HE BAD BOY.

out Soda to the Young Men's Association-His Reformnery. Let Up on That."

shut that door. You want to

Men's Christian Association, he boy, as he peeled a banana. hat you mean, boy? Don't country, when you mean, boy? Hold cery man brown by the boy of the bo

they make em, up to a few weeks ago, and now you seem to have a soul, and get in your work doing good about as well as any boy in town.

What is it that ails you?"

The Italians propose to have a world's exhibition of their own next year in Rome.

To the color blind the names of a day, and I never saw such tes for soda. There has been intinual fizz in our store since saday. The boss wanted me to ton some of them by putting trandy in with the perfumery that he made in the bosh is that alls you?

'Ch. sugar, I don't want to tell,' said the boy, as he blushed, and wiggled around on one foot, and looked silly. 'But if you won't laugh I will tell you. It is my girl that he made is that alls you?

pa and ma though." w's that? Your pa isn't jealous. and the grocery man came from behind the counter to latest gossip to retail to the

on has caused a coldness be-

rls who traded with him. ous nothin'," said the boy, as k a few raisins out of the box. e, the delegates were shuffled all the church members to take and they dealt two to ma, nevertold pa anything about ey came to supper the first and pa didn't get home; so hey went to the convention in ing ma gave them a night pa came home from the match about eleven o'clock, was asleep. Just as pa got is clothes off he heard somebling at the front door, and ight it was burglars. Pa has rve enough when he is on side of the house and the s are on the outside. He the window and looked out v two suspicious-looking charing to pick the lock with a n key, and he picked up a new r that ma bought when we cover and all, and he dropped right between the two dele-Gosh, if it had hit one of would have been the as blowing pretty hard and and a cyclone had taken the the house. They were about being miraculously and trying to strike a match wet pants, when pa went to of the stairs and pushed wire stand filled with potted which struck pretty near the es, and one of them said the was coming down sure, and

ent down and got behind the Pa called me up and me to go down cellar and tell glars we were onto them, and n to get out, but I wasn't very pa locked his door and went I guess it must have been hour before pa's cold feet ove for her life, cause there two of the savagest-looking that ever was ramaging house. Ma smelled pa's see if he had got to drink-, and then she got up and oraide watch in her shoes, and le, where she said no burglar wn cellar. Pa stood on the stair and looked around, and ma recognized the voice Why, its one of the dele-What you doing down there,' oken slop bowl on the front d the potted plants in the t pa didn't retaliate. He is "I'm only a private citizen on a hof a gentleman to talk back drunk."—New Haven Register. ny. All he said was that a

but after breakfast, when the delegates went to the convention, I noticed pa went right down town and bought a new slop jar and some more plants. Pa and ma didn't speak all the forenoon, and I guess they wouldn't up to this time, only ma's ell, how's your eye?" said the y man to the bad boy, as he n with the wind on the day of bonnet came home from the milliners, clone, and left the door open. 'pa 'pet,' that is twenty-five dollars. 'Dear old darling' means fifty dollars. But, say, those Christian young men everything out of the store? But, say, those Christian young men do a heap of good, dcn't they? Their ny more fights protecting girls do a heap of good, dcn't they? Their presence seems to make people better. Some boys down by the ter. Some boys down by the store

everything is quiet so far. I were going to tie a can on a dog's everything is quiet so far. I tail yesterday, and somebody said there comes the Christian Associa there comes the Christian Associantion, and those bad boys let the dog after the crowd got by, but the dog after the crowd got by, but the dog knew his business. Well, I must go down and charge the soda fountain for a picnic that is expected from the solution. picnic that is expected from the

"Hold on a minute," said the grocery man, as he wound a piece of brown paper around a cob and stuck ink! Oh, no! They don't drink in a syrup jug he had just filled for a customer, and then licked his fingers it oads they flood themselves. "I want to ask you a question. What thing." to soda they flood themselves.
how there has been a national the being bad? You were about as bad as they make 'em, up to a few weeks ago, present year.

Half a million base ball bats are they make 'em, up to a few weeks ago, present year.

ton some of them by putting brandy in with the perfumery times, but I wouldn't do it. I a few weeks ago, before I had different life, I wouldn't had to ed twice to play the game on dy. But a man can buy soda and be perfectly safe. Of if a man winks, when I ask hat flavor he wants, and says mind,' I know enough to put dn't smuggle it into a man for ndy. That is different. But dn't smuggle it into a man for t smuggle it into a man for This Christian Association This Christian Association in love, and felt that the one you tramp said when he squatted on the any wilted vegetables on to them, or loved was every act of yours, and you could see her eyes every minute, you City and held out his hat. spoiled and not try to sell it for fear you would offend her. I don't think any man is fit to do business honestly unless he is in love or has been in love once. Now I couldn't do anything wrong if I tried, because I should hear the still small voice of was just going to say something offul, and I could see my girl's bangs He is very homely. raise right up, and there was a pained look in her face, and a tear in her eye, and by gosh. I just smiled and Henry Ward Beecher, Francis Murlips, though it hurt me like blazes most rapid in the world. where I struck the sidewalk. I was and he said he did once on a steamboat excursion, but he eat a lemon and got over it. Pa thinks it is my It tell you, boss, it has struck in me too deep for pills, unless it is one to deep for pills forty pounds and wears a hat with a feather on. Say, if my girl should walk right into a burning lake of red

> and spripkled the floor, preparatory to sweeping out. "You have got the worst case I ever saw, and you better go cut and walk around a block," and the boy went out and forgot to hang out any sign.-[Peck's Sun.

