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A CTIVE Solicitors wanted everywhere for A The Story of the Philippines by Murai throp and had settled down in a sing, quiet throp and had settled down in a sing, quiet throp and had settled down in a sing, quiet throp and had settled down in a sing, quiet throp and had settled down in a sing, quiet throp and had settled down in a sing, quiet throp and had settled down in a sing, quiet throp and had settled down in a sing, quiet throp and had settled down in a sing, quiet throp and had settled down in a sing, quiet throp and had settled down in a sing, quiet highness?" she seted, and was promptly worked hard for a living, and she helped him, and she was grateful and glad that him, and she was grateful and glad that the fall of Maolia. Bonansa for sents the had the strength so to do.

Jedediah Sprott alled upon Kate and love it."

Permission was gladly given, and the child danced to her hears's content on the low prices. Big profits. Freight paid.

"Come in—come in and rest," said Kate, in her winsome, cheery way. "Come in snowy counterpane,—Loudon Tit Bits."

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Poetry. NOT FOR COOKING'S SAKE.

Our Mattle is a lady. But she never learned to bake She never cared for cooking Just alone for cooking's sake. So she mover cooked at all. Lest a bit of butter fall On her dainty garmonts white,

Or hershoes so high and tight; For she never cared to bake, Just alone for cooking's sake. Our Mattle had a lover. And she fell in love, you see: And she thought his face as bands

As a face could over be. But he obsaced, one sunny day. Just in idle mood to say (When hor fluger she had burned. And the fact he some way learned. Though she had not tried to bake. For her own or other's sake.)

That she in baking burned it : And he kissed her finger twice, And Mattle thought she never Know a romedy so nice. But the cuneling fellow said : "You've been baking cake or broad, And there's naught I love to est Like a house-made cake, my sweet. Aut she had not cared to bake.

Just alone for cooking's sake. "Of course I am not hinting. Just to try your tempting cake; But I like the home made cooking, Like my mother used to make. I have beard my mother say That there was no other way For a home to be complete.

And I know you think so sweet." But alas, she would not bake, Even for a lover's sake Our Mattio is a lady, But and woops sometimes alone And grioves that little wrinkles From her oyes have outward grown ; For she did not know, you see, That a wife a cook must be, And the man has wed a girl,

That can fry and boil and bake-Loves to oook for cooking's sake. -Fannie Fullerton in What to Eat.

Select Family Reading.

Though with loss of frill and ourl.

Jeptha Bogle.

Absalom Bogle was a rich old bachelor -worth his hundreds of thousands-and Absalom Bogle died. During all his life he had been known to form but one strong friendship and that was for his only brother, who, in the other years, had helped him to prospect in the coal mines-his brother Jepths. This Jepths, unfortunately for himself, had not been a misanthrope. He had loved and had been jilted, and just when his prospects of success with his brother Absalom had been brightening he had thrown up all his business and gone to far off parts-to parts so far away that not a word had been heard of him from that

this mundane life on the fourth day of not in the land of the living. At all events December, at noon. When his will was he had not been heard from. And then opened, which event transpired in the followed a comparing of notes touching presence of many relatives, its provisions respective nearness of relationship. Geneawere found to be very simple. First, he logical registers of all kinds were at hand, bequeathed everything of which he might and it was very evident that not a few of die possessed to bis fondly remembered and them had been recently altered and amendwell beloved brother, Jeptha. But in case | ed. Crimination and recrimination resultsaid Jeptha did not present himself and claim the benefit within one year from the death of the testator then the property was to be divided among his other relatives.

according to their rank of kin. Only in one direction; setting saide his prother Jeptlia, did the tide of relationship cousins, four or five second consins, several | mansion and begs that you will honor him third and fourth cousins, and so on, in in- | with your company to dinner." creasing ratio as they were farther and

farther removed Sidney Spooner; Esq., was the attorney whom Bogle had selected to hold in trust his estate. When the frosts of October upon the crisp foliage, Mr. Spooner sent | chair as he arose and coming very near Absalom Bogle to bid them prepare for sat next to him. presenting their claims at the appointed fourth day of the coming December, the hearted, benign old gentleman. "I am the property would be theirs.

