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One of the significant features of this snake season, and of any snake season that occurs, which is every year, is the very long length of the blacksnakes that are seen, says the Ohio State Journal. This is not at all remarkable, for about the only thing a blacksnake has to show for itself is its length. It has no musical tall like the rattlesnake. nor the puffed-out head of the hissing viper, nor the livid, languid manners of the housesnake-it has only length, und when with amazing speed it whips through the deep grass or dead leaves It seems to be thirty or forty feet long.

So truly does this little Illusion exist that when a person tells of a blacksnake seven or eight feet long, he prides himself on great modesty of statement. And, by the way, we have noted many blacksnake stories this summer, and we have not encountered a snake under seven feet.

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First Appearance. "Who are you, sir?" asked Eve, in

"Madam," answered Adam, with his most engaging smile, "I am Exhibit A of the ethnological department."

It was then that the serpent, having escaped from the soological department, entered upon the scene, and the real trouble began.

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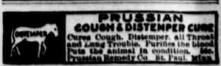
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Madam-Have you had experience? Cook-I've had tin places this month .-Harper's Bazar,

Philadelphia Record.

She-So you have had a great many thrilling escapes? He—Yes—I am still a bachelor.—Detroit Free Press.

"Is he a criminal or a corporation lawyer?" "Both. He's a criminal corporation lawyer."-Omaha News. Ethel-How long have the Newlyriches been in society? Bob-From the

two days.—Judge. Bacon-She says she is 28 years old. Egbert-Well, she looks as if she would say she was about that old.-

Youkers Statesman. Tommy-How do girls spend their time? Jimmy—Trying to make little boys stop asking questions and big boys begin.—Exchange. through them, just as if they were ordi-

Medium-I see a large dark obstacle rising suddenly in your way. Railroad Magnate-I guess that's my coal stock. -Baltimore American.

"Life is so uncertain," she said. "I know it," he replied, "let's get married. One of us may die within a few years." -Chicago Record-Herald.

"De man dat nurses unreasonable hopes," said Uncle Eben, "may be foolish, but ain't so foolish as de one dat ourses vain regrets."-Washington

"I see, Katle, that New York is to have one policeman to every 521 inhabitants," said the lady of the house. "Well, ma'am, I've got mine," was Katle's reply.-Yonkers Statesman.

He-Do you remember the night I sked you to marry me? She-Yes, dear. He-For a whole hour we sat there, and not a word did you speak. Ah, that was the happiest hour of my life.-Exchange.

"I would deem it a great favor if you would give me a little writeup," said the poet to the editor. "Nothing would please me more," replied the editor. "When do you contemplate dying? -Milwaukee Sentinel.

"You must change this ending," said the theatrical manager; "I want a play that ends happily. "All right," replied the obliging dramatist; "I'll have my hero and heroine divorced in the last act."-Philadelphia Record. Not the Kind He Wanted .- A smart

young fellow called out to a farmer who was sowing seed in his field, "Well done, old fellow, you sow; I reap the "Maybe you will," farmer, "for I'm sowing hemp."

Grandfather (enthusiastically) - Say. Willie, don't you want to go through a toy shop with me this afternoon and see all the pretty things? Willie (indifferently)-I'm willing to, pop, if you will get any pleasure out of it.-Life.

"Mr. Jones," said the office boy, "I got ter get off dis afternoon. Me gran'mother is dyin'." "I've something for you to do to-day, Johnnie," said Mr. Jones; "but you may go at 4 o'clock." 'Aw! wot good is 4 o'clock?"-Judge.

News Editor-Here's a cable from Constantinople saying the Sultan's prin- ers also demand much more than forcipal amusement is scaring his wives merly. into fits. Managing Editor-Well, head It "A Harem-Scarem Fellow," and run it in the joke column,-Philadelphia Record.

"You say you wouldn't like to get out?" exclaimed the prison visitor. "Why, I thought you were in for life." "Oh, worse than that, ma'am," replied the convict. "I'm in for a couble life, Doan's Kidney Pills. I've got two wives waiting outside."-

First Girl-What are you waiting for? Why don't you finish your letter ered much from irreg-to Ella? Second Girl—I don't know ular passages of the whether to say "Ever yours with truest love," or simply "Yours affectionately." You see, I can't endure Ella-I think

Gracle-Oh, Mr. Nocoyne, how lovely roses. How sweet they are, and how fresh! I do believe there is a little dew on them yet! Mr. Nocoyne-W-well, yes-there is; but I'll pay it to-morrow.—Illustrated Bits.

First Auto in Bogota.

A. G. Snyder, consul-general at Bogota, reports as follows, says the New York Times : "Last week the first automobile made

its appearance upon the streets of Bogots and the excitement was unparalieled. Crowds have blocked the highways for squares, rendering traffic almost impossible, and great interest has been aroused as to the possibilities that this mode of transportation may offer in the future.

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Judicial Acumen. The late Justice Daly of New York frequently enlivened the tedium of legal proceedings had before him by his kindly wit.

One day a suit was brought before him in which damages were claimed by reason of an assault. Plaintiff had been knocked down by the defedant and severely pummeled while prostrate. One of the witnesses seemed very reluctant to answer the questions put to him on cross-examination, in which he was upheld by the court.

"With all due respect to your honor," complained the attorney for the plaintiff, "the court does not appear to take Tommy-Pop, what is fret-work? cognizance of the underlying principle formmy's Pop-Wrinkles, my son.— in this case."

"In my opinion," replied his honor, good-naturedly, "the underlying principal in this case is your client, Mr. Attorney."-Harper's Weekly,

Judge and Juror.

Judge Adams, the County Court Judge of Limerick, is one of the wittiest of Irishmen, but occasionally from an encounter he emerges second best. way they play golf I should judge about The other day a juror asked to be excused from serving on account of deafness.

"Were you in court during my charge to the jury in the last case?" asked the CLASSIFIEDADVERTISING judge.

"Yes, yer honner," replied the juror. "Did you hear it?"

"Yes, yer honnor, I heard every word of it, but I couldn't make any sinse of it!"

The reply evoked a roar of laughter. in which Judge Adams heartily joined. But he did not excuse that juror.

Look but Do Not Touch. "Has your wife got your den fixed up yet?"

"Yes, and you ought to see it. It's the coziest place in the whole house." "I suppose you find great comfort in It. don't you?"

"Oh, she won't let me go in it. It's merely to look at."-Milwaukee Senti-

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