al in Tokio, Japan, to erect summat to the memory of I came from far unfathomed zones of light

comportioneral of Canada has a civ against annexation to _____ tatus.

. at tells how a person may I bring the benediction of the skies, in a year was probably meant op in the backwoods, or it may I am Love's herald-angel and mine eyes us one of the thrilling romances To draw all men, marks my eternal birth:

as thewn by the annual horse show w York that bang tails are the of the day. From the pole pony solute carriage pair the horse's witch is made to conform to

For al World says that medical a are saddling on the telephone of the responsibility for the inof bunker. They seem to think lows t is the people who use the telewhere sanity is endangered. for strength to tell a tale of wrong and cell.

oternor Alger, of Michigan, asat viobacco is almost as much of as bread. In sending supplies miler camps in Northern ma, we send a \$1.50 worth of to every \$1 worth of flour."

mark's King and Denmark's people loggerheads. But it is of no ice, observes the Washington The great powers overshadow | lated a law. month. Its King has no great in its affairs; its people, aphave none at a.l.

nited States from Canada declares the Atlanta Constitution, south it is to enforce our anti-"The border line between untry and the British possessions miles long. We cannot guard it."

the in the Atlantic Monthly says: a heat to Italy, is now acknowlin process the most favorable at-- for the production of good morning. and American singers are beginmain the precedence of all others great musical centres of the

I would wait and hope and strive; wait air of freedom again, now I could die. for the unfolding of the future's mys- On, on I went until at last nature, weak, terious problems, hope for those miracu- worn and exhausted, left me pautlous changes that sometimes shift the lng at the door of an ind. power of a sovereign in the twinkling I recall the keeper's burg of an eyes strife, if I could, but what is form and red, good-natured face, and the strife of one close kept then my sonses must have left me, for I within a rock-bound cell! So in my swoke to find myself in this tell where I solitude I sat for hours, brooding upon am writing. I have seen only the little my coulition. Then came the desire to girl who brought me materials for write know my surroundings more int mately, ing, and I have sent down the ewels How well I know each stone, each line from the sword hilt to compensate the and desure! idnkeeper for his care. I shall see him I could press my hand, upon a bed of to-morrow, and then I shall know if

yielding clay and reproduce the walls of those who love me still live, if those for my cell so accurately that a mould of whom i have cared will now care for this one would lit the other so closely a broken read that the storms of life have When chaos' wrack fel shuddering from the stream of water could not trick is through blasted. In the seventh house beyond between them. Each stone I hate, save the wooden bridge at Herne Hill road I. those I moved aside and broke against let my wife and children. Shall I see cach other to use as implements of toil. them again? Shall I e er ----My cell was nine feet high, five feet

THE WARDER'S STORY, broad and ten feet deep. Two bars of fiere the Six breaks of, incompany that rist - "I facey, Mr. Sidehill, that you remind him of it next morning. One four boards six inches wide and two of the innkeeper, are these words inches in thickness, which, with a coarse "Written by an old and rarged man. In an old worm eaten chest, the prop- blanket and a sack of straw composed with long white hair and beard, who In an old worm eaten chest, the prop-blanket and a sack of straw composed with long white hair and beard, who pression ----Is pose I would be. Miss dgain, erty of a lodger named William Wilson, my hid. Along the outer edge of the died in the kitchen chamber of the libre Wid awake, if I could find the right to be

who died in a London tenement, was planks was fastened another one, extend- Bird Inu. We have, as duty called sent kind of a gal "-Se tings. found the MS, of the tale which fol- ing one and a half inches above the edge, to the seventh house from the wooden a three-legged stool and a billet of wood, bridge, on Herne Hill road, but a happy I, William Worthington, believing to place beneath the sack of straw for a family lives therein, who seek no aged, that I am about to die, pray to heaven pellow, completed the equipment of the dying man, and know not who he may conservatory. Time, 11 r. w. be,"-Pitsburg Balletin, suffering. I know not the year in which Through an opening in the heavy door

I am living. I dare not ask. I only I could see damp walls and heavy doors. Around the World in Seventy Days. pray for strength to finish, for my wife Through this opening, at irregular inand children, if they still live, the torvals, was thrust a loaf of bread and a A Sun reporter asked Mr. George story of my woes. The shock of freedom jug of water and at times a piece of Eade, manager for Thomas Cook & Son, upon my broken constitution is proving meat would be left, without a word, the tourist agents, the exact time in too great, and 1 feel that death is near. upon the shelf at the opening. Many a which a passenger can go around the I was a warder in the Tower of London. time have I raised the jug to dash it world.

