their boots being removed.

It has been suggested that the strip-ping of the clothes is caused by the

rapid formation of steam. When trees are struck the bark is frequently torn

off, probably by the electricity passing. between it and the wood. It is not unreasonable to imagine that the same ex-

planation applies to the removal of

Little less remarkable is the shaving

ffect which is sometimes seen. Two

men who were in a windmill were struck

by lightning. They were both rendered

deaf, and the hair, beard and eyebrows of one were burned. A woman who was

struck had the hair of her head com-

pletely removed. Sometimes the hair returns and sometimes the part is per-

manently bald. In the case at Rrugers-dorp bones were broken, and a few other

similar cases are recorded. Probably in

some of them the fracture was caused by the fall. Flammarion mentions a

case in which eight sheep were struck; all their hones were broken as though

crushed in a mortar. The fall would

through a number of persons holding hands it is generally felt most by those

cases have been recorded in which only those which may be called the terminals

of a series of animals are damaged. Five

horses in a line received a stroke of ightning; only the first and last were

silled. On another occasion five horses

n a stable were struck; the only animal

escape death was the horse in the

Several remarkable accounts have

been recorded where alternate animals

of a series have been killed. During

stable where there were twenty cows,

and it killed ten of them. The first, the third and so on were killed, while

the second, the fourth and so on sur-

vived. It is certainly difficult to explain

Cases of complete incineration are

not rare, but more remarkable are the

cattle and sheep herd together, and this

"The first thing he noticed on ex-

amining the man was that there was on

tated the man, who was taken to the

ourns on parts of the body near matches

in which he sat at the moment of death.

te same flash of lightning. When

"In another case a woman was struck

while picking a poppy. The body was found standing with the flower still in

her hand. The most probable explana-

tion of these occurrences is the instan-

taneous onset of rigor mortis, and i

has been shown experimentally that in animals killed by electricity the onset of

rigor mortis can be hastened by increas

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found they appeared to be still eating.

had his hand on a plate.

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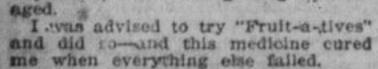
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not account for this.

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CEN. SIR EWE FORESTIER-WALKER GCMG. K.C.B. thankful to be once more well, and I miralty yards and docks and at half- Government House, drove Mr. Roose- Roosevelt paid a visit to La Linea, make this statement for the past ten he called on the governor, velt to the north front and the neuwho, after escorting . him through tral ground. Meanwhile Kermit saw the bull ring.

OUT VAGABONDAGE.

NEW YORK'S PLAN TO WIPE

Those in European Countries-Reviews of Reviews.

there is an army of at least one-half mil- three tramp colonies, one near New York | the inmate. the proportion of trainmen killed in the areas of waste land for the colonies, and Any tramp who violates the terms of his lightning discharge. Nearly always the Many of the leading members year compared to the total number of the remainder for the erection of neces- conditional release is to forfeit all that picture is that of a tree and may be trainmen employed. But it is entirely sary buildings. The governor is to ap- he has earned. probable that the number at present point five men, who shall constitute a One of the most important provisions electricity. While not denying the possi-

roads believe that they have at last come mate will be able to get a parole upon a plan which is quite certain to giving proofs of good behavior, and if highways of tramps in Holland and Bel- ger who had been found unconscious prove efficacious. This plan is a trans- the trustees are convinced that he will gium, but they have done so inexpensive under a tree, having been struck by planting, with certain modifications, | not violate the law. But if any tramp | ly in Switzerland." of the tramp colony idea already in attempts to escape from the colony in force in Holland, Belgium and Swit- which he is confined he is to be subject colonies vagrancy has been unknown in of from one to three years. hose countries, and, although they have | The colonies are to be more agriculdopted in this country the general plan to subordinate the industrial features to p

