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In mathematics and obomistry France leads the world at present.

Speaker Reed pronounces it "Arkansaw," when he recognizes a Beprocontative from that State.

The United States raises more tobacco than any other country on the globe. British India comes next, producing nearly as much.

The largest decrease in the number of deaths from diphtheria last year occurred where the serum cure was most generally adopted-in New York City.

It is reported that the constant vibration, caused by the heavy steam and traction cars in Paris, has caused great damage, especially to tall buildings, and many of them are in an unsafe condition.

South Carolina has passed a bill. which puts the life of any and every dog in the State at the mercy of any person who may catch it away from home. Dogs off their owner's property may be killed for committing any sort of a "depredation," and the killer is judge and jury.

It is affirmed that a poom offered in a contest for a prize to the Chicago Times-Herald, and which took the prize, was a bold plagiarism from a poem which was first printed in a Chiengo paper more than twenty years ago. The "author" was a twentyyear-old girl of Indianapolis.

Andrew Carnegie has aroused British wrath by saying that it would pay England to burn up her railroad equipment and replace it with American models. Andrew is undoubtedly right if conveniences and comfort of travel are considered. "Every American who is not an Anglo-maniac that has ever tested their out-of-date traction and tramway equipment will heartily indorse Andrew," adds the Atlanta Constitution.

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General Traveling Agent Stone, of the Coorgia Southern Hailroad, told a that the little Squire should be spoiled, Georgia man recently that he had discovered an electrical process for converting wood into stone. He could, he said, petrify wood at a moment's notice, and he proposed to make a fortune by converting the plank walks common in Southern cities into stone pavements. He also said that there ought to be lots of money in turning of a long line of boys and girls. He e pullulogs into stone houses. His statement was printed in some of the newspapers, and now Mr. Stone is kept busy telling his friends that he as he sat idle at his desk. was only joking.

WHEN THE DAY IS DONE. Darling, when the shadows fall, And the day is done, When the orimson well is drawn O'er the sunken sun, Through the meadows, moist with dow. Swift I his away: All my hours of pleasure come With the close of day. As the perfumes from the flowers Grow more sweet at night. As the dewdrops softer glow In the paie moonlight, So, the hours of care all ; assed With the sunkon sun, Joy comes springing to my soul When the day is done.

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For thy pleasant face I greet And thy smile I see, When across the dewy fields I have come to theo; When I hasten home, my love, With the sinking sun, All my sweetest pleasures come When the day done, -Daniel J. Donahos, in Boston Transcript.

LITTLE SQUIRE'S SCHOOL

HE village, with the school and everything in it, properly belonged to the Squire; but people called the school the little Squire's coheri S Squire's school. eause no one took such an in 6 State terest in it as did the little Squire.

Why, he would arrive at the school every afternoon for weeks running and leave his pony standing, with its shaggy head halfway in the door, while he took up his position beside the teacher, and gravely regarded the boys and girls.

"Well, Charley, how's your school?" the Squire would ask, if he happened to meet his son returning from the village. "Coming on finely, ch? Learning 'readin', writtin' and 'rithmetic, and sewing into the bargain?" And then the Squire would roar, langhing; for he thought it a huge joke the interest the little Squire took in the village school.

Even the schoolmaster, Mr. Finch, spoke of the school over which he had spoke of the school over which he had presided for fifteen years as the little Squire's school. But many and many a time the good man said to himself: "He's a fine, manly little fellow, the little Squire; but i'm feared he'll be with the Squire himself willing to run at the lad's beck and call, almost, and the children here at the school fairly worshiping. A fine, fine lad; but 'tis a pity." The schoolmaster said all this, however, before a certain occurrence and its sequel down at the little Squire's school

This is how it was. The little Squire stood as straight as a soldier in front book 10

was really of a very generous nature times-this the little Squire noticed THE MERRY SIDE OF LIFE. and who knew nothing of Aun Eliza-beth's dangerous dimple, cried out, little grandmother sat at the western

ceeding pompous.

ceeding pompous. "The word you give out is spelled two ways," said Ann Elizabeth, slowly and distinctly, "bool-1 and boowl." "That may be, Ann Elizabeth," re-turned the little Squire, determined not to loss his temper: "but it was unly spelled one way in the spelling book." "Then the spelling book's the dumb-est thing I ever heered of," cried Ann

