### FASHIONS IN FURNITURE.

UNION. ORRGON.

They Change with as Much Frequency as

the Styles in Hats and Bonnets.

It is probable that if it were as easy to discard an old suit of furniture and procure a new one, as it is for those who have the means to order a new dress, our houses would never wear a homelike or familiar look, for no sooner would we become acquainted with the vagaries of the chairs, bureaus and other articles of furniture, and each known that they could be avoided in the dark, than we would have to accustom ourselves to a new arrangement and map out a new chart. As it is, a suit of furniture which five or six years ago held a leading position in cution. fashionable circles, is to-day looked upon as out of date. It requires about five years for the accomplishment of a complete evolution in style. This, perhaps, is a very judicious arrangement, for the young couple that have their house newly furnished when they set out together may have their home refurnished in the latest style when the fifth anniversary, known as the wooden wedding, is celebrated. What will they do when the to refurnish their house if they wish to ago about the only wood used in the manufacture of furniture was black walnut. Occassionally a bedroom suit in ash or white wood was discovered, but such an object ater of an India helmet would in a walk down Broadway. To-day black walhas been outranked by mahogany, oak dark cross-grained mahogany are the to-day, and articles of furniture made of this wood command a higher price other fashionable woods. There are many purchasers, however, who prefer

of all woods about a half century ago, and no doubt there are stowed away in cellars or atties, or still doing service a bedstead, bureau or parlor suit which is just sufficiently antique to meet the prevailing demand. Mahogany will take a high polish and will wear "forever." as the dealers say, as it is very tough. We know of one suit of furnicessfully withstood the wear and tear of two generations of boys and has not as many sears to-day as the boys themlike look and is preferred by many because it has a more genuine antique used in the manufacture of bedroom Canada during the rest of his life .suits, but for dinner chairs, desks, hattrees and chiffoniers it is preferred. There are marked shades in oak, and in the manufacture of desks especially n very pretty effect is produced by the judicious combination of these shades. Cherry is used for almost every purpose and is selected generally in the manufacture of Sleepy Hollow and other more or less comfortable working chairs and easy chairs .- N. Y. Mail and Express.

the honest, sturdy-looking oak, or the

Mahogany was the most fashionable

bright and warm looking cherry.

# A Pickwickian Inn.

The Saracen's Head Inn at Towcester, described in "Pickwick," still exists in good order, though its name has been changed. Internally, the kitchen, the scene of the conflict between the rival editors of the Entanswill Gazette and Eatanswill Independent, has now become the "smoking-room," the only change being that the broad fireplace and open chimney, with seats in each corner, has disappeared and a modern grate has been substituted. One who has lately visited the place says: "The two half-life-size statues of Venus and Apollo still fill their niches over the great doors, as they have done for more than a century past, and were the subject, within my memory, of a conversation between a new hostess and the 'hereditary postboy,' which was worthy of Sam Weller, and would probably have amused Dickens had it occurred before his visit. 'Whose likenesses are those?' was the lady's question. 'Well, ma'am, they call 'em Junus and Wenus; I don't know who they were, but you may read about 'em in the Bible.' "-Philadelphia Record.

# Contagion of Anthrax.

Animals dying of anthrax-splenic fever-are liable to communicate the disease to men who handle their carcases, even though it be for immediate burial. The privy council of Great Britian have, therefore, sent notice to local authorities throughout the kingdom, and caused it to be widely published, that this danger exists, and that such careasses should not be skinned, but covered with quellime and buried at least six feet deep. Persons who have any abrasions of the skin upon their hands or arms should not touch them or any part of them. The blood, stable litter, fodder, manure, etc., should be carefully removed and burned, and the stalls, of course, thoroughly disinfected. - American Dairyman.

#### LIMEKILN CLUB.

Brother Gardner Punishes a Wretch Found Gullty of Stealing an Umbrella.

