BOTH IN HARD LUCK .- This story opens on the third floor of a magnificent New York apartment house.

"He had been twisting about on his chair trying to find words to express his undying devotion, and had already came from the floor below:

"Miss Candlestick," it said, "I love you passionately—madly; bid me but hope, and all the dark colors of my life will change!"

This was a bonanza for the young man above.

"Miss Clara, darling," he said, tremulously, "them's my sentiments." Then another voice came from be-

"No, Mr. Goatee, I cannot bid you hope; I love another." "And them's mine, Mr. Morris," remarked Miss Clara.

A SURE SIGN .- Kind old gentleman, to street boy-Where were you born, my son? Boy-Dunno, sir.

"Ah, you don't know. What are you going to do when you become a man?" "Rob trains."

"Ah, (musingly), the little fellow was born in Missouri."

"EDITOR'S BACK STAIRS."

The Interesting Views of the Late Dr. J. G. Helland.

The columns of the newspapers appear to be flooded with proprietary medicine advertisements. As we cast our eye over them, it brings to mind an article that was published by the late Dr. Holland in Scribner's Monthly. He says: "Nevertheless, it is a fact that many of the best proprietary medicines of the day were more successful than many physicians, and most of them, it should be remembered were at first discovered or used in actual medicai practice. When, however, any shrewd person, knowing their virtue, and forseeing their popularity, secures and advertises them, then, in the opinion of the bigoted, all virtue went ont of them."

Is not this absurd? This great man appreciated the real merits of popular remedies, and the absurdity of those that derided them because public attention was called to the article and the evidence of their cures. If the most noted physician should announce that he had made a study of any certain organ or disease of the body, or make his sign larger than the code size, though he may have practiced medicine and been a leader in all medical counsels, not withstanding all this, if he should presume to advertise and decline to give his discovery to the public, he would be pronounced a quack and a humbug, although he may have spent his entire life and all his available funds in perlecting his investigations

Again we say, "absurd." If an ulcer is found upon one's arm, and is cured by some dear old grandmother, outside of the code, it will be good. pronounced by the medical profession

grandmother's remedy. This appears like a severe arraignment, yet we believe that it expresses because it assists in putting the kid-neys in proper condition, thereby aiding in throwing off the impurities of the litter. blood, while others with less honesty and experience deride, and are willing to see their patient die scientifically, and according to the code, rather than have him cured by this great remedy.

Yet we notice that the popularity of the medicine continues to grow year by year. The discoverer comes boldly before the people with its merits, and proclaims them from door to door in our opinion much more honorably than the physician who, perchance, may secure a patient from some catastrophe, and is permitted to set a bone of an arm or a finger, which he does with great dignity, yet so very soon after takes the liberty to climb the editor's back stairs at 2 o'clock in the morning to have it announced in the morning paper that "Dr. So-and-so was in attendance," thus securing for his benefit a beautiful and froe advertisement.

We shall leave it to our readers to say which is the wiser and more honor-

CARPET DEALER—Yes, madame, that is a fine stair carpet and very dur-

Woman-Will it last well? "Madame, fourteen years ago I sold a piece of that carpet to a woman and

she used it ten years steady."
"Then did she throw it away?" "No, madame, I should say not. For the last four years her boy has worn it for every day pants."

Hafton, consulting his books—Um!
Ah! Yes, I see. Well, don't mind that, my dear fellow. You see, my son was just graduated from a business college, and this is some of his double neifer will give milk nearly the year

It Makes You Hungry



Celery Compound

has had a salutary did ten years ago. The winter of 1888-89 has left effect. It invigorated the nerves all fagged out. The nerves must be edthe system and I strengthened, the blood purified, liver and LAND, Primus, S. C.

feel like a new bowels regulated. Paine's Celery Compou man. It improves the Spring medicine of to-day—does all this, as nothing else can. Prescribed by Physicians, facilitates digestron." J.T. Cope-Guaranteed by the Manufacturers to be Paine's

The Best

is a unique tonic and appetizer. Pleasant to the taste, quick in its action, and without any injurious effect, it gives that rugged health which makes everything taste good. It cures dyspepsia and kindred disorders. Physicians prescribe it. \$1.00. Six for \$5.00. Druggists.