The Mechanical World says that after careful investigation Dr. John is a firm believer in the scrap-book, etter go into the cellar, and Roebuck, grandfather of the late dis- and has an immense number of newstinguished member for Sheffield, has paper clippings properly indexed, from which he obtains much of the ventor, in 1762, of the process of converting cast-iron into malleable iron. Being a good practical chemist, the inquiries of Dr. Roebuck led him and Henry Ward Beecher has trunks to seek for more economical methods full of old papers. The late President The Best Spring Medicine and of smelting ore than those in use, and Garfield drew many of the anecdotes has up, and then pa told her he set up some works on the banks of and incidents with which be graced the Carron, a small stream near his speeches from a large collection Falkirk, in Scotland, being joined by several Birmingham and Glasgow French editor, probably carried the gentlemen. His specification dis-tinctly states that the cast-iron was melted on a hearth with a blast, and Prof. Do then worked "until reduced to na- ufactures cyclones to order. He ska diamond ear-rings in ture." In this state it was exposed ble, where she said no burglar to "the action of a hollow-pit coal wer find them, and pa and ma ake till daylight, and then pa wasn't straid on the pa

The Italian Antarctic expedition, ne delegates said, 'Mister, is which was recently shiwrecked off the m over, and is your family coast of Terra del Kuego, had the good fortune to be saved by missionaries and the Christian natives under their influence, thereby escaping such aid, what's a delegate, and a horrible fate as that of the crew of explained it, and pa apolo-and the delegate said it was massacred a few months earlier by r. as they had enjoyed them- the natives on the west coast. The al well in the cellar. Ma Italian Government will present a tified most to death, but the stold her it was all right. She lat pa, first, but when she aries effected the rescue.

the potted plants in the wanted to kill pa, and I sir?" asked one individual of another would only for the society in front of a saloon in St. Paul, Minu., was a burden because he had no decorations. I said to him: "Pay some one to write a book upon the antique." delegates. She couldn't help one day last week. "I'm not a mem-pa he was a bald-headed old ber of the Legislature," was the reply,

ho is old enough to have A cloudburst happened recently on you with a decoration." Two years a sawed off on her ought to the farm of Mr. Sutton, near Milton, later I saw him again. Eastern Oregon. It destroyed forty covered with pieces of metal attached acres of wheat, swept away fences and outbuildings and drowned many my hand; tears of gratitude glistened boxing match, and every-calves and sheep, causing a loss to in his eyes. He had followed my sall right on the surface: Mr. Sutton of \$5,000.

OSCULATION.

He kissed me—and I knew 'twas wrong, For he was neither kith nor kin; Need one do penance very long For such a tiny little sin?

He pressed my hand—that was not right; Why will men have such wicked ways? It was not for a moment quite. But in it there were days and days!

There's mischief in the moon, I know, I'm positive I saw her wink When I requested him to go; I meant it too—I think.

But, after all, I'm not to blame, He took the kiss: I do think men Are born without a sense of shame! I wonder when he'll come again!

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new tints and shades are puzzlingalmost as much so as blindman's buff.

An intelligent London fish merchant

Glucose is too oxpensive to use in its native purity, and a factory has been established in Florida to make some sort of nastiness out of compti and cassava, to be used as a glucose

for glucose. Pulitzer, the new owner of the New York World, married the niece of Jefmy girl saying to me, "Hennery, let york World, married the niece of Jef-up on that.' I slupped up on a banana ferson Davis. She is a remarkably peel yesterday and hurt myself, and handsome woman. In St. Louis, they were known as Beauty and Beast.

looked tickled till her hair went down and the smile came back again to her Francis Train. The last two are the

The catcher of the Toledo, Ohio telling pa about it, and asked him base ball nine is a colored man named if he ever felt as though his soul was Walker. He has a fine collegiate going right out towards somebody, education, and puts in his spare moments reading law. His favorite work is "Spalding on Estoppals."

paid 32 cents a day, out of which they will have to feed and clothe themselves.

set funeral you ever saw. it struck they got the door and came in the hall, and the and came in the hall, and the say. At a recent dinner party in Paris there was provided a novelty which may possibly become a feature of dinner and came. "Oh, give us a rest," said the gro-cery man, as he took a basin of water side each plate was a telephone, which was connected with a distant salon, where a superb orchestra was playing. The guests were thus able, between the courses, to pass the time pleasantly in listening to good music instead of making obvious remarks about the weather.

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