Lest germs attack his throat.
The dancer's prowess must be hid.
Though he may screech a note.
Who dines in carelessness complete
Is tempted by the throng.
But he who likes to may not eat.

The doctor says it's wrong. You shan the water, sparkling fair Lest fore lurk there disguised. You mustn't breathe unless the air Has been well analyzed. Has been wen analyzed.
Thoughtiess you turn, as is your wont,
With an affection strong.
To kiss your baby. But you don't.
The doctor says it's wrong.
—Washington Star.

MISS-MISS SPARED.

THE NICK OF TIME.

Got a New Lease In Life.

"Among many of the Hudson bay tribes it is the custom for the ablebod- mond king in South Africa, a score of ance in their power.

a number of young men to take measures to get rid of him immediately. after sentence has been passed these exwith fitting ceremonies.

was scarce, and Miss-Miss retained an excellent appetite. One morning Miss-Miss got orders to be prepared to receive the next day a delegation of young braves led by his two stalwart Its Social Informality Constitutes One of

"But Miss-Miss, though he had as-He was very angry. Just as Miss-Miss had done reviling the ingratitude of the young a boy rushed in to say that a huge grizzly was feeding a short distance from the camp. Here was the veteran's chance. All the braves were away at the hunt. Children occupants of the camp. He knew that certain death, but it was the death of a man. So Miss-Miss armed himself with his spear and tomahawk and went forth

"He had not far to go. Within a few hundred yards of the camp he espied the largest and leanest bear he had seen for years, making a scanty meal off dried roots. Crawling up as close as he could, he hurled his spear. The weapon struck the bear in the flank. As he had calculated, the wound bad no further effect than to infuriate the brute and turn its attention upon him. Miss-Miss took his stand with his back to a tree, grasped his little tomahawk firmly and awaited death

"Now, had it been an ordinary little black bear the peril of Miss-Miss would have been small. A black bear would have risen on its hind legs when it came to close quarters, and leaving its chest quite unprotected, tried to insert its paws between the man and the tree in order to hug him to death. All Miss-Miss would have had to do would have been to wait until it came within arm's length and plunge his hunting knife into its chest. One thrust would have been sufficient. But a grizzly is different. It strikes with its mighty claws. Miss-Miss awaited the onset. When the hear came to close quarters, it rose on its hind legs and made a mighty, sweeping blow at his body. Setting his teeth, Miss-Miss struck at its head with his tomahawk. The weapon was dashed from his grasp and he was hurled to the ground, but, much to his surprise, uninjured. Instead of the sharp claws in his side he had felt a mighty buffet as if from a huge boxing glove. Miss-Miss scrambled to his feet. The next glauce explained matters. Like himself, the bear was a veteran. It had lost its claws long since. Miss-Miss dodged round and round his tree and from one tree to another. The bear, whose sight was dim with age, aimed blow after blow, with no other effect than that of bruising its paws against the tronks. The fight went on, and Miss-Miss' strength was giving way, when through an opening in the forest he espied the blaze of the campfires close at hand. The bear saw it, too, and with a grant ef disgust and disappointment turned round and trotted back into the depths of the forest to resume its meal. "Miss-Miss hastened back to the

camp and called the eldest of the boys together. 'Take your lassoes,' he cried. and we will capture a grizzly alive. So out they went. When the party arrived within range, Miss-Miss whistled. The bear raised its head and the boys cast their lassoes. One noose fell over the brute's neck.

"When the braves returned in the evening, prepared to chase Miss-Miss into the wilderness, they found a huge, roaring grizzly tethered in the middle of the camp. No one of the tribe ever had done such a deed. They concluded the Great Spirit had willed that Miss-Miss should live, and Miss-Miss is alive today and in high honor with the ribe."-New York Sun

Chewing the Betel Nat. Maxwell Sommerville, in his book Siam on the Meinam, From the Gulf to Ayuthia," says that, the chewing of the betel nut being a common habit, at every little distance as you go through

reaches a height of about 60 feet, whose branches bear several large bunches of nuts, which harden and redden as they ripen, and which resemble somewhat the bunches of fruit on the date bearing palm. The dealers cut up their green leaves into the proper triangular form, crack the nuts, and with wooden spatulas work the tameric stained juice into a paste. It is amusing to see how skillfully they form the pieces of green leaf into pointed, cone shaped cups, into each one of which they place a portion of the ingredients "

4,000,000 disciplined men.

