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A Missouri judge approves of the slit skirt on the ground that the wonderful human machine is nothing to be ashamed of.

How often we see a man get out and look all over town for his dog, if it is not home in the evening, when his son or daughter can stay away until the wee hours of the night and he will never once inquire where he or she is, or care what kind of company they may be in. And still you wonder at the increase in crime.

Patronize progressive people if you wish to see a prosperous community. Money spent with a silurian is like wasting fertilizer on a bed of rock instead of sowing it over soil that will enrich the world with a more luxuriant production. The money that is paid to enterprising people builds new houses, makes beautiful lawns, relieves the needy, and is always on the move. Lively times, progress and prosperity are thus secure.

A farmer met a doctor on the street. "Doc," said he "if you are out our way this week you wight as well come in and see my wife". "What ails her?" inquired the doctor. "Dunno. After getting breakfast and fixing the children for school and churning and slopping the hogs and doing a little washing, theres only seven in our family you know, she plumb declared she'd have to lie down before getting dinner. She's plumb tired out. "Yes," said the wise doctor. "I'll come out and see her. It's a strange case."

Why not spend Sunday evening at the picture show? First class films, good music and admission price 15c and 10c. Show starts at 8:00 sharp.

Best Cough Medicine for Children
"I am very glad to say a few words in praise of Chamberlains cough remedy" writes Mrs. Lida Dewey, Milwaukee, Wis. "I have used it for years, both for my children and myself and it never fails to relieve and cure a cough or cold. No family with children should be without it as it gives almost immediate relief in cases of croup." Chamberlains cough remedy is pleasant and safe to take, which is of great importance when a medicine must be given to young children. For sale by all dealers.

MARKET REPORT

The following are cash prices quoted on Thursday of each week by our dealers:

Wheat, per bushel.....	\$ 85
Oats.....	34
Flour, per sack.....	1 25
Bran, per ton.....	25 00
Middlings, per ton.....	32 00
Chop, wheat, per ton.....	32 00
Chop, oats, per ton.....	25 00
Butter, (Country) per roll.....	50
Eggs, per dozen.....	33
Chickens, per pound.....	13
Geese, per pound.....	9
Turkeys, per pound.....	17
Ducks, per pound Pekin.....	19
Ducks, Indian Runner.....	8
Beef, per pound, live weight.....	5 to 06
Pork, dressed.....	94
Pork, live weight.....	74
Veal, per pound, for shipping.....	13

The Postscript.
Crawford—is the postscript always the important part of a woman's letter? Crabshaw—it is when it's from your wife. That's where she always mentions how much money she wants.—Judge.

Her Ideal.
Nell—Miss Antique says the only reason she has never married is because she has an ideal. What do you suppose her ideal is? Belle—Simply a man who will propose.—Philadelphia Record.

Flattery.
She angrily—Here's some fool man saying that all women are naturally dishonest.

He—Well, dearie, aren't you always sweeting our hearts?—Baltimore American.

Bright Man.
"Why didn't you send your man to mend my electric bell?"
"He did go, madam, but as he rang three times and got no answer he concluded that there was nobody at home."—London Opinion.

He Remembered.
"Were you in Venice while you were abroad?"
"I forgot. Were we, husband?"
"I don't see how you can forget Venice. That's where we got that good spaghetti!"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Humor From the Judge.
"A solicitor's bill is like a builder's," said the magistrate at Woolwich police court. "When first you look at it you think you have been robbed, but when you go through it carefully you feel sure you have."—London Mail.

A Remarkable Comedy.
The most remarkable comedy ever written is "The Visionaries," by Dezzaneta, the protégé of Richelieu. Every character in the play has a hallucination of one kind or another. One is a coward who thinks he has conquered the world, another a poet who conceives himself better than Homer, another a lover who becomes enamored of every heroine he reads of in a romance, another a beggar who thinks himself richer than Croesus.

That Was One, Surely.
"Don't tell me there are no such things as miracles nowadays."
"Show me one and I'll believe that there may still be such things."
"I saw one yesterday. Four musical experts were sitting at a table in a club to which I belong, and they agreed in their opinion of 'Vague'."—Chicago Record-Herald.

