Roots of These Trees Obstruct City's Sewers.

At a recent meeting of the board of street and water commissioners of the city of Newark, N. J., a motion was



passed requesting the shade tree commission to discontinue their own planting of poplar trees on city streets the planting of them by private individuals.

This action was taken on account of the large and increasing number of obstructions to the city sewers and particularly to the house con-COPPAGE BY POPLAR nections by

roots of wees penetrating the joints of the pipes. Out of fifty-six obstructions of all kinds in house connections reported in 1009 fifteen were caused by poplar Up to the 1st of December, 1010, twenty-three out of a total of sixty-four obstructions since Jan. 1 had seen from the same cause, and in November, 1910, the roots were responsible for five out of twelve obstructions. The illustration shows two lengths of a six inch house connection split lengthwise to show complete stoppage by popular roots.

about the advantage of a retailers' house organ or catalogue it is surprising that more merchants do not adopt this method of advertising. Of the numerous retail establishments doing advertising of this kind the great majority are enthusiastic about it, many of them saying that it has been the means of doubling their business.

After all that has been said

HOW GOSHEN, MASS., GOT ITS NEW TOWN HOUSE.

Interest on a Hundred Dollars Invested Many Years Ago.

There has been erected a new town ouse at Goshen, Mass., which cost \$15,000. The idea of building it and a hall, and at this point came another part of the funds for its erection came from the bequest of John James, who, a great many years ago, gave \$100, got over three feathers out into the with the condition that it be kept on



conditions are different now. However, the townspeople straightened this out amicably, and one of the things deelded upon was that \$3,000 of the fund should constitute a nucleus for building new town house.

Through public spirited individuals the fund was advanced to \$15,000, and the fine building shown here is the result. It is an excellent testimonial of the loyality of a former citizen. The ground dimensions of the building are sixty by forty feet. The first floor is given over to a large hall, with a good sized stage. The upper floor has a social room twenty-four feet. The first or is given over to a kitchen. building committee is composed of E. Packard, W. A. Smith, W. E. Benmin, G. L. Barrus and F. C. Stone.

A Society For Tree Planting. The organization of the American ssociation For the Planting and Presevation of City Trees has been anounced. Its purpose is stated to be he establishment of "a movement for he planting and care of trees and shrubbery in city streets and in the yards and about the homes of the citins by arousing locality interest and pride and inducing local action." The headquarters are in Brooklyn, and apparently the association's present op-erations are to be confined to Greater New York. The list of officers suggests, however, a later branching out. for the vice presidents include Professor Graves, chief forester of the United States forest service; Dr. Merrill, assistant director of the New York Ro-tanical garden, and Miss Rogers, director of the Nature club.

Town Improvement In Panama. A dispatch from Panama seems to mean that we are to have at least two enses of comprehensive town planning on this side of the Atlantic. It reads: "The president of Panama, as an ineldent to a contract just made with the United States regarding payment for municipal improvements in Colon and Panama, has issued a decree making it unlawful to erect any building or structure in either city before the municipal authorities have completely hid out and mapped the section and paved the streets."

Are our cities to learn lessons from Mile Panama?

OPPOSITE THE D. & H. R. R. STATION

FELL ON HIS PILLOW.

Then Came a Joyous Time For the Skating Rink Patrons.

When Mr. Homer Davenport was a boy roller skating reached Silverton. In his book, "The Country Boy," he tells of his plan to learn without getting hurt, as he thought falling about the skating rink was no joke. He borrowed a pair of overalls of the stoutest man in the village and a long pillow from his mother's bed and believed the game as good as won when he entered the door of the rink:

I lowered the pillow into the seat of the overalls after I had put them on and then got a boy to hold the piland to prohibit low up against my back while I put my vest over it, and I dived out into the thick of the skaters. To my astonishment, I didn't fall. I leaned back



THE PILLOW BURST.

and tried to fall once to see how it would be, and I really couldn't. I'd been skating fifteen minutes when I did fall, but fell forward and slammed

my hands on the floor.

An elderly lady, who had had some troubles of her own that afternoon. skated up to me and told me she thought perhaps we went at it too fast. So we were leaning against the wall, talking over the scientific points of it when I gave the audience a rare treat.

