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### NOW.

If you have a kind word, say it: Throbbing hearts soon sink to rest If you owe a kindness, pay it; Life's sun hurries to the west.

Can you do a kind deed? Do it, From despair a soul to save; Hlass each day as you pass through it Marching onward to the grave.

If some grand thing for to-morrow You are dreaming, do it now! From the future do not borrow. Frost soon gathers on the brow.

Speak thy word, perform thy duty; Night is coming, deep with rest; Stars will gleam in fadeless beauty, Grasses whisper o'er thy breast.

Days for deeds are few, my brother; Then to-day fulfill thy brow. If you mean to help another, Do not dream it-do it now.

### A Tragedy.

The following tale was related to the writer as true, and he be lieves it to be true. A woman came to Chicago for treatment at the hands of the notorious Dowie. This man claims to make no fees for his services, but charges his victims board. Time wore on, and in spite of faith, prayer and no better. Dowie said to her: "Have you made your offerings at the altar?" She replied that she had "offered" everything in the world but her return ticket. Dowie retorted: "I thought you from the Lord. You have not enough faith." So she sold her ticket and offered the proceeds at the "altar." Still she did not recover her health, whereupon she tles free. received from Dowie the comsorting assurance that the devil had a grip upon her too strong to be for this life and the hereafter.

the lake! What other resource is dent who gave his millions for and the food cannot be kept long. of that same night. there left for them? Allured by philanthropic purposes. During It will be found at the end of the Creede. He was sitting on the edge of coming at the suggestion of on the street and said: this self-styled vicegerent of God and finally, crushed by the awful cars?" condemnation, or shamed to reover them.

Several curious questions sug- fare?" gest themselves:

all, any dread of the hereafter one hand it gets the millions his rhinoceros hide impervious mals. alike to contempt from without and stings from within?.

We have heard of numerous and the three went home and are Druggist. presumed to be living happily together. This reason is somewhat bestial. They are not the first got a pig thereby.

"I am indebted to One Minute Cough Cure for my present good health and my life. I was treated in vain by doctors for lung trouble following lagrippe. I took One Minute Cough Cure and recovered my health." Mr. E. H. Wise, Madison, Ga. Trout's drug

### Willed A Fortune.

treatment. She won his esteem burg.

nicating the intelligence of Mr. with trains 1 and 9 respectively. Leary's death and Miss McDerof the estate, estimated at \$500,-000, is left to various charitable sweet slumbers. The order is exon several occasions.

### It Dazzles the World.

the rest, the patient found herself have been on hopeless victims of all of the natural digestants hence were bolding back something it is the quickest, surest cure in appetite. Trout's drug store. the world. It is sold by W. S. Dickson, who guarantees satisfaction or refund money. Large

## Profits in Fractions of Cents.

It is most astonishing that trade broken, and that she was doomed in these days is making its enorbeen taught them from in most to infirm to walk, he would they embark their all in tread sadly and brokenly to his the strip themselves of their home. One day a man met him had been kept filled.—Maria Par-

"Why don't you take the street for July.

He instantly replied, "My dear turn to friends and confess their friend do you appreciate the fact you and the readers of these few fiddle any more folly, the friendly waters close that a hundred dollars would have lines that your Kodol Dyspepsia

And yet he gave two millions to Are there any limits to human a library and another million to a hospital. That is the spirit of Has Dowle any conscience at modern money making. On the and the final accounting to be through the fractions of cents, shamefully misrepresents? Or is millions without regard to deci-

## White Man Turned Vellow.

reasons given for matrimony, the friends of M. A. Hogarty of ters are delivered at the house. The majority are good, some are Lexington, Ky.. when they saw odd and a few are almost foolish. he was turning yellow. His skin A story comes from Wilkesbarre slowly changed color, also his giving a reason belonging to a eyes, and he suffered terribly. class by itself. A man and wo- His malady was Yellow Jaundice. man, who were neighbors, disput- He was treated by the best doced as to the ownership of a pig. tors, but without benefit. Then The case got before a magistrate he was advised to try Electric who, happened to be a modern Bitters, the wonderful Stomach Solomon, decided to kill the pig and Liver remedy, and he writes: and give half to each. The clai- "After taking two bottles I was mants concluded that rather than wholly cured." A trial proves its let it be killed they would get matchless merit for all Stomach, married and both keep it. The Liver and Kidney troubles. Only modern Solomon married them 50c. Sold by W. S. Dickson,

