Fished Stated government probably inclusioned on make the programme doen't know it owns the district." The Wenopa is ordinarily a Mis-issippi river eccursion boat, but (Zpiain Novelland recently passed out) cause the great stone to rock several weeks, on the vessel in the two baycon.

"Those two bayous are the most picturesque bodies of water I have ever seen," he stid recently. "You would think you had left the United States and were in Brazil, only the States and were in brach, and jungle is ever so much more dense than the Amazon forests. The We-nona ran over more alligators than I ever dreamed of being alive. They fairly warm in those rivers.

Men of Capt Nowland's crew said that several times alligators were picked up by one of the paddle wheels and flung into the air. Some of the animals landed on the heads the crew

Jersey Barber Among Others of His Illustrious, Clients, Recalls Lin-coin and Charles Dickens.

Louis William Miller, dear

Louis William Miller, deen of Washington's baries, celebrated his oventivenith birthgay by working from five o'clock inlythe moraning till elven o'clock at night. Miller's birthday recalled to him the fact that he had shaved or cut the hair of more min of note prob-ably than any other barber now liv-ing. Among those who submitted themastves to his hand were Abra-ham Linkon, Franklin Pioree, Mi-ham Fillmore, Jänes Buchanan, Gen, Winfield Scott, Gen, Philip H. Sheridan, General Mary and Gen. Giorage B. Wolfelbän.

The manage score cert runp A-Sheridan, General Marcy and Gen-ticorge B. McClellan. The aged barker adheres to the hours, that were kept when he first opened his shop, legitiming work at five o'clock in the morning and keeps open till elven o'clock. Miller was bern in Bettenberg, Germany, and came to America when a young man. He was work-ing in the barber shop of a New York hotel when the celebrities sat in his

chair .-- Philadelphia Rece

PENANCE STILL PERFORMED.

At Whitey, England, on Ascension day, is to be seen the keeping of the strange old custom of the pisanting of the Horngath, the oblicat of the British penances. In the days of Henry II, the lords' of certain ma-Menry II, the lords' of certain ma-hors hunded a boar into a hermit's chapel. The hormit shut the door and kept the hounds out, and the barons, in their rage, slew him. He, dving, decred that as a penance the bords should, on each antiversity of his death, carry wood to the water's edge at low tide and drive in stakes. Should the exection, not survive three tides their lands should be forfeited to the Abbot of Whitby. To this tides their lands and the fortester to the Abbot of Whitby. To this day the ceremony is performed by representatives of the lord of the

### ¢. OVER THE PHONE.

manor.

"Hello! Is that the Friend of the People

"Уев." "I want to find the headquarters

filling the bill? Try some and dumb asylum. mention it. Goodby."

BORN TO SORROW. The I must have been

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# f Louisiana That Are Declared Remarkable Natural Curiosity at Tan-Be Wilder Than the Famed i dil, Argentine, Has Toppied Jumpies of Brazil. Over at Last.

Wildes than the African jungto, more impossible than the tropical inas, the moving stone of Taudii, a forest of the Amazon vallers are parts of Lonsiens. There are thou-sunds of space milles in the state icenturies this hage reck, which the sunds of space milles in the state icenturies this hage reck, which the Argentimes proudly produced and where the foot of a white man has where the foot of a white man has where the foot of a while man has Argentines proutly programed at never tred, and none know with eer, one of the seven wonders of the tainty the manner of beasts which As Capt. Ed Noviand of the its harrow fuerons of Memphis puts inches sparse. The fandil quarries it, "The Lord has forgot he err are situated about two hyndred and made that country around Plaque- fifty miles south of Buenos Ayres, mine and the Long bayous, and the aid every summer tourists have been Fraited States governmant probably deem in the capital to carre their The Wenom is ordinarily a Mis-finder States (seven the state of the states). The the states in the states of the states states of the states states of the states

