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it grouped the mother and children. True, there lay the cones, silver every one, gleaming in the fire-light as had the beard of the little man in the goldon glow of the sun.

graceful firs with gold, when again the mother stood at the edge of the forest. In a moment the Gubich was joys! New hopes, though all these fail, to light before her. "Good-morrow, good soul! Founds't thou not beautiful cones Oh, take my heart's delight in these thy vester-eve? And a laugh rang through What a glad New Year the world would gifts;
My thanks and praise; O Lord! my thanks and praise!

The mother straggled to speak. "Keep thy thanks, I wish them not." continued the first." not," continued the Gubich. "Be thou On each bright page of the New Dusty the way has been, and long and only faithful to thy husband's words, dark;
Even now I scarce can hope, for hope beand my dear firs a loving thought to trays.

O faithless heart, to him who cares for home."

Keep our hearts wa.m. Now hie thee

thes.

Give now thy thanks and praisel thy than the mother home again; not more than the mother home again; not more than Not more quickly speeds the wind happy are the birds than were the Surely the sun will shine throughout the hearts in the miner's home that day, Surely her miracles will work the spring; ldfe stands revealed where all seemad the "beautiful Hirehbichenstein." drear and dead.

O heart! my heart! then mayst give tuanks and sing.

Dear Christman in the common of the common o

Dear Christmas joy-ever since, madly the Harz maidens dance round the graceful firs. Christmas in Naples.

Sing and rejoice! Ever give thanks and

with a bent head, she reached the edge

With glad feet the mother hurried on

at her feet; they pelted her shoulders they filled her basket. Frightened, the

or woman turned and fied, glancing

ither to the right or left. Heavier and heavier the basket grew. Breath-less and exhausted she reached her cot-

tage door.

The mother entered and quickly

barred the door. "Husband, husband,

think what has happened. On the

edge of the holy forest I met a little man with snowy beard who told me

where to gather the best cones. I went

to find them, but the farther I went

of the holy forest.

the windows. It roughly retend the difference of the stately oaks, whose sacredness to the gods the elements were thought to respect, and then died away among the pines in a soft, and Charles' unremitting attentions left. "Hands up!" he cried, "I've got the drop on yer now." music, that brought tears to the them any opportunity. He was at the mother's eyes. It was like the moan Dusenberry home two or three eyenthe bairns made for bread. The ings a week and all of Sunday after-tears broke into a sob; half-blinded, noon. This being the case, it was no how " a ings 2 week and all of Sunday afternoon. This being the case, it was no wonder that he had the field to himself and that other young men thought it useless to look in that directions.

"Taint worth fighting about, any will remain in your hand. Does the heavy," said Pete, carelessly. "There is a pound of ore in the hull calm."

"Oh, come off," said Hank. Pityingly, out from his bed of clouds, it useless to look in that direction. But the two were not engaged.

the setting sun glanced warm and tener. He shot his parting rays among There was nothing in the way of it exthe firs, and filled their deep shadows with a cheerful glow. Suddenly, into the marked pathway of its light, cept Frederick Charles' inability to ask with a cheerful glow. Suddenly, into the marked pathway of its light, stepped a little man with snowy beard, who gravely doffed his leather cap and Amanda showed no indication of heip-resident for the sad mother to reach him.

oren starve; my husband never again will be well. I cannot see them ask ach day for bread and give them none, I go to gather cones. Do let me pass and fill my basket."
"I would harm thee not, my friend,"

toung. Follow this path a hundred feet, and there they can be gathered with—but the mother was on her way. A knowing look, a caress of his white beard, a sulf, of the care of his white beard of his heard, a sniff of the perfumed forest air, and the little man had vanished.

