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By H. Irving King LMOST any farmer's boy knows | to understand the speech of man ap-

estate.

that if he is out looking for the cows, and he comes to an ant-hill,

and cries out three times, "Doodle!

doodle! doodle!" the ants will scam-

per away and the direction in which

they run will show the direction in

which the cows have strayed. The

cry of "doodle" is uftered to scare

the ants and set them running; for

the doodle-bug is the ants' enemy. So

much so that one name for him is the

"ant-lion." The doodle-bug digs boles

and lays ambushes to catch the ant;

the ant is his favorite food. The ant

is supposed to know this and, there-

fore, to be filled with terror at the

name of its enemy-a terror which

That the ant should understand

human speech and recognize the name

of its dreaded enemy is perfectly in accord with the ideas of our primitive

ancestors who appear to have con-

ceived man and the other members of the animal kingdom as being able, un-

der certain conditions, of talking to-

gether in gulte a chatty manner. But while the ability of man to understand

pears to have been taken for granted,

When primitive man cried "Shoo!"

to a hen the hen ran away. Of course

she understood! But to understand

what the hen said when she cackled

was a more difficult matter requiring

the aid of magic. So, of course, the

ants understand when you ery

"Doodle !" That ants run in the di-

rection of the cows is an idea which

has its origin in that deification of the

bovine species which was so common

among the Aryan races. The scared

ants are seeking the protection of the

gods. All unknown to himself the

farmer boy who cried "Doodle !" to

find the strayed cows stepping back

through long ages to man's primal

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to be so popular with coal dealers."

Timely Hints

By Viola Brothers Shore

something as of course.

California Flood Viewed From Plane

and speak the language of birds and Fast melting snow in the high Sierras swelled 12 northern California and Nevada rivers to more than beasts was regarded as a special gift, capacity, flooding vast portions in the Sacramento valley, doing damage to farms, orchards, homes and highways conferred by some magical process as amounting to millions of dollars. This view, an airplane picture of North Sacramento, was taken while the flood a rule, the power of beast and bird waters were raging at their worst.

Which Place Is Best 0000 By Douglas Malloch

'VE seen this land. From coast to coast. For I've been ev'rywhere Almost: And some folks ask Me which is best; The North or South Or East or West?

The North has grain, The South has flow'rs. And East and West Their sunlit hours; But this I find. The more I roam. That ev'ry place Is someone's home.

The South has flow'rs, The North has snow, But someone loves The Eskimo, The West has bills, The East has farms. But maids have lips

And men have arms.

"HE flowers from the garden had | of her to weep a tear or two or three,] as she did, and, too, she was homesick been sent in a box to the city. then, just a little, for that garden spot Some one in the city who was very fond of this particular garden had received where it was so cool and where she had planted the ferns. The ferns loved her tears because

And after one box had come, many they thought there was nothing nicer others followed along, for the first box was sent when the first flowers came out in the spring, and they followed one right after the other after that.

And oh, how the flowers from the garden did enjoy their reception when they arrived.

the box.

They were greeted so delightfully. "You dear pale lavender tulips," the lady said as she received the flowers from the garden, "how beautiful you are. You are just the color of orchids.

"And here are the lovely pink and red and yellow tuffps-and here is an orange-colored one!

"Here are the dear white lilacs and their pretty soft green leaves and dear me, dear me, how even the very twigs smell so sweetly of the garden."

And then the lady saw some ferns in the bottom of the box and as she "The Lovely Pink and Red and Yellow saw that the ferns were so new that they had scarcely uncurled themselves. she almost cried.

said they weren't thought so much of now as during the winter time when there were no flowers at all.

sets it running.

But still they couldn't complain, for on all the windy days they were still put out of the window and could drink the lovely refreshing rain water. And Creeping Charlie grew more

and more all the time, for he was so anxious to have a look at everything that he spread himself this way and that way.

The garden flowers were very much pleased, for when they first arrived they were afraid it was going to be too hot for them in the city home where there seemed to be so much hent.

But the garden flowers noticed the windows were quickly opened after they arrived and that the heat was turned off, which was surely an honor to the garden flowers.

It let them know how much they were thought of by the lady who received them.

"Oh garden flowers," she said to them, "how well I remember the garden parade of flowers, beginning in the spring and lasting all through the sum-



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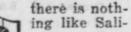
"THE IONIC-LAXATIVE" At Druggists or 372 Pearl St., N. Y. City. "I see where a scientist says the earth weighs more in the winter time," says Observing Olivia, "and

World's Largest Statue probably that explains why it seems What will be the largest statue of its kind in the world is to be erected in the bay at Rio de Janeiro, a huge figure of the Christ, 100 feet high, says Popular Mechanics Magazine. It is the work of the Polish sculptor, Landowski.

Goes Up Straight

An inventor in France claims to have developed an airplanc which will rise straight up and is operated by a .compressed air motor.



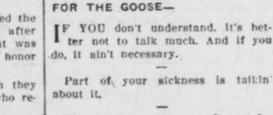


con. Two of these when your

cold starts

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attar of roses.

as poor as a miser.

and still be a little fellow.

Women always keep a soft spot for the man that wanted to marry them; men for the woman that didn't,

A spendthrift'll die poor. But not

A man might sling a long shadow

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THE GANDER-

For (

So, North or South Or East or West, It's plain to see Which place is best. It's where men love And where maids care, And you will find That's ev'rywhere! (C. 1928, Douglas Malloch.)