Elizabeth

upon to discuss the question." He looked so very little sented up there upon his pony, and his words seemed so very big that for a moment Ann Elizabeth almost gave up her idea of getting even; but she had been head in the spelling class three months all but two days, and her grandmoth-

er had promised her a new calico frock if she stood head at the end of to the Squire's infinite astisfaction. the third month; and although Ann The lad walked resolutely to his fath-Elizabeth's frocks were voluminous she was immensely proud of a new

she was immensely proud of a new one. "I've just been with grandmother," he began; "she isn't happy here. I say, grandmother ought to be made awfully happy, she's so little and she's so good." Thereupon the Squire was for rushand so hey you.

She was looking over the back of the shaggy pony. far away from the little Squire's honest eyes. The little Squire was going to be an-

in'. Onet your grandmother went a Ann Elizabeth's grandmother makes potterin' 'round at Farmer Hath- the whole house chippy."

away's, workin' hard as anybody 'fore pot or some'n; dress her in silk, and a'most set her in a chair. She do look lack a chiny doll, sure 'nough, settin' wishin' the Lord'd teck her. Little Square, my graudmother pities your grandmother ; hear that?"

The shaggy poar kept its feet plant-ed in the middle of the lane as the little Squire's indignant eyes followed the figure of Ann Elizabeth going on Squire's preseveringly; "I'd dust the to his school.

little grandmother sat at the western impeteoualy: "Oh, I shouldn't have called you that. I'm very sorry that I called you that. But I'm glad to hear you ac-knowledge you were wrong, Ann Eliz-cheth." he added, in a superior way; "Grandmother, did you use to like to window any the little Squire kissed the little old grandmother right where the tears were settling on her check, and cried out, in his impulsive way, "Grandmother, did you use to like to STORIES THAT ARE TOLD BY THE A Tale of Adventure-Keeps Right

TIONESTA, PA., WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1, 1896.

FOREST REPUBLICAN.

"Like to work, Charley ?" she asked, "She's gone on a whaling expedition up in the nursery."-Chicago Record.

ing whatever to do, no more than if I wasn't in the world. But it's all right; yes, of course it's all right," she went on ; "I'm the Squire's mother, and I'm "That may be, Ann Elizabeth," ac-quiesced the little Squire; "but I scarcely think you and I are called he saw in the little Squire's big blue the saw in the little squire's big blue

"Come in !" roared the Squire. When the little Squire, thus hid-den, opened the door he found his er's desk, and determination in his

ing off to the back parlor to find out what was the matter; but his wife put her hand on his and bade him ask the ington Star. little Squire to explain.

"Mother unhappy in my house?" famed the Squire. "What do you

The little Squire was going to be an-gry, but he smiled instead. "That's so, Ann Elizabeth," he said. "Ty e got a grandmother, and so have you." "My grandmother," said Ann Eliz-abeth, looking wickedly into the won-dering face of the little Squire, "helps with the baby and bakes pies and does a turn most everywhere; you can't go in'. Onet your grandmother went a

The Squire's mouth and eyes were she married the Square's father; now you keep her lack she was a chiny tea pot or some'n; dress her in silk, and n't like that; that's servant's work." Then, as if he might solve the problem in another way, he inquired, anxiously, "Who's Ann Elizabeth?"

The little Squire's mother answered for him, with a faint smile. "She's

Squire, perseveringly; "I'd dust the piano legs while Grandmother dust the

The trees met overhead in the ave-nue up which the little Squire galloped his pony. He had muttered "china have a flower bed back of the parlor tespot" and "china doll" defiantly, be-fore he persuaded the pony to leave that spot in the lane, and his face was

SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL, Scientists deciare that the cathode light will penetrate steel half an inch

\$1.00 PER ANNUM.

There are 2487 different variaties of

fire escapes and ladders to be used in

The Chicago Academy of Sciences proposes to dredge the rivers and ponds of Cook County for snails.

