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T. R. HODGES, Washington, N. C .- oct23-tfTHE FOLK LORE OF CATS.

SUPERSTITIONS ABOUT PUSS RE-LIGIOUSLY HELD BY MANY.

The Cat Used to Cure or Transfer Disease-The Black Cat Sure to Bring Lovers to the Lassie.

Cats have the reputation of being weatherwise, an old notion which has given rise to a most extensive folk lore. good weather may be expected when the cat washes herself, but bad when she licks her coat against the grain, or washes her face over her ear, or sits with her tail to the fire. As, too, the cat is supposed not only to have a good knowledge of the state of the weather, but a certain share in the arrangement of it, it is considered by sailors to be most unwise to provoke it. Hence they do not much like to see a cat on board at all, and when one happens to be more frisky than usual they have a popular saying that "the cat

has got a gale of wind in her tail." A charm often resorted to for raising a storm is to throw a cat overboard; but, according to a Hungarian proverb, as a cat does not die in water, its paws dissailors "cat's paws." In the same way, northwest wind is the "cat's nose."

GERMAN SUPERSTITIONS. House of Represe tatives, First District spite against them, owing to their not out the compartment that held the treas- rich, while the use of common pork was Thomas G Skin per, of Perquinans. having treated these animals well. We ure. She then took a needle, and, runmay also compare the Dutch idea that a ning it to the bottom, she drew forth a for the poorer class. Such is the evi rainy wedding day results from the newspaper, and in it was, indeed, a gold dence of the "Odyssey." bride's not feeding her cat; whereas, in quarter with a hole in it, wrapped, no the valleys of the Tyrol, girls who are | doubt, by the hand of her aunt at least fond of cats are said always to marry twelve years before, where it had lain - "Are you taking medicine for anyappreciated in them by the men." Once | to be brought forth. -Augusta (Me.) Age. more, there is a German belief that any one who, during his lifetime, may have made cats his enemies is certain to be accompanied to the grave amidsta storm | has been developed, and there are now

of wind and rain. Apart, however, from the weather lore superstitions associated with the cat | The market extends from Chicago to there is an extensive class of other be- Kansas City. Sioux Falls' streets are liefs, as, for instance, those relating to folk medicine. Thus, in Cornwall, the little gatherings which come on children's evelids, locally termed "whilks." are cured by passing the tail of a black cat nine times over the part affected. As recently as the year 1867, in Pennsylvania, a woman was publicly accused of is half as hard as diamonds, would witchcraft for administering three drops of a black cat's blood to a child as a remedy for croup. She admitted the fact. but denied that witchcraft had anything to do with it, and twenty witnesses were called to prove its success. Again, "in many regions," we are told by Mr. Conway, "a three colored cat protects against fire, and a black cat cures epilepsy and

protects gardens." Formerly in Scotland, when a family cat was always taken, one reason being' it. Those who know the most are the that it served as a protection against disease. Indeed, before a member of the Some of the scientific men who have family entered the new abode, the cat looked at it call it red quartzite. Prowas thrown into it. There was a superstitious notion that, if a curse or disease had been left on the house, the cat be- used for building purposes. The grain came the victim and died, to the saving is very close. The only element to which of the family's lives. It is curious, how- it succumbs is fire. It will stand a good ever, to find the opposite practice kept degree, but crumbles like sandstone or up in Ireland, where it is considered limestone under too intense heat.—New highly unlucky for a family to take with York Telegram. Services every Sunday morning and them a cat when they are moving. more especially, too, when they have to cross a river.

