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Teacher—Can you mention some great man who had an impediment in his speech?  
Little Willy—Please, ma'am, George Washington did. He couldn't tell a lie—Puck.

### Extras in the Bill.

Clerk of the Burning Hotel (presenting bill to escaping guests)—All guests of this hotel will please step into our new office across the street and pay for this extra fire and water service.—Chicago News.

### Curious Ways of Hopi Maids.

In this age of advanced views on matrimonial entanglements and obligations it is refreshing to read of the curious marriage customs of the gentle savages of the Hopi tribe in Arizona. Here the Hopi maid does the wooing, for the women of the Hopi brand are held in much higher respect than are the comely sisters of kindred tribes.

And when the Hopi maid has selected the youth of her choice she goes to his house as a suitor for his hand and testifies both to her devotion and her industry by grinding corn beneath his roof until he is sufficiently impressed with her qualities to yield and name the day.

When the Hopi maid leads the man of her choice to the tribal altar, she does so in the midst of elaborate ceremonies of long duration, and when all is over she takes him to her home. Nor does she yield this ownership when she weds. On the contrary, the house, the fields and all the property save the herds belong to the wife. This, as will be seen, greatly facilitates the Hopi method of obtaining a divorce, for when the wife tires of her husband she simply takes his saddle from her floor and tosses it out through her door, and the divorce is completed.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

### No Chance For Him.

"Now that we are engaged," said the fair young thing, "I will tell you that I do not fear mice."

"That is nice," said the prospective groom.

"And," continued the fiancée, "I can drive nails without hitting my thumb, and I know how to use a paper cutter without ruining a book, and I can add a row of figures without making a separate sum for each consecutive figure, and I can build a fire, and I can tell when a picture is hung straight on the wall."

Here the man drew himself up with much dignity and sorrow and cried: "Then I cannot marry you, alas!"

"Why?" gasped the girl.

"What prospect is there for my ever being able to demonstrate the superiority of men over woman if I marry a woman who possesses such traits of character as you?"—Baltimore American.

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### Origin of Trousers.

Something like a century ago trousers "came in" as the result of drink and may be said to owe their origin to old world royalty, which in those days ate and especially drank very heavily and was consequently afflicted with gout and other maladies of a character to swell the leg. Knee breeches and stockings—so dear not only to the early presidents of the United States and to the signers of the Declaration of Independence, but likewise to the old Puritan element of America—were scarcely suitable for swollen limbs, even if they belonged to the anointed of the Lord, and the result was that George IV, as prince regent; his brothers, the Dukes of York, Clarence, Cumberland and Sussex; the French princes, who afterwards reigned as Louis XVIII, Charles X, and Louis Philippe; King Frederick William III of Prussia and many other equally illustrious personages adopted the modern form of pantaloons, which was at the time a source of no end of ridicule and entertainment to Gilray and to the other caricaturists of the age.

### The Oldest Force Storage.

The water wheel is probably the oldest method of obtaining mechanical force apart from the employment of animal force. These wheels were no doubt at first worked by a flowing river and then by a falling stream, and it would not be a very great advance on this method to dam back the stream so as to obtain a continuous supply of force even in times of drought. Such storing of water at a sufficiently high level is the simplest and even at the present time the most successful method of storing force. If carefully arranged, the loss by evaporation and leakage is small and may be partly or wholly replaced by rain, so the force is always available, and but little labor is needed to keep such works in repair. The water clock of the Romans was an elaboration of this method of storing force and was for them the only form of "motor."

### Diet and Character.

An exclusively pork diet tends infallibly to pessimism. Beef, if persevered in for months, makes a man strong, energetic and audacious. A mutton diet continued for any length of time tends to melancholia, while veal eaters gradually lose energy and gaiety. The free use of eggs and milk tends to make women healthy and vivacious. Butter used in excess renders its users phlegmatic and lazy. Apples are excellent for brain workers, and everybody who has much intellectual work to do should eat them freely. Potatoes, on the contrary, render one dull, invidious and lazy when eaten constantly and in excess. To preserve the memory, even to an advanced age, nothing is better than mustard.—London Chronicle.

