

Partners for Life

By MARVIN ST. JOHNS Ren menterstation and the states of the stat opyright, 1922, Western Newspaper Uni

"Things look pretty dubious, you observed Lawyer Bailey. There is no doubt that my father's the tall appears to be a transient afbusiness is in a critical condition. fair somehow due to the comet's proximity to the sun. A periodic comet Well, I am here to mend it."

"I hope you do and you look as if which displays a magnificent tail at you are going to give the experiment one apparition may show little or nothgood, hard try," observed the at- ing of this character upon another octorney, with an admiring glance at the casion.

As a typical comet swings swiftly clear-faced, supple-limbed young man round the sun, the tail seems to swing before him. Percival Deane had been called from around as well. Always it stretches the midst of splendid attainments at from the comet in a direction away college, to realize the true nobility from the sun. As the tail may be of a self-sacrificing father. Deane & many millions of miles in length, an Marvin had been to the son a synonym explanation is needed to cover the question as to how it is possible in for stability and profit.

"The situation is easily told," said a few days to swing the till through Mr. Balley. "Two years ago your an arc of 180 decrees. Some comets father's partner, Mr. Marvin, induced are extraordinarily rapid movers as In to agree to investigate a chance they round the sun. Thus, the periodic to purchase a Peruvian concession to comet of 1843 reached, in its swing cost \$30,000.- This they had every round, the wonderful velocity of 300 assurance could be sold within a year miles per second. However, it is more at an enormous advance. Nearly all particularly the rapid angular swing the capital of the firm was turned of the tall that needs explanation. If into cash. Mr. Marvin departed on the tail is precisely the same object his mission .- He - wired from San throughout, a 72-hour swing of a hun Francisco and since that time not a dred million miles of tall through two right angles would mean that the word has been received from him." "They think he was murderedterminal particles covered an arc considerably over 150,000,000 miles long bbed 1

"That's the only way they can ex- at the rate of some 600 miles per sec plain this unaccountable silence," ond.-Scientific American.

agreed the lawyer. "Cramped for AGED MAN WOULD SEE WORLD capital, your father has seen the business fairly go to pieces. He kept the

to Travel.

true state of affairs from you. He has Turkish Methuselah, at 146. Refuses even paid Mrs. Marvin the old liberal to Consider Himself as Too. Old drawing account of her husbaud. She has a daughter, Elsie, just finishing her education. A modern Methuseiah, reputed to be

Percival Deane figuratively took off the oldest man on earth, has started his coat and started in to make time out to see the world before he gets and ability count. At the end of a "too old to travel." Zora Mehmed,

week he had the muddled affairs of one hundred and forty-six years old, the frm-on-a tangible basis: _____ for Constantinople has arrived in Paris. "It doesn't look very promising," he Zorn, who has been working pretty told himself. "The factory can do no consistently for 140 years, is in exnew work until the debts are paid off jcellent health and boasts of being there:

and some fresh capital secured. able to carry a 200-pound weight. Deane & Marvin owned exclusive | Zorn produces identification - pamodels and patterns of a large number pers to prove he was born in 1775. of utilities in requirement daily all and he refers to his closest competiover the country. The young man dl- har for longevity honors, a Sloux Insector - circular to all of the old dian in the United States. ared one patrons of the firm, He stated the hundred and thirty-seven years, as dillons trathfully, offered a reduce a mere boy." Zora hus a for finderytion in price and hoped for the best, five years old, and he has so many It was Saturday evening when he descendants that he long ago lost

paid a visit to Airs. Marvin. count. We shall be able to bay you guite The aged Turk is a skeptic on the a weekly allowance, Mrs. Marvin," he subject of matrimony. Having tried

MUMICHANNEL INCOMET SWINGS ITS TAIL Speed Records of Celestial Bodies Are All Broken When They Turn Around the Sun. By CALVIN HENDRICKS

One of the most remarkable things about comets is the presence of a tail: Not that all have them. Many possess such appendages, and some make marvelous displays. However,

sat facing his bookkeeper, Ralph Ter- a handful of the sportsmen in the hune, a pleasing, clear-minded young territory who have realized that unman, in the estimation of Eunice Mar- less they take drastic steps the game tin at least, although the money ab- ion the islands will soon be exterwrbed father knew nothing of that. , minated. The two men were seated in the pri- Bruce Cartwright, secretary of the

The Missing

Cuffs

rate office of the bunker. This had Hawallan association, writes that foran antercom and both apartments conmerly the islands were allve with nected with the residence of John game, but due to poor law enforcement Martin. In the anteroom was a lurk- and the lack of fdequate protective ing figure. measures the condition is now serious. This man was Burton Beale, a bach-The greater part of the population

elor cousin of the banker, who had are Orientals, and to teach them that been the quest of his relative for game must be protected will prove a nearly a month. laborious task, he says. "You understand, Terhune," the The Chinese dove, Mongolian pheas-

banker was speaking within the private office. "Perfectly, Mr. Martin," replied the

his hand....