IN TIMES OF ILLNESS. Mr. Gregor also tells us that, in the northeast of Scotland, if a cow or other domestic animal was seized with disease. one mode of cure was to twist a rope of straw the contrary way, join the two ends, and put the diseased animal through the loop along with a cat. By this means the disease was supposed to be transferred to the cat, and the animal's life was so saved by the cat dying. tensive charms of which the leading idea

A remedy for erysipelas lately practiced in the parish of Locharron, in the Phalox Lodge, No 10, I O O F, meets northwest highlands, consisted in cutting little piece and put it in her mouth. every 1st and 3rd Friday night at off one-half of the ear of a cat and letting the blood drop on the part affected. Alluding, moreover, to the numerous with the cat, there is a popular notion J Carmalt, Dictator; Arthur Mayo, that a May cat-a cat born in the month. of May-is of no use for catching rats and mice, but exerts an injurious influgic s of Honor, meets every 2nd and ence on the house through bringing into it disagreeable reptiles of various kinds. Mrs. Latham, in her "West Sussex Superstitions," says that a May cat is supposed "to be inclined-to-melancholy, and. to be much addicted to catching snakes W M Cherry, Protector; P Brown, and to bringing them into the house." I had heard that this west country belief celsior Lodge, No 31, O G C, meets existed in our village; and, very lately, 1st and 2nd Tuesday night at Odd | observing a most dejected locking cat by Fellows' Half Dr S. T. Nicholsoon the fire in a cottage, said in jest: "I should think that cat was born in May.' "Oh, ye " said the owner of it; "thatshe was, and so was her mother; and she was just as sad looking, and was always

bringing snakes and vipers within doors." Mr. Henderson, speaking of this superstition, tells us that an old north country woman on one occasion said to a lady:
"It's na wander Jock —'s lassies marry off so fast; ye ken what a braw black cat the've got." It is considered unlucky toduce generally. Liberal cash advances dream of a cat, a piece of folk-lore prevalent in Germany, where if one dreams of a black cat at Christmas it is an omen of some alarming illness during the follow-

Equally unfortunate, too, is it for a cat to sneeze, this act being supposed to indi-cate that the family will have colds. Thus, we are informed by Mrs. Latham that in Sussex "even the most favored." cat, if heard to sneeze, is instantly shut out of doors; for should she stay to repeat the sneeze three times indoors, the whole family will have colds and coughs." -New York Mail and Express.

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Seen in a Dream. In 1868, Lizzie M. Trask, of Vienna, Me., was dressmaking in Lewiston. She came into possession of a gold twenty-five cent piece with a hole in it. This she showed as a curiosity to her friends. At that time she had a little niece 2 years old, daughter of Jonathan P. Trask, now the wife of Leman Butler, trader in Mt. Vernon. The little coin Lizzie once showed to her niece Addie when she was a very small girl, telling her that she would give it to her when she was old

her death, seven years ago. Then James, a brother of Lizzie, had

The Jasper Industry. four quarries, employing nearly 1,000 men, in operation about Sioux Falls. paved with jasper, and her four story buildings are constructed of it. The stone is susceptible of a high degree of polish, and when finished looks much like the red granite of Missouri. The pioneer in the jasper industry discovered not long ago that the dust of the jasper, which polish the famous petrified wood of Arizona, and make of it table tops and ornaments more beautiful than agate or onvx. The petrified wood is now brought from Arizona to Sioux Falls by the carload, and polished in a variety of forms. To the jasper industry, the city has added the manufacture of chalcedony. There is a scientific mystery about this so called jasper. Practically it is all right. Its utility has been established, but geologiremoved from one house to another, the cally there is no little uncertainty about least positive in discussing its character. fessor .Winchell says it is the hardest stone in the United States that has been

Why He Went Out.

most care, for she was determined to the cydonia japonica makes an efficient When the good man came in to tea and For massing in large groups this plant gaw the handsome loaf, his heart went is excellent; its scarlet bloom and glossy tion. The cake was finally cut, but the singular, unshapely fruit, borne on mapuzzled, and soon he left the table. The imagine, nor is it of much value.-Enwife was curious to know why he went | senada Lower Californian. out, and noticing that he had left his cake almost untasted she broke off a "Horrors! cayenne pepper! where did I grubs, the larve of beetles, brush turget that?" and she made a bolt for the key's eggs, wild honey-in fact, the kitchen. Going into the pantry she scrub is full of food when you know how other items of folk lore in connection looked at the box where she got her cin- to get it. The best part of a snake is the namon to put in the cake. There stood liver, which is over a foot long in the the box, but the word "Pepper" was so big snakes. By the way, the natives big that there was no mistaking the con- never eat food that is not cooked. A tents. She says the next time she makes snake's liver is decidedly good, and has a a loaf of cake she will taste of everything gamey flavor. Lizard's flesh is like before she puts it in, and her husband chicken. The beetle larvie are popped savs he doesn't know but she'd better .- | into the fire and eaten with wild honey: Springfield Homestead.

