Thomas Ashland did not like girls. overwhel med him. He rarely spoke to them at all, and Days passed, weeks grew into when he did it was in terms of the months and then, one day, quite by greatest disrespect, merely to say change, he met' her face to face in that he loathed flameshot drab and the btudio of another artist. Before despised them; that some men might he turned away from the sight of, care for that sort of thing, but he did her, from the sound of her voice, he not. All this was quite at vari- had time to see how white she had ance with the laws of nature, for grown, and how altogether lovely Thomas was big and blond and she was in her soft gray gown He ruddy, and should, in accordance had been close enough too to see with a dozen laws, have been in that her eyes were gray, gray as love with a dozen girls and ent the sea is when the clouds hang low gaged to six all at one and the same about it. time. The six and twelve would. Then, as though Fate was rehave called him "Tommy" and ad-solved to play her meanest pranks; ored him. But Thomas he was de upon him, he saw that she was termined to remain. His path thro- standing before an easel holding a ugh life was on the other side of portrait of Hackett and was discussthe road from that trod by dainty ing the picture with the artist who teminine feet.

It must be confessed that Thomas "Yes, it certainly is striking," she had not always been so austere. But was saying, "and I should imagine he had grown up in a houseful of that it was an excellent likeness. girls, all older than he was. His I've never seen the man I'm not sisters' love affairs he had viewed fond of the theatre you know" with scorn, and the tragic weeping, He staggered and grasped the the ecstatic weeping incidental to portiones at his side. Why should procure some utensil which would such things bad filled him with she say a thing like that? Why obviate this disagreeable feature of disgust. But in his earlier years he should she lie in that shameless, un-housekeeping. An Ohio inventor

her weakness was the antidote for addressing the artist return from Italy, where he had him." been studying art and painting "The one in your locket," he weird impressionist pictures. He taunted, or perhaps it really was the met a girl, and she fell in love with little jealous devil inside of him that Don't dry your face in a hurry, a him—girls did as a rule. He con-spoke. of art. She was standing before one and undoubtedly-possibly-

course, he fell before her, complete- of her heart. ly, desperately, unreasoningly in love. She was in reality all that he in his wildest imagination considered her. Thomas, even thought of him as and are now meaningless.

ready to hear. The gown was ac- be read without difficulty.

gown he realized absolutely that his every letter and so save 25 per "entire peace of mind for all time cent." and eternity" depended upon his pomession of the wearer, but at the same instant a premonitory shiver passed over him. The color was so the kaiser, whose power of being

while her cool, green eyes smiled how it was that his father was able praised the jade. Her heart stood "that is part of father's wonderful before using. will. Had the moment come? character, for whenever he attends Would be speak? Suddenly his face baby; whenever he honored a weddenly white, and though her eyes baby; whenever he honored a weddenly his face back? The white, and though her eyes baby; whenever he honored a weddenly his face back Cemetery in the south of Wales. Hurrah, comrades, Parson is dead! For instance, there is one young great rush of red blood swept from he attends a funeral somehow or fine valenciennes and other laces. her heart to her cheeks. At this in- other he invariably manages to get stant he raised his eyes, saw the hold of the idea that he is the rosy blush and his own face grew corpse." whiter still.

For a long time there was silence. then, with an inaudibly muttered word of farewell, he left her.

What the it mean? What soon after, carrying the secret with invented are dollar, panels, games a lot of space in the godety column

could it mean? Why did she wear an actor's portrait on her breast. answer he could but accept as the death kinell of his hopes. In the darkness of despair he fled from the eyes of men, and, alone in his studio.

was standing near

presented her with a dead rat, and flew to her cheeks, he exclaimed, the average length. In connection balanced on the Schlick's system

anal attack occurred soon after his you mean? That e no photograph of off quickly and with ease.

descended to think her worth while, "In my locket?" she asked again, and injures its beauty and was on the verge of considering And then a light broke through the shanced to express her appreciation of popular favorities of the stage, stead of soap.

"It's awfully sweet," she murmur- thought to open it."

dinary ways of life. As a matter of ing their own hue in those mirrors the foot bath; the soles of the feet edly before?"

