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The alphabet met and said that "they "That place is meant for my dear K."
"Tut, tut, tut! Well, well, well!
Pll stand there myself then," said L.

Would drive one mad," said W, X, Y, Z.

TALK OF MARRIAGE.

It Is Proper For the Man, but Not A man may remark on his intention to marry at some indefinite future time, when prudence or other considerations may make it possible or advisable, without having, as a rule, to run the gantlet of a chorus of impertinent and should a girl be bold enough, or, rather, natural and simple enough, to say the Why, every one knows that she would be promptly sneered out of counte-

And why? Is it immodest for a woman to express a determination to enter into a state which we are being continually reminded is a natural and honorable state, while it is modest and proption would never be drawn except for the "cheapness" to which reference has

If a man wants to marry, he can marry. If the first woman he asks refuses him, he has only to ask a second or per- their bodily infirmities and prevent a ple made any garde haps a third or fourth. It would be recurrence of them, but people who safe to guarantee that within a month any man of fairly respectable life and position and appearance who cared to they order a meal. make the experiment could marry in his own class, could marry probably a

woman much superior to himself. But what about the girl who intends $\,$ to marry "some day?" Is she not in a very different position from the man? Here is a girl of good character-much better than the man's, probably-average intelligence, average good looks. Theoretically she is free to marry whom she will, but is she "If she receives one distinct offer marriage, she has had more than her share, ac-

cording to the probable average.

The fact that by an unwritten law a woman must not take, and, indeed, does not want to take, the initiative has very little to do with the extremely limited choice which modern conditions impose upon English women.-Nineteenth Cen-

Swallowed Two Pounds of Stone. ognized diet of the cormorant, but one It tries to make the diet like a well ical park in Washington had a craving which could be satisfied only by eating two pounds of stones. The keeper's attention was attracted to the bird | needs is a matter which the physician because after having once sat down it couldn't get up. He was picked up, and then the stones were heard rattling inside of him. An official connected with the park decided that something must be done, and he promptly cut the cormorant open and relieved him of his Youth's Companion. burden. One of the stones, of irregular shape, was 31/2 inches long. The incision was sewed up, and for five days the bird got along all right, the wound healing finely, but at the end of that time the cormorant grew restive and pulled out the stitches with his hooked bill. As a consequence of opening up he wound he died.

PERT PERSONALS.

Mr. Rockefeller now controls salt and oil. With a vinegar and a lettuce trust he could get back to his salad days .-Detroit Journal.

Mr. Schwab asserts that he objected to being paid \$1,000,000 a year. Mr. Schwab is reaching his funny stage .-Baltimore American.

If the widows of the country continue to make googoo eyes in the di- empty shells tally.-E. W. Sandys in | nature. This is the origin of the exrection of Mr. Depew, his only recourse Outing. will be to wear blinders.-St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Emperor William resents complimentary reference to Bismarck because it suggests that the Hohenzollerns did not create the German empire unaided. -Detroit Tribune.

the blackbird appears. It is heard half an hour before the thrush, and the Sarah Bernhardt says the idea of her chirp of the robin begins about the playing Romeo to Maude Adams' Juliet was a joke. Only half a joke. It is admitted that Maude Adams can play same length of time before that of the wren. The house sparrow and the tomtit take the last stage of the list. Juliet.-Louisville Courier-Journal.

Do not darn fine woolen undergar ments with wool. It will shrink and pull out a hole larger than the original. Use for darning winter underwear the loosely twisted knowing silk. Darn loosely, and when washed the new texture has almost the same thickness as the knitted goods itself.-Good House-

HOW TO INDUCE SLEEP.

coming Insomnia.

as the outward pressure of the abdo-

men is withdrawn. At the same time

rally. Do not make too hard work of it.

Repeat the inspiration and expira-

take ten breaths in the same way, al

lowing the eyes to remain closed. Al-

ternate ten breaths with the opening

lids begin to feel heavy and you feel

and closing of the eyes. When the eye-

tired and sleepy, as you will very soon

go through the motions more and mor

easily and lazily until you merely will

or hardly any effort, to execute them.

the intervals of breathing without any

motion of the eyes, you will fall asleep.