> What Has Happened in June. Historically considered, June is for Great Britain perhaps the most famous month in the year. It is the month of Bannockburn, Naseby and Waterlooall of them battles of liberation and for the extension and establishment of freedom. In other respects June figures other sections, and the government has handsomely in the calendar. It sas in June that Magna Charta was sealed; and t is the birth month, among others, of Dr. Arnold, of Rugby; Charles Kingsley, W. H. Smith, Lord Dufferin, Lord Wolseley and Mr. Spurgeon. June is generally also famous for its deaths. among them being those of Mohammed, Joseph Smith, the Mormon prophet; White, of Shelbourne, and Garibaldi. It has been remarked that the natal is also the fatal month of a certain percentage of distinguished men, and we observe that Dr. Arnold died in June. One of the most notable of modern June events is the coronation of Queen Victoria, which took place in 1838, just about fifty-one years ago. But undoubtedly the two big events of June are Waterloo and Bannockburn, the latter being to Scotchmen the greater of the two.-Glasgow Herald.

SHILOH'S CURE will immediately relieve Croup, Whooping Cough, and

THE REV. GEO. H. THAYER of Burbon, Ind., says: Both myself and wife owe our lives to SHILOH'S CON SUMPTION CURE.

A 6 BY 9 RHYME. A queer little boy who had been to school. And was up to all sorts of tricks

Would pass for the figure 6 So when asked his age by a good old dame The comical youngster said.
"I'm 9 when I stand on my feet like this. But 6 when I stand on my head' -Frem Chatterbox

Concerning Pork Chops.

Mr. Gladstone writes thus on the subject of pork chops in Nineteenth Cenenough to take care of it. Lizzie died tury: Although the question respecting It is almost universally believed that twelve years ago. In her possession was the keeping of swine and the use of pork a lady's wallet with several compart- is by no means disposed of, either by the ments. This wallet her mother used until authorities quoted in the text or by Wilkinson, I venture at this stage to offer the following conjectures as somewhat it, and it has been in constant use almost probable in themselves and not inconsisdaily ever since, either by him or his tent with the evidence as a whole: 1. wife. The little gold coin was never seen | That in the warm climates of Egypt and after Lizzie's death or before for several Phoenicia the use of pork was, on saniyears by her friends, and its whereabouts | ary grounds, repressed by prohibitions was not known, and, in fact, its existence or restricted to particular occasions 2. had passed from their memory. A few That the great thrift resulting from the days ago Mrs. Butler made her parents a rearing and consumption of the animal visit, stopping with them several nights. may have kept the practice extensively erator complied and brought back word While there she dreamed that she saw alive, notwithstanding restrictive laws. her Aunt Lizzie's wallet, and that it was especially among the classes to whom faced with green, and in a certain com- thrift was an important object. 3 That partment she found the little gold coin as the pig is useless to man during life. which she saw so many years ago. On it is very difficult to account for its being turb the surface; hence the flaws on the | telling her mother her dream she was in- | bred and kept, as it evidently was, exsurface of the water are nicknamed by formed that Lizzie did have a wallet cept upon the supposition that it was which answered her description, and wanted for food 4. That if the animal also, a larger flurry of the water is a that her Uncle James had it. The wallet as domesticated was brought into Greece "cat's skin;" and in some parts of Eng- Addie had never seen. She then visited by Phoenician ships, its consumption for land a popular name for the stormy her uncle and told her dream to her food may have spread there, in a cooler aunt, who laughed at the idea of any- climate and a society free from sumptuthing being in it other than what she ary restraints, and yet in Homer's day Among other items of weather lore as- and her husband had placed there. But may not have wholly ceased to be a dis sociated with the cat, there is a supersti- at Addie's earnest solicitation she pro- tinet mark of south-astern or in and tion in Germany that, if it rains when duced it, and as soon as Addie saw it she associations. 5. That the states, the women have a large washing on hand, it exclaimed: "That is the same wallet carefully and delicately fatted pig. was is an infallible sign that they have a that I saw in my dream!" and pointed served as a luxury at the tables of the

