If the Master's seen the things that I have wanted most to do, There'll be no salvation for me, for the

devil knows 'em, too! But I've wanted true to want to do the things I knew were right-Say, can it be the likes of me'll have virtue in his sight?

have soiled my hands with mischief, and I've wanted to do more, And 't was but because I didn't dare, it wasn't done before;

But behind the dirty deed I did, behind the wish I had, There's been a longing to be straight, a feeling I was bad;

Though he alone has seen and known beyond that double sin-He knows my soul is somehow wholesay, will he let me in?

If there's any place beside the gate to live a life or so, I'd like to try it all again, before I'm seut

below: I'd like to try to want to do what's right, and then, maybe,

I'd get to try to do it, and at last I might be free! For a full-grown saint I know I ain't. and there's plenty more as bad, But give us time and I know we'll climb

and make his heaven glad! -Gelett Burgess in "A Gage of Youth."

***** Clouds Cleared Away.

of the marriage of Miss Dorothy Shepard to her cousin, Reginald Pierce,

year before, when he was visiting at Dorothy's home. He was handsome and wealthy, while I was only an ordinary looking fellow and a struggling young disappointment when he fails.

million of beating the game. He doesn't beat it, for the game wasn't rigged up so that he could beat it. Still he is willing to take the chance, and he suffers no disappointment when he fails.

The higher the cost of the wheel the more easily and quickly the money is similar tactics in the dining and draw-ling to take the chance, and he suffers no disappointment when he fails.

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she had not seen for ten years, had that the ring slides off. sent her some money, and had begged her to have her picture taken for him. The photographer who had been settled The nearest town was ten miles away. and, owing to a weakness in her back, Mother Farley was unable to drive so far; but she was inconsolable at the thought of disappointing her son Rich-

In my college days I had used a camera a good deal in an amateur way, and presently I left the plazza and terview Mr. Farley relative to a plan | friends. which I had in mind.

"Law!" he ejaculated, "you don't say you kin take pictures, too! My! But won't ma be tickled!"

I got the key and went over to the forsaken studio; found camera, plates, paper and chemicals all in good order, and early that afternoon Mother Farley, beaming with smiles and attired As soon as a tiger's lair has been found ley, beaming with smiles and attired As soon as a tiger's lair has been found ley, beaming with smiles and attired As soon as a tiger's lair has been found ley, beaming with smiles and attired As soon as a tiger's lair has been found ley, beaming with smiles and attired As soon as a tiger's lair has been found ley, beaming with smiles and attired as least to the surface. After such a hunt, in the part of the surface and their bodies float to the surface. After such a hunt, in the part of the surface and attired as least to the surface and their bodies float to the surface. After such a hunt, in the part of the surface and their bodies float to the surface and their bodies float to the surface. After such a hunt, in the part of the surface and their bodies float to the surface and t ley, beaming with smiles and attired in her "Sunday best," came over to pose. How delighted she was when I wooden fence nine feet long and four generally secured, there is a feast for pose. After such a position and for several months I wooden fence nine feet long and four generally secured, there is a feast for problem. The idea is not new and more pose. How delighted she was when I showed her the proof the next morning, and that evening she carried it to the weekly prayer meeting and exhibited it to all her friends at the close of the service.

I finally yielded to their urgent request to keep the studio open for a week, and to make photographs of all who cared to have them.

On the afternoon of the last day which I was to spend in the studio I was mounting some photographs of an old maid with a hooked nose and corkscrew curls when I heard a gentle tap at the door. I called "Come in," and a very pretty girl, dressed in a neat bicycle sult, entered.

"Good afternoon," she began, with a bright smile. "My friend and I are on

type taken with our wheels, if you are not too busy."

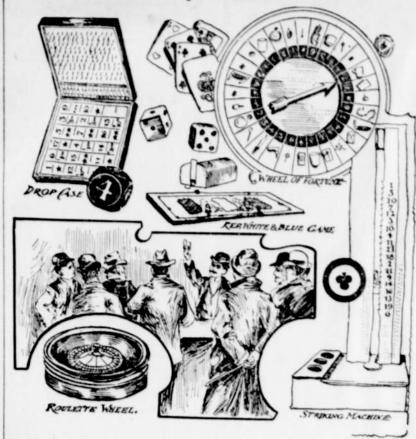
"Well, then," she said, "would you please bring in our wheels for us? My friend is at the door with them, but I

