago. Here is an extract from his "statement. of the causes of bankruptcy," which, very remote times. It is known, for inwritten in red ink, covered four pages stance, that asparagus was grown 200 of foolscap. After detailing his trading | years B. C., while lettuce was cultiexperiences the Celestial writes:-

"I see my troubles endless to come. I can't get my money to pay. I am helpless. During last three years over 36 a penny on tick. Fish never can live in students. a dry pond without water. Engine can't move along without well supply of coal. Boy can't fly his kite without tail on it. Housekeeper pour out all tea to the cup no refilled water-how she give you more tea you require? All empty out just the way like my business."-Sydney Mail.

wheat flour and make a much more nutritious bread. As already the craze for whole wheat flour is passing, this he disease. new albumen will undoubtedly meet a quick welcome when it comes. The use of the banana has developed its great value as an article of food, and the great army of banana consumers are present to accept the land of the second to accept the land of the second to accept the land of the

odor of his own, according to A. Bethe in the Archiv der Gesammten Physiologie, by which he can be recognized not merely by dogs but by persons with sensitive organs of smell. The case is mentioned of a man who blindfolded could pick out each individual in a company of 20 by his odor.

Character of the could do nothing to relieve the little innocent, and gave it as their opinion that the case was hopeless and impossible to save the child's eyesight. It was then that we decided to try Swift's Specific. That medicine at once made a speedy and complete cure. She is now a young lady, and has never had a sign of the disease to return.

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The smell is not born with us but develops gradually till the age of puberty, after which it remains unchanged. Members of a family have a kind of blood medicine. Swift's Specific common odor, which persists even when they have lived apart for a long time.

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blue grass has an opportunity to acquire | shufa is always sold where matting is some virtues not otherwise obtainable. kept for sale, so that when you spy a West India islands with whom he lit was such a one I caught up with one roll of the latter outside the store door, it is a sufficient indication that in that particular place you may procure a glass "I'm looking for a place," I said of the horchata. In spite of inquiries,

Why Sigsbee Turned Scuttler. On another occasion Captain Stysbee and inevitable destruction on a reef. "Is it a pretty good place?" I in- Where she lay there was a soft, sandy bottom. The captain ordered her scuttled, and down she went. Later she was pumped out and raised-an expensive operation, but far less costly than builda new ship. - Munsey's Magazine.

> A Stingy Princess. A much talked of princess of Europe s Mathilde, nice of King Albert of Saxeny. In addition to being lacking in personal charms, she is said to be exceedingly stingy, wearing the common-est apparel in order to save a few cents. Buying Seeds. All seasons find her clothed in the cheapest and ugliest of garments, and it is asserted that she has but one costume ago she was to have been married to coming stingier than ever.

Chairman of the Cigar Company. Two small boys, walking down Tottenham Court road, passed a tobacconist's shop. The bigger remarked, "I say, Bill, I've got a ha'penny, and if you've got one, too, we'll have a penny smoke between us."

Bill produced his copper, and Tommy, diving into the shop, promptly reappeared with a penny cigar in his mouth. The boys walked side by side for a few minutes, when the smaller mildly said: "I say, Tom, when am I to have a puff? The weed's half mine." "Oh, you shut up!" was the businesslike reply. "I'm the chairman of this company, and you are only a shareholder. You can spit,"-"Collections

On the Safe Side.

ing lots of money. He is promoting "Wait a moment. Let's see what the that concern for the manufacture of left handed wheelbarrows. Black-Pshaw! A man never gets

Green-Just so. Gray doesn't own

A Proper Answer.

"Why." he asked once when they were quite alone and the twilight was deepening into night, "do women always cry at weddings?" The look of withering disdain she

gave him gradually softened as pity took possession of her heart. "Because," she finally answered, not onkindly .- Detroit Journal.

Dead and Dyed. "I noticed that Miss Sere's curls are to housekeepersof two colors-brown and gray.' "You remember that her father is a

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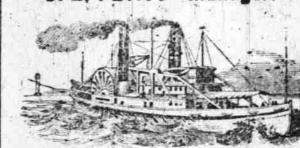
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