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## Seaman's Slang Stumps Lawyer




| and indifference to the safety of others - as, for instance, shoes people to trip over. Damage and total casualties from common accidents in any one year, said Mr. Belman, is usually greater does and floods. Tractors and farm machinery were the greatest hazard and the most com mon age group in accidents was among drivers and riders of from ten to fourteen! Isn't that staggering? |
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Sun-fade Separate: PRINTED PATTERN



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Send FIFTY CENTS
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Foo on rou-barbara Bomes, 1 , shin how the people of the orea feel about his product. The ugly
litile figure, a relic of the Zatopes culture of Western Mexico
$\qquad$ different ways, This came to
mind as the result of asking for
UNiversity $5-2222$. The opera o be a near neighbor and
lose friend, is a distant voice in
ome unknown place, and sh The ancient rural lines have been dialized, you see. And as
the dial systems extended them selves. into the remoter regions,
all these synthetic exchanges
have been thought up and foisthave been thought up and foist-
ed upon us. There is no such
place, of course, as UNiversity 5 . But there used to be a pleasant
little community known as Free port - about 15 miles from us its earlier days this may have been a rree port, whereas aged
whaterfront localities charged
wharfage, but the local legend is that the town was named for
Sir Andrew Freeort in the
Spectator Papers of Add Spectator, Papers of Addison and
Steele. This is a pretty litle, le-
gend gend, and deserves our support.
We should not lightl| dally with
a town so charmingly named. The number we used to call
most of all was Freeport $124-35$,
which meant three long rings and five short- - a merry snatch
of jingling worth the ten cents
the call cost. But what became It says if you look up the
number you will save time, so
we look up the number, dial the operator, and say, "t.
$5-$-222." The operator the
"And where is that?" If 1 am not in a hury and de-
sire to reprimand the telephone company for compounding an
absurdity, I I say, "I don't know." This is mean of me and I ought
to be ashamed of myself. for I
tnow very well it is exactly the know very well it is exactly the
same thing as the old number,
Freeport $124-35$, Freeport $124-35$. I hesitate to
say "I don't know" every time,
because one night I got connected with a woman in Cambrect-
Massachusetts, where there ise, also an exchange named UNi-
versity, and I had a time getting I think thère is another UNi-
versity out West, for another time I talked witha man in Al-
pena, Michigign. "Hello," I said.
TIs this Snookums?" was not.
Of course, deep in the tele-
phone company is a man who could explain why UN-5 won-
nects you with Freeport, and
why UN-3 connects you with Cambridge, and he might with
explain that there university in Cambridge if you
Innow where to look. But there
is no universty in it goes. Bath is now Hillop, and Bath now on tidewater. Brunswick is
ther park nor view although neil
thatrance the sight-seer much.
There is a presumption on the There is a presumption on the
part of the telephone company
when they set up an artificial when they set up an artificial
exchange for a well-known and
trasty town of long standing, and then ask the customer to identify
it. I made a call recently to
 company postulated for its our
purposes, and I cannot purposes, and I cannot bound it
or describe its natural assets. I
do not know if it makes shoes do not know if it makes shoes
or packs fish. It might be east
of Eggemoggin Beach, and it might be
Harbor,
Maine."
asked know what it's near?
think its near Prospect,


FRENCH RIOT IN ALGIERS-Righ'wing riiters overturn a car during violent demonstrations in
Algiers in protest against any compromise in the struggle with Algerian rebels. A mob of
more than 50,000 French men and wimen gathered in a square while young rioters stormed more than 50,000 Fre
the U.S. Cultural Centr

## with a downtown ST. Louis num ber and the baby sitter said Mr band Mrs. Foster were out for the <br> evening and would be home late

I can explain tow this happenis,
for I am a student of such things.
The operator not
UNiversity from tom another, makes
a buzz and gets
Route specialist. She says,
"Rhen please, to HArvest.5."
The other operator say,
Then the other operator says,
"Boston 125, plus 2 2L. plus, ete.,
The " 2 L ", means two leters,
which is why they capitalize
wice on all exchanges. It is
fust as easy, therefore, to get a
wrong number in Denver as it
I resent it very much when
he operator implies that I ought
o know where these exchanges to know where these exchange
are. I think SHE ought to know
or that the man or higs up ought to be kept on
24-hour duty so he can tell her.