Every prisoner placed under my sur- against the stones and with the ragged After a few moments of thought and vedance for twenty years had been tried, edge sever an artery, but each time the study of guide books Mr. Eade said : "In these days of rapid transit with judged and sentenced by my inner con- faint spark of hope has stayed my hand. sciousness, and as my intuitions led me, During the first few days, thoughts of vestibule trains and last orean steamso were they treated, though I never vio- the mustice that had been done to me ships it is possible to make a circulation and the strangeness of my surroundings so close that a person, in New York say, By this inner tribunal . my own, I gave food for reflection, and motionle sI can decide the very day on which he judged that the Duke of Elton had been sat upon my bed with my head barie | will return to the city, having completed a traitor to his King, and from my hands in my hands, hours, days, perhaps weeks, the tour around the world. I should work it out like this: he received no facers beyond the require- for I could no longer measure time.

"Leaving New Fork at 9.50 s. M. on During that critical period the penalty me I must save myself from despair or due to arrive at >ydaey on December 1 1 caving sydney the same day by train

the suburbs of London, on leave of ab blessed woodlands and say you have bourne at 11,16 s, w, on the following mamma."-Carloon, sence to visit my family, and had re- been alone; you who drift out from day, december 13. After resting in turned to take my usual watch from nine the shore in an open boat, with your Melbourne for a day our traveler would at night until nine on the following eyes fixed upon the skies above you and leave by the l'eninsular & Oriental Steamsay you are alone, what can you know ship Company's steamship on the 1 th | when the sun shone in her face. "Go I was weary and travel-stained, which of such solitude as mine, where not for Brindisi, calling en route at Ceylon, 'way! go 'way!" she cried, striking out told against me, but as there is a just even the gnawing of a rat breaks the un- then crossing the ed Ser to Port Said, at it. God in heaven I did not sleep on my ending lience. Hour after hour I toyed after which the steamship goes through "You move, dear, and it won't trouble county whose name we withhold. The Bonyan has been charged with

BUDGET OF FUN.

HUMOROUS SKUTCHES FROM without any escort or show of dis-VARIOUS SOURCES.

accompanied him down a back street, A Titled Hubbr-Under Certain Con where we encountered a regiment of sol ditions- \ Drop of Dewy Sardirry matching past. My father was Casm-Tonserial-Lines of Care. Etc., Etc., tro ps this was, un has soon as he came

Miss Manil w mild marry a fitle. So she wont fur over the set. While there she married a baron, And a baron in feed was he. For harren he was of n oney. And of lands most harren was he: Histitle, too, it was barren-But spet it with a doup a page

-limiton Transcript.

Under Certain Conditions. ut of bed during the night, and his Miss Wideawake to young agricultus father, to break him of the habit, would are very fond of husbandry?" day, as us al, his father said to him Mr. Sidehill with an unutterable ex- lilere, Pat, you fell out of bed

pillow, for I went up to see, and the pull w was on the floor by the side of A Drop of Dewy Sarcasm. the lied (Ellaand Mr. Vevergo are alone in the "What made you cry, then " asked his father. Noice of Mother - "What are you "Well, you see," said Pat, in his most so er manner, "it was dark, and I doing there. I lla " illa-"Ficking morning glories, wouldn't tell whether it was me or the

mainma."- Teme. pillow."-Troy Times. Sterling Advice to a Poet. Tonsorial. Hollis Holworthy-"Why don't you Keep your hair cut. shave, Jack ? You need to badly."

Jack Goeasy, '83-" 'Fraid of cutting shorter poems and sign your own name sol tarre. myself if I do." Holl's Holworthy-"Your friends will Do not be cast down because you re famos jars. cut you if you don't "- Har and Lampoon, cerve \$1.50 instead of \$250 for your first The man who travels on his looks

Lines of Care.

Winks-"What a sad, anxious face that man has." links-"Yes, I noticed it. He has a strained, haunted, afraid-I-won't-catch the train expression. I guess he works with "p anoforte," "froite with "cowin the city and lives in the suburbs, "__ lick," or ' Niagara" with "Tipperary." Philadelphia Record.

The Force of Example.

Young Mamma-"Children, why are be p inted, and are much more popular senter. you nodding and smiling at all the with the masses than odes, sonnets or the between highwavmen are good box-French forms. policemen we pass?"

Children (who are in the habit of tak- If you have three sections to your ing their morning walks with the nurses name connect the last two by means of a

Encroached on Pre-empted Ground. strength of this proceeding alone. -- furnished with petroleum springs, --A little girl was sitting on the floor Puck.

right in all his dealings, does not go very strong on religion. Not many

Emergency Prayers.

