WILL HOLD BUG-KILLING DUEL

Professor H. A. Surface, state econ omic zoologist, and Dr. George G. Groff, professor of organic science at Bucknell University, are about to wreak vengence on those innocent creatures, San Jose scale bugs, just as they are preparing to leave their winter nests, and incidentally show up their rival methods.

Surface will give a demonstration of the method of preparing the lime-sulphur wash for spraying trees at East from her own. Young McCollum was Lewisburg on March 19th. After preparation, the method of applying will be shown. He will then give a talk cartridge, then, forgetting to lower the bird, on the other hand, never rested on the scale for the benefit of those who may be present.

Dr. G. G. Groff, who believes in to defend his position.

HUSTLING FOR HIRED MEN.

The farmers this year face a gloomy outlook as far as securing help is concerned. For several years past while good crops came as their reward there was an increasing difficulty to secure hands and the farmer from early spring until late in the fall found him self head over ears in work, which often made it impossible for him to indulge in needed recreation .- to harvest his crops without loss or to dispose of them when the market conditions were just right. During the present winter the farmers began to look around for help early and many of them thought they were well supplied for the coming summer only to flud themselves disappointed at the last moment and obliged to make a fresh canvass for hired men. The business conditions, which have kept our industries humming even during able agreement with General Superinthe dull months, and affords an encouraging outlook for the future, is in no small measure responsible for this state of affairs. There is a demand for hands at our town industries. It is easy to find an opening and the farmer boy, who has always looked longingly toward town with its shorter hours of labor, &c., does not have to wait long for an opportunity to try the experiment. That the boys of the farm are often disappointed in the change and are willing to return to the country does not go very far in solving the problem. The fact remains that there is a general exodus of young men from the farm to town and that the question of farm help constitutes a problem not easy to solve. A gentleman at the court house yes-

terday, the owner of several farms in the county, was authority for the state ment that a large number of farmers are still without sufficient help for the coming season. He said that one of the first things to turn the head of the farmer boy is a trolley car and in every community intersected by these lines there is more or less unrest among the young men. While trudging over the ploughed ground or perspiring under a July sun in the wheat trolley are as something opening up son in Williamsport. a sphere where life is all pleasure. With something akin to envy he r gards the uniformed conductor and motorman; he decides to throw farming to the dogs and to bend all his en ergies toward securing a place on the trolley. To accomplish his high aim he is willing to accept a place among the construction crew with the hope of "working upward."

Experience is a great school and the boys will sooner or later awake to their delusion, but that has nothing to do with it. The farmer boys often look with longing eyes towards the trolley and sooner or later many of them are going to take a whirl on one of the many lines and that is all there is about it.

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MENINGITIS

E: IDEMIC RAGES

Several of the town's most prominent physicians have diagnosed the sickness of Isaac Fisher, a 16 years old youth, living on Mulberry street. Shamokin as a well developed case of cerebro spinal meningitis form. The lad is critically ill. He was taken sick on Sunday and showed little or no improvement until vesterday when a slight change for the better occurred.

Dr. D. S. Hollenback, who was one of the physicians called in consultation, declares that the dread disease is an epidemic in the western end of represented by Exalted Ruler W. W. is an epidemic in the western end of Coal township and that in a large num ber of cases is not being diagnosed properly. A number of deaths which have occurred within the past week are ascribed by the able physician to meningitis.

Neck Tie Social.

The P. O. S. of A., of Riverside,

Russia encourages manufactories of every product except bombs.

MONTOUR AMERIGAN GIRL ACCIDENTALLY SHOT AND MAY DIE

Jennie, the seventeen-years-old daughaccidentally, and probably fatally each occasion a whole beak load of a neighbor. Dr. Hummel, of Watson- small life generally take to their yountown, who was summoned, found the gest not single insects, but a whole young woman in a critical condition. I spent an hour in taking the record A bullet from a 22-calibre target rifle had penetrated her head above the left of newly fiedged young ones in an old eye, pierced the brain and lodged back | disused punt that had settled down at of the right ear.

