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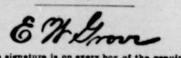
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repeating."

Doesn't Boast of It Now.

Nell-She used to boast that she was one of the charter members of the Woman's Suffrage Club. She doesn't appear to be so proud of it

Belle-Oh! she's just as proud, but reunions. you know, the club was organized 15 least 20 when she joined.

slew circulation, brought on by long continued sickness, malarial poisoning, torpid

malarial poisoning, torpid liver, the use of mercury, or

stroy the vitality of the blood and break down the constitu-

ion. These old chronic sores

last sometimes for years, eat-ing into the flesh, muscles,

"A Cornell professor says that frog spawn can be carried up in the at-mosphere and hatched out in the clouds.

"By gum, you bet I'll carry an umbrella the next time I go out.'

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Wirlie-Pa, is there any difference between a violin and a fiddle? Pa-Yes, my son; If you hear it at a concert or an opera it's a violin, but when your next door neighbor plays it it's a fiddle.

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

Danger Signs. Dusty Dan-I hopes I won't run aginst ennybuddy in dis town wot'll

make me take a bath. Layaround Lucas-Let's go t'roo dis alley, den; look at dem guys sprinklin' wid hose down de street.

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A Shrewd Fellow.

Swiggers-That man Killtime is a

Swaggers-Why?

cut the grass.

She-Not at all. You may as well

or ulcers. A cut or any injury to the flesh heals in a few days,

years ago, and she must have been at ask a woman her age as to ask her As the ambulance was carrying the what year she graduated.

nature supplying the healing nature supplying the healing balm in the form of healthy, new blood; but when the circulation is tainted with poisonous germs, humors or any effect matter, a slight scratch or abrasion of the skin becomes a festering sore, tiny pimples grow to be boils, swollen joints and inflamed glands often break out into offensive, slow healing

swollen joints and inflamed glands often break out into offensive, slow healing sores. A polluted blood is always a menace to health; not only does it keep the skin in a chronic state of inflammation, but every organ and fibre of the body suffers from an impure and sluggish circulation. You never feel well, you are not and never can be well until the system is relieved of its terrible load of impurities. With the blood so contaminated, so deeply poisoned, ulcers, boils and sores of every kind are apt to become chronic and often develop into Cancer.

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the business doctor. The business doctor is a man who goes to business houses and is allowed to examine thor oughly the whole working of the "maoughly the whole working of the "machine." He finds out, for example, how the letters are opened and distributed how orders are executed, how many people are employed, what is the exact nature of the work they do, what are the wages they are receiving, and so chine." He finds out, for example, how and his economy in politics has kept him out of office. He thinks he can the wages they are receiving, and so about your case you do not underon. In the case of a large concern he stand. may need a week to get a full possession of the facts, and he charges at least \$60 a day for his work. When he has completed his investigations he draws up a report and adds to it at letters at Mrs. Pinkham's Laborate letters at Mrs. Pinkham's Laborate letters at Mrs. Pinkham's Laborate letters at Mrs. draws up a report, and adds to it a number of practical suggestions. His letters are confidential and advice absocially to check the constant tendency in working expenses to rise year by year without any compensating advantages. One of the largest department stores in the city employed the services of a "dector" recently the constant tendency in working expenses to rise year by year without any compensating advantages. Here is the letter:—"It is with pleasure that I add my testimony to your list, hoping it may induce others to avail the more in the city employed the services of a "dector" recently in the constant tendency in working expenses to rise year by year without any compensating advantages. object is to prevent waste, and espe lutely free. stores in the city employed the services of a "doctor" recently. He found that the partners came down about 10 and opened the letters together. As their correspondence was enormous, the opening of the letters necessitated a E. Pinkham's waste of much valuable time. He therefore advised that a woman who was to be paid a salary of \$1,000 a year should be engaged to open the letters before the partners arrived, and sort tired, had sick them, allotting each partner his own headaches, no letters, so that when he came down to appetite. business he might deal with them immediately. This recommendation was adopted, and has been found to save a great deal of precious time, as was intended. He also advised the rearrange-

to little.-New York Evening Post.

small children, owns a pony which is their constant companion. They have ridden him, rolled over him, fed him, and have come to consider him as one of the family. When the children went on an expedition and did not want to ride, the pony went along as if he had been a pet dog. A San Francisco news-paper tells the following story of the pony's presence of mind:

One day the three children went on a by. Suddenly, almost beneath the feet Lawd, I'm goin' to blow his damn of the nut gatherers, there was an ominous whir, and they saw with horror a huge rattlesnake colled ready to

The children huddled together, too much frightened to move, but as the ing a charity case, in which a boy of 15 deadly head went back, there was a was charged with arson. He made a quick trample of hoofs, a rush through strong case to prove the defendant an the bushes, and the pony appeared. With his four little sharp hoofs which was practically an order for acbrought together he shot up into the air. quittal, the jury brought in a verdict of

could strike. frightened children from the charm, gravest doubts whether I have the and they ran a short distance away. right to move for a new trial. Your and stopped to witness the contest. The honor, I have already asked for and was wounded, but full of fight. received for my idle and colled again, and again the pony landed on him and got away safely. This time the snake's body was nearly jury of his peers." severed in two places, and the snake was conquered. The pony walked round it, and, apparently satisfied, gave a

Had Fun with the Parson. A clerical friend of mine told me a capital story of a Yale man who was the stroke oar of his crew and the chief

cheerful whinny and returned to his

athlete on the football field. He entered the ministry and spent years in missionary labor in the Far West. Walking one day through a frontier town, a cowboy stepped up to him and said:

"Parson, you don't have enough fun. Take a drink!" The minister declined.