BARNATO IN THE COMMUNE.

How the Diamond King Saved the Bank A writer of stories about Barney Barnato says, in the Philadelphia Bul letin, that there is a circumstantially definite account of his presence in Paris during the commune of 1871. In the utter break up of all social fabric he found his capacities of a paying order. For there is little doubt that his was the craft that enabled the shrewder communards to realize the money need-

ed to supply the sinews of war. One day, during the gloom and stress of the government siege, the president of the Bank of France was confronted by an unkempt mob. The demand was explicit. They wanted all the gold in the bank's vanlts. The spokesman flourished a bloody saber and the mob accentuated the demand by all sorts of ferocions threats. It was in the height of this melee that a man who had been counseling the financial deputy of the mune rode up, adorned by a red sash HE CAPTURED THE GRIZZLY JUST IN and other insignia of the terrorists. He made his way through the vociferous throng and handed the governor of the bank a large envelope. While the official the Old and Indigent Members-This was reading it the besashed emissary Old Warrior Sought Another Death and turned to the clamoring nomads and, in

a tongue unknown to the officials and probably to many of the mob, addressed them a few sentences. A singular event ans are really afraid of," said Egerton followed. A dozen of the ringleaders at Young, the Baptist minister who re- once began haranguing the rioters. In | with me? tently returned from a long sojourn a few minutes every one of them withamong the Hudson bay tribes, where drew. The besashed personage remained he was the pioneer missionary. "That in consultation with the governor and is the grizzly bear, the tiger of North when it was ended withdrew. An hour America. Only once have I heard of a later six covered wagons came to the grizzly being captured alive, and in bank and were laden with bags such as that case the feat saved the life of a fa- the bank always makes use of in transporting specie.

ied to put to death the old men and wo- the communards, who had fled from men who are no longer able to do their France, were in exile in the region share of the work. The old women are where Barnato had cornered the mines. simply knocked on the head without | One day in the plenitude of his affluceremony. The process of getting rid of ence he was waylaid, riding in the an old man is more elaborate. The In- Rand, by a company of miners. One of dians do not think it well to stain their them, by a few words, succeeded in hands with the blood of one who was gaining his private ear. This man was once a warrior. So they delegate the known as the most ferocions of the bloodtask to their hereditary enemies, the thirsty gang who had taken part in the welves, to which they render all assist- killing of the hostages in La Roquette. He recognized Barnato as the emissary "When it has been decided at a sol- sent by the commune to the Bank of emn powwow that any particular old France, and the knowledge enabled him man is to die, instructions are given to to get in on the ground floor of the diamond deal. The tale goes on to tell that Barnato, who figured as Felix Barnette, Among the executioners are always the had fallen desperately in love with a sons of the condemned man. The day figurante in the Folies Bergeres just as the war of 1870 broke out; that he had ecutioners call on the veteran, attack | lingered in Paris, became a member of him with stones and spears and drive one of the "Red" societies, exploited him into the wilderness. There they the ardent patriotism of his coworkers leave him to his fate. A few days later and succeeded in getting several milthey return and collect a few well lions of the cash he had forced from the gnawed bones, which they bring back | Bank of France. The tale, whether true or not, is by no means so improb-"Among all the warriors belonging able as the actual facts known in the to a tribe with which I made a long so- man's mastery of the African diamond journ, none had a more glorious record | yields, for to do that he was forced to than Miss-Miss But Miss-Miss was get- put himself against such schemers as ting old. His eyes were dim, his hands | Cecil Rhodes and to contend with were slow, and rarely did he bring the "donr" shiftiness of the Boers, and home a fat buck. Furthermore, food particularly with that astute old fox

ARMY LIFE.

