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When I was sick and lay abed,

To keep me happy all the day.

And sometimes for an hour or so

I watched my leaden soldiers go,

With different uniforms and drills,

Among the besclothes, through the hills.

And sometimes sent my ships in fleets

All up and down among the sheets;

And planted cities all about.

That sits upon the pillow-hill,

front door to the street.

cap and looked up.

ed. "Who's dead?"

The minister's study had an outside

easy, too, for those in trouble to slip

before him.

had one."

girls again.

I was the giant, great and still,

Or brought my trees and houses out,

And trees before him, dale and plain,

That pleasant hand of counterpane,

-Robert Louis Stevenson

I had two pillows at my head, And all my toys beside me lay

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sleepy-hollow chair by the stove. UNDIVIDED S.3000. DEPOSITS WEGEIVE IN LARGE . NORMALL | the corner of the porch and opened the AMOUNTS, PAYABLE ON DEMAND ACCOUNTS OF MERCHANTS, "ARMERS, STOCK DEALERS, AND OTHERS SOLICITED sofa corner and took off her shawl. DISCOUNTS DAILY BOARD OF DIRECTORS. kne w it's a little late in the day, but

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erable-just miserable, Dr. Marlow! as pale and thin! But I didn't say a word purchases. flat-the've just moved to a new oneand said how cozy it was. And we had J. D. SWANK. oysters for supper, and Jack didn't want

MEN'S BOYS! WOMEN'S, GIRLS' and CHILDREN'S by me and said: SHOES, OXFORDS and SLIPPERS.

Do you see how ill Jack looks?" Black and Tan. Latest Styles and Shapes for her handkerchief.CASH PRICES....

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The light that beightens

beauty's charm, that gives the

gized, wiping her eyes. "Well, I tried to pooh-pooh it; said he was growing fast, and was thin, and all that, because I saw she was so distressed, but she wouldn't listen. "Sarab,' said she, just as solemn-

death because his father had no fo-

"Nonsense! said I. He doesn't even remember his father! "Perhaps if he remembered more about him he would not be sorry he was buried quietly,' said Lucy.

"Then she went on to fell that Jack has a strong remembrance of the old home up here. He knows just how the bonse looks, and draws dozens of pictures of it, with the big white pillars and the elms in front. He remembers how his father held him on his pony and let him ride up and down. And he remembers how in summer the people of the village used to come and have tea on the lawn, and how he used to march up and down like a little

prince and pick flowers for them." "So he did," murmured Dr. Marlow, stirring the fire-"so he did." "And then he forgets," said Miss Caldwell, her voice trembling, "Thank Heaven! he forgets. He knows nothmere swindler. Of the bank failure, and all the poor depositors besieging that house and shricking for their mon-

night, doctor?" The minister shook his gray head. "It was a dark time for Norwood,"

ie said, simply.

watched her grow from babyhood to minister opened his Bible. womanhood; married her, with some Though I speak with the tongues of misgivings, to the brilliant stranger | men and of angels, and have not charwho was dazzling the quiet village with | ity-" the words of the beautiful chaphis splendor. He had baptized her ter might have been a fitting eulogy for at Napier, Australia, the school chilwhom everybody honored; and that were a just tribute of praise, while to County Tyrone on the hearty manner probably been enhanced by his baths ily go through a barbed wire fence, or Berlin, Pa. day he had seen the change in Mary's the two women who condemned they in which they had rendered the na- in the blueing water, and Mr. Williams will dig under it, hence there is no inface. The joy of life was over, except sounded a reproach. as she could find it in her baby.

And he had buried her. How sig- gan to speak. nificant had the words of the prayer "We might say many kind things to- top of the tree. Upon which a com-It mailf the soul of our dear sister-" of his old neighbors could tell of gen- The Spectator.

THE LAND OF COUNTERPANE. Yes, he could not sorrow when Mary erous things he did for them. There died. It was a mercy.

could she do?

