#### ENGLAND GROWING SOBER.

But 36.44 Gairons of Beer Per Person Were Concumed in 1904-5 Against 32.45 in 1899-1900.

London.-The torty-eighth report of the commissioners of inland revenue for the year ended march 31, 1905, is a highly interesting document.

The report shows, in particular, that the nation is becoming more suber ev-

The gross receipts amounted to \$531,-\$50,769. Comparing the year 1904-05 with its predecessor, there was an intrease in the net receipts of the total revenue of \$2,045,115.

Or the total amount produced by the Inland revenue duties the "predomiuant partner" contributed \$70.485. Scotland yielded \$67,105,015 and Ireland

Coming to specific duties, the beer .4ax, it is shown, yielded \$65,507,295, and the spirit duty \$50,659,695. Both ducles give decreases as compared with last year, the former of \$1,795,110 and the latter of \$2.659.435.

Statistical proof is afforded of the fact that Scouland is not a beer-drinking nation, for it only contributed #3,990,675 to the total of the duty on that product, as compared with \$56,-\$20,630 from England, Ireland gave double the amount of Scotland.

England paid duty on 29,385,208 barrels, Scotland on 1.813,109 barrels and Ireland on 3,205,970 barrels.

Among the various licenses in force It is interesting to note that those issued in respect to motor vehicles was 2.261. This contrasts with 1,178 last year and 644 in 1902-03.

#### NEW MAGNETIC CHART.

Carnegie Institution to Make a Survey of the North Pacific-Brig Procured for Purpose.

Washington.-The department of international research in terrestial magnetism of the Carnegie institution aas outlined a magnetic survey of the north Pacific ocean, a comparatively new field as regards magnetic observations. The expedition has started from San Francisco and will pursue a spiral course across the entire north Pacific.

The object is to secure precise data of the distribution of the magnetic forces over the Pacific ocean, for the purpose of navigation. It seems that the present magnetic charts for this region are practically made up from coast and island observations which sare not altogether correct.

It is thought that the entire work of observation and reduction can be accomplished in three years at a maximum cost of \$25,000. The total length of the spiral course will be at least 70.000 miles.

The brig Galilee has been procured for the purpose. The director of the work is Dr. L. A. Bauer, who is likewise in charge of the magnetic work of the United States coast and geodetic survey. The commander of the Galilee is J. F. Pratt of the United States coast and geodetic survey. With them are Dr. J. Hobart Egbert, magnetic observer, surgeon and naturalist; J. P. Ault, magnetic observer, and V. W. "Whitney, magnetic observer and watch

#### BAGE COURTS THROUGH MAIL Love-Letters of a Year End in a Wedding Ceremony-Never Saw Each Other.

Minneapolis, Minn.—After a courtship of a year, carried on entirely through the mails, John H. Dundas, a well-to-do ranch owner of Hunter, Cass county, N. D., and Mrs. Saraa G. Norris, of Oxford, Furnas county, Neb., were married in St. Paul by Court Commissioner Gallick. The groom is 10 years and the bride is 65 years old, both having been married before.

Before their meeting in St. Paul neither had seen the other, their acquaintance having been made through correspondence and the exchange of photographs.

It was just about a year ago that the bridegroom had occasion to write his bride that was to be. This letter proved the opening wedge to a correspondence which continued for several months and led to an exchange of photographs.

What the contents of the succeeding letters were is not disclosed, but may be imagined from the fact that they resulted in an agreement to meet in St. Paul and embark for the rest of their journeys on the sea of life together. -

## Champion Loafer Dead.

Birmingham, Ala.—Albert Rogers, who for 52 years was an inmate of the Broome county (Ala.) poor farm, died at that institution. As a young man he was indolent and refused to do anything for his support. In 1853, when he was 22 years old, his people had him committed to the poor farm, where he has lived a life of ease and contentment ever since. For the past decade or more he has attracted to himself much homage from the other inmates, because of his being the patriarch of the place. It is believed that at the time of his death in point of service he was the oldest inmate of any similar institution in the

It Pays to Advertise.

An Oklahoma girl wno advertised for a husband got one, after an expenditure of \$11. He died within a year, leaving her \$10,000. It continues to pay to a vertice.

Don't Do It. An chio man fell dead where couing the lady from woom he had been divorced. This should serve as a warning to men who are thinking of going back.

#### ROCKEFELLER WEARS A WIG

Attends Church and Friends Fail to Recognize Him in His New Regalia.

