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HE NEVER CARRIES A PISTOL.

Berause a Duel Taught Him a Serious Lesson.

There is a prominent Baltimorean who now attends church regularly, but who still delights to tell of some of his escapades in early life, says the Baltimore American. "I was a member of a prominent club when I was a young man," he relates, "and in one of our bouts one night I unintentionally insulted a fellow-member. At least I was told the following morning when my senses had returned, that I had insulted the man that he would probably challenge me to fight a duel. Sure enough a challenge came through the ordinary channels and I was advised by my friends to accept or to submit to perpetual disgrace. I accepted and selected pistols. The dueling ground was a spacious yard in the rear of the elubhouse. There we assembled with our seconds and surgeons. Much to my surprise the whole club turned out to witness the affair of honor. I objected to such publicity, but was assured by my friends that it was all right, and I was prevailed upon to face my opponent. I was thoroughly mad and I did not care whether I killed my enemy or half a dozen onlookers. We were placed ten paces apart, with our backs to each other. At the word 'fire' we wheeled and began to pump lead at each other, advancing toward each other at each shot. I emptied two or three chambers of the revolver which had been given me without wounding my opponent. I then threw it away with disgust and pulled my own from my hip pocket. If you ever saw consternation it existed in that backyard for a few minutes. My enemy turned heels and ran into the clubhouse. The spectators scrambled over each other to get out of range. Before I could fire at my retreating foe my second grabbed me and succeeded in disarming me. I was then toid that the whole thing was a hoax and that my enemy and myself had been shooting blank cartridges at each other. I did not relish the joke. because I had endured all of the terror which must come to any man who stands up to kill or be killed. That episode was a turning point in my life. I have never carried a pistol from that. day to this."

No Charity Possible.

Mrs. Church (after services)-Well! the nerve of our pastor! Mr. Church (who stayed at home)--What's up now? Mrs. Church-You know, last week we presented him with a horse and cutter? Mr. Church-Yes? Mrs. Church-Well, today he got in the pulpit and asked us to pray for snow! -Puck.



OUS FEMININE TOPICS.

Playmate of the Queen-Pony Farming for Women-The First Woman's College A Requisite for Spring, etc., etc.

Playmate of the Queen.

Clapham, London, was in her younger ates of general hospital training days a playmate and attendant of the schools, and be appointed by the Sur-Queen. The old woman, who had geon-General, and they shall receive passed her hundredth birthday, was \$40 per month when on duty within the during the early part of the century limits of the United States, and \$50 per maid to one of the Queen's ladies in month when on duty outside of the waiting, and had many stories to tell of limits of the United States. A chief the Queen's childhood. She was re. nurse may be appointed for every hoscently the recipient of a substantial pital where there are five or more gift from her Majesty on the occasion nurses on duty, at a salary of \$75 per of her birthday.

Pony Farming for Women.

The breeding of posies is said to be a fascinating business. Two titled women in England have met with much success in this unusual occupation. while several lessers social lights among women have gone into it and won prizes and money as a result of their energy, enterprise and knowledge of horse-flesh. One woman in Devonshire makes a specialty of little Dartmoor ponies, and sells them at high prices. Of late she has devoted her attention to breeding ponies suitable for polo, and many of her sturdy, spirited little horses have distinguished themselves. The titled women stock-farmers are sisters, and the Shetland ponies which come from their farm at Edenbridge, in Kent, are renowned for beauty and breding. The farm was started as a fad, but has proved a profitable investment. These two ladies are veterinary surgeons and accomplished whips .- Woman's Journal.

The First Woman's College-

In this day of many colleges, opportanities for women to acquire what is the posture is correct. Swaying back called a higher education are so com- and forth does not mean to bend at the mon that the day of small things, when waist, but to maintain the standing the finishing school, or young ladies' position and imagine that you are a academy, was all that offered the am- lily swayed back and forth by the bitious girl a chance to get a little wind. The weight of the body is well above her fellows, is well nigh forgot- off the heels, and one is really standten. Yet it was only in 1836 that the ing on the balls of the feet. Stand so first college for women received its that a sheet of paper could be slipped charter, obtained by broad-minded under the heels, men

Women nurses in the proportion of not more than 10 per cent. of the number of sick and wounded in general and Out of Fashion in This Country, but Europe post hospitals of fifty beds and upwards, the bill provides, shall be employed by, and constitute the women's nursing service, of the Medical Department of the army. The superin-

tendent shall be a woman graduated from a general hospital training school for nurses, appointed by the Secretary of War, at a salary of \$2,000 per an-Mrs. Middleton, who has just died at num. All the nurses shall be gradumonth within the limits of the United black walnut logs has gone on system-States and \$85 per month outside of atically, thought quietly, the trade atthe United States. In addition to the tracting little attention, though the salaries above mentioned, the superin-

orders.

