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### THE FOOL'S PRAYER.

The royal feast was done ; the King Sought some new sport to banish care And to this jester cried, "Sir Fool, Kncel now, and make for us a prayer !

The jester doffed his cap and bells, And stood the mocking court before ; They could not see the litter smile Behind the painted grin he wore.

He bowed his head, and bent his knee Upon the monarch's silken stool : His pleading voice arose : "O Lord,

Le merciful to me, a fool! "No pity, Lord, could change the heart From red with wrong to white as wool ;

The rod must heal the sin ; but, Lord, Be merciful to me, a fool ! "Tie not by guilt the onward sweep

Of truth and right, O Lord, we stay ; Tis by our follies that so long
We hold the carth from heaven away. 'These clumsy feet, still in the mire,

Go crushing blossoms without end ; These hard, well-meaning hands we thrust Among the heart-strings of a friend. "The ill-timed truth we might have kept-Who knows how sharp it pierced and stung it The word we had not sense to say-

Who knows how grandly it had rung? "Our faults no tenderness should ask The chastening stripes must clease them all But for our blunders-ob, in shame

Pefore the eyes of heaven we fall-Earth bears no balsam for mistakes ; Men crown the knave, and scourge the to That did his will ; but Thou, O Lord, Be merciful to me. a fool !

The room was hushed ; in silence rose The King, and sought his gardens cool, And walked apart, and murmured low, "Be merciful to me, a fool!"

## Blake's Widow

Jem Blake was shot dead in his own was to come off directly.

The extraordinary interest in the affair was less due to the murder and its peculiar circumstances, than to the fact that this was the first case tried at San Saba in any more formal court than the time honored institution of Judge Lynch. Jem had been hind always ready to help one who was hesitated and stopped, but he changed, his past, and Blake's widow stood up. out of luck, so public sentiment ran pretty partial intention after lingering a moment, high against Antonio. If the general inclination had been followed-as, up to that exclamation, "Wall, some women do beat time it always had-the last-named gentle. the d-l amazin'." man would have found very scant opporfunity to make any remarks in his own be-

However, thing were advancing at San Sabu as well as elsewhere, and it wouldn't do to hang Antonio without a regular trial, made a clean sweep of every empty box in no matter how agreeable such a proceeding his stere. might be to the people at large.

were usually accepted without comment. Nevertheless there was more than one dissenter in the present instance, to whom Gueldo's kidney.

clear a light that the Judge had great diffi-

culty in impressing people with his con-

in an irregular way long enough; and here

was a way to start the law in properly,

and give it a tair show. Besides, it didn't

make any kind of difference; Antonio had

shot Jem, hadn't he? Well, then, what

was the use of talking? All the jury

would have to do now was to return their

verdict of guilty in the first degree, and

It was just the same thing in the end-

"I tell yer," said the judge, who felt the

reight of his title, albeit the same was al-

nothin' like doin' a thing reg'lar; partiker. lally when yer know just how it's comin' So the judge's argument, supported by

his influence, and increasing bias at San

Saba in favor of more civilized views, set-

As there was no place specially arranged

Here a rough table and chair were placed

for the judge, the other necessary furni-

stand, etc., being eked out with boxes

Jake Smith looked on at these prepara

ions for a time with frowning disconfent,

When he reached the door of the shanty

he learned against the jamb and poked his

of a hat. He had come there with the in-

tention of saving something, but the sight

Blake's widow sat there, as she had sat

pretty much all the time since the murder,

staring straight before her, with her chin

the foliage of the red oak trees that grew

before the door, and checkered with flick-

ering brightness the floor and cradle in

There it was' just as it had been three

days ago; (could it only be three daysf)

just as it had been when she went out that

which Jim's baby was sleeping.

for such ceremonies, Judge Pitblado hos

pitably offered the use of his shed.

rom Silas Baggett's grocery store.

nto the lane that led to Blake's.

there you were all comfortable.

exactly.

was hanged.

it was by no means clear that there could be any sense or profit in thus beating about "Ef Antonio's goin ter be hung, why in

-don't we hang him?" cor.idence. This was the pertinent query of Jake The court was assembled, the jury had Smith, the leader of the opposing faction, been chosen, and the witnesses were all and his view of the question put it in so present save one-Blake's widow.