am afraid we cannot manage to get them up the stairs." We went down together, and there on the doorsteps stood Dottie! Before Telegraph. either of us could speak the other

our wheels up, Dot, and will take our tintypes right away." with outstretched hand. "Why, Hal!" she said, "I never dreamed that you had gone in the photo be prevailed upon to fat prairie dogs. Large greedily fond of fat prairie dogs. Large that Mr. Hobart should be regarded as that Mr. Hobart should be regarded as the previous day I seemed that you with the provious day I seemed that you with the provious day I seemed that you with the provious day I seemed that you with the previous day I seemed that you will be prev with the manuscript. I asked the manuscript of the previous day I secured abound on the western plains, and the fore on the same social footing with the previous day I secured abound on the western plains, and the fore on the same social footing with the previous day I secured ager where he thought I ought to go for abound on the western plains, and the fore on the same social footing with and when Neil suggested that we should wheel down here and see here. should wheel down here and see her auntile, who lived in this neighborhood, I consented and didn't write to you of purpose placed at the entrance to a coly to that of the heads of state, their constituted and didn't write to you of purpose placed at the entrance to a coly to that of the heads of state, their constituted and didn't write to you of purpose placed at the entrance to a coly to that of the heads of state, their constituted and didn't write to you of purpose placed at the entrance to a coly to that of the heads of state, their constituted and didn't write to you of purpose placed at the entrance to a coly to that of the heads of state, their constituted and didn't write to you of purpose placed at the entrance to a coly to that of the heads of state, their constituted and the color of the I consented, and didn't write to you of mirror placed at the entrance to a royal parents.—Ladies' Home Journal.

let's get those tintypes."

TRICKS OF COUNTRY FAIR FAKERS.



CROOKED GAMBLING TOOLS SOLD TO FLEECE FARMERS.

morning's mail contained an account sake of his health or for a pleasant out- ness "requires no previous experience," patron at the time. A stout military body had expected him to say the Bisake of his health or for a pleasant outing, and that his tricks put to shame
those of the heathen Chinee, still the victim will take the one chance out of a

ness requires no previous experience, parton at the individual who stayed four weeks at midvidual who stayed four weeks at my house insisted on pasting political tracts all over the walls of his room.

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Sweet Young Thing—It was the year tracts all over the walls of his room.

from Mrs. Farley, my portly and motherly landlady, who for six summers has boarded me in her comfortable home in the picturesque little village of Hopetown. She is in her rocking chair on the piazza opposite me, engaged in the construction of a fearful and wonderful thing which she calls a "tidy."

Again the heartrending sigh.

The form Mrs. Farley, my portly and motherly landlady, who for six summers has boarded me in her comfortable from 65 cents to \$1.25 and a canvas one for from 50 cents to \$1.30. Canes cost the faker sets of the picturesque little village of Hopetown. She is in her rocking chair on the piazza opposite me, engaged in the construction of a fearful and wonderful thing which she calls a "tidy."

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The following and motherly to folks who display a tendency to violent political blas. An old gentleman who lodged with me for several weeks had an extraordinary manla for purchasing machine, are incompleted. Nothing is more tempting than the striking machine, are incompleted. Nothing is more tempting than the striking machine, are incompleted. Nothing is more tempting than the striking machine, and nothing looks fair the striking machine, are incompleted. Nothing is more tempting than the striking machine, and nothing looks fair the striking machine, are incompleted. Nothing is more tempting than the striking machine, are incompleted. Nothing is more tempting than the striking machine, are incompleted. Nothing is more tempting than the striking machine, are incompleted with me for several weeks had an extraordinary manla for purchasing of an advertisement of a new kind now often bring in quite a dozen daily. One of the interesting details of the world with the construction of the construction of a fearful and wonderful thing which she calls a "Of course you're not," she replied, dispute.

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But the visitor to the fair is looking o'clock and, arming himself with a leave to strike it. It was, as from 30 cents a dozen to \$3.98 a dozen. apparatus in his studio, which he had rented from Mother Farley's husband, ing and costing about two and a half cents apiece, are conspicuously display- money.

weathy, while I was only an ordinary looking fellow and a struggling young lawyer.

But my reverie is broken by a sigh from Mrs. Farley, my portly and mothers are the case rack outhit does not cost the faker much. A net rack may be bought for the struggling and a struggling young lawyer.

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Dorothy has been my wife for two he is pinned to the ground with an arhappy years, and I have only one se- row. cret from her. That is, that I thought, But the most effective method is Detroit Free Press.