"Could she say 'Your father was a which thinketh no evil." A BELATED FUNERAL at last she just yielded -she says she fixed on him. The minister looked up as the gate clicked. He was shoveling the snow from his walk, and scratching the lumps of ice with his shovel from the two parrow boards which ran from the I'll give the devil his due! Cheap kind- Let us pray." "Could you take a funeral to-mornesses that did not burt him and that row?" asked Miss Caldwell, pausing

The minister pushed back his warm "Perhaps, Sarah," began Dr. Mar-"A funeral?" he repeated, bewilderjustice. Possibly if we knew all-" "Don't, doctor!" she interrupted, al-"Amos Dyer," replied Miss Caldwell, most fiercely. "I can't hear you excuse him. Swindling wasn't his worst | whispered to his aunt. "Amos Dyer! Amos-Well, Sarah, I sin. He was bad all through. His evil guess you'd better come in and tell me deeds rose up wherever his foot stepa little more," said the old man, lead-

> sufferers. But there! you know it as well as I do. "But Lucy never told Jack a word of all that. And when he would say, 'Where is my father now?' she would tell him he had lost his money and was been heaped curses by those whose somewhere out West earning more. And that dear child would say:

The minister stood his shovel in the "Little he realized how his father cared nothing for his own child, whethdoor. Miss Caldwell sat down in the er be lived or died.

"And then Amos was killed-stab-"Amos Dyer, I said," she began. "I still, a funeral's a funeral, and be never "No," said Dr. Marlow, "that is true enough. But he has been buried a year, and I see no reason why he it was brought myself."

should have one now. To open up that "Certainly. That's what I say. But he has to have a funeral, nevertheless. I'll tell you all about it if you will listen like a dog in the sand where he died. how everybody loved him. I mean to Mary would not have wished it. She "I've been down to New York for a forgave him, poor child! I ought to week, visiting Lucy. I always go about know, for I was there when she died. will talk just that way about me!" this time, and we go around together Lucy can not forgive. She feels that and look at the shop windows and buy he killed her sister and impoverished Jack: but Mary-Mary forgave." "How is Jack, by the way?" inter-

"Well, anyhow, he was buried npon rupted the minister. "I heard he wasn't the hill," continued Miss Caldwell, and no one knew when but the sexton "Just you walt, Dr. Marlow, I'm and you, doctor. Even the townspeocoming to thet," said Miss Caldwell, ple did not find out for weeks. It was eleverly managed, and I dare say it was all this evil change? we have a good time together once a just as well, for there are some poor year, Lucy and I, just as if we were folks in this place who would not want him near them, living or dead.

"But the minute I got there this year "However, Lucy had to tell Jack his SPECIALTY: I saw something was the matter. Lucy father was dead. She said she could tening. A distant hymn floated in: looked worried, and Jack was just misnot help being relieved to think he would gradually forget him. Her conscience had always troubled her for letat first. I looked all around their little ting the little boy believe his father was a good man. But it was before Jack got over the shock. You know how dreadfully sensitive and tender any, though I knew they didn't often hearted he is, and he has been so much have them. But still I didn't ask a with grown people that he isn't a bit question. And at last Jack went to like an ordinary child. Suddenly one bed, and when he kissed me and I saw day he asked 'Aunt Lucy, where is my his eyes look so sad, I just wanted to father buried?"

ery. Then Lucy came and sat down "And when she said, 'In Norwood by your mother,' be just fixed those "Sarah, I never needed you more. big eyes on her and said, as if he were a man, 'And why did we not go to the | who seemed to be in a burry. Miss Caldwell paused and searched

"And she didn't know what to say She felt like a criminal. And ever since that boy has just mourned and

"His dear noble father, so handsome, body! To have no funeral, when even the poor people in the city have a beau-Sarah, that boy is grieving himself to tiful hearse and carriages! And his little heart is just hard to his aunt, and to you, and to all the people up here; and he is grieving himself to death-Mary's

boy-and I say its a share!" "It is a shame," said the minister, hastily. 'The child's whole nature may be hopelessly warped. Something

must be done." "That's what I said," replied Miss Caldwell. But nobody must know, or we may have a scene. I told Lucy I would talk to you, and I knew you would speak just as you have spoken; and so she is coming up to-morrow her, and we will go to the cemetery, and meet you there if you say so.11

She pinned ber shawl together and "You're a good woman, Sarah," said the minister, laying his hand on her

"I'm not good. Don't you dare to

to himself. He had baptized her, They stood about the grave, and the lier's Drug Store, Berlin, Pa.

