The Symbolism Didn't Appeal. sorrowfully sighed the young lady in the parlor of the concrete house on Washington avenue, "it

is nearly 12 o'clock. who was sitting on the sofa heside her, "the minute band is drawing closer to the hour hand, and when the hands will be even as one. Oh, darling Belinda," he continued as he literally simulated the action of the minute hand, "may not the coming together of those two hands be symbolical of us?"

She broke away and stood firmly on her feet. "No. Charles Henry Smith." she retorted angrily, "those two bands will remain as one but a single second, and then the minute hand will divorce itself and go on its way alone. No. Mr. Smith, a minute hand that doesn't stick isn't the kind of symbolism I want!"-Chicago News.

Dividing a Long Sermon. Dr. Samuel Buell of the last half of the eighteenth century, who used to preach two or three hours, like Isaac Barrows, was ingenious in detaining his congregation. On one occasion, after preaching nearly two hours-as long as he could feel secure in the presence of all his hearers-he remarked that he was done preaching to sinners and that they were at liberty to go; the rest of his discourse would be addressed to good people.

A gentleman who once went to hear him stated that when the hourglass was nearly ready to be turned a second time from the commencement of his sermon be said, much to the relief of the person who related it, "Once more." After going on some eight or ten minutes longer he said. "To conciude," and after another about equal interval he said, "Lastly."

The gentleman added that he expected every moment to hear him say "Everlastingly."

He Came Down Light. A Chicago board of trade man who day Evening Post. was not in the babit of attending church was taking a walk one Sunday morning, and on coming to a church at the regular bour of service be deelded to go in. As he entered the auditorium in which the pews were adjusted apon a sloping floor an usher stepped forward and, wishing to consuit him as to location before conducting him to a sitting, politely in-

"Would you like to come down pret-

Mistaking the inquiry to be an appeal for money, the board of trade man began to fumble through his pockets as he drawled:

"I'd like to, but I'm not prepared to come down very heavy, as 15 cents is ail I have with me."-Harper's Mag-

A Varnishing Tip.

When varnishing wood the work must be done in a warm room at a come in for a little while."-New York temperature of at least 75 degrees F. At a lower temperature the moisture in the air will give a milky and cloudy appearance to the varnish. On the other hand, at the higher temperature the moisture is not precipitated until their relatives who have migrated to on other boats and never to bandy the alcohol of the varnish has suffi- this land of ours have become hope- words with them, as he would be sure ciently evaporated to leave a thin smooth film of shellac. The durability and gloss are dependent on this.

The Blind Man's Lantern.

villages came back from the river one night bringing a pitcher of water and carrying in his hand a lighted lantern. Some one meeting bim said: "You're blind. It's all the same to you whether it's day or night. Of what use to you is a lantern?" "I don't carry the lantern in order to see the road," replied the blind man, "but to keep some fool like you from running against me and breaking my pitcher,"

"Pa, what does it mean to be tried by a jury of one's peers?"

"It means, my son, that a man is to be tried by a jury composed of men who are his equals or on an equality with him, so that they will have no prejudice against him." "Then, ps. I s'pose you'd have to be

tried by a jury of baldheaded men."

The Widow, "In a town," said a life insurance official, "where life insurance was a deal."-Cleveland Leader. rare thing a schooltencher said to a little boy pupil: "Tommy, define the word widow."

"'A widow,' Tommy answered, 'is a poor woman with a large family of children who takes boarders."

Wedderly-They say that a man and his wife grow to look alike after they who never pay cash." have been married a few years. Now my wife and I have been married ten years. Do you think we look alike? Singleton-Yes, indeed. You both seem to have the same sad expres-

Might Have Been Worse. Rheumatic Patient-Oh, doctor, I do suffer so with my hands and feet; Cheery Doctor-My dear woman, only think what inconvenience you would have to suffer without them.

Tommy - Pop. does the earth go round? Tommy's Pop-Yes, my son. But it wouldn't if it was divided among all the people who want it --Philadelphia Record.