"Army life is informal to a degree," sisted in many such ceremonials in his said Mrs. Custer, during a recent inter- evah was in these yeah pahts, an we day, had not yet come to consider him- view. "The custom of using cards when wanter hev the ole man shaved foh the among officers' wives. When I lived in | where aroun as shaves hisself or ennygarrison, we should never have dreamed | body else." of such a thing. It is only at a few of the larger posts, near the cities, where over me was not altogether pleasurable, and squaws and Miss-Miss were the sole like one great family. Nothing that at the cadaverous countenance and spirit of good fellowship is universal. In time of sickness the friendly helpfulshould never be left without an attend-

> "With all this close intimacy there n husband or brother or sister. No dis- I was set in the right road and pertinctions between rich and poor are mitted to leave. ever observed. There is occasionally a rivals, but it is solely on account of and it was only in deference to a whim cumstances must be investigated before other families of the post will call." far beyond that county line, for I was -Philadelphia Times

When a young prince of Japan wishes to learn the mysteries of chirography, young maidens bring paper, others make the ink and prepare the paint brush. The master expresses admiration by gesture and face, for no words must be spoken by him to the prince, his mouth mendation only.

A British army surgeon is authority for the statement that the cause of death

rlearly denicted.

The author of "Chats With Celebri ties," Mr. Guild, says of the demand upon Longfellow for his autograph: I remember one very pleasant party at the poet's dinner table, at which Mr. Monti, Professor E. N. Horsford and myself were present, when Mr. Longfellow related a number of amusing anecdotes respecting applications that were made to him for autographs. He was very kind to autograph seekers and used to keep in a little box upon his writing table a number of slips upon which were written, "Yours very truly, Henry W. Longfellow." One of these would be sent to the applicant by a member of his family to whom he passed over their requests.

But the autograph seekers were no always satisfied with a mere signature, and he often sent a verse from one of his poems signed with his name. The most remarkable request, however, came from a lady in Boston, who, the poet said, sent him by express a package of Green Tree tavern, in Milwankee avethe bazaar of Bangkok may b. seen said, sent him by express a package of petty merchants busy making and seli 150 blank visiting cards, with a letter nue, and it is only 63 years old. ing the preparation so universally mas- requesting that he would inscribe his

> poet's autograph. This was too much for even Longfellow's good nature and would seem to be boast of the longest name in existence. the poet's own lips.

The fact that the greater resistance is offered to the X rays by inanimate than by living flesh is now put to practical use in determining whether a person is really dead or not.

According to Dr. Forbes Winslow, kleptomania is found among boys, but Counting all classes of reserves, Ger- very rarely indeed among men. The what you say, William. Don't think many can in 24 hours raise an army of great majority of the victims are wo- jou can throw me off the scent.—Bos-

HE PLAYED BARBER.

SHAVED A DEAD MOONSHINER, AND THERE WAS NO "NEXT."

eling Man Accepted, but Now Sells at least by hearsay to everybody.

"It was in Tennessee," d the traveling man, "it happen on one of those back country roads which I was traveling on my way to a town where I had a fine list of customers. The night | guard. The grave czar is often seen how long it would take me to reach a place where I could spend the night. I knew that I was among the moonshiners, for the jug on a stump with the money under it was in evidence along the road. I had no thought of being molested in that country, where the only warfare is against the revenue officers, and no one would have suspected me of complicity with the govern-

"A slight noise startled my horse, and I leaned out of the buggy to look into the chamber of a revolver. At the same time I saw two figures, one on each side of me, and, checking my horse, I tried to assume a bravado I was far from feeling as I asked: "Well, gentlemen, what is your will

"You can imagine my surprise when a boyish voice asked: 'Kin you shave yourself?' "I answered that I always shaved

myself. Without lowering his revolver he looked across me to his pal on the "He uns will do, Jim. Hop in as

When Barnato appeared as the dia-I'll lead the horse.' "Having made up my mind not to be dragged off in any such ignominious manner. I said:

"'If you are going to shoot me, I suppose I must give up my life, as I am unarmed. If it is money you want, I'was leading my horse. "'Yer won't be killed nor robbed nor

nothin, if yer don't try ter give us the

slip. Shet your mouth now, mister, you'll know more right soon.' "We must have gone a mile before we came to a turn in the road that brought us out in front of a cabin much larger than any I had seen that day in my travel. A woman stood at the door

