DOGS ON THE STAGE.

og For the Villain's Heck-A Very Sempitive Animal. Mour legged animals in drama are of

course a very common sight today. Al-though they are often of far more imortance than the mere super, they have an affinity to that class, for theirs is no speaking part, unless one counts the bark of a dog as such.

A little time ago the writer met an

actor who was taking the part of a villain in a play wherein a big mastiff seizes him at the back of the neck just as he (the villain) was about to murder the heroine. "Nasty part, that of yours How do you manage to escape nightly being bitten by that big brute of a dog?" "Not a nice part, it is true," he answered, "but the dog is well trained. He is kept without food for a few hours before the show. A piece of cooked liver is tied to my neck. He is held in the wings till the cue comes, then he rushes on to me for his supper, and the curtain goes down on a very effective tableau. I don't object to the dog. It's the liver."

The mention of stage dogs brings to mind an amusing incident that occurred in a well known theatrical agent's office last summer. In came a rough looking little man wearing a check suit that once used to speak out for itself, hand of time. The man was followed them gently, speaking all the time in by a dog of attractive appearance. The the most endearing Hindoostanee visitor said he did a "tramp act," asyour terms?' the agent queried. "Ten to enjoy it. Presently his hands would pounds a week," "I'll give you two." | descend down the necks about three The imitation tramp-but he was not inches below the heads, his finger far from the real thing-looked with a | would close loosely around the necks, sad, reproachful eye at the agent and | and he would lift them off the ground stlently backed out of the office, the and place them on his shoulders. The dog meekly following. However, within looseness of the grip appeared to be a few seconds the man returned, quick- the main secret. The snakes, being in ly closing the door to exclude his part- no way burt, would then slowly crawl ner, who clamored to get in. "I'B take through his fingers and wind themft," he said in a hurried whisper. selves round his neck, his shoulders "Where's the contract? I'm real broke, and his arms. They appeared to realso it's a clear case of push; but, for ize that no harm was to be done them, heaven's sake, don't mention the price and they made no effort to resent where the dog can hear you."-Cham- the handling. He would pick them bers' Journal.

#### MOST PEOPLE LOPSIDED.

Differences Between the Legs, Syes and Rars of Men and Women,

The two sides of a person's face are sever alike. The eyes are out of line In two cases out of five, and one eye is stronger than the other in seven persons out of ten. The right ear is also, as a rule, higher than the left.

Only one person in 15 has perfect eres, the largest percentage of defects to spring upon one of the keepers. than among country folk, and of all that she ceases to be a purring cat and people the Germans have the largest becomes a fiend incarnate. The other proportion of shortsighted persons.

The crystalline lens of the eye is the ment of maturity.

he better distinguished with one ear involuntarily. The keeper placed an than with both. The nails of two singers never grow with the same rapidity, that of the middle finger growgrown the slowest.

In 54 cases out of 100 the left leg is shorter than the right. The bones of an average human male skeleton six pounds lighter.

\* woman, is also smaller than that of came here eight years ago. A day or territory. It may fall to us to teach man, given a man and a woman of two after she arrived I had to punish the world things never dreamt of in its palling to reflect, but it is nevertheless | She watches me all day out of the cortrue, that the muscles of the human law exert a force of over 500 pounds.

The symmetry which is the sole intelligible ground for our idea of beauty, time. If she does, I might as well say the proportion between the upper and lower half of the human body, exists in nearly all males, but is never found In the female. American limbs are ed on her face. When he went away, more symmetrical than those of any she watched him until he was lost to other people. The rocking chair, ac- view. Then she resumed her nervous cording to an English scientist, is re- tramp, tramp, New York Mail and sponsible for the exercise which in- Express. creases the beauty of the lower limbs. The push which the toes give to keep the chair in motion, repeated and repeated, makes the instep high, the calf round and full, and it makes the ankle delicate and alender. Exchange.

When Irving Forgot Himself.