Nervous persons will have some diffi-

culty at first in the gradual opening

as putting walt on a dove's tail is a sure

rule for catching the dove, so this grad-

equivalent to dropping off to sleep

This rule induces the respiration that is

characteristic of normal sleep. It tires

the set of muscles, the tiring of which

is one of the favorite devices for pro-

who have had difficulty in going to

to sleep and puts them back again

To remove a tight ring take a needle

flat in the eye, and thread it with

strong but not too coarse thread. Then

very carefully pass the head of the

needle under the ring in the direction

Having done this, you pull down a few

inches of the thread and withdraw the

empty needle. Then wrap the long end

of the thread round the finger toward

the nail and take the short end and

no matter how tight it may be.

ice and salt for two hours.

they ought to eat in order to overcome

An experiment which one of the Bos-

the right sort of food as well as to have

The cafe of this hotel provides not

man's meat is another man's poison."

the person for whom it is intended.

How one can fit his diet to his own

can best decide. It is certainly easier

food than to regain it by taking medi-

one compounded by the druggist .-

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for the purpose. Though not of suffi-

or stock at a distance, it throws lead

with surprising accuracy to the tops of

the tallest trees. Good rifle shots al-

ways aim for the squirrel's head both

to avoid spoiling meat. And be it

known that a squirrel's head at a range

of 40 or 50 yards is no easy mark. If

woods for a day, keep all empty shells,

and at the end of the day let him try

to make the dead squirrels and the

Early Birds.

It pipes as early as half past 1 in the

past 2. It is nearly 4 o'clock before

morning. The blackcap begins at half

The green finch is the earliest riser.

to add to the difficulty of the sport and

The cream of squirrel hunting is en-

it properly cooked.

up an enfeebled system.

of the wrist. By soaping the needle

when they wake up too soon.

College President's Plan For Over-

Got a Library. Greenup, an Illinois village, merits a adapted to the person with small capilibrary gift from Andrew Carnegie, not tal who is anxious that the investment Assume an easy position, with the to awaken interest in library creation, pay without running too great risk. hands resting over the abdomen, Presibut as a reward for what the citizens One may begin in the most humble dent Hyde of Bowdoin suggests in The have done in meeting the need of such | way in poultry raising, and then gradu-Outlook, discussing the matter of sleep. an educational center. They have shown ally increase the size of the plant as how a village of 1,000 population can conditions warrant. It is really a case reath in such a way as gradually and establish a practical library without a of learning a business while slowly ingently to lift the hands outward by the bequest and without the aid of public vesting capital in it. And this is really time slowly and gradually open the eves so that at the end of the inspiraman's clubs, and soon even tion they are wide open and directed

HELPED THEMSELVES.

The scheme originated with the wowas interested. A "book shower upward. Let the breath out easily and one of the churches brought in 282 denaturally letting the hands fall inward sirable books as a nucleus, and a call brought the total up to 1,000 volumes. let the eyes drop and the eyelids natu-A second call added 500 more, and conrally fall by their own weight so that tributions are still coming in, no one ration. Do all this quietly and natu-An unused room in a new schoolhouse was assigned for the library, the localon, with opening and lifting, dropping their contribution, and the librarians and closing of the eyes, ten times. Then serve without compensation.

This is only one illustration of the way in which this village takes hold of an enterprise with popular accord. It electric lighting system.

The time will come in the history of the motions without making any effort, most important departments of a 'city's At this stage, or more likely in one of government will be recognized as those of health and education. I believe that the health of the community can be materially improved by a regular flushing of the surface of the streets by salt and closing of the eyes. They will tend water, by the consumption of all refuse by fire and by personal cleanliness, to to fly open and then snap together; but, ual and easy opening and closing of should be largely increased.—Randolph the eyes in rhythm, with quiet, natural | Guggenheimer, President of New York breathing, once secured, are almost

Advertising Maxims.

We want the very tip toppest dressed man in town to see these neckwear and chickens in proportion to their in-Not cheaply made, but of materials

ducing hypnosis. It produces and calls attention to certain sensations in the eyes and eyelids which are the normal sive kind. precursors of sleep. Finally persons Reasonable profits, reliable goods,

sleep report that this method puts them Good-or they wouldn't be here at all; low priced-or we wouldn't be telling about them.

A MODEL VILLAGE.