"We are going to be drown d1 Pray, |

"Say something " he shricked, as they

one told by his son to a friend in Wash-

ington. "My father," said Robert Lin-

tinction, and he sometimes strayed into

cucious company. Cne day ava lad. I

cortous to learn what marticular body of

within halling distance he inquired,

with ait addressing anybody in particu-

lar, 'Well, what's this ' Quick as the

word came a reply from somewhere on

the deta lime it. Why, it's a regiment

of soldiers, you old fool, you ""- Euffair

Confused by the Darkness.

Little Pat was in the habit of failing

"Wh. no. papa," said Pat, "it was the

I on't write poetry unless you are

If possible avoid thyming "castanet"

the enthusiasm of your muse.

E. OKTANA.

to it.

cllort.

in. "I cal to stroll about Washington

500N WILL TOME THE SNOW.

White are the datation, white as milk: The stately corn is himy with silk, The roses are in blow Lors ms, beloved, while you may, And log the firing titure to star, For lave shall end and all delight, The day to long; the day to bright, But soon will come the mow.

The frick the meadow nedges tall Figsts musical the bark's clear leall Desiriet the lines grow LOWS MA, TIPPAN FOR While you may, And beg the fly tig hours to stay, For over shall end and dear delight. The law is long, the day is beight, isnt soon will come the snow!

Art 114 to a shireloss sea-This moment is for you and me, An. | bliss that lovers know. Love me tielovel. Soon we die JOY, KOTH FRALOWS, JUL & S.RY. And love shall bud, and all helight. Thus law is hims, the day is beight, Hold worm will worme the source - S. De Frank, in the Chicago Neural

PITH AND POINT.

Chinese theres take things coolle. The crow dan plead his own caws. sin the fence - Men who practice with today

A high old time-The clock in the Atompile

It is a bad plan to copy one of Byron's . I mail and dust - Money paid for a

on ugal love cannot be preserved in

finance very poor time.

To public singlets. The keynote of sucforced to do so, e ther by hunger or by peas is natural - / rie.

Mil Ships have yands, though none of the's ser have a garden

Paste diamonds are so called because people get stuck on them so offen

Never despise work that comes your The main point to be watched by the way unsolidated. Writing advertisements is a profitable vocation, they are sure to limit of a brass band is the tool en-

> ers, for it is pice and take with them .--S12 1 (8)

Telephones are a great convenience, maid .-. "Oh, because Mary always does, hyphen, and cast the first to the winds and yet people are all the time talking if you wish to; but do not try to gain , figurest them.

admission to the Authors' Club on the 11 is an odd fact that coal leds are De l'é Marazores

The overhead electric wire should be put where so many of its victims are. -A story is told of a man in a near Provide place Times.

post, neither that night nor any with the broken pieces of the lantern, night during my years of service. Lach one had its name; each to me was then taken for London which is reached. We with the service of the lantern, night during my years of service. Lach one had its name; each to me was

An exchange asks What are our

Then came the re-ulsion of feeling, I little dreamed that so great a person- the desire to be up and doing, the thirst Monday, November 12, he would arrive age would wreak vengeance upon a vas- for companionship. I would cry aloud, at Chicago at 2, 30 . M. Tuesday, Leavsal so far below him, yet his hirelings shriek, aye, even cutse to drive away the ing Chicago the same day he would argave oath, months after his release, that madness that seemed to haunt the place, rive at San Franci-co at 10, 5 y. w. Satduring a time when the utmost watch- but all in vain; my own vo ce was not the urday, the 1 th. On the same day the fulness had been enjoined upon the one I loaged to hear, as d back would Cceanic Company's steakaship leaves for warders, I was found asleep at my post. come that indefinable dread, that told Sydney at z r. M., and the steamship is

That very day I had walked far into Oh! you who wander forth into the at allow, w, he would arrive at Mel-

then taken for London which is reached little one .- Youth's Companion. A warder had once slept and al. a living thing with a personality, in that held its door in in three days, and on the follow ng day in the A Nevada man raised He was accused of complicity, and the place I would throw away and then (the 24th) he would leave London by death | enalty had been instituted, search for it. Again and again I would North German Hoyd steamship and

-Evelyn Eversley, in Youth's BY JAMES C. HARVEY.

SONG OF HOPE

I have affinities with all things bright.

That link me to all beauteous destinies

All flowery forms and radiant entiti

Once blest with this sweet power

Clad in the rainbow's hues:

Fine sympathies and clues,

Born of harmonius strife.

For I was born of light,

And Day divided Night.

earth.

ments of the law.

was death.

