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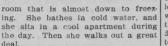
in the set of the bust. A collar of Irish lace falls over the puffed sleeves, which are of muslin to match, and it turns back in little collar points from the guimp of muslin. A black velver the bon encircles the neck and is drawn under the turned-back lace points and knotted in front.—New York Globe. Talks With Her St

When it comes to the display of her back and arms the French woman ex-cels. She shrugs with them. She says yes and no. She expresses surprise, joy, disdain and sorrow, all by the ges-tures of her back and arms. She laces her waist so tight that it seems as though she would break in two. But her bust is free and her breathing Such are bust is recently and the of carming space is full. She would not think of cramping her lungs. She pulls the laces tight below the ribs and below the lung space, and below the bust line, in order that the beautiful upper figure may have plenty of room in which to breathe and expand and be graceful.—New York Globe.

Magazine Children.

Magazine Children, "I don't see what has come over the people who attempt to illustrate chil-dren's stories for grown-ups," remark-ed a woman recently, as she turned over the pages of a popular magazine. "Now, here!"—and she held up a group of babies and small children at play—"did you ever see such silly, ugly children! Any child that looked like that with its nic seves, buttonhole ugly children! Any child that looked like that with its pig eyes, buttonhole of a mouth and fatuous expression, ought to be chloroformed. In nearly every periodical that is built express-ly for women's reading you find this same type of child reproduced over and over again. I wonder why? I wonder why a child should be more engaging for looking like a fool? But it seems to be the fashion to make them look that way."

them look that way." <u>Made Over Batteries.</u> Dry batteries used for ringing door-bells last but a few months, the zinc outer casing becoming eatern through by the chemicals within. The holes thus formed allow the moisture to es-tange, and, as the moisture to es-means the death, as it were, of the battery. But they still useful. It is only necessary to take a glass or porcelain jar (quart fruit jar) and set the battery in it after having filled it is only necessary to take a glass or porcelain jar (quart fruit jar) and set the battery in it after having filled it about half full of water in which a tablespoonful of sal ammoniac has been dissolved. The moisture will then be again supplied, and the sal ammoniac will replenish what has been used up in the use of the battery. A very handsome ornament for the winter hat is a bunch of horse-chestnut leaves and horse-chestnuts made of velvet. Rose wreaths are popular for even-ing wear in the hair, beautifully or-namented with crystal drops that look like dew. Face veils are always popular in batteries which had been thrown away as useless, and they seent to be in as workable condition now as ever. Ten cents or less and a little works saved at least a dollar.—Good Housekeeping. Te Bergure Distriction



Chalk in Milk. Dilute the milk in water; the chalk, ff there be any, will settle to the bot-row in hour or two. Put to the sediment an acid, vinegar for instance, and if effervescence takes place, chalk is present in the milk.—National Mag azine for February. The Princess Gown. Princess models grow constantly in popularity, and most of the velvet cos-tumes and the light-weight broad-cloths are built on these lines. An at-tractive princess frock of deep crean broadcloth is plain from hem to the line of the bust. A collar of Irish lace

A woman who recently reached Cape Town had with her the following strange collection of animals: One meerkat, two Rusian cats, two Abys-sinian cats, two agoutles, one viseicha, one pecca, two lemurs, one monkey and one bear.

Miss Abbie J. Peffner of South Bend, Ind., is making a very comfortable liv-ing raising strawberries. Miss Peffner does all the work on her farm, even to the plowing, and raises a large flock of chickens every year in addition to her berry culture.

her berry culture. Miss Maggie J. Waltz of Calumet, Mich., is editing the only Finnish pub-lication for women in this country. Miss Waltz is greatly interested in bettering the condition of the women in the United States. She educated herself while she was working in this country, having come over in 1881. The veterar

The veteran among women typists is Mrs. M. A. Saunders, which is still employed in New York city by one of the great insurance companies. The 30th anniversary of Mrs. Saunders' work was celebrated by the gift of a work was celebrated by the girl of a beautiful gold watch from a typewrit-er company, bearing the following in-scription: "1875-1905. To the Pioneer Typewriter Operator. From the Pion-eer Manufacturer."