Take equal parts of cold flaked fish and cold boiled potatoes fineman or weman who married and ly chopped. Season highly with salt and pepper. Fry several slices of salt pork. Remove the scraps, put the fish and potatoes in the hot fat, stir until well heated, then let cook until a golden brown on the underside. Fold in half and turn out on a hot platter. Garnish with parsley.

> Very few of us would be willing to take our own advice.

### Pan-American Exposition Now Open.

Miss Veronica McDermott, of The Cumberland Valley Rall-Mt. Savage, has been willed a for- road Company has now on sale tune by James S. C. Leary, of regular Summer Excursion tick Dublin, Ireland, on condition that ets to Buffalo on account of Panshe marries Dr. Elroy McCoy, a American Exposition and to Nipracticing physician living in agara Falls. The rate from Mer-Colorado. Dr. McCoy is a first cersburg is \$18.00. In addition cousin of the testator. Miss Mc- special excursion tickets to Bufnes' Hospital, in Baltimore, where days from date of issue, will be while in this country, underwent at rate of \$14.85 from Mercers-

by her patience and good care. For the accommodation of vis-When he recovered he returned itors to the Exposition the Pennto Ireland, but before leaving sylvania Railroad Company has made a will in which he made his put on two new trains in each di- trouble with Bratton. The argument nurse a beneficiary. Miss Mc- rection, between Harrisburg and ended by Bratton backing out of the Dermott received one letter from Buffalo, with which Cumberland Mr. Leary after his arrival in Ire- Valley trains make close connecticause his gun wasn't loaded. He had land, in which he stated that his tion at Harrisburg. Nos. 4 and 10 health was poor. He died a short reaching Buffalo at 8,00 P. M. time ago. Recently a letter was and 7.35 A. M. respectively. Rereceived by a Baltimore physician turning leave Buffalo at 8.00 P, from a Dublin attorney, commu- M. and 8.30 A. M. connecting

Lavender-scented sheets are mott's good fortune. The bulk the delight of dainty housewives and it is claimed that they induce institutions. Dr. Elroy McCoy, ceedingly fresh, clean and wholeof Cripple Creek, Colorado, re- some, and old-fashioned houseceives \$100,000, and Miss McDer- wives always scented their linen mott is left \$50,000 on condition and drapery with sprigs of the knew his gait. that she marries Dr. McCoy with sweet oil flower. Italian orris in a year. Failing to do this she root is sometimes substituted for like me so much, Gannon, that I want is to receive \$10,000 and the dif- the lavender if the latter cannot you to sort of show your appreciation ference is to be used in building be procured, but there is no reaan asylum for homeless boys at son why the farmers' wives or is related to Mr. Abram Troxell, large enough for a vegetable or the linens deliciously fragrant.

You can never cure dyspepsia No discovery in medicine has by dieting. What your body ever created one quarter of the needs is plenty of good food propexcitement that has been caused erly digested. Then if your orrhage, Pleurisy and Bronchitis, and so prepare it that nature can thousands of whom it has restor- use it in nourishing the body and ed to perfect health. For Coughs, replacing the wasted tissues, thus Colds, Asthma, Croup, Hay Fever, giving life, health, strength, am-Hoarseness and Whooping Cough | bition, pure blood and good healthy |

> There are many people who from a false idea of economy fail use of ice and refrigerators. A small piece of ice every day or it's a breakaway and a finish. the ice chamber two or three waste of food have been much greater than if the ice chamber loa, in the Ladies' Home Journal

"I wish to truthfully state to to work half a week to pay that Cure is without question, the best and only cure for dyspepsia that holding the bow in his right stump, I have ever come in contact with and I have used many other preparations." John Beam, West I'd ha' lost my left hook, you know,' he Middlesex, Pa. No preparation equals Kodol Dyspepsia Cure as it contains all the natural digestmade by him to the Deity he so and with the other it spends the ants. It will digest all kinds of food and can't help but do you good. Trout's drug store.