Ben Webster, an English actor, told a good story of how he held his own when Sir Henry Irving happened to be almentminded. In the "Lyons Mail" there is a touching scene between Lesurques (played by Irving) and his daughter Julie, of which Didler (Mr. Ben Webster) is a perfectly silent wit-

One night Sir Henry, instead of making his long speech, appealed in tremer, Didier; speak to her!" Didier was mfounded. There was an awful E. Irving, quite unconscious of sown mistake, frowned wrathfully at the young actor, but Mr. Webster. I to the occasion, gave way to a t of tears and exclaimed, "I canyou know I cannot speak!" and d his back on the audience

Then Sir Henry picked up his lines in a start, and it was observed that e's shoulders shook with emotion!

Louisville Courier-Journal.

Victoria's Proposal. was at Windsor castle that Queen then only a girl of 20, did she described as "the most nerva woman was ever called on then she summoned the young ert of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha to nterview and "proposed" to and first met him when as ne with his father b three years later, of his love for his was sumprised and THE DEADLY COBRA

Mow Youqueous Creature Is Mandled by Hindgo Snake Charmers.

The creatures were on the defensive. but not one of them attempted strike at the master, who sat serenely in front of them, so long as he did nothing to annoy them. Kullan talked to them as if they were his dearest friends. After a time one or the other of them would lower its head, collapse away. Whereupon Kullan would give it a smart little rap on the tail with his stick and bring it instantly to attention again. Whether this man pos sessed any special magic over these cobras or whether the description given below of how he could handle and play with them was simply due to his method I cannot say. He himself repudiated the idea of magic and asserted positively that any one who had the necexactly the same.

He used no reed instrument or mu-

sic of any kind to propitiate the rep-

tiles. He would simply squat on his

haunches in front of them, and, after they had been hissing and swaying their uplifted heads backward and forward for a few minutes, he raised hands above their heads and slowly made them descend till they rested on but was now silenced by the heavy the snakes' heads. He then stroked terms. The serpents appeared spellsisted by the animal. Then they gave bound. They made no effort to resent an exhibition of themselves and were the liberty, but remained quite still, certainly above the average. "What are | with heads uplifted, and seemed rather gently off one arm and place them on the other and, in fact, stroke them and pet them as if they had been a pair

A TIGRESS WITH A GRUDGE.

of harmless worms,-Cornbill.

She Gets Furious at Sight of a Keep-

er Who Once Beat Her. There is a lean tigress in the Central park menagerie who spends a part of the day beating her head against the I from bars of her cage is a vain attempt revailing among fair haired people. Ordinarily the animal is quiet enough. thart sight is more common in town It is only when this keeper passes morning the tigress was in an extremely bad temper. When her fancled enone portion of the human body which emy stuck a mop in through the bars continues to increase with the attain- to clean ber cage, she sprang at him, growling in thunderous bass. Nearly The smallest interval of sound can everybody in the crowd stepped back iron bar in the cage at the great cat's feet and went on with his work, while the animal snarted in impotent rage ing the fastest, while that of the thumb | and drew back her upper lip over two | assumptions of a title page. Mr. Edgleaming white fangs.

> "She doesn't seem to be fond of you," ventured a bystander.

weigh 20 pounds, those of a woman are tween us," replied the keeper. "Her nature. It is rash to conclude that the tantrums show that animals treasure United States will be content to follow That unruly member, the tongue of grudges just like people. That tigress beaten paths in administering her new qual size and weight. It may be ap- her, and she has never got over it. ner of her eye, and every time I go by the cage she makes a jump. I suppose she thinks she'll get me some

While the man talked the tigress looked at him with hate plainly stamp-

Profits In Fractions of Cents.

It is most astonishing that trade in these days is making its enormous profits in the fractions of a cent. In one of the cities of the country there was a bank president who gave his millions for philanthropic purposes. During his life, even on the days when he was almost too infirm to walk, he would trudge sadly and brokenly to also secured an opinion of Attorney his home. One day a man met him on General Hamlin covering the legal the street and said:

He instantly replied, "My dear friend, do you appreciate the fact that a hundred dollars would have to work half a week to pay that fare?"