eer Manufacturer." At Potsdam Emperor William has built for his little daughter, the Prin-cess Louise, a structure closely imitat-ing a kitchen of a cottage in the Black forest. The furniture is quaint and old. There is queer, old-fashioned china on the dresser, a stove like that wead by the passents and the celling



The Civilized Squirrel. Whether or not, 1 will presently be necessary to put steam heat into the squirrel houses in the trees of Central Park, New York, is an interesting ques-tion. These popular little animals are now so thoroughly pampered by the public that they have abandoned their old self-dependent habits. They no longer sleep a great part of the winter away, as is natural to them in this latitude. As their usual partial dependence upon a state of semi-torpor to protect them from the effects of the cold is broken up, it may be that they

cold is broken up, it may be that they suffer a good deal from the temperature of such nights as these.

To determine whether all the public pampering of the park squirrels is good for them, or whether they are being cut off in their prime by a not suffi-leath a simple life the neark sufficient sufficiently simple life, the park authorities

are going to take a census of the little animals and keep track of them. The squirrels are certainly getting peanuts by the bushel. Some of them have grown so critical that they refuse to accept single nuts, and insist upon having access to the bag in order that they may make their choice. Others scorn peanuts altogether, and search the pockets for candy and other dainties.

They have grown tame even beyond squirrel precedent. Experience has made some of them shy of children, and especially of boys about the age of twelve, but elderly gentlemen of benevolent appearance have been seen decorated with as many as five squirrels at once. It will cartainly he supprisat once. It will certainly be surpris-ing if the squirrel census should indi-cate that present conditions are un-favorable to them, for they swarm in

apparently increasing numbers, and are all plump and lustrous. There is an impression that squirrels are hurtful to tree vegetation and de-structive to birds. I ntheir wild state they certainly are, for they nip off buds in winter and ravage birds' nests In spring. But our park squirrels are so well fed that they have little occa-sion to engage in either of these forms of depredation.—New York Mail.

Befriend the Trees. During the first week of the new year, the American Forestry Congress year, the American Forestry Congress was in session in Washington, D. C., and was addressed by President Roose-velt. The meetings were distinguished by the fact that, for the first time, large business interests have joined in an intelligent effort to promote scientific forestry in this country.

Now, what large business interests Now, what large business interests would you suppose to be concerned about the forest? Lumbering, for one, you say. Yes, and railways, for rail-roads must have ties; mines, for tim-bers are necessary to support under-ground workings; grazing, for cattle-ranches need a steady supply of water, and if the mountains are denuded of trees the water that falls runs away ranidly and is lost. For the same rearapidly and is lost. For the same rea-son irrigation companies and owners of irrigated lands are interested; big architects and contracting firms who find that certain woods are becoming scarce; furniture and farm implement manufacturers and car builders; paper makers who use wood pulp, and many others. It might, indeed, be difficult to find many large businesses into which the use of wood does not enter. And yet the importance of preserv-ing the trees, getting the most out of them and renewing those cut down so as to have regular and abundant find that certain woods are becoming

as to have regular and abundant "crops" of lumber was for a long time not realized in this country. It was only thirty years ago, in 1875, that the first forestry congress met in Chicago, the members incurring not a little ridi-

veled at the pluck of the women. The Australian is a born horseman; he Australian is a born horseman, he lives in the saddle. It is true that the wayback man is from childbood on the back of a horse, while even in the oldest and most important city in Aus-tralis—Sidney—today the postman in the submed calized lattern on horse trails—Sidney—today the postman in the suburbs delivers letters on horse-back, the pillar boxes in the city are cleared by mounted men, and the lamp-lighter goes about his work in a like way. All this is mentioned to empha-size the fact that the horse is part and parcel of the life of the often reckless, hard-riding and hard-swearing devil-m'-care colonial of the southern seas These are two kinds of kanegroo

