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COURSING LIZARDS.

The Amusement of a Tame Eagle In the Arizona Desert.

In St. Nicholas Wolcott Le Clear Beard writes of "Moses, a Tame Eagle," which was one of his pets while he was engaged in engineering in southern Arizona. Mr. Beard says he was very fond of the lizards with which these plains abounded, and one large variety. called swifts, from their remarkable speed in running, seemed to be especial- | Madison 35 years ago, and they went ly coveted.

Whenever one of these was caught, which was rot often. Moses would be brought out, and, after the swift had raken a ten foot start, would be set free. The lizard would promptly resolve itself into a white streak across the desert, and, screaming with excitement, half running, half flying, Moses would pursue, followed by the laughing crowd, of which only those on horseback had much chance of keeping up. It was in no sense a cruel sport. It amused Moses and us and didn't hurt the swift, for be away every time, and if the feelings of our pet were a trifle injured as he returned, perched on some one's wrist or saddle horn, from his fruitless hunt these were speedily soothed by the prompt gift of a nice bit of fresh beef, so no one was the worse. The lizards, however, he seemed to view as a sort of dessert, and as he could absorb an unlimited quantity they were always in demand.

A certain stick kept on the verandaof our office was generally under his and when any one picked this up and started for a walk across the desert Moses would hop gravely along behind, sure that some of his favorite dainties would seen be forthcoming.

Of course Moses was perfectly well able to catch the smaller kinds of lizards for himself, but there was less exertion in allowing some one else to do it for him, and exertion at this period of his life was a thing to which Moses was violently opposed. These occasions were almost the only ones when he would be silent for any length of time, for he seemed to understand perfectly that at the first note of his voice every lizard within hearing would run for its life to the nearest refuge, and only when a blow of the stick failed for the second or third time to reach its mark would he give utterance to his deep disgust at such clumsiness.

NOBLES' REVENCE.

HE GOT EVEN WITH THE AUTHOR OF THE SPECIAL DELIVERY STAMP.

The Actor's Letter of Congratulations to Postmaster Coneral Vilas Withdrawn For Sufficient Reasons, Which Appear In This Story.

Milton Nobles, the actor and author, and Senator Vilas were schoolmates in from the schoolhcuse to the war together. Nobles thinks a good deal of his old schoolmate and is proud of the distinction he has won among the great men of his party.

When the special delivery stamp made its appearance, Senator Vilas, who was then postmaster general, received many complimentary letters, among them one from Nobles. The rest of the story is best told by the author himself:

"When I wrote this letter of congratulation to the general, I hadn't had occasion to use or receive any of the stamps, but the idea seemed to me to be a good one. I was spending a week at home in Brooklyn at the time. One bitter morning about 3 o'clock I was awakened by what seemed to me to be the ringing of all the fire bells in Brooklyn. Shoving my head out of the second story window, I could see a muffled figure on the steps below jerking the bell with savage fury. 'What is it?' I asked. At that moment the bell wire broke, and the figure fell backward down the steps. The snow was knee deep, and the wind was blowing 50 miles an hour. As the figure rolled down the steps I could hear some choice specimens of explosive English in a familiar accent, mingled with something about 'letter, special delivery.' After removing chains and bolts I opened the outer door, and the messen ger blew into the vestibule in a sheet of snow.

"What is it? What have you got?" " 'Letter.'

BURNS AND HIS MARY.

and the president & and you

He sang of friendship and duty And manhood all creeds above, Of the dear, green earth in her beauty And the dewy glory of love. But the sweetest, tenderest chord he gave Was the requiem poured o'er his lost love's grave.

Then life was but futile longing And earth but a beauteous tomb, But songs through the silence were

thronging. And glory dwelt in the gloom, And sorrow, the harper skilled and strong, From the breaking heart drew its sweetest song.

When thy grief had heavenward striven In melody trembling to prayer, Did thy Mary remember in heaven Her love by the braes of Ayr? We know not, but earth that heard thee

sing Must cherish thy song to her latest spring.

