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In Connecticut, liquors and groceries cannot now legally be sold on the same premises. For a number of years past many groceries in the state took out what is called a package license under which they sold liquors not to be drunk on the premises. The last legislature passed a law prohibiting this and now any grocer who wishes to sell liquors will have to give up his grocery business.

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He Threw Away the Wine.
Three dozen bottles of old wine were unearthed in the village of Southampton, L. I., by workmen who were digging a furnace pit in the cellar of Edward P. Hunting's house. The house was formerly occupied by Mr. Hunting's father and it is supposed the wine had been buried there for more than 60 years. Mr. Hunting is a teetotaler and the wine was thrown away.

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

What Was Lacking.
"That waiter of yours is the slowest I ever struck," said a fat customer.
"Well, if you had a wagon, and the wheels didn't work to suit you, what would you do?" asked the restaurant proprietor.
"Why, I'd grease 'em."
"Well, why don't you 'grease' the waiter?"—Yonkers Statesman.

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"Some people think that a grizzly can't run," said A. J. Daggs of Phoenix, Ariz. "I want to state right now that, while the bear is a clumsy beast, he can cover as much ground as the average saddle horse, and a man should be sure that he has a good mount before he tries to get out of the way of one which is angry. My brother was out in the mountains of the territory, among the sheep ranches, one day, when he saw, about 250 yards ahead of him, a big, awkward silver tip. My brother had a rifle, but he was not certain that he would kill the bear if he shot, and he did not know how a race would turn out. He was mounted on one of the best horses in the country, for a man needed one in those days. He knew that the bear would not fight unless wounded or cornered and he thought he would like to see how he would run against his horse.

"He was pretty certain that the bear would run from him if he could once get him started in the opposite direction, and so he gave a regular cowboy yell. The bear looked up and started shuffling off toward the mountain, about a mile and a half away. My brother spurred his horse and lit out after the grizzly, at the same time keeping up the piercing 'Yee-yee' of the cowboy. The bear soon got into the running, and the way he got over that ground was a caution. My brother saw that the brute was getting away from him and he urged his horse to the uttermost, but he did not gain ten yards in the whole mile and a half. That bear lumbered along, with leaps equal to a grayhound and his pursuer did not have the chance to cut him out from his retreat.

"I went over the course the next day to verify the story, for it sounded fishy to me. I found that the bear had made jumps from fifteen to twenty feet in length and that the ground had been cut up by his claws so that it looked as if a harrow had been run over it. I would advise no man to try a footrace with a grizzly."—Washington Post.

As It Was in the Beginning.

Speaking of preaching and teaching, have you observed, since the great club movement among women began, how women are changing in their views and attitudes and relations to men and to each other? That what we are fond of calling "the feminine mind" is rearranging its point of view, readjusting its focus, getting itself into a different tone, with new thought processes, reaching new conclusions? You have observed that, have you? Well, that settles it. When the world gets so that a man can see invisible things without a microscope the day of wonders is past. Once upon a time a woman looked up from her paper and said:

"The days are growing longer."
"Yes," her husband said promptly—for he was one of the old school of husbands, which is the present school, who never permit their wives to know anything they haven't known themselves for a long time—"yes," he said, "I have noticed that."

"They are three-quarters of a minute longer," his wife added quietly, and the man who had observed the changing length of the day went upstairs and pulled three buttons off his Sunday bloomerettes, so that he might stay at home from church and read the Sunday paper, and at the same time throw all the blame of his wickedness upon his wife and the club to which she belonged.—Robert J. Burdette, in the Los Angeles Times.

The Behemoth Was Not Fresh.

The waiter in a San Francisco grill-room will admit to nothing that he does not keep in stock. If it be a request for a slice off the moon he will say, "Yes, sir," and go to fetch it, returning with the information that unfortunately he is "just out." Robert Louis Stevenson one day was explaining this trait to a friend at dinner, and to illustrate it called the waiter. "A double order of broiled behemoth," he said. "Yes, sir," replied the waiter; "will you have it rare or well done?" "Well done," said Stevenson. Pretty soon the waiter returned. "I am very sorry, but we are just out," he reported. "What! no more behemoth?" asked the novelist, in feigned astonishment. The waiter lowered his voice. "We have some more, sir," he whispered confidently, "but the truth is, I would not bring it to you, as it is not quite fresh."—Kansas City Independent.

His Instructions.

A cut rate ticket broker of Memphis tells an amusing incident which occurred at his office this morning. "An old negro came into my place," said the scalper, "and said his wife was over in Arkansas and wanted to come home. She had written him once or twice, but as he had not the money to pay her way back he had not been able to send for her. 'She writ me ag'in to-day, boss,' explained the old negro, 'and she tole me if I didn't want her jess to say so. So I wants to git a scrapper's ticket fur her.'"—Memphis Scimitar.

Every cloud may have a silver lining, but the average man is satisfied if his pocket is lined with silver.

We are admonished to lick the hand that smites us, but we feel more like smiting the hand that licks us.

Enthusiastic Old Wheelman.
There is an old adage to the effect that it is never too late to mend, and that seems to apply to the bicycle, or, rather, to the people who ride it. A Peoria (Ill.) man learned to ride at the age of 61 years and now is 72. During these 11 years he has ridden 60,000 miles, and is still going. To commemorate his career as a cyclist he has erected a monument over the spot where he is to be buried, and on the shaft the figure of a bicycle is carved.

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In the Boone county (Mo.) circuit court a saloonkeeper was fined \$150 for selling to a minor. This is the first case ever tried in Boone county, under the law, by which damages assessed in such cases go to the party making complaint.

The Months of Madness.
Contrary to the general opinion, more people go mad during the summer months than in the usually gloomy and dull months of November, December and January, when times are bad and the general conditions appear more conducive to insanity. Not only in this country, but also in many others, it is found more people go mad during May, June and July than during any other portion of the year, and that suicide—which is due to some form of insanity—is also more prevalent during the summer.

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