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## eds Have Kidney make and Never Suspect it.

How To Find Out. or common glass with your land twenty-four hours; brick dust sediment, or settling. stringy or milky appearance often indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys; too frequent desire to pass it or pain in o symptoms that tell you

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NATURE FURNISHES MANY SIM-PLE BUT INTERESTING ONES.

Swiss Weather-House, a Common Toy, Quite Trustworthy - Chameleon Barometer a Curiosity-Simple Test for Humidity.

One of the oldest and simplest ways of telling whether the air is dry or moist is to suspend a piece of 9:30-Adjourn. seaweed out of doors, or even in an apartment where there is no artificial heat. The weed is crisp and dry at the approach of fine weather, while

A common toy, the Swiss weatherhouse, is really quite trustworthy in its forecasts, says the Strand. The woman, of course, emerges from the little house in fine weather, while the man comes out when wet conditions are to be expected.

In a medium state of the atmosphere both figures stand just inside the house. The movements are due 11:05-Round Table Discussion, led hoped that the Masons of Eastern to the twisting of a cord of catgut, a substance which is highly sensitive to changes in the humidity of the air.

Two very singular weather devices are those in which a frog and a leech | 12:00-The Teachers' Meeting, by L. | be granted. imple bottle sent free are employed. In the former case a glass jam-jar is filled to about twothirds of its capacity with water. A little wooden ladder is constructed, THIRD SESSION-FRIDAY AFTERNOON. and this is placed inside the jar.

A frog will live quite happily in such a position for a few weeks, and it will be found that in fine weather the creature will climb out up to the top of the ladder. In stormy weather, however, the frog prefers to remain under the water.

Even more reliable as weather prophets are leeches. A single leech is placed in a broad glass bottle with a piece of perforated bladder or leather over the mouth. On the approach of fine or frosty weather the leach remains almost motionless, curled up at the bottom. When rain or wind is R. C. DUNN. Enfold, N. C. face, while a coming thunderstorm will cause it to be much agitated; at times the leach will even leave the water altogether, so sensitive is the animal

to an electrical disturbance. The chameleon barometer is a curiosity which has puzzled many people, but its construction is really very simple. The animal changes color according to the weather, being pink in damp conditions, purple in a variable state, and bright blue when the air is

A cardboard mount is prepared, and this may be lettered in sections, Fair Storm and Change. The chameand then immersed in a solution of chloride of sodium and gum arabic. Any chemist will make up the mix-

scope is formed of a flower made of | indeed, of the whole South. white blotting-paper which has been immersed in the cobalt mixture. The blessoms show many varying shades, from bright pink to sky blue, with the better public schools for his people. Mason may take all or any part of changes in the degree of dampness in He was a remarkable orator, and a the atmosphere.

A somewhat curious storm-glass was introduced by the late Admiral Fitzroy. This is formed of a glass tube, stoppered, but with a small hole been poured a mixture of camphor, to devote himself to what he felt to meeting. nitre, sal ammoniac, alcohol and water. The changes in the state of the atmosphere are indicated by the pro- at that time. duction of feathery growths, these exstorm and retreating to the lower part of the tube in quiet weather.

## Spiking Obsolete Nowadays.

One reads in the war news that the Italians found that guns in the Tripoli erally they must have been guns of try. mainly antiquarian interest.

The expression, "spiking guns," is a survival from the day when all that was necessary to put a gun out of drove the nail into the touch-hole at

It is just as simple, perhaps simpler, to put a modern gun out of action. All you want is a hammer. The diminished. held closed by serew threads, after end came while he was addressing a If you need something to start the of the doubt-either way it's good the breech block is shut on the shell, a turn of two or three inches engages the threads. By knocking a burr on ly closed would, of course, be of material assistance to the enemy.

## The Average Man. The average man is a person who

blankida. It is absure and nek for "Mrs. you named one of your rang" and take no other him.—Calveston News.

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## ODD WEATHER DEVICES SUNDAY SCHOOL AND EPWORTH LEAGUE. An Institute to be Held In The Methodist Church May 23-24.

FIRST DAY -- THURSDAY NIGHT.

by Rev. L. T. Singleton. field secretary.

9:00-The Bible, the Word of God, by Rev. R. F. Bumpass.

