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down again?" "Not that I have ever heard of." "Do you know that I had to pay for the laying of that pavement in the first place?"

"I pr. sume you had." "And that I have to make a stiff deposit with the gas company before it will begin this work of putting in the

'Very likely." "Then I have to pay the city for a permit for the gas company to tear up my own pavement, I can't hold the gas company responsible for the way in which it is done, the city gives me no protection, and I'm bled in advance by the city and the gas company both for the privilege of becoming a contributor to the coffers of the gas company. That's the regular thing, is it?" "That's about right."

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ence With Sharks-Close Shaves. THERE is something about the occupation of a diver that strongly appeals to the imagination of most people. Some men, such as miners, get a living by more dangerous work, but they are at least in their own element. Twenty or thirty feet below the surface of the water, in semi-darkness, dependent upon a rickety pump for the breath of life, a diver's life is a

A reporter made some remarks of this nature to a well-known deep-sea diver who was watching one of his fellows at work in the East River. "I suppose you sometimes see some fearful sights in wrecks," said the re-

precarious one.

"Yes; but you get used to 'em when on have been in the business long. When I first started diving, I was sent down to report a wreck. Nobody was supposed to have been drowned when the vessel went down, but when I went into the cabin the first thing I saw was the body of a man seated at the table. The water was very clear and magnified him until he looked about four times his natural size. His hand was upon the shoulder of a little boy, who was sitting on his knee. It was my first experience with dead bodies and it gave me a shock. Now I don't mind 'em at all. Most of the tales you hear about groups of dead people sittin' around quite matural in a cabin are lies. A body will rise after being in the water a couple of weeks and be found floating up against the ceiling. When they have their legs under a table they sometimes sit right where they are until their bodies decay away, because they are held down by the table, which is usually screwed to the

"An English diver I knew once had pretty masty experience with sharks. He was diving in a wreck which had been loaded with live cattle. When she had been down at the bottom for a month or so the bodies of the cattle became light and floated up against the hatchways. As soon as he started the after hatch, the cattle began to float out and up to the surface of the water. The locality was infested with sharks, and they soon began to gather round the hatchway, grabbing the cattle as they came out and following them up to the surface, fighting among themtelves. Some of the cattle had been tied and they floated out as far as their ropes would allow. The sharks gathered round them and began to tear them to pieces. Pretty soon they began to fight, and poor Marsh, that was his name, was afraid to go up for fear he might be attacked, and afraid to tay down because one snap of a shark's mouth would have severed his air-hose an enormous return in potatoes and in a twinkling. He gave the signal cabbages. But like many people of to be hauled up in a hurry and went better means, he had no idea hew to iff among the school of sharks and through them. In going through, a chark snapped at him and took off his right hand so that he had to give up the business."

> "What's the narrowest escape you ever had?" "Well, about the closest shave that I remember was when I was putting some copper on a steamer's bottom while she was in dock. I took some plates down with me and did some work on one side of the hull, after which I wanted to put some plates on the other side. The vessel was about three feet off the bottom. I crawled underneath, dragging some plates after me. When I had been working for some time I noticed my air was getting short, so I went to try to get under the keel again to be hauled up. I found the steamer nearly on the bottom and squeezing my air-hose between her keel and the ground. The tide was giving out and she had grad nally sunk until she was almost aground. I had forgotton all about the tide, and when I pulled the hose found it would not budge an inch. I can tell you scared is no word for how I felt. If the bottom had been soft it would not have mattered so much, but it was rock, and the hose was gripped like a vice. There was nothing to do but wait; if she fell any lower the air would be entirely shut off and I would simply have to die. You can bet I shall never forget those few minutes when I was waiting to see whether she rose or fell. My head felt as though it was bursting and my nose and ears began to bleed. Presently I felt the nir getting a little fresher; I took heart, and soon she began to rise with the turn of the tide. There was plenty of time for me to get my nerve back before she was high enough off the bottom for me to crawl under. I didn't get it back, however, but just stood there trembling until I could queeze under her bottom and give the signal to be hauled up. For weeks after that I was a sick man, and my hearing has never been right since.

