sure he wasn't compelled to have A woman who waits for her has-band to return from the Lodge has an ogjest in view and more than like-of clerk won without stain.

opject in view and The transcendent idea of marriage | Where suns depart but to beget

'Does your mother play eards?" red Billy of his chum. "I don't Land of the tow'ring fir and pine, "responded Jimmy, "but she

a a lone hand on me." The girl who was locked in her lover's arms for three long hours, exns that it wasn't her fault. She Heil, all heil Arcadian life!

enstantly." Just as if any one could sit on a stove and not stir constantly. An Irish lady was so much on her guard against betraying her national accent that she is reported to have spoken of the "creature of Vesuvius," fearing that the crater would be tray

It is said that kerosene will remove stains from furniture. It has also been known to remove the furniture. Of joys you'll know no more: been known to remove the furniture, of joys you'll know no more; stains and all, with the stove and a red-headed servant girl thrown in, oft-times.

Or mutely mourn o're things that died In gods whem you adore.

Toward the conclusion of a diplo-matic dinner, a Frenchman selected a toothpick from a tray lying near him, and politely passed the recep-tacle to his neighbor, a Turk, who declined his offer, exclaiming, thank you; I have already eaten two of those things, and I want no

state right now that no matter how suspicious may be the circumstances connected with our death we do not desire to have the matter investigated. Others may enjoy having their vitals
preserved in alcohol and pawed over
by medical experts before a court
by medical experts before a court
by medical experts before a court om filled with curiosity-hunters, but the humble author of this little anything to science than to make a
Jennie Cramer of himself and have
Gabriel advertising all over Christendom for a strayed or stolen liver
tendom for a strayed or stolen liver
Darling, which one?

One of us, dear—
But one—
By an open grave will drop a tear,
And homeward go,
The anguish of an unshared grief to know—
Darling, which one? sketch would rather not contribute carelessly misplaced by an arsenicunter .- Laramie Boomerang.

" Did I ever love any other girl?" of letters, written in all kinds of to his bed to prevent him from harm-feminine hands, with lots of faded ing any of them. His agony, and teen undying loves-let 'em flicker."

tor, no how you fix it. An editor boards at the same botol with a young M. D., who is a great practiurally comes home in the wee sma' hours, the sawbones determined to frighten him by suspending a skele-ton in a particularly dark passage in front of the editor's room. Then the doctor and some friends hid near by to enjoy seeing the quill-driver's hair rise. Instead of this, however, that moulder of public opinion calm-ly examined the ghostly relic, made a memorandum on his shirt cuff and left the house again. The dector was very much mystified by this action, but he understood it all when the next morning he looked in the paper and saw his name mentioned in an item headed, "Another case

An old traveler has been formulating his observations, and finds national characteristics among beerdrinkers which are very important if true. He says that if a fly drops into a glass of beer he can tell the nationality of the drinker by his subsequent conduct. An American will joke about it and order a fresh glass. A Spaniard will pay for the beer, but quietly move off without touching it. A Frenchman will pay and go, but will loudly splutter. An Englishman will campty the mug and order another. A German will carefully fish out the fly and swallow the beer. A Russian will swallow both the fly and the beer. A Chinaman will resene the fly, eat it, and pour the beer under the table. It is now important to ascertain the views

of the fly .-- Inter-Ocean. dered a pair of new trossers from the tailor. On trying them on, they oved to be several inches too long. being fate on Saturday night the silorle shop was closed, and the edtop took the tronsers to his wife and sked her to cut them off and hem them over. The good lady, whose cucumber or melon had prehaps dis-agreed with her, brusquely refused. The tame result followed an appli-The same result followed an application to the wife's sister and the eldest daughter. But before bedtime the wife, relenting, took the pants and cutting off six inches from the logs, hemmed them bicely and restored them to the closet. Half are hour later the daughter, taken of six inches, hemmed and rel them. Finally the sister-inlit the pangs of conscience; she,
serformed a surgical operation
of garment. When the editor
red at breakiast on Sanday,
mily thought a Highland chiefand arrived, for the trousers

Of torrent and cascade-

Thy mighty mountains, Apenuine Thy maiden revelry.

claims he forgot the combination.

A recipe for lemon pie vaguely ndds: "Then sit on a stove and stir

Too soop, alasl to fade-Lost in the civilizing strife,
That mars, in lever and in wife,
The beauty God has made.

Tho' wombed and dark, thy destiny Be pregnant, grand and true; Mount Hood's gray monarch'd mystery

Uplifts on high, eternally, A monitor for you.

But, down with introspective thought, I'll joy thy virgin hour;

By pride or pelf or power.

P. S. Dorney, in Sacramento Bee.

One of us. dear-

Darling, which one? One of us, dear ---

keep-Darling, which one?

A HORRIBLE DEATH.

"Did I ever love any other girl?" New York, September 6.—The repeated a prospective bridegroom, Sun prints the following special in answer to the tearful query of from Dallas, Tex .: Hon. George A. "Why darling, of Reeves, Speaker of the Texas House course not. This heart knew no of Representatives, died to-day. He awakening until the sunshine of your was bitten by a mad dog several ove streamed in and woke it to weeks ago. At the time he tried to estasy." And he kissed her tenden- apply a plaster to the wound, but it y and went home and said to him-could not be made to answer. He self, "I must hope them things outer did not suffer an actual attack of the way right off, or there'll be a hydrophobia until a few days ago; row," and he collected a great pile he instructed his friends to lash him flowers, and photographs, and locks of hair, and bits of faded ribbons, rible, and all day yesterday and last and when the night and up to the time of death his whole coffection had been crammed sufferings and frenzy were indeinto the kitchen stove, he drew a scribable. He expired at 1 o'clock deep sigh and said to himself: this afternoon. He has been for There goes all that's left of four-years one of the most prominent men in Texas, and was a candidate SAFE DI

tical joker. As the journalist nat- to a friend who had dropped into his store, says the Eureka (News) Senti-

> "Why so?" inquired the friend. "Heinshult me mit my own store.

'Vy didn't I? Bed yor boots I

"What did you say?" "Vat did I zay? I dold him to come to hell."

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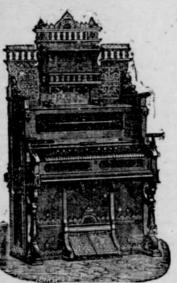
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