m'-care colonial of the southern seas There are two kinds of kangaroo hunting; that is to say, where he is run down with kangaroo dogs and beagless. The first named is the old style, while the latter may be only called into use in the case of the smaller kangaroos, such as the brush-tall, that stands perhaps about three feet six inches, or at times four feet. We will take the old sport, and in this will we find the greater dash, for there is a great deal of difference in follow-ing a deerhound that runs at sight and the small hound that puts his nose to Ing a derivation that runs at sight and the small hound that puts his nose to the ground and gradually wears down his quarry. The kangaroo dog is a gaze-hound all out, and, running mute, he endeavors to catch by the aid of his limbs that which he can see with his core Alwave running chout the his eyes. Always running about the station and following the mounted hands, he is full of dash and muscle; has since are as of steel, while his feet are sound and tough enough for any ground—in short, he knows his work, and that is his occupation.— Sports of the Times.

### Why the Tree Fell.

Some years ago I was passing through a forest in the state of Maine. Perhaps you know that Maine has been noted for its forests, though, alas! many of the finest of them have been destroyed. By and by I came to a large tree that had fallen, and I wondered why it fell. It had stood among many trees, some of them much small-er than itself, and none of them had fallen. There was hothing to show that any great temptest had passed that way. Yet here it was, a noble tree of great size and height, lying on the ground. I wondered what mighty force had thrown it down.

I found out after a while, as I looked at it carefully, what had happened. I knew why it fell, with no wind at all about it. Many years before a little worm bored through the bark of the tree and began to eat the fibre of the wood. That was a small matter, wasn't wood. That was a small matter, wasn't it? Just one little worm! But soon there were more worms, and they were eating the fibre, too. And more and more came, and they all kept eating. And they went on until the inside of the tree was just honey-combed, like this piece which you see, for I brought some bits of it home with me and have keet them until now. The bark, mean. kept them until now. The bark, mean-while, looked sound and well; for the worms did not eat that; they only bored through it and lived in the tree. Anyone passing by would have said the tree was a giant, well and strong, and likely to stand for a hundred years. But it was rotten through and through. The worms had left hardly a fibre of it. kept them until now. The bark, mean

fibre of it. There of it. Cne day, a bright summer day, when all the other trees were singing in the breeze, suddenly it fell with a great crash that frightened the squirrels and sent the birds fluttering away. It fell, not because the wind was strong, but because it was weak. A gentle breeze pushed it right over! Its heart was rotten and so it died

all the other trees were singing in the break would like to have Him brought break statistic of the second like to have Him brought may be a deceiver, a liar, or a mometimes, children, a man suddenly falls into a great and terrible sin. He is found to be a deceiver, a liar, or a finef. Perhaps he runs away with a great deal of money that belonged to other people, and the newspapers are full of the sad story of what is called his "fall." People wonder why he fell how he could have been so bad so sud denly. Everybody thought he was good man, and all of a sudden he is a very bad man. No, he did not become a bad-man suddenly. He had been getting ready to fall, like the tree, for a good while, though nobody knew it. A long while before he fell a litter was easier to tell another and another.

# THE PULPIT.

AN ELOQUENT SUNDAY SERMON BY BISHOP D. A. GOODSELL.

Subject: The Face of Christ.

Subject: The Face of Christ. Brooklyn, N. Y.-A very large audi-ence filled the Tabernacle Sunday to I listen to Bishop D. A. Goodsell. His subject was "The Face of Christ." The text was from II. Corinthians iv:6: 1 "The glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ." Bishop Goodse.J said in the course of his sermon: As you read the Bible both in the Old and New Testaments you are im-pressed with the great number of times which the word "face" is used. When you travel in Eastern lands you find that this word is used far more often and in many different relations among the Eastern people than we our-selves are accustomed to use it. This word face is used in reference to a man's whole character, I am told, everywhere in the East, and we have a great many traces of it in the Bible; and now when we come to think of it isn't it true that we are accustomed to recognize each other more by the face than by any other one thing. If it not wonderful that upon the few eyens, nose, mouth and chin there eyens, nose, mouth and chin there eyens, other set of the set of expression stamped by the great Cre-ator? There is a general conviction among

