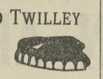
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TO PREVENT RAILROAD ACCIDENTS.

Railroad accidents, with their attendant horrors, will, it is claimed, be rendered impossible by a devise patented by three Baltimoreans—J. F. Mickey, J. J. Noppenberger and Frank T. Bailey. The invention is an automatic railway signalling devise, which requires a third rail and inexpensive equipment to be attached to the engine, coach or cabin car.

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The invention not only is designed to prevent wrecks, but has another very practical use. The apparatus is so arranged that the tower man in charge of the block can throw the accident can throw the accident preventative apparatus temporarily out of use and by means of a telephone can talk to the engineers in the engines while at distant points from the tower, and the engineers of the trains can converse with each other.

The asparatus is also designed to prevent wrecks by the open switch, as the latter acts similar to the presence of another train in the block, and the signal in the approaching engine notifies the engineer of the impending danger.—Exchange.

THE REAL LAND OF PEANUTS.

If you like peanuts, the place for you is Senegal, Africa.

Senegal is one of those places that is hard to remember. even after you have found it on the map, and many a "Failure!" has old Senegal produced in school days, past and present. But the peanut gives a sort of life-like look, and should make it easier to remember.

The peanuts raised in Senegal in one year weighed more than 125,000 tons. France takes most of them. But thousands of tons go also to Holland and Germany.

The little French and Dutch and German children do not, however, eat peanuts by the ton. Indeed, they hardly eat them at all. The peanut in those benighted lands is turned into oil instead of being turned into hungry children.

The only European country that treats the Senegal peanut with proper respect is England. It takes less than a hundred tons a year out of Senegal, but the nuts are packed carefully in bags and are sold to confectioners, as they should be, instead of to oil makers.

Senegal also raises great quanities of that typical Aribian Nights grain, sesame. Do you remember the "open sesame of the forty thieves.

1904 TO BE A YEAR OF HORRORS.

The New York *World* says Parisian papers are commenting gravely on the unanimity of astrologers, magicians, clairvoyants and trance mediums in predicting a year of horrorsfor 1904. A leading astrologer named Jacob sizes up the situation as follows, and the others agree more or less as to detail:

"Here is the horofcope for 1904, made at the moment the sun entered the sign Capricorn.

"The United States have grave quarrels with Russia and Germany. Roosevelt falls sick and a conspiracy is hatched againt him. Serious financial disasters in America.

"The Emperor of Japan will have grave accident.

"An attempt on the life of the Emperor of China.

Volcanic shocks in Constaninople, China and Philippines.

"The French Cabinet falls between April 7 and 19.

"A panic in a music hall, grave accidents and popular disturbances in Russia. An attempt to poison the Czar. Serious dissensions between Russia and Austria.

"England loses prestige. The campaign in Thibet falls through.

"Tremendous failures in Calcutta and the Transvaal.

"Anarchist troubles in Spain; the Government threatened.

"In China women massacred.

"Everywhere crimes of passion, mysterious deaths and strange phenomena."

Going, not Coming.

Mrs. Frank—I heard Deacon Sulkerly telling his wife that he saw you come out of a saloon yesterday.

Mr. Frank—He didn't state that exactly. He saw me go out of a saloon. I saw him hiding behind the lunch counter.

Eastern Idea.

"Won't you please hold me up?" said the well-dressed stranger on the South Side.

What for?" demanded the tough citizen with the cap pulled over his eyes.

"Well, you see, I'm from the East, and if I went back and said I'd been in Chicago two days without being held up they'd never believe I was really here."

NOTED POISON CASE.

Delaware Witnesses will go to California to Attend the Second Trial of Mrs. Botkin.

At last the California authorities have recognized Delaware in the prosecution of Mrs. Cardelia Botkin for the murder of Mrs. J. P. Dunning and Mrs. J. D. Deane. The facts of the case are known to many Kent countians. Her second trial for that offense is to begin on February 15, the conviction of five years at the original trial having been set aside on a technicality.

Attorney-General Herbert H. Ward received a communication from District Attorney Lewis P. Byington, of San Francisco, relative to the second trial of Mrs. Botkin. He requests Mr. Ward to have the Delawere witnesses to go to California so that they will arrive in time for the opening of the new trial. Mr. Byington speaks of the attempt of council for Mrs. Botkin to discredit the exhibits of poisoned candy and other articles in the case by alleging that they had been found in the basement of the late Chief of Police Lees' home, Mr. Byington says 'the exhibits are in safe keeping and have not been tampered with.

Since then Captain John B. Pennington. father of Mrs. Deane and Mrs. Dunning, has died. Another important witness who has died since the original trial of Chief of Police Lees, of San Francisco, who ferreted out the mystery that culminated in the arrest of Mrs. Botkin.

Among the important Delaware witnesses needed are State Chemist Theodore R. Wolfe, of Newark, and Dr. L. A. H. Bishop and Dr. Presley S. Downes, of Dover. Dr. Wolfe analyzed the bonbons eaten by Mrs. Deane, Mrs. Dunning and their companions, and discovered lumps of arsenic enough to kill a dozen persons. Drs. Downes and Bishop attended the murderad women and diagnosed their cases of arsenic poisoning.

These witnesses are understood to be willing to go to California if they are compensated reasonably for the loss of their time and professional practice.

The Old Hen Gets There in Great Shape.

The American hen is achieving a reputation not second even to the celebrated American hog. She has in fact become one of the wonders of the world. As a wealth producer she ranks with Aladin's lamp and the Kimberly Diamond mines, with this improvement over either, that what she produces is good to eat. A summary from the statistical reports as to what this wonderful fowl can do and has done, makes mighty interesting reading.

