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century cemetery alancovered. The existcemetery was known, e famous burial ground a great epidemic. But the heart of the city, n until the subway dig-

foscow always has been of surprises. In 1910, a full skeleton of a prenoth was unearthed in exeavations were made nain. Digging on Red cears later, workers dispassage into St. Basil's e passage were several e dressed in eighteenth

ert of the subway will a section which was aucient center of Mos or relics of the strange known life of the times. current suppositions is where the rebel Pugaer famous prisoners of were kept is under the inka Square. If excathis supposition it will in political piquancy, Inwarters of the G.P.U. is located on the site he subway construction red hopes for the dis-Inhalous library of Ivan which was kept in a the Kremlin walls.

horay diggers reach the the underground railparallel with one of the omsiderable stretch-it many secret chambers will be uncarthed. Rehave survived for cea-

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Word "Assassin" e in The Morning Post hich reveals that remstrange sect of Assauhe found. the writer in of the word, 't will prise to most persons. fill to be found, he says, the of Asia, of the mysof Assassins, one of longholds has just been Northern Persia. Small he sect are believed to mountain districts of frines similar to theirs

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Assassins was founded 1990, by Hassan ben Sab-Its absolute head was

irrency is Here y Tourist Believes

walked over to the watook a long drink



at your feet" at amounts to about tether, doesn't it?"

Bird Flight

Often it seems that birds in the air have no definite aims. Among untrained birds the robin is one of the few that really seem to be going some place. That carrier pigeons know their business has been attested many

times, notably during the Great War. Birds in migration follow a definite course. However erratic they may appear it other time, they settle down to business when it comes time to change homes. At the end of summer the terns fly from the Arctic re- Contract is played there are one or At Contract, the dealer should bid of the garden can follow. gion virtually to the South Pole, and more players who refuse to conform two no trump and, when partner over-

birds cross the North Sea similarly, sticking to a certain course each trip, club in his hand and was criticized

"crazy" things. Moths and bats are ous to fool your partner than your at no trump, but his partner could ty for man seems to spell disaster for the whole truth and nothing but the sponds with the minimum bid of two is the coziest little shelter in the dentally, it may be remarked that the occasionally successful, but much spades to the Jack, should now bid thrushes, warblers, vireos, etc.-the run.

rate of flight. Contrast a bat and an eral to overbid no trump hands that eagle; the former cannot rise from a contain four aces. They seem to be trump, second hand passed and the wheelbarrow can never be left out perfectly level surface; the latter can hypnotized by the four aces and over- dealer's partner bid two spades. Third of any enterprise. It is indeed astonpush off from any place, at any angle, bid a sure game bid by their partners hand passed and the dealer bid two no ishing that the gardener can suppose with astounding celerity, and rise to just so they can score the four aces. trump. This is the worst bid of any, the wheelbarrow is his. There are a height of 6,000 feet. A few other They seem to forget that the value of as he holds fewer supporting cards other things, too, in dusty corners, birds, notably the lark and crow, tra- a game is much greater. This ten- than in the preceding hands. This bid forgotten things that nobody else vel at an altitude of five or six thous- during the last week in games in spades, they would have scored five and broken rakes and spades, wicker characteristic of birds of prey to soar in wide circles, but when aiming at a certain point the eagle uses the steady wing beat method.

It is interesting to note the different manners in which birds meet ob- hand passed and the dealer's partner a doubtful game at no trump. stacles. Some duck an obstruction; bid two hearts. Third hand passed At Contract, the dealer should bid a quail jumps it, a snipe dodges it, a and the dealer gaily bid two no trump one no trump and, if partner should mallard swerves. A hawk will stand and all pass Hi partner had a bid two spades, he should bid four rabbit was reared there on carrot absolutely still in the air sizing up the blank hand with the exception of six spades. situation, then suddenly shot away at hearts to the queen and the dealer The following hand is another good further concealment. marvellous speed. Some ducks are trick. At hearts, they would have angle did not justify it: teal and the canvasback sometimes exceed 130 miles an hour; but ordinarily they loaf along and adapt their

action to the needs of the hour. For combination of speed and grace, swallows are hard to surpass. I read Hearts-9, 5 of one's flight from Antwerp to Com- Clubs-J. 7, 5 peigne. The distance of 140 miles was Diamonds-A, 10, 9, 7, 4, 2 accomplished in 68 minutes.