To man and bird and flower;

Of ever-soaring Life;

ath evensor so large that when if to a friend by mail he had to shows three potatoes which | ing to save me. the weigh nine, six and five

the terry III., Ceorge W. Boland Fat and William Heining (Repubcondulates for the office of m tandolph County at the alon, each received 2003 votes. ing Thursday they appeared Palard was the lucky man.

a nertuble earthly paradise, t is asserted that there are neither dogs, und or mosquitoes in the equally unknown, and no intoxiliquois are to be had for love or

life of 6 Kentucky-West Virginian the worke," states the New York "than the worst of the Corsican The blood that is shed seems stimulate the blood thirst of the usual greetings were exchanged. The Gevernments of the two fuget law.

e of the reasons why cattle ranchpoline a at the West is more pre-" than formerly, is the change in | as though under the influence of a sud- been thrown into one. The do is had as civilization progresses west-It is not certain that the winters than formerly, for the reason that pairing, for at twelve in the night I it and bring it back. feed is much poorer.

the New York World: "Ameri-At a torchlight celebration are man evidently knows a thing about coal-oil politics."

recent consular reports it appears ion manufacture in Japan is acreasing, and that in the near | fate it held in store for me. pan, from being a large imof that commodity. The wooler

making Nevada a very | lowed the escape of political prisoners. The little I could prove nothing. I had paced throw it, hoping it would lodge in some reach New York on February L. the corritors through the night, but the crevice and bring a new sensation when "It is a well-established fact that first wcents postage on it. Another prisoners had slept and could say noth- I falled to find it.

> Two men claimed to have passed hairs of my beard, separating one from ordinary express train; consequently Little Boy (examining it)-"I don't They pitched off down the hill at a one thing is sure to go down, and that through the consider as the clock struck another and then egianing over again, there is no doubt the journey could be see any scales on it. Pop said your re- furious pare. The man did all in his is the mercury in the thermometer twelve, and upon their oaths affirmed assuming that the count had been in. completed in the time indicated, namely, cord was scaly."-Philadelphis Re ord. that I was sleeping. If they entered the correct.

reason would desert me.

corridor at all, it was while I was at the One day my food was thrust through farther end, and they must have left be- the opening to me and in the meat a and our traveler goes east instead of fore my return. In vain I protested my bone of peculiar shape, not unlike a la- west, the same ground can be covered innocence. The friends of the Dake of bover's pick, gave rise to thoughts seventy nine days. Elton were in favor, and my doom which, for some strange reason, had "Taking again the route through seemed inevitable.

the County Clerk and decided ing a short recess I bethought me of foul dig eway the wood on the edge of my worked out the times of arrivels and debed. I struck something hard. means for escape.

I had a staunch friend in the tower, Joy! The pinions were of iron. Here that, allowing six days from New York a fellow-warder. I would risk every- was a hope, here was an occupation, to San Francisco, sixteen days thence to a Island, off the Maine coast, thing and trust to him. The infinite here were the tools to labor with. Oh! Yokohama, six days from Yokohama to patience and kindness of a mother's love how I worked, and ere long held in my Hong Kong, where the Peninsular & had taught me to write, and I carelessly hands six spikes, four in hes long. Day Oriental Company's steamship can be toyed with the materials at hand, after day with these I picked and scraped taken for Brindisi, the voyage occupying stealthily writing a word or two now and dug at the stone wall of my cell un- thirly-two days; allowing three days or brendth of it. The houses are and then, without detection. At last it til at last 1 loosened a stone, then another from Briedisi to London, and seven days and in good repair, poverty and was finished, no whit too soon, for the and then another, and then came to the thence to New York, the whole voyage opportunity came at once to slip into moist earth. Again and again I kissed round the world can be completed in the warder's hand, unseen, this writing: that soil, calling it by endearing names, seventy days, "Hasts to the clock, outside the wall. Cut, as a mother would call a child that had "This, however, is simply the time Billy was too polite to restrict with a saw, a thirteenth notch, after the been lost and restored. Using the frag- occupied for travel; and of course, the negative, so he murmured is twelve, in the striking wheel, and save the life of WHALLAN WORTHINGTON" how ened the soil, filled the broken for the making of connections,"-New

With this paper crumbled in his hand, lastern and brought it back into my | York Sun. he gave his evidence which availed me cel, tilling the corners, stowing it away naught, save to prove that I was at my under the bed and spreading it on the post before cleven o'clock, and that the planks where I slept. But my ce'l would

