HEALTH AUTHORITIES LOOK FOR GERMS OF DISEASE.

A City Farm-The Dark Side of Life-Love Encounters Difficulties-Popular Moving ! Pictures-A Wizard and a Steeple-How Re Performs His Work.

The health authorities have commenced the work of hunting for germs of disease and disinfection in the erewded quarters of the city. President Murphy fears no particular disease, but thinks it wise to purify the worst portions of the city and the work is now in progress. The disinfectant is carried in big barrels, loaded on a truck. Two watering carts from the Park Department were on hand to help in the work. The disinfectant was thrown into the watering carts dry and water then poured in until the carts were filled. Then the mixture was drawn off through a spigot into shining sprinkling cans. It resembled a compound of oatmeal water, but the doctors declared that. though its appearance was against it. it would make short work of germs. Before the wielders of the cans began their task the policemen started off to prepare the way for the disinfectant by a thorough inspection of the tenements. In many cases it was apparent that the coming of the brigade had been heralded. Scrubbing brush and broom had done uncommon feats in many a hall and cellar.

The Wizard of the Steeple The Wizard of the Steeple came to town the other day. His name is George V. Wing and he is from Zanesville, Ohio. To see him working on the lofty belfry of St. Andrew's Catholic church, City Hall place and Duane street, it was plain that besides his own laurels, the Wizard has won those of the late Steeple Bob, who lost his life in falling from a steeple in Cold Spring, N. Y. Father Evers, rector of the church, looked on and marvelled at what he did. First the Wizard climbed up inside the tower as high as he could squeeze his body. Then he used a hammer and battered a hole through the slated side, far above the street. It was the Wizard's job to get down the weather-beaten cross on the tower-top and put up a new one. Soon from the hole he had wriggled a rope. Wing was manipulating it from within. Down on the church's goof stood a helper. Slowly the rope dangled down till it reached the helper's hands. Then he made it fast, while whin the beinry the Wizard was also doing the same thing. A few moments later



the reappeared on the roof, wearing rubber-soled shoes. On his back was tied a lot of lassoes. In a twinkling he had the rope's end in his hand and was testing its strength. On the street the big crowd gaped in wonder. Then the Wizard began to climb, and the way he went up the side of that steeple would have put a fly to blush. He just grasped the rope and walked up as if he had been on the sidewalk, a hundred feet below. Soon he reached the end of his rope—where the hole in the belfry was. Then he wrapped the rope twice around his leg for a chold and untied the lassoes from his back. With one hand gripping the single strand that held him he grasped the lasso in the other and put the end between his teeth. Then he tossed it dexterously right over the top of the steeple. Th rest was easy.

In a twinkling he had other lassoes caround the spire's point and was up there himself, smiling at the crowd below. He let down a cord to his helper and hauled up a boatswain's chair, with block and tackle. This he made fast to the top of the tower, and soon he was sitting comfortably there while his helper held him up with a rope. It was simple work getting the cross down, and just as easy building a scaffold from which he could work. Many Pictures.

The attractions of the machines which, for the small sum of a nickel, exhibit wonderful moving pictures to the seeker after novelty, were formerdy confined to upper Broadway. But lately several of the establishments having these for a chief feature have started up down town. The show windows are generally too small to admit of an automatic piano, which always forms one of the features of the up-town places, so a machine which produces pictures at the rate of one every two seconds takes the place of the musical instrument as an advertisement of the establishment. That these devices do not fail of their purpose is amply evidenced by the fact that a group of lookers-on is never wanting. Probably the most attractive of the scenes shown are those of a fire-engine, at full speed, and the interior of a horse mart. At any rate these have been the series most generally in use.

Pursued Under Difficulties. The enjoyment of love's young dream is sometimes pursued under difficulties in New York. The maidens whose homes are in a house or an anartment of respectable size are able dom from the curious eyes of the rest

of the family is assured. But some of the poorer families have but one common living room, and there is a matural reluctance on the part of a young man who is "keeping company" with a girl to pay his addresses before parents and other relatives. For such the parks offer inducements which cannot be ignored, and many a troth is plighted 'neath the eyes of the stars. The weather does not always favor outdoor courtship, however, yet "love will find a way," and it is no uncommon thing to see a cooing pair exchanging sweet confidences beneath the friendly shelter of an umbrella, which protects them from the raindrops. It is not always a "summer shower" that the young people brave, either, for in the early spring and the late autumn the parks have their quota of lovers whom a pelting rain seems not to daunt.

