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FINE POINTS OF LAW.

Some of the Nice Legal Distinctions
in England's Criminal Code.

There are many legal terms that are used by the public in quite the wrong sense, and often when people are discussing "law" they hopelessly confuse them. A few of these terms are given below, and the distinctions explained.

"Libel" is a defamation of another's character by writing, printing, picture or the like, whereas "slander" is an oral defamation. Another important difference between these two offenses is that in the case of libel there are two remedies—one by a criminal prosecution and the other by an action for damages. But in the case of slander the only remedy is by action for damages.

"Burglary" is the breaking and entering of a dwelling house by night (i. e., between 9 p. m. and 6 a. m.) with intent to commit a felony, whereas "housebreaking" is a similar offense, but committed by day. The maximum punishment for burglary is penal servitude for life, and the maximum punishment for housebreaking is fourteen years' penal servitude. The law has always looked upon burglary as being the more heinous offense, and this is due, probably, to the fact that it usually occasions more alarm and often leads to homicide. It is advisable for an intending criminal to have a look at his watch before "cracking a crib."

There is a distinction between "robbery" and ordinary "stealing" (or "larceny," as it is called) from another's person. To make the offense "robbery" the stealing must be accompanied by an open and violent assault. Thus a man whose pocket has been picked has not been "robbed," but a man from whom something has been forcibly taken has.

Another distinction recognized by the law arises in the case of "embezzlement" and "stealing by clerks and servants." In order for the offense to be embezzlement the property appropriated must not, at the time, be in the actual or legal possession of the owner. For instance, if a clerk receives some money from a customer and keeps it he has stolen it. But if he first puts it in his employer's safe and subsequently takes it out again and keeps it he is guilty of embezzlement. The reason is that by placing the money in the safe it became in the legal possession of the employer.—London Tit-Bits.

His Position.

The southern dandy's love of putting off till next spring or later what should be done on the spot is as well known as it is vexatious. One day Major Jackson, a contractor in a Georgia quarry, told Zeb, the general utility man, to go to the blacksmith shop across the road and bring back a drill that was to be sharpened. About half an hour later the major saw Zeb come poking around the corner of the office.

"Here," he shouted, "where have you been?"

"I ain't been, boss," responded Zeb cheerfully. "I's gwine."—Lippincott's.

Small Talk.

Fuseli, the painter, had a great dislike to that species of conversation familiarly denominated "tattle." Once when sitting in his room for a long while among some trifling visitors who were discussing the weather and such like interesting subjects, after remaining for a long time without speaking, he burst out with a "We had pork for dinner today!" "Dear Mr. Fuseli!" exclaimed one. "What an odd remark!" "Why," replied he, "it's as good as anything you've been saying for the last hour."—Lippincott's.

Foiled Her.

"You promised that you would give me my answer this evening," he said. "Are you ready to do so?" "Yes," she replied, "but I want you to promise me something first."

"What is it?"

"I want you to promise me solemnly that you will not do anything rash—that you will not, when I have given you my answer, go and drown yourself or take bichloride of mercury."

"Oh, then, you have decided to say yes, have you?"—Chicago Record-Herald.

A Poor Remedy.

Speaking of a certain measure under discussion in the senate, a well known congressman said: "It does not meet the situation at all and will not remedy conditions. It reminds me of the wife of a young blacksmith of Washington. 'Did you sew that button on my coat?' this blacksmith asked his wife one morning. 'No, dear,' the wife answered. 'I couldn't find the button, but I sewed up the buttonhole, so it's all right.'"

FAIRVIEW.

Dick Reed went to John Day to feed sheep for a Mr. Smith.

M. R. Ball and family went to Portland to spend Christmas with relatives.

Toreah Peterson and Glenn Ball went to Portland to spend the holidays with friends.

Lydia and Francis Griffin went to Dufur to visit with a sister, Mrs. Kaiser. We understand they will go from there to Portland before returning home.

The monthly class meeting of the Young Peoples' Sunday School class at Liberty met on Friday night Dec. 19 at Mr. Carlson's. Owing to the cold, disagreeable weather there were only a few met. There was no business transacted, and after spending a pleasant evening the crowd dispersed.

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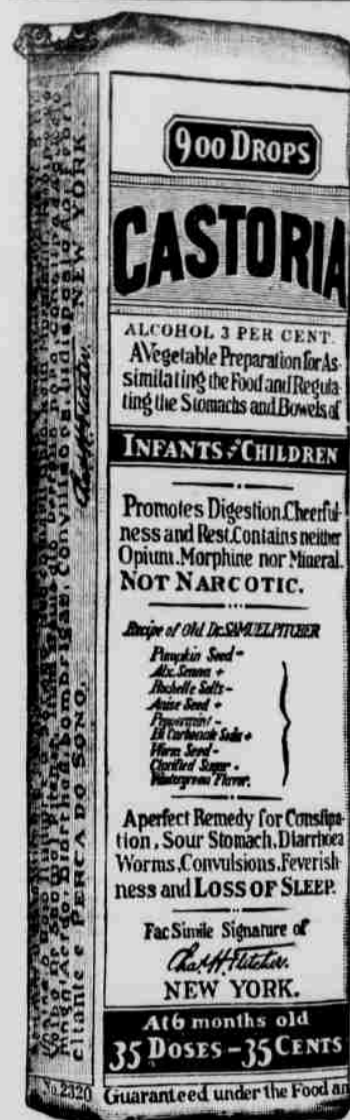
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