#### MONARCHS WHO ARE MENACED

The attempt upon the life of King Boris of Bulgaria calls attention to the risks run by royalty.

Exalted persons live beneath the shadow of a menace which does not spare them even if they are loved by their people; for the crazy individual, or the political fanatic believing assassination is lawful, seeks out the expited.

It is recorded of the ill-fated Nicholas of Russia that out of curiosity he inquired on what terms an insurance of his life could be effected. The premium asked would have been a staggering one. Nor can this have been a matter of surprise, for his great-grandfather and grandfather were assassin. Variations-Arsmith, Setter, Tipper, ated; he himself, before the tragedy of Ekaterinburg, was attacked by a Racial Origin-English. Korean at Port Arthur and wounded Sources-Trades. in the head.

#### Ever-Watchful Eyes.

Compared with foreign royalty, the British Sovereign moves with perfect freedom among his people. Neverthe- modern age go busily about their daily sible to state in the case of Warren, the possibility of attack by dangerous individuals never relax their vigilance. family names are the last relics of the genealogy of his particular family Two experienced Scotland Yard men what was once one of the mightiest to its origin. follow the King wherever he goes; while the Prince of Wales also has a which to-day is obsolete. "shadow" attached to his suite.

Queen Victoria was beloved, but five King Edward, when Prince of Wales, in Brussels railway station-a man named Sipido, who said afterwards that he believed it to be his "duty" to kill kings and princes.

Royalty do not like being "shadowed," but it is a necessity to which they must bow. King Edward, a year before his death, was entering Bucking- a contraction of "arrow-smith." The ham Palace grounds when a man was arrowsmith was he who made his livfound concealed in a shrubbery. He ing by fashioning arrow heads. proved to be a deranged person who The Setters were those who set the thought he had the right to speak to heads upon the arrow shafts.

months ago a woman stopped King set. George as he was about to enter his motor, and presented him with a paper. "fleccher" in those days) were those "Fitz" variations are explained in the the other, of course, being Einstein. Seeing the incident, the "shadows" pressed forward to remove the in- (from the same word root which gives | Warren, however, often comes from courtesy, His Majesty listened patient the shafts. This was probably the pro- the medieval word 'Warrener," "Warly to the woman's story.

sin's dagger or pistol.

wound was inflicted. But on July 29th, 1900, while leaving an athletic festival at Monza, the Italian monarch was shot by Bresci, a political fanatic, the wound proving fatal.

Queen Alexandra's brother, King George of Greece, was a kindly, wellmeaning monarch, but he met an untimely death at the hands of an as-

### A Sultan's "Nerves."

The Austrian Court of the Emperor Francis Joseph had no simpler figure than the Empress Elizabeth, his consort. But while walking to Mass by the shores of Lake Como, she was This Remarkable Jew Suffered stabbed to death by an anarchist, who yet remains in prison, for there is no capital punishment in Switzerland.

The late Sultan Abdul Hamid, thrice shot at, formed the habit of always | The Earl of Reading, Viceroy of In- themselves felt." carrying a loaded revolver while giv- dia, and one of the most remarkable ing audiences in the Yildiz Klosk. On figures in British political life, who is

on October 4th of the same year he is, he takes precedence even before the titioner at the bar has ever made. was a fugitive, and fled with his moth- Prince of Wales, this same Rufus | When he was at the head of the er to England. of a London Jew.

### Power From Pears.

has to deal with is a cactus known as Reading's story provides the text. He much was expected of him. He did, Mrs. G .- "Well, I wouldn't permit impossible to destroy the pear by up sense of the word-for he was the and later Attorney General, which he Our car-top is brand new." rooting and the only known method is worst lad in his school, and devoted remained until 1913. by means of a parasite which lives on himself exclusively to mischief and to Then came his bitterest failure—the Built a Modern House in a the outside of the pear and, if it can leading his comrades into it. Then he Marconi scandal. He was no longer be introduced into the cellular forma- ran away on the great adventure as the mischievous boy, or the adolescent tion below the tough skin, kills the cabin boy. This somewhat sobered stock-broker. He was the most dis-

It has been known for years that power alcohol could be distilled from the pear, but the cost of cutting, crushing and distilling has been estimated to be so enormous that the return of one and a half gallons per ton would be quite incommensurate with the ex-

Now a method has been discovered of distilling power alcohol from the crushed pear to give a yield of fourteen gailous to the ton and thus it will be possible not only to clear the enormous acreage at present abandoned and free it for migrants, but to provide power alcohol for Australia from il limitable and local sources.