should be such an infinite variety of expression stamped by the great Cre-ator? There is a general conviction among us that the face will work on the inner character, so that whatever may be the beginning of life when we have lived with ourselves a long time we will be preity apt to show upon our faces what kind of a person we have lived with. It is impossible for any person to give way to avarice without showing it on their face. If he had an open face once it will change; and so the man who gives way to the forces of passion, whether he gives way to a this or whether he gives way to appetite for food, it will show out on his face completely that those who are wise in these things are not able to read be-hind the mask. Now, what one is there among us that has not desired again and again the so devout soul that in his trouble has not said. Oh, that i could look into my Master's face. Oh, that I could," live as the little children did, "have rested my head against His treeme is a the said to them, "suffer them to come." You can scarcely go into a Christian to mass the said to them, "suffer them to come." You can scarcely go into a Christian to may is a revelation, not only for in-spiral time to show the or the sight of Jesus Christs hall be the time. We what one his face. The shall see God. They shall see God. According to the seem to see God here. When we shall, by the washing of regeneration and could look into my Master's face. Oh, that I could," live as the little children did, "have rested my head against His show the cord have meevel of our invard purity do we can sug the Lord hath made me whiter than son. We walk with Him, our hand is in His hand and our head Is on His bosom. He carries us when we are weak, as a shepherd carries the the mean wite the hear the in say to mean the hears our disense, He com-

breast and have heard Him say to me as He said to them, 'Suffer them to come.'" You can scarcely go into a Christian home to-day where Christian education has presided where there is not at least one or more representations of the face of Jesus Christ. I have observed according to our experiences, accord-ing to our wants, we fasten upon the representations of Jesus Christ's face that are most satisfying to us, most fitting. So that if we are under deep penicence of sin, we are apt to have the face of the suffering Christ upon the Cross, and if the sorrows of the world have burdened our hearts, we will carry there the face of the thorn-crowned Christ in our homes. If we have dwelt upon Christ in His strength, in His power, in His resist-ance to evil, in the calm majesty of one who knows he is innocent, we would most likely have the picture of Christ before Pilate. From the days of the Catacombs up to the present time, men have been trying to put Christ's face before humanity, and why? Because all souls in their greater moments, in their spiritual moments, and therefore in their religious mo-ments, would like to have Him brought mear by. They would like to have Him made more real.

ren in the creation, and we, His breth-ren in the redemption of the cross, know that we are dear to God, for God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son to die for us. I have to travel a good deal in my work as you know. Very often I wake early in the morning, and lift the cur-tain of my sleeping car that I may see where we are, and what the pros-pects are. Sometimes it is is clouded, on the diches beside the tracks, or portaps we are running alongside the lake and I look at the lake and out there I can see things mitrored. It has been a great pleasure to me some-times to pick out thes stars. Why there is ofton and there is Sirius, there is the big dipper and there is Jupiter and there is Mars. I didn't have to look up, I looked down and saw it reflected. And then I would see the round orb of the morn and I could see what phase of the moon was on by looking down as I could by looking above. Then I have seen the wind set the glassy surface into waves, and it would be only belts of broken light. That is human passions. There isn't a glassy place to reflect the glory of Christ in. There are all kinds of passions at work and the best that we can see is the prince and light dhat are on the surface, then y have are for surface in the glory of Christ in. There are all kinds of passions at work and the best that we can see is the prince of reflect the glory of Christ in. There are all kinds of passions the work and the best that we can see is the prince of reflect the glory of God in the free of layer. Cirkit is revealed not

