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# Fame.

Ah, Fate, cannot a man Be wise without a Leard? From East to West, from Beersheba to Dan, Say, was it never heard That wisdom might in youth be gotten Or wit be ripe before 'twas rotten?

He pays too high a price For knowledge and for tame Who gives his sinews to be wise, His teeth and bones to buy a name, And crawls through life a paralytic, To earn the priise of bard and critic

Is it not better done, To dine and s'eep through forty Be loved by few, be teared by nom Laugh life away, have wine for test And take the mortal leap undaunted, Content that all we ask was granted?

But Fate will not permit The seed of gods to die. Nor sufter senses to win from wit Its guerdon in the sky; Nor let us hide, whate'er our pleasure The world's light underneath a measure.

Go then, sad youth, and shine! Go, serifice to Fame; I'at love, joy, heal h, upon the shrine, An I life to fan the flame! Thy hapless self for praises barter, And die to Fance an h, nored martyr. -R. W. Emerson.

#### The Doctor's Experience.

"If you please, uncle," said Nanny Juniper, "I would like to speak to you."

Old Doctor Juniper dropped his newspaper in dismay; the spectacles fell limply off his nose.

"You don't mean to tell me," said he, 'that them cider-bar'ls sprung a leak ag'in!"

"No, uncle," said Nannie, nervously, pleating the frill of her apron, and changing color as she spoke. "Then the red cow is got astray,"

groaned the doctor. "It does beat all how careless the neighbors are about their bars."

"The red cow is all right, uncle," | cent!"

"Them's my terms," said Mise fowl for roasting, made a little bread-Crowe, "and I wouldn't vary from sauce for it, concocted her uncle's favo-'em, not for the president of the rite blueberry-pudding, and then re-United States!" treated up stairs, where she packed "There's an end of the matter, then," the little trunk, which had once besaid Doctor Juniper. longed to her mother, and whose sur-"Just as you please," said Betsey face was decorated with "A. J."-for Crowe, tartly.

DEININGER & BUMILLER, Editors and Proprietors.

Antoinetta Juniper-in brass nails. Louisa Henley would not undertake "I can't live so!" said Nanny. "My the place unless her mother and elevenboots are all patches, and Uncle Junivears-old brother could come as comper thinks two pairs a year are enough pany for her. Mrs. Cackle expected for anybody. My dresses aren't fit to the washing to be put out, and a cleanbe seen, and Uncle Juniper is always ing woman engaged for every Satursaying that his mother's calico dresses day. Maria Michels hinted at the lasted year after year. I can't even privilege of filling the vacant rooms put a five-cent-piece in the contribuof the house with summer boarders. tion-plate at church, without Uncle And the upshot of it all was that Doc-Juniper's accusing me of extravagance. tor Juniper came home in desperation, If he won't pay me the wages which I without any help whatsoever. am sure I earn, I will go down to the He telegraphed to his cousin, an Lake View House and help Mrsancient female, somewhere on the edge Danesbury make pies and puddings of the Adirondacks, to come to the for her boarders. She told me, long rescue. She came. But she was subago, that she would give me ten dolject to the rheumatism, to epileptic lars a month, during the busy season, fits, and to an undue fondness for the to assist her." brandy-bottle, and at the end of a

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Doctor Juniper relished his roast chicken and blueberry-pudding as only an elderly gourmand can relish the appetizing edibles of this world.

Nanny sat opposite him, looking rather distraite and thoughtful. And when he had sopped up the last of his pudding-sauce with a piece of bread, wiped his mouth, and folded up his navkin, she spoke out:

Oncle, I'm going away to-morrow." "Be you?" said Doctor Juniper. "To earn my own living," said Nan-

ny. "Humph!" commented Doctor Juniper. "Well, suit yourself-suit your-

self!" "Mrs. Danesbury is going to pay me ten dollars a month," explained Nanny. "But I'd rather stay with you at half the price, if-"

"I'll see you-further!" said Doctor Doctor Juniper's face fell. Juniger. "I won't pay you a red "Hugh Danesbury!" said he. "That's he young fellow that works at the

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A PAPER FOR THE HOME CIRCLE.

