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HUMOR PLAY WORK

ONE REEL YARNS

CHANGING UNCLE JOHN Over the desk in the living room hung a picture of Great-Uncle John. Stacia could not remember when he had not been there. He was a stifflooking man with very heavy eyebrows and a high collar. Stacia had often heard her mother speak of what a fine man he had been. Sometimes Stacia would make faces

at the picture, but he frowned back at her solemnly. Then she would shake her fist at him, but he never paid any attention to her.

When Stacia's mother went west for several months because of her health and Stacia was left to be housekeeper. her first thought was to fix over some of the rooms, and do some of the things she had long wanted to do.

Among the first of these was to get rid of Great-Uncle John. It seemed to her that he cast a shadow over the whole living room. So she mounted a chair and pulled Uncle John down

Then she stopped to think of what to do with him. She couldn't throw him away. That was out of the question. She couldn't put him in the store-room, because his frame might get broken, and her mother would be angry when she came back.

First she put him up in the hall, but it was unpleasant to look at him when she first came in. She tried the kit chen, but he bothered her when she was rushing about trying to cook. There was no use trying to put him in her father's room. And she just souldn't stand him in her own.

John glared at her so she took him down. For over a week she tried him These small holes an equal distance in different places, but he looked at from each other should be laid. "Well," she said at last, "you can

have your way. I didn't know a pic ture could have a mind of its own." And she stood once more on the chair, as she put Great-Uncle John back in

TO-DAY'S PUZZLE Answer to yesterday's: Dallas.

"The day wore on." What did it wear?" "The close of day."

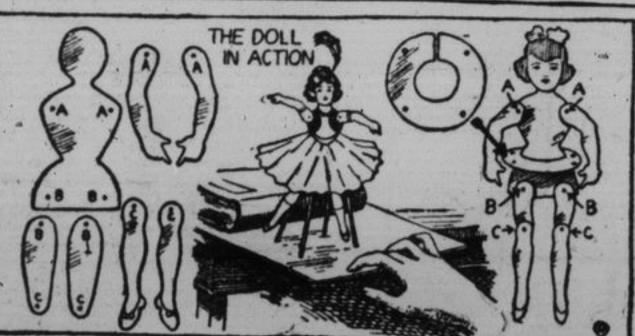
Educated Freddy: "My brother takes up French, Spanish, Italian, Hebrew, German, and Scotch." Teddy: "My goodness! He surely must study." Freddy: "He doesn't study,

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tion Commissioner.

THE DANCING DOLL



Here is how to make a dolly that will | One in ev'ry hole's inserted, bent and dance with grace and speed; Cardboard, paint, a thread and needle broomstraws—these are all you need Draw the parts off just as shown here; trace them, if you want her small. Cardboard should be very thin, too, or the doll won't dance at all.

Then, to put the doll together, holes are punctured with a pin. A and B and C will show you where the hat pin should go in. Holes with letters which are matching should be joined and tied in place, Linen thread will serve the purpose-

it must be strong, in any case. Make each knot quite large and firm, and through the hole it never slips. Then the piece cut like a doughnut comes and rests upon her hips. She put him in the pantry, but Uncle Four small holes quite near the outer then the broomstraws-you've been wondering what to do with them, no

> THE END OF A PERFELT SPRING\_DAY MARBLES

glued-it won't slip out. Next there comes the task of dressing Dancing Molly. That's more fun. Cut a strip of tissue paper, any color 'neath the sun.

Pleat it up, and then you glue it round her waist, all ruffled out. Cut a waist and fit and glue it, then she's dressed to dance about. Now you scan a book of fashions, find a head that seems to fit. Glue it on and take your paints and tint her up a little bit.

When she's finished, you would think she stepped out from a fashion page. O'er the table edge extending, place some cardboard for a stage. On it set the dancing dolly, tap the cardboard, and you'll see, If you've followed the directions, that she'll dance most prettily.

Sold Kipling's Letters Rudyard Kipling once became very angry because one of the trees in front of his house was injured by a careless bus driver. He wrote the man a letter of complaint, demanding satisfaction. The driver, it happened, also owned an inn, and when he received the letter, in Kipling's own handwriting, he sold it for a large sum to one of the

guests. Not hearing from the driver, Kipling wrote a second and longer letter. This the man likewise sold for an even larger sum. A few days later Kipling called on the man to see why he had received no reply to his letters. "Why," said the man, "I was hoping you'd write me some more. I found it paid much better than bus driving."

