canned, and in the meantime she was

taking the children and going to visit

her mother, and she intended to stay

there until some of the old-fashloned

by a little common sense.

purchased strawberries.

and finding it a difficult task.

"Nat! You actually did it! Oh

more repentive than ever, and said that

on the morrow she'd inaugurate her

That night after Carlene had gone

to sleep Nathaniel lay for a long time

Mystery Desert

Dogs Can Distinguish Names

Curiosity of a Boundary

Fifteenth Century Ships

regular summer canning schedule.

She clung to him tenderly.

Old-Fashioned

By R. H. WILKINSON C. Bell Syndicate-WNU Service.

TATHANIEL HARDWICK was born and bred in the country. time he was fifteen years of age, and the impressions gained from that form of existence were, at the age of thirty, still clearly imprinted on his around and trying not to miss Carlene

At thirty Nathaniel was an assistant bank treasurer, having worked his way all, but he did wish Carlene was back, through college and later shown a re- and wanted badly to see the children. markable aptitude as a bank clerk He stuck it out for two more days which won him rapid promotion. He was married, the father of two lene wasn't going to come home until

children and considered among the he made some move to bring her back, foremost citizens of Auburn. But despite the fact that Nathaniel called her on the phone. now lived in a world far removed from that of wrestling a living from the soil, lene's voice that he didn't detect the despite the fact that Carlene, his pret- note of eagerness with which she ty young wife, was city-bred, modern in agreed to come home. And he was so every respect and herself socially glad to see her and the children that prominent in club circles, despite these it never occurred to him to be surand many other things, Nathaniel still prised at the rapidity with which she adhered to many of the modes and hab- responded to his call. its of livelihood which were instilled

der the stern supervision of hard- when Carlene suddenly drew away and shelled Yankee parents. At times, and more often than not. to the annoyance of Carlene, these the kitchen sink. habits asserted themselves.

ered, at all practical, when he attempt- sortment of luscious strawberries. ed to apply them to this modern style of living; yet on the other hand many Nat, darling, I'm so sorry! I-I had could, he felt, be used to advantage, no idea you wanted them as badly as economically and otherwise.

There was, for example, the matter of canning preserves in anticipation of a cold and rugged winter. He could see no reason why Carlene, as much fruit and vegetables as you

during the summer months couldn't want. It was selfish of me to say spend some of her time preserving | wouldn't do it." fresh fruits and vegetables to be used during the winter. said, "There, there. You needn't can He couldn't see it even after Carlene them if you don't want to. Guess I

explained that canned fruits and vege- can survive on store stuff." tables could be had any day during any Then he led her to their bedroom winter at most any store in the neigh- and showed her the new white summer borhood. Moreover, the canning was coat he'd bought for her trip to the done expertly by professionals at the Cape. And after that Carlene was At first Carlene, in fact, had laughed

at the idea. But when she saw a sort of longing in Nathaniel's eyes and realized he was serious about the business, she agreed to do a certain amount of picturing the luscious ganned fruit and

their married life and Carlene was a man who couldn't get the idea out quite in love with her husband. his head that home-canned preserve The winter that followed was a rev- were the best. His only regret was

basement in high spirits, selected tor of peaches or pears or c and devour its contents that was remarkable He ignored t

relish as he had displayed over their to a stake in a corner of his well-

other matters to occupy her time and nean hand were forcing it up from the heard a splash. Grandfather Frog's couldn't be spending hours on end can- depths of the earth. That was the be- big, goggly eyes flew open, and then ning fruits and vegetables just because ginning of what has come to be called be gave a grunt of surprise. On the and the children needed attention. Be- lowed up the once fertile farm with ever there was an angry and disap-

Canning was not only practical but

Why, right now he could buy any quantity of fresh fruits and vegetables many words and phrases, but can dis- From the way he was headed it was So Danny swam with all his might I went to the circus yesterday, and true? at half the regular retail price. If tinguish between words of similar quite clear that Danny intended to for the other bank of the Smiling Pool. in one of the side shows there was a canned, they would prove not only a sound. Science service reports that swim across the Smiling Pool to the delectable and much envied dish dur- experiments proving this fact have other bank, "Chugarum!" exclaimed

Carlene was furious. She told Nathaniel he was silly and the dogs used in the experiments were busy. He couldn't waste his breath old-fashioned and selfish.

