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#### The Log Cabin.

O'er the vision like a mirage falls And crippled chimney with crutch-like

Beneath a sagging shoulder at the top. The coonskin battened fast on either

The wisps of leaf tobacco-"cut and The yellow strands of quartered apples

strung In rich festoons that tangle in among The morning glory vines that clamber

The little clapboard roof above the door; The old well sweep that drops a cour-To every thirsty soul so graciously, The stranger, as he drains the dripping

gourd, Intuitively murmurs, "Thank the Lord!" Again thro' mists of memory arise The simple scenes of home before the

The happy mother, humming with her The dear old melodies that used to steal So drowsily upon the summer air,

The house dog hid his bone, forgot his And nestled at her feet to dream, per-Some cooling dream of winter time ro-

The square of sunshine through the open That notched its edge across the pun

cheon floor,
And made a golden coverlet, whereon
The god of slumber had a picture drawn Of babyhood, in all the loveliness Of dimpled cheek, and limb, and linsey

The bough-filled fireplace and the mantel Its fire-scorched ankles stretched on eith-

husky-voiced. And snarled the premonition dire and

Tomatoes, red and yellow, in a row, Like rare and precious jewels in the

head:

Whose worth was not appraised at half

The jare of jelly, with their dusty tops;

And ending all the mantel's bric-a-brac time-honored "family alma-

-James Whitcomb Riley.

Primitive Paper-Making. In Madagascar a kind of writingpaper used by some of the native notables and the fetish priests is made from the bark of a shrub named hahova. The bark fibre is boiled and macerated until a thin paste is obtained. Then a leaf of the plant called ravinla, or traveler's tea, is coated the hahova paste, on both sides of the leaf. After the coating has thoroughly dried and adhered, it is polished with a smooth shell, and the paper is ready for use. The manufacture of the ink employed like that of the partial feet." "I have very little to do," replied Mr. Hanna, with a quiet smile of humor. "Then," said the Irishman, will add to the above a big package of Salzer's Fourth of July Sweet Corn—the earliest on earth—10 days earlier than Cory, Peep o' Day, First of All, etc. [P.C.L.] the ink employed, like that of the pa- after." per itself, is a monopoly of the notables and priests who use it. This paper may be bought by European trav elers at less than a penny a sheet, but only a few hundred sheets are produced in a month.

I was afflicted with Tetter in bad shape. It would appear in blotches as large as my hand, a yellowish color, and scale off. You can imagine how offensive it was. For twelve years I was afflicted with this trouble. At night it was a case of scratch and many times no rest at all. Seeing the good the medicine was doing a friend who was taking it for Eczema, I commenced it, and as a result the eruption began to dry up and disappear, and to-day I am practically a well man. Only two tiny spots are left on the elbow and shin, where once the whole body was affected. I have every confidence in the medicine, and feel sure that in a short time these two remaining spots will disappear. S. S. S. is certainly a great blood purifier, and has done me a world of good. I am grateful for what it has accomplished, and trust that what I have said will lead others who are similarly afflictvill lead others who are similarly afflicted to take the remedy and obtain the same good results that I have.

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# Humorous

At a Party-Rudolph, can you cut your own meat?" "Humph!" said Rudolph, who was sawing away. "Can't I? I've cut a great deal tougher meat

than this at home." Doctor-Ah! out for a constitutional? She-Yes; I walk two miles before breakfast every morning for my complexion. Doctor-Is the drug store so far as that?-Exchange.

Mr. A. Chromo?-Mrs. Newriche-And who is this by? Picture Dealer -That is a chromo, madam. Mrs. Newriche-Oh, yes, of course it is. Now that you mention it, I recognize his style.

Softleigh-When I-aw-awsked her foh her hand in mawriage her bwutal father thweatened to-aw-bwain me, doncher know. Miss Cutting-That's just like her father. He always was fond of a joke.-Chicago Daily News. Usual Invitation-A lady was asked

by another where she and her husband had taken up their abode. "Oh," she replied, "we are living by the canal at present. We should be de-The old log cabin, with its dingy walls, lighted if you would drop in some even-

A Proper Study.-Wall Street-So your son is studying law. Do you expect that he will stick to it? Specu. say? lator-Oh, no; I just want him to know enough about it so that he will be able rally in the wheat pit.—Cincinnati to evade it successfully.-Detroit Free

A Fight in It .- "As Shakespeare says," remarked Cassidy, who was fond of airing his "book larnin" occasionally, "what's in a name?" Well," replied Casey, "call me wan that Ol don't like an' Ol'll show ye."- now, but my father is worth a million.