Miss Smith, who is one of twin sisters, was calling at the McCollum home which is about a quarter of a mile outside the door cleaning a target rifle. He fired one shot, inserted another of attention to her toilet. The male from him, when the rifle was accident- the open surface of the pond, above killing the bugs by inflating them with ally discharged and the young woman gas, has been invited to be present and fell to the floor with a scream. A my sight. courier was dispatched for a physician twenty-eight trips, the shortest absence and a telephone message across the river to Watsontown soon had Dr.

> Hummel on his way. up. But this was determined to be unnecessary, as the circumstances show beyond question that the shooting was

Railroaders May Strike.

The main topic of discussion among the railroad men in this vicinity at from that the number ran up to conthe present time is the trouble of the siderably over 200. conductors and trainmen with the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company, which may end in

a strike being declared. After four weeks of conference the joint grievance committee of the Dela- back to the punt in the course of that ware, Lackawanna & Western conductors and trainmen on Tuesday concluded that they cannot reach an amic tendent T. E. Clarke, and they will ask for his best ultimatum, preliminary to reporting to the local lodges that they cannot secure an adjustment and asking for a vote as to whether or not to order a strike. This was given out Tuesday night by the committee after a session at their headquarters in the St. Charles Hotel at Scranton. The announcement was received with great surprise in Lackawanna and other rail-

The grievances are mostly about wages. The men are demanding a revision of the "constructive mileage" schedule, more pay for through freight, because of alleged additional labor entailed by reason of the laying off of increased pay for the roustabout and other 12-hour crews. The action of the joint committee has been approved by the grand officers of both organiza-

VISITING HER SON.

Mrs. R. B. Hullihen, of Williamsport is visiting her son. William Hulihen, Church street, who is confined to his home by illness. Mrs. Hullihen, who is 86 years of age, up to some 20 years ago was a resident of Danfields the boy looks toward the flying ville. At present she resides with her

Charles M. Schwab May Die.

EL PASO, Texas, March 7 - The Rock Island train on which Charles M. Schwab is going east reached here twenty-six hours late. Mr. Schwab is very low and it is expected that he may die at any time.

Pastors Change Next Week.

Rev. Harry Minsger who has been appointed to the pastorate of the United Evangelical church, this city will arrive in Danville next week and conduct services on Sunday, March 18th. Rev. E. B. Dunn will conduct the services next Sunday.

EYERYBODY LIKES GOOD PIES.

There is no longer any excuse for poor play your table, ss you should follow the lef thousands and use b-Zerta Quick Puddis a filling for pies Try this recipe.

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which has been baked. Cover with meringue made with the whites of two eggs. This makes two large pies or three small ones.

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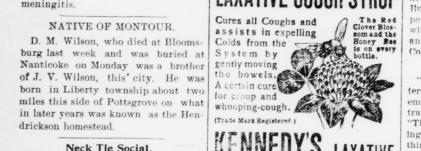
ELKS WILL FORM

A STATE LODGE The first session of the B. P. O. ganization is to bring about a better feeling throughout the State and to be in shape to meet, all important questions as a unit which may come be-

fore the Grand Lodge. It is expected that in all upward of 600 Elks will be there Thursday and will remain until Saturday. Much interest is being manifested in this meeting because it will be the first attempt to organize a State body.

Gulick, Edward Purpur, secretary and Ralph Kisner, treasurer.

THE ORIGINAL



The P. O. S. of A., of Riverside, will hold a neck tie social Saturday evening. Each lady is requested to

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BUSY INSECT EATERS.

What One Day's Hunting Brought to

A close student of bird life writes: 'Observation of several species of insectivorous birds has shown that the parent birds will, when their family is growing up, make between them in the ter of J. J. Smith, residing two miles neighborhood of 500 visits to the nest west of White Deer, near Milton, was in the course of a day, carrying on wounded vesterday morning at 10:30 gnats or spiders or larvae. For the o'clock by John McCollum, the son of birds which feed on gnats or other collection at a time. On one occasion of a pied wagtail which had its brood its moorings into the mud at the side of the pond. During the hour the male bird alone was looking after the family the female amused herself by running about on the bank catching insects for her own consumption and varying the occupation with long spells hammer turned and entered the house. for one minute from his work of bread-Miss Smith was but a few feet away winning. As his hunting ground was which he flitted, he was never out of "In the course of the hour he made

from the young lasting one and a half minutes and the longest nearly six minutes. On no occasion did he remain McCollum, when he saw what he at the punt for more than fifteen sechad done, hurried to the home of the onds or just long enough to turn over justice of the peace and gave himself the food collected on the last trip to the proper youngster and be off again. Myriads of gnats were dancing above the water, and at each dip the bird struck at one, but one could not see whether he always caught his quarry or not. As far as it was possible to guess he always did. On his shortest absence he made over forty shots, and