Power of Example Made a Town &

How to establish a model village is Illustrated in Leclaire, located about 18 beforehand you facilitate matters. miles from St. Louis and begun by a and go and the good business common from Pullman in that its residents en- sell to the best possible advantage, Joy the liberties permitted to dwellers | concludes an American Cultivator corin any municipality, and therein is be- respondent. lieved to lie the secret of its success.

unwind it. The thread, pressing There is no boss in any form. No against the ring, gradually works it off, resident has ever been asked to cut his grass or to go to church or keep sober. The opportunity was created, and Soak one-half box of gelatin in onethen the people were allowed to work half eupful of cold water. To one pint out their own material salvation. It is of any fruit juice allow about one pint a park village, with winding roads, an of sugar. Beat four egg yolks till abundance of trees and about a third creamy, add half the sugar, then add of an acre of ground with each cotthe fruit juice and remaining sugar. tage. These cottages are sold to those Strain it into a pan set in water. Dis- of the employees who care to buy, the solve the gelatin over the fire and monthly payments being about equivastrain it into the mixture. Stir con- lent to city rents. Each house has runstantly, and as it begins to thicken add | ning water and electric lights, and with one pint of cream that has been whip- each cottage the corporation furnishes ped. Turn it into a mold and pack in a lawn mower and plants from a greenhouse established for that purpose There are a bowling alley and a billiard and a lecture and dance hall, schools, a Most people who are in good health know in a general way what ails them.

ing ponds. planted flowers," says the creator of have good health usually consider only | this bit of earthly paradise. "They did their taste or their pocketbook when | not know how to do it or care for it. By infectious example they now all have gardens and handsome yards. ton hotels is making shows that others | For three years I have lived in the cenbesides invalids are beginning to un- ter of the village with my own family derstand that it is important to have and my daughter's family."

VILLAGE IMPROVEMENT.

only a bill of fare, but a diet list made | What a Woman's Society Has Accomplished In a New York Town. out by a physician and intended as a In a town in central New York the guide to the patrons of the house. It prescribes the food best suited to vari-Ladies' Village Improvement society, ous physical conditions. To the fat has purchased opera chairs for the vilman it offers a variety of dishes that lage theater and a street sprinkler. tickle his palate and at the same time check his tendency to grow fatter. The nated the "firemen's relief," and they thin and anæmic can procure the things | make coffee and provide refreshments which make blood and tissue and build for the firemen at fires. The society has exercised its influence against the The new way of looking at the food prevalent habit of the male population question puts health first and preference afterward. It considers the needs of expectorating tobacco juice on the sidewalks and has had a gratifying at the temples of her own town. The of the individual and makes practical measure of success. It also brought application of the old saying that "one about the enactment of a village ordinance which provides for the arrest a saloon. of tramps if found within the limits of town that should keep home people at of these birds in the National Zoolog- stocked wardrobe, offering plenty of the village, and notices to this effect work; she breeds illness, the mother of variety, yet designed for and fitted to

town and on the trees in town. The society fosters town pride and public spirit, and through its untiring efforts the village stands out as a to preserve health by the use of proper ganization the society has completely changed the aspect of the town, and cine, and the prescription filled in a restaurant is pleasanter to take than where neglect and carelessness were now prevail. Fences and sidewalks are kept in repair, lawns laid out, the better. streets cleared of rubbish, and flowers and shrubbery have taken the place of joyed by the man who uses a light rifle | weeds. The women's influence has exof small caliber and medium power. tended to the neighboring farmers, The ".22 long" as now turned out by who, patterning after what they have seen in the village, shave their lawns weapon-in fact, the best in the world and make their cottages and fences neater. The society, it should be addcient range to be dangerous to people ed, religiously abstains from politics.

Witness My Hand. In the early days only a few schol- thing. ars, priests and clerks knew how to a document by smearing the hand with things are going. ink and impressing it upon the paper. accompanied by the words, "Witness a reader doubts this, let him go to the my hand." Afterward the seal was in- look at her with suspicion. troduced as a substitute for the hand mark and was used with the words The employee too honest to take a postabove quoted, the two forming the sig- age stamp will steal his employer's pression as used in modern documents.

Educated Egyptian-You have no onderful hieroglyphics in your country, sir; no mysterious inscriptions, no undecipherable relics of an ancient litthe world have tried for ages to dis-

Tourist-No, we haven't any of those things, but (brightening up) we've got our "railway guides."—London Fun.