While leaning there, talking, all at once my feet, that were close together, started and rolled out toward the middle of the room. I don't think I bent a finger, but I fell exactly like a tree, and lo and behold, the pillow burst. It must have been five minutes before they got through laughing all over the house. In that time the feathers were so thick they followed

in a boiling streak after every skater. The manager declared a recess of ten minutes while they swept out the big laugh, as after three men had been sweeping twenty minutes they hadn't street.

Some fellow suggested sprinkling, so they did, but most of them were in the air and wouldn't come down to be sprinkled, so they had to close the rink for the afternoon.

The manager of the rink tried to collect damages from my father, and I think there was a compromise made.

Thought He Needed Them.

Miss Amelia Austin listened with breathless attention to Mrs. Amasa Hunting's radiant account of the dointerest for 100 years and the proceeds ings of James Hunting, her husband's then devoted to the needs of the town younger brother, who had left Wobecome a milionaire.

"Where is Jim this summer?" Miss Amelia inquired at the end of the recital.

"He has gone abroad for baths," replied Mrs. Hunting.

"I ain't one mite surprised to hear that," Miss Amelia said. "His mother never could make him wash his neck."

A Generous Jury.
A certain sergeant charged with killing a man was tried for murder. After the evidence was in and the speeches made the jury retired to deliberate. Presently word came that the jury had agreed and had framed a verdict. The judge ordered the jury into the

courtroom and asked for the verdict. We find," read the foreman, "that the defendant is guilty of murder and assess his punishment at ninety-nine years and life imprisonment."

"Go back and write another verdiet," ordered the judge. Presently the jury returned with

the verdict of life imprisonment. The sergeant shook hands with all the durors.

"He seems pleased," said a bystander to the bailiff. "Why is he shaking hands with the men who convicted

"Why," was the reply, "he is thanking them for taking ninety-nine years off his sentence."-Philadelphia Saturday Evening Post.

An Irish Duel.

The annals of the Emerald Isle bristhe with incidents of dueling in which Irish humor, if not at all times Irish bravery, is conspicuous. On one oc-casion Sir Jonah Barrington fought a duel with a barrister named McNally. The latter had one leg shorter than the other and because it was his habit when in a hurry to take two thumping steps with the short leg to bring up the space made by the long one he was mcknamed "One Pound Two." McNally could get no one of his bar to fight him, so he challenged Barrington, who good naturedly exchang-

ed shots in Phoenix park. The baronet hit his opponent in the braces, then called the "gailows," and feared he had killed him. When the result was made known one of the seconds shouted, "Mac, you are the Building saved by the gallows." Half Los

TWO MEN.

Bill Brown is dead. Unstairs in grie; His wide weeps, while down beigw. The neighbors now in charge of things Are softly moving to and tro
And now and then rome men to speak
Their word of sympathy and cheer.
To sound the praises of poor Brown
And place their roses on his bier

Across the street Tom Green plads on. Across the street Tom Green plads on.
Alone, unaided in his tight.
To keep his wife and children clothed
He has to hustle day and night
A word of praise would do him good.
He's hungry for a bit of cheer.
But all his neighbors take their flowers
To decorate a dead man's bier.

Brown doesn't know what's going on. But poor Tom Green across the way Turns to his wife and sadly says "I'll have a lot of friends some day. Some day you'll hear my praises sung. And men will bring me roses red. They'll all rush up to boost poor me The minute that they hear I'm dead.

-Detroit Free Press.

Ever Been There?



"I saw you at the play last night. Enjoy it?"

"No. Woman in front wore a chan ticleer hat. Man next seat kept time with his feet."

Household Economies.

To make biscuits light-drench with gasoline and ignite before serving To keep servants-chloroform and lock in the cellar. To get rid of peddlers-buy all they

To remove fruit stains from linenuse the scissors.

To keep rats out of the pantry-put all the food in the cellar.

To entertain women visitors-let them read all your private papers. To entertain men visitors-feed the brutes. To keep children at home-lock 'em

To keep hubby at home-lock up all his clothes. To prevent accidents in the kitchen-

in the garret.

fill the kerosene can with water. To stop leaks in pipes-send a hurry up for the nearest plumber.