## CLIPPINGS FOR THE CURIOUS.

About seven centuries before the christian era Southern Italy was so thickly set with Grecian cities as to be known as Magna Græcia.

says that according to the last census, 756,893 persons died in the United There is a creek several miles from States during 1880. The death rate Wavnesboro, Ga., which is so highly for the whole Union was therefore impregnated with lime that it will 15.1 to the thousand. That is a low take the hair off a horse's legs in passrate, and yet it was much higher than ing through it. that given in 1870, which was only

The silver ore of the Nevada mines is so intimately associated with lead that nearly one-half of the miners who handle it become afflicted sooner or later with wrist drop, palsy, or half paralysis.

Mr Edward Atkinson says it would require 16.000,000 persons, using the spinning wheel and hand loom of less than a century ago, to make the cotton cloth used by our people, which is now manufactured by 160,000.

Among the Chinese no relics are more valuable than the boots that have been worn by a magistrate. If he resigns and leaves the city a crowd accompanies him to the gates, where his boots are drawn off with great ceremony, to be preserved in the hall of justice.

A Tennessee doctor has a curious Indian relic. It is a ring, made of pure silver nicely engraved and weighs twenty-three pennyweights, and, considering the primitive tools with

which the Indians must have worked, the engraving is said to be remarkably well done. The general design, although smaller in circumference, resembles in a marked degree the

bracelets most in favor with the society belles of to-day.

The slaughter of a plow ox is prohibited by law in China, and a violation of the law is punished by two months' imprisonment and 100 blows of the heavy bamboo; except in cases where the offender is the owner of the animal, when the imprisonment is one

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THE FAMILY DOCTOR.

The Use and Abuse of Bathing.

rector of the Boston Union gymnasi-

um, gave in one of his talks on physi-

cal training, general rules for bathing

as follows: "A warm bath, with liberal

use of Castile soap is best for cleanli-

ness, and night the best time. Twice

a week is often enough. Too frequent

warm baths debilitate the system. A

cool sponge or wet cloth bath should

be taken daily for its tonic effect and

always in a warm room. If strong

and vigorous, the best time is the

morning; if not strong, the cold bath

had better be omitted and the tepid

substituted. After exercise, if greatly

fatigued, take no bath, but rub down

vigorously with a dry towel. If thor-

Dr. Dudley A. Sargent, medical di

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### Alone.

The sun shines out across the sea, The old church bell chimes merrily, But the maiden sighs in misery,

And wanders sad and lone; For he has gone, her lover true, Across the ocean, wide and blue-Now fall her tears like evening dew, And thus she makes her moan:

My love has gone! Ah, well a day! My heart is steeped in misery! And must it now be thus lor aye? Ah. woe! Ah. woe is me!

The breakers on the sounding shore Are leaping high with ceaseless roar, And the maiden watches by her door

With sad and anxious eye. The white foam falls around her there, And flecks with snow her raven hair, But still she watches in despair And murmurs with a sigh:

> My love has gone! Ah, well a-day! My heart is filled with misery! And must it now be thus for aye? Ah, woe! Ah, woe is me!

The dark clouds drive across the skies, She sees the moon among them rise; High on the sands her lover lies. He ne'er will speak again! She kneels beside him all alone, Above the wild winds sigh and moan, But the maiden's heart is turned to stone, For now all hope is vain.

My love is dead! Ah, well-a-day! My heart is steeped in misery; And it must now be thus for aye, Ah, woe! Ah, woe is me!" Ogilvie Mitchell.

#### FUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

Trousers cover a multitude of shins! Cannot lawyers be termed fee-males? A wife may be a blessing, but a

dumb wife is an unspeakable one. It is a terrible shock to one's feelings, after singing "Salvation's Free," to hear the announcement that "the collection will now be taken."