Cleveland, O.-John D. Rockefeller has purchased a wig. He wore it at the services at the Euclid Avenue Baptist church the other morning. With his altered appearance he was scarcely recognized. At the door he was welcomed heartily, as all newcomers to the church are, and the invitation to attend the services was almost completed before it was discovered who the eminent personage with the steel-gray hair really was. Mr. Rockefeller took the matter with a smile and seemed not the least abashed.

and the good manners of the church people and their hearty feeling for the oil king been less pronounced the change in appearance might have caused a sensation. As it was it created a slight stir. There could have been no indication to the o.. king that his friends saw any novel feature in his dress. He wore the usual Prince

Members of the church and friends said that Mr. Rockefeller had never to their knowledge worn a wig before in church. He has always attended the services without affectation, at times seeming to place a certain pride in his lack of hair.

The wig itself is not an elaborate affair. It is steel-gray in color, suitable to a man of Mr. Rockefeller's age. Moreover, it is even plebian in the manner of parting the hair. There is no visible part in it. This is not the most remarkable thing about it, how ever. At the back it does not conform to the lines of the head. There is a perceptpible space between the two. where only the morning air held full sway. The absolute lack of the least hint of hair made the distinction between the wig and the undecorated portion of his head striking.

#### BEARS, DOG, HONEY.

Odd Chain of Events Leads Farmer to \$135 in Sweetness-Biggest Find in the District.

La Porte, Pa.-A stroke of lightning proved to be worth nearly \$135 to Gotleit Sahn of the Hillsgrove district, though it required the instinct and inquisitiveness of a family of black bears to disclose to Sahn the whereabouts of his treasure pot. Sahn one night was awakened by the barking of his dog, tied at its kennel just outside the sard. Next morning, when the dog was released, he made off toward the edge of a wood about an eighth of a mile across the field at a breakneck gait.

Sahn followed and found the animal sniffing about in some mud at the edge of a small creek. An examination revealed footprints of bears. Sahn next felt a soft spatter of something fall upon the rim of his straw hat, and discovered that honey was dropping from a blasted, leaning tree, which but a few days before had been struck by lightning. A big rent torn in the trunk had opened the treasure closet of a colony of bees. It was this honey that had drawn the hungry bears. It proved to be one of the biggest "bee trees" ever found in central Pennsylvania. Sahn and his two boys drove away the bees with sulphur fumes and gathered a little over 700 pounds of the sweetness, which netted nearly \$135.

## HAND PLUCS LEAKING BOAT

Girl's Half-Hour of Torture Saves Herself and Companion-Rescuers Arrive.

Middletown, N. Y.-Holding her hands over a hole in a rowboat for over half an hour. Miss Hattie Manley, of New York, saved herself and companion. Mrs. John Hoffman, of the same cily, from drowning in Hennessy's lake, at Circleville. Miss Manley and Mrs. Hoffman were rowing on the lake in a flat bottom boat, when a stump was struck, penetrating the boat, which commenced to fill rapidly.

Miss Manley was the first to recover her wits. Seizing a dipper, she tossed it to Mrs. Hoffman, saying desperately: "You bail out as fast as you can and maybe I can take care of this leak." Miss Manley wrapped both hands about the end of the stump, which projected through the bottom of the boat, press-

ing them against the jagged cut. This lessened the inrush of water, and Mrs. Hoffman, who had begun to use the dipper energetically, soon got the water down to several inches from the bottom, when the perilous condition of the ladies was discovered, and Thomas Hennessy rowed a boat to their rescue. Miss Manley's hands and arms were benumbed from the experience.

# HAS A REMARKABLE WELL

Fortunate Farmer Taps Underground Lake and Gets Thousands of Fish as Result.

Fergus Fails, Minn.-Persons from the flats west of the city bring news of the tapping of an underground lake on the farm of Mr. Sims, near Bureau post office. There are flowing wells all over that locality, and Mr. Sims has just sunk one from which a large stream of water is pouring out, and with it come wagon

loads of fish. The fish are small, and the smaller ones are entirely without eyes, while the larger varieties have very small organs of sight. The fish come up by thousands, and up to a recent date four wagon loads had been hauled away from the mouth of the well.

There is nothing remarkable about the tapping of an underground stream or lake, but the people cannot understand how so many fish could have lived there and why they now come to the

#### HIGH - PRICED CAMPS.

RENTALS IN THE ADIRONDACKS IN SUMMER.