were long, beautiful summer days when "Well," broke in Miss Caldwell, they walked in his garden among the "when her sister was gone poor Lucy flowers. There were sick children ton, one of the bright wits and racon- for Physical Research one of the inwas alone. She had a hard struggle, whose lives were brightened by gifts of teurs of the House, told this story in teresting subjects that probably will rebuilt and rechristened," writes Mr. part of the round, the rump, flank, the as you know well enough, doctor. It fruit from his own vines and trees, the course of a good-humored running come up for discussion, according to the Fletcher Moss, in his "Folk-Lore, Cus- peate and brisket gives the best results would have been harder but for you. There were women, old and feeble, who debate with General Grosvenor, of New York Press, will be the remark- toms and Tales " Another method is and is conducive of better health than But they managed somehow to live, had restful drives in his carriage. As Ohio: and Jack was such a comfort! But his paster, I often asked him for money I am reminded of an incident related of boys over girls which the vital sta-

work away, he would cuddle down in fused. In every life there is much to After pursuing his vocation for a long of November and up to the present time for being basuted. her lap every single evening and say, be forgiven. We may not speak of that time on the steamers of that stream it this month. It will have a direct bear- When Mr. Moss first went to the than repay for all extra trouble. The 'Tell me about my father.' And what to-day. We see through a glass darkly. came to his lot to be converted and to ling on the theory of pre-natal influence | house the noises in the night were ex- average housewife may not know it, thief?" No. She said she tried at first The minister paused. It was hard to engage in the immersion of his fellow- ported and combated by eminent phy- as if a body had fallen, squeals and all kinds of cuts of beef almost inva-

knows it was weak-and told of every "May we all remember to be kind. good or kind thing she could think of. May this dear boy grow up to be hon- stream were lined with people to watch in the ratio cannot be simply a coinci- communication between the stables which cut the butcher seldom eats. Amos loved the praise of men, you orable, truthful, upright in word and one of these baptisms of this reformed dence, confined to one particular sec- and the roof of the parsonage. The The flank steak is situated between the know that, doctor, and he did give his deed. May the poor and sorrowing gambler. It had been long heralded tion, because a similar ratio of increase rats nightly invaded the house, jumped inside and outside layers of creamy fruit and flowers to the sick, and sent find in him a loving, helpful friend. his carriage for the old ladies to ride in, So shall his life be bessed, and he shall baptize new converts to his faith. But in the statistics of nearly all the large wires as parallel bars, rung the bells, taken from well fed stock is excellent. and gave money to the poor. Oh yes, leave behind him an honored name! theold gentleman had a little graddson cities, and it is offered as a proof that in squealed, monned, and if alarmed rush It costs at the market but half as much

The minister's voice faltered as he ne s of purpose, and for strength for pack of cards. low, charitably, "we do not do him noble living. And then he pronounced the benediction.

But Jack's face was troubled. "They always sing at funerals," he

"You sing, Jack," said Dr. Marlow. Jack paused to think for a moment, ped. Norwood people weren't the only and then his clear voice began, "There's a land that is fairer than day,

And by faith we can see it afar, For our Pather waits over the way, To prepare us a dwelling-place there. Tears had never fallen on Amos Dyer's grave. On the head below bad lives he had wrecked. Deceit and shame had been the record he had left "When I'm a man I'll go and help behind him. But as the listeners heard

the voice of his little son who bore a dishonored name, their tears fell fast. That night Jack hung up his stocking, and gleefully made his aunt hang up hers. He was a happy boy again; a

ter, sternly. "It was not fitting that But it was a very nice funeral, anyhow. grow up to be just that kind of a man, and at my funeral perhaps some one

Lucy could not sleep. She sat long at the window, looking up at the stars and thinking of the past-of her sister killed in her sweet youth by grief and impoverished, lonely life.

Forgive the man who had wrought Just at that moment the midnight

bells rang out. Over the roofs of happy homes their deep, sweet tones sounded. She opened the window and stood lis-

Hark, the benald angels sing Glory to the new-born King : Peace on earth and mercy mild, God and sinners reconciled.

She sank on her knees and the past "Peace on earth, good will to men," sounded in her heart, and Christmas had come. - Caroline B. Burrell, in Harper's Bazar.

He Needed Them Soon.