The question is asked us, If there is anything that will bring youth to women? Yes, indeed. An income of say \$20,000 will bring any number of

was due entirely to more complete returns of deaths, and even the figures for that year cannot be regarded as accurate. Except in a comparatively small number of communities, vital statistics are not gathered in the

a little over fifteen. But that is a low rate as compared with European 21.3 in 1878.

was 12.5.

Of the 756,893 deaths recorded in the census returns 640,191 were of whites, out of a total white population of 43,402,970, and 116,702 of negroes, out of a total colored popu-

> lation of 6,752,813. The apparent death rate, therefore, was 14.74 among the whites, and 17.28 among the Legroes.

CENSUS VITAL STATISTICS.

A Year's Deaths in the United States .-

The Causes of Death, and Other

An article in the New York Sun

Interesting Facts.

12.8 per thousand, while the death

rate according to the census of 1860

But the apparent increase in 1880

Of the deaths reported 391,960 were of males and 364,933 of females, the total living population having been 25,518,820 males and 24,636,963

females. For every thousand deaths of females there were 1.074 of males.

The proportion of males dying in infancy was also greater than that of females. Of the 390,644 males who | throughout whole states and have

must be guided by his own physical condition and his occupation."

Colds More Fatal than Plagues. Dr. F. H. Bosworth in a lecture on "Colds and their Consequences," given

The Bee's Sting.

If we press the abdomenen of the

pee wasp, so as to cause the sting to

protude, it is but natural to think that

the sharp, dark-colored instrument was

the sting itself. This, however, is not.

the case. The real sting is a very

slender instrument, and armed on one

edge with a row of barbs. So exactly does

the sting resemble the many-barbed ar.

row of certain savage tribes that, if the

savages had possessed microscopes, we

should certainly have conjectured that

aided eye is simply the sheath of the

But the sting is infinitely superior to

the arrow poison. No poison that has

vet been made, not even the terrible

wourali, or curare, as it is sometimes

called, can retain its strength after

long exposure to air. The upas poison

in New York, said: Neglected colds, if we could trace

them through all their insidious influences to their ultimate result, have been responsible for a far greater loss of life than has been caused by any of

the terrible scourges which, in the form of epidemics, have decimated continents, carried terror and dismay died 163,880 were under five years of called forth the active sympathy and

oughly warmed up, but not tired, take United States after a scientific system. a tepid sponge bath standing. Never The actual mortality of the Union is take a tub bath, except when bathing probably somewhere between eighteen for cleanliness. A warm shower bath and nineteen per thousand, instead of followed by a cool sprinkling is preferable to a cold bath after exercise.

Vigorous exercise renders Turkish and countries, the death rate for the whole hot baths unnecessary; those should of England having been 20.5 per be reserved for medical cases. Skin thousand in 1880, and for Scotland, disorders are frequently caused by excessive bathing and the use of too

much soap. Although general rules for bathing could be given, every man

said Nanny. "It's about myself that I wanted to speak." Doctor Juniper drew a long breath

of relief.

said he, "about yourself? "Oh!" Well, if it is a new dress, you've had two already since Thanksgiving Day; and if you want to take lessons of the wax-flower woman, I think it's all stuff and nonsense. So there! Just hand me up the paper. Nanny, there's a good girl, and see what a nice blueberry dumpling you'll make me for dinner."

"Uncle," persisted Nanny. "I don't think you understand. I-I am not satisfied!"

"Not satisfied ?" repeated the doctor, opening his small, blue eyes to their utmost capacity.

"I should like you to pay me wages," went on Nanny; "because, uncle,don't you see ?-I'm doing all the work of the house, and saving you the expense of a hired girl, and I haven't a penny that I can call my own; and if it's ever so small an allowance, uncle, don't you see that it would save me the mortification of coming to you for every vard of tape and paper of needles that I want?"