two named Aris and Haris. Neither She told him there wasn't another would respond when called by the name woman in town who ever thought of of the other. The dogs were taught canning anything, that things were a simple words and phrases and therecanning anything, that things were a simple words and phrases and therelot different from what they were twen- fore recognized them under the most confusing circumstances. All of which was lost on old-fashioned Nat. The day following the first outbreak

he announced that on the morrow he separated from the main part of Minwas planning to bring home a crate of nesota by the Lake of the Woods is a strawberries, which he had been able land area of nearly 124 square miles, to buy from a local grower at an ex- including a number of small mountains, tremely low figure. He announced also | which became United States territory by that he expected Carlene to begin can- treaties of 1783 and 1818. The incluning at once, and that if she didn't sion of this area in the United States In rather a rage she informed Nathaniel coldly that she didn't intend to can any strawberries or raspberries o

huckleberries or any other kind of ber- the Ganges, in India, revealed the remains of Fifteenth century ships at She told him that he could can his a place where there was once a great own strawberries if he wanted them shipbuilding industry.

she could forget all about the white resulted from the use of inaccurate summer coat he had promised her for maps by the treaty makers, and has their trip to the Cape next month. | been described as a "politico-geograph-Carlene lost control of her temper. | ical curiosity of a boundary."

Magnificent Constructive Work Done by Fascists in Italian Provinces

The traveler who nowadays is going | gard it as the biggest bit of construcdown to Rome, Sir Daniel Hall writes tive work since the war ended. in the London Times, becomes conscious soon after leaving Pisa of new ment of the countryside in all its asfeatures in the landscape. Here and pects. The campaign against malaria, there along the railways he noticed which for some 2,000 years has been stretches of plowland dotted regularly debilitating the inhabitants and putwith new little houses, white or red, ting out of action some of the most where he remembers there used to be fertile parts of Italy, has been renewed salt marsh or heath. For miles the on a scale and with a thoroughness not train runs through this sort of thing known before. Without that campaign nearing Grosseto and Alberese; there the land needed for the growing popu-

Borghese gardens in Rome which illus-trates what the Fascist government has the Tyrrhenian sea. know little as yet of what the Russia

"Bonifica" represents the improveis another long stretch to seaward of lation of Italy could not be won back the line as it turns from the coast to- to cultivation. It was chiefly through malaria that the Campagna became a On inquiry he will learn that these region of winter grazing, but its desettlements are all part of the great vastating effects have been equally felt national work of "Bonifica" and that in the great delta of the Po and the there is an exhibition open in the flat lands along the Adriatic, in the val-

Screen Star Builds Miniature Doll House

and dizzy ideas which were percolat-THE doll house of Colleen Moore, screen star, is a fairy castle of incoming around in his head were replaced I parable beauty—a work of love which has made the world's most exquisite And forthwith Carlene packed up her and costly toy a veritable shrine to the little god of miniature. Created by belongings, dressed the children and a score of famous artisans over a period of nine years and at a cost of departed motherward without so much \$435,000, the enchanted capital of fairyland soon is to be booked on a world tour for millions to see. Proceeds from exhibitions throughout the United Old-fashioned Nat let her go and his States and abroad will be donated to hospitals for crippled children. By jaw set in characteristic stubborn style. this means more than \$1,000,000 will be realized from showings which will The next day he went downtown and After that he spent a week moping He was still pretty stubborn about it and then, finally convinced that Cartook his pride between his teeth and Nathaniel was so glad to hear Car-They were standing in the kitchen,

