visit to New York, and had brought with tails. Artemus, with the true cosmopolihe was betrothed-a bottle of that remarkable cement which is sold by sidewalk merchants, and which is by them represented Hingston was present. I am a match for as being much stronger than wrought iron.
It had occurred to him that this cement cept a whisky cocktail, and therefore I future house, since with it all sorts of bro. fuse me, so that I would be in a helpless ken china and glass could be mended, and tangle in ten minutes; I did not want to act every one knows that children will break a lunatic before strangers, but Artemus great deal of china. On the evening of his gently insisted, and I drank the treasona

the young lady, and when he saw her before tion to open, with a sort of vague hope that him he not unnaturally forgot all about my understanding would prove clear, such merely earthly matters as cement. after all, and my misgivings groundless. The old people welcomed him politely, and, after a few moments of conversation, mark or two and then assumed a look of withdrew with a discretion which it is to superhuman earnestness and made the folbe wished that old people would emulate. lowing astounding speech. He said: Being of a frugal mind, and knowing that | "Now, there is one thing I ought to ask the merciful young man should be merciful you about before I forget it. You have to his intended father-in-law in point of been here in Silverland-here in Nevadakerosene bills, Mr. Withers promptly two or three years, and of course, your turned down the lamp and proceeded to position on the daily press has made it nee make himself at home.

subjects such as usually absorb the attention of young men in his position, that he did not notice the breaking of the glass, and it was not until an hour later that a false shaft, straight down, you know, or with them they will be found to contain ing up the lamp.

riedly went for the water, reproaching her- in that science goes to prove that, all things self for being so heavy, and accusing her- being equal, it would if it did not or would self of selfishness and want of consideration. not certainly if it did, and then of course In her absence the young man made super- they are. Do not you think it is?" Wilson returned with the glass of water, he coktail has done the business for me. her the real state of the case.

promptly proposed to get a tea-kettle of tem would not bear the application of water | butat the boiling point. She then timidly sug- "No, no-no, no you state it was accordingly done, and had not the un-this." [Here he became even more fear-

good authorities maintain that the hip- lede to secure its extirpation.

His First Call.

apparition with an onor of boiled cabbage lingering about "it" appeared. "What do yez want?" it asked. At last I conquered it, and asked if Miss Susie was at home "The apparition replied, "Yis—your card." though it were parpably demonstrated as I was sure I had one somewhere. In my last summer. I applied sait to his back as above, and it being difficult to direct it were parpably demonstrated as I was sure I had one somewhere. In my last summer. I applied sait to his back as above, and it being difficult to I was sure I had one somewhere. In my haste I gave her a pawn ticket, restaurant check and a tack of slabs.

Such. Am I not right!"

I said sorrowfully: "I feel ashamed of myself, Mr. Ward. I know I ought to

read: "Gundling & Co., All Wool Pants, my head, and now I cannot understand \$1.00.

At last I was ushered into the parlor, and sat upon the piano, a spittoon and a case of wax flowers before I found a chair. When fault was my own, no doubt though I did I did, I was so surprised that I missed it think it clear enough for-" and sat upon the floor. As I was rising Susie entered. "Won't you let me put stated it as clear as the sun to anybody but or box, be ng careful to have her come your hat on the rack?" she asked as she an abject idiot, but it's that confounded off every day for feed, water, exercise, saw me grasping it as if it were my only cocktail that has played the mischief." friend on earth. I murmured a faint "No," | "No, now don't say that. I'll begin it put my hat on the sofa, and, to my consternation, sat down upon it.

