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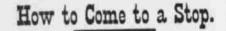
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expect them, accidents will befall us, a verification of the old adage that the unexpected always hap-pens. The fol-

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THE TRAIN STOPS. GINCIN., O.-" Recently while in the act of alighting from my car. I stepped upon a stone, which, turning suddenly under my foot, threw me to the ground, with a severely sprained ankle.

THE MANACER STOPS. Suffering exceedingly, I was helped into my car, and my man rubbed me most generously with arnica and kindred remedies, but to no

A FEW COLLEGE YARNS.

WORK THAT BOYS IN SCHOOL WILL UNDERTAKE FOR FUN.

A Hazing Party That Failed-How Professor's Horse Was Raised in the Air-When One Fellow Had to Pray Three Hours to Save the Crowd.

"Talking of hazing," said a university club man the other evening, "I'm here with some emphasis and accent to say it is not always a success. I was with a party of students once who, having set their academic hearts on hazing a rough and uncouth specimen from Vermont, repaired to his room about 11 o'clock one night to perform these rites. There were seven of the invaders, including myself, and we silently collected in the corridor outside the freshman's door. In order to be impressive in our entrance at a given signal we hurled ourselves against the portal and burst it in. "I recall a feeling of pride as the door went in at the success of this first step, but nothing distinctly afterward. In the dim, religious light which sifted through the curtains from the swinging moon we beheld a long, sparse and meager being who flew out of bed and fell upon us. He was silent as a bulldog, but quick and ferocious as a cat. I never saw such a creature. 1 got a blow which I vividly remember comparing on the spot to a flail, a comparison, by the way, which I do not now alter or regret. The whole affair did not last ten minutes, and its close found myself and the other hazers battered and ladies unknown to him. The waiter bruised and out in the hall. RAISING THE HORSE.

waiting in the parlor. In a few minutes "The Vermonter did not even attempt to Booth made his appearance in the parclose the door after us, such was his conlor, and much to his surprise he found tempt for our prowess. He went over to a two young and very pretty society girls, washstand while we consulted in the hall. one of whom was a debutante. They We did not go back in his room. We could, of course, but we saw it would consume a informed him they had attended every great deal of time and the hour was late. performance since his arrival in Baltimore, and had become so fascinated So we gave it up.

"Say, you Vermont man" I said as we with him that they had decided to call. were about to leave, 'I trust you are not They hoped he would pardon them for mean enough to report this to the facdoing so. For a few minutes Booth said ulty?' nothing. First he looked at their cards,

"'Not at all,' he said with a cheery laugh. 'I like it. Come again any time you which he still held in his hand, and then at the girls, who blushed and became please. Your attentions are very gratifying to my pride."" very much confused. At last the silence

"Where I was," said the listener, "we had a little fun one night-perfectly bloodless, however-which in its results always rose an insolvable mystery to the profound head of the institution. The professor had an old, fat, sluggish horse, which abode in a small pasture or paddock close to the col lege. One night a party of us repaired thither and proceeded by means of rails laid square, just as children build cob houses, all decked over or floored with some two inch planes which lay conve nient, to build a platform. We raised it at first perhaps eighteen inches from the ground. Then we built a second close beside the first and made it three feet high.

"The horse was led up on the first and from there to the second. Then, taking off ford to make the trial, for you've nothing to lose. the plank floor, we added about four rails to each of the four sides and carried the first platform to about eighteen inches higher than the one on which the horse means disturbance. You want re-sults. With Dr. Pierce's Pleasant stood. This was planked over and the old horse invited to climb on it, which he did in a docile, oppositionless way very winning Pellets, smallest, cheapest, easiest to to our young hearts. Well, we continued this alteration business, leading the old take, you get the best results. Sick war horse from one pedestal to the other Headache, Biliousness, Constipation, until he was twelve feet in the air, perched Indigestion, and all derangements on an eminence of rails and planks. "This suited the most fastidious of the party, and we tore away the rail and plank are prevented, relieved, and cured. construction the horse had no further use for and piled it carefully back in its sever al parts just where we got it. The old horse, who seemed to realize his position didn't stroll about any, but made the best of it, lying down and going to sleep. The professors were much astounded in the morning and never were able to figure it out. They sent to a neighboring town for help and got the horse down with a der

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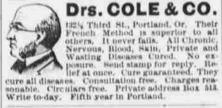
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Booth Reprimands Two Girls.

very much startled when a waiter at the

Mount Vernon hotel brought two cards

to his room bearing the names of two

said the ladies were pretty, and were

"Young ladies," said Booth, "I hap-

pen to know the names on these cards

are assumed, and if I only knew your

real names I should most certainly in-

form your parents what you have done.

Now, take my advice, go home, and

don't ever run to see an actor again, for

the next interview might not be so pleas-

The young ladies departed, and have

been very much alarmed ever since lest

their parents should find them out .-

Why They Say Less,

they do if they did not fear getting the wrong answers.-New Orleans Ficayune.

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The other morning Edwin Booth was

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ON THE WAY TO PARADISE.

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PRAYING AGAINST FIRE.

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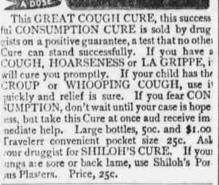
"Another time," continued the raconteur, "a party of us had been out on that sacred night Halloween tearing off gates and signs and otherwise disporting our selves after the fashion of college youth 0 the world around. We had brought about a cord of broken store signs up to Jim Martin's room, and were merrily burning them in his big fireplace. The ceremonies were at their height when two or three professors, excited to the movement by in dignant townspeople, whose signs being ravished had followed us to the college gates, rapped loudly at the door for admis sion. Something had to be done, as i would never do to let in the professors and those broken evidences of our guilt around.

"A man by the name of Jack Nesbit was equal to the pinch, however. It was a rule of the college that no professor should be denied entrance to a room, no matter the hour, unless the occupant was engaged in prayer. In event of the present progress of this religious exercise the professor was unable to wait until the 'amen,' and could in nowise complain. At the first rap Nes bit broke into prayer. In a loud, sonorou tone he sought mercy for himself and his companions. Continuing he beleagured the throne of grace in behalf of the col-lege, as well as the professors, singly and in a body. Next the students came in for note by name and in bulk, as well as every attache of the place to the small person who cleaned knives and forks in the kitchen. No one was slighted or over-looked. Then Nesbit went for the govern-ment and prayed for the nation at large; then the president and his pressing needs. were named, and divinity was pleaded with for their fulfillment; then all the departments and various officers of state, and when they were exhausted all the states, beginning with Maine and ending with California, were interceded for. "After this Jack went to Europe, and,

beginning with England, related the neces sities of each government and sought their satisfaction. From there he went to Asia, to Africa, then to South America, and so on until he was drifting among the islands which dot the southern seas. Meanwhile the rest of us turned stokers and crowded the signs into the fireplace, where they roasted and leaped almost to the limits of general conflagration. Just as Jack was landing at Auckland the last splinter went up in smoke and the disgusted professors were let in. The prayer was almost three hours long, and as the teachers filed in Nesbit closed with some quotation from St. Mark which refers to those who, seeking a sign, shall find it not."-Kansas City

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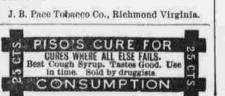




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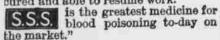


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