The Dark Side. One of the sights of the dark side of city life may be seen in New York's small public parks almost any night during the mild weather. There is ever a good-sized number of unfortunate men in the metropolis who are out of work and out of pocket-or maybe out of favor with their families and friends. For many reasons, then, such unfortunate men have no place to sleep. Possibly they have been to the



city lodging house so often that they do not care to repeat the visit, and so no refuge is left them but a bench in the public park. The accompanying. sketch is a true picture of what was seen not many evenings ago in one of the small parks in the centre of the city. The man lay asleep on the bench while his faithful litle dog kept watch. If curiosity prompted any one to draw near, a warning growl and a showing of white teeth sufficed to keep the intruder at bay. And so the homeless yet happy in the possession of such a so her accent did not matter. brave and faithful little friend.

A Farm in the City

From a crowded city street on one side, with its tall flats, to the beautiful country within a stone's throw across the way, is the transformation which greets the eye as you come along the from 149th street to 156th street and stamped upon her attire. Prospect avenue. Here there is a fine farmers working in the field, and the

stimulating odor of new-mown hay. This glimpse of green fields, which comes like an oasis, is the farm of Edward Scholum, and comprises twenty-five acres of cultivated land. Mr. Scholum is a sturdy, healthy man of about middle age. He was engaged in filling a basket with some appetizing salad from a large bed when I called upon him. He is proud of his little farm, and hopes to be able to hold it for the rest of his life. He told me. that he employs ten farm hands to look after the crops, has eight cows. four horses and four wagons. He and; his men are kept busy all day, and Gansevoort Market.

The old farmhouse is built of stone. without any ornamentation, but is roomy and cool throughout. The will have something besides thanks. I house has been standing about fifty will pay one thousand france just to years. It is shaded by many tall trees play that part to-night." which shut out all view of the city She drew a note now are with the slenderest of fingers, covered with the slenderest of fingers, covered it at surrounding it, so that there is everything to remind you of the country, and even the city noises are shut out, the manager's elbow.

## Fruits in Cold Storage.

Nearly all kinds of fruits are kept nowadays, on occasions, in cold storage and they may be kept for practically any period; winter pears, for example, are kept from October to May; oranges are kept six months, think." and so on, and the list of fruits thus stored has been all the time lengthening. One added within recent years is the cantaloupe, the cold storage of a pale-rose shade, and revealed such which was begun, with the wide ex- ed manager was completely bewiltension of the area and latitude of its dered.

cultivation in large quantities for market, and the consequent extension of its season, about six years ago. Cantaloupes come in large quantities from as far west as Colorado, and as far south as Florida. With the great leugthening of the season of this melon in the market, and the vastly increased receipts cold storage has been resorted to to save fruit that must otherwise have been lost or practically given away. At one cold-storage warehouse in New York there were put in last year, in the course of the season, fifty carloads of canta-

A fruit not cold-stored is the banana, which is shipped green, in keeping condition, to be sold as it ripens. Another fruit, a good keeper, which is not cold-stored, is the watermelon. though what is perhaps as new a wrinkle as any in cold storage is one in connection with the watermelon. While the watermelon is not coldstored for its preservation, it is nowadays put into cold storage to cool it. A big restaurant, cutting up and selling in the season many watermelons; daily, sends fifty or a hundred melons to the nearest cold-storage warehouse, where the fruit is brought down to a temperature agreeable to the palata of the consumer more economically and conveniently than by putting them in ice boxes or by icing them in res-

In living together, our main duty is to compromise, not principles, but those things especially our own, which to receive their callers in a parlor or yet cannot be indulged in without insitting room, where a reasonable free- justice or injury to others.—J. F. W.

saurants.

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## THE HEART OF THE TREE

What does he plant who plants a tree! He plants a friend of sun and sky; He plants the flag of breezes free; The shaft of beauty towering high; He plants a home to heaven anigh

bird In hushed and happy twilight heard-

The treble of heaven's harmony-These things he plants who plants

What does he plant who plants a tree? He plants cool shade and tender

rain, And seed and bud of days to be, And years that fade and bush again; He plants the glory of the plain;

He plants the forest's heritage; The harvest of the coming age; The joy that unborn eyes shall sec-These things he plants who plants a tree.

