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Martyr to Knowledge. Lady-Were you pleased with proud of? school, little boy?" Boy-Naw! Dey made me face, an' when I went home bit me 'cause he didn't know

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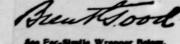
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oe-Do I? My dear boy, I've made

fred-With what result? foe-Well, I've succeeded in reducmy ignorance of it to a science.

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"I don't like yer story," said the liville reader. 'Maybe not now," replied the auth-

"but it will grow on you." "I hope not," was the reply, "fer In spite of all efforts to prevent it, se got three carbuncles now."—At the filthy secretions and mucous mat-

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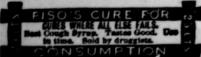
Recuperating.

One day little four-year-old Cora was he answered:

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"Well," remarked the little lady, "he coght to get hisself oiled."-Young People's Paper.

"A cricket, dear," replied her

Justifiable Hauteur.

Pauline - Have you nothing to be Penelope-Yes. I'm proud that I haven't any false pride.

One of the best pieces of advice for a safe journey through life I saw on a eign at a railroad crossing. The sign read: "Stop! Look! Listen!"-Bal- bouses," said the young man who parts a person should go only so far as to timore American.

The ins and Outs of it. "Is your master in?" asked the cal- or.

ler of the servant at the door. "Deed, sub, I don't know fo' sure." "Can't you find out?" "Well, suh, it's dis way: Ef

alley (looking at the thermomHumm! I don't like your teme.

Stodent—Then why did you take structed fampoon.

"Well, suh, it's dis way: Ef yo'
borrowed of him, he say he's in jes' dat much; but clearn that can not be cured by Hall's clear that ca

Towns-You don't mean to my you didn't notice that earthquake shock? Browne-I guess I was home in Aiguhurst at the time. Tonne-But the shake must have

been perceptible there. Browns-I guess all of us took it for e you will become a permanent it. No other brand in the our malaria.—Philadelphia Press.

All the World's a 'Pothecary Shop. Sez-o-Royter is not an author; he's born chemiet. Tizeo-Why?

Sezeo-Every novel he writes becomes a drug on the market.-Brooklyn

What She Was Thinking. Gladys - I'm something of a mind 121 years. reader myself. Ethel-Indeed?

Gladys-Yes; I can usually tell at a glance what a person thinks of me. Ethel-Wonderful! But don't you with him, but at last he became impaoften find it awfully embarrassing? tient and said: Exchange.

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In the old days they spoke of a li-censed fool. If all the fools were required to have a license now, the government could do away with its other taxes and still maintain the surplus. There's "single tax" for you.

Just What Happened. "Penelope," said the anxious mother, teacher the subject of his geography

"tell me truly, did Charles kise you lesson, answered promptly: ast night?" "There was a slight labial juxta-

position as Charles took his leave, mother, but I assure you it was only momentary and therefore inocuous."

Thwarted Them. "Why did old Rollingold give away all his money?" "He was afraid his relatives would have him adjudged incapable of taking care of it."

A Different State. Towns-Fleiman's home for a short trip from his new ranch in Texas. Browne-Yes, I saw him.

Towne-He's so full of Texas he can't talk of anything else. Browne-When I saw him I noticed that he couldn't talk of anything, but I thought it was because he was full of Kentucky.-Philadelphia Press.

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Softleigh -- Are you quite sure Miss Banks is not in? The Maid-Of course I am. gave me one of your photographs in order to make me doubly sure.

Berlin's Oldest "Weiss Beer" Saloon. Berlin's oldest "weise bier" saloon is being torn down. It was in the Charlottenetrasse and had been open

The other morning little Howard got up unusually cross. Roy tried to play

"I guess you got up on the wrong side of the bed." Little Howard

promptly replied:
"No, 'Oy. I dot up on mamma's

Mothers will fine Mrs. Winstow's Soothing Syrup the best remedy to use for their shildren during the teething period.

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"Longitude and Shortitude."

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THE SPEAKERSHIP.

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Some Facts About the Position Which Reed and Henderson Quit.

Among the earliest duties which will devolve upon the recently elections which will devolve upon the recently elections of the Pifty-eighth Congress will be the choice of a speaker, and present indications make it problems.

No Amateur. Bill-That man is a horrible lisr. Jill-O, I don't know; I think he's good at it .- Yonkers Statesman.

Quite Appropriate.

He-I wonder why Mrs. Splugg dresses so loud? She-Oh, her hubsand is quite deaf

Gentlemen:-I had all the symptoms that accompany this disease, such as

muous dropping in the throat, a con-

of dryness in the throat, sough and spitting upon rising in the morning,

scabs forming in the nose, which re-

times causing the nose to bleed and

leaving me with a sick headache. I

quired much effort to blow out, some-

stant desire to hawk and spit, feeling

LOOK OUT FOR

When the cold wave flag is up, freezing weather is on the way. Winter here in earnest, and with it all the miserable symptoms of Catarrh eturn-blinding headaches and neuralgia, thick mucous discharges from the nose and throat, a hacking cough and pain in the chest, bad taste in the mouth, fetid breath, nausea and all that makes Catarrh the nost sickening and disgusting of all complaints. It causes a feeling of personal defilement and mortification that keeps one nervous and anxious while Manchester, Va., March 6, 1901.

in the company of others.