Woman will never be able to have herself placed upon an equal-Great consternation was felt by ity with man as long as her let-

> The man who elbows past woman for the purpose of getting a that "-Exchange. seat in the car never crowds a woman out of her pew in church.

### 16 Day Excursions to the Sea Shore via Cum berland Valley R. R.

The Cumberland Valley Railroad has fixed upon Thursdays, June 20th, July 5th and 18th, August 1st, 15th and 29th, and September 12th for their Annual Mid-Summer excursions to the Sea shore, the time allowed on

Excursion tickets to Atlantic City, Cape May, and other South Jersey resorts will be sold from all stations on the Cumberland Valley R. R. on above dates for train No. 4 leaving Mercersburg at 8.00 a. m. at \$5.00 for the round trip,and will be good to return on any regular train (except the Penna Limited) within sixteen days, including date of issue. For full information call on Local Ticket Agents.

## A REMARKABLE DUEL

QUICK ON THE TRIGGER.

An Enforced Parade Preceded the Gun Play, Which Was on the Pull and Shoot Order-Why Bratton Was Glad He Lost His Right Hand.

"The most affectionate looking two handed gun play that I ever saw," said Dermott was a nurse at St. Ag falo, good to return within ten a Colorado gentleman in one of the use committee rooms, "was the one that happened at La Junta, in my Mr. Leary, who was taken ill sold every day until October 31st, state, between 'Big Divide Jim' Bratton and George Gannon, as pizenish a pair of real bad men of the type that has now passed away as ever fanned a

.45 or twisted a Bowle. "Gannon was the proprietor of the Gilt Edge bonkafonk in La Junta, and it was at this place that he had some door with his hands up, Gannon having the drop. Ganuon didn't shoot then be been cleaning it and had forgotten to replace the cartridges. He'd have killed Bratton otherwise as a matter of

"That same night Bratton sent word to Gannon that he meditated shooting him up some on the following day. Gaunon wasn't a man to take to the eliffs or the cactus, having plenty of notches on his gun barrel himself, and he walked around the next afternoon like a light battery of artillery. 'Big Divide Jim' Bratton bulged him, however, by turning a corner suddenly as Gannon paraded down the main street, and then it was Gannon's hands that went up for a change. Bratton had two guns covering him, and Gannon

" "This," said Bratton, 'is where I get an even break for my coln. Now, you of me by walkin around town linked arms with me for awhile,'

"It was up to Gannon to comply with Los Angeles. Miss McDermott any one who has a plot of ground this peculiar request. 'Big Divide Jim' Bratton jabbed his guns back into his belt, and then he clutched Gannon's of Hancock, and has visited there flower garden should not raise left arm and passed it through his quantities of lavender and keep right. The disadvantage of this arrangement accrued to Bratton. It left Gannon's gun arm free, while in case of argument Bratton would have to use his left gun. But 'Big Divide Jim' wasn't selfish.

"The population of La Junta was amazed to see 'Big Divide Jim' Bratton and George Gannon, who had alby Dr. King's New Discovery for stomach will not digest it, Kodol ways been more or less sore on each Consumption. Its severest tests Dyspepsia Cure will. It contains other and who had had a quarrel that meant the death of one or both of them on the night before, walking arm in Consumption, Pneumonia, Hem- must digest every class of food arm up and down the main street of the town. It looked like a peripatetic love feast between the two of 'em. But they were watching each other like cats. At the end of the street Bratton, still with his right arm linked to Gannon's left, stopped suddenly and said:

"'George, I ain't much on the blow about any gun suddenness that I may possess, but I sure want to give you s chance. You thrung it into me last night in a way that's eat up so much of atmosphere around bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial bot- to get the best results from the there's not enough air left in this neighborhood for both of us to breathe common mistake is getting a to count three, and when I say "three" at one and the same time. I'm a-goin every other day, instead of filling got a loose right arm, but I ain't no the ice chamber two or three!"