ful thing it was to be alone with a strange

She said it was a nice day. I replied question a man could ask me. If she had said it was thundering and lightning I would have made the same so plain this time that you cant help get original remark. Then we became silent. You could have heard a house fall. I was beginning." [Leaning far across the table in trouble. I chewed tobacco then but I with determined impressiveness wrought didn't know why I did it. Just before en- upon his every feature, and fingers pretering I had taken a big chaw. My mouth pared to keep tally of each point as enu-was gradually getting full, but I did not merated; and I, leaning forward with painspit in front of Susie, who said she detested tul interest, resolved to comprehend or perit. I began to pray for a fire so that I ish] "You know the vein-the ledge-the could spit. Meanwhile Susie got affection. thing that contains the metal, whereby it ate. She drew her chair closer and said; constitutes the medium between all other Will Brown kissed me at school the other forces, whether of present or remote agenday." I grew paie. Suppose she would cies, so brought to bear in favor of the want to kiss me?

bath of tobacco juice. "Do you ever kiss?" within the radius whence culminate the she asked. I naurmured that I never did, several degress of similarity to whichexcept my mother and a venerable aunt whose age was traditional. At last I tried ain't any use! It ain't any use to try! whose age was traintonal. At last I then to say so, but I am afraid I only made a can't understand anything. The plainer requiring such treatment, the operator loss as so, but I am afraid I only made a can't understand anything. The plainer requiring such treatment, the operator lost boil, but should be beaten with an verdict in two minutes by sending the egg-beater, or milled all the time. you talk so funny?" she asked. I did not it. "What makes your mouth so big?" she interrogated. "The mumps," I gaspwoai," I remarked, meaning that I was sick and wanted to go home.

"You talk awful funny," she said, "and your cheeks are awful red."

send after me? Poor innocent Susie didn't know how I was suffering. She thought I was bashful. "Let me feel your cheeks?" she asked.

fluent in conversation, but with the above She did. It broke the reservoir. For a second I

didn't know whether Susie was drowned or not. She started back in a sort of paralysis, and-the door opened and her mother en ered. I grabbed my hat, and whether I have his boots shined, and when the job went out by the door, or through the wall, had been completed he felt for a nickel with I don't remember.

Anyhow, "Susic and I are out." We

don't speak. But still, its nice to be in bill?"

love, ain't it, boys? An Expensive Countess.

Count Potocki, of Paris, is growling at The other day a milliner sent him a bill of on top of this came a bill of 70,000 francs papers?" for six month's underclothing. The Count refuses to pay the bills. He says they are exorbitant. Mrs. Potocki says her husband is a real stingy thing and wants her to look like a fright, and she never has anynothing. Now an American husband, if he were an editor, would pay his wife's bill of similar dimens on without a grumble, but very slowly and thoughtfully, as if he but at the same time he would endeavor to impress upon her mind the necessity of practicing economy as long as the price of white paper is so outrage maly high.

mus Ward. I had never seen him before. invitation I breakfasted with him. It was almost religion, there in the silver mines, ed to his Orange county home from a brief to precede such a meal with whisky cockhim as a present to Miss Wilson-to whom tan instinct, always deferred to the customs of the country he was in, and so he ordered three of these abominations. would be a very nice thing to have in his said it would go right to my head and conarrival home he put the cement bottle in his ble mixture under protest, and felt all the hip pocket and called on Miss-Wilson, in- time that I was doing a thing that I might

essary for you to go down in the mines and The bottle was a stout one, and would examine them carefully in detail. Now. p rhaps have withstood any ordinary pres- what I want to get at is—is, well, the way p rhaps have withstood any ordinary pres-sure, but as Miss Wilson weighed fully 140 deposits are made, you know. For in-are about all alike. All the training they pounds, and as the back of the small rock-ing-chair was of hard wood, it is not strange that the bottle yielded. Mr. Withers was so much interested in the weather and other the ground, and sticks up like a curbstone.