To economize on coal-get a gas range To test freshness of eggs-drop on

hard surface. To propitiate the janitor-you can't do it.-Lippincott's.

Rational.

It was not for nothing, however, that Fatima had spent so much of her time reading detective stories of the mod ern school.

Accordingly when she opened the door of the forbidden chamber and beheld the several heads of Bluebeard's former wives she was able to draw a rational inference.

"Evidently," she remarked, "these ladies made bold to ask the cook about something and the cook snapped their heads off!" Of course she took proper warning

to her herself thus to avoid a similar humiliation.-Puck.

Merely a Hint.

"I can't go calling on you, as I in tended," apologized Mrs. Eddyhode The dentist is going to work on my eeth all this afternoon."

"Couldn't you come anybow, dear?" cooed Mrs. Fordrive. "You could wear a veil and not talk much."-Chicago Record-Herald.

Secrets.

First Financier-1 made my success by putting my money where I could get my hands on it easily.

Second Ditto-And I got mine by putting other people's where I could get my hands on it easily .- Puck.

Often the Way "The boss has his troubles." "How in particular?"

"When he stretches a point to hold man through a dull season, that's the time he gets struck for a salary raise."-Kansas City Journal.

Warning Him. "I want to marry your daughter." "It is very foolish of you." "Why?"

"I cannot begin to support you in the style to which you have been accustomed."-Houston Post.

Self Deception.

"Bliggins is always afraid be will not get his money's worth."

"Yes. He even waited until a warm day to buy a thermometer so that the mercury would look larger,"-Washington Star.

A Busy Woman. "Have you ever wondered about your husband's past?"

"Dear me, no! I have all I can do in taking care of his present and worry ing about his future."—Judge.

Appropriate. "I want to embroider a custion for

a friend who is an aviator. What kind would you select?" "Why, an air cushion, of course."-Baltimore American.

Just a Way They Have. Jack Sprait was very fat;
His brother Tom was lean.
Jack rode in a touring car,
Tom in a flying machine

-Chicago News

FOR THE CHILDREN

The Horse Race.

Each man or boy in the room is given a calleo bag containing a hundred beans and a penny bank book for registering. Each woman or girl is given a length of tape twelve yards long and three-fourths of an inch wide. At the same time she adopts the name of some racing horse famous in the past

Six pairs of good cutting seissors are produced. Six strips of the tape are fastened at one end, at that side of the room farthest away from where the fair racers are to begin. All attached ends are on one and the same line, and the toose ends are held by the girls who have the scissors. Now the men have to bet their beans

tape through the middle, the one to reach her end of the strand quickest being winner. The narrowness of the tape obliges the cutter to work with extreme care as well as rapidly, for if the strand is cut off before reaching the end the

on the outcome of the race. At a giv-

en signal each girl begins to split the

"horse" is disqualified. When the first six entries have raced six more come forward, and so on un til all have competed. The man who wins most beans in all the races wins a prize, and each of the girls who comes out ahead receives some flowers, sweets or what not for skillful-

Butting the Wall.

Place a stool on the ground against a wall. Now stand from the wall with your feet twice the width of the stool away. Stoop down and seize the stool by the top in both hands and place the top of your head against the wall, your back almost horizontal.

Now lift the stool from the ground without assistance, or try, at any rate. Do not make this laughable experiment in gravity on a stone floor, but rather on a soft carpet, so that a fall

may not be quite so disagreeable. Your nonsuccess is due to a curious effect of the displacement of your center of gravity, which makes it almost impossible to raise yourself again to the perpendicular without dropping the stool to the ground and giving an acro batic push to your support.

Attracted the Pussy.

There was an illuminated advertising plant in Hartford, Conn., not long ago. and, while a crowd of people were watching the pictures, attention was drawn to a cat which almost nightly took up a position on the street where she could see the flashing signs. So intent had she been in watching the display that she had been nearly run over by passing teams several times. the kindness of the drivers, rather than her own fears, saving her from being killed. Finally a kind shopkeeper placed the cat in his window, where she could see without danger to herself.

To Find a Remainder.

The key to this is that half of whatever sum you request to be added during the working of the sum is the remainder. In the example given five is the half of ten, the number requested to be added. Any amount may be added, but the operation is simplified by giving only even numbers, as they will divide without fractions.