This clerk of Mr. Spooner was a quaint out of charity, and in his humble way he had left, and that I was willing to divide sought to serve his patron faithfully. But the greater part of it with the distant the most wonderful thing about Jededish relatives. Sprout was that he claimed to be a near from a brother of Absalom-an elder Sprout and went at the work. As you brother, much older than either Abralom or | would have done unto Jedediah Sprout, ! Jeptha-who had died in South America, give you full permission so do unto yourmany years ago. The cousins looked up selves. Dinner will be ready in half an the family history and found that the hour, but you will excuse me from sitting ancient brother in question had been one at table with you, as I am engaged elsewho under a cloud had changed his name | with me. As they were not of the heirs having ever married. Jededish soknow- is no longer necessary." ledged that the said Soloman had never married, and yet he had the hardihood to from indignation to boiling wrath surged

himself into relationship with honest

And yet Jedediat Bprout worked in hie ed the cousins with his instructions from his patron, and to each he tearfully resented his own claim.

"I ask not for a prime chare of the wealth of my father's relative," he said "I am very poor, and a mere pittance will serve me. Let me share with the very

tions which he brought from the attorney, and then kicked him out. In a neighboring town lived Kate Winthrop. She had been Kate Wetherbee, but cousins had been oultivating their golden expectations, she had married Jack Win-

about the Bogle property. I don't care to "But," urged Jededish, "you are a

relative !" "My mother was a courin, some four or five times removed," answored Kate, "but I found no claims upon that ofroumstance. My poor pittance wouldn't be worth the wrangling and tangling I should have to endure, and, moreover, Jack and myself have concluded that we had better paddle our own cance."

Jededish presented the subject. But Jack was as emphatic as his pretty wife had been. He didu't care to mix lo the leverish, scrambling mess. "But," said he, "I'll tell you what I will do, Mr. Sprout. I have heard your story and in all honor and humanity I think your claims are just. If you cannot get

By and by Jack came to, and to bim

which you are morally entitled, you are welcome to all you oan get in the name my wife. How is that, Kate ?" "I agree with all my heart !" oried Kate The rich moletore in Jededish's oyer gave token of the feelings which he did no speak. He sat down and ate dinner wit the happy young couple and said no mo

the share of Absalom Bogle's property to

upon the subject of business. The weeks rolled on, and the morning of the 4th of December at length arrived. I the great, old, shambling house which had been vacant since the day of Absalom Bogle's funeral, an anxious crew were assembled.

On that very morning Jack and Kate Winthrop had been visited by Mr. Spooner, who had asked their attendance on the coming occasion. They had replied to him that they had no interest in the matter. "But," said Mr. Spooner, "Jedediah Sprout tells me that you will give your

share to him." "If he own get it," added Jack. "If he is to get it at all," said the attorney, "It will be necessary that you and your wife should be there to relinquish it." "On your honor, Mr. Spooner, do you think our presence would help poor Jeded-

ish Sprout ?" asked Kate. The attorney replied that he thought it "Then," said Kate, "we will go. What

say you, Jack ?" Jack consented, and so it transpired that Kate Winthrop and her husband were present at the eventful meeting. The consins of closer degree scowled upon them when they entered, and one wheezy oldspinster informed them that it would have looked better if they had remained away. "Not nearer than the sixth or eighth remove at best," put in an ancient maiden

of accetic aspect. "Uh ! The assurance of some folke!" The hour slipped on, and the important meridian was close at hand. All had And Absalom Bogle died. He departed assured shemselves that Jeptha Bogle was