What A Tale It Tells.

If that mirror of yours shows a wretched, sallow complexion, a jaundiced look, moth patches and blotches on the skin, it's liver trouble; but Dr. King's New Life Pill regulate the liver, purify the blood, give clear skin, rosy cheeks, rich complexion. Only 25c at Panles & Co, drug store.

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FOR SMALL INVESTORS

Patience and Sush the Sure Way to

ence, is just the way to get discour

and egg raising for the purpose of mas-

tering it as a specialty.

the best and most sensible way of ap pro ching the business. To start in with all the capital invested at first, and then learn later by bitter experi

in the business. and been serving tea. With the smallest amount of capital one can go into the business, especially if there is a suitable place at hand for the work. One can rent a small poultry farm and then learn by experience, to the footman: even raising fruits and vegetables th first few years to help pay the expenses rill try to help you out of your trouble. of living. Ultimately, however, the ambition should be placed on chicken

Let one begin with 50 hens and find out the first season what can be done with that number. From this stock he can prepare his next season's increase without further calling upon his capital. By method of exchange of eggs civilized communities when the two with neighbors near or distant new blood can be introduced, and there will not be much danger of close inbreeding. In many places there is a regular system of exchange of eggs in this way, and at very little expense new breeds are constantly being added. From the 50 hens of the first season the flock can be increased to 200 for the second. be secured by the working classes in If you have been successful with the public baths, the number of which 50, you are probably prepared the second year to handle 200, especially if proper houses and yards have been prepared in advance. That is very essential, and throughout the whole development of the business never neglect

crease in numbers. With plenty of accommodations and and workmanship equal to the expen- | fair success the second year the beginner might well increase his stock to 500 for the third year. The fourth right treatment, are three R's of this year he might go up to 700 or 800 and the fifth season round out the business with an even 1,000. When you have reached that number, the plant is a pretty good sized one, and its further increase must be made gradually. There are poultry farms of 5,000 and 10,000 hens, but the owners have learned by careful experience how to handle such numbers in the most economical way. Any beginner, of course, can grow up to such proportions if he has the push manufacturer ten years ago. It differs sense which enables him to raise and

Cleaning Oil Paintings. An art journal suggests raw potatoes tatoes at hand, each cut in halves. The fresh surface is dampened slightly with As the potatoes show soil the surface accumulates with a clean, damp sponge. When the whole canvas is cleaned, it helping a man on with an overcoat. silk handkerchief. Raw potatoes to room, a clubhouse for unmarried men clean paintings are frequently in hear- to him and said: baseball field, tennis courts and skat- the process may be of value. It is sug- coat,' at the same time tossing the big "At the start searcely any of our peothat the experiment should be tried. The boy didn't begin to be big enough first upon a canvas of trifling value to do it, and, asking his and upon one corner of that.

The Collection. English city used the following elo- the minute the man turned his back. quent and forcible sentence: "Yes, think there are 500 widows in this congregation!"

Patronize Home Industry.

made flour does the town more harm than half a dozen perpetual cases of smallpox, says the Emporia Gazette. The woman who buys her dresses in Kansas City has a hammer knocking woman who patronizes a "mail order" house hurts her own town more than are posted along the highways near the crime. The woman for whom nothing in this town is good enough is a worse enemy to Emporia than the plague. It has always appeared to The Gazette that the things sold by the merchants model to be followed. Since its or- and manufacturers who support a woenough for the woman's back and her stomach and her parlor. If it isn't formerly the rule neatness and tidiness good enough, she should take the old man to a town where things suit her

PITH AND POINT.

truth unless it fits their prejudice. Every one who doesn't like you is looking for a chance to laugh at you. A great deal of nerve is sometimes ecessary to keep from being cranky. You know a whole lot if you know nough to know you don't know any-

When a boy is not invited to a party, write. It was then customary to sign he hangs around the outside to see how When a dressmaker makes a quilt

out of silk scraps, the women begin to Every one is some kind of a sinner.

Be sensible with your children. When labor for their well being; that the why. Don't tell them they must do it or take a beating, or that they must do the river the product of the quarry it because you say so.—Atchison Globe.

Astounded The Editor.