"Memorize it."

oung office man. chickens were plentiful. "I have never trusted any employee plover are very numerous during as I am trusting you. It is necessary migration. Ducks and other shore that I should, for some important birds also visit the islands. transactions will have to be hundled The game animals in Hawali con-

by you during my absence." sist of goats, sheep and deer. The "You will not be gone long, I pretheory has been advanced-and found sume?" the ear of the lawmakers on the is-

"Perhaps a week. Lean a little clostands-that deer are detrimental to er, Terhune. The combination of the forests, --It is asserted that they desafe is 12-105-19." stroy forests by enting the protective Ralph Terhune nodded comprehendcovering from the roots of the trees.

ingly. While the banker spoke he had carclessly scribbled the numerals

on a slip of scrap paper. Instantly his COMMUTER HAS GREAT IDEA employer drew the tell-tale slip from

Warms His Hat Before Putting It Or When the Morning is of the - Chilly Order.

stepped to the door of the living room

"To-aid me, I will make a temporary notation, then," said Terhune, and he marked the numbers on the white

The commuter was shivering. An icy blast had chilled him through when he surface of his shirt cuff. got out of bed to close the window The modest but pretty cuff button holding it together met his glance as and, although he was about to seat he did this, and his eye brightened himself at the breakfast table, his storm, but turn in the opposite direc-Those buttons were a birthday gift teeth chattered at the thought of the tion. cold walk he must take to get the

from Eunice, a week ago. When the banker and Ralph passed 8:10.

Suddenly a brilliant idea struck him. through the anteroom, Beale was not He dashed into the hall, rescued a soft hat from the hat rack and, slipping in- shown in the Popular Mechanics Mag-

"Let us take a little stroll. Terhune," he suggested as, apparently to the living room, turned on the elec- asine, side wheels are placed on a casually, he later met his intended tric lamp and dropped his hat over it. His better half, who had been revictim on the street near his hotel. sarding him with amazement, but who arranged at such an angle from the "Time for a game of billiards, at had been married long enough to know body as to prevent the machine from least," pressed Beale. aut to use questions in the middle of skidding or falling over when turning her husband's brilliant schemes, in either direction. These wheels also "Ob, yes; I bave a full hour of

ure.' "Come on, then."

and smilled Beale disguised the fact that he "Come on, dear," she pleaded; When compared with the tallorwas an expert at the game." He made it interesting for his opponent by some "you're late now and I've got the love- made woman appearances are against

322,000 Grains From One. An experiment to show the fecundity of a grain of wheat has just been con-Sidney Hall's Sons Hawallan Fish and Game Association Asserts That Condition on the cluded at the official school of agricul-Islands Are Bad. ture, Vallodolid, Spain, with the result that one grain produced in a year 322,-The latest application received by

900 grains. the American Game Protective associa-At the end of July 100 grains were tion for club membership comes from John Martin, mortgage banker, Hawall, The Hawallan Fish and sown separately. At the end of September the grains had developed an shrewd and careful man of business, Game association has been formed by average of 12 shoots each. These were cut and transplanted and by the end of October each cutting furnished an average of eight shoots, which produced 65 ears each, and each ear gave

an average of 50 grains. A simple multiplication sum shows that each of the original grains planted reproduced itself 12x8x65x50, making a total of 822.000 grains.

Stars in Daylight,

It has been recently found that photographs of stars down to the sixth magnitude (degree of brightness) can be taken in broad daylight, ant and California quall are the most so that astronomical photography common upland game birds, although need no longer be confined to the formerly peacocks, turkeys and wild night. The discovery follows Lord Golden Rayleigh's finding that the color of the

sky is caused by the diffusion of sunlight by the atmosphere, and that the quantity of light dispersed is different in the case of different colors. If the stellar photographs are taken through a very deep red screen the stars appear with distinctness. Experiments on these novel lines are being carried out at several observatories.-

- A Nature Lesson

Marion is an observing child. Re-

cently the family motored into the

country and was caught in a rain-

storm. While waiting for the rain to

stop the family, safe in the sedan, was

"Isn't it funny," Marion observed,

when it rains the animals always turn

of animals will agree that most of

them, at least horses, do not face a

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