Pretty soon there was a stir at the do then a murmur of surprise ran through the viction. He said that things had gone on crowded room.

"May I be d-d," said Jake Smith. audibly "if she hasn't brought her baby!" What reason she may have had for no leaving the little thing in charge of some who would have been glad of the trust—
was not apparent; however that might be.
there it was classed firmly in her arms its whiteness, and its father's sunny hair

mingling with her dark locks. With some difficulty way was made together one of courtesy: "I tell yer there's rectly opposite the candle-box on the other, where Antonio sat. She took her place and never moved during the whole trial, excepting as she was required to testify, and once when the baby tugged at some been placed on the side of the judge, diand once when the baby tugged at some glistening thing that lay hidden in the tled the matter, and it was decided that folds of her dress, at which she took pains Antonio Gueldo should be tried before he to distract its attention with a chip from

> the floor. As for the baby it sat there with its big blue eyes open to their fullest extent, entirely absorbed in the novel scene, save

ture, intended to represent the dock, the went on in good earnest. A number of wrist. Other instances I have seen, though witnesses were examined, whose testimony lower joint of the thumb almost showed that Gueldo's had had trouble with hollow of the palm. In neither of these Blake, and more than once threatened his persons is the ordinary use or the symmetry and then strolled down the road, turning empty on the evening of the day of the wurder, whereas in the morning it had been full; that he was seen that morning naked head inside, fanning himself in an around Blake's house, and more than that Blake's widow had heard Gueldo's voice known but one in the whole course of my embarrassed way with his greasy fragment Blake's widow had heard Gueldo's voice life. This was an orphan boy, who had just before the fatal shot, and had seen his had no parental care, but had been left al-

retreating form as she ran out. ing how she knew it was Gueldo's and how she had recognized the voice for his. She in her palm. The sunlight struck through did not know how exactly, but was none the less sure for that.

There had been a rumor about that some there were a witness for this he could not be found now.

And so the prosecution closed.

bling its white linen with his blood, and had already been said to resemble someone the baby playing with his hair. She in the village. Finally, he produced three screamed ouce, the first and last complaint of the ill-conditioned fellows before referred anyone had heard her make, then she was to, who swore that Antonio was with them quiet and helpful through it ail; when the on a hunting expedition during the whole men came and lifted him up; when they of the day on which the murder was somlaid him on the rough bed in the other mitted.

It was a clear case of alibi. Jake room; when they carried him to the grave Smith's astonishment at the ease with Jake Smith was trying to find the link which the thing had been accomplished was unbounded. He threw a disgusted missing in his thoughts; he sniffed with perplexity—or something—and Blake's widow looked up without speaking.

she following with the baby in her arms.

"They're agoin' ter try bim in a court,

"Yes. The judge is making a cour

"I don't see how, but he's got some

the last remark, for the child, disturbed by

"Pooty, aint he?" said Jake, regarding

the small figure with interest, "Looks

just like-ahem!-you. Poor little-I-a

Jake bent down, and, with his big fore-

and the baby staring down the path after

He walked on until he reached the top

of the little hill, where he could look down

The arrangements were soon found to be

altogether too meager. Pitblado's shed

was filled to overflowing, and Baggett

. . . . .

his cradle with a wondering look.

Jake went on, "an' I don't believe--"

flash of interest in her black eyes.

"Poorty chipper ?"

with a tender touch.

coverlet.

kind o' nervous."

fur yer, maybe?"

ested with things in Jake's vicinity. Jake nodded pleasantly four or five I don't know as there's much to be said. I "Blake's widow smiled sadly, bent ove the sleeping child and smoothed the clothes Antonio Gueldo killed Jem Blake, why, just recollect, that's what yer here fur." "Try who-Antonio ?" she turned to-The jury filed out, and the expectant ward the burly figure in the door with a

audience occupied itself with tobacco and whispering comments. Jake Smith fidgeted about on his box out of his shed. I hope it'll turn out all and cast anxious glances through the open right, but it seems like giving that Mexi- door towards the clump of nopals where can devil a chance he oughtn't ter have." the jury were deliberating.