Editor S. A. Brown, of Bennettsville S. C., was once immensely surprised.
"Through long suffering from Dyspepsia," he writes, "my wife was greatly run down. She had no strength or vigor and suffered great distress from

FOR LITTLE FOLKS.

When she was a little girl, a very nina of Holland. Her father was sented by the city of Amsterdam So highly did he prize them that at once issued orders that any one

elmina was surprised to discover her favorite footman weeping bitterly. It ate as to break one of the cups in aged and find that there is no money

The princess was deeply grieved at he accident; but, having discovered ould easily be glued together, she said

You can easily glue these pieces togeth-This afternoon when you are serv g tea bring this cup to me filled with cold tea, and I will see what I can do The footman obeyed his directions

exactly. A moment after the princess had received her tea she managed to let it fall so that it broke into thousands of pieces. The king was furiously angry. "Goodby, father!" cried Wilhelmina,

ner arms about his neck. "I'm going. Tou said whoever broke a cup should banished." Of course the father forgave her, and some little time after ward she confessed the whole affair. only she would never reveal which of the footmen had been the guilty cul-

This is a picture of the youngest In "lonely woods" at unearthly hours movements. Kentucky colonel. He is Austin Nel- of night, always clad in "a soft, white When he son Edwards, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nel- clinging gown." Now, every girl knows man pincushion sat up and entertained son J. Edwards of Newport, Ky. Lit- that the average maiden is too much | the doctors in return "for their little to increase the quarters of the hens



COLONEL EDWARDS.

1898, so you see he is only a little over suddenly transformed into brothers 3 years old, quite young to bear so proud a title. However, he bears his merous in this detective's library. Thus honors handsomely. He was appointed colonel by Governor W. S. Taylor velous mistakes in books which we

"Luck," said a man who believes in is sliced off and the rubbing continued. it "comes to different people in differ-This process will create a little lather, ent ways. I know a man who is now which should be wiped off as fast as it about as well fixed as most men would should be washed over lightly with "He was a bellboy then in a hotel, clean water from which the chill has and one day a big man, who was big been taken and finally the water and prosperous financially as well as carefully wiped off with an old clean physically, and who had just got his

evidence, but this description of "Here, boy, help me on with this gested by way of reasonable caution | coat over to him and turning away. the big man's little joke, for he v good natured man, but the next minu the big man felt the coat going up While lecturing his congregation his shoulders all right. Turning round rather strongly on a recent Sunday he saw the youngster stepping down about slack attendance and small col- from a chair which had been standing lections a minister of a church in an near and which he had grabbed on to "This tickled the big man very much, brethren, our collection of a little over and he took the small boy into his of-£3 last Sunday included no fewer than fice, and practically the boy's fortune 500 halfpennies. We all know about was made from that minute, for he had the widow's mite, and I am sure we are the stuff in him to make good as well very glad to receive it; but I don't as the brains to meet his luck half way

NEW YORK ROADS.

Suggestion to Employ Convicts In

Preparing Material. The chief question concerning good roads at the present time is the financial one, says the New York Tribune in a recent editorial. How much money can be raised for them? There is no longer a question as to the desirability of building them. No rational man now opposes them. The farmer who uses them in the laborious task of making a living from the soil the year round is as eager for them as is the rich man from the city, who uses them only for pleasure for a few weeks or months in the summer. There is no difficulty either in getting enough man's husband ought to be good money locally. Towns and counties are ready with their appropriations. The only drawback is that the state is not ready to do its full share in duplicating the local appropriations, and so the progress of the work seems to depend upon the rate at which the state can follow the lead of the counties.

In connection with this phase of the Very few people want to know the case a suggestion made by Mr. Bond, the state engineer, is of practical interest. He would have the state ac quire a trap rock quarry in Rockland county and set the convicts of Sing Sing prison to working it. This would provide roadmaking material at a considerable lower price to the state than that which is now paid for it, and the state could thus do its share toward road building at a decided advantage, for there seems to be no good reason why the state's contribution to the fund should not be in material at market rates as well as in cash. The scheme has of course these obvious elements in its favor: That trap rock is one of the very best road metals in the world; that the convicts would thus be proquarry would be close to the prison and that being on a bluff directly above could be transported to many other parts of the state at a minimum of cost.

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SIGNALING TO MARS.

The Difficulty of Doing So by Means

server in that planet.

hundredth part of that disk.