TRAPS TO CATCH TIGERS.

Brutes Securely. feet wide a short distance away from it many days in the Navajo huts. and in this inclosure is then placed as a bait a dog, which is tied to one of the Desirable Qualities in an Opal. that places its foot on it is certain to be of great value unless the color is very up regularly every noon with the regas largely from compressed air mixed

a wheeling tour, and would like a tin- free himself from such bondage and as color shows as a single flash, or in very ance which characterizes the 'cub resand. those who have set the trap are never large pattern. Harlequin is the most porter I started for the place. ot too busy."

"I shall be glad to oblige you, and am killed or securely caged. At the same killed or securely caged. At the same ered the most beautiful. When the at liberty to do so immediately," I time the dog is released and, indeed, he squares of color are regular and show street from beginning to end—it was clais recently. "There would be forcould not be removed from the inclo-sure as long as the trap was set, since low blue and green, it is considered sure as long as the trap was set, since this instrument, strong as it is, never- magnificent. Some stones show better stuff that was really good, although I principally concerned just now in maktheless is so delicate that the pressure on edge than on top. springs and cause the animal's leg to M'Kinley's First Diplomatic Victory. even of a dog's foot would release the springs and cause the animals leg to be crushed in a twinkling.—London Telegraph.

The first social incident of President McKinley's first administration of the story together in the proper lings, streets and business establishment.

young lady exclaimed: "He will carry INDIAN PRAIRIE DOG HUNTS.

last week for fear I should let out the burrow. When the animal ventures secret, for I wanted to surprise you. The company manners of her hus correspondent, according to the New York Commercial Advertiser. "Not Secret, for I wanted to surprise you.

This is my future husband, Mr. Oakley, Miss Curtis, and now come on,

In company manners of her husband and sons is one of the greatest band and g at the front door, and he narries out to trials in a woman's life, and that of was ignorance, pure, anadulterated ignorance paper, it was ignorance, pure, anadulterated ignorance when her daughters her greatest comfort.

even for a moment, that she had been what the Indians call the rain hunt. false to me-my own loyal darling! As soon as the steady downpour of THE REPORTER'S FIRST STORY. the front detached a piece of the hill Reginald Pierce has taken the house summer rain begins every Navajo who opposite ours. "The twin Dorothys," can walk repairs to the prairie dog vil- Scored a Success Because He Did Not strolled over to the potato field to in- as we call our wives, are inseparable lage with hoes, sharp sticks, or any digging implement. With these they hollow out trenches, that will lead the business," said the veteran New York tured a prize, but found it impossible to storm water into as many burrows as correspondent of a big Western daily, tow it to port. possible. Soon a little stream is pour- "I made a hit on my very first assign-Powerful Steel Suares that Hold the ing down each small home, and the in- ment, and, oddly enough, my success mate, much disturbed, pops out to see | was due entirely to my ignorance of my Capturing tigers by a novel method what the matter can be. Many of the profession. is now being adopted in Sumatra and is animals remain under ground until "I had long had an ambition to be a nonexplosive gas made from eighty-five

> that places its foot on it is certain to be held captive.
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> This trap is of recent invention and consists of strong steel plates and equally strong springs. When it is set the plates form a sort of platform and as soon as the tiver which has been an important factor, the several variance of the plates form the plates form a sort of platform and as soon as the tiver which has been an important factor, the several variance of great value unless the color is very vivid and the pattern very good. The porters and stood around waiting for that assignment.
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> Some estimate of the extraordinary cheater that is to say, it must not run in streaks or patches, alternating with a colorless or inferior quality. Pattern is described as being an important factor, the several variance of the pattern very good. The porters and stood around waiting for that assignment.
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> One day the city editor called me to his desk and gave me an anonymous postal card the paper had received. the plates form a sort of platform and as soon as the tiger which has been lured thither by the dog sets his foot thereon the springs are released and the cruel steel grips the leg and holds it fast.
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> Powerful as the tiger is, he cannot regular the better, and the plates form a sort of platform and quality. Pattern is described as being as soon as the tiger which has been lured thither by the dog sets his foot the grain is very small; "harlequin," when the cruel steel grips the leg and holds it fast.
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> Powerful as the tiger is, he cannot regular the better, and the paper had received calling attention to high assessments which had been put upon property in a certain street. He told me to look it up. It was one of those things where the chances for a story were about one in a million, but with that bilissful ignormand.
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> Powerful as the tiger is, he cannot regular the better, and the chances for a story were about one in a million, but with that bilissful ignormand.