Antonio talked and laughed in an under-"He can't get clear, can he?" she asked, rocking the cradle gently and patting the tone with his counsel, and Blake's widow sat staring at them with compressed lips, and a strong expression of determination kind of a law cuss to speak for him-a fel- coming into her face.

It wasn't long before the jury filed in ler that stopped here a day or two ago on his way to Galveston, and it makes me again, all seating themselves by the spokes. man, and Judge Pitblado rose wiping his Blake's widow did not appear to notice forehead with his shirt sleeve.

"Straightened it out, have yer?" asked the talking, had awakened and sat up in he, nodding to the Spokesman. The man nodded slowly in return.

"Wal, le's have it then." "Yer see," said the spokesman, with a hesitating and disappointed air, "ef yer " he stammered and treated his hat like hadn't a corralled us with stickin' ter the a mortal enemy. "Of course he's had- evidence, we might a done better, but acyou've got-there aint nothin' I could do cordin' ter that, Antonio wasn't thar when the murder was done, an' ef he warn't She answered with a grateful look, but thur, he couldn't a done it, an' ef he didn't it was accompanied by a shake of the do it, why-then-of course he's-not

guilty." Pitblado dida't dare to look at any finger, softly rumbled the hair of the baby's body; he stared up at the ratters-down deorway by Antonio Gueldo, and the trial head; then he went out and left them, at the table-nowhere in particular; and

Blake's widow sitting as he had found her, then turned half-way towards Antonio. "You kin go," said he, speaking with great deliberation, "but I wouldn't stay round here too long."

There was a dead pause for a moment upon the roof which covered the piteous and nobody moved. scene he had just left. Here he seemed to Jake Smith exploded a single expressive

"Have you got through, judge?" she and walked meditatively onward, with the asked. "Wal-I-s'pose so."

"And there is nothing more done?" "I'm afraid ther aint." Of course everybody came to the trial-"And he's free to go?"

> "Y-a-a-a" Antonio Gueldo rose with an insolent grin, and picked up his hat.

The baby crowed, for it saw the glittering thing again. There was a sharp report-Autonio dimes.

day previous, holding mysterious confer- pressed to her breast. ence with lli-conditioned fellows of A line of clear blue smoke curled up enough the few rare dates in fine condition which in the known parts of the continent from the muzzle of the weapon, and will command higher prices than the rare Jake Smith was highly dissatisfied, and formed a halo around the child's flaxen coins of almost any other series. In war and the occlot. A prospect of the dino even the judge was heard to utter some head. The glittering thing was quite times, when money was high, I have known therium alone would be sufficient to com-

ceedings had really commenced he gained from the yielding grasp of the mother. figure on the floor—it was quite motionless—tery rare and bring high prices. Of course the thick-skinned animals, as the megathe—then she turned, and went through the nuch of their derived value depends on rium or gigantic sloth at that of the tardiwide passage opened for her by the silent their condition and color. A coin that grades. Probably the dinotherium would grades, bolding the haby very tenderly does not show the marks of circulation and be found, if found at all, pursuing a life crowd, holding the baby very tenderly, and the baby carrying the pistol.

got its shining plaything at last.

# Personal Peculiarities

there it was clasped firmly in her arms, its decisive a manner as to remind one of the they begin to take an interest in the subbright red cheeks contrasting with her cars of Puss or of Tray when suidenly ject. In my own case I of course wanted they were going to be. called. Marie Louise, the second wife of to do something a little better than my son the great Napoleon, was in the habit of amusing the ladies of her court at their private soirces by turning her cars almost com. much interest. In these old coins I found through the throng to her seat, which had pletely round, and in a manner closing a link to the dead past, and when I read of them up. She did this by a peculiar mo- Greek and Roman wars and hold in my tion of the jaw, and she is said to have hand a coin of the dates in question, or years ago was in actual use, and trembles by any one strong enough to do it, and to much interest in this age.