tapis when the clock atruck 12, and with the last stroke of the fateful bell Mr. Spooner appeared upon the scene, and with him came the man called Jedediah Spront. "Ladies and gentlemen and very good" to Absslom Bogle flow. .. There were no bow, "I have the pleasure of introducing to ne phews or nisces, no uncles, or sunts, but you your very obedient and humble cousin, only consins. There were two first Jeptha Boyle. He bids you welcome to his

ed, and a belligerent outburst was on the

"Bogle !" orled spinster number one, starting up. "What Boxle?" "It's a base deception !" exclaimed the ancient maiden of ascetio visage. "Who is Jeptha Bogle?" demanded a had begun to trace their delicate pencilings low browed haberdasher, upsetting his

his clerk around among the relatives of | to upsetting a wizen faced old bachelor who "I am Jeptha Bogle," said the attorney's time. If the long absent brother did not companion. He now appeared in a suit of show himself on or before noon of the black velvet and looked like a very kind. only brother of Absslom Bogle, who died one year ago in this house. I came from old fellow, answering to the name of Jeded- | South America six months ago and made inh Spront. He neverhesitated to acknow- myself known to Mr. Spooner. I told him ledge that the attorney had taken him in I had no use for all the money my brother

"Mr. Spooner applanded my motive, but relative of Abealom Bogle-nearer by far | advised me. to examine for myself and than any other living. He claimed descent | select the worthy ones. So I called myself Soloman Bogle, a wild, wayward tellow, where-Jack and Kate Winthrop will come

to Sprout and who had left no record of expectant their presence in this assembly From astonishment to indignation and the cousins of all degrees, and in such Could anything be more impudent? wrathful mood they found no appetite for The consine, from the first to the sixteenth | dinner, and one by one or in muttering, horror. That a man in possession of his all sorts of maledictions upon the head of senses should unblushingly acknowledge the returned brother who had so deceived girl. He offered to make her his wife, and grooms followed. such shame, and, above all, that from such and entrapped them, as well as upon the in order that his marriage should not take a slough of ignominy he should thrust beads of the young couple who, they were her from her beloved mountains and stay very sure, were to bask in the sunshine of

Jeptha Bogle's good intent. And in this last surmise they were not umble station for Mr. Spooner. He visit | mistaken. Old Jeptha found a home with Jack and Kate, and he did not wait until death had ont short his share of the enjoyment before giving to them of the wealth

which he had resolved should be theirs. ENTERTAINING ROYALTY.

When Princess Henry of Battenburg But they scouted and jeered and would was a child, she and her purse were not listen. They received the legal instrucallowed to ramble about the Balmoral estate to visit the tenents, and sometimes stay for tea. One farm was a favorite resort, and one aftergoon, tea over, good Mrs. D. looked round anxiously, perplexed during the very last summer, while other to provide amusement, for a princess presumably satisfied with toys and joys;of

every kind. "Oh, Mrs. D., do let me dance on your

Permission was gladly given, and the child danced to her hears's content on the

HINTS TO HOUSEKEEPERS. Tes and coffee should pever be left

ancovered, as their strength and flavor avaporate by exposure. snives, so they should never be allowed to romain in this. Lay a little bag of powdered mustard in

the mouth of a pickle jar to prevent the sing hours, 8 to 10 A. M., 3 to 5 P. M." ontents turning mouldy. Damp salt removes stains of tea and egg rom china articles. Coal in the cellar should never be damped, as it generates poisonous fumes.

White spots on furniture may be speedily removed by rubbing with spirits of cam-Good forks should never be used for oasting purposes

The kitchen in every household, be it bis or little, should be kept perfectly pleasant and wholesome by regular cleausing. The sink should be an object of special attention, for if not well rinsed and sluiced after washing up it will become the hotbert