He Admits It Himself.
Gentle—Harry is always to be trusted. He has never deceived me.
Clara—How do you know that?
Hettie—Know it? Why, he told me so himself only last evening.

Joss Sticks.
Joss sticks are made in vast quantities in China and other countries of the east. They consist of bapboo rolled in stems in different odoriferous drugs, two of which are acornite, which serve to protect the sticks against the attacks of rats and mice, and camphor, which causes them to burn steadily without being periodically extinguished.

Lloyd's Bell.
When a ship is posted at Lloyd's a bell is tolled once. In the very unusual event of a vessel arriving in port after being posted the bell is struck twice and the caller makes his announcement from the rostrum amid a breathless silence. On the day insurance money is payable all who were on the missing ship are legally considered dead.

Had the Last Word.
The Professor acknowledging introduction—Glad to meet you, Mr. Mink. You are a distant relative, I presume—Mr. Mink—Of Mr. Beaver, Mr. Fox, Mr. Kuhn, Mr. Marten, Mr. Wolf or Mr. Fisher, you were about to say? Not the slightest, sir.
The Professor (forestalled, but rallying gamely)—Well, you utter be!—Chicago Tribune.

Quite a Similarity.
"Young man, you must learn that time is money," counseled the father.
"Well, dad, at least I have noted points of similarity between them."
"In what way?" asked the encouraged parent.
"You know the expression 'time flies,'" replied the young hopeful.—Buffalo Express.

Humor of a Genius.
Elizabeth Barrett Browning com bined with an exalted spirituality an inimitable sense of humor which pervaded all her days. As illustrating this humor Lillian Whiting tells in "The Brownings—Their Life and Art," the story of the time Poe sent Mrs. Browning a volume of his poems with an inscription on the flyleaf that declared her to be "the noblest of her sex."
"And what could I say in reply," Mrs. Browning laughingly remarked, "but 'Sir, you are the most discerning of yours?'"

A Pyrenean Tradition.
The Desert de Carlitte, in the Pyrenees, close on 10,000 feet above the sea, contains no fewer than sixty lakes of varying sizes. These, according to local tradition, were left at the time of the flood. When the waters subsided, it is said, Noah and his family landed on the Puy de Prigue, one of the highest peaks in the district. Proof of the truth of this tradition is found in an iron ring to which, the peasants declare, the ark was moored when the landing was effected.

"Going to the Dogs."
The phrase "going to the dogs" has puzzled the explainers of metaphorical expressions rather needlessly. It has even been suggested that it is a profane perversion of "going to the gods." Shakespeare's "Throw physic to the dogs" and the Scriptural "Give not that which is holy unto the dogs" have been quoted in connection with the expression. But it seems a fairly obvious reference to the fate of the wornout horse, condemned to be slaughtered. The old Greek curse "Go to the crows" may be compared, referring as it did to the Greek's horror of having his body left unburied as food for carrion birds.—London Spectator.

An Eye For Business.
A life insurance agent was standing on the rear platform of a crowded car and was given the squeeze by a bunch of pickpockets. He felt himself jostled, but did not know that he had been touched until the thieves had left the car. Then another passenger remarked:
"I think those fellows got the purse out of your hip pocket."
"No," said the insurance man with a sigh of gratitude. "If they only got to my hip pocket they got a rate book, and perhaps they'll take out some insurance."—Chicago Post.

Long Winded.
There have been many terms of reproach and ridicule applied to innumerable and wearisome talkers, but here are two that seem to be particularly pat:
One is the comment of a politician on a Washington orator. "He has a good train of thought, but it lacks terminal facilities."
The other comes from the village humorist, who said of the village orator, "He's the only feller I ever knew who could set his face talkin' an' then go off an' leave it."

A Good Start.
"Now, Johnny," said the arithmetic teacher, "suppose that one man were to put a stone two feet thick on top of another like stone, and the next day another on top of that, and keep on thus for seventy years, what would be the result?"
"I dunno," replied the student, "but I guess he'd have a pretty good start for a new postoffice."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

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