Peanut Bud Paste of China Costs an Enormous Sum.

China, possessing the oldest aristomay naturally be expected to furnish the most expensive luxuries. And she certainly does in so far as costly food is concerned. Compared the peanut bud paste of China, auch dishes as nightingales' tongues starwberries at Christmas are crely trifles. This paste, a combimerely trifles. nation of peanut buds and ginged, is brownish in color, and is to be obtained in small jars. The price is \$10 an ounce, more than half itst weight in gold, an almost sufficient guaran-tee that it is eaten very sparingly Peanut bud paste is said to have a flavor for Oriental palates 10 times more exquisite than that of birds' neat At the base of the kernel of a peanut is a small cone-shaped formation, usually surmounted by microscopic leaves. The nuts are roasted, then these minute growth are carefully extracted. The are so small that many thousands They them are necessary to fill a small tea- better, I was completely cured in a few days, but when a sufficient number are collected they are put into a mortar afterward mixed with ginger jelly and rubbed down to a smooth paste.

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The bulk of Thibet is the Chang, or Great Thibetan plateau, the highest as well as the largest tableland on the earth. An idea of its elevation may obtained from the statement Captain Hamilton Bower, one of the most highly regarded of recent author-"From the end of June until middle of November the average altitudes of our camps was over 16,000 feet, the lowest being 14,621 and the highest 18,760 feet. During the period already referred to the enormous stretch of country crossed by Captain Bower's party show a single tree and only two specles of shrub, "and these rarely exeed six inches in height.

Belgium Imitates China's "Cash."

A year ago the Belgian government resolved to imitate the Chinese "cash" by issuing nickel coins with a hole bored through the middle. is now announced that the new pieces of 5 and 10 centimes will be ready in

Mexican Postal Drafts.

The postal drafts exchanged be-ween Mexico and the United States amounted to \$23,000 in Mexican oney during the first six months of this year.

In the recent German military movements automobiles, motorcycles and bicycles entirely replaced horses in

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Ah, but I hold in memory
The vision of a bended knee.
I still hear echoing through the land
Yells that were futile, foolish, and
I still feel coming down on me
A woman's hand.



street's children are." "Yes; she has left their bringing up entirely in charge of a governess."-Philadelphia

Tommy (on a visit)-"Do your specs magnify, grandma?" Grandma-"Yes, Tommy - "Do you mind Tommy." taking them off while you cut my cake?"-Tit-Bits.

Kind Lady-"And does your mamma let you go out alone at night, my little man?" Little Man-"Yes'm; maw ain't afeer'd t' stay by herself." -Ohio State Journal.

Salute that mighty man, the fool!

Who else may wreck life's dearest joy
And what was built 'neath wisest rule
In one brief idle hour destroy?

—Washington Star.

Agnes-"Well, Ferdy has finally pro-posed. I knew he would." Ethel-"Why, you said you thought he had no intention whatever of proposing." Agnes-"Well, he didn't have."-Tit-

She (at the afternoon tea, to him)-"Oh, I'm so glad you came, Mamma says it's almost impossible to get any man who is half-way decent to come to an afternoon tea." - Town

Cholly-"Dickey was wun over and killed by a cable car, don't you know." Willy-"What horrid bad form! Everybody knows that the proper thing now is for your auto to blow up with you."-Judge.

Mrs. Horse-"Say--" Mr. Horse-'Say what?" Mrs. Horse-"When fall comes and our folks drive out to make calls, you'll have to wear a plug bat and I'll have to wear a velvet bonnet."-Chicago Record-Herald. Crawford-"Did your wife have a

good time in the country?" Crabshaw-"No; the only thing that reconciled her was the thought that she stayed away two weeks longer than the woman next door."-Town Topics.

The weeping heroine has fled—
The fainting heroine's no more;
For gain or loss, we have instead
One who talks epigram galore.
—Detroit Free Press.

"Life is nearly all strife and deception," said the mournful man. "That's true," answered Mr. Flatson. "When you aren't making a futile attempt to coerce the cook, you've got to be jollying the janitor." - Washington

Auntie-"Don't you know, Bobbie, that it's very bad manners to put your knife in your meuth?" Bobble -"Don't you think, Auntie, that it's very bad manners to stare at your guests when they're eating?"-Glas

"Poor b'ye!" exclaimed O'Harra, condoling with Cassidy, who had been injured by a blast. "'Tis tough luck teh hav yer hand blowed off." "Och! Faith, it moight 'ave bin wurse," replied Cassidy. "Suppose Oi'd had me week's wage in it at the tolme."-Philadelphia Press.

"What good does your college edu cation do you if you can't carry a bowl of soup to a guest without putting your thumb in it?" said the summer hotel proprietor to the studentwaiter. "Oh, well," was the reply, "you must remember I have two years more in college!" - Yonkers Statesman.

Deacon Jones-"So you have lost your husband, Mrs. Grimes? It is very sad." Mrs. Grimes-"Sad is no name for it. I don't believe any other woman ever had such a run of luck. He was my third, you know. I'm so discouraged I've about made up my mind not to have another."-Boston Transcript.

It Reached Him.

A letter was received at the postoffice in Washington directed to the biggest fool in that city.

The postmaster was absent, and on his return one of the younger clerks informed him of the receipt of the let-

"And what became of it?" inquired the postmaster.

"Why," replied the clerk, "I didn't know who the biggest fool in Washington was, so I opened it myself." "And what did you find in it?" in-

quired the postmaster. "Find?" replied the clerk. "Why, nothing but the words, 'Thou art the

One Bite; Caught Two.

A reliable fisherman from Michigan tells the star fish story of the season. He says he was fishing on Selkirk Lake, Kalkaska County, for pickerel. There was a bite, and in due time the fisherman struck and hooked what he supposed to be a big pike. His surprise was great as the catch was brought into view, when he saw, instend of one fish, two. One, a twopound pike, had taken the book in the regular way. The other weighed five pounds and had the line wrapped wice about it gills, so that it was entangled.-New

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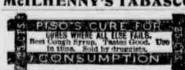
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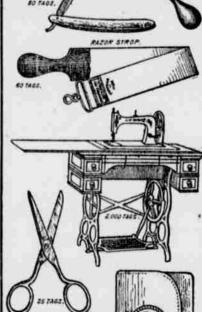
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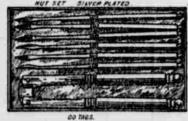
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