Obliging His Friends.

early, perhaps, as Mrs. Busk remarks, all this time, without the knowledge of thing?" asked a young man yesterday of is a rapid talker, and in his accent, espe- ask for the children who have been lost "an evidence that household virtues are anyone, until Addie's dream caused it a friend who stopped him on a corner. The astonished friend recovered from his surprise long enough to say he was not. "Well," went on the young man, "if you had been, I should have hurried Within two years the jasper industry on. Why? Well, because I think I have without audacity and modest without more ailing friends than any one else in town, and the worst of it is that they medicine. I, who am always well, am nearly sick from it. In the aggregate cures. What could I do when a friend came up and told me of his ailment and what he was taking for it, and then The other day I met a friend who has catarrh and he asked me to go up and call on Billy Clarke to try his new caused to sell Chapin & Gore's catarrh | Guide." This was given by the queen cure, and I went up to see him, but my in recognition of his poem, "The Light friend wanted me to try the cure, 1 of Asia."-Washington Cor. Philadelhaven't catarrh, but I obliged him. | phia Press. Then in the next block I met a friend with a new rheumatism pill, and I had to try two of those to oblige him. This

thing will kill me unless I buy antidotes;" and the young man walked sadly away.-Chicago Herald The Japan Ouince. branches of a bush, and bury a portion expressed. A good housewife at the Highlands of the stem with earth, he will, in two

Dainties of the Primeval Land. Snakes, lizards, grasshoppers, treethey taste like an omelette. Grasshop-

Protecting Her Grapes. the great grape growing countries of aroused by the ravages of phylloxera in taken the matter in hand. A ukase has recently been issued prohibiting the importation of plants of any kind unless accompanied by a certificate that they are free from phylloxera. The penalty for any violation of the edict is of the usual Russian severity, and will undoubtedly act as a deterrent to the introduction of the disease.—San Francisco Chronicle.

For painting walls or other objects exposed to damp, a composition of very fine iron filings and linseed oil varnish is said to be much used in Germany; and, when the object to be painted is to undergo frequent changes of temperature, linseed oil and amber varnish are added to the first two coats. This paint may be applied to wood, stone or iron; in the case of the latter, it is not necessary to free it first from rust or sily matters.

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No Sach Place Some queer things happen in a news-

paper office occasionally. The other evening a special came flashing over one of The Republic's leased wires from New York, giving an account of an event that had occurred at Concord. "Ask New York if that is Concord,

editor to the operator. A few seconds later the telegraph manipulator reappeared with the announce-

Mass., or Concord. N. H.," said the night

"New York says there is no such place as Concord, Mass. "What?" gasped the editor, as his eyes rolled in a fine frenzy, "What? Just ask that operator again.

The operator complied. The answer came ticking back: "There's no such place as Concord, Mass." The night editor arose in solemn dignity. "Just ask him," he repeated, "if he heard of the town that fired the shot

that was heard around the world. Ask him," he went on wildly, "if he ever heard of Paul Revere." Again the opthat no one in the office had ever heard of the place. The night editor controlled himself enough to send his condolences, and remarked that it would be well to keep from the ears of the office cat the knowledge that no one in that particular newspaper office knew of Concord, the home of Emerson and Thoreau and Al-

Just then the operator shouted: "They have found it. You mean the place where they hold the School of Philosophy. Well, stuff for that place has been going to Boston for fifteen years, and this is the first time I ever heard of Concord." To the Western Union operators, therefore, there is no such place as Concord, Mass. -St. Louis Republic.