it is said could sleep any length of time, long or short, and awake at the time, al-Among the muscular movements not common, I have noticed several instances when that irresistible glitter caught its of persons who could throw back the four fingers of either hand until they stood per-Every one being now present, the trial pendicular to the back of the hand and into the life; that Gueldo pistol was one charge of the hand at all affected. Of left-handed people we have all seen many, and they abound among the working classes; but of the artihandist, or both handed, that is, of persons who could do everything with either hand, as well with one as the other, I have most to himself from infancy. Quick, ac-At this last point the Galveston lawyer tive, and sharp-witted, he had taught himasked the witness a few questions regard-ing low she knew it was Gueldo's and how fairly, could play the fiddle and the flute, and wrote admirably and with unrivalled

rapidity with either hand. There are many persons who, from causes they can never explain, have a repugnance, almost amounting to horror in some cases, one had heard Antonio make a boast of for certain animals. The French General having "done for Blake this time," but if Junot, who was as cool as a cucumber would face the cannon's mouth unmoved would take to his beels at the sight of a live frog, and would not recover his equanimity

The mind builds its own house.

## A High-Toned Cook.

Mrs. Vandewater has lately experienced servant girl. The last one she had was ligent and ignorant, and Mrs. Vandewater an' that don't need any explainin'. Ef curing one that she went to the city. She The gigantic cliff itself is composed o you kin make out accordin' ter that, that went to an intelligence office and asked to beds

A burly girl of thirty-two stepped for-

"Can you cook in the French style?"

"Can you get up German dishes?" "I suppose you are a church member? "You have no objection to splitting

wood? "Not any. "What time do you wake up in the morn-

"Five o'clock; and I can play the gui-"You never kindle fires with kerosene?"

She suited first-rate; but before she con-

sented to be engaged, she wanted to ask some questions: "How many folks in the family?" "Five."
"Husband drink any?"

"Do your daughters whistle 'Pinsfore' Never. "Have you any oil paintings in the house, hidden by foliage. The invisible attraction

and Axminister tapestries, and pots of hya-cinth on the shelf !"

of the curious range of Savanna island the Clinton and Holmesville stage passes mountains to naturalists arises from the in-

"Have I got to hunt off book agents?" "I'm never troubled that way."
"Do you expect me to wash the dog?"

"Do your boys go out crabbing and come ome covered with mud, and have four shirts apiece in the wash every week?"

"My children are all girls."
"What part of the city do you live in?"
"I live in Paterson, N. J." "Then you can't hire me. I go to the country if I kaows myself. My beau don't get through work till seven lia. I don't wan't country in mine. I'm a city

and waiting for an eligible employer to

Coins. prefers the olive."

"Is not this a costly diversion?" "The American coins can be collected, be dragged along the floor. they bear of the emperors. And thus one of becomes interested in the history of the emperors. The faculty of sleeping at will was one of becomes interested in the history of the emperors. antique and misshappen pieces of stamped

metal. Commodus through the ages to the collector's cabinet, for instance, in modern

Brooklyn?" "It is difficult to explain how we know a genume antique. But there are no two ancient coins alike in shape and appearance, and an expert will sort out the counterfeits-which are common, and, as I understand are manufacture 1 iq quantities in Birmingham—as readily as a bank teller will detect the bad bills which may pass through his hands. The appearance of a genuine old coin is unmistakable and in-