in his being while living on a farm un- closely enfolded in each other's arms, require a three-year schedule of bookings in every city in the United States and all foreign capitals. Constructed of aluminum and copper with fantastic angles and sky-sweeping turrets and steeples, no semblance of architectural conven-She was staring at the shelves above tion is found in this giant abode of little people. Resting on the summit of a rugged precipice, the castle, which is nine feet wide and nine feet long, rises fourteen feet into the air and weighs approximately 6,000 pounds. The house, except-Two rows of quart jars reposed ing rivets, contains more than 200,000 pieces, being a mechanical marvel of unprecedented intricacy, yet practicability. Many of them were not, he discov- there, and each jar contained an as- Equipped throughout with mechanical wonders in miniature, the house boasts of a solid golden cathedral organ standing nearly fifteen inches high, which plays through an elaborate electrical system via remote control. Miss Moore's famous doll house also has the world's smallest electric light bulbs, each being the size of a grain of wheat and imbedded in sockets with the circumference of pinheads, in a golden chandelier, strung with glittering, pear-shaped diamonds. The doll house, wired with an electrical system requiring months of labor and experimentation, is controlled with a series of transformers and switches for each room. All lighting, with the exception of flood-lighting in the gardens, is indirect, with more than 400 small-watt bulbs being utilized in the system. Water tanks on turrets and in the dungeons of the castle feed live fountains in the kitchen, garden and bathrooms. The tanks, on emptying, play beautiful chimes that every summer hereafter I'll can in the steeples every ten minutes automatically. Operated by electricity, a magic feathered nightingale perches on a layender glass tree in the Garden of Aladdin and sings full-throated, joyful tunes. The doll's house contains eleven rooms, Aladdin's Magic garden and Nogh's entrance hall. The furnishings throughout the house represent years of effort in collecting in every part of the world. They are fn scale an inch to the foot and are probably the most price-Nathaniel patted her shoulder and less in existence. Photograph shows the prince's bedroom in Colleen Moore's doll house.

would swallow some water and choke.

So he kept right on swimming as hard

Bedtime Story for Children

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

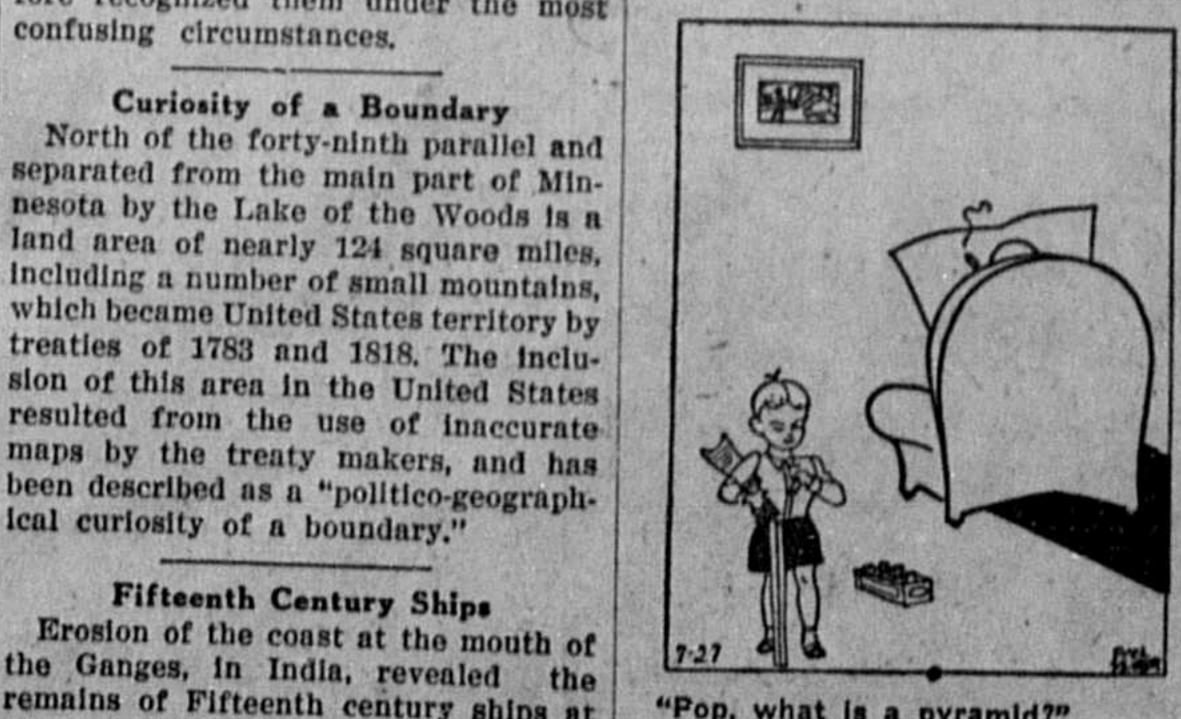
WHAT DANNY MEADOW MOUSE DID

vegetables which would next winter prove such a rarity and a relish to him, It seemed that Danny Meadow | bank. While he wasn't afraid of the that somehow he'd have to eat the two