Sir Edwin Arnold's Jewels. Edwin is a man of medium h beard and hair neatly trimmed, face and records of lost children. strongly marked and eye alert and geni- Every night in the year fathers and cially in what an American may call the wheedling inflection, he is emphatically English. The daughter shows her mothican girl, is self poised and self reliant constraint and diffidence. Like her father. she is a good talker and a good listener. persist in telling me all about their ills I ventured to ask the distinguished visand go so far as to ask me to try their | itor if he would show me the jeweled decorations bestowed upon him by his queen and by the Oriental sovereigns. last week I tasted four different styles of He graciously consented and asked Miss is always the answer, and she is off pills, three elixirs and tried two catarrh Arnold to set them out. "I have to cart again. Up the steps she runs eagerly. them about," he added, "for they will during the journey." The table sparkled asked me to have a pill with him? I royally when the orders were all spread like to please every one, but if this keeps out-gold and jewels wought in artistic on I am sure it will be the death of me | forms hung from gorgeous ribbons. Chief among them was the great star of India. as big as the palm of one's hand, of solid silver and gold, set in diamonds and beartarrh cure. Now, I knew Billy when he ing the motto, "Heaven's Light Our

Expert Testimony on Insanity. To the expert witness in cases of insantoo well known to need description or duct? What are the grounds upon which way. used more effectively than it is. It is would then remain for the jury, aided hand he points to Sergt. Kelleher, and easily propagated by cutting of the by the judge, and with the assistance of chirrups at the baby. roots, by offshoots or layering, and other experts if necessary, to decide on The sergeant takes the woman's na if any one who may have a use for the validity of the grounds stated and on and address, and, hugging the lost one may not begin to fish till sunrise.—All

the plants will bend down the outer the weight to be attached to the opinions tightly, the woman passes out into the the Year Round. Expert testimony, to be of the highest wished to surprise her husband by giv- years' time, have a lot of plants with value, ought, of course, to be founded on ing him some of a particular kind of which can be made a very ornamental an examination, or, better still, on recake of which he was very fond. She hedge. There are many places where a peated examinations, of the accused, that affect the dwellers of the West took great pains with the mixture, meas- short hedge of two or three rods is more | made as soon as possible after the perpe- African coast is the "driver" ants. uring out each ingredient with the ut- tasty and beautiful than a fence, and tration of the crime. But insanity is a These insects move in vast armies of chronic disease; and even when the ex- several millions, marching in a dense produce the best loaf she ever made. substitute, as the thorns will turn stock. pert has not seen the alleged lunatic until column two feet in width, at a uniform some time after his crime, he may still pace, and in a straight line. be able to say whether in the course of a whether it is consistent with his experi- ble within the building.

Carbonic Acid Gas for Raising Vessels. In the account of a German establishment devoted to the manufacture of carbonic acid on a large scale for industrial purposes, recently contributed to The Wochenschrift des osterr Ingenieur-und Architekten-Vereines, reference is made to an experiment carried out a short time ago at the government dock yards at Kiel, with carbonic acid gas as a pers grilled are also capital eating, with means of raising sunken vessels. In a nice, nutty flavor.-Greenland Explor- the trial a number of balloons made of canvas were attached by divers to the submerged object to be lifted, the balloons being readily taken below in a colone or more flasks of liquid carbonic Europe, nevertheless fear has been acid, which, at the proper time, was permitted to escape by the divers, and, inflating the balloons, gave them sufficient buoyancy to raise the object. Compared with the method of pumping atmospheric air into the balloons, the carbonic acid process would seem to offer the advantages of cheapness and simplicity, the pumping outfit being dispensed with. Besides this, the lifting is accomplished in a relatively short space of time-an important consideration where so unreliable a factor as the state of weather enters into the execution of a piece of work .- Engineering and Building Rec-

All He Cou'd Promise. Dunn-When can you settle this ac sount. Wr. Short? Short-Oh, come around next week.

"Will you pay me then? "I can't promise that exactly; but can tell you then when to come again. -Epoch.

