 Donk sotint hatem anemar bill,


 Arf did thatitway aryein on
 Lookling at a map of Natal and fol-
lowing the course of the Tugela Rive






 these creatures I was never in. In
had an instinctive feellng of repug-
nance for snakes, and never passed




 he store up now sald, "go and shut Was, shaking with tright, and it was
obvous that he dare not go near the
place while thet

Hyy other "boss" had been sent nat not returned it instit thousht
 hiding places, I thought it better to
have it out with the brute there and then, otherwise it would mean turn
ing the store inside out next morn ing the store inside out next morning
to look for ft. From the boy's de-
seription 1 took it to be a young pyacription 1 too
Chon, able to
not venomous.
Selecting a good stick and taking
a 1 g ghted candle with me, I went to closed the doored quietly in, an the candle on the counter, I looked
around in the dim light. Hearing allght noise at the end of the store crept towards it, and presently sa a bale of blankets, appear just above body being as he dodged the blow I saw that
was not a psthon. Jumpling back falling I saw a hissing streak black, which struck at me as
liashed past and made for the Any doubt
nnake
it
to by the scickly were now dispelled, for the creature wasell of musk I knew mamber feartily 1 cursed $I$ had ever seen mee, for now I was falriy tratzun with
brute being the tlon, ty one of the most dangerous of
deadiy enale mand coia, and when at bay will attrock The extraordinary suickerase of


aggeration; I felt cold, my skin
seemed to creep, and, it my haf did
not actually stand on end, I exper-
tenced all the sensationg of to doig
lencad all the sensations of its doing
so. I continued slashing wildy, how-
ever, expecting every moment to feel
a blow and the deadyy fangs burled
in my feesh. But the stralg was get.
ting too much for my nerves, and I
thg too much for my nerves, and
felt like screaming when Iheard the
litte door between the counter and
front of the store fy back with a
thud The snake, striking furlously
all along the front of the counter.
had at last come to the door. Not
heing bolted the force of the blow
had sent it crasing back.
had sent noise of that. opening door
Trought me to my senes, for I knew
bow where my enemy was. Thinking
the snake was coming round to the

## back of the coumter 1 immendiately jumped on top, my head coming into violent contact with boots and other

artucles hanging from the celling
Wrenching them from the hooks
threw them in the direction where 1
thought the snake was, and then took
a dying lee
Knew. Geographers are more guile
less.- From Mountaineering in in
North America," by Robert Dunn, in
i.e Outing Magazine.

## Cinematograph in Medicine. In the London Lancet Dr. H. Camp- bell Thomson, M. D., has an interest- Ing note on the use of the cinemato- graph, which he has successfuly used for recording and Hustrating the Ing note on the use of the cinemato- graph, which hihe has successtully used for recording and movemitrating the movents of patients sufring from

 tographs, which were taken at therate of sixteen per second, cleariy
show the nervous movements, and are
used for the Instruction of students
un Dr. Thomson considere esiat, given
suttable llgit, it is possible to take
the finest movements and he hope by showing the movements whtch oc
cur during the electrical reactions oo muscles.
No doubt ideas will occur to read
ers in which a record of many med ers in which a record of many med
ictal cases other than those of nervous
diseases will be useful, for the whole aspect of a case is otten different ac
cording to whether it can be seen i
ite-like movements or oonly in sta Hitelike movements or only in sta
tionary illustrations. The practice o tacilities for demonstration by cine
matograph, but hitherto littie or no serious work has been undertake
tor purposes of teaching.
For the general purposes of clas
AN EVER YDA Y CREED. I belleve that work is the best
panacea for thls, especilly those
of the mind panacea
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I belleve I belifeve in fun and laughter.
I believe in the beauty of flow-
ere, sunsets and mountains; in
the the, mussice of and mound mand broins; ins. in
I belleve there is a bright side
I belleve that an ounce of
frankincso and explanation is
worth a pound of repentance worth a pound of repentance and
forgivenes.
belleve in the hearty handshake, In hospitallty, compand-
ship. friendishtp and lore.- Bo:-
ton Brown Book.

## Winds and Fish

A singular correspondence has late-
 verage catch of fish. These Thus in 1898 there or tour years.
and general became more and more abuadant up
o 1901. In 1905 there was another carcity, of fish, but the next year they bers. The cause of these variations
was a mystery until the colncidence
with the prevalling direction of the
coantal winds was noticed. Now th is


## Bees Swifter Than Pigeons.

 A pigeon grower in Germany hadtran of papeed between bees and pig
eons. At the eame time he phente eons. At the eame time he hiberated
a dozen bees three milies from thei
hives, and a dozen plgeons the sam dises, and from their cots. The firs
cheo reached the goal a quarter of minute ahead of the first pigeon. The ond pigeon. The bees hind been
rolled in flour before starting, that hey might be known from other bees
and that made their night somewhs
alower than it otherwise would hive been. of course the plgeons woul
in in a long distance race, but bee fy faster for a short distance-Th
Junlor Christian Endeavor World.

