MISS BARGAINCOUNTER-Man began his insult to work-ladies in the Garden of Eden.

MR. STEWPID-How so?

MISS BARGAINCOUNTER-Didn't be call Eve a woman?-Town

NOTHING TO BRAG OF.

FIRST LITTLE GIRL (proudly)-We are goin' to Europe this

SECOND LITTLE GIRL (contemptuously) - Pooh! Ve shust game from dere .- New York Weekly.

INTERRUPTED.

CALLER-Is Miss Green engaged?

SERVANT—I dunno if she is yet, sir. She was just gettin' engaged when you rung the bel!. I was peekin' through the keyhole at her and Mr. Lucky.-Jester.

The women of Moore's Hill, Ind., are said to have "knocked out" a saloon by insisting on doing their knitting there; but many persons will take no stockin' such a yarn.-Norristown Herald.

WHAT MADE HIM LATE.

SCHOOL TEACHER (severely)-You are half an hour late this morning.

LITTLE BOY-(who was "kept in" the day before)-Yes'm. It was late, yesterday, when I got home."-New York Weekly.

ANXIOUS TO SUIT.

FAKIR-Neckties, suspenders-

Baboony (haughtily)-Do I look like a man who'd wear a twenty-cent necktie?

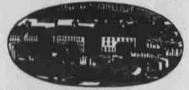
FAKIR-Vell, I had some for ten cents, mister. Texas Sift-



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McGuire-For why?

MULDOON-He understands figgers so well; when I see a thramp coming up the road, an' I wants to sick Matchewmatics at him, I jusht say, three times two, an' he six .- Munsey's Weekly.

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W.-Dat, sah, is calf's brains on toast,

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