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A mother from Dallas, Texas,
 has given birth to two healthy children,
 the second one born six weeks
 after the first. The case has caused
 considerable comment among physicians.

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 Office Boy—Dere wuz a poet in ter
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 Office Boy—Well, he wuz some poor
 guy. He didn't have no Panama hat.

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

She Wasn't a Blotter.
 Edith—Why did you refuse him?
 Ethel—He has a past.
 Edith—But he can blot it out.
 Ethel—Perhaps; but he can't use ze
 for a blotter.

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Pink's Cure for Consumption is an infal-
 lible medicine for coughs and colds.—N. W.
 W. S. HARRIS, Ocean Grove, N. J., Feb. 17,
 1906.

Unashamed.
 Lady—Ain't you ashamed to be try-
 ing fireworks to that dog's tail?
 Boy—Ashamed? Hully Gee! Ain't
 he an English bull dog, an' ain't this
 de Fourth of July?—Puck.

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 Rodney—Yes. Almost anynewly-rich
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 County Wexford, Ireland, police carry
 revolvers, but are not allowed to load
 them until they are ready to use them.

Cancerous Sores
 are most frequently to be
 seen upon the face, neck or
 breast, though
 they are liable to appear upon other parts
 of the body. When they begin to spread
 and eat into the flesh, sharp, piercing
 pains are felt as the underlying tissue is
 destroyed and the tender nerves exposed.
 Cancerous sores develop from very trifling
 causes, a carbuncle or boil, swollen gland,
 a little watery blister on the tongue or
 lip, a wart, mole or bruise of some kind
 becomes an indolent, festering sore,
 which in time degenerates into cancer.

"Ten years ago I had a sore on my left temple, which the doctors pronounced a cancerous ulcer; it would itch, burn and bleed, then scab over, but would never heal. After taking S.S.S. while the sore began to discharge, and when all the poisonous matter had passed out it got well. I took in all about thirty bottles, continuing it for some time after the sore had healed, to be sure all the poison was out of my system. Have seen no sign of the cancer in ten years."
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FATHER OF THE STEEL TRUST.

John W. Gates' Rise from a Salesman to a Millionaire.
 The father of the steel trust after all is not J. Pierpont Morgan but John W. Gates. So the latter declares in a recent interview. He says that he not only conceived the gigantic project, but laid down the plans which Morgan carried out.

Incidentally Gates told the story of how he rose from a traveling salesman to be a millionaire and one of the greatest financial powers in America. He first started selling barbed wire at a salary of \$100 a month. Soon he concluded that there was more money in the manufacture of barbed wire than there was in selling it and with Alfred Clifford he embarked in manufacture for himself. The business was small at first, the capital being less than \$8,000, but it increased and soon an incorporated concern was started under the name of J. W. Gates & Co. Into this concern each of eight men put \$2,500, making a total working capital of \$20,000. The profits for the first year were \$150,000. Gates bought out his partners and with Clifford and another stockholder incorporated the Southern Wire Company, capital \$50,000. The profits for a year in this were \$188,000.

"Then we concluded," says Mr. Gates, "to build a mill near Pittsburg, and selected Rankin as a site. In 1884 we began the erection of what is now known as the Braddock Mill. We started in to build a mill that would cost us \$110,000. We concluded that we would incorporate for \$100,000 and borrow the \$10,000. Before we had completed the mill \$250,000 had been expended, and we were obliged to borrow \$150,000.

"We began operations in the mill early in 1886, and I went abroad for the purpose of buying steel, it being unobtainable in the United States—I mean steel billets. I purchased about 50,000 tons of steel in Great Britain for shipment via Baltimore to the Rankin mill.

"I had great difficulty in obtaining a bankers' credit to satisfy the European makers. Finally I called upon Mr. Morgan, and he very cheerfully gave us credit for \$60,000 sterling, which was more money than we were worth.

"Owing to our exceedingly large purchase in Europe the price of steel advanced \$5 to \$10 a ton, which meant a profit to us of from \$250,000 to \$500,000. I sold 10,000 tons of the steel to the Carnegie Company without touching it, simply delivering the shipping documents to them, and thereby made



JOHN W. GATES.

\$100,000 net profit. The balance of the steel we worked up into rods and wire. "Our profits in the manufacture of wire in 1885 were very small, caused largely by the Grant-Ward panic. The year 1886 was fairly good. In 1887 we realized the profits of the steel purchased in Europe in 1886, together with the steel sold to the Carnegie-Phipps Company.

"In 1887 we increased the capital stock of the Braddock Wire Company from \$100,000 to \$500,000, and paid a cash dividend of \$100,000—making a 500 per cent dividend as the result of work during 1884, 1885, 1886 and 1887."

Mr. Gates is now well launched on his career. His policy after that was consolidation. In 1892 the Consolidated Steel and Wire Company was formed, with an actual paid in capital of \$4,000,000. For three years Mr. Gates managed the concern, the earnings of which were \$1,100,000 a year. In 1895 Mr. Gates was elected president of the Illinois Steel Company, of which he owned 27,000 shares. Later the American Steel and Wire Company, with a capitalization of \$90,000,000, was formed. Then came the billion dollar steel trust, which swallowed all the Gates interests as well as those of Carnegie and other iron masters.

FRIEND OF THE MINERS.
 "Mother" Jones Devotes Her Life to the Cause of Labor.