> > bart precedence over the ambassadors. "The story suggested that great can revolutionize the price of city gas."

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SOME ODD RESORTERS norance, of reporters' methods that yielded my first story, but I had sense HUMOR OF THE WEEK she-It will take us half an hour to enough to discover very soon after that the same thing would not carry me any QUEER EXPERIENCE OF A LAND-

further." LADY AT THE SEASIDE. WIT WEIGHTED WITH WISDOM.

mer Outing Apartments Would Fill a Volume and Make Interesting Reading at That -Stories of Odd Lodgers. The eccentricities of some of the peo. known for his wit, which was brilliant

The eccentricities of some of the people who come to my apartmen's would fill a small volume, remarked a seaside landiady to the present writer. Their whims and peculiarities are well-nigh incredible, and at times I hardly know how to restrain myself from laughter when interviewing my potential patrons. A fashlonably dressed woman of some forty summers refused to take my best room merely because to take my best room merely because to take my best room merely because the sound of a heartening quality. When some gloomy soul came burdened with parochial troubles the bishop invariably sent him home with a smile on his face and a lighter heart. Bishop Stubbs even grumbled wittly. He was not willing to be moved from Chester to Oxford, and he said, as he left the chapter house, "I am like Homer; I suffer from translations."

**I have found out one thing about my husband," said the bride who had been married before, "that surprises me greatly."

Her friend moved up a little nearer. So that they could whisper, and asked: "What is it?"

"His salary is just as big as he told me it was,"—Chicago Record-Herald.

Loveliness.

"Our home is perfectly lovely!" exclaimed the flatwife, with enthusiasm. woman of some forty summers refused to take my best room merely because she did not like the mirror therein. She averred that it made her look "old and ugly," and I accordingly suggested that another glass should be substituted that glass ted. She accompanied me from room Samuel Wilberforce, would have done. to room inspecting the mirrors, but eventually decided that not one of "Arbidgeous v. them was sufficiently flattering to suit them was sufficiently flattering to suit Witch of Endor, for you are not conher requirements. I did not care to tented unless you raise the ghost of point out that it was her face, and not the looking-glass, which was at fault, but such was the fact, for the glass at a school in Oxford, after his fame as would have been cunningly contrived a historian was assured, the head mas-indeed that would have rendered her ter expressed his great sense of indebtfeatures at all attractive. Another lady expressed herself delighted with ment of such engagements did not so HE country fair is the harvest time | ed with all the blades open, and therein the apartments, but flatly refused to intrude on the bishop's leisure as to di-WAS lying lazily in the hammock, meditating upon the falseness of womankind in general and the falseness of Dorothy Shepard—in whom I had trusted so fully—in particular. We had been sweethearts ever since early childhood and were now only waiting for the time when I would be able to provide a home. But in wind to provide a home. But in the baddes open, and therein take the kinife board. The take them when she learned that there when she learned that there were some gentlemen lodgers in the some gentlemen lodgers in the some symbols. The wheel of fortune seems as fair as an industry refused to take them when she learned that there were some gentlemen lodgers in the some but women were admitted, and an admit a golden acres. For the faker gets up early in the morning and goes to bed late at night, and he makes money all the livelong day.

The temptation to get something for noting, or at least much for little, to fiftr with coquettish fortune, is irresistic. The plane of the kinife board. The tokke them when she learned that there were some gentlemen lodgers in the bosh to which at the rings slide over them as water does a duck's back.

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Know When to Drop It, "When I broke into the newspaper

Lord Pauscefote is known to have re- abuses had been perpetrated by certain The Little Animals Are Deemed Dainty ported this innovation to his foreign city officials, and after it was printed The Navajo Indian, while he cannot inquired in to the custom of other were sent out to follow it up. They the pext day two of the old reporters

OF THE PRESS.

Among the clergy generally, says a of Human Nature Graphically Porwriter in the Spectator, the late Bishop trayed by Emineut Word Artists of Stubbs, of Oxford, was perhaps best Our Own Day-A Budget of Fun.

and wonderful thing which she calls a "idy."

Again the heartrending sigh.

"What is the trouble, Mother Farley." I suppose you'll think I'm a foolish old woman, but I'm feelin' that bad this mornin' you wouldn't believe—and all because I can't have my picture took."