"Well, take a vein forty feet thick, for The cement had done its work, and Mr. rower when the castings come nearer or ap-

human efforts to wrench himself loose, but the cement refused to yield. When Miss how it would be. That cussed whisky tic, and preferable to borax. The wrilooked so much worse that she was really don't understand any more than a clam." frightened, and he was compelled to tell And then I said aloud, "I-I-that is-if ties employed for milk and dairy pro

gested that if she were to call "pa, perhaps enough, but the vile cocktail has muddled pa would lend him a pair;" but Mr. Withme a little. But I will—no, I do not unnature kept most wonderfully; and as ers said no; he could not bear the mortifi- derstand, for that matter, but I would get this compound is perfectly harmless, cation of being found in such a situation by the hang of it all the better if you went very cheap, and obtainable at every any father. It was finally agreed that he should wait until a late hour, and should this time." chemist's shop, it will soon be more generally employed. One gramme is then take the chair home with him. This He said, "Why, what I was after was

local constable, who only discharged him each particular point by checking it off on and arring! These always remain the when a severe test proved that his posses- his finger ends.] "This vein or lode, or principal elements in preserving milk sion of the chair was purely involuntary, ledge, or whatever you may call, runs along his misfortune might never have become between two layers of granite, just the same as if it were a sandwich. Very well. is rare enough, antiseptics may be used. When disasters such as this are liable to Now, suppose you go down on that say happen to the weavers of hip-pockets, it becomes doubtful whether they are not al-together too hazardous for general use. In start your drifts, some of them across the horses, which is convenient at all nd others along the length of it, times and easily applied. pocket is positively detrimental, and that an earnest and united effort should be made them sulphurets.—I believe they call that them sulphurets, though why they should, teacup full of salt upon the back of the considering that so far as I can see, the animal over the kidneys and loins, main dependence of a miner does not so and keep it saturated for 20 or 30 min-lie, as some suppose, but in which it can-utes, or longer if necessary. If the at-I reached her house, and walked around not te successfully maintained wherein the tack is severe, dreneh with salt water. it four times before I summoned sufficient same should not continue, while part and I have a valuable bull, weighing ninecourage to approach. By some remarkable parcel of the same ore not committed to teen or twenty hundred pounds, which nerve power I rang the bell, and a female either in the sense referred to, whereas, had a severe attack of colic a year ago apparition with an odor of boiled cabbage under different circumstances, the most in last summer. I applied salt to his back

check and a jack of slubs.

Finauz, m desperation, I handed her a understand you perfectly well, but you see card, but she returned it with a grin. It even the simplest proposition. I told you how it would be.

"Oh, don't mind it, don't mind it; the

"Don't say a word. Clear! Why yo

"Don't now; for goodness sake, don't do For the first time I realized what an awa anything of the kind, because I tell you my head is in such a condition that I don't be lieve I could understand the most trifling

"Now don't you be afraid. I'il put it former, or all, or both, or compromising She would get an unexpected shower- as possible the relative differences existing

I said: "Oh blame my wooden head, it

I heard a suspicious noise behind me

and turned in time to see Hingston dodging ed, feeling as if there was going to be a behind a newspaper and quaking with a flood at any moment. "Ger-ger-wooi-ger- gentle ecstacy of laughter. I look at solcannity and was laughing also. Then I saw that I had been sold—that I had been bellows working horizontally. As around it; fill the dish with hot or cold made the victim of a swindle in the way Probably Susie spoke the truth. Why of a string of plausibly worded sentence didn't some of my friends die so they would that didn't mean anything under the sun. Artemus Ward was one of the best fellows in the world, and one of the most companionable. It has been said that he was not

experience in my mind, I differ.

A stranger loaded down with a big satchel halted at the postoffice corner, Detroit, to the remark:

"I suppose that five cents pays the "Not much!" replied the shiner. "That used to be the figure, but it is seven cents

"Don't try to chest me boy! Five cent his wife's millinery and dresmaking bills. is the regular price here, and I know it!" "See here, mister," said shiner, as h 110,541 francs for one year's bonnets, and packed his brushes away, "do you read the

"Of course I do." "And you don't know that white paper has gone up fifty per cent?"