Afghanistan is going ahead. The Amser has decided to light his capital

city by electricity, and ran his fac-

Scientists who have made a study of

A bottle with a message and the date

was thrown into Boston Harbor July

27. On October 17 it was found on

the coast of a small island in the Car-

Among Dr. Donaldson Smith's dis-

coveries in the region of Lake Ran

lolph is that of the existence of fifteen

new tribes of Africans-one of them

dwarfs, none over five feet in height.

dicted a man for obtaining money un-der false pretenses, who, it appears, hypnotized his victim, and while in

this condition made him give up \$1900.

Professor A. C. Totten, of New

After about a year's experiment

with an aluminum torpedo boat, the

French naval authorities have decided

the aluminum is unfit for shipbuild-

ing, unless some non-corrosive alloy,

or anti-corrosive paint can be discov-

Dr. Selle, a practicing physician of Brandenburg, Germany, claims to have

contrived a photographic instrument

which will in minute details reproduce

the various colors of objects, persons

and landscapes brought within a speci-

fied range on the camera. American

scientiests are sceptical concerning the reports of this process.

It is stated that diamonds become

phosphorescent in the dark after expo-sure to the sunlight or electric light,

and when rabbed on wool, cloth or

metal. This is an important proper-

ty, as it enables the amateur to distin-

guish between paste and real. This

property is not electric, as is clearly

shown by its being visible when the

There are as many laughs as there

are vowels. Those who laugh on A (the broad sound) laugh openly and frankly. The laugh in E (short sound)

is appropriate to melancholy persons. The I (as in machine) is the habitual

laugh of timid, naive or irresolute

people. The O indicates generosity and hardihood. The person who

gem is rubbed on metal.

ered.

The Grand Jury at Chicago has in-

the eye say that a flach of light lasting

40-1,000,000,000ths of a second is

quite sufficient for distinct vision.

Ibbean Ses, 2500 miles away.

emergencies.

tories with the same.

FUNNY MEN OF THE PRESS.

An Advantage of the Sterner Sex-

On-Two Wishes, Etc., Etc., Though a man has fourteen pockets, And a woman has but one, He can go through all of hisa While her search is just begun!

A TALE OF ADVENTURE "Hello, Billy, where's your wife?"

REEPS RIGHT ON.

Passenger (on the vestibule limited) "Porter, does this train stop at Dinkeyville?"

Porter-"No, sah; she doan' even hesitate dar, sah."-Harper's Bazar.

TWO WISHES,

Mister-"Oh, dear! I wish I could get hold of some good liscuits like mother used to make for me." Missus-"And I wish I could get

some good clothes like father used to buy for me."-Indianapolis Journal.

HANDICAPPED HIMSELP. "You have the reputation of being

Haven, Conn., has issued a calendar good for 67,713,250 years. It is said shrewd business man," remarked the friend of a young real estate to have a very simple key, and is evolved on a cycle of 1,600,000 years. omer. "Yes," was the reply. "It's getting so that when I offer a man a genuine bargain he takes it for granted that I am getting the best of him."-Wash-

SHE MISJUDGED HIM.

Mrs. Hardhead (gianoing over letters)-"This young man who applies for a situation has the stamp crooked, and it's upside down. Doesn't that indicate he is lazy, careless and perhaps cranky?"

Mr. Hardhead (an old business man)—"No, my dear, it indicates that he is a hustler who wastes no time on trifles."—Pearson's Weekly.

MNEMONICS.

Professor A .- "Would you believe it, my dear colleague, I actually do not know the ages of my children!" Professor B. — "Such a thing could never happen with me. I was born 2300 years after Socrates; my wife 1800 years after the death of Tiberius; our son Leo, 2000 years after the pro-mulgation of the Licinian laws by Tiberins Sempronius Grauchus, and our Amanda 1500 years after the com-mencement of the great Migration. Very simple, is it not?"-Zondaas-

THERE ARE OTHERS.

Mr. Cityman-"I say, Mr. Medders, the advent of the bicycle and the con-

langhs in U is a miser and a hypocrite. The fifteenth annual report of the sequent decline of the horse must have New York State Board of Health states hurt you farmers considerably by cut-ting off the demand for one of your tributed to infected oysters which were freshened in water contaminated by sewerage at Port Richmond, led to a careful investigation by Dr. E. C. Curtis. His opinion is that not only typhoid fever, but cholera and diar rhoal diseases may thus be transmit

RATES OF ADVERTISING

UNSPOKEN.