'Hev yer foun somebody, boys?' she asked anxiously. "'Yep, merm, an he'll do the job ut

slick 'thout askin much pay.' "I wondered if I was to be compelled to murder some one. The boys were beardless mountain loafers-I had met their type often, but I never knew them to be desperadoes. "I was shown into the cabin by the

woman, one of the boys following with the revolver, while the other waited to fasten the horse to a scrub oak. I saw a figure stretched on a settle, and the idea flashed into my mind that I was mis-" 'I am not a medical man,' I began

to explain, when the woman cut me

"You uns 'ud a been tew late ef you uns was a doctor. He passed outen afore daylight, an it's 'nother kind of job we wanter hev done. Yer see, we uns is a goin tew hev the biggest fun'rel fost time, an there am't a man no "The revulsion of feeling which came

there is anything like the formality of | for I did not fancy the idea of playing civic life. The people in a garrison are | barber to a dead man, but when I looked deeply concerns any member is a matter | tangled gray beard of the deceased I felt to face a grizzly single handed was of indifference to the others, and the a sort of professional pride in making him look more like a mortal being and less like a wolf. I had always been an ness of the women for each other is abstainer from strong drink, but I filled shown strongly. Many a time I have up on crude spirits that would have known a number of women to detail killed me on an ordinary occasion and themselves, in regular military fashion, tackled my silent customer with a feto duty in the house of sickness at cer- verish and hysterical alacrity. This was tain hours, relieving one another in part due to the close proximity of through the day and night with abso- the two boys and their revolvers. But lute precision, so that the sick person as soon as I had the old mountaineer shaved the revolvers were laid aside and I was treated with the utmost hospitality. The work itself had not been is surprisingly little friction or ill feel- half as gruesome as I had imagined, ing. There are, of course, at every post | and I had to fight a ludicrous temptaa few people who are disagreeable or | tion to pour barber talk into the deaf hard to get along with, but they cause ears. He was such an improvement over no more trouble in general than they himself when alive-as I judged by the do in their own households. They be family lingo-that I wanted to ask him long, we feel, to our army family, and to look in a mirror. I declined the fee their shortcomings must be overlooked | tendered me by the boy Jim, and, supjust as we should overlook the faults of | plied with a jug of moonshine whisky,

> "I found it true that in all that comquestion about calling upon new ar- munity not a man had ever been shaved, reputation and honor. If there has been of the old mountaineer, expressed on anything discreditable to the good his deathbed, that he was made such a Lame of an officer or his wife, the cir- curious exception. I did not mention not sure that, a precedent being set, they might not again demand my services, and another salesman has that

> > Old Leprosy Laws.

route."-Chicago Times-Herald.

In the earliest code of British laws new extant-namely, that of Hoel Dha, a famous king of Cambria (the present Wales), who died about the year 950 even being bandaged that his breath A. D.-we find a canon enacting in may not blow upon the face of the plain and unmistakable terms that any prince. The teacher must move about married woman whose husband was in the quietest manner and give com- afflicted with leprosy was entitled not only to separation, but also to the restitution of her goods.

land, that on the Washington street fais clearly shown in the expression of the | cade of the New Grand theater, Boston, face of a corpse on the field of battle. is composed of 1,000 incandescent He states that those who have been lamps of 32 candle power each, and the killed by sword thrusts have a look of letters which they make are four feet repose, while these killed by bullets high. It took four men a month to usually have pain of an intense nature | make the sign, and it cost the company that erected it about \$5,000.

> It is said that an American went into London bookseller's and asked for Hare's "Walks In London." In the United States it is printed in one volume, in England in two.

"Oh," said the Yankee as be looked at them, "you part your Hare in the middle, do you?" "I, sir?" said the clerk, with a bewil-

dered look. "Oh, no, sir!" "I saw he didn't see the joke," said the Yankee, "so I didn't explain, but bought the books and went away. A week later I entered the same shop. As soon as the clerk saw me he approached me, exclaiming: 'Good, capital! Part your hair in the middle? That's capital, sir-capital!"-Anecdotes.

den in Siam and Afghanistan. An "elephant load" is estimated at two tons.

