THE NUGGAR TANK.

This Loathsome Spot Is One of the

Sights of India. One of the innumerable curious sights of Ludia is the Nuggar tank of Kurachi. Ip former times the crocodiles which inhabit it roamed the neighborgood at their will, seeking whom they might devour, but so great were their depredations that the authorities were forced to build a wall round their haunt. This is a swamp, caused by not springs, the medicinal virtues of which have been known from early times and are attributed to the sanctity of a Mohammedan whose tomb is close by and to whom the crocodiles are sa-

The tank, as it is called, is about 150 yards long by about half that distance in breadth. In this space one observer counted over 200 reptiles from eight to fifteen feet long and smaller ones innumerable. They are so tame, in a sense, that it is necessary to poke them with a stick before they will

Buffaloes are always standing in the water and are not attacked, but any other animal is instantly seized. "The whole appearance of the place," says one writer, "with its green, slimy, stagnant water and so many of these huge, uncouth monsters moving sluggishly about, is disgusting in the extreme, and it will long be remembered by me as the most leathsome spot I ever beheld."-Chambers' Journal.

Almonds and Raisins.

Nuts are the proteid kings among fruits. It is on them that the apes maintain much of their vigor. Thus the almond can be thoroughly masticated or else pounded or milled. It is rich in oil as well as in proteid. Almonds and raisins, which are so often taken after a full meal, are, like cheese, absolutely a complete meal in themselves, so great is our ignorance about food values. It is said of the almond: Nut cream is recommended for brain workers. It is made as follows: Pound in a mortar or mince finely three blanched almonds, two walnuts and two ounces of pine kernels. Steep overnight in orange or lemon juice. This cream should be made fresh daily and may be used in the place of butter. Milk of almonds is made of kernels finely minced, with boiling water added. Almonds roasted to the color of amber are delicious to eat with biscuits or bread and butter. Grated in a nut mill they are good to serve with any kind of stewed fruit. They are useful medicinally because of their soothing and emollient proper ties. They should always be blanched in hot water, the skins being indigesti-

Von Moltke's Simplicity.

Once while traveling General Moltke weed a small Swiss hotel, and as the head-waiter saw his gaunt figure stalking in, wrapped in a worn out, dusty cloak, carrying an old leather satchel he measured his wealth by his looks and ordered his assistant to show him to a small room in the uppermost story. As he was making himself comfort-

able in the attic another assistant came, ns is customary there, to ask the silent stranger his name and rank. The consequence was that a few min-

utes later the proprietor, in full dress, appeared at the door of the attic to inform his excellency that a better room had just been vacated.

"Give that to my servant," replied Moltke, "when he comes with my carriage. This is good enough for me." And he remained.

Cushing's Chair For Visitors.

Caleb Cushing desired people to keep at a distance from him while talking, and many of his callers had a habit of gradually moving their chair nearer to him during a conversation. So one day, having been very much annoyed in that way, he sent for a carpenter and made him fasten two pieces of board to the legs of the chair and then screw it to the floor at the place where he wanted people to sit. When it was done, he contemplated it with a smile and remarked: "I guess I have got them now. They can't blow their bad breath in my face any more."

That chair raised a laugh on many a visitor, who, after several ineffectual attempts to move it forward, would, on looking closer, find it fastened to the floor.

Collar Is Good to Eat.

"Collar" is the unusual name applied in England to a preparation of meat that is only slightly different from one often served here. Equal parts of cold cooked ham and tongue are put through the meat chopper and afterward pounded to a paste, a little dry mustard added and the whole heated. When warm, press down in a bowl, put on a weight and let stand to get cold and pack into form. Slice thin and serve at luncheon or supper.-Harper's Bazar.

Reform Blocked.

"Look here," said the reforming husband, "we must have things arranged in this house so that we shall know just where everything is kept."

"With all my heart," sweetly answered his wife, "and let us begin with your late hours, my love. I should dearly like to know where they are

He let things run on as usual.

Blobbs - Why was the engagement broken off between Harduppe and Miss

Bjones? Slobbs-I believe they came to the conclusion that her income wasn't large enough to support them both.-Philadelphia Record.

The spoon is very ancient, and many fine specimens are in existence that ! were used by the Egyptians in the seventeenth century B. C.