> "Supposing that he missed his aim half the time or afterward dropped or swallowed the insects, so that half of them were wasted and failed to reach the family at home, there must have been from 1,500 to 2,000 gnats brought one hour. Later in the day both parent birds were hawking simultaneously, each returning methodically to the young every two or three minutes. What the gross consumption of insects possible to guess, but it can hardly have been less than 10,000 or 15,000 and was probably twice as many."

RULES FOR A HOME.

Remember that home begins with charity. Remember that open windows make health epidemic.

If you must worry, take a big thing. The little things will knock you out. Keep your children, your dogs and your troubles away from your guests. The dining room should always be sacred. That is the one room where no

scraps should be allowed. Have the same standard of morals the third brakeman in each crew, and for yourself as for your children. You need it as much as they do.

There are three standpoints to every home-your own, your wife's and the cook's. Try and forget your own.

Put over the front door for every member of the family to read, "He who enters here leaves satire behind. Buy everything on the installment plan by paying for it all in one install ment-the first .- Tom Masson in Judge

A Japanese Rabbit Hunt. "There is a Japanese rabbit hunting

story," says a Japanese authority, "which runs as follows: "One Jap meets another in the hunt-

ing season with a gun over his shoul-

'Aha! Been shooting?' he says. You look upset.' "'I am upset,' replied the huntsman, and with good reason. I started a rab bit. Cherry Blossom, my dog, ran after it. I fired, and Cherry Biossom fell."

'Too bad. And the rabbit?' "The rabbit? It brought Cherry Blossom back and laid her at my feet."

WHIPS OF FLAME.

Picturesque and Puzzling Fire Dance of the Indians.

Mysterious are many of the ways of the red man. Dr. Matthews of Washington gave an interesting account of fire dance which he was fortunate enough to witness in the far west. The spectators were sealed about a large open space, in the center of which burn-

Suddenly sounded a loud blowing of buffalo horns, mingled with a strange cry like the call of a sand hill crane. Nearer and nearer it came, and then there bounded into the circle ten men. naked to the waist and bearing long undles of shredded cedar bark. Round and round the fire danced the ittle procession, chanting and waving the flexible fagots. After some time

the leader abruptly stopped and lighted his fagot of bark. The others followed Indians kept close, spitting upon each other's back a substance supposed to have medicinal virtue. Soon they ran without concert, the long, brilliant

rades. Not a man turned as the vigseize the brand in their hands and rub selves a bath of flames. On they

And were there sore and blistered gift."-New York Press. backs the next day under the carelessly worn blankets? Apparently not, for Dr. Matthews saw and talked with the actors directly after the dance, and

include the mysterious compound which the Indians spat upon each other. That, But cedar bark ignites at a low temperature, and the white earth with which the men were thickly coated was Companion.

"It pays to be a mourner in St. Petersburg, and there are agencies which employ great numbers of vagrants and tramps for the purpose," says a write "These agencies supply suitable clothing and pecket handkerchiefs-everything, in fact, except boots, which the tramp must show on his feet, or more or less important funeral tramps gather at the Nikolski mark agency. The wage for the occasi with tips, generally equals about shillings."-London Mail.

NAMES OF ANIMALS.

