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An Accommodating Neighbor.
The following conversation of two
young ladies was overheard a few
nights ago in a Sixth avenue electric
car, reports the New York Times:
"Do you know, I think she is abso-
lutely the meanest woman I ever
knew?"
"Why, what is the matter with
her?"
"Matter? Why, everything. She
does nothing but borrow from mor-
ning to night. You know, she has the
apartment just across the hall from us,
and the day she moved in she started
by borrowing an egg from mother. The
next day she borrowed a cup of sugar,
and since that time she has borrowed
everything from a piece of butter to
the baby carriage, and has never made
any attempt to return a single thing.
I have often told mother that I was
going to borrow some of the things
back, but she has always forbidden me.
Last night, however, I had to
write some letters, and I had no ink.
It was raining very hard, and mother
was out, so I resolved that rather than
go out in the rain I would disobey
orders and ask our neighbor to let me
have her ink. I asked her, and what
do you think she said? 'I haven't any
ink, but I'll let you take my shoe pol-
ish. It is just as good. It dries quick-
ly but you can write just as well with
it.' Oh, I never met a meaner woman
in my life!"

Beautiful Marks of Maple.
Nobody seems to know what cause it
is which produces those delicate and
beautiful lines in maple, known as
bird's-eye. Some people think they
come from the hundreds of little
branches which shoot out over the
trunk of the tree as soon as a clearing
is made around it. Expert timbermen
say that is not the case. The only way
to tell a bird's-eye maple tree is to cut
it. There are no outward signs by which
one can judge. The Railroad Gazette
tells a story of the late George M. Pul-
man. Many years ago he was offered a
mahogany log for \$3,000, to be cut into
veneers. It was supposed to be a very
fine piece of wood, but this could only
be determined by cutting it. He de-
clined the offer, but agreed to take the
log cut into veneers for what it was
worth. The owner had it sawed and
was paid \$7,000 for his veneers. Any
one who can discover the secret of de-
termining the interior nature of wood
from the outside will have a fortune.

Eggs-Acely.
"I see," said the telegraph editor,
"that a woman in New York has sued
her husband for divorce because he
pelted her with eggs."
"And she probably wants to get out
of the yolk," remarked the stock hu-
morist.
"Did omelet him—"
"Her name wasn't Omelette, anyhow,"
said the copy reader; "that's the worst
joke ever hatched."
"Say, you fellows, drop that shell
game and get to work!" growled the
fellow that fixes the salaries. And at
once more quiet reigned.—Baltimore
News

No Bath, No Wife.
Among the Turks bath money forms
an item in every marriage contract,
the husband engaging to allow his
wife a certain sum for bathing pur-
poses. Should it be withheld she has
only to go before the cadl and turn
her slipper upside down, and if the
complain be not then redressed it is
ground for a divorce.

Taking No Chances.
"Some one was telling me that par-
lor matches aren't legal any more,"
said Marquiduke.
"Let's go into the sitting room,"
said Alice, hastily leading the way.—
New York Sun.

Poor Proof of Insanity.
At Edinburgh, Scotland, a lady has
been found insane who left \$2,000 to
provide a fund for the rescue of sane
persons improperly placed in lunatic
asylums.

Spilling for a Fight.
"That American prize fighter will
spare no expense in his match with
the Frenchman."
"Is that so?"
"Yes, he's even willing to have it
come off by cable."

CHANGE OF LIFE. "POOR DIGESTION LANGUID AND TIRED."

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The Ideal Husband.

She—Gertrude says she will never marry until she finds her ideal.
He—What is her ideal?
"Oh, any man who will ask her."—Kansas City Journal.

Spite.

George—Jack is penning something to his Arabella's eyebrows.
Mabel—They're already penciled.—New York Sun.

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"Well," said the girl, her eyes wide open with excitement, "it was so dark in there I didn't see the other piece."

The Only Thing Wanted.

Mrs. Noorich—Isn't it grand to ride in your own carriage?
Mr. Noorich—Yes, but I'd enjoy it more if I could stand on the sidewalk and see myself ride by.—Brooklyn Life.

Considerable Differ-ence.

The Idiot—Bet you don't know wherein lies the difference between a good cook and a poor printer's devil.
The Victim—Inburdening your son.

No Danger.

"Do you think there is any danger of America being dominated by Europe?"
"No, sir," answered Mr. Meekton with extraordinary emphasis; "not so long as eminent Europeans continue to marry American girls."—Washington Star.



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