As he passed out he gave me a search- could hope to make an exit. I must have in Germany. Hamburg and Bremen have ing look, but its meaning I could not a place for it or all my labors would be surrendered the bulk of their ascient should combine in a vigorous divine. I could not tell his bearing to- in vain. Hoping against hope, I began privileges as free Hanse towns and beto suppress the evil and vindicate ward me. If I were removed, my place to dig at the wall opposite the door. would become his, and I was a little The spikes were almost worn away be man customs system. Lubeck lost these above him. Would he risk imprison- for the opening was made, but my efment for himself to save me? forts were not unavailing, for beyond Midnight alone could answer. the wall there had been at some distant

den recollection, I sail:

twelve while I was sleeping. At twelve to the structure above. colder and the blizzards more o'clock I was awake, in proof of which Into this walled enclosure I packed Hanseatic League the wealth and courout they are more destructive to know this: The great clock needs re- away the earth as fast as I could loosen age to make war upon Kings. The mer-

> counted thirteen strokes of the bell. It I had proceeded but twenty or thirty the past six years extensive preparation ; will probably do so again to-night. feet when I found a treasure of inestina- for the change. Whole blocks of old Wait and see."

Oh, the horror of those hours of wart- and crumbing at the end and edges, but houses and new quays built, canals widtoms are making an impression ing! Three: Four! Five! Six o'clock, still substantial enough to serve in place ened, and a general transformation of most conservative sovereigns of and for the first time in twenty years, of the worn-outspikes,

save for my holidays. I was not in my The hilt had once been richly jeweled, is claimed that the change will maplace. Seven! Light! Nine! and still but most of the gems were gone. The terially augment Hamburg's tonnage and his honor at Breslau last week the hours dragged on, wearily, when I few remaining I removed with a piece of importance in the training world, but it William of Germany shook bethought me of the all-absorbing issue, broken stone, and wrapping them in a is bitterly unpopular with the great mass with each one of the puraders. but much too swiftly if that wooden fragment of my clothing, treasured care of citizens, as it will increase by twe sty wheel was untouched.

Ten and eleven o'clock struck. Then should see the streets of London again. Three thousand German custom officers came the longest hour of my life. Days With this new implement my work pro- have begun an inquisitor al house toand weeks seemed to pass, and all the ceeded more favorably, and using my house inventory of every citizen's pos actions of my life in slow procession own length as a measure, I estimated sessions in Hamburg and Bremen, and a trooped before me. I longed for mid- that I had pushed along two hundred duty will be exacted on all above seventy night, and yet dreaded to know what feet.

"Boom !"-came the first stroke from ward, and ere many days had passed I coffee, and so on through the long list. otton cloth, will become an the great beil. With breathless lips I knew by the quantity of earth in the It is no wonder that the Burghers are counted the strokes, at each one press cells that I must be nearing the surface. not enthusiastic .- Now York Times. ing a finger into the palm of my hands. Onward and upward I crept, and yet no too, is receiving considerable so hard that the nails pierced the skin. sounds to tell me that I was nearing my as there are now improved Four fingers had thus closed on the goal. I had stowed away all that I es for obtaining Australian wool. right hand, and over them the thumb, could. I would now dig straight up recording the fifth stroke. Four more and press the waste against the sides of gard to the heavy hardware busines," on the left hand, and slowly over my tunnel by placing my back against said Mr. James M. Corbitt, Vice-Fresi- will-er of course you know they ought swamps and to the pools in the swamps - Severe Party in corner - I do think tay lessfuly stated that not one then closed the thumb, like a band of one side.

class ocean steamships make their voy- from his pocket - "Yes, my dear boy; rains and away out of its banks-his man. the database Republican. Wearied with this I would count the ages with almost the accuracy of an I hought it this morning, eighty-one days.

"Supposing the journey is reversed,

tever visited me before. I kept it, and China and Japan the voyage can be com-I had been foully dealt with, and dur. sharpening it against the stone, began to pleted in even less time. We have not partures in detail, but may briefly say

Lost Privileges of Two Cities,

An event notable alike in commercial not hold all the dirt I must move before 1 and political history has just o curred come incorporated in the general Gerprivileges in 1855, but Hamburg and Bremen have been able thus long to cling to them in the teeth of Bismarck's hos-I was asked if I had aught to say, and, time, four cells like my own. These had tility. They still retain the right to send representatives to the Bundesrath and been walled up with solid masonry, and Reichstag, but that will be the last re-"These men claim that the clock struck it remained, I suppose, only as a support maining vestige of an independence which, in the Middle Ages, gave the chants of Hamburg have made during ble value to me, a broken sword, rusty | houses have been torn down, new ware-

the wharf quarter has been effected. It fully in the fond hope that some day I per cent, the cost of living and rents. bottles of wine, twenty bottles of spirits, I then began to incline my course up- six pounds of tobacco, thaty pound of

Auvils.

"There is one peculia little fact in re-

A Left-Handed Compliment. Little Boy (to elder sister's beau) - driving along a certain road. On reach- our goris, of course.