L There wasn't a place for Dan-"I told Danny he was foolish to come over here," muttered Grandfather Frog. "I'm rather fond of the lit-If the fellow, and I hate to think that I

most fertile farms in the town of Fre with apparently as much port, Maine, U. S. A., chained a best shall never see him again." Grandfather Frog saw Reddy start grassed pasture. The animal chafted to spring on Danny Meadow Mouse This was the first year of their mar- at his bonds and, in his efforts to be and closed his big, goggly eyes so that free, pawed out a small chunk of the he would not see the dreadful end Three summers later Carlene balked. tough turf. Sand oozed from the bole Danny. He expected to hear Danny's She had, she said, quite a number of as though some Gargantuan subterra- last despairing squeak, but instead he Maine's Sahara, which covers more bank where Danny had been a Their family had increased by two, than 200 acres and hay long since swal- ond before was Reddy Fox, and if sides, canning wasn't in her line. It shifting, wind-blown dunes that are 60 pointed Fox, that one was Reddy. And

water as his big consin, Jerry Musk- think of it. You see, Billy Mink is Dogs not only know the meaning of rat himself. ing the winter months, but economical been made by Dr. Emmanuel Sarris Grandfather Frog. "Chugarum! Bravo, at the Institute for Environmental Re- Danny Meadow Mouse! Bravo! search at Hamburg, Germany, Among Danny made no reply. He was too



"Pop, what is a pyramid?" "First open shop job." @. Bell Syndicate-WNU Service.

Step Back in the Car!

GOING

There were some little holes in that bank where he would feel quite safe. As for Reddy Fox, he looked both foolish and angry. You see, Reddy ha felt absolutely sure of that Meade warning of Redwing the Blackbird. the young frogs along the edge of talking. Besides, he was affaid he Smiling Pool had dived for safety. C. T. W. Burgess .- WNU Service.

First Medical Degree

YOU AND I TOGETHER By ANNE CAMPBELL

TOU and I together I Have shared adversity. Our faith has tumbled mountains Of care into the sea. We've faced small tribulations With laughter in each heart; But what has life to offer

For you and me, apart? You and I together Are strong to conquer Fate, But separate, how stony The path to heaven's gate! I do not fear life's sorrows, But I should miss the start, And never reach the hilltop, With you and me, apart! Copyright .- WNU Service.



If you are going to wear a veil-and many of the new hats flaunt them-be sure you rouge up close to your eyes to make their color brighter. If the vell extends past your lips, use a brighter lipstick than usual. Copyright by Public Ledger, Inc.

Growth of Fishes

The growth of fishes probably decel erates with age, but under favorable growth were shown on a graph, the weight curve would show a steady upward line, but the length curve would ascend rapidly at first, then almos straighten out. That is because as t fish grows large, the corresponding in troit Free Press.

Dear Mr. Wynn: age and extremely bashful. I am mad- ridden by "Richard the Third." I am ly in love with a girl my own age and a student of Shakespeare and I was would like to marry her, but I am too surprised at this, as I always underbashful to even broach the subject. I stood he didn't have a horse; in fact, will never get over my bashfulness, he offered his kingdom for a and do not know what to do. Can you What do you think of the situation? give me an idea that will help me? Yours truly,

O. B. O'GOSH. Answer: The next time you call for the Other Bank of the Smiling around to the different kinds of drinks there are in the world. Then each of Dear Mr. Wynn: he were quite as much at home in the pen along, well, Danny didn't like to the next letter better."

Parisians Take Their Tea in a Stable



A NOVEL tea shop has been set up in a stable on a farm situated near the Bois de Boulogne in Paris that is proving quite popular with the ladies of the smart set. A large pane of glass is all that separates the tea drinkers, | Irene, "will lead him to make it ho" who seem to prefer the fresh milk to the tea, from the stables and if they wish for you all winter in his own way." they may try their hand at milking the cows.

I skeleton of a horse. The man said it I am a man twenty-four years of was the skeleton of a horse that was

Yours truly, ELLA PHANT. Answer: Very simple. The skeleton

was an old-fashioned idea, way out of feet high in places. Spreading over a there in the Smiling Pool itself was a fat meadow mouse for his dinner. drink you prefer. Now you're all se' looking blond girl. I am in love and wider area every year, it is a mystery Danny Meadow Mouse swimming Then Danny couldn't help but think of When she asks you: "Do you like '.ea," go with a handsome boy about my own straight out toward the middle as if Billy Mink. If Billy Mink should hap- turn to her and say: "Yes, by: I like age. He is a professional baseball player. My mother says it is wrong for me to go with a baseball player,

as he is in a wicked business. Is this A. FOUL. Answer: Tell your mother baseball is not wicked. If she looks in the Bible she will read: "Rebecca took a pitcher to the well."