Some of the names of the commonone who tears or rends.

as the word lux (light) and probably he came on. We shouted and blew was given to these widcats on ac-whistles, and while this was going on count of the fierce brightness of their Evans stepped back on to a patch of eyes. Lion is, of course, from the bare, smooth ice and shot out of sight Latin leo, which word, in turn, is lost immediately. Thinking the slope to be far back in the Egyptian tongue, one of the short ones so comme where the word for the king of beasts folds of the hills, Barne sat down and was labu. The compound word deliberately started to slide in Evans' leopard is first found in the Persian track. In a moment or two the slope language, where pars stands for pan- grew steeper, and soon he was going at ther. Seal, very appropriately, was a pace which left him no power to cononce a word meaning of the sea; close trol his movements. He whipped out to the Latin sal, the sea. Puma, jaguar, tapir and peccary but the blade snapped off short and (from paquires) are all names from failed to check his wild career. In a

shores. Moose is from the Indian word mouswah, meaning wood eater; fashion: "Realizing the impossibility

had a rough time of it in its travels at the icy slope, and disappeared forthrough various languages. It is hardly recognizable as bebrus, babru and of the English word brown. The orlg- slope: "Their leader suddenly saw the inal application was doubtless on acfur. Otter goes back to Sanskrit. where it is udra. The significance of

old Sanskrit, the root meaning to steal.

from the Latin fera, a wild beast. Deer is of obscure origin, but may have been an adjective, meaning wild. with snow. Elk is derived from the same root as eland, and the history of the latter word is an interesting one. It meant a sufferer, and was applied by the on account of the awkward gait and stiff movements of this ungainly ani-

Greek language, its original meaning being shadow tail. Tiger is far more prey .- Detroit News-Tribune

it. "You must have some system," was

great authority on law, but I guess he hasn't as much authority as I have mean that the Turks are lacking in tists have proved that bread, when

for six months." UNIQUE FEATS.

Odd Physical Tricks That People Here and There Can Do. A group of traveling men were discussing unique feats and physical

can do.

mighty attractive thing to hear." crack open every time."

Pure Olive Oll.

test-in fact, we seldom get the pure ting go si thing, and, if we did, the chances are | time that we could not eat it. At least, that | disaster in was the experience once upon a time of | ble if it had occurred) were none too | not imply any lack of merit, but & one woman who used a great deal of 8008. mayonnaise dressing upon her table and had supposed that she doted on an excellent nonconductor.-Youth's olive oil. An Italian friend bestowed upon her a flask of the peculiarly green fluid. To her surprise, not one of her family, herself included, could bear its taste. There was a tang to it which showed them that they had never eaten olive oil before and that they never wanted to eat it again. So they gave the flask away.—New York Telegram.

OVER THE PRECIPICE.

the Antarctic.

The Meaning of Some of Those Whose & Tragic Adventure In a Blizzard In

Here is an adventure in the antarctic est animals are lost in the dimness regions taken from Captain Robert F of antiquity, such as fox, weasel, Scott's "The Voyage of the Discovery." sheep, horse, dog and baboon. Of the Nine men are returning from a sledge origin of these the clew is forever lost. expedition in a blinding snowstorm: With camel one cannot go further "An unusually violent squall prevented back than the Latin word camelus, and us from seeing even one another. I imelephant is derived from the old Hin- mediately ordered a chain to be formdoo word elph, which means an ox. ed at right angles and extending across The old root of the word wolf meant our track, each man keeping in touch with the rest, with the idea of inter-Lynx is from the same Latin root cepting Hare, who was missing, when his clasp knife and dug it into the ice. South American Indian languages. fiash the ice changed to snow, which The coyote and ocelet were called grew softer until, in a smother of flycoyoti and ocelote by the Mexicans ing particles, his rapid flight was arlong before Cortes landed on their rested and he stood up to find Evans within a few feet of him."

A third man joined them in similar skunk, from seganku, an Algonquin of ascending again by the way they term; wapiti in the Creek language had come, they started to descend, but means white deer, and was originally within four paces of the place at which applied to the Rocky mountain goat, they had been brought to rest they but the name is now restricted to the found that the slope ended suddenly in American elk. Caribou is also a na-a steep precipice, beyond which they tive Indian word; opossum is from could see nothing but the clouds of possowne, and raccoon is from the In- whirling snow. Even as they recoiled dian arrathkune (by further aphere- from this new danger and dimly realized the merciful patch of soft snow Rhinoceros is pure Greek, meaning which had saved them from it, a yelpnose horned, but beaver has indeed ing dog flew past them, clawing madly ever into the gloom be, ond." The six others eventually moved on until they The latter is the ultimate root too, found themselves on an awkward count of the color of the creature's low, through the wreathing snow, the precipice beneath his feet and far be-