Such birds as the chimney swift and the frigate bird are often seen to fly slowly. They practically live on the wing, and are sometimes eating, sleeping or making their toilet when

hour, when necessary.

The wind plays such a part in flight tract. pigeon's flight when sailing with a moderate wind is 1,540 yards a minute, as compared with 1,200 in calm weather. With a strong wind its speed is nearly doubled, or about 2,000 yards a

It would be interesting to note just Clubs-J. 7 how rapidly the fastest hawk, backed Diamonds-9, 7 by a strong wind, could cut through Spades-6

Most of us have heard of the wingslot invented by Handley Page. J has greatly increased the safety of flying by preventing the serious releading edge of the wings near the tip. and when the plane slows down to near the stalling speed the slots open Ancient Craters out automatically and give the wing greater lifting power at the lower

the tip, each feather forms a slot for the feather behind it and thus we have tem, birds would be unable to perform the low-speed, spot landings at which they are so adept .- "Animal Life.."

Though All Else Go No one can rob us of our dreams: Through all the bludgeoning of fate,

Through all the heartache, when it No bit of beauty shall remain, Still live our dreams inviolate, Still flow the rivers and the streams, Still blow the winds, and still the rain Slants joyously on field and plain, And ever Spring returns again



Hand Co. 2

Hand No. 3

Hearts-A. 9. 6, 2

Clubs-A, 9, 7

Diamonds-A. Q

Spades-A, 10, 9, 4

Hearts-A, K, J, 2

Diamonds-A. Q. 2

Spades-A, Q, 10

Clubs-A. Q. 7

ARTICLE No. 33 In every locality where Auction or scored four odd. ding. They all have their reasons for four hearts. it has been observed that migratory not doing so, but none of more orig-Doubtless atmospheric conditions for the bid by his partner, replied: modify bird flight, at least to some ex- "Your criticism is unreasonable. I

Needless to say, his argument was that his partner could score game at That is the charm of the tool-But it is true that birds do many faulty in that it is much more danger- spades. He managed to make two odd not the only flying things that fly in- opponents. Foci your opponents when have made four odd at spades, of At times it is a subterranean passage to a light. A surprising number of ever you have the opportunity of do which he held six to the jack. the night fliers are killed by impact ing so without also fooling your part. At Contract, the dealer should bid blue fewels; or it is a grim castle, with lighthouses. The beacon of safe- ner; but tell your partner the truth, two hearts and when his partner re- perched on a dark mountainside. It the feathered night migrant. Inci- truth. In no other way can you obtain no trump, the dealer should bid three world, when the child lies curled up the best results. Camouflage bids are no trump. His partner, holding six on an old sack reading Robinson students of birds should give special more often they are boomerangs and four spades. The bidding at Contract Crusce, by the aid of a flicketing attention to night study. More birds the source of big losses. Let the is thus much more accurate with this candle-end. The things in it are mystravel at night than by day, and they other fellow take such chances and hand. are generally of a different class- you will take the money in the long

more timid birds, generally speaking. The writer has referre many times Birds differ greatly in method and Auction and Contract players in gen-

Hand No. 1 Hearts-A. 10. 4 Clubs-A, Q, 10, 2 Diamonds-A. 7 Spades-A. K. 4. 2

the dealer bid one no trump, second a sure game at a suit bid, rather than for drawing-room use. Many a broken

Problem Hearts-3, 2 Clubs-A, K, 10, 6 Diamonds-K. Q. 8, 3 Hearts-A. K. 8 Clubs-Q, 9, 4 Diamonds-J. 6 Spades-K. Q. 10. 8 Hearts-Q, J, 10, 7, 6, 4 Clubs-8, 3, 2 Diamonds-5