Previous to the opening of the meet-

ing Brother Gardner, Sir Isaac Walpole and Waydown Bebee were seen in earnest conversation around the president's desk, and when the triangle sounded it was pretty well understood throughout the room that some matter of gravest importance was on the tapis. One individual seemed to feel even more than a lively curiosity. This was Brother Process Davis, a member of about six months' standing. He jammed himself into a corner and tried to appear as small as possible, and when inquiries were made about his sore heel he let on that he had an awful toothache and didn't want to Chiefs of the Naudowissies, who have But when firmly established in his po talk. Scarcely had the meeting openangle and protuberance be so well ed when he was called to appear at the by these presents for ourselves and president's desk. The look of terror heirs forever, in return for the many which came to his face as he rose up presents and good services done by the him as would have been his elder proved that he regarded the matter in said Jonathan to ourselves and allies, a very serious light, and he shuffled up give, grant and convey to him, the said been put out of the way, and the Emthe long aisle like one going to an exe-

president in very solemn tones, "at one of our weekly meetin's last fall, an' as running on the east bank of the Missis- will not hesitate to attack the Czar' we war' about to disperse to our homes, sippi, nearly southeast as far as the officers, tax collectors and others, and Sir Isaac Walpole diskibered dat his umbreller was missin'. It was an um- Chippeway River joins the Mississippi, breller wid a white bone handle, an' it and from thence eastward five days' sufferings, and that he is the victim of was an heirloom in his fam'ly. His travel, accounting twenty English miles gran'fadder had walked under dat um- per day, and thence north six days' have combined to persecute him breller, an' it had kept de rain off his travel at twenty English miles per day, and to deceive the Czar. Before fadder, an' he himself had owned it fur and from thence to the Falls of St. the peasant was emancipated he nigh upon thirty y'ars. It had been left Anthony in a straight line. We do, for worked under his master's directions, tenth anniversary arrives? By that in kyars an' on steamboats an' on de ourselves, our heirs and assigns for- he paid no taxes, he seldom had any time they should have money enough front doah steps, an' nobody had took ever, give unto the said Jonathan, money, and he got but little "vodky. it. He had brung it down heah two his heirs and assigns forever. His master guaranteed his subsistence. do so, or sense enough to care nothing hundred times, an' it war' allus waitin' all the said land, with all the and he had no particular cares or anxfor the rules of fashion. Five years fur him when he got ready to go home. trees, rocks and rivers therein, reservieties. When emancipated he was At las' some one stole it—some human hyena laid his desecrated paws on dat liberty of hunting and fishing on the also became responsible for his own sacred relick an' bore it off. We made land not planted or improved by said subsistence, and he became subject to ebery effort to find it, but de hunt was Jonathan, his heirs or assigns; to which a land tax. He remained, however, in vain. Den we settled down to wait tracted as much attention as the wear- for Justice. She nebber sleeps. She sometimes does a good deal of foolin' around, an' dar am sometimes a mighty nut still holds a place in society, but it long wait between de ackts, but she nebber sleeps. She didn't go to sleep and cherry. Bedroom suits made of distline. She war' lookin' fur you, an' yesterday she oberhauled you. You chief attraction in furniture salesrooms | had Sir Isaac's umbreller under yer arm. Heah am de libin' proof to con-· viet you! You are de hyena who stele than the same designs made up in it, an' you are now befo' de bar of

Justice! Prisoner, how do you plead?" open and could not reply. The sudden shock seemed to have paralyzed him. His guilt was as plain as the hind but- Leavens Carver sold the one-half of the conscription, and the land tax alone tons on a coat.

breller under any circumstances," conpunishment. In dis case you stole it from a fellow-member of a society, an' you added de sin of lyin' to your crime. mo"foreber. De carryin' out of de rest ture made of this wood which has suc- of de sentence am left to Giveadam Congress, approved the 17th day of will start him on a career of violence Jones an' Hercules Johnson."

The prisoner was removed to the ante-room, and about a minute later selves. Oak furniture does not take as Paradise Hall was shaken from roof to than one hundred and twenty years fluence of the stress of a prolonged brilliant a polish as mahogany, black cellar. This was followed by a bumpwalnut or cherry, but it has a business | ing sound on the stairs leading to the feet making a rush for life. Brother Detroit Free Press.

# HIGH-LIFE NUPTIALS.

A Pretty Editorial Send-Off Condensed from the Muddy Forks Bugle.

Bill Shanks and Lib Ripper waltzed into the office of our genial justice of the peace vesterday, and were made one man in about three shakes of : dead sheep's tail. Lib and Bill are leading society people here, and they have sends of friends who join us in wishing that their married life may be all love and molasses. Bill is a royal good boy, and them that knows Lil knows that they ain't no discount on her. She is the most accomplished young lady in Muddy Forks, and one that any man could be proud of. She killed two bears with a club, one day last spring, and can slap over three acres of prairie-sod with a yoke of oxen any day. She can split more rails in a day than any other young lady in these parts, and there ain't many men that beat her on cord-wood. Lib is a dandy when it comes to fancy work of

The blooming young couple left yes terday on foot for Kansas City, on a little wedding-tour and honeymoon-spec ulation. They will be at home in their own dug-out after the 10th. - Tid-Bits.

