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Trying the Wrong Man. An unusual verdict was rendered by the jury in a case tried in a California town a good many years ago.

Holy Land a World Center. It used to be a fancy that the Holy Land was the center of the world.

The Builders. "The Egyptians were the builders," said a contractor enviously.

A Clash of Prayers. Maggie, with her fair face and blond hair, and Nina, with dusky skin and

kingy wool, had played together at mud pies and had swung on the same gate ever since they could remember.

The Intelligent Bird. Two negroes in Washington were overheard discussing the intelligence of birds in general.

Nothing is impossible to the man who can will.—Mirabeau.

BOSTON'S LACK OF HUMOR.

An English View of the Landmarks of the "Hub."

I have said that Boston loves relics. The relics which it loves best are the relics of England's discomfiture.

IMITATIVE WOMAN.

A Cynical English View of Feminine Human Nature.

Decidedly women are an imitative class. From her earliest age the small girl apes the doings of her elders and, had she her own way, would be a miniature epitome of fashion.

Fashions, housekeeping and entertaining are all more or less conducted on the same lines, and the only true sign of friendship that is shown to the young married woman is to beg her to order her life and her home on her friend's principles.

Too Rapid Growth.

The minister's six-year-old son is of a very critical, literal turn of mind, and his father's sermons sometimes puzzle him sorely.

Incredulous. "Consin Henry's seasickness that time he crossed the water must have touched his head a bit."

Horrible Example. "My dear," said Mrs. Strongmind, "I want you to accompany me to the town hall tomorrow evening."

A Financial Pessimist. "Gaye—Yes, he is what you might term a financial pessimist, Myers."

Accidental. "Alice—How did you come to meet your second husband, Grace? It was purely accidental."

To the Point. "Little Fred—Uncle John, did you ever hear the story about the good little boy who had a nice uncle? Uncle John—No, tell it to me, Little Fred—Well, the nice uncle gave the good little boy a quarter. That's all.—Exchange.

Too Personal. "I have come to sell the editor a joke," announced the young man with long hair and big black tie.

A Home Made Happy by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. About two months ago our baby girl had measles which settled on her lungs and at last resulted in a severe attack of bronchitis.

A Hideous Dream.

I had a horrible dream a few nights ago. I dreamed that I was the sub-editor of a religious weekly.

Classed as an Antique Also. A charming hostess of one of the "big houses," as they are called by those who are welcomed into them, has the added beauty of prematurely white hair, says the Washington Star.

Trades That Kill. One of the most dangerous of trades, according to the Pilgrim, "is the covering of toy animals with skin, chamois leather being used, for instance, for the elephants, calf-skin for the horse and goatskin for the camels."

A Swelled Head. A typical Englishwoman, when some one spoke the other day of a certain man having a "swelled head," looked dazed.

His Narrow Escape. A jolly old steamboat captain with more girth than height was asked if he had ever had any very narrow escapes.

The Water Bottle's Shape. Three useful purposes—and probably many more than three—are served by making the familiar water bottle of such a distinctive pattern.

The Coquet of the Joke. Many years ago a visitor to Edinburgh was being shown over the high court of justice.

A Superior Brand. Mrs. Jenkins—My little boy's got the measles.

The Visible Signs. "The Golts have been doing some mountain climbing in Switzerland."

The Art of Talking Back. "I hardly know how to answer you," said she when the widower proposed.

The Support. Teacher—Who was it supported the world upon his shoulders? Tommy—Atlas, sir. Teacher—Who supported Atlas? Tommy—The book don't say, but I spect his wife did.

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The Danger of Soap.

When a man goes to some thermal springs to "boil out" all the old Satar that is in him he quickly learns one of the more important lessons of life and civilization—that is, he acquires a supreme contempt for soap.

Grotesque Spanish Honor. There is a story about the Duke of Wellington that illustrates the fantastic idea of honor held by many Spaniards, contrasted with the practical common sense of Englishmen.

A Dog and His Name. "There was a dog case which excited much attention in Berlin some years ago," said a former resident of that city.

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