 morning a Detroit landlady gave Mr "Mr. Joues, I understond you have been circolating
about my bouse.
"How, madam "How, madam?"
"I understand you snid you had
used botter butter than I hiave hero to greasa wagons with."
"I did say *o, mad
"I did say so, madam, but not to
injare your house. I have oned injure your hrouse, to ghave oned
botter batiter, madam, to
ous, but I wouldn't do it again, IT sell it to you ${ }^{\text {" }}$
She accoepted the apology. Two little obildreo, a boy and a
girl, were playing on a bridge in Dan girl, trere playing on a bridge in Dan-
ville, Ky. The girl foll into the stream, and the boy, running to the
other side of the low bridgo, caught other siae of the low bridgo, caught
her by her hair as she floated along
and pulled her out " "Gol ding yer and pulled her out. "Gol ding yer,
she anid, after getting the water out of
her mouth and catehing broath, "what'd yer pill, my ha'r for? Yar
allers a ruaning on me, yer big lub. ber."
The French do not bury in single graves like their Eiglish brathren.
They buy or hire a plot of ground fonr or five, or nine or ten feet square,
if they are rich, and there if they are rich, and there dig one
grave deep enough for all the family grave deep enough for all the family.
Over this is built a litle house in stone $-a$ chapel-in the sides of which are written the names of the dead be-
low. A new style in trains, called coul-
inse, is that in which the train is cross ed horizontally, with gatherings at regular intervals, and the gatheringg
barred over with bands of faille. All traius are still long and narrow, with
the skirts more and more clinging to the skirts more and more clinging to
the figure. Two old ladies, who were known to
be of the same age, had the same de. sire to keep that same number concealed; one used, therefore, every New Year's day, to visit the other nnd
say: "Madam, i have come to say: "Madam, I have comie to ?
how old we are to be this year?" It has not been deeided wether an
one will be allowed to sell molase candy on the Centennial grounds. Gentlemen, your hesitation may provent the State of Michigan from tak-
ing any active part in the great exing any active part in ther
hibition. - Free Pres.
Cruz Lopez, a former pensive pea-
nut vender of San Franciseo, is now the wildest bandit on the Mexican border. He went to the bat because every policeman or millionaire that
passed his stand stole a nut with an air of abstraction.
"For One Only." This, gleaming from the back of each parlur chair, is
what met the astonished gaze of Mary and Charles upon their roturn from
meeting Sunday evening. It is said omical mother.
$\Delta$ man went home the other eve-
ning and found hii house locked up. Getting in at the window with great difficulty, be found on a table a note
from hiss wife: "I have gone ont ; you from his wife: "I have gone ont; you
will fad the door-key on ane side of ${ }^{\circ}$ A raptured waiter inquires: "What is there under heaven more bumanizlag, or if we may use the term, more
angelizing than a fine black eye in angelizing than a fine black eye in a
lovely woman?" Two black eyes it the ouly answer thought of at present. A New Orleans paper congratuhaten the people of that city on the
nbblition of the detective force.
"Now " it asys, "burglars are capter "Now" it says, "burglare are captor
ed within a few hours after the oftense An exobange says. "In our obita An exohange says: "In our obitua-
ry notice of the late $\mathrm{Mr} \longrightarrow$, in yesterday's issue, for the phrase the was a noble and pig-hnuded man, read
the was a noble and big. hearted man.' A Passaio father swants to know poor young man from hanging round
the front of the house." Tell him the girl in aitting on the back fence. A Vermont man returned home the
other day, after an absence of eleven youre, had foand that neither of then chareo husbands his wife had married and buried had fixed the gate.
One of the brightest nigow of the
times, and which proves that the tendencien of things, to day, are, in the main, healthy, is that
growing to love facts
Some people will be over polite.
"Don't trouble yourelf, I cau find the way myself" "Oh, wonsense, my dear; Im very pleased, indeed, to ${ }^{4}$ At Fort Wayne, Bernard Martin, after eating sis supper sat down to read his paper and dropped dead"
The paper is believed to have been The paper is believed to have been Your dress", said a husband to his
fabtionable wife, "will never pleate the men," "I don't dress to please mes,",
was the reply, "but to worry-other wonea. give too easy way to abger; the one shows a weal judgoent, the other a perverse nature.
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