The moonlight loves the ploteid sea, Vet nonre its freart out silently.

The volceless sunflowers, one by one, Uplift their faces to the sun.

The scented south wind comes and goos In worldless worship of the rose.

And thus, dear heart, I love you, though I'd die before I'd tell you so.

-Albert B. Paine, in Harper's Weekly,

HUMOR OF THE DAY.

"That's a find clock." "Yen; d cuckoo."-Yale Record.

A superfluous man is now known as a third wheel to a bicycle.

The silent partner is the member whose money talks for him.

Ten to one, if the hen was a sweet singer she wouldn't lay so many eggs. -West Union Gazette.

Before buying a dog, be sure it is not so worthless that you can't give it away.-Atchison Globe.

Any man can give a good account of himself; but other people will not always believe it.—Pack.

Beggar-"Hold on! This is a bad quarter." Grymes-"Well, you can get rid of it as easily as I did."-Puck. Many a man gets the idea that fame

has her eye on him when she is only gazing over his head at some one else The woman whose alceves will hard-

ly allow her to pass through a de way, can still go through her husband's pockets at night.-Truth.

There are some men who are willing to admit that they can't sing, but every one of them thinks he is a good judge of human nature. -Truth.

Mrs. Cobwigger-""Now, Freddy, if you're not a good boy, I'll send you to bed without any dinner." Freddy-"Say, ma, what are we going to have for dinner?"-Truth.

Mother-"Now, Willie, you've been eating mince pies till you've made yourself ill. I shall have to send for the doctor." Willie-"I say, if you are sending for the doctor may I have another mince pie? It won't make any difference, you know."-- Moonshine.

Dismal Dawson-"I see a funny thing in the paper some days sense. It said that Queen Elizabeth always wanted to run away when she sed a sheriff's officer." Everett Wrest-"1 wonder ef it is possible that royal blood flows in your veins?"-Washington Star.

Old Quiverful-"And so you want to take our daughter from us; you want to take her from us auddenly Young without a word of warning?" Goslow-"Not at all, sir. If there is anything about her you want to warn

"No," said the man who picks up bits of wisdom whonever he can, never like to hear Blynkins start out to show how all the indebtedness of the country can be liquidated and financial affairs put into shape at short notice." "Why not?" "He nearly always winds up by borrowing \$2 on his own account."-Washington Star.

eyes, hid her little, old face in her little, old, useless hands, and fell to sobbing like a baby. Ten minutes later the little Squire knocked boldly at his father's study.

and came almost down to her heels blue eyes, his lips pressed together.

Dr. S. Weir Mitchell, in his address at Radeliffe College the other day, said: "One of the requirements for admission to college should be a physical examination, as it is at Amherst, and during the college course the girls should not be allowed to neglect gymnastio work, since regularity of exercise is of the greatest importance. But it is a mistake for women to think that they can keep up to the standard of work that men set for themselves. It is this disregard of their natural limitations which causes so many women to break down. 'Two very important results of a college training are the cultivation of the power of quick perception and the babit of using the English language carefully in everyday life. There should be a chair for daily English in every college. A most deplorable result of spending four years in college would be to lose all interest in the world outside of books, and to let dressing the mind keep you from giving care to dressing the body. May this never happen at Radeliffe."

Treasury officials were greatly surprized at the carelessness of many bond bidders, writes Walter Wellman, in the Chizago Times-Herald. In addition to the 4640 bids received there were several score of offerings which had to be thrown out because the men making them had neglected to sign their names or fill in the amount they were willing to take or the price they wished to bid. Most of these blunders were made by bankers and business men, and there were so many specimens that the Treasury officials who opened the bids were forced to wonder if their correspondents had not been laboring under some excitement when they filled out their blanks. little Square." One bidder, a Western banker, would be in a pretty fix if the Department were to accept his offer. He thought he was going to be smart and so started out to make his hid for a million read "at the lowest price offered." But by some curious mental lapse he wrote "highest" instead of "lowest," and a greatly surprised and embarharrassed man he would be if Secretary Carlisle were to allot him file million at 150.