> and small stones, which would be emshed to powder on the downward sway. Tradition bas it that the tysuper, Tradition has it that the  $V_{T}^{*}$ raint Resa, a name of ill-omen in  $\Lambda_{T2}^{*}$  obtained history, in a savage mood some thirty years ago tried to dis-ibly a the moving stome, using forty yoke of oven to accomplish his pur-Whether the tale is true or

ipse. Whether the tale is true or not, the old sentinel continued to maintain his watch over the sor-rounding fortile plains, apparently undisturbled by either the friendli-ness or the hostility of mainkind. The elements likewise were foiled in their staved prominent Men high some solution in the solution of the piece weighing about three tons. What finally caused the downfall of the giant benkler is a mystery.



Ŋ a Frank differ she has accepted b proposal) - But I'm afraid I'm not good enough for you, dearest. Tessie--1 know; but you're too good to be thrown away on sóno other girl.

# AS A STRANGER SEES US

A famous European diplomat on a visit to the United States was asked his opinion of New York city. His

on optimizing of the second se all about with nothing to relieve their hare sides-houses at the top and houses at the bottom—give the impression that the place was hurrielly dunped down in the most con-venient spots. It detracts greatly from the appearance of the city that some genius has not fixed upon method to relieve the bareness and ugliness of those ridges. It has been done elsewhere.

# AFRICAN DIAMONOS

The newest diamond field is in the Kasal River district, Belgian Conge West Africa. The famous De Beern West Africk. The failude be been group of mines at Kimberly, South Africa, have heretoforr furnished 95 per cent. of the world's diamond sup-ply. Their annual output is about "i want to find the headquarters proceed of the world's submit is about of the Anti-Noise society, and I status is about 'mant it guick" is about 'martaid I can't help you on that-but hold oi! Would a society The remaining fire or six per ceat. for the conservation and desclop-ing the world's supply has come from India, Brazil, Borneo and Australia. "I'm afraid 1 cau. I'm afraid 1 cau. hat-but hold oil Would a society for the conservation and develop for the conservation and develop filing the bull? Try some good deat filing the bull? Try some good deat filing the bull? Try some good deat far of any important commercial far of any important commercial

## TARIFF EXPERT.

"What is your object in wanting pal. "One of the biggest grafters in them to start a revision of the tariff immediately ?"

Inneuwery: "I dow no you know that ? asked iterating for attention. "Wild Amy," said teacher, "what provide Senator Sorghum, "What I. "Thorks in there once and he is it?" "Senator Sorghum, "What I. and the said teacher, "what caught me will the goods on." said required that will be it good and the said "Please, ma'an?" said teacher, "what required that will be it good and the said "Please, ma'an?" said the said required that will be it good and the said "Please, "I had to pay him \$15 to 1" what did Henry I. do what he was had one good the said "Please the said" the said the said "Please the said" the said the said

risian Crosses express. Mariners any that in the milist of A book compiled, by Nathan Has-the Atlantic, about where the twenty-kell Dole reconstrist some of the min-lifth meridian west of Greenwich takes we make in supposed historical crosses the equator, there lies a re-facts, in quotations, in pronunciation that ships take from Madeira to Bra-ont of the way information, includ-ial. Only within the past balf-com-ing the following: In the English rendering of Ruth strange phenomena reported. One investigated factaned that it on this shore and gave it to his neigh-tion that ships and the four, bar: and this was a testimony in the balf some mark and the first of the sole and gave it to his neigh-one investigated factaned that it on the first sole and gave it to his neigh-tion to the sole and the sole and the sole and gave it to his neight.

like s leaf in the wind. At mother, fore guideas, time, in successful water, at every lass the set have no based over suddenly, good manners" probably was dieted set the bad ran for a sand bank, Before this part of the ocean was as it is now, these phononena were Science Monitor, attributed to the presence of un-marked sand hanks and rocky shoels, and the old charts were marked sec-conductors. cordingly. But it must have aston-ished the mariner somewhat to find that he got no soundings with his deep-son lead immediately after ex-periencing one of these shocks.