Symmetry Exercises.

"Unless you already know how to stand correctly let me advise you to spend ten minutes practicing," said iss Elizabeth MacMartin, a professor of gymnastics, "Begin with feeling your weight evenly balanced upon your feet, though it is not necessary to stand with heels together. Draw your knees in firmly, but do not hold them tensely. draw your hips well back and contract the abdominal muscles. The chest must be thrown out and then the shoulders will drop down and back as they should do. When told to throw your chest out imagine that handle is there, and that you are being pulled forward by it. The next step is to raise the bend slightly, and after that draw the chin in. If your body can now sway easily back and forth from the feet up.

"There are certain exercises which The "Georgia Female College" was will hasten one's ability to stand corplaced in Macon. As soon as its being rectly-separate exercises for the muswas assured, some young women be- cles of the back, abdomen and legs. gan to fit themselves for it, and when. For a weak ankle and flabby calf nothin 1838, the college was formally open- ing can be more beneficial than the heel ed, with full faculty, six young women and toe movements. First don low, entered, "half-advanced," and gradu- soft, flexible shoes, without heels, ated in 1840; the first one who did so. Take correct standing position, only in a Mrs. Benson, is still living, and when this case the heels must be together. the college celebrated its semi-centen- Rise slowly on the toes as far as posnial she gave back her diploma, the sible and keep the position for a secfirst one ever granted a woman in the ond; then lower yourself slowly. Hold-United States, and it is kept as an in- ing the heels together helps to keep the teresting document .-- Springfield Re- balance. Unless very careful one is apt to turn on the sides of the feet. which must not be allowed for a moment. Try this movement for ten or In making up the dressy spring ward- fifteen times. The following day there robe, it will lack completeness without will probably be a distinct feeling of at least one handsome gown of black soreness; then you will know that you crepe de Chine, chenille-striped barege, really are doing something. In rising silk-dotted veiling, or plain black Brus- on the heels start with the heels tosels net over a silk or satia slip, which gether, and then rise first on one heel for the majority of women who are not and then on the other. The movements wealthy is far better when formed of are made with some force or impetus. black silk and not a bright contrasting and not as slowly as those of the back color which soon shows wear. When of the leg, and both heels at once, relief is needed, it can be easily ob- which is a rather difficult matter. tained by various aditions to the bodice. These movements strengthen the musportion of the gown, in the form of cles of the front of the leg, while these guinipes, vests, girdies, ribbon choux, inovements strengthen those of the etc. Some of the newest black silk back of the leg, and both should be

THE BLACK WALNUT.

Is Eager For It. The great size often reached by this tree, the richness of the dark-brown

wood, the unique beauty of the grain, sometimes found in burls, knots, feathers, and in the curl of the roots, all conspire to make this the most choice and high-priced of all our native woods says a writer in the Berea Quarterly. Twenty-five years ago walnut was

etxensively used in the manufacture of fine furniture and finishings in this country, but manufacturers adroitly drew attention to the beauty of darkly stained quartered oak, and the use of the rarer wood has greatly declined. But all this time the search for fine volume of lumber handled has been tendent of nurses and each nurse in the large. Though found to some extent in omen's nursing service shall be en- the Atlantic States from Massachutitled to transportation and necessary setts southward, the great source of expenses when traveling under proper supply has been the central portions of the Mississippi valley. The walnut is at home in the rich alluvial bottom lands of the Western streams and in

the stony limestone soils of the hills and mountains, and in such localities the buyers have left few trees unsurveyed. Throughout Eastern Kansas, Missouri and Arkansas, as well as the States along the Ohio and its tributaries, may be seen a few logs at this little station, a car or two at that, with carefully hewn sides and painted ends,

ready for the market. If you ask where the market is you will find that the great bulk of this rare lumber goes to Europe. While we have been led into an enthusiastic admiration for fine oak, stained according to the degree of antiquity it is supposed to represent, our European cousins have been paying fancy prices for the rich black walnut that we have allowed to go "out of

Where the Canada Goose Breeds.

fashion."