one hand and a ruler in the other; the little Squire was fond of slapping the book with the deed !" ruler. The schoolmaster was smiling

The little Squire turned back the leaves of the spelling book and gave out the word "Bowl !" Seated at the head of the bench, with her eyes fastened upon the little Squire, was a little flaxen-haured girl wearing a queer, voluminous frock and

a skimpy print apron. She was an odd-looking, eager little girl and she spelled very quickly "B-o-I-L" "That isn't right," said the little Squire.

into her blue eyes and she showed one dimple in her left cheek.

"Ann Elizabeth," called out Mr. Finch, in a warning tone. "Next," oried the little Squire.

"B-o-w-l, bowl," said the second little pupil, emphatically. "Go head," ordered the little

Squire. Then he looked at Ann Elizabeth; she was actually muttering that it wasn't fair.

"You're a very bad girl, Ann Eliza-both," said the lad. "I think you forget who is teacher to-day." Then Ann Elizabeth shocked every

one in the school. She burst into impudent laughter.

'You're a common girl, Ann Elizabeth," eried the little Squire, energetically; "aud I won't teach this class any more till Mr. Finch sees that you mind your manners."

and singing to the baby. And that old grandmother pitied his grand-mother He walked softly across the And with that the lad tossed the spelling book across to the teacher's deak, darted out of the schoolhouse, room and stooped and kissed the little old lady, "You don't want to go Heav- in a low voice. mounted his pony, looking uncon-cernedly into the room, and role

away in high dudgeon. "I'm astonished at you, Ann Elizalittle face flushing. "It's very nice down here, Charley," she said, smoothbeth," said Mr. Finch, steraly. "I was under the impression that you were a well-behaved girl."

The spelling class was for the most part dumbfounded; but still that dan-grandmother's hand. boy, following the movement of his gerous dimple showed itself in Ann "Yes, dear, it's made of silk-fine Elizabeth's left cheek, and still her silk," she murmured. "But you don't feel like-like you was a china doll, do you, Grandmothoyes gleamed

'I know I'm a common girl," said Ann Elizabeth, as she trudged home a er?' quarter of an hour after the other children; "but I know it's worse to lad", in a tremulous tone-"a china call a person what they is than what | doll.

Who says that, Charley? they isn't; and I know that word boll But the little Squire hung his head. was right. I'll be even yet with the He never intended to tell of Anna Elizabeth About a week later the little Squire As the day went by the lad did not overtook Ann Elizabeth as she was go sgain to the village school ; instead

walking along the lane. He rode very he set diligently to watching his little slowly as he came up to her, for he chins doll grands other; for that was wanted Ann Elizabeth to beg his par-don; he wanted to give outsome more in his thoughts. He wondered how it lessons at his school. Then the shaggy would be to grow old and sit sun

little pony of its own accord stood have nothing to do. Some people, of still by the side of Ann Elizabeth. said "Good-morning."

Ann Elizabeth curtesied.

Charley," she said, suddenly. Thereupon the little Squire, who ting; it cramped her flagers. Some -The Independent.

affame as he galloped up the avenue. | the big Squire's amazement grew and "China tespot! China doll, in- grew.

But the lad's mother had her arms that?" about him. "The little Squire may be The little Squire was in an irritable mood as he mounted the hail steps. right," she said softly; "we must let Everything about him was elegant as him do what he can to make Grand-

he had always remembered, large, mother happy.' comfortable and elegant; and yet he It was a happ It was a happy day for the little,old never for a moment doubted the words Ann Elizabeth referring to his grand-mother "potterin' round at Farmer Hathaway's." He entered the back Squire sat under the piano feasting parfor where he knew his grandmoth-er was sure to be; buthe did not speak to her, he just went to tossing about the papers on the center table. Be-the very beginning it brought the

The little girl's face grew red and ing angry with the common little girl laughter into Grandmother's little white by turns, a bright gleam came made him angry with the whole world. wrinkled face.