-New York Tribune. Trambon: Cure for Lungs.

"When I was in the early 20s," said Ir. Eugene Coffin, of Albany, N. Y., I worked in a shop devoted to the manufacture of mathematical instruments, and inhaled so much fine brass that my lungs became seriously affected and my whole system seemed undermined. My doctor told me that if I didn't quit the business I'd make a premature trip to the bone yard, and threw in some advice gratis. He said the best thing for me to do was to take up some kind of brass instrument, a trombone, for instance, and blow it with great vigor and regularity. It would repair my damaged lungs and restore the organs to their normal condition.

"Well, I took his advice, and ero long developed a fondness for all sorts of horn instruments. But best of all, I found that what the medical man said in regard to the effect of a trombone upon my health was verified. From being an emanciated wreck I became the proprietor of a double chin within two years, and when I paid a visit to the scene of my old labors not one of my former fellow workers knew me."-Washington

Lewis Bates is probably the wealth iest colored man in Chicago, being rated at nearly \$500,000. He is entirely uneducated, dresses poorly, and lives like a poor man. He was born a slave nearly seventy years ago. In 1861 he reached Chicago by the "underground railroad," and began by working in a foundry. He soon became an expressman, and at once began investing his savings in real estate. In this he has shown excellent judgment, and nearly all his investments are gilt-edged. Though ho

spends little money on himself, he is open hearted and kind. He has no

family, and his only heirs are a few

very distant relatives. - New York

A Wealthy Colored Man.

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TEA-ROOM APPOINTMENTS. The minor appointments of the tuaroom should be as neat and dainty as possible. White fluted china sets, with tiny shells for butter and larger the Breath of Lafe-An Expert ones for radishes, watercresses, etc., look very clean and nice; but services of cheap Japaneso china are perhaps more effective, and as the cups and saucers, teacups, etc., need not match except as regards general coloring, broken pieces can be replaced with as little difficulty as in the case of the white china. White damask cloths, with a band of color woven around the elge about the fringe, are prettier than plain white ones, and those used at some of the fashionable tea-rooms of the day are further ornamented with the title of the establishmentthe "Cozy," the "Boudoir," the "Five

> name-embroidered diagonally across one corner .- New York Journal.

RULES FOR SERVING VEGETABLES. The usual rule for serving vegetables is one green vegetable and one starchy vegetable. It a green salad is used this often takes the place of the green vegetable, and at certain seasons of the year it is difficult in many places to get more than one. An excess of starchy vegetables should be avoided, as one also has starch in the form of bread and in potatoes. With fish vegetables of delicate flavor should be used, either potatoes, tomatoes cooked in many ways, encumbers or green peas. With roast beef one may serve sweet or white potatoes, or in their place boiled rice or hominy, cauliflower, Brussels sprouts, tomatoes, onions, okia, young beets, beet greens, green peas and Lima beans. The same vegetables may be served with

beefsteak as well as salsify, asparagus or mushrooms. With boiled mutton serve patatoes, cauliflower, young carrots, salsify, onions, spinach or any kind of beans that are green. With boiled mutton serve caper sauce, cur rant jelly or horseradish. With real serve carrots, white tur-

nips, or spinach, lettuce, creamed ca'sbage, young beets or beet greens. With game serve a sauce and a salad Stewed celery with a white sauce. With goose when roasted serve apple sauce, onions and squash. When potatoes are served as a vegetable with meat, and only one vegetable can be afforded in addition, it is more appetizing usually to have that one a green vegetable. It is also more healthful, as the potatoes furnish the starch needed for the diet .- New York Post.

HOW TO TELL GOOD BEEF. The best beef comes from a heifer or young steer anywhere from three to seven or eight years of age. After this age the animal is known as a cow or an ox, and if it has been well cared for and is well fed it may for two or three years yet furnish fairly good meat, but not the best. According to age the meat becomes coarser, tougher and darker, until it is finally untit for use on a refined table.