Part of the Letter We Read. "Did you ever think," said an old The was beautiful, charming, inter-printer, "that we really notice only "We have so many commonplaces "Well, how does it happen that you to the child though not able to proesting well versed in all the arts the upper halves of the letters? The in socalled polite, intercourse." said are tall enough now?" and refinements of life, free from all lower halves are in many cases only a woman who does a bit of thinking. The candidate, with creditable can. Much the same state of things is feminine weaknesses, despising those the stems, the remainders of orna, for herself, "and one of the most dor, explained that he had learned experienced at the New York Orphan weaknesses in the rest of her sex. mental flourishes which have been meaningless of them, to my mind, is that a man's stature was longest Asylum. It is rarely, the manager

eves, might also lead to longed-for ful and instead of abolishing a few pliant." letters in a few words they might When Thomas first saw this green cut off the lower quarter or half of

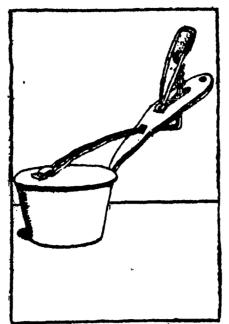
The Versatile Kaiser. An excellent story is repeated of They sat together and talked of mented upon by a foreigner, who in- when they perspire. theories, of philosophies and facts, quired of one of the younger princes

Fire Made To Orden.

ATTACHMENTS FOR PANS

Without Injury to the Hands.

gave himself up to the misery that contents of a boiling pot that it is est of the express steamships now



LEVER LIFTS COVER.

GUIDES TO HEALTH.

quick, anyhow rub coarsens the sain

Vesuvius. Her pose was perfect, her jade locket?" she asked. "I had of an egg, flavor with lemon and the ship bears. soloring exquisite, her eyes soulful! not looked. I had never even sugar and take some occasionally.

may also be rubbed with spirits of camphor.

Meaningless Chatter. Thomas, even thought of him as "Take, for instance, the heading can do anything for you." I say when this examination was approaching his teeth and cursing the placid of a paper. Cover up with a blank meaningless' because when this is ing, he had gone to bed and stayed with him or her. friendship that seemed to exclude all sheet the lower half of the letters said is ought to mean a great deal, there for four days in succession, and even if you did not know what and, as a matter of fack, in the great then risen and hurried, in fifteen min perhaps it is just as well to hold the majority of cases, it does not mean utes, to the examination room, where or or phans in trust till they have reach. fancy of the hour, caused her to culty in reading the words. Now re- anything at all. It's instructive, by shrewd timing, he got in shead or phans in trust till they have reachlean from her pedestal, to waver, alper half and if you did not know the people who give this sort of invita-measured before his frame had set themselves or help support them-It was summer, and she, catering words it would be impossible to tion at their word, and see the sur-tied down again of its own height.... selves in the home of a relative," was to Tommy's weird love of color, ac- make out the letters. This fact is prise upon their faces. They can do Boston Transcript. quired for her personal adornment even more plainly seen in the case something for you, you have decided, agreen gown, green as the sea, green of the Roman letters used for headand, therefore, you bring the matter to their notice; it may be an introas her own eyes. She hoped that lines. An I might be mistaken for to their notice; it may be an introthe Blind. Childs Hospital shook ner nead.

In the school for the blind founded "We are often approached," said and Steam Fitters' Supplies to their notice; it may be an introin Lisbon by Branco Rodriguez a she; "by persons in search of a child blind founded to the shape doing of an errand. You are in
Thomas would notice this latter fact, and I be the shape doing of an errand. You are in
The motor of the Blind. Child be noticed to the blind founded to the blind founded in Lisbon by Branco Rodriguez a she; "by persons in search of a child blind founded to the shape doing of an errand. You are in
The motor of the Blind. Child be not the blind founded to the blind found The jade also matched the spelling might make this idea use made to realize that you are a sup-articles. A blind person, working be.

NEEDLEWORK NOTES.

cruelly cold, so calm and inimical to enthusiastically interested in every in a box with a cover, and keep in new enterprise. function he attends was once com-the workbox to rub on the fingers

pringly with the looket. He, longtasm about such every-day occurfround. Pour the coffee from the way home from America. If they had a boy.

The to touch what her fingers had the state of the state The to touch what her ingers had deaths. "Ah!" was the answer, water. Let them dry thoroughly here."

were downcast she knew that it had ding with his presence he imagines very best are all hand-embroidered if he had lived he would have buried magning than ever. The "Hurrah, comrades, Parson is dead: For instance, there is one young some, but he would not speak. A that he is the bride, and whenever and frequently have insertions of all of us."

> Woman Toy Inventor. ever invented by a woman consists ing four words: of an animal figure of two suitably "My pipe is out." In the time of Louis XV. of France shaped pieces of fabric painted in a chemist named Depre gave an ex-imitation of an animal and secured

A FLOATING CITY.