"How soon can I get a set of teeth ?" This question was pronounced in the office of an Oil City dentist, by a man

them out for you next week." "Next week nothing," responded the | Choate agreed with him that Mr. Sage caller, "I've got to have them right ought to pay blim damages, and was away. I have an engagement out of his counsel in a suit which has been so grand, so good and kind to every- town, which I must keep, and I tried four times. At the last trial Laidcan't get along without some teeth." "Can't you use the old ones until next | Court of Appeals has just upset it and

Week 277 "Well, I guess not." "Why ?" "Because they are gone."

"Gone where ?" "Down the river; they went out with the les."

"How's that "" "Why, I was on my way to the station. When coming over the river I had to sheeze. I turned my head over the railing and the first thing I knew the darned things flew out of my mouth. I saw them land on a chunk of ice, which floated off down the rivmorning with Jack, and I'm to meet er. I was powerless to reach them, and here I am."

After being informed that he would have to subsist on soup for a few days he started for the train .- O.1 City Blizzard.

The Ravages of Grip.

say so," she replied, huskily. "I just poisons the air with its fatal germs, so lag of the dreadful climax of it all. Of hate Amos Dyer, if he is dead, and I that no home is safe from its ravages. how Amos Dyer was found out to be a can't help it. But he shall have a fa- but multitudes have found a sure proneral if it will cure Mary's boy." And | tection against this dangerous malady in Dr. King's New Discovery. When Maltese cat which bids fair to be a won-From the gate to the Judge's lot a you feel a soreness in your bones and der in its line, says the Philadelphia ey. Will you ever, ever forget that path had been dug, and the shining muscles, have chills and fever, with Press. Unlike other felines, this cat blocks of snow were piled high on sore throat, pain in the back of the has a great fondness for water, and the face and was knocked into the either side. Amos Dyer's grave was head, catarrhal symptoms and a stubbidden by green branches and a few born cough you may know you have when he regularly takes a bath in the cat again got on the bunk and again when the spirit moves him so to do, bright geraniums picked from the min- the Grip, and that you need Dr. King's blueing water after the clothes have scratched the man in the face, and at and incidentally, in his demonstration "And there it all ended. The bal- ister's window box. It was all very been removed from the tub. Another the same time howled so vigorously as of delight over a Dewey victory or some And there it all ended. The only peaceful there in the early morning. cure the worst cough, heal the inflamloon collapsed. Amos disappeared in peaceful there in the early morning. cure the worst cough, heal the inflamloon collapsed. Amos disappeared in peaceful there in the early morning. cure the worst cough, heal the inflamloon collapsed. Amos disappeared in peaceful there in the early morning. the darkness, without a word of good. The quiet and purity were in strange ed membranes, kill the disease germs eat any kind of food and fruits and started up to put the cat on deck, when bye even to Mary. And poor Lucy's contrast to the life of turmoil whose and prevent the dreaded after effects of nuts, especially peanuts, are his spemoney was lost too, so she and Mary tragic ending was to be commemorated. the malady. Price 50 cents and \$1.00. cialty. took the boy and went to the city and Presently the little funeral party came Money back if not cured. A trial But the most amusing performance as the vessel was going to the bottom, went to work, and in a year she died." up the walk. Dr. Marlow led Jack by bottle free at J. N. Snyder's Drug of this gifted pet takes place whenever and succeeded in reaching the mast; Would quickly leave you, if you used

A Double-Headed Buil.

On the occasion of a public reception The minister closed the book and be- that if they put their shoulders to the for the animal. wheel they would be sure to reach the

Fun in Congress.

Representative Lewis, of Washing-

when night came and Lucy put her to relieve suffering, and I was never re- of a gambler on the Mississippi River. tistics of New York show in the month | Didsbury, which had a bad reputation | however, yet the many tempting dishes Let us rather remember that charity become a Baptist clergyman, after in the regulation of sex, as advanced by traordinary; bells were rung when but nevertheless it is a fact that butchto put him off, but it was no use, and speak, with Jack's earnest, loyal eyes beings whom he had succeeded in con- siologists throughout the world. brought applause were delightful to asked for tenderness of heart, for the formance was to take place, managed Spain is responsible for the production his mother. There was something in the best pieces of meat in the bullock chart, that never faileth, for earnest- to slip into the old man's pocket a of material for future soldiers.

of the throng, proceeded into the water | York. and a jack, and following that a ten born it was observed that after wars the wideawake. Jackey. "Never git out of dere alive? ful habits and enervating luxuries. he found the "ghost." hand, he ain't de man he used to be !" boys were not robust.