The breeding place of the Canada goose is in the neighborhood of Hudson Bay and in northern Labrador and Newfoundland. It is the favorite dish of the Indians of these districts, and its advent is a joyful occurrence for the Montagnais and Nasquapees who winter in the far interior of the Labrador peninsula. When caribou, partridges and fish fail, there is little left for them until the geese come. Indeed, throughout British North America the advent of the geese is honored and welcomed in many different ways. One of the Indian names of a month means 'the moon when the goose lays her eggs.'

The goose dance is a time-honored custom among the Crees of the Saskatchewan; and similar rejoicing and ceremonies existed among the Montagnais and Nasquapees prior to their conversion to Christianity. On the coast of Hudson Bay, the coming of the geese is watched for with the greates; anxiety. When the long and dreary winter has fullyexpended itself, and the willow grouse have taken their departure for more southern regions, there is frequently a period of starvation to many of the natives, who are generally at that time moving from their wintering grounds to the trading posts. The first note, therefore, of the large, gray. Canada goose is listened to with a rapture known only to those who have endured great privations and gnawing hunger. It was computed not long ago, that not fewer than 74,000 geese are killed annually by the Indians of Hudson Bay, and that not fewer than 1.200.000 leave their breeding grounds by the Hudson Bay line of flight for the South,-Correspondence New York Sun,



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Dog as a Mail Carrier.

New York Times: A woman called at a house on Lafayette avenue, Brooklyn, the other day, bearing a letter addressed to the lady residing there. It had been mailed the day previous, but the address was almost effaced. The woman explained that she had a young collie which was in the habit of picking up and playing with articles he found on the sidewalk. She had been out walking with him when she noticed that he was playing with a letter, which he had evidently found. She

BOY SWALLOWS FISHHOOK.

His Life Saved by a Common Sease Physician.

Eafly in my husband's professional career, says the wife of a busy physician in What to Eat, he was called in haste to the assistance of a boy who in some way had succeeded in lodging a fishhook in his throat. It was such a queer accident that we could not help laughing over it, despite the gravity of the case. Arming himself with various instruments for the dislodging of foreign bodies in the throat, the young doctor hurried away to find, upon arrival, the features of the case entirely changed by the lad having swallowed the hook. The parents were naturally much alarmed over the outcome of the unheard-of accident, and in the excitement everybody was prescribing what to do. Some were for pouring emetics down his throat, others suggested the stomach pump or a knife as the only means of saving his life, while others were for dosing him liberally with oil. While questioning the boy regarding the size, and so forth, of the hook, merely to gain time for thought, my husband, calling common sense to his aid, directed that the boy be allowed to eat all the solid food he could manage to digest, being aware that the safety of the delicate organs through which the book must pass depended solely on imbedding its cruel points in a mass of solids, so as to protect the surrounding tissues. The amount of bread, meat, potatoes and other solids that that boy managed to put out of sight that evening astonished even those who knew something of the capacity of a boy's stomach. Only the minimum of fluids was allowed, and, well, the young doctor was gratified, to be assured, on the following day, that his original method of treating fishhooks was both safe and practical. This is an accident not likely to become epidemic, but I repeat the formula, not knowing but that it might prove advantageous in other emergencies, such as sometimes arise when any sharp or jagged edged bodies, such as pins, needles, tacks or bits of glass have been swallowed.

A. P. A.

Cassidy-Did ye hear o' the turrible thing that happened teh the Aherns' baby? Mulligan-Hurted at the christenin', was it? Cassidy-Hurted? Shure, 'twas ruined entoirely. They called the choild "Aloysius Patrick Ahern." Think av the initials av it!-Philadelphia Press.



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veiling or crepe de Chine toilets still practiced daily." show the semi-transparent fabric trimmed with very narrow black satin ribbon gathered through the centre and

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Women in New Fields-

the Boston University Law School and as to dress. She is an courant as to a member of the Suffolk bar.

which I am a missionary."

For Women Military Nurses.

under efficient supervision of a service -New York Times. consisting of a superintendent, who

majority of whom shall be women, monarchy since 1867.