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### Surnames and Their Origin

FLETCHER

Flower.

Who says there is no romance in names? How many business men, industries of medieval England, and Most of the family names in this

musket and the rifle.

The family name Arsmith is simply

who affixed the feathers or "fledges" meaning of "fitz" as "son of." Among European royalty the risk of finesse, for the true flights of the ar- game preserve. The farener was the comes the name "Flower."

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pation. Here is a group of family names, al manufacturers, merchants, manual of which come from either of two workers and professional men of this sources but from which it is imposoccupations without a thought, with- except where the individual is fortunout even the knowledge that their ate enough to be able to trace back

group are the outgrowths of a given The ancestors of the Fletchers, Ar- name which was quite widespread in miths, Setters, Tippers and Flowers medieval England, having been introwere the backbone of the English na. duced by the Normans, but which has tion in the middle ages, for they fur- become obsolete to-day as a given nished her fighting forces with muni- name. They are, of course, to b tions, that deadliest weapon with found many men who bear Warren as which the English maintained their their first names, but in virtually every independence upon many a battlefield case this is the result of the purely before the final development of the modern custom of using a family name lower, and the hatred for the British is

The old name, in its Norman form, was originally "Guarin" or "Guerin." the Earl of Reading's last year as Vicecords. Warnelt comes from "Wari-The Fletchers (it was also spelled most part, in the course of time. The most distinguished Jews of his time

(from the same word root which gives | Warren, however, often comes from us both "feather" and "fledgeling") to the same source as Warner, which is cess which required the greatest ener" or "Warner," from "Waren," a row in those long shots for which the officer who had charge of these forest

Here, while still a young man, laxative which regulate the bowels, though through no fault of his own, he sweeten the stomach and thus drive failed, and was "hammered on the out constipation and indigestion; ban-Stock Exchange"-that is, announced ish colic; break up colds and simple as insolvent in the awe-inspiring cere- fevers and make the baby healthy and WORST BOY AT SCHOOL, mony still employed there, more dread- happy. The Tablets are guaranteed ed by brokers than any other conceiv- to be absolutely free from opiates or able doom. It is the Earl of Birken- other harmful drugs-they cannot poshead, the present Secretary for India, sibly do harm-always good. They who writes of that epoch in Lord Read- are sold by medicine dealers or by ing's life: "Inexperienced, penniless, mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. almost friendless, it might have seemed that his career was ended almost before it was begun. But it was at this point that the resource and the resfliency of the young man first made

one occasion a favorite Minister made in London to confer with the Govern- He abandoned business and took up a sudden movement. The Sultan shot ment on Indian policy, is the only man the study of law, and in due course in the world who actually rules over passed his bar examinations. Then On February 1st, 1908, the world was as many as 350,000,000 persons. It began one of the most brilliant of restartled by the news of the assassina- has been a strange destiny that has cords as practicing attorney. In five tion of King Carlos of Portugal and his conferred such a power on Rufus years he had repaid every penny of his heir. The tragedy took place on the Isaacs. As a boy he sailed up the Stock Exchange debt. And he made a quayside, Lisbon, the shots being fired Hugli River bound for Calcutta, as success of a kind never duplicated, beby seven political miscreants connect- cabin boy to the captain of a brig. To- fore or since, as earner of fees. Lord ed with the Republican party. Dom day as Viceroy he ranks in Indian be- Birkenhead says he earned more Manoel was called to the throne, but fore members of the royal family; that money than any common-law prac-

Isaacs, the former cabin boy and son English bar he entered Parliament as a Liberal. But he did not immediately Mrs. Gold (motoring) - "Did you If philosophers wish to preach the succeed, or ever establish a parlia- hear that fellow call to you, "Hello, lesson of the profound service of fail- mentary reputation, much to the sur- old top?" One of the worst pests that Australia ure in moulding a man's success, Lord prise of his colleagues. Perhaps too Hubby-"Yes, what of it?"

wrong. Never Excused Himself.

"He never sought to deny or palbrings the brains of Solomon to every one's business but his own. To a man of scrupulous integrity and of an alnightmare."