### Sand Pillars. We have often witnessed a phenomer on the sandy plains of Central Asia, which

accounts in some measure for the innumerable sandy mounds that are found in size his promise. some regions. When seen at a distance for the first time, it made a strong impression upon my mind. About twenty pi lars were in view, wheeling round and licking up the sand. As they passed along a and refined face of an ascetic; he is a member cloud of dust was raised on the ground, of the Presbyterian Church, a rigid observapparently eight or ten yards in diameter. er of his religious duties, a strong temper-This gradually assumed the form of a ance man, and a model husband and father. olumn, that continued to grow in height Judge Bradley is of short statue, scholarly and diameter as it moved over the plain, and very courteous. He looks very wise appearing like a mighty serpent rearing and very severe while on the bench. Judge his head aloft, and, twisting his huge body into contortions in his efforts to ascend. Good humor and kindness. He maintains The pillars were of various sizes, some majestic gravity during an argument, twenty or thirty feet high, other fifty, Judge Clifford has a rosy, benevolent face, cradle, (how fond he was of the baby?) tion, the witness who had sworn to having just ss it was when she heard the crack of the pistol, and ran in with an awful sense of suffocating fright; just the same as she had found him lying upon the cradle, dabof suffocating fright; just the same as she son may be mistaken for another, and had found him lying upon the cradle, dab-brought a witness to show how Gueldo and there are not a few to whom butter and activity. The smaller ones seemed to trip cheese are abominations. Others are equally perjudiced against certain vegetables, but why or wherefore they can never tell you. bodies in graceful curves as they passed each other; while those of larger dimensions revolved with gravity, swelling out their trunks as they moved onward, till the sandy fabric suddenly dissolved, forming a great record and great and great trunks as they moved onward, till the sandy fabric suddenly dissolved, forming a great record and great trunks as cloud of dust

## A Mile in Ald-Air.

Barrington Brown, during his memorable a great deal of trouble in securing a good survey of Guiana, reached the foot of Roraima and ascended its sloping portion to a in Africa for trapping game—that is to say, told to boil an egg in the coffee, and she height of 5,100 feet above the level of the he constructed a slip-noose of thougs, and look towards Pitblado, but the judge was put it in whole. On another occasion, nonplussed, and didn't seem to be interwhen instructed to stuff the ducks with and the foot of the highest perpendicular which he bent down by the aid of a hoistonious and potatoes, she put them in whole. portion which towered above is a band of ing-tackle, and fastened it to the ground. Gentlemen of the jury," said he, "things She also made apple pies in a similar manthick forest. Looking up at the great wall Now Master Sloane had a sister, a young has took a turn I didn't altogether expec'. Her predecessors were equally negof rock 2,000 feet in height, he could see lady of great worth and of very decided that a forest covered its top, and that in character. Other girls, who were envious determined to have a better girl at all places on its sides where small trees or of her beauty, said she was an ill-tempered suppose you've got to go by the evidence, hazards. It was with the intention of se-shrubs could gain a hold, there they clung. red-haired thing, but this was prowhite, pink and red sandstone, be shown some of the best specimens in interbedded with layers of red shale, the the Seventeenth Congregational Church. whole resting on a great bed of red diorite.

The length of Roraima is about eight or ten Sioane's accepted lover. That he went to ward, and the following dialogue took miles; Kukenam is perhaps larger; and the see Miss Sloane on the very evening when area of Illebeapeus is certainly more exten- the reckless boy set his Central Africa tra;

watered is made certain by visible trees and lane where the trap was waiting for victims the enormous waterfall which pours at least. How it happened that neither the young from Roraima. A grand view of this cataabove the level of the sea. Through the were oblivious to all earthly things. Sti clear atmosphere was distinctly visible at a more difficult is it to comprehend how they distance of thirty miles the white thread of could both have stepped within the noose, a branch of of the Orinoko. This tropical approached extremely close to her in order Staubbach is probably the highest fall in to see if the hymn was correctly printed. the world, and is at the same time of con- However this may be, the fact remain siderable bulk. The cliff of Roraima is 2,- that Miss Sloane and the minister were 000 feet in height, "over the upper half of just within the noose when the which it fell like a plumb-line and then detrap sprung, and the elastic sapling scended with a slight slope outward. The remaining 3,000 feet to the valley below air, where they remained hanging like two slopes at an angle of forty-five degrees, and, cherries on a single stem, and expressing in monotains to naturalists arises from the in- that way, and the driver and his passenaccessibility. This should not be under- gers were astonished beyond measure. steod as the mere desire to excel others in For some time it was supposed that some a feat of climbing, but as the hope that new and curiously complicated animal some relics of the mammillian life of the so- was swinging from the top of the sapling. called "miocene" period may have survived but just as one of the passengers was about on these isolated altitudes, cut off from all to fire at it, the driver recognized the mincommunication with the living, moving lister, though he was not able to recognize world. If any of the "miocene" mammals his fellow-prisoner. The latter's voice was