"Why ferns," she said, "I grew you when I was a little girl. And your sweet fern fragrance is so like that dark cool corner of the garden where I put you that it almost makes me cry. Happiness often makes one want to cry. ferns," she said. And the ferns thought it was lovely

than tears of affection. The rain was happy and the rain wept and when the rain wept the ferns were so happy for they loved tears of happiness! Tears of happiness from the Rain

King made them grow and kept them fresh and green. Of course the plants in the house

Tulips."

as, a young, promising fellow, green

as he may be, has always possibili-

No man, of course, likes to make his

business a training school for smart

youngsters. But no smart employer

likes to fill his office with mediocre

It usually costs real money to em-

Intelligent youngsters make mistakes. But they can usually more

than hold their own with middle-aged

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ploy brains plus experience,

"And how we used to cover up the flowers in the fall with newspapers,

mer into the fall.

and so the newspapers would not blow away, we fastened them down at the corners with pebbles from the garden gravel path.

"Yes, the pebbles even used to work for the garden. "We all loved the garden, and we

always will love the garden. "And even if I cannot see the garden now all the time, I can see it once in awhile, and the flowers will be sent to me when I can't go to them. "You travel so beautifully, dear flowers, toe, you keep so fresh, and yet

your journey is a long one." And the flowers whispered in their sweet flower way:

"We would not fade for anything, for the one who sends us loves us, and the one who receives as loves us, and

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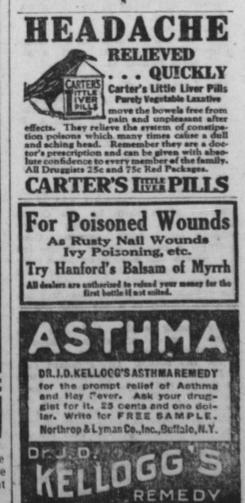
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uish at least 3,000,000 horsepower, according to a professor of engineer ing at the Massachusetts Institute of

Technology, who is working on equipment for catching and storing this power.

: Intelligence, Inexperience :

A GOVERNMENT attorney in a "I have always preferred the or fifty makes it probable that he will never do anything outstanding. Wherethe success he has had in prosecuting lawbreakers.

His staff is composed almost entirely of young men, some of whom are only a few months out of law school or college.

Occasionally these young men make mistakes which a lawyer of greater experience would not make. One of them did, in fact, do just this at the trial of a famous lawbreaker.

After the trial was over I asked the government attorney why he did not employ older men.

He said: "The government gives me only a few thousand dollars for each of my subordinates. Consequently 1 can pay them only very small salaries.

"For such a small amount I can get older men who have not been successful attorneys and who are willing to work for little pay.

"Or 1 can get youngsters who are just breaking into the game. Twenty years from now these same youngsters will be commanding the top salaries In the legal profession.

"Shall I get the other, experienced, mediocre lawyer or the younger, greener man?



It has often been said that nothing takes the place of experience. Like most maxims it is subject to several qualifications. A green man will undoubtedly make

. . .

mistakes which, with more experience, he would avoid. But when it comes to a contest between experience and mediocrity, on the one side and greenness and intelligence on the other I'll back the latter.

The very fact that a man has shown mediocrity. little promise before arriving at forty

ties,

assistants, either.

Everyday Good Things to Eat By NELLIE MAXWELL

Real Christians do not carry their , bread after sprinkling it generously religion, their religion carries them. It is not a weight; it is wings.-H. E. Fosdick.

THE following are a few every I day good things which may be prepared with little expense:

Yorkshire Pudding. Take one cupful of sweet milk, one cupful of flour, two eggs, one-half teaspoonful of salt. Mix the salt and flour, add the milk gradually to form a paste; then add eggs beaten, separating yolks and whites. Cover the pan of batter-or if baked in gem pans-with the fat from the roasting pan. Serve with roast beef. Bake in a hot oven.

Jelly Dessert.

Take one glass of jelly, the white of up egg and one-half cupful of heavy cream. Put the jelly and the unbeaten white of egg in a bowl, beat until stiff. Serve in sherbet glasses topped with sweetened and flavored whipped cream,

Cheese Custard Supper Dish. Spread as many slices of bread as there are members of the Camily, cover in a deep dish with a custard, using two eggs to a pint of milk, with a pinch of salt. Pour over the buttered I

Corn Bread. Take one cupful each of sour gream,

teaspoonful of soda, two well beaten eggs and a little salt. Bake in a hot oven.

The secret of a good potato salad is in the seasoning. Potatoes should be cut into small cubes and marinated with a thin dressing or with a French dressing for several hours before serving. It is hard for seasoning to enter into a cooked potato. With the addition of finely-cubed cucumber, a small onlon finely minced added to potatoes that have been cooked in their jackets, cooled and skinned and diced, with a good salad dressing there is no reason for a poor salad.

A little finely-cut celery always improves a potato salad as does the adding of a hard cooked egg or two. Lemon jelly with pineapple, a little celery and salad dressing, makes a salad which is especially refreshing. (@ 1928. Western Newspaper Union.)

Lane Maloney, Jr., aged five, and Marvin Halperin, four, as they made believe they were blind on one of the main streets of Milwaukee, Wis. The youngsters collected a dozen pennies before their mothers found out what they were doing,