And yet he gave two millions to a ding tones to Mr. Webster: "Speak to library and another million to a hospital. That is the spirit of modern money making. On the one hand it gets the millions through the fractions of cents, and with the other it spends the millions without regard to decimals.—Saturday Evening Post.

> Squares of Consecutive Sumbers. Squares of consecutive numbers, as 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, etc., may be formed by the simple rule: To the square of the preceding number add the preceding number and the number itself. Thus:

1\*=0+0+1=1 20-1+1+2m4 39-4+2+8-9 4°--9+8+6--16 The algebraic proof is: (x+1)\*=x\*+2x+1 mx\*+x+(x+1) -New York Sun.

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yhen you forget there are others.

MA Dog to the Manger." Henry Watterson, editor of Louisville Courier-Journal, in an interview intimates that in 1904 the democratic party may have a new animal in politics to contend with-"a dog in the manger." He says in speaking of

"He has had his fling and has failed, He should yield leadership to other hands and devote himself to healing the breaches. It comes with but ill grace for one who has been given his its hood and begin to try to wriggle own way and made such poor accounting to denounce discussion as treason and to stigmatize all who do not agree with him as traitors; and, in view of this, the rank and file of the party may well ask themselves whether they may

Intend to Mislend.

Some of the Chicago papers are trying to place Governor Yates in an equivocal position in relation to the essary nerve and dexterity could do suppression of race-track gambling. Their remarks are intended to cause the gamblers and their friends to infer that he is urging the enforcement of the laws, and on the other hand to give the reputable element the impression that he takes no interest in the matter. The truth is, that, like every other good citizen, he desires to see vice suppressed, but that as governor he is willing to trust the local authorities to execute the laws as long as they manifest a willingness to do so. No one, except law-breakers and their sympathizers would criticise him. however, were he to actively aid in the work of cleaning out gambling resorts of all kinds throughout the state. -Whitehall Republic.

> Appointments Commended Even the most persistent "kickers" mong the Chicago trust newspapers feel compelled to commend the selections made by Governor Yates for commissioners of the Lincoln and west parks of that city. Those papers do not hesitate to berate prominent and reputable citizens of other parts of the state without stint when it serves their political purposes to do so, but it is a different story when it comes to abusing business men of Chicago who are well known at home as reputable and citizens, officeholders or politicians to those living outside that city who are made targets for the abuse of the trust press. Whatever the reasons that inspire them, however, it is evident that Governor Yates has been fortunate in his selections of these park commissloners, because the mugwump trust press of Chicago would not willingly admit that his appointments are excellent ones, as it has done, if it could afford to criticise .them .- Springfield

> > The Repetul View.

Speaking of the fear expressed in Europe since the Supreme court decision that we are going to the bowwows, the New York Times gives these hints for the calming of our friends across the water: "Reasoning from history and experience, the prophets have felt that failure was the most probable ending of our experiment. They forget that the American people have been accustomed to make history and to convert the teachings of experience into food for bookworms. We have somewhat freely flouted precedent, and in one memorable instance have compelled a great historian to expunge the premature and too-confident ward A. Freeman decided in his own mind that our civil war would end in 'the disruption of the American republic.' We decided the other way. We "No, there isn't much love lost be- have reversed many decisions of that administrative philosophy about establishment of relations of mutual ecufidence and helpfulness between the protected and the protector." Exactly; such hopefulness is good preparation for the work to be done. We are in the midst of the work to-day. The school teacher is already on the

The Game Law.