The vegetable matter which is kept in the kitchen should be placed in a covered hamper, and overhanted constantly, and any root which shows signs of decay at once thrown out. Kitchen cloths must, of course, be washed out daily and hung on the line to dry,

instead of being thrown together in a dark corner-or-inb-till a washing day is due. Meanwhile these clothes are holding grease and harboring smells. The shelves should scrubbed as often as those of the larder, and operationally some disinfectant added to the ringing water. Twice a week a lump of soda should be

placed on the top of the sink drains and very bot water poured directly on to it. This is to cleanse the pipe of any greaty matter adhering to it. .The walls and ceilings should be washed I painted, or whitewashed if plain planter,

should never be stood beside the house, for then the contants are thrown in, and ugly splashes on the walls are the result. Medicine stains on silver may be removed by the application of diluted sulphurio acid robbed upon the silver with a soft rag. Finally rinse the article in warm soapsude. Attacks of sore throat during cold

sufficient exercise in the open air. Frequent sufferers are notoriously lacking in To make a linesed poultice put the meal into a bag of flannel of the size of poultice required, sew up the open end, and boil. bag and all, in a small quantity of water. When the seed is soft squeeze out all

weather are largely, attributable to in-

moisture, and use the bag instantly as a To freshen a room place a good lump of amphor on an old plute or saucer, heat a ocker, and with it burn the camphor. The fumes will thoroughly purify the room, and the smell of campbor will only last for a short time. This process i useful to get rid of the smell of damp, of

new carpet or in illness. HARVEST OF HUMAN HAIR. How Much it Amounts to and where It Comes From.

Perhaps there is no staple article of ommerce about which less is known by the average person than human heir. It is much more important in case of war, will doubtless surprise many to learn that the dealers in human hair do not depend on chance olipping here and there, but there is a regular bair barvest that can always be relied upon. It is estimated to the chances to life and limb that ovi; that over 12,000 pounds of human hair are | dently must be incurred when sliding down used annually in the civilized world for such a steep and long incline, the weight

but principally the fair sex. in the department of the Lower Pyrenees, performed by any of the officers there withheld every Friday. Hundreds of hair out its ever having happened that either traders walk up and down the one street man or horse was burt. of the village, their shears dangling from their belts, and inspect the braids which BIGGEST WEDDING EVER KNOWN the peasant girls, standing on the steps of the houses, let down for inspection. bargain is struck the hair is out, and the money paid on the spot.

A woman's bair may grow to the leugth weight of four ounces without breaking. but the hair thus tried must be dark brown, for blonde hair breaks under a of Persia, which was then ruled over by strain of two and one-half ounces. Dealers in human hair can tell moment whether the looks offered them

fingers. If the hair has been out from the head and has not been misplaced it remains in its original position. If it has been pulled or combed out and put together regardless of the directions in which it grew, one portion of it will slip to right and the other to the left. It does this because the jagged edges oatch each other and pull in opposite directions .-

A BISMARCK ROMANCE.

student was staying in the mountain region ! in the Tyrol. The parents of the girl, festival, which lasted five days, the gran- different strengths any desired shade can their child, who had been brought up a since. devous Catholic, being married to a Prossian junker, who was a protestant to boot. So the romance, which threatened to lose a Bismarok for Prossis, came to a sudden alma mater at Berlin. In a ball at Ulen-

"Why is it that stuttering men are nearly always bachelors?" "Well, they get so much time to think before they speak.

TO THOSE ABOUT TO MARRY.

Young men or old men who intend to marry will be pleased to learn shas the new Marriage Act is made quite simple by bed. I may not do it at home, and I do so applying to H. P. Moore, issuer of marriage licenses, at the FREE PRES Office. Call a few days before the ceremony and have the matter explained. Private office. All business strictly private and confidential.