SECOND DAY-FRIDAY MORNING.

ed by Rev. Rufus Bradley. tion, by Rev. J. W. Frank; (3) wonderful saving of time and ex-The End in View of the Real pense, and such a dispensation is Teacher, by Rev. F. F. Eure.

by M. W. Brabham. 11:40-The Teacher Training Class, splendid opportunity and take ad-

by Rev. L. F. Singleton.

Leggett. 12:20-Adjourn.

3:00-Devotional Services, by Rev. J. W. Frank.

-General topic: Sunday School Management and Organization-(1) The Superintendent and His Program, by M. W. partment, by Prof. Jesse B. Aiken; (3) The Cradle Roll partment, by Rev. Rufus Bradley.

Round Table Discussion, led by M. W. Brabham.

Rev. L. T. Singleton.

## National Recognition of Aycock.

The Youth's Companion, of Boston, rechaps the most influential general family weekly in the world, publishes on its editorial page a striking picture of ex-Governor Aycock and writes of him as follows:

lean is sketched out on blotting-paper, life so well as that of the late Charles Kadosh, nineteenth to thirtieth de-B. Aycock, once Governor of North A more beautiful chemist hygro- Sense of the people of his State, and annual dues are \$1.00 per year in as the Balancing rock. Rising from

equipment, deeply interested in through the cork. Into the tube has Governor of his State, he determined be the supreme need of his people

"It was a time when North Caro- May 31st. tending upward at the approach of a lina, like the other Southern States, was at last emerging from the poverty and depression that followed Venerable Master Lodge of Perfecthe war-a period during which it had simply been impossible for the South to keep pace in educational forts "spiked." If that is meant lit- progress with the rest of the coun- IMPORTANT NEWS TO CALOHEL USERS.

"So the young and brilliant Gov- Dodson's Liver-Tone is a Perfect ernor made education the constant theme of his oratory. He preached action (provided, of course, that you better schools from every platform bad access to it) was a large nail or in the State. He fought for them spike and a hammer. You simply in political conventions. He became

"He died as he had lived, for the ever lived. His subject was 'Universal Educa- Liver-Tone. It is a harmless vegetion,' and it is said that 'education' table liquid which will liven up the gaging. Any attempt to fire the gun was the very last word he spoke be- liver better than calomel does and without the breech block being perfect. fore he threw up his arms, reeled without any bad after-effects. No backward, and fell down dead be- restriction of habit or diet is necesfore the thousands who had just sary. Dodson's Liver-Tone is as been applauding him. All parties safe for children as it is for grown and all races in North Carolina be- people and everybody likes its taste. good while after he has forgotten that ble monument to his memory. But E. T. Whitehead Company's drug ed to exceed 45,000 miles. The averyou named one of your children after he has already monuments by the store, and if you do not find that it Old North State is one of them."

> Let the Truth Stand In Lilian Whiting's "The Brownings" occurs this anecdote: "In the last days in Venice Browning was reading to his son and daughter-inlaw that 'Epilogue' which sums up his own attitude to life and its problems -the familiar verse beginning, 'One who never turned his back, but marched breast forward,' and, pausing at the stanza, said, 'It seems al- duke, "surely not-there is a penny most like praising myself to say that, for you, and if all the rest of your and yet it is true, the simple truth, relations will give you as much you'll and so I shall not conceal it."

## IMPORTANT MASONIC NOTICE. Grand Scottish Rite Reunton at Enfield

on May 31, 1912. Enfield, N. C., May 20.-For the first time in years it will be possible 8:15-Service of song and prayer led for third and fourteenth degree Masons in good standing to receive 8:30-Address, The Standard of Ex- all the degrees to and including the cellence, by M. W. Brabham, thirty-second degree at the Masonic Temple, Enfield, N. C., on Friday, May 31, 1912. A special dispensation has been secured from Hon. James Wakefield Cortland, thirtythird degree Sovereign Grand In-10:00-Devotional service, conduct- spector for North Carolina for Carolina Consistory of Charlotte, to hold it is flabby and moist when rain is 10:20-General topic: The Teacher a meeting at Enfield and communi-(15 minutes each)-(1) Meth- cate and confer all degrees. Ordinods of Preparing and Present- arily a Mason re iding in Eastern ing the Lesson, by Joseph North Carolina must go to Charlotte Early; (2) Using the Black- and spend a week to become a thirtyboard to Get and Hold Atten- second degree Mason. This is a

> vantage of it, or it will never again Friday morning on the shoofly and of the saddest sights in life. from the north on No. 89. You cannot come on No. 80 and get the degrees. Bring your blue lodge re-

not easy to secure, and it is to be

North Carolina will appreciate this

While you will receive the degrees at Enfield, you will be a member of the higher bodies at Charlotte and the officers of Carolina Consistory, Brabham; (2) The Home De- Charlotte, and the Charlotte Consistory Choir will be present and

confer the degrees.