The oldest building in Chicago is the

...... crose to a dentist's if you are "The leaves in which the prepared shown as the chavica betel. The null is would be present, and she wished to who can effectually step or remove all from the arica betel palm, which present each one of her guests with the troublesome grinders.—London Punch.

> A paper published in Greenland can hardly credible had I not heard it from It is Arrangagliotic Natinginuavnik Sysaraminas Sinik.

> > Ostentation has been described as the

way other people "show off."-Town and Country Journal Scent Was Strong.

Mrs. Van Dyke (as Van Dyke appears at 3 a. m.)-Where have you been? Van Dyke-I-er-Mrs. Van Dyke-Now, be careful

ton Herald.

Go to your druggist for Scott's Emulsion. Two sizes, 50 cts. and \$1.00. SCOTT & BOWNE, New York,

SOME ROYAL DOGS. THE NEWSBOY'S DREAM.

The American newsboy can almos

Il the Sovereigns of Europe Are Fond of Canine Pets. Nearly every one of the sovereign of Europe, it appears, has one or more be said to have created a genus for him pet dogs. The collies of Queen Victoria, self. If he has any, he has certainly created it, for of all the inhabitants of the fox terriers of Princess Beatrice, by Friends of the Deceased-The Trav- with Jock as prime favorite, are known this planet there is none who is so absolutely independent, so thoroughly con-

The emperor of Russia is also a great fident of his own exertions. He has a lover of dogs. A London paper reports that he is always accompanied in his walks by a couple of fine Danish which places him high above the rank hounds, whose strength and vigilance of the ordinary gamin, and he generally their master considers his best safeany community-ready money. He is playing with these monster pets. He the capitalist of our junior civilization mself has taught them their tricks, the Count Esterhazy of newsboys' alley. and they are nearly always about him. He can play craps for money when other The king of Greece shares the czar's boys are constrained to pursue this de taste for the Dauish bounds, which are lectable amusement with only the milder if more intellectual pleasure of studying the fluctuations of fortune, or, at most, hazarding cigarette pictures.

not profit by.

He is a born statist, a self educated

strategist. He has the nice art of going

himself. On the eve of such an occasion

tion," but don't ever expect of whom

until you buy the paper. Pleasure and

other things occupy a fair proportion of

permeates his sleeping hours. One of

them was heard to remark between sales

"Was it about angels?" inquired Jim.

"Naw," was the contemptuous re-

sponse. "I dreampt dat der was a aw-

ful smashup, six fires, four doube mur-

THE FAMOUS GIN LAW.

English Public.

1736, is interesting as the earliest se-

ders an tree suicides, all in one day. "-

Chicago Times-Herald.

sides as he could pay for.

distasteful to the English mind. In con-

The mere cry, "Liquor spy!" was

enough to raise a mob in the London

streets, and the informer was lucky if

horse pond. Indeed, such an outery was

made about the matter that the minis-

try became very unpopular, and the

law was not enforced after two or three

years, and was largely modified in 1743,

after seven years' trial. - Popular Sci-

A Curious and Rare Book.

The most curious as well as one of

the rarest books known to collectors is

the edition of the Vulgate issued by

Pope Sixtus V, some time between 1585 and 1590. The book, as Disraeli

describes it, "fairly swarmed with er

rata." So numerous were they that a

number of printed paper slips contain-

ing the proper words were pasted over

the blunders, and this device proving

ineffectual on account of the immense

number of mistakes, as many of the

copies as could be found were called in

and destroyed. Only a few remain, and

the book with its paper patches com-

All chalk is composed of fossils If

you take the tiniest bit and place it un-

der a powerful microscope, you will see

mands an extremely high price.

ence Monthly.

