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RUSSIAN PEASANT'S LONG JOUR-

Traveled to Paris and Rome to Inter-

view Owner of Land. A Russian neasant passed through Vienna on Christmas day on his way back from a long and tedious journey to Rome, where he had gone to perform what was, in the eyes of himself and the members of his village community, a duty of simple honesty and good faith. He was without baggage and was clad in the heavy clothing worn during the Russian winter. He stayed in Vienna only a few hours, and continued his journey to his community to report the success of his er

The rural community of the district of Vorongh, in the government of the same name, recently held a well-at tended meeting and passed resolutions to the following effect: First, to destroy no property in the district; second, to expel from the district at once a man named Nicolsky, the local agent of the Revolutionary party, and third, to purchase the holdings of the great landed proprietors of the district. The largest estate belonged to M. Narvehkine, formerly first secretary of the Russian embassy at Paris and now Russian minister to the Vat-

In order to carry out the third res olution it was decided to send a mes senger to M. Narvchkine. He was believed to be in Paris, so a peasant named Nicolas Petrovitch Thernischeff was charged with the duty of conveying the peasants' offer to their lord. Thernischeff was supplied with money, and started on his journey He talked nothing but Russian, but in spite of this he managed to make his desires known along the line, and, with simple directness of purpose which won for him the sympathy and help of the foreign railroad officials, he made his way to the French capital. There he found the Russian Embassy. The first Russian words he had heard in a long time informed him that M. Narychkine was in Rome. so he at once decided to continue on

to Italy. He was placed on the right

train by his embassy in Paris, and

finally found M. Narychkine in Rome. The peasant made his purpose known to the diplomat in simple language: "Our contract with you for the tilling of your ground expires on the first of January," he said, "and I have come to offer to buy the land We do not wish you to have a bad opinion of us; we want you to know of the resolutions we have adopted. We are poor, our barvests have been bad, and the times are bad. We want to buy your entire estate, and we ask you to give it to us at a price which we can pay, and to make an equitable arrangement as to the method of payment. We desire to be honest, and we will not have recourse to violent or dishonest ways."

M. Narychkine accepted the offer. A fair basis of valuation was arrived at, and terms as to payments possible and acceptable to the peasants were then and there concluded between the proprietor and the messenger of his tenants.

In Rome Thernischeff saw the Pope, who gave him his blessing. scribing his interview with the Pon-

tiff the pensant said: "I kneeled before him, for I per ceived him to be a venerable, good, and saintly man."

From Rome, Thernischeff travelled back to Russia by way of Vienna. He is a tall man, advanced in years, but sturdy and rugged, and his strong, clear-cut features suggest that directness of purpose which has led him far afield in foreign lands for the accomplishment of a simple duty. minded one of the sterling men who

lived under Peter the Great. Thernischeff had little to say of his impressions of foreign lands but it was evident that he was returning to his fellows in Russia with the keepest satisfaction at being able to report to them the successful outcome of his

An Ill-Sorted Family.

search for potato bugs into the face ing his old friends after an absence

of ten years. "How's your son Dick getting on?" he asked, after a few preliminaries. "Dick? Oh, he's getting on firstrate; he's a sort of a doctor," said

"How about Arthur?"

"Arthur? Oh, he's getting on all right, too. He's a sort of a lawyer. "What's Jim doing?" he demanded. "Oh. Jim. he's doing fine: he's a sort of a preacher," said Mr. Carson,

cheerfully. "And you keep right on here," said the old neighbor, with evident regret. "Well, er, for the present," said Mr. Carson, apologetically. "You see, it seems kind of advisable for some one to be sort of a farmer, and kind of feed Dick and Arthur and Jim for an-Other ten years or so, till they get a sort of an income."-Youth's Companion.

Carriers of Disease.