True, telephone service has
been much improved and the
rates are healthy and strong. But
when I meet a man on the train
and we begin to talk, and we
find we have common interests
and he says, "Here is my num
a hen hot, and all send you some
goose eggs." I can put his num-
oer in my pocket without havin
ber in my pooket without havin
any idea where he lives.
When I have a setting hen
dial the operator and say, "RUst
free 7 -2345!" So she say
free $7-2345!$ ". So she say,
Where it that " I do not know
so I say Id ont know. Thi
makes me queer to the
makes me queer to the operato
who is a rational person and a
sumes that anybody sumes that anybody making
call will have some idea as to it
destination. "Is that in Maine? destination. Is that in Maine?
she says.
I don't know if it's in Maine
or Costa Rica, to tell the truth rustfree is a telephone company
place, and has nothing to do with me, goose eggs, hot hens, or ra
tionality. "For all I know, it's in
tin "Where is TImbuctoo" she
sass. by John Gould in Th
Christian Science Monitor.

OE ON RYE had a dry sense of humor to go ong with his wide assortme
of "stuff", and could handle an
situation that situation that came along. On
afternoon the Phillies started belaboring him. They scored
lour times in the first innin and were bouncing hits all ove
the outfield in the second, when catcher Al Lopez called time. Lopez plodded to the mound
and asked, "Feeling all right. Roe deliberated a moment no pain-I ain't got no fatigue-
and, by golly, I ain't got a thing


KNOWLAND'S THEIR MAN-This pretty trio is all out for William Knowland in his race for the governorship-of California. And
rightly so-they're all Knowlands. Center is Mrs. William F. Kniwland, wife if the Republican senator. Flanking her are the souples daughters, Emelyn, leff, and Estelle. Traveling by
special bus, and accompanled by a baby elephant, left, they
intend to cover 5,000 miles before the June 3 primary election.

## How Can I?

C. How can I remove the col-
ored Ietters from empty flour A Rub pure lard thoroughly
into the letters and figures, soak in lukewarm water for a few
days, then put in the boiler with
soap flakes and boil. This treating. How can I soften egg
sheils? A. By putting the eggs in
vinegar for about twenty four hours, longer if necessary.
Q. How can $I$ dry a
properly after washing? A. Lay the sweater on a flat
surface, turning from time to
time. It will not stretch and will be soft when dry.
Q. How can I Prevent the
rusting of mattress springs? A. Rub the springs occasion-
ally with a cloth dipped into
melted paraffin, and they will never rust.
Q. How I make a rubbe
hot-water bottle last tonger? A. It will last twice as iong
if the stam is pressed out be-
fore inserting the fore inserting the stopper, if it
is never filled more than two
thirds, and never with boilin thirds, and never with boiling
water, and when not in use, the
bag is hung with opening down