WELLS, RICHARDSON & Co., Burlington, Vt. DIAMOND DYES Color anything any color. LACTATED FOOD The Physician's Javorite.

FARM NOTES.

THE CUT WORM.—The cut worm is an interesting subject. Whatever anybody has to say about it will be read by the average farmer with care. We observe that an eastern writer says that salt is no remedy. He says that he has kept the worm in salt, and that it has lived and maintained a good degree of health. We should be inclined to doubt that if an apparently truthful man had not asserted it. Come to think of it, we doubt it anyhow. This writer thinks that the frost is the best remedy for the cut worm. He can endure the cold beneath the surface, but when he is turned up out of the ground where the frost can get right down on him it soon ends his existence. To clear a field of cut worms plow the ground in the fall as late as possible, and leave the ground in the rough furrow without harrowing. No matter how much sod there be or how heavy the soil, but few cut worms will you what, I've a good mind to give it escape. However, to make assurance to Mary Morison for her wedding presdoubly sure, cross-plow the field in the ent! spring as early as possible, so as to give the frost another chance, and you can put in your corn or early vegetables in ble to us! You ought to give her a perfect security. The frost will not real present, you know-a fan or a only kill out the cut worms, but will scent bottle, or something of that sort! pulverize the clods and render the soil easier of cultivation during the growing season. Fall plowing saves work farmer is anxious to hurry his crops. and Clarence de Johnes?" No farm upon which late plowing is practiced is troubled with the cut worm. It left alone, the cut worm gets out of the way of the frost long before it appears, but seldom goes deeper than the plow, and if thrown out late in the fall is unable to get the habit, but he persisted in it." back to a safe depth. Sod land is not the only place for the cut worm Let all classes of soil be plowed. It will be a benefit even if no worms are pres-

The writer will find people who will not agree with him. He will find those who will not believe that salt is useless, and he will find those who will not head, "why am I like the moon?" agree that fall plowing is a sovereign

WHEREVER forest leaves can be an ulcer of little importance. But if gathered for the purpose of littering treated under the code, causing sleep-less nights for a month, with the neglected. A statement has been made scientific treatment, viz., plasters, to the effect that a pile of leaves ten washes, dosing with morphine, arsenic | feet high and seventy-five feet square and other vile substances, given to at the base, after two years, left a resiprevent blood poisoning or deaden due of not more than two barrowloads; pain, and yet the ulcer becomes malignant, and amputation is made necestering work will not pay." Had these sary at last, to save life, yet all done leaves been put under a horse for litter according to the "isms" of the medithe animal would have enjoyed the cal code, this is much more gratifying soft, warm bedding, and they would to the medical profession, and adds have gone out with the manure and more dignity to that distinguished served a most valuable purpose in the order than to be cured by the dear old |soil, not only contributing to it useful plant food, but mixing with it absorbent, pulverulent matter which greatly improves the texture of both the true standing of the medical pro-fession in regard to remedies discovered of leaves would not have weighed over outside of their special "isms." One one thousand pounds, and it left two of the most perplexing things of the barrowloads of debris, after two years, day is the popularity of certain reme- which contained twice as much valudies, especially Warner's Safe Cure, able mineral matter and one and a which we find for sale everywhere, half times as much nitrogen as one The physician of the highest standing thousand pounds of timothy hay. But is ready to concede its merits and sus- who would call the gathering of tain the theories the proprietors have timothy hay free of cost for its use as made—that is, that it benfits in most of manure "puttering work?" The fact the allments of the human system is, the value of forest leaves is scarcely

> THE finest feed for steers that one could possibly imagine is Indian cornfodder cut up early enough in the fall to have it bright and green. If this fodder is grown so thick as to have ears about half or two-thirds the usual size upon each stalk the amount of feed will be surprisingly large, and there will still be sufficient grain to keep the animal thrifty even though a part of the feed is millet and oat straw. Such corn-stalks may be fed long, or, better yet, should be run through the feed-cutter and deposited in feeding boxes so constructed that the cattle cannot throw out the fodder in searching for parts of it.