At Enfield we have the first two Scottish Rite bodies: Lodge of Per- your jape. fection, fourth to fourteenth de gree, and Chapter of Rose Croix, FOURTH SESSION -FRIDAY EVENING. fifteenth to eighteenth degree. The 8:00-Epworth League-Addresses Council of Kadosh, nineteenth to a joke as to have the point hanging givenness for his terrible crime and to appears his wrath, the general beby Rev. B. C. Thompson and thirtieth, and Consistory, thirty- around in plain sight before the story other sins and was saved. first and thirty-second degrees, are is well started. at Charlotte as stated. While you receive the degrees in Enfield you are members of the Charlotte bodies suspicion of sadness in it. . above the eighteenth degree. The fees charged by these bodies for the degrees are as follows: Lodge of Perfection, fourth to fourteenth de- man many friends that he otherwise stock in the South, must alike learn means that dogs were killed on sight. gree inclusive, \$25.00; Chapter of might have lost."-New York Morning the lesson of a maximum of cheap Rose Croix, fifteenth to eighteenth | Telegraph. "Rarely does a man's death fit his degree inclusive, \$25.00; Council of gree inclusive, \$30.00; Consistory, Carolina. No wonder the manner thirty-first and thirty-second deof his dying touched the dramatic grees, \$55.50; total, \$136.50. The "Avcock's life-work was a long Masons are especially invited to ?oin and successful fight for more and our new Chapter of Rose Croix. A the degrees at this time. We shall public man of unusual parts and have splendid work, beautiful music and a nice banquet. No Mason many public questions. But when, ever regretted beginning the beauare cordially invited to start at this

A warm and cordial greeting awaits you at Enfield on Friday,

Fraternally yours, HARRY W. GOWEN, 32 deg , fection, and Wise Master Chapter Rose Croix.

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great audience at Birmingham, Ala. liver to working take Dodson's

thousand; every school house in the absolutely takes the place of calomel, this drug store will give you your money back if you ask for it.

> Pald Proportionate Share A poor fellow having with difficulty procured an audience of the duke of Newcastle, told his grace he only came to solicit him for something towards a support, and as they were of the same family, both being descended from Adam, hoped he should not be refused. "Surely not," said the be a richer man than I am."

# TO TELL FUNNY STORY

PROPER METHOD IS REVEALED BY THEOPHILUS SMIFF.

Take Joke by the Hand and Lead It About Until Thoroughly Acquainted, Then Assume Air of Undertaker and Spring It.

Ever since Cain slew Abel for calling one of his pet jokes a "chestnut," the world has been taking lessons in the art of being funny. The desire to be funny lurks in every human breast. There have been men who have lived it down, and these have invariably become great statesmen.

The Morning Telegraph has called upon Theophilus Smiff, the great expert and scientist, who is said to have been the first man who ever made a theater box office man smile, but he kept his secret well and became famous. Prof. Smiff said:

"Humor is anything that is funny, It is in everything and in everybody. that we get our only true effects.

"Therefore, no matter how good the joke, unless it be told in a manner to Masons south of Enfield must come dead weight and furnishes us with one to satisfy a grudge the negro had enforced idleness that would other-

"Select from any well known joke book a story. It should not be too scriptions and apologies. "Never apologize for a joke.

casket they are to view the late la-

"Remember above all things that the face should be solemn, and the voice low and well modulated, with just a

entirely until you need it. Noth-

"Learn to pause at the right piace and if you are in doubt at all, the best ing perk on corn and other high hysteries and frenzies. At Argos & "Learn to pause at the right piace place to pause is just before you start priced concentrates. The pork pro- festival was held during the dogdays