EXAMPLE:	
Think of	7
Double it	14
Add 10 to it	24
Halve it	12
Subtract number thought of	
The remainder will be	5

Some Big Beds.

There is at Ware, England, a huge bed, called the great bed of Ware which is said to have been made for Warwick, the kingmaker. It is twelve feet long and twelve feet wide. The bed of Og, king of Bashan, was only thirteen feet long and not more than six feet wide, and that in which Louis XVI. slept after his coronation in Rheims cathedral was seven feet ten inches long and seven feet eight inches wide and eight feet from the ground

Turned About.
They turned things about a bit in Nebraska at the Seward county corn show, which was held recently in the town of Seward. The potatoes that won a prize were raised by a girl, and the prize loaves of bread were baked by a boy whose parents went to Nebraska a little while ago from Germany. Queerest of all was that the best buttonholes shown in the needlework exhibit were made by a boy.

Picking Up the Handkerchief. Request any one to stand with his back against the wall, the heels being close to the wall; drop a handkerchief at his feet and defy him to pick it up without moving his feet.

The Frost Messer gers.

All in the nighttime the sno 'came down.
All in a night on the field and town.
Armies of snowflakes, a thousand strong,
Hurried and scurried the whole night long.
White were their tents on the vale and
hill:

White were their bridges across the rill.
"Who was to blame?" sigh the little leaves. grieves.

'How could we know of it? Who had heard heard

Snowflakes were coming?" chirped sparrow bird.

Little frost fellows made answer then:
"We were the heralds in vale and glen.
We told the story you might have heard,
Brooklet and leaflet and sparrow bird.
Winter can never come down but we
Little frost fellows are sure to see.

News of the winter and news of snow Little frost fellows are sure to know."

—Youth's Companios.

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If you are subject to constipation, you should avoid strong drugs and catharties. They only give temporary relief and their reaction is barmful and sometimes more annoying than constipation. They in no way effect a cure and their tendency is to weaken the already weak organs with which they come in contact.

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Buckingham-Jas. J. Hoag. Clinton-Morris Pethick, George G. Gaylord.

Cherry Ridge—J. F. McDonnell. Dyberry—Ira E. Bryant, W. J Hacker.

Damascus—Yens Lilholt, Geo. Selpp, Artemus Branning, James Blackwell. Dreher-J. W. Hanes, Charles Schelbert. Hawley-Alfred F. Kimble, Hu-

bert Feeney. Honesdale—John Boyd, H. Quinney, Rev. W. H. Swift, D. D., H. P. Deck, O. M. Spettigue, Jr. Lebanon—Patrick F. O'Neill. Lake-Edward Ammerman, Friend

Lehigh—Geo. Kinney. Manchester—Elijah Teeple, John H. Flynn, Mt. Pleasant—C. E. Fitzpatrick,

Black.

spangenburg.

Walter Bigelow. Oregon—Henry Knorr. Palmyra—Wm. Hartle, Sr., Fred Schurtz.

Preston—Peter Gill, S. D. Labar. Prompton—Everett Swingle, Salem—Frank Walker, Joseph Leille. Scott-Oliver Howell. Starrucca—Allen Brown. Sterling—Robert Hafler. South Canaan-Leslie Clase, G. A

Texas —Jacob Greenfield, Chas. Boas, Geo. Erk, Henry Stengle, S. D. Labar. Waymart-J. J. Burnett.

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6:56 P. M., Erie R. R. 7:29 P. M. D. & H. R. R. 10:15 A. M. D. & H. R. R. Sunday Only, 10:15 A. M., D. & H. R. R. 7:09 P. M., Eric R. R. 12:00 M., All Star Routes.

6:15 P. M., R. D. 1, 2 and 3.

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M. J. HANLAN, Prothonotary, Honesdale, Feb. 21, 1911.

A CCOUNT OF P. H. SKELLY, LEWIS HANSMANN, a feeble minded per-

Son.

Notice is hereby given that the final account of the guardian above named will be presented to the Court of Common Pleas of Wayne county for approval on the second Monday of March and will be confirmed absolutely by said Court (see reg.) on Thursday, June 22, 1911, unless exceptions are previously filed.

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