Fancy Values Are Placed on Mountain Property by Fortunate Owners-Some Costly Outings.

Owners of Adirondack camps have found them hard to rent this season, and some fine camps are likely to be entirely unoccupied. Permanent family campa are usually occupied, if at all, during the months of July and August, and up To the middle of September, states the New York Sun.

In good seasons it is usually easy, enough to get a rental of from \$1,000 to \$2,500 for a camp of moderate size, and the tenant usually expects to have possession only eight or ten weeks. Large camps in the fashionable settlements may easily rent for three or four times! these prices. Very small and simple camps in remote places, and little log and slab or shingle cottages may usually be had for rentals ranging from \$150 to \$500 for the season.

All these prices usually include the use of from two to six or eight boats worth \$60 or \$80 each, wood, ice and all the necessary furniture, in which are included bedding and table ware.

A camp that rents for \$1,000 will accommodate comfortably a family of six or eight, with servants and a guest or two. For \$1,500 the tenant usually gets accommodations in tents and houses for 15 or 20 persons. The great and costly camps will lodge 30 or 40 persons. Small camps are hard to find in the fashionable settlements, and cottages are scarce.

Some of the hotel proprietors rent tents and cottages for the season to tenants who agree to take their meals at the hotel at a good round sum per week. Some such cottages of moderate size rent from \$600, \$800 or \$1,000 and the tenant is under strict contract to cook nothing whatever in the house.

The rental ordinarily commanded by a camp of moderate size and simple appointments is a very false indication of its selling value. For instance. camp that normally rents for \$500 a month will not sell for \$60,000. Its worth is nearer \$15,000. An island camp, in spite of its seeming inconvenience of situation, will usually sell for more and fetch a better rental than a camp on the mainland in the same region. Rentals and selling values in the fashionable settlements are enormous, and even for camp sites that do not front immediately upon a body of water very high prices are paid.

Some costly camps in fashionable regions must reach the water by means of casements through other camps, and water front property on some of the lakes is practically unobtainable. The importance of the water front is due not only to the beauty of such a situation. but to its practical utility, for in parts of the Adirondacks the only convenient and comfortable highway is a lake

or river. There is still a strong prejudice against power boats on many of the lakes, though they have been introduced in the fashionable region, partly because the servants who fetch and carry for the great camps demand that they be spared the labor of rowing boats laden with trunks and merchandise.

## SUGAR PRESERVES WOOD.

Peruliar Process by Which the Saccharine Matter Takes the the Place of Sap.

Two measures for seasoning timber and preventing the growth of dry rot and other diseases to which it is liable have their adherents. One method advocates the ringing by the removal of a wide strip of bark, including the bast and sap layers, of those trees which are to be felled in the autumn, as soon as the leaves or new fir needles have been formed. The ascent of moisture from the ground being thus hindered. the foliage extracts from the trunk all the sap and liquid particles in the cens. Moreover, wood thus treated dries rapidly after being felled. Another process recently, brought forward is that in which beet sugar or saccharine replaces the sap in the trees and drives out the natural humidity. The log is rolled into a huge cylinder provided with pipes and supplied with sugar. The heat from hot water forced through the pipes boils the sugar, which penetrates the pores of the wood. Cold water is then sent through the pipes, and the log is conveyed into a special room, where it is dried by hot air. After being again cooled, the wood is left in such condition that insects cannot destroy it.

## Here's High Finance.

A woman without a parallel for commercial wit entered a large department store in New York city to buy a yard of silk, which the clerk told her would cost her 75 cents. Her purchase left a remnant of one and one-half yards. The clerk suggested that she buy the remnant. "What will you take for it?" asked the woman. "Fifty cents, madam," replied the clerk politely. "Well I'H take it, but you can keen the yard you've just torn off." The cierk was staggered for a moment, but, appreciating the humor of the proposal. made the exchange.—Argonaut.

## Dog-Fish Skin.

The skin of a dog fish is strong and as rough as a carpenter's rasp. Small quantities of it are tanned and weed for the grips of fine swords and dirks. A few ladies' reticules have also been made from it. If the natural color of the living fish could be retained there could be no prettier covering for hand bags, values and small trunks, and one would imagine it would be as easy to set a fastion in it as it was in alligator skin.

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#### CIANT IS NEARLY STARVED

Loses Popularity and Collapses on the Street in Hamburg. Germany.