What does he plant who plants a tree? He plants, in sap and leaves and

wood. In love of home and loyalty.

And far-cast thought of civil good-His blessing on the neighborhood Who in the hollow of his hand Holds all the growth of all our land-

A nation's growth from sea to sea Stirs in his heart who plants a tree. -The Century.

The manager of the theatre attached to the Casino at Rochersles-Bains was well satisfied with himself and his af- and she burst out laughing.

His present programme was a success, and the theatre was well-filled nightly. The special feature was an prehensive salad.

"Queen Lettuce" was a trifle too one slept on, ragged, maybe hungry, plump, and her accent was detestable with no shelter save the green leaves even for a variety artist. But she and no coverlid but the silent stars, stepped higher than any of the others,

> Some one knocked at the door. He gave permission, and, at the first glance, his customary "Well, my dear, what is it this time?" was strangled in utterance.

The woman was young, very dainty looking, with the unmistakable cachet Southern Boulevard, in the Bronx, of the Maison Doucet or Worth

> "Please excuse me, monsieur, for without an will explain my visit." The voice was clear and the intonation refined. It, quite as much as her appearance, proclaimed the owner to be as far removed from the members of the manager's company as the Rue de la Paix at 6 P. M. from the Quartier Latin at mid-

"I am listening, madame." "It is my wish to play in your thex-

tre to-night." The manager waved his hands and

sbrugged his shoulders. "Let me finish, please. It is absolutely necessary that I play to-night-"

"But it is imposs— "The part of Queen Lettuce in 'The there is seldom a day that he does not Dream of a Salad, as played by Madesend a big load of fresh produce to moiselle—what is her name? Louise Coudert, I believe?"

"Yes; but really, madame-"If you will do me this favor, you

with pearl-gray suede, and placed it at "There will not, I think, be any dif-

ficulty about that," said the lady, significantly glancing at the note; "ai- a boundary between them. though it is necessary that she should not know until an hour beforehand: and, if you will accompany me on that piano, I will go through the lines. Queen Lettuce follows the radish. I

She unfastened her long, light cloak of shimmering gray, lined with silk of

The lady was dressed as Queen Lettuce, with the difference that her costume was of real silk and lace and the finest gossamer, instead of the coarser materials used by the costumier to the

"Play the opening bars, please, and I will take my entrance from the

door. The manager went to the plane and struck some chords. The visitor fluttered gracefully into the centre of the room, curtseyed to an imaginary audience, and began the first werse of Queen Lettuce's song in a voice which though not powerful, was deliciously,

sweet and well trained. "There," she smiled brightly after the first verse, "I need not finish now; but I know it by heart, I assure you."

The musicians were beginning the overture to the second act.

\*Has it begun yet?" a gentleman asked, handing his overcoat to an attendant.

"Not yet, monsieur," said the girl. with a smile and a nod of recognition. "I have kept monsieur's seat."

M. le Comte d'Allier was a handsome man of about two and thirty. 'In his well-cut and easily fitting evening dress, and with his broad shoulders, he was conspicuous among the other short, stout Frenchmen.

From the opening night of the Grand Theatre the Comte had occupied the same fauteuil, always, when alone, appearing in time for the second act. And the other habitues smiled at his that Louise Coudert was extremely lucky to have such a distinguished admirer. Inclined to be stout, this young plaintin.

woman had the usual apearance and manner of the cafe-chantant artists. Her bold black eyes singled out the Comte immediately, and she gave him

a daraling amile. The orchestra started a fresh motif, and a dance was performed which For song and mother-croon of proved highly satisfactory to the audience.

At its conclusion a very stout lady, clad in scarlet tights and a scarlet. sleeveless bodice, came forward and announced natively and with an undulating movement of the hips-

"I am the lobster, july and fresh." "And I the crisp little cress," chirped a second. "And I the mayonnaise,"

sang a third. "And I the luscious bestroot," declared a substantial so, "8:41, "9:55, "co:56, "co:56, "to:55, "to:5 a second. "And I the mayonnaise," fourth "And I the garlic," "and I the chicory," "and I the radish," and so on until the whole gamut was the chicory." and I the radish, and so on until the whole gamut was reached. At this point a radiant apparition appeared, approached the foot lights, and, with a smile and a most reached curtast broke into the source. graceful curtesy, broke into the song of Queen Lettuce.