Easy Way of Getting a Living-

"I don't know of a more genteel and put on in floral or conventional designs, easy way of getting a living than has just as one would follow a pattern in been adopted by some of the women braidwork. Simpler than the style of of the exclusive set, who are a bit trimming and quite as fashionable are improvident, and who cannot keep up rows of the narrow chiffon ruching with the procession from their private which is sold by the yard. They are income, than the book boomer," said arranged on the gown in scallops, or in one of the men "in the swim," just afstraight lines, in clusters of three or ter bowing to a lady of the fashionable world as she moved through the main corridor at the Waldorf. "She is one of them. She is a very good talker. The first woman to become a mem- a graduate of Bryan Mawr, if I am per of the law department of Boston is not mistaken, and is so thoroughly well Miss Elizabeth M. Taylor, who has re-educated that she is looked upon as an cently been employed at a regular sal- authority on all sorts of things that ary by the city. She is a graduate of are not essentially fashionable, that is

literature and art, and I happen to Queen Amelie of Portugal, who has know that she has connection with a qualified as a practicing physician, re- couple of publishing houses and with cently put her knowledge and courage one art auction firm, from which she to the test by her attendance on the derives a very pretty penny. Her duties victims at the plague hospitals. She are only to recommend certain books nursed Dr. Pestana through the last and pictures that her employers may stages of the dread malady to which he | wish to find purchasers for. The averhad succumbed -- a malady more repul- age map and woman of fashion and sive and more contagious than cholera. money know little about these matters A San Francisco woman who recent- and they readily take her suggestions ly performed the marriage ceremony as to what it is best to read and what for her daughter said: "This is the artists it is best to patronize in order first occasion, I believe, of a mother to be quite up to date. That woman marrying her own daughter. I desire makes the suggestions at dinners and it to be understood by the witnesses afternoon leas and all sorts of funepresent that I have the power and the tions, where she is a welcome guest, proper authority to perform the mar- and she does it so cleverly that no one riage ceremony, as I am an ordained suspects that she is a boomer of the minister under a State charter issued books and pictures of which she adto the Independent Bible Society, of vises the purchase. She is as much of a success in her way as the wine boom. ers of the other sex are in theirs, and

they say that her salaries and com-Red Cross women who worked dur. missions are something that is well ing the Spanish-American war have worth while. They say there is one appointed a committee to obtain the very fashionable woman who gets establishment of a nursing service in the United States army. The chief features of this bill are the development know about the other one, however." served."

shall be a graduate of a training A woman hanged for child murder in school for nurses, and of conspicuous Vienna, Austria, a few days ago was executive ability, and of a corps of the first woman executed in that city carefully chosen graduate nurses, the since 1809, and the first in the Austrian

Collecting Grandlather's Clocks.

The collecting of old-fashioned high grandfather's clocks, which was a craze a few years ago, brought nearly all of the old pieces of this sort into the possession of the dealers and the collectors and stimulated the counterfeiting of them. Some of these counterfeits are clever enough to deceive the average amateur. The finest collection of old Yankee clocks in New York City is owned by William Curtis Gibson who has spent much money and time in making it. Mr. Gibson began buying Yankee clocks several years ago, and he secured some valuable specimens from antique dealers in this city who did not appreciate them. The cases of some of these old Yankee clocks are as graceful in design and as tine in finish as the best of the old hall clocks. An old New Jersey clockmaker who had been storing a dozen or more Yankee clocks for many years, valuing them at about what the cases were worth for kindling wood, learned a short time ago that collectors were picking up such clocks and he-sold all that he owned at prices that seemed to him extravagant. He had taken these clocks in exchange for new metal case clocks and he thought them to be almost worthless. The dealer who bought them sold the clocks for two and three times what he paid for them. New York Sun.

Sign of Impending Trouble.

"Superstitious!" he exclaimed. "Of course I am superstitious. I sat down assage of a bill by Congress for the about with 'the smart set' who draws to dinner as one of a party of thirteen once on the thirteenth of the month and thirteen courses were

"And one of them died?" "Yes, sir. One of them died." "How soon after the dinner?"

"Thirteen years affer. Oh, I tell you, when thirteen sit down to dinner it's a dead sure thing that somebody is going to die sometime."

took it from him, and, finding that it had not been opened, she called at the address and delivered it. It was found about a block away from its address, and had probably been dropped on the sidewalk by a letter carrier. The owner talks of getting a position as mail carrier for her coule.

Mail Once in Two Weeks Only. There are scores of places in this country where only one mail comes every fourteen days.

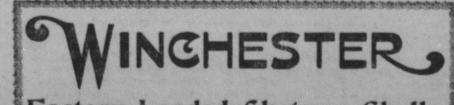
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