your memory bring up out of your religious education that teach this doc-trine? We who are here this morning, if we believe in God we shall not only see those who have gone before, who have been in our homes, but the great am-bition of a devoted soul will be grati-fied—we shall see God. Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God. According to the measure of our inward purity do we seem to see God here. When we shall, by the washing of regeneration and the renewal of our hearts and the sanctification of our spirit, until we can say the Lord hath made me whiter than snow. We walk with Him, our hand is in His hand and our head is on His boson. He carries us when we are weak, as a shepherd carries the lamb. He heals our disease, He com-forts us in our sorrows. He is in our homes when we are there, in our shops when we are there, in the streets when we are walking, on the see when we are salling. We shall see Christ, not in His hu-

when we are there, in the streets when we are walking, on the sea when we are sailing. We shall see Christ, not in His hu-midation, but in His exaliation; not as a babe in the manger, but as a king of the universe; not as humbled be-fore Pilate, but as ruling all things and judging all things. I believe in heaven because I believe in God. I do not know where it is, I think that I am convinced that it is a condition rather than a place. This is shown by the parable of Dives and Lazarus, one in paradise and one in hell, yet they could talk across the gulf. That must have been moral rather than physical. But I do not know that if God is everywhere, my soul shall sonr through space and find Him everywhere. It may be that heaven is everywhere, as God is every-where to the devout soul.

## Geiting at Life's Values.

Getting at Life's Values. Things that come easily are not of much value. Vacation time does not often record noteworthy accomplish-is at its highest, perinaps close to the breaking point, that results usually count for most. That time that we are looking forward to, when this present grinding pressure will be off and we shall have an opportunity to do some-ting, is not likely to record nearly as good work as we are doing under riction and stress. Those particles of carbon might have been nothing more than coal or graphite if consum-ing the tand enormous pressure had not crystallized them into a diamond. If such a weight is just now upon us, let us rejoice at the opportunity we have for getting at the precious things of life.-S. S. Times.

## The Bible.

Alone it has civilized whole nations. It is the one book that can fully lead forth the richest and deepest and sweetest things in man's nature. Read all other books-philosophy, poetry,

### To Renovate Black Cloth.

Spots may be removed from black cloth by the use of soap bark, to be had of the druggist. Pour a quart of had of the druggist. Four a quart of bolling water over an ounce of soap bark, let stand fifteen minutes, strain through cheesecloth and it is ready for use. Use a piece of material, if you have it, saturated well with the fluid, for sponging off the solled or stained spots. Any old black skirt. you have it, saturated well with the fluid, for sponging off the soiled or stained spots. Any old black skirt, stained, spotted or soiled to an apparently hopeless condition, may be made anew by immersing wholly in a tub of diluted soap bark and water in the proportions as above, adding thereto about two gallons of hot water to the quart of soap bark suds. Immerse the skirt in this, dip up and down, in and cut, many times, as you would wash flannels. When the dirt is whol-

Exquisite rose-strewn organdies are in evidence for girlish evening frocks. In some the roses are nothing but tiny prim buds, in others great nodding

There are few women, no matter what their complexion may be, who cannot appear to advantage in some one of the various shades of red now considered the smartest thing.

Pale blue ball gowns are always great favorites with the doutante, and they vary the perpetual white in which the buds are conventionally ap-pointed to make their first bow to condition scciety

ly out, rinse well in clear, lukewarn water, shake vigorously, but do not wring, hang in the open air and iron before it becomes thoroughly dry, iron-ing on the wrong side. Before wetting carefully hunt out all spots, mark them with a white thread, and give them attention in the suds. Secret of Her Vitality. secret of Her Vitality. secret of Her Vitality. secret of Her Vitality.

The United States government. The United States now has fifty-two such reserves, containing 62,000,000 acres, or 96,876 square miles, an area reater than that of Indiana and Illinois put together. Many states have, In addition, established state reserva-tions; notably, New York in the Adirondacks, Michigan and Minnesota in the pineries, and California in the Big Tree Groves.—Little Chronicle.