Spades-A. J. 9

Spades-6. 4

B dealt and bid one spade, Z doub- king of hearts. B then led the jack of stay below, occupied in the womanly they appear to be loafing. The latter led, A bid two diamonds, Y and B diamonds, allowing Y to win the trick duty of cooking the dinner. But one can speed up to a hundred miles an passed, and Z bid two hearts. A and with the queen of diamonds. Y now day she will climb the roof, and it Y passed and B now had the choice of led the king of clubs and then the trey may be that she will see yet more defending the hand with a certainty of hearts. B played a low heart and wonderful things to tell the bewil-The hawk is a king of flight. With of saving game or of trying for a prob- Z won the trick with the ten of hearts. dered gardener below. the power to fly 200 miles an hour, lematical and very doubtful game in He then returned the low heart on In the meanwhile: "Ahoy, my the sight to spy an object at twenty no trump. He chose to bid two no which A discarded a low diamond, Y times the distance possible for the trump, which Z doubled and set for a low club, and B won the trick with merry mariners!" Adventures are strongest human eyes, the muscular 500 points. There was no excuse for the ace of hearts. He now chose to here in plenty, and never did a dim power to lift and carry away a large B's bid as the bidding indicated that lead the diamonds and, when Z dis- dirty little window open upon fairer rabbit, and the courage to execute his Z held a big hand. It is a good ex- carded a low club, won the trick with visions. Never did a dark cobwebby ample of the wrong angle, too much the ace of diamonds and led back the shed hold more radiant dreams. The designs, a hawk is a formidable yet an to lose and too little to gain, and is ten of diamonds, Y winning the trick gardener may grumble when ae is applicable either to Auction or Con- with the king of diamonds. On this told his wheelbarrow is something

The wind plays such a part in flight tract.

The play of the hand was interesting the played the double in the air cannot be intelligibly discussed without in the played the double in the played the played the played the double in the played t some consideration of its effects. Ex- "squeeze," one of the rarest situations trick with the ace of spades. The the child. to arise in Auction. Z opened with the cards now remaining in the various

queen of hearts, which B won with the hands are as follows: Hearts-none Clubs-A. 10 Diamonds-8 Spades-3, 2 Hearts-none Clubs-Q, 9 Diamonds-none Spades-K, 10, 8 Hearts-J, 7, 6

Diamonds-none Spades-J Z is in the lead, there are no trumps | "squeeze"; that is, w sults which often have occurred in and Y Z are to take every trick ents' hands are forced 3 discard the past when an airplane is "stalled." against any defense. This is a very to give up winning cards. These slots are built into the front or pretty problem in discarding and a The solution will be given in the perfect illustration of the double next article.

The Canadian Boy, commenting on craters now known on the earth's sur- wiped out any modern city had it fectly grasped and are open to doubt. this, points out that the birds of the face and believed to have been made skies have been using the same prin- by gigantic meteorites or by swarms ciple for thousands of years—slotted of these objects perhaps resembling that all four of these dangerous falls, wings of a perfection not yet reached the heads of comets apparently has by the man-made article. The wing of been discovered in the almost unmost birds is so constructed that, near visited centre of Arabia. Some months parts of the earth's surface. It be- hubby jealous?" ago the British explorer, H. St. J. Philby, crossed parts of Arabia never be- giant meteor falls are commoner than a very efficient arrangement for low fore explored by a modern geographer. speeds. Possibly, without this sys- At one spot he found a set of craters provisionally identified by him as vol- cause an enormous catastrophe. Percanic. He also found specimens of iron, apparently meteoric, and many rah may be a memory of some such pieces of glassy material, like fused

sand. These specimens now have been examined by experts at the British Museum in London, and lead to the conviction that the Arabian craters really represent the landing with this firm, madam?" Customer. spot of another gigantic meteoric body "No, but maybe I can arrange matresembling those which made the ters with your manager." Assistant similar meteor craters in Arizona and (to manager): "A lady of no account in Siberia and the third set found only to see you, sir." a few months ago in the wilds of cen-

which happened only a few years ago, map."

was visible for hundreds of miles and was accompanied by an eenormous ex-The fourth of the remarkable quake. Undoubtedly it would have which transcend it cannot be perchanced to strike in such a neighborhood. It is a remarkable coincidence

including the newest Arabian one, home, dear?" "Charming! I simply selected the most completely deserted love the loggia." "I say! Isn't your gins to be evident, however, that such once was believed. Sooner of later one probably will strike a city and haps the story of Sodom and Gomorancient event; possibly even the Arabian fall the craters of which have been discovered.