Philadelphia Press. Bearitt-Things were awfully dull on 'Change to-day. Absolutely nothing doing in stocks. The buyers and sellers failed to get together. Mrs. Bearitt-Why don't you mark some of the stock down and advertise a bar-

gain sale?-Chicago News. "Maude graduated from your cooking school last spring, didn't she?" "Yes; but she's going to take a postgraduate course this fall." "Then she's really going back to the school?" "Oh, no; she's to be married to a poor young to this country and find themselves Everything New and Up-to-Date man."-Catholic Standard-Times.

A Real Curiosity .- That is a curiouslooking cane, major," said the visitor. "A memento of the war of the rebellion, I suppose?" "Yes, a Christmas of that. present," replied the old veteran. "It was made from the hollow log I occu- A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES pled at the famous battle of Bull

Lyles-Did you ever come across more conceited fellow than Bulger? Where, perched upon its shoulders 'neath They say he is an atheist; and I believe he is. Bonter-I wouldn't like The old clock hiccoughed, harsh and to go so far as that; but I do know that he doesn't recognize the existence of a superior being.—Town and wegian physicist has discovered that

lieve it, ladies, but in that part of netic iron ore. He found also that at Preserved not then for diet, but for the country from which I came in- a distance of three miles from the Hen-Goodness gracious! I suppose tion of a whole degree from its true the simple-minded folk out that way position. The cause of the numerous still believe that a hen's sphere is her shipwrecks, therefore, is obvious. nest.—Town Topics.

The bunch of pennyroyal and the cordial drops:

The finsk of camphor and the phial of squills;

The box of buttons, garden seeds and pills:

Directions for Use.—The inventor of a new feeding bottle for infants sent out the following among his directions for using: "When the baby is done drinking it must be unscrewed pills:

The box of buttons, garden seeds and done drinking it must be unscrewed done drinking it must be unscrewed and laid to a cool place under the Directions for Use.—The inventor of and laid in a cool place under the hydrant. If the baby does not thrive

on fresh milk it should be boiled." Deacon Good-Don't you think It cruel for you to draw a fish out of his native element by a sharp iron book? Fisher Boy-It's no fault of mine. When I'm just giving a worm a salt- to grow water bath, what does a fish want to hook himself onto my line for? It's

no business of his.-Boston Transcript. Honest Policy.-An Irishman some years ago entered Mr. Hanna's office. took off his hat politely and said: "The with pulp formed from a particular top of the mornin' to ye, Misther Hankind of rice, and over this is spread na. I've been told ye're wantin' o' the hahova paste, on both sides of the help." "I have very little to do," re-

> Exclamatory Rheumatism.-Martha, the colored washerwoman, was complaining of her husband's health to Scotland observe a curious custom at one of her patrons. "He's ve'y po'ly, funerals. After the burial service the ma'am; ve'y po'ly. He's got dat ex- coffin is carried outside the house and clamatory rheumatism." "You mean placed upon the two chairs on which inflammatory, Martha. Exclamatory it had rested within doors. As soon as is from exclaim, which means to cry the pallbearers lift up their burden out." "Yes, miss," answered Martha, and begin their journey to the gravewith conviction, "dat's what it is. He yard these chairs are at once thrown hollers all de time."

in a class had committed some grave has taken place, when they are taken infraction of discipline. The teacher indoors again. Any attempt to place whole class if some one did not tell in before the proper time is at once him who had committed the offense. frustrated by the relatives of the dead. All were silent, and he began with the first boy and thrashed everyone in the class until he finally reached the last one. Then he said: "Now, if you will tell me who did this, I won't punish you." "All right, sir, I did it." -Scissors.

An Enormous Umbrella.

An umbrella big enough to cover a dozen persons belongs to the Church of St. Peter Mancroft, Norwich, Eng-An Enormous Umbrella. land. It is used on wet days for wedding parties, so that the bride and bridegroom, the bridesmalds and Portland guests may not get their smart dresses spoiled when walking from the church door to the carriages. It is also used by the clergy at funerals, when the service has to be held by the graveside in pouring rain. That it is useful is obvious, and it is rather remarkable that many other churches do not possess such an article as a part of the ordinary church furniture.

Something Wrong.

He (musical, to hostess)-I hope you will excuse me giving a humorous sketch to-night. I'm sorry to disappoint you, but I-I feel so so funny! -Punch.

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better. Cutts-You don't mean to say be telegraphed the news. What did he Butts-He said there was a strong

Commercial Tribune. Mothers will find Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup the best remedy to use for their children during the teething period.

A Wise Young Woman. He-It is true, darling, that I haven't a penny that I can call my own just

She (interrupting)-Excuse me, but is your mother living?

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Other Side of It. She (at the depot)-It must be awfully trying on those poor foreigners who come strangers in a strange land. He-Oh, they are used to it, having

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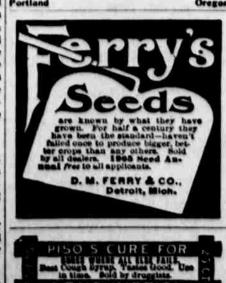
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