# Answers to Correspondents.

Maggie. - 1. No; a yellow satin is not suitable for street wear unless you have it dyed. 2. You should always ring the door-bell when visiting, and not use a pass-key.

A. B. C .- Trim your velvet skirt with flounces of white Hamburg edging, and slit the waist up the back, so it can be buttoned in front.

Daisy .- White chalk is good for red elbows; also stove polish. If we were you, we would have the graduating dress made with sleeves to come to the wrist. This will prevent .ed elbows attracting attention.

Clara B .- 1. No; seal-skin sacques will not be worn all summer. 2. Sashribbon should be a yard wide, and all wool. 3. We do not answer impertinent questions by mail.-Life.

-The farmers of South Carolina have concluded that they can no longer raise rice with profit. It is very difficult to obtain reliable labor for the rice fields. During the last few years several other cereals have come into use in the place of rice, and the demand for it has increased. —Cincinnati

#### AN ENORMOUS GRANT.

Over Seven Million Acres of Northwestern

Land Once Owned by One Man. Searching for other records in the office of the Register of Deeds of Crawford County, Wisconsin, I came across ly deteriorating, has now become so the following entries, which may be of utterly hopeless that only some special interest to many of your readers. Transcript of a deed given to Jonathan Carver in 1767:

"To Jonathan Carver, chief of the most mighty and potent George the He sighs for none of these things. He Third, King of the English and other hates the Nihillits, for they are innovanations; the fame of whose courageous tors and the declared enemies of the warriours has reached our ears and has Czar. He has a great patriotic and subeen more fully told us by our good perstitious regard for the Emperor, as brother, Jonathan, aforesaid, whom we the head of his Church, the fountain rejoice to see among us and bring us of all good gifts, and the representagood news from his country; we, the tive of an ancient national institution. hereunto set our hands and seals, and sition, one Czar satisfies the Russian Jonathan, and his heirs and assigns press Catherine, a foreigner and a forever, the whole of a certain tract or woman, was quite as good as the hus-"Brudder Process Davis," said the territory of land, bounded as follows- band whom she disposed of. If his to-wit: From the Falls of St. Anthony grievances become too great the peasant south end of Lake Pepin, where the be will maintain a comfortable theory ing to ourselves and heirs the sole made a present of some land, but he we have affixed our respective seals at thoroughly careless, and his only so the Great Cave, May the 1st, One Thou- licitude was to do as little work as sand Seven Hundred and Sixty-seven. possible. Circumstances for a time Hawaopawjatin-Turtle — his X favored him. Good land was abun-"Hawnopawjatin - Turtle — his X

> mark. "Otehtongoomlisheaw-Snake-his X mark.

"Said deed is in the records of the Plantation-Office, White Hall, Lon- kindly abolished the spirit monopolies,

Leavens Carver, one of the descend- cheap, to his door. Times have, howants of Jonathan Carver, purchased ever, changed now; his land, which he the right, title and interest of some of never troubled tomanure, is exhausted; Process stood there with his mouth the other heirs prior to 1837. The 10th the price of grain has fallen; America of July, 1837, a deed was recorded in and India are competing with him; his Crawford County, whereby the said sons, his laborers, are taken away by all his right, title and interest "to remains as before. Remissions of the "De pusson who will steal an um- James Baxter, of Stanstead, in the tax are made from time to time, but Province of Lower Canada, Member of only where the arrears have become in the second or third generation, many | tinued the president, "desarves condine | his Britannic Majesty's Legislative | so heavy that their collection is per-Council for the Province of Lower feetly hopeless. Naturally the peasant Canada, in British North America, and is on his last legs and any thing but Wright Chamberlain, Esq., Lieutenants | cheerful. He is slow to move, but with Your name will be crossed off our Colonel of Stansted County militia." a little extra pressure, a cry against books, an' you will enter dis hall no Consideration for the deed was five any of his recognized enemies, the hundred thousand dollars. By act of Jews, the "tchinovniks," or the nobles, April, 1828, the Carver claim was ac- which nothing but grape-shot will stop. knowledged and confirmed.