Good beef should b grained, elastic and juicy, but never wet. To tell whether it is fresh or not, press against it with the finger, and if it is elastic and resumes its place quickly it is fresh; if the dent made by the finger remains, or if it is slippery or wet, avoid it, for it is already in the first stages of decay and is unwholesome. The mistake of getting meat that is too old is often made by those who like what we call a high flavor. As a matter of fact, beef that has a very high flavor has begun to decay, and is not only poisonous and untit to eat, but the idea of it is disagreeable to people of fastidious tastes, or would be if it were called by its

The color as well as the texture of beef varies with age. A good young beef should have the lean a dark and rather dingy red when first cut, changing in a few minutes to a bright, clear red, as red as a cherry. The older the animal was when killed the darker and less clear the lean mea will be. When it is pale and pinkish it is immature. The fat should be a light straw-color, the suet or kidney fat being somewhat brighter than the fat of the muscles.

The texture of good beef is smooth and close-grained, and when cold should appear marbled with fat. When it is very lean-looking, or stringy, or rough, it is too old. The fat should not be solid and hard like that of mutten, but should be flaky, and the suct at should be so dry that it will crumble. When the fat is oily or dull in color, the beef is sure to be of bad quality. - Demorest's Magazine.

French Mustard-Slice an onion and cover with vinegar and let stand two or three days; pour off the vinegar and add one teaspoonful of pepper, one tablespoon of salt, one of brown sugar and mustard to thicken,

let come to a boil and bottle. Ginger Nuts-One pound sugar, one and a quarter pounds of butter, one pint of molasses, two and a half pounds of flour, one teacupful of strong ginger, one nutmeg, a few cloves, a little cinnamon, four eggs. leaving out one white, one teaspoonful of pearlash.

Egg Sauce---Make a white sauce with one half pint of milk, a lump of butter, salt, and flour to thicken. Take three hard boiled eggs, remove the shells and cut them up when the sauce is cooked. Stir in the eggs and serve. This sauce is delicious with boiled fish. Popovers--Make of equal propor-

tions, say two caps of milk and flour, two eggs, a little salt and butter the size of an egg. Mix the salt into the flour, add the eggs, mix well, melt the butter and add to the other ingredients. Grease and half fill the tins. Bake quickly. Pudding Puffs-Nine tablespoonfuls of flour; pour into that a pint and a half of milk, a little salt, nine eggs

fifteen minutes. Serve with a sauce of butter and sugar beaten together with cinnamon. French Honey-One pound of sugar put into a pan the yolks of six eggs and the beaten whites and add the juice of four lemons; grate the rinds of two add one-quarter pound butter. Stir all together over the fire until as thick as honey. Seal it up and you can keep it as long as six months.

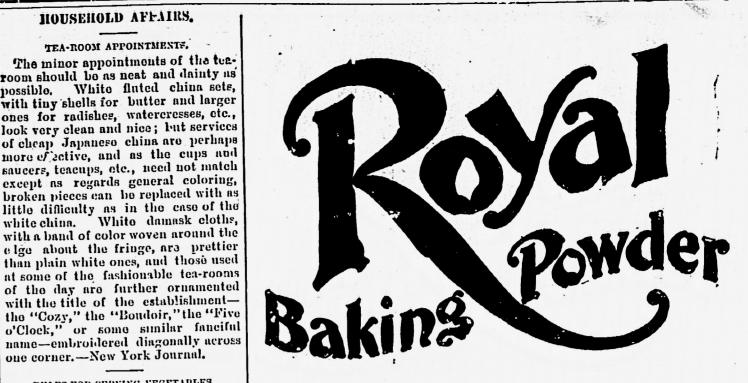
well beaten; then butter nine large

teacups, fill them half full and bake

A Pions Clock.