"Mother" Jones, who took a prominent part in the miners' strike of 1900, was arrested in West Virginia recently for trying to assemble a crowd of striking miners, thus violating an injunction. She has been known to labor unions for twenty years as an enthusiastic labor agitator.

"Mother" Jones is now fifty-eight years of age and is as vigorous and full of fire as ever. She is slender of figure, has white hair, wrinkled face, keen eyes, prominent chin, a powerful voice and a vigorous manner. She is full of facts, figures and fight, and her heart is warm for the workingman.

"Mother" Jones was born in Cork, Ireland, and had to flee with her father to this country when he became there to this country when he became concerned in some political agitation for freeing Ireland. She was then eight years old. The family went to Toronto, where she was well educated.

Early in life she began to develop the talent for debating, which has never deserted her. She taught school for a time and then married George Jones, a molder and a union man. After six years of married life her great sorrow came, yellow fever taking her husband and four children within a week.

Then she began her work to help the laborer. She has studied labor conditions in England, Ireland, Germany, France, Austria and in every State in



"MOTHER" JONES.

the Union. She has traveled over Europe and has been prominent in every big strike and labor movement in this country during the last fifteen years. For the last few years she has been with the United Mine Workers.

TALKS ON ADVERTISING

Sears, Roebuck & Co., Chicago, receive 20,000 letters daily, the result of advertising.

The small boy who plants beans in the back yard and digs them up the next day because he finds they haven't grown up yet is like many an advertiser we have all met.—Current Advertising.

Timeliness is a sine qua non to successful advertising. One should not advertise overcoats in July or organdies in December. The advertiser should be just as careful in being up to date, offering the very latest designs, as the editor is insistent upon giving the very latest news.—Printers' Ink.

Mighty as are steam and electricity in the domain of industry, they are but shadows of the mightier power of concentrated thought as expressed in type and spread before the world. To let the world know through type who and what and where you are and what you have that this great world wants is the secret of success, and the printing press is the mightiest machine to that end.—Thomas A. Edison.

The clothing dealers of Pittsfield, Mass. have taken definite action in regard to advertising. In the past it has been customary for the business men to advertise on programmes and other papers of a similar nature for social events and field days. This has become such a burden, with no resulting benefit to the merchants, that it was decided to discontinue it in the future. All the dealers have signed a paper to that effect. It is thought that merchants dealing in other lines of goods will sign the paper.

HER DOWRY HALF A MILLION.
 Mrs. Van Alen Collier One of the Most Fortunate of Brides.

In the matter of wedding gifts Sarah Stewart Van Alen, whose marriage recently to Robert J. Collier furnished Newport society plenty of topics for chats over the tea cups, was probably the most fortunate bride who ever stood at the altar. Though her father was opposed to the union at first, he treated her generously in the matter of a dowry. His gift amounted to nearly half a million dollars. A chest of table silver, a diamond brooch and a diamond tiara were among the other magnificent gifts from relatives. The bride, by reason of her family connections and her pleasing personality, has long been one of the conspicuous figures in metropolitan society. She is a granddaughter of Mrs. William Astor and, like the grandmother who so long was a leader of the foremost social set in this country, is attractive in face and figure and charming in conversation.

Modesty of an Amir.
 The late Amir Abdur Rahman left behind him, we are told, copious diaries from which he directed his successor to extract and publish those portions which bore upon his private and domestic life, omitting all political questions. It is now to appear under the modest title of the "Encyclopedia of the World." This is not so bad for an informal domestic record, even of an Oriental potentate.—Madras Mail.

English as She's Motored.
 It is little wonder that foreigners despair of learning to speak our language. One of the greatest difficulties is the way in which the same syllabic sounds have often very different meanings.

"You'll get run in," said the pedestrian to the automobilist without a light on his vehicle.

"You'll get run in, too," responded the automobilist, as he pushed the starting lever hard over, knocked the other down and ran up his spine.

"You'll get run in, too," said the policeman, as he stepped from behind a tree and grabbed the reckless driver before he could get away.

Just then another scorcher came along, without his initials on his vehicle, so the policeman had to run in two.

No Compulsion.
 Landlord—Sorry, pardner, that there hain't no bath room, but you see I am figurin' on puttin' one in next year; an—

Tourist—I don't want to take a bath next year.

Landlord—Well, of course we don't insist on your takin' one.

Definite Measurement.
 "Do you think the world is growing any better?"

"I'm absolutely sure of it," answered the monopolist. "Why, five years ago I made only \$100,000 a year. Today I am making that much a month."

Not On Your Life.
 Smith—Would you advise me to take out a policy with this new insurance company?

Brown—Not on your life, old man. Smith—Why not?

Brown—They give nothing but accident policies.

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Great Suggestion.
 Pat—An' phat d'ye think of them volcanoes?
 Tim—I dunno. Let's take a d'rop of the crater.

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 taste good. Eat them like candy. They remove any bad taste in the mouth, leaving the breath sweet and perfumed. It is a pleasure to take them, and they are liked especially by children.
 sweeten the stomach by cleansing the mouth, throat and food channels. That means, they stop undigested food from souring in the stomach, prevent gas forming in the bowels, and kill disease germs of any kind that breed and feed in the entire system.
 are purely vegetable and contain no mercurial or other mineral poison. They consist of the best discoveries in medicine, and form a combination of remedies unequalled to make the blood pure and rich and make clean skin and beautiful complexion.
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 taken patiently, persistently, will cure any form of constipation, no matter how old or how often other remedies have failed. They are absolutely guaranteed to cure any case, or purchase money will be cheerfully refunded.
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