this word is in its close kinship to over the edge. He sprang back with "Another step would have taken him a cry of warning, and those behind The little mouse hands its name him, hearing it, dug their heels instinctdown through the years from the old, ively into the surface, and, with one The word rat may have been derived What followed was over in an instant. exception, all succeeded in stopping. from the root of the Latin word va- Before his horror stricken companions dere, to scratch, or rodere, to gnaw. had time to think poor Vince, unable to Rodent is derived from the latter term. check himself with his soft fur boots, Cat is also in doubt, but is first recognized in catulus, a diminutive of past the leader and disappeared." ognized in catulus, a diminutive of canis, a dog. It was applied to the vouce of sinost any animal as the vouce of sinost and the vouce of sin young of aimost any animal, as the the first missing man, staggered back English words pup, kitten, cub, etc. to the ship two days after the others, Bear is the result of tongue twisting, remembering nothing between struggling to a patch of rock for shelter and waking thirty-six hours later covered

THE MAN ON FOOT.

In Stamboul He Has No Rights as

Against the Horseman. One of the peculiarities in Stamboul is the insolent demeanor of the horse-Squirrel has a poetic origin in the man to the footman. Many times daily you will see some rascal of a cabman trying to drive down a well dressed intricate. The old Persian word tir man on the street. The drivers rarely meant arrow, while tighra signified take the trouble to shout as they apsharp. The application to this great proach pedestrians. I was often filled animal was in allusion to the swiftness with wonder at observing the meekwith which the tiger leaps upon its ness with which well dressed Turks on foot submitted to such treatment from shabby Turks on carriage boxes. Even when no injury was done to such a pe destrian, he was often bespattered with Yankee dispatch characterizes the court rulings of a Toronto magistrate, Stamboul must be an unpleasof whom John Foster Fraser tells in ant place in which to live. Were cabhis book, "Canada as It Is." The mag. men in our country to treat pedestrians istrate, who is reported to have got so recklessly there would be many through with forty cases in forty min- cases of assault and battery, and I utes, was once asked how he managed think some mortality among the Jehus. One day I saw a uniformed Turk picking his way across the street, using "Not so very long ago a young at what sounded like choice Turkish absorbed that much alcohol. How torney wanted to quote law against abuse. The uniformed Turk retorted Well, simply by eating bread. my sending his man down for six nonths. He wanted to quote Mathews, I think.

I think.

I think against my sending his man down for six not. He scraped the mud off his uniform, stuck his saber under his arm and waded ashore. In our country a tion of alcohol, but it was supposed "'Well,' said I, 'Mathews may be a man with a saber would have used it that it passed from the dough during Danville, Pa., Jany, 8th, 1906.

rights.-"A Levantine Log Book," by from bread. Kvass, the mild Russian THE MARINE ENGINEER.

would seem to be the custom of the of .800 per cent of alcohol to the loaf.

against the man on horseback, has no countries strong liquors are brewed

tricks that people here and there Startling Example Showing the Dan- which equals four pints of rye whisky.

"I know a Chicagoan," said one, Of all causes of boiler deterioration, teur chemist impressively, "you have "who can whistle a tune and hum its says H. P. Watson in the Engineering eaten 4,000 loaves of bread, and in accompaniment at the same time. He Magazine, by far the most numerous that number of loaves is about 200 whisties through a flat, not through the are those arising from the presence of ounces of alcohol, or the equivalent to usual round hole, and the deep, musical scale and its twin sister, incrustation; nineteen quarts of whisky. Think of accompaniment together with the shrill but broken braces can give an engl- the saturnalia you have been on for sweetness of the whistle makes a neer a very bad quarter of an hour. A the last ten years, and you never knew steamer plying on the great lakes enough to complain of a big head in "I knew a barber," said the second drummer, "who had a unique way of drummer, "who had a unique way of steam for those days—fifty pounds per steam for those days—fifty pounds per cracking nuts. He would place a nut square inch on a very large and light between the back of his head and a shell. The eugineer on watch was down "Being at supper my wife did say Now began a wild race. At first the stone or brick wall, and then he would in the fire room looking around when a something that caused me to oppose give himself a sharp rap on the fore- loud bang came from one of the boil- her in. She used the word devil, which