Wonderful Curiosity. river, a short distance above Portland Ore., stands one of the most remark land worth from \$15 to \$40 an scre the wear again." "Is it?" growled able rocks in the world. It is known will produce as much or more pork then, it's comething that doesn't cost each body. All fourteenth degree a broad base is a small column, roughly round in shape. Just above this is a ling States that are worth from \$100 his wife, seeing that he had a cinch, huge mass of rock, bearing a tree on to \$200 per acre. the summit, the total height of rock | When the hogs are on oats, wheat, and column being about 100 feet. Al barley, Permuda grass or rape, at though a great deal larger and heavier than the pillar on which it stands, the big rock is very accurately bal should be given, consisting of about Chamberlain's Cough Remedy more anced. For how many centuries this six or eight parts of corn or rice by- than now. This is shown by the inodd freak has stood not even the a decade or more ago, he was chosen tiful Scottish Rite journey and you wisest scientists are able to determine but it has evidently been there for a very long period. The entire rock is cowpeas, soy beans and peanuts, one are troubled with a cough or cold of a volcanic nature, and the most fourth of a full grain ration should give it a trial and become acquaintsingular thing about it is the fact that be given, consisting of corn, or rice the knob and pillar are entirely dis by products. These supplies by all dealers. the knob and pillar are entirely dis- by products. These supplemental jointed from one another. Wind and weather, no doubt, are slowly wearing the Balancing rock away, but the omitted, for they not only prove improcess is so imperceptible that, fail mensely profitable on their own acing some unforseen catastrophe, the count, but add to the value of the most of each day as it comes along monument will probably endure for many centuries.

## Vanderbilt Gets a Tip.

There are a lot of stories told o: Farmer. that famous amateur whip, Alfred Vanderbilt, who has once again taket to himself a wife. On one occasion he had an amusing experience while driving his coach between London and Brighton. At one stopping place Vanderbilt afterwards, "took the money and put it in my pocket, and I think I had the better of him. I don't know whether this particular Amer ican intended it as a snub because I was a coachman or because he didn't know me: let us give him the benefit inherited £20,000,000 from his father the late Cornelius Vanderbilt. He owns over 100 prize horses and con siders coaching "the finest sport ir the world."-London Tattler.

### Mighty River Amazon. It has been stated in official consu-

lar reports that the aggregate navigable waters of the Amazon and tribugan at once to contribute to a mar- Buy a bottle for fifty cents from taries for all sort of craft are estimatthe average width from 6 to 40 miles. At the mouth near Para the river is 138 miles wide, including the Island of Marajo and the northern and southern outlets. The immense volume of water discharged marks a path of yellow water in the blue of the Atlantic easily distinguishable for 150 miles at sea, creating a fresh water sea while out of sight of land. This vellow or old gold colored water uniting with the equatorial current trends to the north at the rate of six miles an hour, and entering the Caribbean sea forms what is recognized as the Gulf stream.

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## BRAD BAGLEY ELECTROCUTED.

## He Went to the Chair Terribly Unnerved Before Execution.

strong effort to control himself. He Farmer. mented, and then give utterance to talked and prayed while the strang were being fastened about him in "The best way is to get the point of the death chair. Bagley left a note The "dogdays" are so called be the story well in mind and then put it addressed to his friends in which he cause the Greeks on first beholding ing so intereferes with the success of declared that he had obtained for-

## A Lesson We Most Leara.

"This has been known to save a decor and the breeder of pure-bred known as "Cynophantes," which feeds harvested largely by the hogs and a minimum of concentrates. By On the banks of the Williamette growing two crops a year of those The other day a woman said, "I hear feeds most suitable for hog feeding, that Valenciennes lace is going to be

least one fourth of a full grain ration products and one par of tankage. feeds must not on any account be

# Butter Producing Country.

There were 1,620,765,000 pounds butter, valued at \$405,000,000, prc. regularly, Doan's Regulets will preand Brighton. At one stopping place an American approached him and hand ed him a substantial "tip." "I toucked the United States during the census bowels without griping. Ask your my hat in customary style," said Mr vear 1900, according to a statement druggist for them. 25 cents. issued by the census hureau. The largest total quantity was produced by the West North Central division. Among the States, Wiscons n ranks pleads for plays based on some emofirst as a butter producer, with lown tion other than love. The difficulty second and Minnesota third, Penn- In producing such plays is that every sylvania, Michigan, Ohio, Illinois, play must have a hero, and in making New York, Texas and Indiana trail- a hero the playwright, as well as his ing along in the order as given, audience, almost inevitably adopts the One and a half billion pounds of view expressed two thousand years butter valued at over four hundred ago by a scribe on one of the dead million dollars is going some along walls of Pompell: "He who has never the butter route.