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QUEEREST OF LAWSUITS.

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tell us that while he was watching he got very tired and sat down; he said :

while I sat there sleep overpowereds

me, all unbeknowns, and when I

awoke I found that somebody had

stoles every gun we had. Here he

again broke out merrily and loud; I

said, you laughing dunce, you have

gotten us all into an exceedingly bad

scrape and before twenty-four hours

have passed by you will laugh with

the other corner of your mouth; we

offense that is punishable by death, in

time of war. The fun was all out of

the old corporal now, he "girded up

his loins," drew his bayonet sword; we

saw it glitter as he cut the darkness

over his head with a swish and trem-

bling in anger he said, boys, you stand

guard here and I will go to the camp

and see if I can find out who stole our

guns, and if I find the thief, (then

going back to his mother tongue for

forceful expression) he said, "ich fer-

H. Forster, came out and demanded

watchfulness while on guard, the de-

gree of punishment that may be in-

flicted for sleeping on post. He said,

several of your comrades, in a spirit of

mischief, and without authority, made

took your guns and brought them to

me. I will give them back to you,

knowing that you have always hereto-

But it might be added in this con-

nection that it is often very hard for

the men to keep awake, carrying a

attack of the enemy, and in five min-

62, Company A, in their very best,

left camp and marched to Cockeys-

tin, of Pennsylvania, to our Regiment

speech. In response Colonel Beaver

accepted the flag, with a few remarks,

saying that he cheerfully assumed the

responsibility of protecting and de-

fending it, with the help of the officers

and men of the 148th Penna. Vaign:

day often go to see their treasured yet

Harrisburg. Cheers were given for

Dress parade followed, and the com-

before stated, we occupied guard posts

along the N. C. R R. at night only,

and during the day we were drilled

cupy the post at Timonium, a few

Colonial Inn, known by the name of

Timonium Inn in its better days of

the popular wayside inne slong one of

was one of Gen. Washington's lodg-

and instructed in the art of war.

Ciellan and the Union.

utes most of the men were asleep.

will not happen you again.

wered not a word.

A Highwayman Sued His Partner

For His Share of Spoils. Perhaps the most remarkable suit ever brought is on the records of the court of the exchequer in England. It was filed on Oct. 3, 1725, and it sets forth very clearly that John Everit and Joseph Williams were highway rob-

In its succinct legal phrases the complaint says that the men formed a partnership for the purpose of carrying on business as highwaymen. It cannot deny having slept on post, an was mighty profitable, as was shown by the fact that Everit sued Williams for the equivalent of \$5,000, "being for moneys wrongfully appropriated to defendant's private purse.'

This was the amount in dispute after the partnership had lasted only a year. Then Everlt claimed that he discovered that his partner had not made a fair division of the spoils.

The action was adjudged to be a gross contempt of court, and the plaintiff was ordered to pay all costs, while the solicitors who served the writ were fined. One of the solicitors, a man named Wreathcock, refused to pay the fine and was sent to prison for six months. Both plaintiff and defendant to the action were subsequently hanged, one at Tyburn and the other at

Trivial Causes of Wars,

History records one war that was caused by a glass of water-the war of the Spanish succession. A lady, Mrs. Masham, a celebrated court beauty, was carrying a glass of water when she was obstructed by the Marquis de Torey. A slight scuffle ensued, and the water was spilled. The marquis lost his temper, and bad feeling ensued between the English and French courts, with the ultimate result that war was declared. The campaign cost France many severe battles - viz. Blenheim, 1704; Ramillies, 1707; Audenardi, 1708, and Malplaquit, 1709.

Fully as absurd in its origin was the war that took place during the commonwealth of Modena. A soldier stole a bucket from a public well belonging to the state of Bologna. Although the value of the article did not exceed a few pennies, the incident was the signal for a fierce and prolonged war. Henry, the king of Sardinia, assisted the Modenese to retain the bucket, and in one of the subsequent battles he was made a prisoner. The bucket is still exhibited in the tower of the cathedral of Mo-

Uncle Isrul's Foresight.