But never in his short life had the The little Squire entered his school little Squire remained angry for a long very gravely one morning toward the time. All at once he raised his eyes from the scattered papers and re-garded his grandmother. She must neglecting his duty; Le hadn't been time. All at once he raised his eyes have seen him when he first came in, near there for over four weeks. but she was not thinking of him now; The common little girl hung

she was sitting in her rocking chair at down her head when she saw him. the west window. No, he was not The little Squire had never told of angry, but Ann Elizabeth's words her, and she felt ashame1 and repent-No, he was not The little Squire had never told of were ringing in his ears: "Dress her ant. The schoolmaster smiled in

in silk and a'most set her in a chair, hearty welcome. She do look lack a chiny doll sure "I'd like to h

"A china doll," repeated the old

"I'd like to hear the spelling class, 'nough." Was his grandmother sit-ting there wishing the Lord would take her? Then the little Squire hid take her? Then the little Squire hid his face for a moment in his arms; for "I'm going to skip about," said the even as he had gallcped furiously past little Squire.

Ann Elizabeth's home he had heard the useful old grandmother laughing It was a long time before the little Squire selected a place in the spelling book. Then he looked at Ann Elizabeth, who stood at the head. "Boll !" he said.

"B-o-w-l," answered Ann Elizabeth,

sn yet a while, do you, Grandmoth-"There are two ways of spelling that word," said the little Squire, She started guiltily, her shrunken little face flushing. "It's very nice other time; this word's spelled the ing out her gown. "Is it made of silk ?" questioned the If I'd know I wouldn't have made Ann Elizabeth go down."

Then the little Squire's eyes fell on Ann Elizabeth, abject and miserable. He saw the flaxen head bowed away down over the bib of the funny little apron. He knew that Ann Elizabeth

as just as sorry as she could be. But, somehow, the little Squire was just as glad as he could be. "Ann Elimabeth," he said, in a friendly fashion, "you ought to see my grandmother and me dusting the parler furniture; you ought to see us! And we've started a flower bed; we're

going to have every kind of flower. You must come up and see it some

his aristocratic hand to the common little girl, as if she were a great lady course, might like it, but not a person or somebody whom he respected very The little Squire lifted his cap and who had once been busy, not a person much, and Ann Elizabeth took it and

who had gone "potterin' round at Farmer Hathaway's," His grandmoth- Aud Mr. Finch I And Mr. Finch looked on affection "I know I'm a common girl, Square or used to take up her koitling oceasistiy from his series the teacher's harley," she said, suddenly.

chief products." Mr. Medders-"What product

Mr. Cityman-"Why, it must be of

little use to raise oats now !" Mr. Medders-"Yes; that's so! The bicycle has doue us on that ; but when ted. one door shuts another always opens. We raise the arnica plant now .--Puck.

A STRANGE EXPERIENCE.

First Department Official-"I had strange experience to-day-very strange.

Second Department Official -- "You look as if you'd seen a ghost. Come, tell mo the story ; anything to relieve the monotony.'

"It is not a guost story." "Well, well; out with it." "A man came to me to-day to ask

about a matter which I couldn't refer to any other department, and I actu-ally had to attend to it myzelf."-Sketch.

NOT DISPOSED TO QUIBBLE.

While the two urchins who had adourned to the alley in the rear of the bara to fight were stripping for ac tion, the larger one said : "Kid, I'll let ye off if ve're 'fraid. I

can lick yo in two minutes. I'm ten pounds heavier's you be."

that mug o' your'n we'd weigh 'bont the same

was the fiercest one the neighborhood had seen for many a day, and it is with a melaneholy satisfaction the historian records the fact that the smaller

Major McLaughlin put a new man at work at his mine the other day drying out dynamite.

"Now," said he, by the way of explauation, "you've got to keep your eye on that thermometer in the heater. If it gets above eighty-five, you're liable to hear a noise around here. When it reaches eighty-two degrees, you've got just three minutes in which to work, for it takes three minutes for it

see how the man at the heater was do-

keeping her down."

"Whew! She's up to eighty-four, he remarked. "There, that'll fix it !" He jammed the thermometer into a bucket of cold water and hung it back on the lienter. Then he wondered what McLaughlin was ranning for .---

Spite Fences.