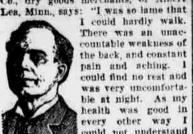
The house fly is of itself a great diseminator of disease, partaking and polluting as it does the food and drink of man. Military authorities have noticed that officers whose tents were fly-screened suffered proportionately than did those whose tents were un- he has developed into a hearty and protected.

The mosquito carries malaria and rellow fever; the rat carries the plague; the cat and dog, hydrophobia; me hog, trichino; the sheep, cattle and horses, anthrax and glanders; and they all carry tuberculosis.-Presbyterian Banner.

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edy acted at once upon the kidneys,

and when normal action was restored,

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Deep-Sea Water is Free of Microbes. The result of the prince of Monaco's deep-sea soundings continue to inter-est the Academy of Science at Paris. At the last meeting reports were read of the prince's latest investigations of the floor of the Mediterranean, One of the facts was that at the bottom of the Mediterranean the temperature of the water was at 15 degrees above zero (centigrade), whereas in the Atlantic the temperature at s depth of 3,000 or 4,000 meters is searcely 2 degrees above zero. Another interesting discovery was that bough the water of the sea near the mouth of rivers was unusually full of microbes, and t'ough harmful germs were even found mon the surface in midocean, at a depth of 1,000 meters sea water is absolutely sterile.

Fighting Shows the Race.

"By the way they fight I can tell men's nationality," said a policeman. The canny Scot is not going to endoneer any of his property. In Irishman appeals to the crowd to hold his coat. The Celtic nature desires sympathy and tries to build it up. A German, methodical, precise, folds his coat in a neat bundle and lays his hat on top of it to hold it down. An American is so anxious to pitch in and have the thing over that he starts fighting without giving a thought to hat or coat."-New York Press.

FOOD AND STUDY A College Man's Experience.

"All through my high school course and first year in college," writes an ambitious young man, "I struggled with my studies on a diet of greasy, pasty foods, being especially fond of cakes and fried things. My system got into a state of general disorder and it was difficult for me to apply myself to school work with any degree of satisfaction. I tried different medicines and food preparations but did not seem able to correct the difficulty.

"Then my attention was called to Grape Nuts food and I sampled it. I had to do something, so I just buckled down to a rigid observance of the directions on the package, and in less than no time began to feel better. In a few weeks my strength was restored, my weight had increased, I had a clearer head and felt better in every particular. My work was simply sport to

what it was formerly. "My sister's health was badly run down and she had become so nervous that she could not attend to her music. She went on Grape-Nuts and had the same remarkable experience that I had. Then my brother, Frank, who is in the Postoffice Department at Washington city and had been trying to do brain work on greasy foods, cakes and all that, joined the Grape-Nuts army, I showed him what it was and could ess from the attack of typhoid fever | do and from a broken-down condition

> efficient man. "Besides these I could give account of numbers of my fellow-students who have made visible improvement mentally and physically by the use of this Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

> Read the little There's a reason. book, "The Road to Wellville," in page.

PEARLS OF THOUGHT.

Canday for "That Tired Feeling."

for that tired feeling was recommend

ed by Prof. F. S. Lee in a lecture

given to the biology section of the

Academy of Science, of Philadelphia.

Tuesday night. Prof. Lee said there

were three acids in the blood, which

caused or influenced fatigue. He was

sure of it, because he had taken

those seids and injected them into the

muscles of a frog, and those acidized

muscles had tired much more rapidly

than the normal muscles. He also

said there was another acid which

was conspicuous by its absence. He

was positive that sugar or candy can

help out this difficulty, and possibly

baking soda. As to the latter, his ex-

periment had not gone far enough to

enable him to offer it as a positive

ure. "When one is very tired." he

said, "a quantity of candy will half an hour after eating often make one

Raisin Trade Active.