Marvelous in construction, luxurious in furnishings and appalling in size So many housewives have suffered is the Kaiser Wilhelm II. of the burned fingers while examining the Norddeutscher Line. She is the largsmall wonder they are anxious to plying between the old world and the new. She is about one-seventh of a mile long, 700 feet 6 inches; 72 feet beam, and her displacement is 26.500 tons of salt water. She has seven. The well to do New York woman 72 feet 7 inches.

pumps, capable of discharging 9,300 there are no children." tons of water an hour, would be put 10 inches in diameter, are driven by or to let it alone.

four powerful engines. Steam will be "Surely," it is often urged, "with generated in nineteen boilers. The all the orphan and half orphan and

his poison. A few years later he had later h some years older than he was, but altogether from life?" Then turn-down a connecting rod raises the lid electric bells, work electric signals, cially true of Protestant institutions. he had come upon her suddenly one ing to her, with raised eyebrows, he of the pot, the lid being hinged to light cigars in the smoking saloon.

the treatre he was offering. His she asked in surprise. "What do liquid in the pot can also be drained meals to 2,300 people. On land a ho- proved applications— seventeen of tel proprietor that seats 600 persons them for children under two years. upon a grander scale

ber still more deeply when, at a clouds. Assuredly she had seen in 11 the nose is shiny use borax tain and officers, making nearly 2,500 four of whom live in New York city studio tea given in her honor, she frames displayed for sale the faces water or wash it with cornmeal inpersons—enough to populate a con. At the Female Guardian Society siderable town In the drawing room and Home for the Friendless, which is a targe portrait by Ludwig North takes care of more than 200 child of his fiame-shot drab paintings of "Was there a photograph in the For hoarsness beat up the white of Emperor Wilhelm II., whose name ren, it was learned that only thirteen

Added Half an Inch to His Stature, the secretary here: Added Haif an inch to His Stature.

No other public explanation was had crossed the road and spurnate every feminine inducement to redevery feminine inducement to redevery feminine inducement to redevery long another girl.

But before very long another girl

Added Haif an inch to His Stature.

Added Haif an inch to His Stature.

A physician of experience in examination was possible, no other public explanation was have chloride of lime and left for an hour ining candidates for civil service a small child to adopt and so sure year after year and was always found a large assortment from which to one half inch below the required the same portieres that smell of new paint.

But before very long another girl

There can be no health without height. One day the decrease and hair is preferred. appeared upon the scene. She cross- they were the dearest, sweetest, exercise and a system of exercise come to know the fellow by sight color eyes and hair is preferred. ed over to his side of the way, de truest eyes in the world turn from should be practiced that will bring found him measuring up to the full generally ending with the announce-

"Yes, sir" "And been rejected?" "Yes, sir." "What for?"

eight hours, can earn from forty
three to fifty-two cents a day, and the superintendent made this sur-The bent point of a sewing mach-ten to all the furnitre makers in Lis-homes awaiting every healthy availine needle, may be sharpened on a bon and Oporto begging them to give able child we can furnisn. We have whetstone and need not be discarded, him their custom. The blind, who 125 children in the house, we board Put a small bag of talcum powder and hence are much interested in the number last year we could furnish

Three Curlous Epitaphs.

tomb of a grave digger in the Tai- New York women and the unselfish-

Nobody likes to be nobody; in his hands the apring of the hibition on a canal at Versailles of a together at their edges correspond-everybody is pleased to think himself books who are well known in society

BABIESFOR ADOPTION

There was but one answer, and this Simple Method of Raising Cover The Wonderful Kaiser Wilhelm II. DEMAND GREATER THAN THE SUPPLY, ASYLUMS REPORT.

> Statements That Exhibit the Considerations That Influence New Yorkers in Adopting Children-One Couple Have Taken Four,

decks, and her height from the keel-is not uniformly opposed to having son to roof of the smoking saloon is a child or children in the house, not withstanding an impression to the The steamship has two bottems, contrary, says the New York Sun. seven feet intervening between them. A clergyman lately returned from If a hidden rock should pene rate Germany told of a German-woman of the first bottom the second would more than average education and save the ship. If by any mishap both culture who said to him pityingly: bottoms should be rent seventeen ... I understand that in New York

The other side of this story is that in action Supposing that for some in New York there are hundreds of the work, safety would still be secured children would gladly by the seventeen water-tight trans welcome a child could one be had ver-e bulkheads and one long addition adoption. The mistress of such tional bulkhead in the engine room, a home naturally is not willing to As a final precaution the Kaiser Wil. care for a child during its ten ler helm II carries a flotilla of twenty-years only to have is snatched away six boats, that can be lowered into by a legal guardian when he or sae the water by four strong boat hoists, reaches a bread winning stage. Peo-Her two bronze propellers, 22 feet ple prefer to adopt the child legally