It seems almost incredible that less assail Russia from within under the inago the vast area covered by the Carver war. - Quarterly Review. deed was transferred for such paltry alley, and this again by the sound of considerations. Three large cities are now in this territory. How many of appearance. This wood is but little Process Davis will doubtless remain in the inhabitants of St. Paul, Chippewa Falls and Eau Claire know in whom was vested the first title to all their real estate after the Indian title was extinguished.

Even the Pillsbury mills at Minueapolis must stand upon this grant. In Wisconsin the countles of Pierce, Pepin, Clark, Eau Claire and Taylor, and parts of the counties of Buffalo, Trempealcau, Jackson, Wood, Marathon, Lincoln, Chippewa, Barron, Dunn and St. Croix are within the bounds of the grant. In Minnesota the valuable part of this grant is to-day the city of St. Paul. It would be an item of interest to know what Jonathan Carver's heirs recieved for this enormous domainover 7,000,000 acres of land.-Car. Chicago Tribilne.

# SKATING IN AMSTERDAM.

Winter Scenes of Interest on the Frozen Canal of the Dutch Metropolis.

Jewish Messonaer.

#### RUSSIA'S PEASANTRY.

The Utterly Hopeless Condition of the Great Majority of the Czar's Subjects. The condition of the Russian peasantry, which has been long and steadiextra pressure is required to make their deep discontent break out in rebellion. The "moujik" knows nothing of "constitutions" or "political freedom." peasant quite as well as another. The Emperor Nicholas was quite as good to brother Constantine, had the latter not that the autocrat is unaware of his wicked nobles and officials who

The way in which to distinguish the difficult, for men of Vishnu wear on their foreheads a mark similar to this A, while those of Shiva carry in the enter of their foreheads a round sandal-wood dot, which is used by Hindostani women for the same purpose as are the tiny black sticking-plaster dots upon the fair faces of our ladies, called beauty spots." The Vishnuites and railways were made to transport his Phivites also carry a distinction in grain, the money rolled pleasantly into their names. The former take the afhis pockets, and the Government fix "lengar" to their names, while the And this is the great danger which will When Secretary Seward bought

# ALASKA TERRITORY.

Its Discovery and Area and Acquisition by the United States.

dant, the price of corn in Europe rose.