o'clock. The purpose of the State or- to the bodies of themselves and com- an ugly feat, and I'm glad it is rare." not been told of the other broken brace. tofore, for less than that would have "I knew at school," said the fourth He at once stopped the blowers, open- made me strike her. So that I fear orous, burning blows descended on his naked back. Sometimes they would ams who could play tunes by snapping the defendance of the doors, shut the stop valve bewithout great discretion I shall go near tween boilers and put on the feed to lose, too, my command over her, and his fingers. The thumb and first two pumps as rapidly as they could go so nothing do it more than giving her this It over their flesh as if it were a fingers of each hand would work away sponge and they were giving thembusily, and forth would come the clearbusily, and forth would busily, and forth would business the clearbusiless the company of the clearbusiless the company of the clearbusiless the clearbusil est, sweetest, faintest music. I used to necessary to stop, and they hauled to from her business and finds other danced and whipped and rubbed until sit with Bucky Adams, and many a one side of the channel and waited for sweets besides pleasing of me, and so tedious school session would be make the coming up of another boat in the makes her that she begins not at all shorter and pleasanter with this odd same line passed a few miles back. to take pleasure in me or study to The passengers (there were 1,000 on board) and mails were transferred, and Samuel Pepys. the boat returned with the injured If olive oil congeals in freezing boiler out of business.

called olive oil will stand this simple way at or near one another, two letultaneously apparently, and

head with his fist. The nuts would ers. Instantly divining the cause, he vexed me, and, among other things, I crack open every time."

"A Manayunk man," said the third, tender, who replied, "Be jabers, I hope word, upon which she took me up most Elks convention, held for the purpose of organizing a State lodge, will be held at Harrisburg this morning at 10 without concert. the long, brilliant streamers of flame flaring behind them.

As they sped over the ground round held at Harrisburg this morning at 10 tender, who replied, he jabers, I hope that turns back his eyelids. He has to turn them down again with his fingers. This is

weather, it is a sign that it is adulter- Upon examination the next day it "No. Mr. Penwiggie," said the fair ated with lard. Very few bottles of so was found that three braces had given girl to the literary youth who had proposed, "I cannot accept you, but that

> "I know what you would say," he inbich would have been terri-terrupted bitterly. "A rejection does s merely an episode withduty of an engineer ticle unsultable. It's the old story."-



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THE GIANT INDIANS.

del Fuego.

der the miserable shelter.

York Herald.

to. Many of the words are not difficult

to pronounce, nor is the construction

of the sentences difficult, but very few

speaker hacks, coughs and grunts, dis-

orting his face in the most inhuman

was obtained from the guanaco.-New

ST. SWITHIN AND RAIN.

The Legend of the Chapel Over the

The superstitions referring to par-

Bishop's Grave.

St. Swithin's day, if thou dost rain, For forty days it will remain; St. Swithin's day, if thou be 'air, For forty days 'twill rain nas mair.

St. Swithin, bishop of Winchester, ac-

cording to the author of "The Popular

Antiquities," was "a man equally not-

pointed day they all assembled to con-

of their attempt to contravene the di-

rection of St. Swithin, and instead of

disturbing his remains they erected a

christening the apples" is the more po

ALCOHOL IN BREAD.

of Whisky a Year.

"It has long been known that the fer-

beer, is brewed from brown bread.