"Is that your lacard "

A Matter of Money.

the wagon with him : A wealthy young widow said jokingly to her new husband, as she pointed Jim, pray to the safe in which her money was deposited: "Now you have captured the fort, and dashed into the water.

me with it, are you satisfied ?" "Not entirely," replied the new husband, who was something of a spendthrift.

"What else do you want?" the keys."-Siftings.

His Preference.

other sort,"-Mer heat Traveler,

"Are you fond of dogs, Mr. Bliven," said a young woman as she caressed her

Billy was too polite to reply in the "Oh, certainly." "lo you admire pugs?" "Well, no, not very much." "What kind do you like best?" "I think," said Billy, reflectively, "I

Too Personal. They were going to have company and

she was suggesting the menu. "We can have oysters on tongue for

one course," she observe I. "I never heard of such a dish," he remarked.

the same," she said. "I suppose if I get the oysters you can plied the Colonel. furnish the tongue?" he inquired innocently.

the door so viciously .- Detroit Free the labors of H s servants, and ten have

A Dude's Frank Confession. your eyes, as if your soul were far dis- Fork Tedune. tant from your surroundings, what you. are thinking of !

don't mind telling you." "I)o tell me

what to say next." -New York Sun.

Afraid of Them Both.

"Mr. Spindle (who is devotedly fond teristics point infallibly to the fact that of young lady, while at the same time in the hare is at home in either mar-hy easy heating distance of his employer) - places or in water, or in both. And so "Oh, yes, indeed -- that is, I think they in fact the Carolina hare is taking to the

then closed the thumb, like a band of one side. then closed the thumb, like a band of one side. then likes his situation, says steel. Eleven' The hands flew open Then came the thought, "May 1 not a recent conversation with a L_{eff} would us a water bird Look now at the you might exting us by your pipes in a recent conversation with a L_{eff} would us a steel. Eleven' The hands flew open Then came the thought, "May 1 not a recent conversation with a L_{eff} would wash if the foot of the Arctic hare, and there is in it's pre-enced Savey with these theorem."

months ag , just after a big rain, he was young men coming to! Coming to see

ing the top of a hill-at the bottom of | Currous though it be, it is not uncom-Enamored Youth (taking the paper which was a creek much swollen by the mon to see a cold water man hou with

mules considered they would ran away. If everything else goes up this winter,

power to check them, but in vain. Just is ya was, of course, the first, but Mrs. before they reached the gushing water [E. D. I., N. Southworth, the novel st. is the man shouted to his boy, who was in the initial woman, Midward Express.

Notwithstanding the discussion now going on to devide if marriage is a failure, the brakemen go right on coupling. An old gentleman of great experience says he is never satisfied that a lady un-

"oh, dad, I can't " But thinking a deisian is a kiss unless he has it from he second, the boy should: "Lord, make lown month.

Nature uses a good many quills with which to make a goose, but a man can. Then they went down into the creek, make a geose of himself with only one the Worst and Garden.

Parent- "This is your birthday, their fun out, went on at a more leisurely Tommy. What can I do for you that gait. The man has since learned a will chuse you pleasurer' Tommy -

> hos needn't be afraid to tell secreta in acore oid, for though they have somany "cars," their voices are so " hostly - they can't tell what they hear.

It was a wase tradesman who said that ladic- bad retired, went something like - he don't mind how much his customers kicked ugainst his bills as long as they

Army of the Potomac, who had called It is said that "brakes will tell," talk of the religious interests of his men. will ust. Sometimes the more brans a After having been politely motioned to man has the less he will tell - Lowell

aweet gut "Muy I at on your right "I believe so," said the Colonel in re- hand?" Her quick answer was: "Wny, of course not! You'd better take a

> Cynical Dentist-"Well, how do the new lecta work?" Patient - "Not very well. They seem to cut the others." C. D. That is perfectly natural. They belong to an entirely different set, you know.

> "I am on my way home, doctor, 'said a citizen who was after some tree adwind Mind I'm tired and worn out. What ought I to takef ' "Take a cab, ' replied the intelligent physican - horester Garte.

Scene teacher with realing class, the river . Teacher "Why are ships called sher". Boy alive to the responsibuiltes of hissexy-"Because they need. men to manage them."- Chicago Times.

""venzge,' she sa d, "before we were" the creature to make great leaps and to married you were always bringing me fisherman feeding bait to a fish he had case ht ??