Deep heart, so lavish in loving! Oh, wayward and broken heart! As safe from our shallow reproving As deaf to our praise thou art. Yet thy song shall thrill us while love shall last

And

thy sorrow move us till death be past. --Maggie Clare in New York Sun.

HER REFORMED DIET.

Mrs. Newlight Makes a Series of Astound ing Discoveries.

"It's just awful how criminally ignorant I've been regarding our food,' said Mrs. Newlight to her husband the other day. "I can never be thankful enough that I joined Professor Scarem's class in domestic science. My! It's a wonder we're not all dead, ignorant as I've been. There's one thing sure, George Newlight-there'll be no more tomatoes on my table." "Why?"

"Because Professor Scarem explained to us today how tomatoes cause a marked arrest of vital activity in those who eat them, and he proved that the acid of tomatoes acts almost like a poison on the membrane of the stomach. Then I'm done with any berries that have seeds in on my table."

"I'd like to know why?"

"You wouldn't ask if you'd heard the professor's talk on appendicitis and its cause. A single dish of raspberries or strawberries may bring on that awful trouble. It's fearful to think of the risks people will run just to gratify the palate.

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CURRENT TOPICS.

Themes Which Men and Women Discourse About on Street Cars.

A certain physician of this city, who never neglects an opportunity to study the traits of the people among whom his business takes him, has been making some observations recently that may serve as a basis for estimating the character of the average modern American.

"I have to travel on street cars a good deal," the physician said in explaining his course of procedure, "and I hear all kinds of people talk. A short time ago I thought I would keep a record of the words most frequently used within my hearing by people of all classes.

"I omit: mes, profanity and vulgar ity, but otherwise this list, which represents one week's street car conversation, is absolutely correct. Here, then, is a summary of what married men talk about:

"Dollars mentioned within my hearing, 407 times; business, 295; money, 206; dollar, 194; stocks, 163; bonds, 152; job, 81; son, 63; daughter, 11; wife, 4; literature, 0; music, 0; art, 0.

"Married women: She, 409; party, 826; dress, 324; splendid, 516; dollars, 201; trimming, 187; cards, 151; prize, 151; society, 130; baby, 129 clothes, 84; weather, 62; rich, 60; lovely, 59; perfectly awful, 46; doctor, 43: medicine, 34; music, 6; literature, 0; art, 0.

"Young men, unmarried: Corker, 502; daisy, '67; girl, 416; beaut, 391 fairy, 306; winner, 302; stunner, 284; hummer, 251; dance, 104; party, 87; old man, 83: fight, 79; money, 72; dol lars, 50; no good, 42; cigarette, 81 college, 1; literature, 0; music, 0; art, 0.

"Young women, unmarried: Lovely. 509; just perfectly lovely, 491; horrid, 476; gorgeous, 463; fellow, 469; engaged, 387; dress, 371; stunning, 352: love, 295; party, 291; wear, 284; she, 206; opera, 108; ring, 31; mamma, 28 papa, 16; music, 9; mother, 1; picture, 1; poem, 1; art, 1.

"I Metena," concluded the doctor, "to rursue this subject further, and may be able to give additional figures that will be interesting."-Cleveland Leader.

The Largest Book.

Professor Max Mulier of Oxford, in a recent lecture, called attention to the largest book in the world, the wonderful Kuth Daw. It consists of 729 parts in the shape of white marble plates, rovered with inscriptions, each plate built with a temple of brick. It is found near the old priest city of Mandalay, in Bettinn, and this temple city of more then 700 pagedas virtually makes up this monster book-the religious codex of the Buddhists. It is written in Pali. Rather strange to say, it is not an ancient production, but its preparation was prompted by the Buddhistic party of this century. It was crected in 1857 by the command of Mindomin, the secand of the last kings of Burma.-Home Journal,

"What the Helen Blazes are you bringing a letter here for at this time of night?'