"Nonsense!" roared the doctor.

"I shouldn't ask for it. uncle, if I didn't feel I deserved it," pleaded Nanny.

"Rubbish!" said her uncle.

"Six dollars a month isn't such a great deal of money," urged Nanny. "And I have lived here eight years already for nothing, you know."

"For nothing, eh?" said Doctor Juniper, severely. "I s'pose your board and lodging don't count; nor yet your clothes. Ah. the parson was right when he preached, last Sunday week, about the rank ingratitude of the human race. There never was anything like it-never!"

"Of course I'm very much obliged for all that you have done for me, uncle," said Nanny, "But I'm two-andtwenty now, and I really feel that I can earn a little money of my own. And if you think six dollars is too much, I shall be very thankful for month. five."

"Ah, indeed!" said Doctor Juniper. satirically. "Quite moderate, I'm sure! But, you see, our ideas don't ezackly agree. If you ain't satisfied with

And, surreptitiously eyeing her deanchor. The modern cant expression. him that a large sum of money was \$20 a week, on which he supports occupy I shall continue to maintain." "I think I kin suit ye, doctor," said parting figure over the rims of his the venom-bag and a small amount of "to the bitter end," may have taken its glasses, the old man chuckled to him-Miss Crowe. "I've lived housekeeper buried on his farm, but they did not his wife and daughter. Chicagoans The latter is grammatically correct. the poison driven into the wound. As rise from the old nautical words, as to several families. My terms is twelve know exactly where. Their instruc- can remember when Bob Hart got You can praise it, but literary art con. a rule, if the bee or wasp be allowed to self: meaning the last coil of the cable, or "I calc'late I've settled that busi- dollars a month and the privileges of tions were to bury all the cash he had \$300 a week during an entire season demns it as weak and unworthy. Go remain quiet, it will withdraw its sting, from the last end, the very "bitter" a home, and a young gal under me. for eight days, and then dig it up, in that city. He works among the back to the Old Testament. "Let but as the pain generally causes a sudness. Wages, indeed! Times has come dregs. It is a slang expression, anoth-Her wages will be four dollars extra." whereupon the place of the concealed poor people, and preaches several there be light and there was light." den jerk, the barbed weapon cannot be to a pretty pass, when my own niece er form of "I will fight you to the wants wages for doing my house-Doctor Juniper grew a tallowy treasure would be revealed. He times a week and twice on Sundays. Beyond the naked grandeur of these withdrawn, and the whole apparatus death." In it bitter only means pitiobeyed, and at the end of the pre- He hasn't touched a drop of liquor words art cannot go. And, in fact, work," white, of sting, poison-bag, and glands, is torn less, severe, like a bitter east wind, or a scribed time his \$5000 and the gypsies since the night from which he dates brevity is an art-and one worth culti-As for Nanny, she went quietly into "Do you s'pose I'm made of money?" out of the insect, thereby causing its the kitchen, where she prepared the said he. his conversion.-Cleveland Sun. death,-Good Werds, bitter foe. were gone. vating, too,

"Very well, uncle," said Nanny. And so she went away.

"She needn't think she's going to wind me around her little finger," said Doctor Juniper. "I can get plenty of housekeepers for less money that that. And I won't be imposed upon!" The doctor got his own breakfast

the next morning. It wasn't so easy as he had supposed it would be. The fire smoked and sulked, the coffee-pot tipped over, the fish was scorched, and the eggs overboiled.

"Hang it all!" said the doctor. "Things don't taste right anyhow. There must be a knack in cooking, after all."

He left the unwashed dishes on the table, saddled the roan horse, and set off immediately after he had swallowed the last drop of the flavorless coffee, in search of "help."

The Widow Keene was all smiles when he stopped at her little red cottage.

