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Judge—You are charged with assault and battery. What have you to say? Prisoner—Not a word, yer honor. It was sayin' too much got me into this scrape.—Detroit Free Press.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure in the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address
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Watts—By the way, who was the patron saint of fishermen? Potts—Dunno. It isn't Ananias, is it?—Cincinnati Tribune.

No, Mande, dear, a journal devoted to the interests of palmistry isn't, strictly speaking, a hand organ.—Philadelphia Record.

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HINDOO CHILD-MARRIAGES.

A Brahmin's Daughter Must Marry Very Early or Her Reputation Suffers.
 The Brahmin has to get his daughter married before she attains puberty. This custom has crept into religion. The Hindoo religion strictly forbids single life for woman or man; especially must the woman be married. Hence there are no old maids in India. Sometimes one may meet an old "cranky" bachelor, who has remained unmarried because he was too poor to marry, or because his character was not good; but even these are seldom found except in the lower classes. If a man is not married at the latest by his twenty-fifth year his reputation suffers. It is a belief that those who have a son go to Heaven, when the son, after the death of his parents, performs the spiritual rites. However this may be, whether they go to Heaven or not, this severe rule tends to a strict cultivation of home life.
 Owing to this rule, if a Brahmin's daughter attains puberty before marrying the father is disgraced; he loses his caste and no one will marry the girl. Thus when a poor man has more than one daughter it is a misfortune for him. The Hindoo father himself has to find out a suitable husband for his daughter, so he goes to a gentleman who has a son. He first makes inquiries about the family, the property, the health and education of the boy. Then he asks the father of the boy to marry his son to his daughter. The father of the boy asks for dowry, and the amount of this is fixed according to the means of the man who asks for it and not of the man who gives it; that is to say, if the father of the boy is very rich he asks thousands of dollars. Hence the Hindoo father of a girl has to spend much for the marriage of his daughter, for he always wishes to see her married into a rich family.

A PATRIOT'S PETTICOAT.

And How It Helped to Drive Off the British Soldiers.
 In a letter to the New York Times David S. Turner, of New Dorp, S. I., says: "During the war of 1812, when Commodore Hardy attacked Stonington, the people there had no military defense except one old cannon which had been used for firing salutes. At Groton, on the bank of the Thames, opposite to New London, lived Mrs. Bailey in her own house, in the full vigor of womanhood and patriotism for her country, who, learning of the attack, immediately mounted her horse and started for that place to take part in the fray. Upon her arrival there the fight to prevent the landing of the Hardy force had already commenced, in which the old cannon was playing a conspicuous part, but soon it was found that the old gun must be given up for want of cartridges or material to make them. It was at this critical moment that Mrs. Bailey arrived, and, upon understanding the matter, gave instant notice that she could supply the needful, and then and there stripped off her flannel petticoat, which was soon worked into cartridges. The old gun was kept at work, and Commodore Hardy's force went back to the fleet to report progress.
 "When Gen. Jackson was president and made his tour through New England he crossed the river at New London, made a call upon Mrs. Bailey at her Groton home and gave her a cordial handshaking and his hearty congratulations upon her courageous and patriotic action upon the occasion of the battle of Stonington."

IN NO DANGER

This Young Man's Head Would Never Get Bald.
 A barber out on New York avenue was cutting the long, curling, profuse locks of a young man, who has some pretensions to being literary and occasionally poses before his friends as a great genius, says the Washington Post. With a supercilious smile and words that could be heard all over the room the young man inquired: "Say, barber, what makes a man grow bald?"
 The barber snatched his scissors once or twice and ran the comb through his beard.
 "Well," he answered, slowly, "if a man has got lots of brains and is a deep thinker he generally gets bald. That, they say, leads to it every time."
 Several of the customers looked at the young man's luxuriant crop and smiled rather broadly. The young man, however, did not exactly see the joke. So pretty soon, when the barber was running his fingers over the curly locks, he tempted fate again.
 "Say," he asked, "do you think my hair will come out and I'll get bald?"
 The man of the scissors paused reflectively, and then, in a tone like he was delivering a judicial decision, announced:
 "No; I don't think you stand in any danger of getting bald."
 Then the frowd laughed and the barber looked surprised.

WHEN "SCAB" DATES FROM.

The Word Has Been in Use Since the Year 1809.
 The first time the word "scab" is known to have been used in its present sense by union men was in 1809. Although in 1817 several shipbuilders struck at Medford, Mass., for a continuous run supply, not till 1891 did strikes become frequent. Thirteen hundred persons were idle at Fall River for six months in 1850.
 The railroad strike of 1886, which began in St. Louis, May 5, will long be remembered for its magnitude. A union man had been discharged by the Missouri Pacific road, and the mechanics and shopmen struck. This was the nominal cause. Texas, Louisiana, Missouri, Kansas and Arkansas were largely affected, and governors of these states issued proclamations.
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