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"I can't understand how you manage to find your way across the ocean," said the fair passenger.

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"Yes," she said, "but suppose you should want to go south?"

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### Woman's Inconsistency.

"Ever notice it?" queried the man who begins in the middle when he asks a question.

"Did I ever notice what?" said a party of the other part.

"That the practical experience of an actress is usually far in advance of her advertised youthfulness?" exclaimed he of the prelude.

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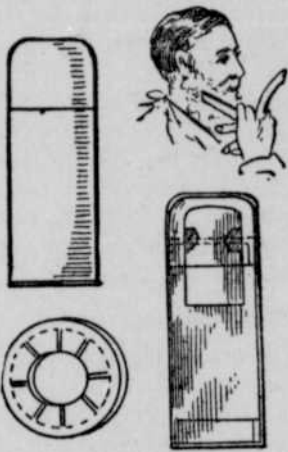
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### CLEANLY SHAVING STICK.

Arrangement Which Presents Some Conveniences.

Shaving sticks, as at present manufactured, are cylindrical in shape and are sold in cylindrical casing of cardboard or other suitable material. In using the stick it is commonly removed from the case and after use replaced therein. The objection to this form is that the fingers are gummed with the soap and when the soap is replaced in the box, it is apt to be sticky, and, therefore, before used again becomes fastened to the casing. When the stick is not removed from the casing it eventually wears down to a point where a readjustment is neces-



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sary, and this usually is only accomplished by the destruction of the shape of the stick. A Philadelphia inventor proposes to overcome these objections by providing a ring made of metal, or other suitable material, that has an edge adapted to bite into the soap while its outer edge clamps the inner side of the casing holding the stick therein. By this construction the fingers are neither made sticky nor does the soap become fastened to the inside of the casing. The metal clamping ring is made with a break in the outer edge, this constituting a spring clamp. The inside of the ring is provided with teeth adapted to engage in the soap stick, holding it securely. It will be understood, as the soap stick is worn off by use, the clamping ring must be moved toward its unused end. The ring not only affords a convenient grasp, but prevents the moisture from getting inside the casing. An arrangement similar to the ordinary spring controlled candle lamp, but modified to adapt it for the broad surface of the soap stick top, might also be worked out.

### Important Officials.

Whether the officers mentioned by Mr. Whinton in his "History of Antrim" (New Hampshire) regarded their position seriously and lived up to their official dignity is not told. It is certain that the small boys would have hailed the opportunity of exercising such functions with glee, and would have discharged their duties with vigor and alacrity.

In 1793 the town of Antrim officially appointed three responsible persons to fill the position of "dog-pelters." It was their duty to sit near the meeting-house door and to "pelt" drive away or cane any dogs that dared to enter the sacred edifice. In the official records of the town are found notes of subsequent years, continuing the vocation of the dog-pelters.

One might question which would make the most disturbance in the church, the chance dog, or the "pelters" in the exercise of their official duties?

### Beautiful Poems with Long Hair.

The following remarks on Tennyson were recently handed in on an examination paper by a schoolboy in an English literary class: "Lord Alfred Tennyson was a celebrated poet, and he wrote a lot of beautiful poems with long hair. His greatest poem is called 'The Idle King.' He was made a lord, but he was a good man and wrote many oads."—Harper's Weekly.

## OLD PEOPLE Their Pains and Ailments



Any taint of the blood quickly shows itself with old people, and troubles, which a younger, more vigorous constitution holds in check, take possession of those of advanced years. A mole, wart or pimple often begins to inflame and fester, terminating in a sore that refuses to heal. Wandering pains of a rheumatic character are almost constant, the joints get stiff and the muscles sore, while sleeplessness and nervousness make life a burden. The natural activity of the body is not so great in old age and all the organs get dull and sluggish, failing to carry out the waste matters and poisons accumulating in the system and they are taken up and absorbed by the blood, rendering it weak and unable to properly nourish the system. There is no reason why old age should not be as healthy as youth if the blood is kept pure and strong. S. S. S. is purely vegetable and is the safest and best blood purifier and tonic for old people, because it is gentle, but at the same time thorough in its action, purifying the blood of all poisons and foreign matter, strengthening it and toning up the entire system by its fine tonic effect. Almost from the first dose the appetite increases, the general health begins to improve and the pains and ailments pass away.

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A lazy man said to his wife: "We've nothing left to eat; it seems impossible for me to make the two ends meet." His wife replied: "It's up to us to see that we are fed; you hustle and make one end meat and I'll make the other bread."

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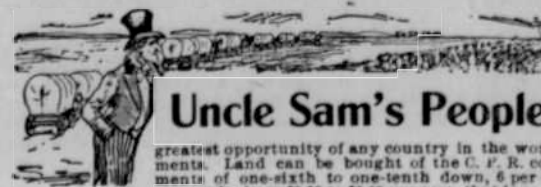
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