## Biggest Diamond?

 perts to split the biggest dia-mond in the world, the 3,024 carat Cullinan, were shown to
the Queen and the Duke of Edin burgh when they visited Hol-
land recently. This wonderful blue-white gem
of lovely quality was $41 / 2$ in. long,
$21 / 4 \mathrm{in}$. high and $21 / 2$ in broad . An overseer in a South African mine owned by the late Sir Thomas
N. Cullinan was doing his rounds one day in January, 1905, when
he noticed something glistening
in the half-light. Scratching at the ground near the rime of the
to-foot crater with his pocketknife, he was amazed to find
that it was a diamond three
times the size of any previousiy Imes the size of any previousi,
discovered
It was insured for $\$ 4,000,000$ It was insured for $\$ 4,000,000$
and later bought by the Transvaal Government fol presenta-
tion to King Edward VII as a birthday present. The king hà
the diamond split in Amsterdam into nine stones. He called the
biggest diamond "Star of Africa biggest had it embodied in the
and had
Royal Sceptre. The next three in size, all large gems, were,
named "Lesser Stars of Africe",
The biggest of these was inThe biggest of these was in
corporated in the Imperial State
Crown and the other two in the Crown and the other tro in the
late Queen Mary's Crown. The
final five stones and a number
of the small brilliants were used final five stones and a number
of the small briliants were used
to make a diamo collar for
Queen Victorian which, years
later, was handed on to Queen Mary.
Some diamond experts of to-
day cling to an old belief that day cirng to an old beliee that
the original Cullinan Diamond
was, becuase of its flat-sinded
shape, the broken half of one When -this idea was first put
forward, search parties backed by wealthy syndicates tried vain-
ly to find the so-called "missing half". One persistent rumour de-
clared that it had been found and hidden by a native. Innocent
natives were trailed by police
for weeks. On one occasion a detective from Johannesburg
went alone into the buht with
a big sum of monez with ina big sum of mones with in-
structions to buy the "missing
balf.
For years convicts working on the breakwater at Cape Tow
whispered strange stories amon
themselves to arouse curiosity among their guards. Those who
suceeeded in attracting attention
were well treated in the hope that they would reveal the
of the long-sought stone
BREVITY Two brothers, a taciturn pair,
hated making speeches. At an
important dinner it had been
announced that they would onnounced that they would
speak, and the toastmaster called on Jonathan.
"There must be some mistake,
he who does the talking.
So the toastmaster turned to
David, who stod up and said:
aMV bro ther Jonathan has just David, who stood up
"My brother Jona
made the speech.'

## Stolen Kiss

## Started War

 Ta alt, fashionably dressed,wearing diamonds but thickly
veiled, a sllum young woman
drove to a prison in Philadelphia,
U.S.A., and announceed that she
was a cousin of a young man who
had ben imprisoned for a jewel
theft. had been imprisoned for a jewe
theft.
"May I see him, just for a few
moments?" she hegued moments?" she begged. She was
permitted to speak to the prison-
er through the bars of his cell. What words passed between
the couple may never be known,
for the warden stood beyond for the
hearing.
 imprinted on his lips a long, pas-
sionate liss sionate kiss.
The convict turned, staggered
to his bunk and collapsed upon to his bunk and collapsed upon
it, his face buried in his arms.
Sobbing bitterly, the visitor Sobbing bitterly, the visitor
covered her face and was a.-
companied to the gate by the
sympathetic warden. She drove off in a limousine.
The warden returned to the
cell to find the man dead on the cell to find the man dead on the
floor. Between his lips was a
piee of diseoloured cigarette piece of discoloured cigarette
paper. A doctor found that this
was impregnated with a deadly poison. Its effect had been practi-
cally instantaneous he said. That "murder with a kiss" -
the only authenticated instance
of its kind in the history of its kind in the history of crime
in the U.S.A. - took ppace in
1923. The woman has never been traced. Why she gave the man
the fatal kiss and who she was
remains a mystery which was remains a mystery which has
baffled criminologists for thirtybaffled criminologists for thirty-
four years.
Kisses have sometimes proved very dangerous, if not always
fatal.
When a German was on trial When a German was on trial
for "killing his wife with kiss-
ing, medical evidence was call
ed to prove that it was possible
that prssiontat ed o prove that ii was possible
that passionate kisses showered
incessantly on the girl affected
her incessantly on the girl affected
her very weak heaet and caused
her death. But the husband was
accuitted. In the Balkans in 1936, an
army colonel was bereaved by
a Kiss. He was embracing his pret-
ty young wife before setting out
on manoeuvres when his revolon manoeuvres when his revol-
ver went off accidentally and
ville killed her.
Another fatal kiss, given by Ferdinand of Bavaria, Germany,
in 173, Iled to the loss of many
lives, for it precipitated a war lives, for it precipitated a war.
He was horse-riding on an es-
tate many miles from his palace tate many miles from his palace
when he saw a beautiful girl walking in the spacious park sur-
rounding the palace of his royal
neighbour. So bewitched was he by her lovely y aece and figure was hat
he kissed her impetuously What he kissed her impetuously. What
he did not know was that she
was a princess of the royal family a and that hers the royanal fam
the stolen kiss. A duel was fought and both
men were wounded. This led to
a war between the two kingdoms