Hamburg .- An extraordinary scene was witnessed in the streets here when; Kappoff, the Khirgese giant, who until recently was the chief attraction at local exhibitions throughout Germany, collapsed on the pavement for want of food. Kappoff, who measures a little less than Machnow, the Russian giant, has, since the latter's advent, entirely lost his popularity, and with it his means of livelihood. Unable to obtain a fresh. engagement, he applied, when haif starved, at the workhouse for indoor relief, promising to pay for his keeping as soon as he should succeed in procuring a fresh engagement.

The workhouse authorities, however, were somewhat aghast at the idea of being burdened with a giant, and reluctantly declined to give him hospitality. Thus the wretched giant wandered aimlessly about from street to street, foilowed by troops of jeering children, until at last he was overcome with sheer weakness.

Kappoff was finally assisted by a party of agricultural laborers just returned from harvesting, who, having revived him with brandy, escorted him to a restaurant, where he partook of a meal consisting of three plates of soup, four pounds of beefsteak, three portions of ham and eggs, two heaped-up plates of potatoes and cabbage and 14 apple tarts, the whole washed down with six pints of beer.

The harvesters were somewhat aghast at the amount of food consumed by the giant. When the bill was presented to them it swallowed a considerable portion of the money that they had made in harvesting.

Later, followed by a band of, noisy children bearing lighted torches, he was escorted to the outlying camping ground of the agriculturists and provided with a bed for the night.

#### SURRENDERS AFTER YEARS

Murderer's Conscience Hounds Him Into Giving Up-Has a Family.

Shenandoah Pa - A wanderer on the face of the earth, and conscience-stricken at having shot to death Constable John Dando in his place seven years ago. Wojciech Bialecki surrendered

himself at Springfield, Mass. It was on the night of October 12, 1898. that Bialecki beat his wife, and when Constable Dando went to arrest him Bialecki discharged a gun, the contents of which struck Dando in the breast. In the confusion Bialecki escaped. Dando died within 24 hours.

Bialecki's picture and description were sent broadcast, but without effect. although \$700 reward was offered by the county commissioners and borough council.

The prisoner says that after escaping from the house he met some men on the railroad, to whom he related his story, and they advised him to flee. He is 64 years old and has a family here.

## IDEA FOR WIZARD BURBANK

Singular Effect of a Cat's Interment Upon Growth of Gooseberries. Related by Rival Resident.

London.-A new way in which animals may benefit the human race without yielding their bodies for food is suggested by a letter recently received by the secretary of a rural English society. It is as follows:

"Sir-I partickly wish the satiety to be called to consider the case what follows, as I think it mite be maid Tranxtionable in the next Reports. My wif had a Tomb Cat that dyd. Being a torture shell and a grate favrit, we had Him berried in the Guardian and for the sake of the enrichment of the mould I had the carks deposited under the roots of a Gotsberry Bush (The Frute being up till then of a smooth kind). But the next Sesons Frute, after the Cat was berried, the Gosberries was all hairy, and more remarkable the Catnillers of the same Bush was Al of the same Hairy Description."

## STRANGE FOSSILS FOUND.

Three-Toed Horses, Giant Hogs and Animal Part Deer and Part Hog Lived in Oregon.

Berkeley, Cal.-The first official bulletin descriptive of the fossils unearthed by the expedition to the John Day region in eastern Oregon has been published by the goology department at Berkeley. It describes some of the strange monsters that peopled the country known as the "Bad Lands." Among these remarkable heasts are extinct pigs and peccaries as large as cows. camellike quadrupeds and, not least interesting, the famous three-tood horse. The "elotherium," or giant hog. is a monster mammal nearly ten feet long and six or seven feet high.

Three-fourths of the remains of animals found are of the peculiar hoofed beasts named oreodons-part deer and part hog. These varied in size from that of a dog to that of a small cow.

Here's the Latest Fish Story. A retriever dog belonging to Mr. W. Churchill, of High Wycombe, England, was accompanying his master along the bank of the River Wyck, a tributary of the Thames, when he suddenly darted into the water and emerged with a fine trout in his mouth.

## ... "American" Understood.

A restaurant keeper at Lucerne has made a special concession to American visitors, who are remarkably numerour this year. In his window signs, have just been put up reading: "English and French spoken. American also understood."

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### HIS ONLY MONUMENT.

WATER IS SHAFT OF FRENCH NOBLEMAN.