Mr. Dolliver - "So you want to marry my daughter? Have you any means of existences Ponsonby-"At present, none, but I have very brilliant prospects." Mr. Do liver ... "I dare say, but suppose I doi.'t die for a good many yours, what's, going to become of you, then "- Drake's. 25703-14 U.N.C.,

us thankful for what we are about to receivel "I want the terms of the capitulation which was not as deep as the man had carried out. I want you to turn over expected, and the mules, having had

number of prayers for sudden emer- "Spatic Johnny," - Spatic gencies. - Greenborg (Ga.) Record.

"Dad, I can't pray."

Phil Sheridan's Favorite Yarn. Another story which General Sheridar. was foud of telling at the donner table, after the coffee had been served and the

this, I am told : There was a zeroous chaptain of the | footed them - New York Say, like stuffed dogs better than most any on a Colonel, noted for his profanity, to Somet mes they will, and sometimes they

a seat on the chest, the chaptain begand Couri r. "colonel," you have one of the linest At a party a soft young man said to a regiments in the arms."

""Do you think." pursued the chap- char." - Wercur !. lain, "that you pay sufficient attention "bidn't you? It's a very good one all to the religious instruction of your men?" "Well, I don't know," doubtfully re-

"A lively interest has been awakened in the ----- Massachusetts," the parson Then he wondered why she slammed went on to say. "The ford has blessed

already been baptized.'

"Is that so," excitedly cried the Colonel, and then turning to the attend-Miss Gusher (from the West, with in- ant, added : "Sergeant Major, have fiftensity)-"I often wonder, Mr. Van teen men detailed immediately for bap-Twiller, when you are looking into space tism; [1] he blanked if [1] be outdone with that far away, abstracted look in by any Massa husetts regiment. '- No Boy reading) - "And as she sa eld wn

The Rabbit's Foot.

(slowly and meditatively) - "Well, I examination, show mainly the ability of Miss Gusher with deep emotion and a make an equally quick recovery. The rings and breastplas and vinagrettes supplicating upward roll of the eyes)- external condition of the foot indicates and things like that. Why don't you nothing peculiar in the habits of the bring me anything now " "My dear," Mr. Van Renssalaer Van Twiller-"To animal. It is distinctly divided between repoled George, "dod you ever hear of a be frank with you, I am usually thinking the toes, and is covered mode ately with hair. Now examine the foot of the Caro-

lina hare. At the first gance it is notdifferent from its cous n's foot but a Young lady (in dry goods store) - c over scrutiny discovers a partial web "These goods will wash, of course, Mr. between the toes, and a lesser quantity of hair on the whole f ot. These charac-

Spindlet

Mr. Van Fensselaer Van Twiller The foot of the common have will, on

cars of an intense loathing of ton of restlessness. To a married floor, and from sheer exhaustion slept it was my only hope, and that failing being manufactured best in this coun-a estimation of the state with the gates. That we have to happer, everything else in this coun-until daybreak. 5 especially so, and therefore ummers are young and single.

atest wrinkles in a lvertisashess of the scheme, providhis real mean ng.

as abliged, willy nilly, to God! He had befriended me in my most and beyond the double wall, if I therein enumerated there is only one Withers, the goods will wash."-Epoch. mo t resistance to slipping. These refrom place to place as if driven by hour of need. I fell fainting to the had come out on the side with the gates, that we have to import, everything else

I believe that the judges would have upward.

me and the freshly-sawed slot in the across my face! I had come out into the in that line. And anvils also are the assigned to this tack turned over each an composed of deaf and dumb striking wheel of the clock was discov- open space diagonally across from the only articles we handle which we do not card, read the writer's name, and put it One of this kind is in the ered, and I was again summoned for tower gate. The stars were shining in guarantee. Blacksmiths are so care ul after the words "Return to," on the The Savannah (Ga.) Note tells of a a glove store on upper Broad. further trial. The guards swore that no the sky, and now and then a cloud as regards their anvils, and there is each face of the card. The distributing clerk man in that town who was lately stung person had access to me after my arrest. swept over the moon as though to shroud a peculiar tem er necessary, that we re-which the name of the by what they call the electric bug. It Lewiston. In fact the practice is grow-cards indorsed with directions like is so called because it was never seen ing out the fashion. The devotees