and brought "vodky," plentiful and

Pennsylvania, Ohio, Illinois, Iowa, wears her dress differently from either Michigan, Wisconsin and Missonri to- of her Tamil sisters, for she wears a gether, and nearly nine times larger close fold in front. Tamil girls who than England and Wales. The terris have not attained the age of puberty tory stretches out so far to the west- wear a single petticoat, and as the ward that Sitka, its capital, is only half Brahminical law ordains that a woman way from New York City to the most has to marry when she arrives at puberwestern Alaskan island. Many of the ty, it goes without saying that with details of the formation of Alaska read marriage the single petticoat has to be a volcano 8,000 feet high. The Yukon of dress, and that she also has to wear river is at some points from fifteen to underneath garments. So rigid are the twenty miles wide, its entire length is Brahmins in their sumptuary laws that four times in the one subdivision with-2,000 miles and it empties with such they compel all other castes-men and out changing his overcoat.-London volume into the sea that the ocean is women-to wear the petticoat, so that said to be fresh water for ten miles out. the most casual observer may be en-The temperature does at times fall as abled to distinguish at a single glance low as tifty-eight degrees below zero, a Brahmin. The Shivite and the Vish- things in de text, and second, all de but as a rule it is mild, on account of a | nuite alone wear the dhoti kind of dress, As Amsterdam is made up of one sort of gulf stream known as the Jap- being equal in all respects, both having hundred little islands, formed by the anese current. It was Peter the Great sprung from the face of Brama, the intersection of numerous canals, the who set on foot the expedition which elick of steel-clad feet is heard all finally discovered Alaska. It was in Brahmins called Rangi, who live on the around the tourist. The grandest view 1725 that the explorers set out to cross Canarese coast, and are declared by of humanity on wings can be had in Siberia, toward the east, and one both Tamil and Telugu to be lamentthe environs of Amsterdam on a Sun- of their leaders was Behring, a day afternoon. Upon an ice-covered Dane, who had been long in space of more than six miles square, the Russian service. He did not English have made less headway than created by the union of the Amstel and land in Alaska till seventeen years the Y, the inhabitants of Amsterdam later, and died on one of the islands off and vicinity are out in force, and to see the shore, which bears his name and a gang of 20,000 skaters is nothing where his body now lies. Spain, Engwonderful. Rows of tents, used as res- land and France also sent out explortaurants, billiard saloons, theaters, lag expeditions, and Rassia established etc., meet the ewe everywhere, and the a trading company, which sold the furs tired skater has always a place on hand of the region. But in 1867 Secretary where rest and a supply for the inner Seward effected a purchase of Alaska man can be obtained. Gazing upon for the United States, which paid Rusthe flying assembly, the eye is drawn sia \$7,200,000, and a little more than to a couple who, hand in hand, execute two years ago it was organized as a the most difficult feat of scientific skats sivil and judicial district, of which A. ing, or who, in company with others, P. Swineford is Governor. At present go through the peculiarly intricate the chief industries are carried on by movements of the quadrille. Farther the fishery and seal fur companies. In on, a space of two hundred yards long 1880 the catch of salmon was 8,000 by fifty broad is lined on both sides cases, in 1883, 36,000 cases, and in with spectators to view the swiftness 1885, 65,000 cases, at about \$5 a case. of competitive racing. Both ladies and The magnitude of the fur operations gentlemen indulge in these races, and may be seen from the fact that between every season prizes are offered by the 1871 and 1883 about \$5,000,000 was city authorities for the swiftest skater. paid by the company to the United Crossing this skating place, you are States Government as rent and tax. nearly overrun by a joyful band of rosy- There are also mines of coal, lead, copcheeked lads and lasses, who, believing per, silver and gold, and a vast growth there is speed in union, have supplied of fine spruce and cedar, which will themselves with a gaily colored pole some day prove of great value to the twenty feet long, and placing it under people of the United States. It appears the right arms of the skaters, ranged to be clear now that Secretary Seward one after the other, annihilate space teted wisely when he negotiated the with the velocity of a race-horse. - purchase from Russia. - San Francisco Examiner.

### INDIAN ARISTOCRATS.

Traits, Manners and Dress of the Various

To study Brahminism, its mysticism, its almost fatal influence either on its devotees or upon those wretched people who are not of that faith, and who from that unfortunate circumstance are according to the Brahminical theory no better than dogs, one must go to South India. There one will learn that the Brahmin is an autocratic aristocrat and that neither merit, nor wealth, nor bravery, nor talent can place any man not a Brahmin on the same pedestal on which crouches the meanest natured in the Republic of Mexico. It has over man of his divine origin. And whether he be Vishnu or Shiva the Brahmin is an aristocrat. One recognizes that hundred Jews leave the synagogue for whatever may be his other qualities the Brahmin is a gentleman—a cultured Europe and America.—N. Y. Witness. and intellectual man of the world, who recognizes none as his superior and a to the Methodist Church in the West great many as his inferior. The Brah- are reported by the Western Christian min is a striking example of the superiority supposed to be due to the accident of birth, and the further south one travels in India the more marked is this. In Tanjaze, which is termed the garden Thompson Fellowship, established durof India, Maddura and Tinnevelly, does the Brahmin most repay study. Here under their vast groves the Brahmin middle class, fourteen juniors and two seems not to have heard through the in the advanced class. dense forests the bustle of an enterprising world. His world is yet the tiny hand-swept village, with the school- \$8,908,250 in voluntary offerings for house where the pupil learns by rote the building and restoration of churches Brahminical nonsense and peculiar English phrascology, for the Brahmin knows that unless he learns English more than in the year before. there is no chance for him to wear the Government livery, which alike to European and native is the highest aspira-

