At the breakfast table the other morning a Detroit landlady gave Mr. Jones a severe look and said :

"Mr. Jones, I understond you have been circulating injurious reports about my house.

'How, madam?" "I understand you said you had used better butter than I have here to grease wagons with."

"I did say so, madam, but not to injure your house. I have used better butter, madam, to grease wagons, but I wouldn't do it again, I'd sell it to you!"

She accepted the apology.

Two little children, a bey and a girl, were playing on a bridge in Danville, Ky. The girl fell into the stream, and the boy, running to the other side of the low bridge, caught her by her hair as she floated along and pulled her out. "Gol ding yer," she said, after getting the water out of her mouth and catching breath, "what'd yer pull my ha'r for? Yar allers a running on me, yer big lub. ber."

The French do not bury in single graves like their English brethren. They buy or hire a plot of ground four or five, or nine or ten feet square, if they are rich, and there dig one grave deep enough for all the family. Over this is built a little house in stone-a chapel-in the sides of which are written the names of the dead be-

A new style in trains, called coulisse, is that in which the train is crossed horizontally, with gatherings at regular intervals, and the gatherings barred over with bands of faille. All trains are still long and narrow, with the skirts more and more clinging to the figure.

Two old ladies, who were known to be of the same age, had the same desire to keep that same number concealed; one used, therefore, every New Year's day, to visit the other and say: "Madam, I have come to know how old we are to be this year?"

It has not been decided wether any one will be allowed to sell molasses candy on the Centennial grounds. Gentlemen, your hesitation may pre-vent the State of Michigan from taking any active part in the great exhibition. - Free Press.

Cruz Lopez, a former pensive pea-nut vender of San Francisco, is now the wildest bandit on the Mexican border. He went to the bad 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 parlor chair, is what met the astonished gaze of Mary and Charles upon their return from meeting Sunday evening. It is said to have been the work of an economical mother.

A man went home the other eve-ning and found his house locked up. Getting in at the window with great difficulty, he found on a table a note from his wife: "I have gone out; you will find the door-key on one side of the door-step."

A raptured waiter inquires: "What is there under heaven more humanizing, or if we may use the term, more angelizing than a fine black eye in a lovely woman?" Two black eyes is the only answer thought of at present.

A New Orleans paper congratulates the people of that city on the abolition of the detective force. "Now," it says, "burglars are captured within a few hours after the offense transpires."

An exchange says: "In our obitua-ry notice of the late Mr.—, in yes-terday's issue, for the phrase 'he was a noble and pig-headed man,' read, 'he was a noble and big-hearted man.'

A Passaic father wants to know "what will keep a respectable but poor young man from hanging round the front of the house." Tell him the girl is sitting on the back fence.

A Vermont man returned home the other day, after an absence of eleven years, and found that neither of the three husbands his wife had married and buried had fixed the gate.

One of the brightest signs of the times, and which proves that the tendencies of things, to day, are, in the main, healthy, is that the people are growing to love facts.

Some people will be over polite. "Don't trouble yourself, I can find the way myself." "Oh, nonsense, my dear; I'm very pleased, indeed, to show you out."

At Fort Wayne, Bernard Martin, "after eating his supper sat down to read his paper and dropped dead." The paper is believed to have been

"Your dress," said a husband to his fashionable wife, "will never please the "I don't dress to please men," men

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