## Anclent Measures to Be Restored. The meesures and weights

 again to be put in fo
sllgat modingations.

## THE GUIIELESS ANO. CRED.



## cefashions

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Shirt Waist Battonhoies.
The buttonholes in the front of a
shlrt walst should be cut across. It shirt waist should be cut across. If
they are cut up and down it tig dim.
cult to make the walst stay buttoned.
$5-=$ treatement for striped material it one
much in demand just now, for stripes are in the height of style and chevron
effects are much In vogue. This one can be so treated with stngular suc-
cess, yet need not be conflined to
striped fabrics, as it is a simple gored stider which can be cut from any sea-
skith
sonable material and elther left plain or trimmed, as liked. In this instance
the stripes are made to form a successlon of chevrons at the front and
at the sides, but even If striped ma
terial is used it can be cut on the stralght, If preferred. Indeed, the
strlpes allowed to take the perpendic
ular
alar line and the esirt trimmed with
a blas band above the hem make a combination much in vogue and alto-
gether satisfactory.
The skirt is cut in four gores and
there is consequently a seam at the
centre front and one at the centre
back. The fulness is laid in inverted
The quantity of matertal required
for the medium size is nine yards


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WAR AGAINST MOBQUITOES Ninety separate Species of the inA goverrment bug hunter has been
down on the Isthmus of Panama col.
lecting mosquitoes in the Canal Zone. Alecting nequiloes in the Canal zool
He secured larvne of eighty three ape. cles, of which thirty species were new
to sclence. With seven additlonal species already known, this consititul
tes the larest nymber then les the largest number recorded from
any one locality on earth, says the
Washlnater Washington correspondent of the New
York Evening Post, Anbod wh
An interested may see the moscoultoes for
himself Where they have been deposited. Au
gust Busck is the name of thls solen-
ific collector who now holds the mos. gust Busck is the name of tils scien-
thice colletor who now holds the mog.
quito recod.
He spent three months breeding time, covering the end of
the rry season and the early part of It has cost, and is costing, a lot of
money to protect the lives of the men \%or separate spectes of mosquittoes
now known to exlst along the route now known to exist along the route
of the waterway. Mosquitues do not
fiy very far from the place where they are born. They keep close to
their food supply. Those that afteet
the finhabitants of a town or camp normally do not of a a town or from a distamp
greater than two



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There 1 a distinct reminter of the
hard riding and hard prayling adtherents of Cromwell in this Kentucky
night riding element. The Kentucky rlders do not hesitate to gallop over
law and order to carry out their destructive purpose, and now we are
told that they pray as well as destroy.
If the story told by a young couple who were returning from a partt and
fell thto the fands of a night fell into the hands of a night riding
band is true, the marauders are shown
in a new and fnteresting light. The
 moonilght flooding the bowed heads,
while one of the party offered up a while one of the party offered up a
fervent pettiton. Then when the amen
was spoken the destroyers sprang to was spoken the destroyers sprang to
saddle and were away on heer Iaw
defying mission. Before the crime led down the road way and oold to go
home. But with the reckessess and
how.
 high In air the watchers turned home. home
ward the stratns of a popular hymn
coming to their ears as they passed It is quite posibible that these barn
burners and sheriff deflers have con misw
 looks with approval upon the smok-
Ing embers that mark their ruthless
way.-Cleveland Plalk Dealer. Astronomy in Japan.
So rapld has been the advance of
the Japanese in western clvilizatton that the party of Japanese merchants
now in London are perhaps much less
astonsthed at what they see than the man In the street tmagines. The vis
it to Greewich observatory may pos-
ito sibly have been a novel experience-
as it would bo to most Eanilimmen-
but not because modern astronomy Is unknown in Japan. There are sever
al well-equipped observatories in the
In Land of the Rising Sun, and the re-
built Naval observatory at Tokio, un-
der the directorshlp oo s . Hiragam,
 tostltutiton
ter Gazette,
Plea for a Sane Fourth.
There 18 an article to the Jun
Century, by Mrs. Isanc Lh Rice, o "Our Barbarous Fourth", As an, ev1-
dence of its barbarim, she shows
dent that during the celebration of tive na
toonal brthdays, from 1903 to 1907
inclusive, 1,153 persons were killed jared, 88 surfered total and 398 pa
tial bllindness; 388 persons lost arms
legs or hands. and 1,067 lost one or
more fingers.

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Right Food Gives Strength and Bratn
The natural elements of wheat and
including the phosphate of
 down from Improper
rapldy on Grape-Nuts.
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ordinary food.
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and stay with me for better exertion, with less fatigue. My weight in-
creased 20 ibs. with vigor and comtort in proporton. "When travelling always carry the Nume glven by Postum Co., Battle
Creek, mileh. Read "The Road to Creek, Mich. Read
Wellville," in pkga.
Ever read theabove letter? A new
one appears from time to time. They
aro genuine, true, and full of humas are gen
taterent.