the appointment of Mr. Joseph Choate | brought up nearly to the standard that | apex held on to the pane, and from the bed in a quarrel over cards among des- great load had been lifted from his as Ambassador to London. The most it had before the natural protectors three-sided opaning came the scream. peradoes in Mexico. It was a natural heart. His father had had a funeral! prevalent opinion is that Mr. Choate were slain. The martial spirit that de- A bit of paper in the crack laid that enough ending for him. Lucy wanted "It wasn't a very grand one, was it?" fits the place in more particulars than velops into activity the destructiveness ghost. him buried there, of course. There he said as he was tucked up in bed. "So any one else who could be named. of man and arouses the latent heroism was no reason why his body should be few there! I suppose they did not know Whenever we do anything to make the and self-sacrifice of women has unquestbrought here. I never understood why about it, we decided in such a hurry to British hopping mad, which may hap- tionably an influence on the future race have it to day. Of course, if they had pen any day, it will be the greatest and the division of the sexes. "I had it brought," said the minis- known, all the people would have come. advantage to have Mr. Choate in Lon- "A people long given to the pursuits don to explain about it. So long as of peace and reaching a plane of civilithe man whom I had married to Mary. I thought what the minister sald was our cousins look as favorably on us as zation that renders them effete become whose child I had named, should lie beautiful, of how good father was, and they do at present it will be a satisfac- the mothers and fathers of girls. The ago he said: "Mamma, I don't want tion to feel that in sending them Mr. | nearer that man reaches the primeval any more little St. Johns in my roch. Choate we have shown a proper ap- condition of maintaining life by force thing well that becomes an ambassador. American Indian demonstrated this in He can hunger and thirst after right- the extraordinary disproportion of the he can eat, drink, talk, and listen. He | warlike tribes." shame; of the boy who must grow up can discuss, argue, haggle, ask quesmotheriess and fatheriess; of her own tions, placate, pacify, threaten, bluff, promise, and charm. Considering his distinction as a talker, it is astonishing what an able listener he is. The chief risk our ambassador at London runs just now is of being killed with kindness, but Mr. Choate is as nearly immune to that as any one can be, though it is worth noting that he was not born so early in the thirties as to have seriously impaired his capacity for having a good time. That is important. Our representative in London ought to have just as good a time as is consistent with due solicitude for the welfare of his fellow-countrymen. The more fun Mr. Cheate has in London, the better we shall all like it, for experience teaches that the man whom London best likes, and who best likes London, is the most profitable sort of representative for us

It is to be regretted that the Laidlaw ease comes back into the courts on the eve of Mr. Choate's departure. As "I'm pretty busy," replied the tooth | will be remembered, Laidlaw was the carpenter, "but I'll endeavor to get | man who was blown up by a bomb intended for Mr. Russell Sage. Mr. law got a verdict of \$43,000, but the ordered the case to be tried again .-E. S. Martin, in Harper's Weekly.

Spain's Greatest Need.

Mr. R. P. Olivia, of Barcelons, Spain, In the back of his head. On using the station. Electric Bitters, America's greatest | The lady requested to have the ear Blood and Nerve Remedy, all the pain of the dog placed to the telephone resoon left him. He says this grand ceiver, and proceeded to call him by medicine is what his country needs. name. The animal immediately rec-All America knows that it cures liver ognized the voice of its mistress, began and kidney trouble, purifies the blood, to bark, and ended by jumping up on tones up the stomach, strengthens the the instrument, at the other end of nerves, puts vim, vigor and new life which its mistress was speaking to into every muscle, nerve and organ of her favorite, which was soon restored the body. If weak, tired or siling you to her. need it. Every bottle guaranteed, only 50 cents. Sold at J. N. Snyder's Drug Store, Somerset, Pa., and G. W. Brallier's Drug Store, Berlin, Pa.

Puss Turns Acrobat.

Joseph Williams, an uptown young man, is the possessor of a handsome

string up the clothesline in the yard. selffrom drowning. At such times the cat takes great delight in doing a little tight-rope act and the steamer Angeles, and was rescued, follows the clothesline in its zigzag course from fence to fence, never mak-

Curious Birth Statistics.