Her annual output is greater in value than all the output of mines of gold and silver in this bully country and you may also throw in the product of the copper mines by way of good measure and still the hen has the whole aggregation beat to a frazzle. There are 250,000,000 chickens in the country. The value of the poultry sold in the markets during the year was $136,000,000, and the value of the eggs harvested was $144,000,000, making a total of $280,000,000 to be credited to the hen. The value for 1902 exceeded the total value of the exports of animals and animal products during all the years down to and iucluding 1900.

The value of all the wool produced in the United States last year was only one-third the value of the output of the American hen. The value of the wheat crop of 28 States added together was not as great as the value of the eggs and poultry sold in a single year. If the eggs produced by the American hen were loaded on one train of cars the caboose would be 900 miles to rear of the engine. If all the joyous cackles that were cackled announcing the laying of the untold millions of eggs were compressed into a single cackle of triumphant joy the volume of sound would make the thunder of Niargara seem by comparison like the sound of the drip falling from the school boy's nose, on a frosty morning.

English Humor.

Senator Perkins. of California, returned recently from a tour of Europe. The unprecedented rainfall interferred considerably with the Senator's pleasure, but it gave him an opportunity to sample the humor of London 'bus conductors.

One rainy day Mr. Perkins boarded a 'bus and took a seat inside. He began soon to feel the patter of raindops upon his head. The roof of the 'bus leaked, and the American was suffering.

The conductor just then came in to collect the fares, and Mr. Perkins said to him:

"What's the matter with this roof? Does it do this always?"

"No, sir, only when it rains," the conductor answered, smiling.

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I use Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for indigestion and find that they suit my case better than any dyspepsia remedy I have ever tried and I have used many different remedies. I am nearly fifty-one years of age and have suffered a great deal from indigestion. I can eat almost anything I want to now.—Geo. W. Emory, Rock Mills, Ala. For sale by M. A. Toulson, Druggist.

IN THE BEST OF HUMOR.

Citizen—Here, stop fighting that little boy.

Chimmie—W'ot, an' me goil lookin' out de window? She'd take me for a quitter.—Butte Inter. Mountain.

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She—What reason have you for thinking women have no aim in life?

He—I have seen several of them attempt to throw stones.—Chicago News.

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Clara—Pepper, they say, makes people irritable.

Cora—That's queer; Harry gets mad when the pepper-bottle is empty.—Detroit Free Press.

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Church—How is it that they have generals, majors, and colonels in the South, but no admirals?

Gotham—Oh, well, a man has sometimes to get near water to be an admiral, you know.

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Hawkins—I understand that the physicians held a consultation, but I see you are still alive.

Robbins—Yes. I have since learned that the vote stood two for me and one against.—Puck.

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Willie—Mr. Oldboy, why do they say you are in your second childhood?

Mother—Willie!

Willie—Oh, I know; it's because you are baldheaded, just like baby Dick.—Boston Transcript.

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Hewitt—I understand that the foreign noblemen are beginning to get worried.

Jewitt—Over what?

Hewitt—The way these United States senators are marrying all the American women.—Town Topic.

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Wigg—Yes, I realize that she is a woman with a past, but she told me herself that the past was dead.

Wagg—Better look out, old chap. Maybe it's just one of those cases of suspended animation.—Philadelphia Record.

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"Aren't you ashamed to be seen with a whiskey bottle in your hand?" exclaimed the Rev. Goodman. "Faugh! it's disgusting!"

"It is so," replied Weary Willie. "I thought dey wuz a drink in it, but it's empty.—Philadelphia Press.

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Hicks—Gayman seems to be very happy tonight. He must have money.

Wicks—Why do you think so?

Hicks—Because of the way he's cracking jokes.

Wicks—Nonsense! If he had money he wouldn't be happy unless he was cracking bottles.—Cathnlic Standard and Times.

YOUNG MEN IN CONGRESS.

Crop of Embryo Statesmen Ages Range From 28 to 32 Coming to the Fore.

"The Fifty-eighth congress will be remarkable for its membership of young men, who are notable, not only in point or numbers, but conspicious for ability. Some 50 members of the new Congress have emerged from kilts since the last bullet sped at Appomattox.

"In official and Congressional life,' says Mr. North Overton Messenger, in Pearson's, "a man at 40 years of age is considered young, and the graybeards look upon the fellows of 35 as mere striplings; but here comes on a crop of embryo statesmen whose ages range from 28 to 32. Who can say that a man who possesses ability enough to push him through the stirring competition of these times into a seat in congress before he is thirty years old, may not within the next decade take his place among the most brilliant statesmen of the land.

"With a president in the white house, who, at the head of the government, took the executive chair at 43 years of age, there is a following of young men in important positions throughout the various branches—legislative, executive and judicial—which emphatically marks this as the age of young men. Behind this army of aggressive, ambituous, energetic and competent men is a solid backing of experienhed legislators, jurists and executive officers who will furnish the fly-wheel, the governor to the engine, so to speak,"

Same Throat.

Yeast—Have you got another sore throat?

Crimsonbeak—No, it's the same throat.—Yonkers Statesman.

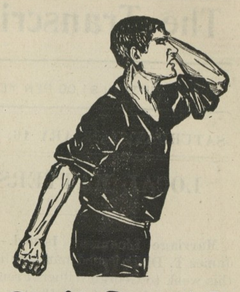
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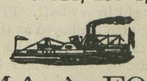
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