"Yes, I've read that it had." "Well how d'ye 'spose we kin black thing to wear, anyhow. It does look as if the Count was making much ado about is seven and if we can't bust the monopoly we'll have to raise on that." The man came down with seven cents,

> couldn't exactly understand all about it. Algebra is the metaphysics of arith-

places of any kind, ferrets will go after them, and they are sure to drive them out, so the boys and dogs can have firstclass sport capturing them, and doing good besides. One of the best breed of dogs for use in catching the rats as they emerge from their hiding-places, is the genuine Scotch terrier. They are quick and plucky, and will attend to all the outside "biz" the ferret sends them. Thousands of dollars worth of fruit are annually destroyed by rabbits. If the farmer or farmer's boys used a terret to drive the rapbits from their holes, (spending a half a day or two a season,) they could make a scarcity among the rabbits and save their trees. The writer lost a whole tending to offer it to her as soon as he en. be sorry for. In a minute or two I began orchard some three years since, of over ered the house.

It seemed impossible to preto imagine that my ideas were clouded. I 100 trees. It seemed impossible to prewent the ravages of the rabbits among them, until he got a large, strong male ferret, and in one half day's work, the reward of 40 rabbits saved his trees. He has sport and accomplishes good bemilk, and occasionally a little fresh quarters. We know of several who would not be without a ferret for ten dollars a year and its keeping. So far

alarm of father in the front hall indeced what you call the inclines, maybe you go nearly always the same substances in Miss Wilson to flee to the sofa, and suggest-down five hundred feet or maybe you don't ed to Mr. Withers the advisability of turn- go down but two hundred; anyway you go are generally sold for from four to down, and all the time this vein grows nar-several hundred times their value. These compounds are bicarbonate of Withers did not get up to attend to the proach each other, you may say, that is, sometimes mixed with common hight, but requested the young lady to discharge this duty for him. She did so, and they do not always do, particularly in cases with common salt, salicylic acid, and charge this duty for him. She did so, and then noticed his pained and preoccupied expression. To her anxious inquiries he admitted that he felt a little faint and would like a glass of water. Miss Wilson hurried to water reproaching her procedure was failed to account for although everything failed to account for although everything and that science goes to prove that all things. acld which is formed in the milk, but its action is not perfect in any way, and by adding a more effectual quantity, the taste of the milk is spoilt, as it gets soapy. Boric acid is a powerful antisepter has made, a few years ago, many experiments with all kinds of antisepyou don't mind, would you-would you ducts, and invariably could state the She was a practical person, and she say that over again? I ought—" good effects of boric acid is inferior in 'Oh, certainly, certainly. You see I action and very expensive. But the not water and dissolve the cement, but de- am very unfamiliar with the subject, and, mixture of boric acid and sulphate of sisted when he explained to her that his sys- perhaps, I don't present my case clearly, potassium seems to outdo all the previously mentioned antiseptics. plain have seen butter, meat, crabs, fish, and added to each litre of milk or one-fourth pound of butter. It ought not to be thought, however, that these antisepfortunate young man been arrested by a fully impressive than ever and emphasised ties can supplant cleanliness, cooling

PRESERVATION OF MILK .- The papers

Colic in Horses .- A correspondent time equilibrium appeared fully restored. I have for several years past successfully applied this treatment to the other animals in my herd.

SITTING HENS .- Hens should not be allowed to disturb the sitters by lay-ing in their nests. Broken eggs and a bad hatch will result. If the sitting hen cannot be isolated in any way cover her with an empty coop, basket, or box, be ng careful to have her come

House Plants.-It is impossible for house plants to do well if the earth about them remains wet for any considerable length of time-say two days. Plants need fresh water the same as individuals. Let the earth be so complete that the plants will need watering

LOOK AREAD !- A farmer should always think in advance of his work. The plan must be laid out in his head, before the hands are put to it. There is time yet left for thinking over what should be done in the next two or three busy months.

Born in chemical and mechanical properties, the soil from old pastures is hest for potting plants.