The Marconi affair did not interfere with his promotion. The year before For Every III-Minard's Liniment.

days many European Courts were archers of old England were famous wilds and naturally came to be known The well child is always a happy plunged into mourning by the assas- depended as much on the feather as as "Jacke le Warner," "Richard de child-it is a baby's nature to be hapanything. The term "fletcher" also Waren," etc. Sons often followed the py and contented. Mothers, if your was used in the more general sense as same calling as their fathers, and so little ones are cross and peevish and of the present monarch, was shot at by embracing the entire craft of arrow such names in many cases lost their cry a great deal they are not wellanarchists. Acciarite who lived for makers. "Flo" was a familiar name original meaning descriptive of occu- they are in need of a medicine-some some time in Soho-fired at the King for the arrow in those days, whence pation and became simply family thing that will set their bowels and stomach in order, for nine-tenths of all LORD READING'S RISE study, and then went into business "in ordered state of the bowels and stom-

Tablets. They are a mild but thorough

war, he was found to be the outstand-

ing figure in the great financial

triumph of the British, one of the greatest feats of statesmanship in

their history: the formation and appli-

In 1915 he became president of the

Achievement in India.

sinking-perhaps only temporarily. If,

during his next year, which will be

he will have silenced his critics.

participation in the war.

ty of India.

mined his power.

over them again.

the prickly pear. It has been found began as a failure-in the familiar however, become Solicitor General, anyone to make a remark like that. Came you here out of heaven to bring and the coroners report that it's the

### Douglas Fir Log.

him, and he returned to some more tinguished lawyer in England, and law home, built inside one huge log of officer of the Crown. And together Douglas fir, mounted on a five-ton with Lloyd George he was implicated truck, is the latest in covered wagons. in a charge of having used Cabinet in. It is the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. formation to speculate in Marconi Cave, who are reported on the way shares. The incidents would have east to show people on this side of the ruined almost any one else. "Every Rockies what the far west can produce one," writes Lord Birkenhead, "who in the way of trees. The big log was knew Rufus Isaacs-personally or po- hollowed out by using special saws, litically-knew that he was one of the after which partitions were built in men who are absolutely incapable of dividing the space into living room doing any act which they believe to be and bedroom combined, kitchenet, We supply cans and pay express breakfast nook, library, closets, show- charges. We pay dally by express | Your stiff muscles by rubbing well er bath and lavatory. Full sized money orders, which can be cashed doors, front and rear, afford easy en- anywhere without any charge. liate an admitted indiscretion. His trance and exit. The house is electriwas, in fact, the case of a lawyer who cally lighted and piped with a pressure water system. The natural bark remains on the log.

Whale-meat is regarded in South most feminine sensitiveness, the African native settlements as a great months that passed must have been delicacy, and in British Columbia it somewhat like a long and 'terrible is canned in large quantities for ex-

### the war he became Lord Chief Jus- HELP FOR TIRED tice, and then, at the outbreak of the HELP FOR TIRED **NERVOUS PEOPLE**

cation of sound finance to the British Found in the Use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Angle-French Loan Mission to the Are you pale and weak, tired most United States, and went to Washing- of the time, out of breath on slight ton again in 1917 as High Commission- exertion? er and Special Ambassador. Lord Are you nervous, is your sleep dis-Birkenhead lauds him as "a great dip- turbed so that rest does not refresh

lomatist \* \* \* His charm, his tact, you? his patience, his lucid intelligence and Is your appetite poor, your digestion his incredible grasp of detail combine weak and do you have pains after eatto give him an equipment which few ing?

diplomatists, even among the great- If you have any of these symptoms est, have enjoyed." But he returned you need the help of such a reliable. The words, envenomed, that have to resume his work as Lord Chief Jus- tonic as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. tice not altogether escaping critic Read what Mr. W. W. Francis, of Calcism for having retained this post gary, Alta., says of this tonic. "After while being, in fact, an ambassador, returning from overseas," writes Mr. ing, Warison, Wasson, Fitzwarin, And then he was offered the Viceroyal- Francis, "my whole system was in a badly run down condition. I became nervous, irritable, pale and lost weight. Of course I was given treatment and Thy friends's warm clasp, and free for-As Viceroy, Lord Reading's achieverecommended many tonics, some of ments may be said to be still under which I took, but with no apparent rescrutiny. He reached India in the most sult. At last I could not even sleep. serious crisis in its modern history. My sister, who is in England, wrote Yea, at the conflict's end, from vant- Of the plunging ship And during his stay the crisis has sub- and urged me to give Dr. Williams' sided. Lord Reading, the Liberal, has Pink Pills a trial, and I can scarcely been patient to the point of woefully say how glad I am that I took her adexasperating the die-hards, who think vice. My friends were surprised at Behold! An enemy this good hath done of India as a land that can benefit my complete recovery, but I assured most by intimidation, swift blows and them it was due entirely to Dr. Wil-