'The event proved 'Big Divide Jim' times a week. The small piece of Bratton the quicker man and the better mous profits in the fractions of a ice cannot reduce the tempera-And yet people wonder why so cent. In one of the cities of the ture sufficiently, and the result is ed in Bantton's right wrist. Bratton many "doaters" are fished out of country there was a bank presi- that each new piece melts rapidly had to suffer his right hand to be cut

the specious appeal to a faith that his life, even on the days was alseason that the cost of ice and a bunk in his own cabin, close to a him since he'd lost his hand. "'Jim,' said I, 'it's too bad you

should have lost that right hand. If the fellow that plugged you had only got the left hand, why'-

'Oh, I don't know,' said Bratton philosophically, 'If I'd ha' lost my left, wouldn't have been able to play the

"He reached under his bunk and brought forth an old violin. Then he rigged up an attachment he had for and he played the instrument real sweetly for me for half an hour or so. 'I couldn't have done no tingerin if said simply when he put the old fiddle away."-Washington Post.

The Result of His Study. "I suppose you have made a study of human nature," remarked the friend. "I attribute my success in life to that

fact." answered Senator Sorghum. "Were you ever tempted to give the orld the benefit of your observations to put them into book form as a human medy or something of that sort?" "My dear sir, it wouldn't take a book

to do it. I have figured on the problem of human nature until I know the answer. I should just say, 'Human na-ture loves money,' and let it go at

### Towne-For goodness' sake, what are you so cranky about? Browne-Oh, I asked my wife to sev

a button on my cont. Towne-And wouldn't she do it? Browne-Yes, but I've just discovered that the button she sewed on my coat she cut from my vest .- Exchange.

What Was Needed.

Henry Ward Beecher used to tell a story about a priest in the olden time who was valled to bless the field of a poor farmer prior to the planting. He came and after surveying the soil rethese excursions being sixteen marked to the agriculturist, "Praying won't do bere; what you want is no

## Can't Stop the Sign Man.

The scenic beauties of Niagara falls are to be increased this summer by a sign 280 feet long and 37 feet high which is to be placed on the Canadian side of the falls on the site of the burned Clifton House. -Philadelphia Ledger.

It puzzles a horse to know what woman is driving at.

The most dangerous hole in a pocket is the one at the top.

## A LITTLE NONSENSE.

BOTH OF THE PARTICIPANTS WERE How a Cowboy Had Fun With an Ath-

' A clerical friend of mine told me a capital story of a Yale man who was the stroke oar of his crew and the chief athlete on the football

He entered the ministry and spent years in missionary labor in the far west. Walking one day through a

frontier town, a cowboy stepped up to him and said: "Parson, you don't have enough fun. Take a drink.

The minister declined. "Well," he said, "parson, you must have some fun. Here's a faro layout. Take a hand in the game."

The minister declined. Parson, said the cowboy, "you'll die if you don't have some fun. And he knocked the parson's hat off his head and hit him a whack on

The old athlete's spirit rose. The science which had been learned in the college gymnasium and forgotten for a quarter of a century was aroused, and a blow was landed on the jaw of that cowboy that sent him sprawling in the street.

The parson walked over to him as if he had been a door rug, picked him up and dusted the side of the house with him and then mopped up the sidewalk with his form.

As the ambulance was carrying the cowboy off he raised his head feebly and said: "Parson, what did you fool me

for? You are chock full of fun."-New York Times.







Everybody Wants It. "Well, the Northern Pacific corner didn't last long. That shows how hard it is to get a corner in rail-

"Yes, and if you've noticed it's next to impossible," replied the end seat hog, "to get a corner in street cars."—Philadelphia Press.

His Mistake.

Ethel - He telegraphed his proposal to her.

Maude-And did she accept him? Ethel-No; she said that she had no use for a man who would waste his money on telegraph tolls instead of spending it for caramels.-Somerville Journal.

The Man Who Didn't Get Off.

"For deep laid, underground, double dyed, contrary meanness, give "Goodness! What do you mean?"