"Well, Mr. Harry, I suppose you'll think I'm a foolish old woman, but I'm heab of some of the cases are almost as great in diameter, and those with think I'm a foolish old woman, but I'm wouldn't believe—and all because I can't have my picture took."

"Well, Mother Farley, I didn't think yar your besetting sin, way your besetting sin, way your besetting sin, way in the easy of some of the case are almost as great in diameter, and those with the same color the player puts his money on and three are cross a returned in such a way that it is almost impossible to ring them unless the ring is dropped immediately upon the rack, and a side blow tips them so that the ring sides off."

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The cheaper ones predominate, but canes with swelled heads are occasionally the with three shields on the plant and there are crooks, some reproducing a miniature, a lower member missing, the torso of Venus. The rings piace their money on and three are crooks, some reproducing a miniature, a lower member missing, the torso of Venus. There is a "layout" with three shields on the head of the botton shall greated the house I counted no fewer than 220 then the same. When he quitted the hadder the beave dashing of the coast defenses at Santiago, says a Santiago letter in the keep of the house I counted no fewer than 220 them the heavy for Post, was performed by the gunboard. The quitted in different parts of the whole had obvious, to see the dealing ame. There he plants and to the feels and the new York Post, was performed by the gunboard and the torse is althering the house in the heavy of the heavy of the heavy of the heavy of the hea complete outfit—board, 100 rings and ed with cards, and all of such a nature son therefor. Many years ago, when I hurried and stopped, having escaped eighty-four knives-may be had for that they can be worked without the had a house close to the beach, one of the solid shot with which the Dolphin and bring back water for his bath. He rear of the train was still exposed, and would repeat the process some dozen when the conductor ordered him for-

hat the ring slides off.

Next in favor is the knife board. A apparently square, yet it is a tricky box.

Strangely the and find it afterward, apologizing for his extra-Next in favor is the knife board. A apparently square, yet it is a tricky box. board costs from \$1.50 to \$3.50, and a There are half a hundred tricks work ordinary silence, but assigning no reaimes until the receptacle was full, ward so as to cover the rear, the locoocean itself I could never discover."- the tunnel's mouth. Thus the Dolphin kept it dodging until a shell to the rear tore up rails and bed, and another to and stuffed the tunnel's mouth with it. Having (actually) put the enemy in a hole, the Dolphin turned back to the flagship and reported that she had cap-

Fuel Gas at Low Price. A Hoboken inventor, Charles A. Kuenzel, asserts he can produce a dry. hung around the office waiting for the than 900 patents for inventions to that news assignment which did not come. end are on file at Washington. The Now and then I would be sent out to aim has been to burn the oil with a part a dog.

A narrow entrance leads In judging an opal, color is of the get material for an 'obit.' note on some enough air to make it more economical rence posts. A parton cate of the posts of t cealed under earth, leaves and bodghs in combination with yellow, olde and of trees, is placed a strong steel trap. green, are the best. Blue by itself is a red-letter day when I got more than he hit on his process for manufacturing. There is everything in the making of of trees, is placed a strong seet that any animal quite valuless, and the green opal is not ten lines into the paper. Still I turned a highly inflammable, nonexplosive dry hash.—Chicago News.

did not know it at the time. When I ling our gas a substitute for coal in runcame in I was told to write a column ning trains and steamships. One thing and a half, and by a bit of good luck I at a time. The illumination of dwelments will come later, and we think we four.

"Do you mean to say that the scene week.

ordered out again. By following my method of the previous day I secured with the manuscript. "I asked the man-

ture a husband, but after the capture correspondent, according to the New she doesn't go to as much trouble to

STORIES TOLD BY FUNNY MEN my fate.

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would be able to provide a home. But the newspaper which had come in that the newspaper which had come in the newspaper which had come in the newspaper which had come in that the newspaper which h Miss Wellalong-I don't remember

> Couldn't Afford It. "Darling." exclaimed the happy hus- last year.

Her Point of View.

Husband-Do you know that every time a woman gets angry she adds a new wrinkle to her face? Wife-No. I did not; but if it is so, I

presume it is a wise provision of nature to let the world know what sort of a husband a woman has.-New York Weekly.



"Yes, Miss, we raised this honey right here on the farm."

"Indeed! Then you keep a bee?" Setting Him Right. He-Pshaw! There's nothing remarkable in knowing how to cook. She-That's all you know about it.