Not be used but the dropping of cones broke the stillness of the forest. Faster and thicker they seemed to fall at each "So it will," replied the girl, de- plastered it to fool curious and unwelnward step. A perfect storm of cones. They dropped upon her head; they fell

"I-I-I hardly like to." And the girl hung her head. "Don't be afraid! I'll give you anything you ask for." he declared in a great burst of generosity. "Well, then, Fred, I wish you would

the faster the cones fell from the firs. They came about my head as thick as give menow flakes in midwinter; yet the trees "Out with it. Don't be backward," less mass. shook not. I was afraid and did not he said, impatiently. "Give you what,

shook not. I was afraid and did not stop to sick up one; but some fell in my basket, and here they are."

"Hist, wife! Look, look thou! They are pure silver. It's the Gubieh thou self."

"Give me a chance to see something of some other young men besides your self."

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While we write them down in our Nam

If all would be good and kind and true,

And then I know we should love to look

Jumping a Glaim.

And do the work that is theirs to do; If from hate and pride our hearts were

vation in this cou try, brought over, like tennis and golf, from the old England

hunting and fishing, some like the Bradley-Martins and the Carnegies hiring shooting boxes in the Highlands for this purpose, and taking a party of friends with them.

only those of enormous wealth could think of doing things in this style, so the less rich had to bestir themselves and do the next best paraphrasing the old saying about Mahomet coming to the mountain, by bringing the country house season over here.

ment there the parties a real records many and adaptive than the average tailars. The mine, real size, Sargin or the state of the state

1 whice

Pete, seeing the other fellow had a

while Hank deftly relieved him of his ain t a pound of ore in the nun cuain."

"Oh, come off!" said Hank. "How the fox in the proverb, preaching the about all that ore you shipped last summer?"

"That was out of a pocket I struck is retailed, for a new appending grows and the company of the light of of which petered out mighty quick; but if again in due course. In fact, it is you don't believe me I'll go in the hole and show you," and, taking a candle, but and show you," and, taking a candle, but and show you." and taking a candle, and the animal will then wear

who gravely defied his leathern cap and waited for the sad mother to reach him. "Good woman, what all'st thon? Why so sad?" broke upon her startled sur. "Oh, sir, I mean no harm. My children starve; my husband never again will be well. I cannot see them ask

when the present are of grace arrived, being leap we, the diffident is young man cherished the hope that his charmer would exercise a woman's personalive, which comes every quadrest in the date of the incident about to be marrated, the hopes of Frederick Charles had been disappointed.

The two were sitting before the fire in the Dusenberry parlor one Thursday night in the middle of December, when the girl remarked: "How rapidly time is flying! It will soon be Christmas."

Hank did not reply, but appeared to be least in thought. Finally be said: "Hold my candle a minute, Pete," and, least year will soon be gone."

"So it will," replied the girl, demanded and fete, holding his candle. "There now, what in did I tell yer? It's nuthin' but dead to frequent this place and amuse themselves by knocking the tails from order. Hank took his candle and carefully examined the breast, roof and sides but not a trace of mineral could be marrated, the hopes of Frederick but not a trace of mineral could be marrated. The two were sitting before the fire in the Dusenberry parlor one Thursday night in the middle of December, when the girl remarked: "How rapidly time is flying! It will soon be Christmas."

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Hank took his candle and carefully examined to five lizards. It's a pity these mise guided lads had no better notion of fun than to play the tailer.

When Dr. Drummond was at Palo Bay, in Sardinia, he spied a large lizard in all the money I want to; you can have a biast at her now, if the grabled it by its tail just as it was

"So it will," replied the girl, demurely.

"What would you like me to give you this leap year Christmas?" asked the young man.

"Why, Fred, I'd like you to give me—"

"Speak out Amandal Don't be afraid," replied Bunting, who began to get courageous with the idea that at last he had about brought her to the point of asking that he give himself as a Christmas gift.

"He reverberations of the shot had

"I—I—I hardly like to."

"What would you like me to give you this leap year Christmas?" asked to mot put any water in the pickle ast all, but put a thick layer of sation the bottom of the leg. Then I wash the cucumbers and lay them close together, covering each layer with a suching revolver in his heart.