lived upon them when the sea washed over somewhat muffled, but she was distinctly their bases, the descendants of those ani-heard to revile the minister, and to assermals may exist there still, as the lemurs ex- that she never would forgive him, no matist in Madagascar, and a whole family of ter how he might try to excuse himself. marsupials, such as the kangaroo, in Austra- | Six strong men finally bent down the sapa quiet man and a good neighbor, with a have half a mind to turn back, for he word, which he had held in for some time o'clock, and by the time he'd get shaved the mystery which lends a charm to these neither of Master Sloane's victims were serand put on his swallow-tail cost and get island mountains, and the happy naturalist liousty injured, and were both able to walk out to Paterson, it would be breakfast time. who lands-as one will, of course, and in home on opposite sides of the street. The time—on the summit of Roraima, may find result of this affair were numerous. Mischange begin to notice the old American form, but the great progenitors of existing At any rate, he has not been seen, and the quainted with its purport. He was told it cents and to lay them aside. They soon mammalia. Leaving the tapir, one of the rumor that he has been sent to the House was unimportant; but was not to be put

become interested in making a complete series of them and the tast then develops. I most ancient of extant creatures, at the bottom of them and the tast then develops. I most ancient of extant creatures, at the bottom of the Roraima cascade, he may find at lieved. Soon they begin with half-dimes and then its summit its gigantic cogeners-huge her-So ran the opinion expressed by Judge featured fellow from Galveston, had buspitched forward in a heap upon the floor undertake a collection of quarters, and so in length; the dinotherium, a tapir-like and Blake's widow stood with the pistol they go through halves and dollars. Though in the American mint series there is noth- analogues of the mastodon; ancestors of A line of clear blue smoke curled up ing of interest but the date, still curiously the horse, the hog and the greater cats, misgivings, however, by the time the pro- near the little hands now, and they took it an American dollar of 1804 to sell for \$700. pensate an enthusiastic naturalist for the and since then dollars of that date have labor of years. It is the largest of the termost the yielding grasp of the mother.

Blake's widow looked steadily at the figure on the floor—it was quite motionless—then she turned, and went through the wide passage opened for her by the silent crowd, holding the baby very tenderly, and the baby carrying the pistol.

The child laughed with delight; it had the pistol.

The child laughed with delight; it had the yielding grasp of the mother.

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The child laughed with delight; it had the pictor of one has a taste for purple cents another for helping the animal out of the water. But the dinotherium is but one of the startling forms which might be looked for on Roraima if its cliffs be really as difficul as and at these places he is frequently seen neers experienced in making educated Perwith a few exceptions of very rare coins, painted. Lizards in the semi-ophadian and caught by fisherman, but his favorite

be swung to and fro like a pendulum, or to be dragged along the floor.

The faculty of sleeping at will was one of the companies of the compan the endowments of the first Napoleon, who people who bought and sold with these the spikes were driven deeper, until at and the entire lack of evidence of mixed last some vital spot was reached. After blood, and the rarity with which more than

# Judges of the United States Supreme Court.

Justice Strong Strong has the spare form and refined face of an ascetic; he is a member

### A New Swing for Ladies,

mere calamny. At all events, so thought the young minister who was settled over sive. It is impossible to view this wonder-ful group of mountains without realizing or four evenings every week at the Sloans that far back in the youth of the world they mansion, but is was a coincidence that o formed part of an archipelago in tropical that precise evening he proposed a walk, seas. That they are well wooded and and led Miss Sloane toward the identical minister nor Miss Sloane noticed the bent ract was obtained by Barrington Brown sapling or the rope, no one can understand. from the mouth of a cave, inhabited by unless they were so deeply engaged in the guacharo birds, and situated 1,882 feet discussion of theological questions that they "Never, missus, never; and I aint strongthe waterfall. The Indians said it was the
minded. I ain't in favor of women voting."

the waterfall. The Indians said it was the
head of the Cotinga river, but
it is more probably the head of the Caroni,
a hymnbook and that her companion had lelicacies do not become fertifized.