"Giving the janitor the cold shou" C. Bell Syndicate-WNU Service.

THROUGH A womans Lyes BY JEAN NEWTON

MEN AND WOMEN

66 A MAN is seldom more manly than "manliness" deters you from "running when he is what you call un- after" her. manned—then his emotion is championship, pity, and courage; the instinctive between you and another wemandesire to cherish those who are inno- what havoc it can work between you cent and unhappy, and defend those and a man, even the man you love! who are tender and weak."

Those words bring to my mind the ing from the man it attacks your womcase of a man who let his "manliness" anliness! stand in the way of his happiness. was a question of forgiving his wife for anly and most self-respecting when she a fault that had humiliated him, that allows such emotions as plty, courage, had caused him to lose face with his love, to sway her, and to subordinate

And don't we women have the same whose altar we make sacrifices. irremedial. But there is that question adds chic worn on the scarf. of "self-respect" in making the first move. What a man might call his

And if that "self-respect" can stand Whatever the hurt or the wrong, com

Perhaps a woman, too, is most wom-

D. Bell Syndicate-WNU Service

Millinery

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



CUCH a bewildering variety of head- | novelty and daring is the forwardgear as fashion offers this season! move brim. Narrow at the sides is There is positively no excuse for not this type with a startling forward being becomingly hatted this spring streamline sweep of the brim. To inand summer, for it would seem that terpret the very quintessence of chic every known type with a few extras it must be tilted at a rakish angle the roll call in current millinery show. of these forward-brim hats is ac

Bonnets! The millinery shops are via pleats and folds, eccentric pe full of 'em. Every sort of bonnet is and spiral drapes often surmount represented in the new hat collections | with amusing feather fancies or perky phisticated eye-impelling bonnets of suggestion are illustrated below in the

Regency period inspiration. fection. The taffeta trimmed bonnet to the upper right in the picture dem onstrates this point to a nicety. big bow at the throat is of self-s taffeta as the bow on the bonnet liners are all enthusiasm over th feta (plain or plaided) neck-bo hat "sets" which are selling sight. The bonnet to the left and youthful with flowers which make it utterly fer

chic. The me group is the

has two little an eyeline veil as utive hats. A fashion which is b

> QUILTED VELVET By CHERIE NICHOLAS



Here is a lovely coat to wear t rties. When summer comes it will be just the thing to top your dainty fault? We do not call it "manliness" lingerie frocks. It is smart and prac--it is "pride" or "self-respect" on tical for resort year at any time the year. Quilted crystelle velve It may be a woman friend with fashions it, and if you have the proper whom there is a rift. You miss her color urge you will select it in some yours. The difference after all is not pastel tones. A big rhinestone pin

Novelty Dress Clasp

Many n The an tly that nutt shops. The d photographic very effective. new porcelain c duces the dead and in spite of a gr or, this clay-white prinmired. A swing about th firms the report that more pr been shown this year than Ir tainly, there are more stripes, c and plaids; and they are often printer Stripes are just another of the regency touches that seem so desirable at the moment.

unto with novel crown effects achie

picture. The felt to the left is olive

Irish Linen Expected to Be Favorite Next Summer

Irish linen has come to the fore as the leading fabric in the Paris fashion picture. Cables from the French capital promise that next spring and summer women will be wearing suits, dresses, hats, shoes, bags and even lingerie of fine Irish linen. The fact that linen used to crush badly was responsible for its not having been more universally used before. It was always an ideal summer fabric, porous and cool, yet strong and longwearing. Now Irish linen has been specifically processed, so that the linens which will be imported for next summer's fashions are as nearly uncrushable as any fabric.

Parasols Come Back Tiny and colorful parasols made of Interlocking gold rings form an in- synthetic straw silk with yard-long teresting type of clasp to fasten a handles appear with spring sports and street afternoon clothes.

Latest Tips From World Fashion Centers

Flowers that are brightly colored ! bloom on bracelets and clips. the newer fashions. A quilted velvet jacket or cape is an | Some French silk houses are using

accent worth considering on any eve- Scotties and Sealyhams as motifs on

Full sleeves, full skirts distinguish