MILKING WHALES FOR CONSUM-

TIVES, In London some years ago my attention was attracted by a huge sign on the oppo-Grease has the effect of blunting sharp site side of the street, and also by the number of people flocking into the building. The sign read as follows: "Whaloid Infallible Cure for Consumption. Dispen-

> Entering the building I was at a loss what to make of the matter, as all I could see was the crowd and a large tank in the centre of the room. This tank was some seventy feet long, thirty feet wide, and as I learned afterward, about thirty feet deep having been constructed at great expense. While waiting patiently for developments I found that the liquid was being lowered or let out by some means. Soon a smooth black surface appeared to view, and as the water continued to recede I became aware that a captive whale was on exhibition Surprised at not having to pay any admission fee, I was soon made aware of the reason. A framework had been constructed on which the animal rested, and soon an expert milkman was engaged in extracting whaloid, or whale's milk, which was greedily absorbed at five shillings per glass. This plan seems to be identical with that of the milkmen in Naples, who lead a cow to the door and deliver the fluid in the presence of the consumer, so that the latter can be satisfied that no illegal dilution is indulged in. I had hardly recovered from my surprise at this unique method of getting nature's own emulaion when I was to encounter a severer shock. Joining the throng who were drifting further down the street I went to Southampton Row. The

"Codloids. Authorized agency protected by letters patent. Supplied to subscribers only. Specific for rheumatism and con-Now what do you suppose codloids at least once a year. The garbage pail proved to be? Why eggs of the codfish and wonderfully large ones too. They were retailed at two shillings per egg, and eaten raw with a little sodium chloride.

place of attraction was a smaller building,

also, labelled in a mysterious manner

which in plain English means salt. RECKLESS HORSEM ANSHIP.

Although the Italians as a nation are rather indifferent horsemen, the cavalry of the Italian army has, during the last two years, cultivated the art of riding horseback to a much greater extent than hereto-

fore. The improvement was mainly brought about by the creation of the high school of equitation for officers of the army at Tor Di Quinto. This institute has schieved remarkable results. Of course it is a model riding school, and only such officers of the army as are already good | prices riders are allowed to enter. Their number is also limited to one officer to each regiment, and in return for his instruction an officer having passed through the course is compelled to serve as regimental riding master for one year. In this way a certain number of very efficient instructors are secored for the Italian army, and, as

a result the efficiency of the mounted soldiery has considerably increased within the last few years. It is a well known specialty at the school at Tor di Quinto to train men and horses for work in very difficult territory. They make horses climb steep slopes, and what sides or embankments and similar daring feats. One would certainly question the wisdom of submitting both men and beast adorning the heads of men and women, of the rider being added to that of the animal. It is little short of a miracle that The largest supply of hair comes from the horse comes down safe, but yet this Switzerland, Germany and the French miracle is practiced almost every day at provinces. There is a human hair market | Tor di Quinto and the sliding down act

On the day that Alexander the Great was married no fewer than 20,202 persons in one ceremony were made husbands and wives. This seems impossible, but the Special Fast Diamond Dyes I six feet. A single hair will bear up a event really took place, as historic records tell us. This monster wodding occurred upon the conquest by Alexander the Great

King Darlus.

of the conquered king, and declared that have been out off or combed out. They do | 100 of his chief officers should be united to this by rubbing the hair through their 100 ladies from the noblest Persian and Medean families. In addition to this, he stipulated that 10,000 of his Greek soldiers should marry 10,000 Asiatic women.

Alexander married Statira, the daughter

in love with a beautiful young peasant kissed her, an example that all the bride- are used. Thus ended the ceremony, and that vast | Diamond Dyes, so that you can get any number were married. Then followed the color that you wish. By using them in

Actions are ideas in motion.

ment. The delicately constituted, the and mixed goods, and for silk and feathers. end, and the hero of it returned to his financier, the business man, and those They color a rich, full black that cannot be whose occupation necessiates great mental distinguished from new goods. that there is still to be seen a picture of strain or worry, all suffer less or more Bismarck in the uniform of his younger from it. Sleep is the great restorer of a for home use, with very simple directions, days. The heroine of the romance died worried brain, and to get sleep cleaned the so that it is but little trouble or work to many years ago as the well to do widow of stomach fron all impurities with a few use them. A direction book will be sent an Austrian landed proprietor .- St. James doice of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, free to any address. Wells & Richardson gelatine coated, containing no mercury, Co., Montreal, Que. and are guaranteed to give satifaction or the money will be refunded.

Bins never travel alone.