At the next meeting of the Society able increase in the number of births that used by Mr. Moss when he became the higher-priced meats. Such parts

who well knew his grandfather's past the grand compensation of nature the ed away like frightened sheep. predilections, and who, before the per- martial spirit aroused by the war with

The time came for the captism; and Francisco and Chicago all present the by her bedside and waited. It was a shoulder blade. the old gentleman, amid the hosannas same proportionate increase as New dark night, wild and windy. He dozed

spot. When the boy's mother saw male births exceeded the femals in the Again the scream came, piercing, Herald. this she knew what had happened, ratio of 100 to 75 and 100 to 80' In the curdling. Thinking it came from the and, whitened with dismay, she turn- Alexandrian wars this fact was noted window, and might be the howl of a ed to him and said, "Oh, Jackey, what and commented upon by the philoso- maniac outside, he got behind the curhave you done? Dear, dear, your phers of the day, and the reverse was tain, and waited. A wi'd scream close poor old grandpa will never get out of true in the decline of the Roman em- to his ear almost stopped the beating there alive." "What's dat?" said pire, when the people fell into sloth- of his heart. Pulling himself together, Well, if grandpa can't get out on dat The number of girls increased and the There was a fractured pane of glass,

Our New Ambassador to England, martial vigor, after losing many men sides about nine inches long and the the coming weather. If the breast-There is very little grumbling over | did, lived to see the male population | blew open this glass triangle whose

What's in a Name? Let us consider the sad case of Mr. Posselwizzle. He is in love with a young woman, who also loves him. that "the Posselwizzles have always sists after famous paintings. been a respectable and respected family," and that he cannot endure the grandfather's name. This is certainly proper pride on his part, and if the lady really loves him, as he thinks she yield her prejudices. As a matter of fact, we see nothing objectionable in Posselwizzle. It is unfamiliar, to be sure, but there is an advantage in that. There are other names which might

Dog Talks Through a Telephone.

Among the passengers who alighted at Redhill station in England the other day, says a French contemporary, was a young lady who at once sought out the station master and complained, with tears in her eyes, that she had lost her poodle at Reignte station. The station master telephoned to his colleague at Reigate, who replied that there was, in fact, at that moment lu his office a dog which answered to the spends his winters at Aiken, S. C. description given of the missing poodle, Weak nerves had caused severe pains and which was found wandering about

Cat Dies for Her Master.

During the hurricane that prevailed here last night the steamer Wildwood, lying at her dock, went to the bottom of the bay, says the Scattle Post-Intel-

At the time of sinking, one man was aboard and asleep. The boat's cat, when the water nearly reached the sleeper's bunk, scratched the man in ing. He made a rush for the deck just

but the brave cat perished.

tional authem, were solemnly assured has refused several generous cash offers expensive way to protect sheep. As sheep graze in the evening, after the Boston-a lot at the northwest corner the flook is very large.

He Laid the Ghost.

"When houses are haunted the usual

which it became his pleasant duty to Dr. Schenck, and which has been sup- every one was asleen, there were sounds ers who are daily and hourly handling screams were heard, followed by a rush | riably choose for their own consumpverting to his creed. Upon one par- By those who indorse the Schenck as though cavalry were galloping. Mr. tion flank steak. They say it is more ticular occasion the banks of that noble theory it is maintained that the increase Moss investigated and discovered a savory and just as tendericin. that this particular preacher was to of birthsof males over females is shown down on the ceiling, used the bell colored fat in the flink, and when

One night Mr. Moss was aroused by her bedroom that every few moments for making a dish of boiled beef is the Boston, Philadelphia, St. Louis, San gave a piercing scream. He sat down closed grained top piece over the off and was suddenly awakened by a more satisfactory steak than the sowhen all at once there slipped from his "And it is natural that it should be horrible shrick, which died away in called sirloin and costs but little. This pocket out upon the stream an accordia- so," said a physiologist yesterday. "A jerks. A thorough search revealed piece may be larded and served as is monds, then a king, then a queen, thousand years before Dr. Schenek was nothing, and he again waited, but filet de beef. It is also quite accepta-

the cracked piece being of the shape of "All peoples who maintained their an isosceles triangle, with the equal in armed conflict, as the Mecedonians base one inch. A strong gust of wind

Pictures for Boys.