Vain Boring of Foreigner Is Recalled by Six - Inch Column Which Spurts from Ground to a Twelve-Foot Height.

Traverse City, Mich.-A column of water six inches in diameter ascending to a height of 12 feet in a flow that has continued for almost half a century is the monument to Marquis De Belois, This flowing well has given Fountain Point, near this city, its name, and the story of the big-hearted French nobleman and his beautiful American with is

a familiar one throughout this region. It was in the early '60's that the marquis came to this country. He believed that somewhere under the Grand Traverse region there were demosits of oil and gas, and probably coal and minerals. He bought the land where Fountain Point is now situated, on Lake Leelanau, commonly called Carp lake, and began drilling operations. Into the hole where the fountain now is he poured his wealth until his fortune could no longer stand the strain. He did not strike oil or eas but instead a wonderful stream of water, which has supplied the well to this day.

After his unsuccessful experience with the oil well the marquis married a beautiful young girl of the region. Although she was connected with the best families, and was a cultured and refined young woman, his aristocratic family thought the affair a mesalliance and refused to meet the wife the son had wooed and won in what was then a wilderness.

The marquis and his wife moved to Chicago and took up their residence in a fashionable hotel. His failure in business and the conduct of his parents preyed upon his mind. He became morose and one day walked into the bar of the hotel and shot himself through the head, dying instantly. His wife was prostated with grief.

A short time after his death, before his parents were yet aware of it, they sent an emissary here to seek their son, extend their forgiveness and have him come home with his bride, but they were too late. Afterward they met his wife, and, becoming impressed with her beauty and intelligence, took her as their daughter. She would not leave the land of her birth, and consequently is still living in Chicago or vicinity. She has a large number of relatives in this part

#### NEW YORK REGULATES TIPS Law Goes Into Effect Governing the Itching-Palm Habit in the

Big State.

New York.—The usual fall crop of laws, cut and dried by the agriculturists up the river, were delivered recently. That is, they went into effect, and there was notably one, the antitip law, that had been awaited with anxiety by the knights of the napkin and the tray. The laws provide for and against all manners of things, but the antitip law of Senator Martin Saxe was far and away.

the kingpin of the collection. It appears, according to its framer. that it is really an antigraft law, and that if you want to give the waiter a half dollar you may do so, providing you don't enter into an agreement with him that in consideration of the coin he will give you a double portion of hash for the price of one or that he will shave the bill down at the expense of the manager. In view of recent developments in a

certain metropolitan restaurant there seems to be a timeliness in this, according to several lawyers about town The main intent of the law, however, is not against the humble waiter but against the big grafters. It is to prevent dishonest buyers or sellers for firms from being tampered with by bribes and led to swindle their firms by

giving orders to the highest bidder and

other like forms of graft. Little interest was taken in the law. As a matter of fact, there were very few persons who had heard anything about it, apparently, for they were quite ignorant of it when questioned. There was no diminution in the number of tips offered to waiters and other servants nor in the amount of money given. Of course, it is too early to tell what the big offenders at whom the law is aimed. will do, but the chances are that just as much money will change hands for special favors as ever.

Monks to Aid Peasants. St. Petersburg.—The monasteries of Russia, against which the complaint had been raised that they were selfishly boarding their immense treasures in time of national need, have decided to open their purses for the relief of the peasants in the famine-stricken districts. It is reported that the Alexander Nevsky cloister, the second richest monastery in Russia, will devote \$1,125,000 from its treasury and \$200,000 from its revenues in loans to needy peasants.

Finds \$66,300; Gets Cigar. E. W. Taylor, a Kankakee (Ill.) real estate dealer, found on a Chicago-hound. train a pocketbook containing \$100 in bills, checks amounting to \$66,200 on a Birmingham (Ala.) bank and a bank book showing the owner had \$196,000 deposited in the same institution. The claimant. Franklin P. Koonts, Jr., of Birmingham, a negro, presented the finder with a five-cent cigar.

Potency of Badium Water. A gentleman who had been down to Claremore, I. T., the other day, says that the radium water has such effect on the kidneys that when a person dies down there they have to take their kidneys out and kill them with a club. declares a western paper.

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## WEDS MAN WHO HAS NO LAP

Lawyer's Novel Point Followed by Acquittal and Marriage of Wisconsin Pair.