to another a day or so ago, "Say, Jim,

as intelligent as they are strong, and which, with hardly a bark to announce their intentions, will fly at the throat He may swear a little more than is of any one whom their master may point out to them in case of need. When the empress of Austria goes on necessary, but in general is not half bad. His train of thought is usually her long walks or rides, several pet healthy and vigorous and has a robustdogs always accompany her. But per-haps the most widely known of all the ness born of the outer air in which he spends so much of his time. Physically "royal dogs" of the present day is he is agile and almost tireless. While Black, the pet dog of the Russian Grand apparently reckless in most things, he is, on the whole, careful of his health-Duke Alexis. Black is a sportsman's dog, of no he is scarcely over known to smoke a very aristocratic breed. Indeed, if the | whole cigarette at a time. His intellect

truth must be told, he is a member of is as keen as a razor. He keeps it conthe race of mongrels which the fisher- tinually honed on the strop of experimen in the south of France take out to ence. Everything carries for him a lessea, employing them to recapture any son. From the sale of the largest Sunwily fish that may fall through the day paper to that of the most unpretenmeshes of their nets or slip suddenly | tious weekly there is nothing he does back into its element after it has been once landed on board the barge. Black is still rejoicing in the days of his youth, but his record, not only as a far enough and yet never overstepping common fisherman but as a "fisher of men," is already great, for he has saved he will vociferate, "All about the elecno fewer than six persons from a watery

Grand Duke Alexis was staying at his time, but with him the distribution Biarritz. One stormy night he went out of news is always uppermost. It even on the cliff to get a view of the angry sea. A boat was just being wrecked below, and he saw a dog dashing with angry growls and barks into the water I had de finest dream I ever had las and bringing to land, one by one, three | night. drowning men, while the crowd cheered the brave mongrel to the echo. The grand duke approached to caress the dog, and the animal's master then offered Black to him, refusing to accept any payment. - St. Louis Post-Dispatch. CURIOUS INSECT.

A Butterfly That Enjoys Only Five Hours of Life. It is in August that the naturalists observe the marvelous insect which is born, reproduces and dies in the period of a single night, on the banks of the Marne, of the Seine, and of the Rhine. It is the ephemere of which Sirammerdam has written and which is spoken of in Aristotle.

The life of this insect does not last beyond four or five hours. It dies toward 11 o'clock in the evening, after hours after midday. It is true, how- free. Every wit, every caricaturist, had which keeps always near the border of | death of Mother Gin. The liquor shops water in the holes which it makes in were hang with black and celebrated The change of this worm in the state, her funeral, her wake and so on.

sudden that one has not the time to see effect, so the contemporary journals it. If one takes the worm in the water, say, there was a universal revel all the hand cannot be taken away before over the country. Every one drank his the worm slightly in the region of the chest. By this means it can be taken from the water before the change takes The ephemere, after leaving the water, seeks a place where it can divest

itself of a fine membrane or veil, which light." There were printed directions entirely covers it. This second chance takes place in the air. The ephemere assists itself with the point of its little nails as firmly as it can. It makes a movement similar to that of a shiver, then the skin on the wings slip out of their sheath, as we sometimes take off our gloves by turning them inside out. After this stripping the ephemere begins to fly. Sometimes it holds itself straight up on the surface of the water on the end of its tail. flapping its wings one against the other. It takes no nourishment in the five or six hours which are the limit of its life. It seems to have been formed but to multiply, for it does not leave

they are deposited. In three days' time one sees appear and die all species of ephemeres. They last sometimes until the fifth day, for the reason that some malady has affected some of them and prevents them from changing at the same time as the others. - Exchange.

its state of a worm until it is ready to

deposit its eggs, and it dies as soon as

Gold and Silver Gospels. 'The Gold and Silver Gospels" is the name of a very peculiar book now reserved in the Upsala library in Sweden. It is printed with metal type, on violet colored vellum, the letters being silver and the initials gold. When it was printed, by whom or what were the methods employed, are questions which have great interest for the curious, but have never been answered

Maid and Widow.

By the old Saxon law a maiden and widow were of different value. The latter could be bought for one-half the sam which the guardian of the maid was entitled to demand. A man, therefore, who could not afford to buy a maiden might, perhaps, be able to pur-

The herd of European bisons protected by the czars of Russia in the forest of Bjelowski, Lithuania, numbered 1,900 in 1856, but is now reduced to 500 and shows no sign of increase. The dwindling of the herd is ascribed to inbreeding, due to the confined area of the res-

Iceland has only one policeman. When he wants to wet his whistle with a hot toddy he is never afraid of the sergeant poking his nose around

An official reporter shows that there are issued yearly in the theaters of Paris 2,890,000 dead-head tickets.