"They always go to cleaning house just when a man is thinking of going fishing!"-Chicago Record-

Some people keep so busy look. they don't know that the sun ever shines.

to the view." A rich man can see many advantages in being poor.

# Dyspepsia Cure Digests what you eat.

It artificially digests the food and aids Nature in strengthening and reconstructing the exhausted digestive organs. It is the latest discovered digestivant and tonic. No other preparation can approach it in efficiency. It instantly relieves and permanently cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Fearthurn, Fiatulence, Sour Stomach, Nauses, Sick Headache, Gastralgia, Cramps and all other results of imperfect digestion.

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WITH twenty-five years' experience purchasing goods in the East, I have never bought a lot of goods with which I am so well pleased as those for this spring's trade.

I am prepared to offer you goods both in quality and quantity that cannot be surpassed, and at prices that will astonish you for their cheapness.

For boys 3 to 5 years of age, we have those beautiful Vestee Suits; from 5 to 15, two-piece suits; and for men, suits all sizes and prices. We have only space to mention Black Diagonal cotton-worsted suits, nice and dressy, at \$2.50. Men's and Boys' Overalls, cotton pants and jumpers; also, a fine line of Madras and Silk-front Dress Shirts ot 48 cents.

We have all the latest things in Wool and Fur-all colors. Straw Hats for Men and Boys-Dress and everyday. Children's Fancy Skull Caps at 5 cents each.

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Men's good Buckled Creedmore for \$1.00. Buckled Creedmore-Tap sole and Iron heel for \$1.19. Men's Fine Shoes in Kidgo, Ione Calf, Tan and Patent Leather. Ladies' Kidgo and New Style Patent Leather for \$1.50. Children's Shoes from 25 cents, up.

# Fishing Tackle

The Trout season is now here, and we have split bamboo rods, single and multiplying reels, cotton, sea grass, and oiled silk lines, plain and snooted hooks and

J. K. Johnston, McConnellsburg, Pa.

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Sash. Doors, Newel Posts, Hand Rails, Stairs, Banisters, Turned Porch Columns, Posts, &c.

Doors 2:8 x 6:8; 2:6 x 6:6; 1 and three-eighth

McConnellsburg, Pa.

inches in thickness. Sash 12 x 20; 12 x 24; 12 x 28; 12 x 30; 12 x 32; 12 x 34; 12 x 36—inch and a quarter thick—always

Sash—four lights to window—from 45 cents to 70. These sash are all primed and ready for the glass. Both the doors and the sash are made from best white and yellow pines.

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### Between Courses. The Armenian restaurants serve a between courses preparation which

is particularly refreshing in hot weather and which might with advantage be added to American bills of fare. Prunes, figs and dates of the finest brands are rinsed thoroughly and are then soaked in a quantity of cold water until they regain their original plumpness. The water is then turned off and saved, and boiling water, enough to cover ing out for the rainy day that | the fruit, is poured over it. This is allowed to stand on the fruit until it is cold, when the water in which it was soaked and the juice of a "Distance lends enchantment lemon, and sometimes that of an orange, are added, and the mixture is sweetened. It is then poured over cracked ice and served. The fruit juice is especially delicious, but the fruit will also be liked.

Reducing Coal Bills.

The following experiment is so simple that it may be worth the attention of many householders who find an accumulation of coal dust in their cellars: Mix three parts of ordinary garden earth with one part coal dust and pour over it a kettleful of boiling water, in which has been dissolved a little washing soda. Back a fire of ordinary household coal well with this mixture. After it has burned for two or three minutes the caked dust gives out a clear glow of heat and burns away much slower than large coal.

# "When Your Will Is Ready Your Feet

Are Light." The business merr of this town can attract out-of-town trade as readily as the big establish ments of the cities attract it

It is simply a matter of advertising

This paper goes into the homes not only of those who live in the thickly settled community but it is a welcome guest in almost every farm house for miles around It reaches the homes in all near-by villages and some that are far removed It will draw trade from wherever it circulates if its advertising columns are intelligently used

Have you tried at Drop in and talk it over anyway

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* A woman always thinks her son was led astray by some other w o man's boy.