seing tree-covered, the rest of the fall is lively tones their suspicion that something graphing to Constantinople and expressing unusual had happened. Half an hour later Perhaps a balloon may one day solve ling, released the victims. Fortunately, himself among the descendants of the races Sloaneleft town the next day on a visit to the the telegraph office of a small station. The Then she took her place on the bench, long since blotted from the lower world in East, and has not since returned. The clerk apprised kis colleague at the next which the evidence of their existence is re- minister was tried for indiscreetly hanging station of the unwelcome visit, and before corded in the great stone books alone. from the tops of trees with young ladies, an acknowledgement of the warning came Amid the forest depths, on which rests a and thereby bringing reproach upon his was called upon to enlighten the inquiring huge cloud, he may find not the gigantic profession, but was acquitted by a closs monarch respecting the business of his of-"Usually," said Mr. Carter, "young men saurians of the youthful world, grim mon-who are in a position to handle much sters of the fish-lizard and blrd-lizard and hoped that his father has killed him. wire, and his majesty desired to be acvote. As for Master Sloane, is is believed fice. Presently a message came along the

Besides being the most prolific of food fishes, he is large, easily taken and quickly he had to thank himself for it.

prepared for market, while his different that besides the muscular parts, the sounds and roes are used as food, the oil is valuable bunded a telegram, addressed to one of the offal is converted into a valuable manure, in one of the stations on the Decside rail-the bones make good fuel, while the skins way. The c'erk, af er g arcing at the

successful interviewing. At certain points off the Massachusetts coast he finds a suffi-ciently low temperature in shallow water, American hannts are the semi-inclosed waters of the coast of Canada and adjacent islands. Fond, however, as he is of very pied during several weeks in attempting to end water, there are temperatures which even though they be but two or three degrees removed from the normal. Among sages were transmitted through them as in Everybody who goes to Nuremburg must these is the water that comes from melting sages were transmitted through them as in visit the torture chambers. One almost salt ice, and slowly sinks to the level to which writhes at sight of the rack which 400 its specific gravity entitles it. In such apparatus shown to has highness; in vain water the cod will not remain; he will not

The cod resorts to the shore for feeding state. lights. There are times when he will not out their views of the stage. One of the leave these, even for food; but the seasons in which fresh-water fish revisit the scenes before us, I'll put a label on it." of their childhood are also the seasons when the water is cool inshore. While hot ped down from the family circle, "remarkweather remains, with sea-water warm en-ough to lure human beings into the surf, move aside. Galety is nature's garb of health.

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Sponsibilities of his nigh office.

The cod abhars the beach, and takes what food is nearest at hand, preferring, like thinest thing I've seen," said a third party, be worth \$60,000.

plainest fare for the sake of cool quarters. A smart Illinois boy, named Sloane inwater allows him to follow the shad and ented a trap on the principle of those used ish to the shore, he never travels alone; if ne is not accompanied by a family, he takes so much company with him that those who extend hospitable seines to receive him ake sometimes as many as thirty thousand

ish at a single haul. The cod is wonderfully prolific, depositng from three to seven millions of eggs at time. It not only prefers to spawn in he winter months, but in the coldest water can find, and yet avoid an icy coverlet; temperature of thirty-two degrees is the avorite, while nothing above forty degrees s tolerated. The largest spawning grounds of the cod are in the vicinity of the Lotoden Islands, though the American mem ers of the family put up with such accomiodations as they can find near home. The domestic arrangements of this fish are so informal that the eggs have no special abiding-place, nor any protection whatever. Of the millions of eggs that are deposited by a single female, not more than a hundred thousand, probably not more than ten thousand, result in full-grown fish. Like the small boy who, if he could not whip a larger boy, could at least make the cod preys find delicious revenge in esting the eggs of the latter, waile the mass of "low down" inhabitants of the ocean are true to the instinct of low-downers everywhere to prey upon an socracy, particulary upon the younger scious threof. It is robable, too, that many of the eggs which scape the keen eyes of searchers after

