







When things don't go to suit you, And the world seems upside down, Don't waste your time in fretting, But drive away that frown.

KNOWING HOW TO SWIM.—The recent disasters on the waters have proved the advantages of the art of swimming.

It would reinforce persons otherwise liable to be fear-stricken, with assurances, enabling them to take measures for saving themselves.

A LARGE monument has been erected at Kokoka, Mo., with the following inscription: "The Spencer Family—We are all here, murdered with an axe, on the night of August 8, 1877, at their homes."

ANCIENT AMERICAN GIANTS.—The Rev. Stephen Bowers notes in the Kansas City Review of Science, the opening of an interesting mound in Brush Creek Township, Ohio.

separate graves. Resting against one of the coffins was an unmarked stone tablet (now in Cincinnati), from the characters on which Dr. Everhart and Mr. Bowers are led to conclude that this giant race were sun worshippers.

ROBERT POINTS TO EPIPHANY.—Say "good evening," or "good morning" to the hostess, on leaving the room: "So long old girl" has gone out in the best society.

IF there are seventy-five or one hundred persons in the company, it is not necessary to shake hands all round.

GLASS BEADS.—Among the most curious examples of persistence in art are the well-known Aggré beads, which occur everywhere in Africa and in many parts of Asia.

WATER.—The most important of the art of swimming is the art of floating. The art of swimming is the art of floating.

It is not merely, therefore that the art of swimming will save the lives of voyagers, but the familiarity with the water and the consciousness that one can, even when he must take to the water, support himself for a time at least, and until help comes, would prevent the fearful panics to which more than the traveler himself, the great loss of life is due.

AN English writer has been sharply criticizing the management of the London public schools, known as the "Board schools," and produces the following specimens of the written examinations of some of the scholars:

ADVERTISING.—My success is owing to liberal advertising.—Bonner. The road to fortune is through printer's ink.—P. T. Barnum.

An approximate estimate of the cotton crop of Texas this year places it at 1,800,000. TWENTY-THREE hundred car-loads of peaches have been shipped to market over the Delaware war.

GENERAL AND Mrs. GRANT are once more in their Galena home. General is expected to visit Madison, Wis., during the state fair.

ARMOUR DEAN was sentenced to six months' imprisonment in Baltimore for drunkenness, on the complaint of his mother. Before his term was over she died and left him by will \$10,000.

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