TO TELL A SHEEP'S AGE,-It is often useful to be able to tell the age of sheep. At one year there are two large teeth in the centre of the jaw, and two are added each year up to five years, when the sheep is said to have a "full mouth." After this the age cannot be told by the teeth, and unless the animal is vigorous it has nearly outlived its usefulness, and should be outlived its usefulness, and should be prepared for the butcher. The Shepherd says that not many boys under fifteen can tell how many front teeth a sheep has in the under jaw.

A SUCCESSFUL Western fruit grower keeps borers from his trees by placing small pieces of soap in the crotches of the limbs, which the rains gradually dissolve and wash down over the stem and collar. He takes cheap bar soap Too Much Theory.—Customer, and collsr. He takes cheap bar soap angrily—Look here, Hafton; what do you mean by sending me this coal bill a second time? Why, man, I paid that second time? Why, man, I paid that about three inches long and presses that into the crotch. Such a piece will lest cloud a receipt for ast about a year.

Spring Medicine.

"In the spring of 1887 I was all run down. I would get up in the morning with so tired a feeling, and was so weak that I could hardly get around. I bought a bottle of Paine's Celery Compound, and before I had taken it a week I felt very much better. I can cheefully recommend it to all who need a building up and strengthening medicine." Mrs. B. A. Dow, Burlington, Yt.

AT Miss de Snobbe's musicale: Smith-I wonder what those two women over there can be talking about. They haven't listened to a single bit of

the music. Muttonhedde-Sh! They are two of the most prominent society leaders, and they are trying to manufacture a couple of grandfathers for the Centennial

To-Night and To-Morrow Night, And each day and night during the week you can get at all druggists' Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, acknowledged to be the most successful remedy ever sold for the cure of Coughs, Croup, Bronchitis, Whooping Cough, Asthma, and Consumption. Get a bottle to-day and keep it always in the house, so you can check your cold at once. Price 50c and \$1. Sample bottles free.

HARD LUCK?-He-by Jove, it's the best thing I ever painted, and I'll tell

His wifey-Oh, but, my love, the Morisons have always been so hospita-

"Is IT true, Angelina," said a young lady addressing an acquaintance, "that in the spring at a time when the there has been a rupture between you "It is quite true."

"Gracious! What was the couse?" "He was addicted to the use of slang."

"Yes, I begged him to discontinue "And the result?" "The result is, he is in the soup."

BANKRUPT .- He was taking her home, after the theatre and a little

supper at Delmonico's. "Darling," said he suddenly, as he gazed dreamily at the silvery disk over- on it.' And that's what I'm going to do." "It isn't because you are full, is it?" remedy. But fall plowing will do she asked, as she edged away from him. "No," said he, sadly; "it's because

I'm on my last quarter.' SCIENTIFIC. - First schoolboy - I wonder why do fireflies have fire in their stomachs?

Second schoolboy—Why, you precious idiot, they eat their food raw and that is where they cook it. That tired feeling, so subtle and yet so overpowering, is entirely overcome by Hood's Sarsa-

parilla, which tones and strengthens the system and gives a good appetite. Be sure to get Hood's Sarsaparilla. "100 Doses One Dollar" is true only of this peculiar medicine. Remove stains from the windows by

using diluted spirits of salt.

Rupture cureguaranteed by Dr. J. B. Mayer, 831 Arch St., Phil'a, Ease at once, no operation or delay from business, attested by thousands of cures after others fail, advice free, send for circular.