In spite of all efforts to prevent it, er find their way into the Stomach and are distributed by the blood to every nook and corner of the system; the Stomach and Kidneys, in fact every organ and part of the body, become infected with the catarrhal poison. This disease is rarely, if ever, even in itsearliest stages, a purely local disease or simple inflammation of the cose and throat, and this is why sprays, washes, powders and the various inhaling mixtures fail to cure. Heredity

had thus suffered for five years. I commenced to take S. S. S. and after I had taken three large bottles, I noticed a change for the better. Thus encouraged, I continued to take it and in a short while was entirely sured. JUDSON A. BELLAM. is sometimes back of it-parents have It and so do their children. Main and Vine Sta., Richmond, Va. In the treatment of Catarrh, anti-

rying to stand on her head. Her septic and soothing washes are good for cleansing purposes or clearing the other asked her what she was doing. head and throat, but this is the extent of their usefulness. To cure Catarry permanently, the blood must be purified and the system relieved of its load of foul secretions, and the remedy to accomplish this is S. S. S. which has no equal as a blood purifier. It restores the blood to a natural, healthy state and the catarrhal poison and effete matter are carried out of the system through the proper channels. S. S. S. restores to the blood all its good qualities, and when

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THINGS YOU MAY NOT DO Easy Thing to Break the Law and

Even in a free country such as this there are things that one may not own or have in his or her possession, however innocent may be the intent. Pos-

session frequently may mean legal entanglement and State or National Government must be reckuned with. For instance, a garden full of Canads thisties is calculated to make a deal of trouble for the owner of the ground, even though he may not know Canada thistie from a currant bush. These thisties are persons non grats in the United States generally and a substantial fine awaits the person who allows the weed to grow upon ground under his control. It is not a good thing for the citizen

however sciencific may be his study of the criminal classes, for in the mere possession of them the law concedes that the holder has ulterior motives Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. regarding them. At any rate it requires a good round sum to make such a collection, as frequently a single table Compound. I have suffered for tool out of a kit may cost \$25. If four years with irregular and painful poer house, leaving his kit or any poertion of it, a safe place in which to put it is the nearest police station.

The United States Government will make trouble for you if you have rine boat, the patents of which were The United States Government will purchased by an English company, has make trouble for you if you have any portions of a brewing or distilling plant. Beer vats and distilling kettles may not be used for any other pur-"I'm getting tired of boarding pose than brew and distilling, and if "I've half a make a bathtub out of one or the good for sick woman as your other of them he would be incurring "Of course," growled the old bachel- the displeasure of his government.

> a felony. It is presumed that a man. woman or child should be able to determine whether a coin or bill is gen ulne, and the attempt to pass it may be followed by extreme consequences. If you should be at a country railroad station and see a mail pouch lying on a rail, where the incoming train would cut it in two, you would better let it lie. Touching a pouch of United States mail with even a foot is a technical crime, and it is altogether owing to the disposition of the postmaster and the United States mar- Mrs. Corn. shal of the district how much trouble may be made for you.

Altogether the postal department has some stringent regulations. If you receive a letter from a friend on which the stamp is not canceled it is against a specific statute for you to pluck off the stamp and use it again. France, and under sentence of death There are several kinds of vigorous for the murder of a woman, and licked language which you cannot transmit bis hand, on the morning of the day of by letter.

pouch, it is different with a letter which a carrier has delivered at the address on the envelope. Dropping the letter at the place marked, the carrier absolves his government from any other responsibility, and if after the letter has been delivered another person takes it and opens it there is no recourse through the Postoffice De-

partment. Carrying cone aled deadly weapons almost universally is against the provisions of both State statutes and city ordinances. In this connection there is a queer fact concerning the carrying of a revolver in some places. If a man has one in his pock-t and i arrested incidentally on suspicion be was locked up and assessed the usus fine; if he chances to be carrying onand is attacked by thugs he may usthe weapon, killing one or two of his assailants, and not even be arrested.

able that the speaker will be chosen from the West.

The speaker of the Fifty-seventh Congress, David B. Henderson, was the first to be chosen from the territory west of the Mississippi.

The first speaker was F. A. Mublenburg of Pennsylvania. The post of speaker was held in the Twenty-fourth Who Enjoy the Choicest Products and Twenty-fifth Congresses by James K. Polk, afterwards President. Speakers of the House of Represen

tatives who have been candidates for President are numerous and include Henry Clay, John Bell and James G. Blaine. Schuyler Colfax, after having been speaker, was Vice President of the United States.

It must be apparent to every one that qualities of the highest order are neces-The oldest surviving speaker is Gasary to enable the best of the products of lusha A. Grow, born in 1825, and modern commerce to attain permanently speaker from 1861 to 1863.

The last Democratic speaker, Churles One surviving speaker, John G. Carbut of the many who have the happy liste, though elected Representative in Kentucky, is now a resident of the local to the loca

though pre-eminent in nearly all other excellent of its kind. The above is true though pre-eminent in heariy all other political offices, has had in the country's history but one speaker, John W. Keifer, who served only a single term. The State of New York has had no speaker since the close of the Ninespeaker since the close of the Ninespe

gressional representation. Congress than any of his predeces-tended for family use. Ask any physi-sors, the total membership of the next clan who is well informed and he will House being 386.

Still in It. "So Graphter is out of politics now."

"Nonsense! Who told you that?" "Exactly. Most of the stock he took roved worthless. He holds out for the

These equal rights old girls look at he editorials of a paper first when any one is around, but when alone they turn to the love stories first, the same as any other young thing.

ng green now."-Philadelphia Pres.

Many men, in looking for work, stum-



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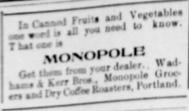
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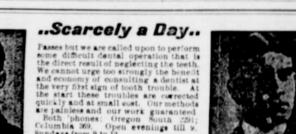
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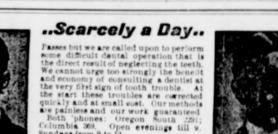
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