firmness. These old die-hards point liams' Pink Pills and I now always

out that while Lord Reading met and keep a box on hand in case of emer-

pleaded with Ghandi, it was Lord Lyt- gency." ton, Governor of Bengal, who imprison- If you are ailing give these pills a ed him, which without doubt under- fair trial and they will not disappoint Every new building of any size has its you. Sold by all dealers in medicine lifts, and the escalator principle, in body has ever seen the stars until he But India is slowly growing pros- or sent by mail at 50 cents a box by use at most of the big thbe railwayperous. Its financial crisis has passed, writing The Dr. Williams' Medicine stations, is also spreading. the sectional antipathies are burning Co., Brockville, Ont.

#### Thing Puzzles and Word Puzzles.

roy, this process gains impetus, and ly became softened into "Warin," in a warmer co-operation between the ten nearly fifty years ago, it is pointed be sufficiently wide to accommodate comparable glory of the Alpine moon, which form it fairly crowds the old re- governing and the governed develops, out that puzzles or enigmas have al- bicycles and perambulators. ways been of two kinds-one popular | Experts are not surprised by this Then he will return to a well-earned and familiar from remote antiquity innovation. They tell us that they Alps is true also of our Rockies or Tippers were craftsmen who sharp ending. Warison Warison retirement (he is a most 70) as one of among peasants and illiteraes as well look forward to the time when all the It will be remembered that some ened the points after they had been and Wasson all come from "Warin's. the most distinguished Englishmen as the more scholarly, the other literson," the "son" being dropped, for the living, and probably one of the two ary and enjoyed only in more cultured of huge moving tracks on the escalator society. These two sorts may be call- principle. All kinds of traffic will be ed thing puzzles and word puzzles, carried with the exception of very Thing puzzles, some of the surviving heavily loaded lorries. There will be from scraps of leather many important examples of which are very old, are junctions at the crossings, where you substances, including drugs, medicines, often simple and rather childish; for will simply step from one moving example, here is one of the oldest: track to the other, according to the

"I wander about my home; water direction in which you were going. flows past. Men come; the house goes | What would this cost? The most | out of the windows, and I am a prison- up-to-date moving stairways in the

France, is another of the same kind, be attained. of which a literal translation is:

"Four feet upon four feet: Four feet awaiting four feet: Four feet do not come:

Four feet go away: Four feet remain."

A cat on a four-legged chair was sit- fered him a lift. Waiting an enemy cat and spitting.

Cat doth not come: Cat doth go:

The chair remaineth: cheerio!" fashion; nor does it appear likely that demanded. zles of many kinds-anagram, acros. "It was lucky that this time there were tic, charade and cross-word puzzle, de- no bones broken, but I always like to manding wider knowledge, less naiv- have a doctor with me when I drive ete and livelier wits, have their ups that horse." and downs, come and go and return puzzles will no doubt soon wane. But quire cleverness. Perhaps a century hence everybody will be hard at work

### To a Bluebird.

Was it your wandering voice I heard, "I like your spirit, my boy. There Joy of the spring and best. With the sky-tinge on your back, little in a career of that kind."

Sing you a song of delicious lands,

Where soft, sweet ripples play, Of buds a-bursting their silken bands in the world, the coral-fish of Java is And meadows glad with May?

Of mate and nest, little bird, do you

And why from your loved ones rove. A message from those I love?

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Unkindly, cutting winter thy foe por-

Bidding beware.

The point of envy, malice, or disdain May prick the bubble of unwholesome pride;

given thee pain. Thy tongue may chide.

Dread not the rapier with its lightning Thou wilt be ready if thy foe be

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giving heart

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turned angrily toward the clergyman. Thing puzzles are indeed long out of to ride behind such an animal?" he they will return to favor. Word puz- "Well," replied the minister, mildly,

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> And I am out of the littered forecastle In a long chair from which I watch Fat clouds toll up the steep blue sky.

The wavering dog barking emptily Against the gaunt front of the wood lot The dipping shadow of a floating hawk Over the yellow-green blueberry

patches And your swift fingers Plucking a punctual needle through cloth. . . .

The letter ends With the scrawly hieroglyph Of your warm name And I am outbound again Hearing the iron groanings Seeing the aimless fingers of the wind Pulling white threads through blue.

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