" 'Special delivery, sir, please.' "I backed into the hall and slid my hand all over the wall, trying to find the matchsafe. The vestibule was full of snow, and I had commenced sneez-

ing. " 'Come in and shut the door!' I yelled. Bang went the door and out went my match just as I had got the gas turned on. The messenger bumped up against me in the dark, stepped on my toes and shook a shovelful of snow off his shoulders about my feet, filling my slippers and dropping down my back: I finally succeeded in lighting the gas, signing the book, pushing the messenger out and bolting the door. Then I went up stairs with my prize. I examined the long blue stamp carefully. It was the first one that I had received. Then I devoted about five minutes to wondering what the dickens it was all about. After a time it occurred to me to open it and see. The handwriting was unknown, but the refrain was fa-

"SHEBOYGAN, Wis., Jan. 19.

miliar. Here it is:

"Milton Nobles, Esq.: "DEAR SIR-You will doubtless be surprised at receiving this letter from an entire stranger. But I feel that I was born to be an actor.

"I am but 22, 5 feet 9, light curly hair, blue eyes and have played several parts with the Sheboygan Amateur society. I inclose notices My family object to my going on the stage, but I feel that it is my duty, and as I would only join a first class company my friends urged me to write to you. Should like to play lovers parts. I saw you play in Milwaukee last fall Can come any time. I have also written a play. Could you lend me \$20? Yours to com-I. ARTHUR JONES. mand.

"(Stage name-E. Forrest Melnotte.) "P. S.-The new special delivery stamp has just got here, and I put one on to see how it J. A. J. works.

"By the time I had finished reading this letter I had a chill. Three hours later I had such a cold that I could not open my eyes. I remained in my rocm for treatment for three days. On the fourth day I became convalescent, and the first labor I performed was the writing of the following letter:

"BROOKLYN, Jan. 26. "Hon. W. F. Vilas, Postmaster General, Wash-

"DEAR SIR-Quite recently, in a moment of unguarded enthusiasm, I wrote you a letter ongratulating you upon the brilliant stroke of genius made manifest in the promulgation of the special delivery stamp.

"Recent events have given me a wider knowledge of the subject and opened my eyes to the polymetric consequences likely to follow your gigan ... blunder

"I desire to withdraw my letter and enter a protest against your making any use of the same as an apparent indorsement of your new departure or with a view to your securing a situation in the future. This need not necessarily interfere with our friendship, but between friendship and business the line must be drawn somewhere, and I choose, for reason conclusive to myself, to draw it at the 3 a. m. special delivery. Very truly yours,

"MILTON NOBLES. "I cut the special delivery stamp fron. the Sheboygan letter and pasted it on the envelope, and, inclosing both in another letter, I sent them to a friend in Washington with a few lines of explanation and instruction. The next stormy night my friend, following instructions, hired a special messenger, and at 8 p m. he began ringing Postmaster General Vilas' doorbell. First a servant came, then the general's secretary, but the messenger was firm; he must see the general. Thinking probably that war had been declared in Haiti and : midnight session of the cabinet called, the general slipped an ulster on over his nightshirt and went down to the door. The messenger shoved the letter into his hand and bolted on a double quick. "The obnoxious stamp has not been called in, but I had my revenge on the postmaster general."-Milwaukee Sentinel.

And here we've always allowed our children to have sugar and cream on their oatmeal!"

"What of it?"

"Well, you'd say 'What of it?' if you could hear the professor explain how the combination of oatmeal and cream and sugar causes dreadful gases to arise in the stomach and utterly retards digestion. I've not the slightest doubt that the awful spasm our little Mamie had last year was due entirely to this cause. Then there's bananas. Why, George Newlight, they're simply rank poison! And you'll get no more white bread at my table."

"Why not?" "Because there's no more nutrition in it than there would be in bread made out of pure starch. Every bit of the nutritive element has been refined out of it. It makes those who eat it thin blooded."

"Do I look thin blooded or as if I lacked nutrition?" asked Newlight, who weighs 199.

"That doesn't signify. You don't know what day you'll begin to break down under such bread. We'll have nothing but graham or whole wheat flour hereafter. And I've done with coffee too. If you could see and hear Professor Scarem demonstrate just how poisonous it is to the whole human system you'd shun it as you shun opium. He says that cocoa shells is the only real safe warm drink."

"I'd as soon drink dishwater," said Newlight.