and thus left a doubt in their minus. In e devotees the so cance it was never seen ing quite the fashion. The devotees the so cance it was never seen ing quite the fashion. The devotees the so cance ing quite the fashion. The devotees the so cance ing quite the fashion. The devotees the so cance ing quite the fashion. The devotees the so cance ing quite the fashion. The devotees the so cance ing quite the fashion. The devotees the so cance ing quite the fashion. The devotees the so cance ing quite the fashion. The devotees the so cance ing quite the fashion. The devotees the so cance ing quite the fashion. The devotees the so cance ing quite the fashion. The devotees the so cance ing quite the fashion in the devotees the so cance ing quite the fashion. The devotees the so cance ing quite the fashion. The devotees the so cance ing quite the fashion. The devotees the so cance ing quite the fashion in the devotees the so cance ing quite the fashion. The devotees the so cance ing quite the fashion in the devotees the so cance ing quite the fashion in the devotees the so cance ing quite the fashion in the devotees the so cance ing quite the fashion in the devotees the so cance ing quite the fashion in the devotees the so cance ing quite the fashion in the devotees the so cance ing quite the fashion in the devotees the so cance ing quite the fashion in the devotees the so cance ing quite the fashion in the devotees the so cance ing quite the fashion in the devotees the so cance ing quite the fashion in the devotees the so cance ing quite the s but by fingers so arranged in a death sentence to soltary confinement sword, I climbed up to the level ground, mail we ship the anvils without guaran- Silas," "Return to Your Ownest Own," Within twenty-four hours the man's they make what is called "a smear" with they have been and the standard makes etc. Now, whenever the clerk makes head and face were broken out with sores, castie soap, and what not, and apply it werk as I was, some strange, new-found go through all right. Why it is that his appearance in the office he is greeted while the arm to the shoulder was so delicately, voluptuously to the nostrils. What modification! Better death than that; better to know power impelled me onward, and I fied, this country does not manufacture an with cries of "Return to mamma." - swollen as to be useless. A good doctor A species of mild intoxication is said to

that the reader is up in that one swift stroke would end all not knowing naught caring whither I was any lequal to the English ones I do not A bang (N. T.) Journal. that one switt stroke would end all not knowing daught caring which it was interferent to the registration of the switt stroke would end all not knowing daught caring which it was interferent to the registration of the switt stroke would end all not knowing daught caring which it was interferent to the registration of the switt stroke would end all not knowing daught caring which it was interferent to the registration of the switt stroke would end all not knowing daught caring which it was interferent to the registration of the switt stroke would end all not knowing daught caring which it was interferent to the registration of the switt stroke would end all not knowing daught caring which it was interferent to the registration of the switt stroke would end all not knowing daught caring which it was interferent to the registration of the switt stroke would end all not know is subscription of the switt stroke would. I had tasted the st. Leals the able to be switt stroke would. I had tasted the st. Leals the able to be switt stroke would. I had tasted the st. Leals the able to be switt stroke would.

After the novelty of and I started forward, listening, trem- be under the Thames! Will the swift representative, "which is deserving of they won't wash but er m - ah." will be found a very different sort of ye, I'm sure the lady II excuse us, 'cos bling, praying. Twelve! I could feel influx of water flood my cell and bear to mention. We issue a catalogue of (00) Employer (emphatically)-"Yeu may modification. This have must travel mention mention we is come out of the the very vibrations of the bell beating them the unwritten story of my strug- pages, containing a list of every article say to the young lady, Mr. Spindle, that over the yielding or, as frequently, silper is multiply of my strugof iron and heavy hardware which we the goods will wash."

> A Joke on a Postal Clerk. me, death would be welcome, so I pushed try, and that one article is an ancil. A short time ago an order was re- mainly by a very heavy growth of hair and tried, but some other pupil always Three or four manufacturing firms in ceived at the postoffice from Washington on the foot between the toes. The foot gets it. "But you must keep on tryreinstated me, could they have been al- How my heart throbs as I recall that ingland supply the entire world with to return uncalled for postal cards to the of the Arctic hare is even more a snow- ing. ' said his mother, encouragingly. lowed to use their own discretion, but instant, when, pushing through the turf, auvils, and one especially, in Dudley, writer in the same way that letters have shoe than the foot of the aquatic hare is "it's no use" replied the boy, "I shan't powerful even es were at work against I feit the air of heaven again blowing England, whose goods are the standard been sent back. The clerk who was a paddle, - Scientific American.

Stung by the Electric Bug.

A Story of Ate Lincoln.

Stories of Abe Lincoln always pass as heretofore been looked upon as per- | and as solid as a Dutch cheese, -Lewiss, coin everyhere, and it is not too late for fectly harmless.

pery snow, and it needs afoot which will be puto keep out hinfection. Severe quirements are met by a greater expan- for good behavior," exclaimed a South sion of the membranes of the toes and Side way, just in from school; "I ve tried , try a y more. It's a clean waste of goodsess" - Chicago Gio e.

Snuff Dipping in Maine.

Shiff dipning is on the increase at managed to cure him, though con- result. Twenty-five pounds of shuff is I fessedly purzled by the case, since the in- one to acconsts order for a week. It sect whose bite caused the trouble hid comes in or bladders as big as your head (ton (Me.) Journal.