To Dispel Colds.

Headaches and fevers, to cleanse the system effectually, yet gently, when costive or billious, or when the blood is impure or sluggish, to permanently cure habitual constipation, to awaken the kidneys and liver to a healthy activity, without irritating or weakening them,

LOST, A LITTLE CHILD. How the City's Waifs Are Cared for Until

They Are Called For. A great policeman, big enough and strong enough to have felled a horse with a single blow, carrying in his arms a little golden haired girl, upon whose sleeping face the tears had washed clean places in the dust and grime, walked briskly down Houston street toward police headquarters. The child was slumbering as comfortably as though she had been in the little crib at home, and the officer was as tender as if the little one was his own and helped make sunshine in his home on his days off duty. Half dozen children of the street, quick to catch sight of the pair, followed closely on the big policeman's heels until he went up the steps of the marble building in Mulberry street, and was lost to view be-

hind the swinging doors. Bluff Sergt. Kelleher was on duty, and when he saw the little bundle of humanity brought in, he sat down at his desk and began to turn, in a businesslike way. the leaves of an enormous book which lay in front of him. He kept turning until he came to the page where he had written last. Then, after carefully adjusting his eyeglasses, and dipping his pen in his big inkstand, he queried:

"Boy or girl, officer?" "Girl." "How old?"

" 'Bout 4 years." "Where did you get her?" "Sixty-fifth street and Third avenue."

"Take her upstairs." "Upstairs" meant to the top floor of the big building, where Matron Webb presides and acts the part of foster mother to the waifs and strays and foundlings of this big city who are picked up by the police.

night, and each day sees the pages of the his hand in disgust and growled: and swarthy complexion, full, black fill up one by one with the brief stories

al. His manner is cordiality itself. He mothers visit police headquarters and during the day. On pleasant evenings Prussian sentinels on the lookout for a they sit on the stone steps and wait if the child has not already been found, er's training, and, like a high bred Amer- and on stormy nights they go home, to fortifications and went taquiner le goujon return again later on. A woman comes running down the street. She is one of the East Side poor.

and hat. She stops long enough to ask of an idler on the corner: "Where is the headquarters?" "Down where you see the green light" As she passes the swinging doors she alhelp me onward. They will be required most runs down Old Joe, the doorman, who keeps a little private record on a

A shawl answers the purpose of cloak

slate of the children who are brought in during the night. Joe's voice is gruff, but it belies his nature. "What's the matter?" he growls. "Have ye found me baby?" and the toil worn hands clutch nervously at the

frayed edges of the old red shawl. "Boy or girl?" "A little girl with light hair." "Go up stairs and look-top floor." The stairs are steep and tiresome to gudgeon, the roach, the eel, the tench,

climb, but mothers on such errands don't the barbel, the carp, the perch and the tire easily, and up she goes. Five minutes later a step is heard on the stairity and crime these questions should, it way. She is coming down again and frivolous and as requiring a skill that is seems to me, be put: Was the prisoner the red shawl is the background for a out of place in so serious a pursuit. But insane at the time when he committed head of golden hair. Two dirty, chubby the act of which he is accused? Was his hands are about her neck. The woman insanity of such a nature and degree as is smiling now. She is about to go out the modest angler that the law has ful-Japan, or scarlet flowering quince, is to deprive him of control ever his con- to the street, but Old Joe again is in the minated its edicts. The fisherman may

recommendation, but it might be often you have formed these opinions? It "Go in there and give your name," may only have one book at a

street.-New York Evening Sun. The most formidable of the insect pests

weakness, and they are not all actors or men who live by their wits and personal If a native hut lies in their path, and appearance. Ladies generally prefer out towards his wife in renewed affect foliage being showy and beautiful. Its disease still existing, or of the recent existence of which there are traces, such a gaining the threshold, the hut must be the natural color of their hair almost in-This, of course, was only one of the ex- first mouthful he took made him look ture bushes, is not poisonous, as some criminal act was likely to crop up as vacated till the long line has passed variably go in for black. To keep up part and parcel of the disease; and through and consumed everything eata- the deception, two if not three applica-