### The Art Treasures of Europe.

"What did I like best in France?" she repeated. "Why, Paris, of course. But I'll tell you where we had the most fun, and so cheap too. We went to Reims. Phil wanted to see the Joan of Arc statue, which is considered very fine. It stands in front of an appalling ancient inn, where her parents stayed, I believe."

"While Phil was studying Joan and her rapt expression Charlie and Sally and I went to visit the wine cellars of Pomeroy—they call them 'caves,' my dear—and what do you think? They gave us each a bottle of champagne for nothing! It is the custom. Phil lost all interest in Joan and her statue when we told him of it afterward."—New York Commercial Advertiser.

### The Dinner Horn.

Details in regard to the manner in which meals were served during the dark ages do not abound. It is only toward the twelfth century that we begin to have a little light on this interesting subject. When a meal was ready in the thirteenth century, the guests of a castle, with the vassals, were assembled to the sound of a horn, a method of summoning that appears to have been the privilege only of the greatest lords. Some hundreds of years later a bell was used for the purpose.

### Would Accept Information Gladly.

Patronizing Hotel Clerk—And now, sir, if you hear any one inquire for a good hotel in this town—

Departing Guest (eagerly)—Yes, yes! Go on and tell me. Ever since I have been in this house I have been wondering what I should say if any one asked me about a good hotel in your town.—Los Angeles Herald.

### Not Always Needed.

Daughter—I have an invitation to the theater and have no chaperon.

Mother—You must have one, of course, or you shan't go. It's from Mr. Silmpurse, I suppose.

"No, it's from Mr. Fatpurse."  
"Um—never mind about the chaperon."—New York Weekly.

### They Did Agree With Him.

"Although I feel that your parents and I will never agree"—he began. "Really, Mr. Gayley," she interrupted. But he continued, "While I know I am most unworthy of you"—"Well, papa and mamma agree with you there, Mr. Gayley."—Philadelphia Record.

### She Capitulated.

Maud—Do you mean to tell me that you and George are engaged at last?  
Mabel—Yes; he had quit spending money on me, and I thought I might as well let him propose.—Chicago Tribune.

### Tearful Metaphor.

"Isn't it curious how onions bring tears to the eyes?"  
"It surely is. It's like nature springing a leak."—Philadelphia North American.

# BLOIS

Are not more disfiguring to pure white paper than blotches and pimples are to the clean white skin. Both men and women are at a disadvantage when the face is marred and scarred by an eruptive disease. Perhaps the woman is the more unfortunate because the beauty of a clean skin and clear complexion is her rightful heritage. And while she has the friendly shelter of the veil, it only covers what it cannot entirely conceal. The worst misfortune in the case of a man with a pimply face is that he is generally set down as dissipated. If he seeks a position his "dissipated" face discounts his abilities. If he is a salesman he finds customers disinclined to do business with a man whose commercial reliability must be taken largely on trust, because his face is against him.

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"I feel it my duty to inform you of my wonderful cure by the use of your medicine," writes Mrs. E. H. McLain, of Meredosia, Morgan Co., Ills. "In 1881, a place about the size of a silver dime broke out on my scalp and kept spreading until it went all over my head. It pained a great deal and ran, and we tried a great many doctors and all kinds of patent medicines but none did any good. So it went on until 1890, and I was taken sick and lay about ten weeks. I was in a very weak condition, and I was recommended to try Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. I took about six bottles, I think. About three bottles of medicine for my weakness, not thinking of it helping me in any other way, but I feel so thankful that I don't know how to express my thanks for the cure of the sore. I have often thought I would write to you but neglected to do so. I think it a miracle, for I had given up all hope of ever being cured. You have all the praise of the wonderful cure. My husband thinks this was all that was necessary to write. If you want proof you can ask all in the neighborhood. I am now in my 68th year and am very strong."

"Three times I have cured myself of erysipelas," writes Mrs. Lolita J. Mitchell, of 1824 Adeline Street, Oakland, Alameda Co., California, "by using your 'Golden Medical Discovery' after I had been under the doctor's care and found no relief."

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