Escanaba, Mich.-A. sensational wedding followed the still more sensational \$50,000 damage suit of A. W. Hollman, son of the Green Hay (Wis.) postmaster. against Henry Rahr, a millionaire brewer, whom he accused of alienating his

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wife's affections. Mrs. Hollman secured a divorce some months ago on the ground of cruelty. Shortly afterward Hollman sought to recover heavy damages from Rahr. The testimony in the case was most sensational.

Cab drivers, ministers, saloon and restaurant owners told of many instances of alleged improper behavior of Rahr and Mrs. Hollman. Just when the plaintiff's counsel was about ready to rest with a mass of incriminating testimony one witness declared that at one time he saw Mrs. Hollman sitting on Mr. Rahr's lap. The lawyer for the fendant rose promptly to the opportun-

"Mr. Rahr." he said, "kindly let the jury see your lap."

Mr. Rahr displayed his lap. Inasmuch as he weighed about 250 pounds and is far from being tall, the lap which the jury saw was infinitesimal. Even Mrs. Hollman, petite as she is, couldn't find accommodations on such a iap. The jury imaghed and Rahr was

acquitted Rahr married Mrs. Hollman in this city to avoid the Wisconsin law which prevents a remarriage of a divorced person in less than a year.

#### IN LOVE WITH A CHINAMAN

Young Daughter of Army Surgeon Decides to Wed & Well-to-Do Mongolian.

Boston, Mass.-Friends of 16-yearold Eve Moore daughter of the late Dr. Frederick J. Moore, of Roxbury, formerly a United States army surgeon, are discussing the young girl's attempt to wed Lee San, a young Chinaman who runs a laundry in Roxbury, just around the corner from Miss Moore's home.

Miss Moore says she "has been engaged" to Lee San, also that they tried to get a marriage license in Chelsea and were told they could not unless they lived there.

Miss Moore's mother said at first: "It's all foolishness." In the next breath, however, she told the reporter: "Lee San is all right-a good fellow." also that he has just been left money by an uncle in San Francisco. The mother is also reported as saying she would rather see Eva married to a Chinaman than to a worthless white man. Lee San isn't saying anything at all.

Lee San is a prosperous fooking colestial who wears. American clothes, He is about 20 years old. He is shy of being interviewed. He is said to be proprietor of a flourishing tea store as well as of the laundry which bears his name.

## IN MALE ATTIRE; DRINKS.

Disguised Girl Imbibes at Bar Like a Man-Ban Away from

Home

Nashville, Tenn.-Stella Newton, aged 17 and very pretty, was arrested at the Arlington hotel where she had been stopping under the name of Kenneth Halcolm. Her identity was discovered by a bartender at a local saloon, where she went and called for a drink of whicky later she returned and called for half a pint of the liquor. The bartender suspected something

and refused. When arrested Miss Newton said she came here from Memphis, and she had a health certificate from that city. Previous to going to Memphis she said she had been to Greenville, Miss., but her home, she claimed, was in Louisville. The girl claims that she has no relatives or kinspeople, and that her reason for dressing in male attire was that she thought she could the more easily make her way in the world.

After her grrest her suitcase was examined and no female clothing found. She said then that she had lived with her guardian and his wife in Louisville, that her guardian was cruel toher, and she finally decided to adopt, men's clothing and left home.

## TURTLE HAS NINE LIVES.

Destructive Creature Reappears Repeatedly, Despite Precautions of Farmer's Wife.

Hereford, Pa.—There is a turtle, an! innocent looking, tiny land turtle, in: lefferson township, this county, that promises to outrival the cat that had aine lives.

It is a stray turtle that was found five years ago on the farm of Adam, Schoener, and its shell at that time was embellished with the engraved signature of Schoener's son. Then the turtle disappeared until last year, when it bobbed up in the truck patch of the Schoeners and proceeded to help itself to the best vegetables.

destructive little creature into Tulpehocken creek, a mile away, thinking to But the turtle came back. Crossing the 40-foot wide stream, it reappeared

Mrs. Schoener, in anger, threw the

in the patch and resumed the devasta-Again it was tossed into the same stream, and recently Mr. Turtle, 48 hours

tomatoes. The Schoeners were exasperated, but, as Berks county farmers are superstitious about killing turtles, they desided to keep it as a relic in an imclosure filled with vegetables.

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## L'ABEILLE DE LA NOUVELLE-ORLÉANS Rat très rémandres en Louisians et dans tons les Etats du Sade Sa publishté effre dons au commisses exceptionnelle. Prix de l'abonnement sur l'anné : Bettier Oustidienne 212.05