The unfortunate omission in the game law by which "game" was apparently left without the intended protection has been giving Game Warden Lovejoy all sorts of worry. He feels the responsibility resting upon him and proposes to do all in his power to protect the interests of sportsmen, the game dealer and people generally. He is rearranging the list of the deputy game wardens and will select men who will have the same conscientious purpose in trees. He has prepared a pamphlet containing the full text of the game law as well as a full set of instructions to his deputies. He has status of the quall under the present "Why don't you take the street car?" law. This opinion is to the effect that if the law is rigidly enforced the quail may be protected. He holds that, while there is no absolute prohibition of quail shooting, yet the law still provides that it is unlawful for any person to have in his possession, sell or expose for sale "any quall, etc." It also provides that the title to all game birds remains in the state. But the strong feature of the law and the one upon which Game Warden Lovejoy will rely is section 29 of the original act, which is still in force, and which makes it unlawful "for any person or persons to hunt with dog, gun or net within or upon the ground or the land of another without his obtaining from the owner, agent or occupant of such ground or land his, her or their per-

mission so to do.' While it is true that under the law as it now stands a person may kill quall at any time of the year, but in so doing he consents that the title to such quail shall remain in the state, and if such quail is killed or in his 2 possession for any purpose prohibited by law, any state game warden or depsty may take possession and dispose of the same, as provided in sections 20, 21, 22 and 23 of the original act. which are still in full force and effect. Doubtless the farmers of the state will be glad to co-operate with the game Temple, N. H., in 1780 and was oper-warden and his deputies in enforcing sted by imported German glassmakers. the law against trespess, which with the other features of the act will afford full protection for quall, in spite of the blunder of the legislature.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Estate of John Wallace, deceased. The un not have in 1904 to reckon with a dog dersigned having been appointed Administra-in the manger."—Alton Telegram. tor with will annexed, of the estate of John Wallace, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of DuPage county, at the court house in Wheaton, at the August term, on the first Monday in August next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned. Dated this 3rd day of June JOSEPH G. WALLACE, Administrator, with

> ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Estate of James Venard, deceased. The undersigned having been appointed administratrix of the estate of James Venard deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of DuPage county at the court house in Wheaton, at the August term, on the first Monday in August next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make

will annexed.

Dated this 3rd day of June, A. D. 1901. CATHERINE VENARD, Administratrix.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Estate of Magdalena Heintz, deceased. The undersigned having been appointed administrator with will annexed of the estate of Magdatena Heintz, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of DuPage county, at the court house in Wheaton at the August term, on the first Monday in August next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned. Dated this 3rd day of GEORGE HEINTZ, Administrator with will

annexed. GRAV & BUNGE, Attorneys.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE. Estate of John Oldfield deceased. The undersigned, having been appointed executor of the last will and testament of John Oldfield late of the County of DuPage and capable, though in no way superior as State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of DuPage county, at the court bouse in Wheaton at the August term, on the first Monday in August next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned. Dated this 23rd day of May, A. D. 1900.

GEO. B. HEARTT, Executor, M. St. USSER, Attorney.

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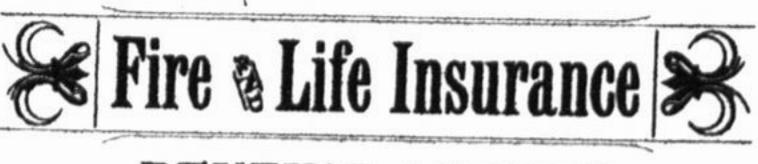
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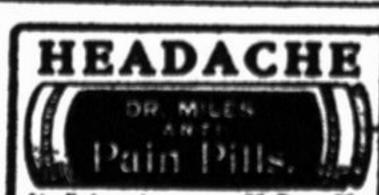
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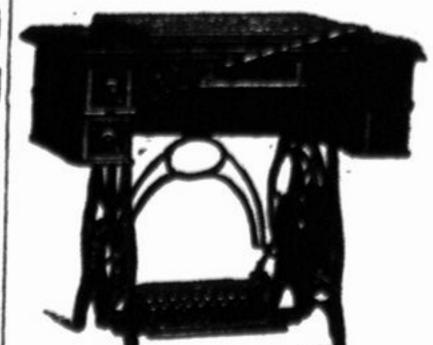
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