The count looked stupefied. There was not the slightest doubt in Queen Lettuce he recognised his wife! And standing there, in the 1:30, 4:30, 5:48, 10:40, 7:30, 10:50.

blaze of the footlights, with her lovely blaze of the footlights, with her lovely hair and sparkling eyes, her charming costume, her exquisitely proportioned pretty, so fascinating, so mischievous, 2050, 10:05, 11:40 pretty, so fascinating so mischievous, Truis Arrive from the West.

This passed off with a success which was phenomenal, and the Comte found himself making comparisons between his wife and Mile. Coudert, which were certainly not in favor of the latter.

On coming out of the theatre the lady was confronted by her husband, CHARLOTTE AND ONTARIO BEACH He was looking very grave and cold,

"Oh, there you are!" "So you have decided to go on the variety stage?" he said quietly. -

"Oh, no! I have merely tried an nightly. The special feature was an idea of his own, and it had "caught on" at once. It was called "The his wife there are two courses before the component parts of a very co the component parts of a yery com- in any case she ought to compare her self with her rival."

'And your experience?" "Has taught me that I have the advantage. Has Mile. Coudert ever gained such a success as I have gained to-night? You know she never

"And what is your decision, then!" This. Had you given me a rival P. M.—7:33.10:35.
ho was my superior I should not Desoles daily. I Sendays only. All who was my superior I should not have excused your fault, but it might have been compromised. As it is, I

differently, and, distaining his arm, Station. Rangage called for and cheshed got into the carriage anasyme hamale through to destination. up in a corner, where she remained

stient and motioniess. His principal feeling was a desire to strangle Mile: Coudert—to blot her out from his memory. His eyes rested always on that delicious little figure in the corner, dressed so perfectly, so becomingly, and in his cars rang still the delighted applause of the theatre given to Queen Lettuce. Heavens!

What admiration she had received! And there she was, close to him, the delicious perfume of white lilles, which she always used, delighting his senses.

He moved nearer, but she appeared to be asleep.

He coughed slightly. She did not stir.

He took her hand, and, as it was not withdrawn, put his arm round her waist. Then she awoke,

"Stupid! You are making a mistake." "I am making no mistake." She took away her hand, pushed his

arm from her waist, and drew her cloak around her as though to mark But he got possession of her hand

again and the next minute his face was touching hers "No, no! Let me alone! It is end

ed! I do not care for you now! But he persisted gently though descisively, and she cried petulantly: How silly you are! You worry me! Oh, Raoul, my hat! Take care! Don't you see it is impossible to kiss

me? My vell"-And whilst she was speaking alle was laughing inwardly at the success of her experiment.

After ali, it was easy enough. Simply to make a comparison. And she gage and engage sab or carries. etc. had triumphed-completely. Her re- C. I Lambert sistance gave her an added charm, and as she looked into her husband's eyes, brilliant with love and admiration, she laughed aloud.

After all it had only entailed a lit-

tle trouble. "You must understand." she said. as the carriage stopped at their hotel, Bradford, and James "that to-night's entertainment has cost me a thousand france. Do not put me to this expense every day for my dot would not hold out!"

But she was not obliged to repeat Butley have car and circuit high seek me a thousand france. Do not put me to this expense every day, for my dot

But she was not obliged to repeat her experiment.

There is one significant fact which bears on the question of a college education for girls. It is that all the American women who have won distinction in original work of any kind, received the old-fashioned training. College-bred women, so far, have been successful only as teachers. Is this because the woman in one case was suffered to develop naturally like a growing tree, and in the other was moulded artistically the same as is one brick in a heap of bricks? I cannot answer this question.—Ladies' Home Journal.

The oldest known law report has recently been discovered by Prof. Sayce in the Tigris and Euphrates valley, The tablet tells of a suit by a widow to recover her husband's property constancy, and observed to each other which was tried in Babylon before aix ludges in the ninth year of Na bonidus, and decided in favor of the

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