On the Trail of the Kangaroo. Hunting the kangaroo is a decidedly Angerous sport. It requires a man or woman who has a good nerve, nice hands, a fine eye and all those essen-tials required of one who has to ride at full speed through dense scrub, heavy timber, lumpy, rocky ground, where logs are to be found at every turn, fallen monarchs of the forest hid-den by an indescribable maze of other branches, semi-tropical growth, and rope-like creepers. It is all hard work as riding to foxhounds in any country, while you have not only to keep a sharp eye open for what is before you, but that which is overhead or at your side. The horses have wonderful eyes dangerous sport. It requires a man or

was easier to tell another and another He began to take what was not his— at first some little thing, for he would have been afraid to steal a large sum! It was only a few pennies, or some toy that belonged to another boy. And then he lied to cover the first lie. He stole again to get something else he wanted. That means that other worms came in to lodge beside the first, all of them eating out the heart of his hon esty together.

So it went on for years. He pre tended all the time to be a good man and people thought he was; for the worms leave the bark of the tree while they eat out its heart.

But one day there came a breeze of peculiar temptation. The man had no strength to resist, for a man's strength is in his heart, and his heart was rot-ten. So he fold. And while all the people wondered, God knew that he had been getting ready to fall for a long while

carefully hunt out all spots, mark them with a white thread, and give then attention in the suds. Secret of Her Vitality. "What is the secret of the English woman's wonderful vitality?" asked some one of a traveling Englishman. "The secret," said he, "lies in your own homes. The English woman would never in the world think of single row of very narrow moss-green you Americans liva She sleeps in n

have the revelation of the divine truth come to him. For do we not know that Jesus came to reveal God to us, to re-veal God to a world in which the dim eye of sin could but imperfectly see Him. But the trouble is that our eye-see as we are educated to see. I have often noticed while passing along the street that a man is usually inter-ested in the trade he represents. If he was a hatter, he looked at my hat; if he was a tailor he looked at my clothes; if he was a shoemaker he looked at my shoes; if he was a boot-black he looked to see whether they were muddy or not, and so our vision is trained by what we are doing, by what we are thinking. If our eyes are trained only to the things of time, then all the beauty that we see is in s the things of time, but by using these and nobler, then we see by the power of God's revelation that there is a God here in this world, and that He is hraling the world in the interest of Jesus Christ. I believe that your would have

ruling the world in the interest of Jesus Christ. I believe that you would have thought yourself victims of fate if you had not been taught by Jesus Christ. The doctrine of divine fatherhood. You would have thought perhaps that this world was made by chance if you had not seen Him standing in the stern of the ship and saying to the troubled waves, "Peace, be still." But because He has come, because He has given the most perfect example of what humanity ought to be under all phases and circumstances, because He has given the most perfect example of what humanity ought to be under all phases and effect was God miner and how were the standing in the determined. Because He has given the most perfect example of what humanity ought to be under all phases and circumstances, because He is here and was God miner and how were the standing to the standing in the determinal. The Key and the lock. The Key and the lock that shuts the night," and also from morning to might do a great and was God miner all phases and circumstances, because He is here and was God miner and stay in all shores and bick was God miner and stay in all shores.

sweetest things in man's nature. Read all other books-philosophy, poetry, history, fiction-but if you would re-tine the judgment, fertilize the reason, wing the imagination, attain unto the finest womanhood or the sturdiest manhood, read this book, reverently and prayerfully, until its truths have dissolved like iron into the blood. If you have no time, make time and read. The book Daniel Webster placed under his pillow when dying is the book all should carry in the hand while living.-Newell D. Hillis.

A Mockery.

To be dishonest during the week, to defraud one's creditors, to rent prop-erty for saloons or brothels, to water stock and sell the water to the public, to live in sin and then to go to church on Sunday to worship, or to pretend to on subday to worship, or to precent to worship at home, is mockery. If there is one thing the Bible declares, it is that God abhors such worship. He must be worshiped in truth.--Sun-day-School Times.