John: "What kind of work did you do last summer?" Henry: "I was a diamond cutter." John: "What do you mean?" Henry: "I cut grass on the baseball

The mayor takes the ground that

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- ALTERNATING CURRENT.

BY RALPH BROWN

An alternating current of electricity is one which increases and decreases in strength periodically in first one direction of flow, then the opposite. If the directions of flow are changed 120 times every second there are, of course, 120 current alternations per second. If it is continuous afternating current the maximum strengths in each direction of flow are all the same. Two alternations make one cycle of current-flow, so that if there are 120 alternations per second there are 60 cycles. In ordinary house lighting circuits 60 cycle alternating current is quite common. It is a commercial frequency. In many radio transmitters, however, it is necessary to use a current which alternates at the rate of 1,000 times per second. The frequency in cycles in this case is 500 per second. The cur-

reut might not continue for as long a time as one second, but if the alternations are at the rate of 1,000 per second the frequency is 500 cycles.

Machines used to produce alternating current in an electrical circuit are called alternators or alternating current generators. As long as the electrical circuit is complete, the alternating current will continue to flow.

In radio work alternating currents of extremely high frequency are commonly used. They may easily be anywhere from 10,000 to 1,000,000 or more cycles per second. Such very high frequencies are called radio frequencies and the currents are radio frequency currents. The lower frequencles are also used, to a large extent, in certain classes of radio

It is called the Q-R Vernier Ad-

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ports a sleeve and a shaft which

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end of the shaft is an electrose

knob, and at the other a small

rubber wheel, both being securely

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the knob, of course, causes the

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device may be screwed to the

panel in such a manner that the

rubber wheel makes firm contact

with the dial of a condenser or

variometer, as the case may be.

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dials it is likely to be used with

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wheel will then cause the dial to

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Negroes on the coast of Guinea relish caterpillars and worms. The early Greeks used large stones and sacks of sand as anchors.

#### RADIO ENGINEER, CUTTING AND WASHINGTON RADIO CORR VERNIER ADJUSTERS. With the increased demand for

radio receiving sets, new ideas have been developed along the line of securing a finer adjustment of the condenser capacity or variometer inductance.

Many of the later cabinet receivers have vernier adjustments



want mto them, but there are still a very large number which have no provision for the extremely fine adjustment sometimes required. A simple device has been recently brought out, which can be attached to any receiving set.

TELL HIM YOUR RADIO TROUBLES.

distance away from the dial it is

used with, the adjustment being made only, of course, by rotating the electrose knob of the adjuster. The metal parts of the device are of brass, highly nickeled, and the whole appearance is very pleasing.

Will readers interested in these radio articles kindly communicate with the editor by mail?

and that conditions were so bad that plication from Miss Eleanora Yeld-

22 ....... Empress of Britain for five years, there were unfortun (Via Havre and Southampton) ST. JOHN, SOUTHAMPTON, ANT- also an emphatic denial that any ST. JOHN, BOSTON, HAVANA, that the dominion swarmed with dis-

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thousands of Scotsmen would leave ing, the 17-year-old English girl, SOME BAD ADVERTISING the dominion immediately if they who wants to perform the "Blondin | could get small holdings in Scotland, act," has been on file for some time Scottish Lecturer's Statements are statements made on many plat- and yesterday the second one arrived forms by James Dunlop, a Scottish from James E. Hardy, Toronto, who lecturer of repute. Mr. Dunlop, who asks permission to repeat his perhas made a study of land settlement formance of 1896. London, March 31 .- Canada has in the empire, said some extraordinbeen receiving some very bad adver- ary things which have now involved the corporation would not be justitising in the British press of late. him in a controversy with the Canfied in permitting an attempt to walk That the Canadian government was adian immigration department here. across the river because of the risk

starting soup kitchens in the west to He claims that in certain districts in keep the farmers from starvation, Canada the farmers had not had a good crop for five years, and that they had to depend on a few scraggy cows and hens, apart from the assistance which the government was giving them. This drew from Col. Obed Smith, immigration commissioner, the retort that while certain districts had no crops for a quarter of a cen-

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Washington. His work is to answer inquiries pertaining to the radiophone, Many of his replies are

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