Local dealers are very optimistic

over the outlook in the raisin market,

Of all the dried fruits this article has

been the firmest seller and is in con-

stant demand. The present prices of

814 and 9 cents a pound have been

quoted for some time past and there

has not been any reduction of impor-

tance. The advance in raising last

week was made by the independent

packers, who now quote 4c above the

combine. It is expected that before

from Chicago and California loaded

with this fruit, and it is conceded that

the demand will keep up. This is the

such an important place in the job-

bers' estimation, and by the looks of

the market that place is warranted

While the demand at times has not

been phenomenal yet it is steady and

consistent, and that is the kind of

commodity that dealers put their faith

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Thanks," and kept the dollar.

ing sent him the single word

Italian progress. There is a renals-

terprise and capacity.

Leader.

Candy, or haking soda as a remedy

God never calls you from larger things to smaller.

Let us do-all the business we can. If we can't be a lighthouse, let us be a candle.

Blessed are they who have the gift of making friends, for it is one of God's best gifts. I believe in laughter, in love, in

faith, in all distant hopes that lure us on.-Edwin Osgood. Vivid imagination can make things about as disagreeable as anything in

this world,-Atchison Globe, Take courage and turn your troubles which are without remedy into material for spiritual progress.

An enemy can partly ruin a man, but it takes a good-natured, injudicious friend to complete the thing and make it perfect .- Mark Twain.

Often family dissensions have no other origin than bad service of servants whom we have not known how to direct.-Lucy Burlamacchi.

PAJAMAS BROKE ENGAGEMENT.

Young Man Gave His Fiance a Pini Suit-Got His Ring Back.

On Christmas morning a young wo man who lives in-well, east of Fiftyfith street (Wilson avenue)-chose from among her presents a mysterious long many cars will be on the way box. It bore the card of her flance, It was light in her hands and her curiosity grew. Eagerly she unwrapped it. In joyous anticipation she removed first season that the raisin has held the cover and the wrappings and held up-oh, horrors!-a suit of pink pa-

jamas. Her evelamation of dismay attracted other members of the family. They turned to find her sobbing on the couch, and saw the suit of pink pajamas. They frankly were scandalized. 'Who ever heard of such a thing?" the mother asked. "I always told you that man was impossible. Perhaps now you will agree with me. He shall never be received in this house again if I can ing display of ingenuity and skill, enhelp it."

Later in the day the young woman. in mortification of spirit and in response to the united demand of the members of the family, agreed to break the engagement. As for the pajamas-well, they must be exchanged for something else.

In the exchange the story leaked out. As luck would have it the mother returned the luckless suit of pink pajamas to the saleswoman who sold them to "that stupid man." She recognized them, sympathized with the indignant customer and got the whole story,

with the exception of the man's name The story was too good to keep. Told once or twice, it travelled swiftly, Society now is discussion the question, Does the punishment fit the crime? It is wondered if the young man's unhappy choice of a Christmas present will mean his social ostracism.-Cleve-

Colonial Policy of Russia.

Russia certainly deserves much praise for the colonial policy, the least result of which is that we are able to look upon them at all in safety. Thirty years ago Bokhara equaled Lhasssa in its fanaticism. As a protected independent state, its internal administration has hardly altered. It still remains the recognized centre of the Mohammedan world. But without loss to the strength of Islam, the inhabitants have experienced a wonder-An Englishman, when he is going to ful revulsion of feeling in their attifight, throws his hat and coat in a tude toward foreigners. There was I, blustering, bluffing way on the ground. a lone stranger, among thousands of A Scot pulls his hat down tight on his Bokharans, ignorant of their ways and head and buttons his coat carefully. apt at any moment to violate some ironbound and sacred custom. Yet during all my stay I encountered not even one sour glance; nothing but friendliness and kindness. The change has been wrought only by the wise system of treatment to which Russia has adhered, by the strict policy of non-interference with the religious customs and daily habits of the people, or more, by actual deference to

The native has learned that association with the Westerner, far from bringing danger to his cherished ideals may result only in his material benefit, from his own standpoint. The system is slower than that pursued in the colonies of some other powers, but it is resulting in the making of loyal Russian subjects out of once bitter enemies.-James Locke in "New Year Festival at Bokhara," in the Outing Magazine.