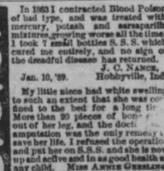
Fruit stains may be removed by

FITS: All Fits stopped free by Dr. Kitne's Great Nerve Hestorer. No Fits after first day's use. Mar-velous cures. Treatise and \$2.00 trial bottle free to Fit cases. Send to Dr. Kline, 931 Arch St. Phila., Pa. Above all things avoid laziness.

lfafflicted with sore eyes use Dr. Isaac Thompson's Eye-water. Druggists sell at 25c. per bottle Lend, hoping for nothing.

Ely's Cream Balm Price 50 Cents. WILL CURE





ook on Blood Diseases sent free.

BWIFT SPROIFIC Co.

Drawer S. Atlanta, Gs.

NOTHING TOO GOOD .- Editor, to gentleman just arrived—We don't want any poetry.

Gentleman-No? "Nor prose."

"No?"

"Nor blank verse." "How would a \$2 bill suit you for a year's subscription in advance?"

"Why, my dear sir, why didn't you say so at first? (To office boy), James, give this gentleman a couple of chairs and the floor to spit on."

TRAMP—Please, mum, I'm starving. Won't you let me have a postage stamp to lick?

Experienced housekeeper-Why, certainly. My husband is just finishing a letter to John L. Sullivan, offering to fight him anywhere, at any time, for \$10,000 a side, Marquis of Queensbury rules. Wait until he is through and perhaps he'll let you put the stamp on. Tramp, hastily departing-Thankee kindly, mum, but maybe I can git a stamp at the next house without wait-

Nothing Cures Dropsy, Gravel, Bright's, Heart, Diabates, Urinary, Liver Diseases, Nervousness, &c., ilke Cann's Kidney Cure. Office, 831 Arcli St., Phils. \$1 a bottle, 6 for \$5. At Druggists. Cures the worst cases Cure guarantees. Try it.

Save your cold tea; it is excellent for cleaning grained wood.

Frazer Axle Grease. The Frazer Axle Grease received medals at the Centennial, North Carolina State

Fair, Paris Exposition, American Insti-tute, New York, and others.

Never put a hot iron directly upon silk-it takes the life cut of it.

No OPIUM in Piso's Cure for Consumpion. Cures where other remedies fail. 25c.

"I was badly bitten by files in every ountry in Europe except Belgium." "Have they none there?"

"I don't know. I didn't go there."

DIDN'T FINISH .- Winks-I didn't see you around yesterday.

Minks-No. I had a room that needed papering and painting, and I thought I'd stay home and do it myself. But can't stop to talk-I'm in a

"What's up?" "Well, I've got to take my business suit to the dyer's and cleaner's, my wife's best dress along with it, and I must stop at a store for a new carpet, and then hunt up some painters and paper hangers to-to put the finishing touches to that room, you know."

South Dakota is now engaging public attention through her recent achievement of state-hood, as well as by the phenomenal growth and the rapid development of her wonderful agricultural resources, and the advantages offered to home-seekers and persons desiring safe and profitable investments. A new pamphlet containing recent letters citing the actual experiences of reliable residents, and other, valuable information relating to Dakota, will be mailed free upon request by E. P. WILson, No. 22 Fifth avenue, Chicago, Ill.

OLD LADY—I hope, my boy, you don't sell papers on Sunday? Small newsboy, sadly—No, mum, I ain't big enough ter carry a Sunday edition yet.

A Radical Cure for Epileptic Fits. A Radical Cure for Epileptic Fits.

To the Editor—Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for the above named disease which I warrant to cure the worst cases. So strong is my faith in its virtues that I will send free a sample bottle and valuable treatise to any sufferer who will give me his P. O. and Express address. Resp'y, H.G. ROOT, M. C., 183 Pearl St.. New York.

LIKE FATHER .- Madame Paine-Don't you think Miss Grace is a very bright little lady?

Dr. Paine, dryly-Yes, often too bright. I sometimes wonder if her humor does not amount to a disease. M. D. Jr., eight years old-Perhaps she has Bright's disease, papa.



oard, under the birdles ?" "It says 'Be sure to get Hood's Sarsaparilla."

