

THE SALESGIRL TALKS.

It was one of those loathly "match- ing" missions, undertaken, with dire threats in case of nonfulfillment, at the breakfast table that morning, that brought me alongside the ribbon counter of the great department store.

one that don't bark at us. We hate t' break out the plant and steer for the hall room with the coyote music in our ears, and that's what it sounds like at the end of a long day when we snag a piller to be waited on just before the big doors are closed and we're due to vamp.

WAR TERMS NOT UNDERSTOOD

"Forlorn Hope," for instance, Has Not the Meaning With Which It is Credited.

In the course of every war one hears a great deal about "forlorn hopes." The term is one of the most misused in the vocabulary of war. It is commonly understood to mean "lost troop"—that is "detached troop."

WRONG TO TEASE CHILDREN

Trick Altogether Too Frequently Indulged in by the Older Members of the Family.

It is not at all unusual to see the older children of a family teasing the younger ones, while the mother often pays no attention or seems to think it of no importance.

WHY POPES NEVER PREACH

Tradition of the Church, That Has Seldom Been Broken, Forbids Presence in Pulpit.

The preparation and delivery of sermons which impose such a heavy burden of toil upon other ministers of God have no terrors for the pope, for the good and sufficient reason that the traditions of the church forbid his preaching.

A Russian Sentinel.

The sternest ideal of military duty is fulfilled by the Russian soldier. An illustration is given by an English officer who has seen service in the East.

Irresistible.

Some jations (of a remote world) were very intent upon living at peace one with another—so intent that they spent enormous sums in making themselves prepared for war.

Even Sneezes Alike.

The machine-like character of the German army, of which so much has been heard, did not escape the sarcasm of Bismarck when the relative merits of soldiers and politicians were under discussion.

The blow which knocked out Corbett was a revelation to the prize fighters. From the earliest days of the ring the knock-out blow was aimed for the jaw, the temple or the jugular vein.

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