## The Telegraph Folks.

When the news came of the revolution n Turkey and the disposition of Abdul Aziz, Queen Victoria, it is said, lost no me in intervening in his behalf by teleaer hope that the ex-Sultan would not be subjected to any violence or ill-treatment. gues le bien" (take good care of him) said her majesty; but the cruel telegraph made her say "Saiguez le bein," bleet him well; and how they bled him all the world

knows. The story is not impossible In his last annual report the Postmaster Jeneral owns that a poor woman te egraphmg to a relative, "Mary is bud," had her nessage rendered, "Mary is dead," and hat a pleasure party wishing to advise their triends at home of their satety by the assurance that they had "arrived all right," scandalized the anxious ones with the anouncement, "We have arrived all tight." But many jokes are perpetrated by the wires without official recognition.

King John of Saxony was prone to lropping in upon officials when they least expected him. One day he appeared at no choice but to regale the royal ears with the German equivalent for:

pokes his nose into everything." If King John was annoyed by the imperti Such was hardly the case with the late parts are utilized as generally as those of Earl Russell. One evening when he was his land rival hog. Professor Baird says the Minister in attendance at Balmoral, and roes are used as food, the oil is valuable handed a telegram, addressed to one of the for medical and mechanical purpose, the ministers in Loudon, to the telegraph clerk

The clerk was transferred to another ofsians understand the working of the electric telegraph, Mr. Mounsey says: Much of the time of one of our officers was occunor, who had got it into his head that the

# Sheleto : Leaves.

his tail here and he will tark there.

At a recent meeting or the scientific comdeath a small trap door was opened and the one variety is found in any giving locality, mittee of the Royal British Horticultural poor fellow dropped into a machine in the prove either that the cod is a non-migra- Society some beautiful specimens of skeleabout three inches long, and then thrown into the canal. To see such things makes aristocrats everywhere, he is an omnivorous with these general principles: For the disone glad to live in the 19th century, where feeder. The "dredge" is considered by section of leaves maceration is too long and even the worst criminals are at least treated naturalists to be the best implement with tedious, to say nothing of the uncertainty with that mercy which ought always to temper justice. The object of the olden life; but Professor Baird says that the urated solution is preferable, the specimens time was to keep a villain alive as long as stomach of the cod is the best of all dredges, to be introduced while the liquid is heated possible. To-day, on the other hand, we for it generally contains morsels of every to boiling point. The time of immersion are trying to devise some means by which sort of manne resident within reach. With is to be regulated by the character of the death may be caused painlessly and sud- a high-born contempt of the requirements various leaves, and the nature of the epidenly. There is one instrument in this of trade, the cod feeds largely upon herring dermis to be removed. When the specitorture chamber however, which we would like to see revived. It is a frame work in lobsters, and most other fish. As his digestissue, it must be subjected to the action of which those who adulterated food were tion is not equal to the task of assimilating chlorine to destroy the coloring matter. placed for punishment. Their heads and these last-named items of the ocean menu, the introduction of peroxide of hydrogen hands were firmly tied, and then the whole he stows them away in the side of his serves not only to render the lace like specithing was let down by a strong rope into the river. The criminal was ducked until burdensome, he disposes of them according In destroying the coloring matter in ferns he promised to commit the offence no more to the method to which Jonah owed his esthis is also invaluable; added to the chloand then ducked once again, just to empha- cape from submarine lodgings. While not rine it gives a solidity to the bleached migratory by inclination, any failure or de- fronds, and appears to equalize the action terioration of his habitual larder will cause of the chlorine. For skeletonizing cap-him to remove to the nearest resort of good sules, the slow process of maceration by livers. Years ago cod-fish were quite steeping in rain water is alone available-a plentiful off Newburyport, Massachusetts, moderate heat may be applied to hasten but disappeared as the Merimack River the process, but alkali is useless. The only was depleted of fish; since the restocking known flower which can be dissected is the of the river, however, with shad and ale- hydrangen japonica. The fibrous nature of wives, the cod has reappeared at his old the petals renders it easy to skeletonize in dining-place, gladdening the hearts of the the perfect trust in which it grows. Skelefishermen, and gracing the Sunday break- tonized leaves and capsules appear to gain fast table of the descendants of the Puri- in the process a toughness and durability not possessed by them in their natura