latter have "Iyer." Not alone this, the characters of the two are also different. The lengars, it is declared, are a self-sufficient race, and are noted for their cumning, while the Iyers are said to be humbler, more ingenuous and more scholarly inclined. As the women's names are never known to the outside world, and as they carry no distinguishing marks on their faces, they are known by their dress. A woman of the Vishnu caste wears the folds of her paijama tight across her knees and thus displays a shapely calf which may be envied by any woman, though it be hidden by the petticoat. The Shiva woman, on the contrary, has kins University. Prof. Alexander a loose fold hanging on the side of her Agassiz, curator of the Museum of right leg, below the knee. The material from which her garment is made is of a silky texture, yellowish and red; from Cambridge University, England. it is but a single sheet, and forms the entire wardrobe of a noble Brahmin lady, though her possessions may be vast, her jewels the envy of many an European royal family, and slowly. her descent more illustrious and more ancient than that of any of the crowned than they find. heads of Europe. Many a Brahmin can trace his ancestry for a thousand Alaska from Russia he added to the years, while the family of Udaipur have United States a territory of much larger records showing them to be over two area than the States of New York, thousand years old. A Telugu woman like quotations from fairy tales. It has exchanged with the dhoti, or man-form creator. There is also another sect of ably superstitious and ignorant. It is among the Canarese Brahmins that the among any other Brahmins .- Cor. San

> Francisco Chronicle. A Deserted French Village. There is a charming Arcadian village called La Tour, situated near Privas, in the southern department of Ardeche, which has become uninhabitable owing to the number of crimes which have been committed therein of late. A short time ago a widow named Roche was murdered there by her nephew and niece after she had made her will in their favor, and on Wednesday two small farmers quarreled with each other over a small strip of ground which each claimed as his own. The dispute was adjusted by one of the improvised litigants kicking the viscera out of his anagonist and leaving him for dead on the field. The inhabitants of La Tour, justly terrified at the epidemic of crime which has swept over their once-peaceful hamlet, have left their homes in a body and migrated to less bloodstained regions. One may well ask where were the gardes champetres, or the gen-darmes, while these crimes were being perpetrated. Rural France has of late had an unenviable notoriety for crime, and all its villages have hardly been like those blissful abodes depicted by Florian .- Paris Cor. London Telegraph.

### RELIGIOUS AND EDUCATIONAL.

-The Mohammedans have ninety names for God; but among them all they have not "Our Father."

-Trinity Church, Boston, (Dr. Phillips Brooks'), has given \$365,000 to missions in the last ten years.

-The Sisters of St. Joseph at St. Augustine, Fla., have assumed control of the education of the Indian children now at the fort there.

-The Presbyterian Church in Zacateens is the largest evangelical church nine hundred members.

-It is calculated that at least fifteen the Christian church every year in -Nearly seven thousand accessions

Advocate as the result of recent re-

-The catalogue of Hartford Theological Seminary shows a William ing the year, forty-four students, embracing sixteen seniors, twelve in the

-There was contributed last year in the Church of England the sum of and parsonages and the endowment of benefices, which was about \$2,000,000

-At Wellesley College eighty young women have expressed a desire to work as foreign missionaries; at Oberlin about 100 signified the same purpose and, including all these and other coldevotees of Vishuu and Shiva is not loges, there are about 400 young women willing to work in the foreign field.

-At the close of 1885 the missionary work of the world stood as follows: Ordained missionaries, 2,975; lay missionaries, 732; women, 2,420; ordained native preachers, 3,068; unordained native helpers, 28,642; native communicants, 802,028; gain in 1885, 39,338. Income of missionary societies, \$10,-

-The Cornell University School of History and Political Science has been enriched by the gift of ex-President Andrew D. White's historical librarya collection of about 30,000 volumes, 10,000 pamphlets and many manuscripts. The making of this invaluable collection has been Dr. White's life-work, and is said to have cost more than \$100,000.—Chicago Advance.

-It is significant that, although Greek is not hereafter to be a required study at Harvard University, the Greek department there is to be strengthened by the creation of a new professorship, filled by calling Prof. John H. Wright, lately of Dartmouth, from Johns Hop-Comparative Zoology, has received the honorary degree of dector in science Congregationalist,

# WIT AND WISDOM.

-Great works are accomplished -Wise men make more opportunities

-Beware of poison-in books, newsonpers or conversation.

-A youth is conscious how little his iders know until he gets to be an lder himself. Then he recognizes the leficiencies of youth.—Puck.

-Avoid debt, and lest the example be dangerous, avoid a debtor. This is bit of philosophy which is respectfully submitted to our creditors.

-Pen, ink and paper, and brains are the only things requisite to literary success; and almost anybody can get the pen, ink and paper.-

- 1.75 admire enterprise, but we despise the man who would try to vote

(Can.) Advertiser. -An old negro preacher divided his sermon into two parts. "Fust, all de things not in de text; and, bredren, we'll wrastle wie de second part fust."

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