It is now generally believed that aubmarine earthquakes are the true 'ompanion.

## WHEN UNDERWOOD WON OUT How President of the Eric Persuaded Bankers to Lend the Road \$10,000,000.

"When Underwood was made pres-dent of the Erie road," said a Wall treet man, "certain things were treet man, "certain things were promised. Roadbed and rolling stock were in rotten condition, but he was assured that the money would be was assured that the money would be forthcoming for betterments. After t'nderwood had taken the big desk the bankers' attijude changed. Money was tight—the Erie was a very swamp for swallowing dollars—

and they suggested that Mr. Under-wood sit tight and refrain from seevish movement in the canoe. **'**H went on for a time until condition vent on for a time until conflictions legan to imprive. Then Mr. Un-l-trood renewed his demands. "'Impossible' said the bankers. "The following day there was a meeting of the directors. Under-wood called it to order and then haid

wood called it to order and then laid there is a fenergiary tradition that improvements for a new president, sold be. "Here is a resolution error sold be. "Here is a resolution error powering me to borrow that amount investore the room for fibe min-tes to that you may act." "In the middle of the best century, however, when the latin pa-serior, when the latin pa-serior, when the latin pa-serior modey. There is an resolution error is a sold to be the latin pa-serior modey. There is an resolution error is a sold to be the latin pa-ter of modey. There is an resolution error is a sold to be the latin pa-ter of modey. There is a resolution error is a sold to be the latin pa-ter of the latin pa-ter of the latin pa-ter of the latin pa-ter of modey. There is a resolution error is a sold to be the door opened there ranks of the order - the grand there and as of the latin pa-ter of t

and an elderly banker thrust his head out. "Come on in, Underwood." said he. We've adopted your resolu-tion-and burned your resignation. You win."-New York Sun.

WWYS FOR HOUSEKEEPERS.

Always keep choice books of poetry in the house. They impress callers favorably. favorably. Leaving a tough and overdone steak in the pantry window over-night will sometimes discourage

even the boldest burglar. A close, heated atmosphere is un-wholesome. Still, your Chinese laundryman never seems to get sick. aundryman never seems to get sick. when Mme. de Stael had been mak-Politeness is a quality that enables ing a long discourse to Napoleon he a housewife to be as considerate of her husband when he upsets his cup of coffee on ithe tablecioth as she yould if e were a vision. Sometimes the only way to get rid a accumulation of garbage is to more.

MISERABLE GRAFTER.

"That looks like some crib to prack." said the first burglar to his pal as they passed a suburban man-"None o' that for me," said the

TRACTS UNIMPROVED BY MAN MOVING STONE HAS FALLEN QUEER REGION OF THE SEA MISTAKES OF BIBLE MAKERS PEOPLE OWE MUCH TO PRESS Mysterious Phenomena That Are Ob served Where Twenty-fifth Me-ridian Croses Equator. are of Repute.

The London members of the Insti-tute of Journalists held their annual dinner recently, one of the features of the occasion being the reading of a message from the king and green. "His majesty." it concluded, "fally realizes how much the general public owe to those who follow the strena-pus and exacting career of journal-

strange phenomina reported.
4:7: 9, it reads: "A man plucked on sand exacting carver of journal-surpase the executive mansion at surgers the sea hout half a mile from, tor: and this was a testimory in devoke upon the meighes of that devoked on the form is a subtranean spring. The reads is used to the sease of t first became a real factor in public affairs and the detail was sounded to the conduct of govern-ment as a close corporation. If Eng-land today is ruled, by the people of England it is only because the press of England has given to every man, no matter how humble, no matter

how remote from the seat of government, eyes to see and a voice to speak — Charleston News and Cou-



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first act of a play." "And suburbs is

for the last act."