Scott's &

is made up of the most essential elements that go to nourish the body. Where the appetite is varying or lacking, it increase; it, and where digestion is weak, it aids it to perform its function in a more vigorous and felt the keen wind cutting his bare way. It enriches the blood makes healthy flesh and cures chronic coughs and colds by making it possible for the body to resist dis: ase. O:rfriends tell us "IT WORKS WONDERS" but we never like to over-tate the merits of our ramedy even when it has been tested and tried for evertwenty-five years. If you wil ask for it, we will send you a book telling you more about the subject than we can put in a few words.

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Death of Judge Kilgore, the Fighting Texas | COMERSET MARKET REPORT How It Was Received and Evaded by the

Congressman. This famous "gin law," passed in United-States Judge Kilgore, ex-Congressman from Texas, died at Ardmore, vere blow at liquor dealing among civ- I. T., Thursday afternoon after a short ilized nations. It levied a tax of 20s. a | illness. The remains were sent to Wills gallon on spirits, and a license of £50 Point, Tex., for burial. Judge Kilgore was one of the best

for any one selling or dealing in them. And, being in advance of public opin- known men in public life, and attracted considerable attention in the Fifty first Apple Butter, per gai ion, it failed, much as other more stringent prohibition laws have failed Congress, when he kicked in a green Butter, fresh keg, per 2 in our own day. For the cry was at baize door which had been locked by once raised that it taxed the poor man's order of Speaker Reed during one of the taking the form of a butterfly about six | gin and let the rich man's wine go | filibustering scenes that made the "first Bacon. quorum-counting" Congress memorable. ever, that before taking this form it his fling at it. Ballads were hawked Having supported President Cleveland Beans. Beans. White navy, per bus Linux, per b Coffee, fgreen, per B roasted, per B has lived three years in that of a worm, around telling of the approaching ardently, the President appointed him one of the Judges of Indian Territory, after he was retired from Congress. Wheat Thief Escaped.

nproariously Mme. Geneva's lying in water to an ephemere which flies is so The night before the law went into WASHINGTON, Pa., Sept. 26.—Friday might 24 bushels of wheat were stylen from A. J. Barr, of Somerset township, Motasses, N. O., per gal. and taken away in a two horse wago fill and carried home as much gin be-Mr. Barr traced the grain to Zelt Bros.' flouring mill and found the man who flouring mill and found the man who flouring mill and found the man who flouring [N.Y. per bb]. To evade the law apothecaries sold sold it trying to eash a check at William sold it trying to eash a check at William Smith's bank, where he indorsed it Salt, Dairy, 4 bus sacks. it in vials and small packages, sometimes colored and disguised, generally "Charles Baker," while the check had under false labels, such as "Colie been drawn in favor of "Charles Black." Water," "Make Shift," "Ladies' De-Cashier Wrenshall refused payment. on some of these packages-e. g., "Take | The stranger escaped. The horses and | Sugar. wagon were claimed by Liveryman two or three spoonfuls three or four Sheplar, of Finleyville. The wagon also times a day, or as often as the fit takes contained a loaded gun, which is now at you." Informers were very prominent police headquarters. The sacks which and exceedingly offensive, inventing contained the grain were identified by snares to catch lawbreakers for the sake middle of the back breaks apart, the of the heavy rewards, and spying and George Black as some which had been stolen from him Friday night. sneaking around in a way particularly sequence they suffered in their turn.

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certain noble lord, who shall be nameless, during his journey north on a political mission changed his costume for a full highland "rig out," intending it as a delicate compliment to the land of the kilt, but when he looked at himself in the glass he found that the tailor had cut his kilt too short, so he made up his mind to put on evening He changed his upper garments and

then sat down for a few moments to study his speech. This set him to sleep. He awoke with a start, only to find himself running into the station. Forgetting what happened, he thrust on his hat and apppeared at the window SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN. bowing, and this was how he was He had a full highland costume as far as his waist. Above were a white

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