## Give The Children Good Books to Read.

Believe me, you cannot leave your children a better heritage than a deep and abiding love of books and Raleigh, N. C., May 18.-Praying a taste for the best in literature. for mercy and confessing his guilt And you must begin when they are Brad Bagley, the largest man of the little. Read good books and poems twelve who have died in the electric to them and when they get old chair at the State's prison here since enough to read for themselves see Extracted humor is followed by laugh. it came into service over a year ago, what they are reading. Aside from ter, for it is by striking the responsive paid the death penalty between 10 the fact that what a child reads has humor chord in the human breast and 11 o'clock 11 o'clock Friday, for a great effect on his character as an shooting from ambush Chief of Po- adult, there will come times when a lice R. W. White, of Williamston, love and appreciation of good books strike that cord, it falls of its own August 15th, last. The killing was will brighten hours of loneliness or against the officer on account of his wise be dark and gloomy indeed. To enforcement of the prohibition law weep over the sorrows of little Nell new, as it is likely not to go so well against blind tigers. It was after or David Copperfield, or laugh at as an old reliable joke that has been White had started home late at Mr. Micawber or thrill at the exthrough several campaigns. Then cut night that Bagley fired a lead of ploits of Rob Roy or Ivanhoe or from it all unnecessary adjectives, de buck shot into his back. White Marmion will prove a panacea for lived half an hour and in his dying dullness, yes, and grief, too, and "Take your joke by the hand, and statement said he recognized Bagley leave one without any ruffled feelafter having led it about until you Since then the negro has made a ings such as intercourse with people know all of its family history, assume confession. He was terribly un-sometime: gives .- Mrs. Lill'an the air of a funeral director telling nerved in the morning, but made a Brooks Gatlin, in The Progressive

## - As to the "Dogdays."

were went to sacrifice a brown dog lief being that Sirius was the cause of the hot, sultry weather usually attendant upon its appearance, and that on the first morning of its rising the We have too long tried to follow sea boiled, wine turned sour, dogs the custom of other sections in mak- grew mad and man became afficted

## Unwise Comment,

How much wiser would a man appear if he reserved his comments. her husband. "I'll bet you an oil well, than the lands of the great hog-rais- a cent under 37 cents a yard." And was silent, and would not stay in and call him.

There never was a time when people appreciated the real merits of crease in sales and voluntary testimonials from persons who have been When the logs are on the clovers, cured by it. If you or your children

Sane Philosophy. About the sanest philosophy any woman can have is to aim to make the and not borrow trouble from the fucheap crops gathered by the hogs, ture or bemoan the regretful past. Go and produce a healthier hog and a through each day with a determination better carcass .- The Progressive to make it just as useful, cheerful and helpful as possible. If you live out this belief your life cannot help but be successful.

If you haven't the time to exercise

# Cannot Eliminate Love. A periodical devoted to the drams

loved a woman is not a gentleman."

## How The Body Kills Germs.

Garms that get into the body are killed in two ways-by the white corpuectes of the blood, and by a germ-tilling substance that is in the blood. Just what this substance is, we do not know. The blood of a healthy person always has some germ-killing substance in it to wend off the attack of disease. The fountain head of tife is the stomach. A man who has a weak and impaired stomach and who does not properly digent his food will soon find that his blood has become weak and impoverience, and that his whole body is improperly and insufficiently nourished. To put the body in healthy common, to feed the system on rich, red blood and throw out the pottent from the body, nothing in the past forty years has a solled Dr. Pierce's Colden Medical Discovery, a pure plyeurie counce (without ricohol), of bloodroot, golden



queen's root with black cherrybark. impure blood, which a sufferer from stomach trouble and impure blood, which sales Man. James H. Manrix, of Frankfield at. "He led a sore on his face that would form a moveled weekly dry and drop off in about a month, then another would immediately form. It continued this way the a long time. He tried every remedy that any one would suggest bet found no relief. He then tried Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Diseasery which completely cured him. He has stayed cured now for two years, and I recommend this valuable me factor for impurities of the blood."

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