Uncle Isrul Trask was one of those thrifty Yankees who, his neighbors averred, would squeeze a dollar "till the eagle on it hollered" before allownial ventures, which had been three times celebrated. Soon after the last event of the kind had been solemnized, one of his intimates rallied him with:

"Well, Uncle Isrui, heard's how you'd be'n an' done it ag'in. How'd you make out this time? Pooty well, as

"Well, neighbor," drawled Uncle Isrul, in his soft and saintly way. "I did pooty well, 's you may say, pooty well. Ye-es, Hetty's a godly woman, neighbor; a godly woman-with a leetle prop'ty!"-New York Times.

How Fruits Act.

The Medicine Brief thus summarizes the various uses of fruit in relieving tire Regiment was assembled for rediseased conditions of the body. The list is worth keeping. Under the cate gory of laxatives, oranges, figs, tamarinds, prunes, mulberries, dates, nectarines and plums may be included. Pomegranates, cranberries, blackberries, sumac berries, dewberries, raspberries, barberries, quinces, pears, wild cherries and mediars are astringent. Grapes, peaches, strawherries, whertleberries, prickly pears, black currants and melon seeds are diuretics. Goose berries, red and white currants, pumpkins and melons are refrigerants. Lemons, limes and apples are stomach sed-

The Gardener Bird. The highest development of the dec-

orative instinct in animals is found in the gardener bird (amblyornis). This plain looking native of New Guinea builds its nest on the ground, spreads moss before it and over this green carpet scatters bright berries, flowers and insects. As the flowers wither they are replaced by fresh ones. The whole establishment serves only as a sort of pleasure resort.

A Sensitive Point.

"Isn't it a great satisfaction to be able to assist those who call on you for help in the struggle of life?"

"It would be," answered Mr. Cumrox, "if you could be sure some of your beneficiaries weren't laughing at you behind your back and calling you an easy mark."-Washington Star.

Progressive.

"Are you having a pleasant time?" asked a lady of a little miss at a fashionable children's party.

"Delightful, thanks." "And will your papa and mamma come later?" "Oh, dear, no; papa and mamma and

I don't belong to the same set." "They say some blind people can actually distinguish colors by the sense

of touch." "That's nothing; there are times when I feel blue myself." - Boston Commercial Bulletin.

dropped it on the floor?

It would go through? stunner-Garman's.

awakened by the very loud crowing Mills.

the Nation.

Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased

Kidney trouble has become so prevalent for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the

urine scalds the flesh or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of these important organs. This unpleasant trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose. Women as well as men are made mis erable with kidney and bladder trouble,

chplit een wise gutt sine ferdompter and both need the same great remedy. Swamp-Root is soon realized. It is sold with his sword and started. We by druggists, in fiftyawaited his return with considerable anxiety. He soon returned and reported that the camp was all quiet and sample bottle by mail free, also pamphlet tell- Home of Sramp Root. ing all about it, including many of the thousands of testimonial letters received guns. He was wide awake the balance of that night; morning came and we from sufferers cured. In writing Dr. Kilmer

returned to camp and were jeered and & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure and mention this paper. hooted as we marched, but we ans-Don't make any mistake, but remember the ame, Swamp-Root. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root. We reported at head quarters, as usand the address, Binghampton, N. Y, on every ual to be dismissed. The captain, R.

to know how we lost our battery. We of a rooster; we jumped out to find that an Irish Secesh woman had sent her told him the whole truth; he made us a speech, dwelling on the necessity of son, about twelve years old, to crow for us; even when we were all out, he still crowed. We got tired of it; I said; I will frighten him away; I will point a gun at him; I aimed straight at him with a loaded gun but it did not scare him nor shut him up. I veered the a "grand round" on some of the guard gun a little to a side and pulled the stations and finding you off your guard trigger crashing the huge bullet into the fence beside him; the whiz of the bullet, the racket in the fence and the splinters moved him with wonderful fore been very vigilant and that this quickness; and nobody crowed at the boys after that.