tomer of mine had me visit him every ence and with the history of the act that The author of "Glimpses of Feverland" the accused could not help it .- Sir James says that the only thing which will stop alternate day for over three years. Dye-C. Browne, M. D., in Popular Science | the "drivers" is a large fire directly in | ing the hair kills it in time and makes it their line of march. A native, when he brittle and thin during the process, while discovers in time that the ants are march- the number of scalp diseases sacrificed ing towards his hut, kindles a fire in at the shrine of vanity is legion. Several front of the advancing column. It turns barbers now decline all dyeing business, neither to the right nor to the left, but and I am one of the number. But in plunges into the flames, for every ant years gone by I did my share, and adseems impelled to go forward, no matter mit having made a quantity of money at the mit have a quantity of money at the mit have a quantity of money at the it. The acids used are so strong that

at what cost, After the "drivers" have walked into they positively make the fingers sore, the fire for an hour or two, and several and as the scalp is much more sensitive hundred thousand have been consumed, than the fingers, the tortures endured their sturdy stoicism weakens. They by those who subject their heads to condeflect their line to the extent of a few stant irritation in this manner can be feet, and, passing the fire, set out on a more easily imagined than described .fresh path of destruction, which leads Interview in St. Louis Globe-Democrat. them clear of the hut they had threatened.-Youths' Companion.

Danger in Turning Gas Low. In spite of the fact that these are days of popular enlightenment, the newspapers are not unfrequently called upon to chronicle a case where persons have been asphyxiated through ignorantly blowing out the gas instead of turning it off. Little attention, however, has been drawn to a danger not as great, but more

common. This consists in the habit many persons have of allowing one bracket to burn dimly all night long while they are asleep. If the gas is to be kept burning at all, it should for safety's sake be kept blazing fairly high; for when the flame is reduced to the faint blue spark the least diminution in pressure at the works will cause this to go out, and when the pressure is renewed the gas, of course, escapes steadily into the room, to the possible injury of all its inmates. A night lamp should be used if light is necessary, or a fair blaze so shaded as not to fall upon the faces of sleepers. -Somerville Journal.

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Bluffed on a Sure Thing. There were twoof the men in our gang of Pennsylvania oil weil drillers and blasters who were constantly fooling with the nitro-glycerine. They would take chances to make your hair stand on end, and the trouble was they imperiled the safety of many others. One of their favorite pastimes was to get out after noonday lunch and toss a two pound can of stuff as far as they could heave it. I more than once saw them stand fifty feet apart, and on three or four occasions saw the can miss their clutch and fall to the earth. Our foreman and all the other men did a great deal of swearing over this foolishness, and once the men were discharged for it, but they were taken back after a time, and as we grew more used to the stuff we took more chances.

can, and as the fun was about to begin our foreman said: "Boys, that nonsense will be the death of you yet."

"Bet you ten to five it won't," replied one of them. "Yes, and I'll bet ten to one it won't," bluffed the other, as he shook his wallet

at the foreman. The latter failed to cover, and as he sauntered off down the hill I followed him. We had walked about 200 feet when we were suddenly lifted up and thrown flat to the earth, and then followed a crash which seemed to have rocked the continent. As soon as we could get up we ran back to the derrick or where the derrick was. It had disappeared, as well as our shanty, and on the site was a hole into which you could have dumped a cottage. Not the slightest scrap of the two can tossers could be found, and the foreman and I stood for several minutes staring into the cavity The same scenes are enacted every Then he suddenly slapped his leg, waved

"What a two story fool I was not to take those bets!"-New York Sun.

The French Angler.

the gentle bobbing of the float on which

their eyes are fixed. They will pass the

night under a haystack in order to se-

cure at the first streak of dawn a good

place where some legendary bite had oc-

curred and which they have carefully

"friture" placed upon the table. The

Dyeing Hair.

is exceptional for men to take the trouble

which continual bleaching and dyeing

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