"Now, if you eat 400 loaves of bread

every year you must perforce have as-

similated twenty ounces of alcohol,

"In ten years," concluded the ama-

etical way of describing St. Swithin's

that will occur to every one:

Peculiar Ways of the Onas of Tierra

uine by Its Gilding. False Sevres in the bric-a-brac shops The Onas, a tribe of Indians inhabit s offered as genuine by "reputable ing the mainland of the Tierra del Fuego island, are physical giants. Their as in New York. It is old, it is true, average height is over six feet. A few but only as old as the "restoration" in are six and one-half feet; a few fall be-France, although the marks would indilow six feet. The women are more corcate a much earlier and better period. pulent and not so tall. There is no The counterfeits may usually be deace in the world with a more perfect tected by the surface of the gilding. physical development than the Ona In-In the real it was burnished in lines dians. This is partly due to the topogby mean; of metal nails with rounded raphy of the country and the distribupoints, which were set in a piece of tion of the game, which makes long

marches across the country a necessity. The imitations of later date than the In mentality they fall far below their real have been burnished in a similar urine scalds the flesh or if, when the hysical attainments. In the past their upply of game has been plentiful, and quired considerably more force to ob-tain a bright surface by the ancient method than by the use of the agate his may account for the lack of inentive genius among them. This lack method than by the use of the agate method than by the use of the agate point; hence the burnished lines in the genuine ware are perceptibly sunken, trouble is due to a diseased condition of the of progressive skill is portrayed in their ome life, clothing and homes. Their children suffer from it, for, contrary to while in the counterfeit ware they are kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as the practice common among most Inflush with the general surface of the gilding. There are other means of Women as well as men are made misdians of feeding, dressing and training the children well, the Onas' little ones "spotting" the imitations, such as the linexact copying of the marks which the same great remedy. The mild and the immediate effect of are mostly naked, poorly fed and altogether neglected. They have abundant have served since 1753 to denote the date of fabrication, and the use of chrome green, which was not discovered until 1802, but the test of the burnished parts of the gilding is the iterial for supplying themselves with clothing and homes, and yet they throw a few branches together, put skins over he windward side and then shiver uneasiest for the ordinary buyer.-New Scientists who have made a study of York Herald. the subject say that the language of the Onas is the strangest ever listened

perhaps be interested in hearing a few facts about them. Sad it is for the words are interrupted by a sound emancipated woman of the present which it is impossible to produce. The naments were originally a mark of Binghamton, N.Y., on every bottles slavery. In bygone days the slave almanner, and then passes on to the next ways were his master's earrings. In stumbling block. The Onas live principally upon meat, which in former years the east they were a sign of caste and were buried with the dead. Some anelent earrings were very elaborate, and CATARRH many statues had their ears bored in readiness for votive offerings of earrings. In England the earliest earrings were very cumbrous and made of cle stone or wood. The eighteenth century the diseased me saw the glorification of the earring. fashionable beauties outvying each othticular days are very numerous. The egend of St. Swithin is an example er with the carest and most beautiful jeweis.-London Graphic.

BEGGARS IN ITALY.

Their Game Seems to Be a Pretty It is hard to beat the beggar game in Italy. A fleet footed urchin and his ed for uprightness and humility. So maiden fell into a fox trot by the side

far did he carry the latter virtue that of the carriage. "Look, neble gentleman," he began; on his deathbed he requested to be "look, beautiful lady! See the little raburied not within the church, but outside the churchyard on the north of the gazza-the poor girl-have pity on her! See, noble signor-you cannot refuse sacred building, where his corpse might receive the eavesdroppings from the too good-you are too generous, too no- occasions. The family bottle (60 cents) roof and his grave be trodden by the ble, too han isome, to refuse. Have pity contains a supply for a year. All drug feet of passersby. His lowly request on her dreadful state, for look-she has gists sell them was complied with, and in this neglectone gray eye and one black one!" ed spot his remains reposed till about We stopped the carriage. It was true. 100 years afterward, when a fit of

The maiden had indeed particolored plous indignation seized the clergy at eyes, in addition to which she rejoiced the fact that the body of so holy a in a most appalling squint. I gave her member of their order was allowed to one copper. Hereupon her escort set occupy such a position, and on an apup a howl at being ignored. "But why should you have anything?"

vey it with great pomp to the adjoining cathedral of Winchester. When "You ought to give me two coppers," they were about to commence the cere he replied, with a twinkle, "for I have mony a heavy rain burst forth and conto blacks eyes, and she has only one. tinued without intermission for the was vanquished. I gave him his forty succeeding days. The monks inwo coppers. I don't believe in begterpreted this tempest as a warning gars, but I think he earned them .- "A from heaven of the blasphemous nature

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