"So Nanny has gone, has she?" said the widow. "Wal, there ain't no dependence to be put on gals. And you feel the need of a real helpful companion? I did say, when I buried Keene, that nothin' should induce me to marry again, but-"

The doctor reined up Old Roan so suddenly that that meditative steed jumped off all four legs at once.

"Hold on!" said he. "I wasn't talkin' of matrimony. I ain't a marryin' man. All I want is hired help!"

"Do you mean to insult me?" said Widow Keene.

And she slammed the door in his face, and Doctor Juniper rode on, much marveling at the narrow escape he had had.

"I'll try Miss Mahala Dickerman." he concluded. "She ain't a widow. Widows are naturally sly and tricky."

Miss Mahala Dickerman was more reasonable. Yes, she would come. But she required her Sundays to herself, every Wednesday afternoon, the use of a horse and wagon to take her to church, and fourteen dollars a

"But what is to become of me on Sunday?" Doctor Juniper ventured to inquire.

Miss Mahala didn't know. She had

more, solemnly shaking his head.

mill, ain't it?" "Yes, uncle," said Nanny.

to see Nanny.

dimples.

pretty!"

"Then come, both of you," said Doctor Juniper. "Hugh shall run the farm on shares, and I'll pay you ten dollars, just the same. I can't live as I've been livin'. I'd sooner take laud-

month, Doctor Juniper was glad to

ship her off to a "Home for Aged

Women" in New York. And then,

subdued by much discipline, he walked

down to Mrs. Danesbury's and asked

Nanny came in, all smiles and

"Really," said the doctor, to himself,

She welcomed her uncle with the

"Nanny," said he, "you were right,

and I was wrong. I'm sorry I ever let

you go away. If you'll come back to

the old farm, I'll pay you ten dollars a

"Oh, uncle, I can't!" said Nanny,

laughing and blushing. "I've prom-

month and be thankful to you "

ised to marry Hugh Danesbury."

most affectionate of kisses.

"I hadn't au idea the girl was so

So the young people were married, and came to Juniper farm to live.

"And uncle's a deal easier to get along with than ever he was before!" said Nanny. For Doctor Juniper had profited from

his experience.-Helen Forest Graves.

# PEARLS OF THOUGHT.

feriority. The only rose without thorns 1s

friendship. We ought not to judge of man's merits by his qualifications but by the use he makes of them.

Though we travel the world over to find the beautiful, we must carry it with us, or we find it not.

Bashfulness may sometimes exclude pleasure, but seldom or ever opens any avenue for sorrow or remorse.

Attrition is to the stone what good influence is to the man. Both polisb while they reveal hidden beauties. Cares are often more difficult to

throw off than sorrows: the latter die with time, the former grow upon it. The leader will fail who acts on the

counsel of those whose intelligence and

Zealous men are ever displaying to you the strength of their belief, while grounds of it.

There is a wonderful vigor of constitution in a popular fallacy. When the world has once got hold of a lie, it is astonishing how hard it is to get it out of the world.

If a man be gracious and courteous to strangers, it shows he is a citizen of the world, and that his heart is no island cut off from other hearts, but a in the West. His stump speeches continent that joins them.

nity, and they go on in their folly.

He Had Confidence in Gypsies.

month and the number of blows

eighty. Mandarins who fail to take notice of such offences are also punished. The ox is thus honored above other beasts because he is annually offered to Confucius; and because of his services to man in plowing and the entire dependence of the husbandman on him, man should refrain from

doing him harm. It is related in Dr. Foot's Health

Monthly that Paul Bert saw at Geneva a curious specimen of humanity that would be worth a fortune to a Bowery museum or a travelling show. It was a child five years old, or somewhat more than one child, for it had two heads, two chests and four arms, Jealousy is a secret avowal of our in- but only one abdomen and one pair of legs, the fusion of the two bodies into one occurring at about the waist. Each head has control of the leg on its own side. The two faces are much alike, and the two intellects already understand several languages. The

