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He is presently busy to make up his mind as to how much of it he will tell people to know that the red, or, as he calls it, the "red-bait," is no cousin is a bitter enemy of the state that has just craved out of itself and is soft and unable to protect itself. During shedding time the lobsters crawl up under projects and rocks, where the seaweed and the mud are thick and where they find good places in which to go through the process of slipping out of their shells and taking on a new coat.

sons awakened at the usual hour for morning, but upon starting down were horrified to see their old man hanging at the end of a rope. They cut down the body and then hastened to apprise the neighbors of the tragedy. Some of the neighbors, being at respecters of the law, advised sons that in cutting down the body they were obtaining permission from

or coroner made them liable to imprisonment in the penitentiary. Frightened by this information, the men hurriedly returned home and, after another rope, fastened it about the neck of their father and let him lay down in the position in which he had found it.

They then hunted up the police sergeant and told him of the suicide of their father. When the police sergeant reached the house, he cut down the

He was quite surprised to find that there were two ridges around the base of the lobster. "That's not a crustacean," he asked for an explanation. The men hesitated for a time, but finally confessed to the whole affair. —*Amure Sun.*

Freed by Judge Retort.

Now if any judges can be severe on a prisoner who has made them so, why just this should be so is a lesson for the psychologists, but that the law should be made so hostile to the

less crustaceans. This performance of the lobster fisherman said, he had witnessed many times. —*Lewiston J.*

His Looks Were Deceptive.

The late Mr. Justice William O'Brien, as is pretty generally known, was not a tailor's model, and when going on a long railway journey his appearance was even more neglected than usual. One Monday morning, Mr. A. P. Walting was on his train to leave Cork, and was talking to a first-class passenger

"I saw him with my own eyes," said policeman.

"Acquainted," still protested the

"Well," returned the judge as a glass as possible, "I think I'll have plenty at 'tence' all the same. I manage to survive the expense."

He took his milk and walked with an untruffled countenance, when that young lady happened to gentlemen were standing at the door and knew the judge who her mother was she didn't feel very. She tried to explain that she thought of the judge's said father.

When Cats were Worshipped.

My mummy cat is a very curious thing. Tons of these embalmed cats were brought to England a few years ago to be ground into bone meal. What an unromantic ending

of the 4,000 years' mummification! The bodies of the cats were bound with bandages standing erect, others adhering to the body. The cloths were still adding to the mummies, though in one shipwrecked mummy supposed to contain 180,000 cats, only a few really complete specimens could be found.

It is supposed that the cats were of a species known as *Felis manuliana*, and formerly found in north Africa, probably tamed by the ancient Egyptians.

gians, from which we get our dedicated pussy.
 early as 1690 B. C. tablets record that cats were kept in the Egyptian temples as an object of worship.

An Impudent Question.
 The Home Magazine reveals a good deal of the character of the man who Dr. Newman Hall used to lecture on the platform. An illiterate negro preacher said to his congregation:

His Accent.
 One day Lord Morris was sitting in the Four Courts as lord chief justice of Ireland when a young barrister from the north rose nervously to make

ly brethren, when de fust man
m was made he was made ob wet
and set up ag'in de palings to
"So you say," said one of de con-
tation, "dat Adam was made ob
clay an set up ag'in de palings to
"es, sar; I do."
"So made de palings?"
"I t down, sar," said de preacher
first motion. The judge had deced
that no one listening to himself w
ever take him for anything but
Irishman, which was perfectly cor-
But Galway could not understand
trim. The lord chief justice lea
over to ask the associate where
barrister hailed from.
"County Antrim," was the respon-
Then asked his lordship of the
claf, "Did ye ever come across st
frightful aciver in the course of

Fast Bowling. The story found in a recent "Talks With the Old English," which prompts the reflection that "there were giants in those days" of the "old" cricketers.

A man who did a private business in the early requisites at an unexposed hour

“Certainly,” said the man gravely, “wrap
up a bottle of arrisa, a paper of
tin plaster and an arm sling. I am
going to play in a cricket match this
evening against Jack Crossland.”

Keeping His Promise.
The next day, SYNNEX—When Tom asked me
to give him, he promised me that my
brother would be back in the city in
a few days.

No Difference.
English Customer (to manager of
restaurant)—I see, Signor Marsacchi,
that the American gentleman and his
wife, who have just left, drank water
along with water by their dinner. I
thought that made much difference in
the bill?

Signor Marsacchino—Notting, sir. The
pay same as yourself and lady, and
the bill the same.

He said: "I wish would always be law in this world."
 Dr. Sauer.—And of course that was the promise amounted to—merely words.
 Dr. Synner.—No, I won't say that. It always respects my lightest words. It is in matters of importance we are bound to have his own words.—Boston Transcript.

Enforced the Rules.

men Attendant—You'll please leave your umbrella or cane at the door.

Sailor—Very proper regulation. But I depend I have neither.

Attendant—Then go and get what you are allowed to enter unless he has his umbrella or cane at the door.

Sailor—May read the card for yourself, London Tit-Bits.

Chinese Riddles.

What is the fire that has no smoke and the water that has no fish?

A glow-worm's fire has no smoke, well water has no fish.

Mention the name of an object two months which travels by night but not by day.

A lantern.—Chicago News.

THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN A FORT AND A

A witness in an Irish court told

area lies in the fact that the former designed to contain solely the garrison and their munitions, while the latter is often a city containing a large number of noncombatants.