driving shaft is 230 feet long and foundling asylums New York supweighs 565,000 pounds. Despite the ports it is the easiest thing in the himself had slight wounds from the necessary way? The demon of jeal- seems to have attained the coveted force of 40,000 horse-power which world to get a child to adopt." But osy that possessed him sent him utensil in the very simple attach- will be necessary to propel \_ 'oat- is it? This assumption certainly can't His first love had been a small, swaggeringly forward. With a curt ment shown in the illustration. As ing city across the Atlantic to five be proved by the managers of these long-legged, short-skirted girl. She nod in her direction, with never a here shown the cooking pot is profainted, stupidly enough, when he glance at the warm life blood that vided with a handle of more than minimum, for the main engines are do. on of them shows that there is an with the handle, in close reach of The electric plant upon the ship women for children to adopt, and increased demand from New York her weakness was the antidote for "Awfully good likeness, Howard! the user's hand is a small lever By furnishes 67.500 candlepower, light-most of them admit that they cannot

day and had found her kissing a sked.

the edge of the pot close to the hanturn fans and even heat the ladies' photograph—one of his own, it is the same pose as your cherical die. There is absolutely no danger curling irons in the first and second in the United Charities Building, the ion made him hurriedly withdraw: "My photograph of Mr Hackett?" other advantage is the fact that any The kitchen staff is able to serve secretary showed a bundle of apa day hinks he has a good deal on his of age, and another bundle of twentyhands, but at sea things are done two applications not yet investigated, and no prospect of being able to fur-The Kaiser Wilhelm II is capable nish a fifth of the number of childof accommodating 775 first-class, 343 ren asked for. In the last year this second class and 700 third class pas- society furnished fifty-three children sengers. Besides, there is a for legal adoption by thoroughly recrew of 600 men, including the cap sponsible persons of means, thirty-

children, could be provided for Home Phone 4315 adoption in the last year Said

murely offered him companionship, gray to green. For the clouds had in play all the muscles of the body. standard. He could hardly believe ment that she wishes a girl of two slightly flavored with friendship, been wasted quite away, and just as years or under. It is seldom that, "lon't I know you?" he inquired any one wants legally to adopt a and, after a few preliminary zig-the sea takes its color from the sky. For feet that perspire too freely "Don't I know you?" he inquired any one wants legally to adopt a sags, led this steps back into the or-to hope, life and love were reflect-put a tablespoonful of vinegar in "Have you not you been here repeat child over two years old, consequently this reduces the number of available children. Again the majority of those who are of suitable to giving up all his or her rights 804 German Insurance Bldg.

In her heart of hearts she idolized gradually reduced in size and length the expression frequently heard; after he had lain abed a good while said, that a child can be handed over Now, be sure to call upon the if I and got stretched out, as it were so, for adoption owing to the reluct-

"Blood is thicker than water and some concession of the control of

his opinion. The matron at the Nursery and

and upon such notice would follow are so pintilly indicated by the shape doing of an errand. You are, in-lished, which is proving most remun-accommodated here. The majority the declaration she was only too if the upper half that the lines may deed, made to feel that it is more erative to the inmates. It consists in of our babies are born in the house ready to hear. The gown was acbe read without difficulty.

blessed to give than to receive. No unravelling or "picking" vegetable and it is the exception to find a companied by a chain, green with

"In their zeal for reform and econe likes to be a suppliant, you fibres, which are used as stuffing man mother willing to part with her inbits of jade, and locket set with onomy the advocates of the new know, and it is even worse to be terial for furniture, beds and other fant no matter how poor she may Collection to Insure Prompt Attention

many orders for work are expected, the superintendent made this sur-a sthe founder of the school has writdo this work, receive all the profits, out nearly 400 more and out of that only 92 for adoption. At this moment I have 86 applications for a baby girl of any age under two and In a cemetery near Dublin the fol-one half years. Girls are decidedly Needles and pins will never rust lowing words appear on a tombstone: the favorites with those seeking a while her cool, green eyes smiled to display such unbounded enthus in a cushion filled with coffee tather and mother died while on their girl most of the applicants will take

> "But we can't furnish either boys or girls enough. I am surprised, in The following epitaph adorns the fact, at the demand for children from married woman who told me she Here is another curious epitaph was going to give up her saddle which was recently discovered. It horse so that she could adopt a marks the grave of an indefatigable second child. Both she and her hus-One of the most successful toys smoker and contains only the follow- band are fond of children, and having none of their own they are supplying the lack by legally adopting

"We have another couple on our locket had yielded and he had seen that it could not be quenched, water therein the face, the well known, that it could not be quenched, water that it could not be quenched, water only giving it fresh activity. Louis secured to their bettom edges, the fact that the invention should be made public, and the inventor died ing material cirl in the soon after, carrying the macraf with in this case is the fact that none of this couple's friends is aware that the children are not their own

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