Millionsire Crocker maintains fence twenty-five feet high on one side of his place on Nob Hill, San Fran-cisco, fencing off all the view from a lot owned by the estate of an under-taker named Yung. Yung, who lived there at the time, didn't want to sell his lot, but after the fence was put up had to move his house. The fence cost \$2000

Right in the middle of George Vanderbilt's princely domain in Asheville, N. C., an old colored man owns six acres of land, which Vanderbilt feneed in. The owner says: "Yas, sah, I been waitin' 'steen yeahs fo' good neighbohs, an' now I got one, I don' move. No, sah !"

In Saco, Me., two families are on spite fence terms, and one of them has erected an ugly barrier of brush to darken the windows of the other. A fence six feet high is just a fence

Make it sixteen feet and it becomes a spite fence. At twenty-six foot it is just-foolishness.-New York Recorder.

Wampum,

This is the English name for the shell beads used for ornament and as currency among the northern tribes of Indians previous to the settlement of the country. They were made chiefly on Long Island and around New York Bay, and were of two kinds, one made of couch or periwinkle shells and the other of hard clam shells. The making of wampum, to be sold for orna-ments, has been carried on for nearly a hundred years by the Campbell family at Pascack, N. J., and they are now said to be the only persons who know how to bleach and soften the conch shells used in making white wampum or to drill holes through the still harder calm shells that are made into the more valuable black or deep purple wampum. The couch shells are brought from West Indian ports by schooners. The claim shells are of the largest size obtainable, the smaller ones being too thin for the pur-

Wastel Energy.

D068.

Country Sam King owned a clock which he wound daily for fifteen years. A short time ago Mr. King and all the members of his household went away, and were absent from home an entire week. When they re-turned King noticed that the clock was still running and concluded somebody had been in the house. Nothing was missing, and an investigation proved that it was an eight-day in-stead of a one play clock.—Atchison (Kan.) Globe. Character In the Nose.

The nose of Beethoven was large,

thick and ill-shaped. Mozart had a prominent, straight nose, showing great force of character.

Goethe had a large Roman nose, rather more bent than is usual in that type.

Caesar's nose was decidedly Roman, and in size altogether out of proportion with his other features.

Lord Brougham had a wonderfully expressive nose, the tip of which was almost constantly in motion when his Lordship was listening to an opponent's speech in Parliament.

Paderewski has an almost Greeian nose, with a slight curve of the bridge, indicative of emotion rather than philosophy.

Mme. Patti has a delicately molded, thin-nostriled, aggressive little nose, indicating an artistic temperament, combined with an impulsive, emotional nature.

Queen Victoria has the straight, short, delicate nose characteristic of her Stuart ancestors-showing high courage and resolution with a tiveness to honor and tenacity of couviction on all subjects. - New York Mail and Express.

A Remarkable Natural Bridge.

One of the many natural wonders of Arizona scenery just made accessible by the opening up of new rail and stage roads is a remarkable natural bridge, in the Tonto basin, not far from Flagstaff. The bridge is 550 feet long and spans a canon some 200 feet deep, at the bottom of which flows the river. The bridge is of rock, and is perfectly proportioned. The under side is gracefully arched and the upper perfectly level. The walls of the canon are honeycombed with caves, in which are a great profusion of stalactitos and stalagmites.

Speak It Out Loud,

Don't sit down and wait for trade, 'Tain't the way, Tain't the way. Get a hunder, make a show, Push your business --make 'er go Don't sit down and wait for trade "Tain't the way. "Tain't the way.

If you've anything to sol³, Tell it out. Let your neighbors see you're "dy," Get up "bargains," dan't say die; If you've anything to sell Tell it out, Tell it out.

Folks won't know you if you don't Advertise. Keep things movin' svery day, Talk about it, that's the way Folks won't know you if you duark Advertise. Advertise -Printer + Luk,

to rise to eighty-five." An hour later the Major returned to ing. Well, how is it getting along?" he inquired. "Ob, first-rate." "Do you watch that thermometer ?" "You bet your life I do, and I'm

He reached into the heater, pulled out the thermometer.

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"That's all right," responded the other. "If you'd wash the dirt off'n The light that immediately followed

WHY HE RAN.

boy whipped. -- Chicago Tribune.