"Bete with a suching revolver in his had, which he had snatched from Hank's belt as he struck the blow, stood over him with a grim smile as the muttered "Another accident!"

But retribution was close at hand.

The reverberations of the shot had The reverberations of the shot had hardly died away among the neighboring peaks when a rock, which had long been loose, started by the sudden shock, fell from the roof bringing places of horse-radish. I use cold tons of earth with it, and Pete and his third victim were crushed into a shapeless muss. and Farm.

"I hope it snows Christmas eve," said Harry, "because if it don't Santa Claus may have to come in a balloon, and if it busted, all the coys would get broken."

"Auryle—I suppose they are put an it it way, mamma to keep the fish broken."

Leather-Winged Bat

Most curious in origin of all noc turnal insect hunters are the leather-winged bata, which may be regarded, practically speaking, as very tiny monkeys, highly specialized for the task of catching nocturnal files and midgets. Few people know how nearly they are related to us. They belong to the self-same division of the higher mammals as man and the apes; their skeleton answers to ours, bons for OUSE PARTIES bone and joint for joint, in an ordi-are quite an inno-nary manner; only the unessential fact that they have very long fingers with a web between as an organ of flight prevents us from instantly and instinctively recognizing them as recountry. Until a instinctively recognizing them as re-dew years ago, mote cousins, once removed from the nanf of our gorilla. The female bat in particular mables went is absurdly human. Most of them feed off insects alone, but a few, like the at this famous vampire bats of South Ame-the year ilea, take a mean advantage of sleeping animals and suck their blood after they lie defenceless in the forests or on the open pampas. Others, like the flying foxes of the Malay archipelago, make a fragal meal of fruits and vegetables; but even these are persistent night flyers. They hang head downward from the boughs of

but sally forth at night to rob the bana patches and invade the plantain

the mountain, by bringing the country house season over here.

It is now at its height in the hills. Everybody who has an apology for a thouse in the Berkshire and the Litch field hills and, nearer home in the Orange mountains and along the High-bands of the Hudson, has it full of guests all bont on one thing, that of energy house in the orange mountains and along the High-bands of the Hudson, has it full of guests all bont on one thing, that of energy house in the orange mountains and along the High-bands of the Hudson, has it full of guests all bont on one thing, that of energy house in the country.

Of course, for a house party to be a success, the guests must be well selected. They must Sing and rejoids. Ever give thanks and the readed thanks and the r

An exchange announces that an val-ligator 8 feet 2 inches in length and the Mississippi off the lovee at St. Loris a few days ago." Some of its teeth were said to be more than two inches long and like the teeth of a

shark. This alligator was probably It costs more to fertilize an acre of land in England so that it will grow good wheat than it does to send the reduct of an acre in Dakota over

Austria has recently allowed women to practice medicine in Bosnia. In other parts of the empire the profession is closed to them.

Not all the sedatives and nerve foots and narcotics, in which this age of medical discovery is so prolific, can restore quiet to the nerves permanently, so long as the tran-quility of those sensitive organs are dis-turbed by irregular digestion. When the food is not adequately digested and essind action of the powers and now resulting the use of the medicine, also comince good effect. Majuria, rheumatisin and complaint all nerve disturbing compi-ace removed by the Hitters.

teack them their faults with sait; in a few days there will be plenty of b ine and if you keep them weighted and dip off the seem that weighted and dip off the seem that rises. I think you will not fail to keep them. Put up this way, the vessel will hold more cucumbers as they shrink so much, but when soaked to put in, the vinegar will regain their plump appearance. For davoring a half gallon I use one race of ginger, one tablespoonful each of angar, black pepper said spice cloves, also a few pieces of horse-radish. I use cold vinegar, though some prefer to acald vinegar, though some

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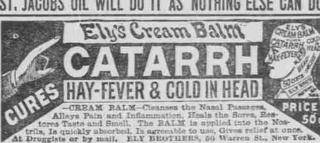
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