## Whats the pitch

 and laced the firstter's box-
rith into
rightield for a triple. The next rightield for a triple. The next
batter hit the rightfield wall for
a double. In short order, the Pirates
collected a home run, double,
triple triple, each one on Javery's first
pitch-that high, hard one Manager Stengel (this was
1943), in dissust, waved A1 to
the showers. Then he called over an dasked, "What kind of
pitch was he throwin', anyway?"


Pilots Bale Out In Sealed Capsules

sealed capsule.
Several have been devised and
tested on dummies dropped from
'planes flying at various speeds
and heights, others are being and heights, others are being
prepared. one design is made of
light, strong honeycomb fibrelight, strong honeycomb fibre--
glas.s. The pilot, wearing a para-
chute and survival partly inside the capsule in his
usual seat. It has clamshell-like usual seat. It has clamshell-1ike
doors which open and close ra-
ther like a parrot's beak Apart from baling out, many
other modern wonders are des-
cribed crier modern wonders are des-
cribed in a book that will parti-
cularly engross all air-minded youth eager to understand or
play a part in our supersonic
future.

## Starlings Take

 For Enemy Planes
## sonic sound devices inaudible to the human ear were made re- cently in vain attempts to break

 up enormous flocks of starlings,often numbering 25,00, which
roost nightly roost nightly on tall buildings in
London and some midland cities.
The birds have become a serious nuisance.
Stuffed owls were also used to
try to scare the winged invaders try to scare the winged invaders.
The starlings were not deceived;
the they knew the owls were faked.
Many showed their contempt by Many sown on them.
perching
The star
been soaring since the end of
the war. The rate of increase
has amazed ornithologists. One has amazed ornithologists. One
flock which flew over a south
country village was so large that country village was so large that
some villagers at tirst thought it
was was a fleet of enemy aircraft
and told the local constable.
Massed flights of thousands of Massed flights of thousands of
starlings have become one of the
moders "sights" of Le modern sights of London. They
settle on the ledges of big build-
ings at dusk after manoeuring
in the sky with extrooving precision. experts describe the
Someerful starling as a roistering
cherger swaggerer among birds. It loves
man's company and can adapt
its habits to
 and many others and often imi-
tating mechanical sounds such
as the tinkling of a bell

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CURFEW SHALL NOT TOLL n a hurry to alleviate a pitch. at thre in the morning. Since
his orders were to report im-
mediately to the manager, he mediately to the manager, he
asked the night clerk for Uncle Robbie's rom and went up and
knocked on the manager's door.
After a long interval., Robbie. opened the door. His hair was
ousled, his eyes half-closed. "'rm the new hall player from
Minneapolis." Robbie gasped. But he kept
control. What an oaf, he thought,
but I might as well have some but I might as well' have some,
fun with him. you to report to every player
on the floor. Then come back
and tell me what they said ta The kid left. A half-hour later,
he was back they say to you?"
""othing," the rookie replied
"What do you mean?" snapped Robbie.
"Mr. Robinson," the rookie
gulped, "nobody is in yet!"


FOR KIDS OF ALL AGES-Like the electric train for Christmas,
Dad is going to enioy this new toy rocket launcher iust as much as junior. A hand-operated magnetic crane lifts the rocket from
its flat-car cradle and swings it to the tower plafform. The to the launching platform where it is lowered onto a spring-
loaded launching pad. As the motorized tower moves out of the way, the count down begins on the remote control panel,
and the seconds stick away $. .5-4-3-2-1$-FIRE! Firing button it
oressed sad polyurethane the rocket blasts off. The rocket has a safety