Mrs. Johanna Soderholm, of Fergus load of luggage from twenty to thirty Falls, Minn., fell and dislocated her shoulder. She had a surgeon get it miles a day, often through mud and back in place as soon as possible, but rain or dust and heat, with little to eat and no time to eat it, that soldiers much. Her son mentioned that he are tired out and nature demands a had seen Chamberlain's Pain Balm advertised for sprains and soreness, and rest. Many of the men were often so the eagle on it hollered" before allowing it to leave his pocket. He was a shopkeeper in a small way, but his business had not proved in the long run | ding along in the moving columns and | not done for several days. The son fall, a haif dozen soldlers stumbling gave his mother that he has since recand falling over him, when strong ommended it to many others. For language, with a sulphurous odor sale by C. W. Swartz, Tusseyville; F. would be heard. This applies to forced A. Carson, Potters Mills; C. J. Finkle, marches that continued into the night. Spring Mills. At Gettysburg, the 2nd Corps reached

the field on the morning of the second Torice is HEREBY GIVEN That sundry citizens of the county of Centre will present their petition to the court of Quarter Sessions of Centre county, on Saturday, the 7th day of February, at ten o'clock, a. m., representing that the Bellefonte, Aaronsburg and day, greatly fatigued and was assigned a position in battle order, we formed, and lay down to await orders or the presenting that the Bellefonte, Aaronsonig accompanies on the Bellefonte, Boad Company, benning at what is known as the Old Fort Hotel Potter Township, Centre county, where the me intersects with the Centre and Kishacoquiling Boad Company, and extending same intersects with the Centre and Kishacoquillas Turnjake Road Company, and extending castward through the Township of Potter, and village of Spring Mills, through Gregg Township, and borough of Millheim, Fenn Township and Haines Township, through the village of Aaronsburg and Woodward, to what is known as the summit on Four Mille Run, in said last named Township and being at the boundary line between Centre and Union counties, is for the entire distance above named, located in the county of Centre, and that it would be for the best interests of the people of the county for said Turnpike to become a public resad, free from toils and toil-gates, and pasying the Court to appoint a jury of five reputable citizens under the provisions of the Act of Assembly, approved the 2nd day of June, On the morning of November 14, ville, four miles distant, where the enview and parade and to receive a flag. which was presented by Governor Cur-We drilled awhile then waited for the flag; we waited till near evening when flag; we waited till near evening when Secretary Thomas, of Gov. Curtin's staff came with the flag and presented it to the Regiment in a neat little steement of the Regiment in a neat little steement of the Regiment in a neat little steement of the damages to which the owners of said Turnpike for public use, free from tolls and toll-gates, and to assess the damages to which the owners of said Turnpike may be entitled.

January 8, 1903. 4t. N. B. SPANGLER,
Attorney for petitioners EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—LETTERS TESTA mentary on the estate of Lydia Neese late of Gregg township, deceased, having been duly granted to the undersigned he would re-

specifying agreet any persons knowing them-selves indebted to the estate to make ima ediste payment, and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for set-tlement. ROBERT W. NEESE, teers. This responsibility was well met by officers and men, who to this Executor, Spring Mills, Pa. DMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of Administration on the estate of Jeremiah Stover, late of Gregg township, deceased, having been duly granted to the undersigned, they would respectfully request all persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the ame to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

M. L. RISHEL, Administrator, Farmers Mills, Pa., January 15, 1963. worn and bullet-torn battle-flag at Pennsylvania, Gov. Curtin, Gen. Mc-

panies returned to their camps. As

DMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—LETTERS of Administration on the estate of Samuel Lorg, late of Gregg township, deceased, having been duly granted to the undersigned, he would respectfully request all persons knowing themselves indebed to the estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement. One evening the Meyer gang, under Corporal Henry Miller, known in LEWIS KORMAN, Administrator, Penns Cave. camp as "Silby," were detailed to ocmiles above camp and near the old

A house and lot, at Centre Hill. The property contains five acres, and upon which is erected a good dwelling house, stable and outbuildings; also two gardens and fruit trees. It is a very desirable house.

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ing places in his trips between Mt. AGON FOR SALE A new one-horse wagon, thou and lock complete. Vernon and New York, while he was President of the United States. New cheap, 5000 cash JOHN L. McCLENAHAN, Centre Hall, Pa. York was at that time the capital of January 8, 1903. 5t.

Jan. 22, 1903.

We reached our guard post early We reached our guard post early

The peculiar cough which indicates
and built a shanty of old boards and croup, is usually well known to the rails, where the reserve might sleep; mothers of croupy children. No time we appropriated some straw from a should be lost in the treatment of it, we appropriated some straw from a and for this purpose no medicine has and for this purpose no medicine has an elegant lodging place.

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B.—Of course it did. Did you think it would go through?

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