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A SONG OF TRUST. I cannot always see the way that leads To heights above I sometimes quite forget He leads the on With bands of love; But yet I know the path must lend me to

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Immanuel's land. And when I reach life's squant I shall And understand.

I cannot always trace the onward course My ship must take; But, looking backward, I behold afar, Its shiping wake Illumined with God's light of love, and so I onward go.

In perfect trust that He The course must know. cannot always see the plan on which He builds my life ; For oft the sound of hammers, blow on

The noise of strile. Confuse me till I quite forget he knows And overtoon, And that in all details, with Ills good plan

. My life agrees: I cannot always know and understand The Master's role, I cannot always do the tasks He gives

In life's hard school;

Them, one by one,

"And when I cannot understand to say, "Thy will be done." -Gertrude Benedict Curtis in the Advance.

But I am learning with His help to solve

Business Men's Corner.

ADVERTISING. TO BUSINESS MEN. There are news papers and newspapers :-The utmost that our be expected of nowspaper advertising is to encourage people to come to your store. It suggests the name and claims of the concern, so that it may

be brought to mind when the shopping necessities arise. When advertising has brought oustomers to the store, it has accomplished much but it has not performed its whole mission. It has not put money in the merchant's till, that remains for the store to do. through the goods it submits, the treatment of its customers and the work of the salesman. No advertisement is more valuable to a store than that resulting from a satisfied customer. A pleased customer does missionary work of a value the extent of which can only be surmised Hold up your end, and let your advertisements be pithy, pertinent and original; above all not dull. Make a point of offering merchandise (and particularly merchandise sultable to the season), at attractive prices, be persistent in calling attention to the good things you offer. But avoid as much as possible superlatives in advertising, also all offensive features,

such as exaggeration in description or Don't forget that the truth patly put, pane out profit. Set out honestly and

convincingly the simple truths of business.

HELP WITH A DOLLAR. The mortgage indebtedness on the Hos pital For Sick Children. Toronto, entails an interest expense of \$2,250 each year, a heavy drain on the resources of this great charity. It will be remembered that in a recent issue of this paper the wonderful work of the hospital was described, together with an appeal from the Trustees, asking that the people pay off \$25,000 of the mort. gage this year. They had agreed to rotice that portion of the mortgage. A generous response has been made, but there is still \$1,000 needed to complete the sum asked for. Over \$21,000 has been paid in, some of it came from the readers of this paper. The Charity is provincial and not local. Sick children from every nook and corner of the province are cared for. The Chairman of the Hospital Trust, J. Ross Robertson, Toronto, writes: "Is thero

thousand single dollars will do the work. Will you give one? **UNFADING COTTON DYES** 

another man in your town who will help

the helpless children with a dollar ?" Mr.

Robertson says that every gift to a worthy

harity bears interest for the donor. Four

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It is absolutely impossible to get a fast and satisfactory color on cotton from the same dyes as are used for wollen goods, When everything was settled a vast and for that reason Diamond Dyes have a pavillion was erected, the pillars of which specially prepared line of fast color for were sixty feet high. One hundred gor- cotton that will give perfect satisfaction. geous chambers adjoined this for the 100 If you want to color cotton and mixed noble bridegrooms, while for the remaining goods be sure to get the fast Diamond 10.000 an inner court was enclosed, outside | Dyes for cotton, as they will give colors of which tables were spread for the molti- that will not fade even by washing in tude. Each pair had seats and ranged strong soapsude or exposure to sunlight. themselves in a semi-sircle round the If any dealer tries to sell you the same dye royal throne. Of course the priests could to color cotton as he would sell you for Bismarck while still a raw university not marry this vast number of couples, so coloring wool, do not accept it, as such Alexander the great devised a very simple | dyes are unreliable, and in the majority of removed, held up their hands in holy cursing pairs they crawled away, invoking of the Tyrol near Ulenthal and fell deeply ceremony. He gave his hand to Satira and cases will ruin the material on which they

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