BLUNDERS IN FICTION.

The Queer Mistakes That Are Some-

times Made by Authors.

I am reminded at the outset of an

to dinner in her robe de nuit! Cousins

without a moment's warning are nu-

one is amused to find the most mar-

in Independent.

empurpled mountains."

zling Philadelphia Physicians. The very largest city that this earth The human pincushion walked into has ever known would be altogether the Hahnemann hospital a few nights too small to be visible to a being ago and startled the doctors by asking dwelling on the planet Mars, even if them to take two needles out of his that being were endeavoring to see it heart. He is Hugh Gloster, about : with a telescope as powerful as the years old, who gave as his residence In any observatory on this globe.

If the whole extent of Lake Superior was covered with petroleum and if that

1018 Wood street and told the doctors he makes a living by swallowing nails, pushing pins and needles into his chest and hammering tacks into his cheeks greatest and most perfect instrument | 1018 Wood street and told the doctor in any observatory on this globe. petroleum was set on fire, then, I think,

we may admit that an inhabitant of "You see, tonight, doc," said he when Mars who was furnished with a tele- the medical men had recovered their scope as good as that which Percival breaths, "I was givin my regular show Lowell uses at Flagstaff might be able to see that something had happened. to see that something had happened.
But we must not suppose that the a dozen tacks into my face and wa mighty conflagration would appear to proceedin to jam a couple of big needs the Martian as a very conspicuous obdles into my chest when they slipped in ject. It would, rather, be a very small too far, and I couldn't get them out." feature, but still I think it would not "Are they in there yet?" asked the be beyond the reach of a practiced ob- doctors seriously.

TACKS DO NOT HURT HIM.

"Yes," replied the human pincushion On the other hand, if an area the size | "I tried to jack them out with a darn of Lake Superior on Mars was to be in needle, but they're stuck in som flooded with petroleum and that petroleum was to be kindled, we should ex- thought mebbe youse gents might like pect to witness the event from here not to take a shy at the job and get them as a great and striking conflagration,

but as a tiny little point of just dis-Gloster was then laid out on the op cernible light. The disk of Mars is erating table, but considered it a hug not a large object, and the conflagrajoke when the doctor asked if he want tion would not extend over the three ed ether. "Me ether?" he reiterated in scorn

It is sufficient to state these facts to Why, say, doc, give me that big show that the possibility of signaling butcher knife of yours there, and I'll to Mars is entirely beyond the power of jab it into any part of me and laugh human resources.—Sir Robert S. Ball at the same time.

The doctors set to work and in a few minutes found two good sized needle sticking into the edge of the fourth rib. They had slipped under the skin and caught in the cartilaginous matter around the bone. The doctor's took We smile as we read and pass swiftly them out with some little difficulty. by the stories of maidens that wander | Gloster laughing and directing the

When he had been served, the hutle Colonel Edwards was born Jan. 3, afraid of tramps and snakes to wander kindness." He drove tacks into his in "lonely woods." The weather, too, face until his features looked like appears to perplex our novelists, for those of a man with smallpox. He not infrequently they begin a chap- likewise ran long nails into the calves ter at dawn, there are a few mo- of his legs. Then he said he "had enments' conversation, and then the "sun | joyed the evening immensely."-Philasets in lurid banks behind the distant | delphia Press.

English story written by an author of Good roads pay from every possible repute where the heroine in one scene point of view. They save the farmer was made on one page to stoop down money, both in the improved marketand tie her shoestring, while three ing facilities of his products and in the pages farther on, directly following, it wear and tear of vehicles and teams. was said of the same girl that she had He can draw bigger loads, get to mar remained barefooted the entire day. In ket quicker, travel more miles daily another story a blind woman is made with less fatigue and put his products to view the hero through spectacles be- on the market in a great deal better

In a French novel—and we generally The value of land is also greatly enconsider French such literary masters hanced by the improved conditions, as a heroine is clearly made to go direct are properties in the town. It would from her bed to the breakfast table, be impossible to state in a brief interout shopping, to an afternoon tea and view the pecuniary benefits to be deed from good roads, to say nothing the comforts and pleasures depend-

> ood roads are absolutely essential the prosperity of any agricultural

think we have carefully read.-Modern As a result of a good roads conven-Mon recently held at Jackson, Tenn., a

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