No man has yet discovered the means of giving successfully friendly advice to women-not even to his own. -Balzac

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Albani and Gye.

The story of Mme. Albani's first London engagement is as follows Colonel Mapleson beard of her singing at a theater at Malta, and, thinking "Yes, Belinda," was the breathing that she would be successful, he made response of her poetical companion. her an offer through an agent of a contract to sing in Her Majesty's theater. She agreed to it and went to London, but on arriving there she told time of midnight is chimed the two the cabman to drive her to the Italian opera house. He, instead of going to Her Majesty's, took her to Covent Garden, which was also devoted to Italian opera. She was shown up to the manager's office and stated that she had ome to sign the contract which Mr. Mapleson had offered her. Mr. Gye. thinking to play a joke on his rival, Mapleson, made out a contract, and Albani signed it. Mr. Gye then told her that he was not Colonel Mapleson, but that he could do much better by her. He offered to tear up the contract if she liked, but told her that Nilsson would brook no rival. Albani decided cel of schoolboys."-London News. was singing at Her Majesty's and to let the contract stand and thus became one of the stars of Covent Gardens, eventually marrying the son of Mr. Gye.

His Final Plea. A Chicago man appeared at the White House one day during the Mc-Kinley administration with a petition containing 7,000 names recommending him for appointment as Brazilian minister. He was a picture framer, and when he was canvassing for orders he There is a kind, too, that needs bleartook along his petition and asked everybody in the picture frame busi- other that calls for lithia tablets. But ness to sign it. Almost everybody did.

reached the president. Always gentle and considerate, President McKinley it. In America there is plenty of explained to the candidate that be laughter, good, bad and indifferent, but would have to consult the Illinois senators and representatives about the matter before making the appointment. al resources. May we conserve it al-"You know," said the president, "we

"Well," asked the picture framer. 'won't I be just as big as any of them if I get the job?"-Philadelphia Satur-

The Lost Umbrella. "I have been coming here for my lunch for years, but never again," said a man to the head waiter of a downtown restaurant recently. "Sorry," began the waiter. "Sorry nothing. I left the umbrella here not five minutes ago, there was no one near our table, and the walter must have seen it."

or you'll never see me here again." was walking away when he was halled by a man who had entered by the umbrella? I picked it up when we finwhispered. "The umbrella has been it.-Westminster Gazette. found, but our customer has been lost for a few days. He'll be ashamed to Tribune.

lessly Americanized. One old indy in Germany reached her conclusion in a way that can be appreciated only by those who know the type of the German butter dish, deep as a bowl, and A billed man in Khoota in Caucasian | the German reverence therefor. Last week her granddaughter in New York received this and inment:

"You will never come back. You are lost to us. Hans (a cousin) arrived here from New York on Monday and reports that you have even given up our deep German butter dishes and are using those shallow little plates that Americans like."-New York Times.

Modern Kids.

"So you love your new little brother?" asked the visitor. "Well, dearle. will you sell him to me? I'll give you \$1 for every ounce be weighs." "No. I won't!" answered the angel chlid.

"Dear, loyal little sister!" beamed the visitor. "And why not?" "Because," answered the tiny tot, with a quivering lip-"because he only weighs six pounds. Come back next month an' I'll see if we can't make a

His Weak Point.

A man who takes a business view of things when recently asked his opinion of a person of quite a poetic temperament replied:

"Oh, he's one of those men who have soarings after the infinite and divings after the unfathomable, but

The Case Altered.

Brown-Is it correct to speak of a man as "of the male persuasion?" Jones-Yes, if the subject is not mar-

"What has that to do with the mat "Why, when he is married his wife persuades him."

