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Many a True Word.

When, a few years ago, someone in an idle jest worded an advertisement for a housemaid saying that the advertiser would and could give "references" we all laughed and thought it too funny to be true.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces, such articles should never be used.

Confirming the Popular Impression.

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OFFICE BOY PHILOSOPHY.



De fellers wot 're always knockin' the boss are de soreheads wot wasn't good enough for his job.

A job by an' ad is wot two in de employment agency.

Wen I sees a dub go in ter see de boss an' his brest smells like a barrel house, I lets de outside door open so's he kin get out quicker.

It's a lead pipe crotch dat de guy wot begins to watch de hands of de clock at ten in de mornin' an' tree in de afternoon ain't goin' ter find no raise in his envelope at de beginnin' of de year.

De tinnors sports wot spends most o' deir time an' de little brains dey got on de cut o' deir pants, don't have none left fer deir wolk.

De keyboard dancer wot has lots o' time fer her buttons hair and works her jaws overtime on gum is generally lookin' fer a "position"; she's too good ter have a real "job."

Somehow dese fellers wot don't jaw about wot dey did an' wot dey're goin' ter do, but keeps a pluggin' at wot dey got ter do, soon gets a private office o' deyr own.

De guy wot woks de hardest wen de boss's around 'll always have a boss ter be watchin' fer.

De feller wot stands high wit' de peacherino ufer typist don't stand deuce high wit' de boss.

The gent wot said, "Yet can't work fer two bosses at de same time," was wise ter his job, 'cause generally yet gets de can from bot'.

VAST SUM SENT BY RAIL.

Postoffice Department Saved Thousands at Expense of the Treasury.

Some years ago the Treasury Department desired to transport \$25,000,000 in gold from the subtreasury in San Francisco to the subtreasury in New York. The way they did it was simple. They sent a treasury postal frank to the postmaster at San Francisco, told him to stick it on to the \$25,000,000 in gold and deliver it in New York.

Incredible as it may seem, the postmaster at San Francisco carted the \$25,000,000 in gold under armed guard to the Southern Pacific Railway station. There it was loaded on a special train, each car of which was equipped with guards heavily armed.

This train was then sent across the continent by a circuitous route and with all information concerning its route and time sedulously concealed from the newspapers in order to avoid the danger of an attack from highwaymen.

After a certain number of days this train arrived at Jersey City. The boxes containing the \$25,000,000 in gold were taken across on the ferries, and the New Yorkers were mystified by the extraordinary spectacle of many vehicles loaded with boxes upon which were perched guards with rifles and pistols.

This procession finally ended at the subtreasury, where the Postoffice Department was released from the custody of the coin by the receipt of the Treasury Department.

The little bit of treasury transportation cost the Postoffice Department many thousands of dollars and cost the Treasury Department nothing at all.—San Francisco Argonaut.

OUR FIRST LAW SCHOOL.



The humble structure in the picture was the first law school in the country. It was situated at Litchfield, Conn., and was established in 1784 by Judge Tapping Reeve. It was in existence for half a century, and in that time it had about 1,000 pupils, some from all of the thirteen original States.

Sample of "Cash Ad."

Nothe—Whereas my wife, Anna, has left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, I hereby warn all persons against trusting her on my account, as I will pay no debts of her contracting.—B. D. Castellane.—Adv., (t)—Buffalo News.

When a man is poky, old fashioned people say: "He is too slow to catch a cold."

Of the children attending German schools 1 1/2 per cent stutter.

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

Continuous Politics.

"We must have a leader," said a member of the mob.

"What for?"

"So that we can have a revolution."

"And then?"

"We'll put him in authority."

"And then?"

"Another leader, of course, and another revolution."—Washington Star.

Vain Regret.

"But, Bertie," said his mother, "you asked for two cakes and I gave them to you. Aren't you satisfied?" "No, I ain't," growled Bertie. "You was so easy I'm kickin' meself 'cause I didn't ask for four."—Philadelphia Ledger.

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Color more goods brighter and faster colors than any other dye. One 10c package colors silk, wool and cotton equally well and is guaranteed to give perfect results.

Such Dear Friends.

Grace (during storm)—I'm awfully afraid of lightning. Lola—I don't see why you should be. Grace—Why not? Lola—Because there has to be something attractive even for lightning.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of J. C. Fletcher.

Do Spiders Like Music?

It has often been said that spiders are fond of music, but a French investigator, M. Lecaillon, now asserts that this is not true. He says that their musical sense must be attributed merely to greed or to hunger.

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