GENERAL

lature, eventually, is regarded as cer- based upon the pecuniary value of the destroyed by lightning. Two hundred

duration of sentence, although no sen- as it has already disappeared in Holland, on one side it had a monogram of two The charitable societies and the rail- tence is to exceed two years. Any in- Belguim and Switzerland; and not only "D's" intertwined. Some time later Dr. erland. Since the instituting of these to a term in state prison for a period

certain features which cannot well be tural than industrial. The aim will be

of these European experiments will be the agricultural. Competition with free instances in which the body of a man labor will be strictl- avoided. Waste killed by lightning has appeared to be The life step toward the establish- land will be reclaimed and cultivated as unaltered, but when touched it has ment of tramp colonies in America has truck gardens. It is believed that the crumbled to dust. In 1883 three soldiers been taken in New York. Such public- large cities are able to absorb so much took shelter under a tree and a stroke of spirited men as Edmond Kelly, R. Ful- produce that these gardens will not in- lightning killed them all, but they all ton Cutting, Robert W. de Forest, Sam- terfere with the trade of small farmers. remained standing, and even ther ucl J. Barrows and other have joined Probable the entire product of the col- clothes appeared to be intact, but when with all of the charitable societies and onies may be supplied to state institu- touched the bodies fell into a heap of Will Establish Colonies Similar to the railroad lines in drawing up a bill tions. Every inmate is to be paid for ashes. which has been introduced in the legis- his labor, and the cumulative amount | The lower animals appear to be more lature. That this bill will become a given to him wher he is released. This liable to be struck than human beings. There Are Half a Million law, if not at this session of the legis- compensation, it is provided, shall be A whole herd of cattle or sheep may be.

teviews of Reviews.

It is conservatively estimated that quarters of a million dollars to establish ingness industry and good conduct" of destroyed at one time. In a storm lion tramps in the United States. This city, the second in the neighborhood of ishments the superintendent of each colthe number of tramps killed on the rail-roads every year and multiplying it by posed, will be used in buying sufficient of fines to be imposed at his discretion.

fession have conferred a favor reaches nearer a million than one-half board of trustees of labor colonies, and is that allowing the trustees to appoint bility of such picture making, the writer who are to serve without pay. This as adviser any person who has acted in considers the evidence quite insufficient. A large proportion are youths ranging from 16 to 21 years of age. Beginning with a yearning for adventure.

These colonies, the tution outside of the United States. In bill sets forth, are to be devoted to the Europe a number of tramp colonies are lightning when sheltering under a tree. about one-half quit the nomadic life, and detention, reformation and instruction in successful operation and it is the The cow was killed, but the woman, return home or settle down, while the of persons convicted of vagrancy, habi- intention to engage an expert from one though for a time unconscious, soon reremaining half become inveterate tramps tual drunkenness and violation of sec- 10f them to initiate a similar system here. vived; on her breast was seen a repreand gradually tend from vagrancy into tion 426 of the penal code. This section Mr. Edmond Kelly, who for years has sentation of a cow. Here also a healthy a career of crime or semi-crime. A it may be noted, is the particular one been studying these European colonies scepticism is reasonable, for the picture and has personally visited all of them, of the cow was only seen by peasants. ever, are adults and comprise every as trespassing, theft and other crimes. says that "if American legislatures were to take the matter in hand vagabondage emdinger was returning home by train; or have become chronically unfitted for compulsory detention. Magistrates are and all its attending evils would dis- when he got out at the station his purse work to those who are innocent victims to have the full power of fixing the appear like magic from American soil was missing. It was a tortoise shell, and

> FREAKS OF LIGHTNING. Rips Off Clothing, Breaks Bones, gram, the intertwined "D's"; he resusci-

Causes Strange Deaths. Perhaps the most curious accompani- hospital. Dr. Derendinger said that his ent of a lightning shock is the strip- purse would probably be found in the ing off of the clothes. This appears patient's pocket, and so it proved. This to be very common. A writer in the case is certainly more easily understood, Lancer describes a case in which a man for the metal on the monogram would was struck by lightning while standing prove a good conductor, and so we can willow tree. Immediately after- imagine how its image might be impreswards his boots were found at the foot |sed on the skin. Similar cases are reof the tree and the man was lying on corded of the imprinting of money and bis back two yards off, absolutely naked other metallic objects on the skin by except for part of the left arm of his lightning, and it is common to find

He was conscious, but much burned, or other metallic objects. and his left leg was broken. The field "A very curious effect is sometimes around was strewn with fragments of produced. The person struck is killed, the clothes, torn from top to bottom, and yet he remains in the very attitude The boots were partly torn.

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