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Caller—Is Mrs. Kaffippe at home? Ellen (just over)—No, mum. Caller—Do you know where she has gone? Ellen—Yis, mum. Up-shtairs, be the back way.—Chicago Times-Herald.

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Judge—This lady says you threw both arms around her waist while trying to get her pocketbook. Prisoner—I was simply makin' love to de lady, your honor. I am a foreign nobleman!—Puck.

Blanche—Oh, girls! I put a piece of May's wedding cake under my pillow last night, and——" The girls (breathlessly)—What happened? Blanche—I ate it all before I went to sleep!—Brooklyn Life.

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"Well, Borus," said Naggus, the eminent literarty critic, "I see you began the new century right." "How's that?" asked Borus, the struggling author, "I don't understand." "You didn't write any poem about it."—Chicago Tribune.

"I wish to see a bonnet," said Miss Passee, aged forty. "For yourself, miss?" inquired the French milliner. "Yes." "Marie, run down-stairs, and get me hats for ladies between eighteen and twenty-five." Bonnet sold.—Tit-Bits.

"What do you think my mother-in-law says?" "Goodness knows! What is it?" "She says when I get rich she wants me to put a moving sidewalk on our block, so she can sit on it and sew, and get in all the news."—Indianapolis Journal.

"Has he any show at all in public life?' asked one politician. "Only one. There is the remote possibility that his enemies will abuse him so continuously that a lot of people will get sorry for him and vote for him out of sympathy."—Washington Star.

Miss Streeter—I should think it would be horrid standing behind the counter all day. Miss Kashkaller—Not nearly so bad as standing in front of it for only a little while. There are no bargain crowds on my side, you know.—Boston Transcript.

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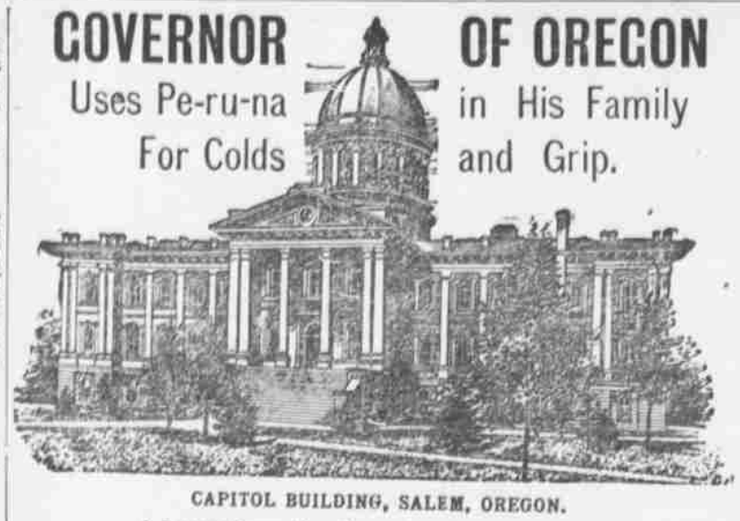

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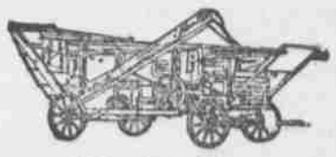

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