> food which one takes does not satisfy the hunger of the other, and they eat and sleep alternately. One has had a fever without the other being ill. A New York restaurateur being

asked why it is considered so difficult to eat two or even one quail a day for

thirty days, replied, "Because the human stomach is an intelligent and sensitive member of society. If you were to feed it every day for thirty days on a pound or two of sawdust. you would not wonder if it rebelled. would you? No. Well, quail and the white meat of all birds is very much means of information is inferior to his like sawdust. It's dry; it's indigesti-

of course the stomach doesn't like it. and when you want to add more to it judicious men are showing you the the stomach is very apt to rebel and

> that important functionary with bribes of pepsin and that sort of thing, but there is a limit to even that. So you see why quail won't do for a steady diet."

"Senator Bob Hart," the negro minstrel, used to be a great favorite and his excruciating Latin were his chief stock in trade, but they were

when a ship rides at anchor: "bitter." a "What I say I mean," said Doctor "What's come to all the women?" writing: they say too much. Martin A band of gypsies camped in Misthen he has been known as the Rev. the sting. When the insect uses its turn of the cable about the timber Luther closed his speech before the Juniper, resuming the study of his said the doctor. souri. A farmer in the neighborhood J. M. Sutherland and a more conweapon it contracts the abdomen, called "bitts," that it may be veered diet of Worms with these words: "Here Betsey Crowe was the next person newspaper. "And now I'd like the was painfully twisted by rheumatism sistent, earnest Christian exhorter thereby forcing the sting out and comout little by little; and "bitter end" (of on whom he called—a sharp-nosed chance to read a spell afore I go out and they straightened him out with never lived. He has for nearly two I stand. I cannot do otherwise. God pressing the venom-bag. By the force a cable) is that part which is wound gossip, with a high, shrill voice, and mysterious lotions and ceremonies. years been in the employ of the City help me. Amen." Suppose he had of the stroke which drives the sting into the maple-pasture.' around the bitts when a ship rides at spectacled eyes. This won his confidence. They told Missionary society, which pays him said: "The position which I at present into the foe its base is pressed against

age, while of the 363,874 females who died 138,926 were under five years; that is, the proportion of deaths under five years of age to all deaths recorded was 419.51 per thousand among males, while among females it was only before which the bravest heart uncon-381.85. Nearly half the male morsciously shudders; and yet I believe it tality was among very young children. is no overdrawn picture, no exaggera-The causes of death were reported tion. One neglected cold follows upon another, each recurring with increased

in only 733,840 cases, and the following table gives the number of deaths from each of the ten principal causes:

Consumption - - - - - 91,551 Diphtheria - - - -Diarri ce il diseases - - - 65,565 Diseases of nervous system - - 83,670 Dis ases of re-piratory system - 107,904 Diseases of digestive system - - 34,094 Enteric (sphoid) fever - - 22,905 - 8,772 Measles - -- - - -Scarlet fever - - - - - 16 416

aim in the one case than in the other. Consumption was, as always, the I do not come before you as an alarmsiderably larger proportion of females ist, nor do I intend to draw an exaggerated picture, yet that it is a true one I think cannot be questioned. That we survive colds and moreover maintain our health, is not an extremely difficult matter. It depends in a large part on certain common sense in matters of personal hygiene. Perhaps in the Gulf coast it was greatest in the these none is so important as the proper regulation of the clothing.

sewerage and drainage system. Enteric or typhoid fever is also more

especially a disease of the country rather than the city. The better drainage which ordinarily prevails in the large towns makes them less liable to that fever than the smaller communities and scattered settlements, where necessary precautions against the pollution of the water supply are not generally taken, and accumulations of filth in vaults and cesspools are common. Malarial fevers likewise were more prevalent and more fatal proportionately in the smaller com-

they borrowed the idea of the barb from munities than in the great cities. The the insect. What we see with the unsame was the case with diphtheria. The report of the number of deaths sting. Many savages poison their due to accidents and injuries is interarrows and spears, and here also they have been anticipated by the insect. esting:

Burns and scalds .			-		4,786
Drowned	-	ø			4,320
Exposure and neglect	-				1,299
Gunshot wounds					2,289
Homicide					1,336
Infanticide					40
Injuries by machinery		-			120
Railroad accidents -	-	-		-	2 349
Suffocation					
Suicide by shooting -		-		-	472
Sticide by drowning	-	-		-	155
Suicide by poison -					
Other suicides	-	-			1.550
Sunstroke					
Other accidents and m	ijut	ries		-	

Brevity.

Few writers know when to stop ceived into a little bag at the base of

them. generous charities of a continent. A man who has happened to have a This may seem a somewhat startling good deal of experience says: "Stand statement, that this simple cold should anywhere but for four feet to the left outweigh in its consequences the of a woman when she hurls a bottle at mortality of those terrible visitations a hen."

"Mr. Jones," asked Smith of the parson, "don't you think the wicked will have an opportunity given them in the next world?" "Yes, certainly," refrequency, the parts involved approachplied the parson, "an excellent opporing nearer to the vital organs, and tunity to get warm.'

finally some latent tendency is devel-An agricultural journal recently oped, some constitutional weakness published a long article on "Sheep makes itself manifest. It does not Husbandry," but it didn't say anything strike its victims with the sudden blow about the man who continually comof the scourge, but working its ill pliments his wife, although he is most effects through months, and perhaps assuredly a she-praiser.

years, still strikes with a no less certain "If your boarding-house should take fire at night what would you do to get the people out?" asked the fire marshal of an experienced matron. "Oh, there would be no trouble about that." was the reply; "I would just ring the breakfast bell, and all the boarders would be in the dining-room in three minutes."

> It is said that the Emperor of Russia "chops wood for exercise." This gives his wife more time to gossip over the back fence with the next door neighbors; but one would suppose that the emperor got exercise enough dodgng dynamite bombs and other infernal devices contrived by the nihilists, without resorting to wood-chopping.

#### **Common Phrases.**

The term blackguard has a very common place origin. In all great houses, particularly in royal residences. there was a number of mean and dirty dependents, whose office it was to attend to the woodyards, sculleries, etc. Of these-for in the lowest depths there are lower still-the most for orn wretches seem to have been selected to carry coal to the kitchen, halls and other apartments. To the smutty regment, who attended the progresses and rode in the carts with the pots and kettles, which, with every other article of furniture, were then moved from palace to palace, the people, in derision, gave the name "blackguards," a term since become sufficiently familiar.

There are few men who, were they of Borneo, for example, loses its poten-"To the bitter end" is clearly an old certain of death on their seventieth, enough to give him a better income cy in two or three hours. But the nautical expression. A dictionary, her soul to look after-that was very birthday, would think of preparation. than half the professional men get. venom of the sting is never exposed to published in the first part of the eighthings as they be, you're welcome to certain. And she couldn't reconcile To-morrow may be the gate of an eter- Well, a couple of years ago, when he the air at all. It is secreted by two teenth century, has "bite," a turn or better yourself." his Sunday business to her conscience. was almost dead with delirium long, thread-like glands, not nearly so part of a cable; "bitts," the main pieces" So Doctor Juniper rode away once "Uncle!" cried Nanny, her ... eyes tremens, he staggered into a revival thick as a human hair, and is then reof timber to which a cable is fastened brimming over with tears. meeting and was converted, and since

ble. It lies there on the stomach, and make you sick. You may try to coax

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Whooping cough - - - - 11,202 great scourge, and it carried off a con-

> than of males, the deaths from that cause being 40,619 males to 50,932 females. It is very instructive to observe that the mortality from consumption in the North Atlantic and Lake regions was highest in the small towns and agricultural districts, while on

> city of New Orleans, with its wretched