"Well," he said, "parson, you must have some fun. Here's a faro layout. Take a hand in the game."

The minister declined. "Parson," said the cowboy, "you'll die if you don't have some fun." And he knocked the parson's hat off his head and hit him a whack on the

The old athletic spirit rose; the science which had been learned in the college gymnasium and forgotten for a Swiggers-He gave a lawn mowing quarter of a century was aroused, a party yesterday and had the guests blow landed on the jaw of that cowboy that sent him sprawling in the

The parson walked over him as if he He-It's strange you members of had been a door rug, picked him up and the Vassar alumni don't hold class dusted the side of the house with him and then mopped up the sidewalk with

cowboy off he raised his head feebly "Parson, what did you fool me for?

You are chock full of fun."-New York A Dream Dispelled.

The woman was standing in the doorway, shading her eyes with her hand. She called across the garden: "You, Innocence Williams. Come in honey, outen that hot sun. You'll burn

yer little cheeks as brown ez a berry. Come in, Innocence!" One would have expected to see a fairy-like creature rise, as from the heart of a flower, and drift dreamily over the violet beds. But instead, a gaunt, tall figure, with face browned and bonneted, shambled toward the house, dragging a dead rattlesnake by

its rattles. It was Innocence Williams. "Thar, mammy!" she explained, tossing the snake over the palings. "That makes ten I've kilt sence the fust o' June!"-Atlanta Constitution.

The Bright Side.

I become afflicted with a severe sore lag and from the knee to the foot was one solid sore, which was very offensive. I spent over \$1,000 on two trips to Hot Springs, and local physicians treated me to no purpose. I had about decided to have my leg amputated, when a friend induced me to try S. S. S. I began to take your medicine, and in the short space of seven months it has completely and thoroughly cured me. My leg is a witness today as to what S. S. will do when taken regularly. The sore has healed entirely and my health has improved wonderfully. I have already gained 20 pounds.

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Olittle.—New York Evening Post.

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Waiting for His Man. A preacher riding down a ravine came upon an old mountaineer hid-

"What are you doing there, my friend?" nutting expedition, and while they answer. "I'm a-waitin' for Bill gathered the nuts, the pony grazed near Johnson, and, with the help of the

head off.

A Sarcastic Lawyer. The late Henry W. Payne, of the Massachusetts bar, was once defend-Avegetable Preparation for As-

idiot. After a charge from the judge, landed squarely on the snake's coll, and guilty. The judge asked Payne if he was off again before the wicked head | would move for a new trial. "I thank you for your suggestion," was the an-The interruption had released the swer, "but I am oppressed with the precious heritage of our English and

American common law-a trial by a Payne had an old quarrel with the Supreme Court, and never lost an opportunity of showing his contempt for that body. Once, riding from Boston to Cambridge with a load of law books, he was accosted by a young Harvard man with the remark: "You have quite a load, Mr. Payne. Law books, I suppose?" "Oh, no," was the answer,

"only Supreme Court reports."-New The Poor City Boy. Oh, the city boy is bundled In his heavy overcoat, With his costly leather leggings, With a silk thing round his throat, And he slides upon the sidewalk Where the ashes have been spread,

And Imagines he is happy

On

'Neath

bright

eled There's a bill that's high and sloping, In the country, far away, Where a boy who wasn't bundled Fit to smother used to stray: With the swiftness of the lightning Down the gleaming bill he sped, And no ashes ever grate'

made

Oh, I pity the poor city Boy who never gets beyond The narrow, ashy sidewalk Or some hampered little nond. Ah, the hill was high and sloping, And the way was clear ahead Where a country boy went coasting

First of the Vanderbilts. The first of the Vanderbilts in this

country was Jan Aertsen Van der Bilt, a Holland farmer, who came to the new world in the first half of the seventeenth century, and who settled in the neighborhood of Brooklyn, about 1650. As the name indicates, the family belonged originally to either the village of Bilt, a suburb of Utrecht, or the parish of Bilt, in Frisia.

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"In auction sales the property put up is anybody's until the auctioneer says 'gone' or 'sold' and the hammer drops. No matter how the sale is regretted, or how much the parties would like to retract it, it stands and the court will sustain it.

"In a will they are 'give, devise and bequeath.' Real property is 'devised' and personal property 'bequeathed.' "In a note the borrower must 'promise' to pay, and in a bond he must

'bind' himself.

"In some States in a deed certain words are necessary to convey real estate. The courts have held generally, however, that the word 'grant' will carry a good title. In New York, for inquite a formula, and are 'grant' bar- All Kinds Carried in Stock. stance, the operative words constitute gain, sell, assign, transfer, set over and convey.' That's the old form. Now the words 'grant and release' are suffi-

"In a lease the word 'let' must be used. They have an odd formula in New York, used for centuries, probably, consisting of 'grant' demise and to farm let,' and it applies to all kinds of property. In a quitciaim deed the I guess that's a horse on me." word 'quitclaim' must be used .-Washington Stat

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