"Do tell me where I can get any

really good pictures of Indians for my

boy's room," said an officer of the Publie School Art Society. Three weeks And Birdie can have all those angel preciation of the value of their favor- of arms the greater the number of male pictures. If any more aunts are going able regard. Mr. Choate can do every- children that are born. The early to give me things I wish they'd buy In- weather forecasters, for if the down beclaus or fellows fighting or playing neath the feathers is thick a cold season. foot-ball or something like that.' Realcousness, if need be, but at other times sexes, the male predominating in all the ly, when I came to look at his room tensively laid out and thinly settled a f did not wonder. Dick loves pictures | warm spell is on the way. and he has a large room that is the meeting place for all the boys in the neighborhood, so we have all taken pleasure in giving him things to fix it up. We were determined that every picture should represent high art, so But she objects strongly to becoming he has Raphael's Cherubs, Murillo's or west the cold snap will be only Mrs. Posselwizzle. She thinks that the Guardian Angel, Sir Joshua's Cherubs, name is inharmonious and absurd. Delia Robbia's Innocents, and actually

The unhappy man points out the fact | Counted three young John the Bap-"I have cleared them all out for him. They can go into the nursery, or Birdie thought of abandoning his father's and will like one or two, and I want the dear Innocents myself, to hang over my desk. There is not a thing on Dick's walls now but a photograph of the boy | 1845. They were real negroes led by a does, she will respect him for it and Charles II , with a dog and some colored prints of naval battles that he cut which gained them great applause out himself from a weekly paper. His was named "That Old Gray Goose." father is going to have one large ex- The words ran: "Oh, don't you see pensive picture framed for him and is that old gray goose a-lookin' at the hesitating between three, all 'fighting' gander." This was sing by the tenor just as readily raise a smile on the lips pictures, and I regret to say, a'l mod-voice, and the chorus ran in parts to of the thoughtless if they were less eru French works-Detaille's "Saluting the words, "Where," "Here," "I common. We advise Mr. Posselwiz- the Wounded," De Neuville's "The hear," and then a ringing chorus, zle to stick to his guns. - Providence Last Cartridges," and Gerome's gladia- Another of their part songs was "Oh, tors-I am never sure of the name- mamma, I must be married to Mr. have one more little inexpensive Mr. Punch?" "Who Mr. Nell?" thing."

The Dog Reporter.

Bob, a fox terrier that belongs to the chief of one of the Washington newspaper bureaus, is generally known. along Newspaper R was "the dog reporter," The correspondent of the De-

troit News-Tribune tells why. There are some sanctums that the ordinary reporter does not dare to enter, unless especially invited; not so with Bob. His nerve is supreme. He starts out each morning with great regularity to make the rounds of the treasury department, White House and war, state and navy buildings, usually accompanying one of the reporters of the bureau. If they are behind time he goes on his own hook.

He is known in practically all the departments, and when he comes alone officials discreetly conceal all letters or other documents which may have news in them, because Bob will never leave an office without some tangible proof that he has called. A few weeks ago he was discovered by Secretary Gage calmly walking out of his office with a bundle of letters presented by a Western congressman in behalf of a constituent who wanted a position. Bob was greatly aggrieved when the messenger forcibly relieved him of his

Bob also frequently pays his respects to the President. Unlike most callers. creases out of the President's trousers.

That Throbbing Headache

"Poor thing," whispered the doctor the hand, and the two women followed. Store, Somerset, Pa., and G. W. Bral- Mr. Williams' wife has occasion to on which he clim's day and saved him- Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their match-His lusty yells attracted Capt, Fife, of less merit for Sick and Nervous Headaches. They make pure blood and strong nerves and build up your health. Easy to take. Try them. Only 25 and artists of all kinds-musicians There has been legislation enough to cents. Money back if not cured. Sold and painters, as well as sculptors. St. baby boy, too, and named him for his a good man. To the son who believed dren of the town, after being duly formance for hours at a time. The cat protect sheep. The problem is how to at J. N. Soyder's Drug Store, Somerset, mother's father, the good old Judge, his father to be all that was best, they complimented by his Excellency from has fur of a beautiful shade, which has keep the dogs in check. Dogs can eas-

> The highest assessed piece of land in more than its assessed value.

To Find Prime Beef Cuts.