"Smith is too rich to go to the

WORLD'S OLDES'T ORDER.

What is the oldest order in exist-

NAPOLEON AND MME DE STAEL.

WHAT COULD HE DO?

is too poor to stay

"How large do you think a man' neome should be to marry?" Well, I feel sure I'm capable of living beyond any income, no matter how large."

BEES FORM ROBBER BANDS.

What is the oldest order in exist-once? The claim is made for that of the Hole Sepulcher, the grand of-flowering of which has just been con-ferred by the pope on a member of the Irish nationalist party. Sir Thomas Grattan Essanda. It ap-pears just no date or the name of a founder can be assigned to the Or-der of the Holy Sepulcher, though there is a foreglary tradition that traces its origin to the time of Char-ismarke. In the middle of the last The school of Lombroso asserts that almost every variety of human wrongloing finds its counterpart in he crimes committed by animals.

the crimes committed by animals. Among the bees there is much theft. In order to save themselves the trouble of working the robbers attack the masses, kill them, rob the hives and carry of the booty when hev cannot obtain it by stealth. sometimes, having acquired an in-urable taste for robbery and vio-lence, they form regular colonies of bandits.

It is possible to reduce these tiny nemies to law and order by the simple process of giving working bees a mixture of honey and brandy inter, in 1608, created by statific three ranks of the order --the grand cross, commander and knight. The costume is a white closk with the cross of Jerusalem in red enamel. to drink.

### TURKS AND BULGARS.

The pope himself is grand master of the order. "Sublime porte" is one of the European expressions for Turkish institutions which are never used by the Turks themseives. The Otto-The newly published diary of Queen Victoria repeats an already well-known story of Napoleon and Mme de Stael. The queen says that Lord Melbourue know Mme de Stael institutions which are never used by the Turks themseives. The Otto-uan government's official title for itself jis Hukyumet-iseniye-"the glorious government." Turks do not speak of "the sultan." but of "the Lord Melbourne knew and the destand well and though highly of her, al-though she "had 'a great deal of folly." Then Lord Melhourne told the queen that hupon one occasion when Mme. de Stael had been mak-

their own accord. When he entered the Austrian army it was as a lieu-tenant in the Eleventh hussars, but the saddle he was never at case in the sa and exchanged into the infantry.

## RULING PASSION.

The taxicab driver was about to

The taxicab driver was about to "Priconer," said the judge, "I am satisfiel there is no reasonable doubt of your guilt. The evidence shows that you drive the deceased about from a party who offers exceptiona he city in your taxicab for two fire residence property in Redford hours, then took him to a secladed for security. Anyone having money to loan at six percent can his watch. Have you anything to say before sentence is pronounced" "Yes, your honor." "What is it?" The teacher was reading the his-tory of England to some of the little pupils. When she came to the state-ment; that Henry J. never laighed after the death of his son she noticed one of the little girls had raised her hand and second very desirons of st-tracting her attention. "Well, Amy," said teacher, "what is it?"

"That is to for your honor, who is going to pay the cab hire ?"- For Backacer Knowers are Backacer Knowers are Backacer Knowers are Backacer

BERMUDA "WHITE HOUSES."

Bermula is the original home "White House." The simple Bernhula is the original nome of the "White Honse." The simplest bungalow is built of the same mate-rial as the most pretentions villa, in almost precisely the same way. White coral blocks cut from the backbone of the jalands are used for all buildof the jalands are used for an onlice ing purposes. Many of the well-to-do negroes live in lovely little white coral bangalows and cottages, which for which, radiant whiteness would surpass the executive mansion at Washington. Paint cannot rival the

with a large mauve painier gown, sir, with a large mauve hat trimmed with ospreys." --- Rehoboth Sunday Herald.



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The time to buy a Redford village lot is now, this fall. Next spring the prices will be higher. Let's talk it over.-C. E. Ramsey.



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