"Why, that's what Mamma told us." "Yes, and she said 'Do not take anything else, This little dialogue dwells upon a point we wish

"Brother Charile, what does it say on that big | that you have heard in regard to cures effected by Hood's Sarsaparilla, that you will try this medicine, you should not allow yourself to be induced to buy some other preparation, which may be claimed to be "as good as Hood's." Rememno matter what they offer you. Look for the big letter Z on the bottle, with Hood's Sarsaparilla thing else when Hood's Sarsaparilla is called for is that more profit will be made on the substitute, Therefore we say: Insist on having Hood's Sar to strongly impress upon your mind. If you have saparilla. Do not be induced to buy any other.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

100 Doses One Dollar

100 Doses One Dollar



MIRACULOUS RESTORATION.

That dainty lady tripping by. How light her step, how bright her eye, How fresh her cheek with healthful glow, Like roses that in Maytime blow'

Since she was fading, day by day. The doctor's skill could naught avail; Weaker she grew, and thin and pale.

At last, while in a hopeless frame, One day she said, "There is a name I've often seen—a remedy— Perhaps 'twill help: I can but try."

And so, according to direction, She took Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription And every baleful symptom fied, And she was raised as from the dead.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the world-famed, invigorating tonic and nervine, carefully compounded by an experienced and skillful physician, and adapted to woman's delicate organization. It is purely vegetable and perfectly harmless in any condition of the system. It is the only medicine for the distressing weaknesses and derangements peculiar to women, sold by druggists, under a positive guarantee, from the manufacturers, that it will give satisfaction in every case, or money will be refunded. This guarantee has been printed on the bottle-wrappers, and faithfully carried out for many years.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets, or Anti-bilious Granules, are Laxative or Cathartic, according to size of dose.

Copyright, 1888, by World's DISPENSARY MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, Proprietors.





that instantly stops the most excruciating pains. It is truly the great CONQUEROR

OF PAIN, and

has done more good than any known remedy

Known remedy
For SPRAINS, BRUISES, BACKACHE,
PAIN in the CHEST or SIDES, HEADACHE, TOOTHACHE, or any other EXTERNAL PAIN, a few applications act
like magic, causing the PAIN to INSTANTLY STOP.
For CONGESTIONS, INFLAMMATIONS,
SORE THROAT, BRONCHITIS, COLD in
the CHEST, RHEUMATISM, NEURALGIA, LUMBAGO, SCIATICA, PAINS in
the Small of the Back, etc., more extended,
longer continued and repeated applications are necessary to effect a cure.
All INTERNAL PAINS, (in the Bowels or
Stomach), CRAMPS, SPASMS, SOUR
STOMACH, NAUSEA, VOMITING, HEARTBURN, DIABRHEA, COLIC, FLATULENCY, FAINTING SPELLS, are relieved
instantly and QUICKLY CURED by taking
internally as directed. Sold by Druggists.
Price 50c.

WHY YOU SHOULD USE OF COD LIVER OIL WITE

HYPOPHOSPHITES. It is used and endorsed by Phy-

sicians because it is the best.

It is Palatable as Milk. It is three times as efficacious as

plain Cod Liver Oil. It is far superior to all other so-

called Emulsions. It is a perfect Emulsion, does not

separate or change. It is wonderful as a flesh producer. It is the best remedy for Consumption, Scrofula, Bronchitis, Wasting Diseases, Chronic Cough and

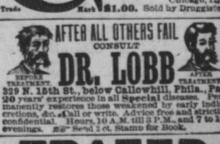
Colds. Sold by all Druggists.





FREE Covernment LANDS. SEND FOR Publications







PHILADELPHIA, PA. leading specialist in Youthful Imprudence men contemplating marriage send for a bie Medical Book. Seat on receipt stamp. Censultation hours 8 A. M. till 3 from 6 P. M. until 9 P. M. Closed Sundays.