The prime steer used for beef purposes weighs about 900 pounds. Of this amount there is in the carcass two sets of first 'quality ribs, consisting of seven ribs in each set and weighing about forty pounds per set. There are also two letos weightog about forty pounds each. There is, on an average, 75 pounds of choice beef in each well regulated steer, but some butchers have been known to sell porterliouse from a carcass after everything was gone but the horns. The remainder of the beef, after the choicest has been out away, is called the "misnomer," from the fact that it sells at a lower price. A large percentage of the most nutritious meat s found in the coarser cuts, but nearly every one demands a part of the 175 pounds, which is a false idea of domes-

tic economy as well as judgment. Practical experience has shown that the utilization of the chucks, the best that may be made from them more

as porterhouse or sirloin. An old butcher once told me that

Meat adhering to the ribs make much ble as Mignon steak.-Omaha World-

Goose Lore.

Weather predictions, according to popular indicators, promise a mild winter and fine February. January is the month for eating geese, and all old residenters consult the breastbone of the same after it has been relieved of the meat. Texture and color prisage bone of the goose is thin and light colored there will be no severe cold; if the bone is thick and dark, ice and snow may be anticipated. A lepts in the art of divination can foretell from the graduated color of the bone just what days will be warm or cold: A breastbone of a gander raised on his country place found indications of an

early and mild spring. A goose lives to be over 50 years if no accidents cut short its days, and at anytime after nine months, will serve

The feathers of a goose are also is imminent, where as if they are ex-

The flight of geese is an unfailing sign of coming temperature. When they fly south in their wedge-shaped phalanx the northern blast is behind them, while if they diverge to the east temporary. On their return when they fly from their winter haunts to their great summer resort in Siberla summer follows them, as well as awaits their coming. A feather from a wild goose in its flight will bring back an errant

lover to the maiden who has it. The first negro minstrel troupe appeared in the United States about man named Johnson, and the melody Pollice Verso, I think. I want him to Punchinello," different voices singing "Who Mr. Lo?" Who Mr. Punchinel-

Phidias and His Jupiter. Among the haughtiest of the Atkenian "old masters" was Phidias, who was thought by many to be the greatest of all sculptors. He lived a century before Praxiteles, and was selected by Pericles, the ruler of Athens, to adorn the Parthenon-that beautiful temple which is still partly standing, though its artistic decorations have been lost or carried to other countries. Some of the friezes carved by Phidias

are now in the British Museum. The glory of the Parthenon was his gigantic image of the goddess Minerva, nearly forty feet high, and made of ivory overlaid with gold. He gave so much offense by his arrogance that Lis epemies were always watching for a chance to do him harm. At one time they accused him of stealing some of the gold from the statue; but the gold plates were taken off and weighed, and his innocence thus proved. Then it was discovered that two of the figures. he had placed upon Minerva's shield were likenesses of himself and Pericles; and a cry of implety was raised against him, in consequence of which he was

banished from the city. He took his revenge in a curious way. The Minerva had been universally considered his poblest work : but now he proclaimed that he would surpass it for the benefit of the people of Elis, another Grecian town, in which he had sought refuge. The Athenians declared that this was impossible; but a little while later, when he set up his colossal Jupiter, they were compelled to acknowl-

edge that their goddess was eclipsed. The citizens of Elis adopted Phidias with acclamations, and decreed perpetual honors to his family. His loss was deeply lamented by Pericles, whose ambition it was that Athens should lead the world in cultivation and refinement, and who delighted to surround himself with eminent scholars

The best way to avoid sickness is to keep yourself healthy by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifler.

Hickory Nut Cookies.-Two cups of sun goes down, as a protection against of Washington and Winter streets, con- sugar, two eggs, half a cup of melted Dyspepsia-bane of human existence. heat in summer, they cannot be con- taining 1855 square feet-was sold the butter, six tablespoonsful of milk, one sounded: "It hath pleased Almighty day of him who lies here. For several patriot turned to me and said; "Sure, Burdock Blood Bitters cures it prompt- fined at night in a building, and it will other day for \$152,000, or at the rate of teaspoonful of cream of tartar, half a God of His great mercy to take us to years he lived among us, and numbers it was an axietree he meant, bedad." - Iv, permanently. Regulates and tones not pay to employ a watchman, unless \$230 per square foot. This was \$175,950 teaspoonful of soda, and one cupful of chopped kernels out into the dough.

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