Assistant: "Have you an account

tralia Australia. The Arabian craters, Thomas: "What towns did you go To lead us back to our lost dreams. Mr. Philby reports, may be the through on your motor tour," Till: - Sherry King in The Chicago Tri- largest of all. The Siberian fall, "I don't know. We lost our road

The Tool-Shed

him. The owner of the garden be- And I would like to set my feet mouse considers & his home, and other small inhabitants regard them. And once again in rocky glen selves as the rightful proprietors; I'd like to meet with faery men. the tool-shed belongs. He is not as small as the mouse, but he knows But more than all, oh, I would list of many a delightful corner where A voice that called me by my name, he can squeeze himself in, where Shot through the air like holy flame. neither the gardener nor the owner Then I forgot the things that seem,

scarcely deviate from a direct line in to the recognized conventions of bid- bids with three hearts, he should bid A great gale raged outside; waves Set in the craggy mountain side; Once the tool-shed was a ship. And saw a door that opened wide, washed over the gallant little craft And knew that joy for ever more which trembled from stem to stern. Was just the other side the door, The skipper, red in the face, and And I should walk with Aengus there, with grimy hands, clung to the rig- And Etain of the yellow hair. ging and shouted: "Ahoy, my merry tent. A French student of pigeons' have only on partner and two oppon- trump, second hand passed and the under a cobweb-draped shelf, re-The dealer at Auction bid one no mariners!" And the merry mariner, Oh, would that I could tread once flight noted on two occasions that ents so that if I fool you, I am also dealer's partner bid two spades. Third sponded with an earnest invitation That weedy strand, that heather magnetic storms caused unsatisfac- fooling them, so the odds are just two hand passed and the dealer bid two to join her and her dolls at a tea-1) trump although practically certain part in Buckingham Palace.

> shed. It can be two places at once. to a cave, glittering with red and terious, and never what they seem to be. The lawn mower once became an airplane in its hangar, resting after a journey round the world. A stack of flower pots has been a Red Indian's stockade, and a friendly odd. Don't let four aces lead you on to a bad bid. Always make game the baskets, twine, and wooden pegs. objective and consider four aces only They all come in usefully on a desert as an incident. A game is worth 125 island, or at the banquet of a Highpoints, or just 25 points more than land Chief. There are books, too, 100 aces; so, from that point of view, that have lost their covers and most With the foregoing hand at Auction, the odds are five to four in favor of of their leaves, so are no longer fit but precious toy lies among last year's leaves, and once an infant! tops until it grew too sportive for

In spring an apple tree throws its pink and white blossoms across the tiled roof. This is the signal to climb the roof, and from its heights explore the neighboring territory through a toy telescope. Never again, perhaps, is the world so interesting as from that roof. A Chinese Mandarin would seem to dwell in the next garden, and a burning desert, a bamboo grove, thick tropical forests, and winding rivers lie on every hand. The child's sister, the other child, listens wonderingly. She has not yet ventured to climb the roof, and must



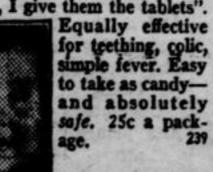
Baseball Manager-"I am going to select new uniforms for my

Disgusted Rooter-"How about caps of green billiard cloth to match their ivory domes?" TRUTHS.

The mind is most positive upon Caused by Meteors plosion and a considerable earth- truths smaller than itself; truths

"And how do you like your new

Wheeler, Toronto, Ont. "Whenever my children get cross and peevish and refuse to eat, I give them the tablets".



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Scotch Arran

Oh I would like to tread once more The gardener thinks it belongs to The weedy strand of Arran's shore, lieves that it is hers. A bright-eyed Down where the sand and heather

but it is really the child to whom Chasing the white does through the

And wandered in a happy dream;

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cannot unmake. . . . Your honest impulse is to tell your sons and daughters to speak the truth fearlessly, but if the best you can do for them after that is to start them in life as salesmen or shop assistants or in the great publicity industry of advertising or di-"Baby's Own Tablets are wonderful for plomacy, you are checked by the resummer complaint", writes Mrs. Laura | flection that only as shameless liars

can they hope to succeed. I am afraid we must make the world honest before we can honestfor teething, colic, ly tell our children that honesty is simple fever. Easy the best policy.

You had really better give your

children no advice at all, but go your own way and leave your children to go theirs and form their own conclusions. Let us hope that their conclusions will be wiser than ours. Plankton, a food of the seas, is

grown under the sun's rays.

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retouched photographs, color changes for ladies' hair, etc. But there is a sense of shock in lease for a term with purchase in view.

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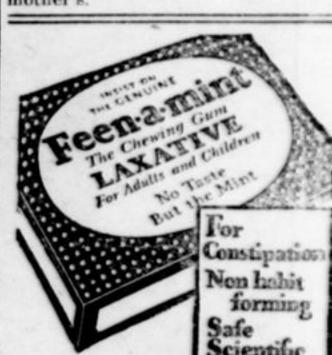
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