A Human Convenience.

A certain Western railroad which has not yet been "reorganized" by Wall Street is still owned and operated by the blunt-spoken old lumberman who bullt it. Last year, after a particularly severe accident upon it. the agent for an automatic block signal system called and tried to get a contract for installation,

The old lumberman examined the device attentively, and seemed much interested.

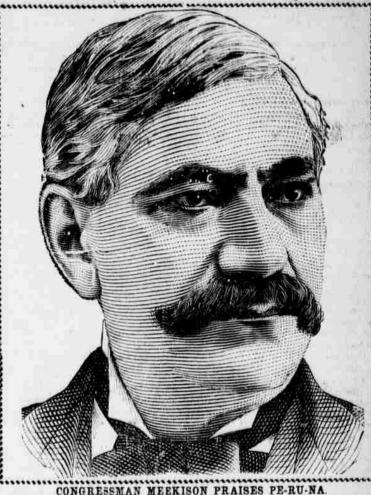
"Your chief engineer recommends it highly," said the agent. "He told me to use his name with you, and he would see you later."

"Wal," said the lumberman, "I reck on it is a pretty machine. I like to sit here and see it work myself, it's so all-fired sure. But come to using it on my road-now, young feller, I've been running a railroad some longer'r you, and I'll tell you something.

"Accidents is bound to happen about once in so often, no matter what you do. I've got three brakemen in jail now, and I've vowed to hang the next one, and the public is pretty well satisfied. But what satisfaction is it going to be for any one if I go to work and hang an old automatic machine?-Youth's Companion.

HAD CATARRH THIRTY YEARS.

Congressman Meekison Gives Praise to Pe-ru-na For His Recovery.



CONGRESSMAN MEEKISON PRAISES PE-RU-NA.

"Thave used second batters of Peruna and Livet greatly benefited thereby from my extarch of the head. I feel encouraged to believe that if I use it a share time to ager I will be jully able to eradicate the disease of thirty years's and ag.' - David decision.

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ensuing 12

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Owing to the excellence of Syrup of Figs, the universal satisfaction which it gives and the immense demand for it, imitations have been made, tried and condemned, but there are individual druggists to be found, here and there, who do not maintain the dignity and principles of the profession and whose greed gets the better of their judgment, and who do not hesitate to recommend and try to sell the imitations in order to make a larger profit. Such preparations sometimes have the name-" Syrup of Figs"-or "Fig Syrup" and of some piratical concern. or fictitious fig syrup company, printed on the package, but they never have the full name of the Company—California Fig Syrup Co.—printed on the front of the package The imitations should be rejected because they are injurious to the system. In order to sell the imitations they find it necessary to resort to misrepresentation or deception, and whenever a dealer passes off on a customer a preparation under the name of "Syrup of Figs" or "Fig Syrup," which does not bear the full name of the California Fig Syrup Co. printed on the front of the package, he is attempting to deceive and mislead the patron who has been so unfortunate as to enter his establishment, whether it be large or small, for if the dealer resorts to misrepresentation and and deception in one case he will do so with other medicinal agents, and in the filling of physicians prescriptions, and should be avoided by every one who values health and happiness. Knowing that the great majority of druggists are reliable, we supply the immense demand for our excellent remedy entirely through the druggists, of whom it may be purchased everywhere, in original packages only, at the regular price of fifty cents per bottle, but as exceptions exist it is necessary to inform the public of the facts, in order that all may decline or return any imitation which may be sold to them. If it does not bear the full name of the Company-California Fig Syrup Co .- printed on the front of every package, do not hesitate to return the article and to demand the return of your money, and in future go to one of the better class of druggists who will sell you what you wish and the best of everything in his line at reasonable prices.