"You'd better drink dishwater than your poisonous coffee. If you'd only take a little time to study domestic science and look into this food business a little, it would be a good thing for your health and the health of your family. There's a lot more things we've been jeopardizing our lives by eating in our criminal ignorance, and I'm going to cut all of them off our list."

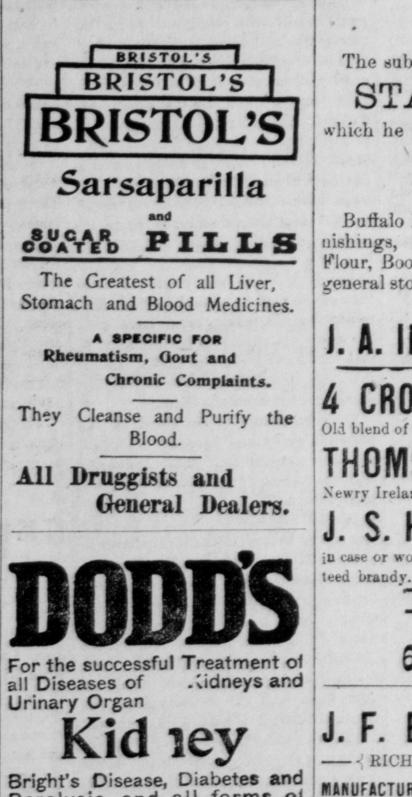
And she did, which is the reason that Newlight is taking most of his meals down town at present.-Detroit Free Press.

Washington Puzzles Him.

prairies where I had never been before, Blood Poisoning. and even through the tangled mazes of a chaparral thicket, without getting lost, but I never come to a strange city without getting absolutely bewildered, said Mr. H. M. Barker of New Mexico. "I have been to Washington at least a dozen times in the past three years, and

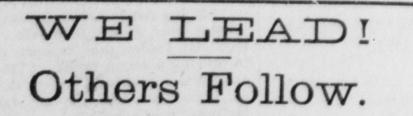
yet it is just as strange to me now, after a sojourn of two weeks, as it was the first time I ever set foot in the district. If I get one block away from my hotel I lose my reckoning, and I find myself wondering continually whether I am boxes. Please send them without delay. going toward the capitol or in the direction of the treasury. I get sore with





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Roal.

Little Ressie had been taken in to see her new baby brother for the first time.

"Do you think you will like him, Beasiep" asked her father,

"Why, yes," she said, clapping her hauds delightedly. "There isn't any sawdust about him at all, is there? Ha's a real meat haby, "--- Pick Me Up.

Bamsatis Limitations,

"After all, hearding house life has Its advantages. 34

I KI AW BAT When a man gets tired of canned regulation, ha dave not say so to his wile. "--- Ohiange Heeerd.

Obliging.

"Madam," said Meand ring Mike, "hev ye got any cold coffee: "No," replied young Mrs. Torkins in a tone of sympathy, "but you wait a few minutes and I'll put some in the refrigerator and cool it for you."-Washington Star.

myself for being so slow to find my bearings, but I hear other men owning up to the same difficulty. It certainly is queer that there should be such a difference between people, for I know plenty of men that can go anywhere they choose in a city a few hours after landing in it, but take them out into the country, and they would get lost like the babes in the woods "---Washington Post.

A Remarkable Portrait.

The pope has received, through the Countess Maria Festetics, maid of houor to the empress of Austria, a somewhat remarkable portrait of the Emperor Francis Joseph. It is wrought in silk and cotton, and its production involved an enormous amount of labor and expense, the effect of light and shade being produced by only two colors. The factory from which it comes is the famous one of Wernstadt, in Bohemia. The portrait, which Leo XIII is having placed in his library, received a gold medal at the Chicago World's fair.

It has been discovered that to bury a man up to his neck in wet sand is a practically certain cure for apparent death from an electric shock.

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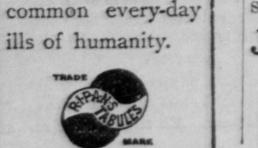
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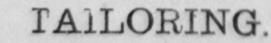


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