Recipe For Langevity. People live longer in North Carolina than anywhere else in the world, chiefly because they lead the simple life, drink buttermilk and eat blackberries fresh in summer and dried in winter .-

Ruleigh News and Observer. "What are you kicking about? She seturned all your presents, didn't she?" "Yes, but the expressage amounted

to more than the presents were worth "

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One Thomas Boyd was elected as his olleague, and Calais continued to send M. P.'s to Westminster until, in the reign of Mary, we lost the stronghold we had held for over two centuries. This is the only instance in England's history of anything like colonial representation at Westminster unless indeed we recken one or two exceptions occasions when colonial grievances have been voiced at the bar of the house of commons, as they were so brilliantly by Benjamin Franklin. when Burke said the scene reminded him of "a master examined by a par-

Learn to Laugh. Laughter is the best of all tonics. Bacilli are humorless folk and hate the physical constitution that is always vibrating with the shocks of fun. This is a truism, but serviceable and likewise worth repeating are the platitudes on laughter as the great aseptic of the soul. It is true there are different kinds of laughter, and some of them need formaldehyde. bonate of soda as an antidote-anthe right sort of laughter was stolen The man was insistent and finally from the gods by some wiser Prometheus, and nothing can prevail against mostly good, and much that is very good. It is one of our greatest nation ways. A people that laugh kindly have to select big men for these big and often have not much to fear; a people that laugh wisely, nothing .-Chicago Tribune.

Fanny Dickens.

Fanny, the sister of Charles Dickens. was one of the first students entered at the old Royal Academy of Music when it opened its doors at Tenterden street in 1823, and at that time the students lived at the academy, only going home for the week end. "Every Sunday," Dickens told Forster, "I was at the academy at 9 o'clock in the morning to fetch her (Fanny), and we walked back there together at night." "If we find it"- "Find it? It is And the Sunday itself the two spentfound. I tell you, and I'll have it now in the Marshalsea prison, where their father and mother then resided, owing The man, flushed with excitement, to Mr. Dickens having "failed to propitiate his creditors." While her father was still in prison Panny won a rear door: "Say, Frank, is this your prize at the academy, and the future novelist, then engaged in pasting iaished lunch. Glad you were still here." bels on blacking pots at 7 shillings a "Here, but not still," the head walter week, was present to see her receive

Twain and the Rivermen. Mark Twain once told to a party of friends the following story on himself: On one occasion when he started on a trip down the Mississippi river on a Some folks in foreign lands have flatboat he was advised never to antheir own way of determining whether | swer the questions asked by rivermen followed the advice religiously for a time, but one day he thought he saw a chance to get the better of a river-

man who called out: "Hey, thar, what yer loaded with?" "Jackasses. Don't you want to come aboard?" yelled back Twain.

"That's whut I reckoned seein' as how they let ther biggest donkey hev ther run of the deck!" came back. Twain made a dive below as all the rivermen in the neighborhood set up a derisive laugh at his expense.

"Niggering" Logs.

The question was asked me as a native of Maine if I could find out what "niggering" logs meant in the statement "We niggered the logs." I found that to "nigger" logs was to save the labor of chopping them into lengths by piling them up crossed at points where it was desired to separate them. By building fires under these crossings several logs could be burned into sections at once. Because "a nigger' was supposed to be lazy this lazy mun's way of cutting logs into lengths was, naturally enough, called "niggering."-Appleton Morgan in New Shakespeareana.

The Inexpensive Policeman. Mr. Walter Seymour, who writes "Ups and Downs of a Wandering Life," had Thorold Rogers for a tutor while at Oxford. Rogers was as amusing as he was heterodox. "I remember asking him one day, 'Mr. Rog. ers, what do you consider the origin of the idea of the devid? 'Cheapest policeman they could find!"

Applicant For Situation-I've come ababt that job wet was advertised Employer-Well, can you do the work! Applicant (in great slarm)-Work! I thought it was a foreman you wanted!

-Punch.

Geraldine-What did pa say when ou asked him for my hand? Gerald-He said that he wouldn't stand in the way of my unhappiness if I needed the money badly .- New York Press,

No Escape. Rella-I understand your sister married a struggling young man? Gus-Yes; he struggled hard, but he couldn't

There are many religious, but there

get away from her.

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which said profile is hereby referred to

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