The London Aquarium people have got hold of a clock "made by a pions Scotchman." The peculiarity of the timepiece is that at midnight on Saturday it stops short never to go again until Monday morning.

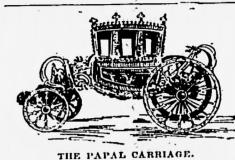
A cat that fell from a Baltimore telegraph pole broke its jawbone. Its owner, who thinks the world of it, is having a set of false teeth made, which will patch pussy up all right.



ABSOLUTELY PURE

THE POPE'S CARRIAGE.

The Strange Vehicle in Which He Drives Through the Grounds. A scene vouchsafed only to the eyes of those who are admitted to the Vatican grounds is that of the venerable Pope indulging in his afternoon ride. In the cool of the afternoon he takes a drive of an hour or more only through the grounds of the Vatican. His favor-



Ite carriage is one that Pius IX, used to drive in during his vacation at Castle Gondolfo. It is a stately old-fashloned vehicle, with its two handsome black horses, whose long, sweeping talls put to shame the poor, mutilated bobtails of the steeds of the fashionable Romans. The carriage is often stopped, while the Pope gets out and walks among his flowers and trees, of which he is extravagantly fond. The gardener often is in attendance on these excursions, and recent improvements and changes are discussed by these two lovers of flowers.

A Fine Specimen.

A certain rich man was very fond of exhibiting his pictures in an ostentations and patronizing manner to artists of his acquaintance. One day a young painter lunched with him, and was escorted around his gallery, and the youth, wishing to curry favor with a possible patron, exclaimed after every

"And a very fine specimen of that The picture owner, however, though

he was rich, had a sense of humor, and, noticing his audience stifling a yawn, "Now, here is a remarkably fine Salvolatile, you perceive." "And a very fine specimen of that

master!" exclaimed the artist, enthusi-

dure."

Her Romance Ended. "Yes. I gave him up," sighed the young woman in the pink wrapper. "Did he prove unworthy of your af fection?" inquired the sympathetic young woman in the pale-green gown. "He-he became a spelling reformer," rejoined the other with a shudder, "and signed his name 'Jorj.' It took all the poetry and romance out of the name. It was more than I could en-

And as the hoarse night winds moaned and shricked outside, and the lonesome and despairing cat in the back alley lifted up its voice and howled in agony of soul the two friends sat and gazed dreamily into the fire.



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Enormous Pendulums. The only structures in Japan which seem to be earthquake proof are the pagodas, which are erected before the temples. There are many pagodas which are seven or eight hundred years old and as solid as when first built. There is a reason for this, and it lies in their construction. A pagoda is practically a framework of heavy timbers which start from a wide base, and is in itself a substantial structure, but it is rendered still more stable by a peculiar device. Inside the framework and suspended from the apex is a long, heavy balk of timber two feet thick or more. This hangs from one end, and to the other end are bolted, at each of the four sides, four more heavy timbers, and f the pagoda be very lofty still more timbers are added on to these. The whole forms an enormous pendulum which reaches to within six inches of the ground. When the shock of an earthquake rocks the pagoda the pendulum swings in unison and keeps the center of gravity always at the base of the framework. Consequently, the equilibrium of the pagoda is never disturbed, and this is the explanation of the great age of many of

A man is fickle if he breaks a marriage engagement, but he is dishonorable, a traitor, and a wretch if he waits until after she has seen a dress-

them, when from their height one

would suppose them to be peculiarly

susceptible to the effect of an earth-



quake.

Foul breath is a discourager of affection. It is always an indication of poor health bad digestion. To action of the digestive organs, the

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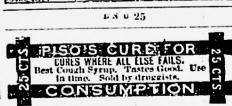
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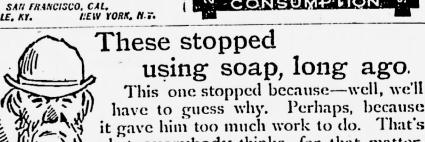
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