President (of mine)-Advertise that we have a few shares of new stock to

sell at \$1 a share. Clerk-When shall I put the ads in? "At once. We've got to get enough money together to pay the next divi-

"Do you know what my wife's strennous motto is during the preserving season?" asked Cumso. "No," replied Cawker. "What is it?"

"I can." Keep It Quiet. Bluff-I'd have you to know, sir, that I'm a self-made man.

keep it dark and don't worry, and per- Cents." haps you'll get along all right. me," said the bald-headed man. "I've

Hoax-Bjones now has his coach and Jonx-Why, I thought he was so poor. Hoax-He is; but he has a baby coach, and the fourth kid arrived last

They Can't Be Stopped. "Do you think, Colonel," she asked, "that there is any danger of our losing free speech in this country?" "Not a bit," he replied, "as long as there is a Kansas woman left!"-Chi-

cago Record-Herald. To His Sorrow. Biggs-Do you know anything about liquid air?

the company, and I discovered that it's known fact that love interferes with the same thing as hot air.-Judge. a lot of philosophy.

get back to the hotel.

He-And in that time I must know

"But I cannot give you my answer "Oh, I know that, But by that time I will know how much my hotel bill

is,"-Judge. Weighed in the Balance. Farmer Hardacre-The papers have

claimed the flatwife, with enthusiasm. "Only think! a spare bedroom built right into the walls, like stationary tubs, you know!"-Detroit Freee Press.

A Hard Problem. First Scientist-This is a puzzling case, indeed.

Second Scientist-I should say so.

Why, this would puzzle an amateur scientist. Her Preforence. First Summer Girl-If you could spend the winter just where you chose where would you like to go?

Second Summer Girl-To the Isle of Man, of course.-Somerville Journal. Confirmed Habit, She-Mrs. La Salle is always chang-

ng husbands. He-Yes. She told me she was wedded to married life.-The Smart Set.

A Gentle Hint. "Do you always preach without notes?" inquired the new vestryman. "Yes." replied the old minister.

"Don't you think you might do better if you preached with notes?" "Undoubtedly I would if they were

A Bright Outlook. Clara-These autumnal days make

me sad. Clarence-Oh, cheer up, dearie; we've got half a load of coal left over from



The stage directions are: The Count seizes Marion in his arms and carries her to the topmost chamber of the ruin-

The Count (to himself)-That's the worst of these fat parts.-Moonshine.

"But what are your prospects, young man?" inquired her father. "I," responded the impecunious young man, impressively, "am the favorite nephew of a wealthy, eccentric uncle who is exploring the Niagara whirlpool in a steam launch called the Fool-

killer."-Brooklyn Eagle. A Saving of Wood. Subscriber-What! no fire in the stove

his cold weather? Editor-None; but there's a creditor coming around this morning who has promised to make it hot for me .- Atlanta Constitution.

The Limit. "Suppose, Bobble, that another boy should strike your right cheek," asked the Sunday school teacher, "what would you do?" "Give him the other cheek to strike."

said Bobble. "That's right," said the teacher, "Yessum," said Bobble, "and if he struck that I'd paralyze him."-Tid

Bits. No Chance for That. "Madam," said the Energetic Book Agent, "I have here a valuable cook book, which shows you a dozen ways

to utilize cold roast beef."

ured Lady at the door, "it never gets a chance to get cold in this house,"-Baltimore American. What He Controls, Ballfan (referring to pitcher)-What magnificent control he has! Root-Perfectly marvelous! Why, he

"Humph," answered the Hard-feat-

hasn't called the umpire a single name for over two innings!-Puck. Theirs by Right. "I wonder why there are dog days, but no cat days," said Mrs. Darley. "The night belong to the cats, you

know," Mr. Darley explained, No Reduction.

Two well-known literary men, one of whom is growing bald, passed a barber's shop, in the window of which was Gruff-Well, I'm sorry for you; but a sign, "First-Class Hair Cut, 15 "That would be a cheap place for

> so little hair left, they couldn't conscientiously charge me more than 10 cents." "You don't understand the sign," said his companion, gravely. "If you had only three spears left, yours would always be considered first-class hair, and

you will observe it is that kind for which they demand the 15 cents." No Other Explanation Possible. Wyllkyns-What an ugly cloak that woman is wearing! And she is expensively dressed, too."

Watkyns-Yes; it must be a new fashion.-Somerville Journal. While philosophy will not prevent a

Boggs-Yes; I bought some stock in man from falling in love, it is a well-