The curious process pursued by the Chinese of mending cracked iron wares fracture slightly with a hammer, so as Serve very hot. enlarge the fissures, after which the fractured parts are placed and held in soon as the pieces of cast water, cover it closely, and set it in the iron with which the crucibles were oven, and let it bake rather slowly uncharged are fused, it is poured on a til noon, or from three to four hours. layer of partly-charred husks of rough |-Do not let it get too dry; if you canrice, previously spread on a thickly-doubled cloth, the object of this being to prevent the sudden cooling and hardening of the liquid metal. While in the liquid state, it is quickly conveyed to the fractured part under the vessel, and forced with a jerk into the enlarged fissures, while a paper rubber is passed over the obtruding liquid inside of the vessel, making a neat, strong, substantial and in every respect thorough operation.

Crocus, dried and powdered, when applied with chamois leather to nickel plated goods, will restore their briliancy without injuring their surface.

Establish Healthful Co-operation

between the stemach, the liver and the bowels, if you want to banish sick headaches, nervousness and mental despondency. Upon the vigor of the first named organ depends the good service of the two latter. That fine stomachic, Hostetter's Bitters, pure, approved by physicians, derived from the best botanic by physicians, derived from the best totanic sources, scen put: to rout the symptoms which make the lives of nervous, billous invalids miserable. The very fountain head of such trouble is feebleness of digestion, for which it is an incomparable, long established and widely celebrated remedy. It builds up the constitution when shaken by disease, and protects it against malarial and other hurtful influences. It is an agreeable appetizer, a useful strengthening cord all for the convalescent, and greatly mitigates the gather against militiates of age.

Mark Twain thus describes his first meeting with his brother humorist, Artemus Ward. I had never seen him before. He brought letters of introduction from mutual friends in San Francisco, and by mutual friends in San Francisco, and by places of a will be deep not less than before the work falling to decay and becoming distorted by age. It is commonly made of a kind of wood which does not less thought be to deep not less than before the work falling to decay and less than before a kind of a sudding to decay and less than before the work falling to decay and less than before the work falling to decay and less than before the work falling to decay and less than before the work falling to decay and less than before the work falling to decay and less than before the work falling to decay and less than before the work falling to decay and less than before the work falling to decay and less than before the work falling to decay and less than before the work falling to decay and less than before the work falling to decay and the work falling to deca shaded part of our grounds would have ther!" sez I, "what'll for omitting its application, and it may tairly." be rapidly and easily brushed over the surface and sunk into the pores with a whitewash brush. Apply it heavily.

pickles gave out too early this winter, Datch, for an old woman gave it to me in Albany just forty years ago: Take sides. Ferrets are more easily kept a cabbage-he d and cut down into eight calling her former condition, said, than a cat, their diet being bread and pieces and cover it with coarse sait, graciously, "sit down, good people! I letting it remain in a jar twelve hours; meat, it matters not what. They will take it out, squeeze it, and chop it fine eat rats, birds or any thing fresh. Two with two onions; put it on the fire in or three can be kept on what one cat would consume. They do not gnaw, vinegar, and boil for a full hour; add and can be kept in a box, or small to it then one ounce of tumeric, (a teaspoonful of curry will do instead of pepper, a teaspoonful of celery seed, a table spoonful of alispice, two table-spoonfuls of ground mustard, and a half an ounce of white mace, with one Episcopalian, nor about John the Conand a-half pounds of brown sugar; gregationalist. But it is John the Bap-cook one hour more.

> DEACON SMITH boys Carboline, the deodorized petroleum hair renewer and restorer, and since its improvement, recommends it to all his friends as the perfection of all hair preparations. This shows that the Deacon is a wise man and knows what is what.

iffers in strength, better taste to see Mass. that it is sweet enough; pour the mix-ture into cups and put the cups in a not too deep pan with boiling water; the level of the water ought not to stand nigher than half the cup; do not try and boil the water too hard; about fifteen minutes of boiling is necessary.

MUTTON COLLOPS .- A few slices of old leg or loin of mutton, salt and pepper to taste, one blade of powdered mace, one small bunch of savory herbs minced very fine, two or three shalots, two or three ounces of butter, one des- before denying the charge." sert spoonful of flour, half a pint of gravy, one tablespoonful of lemonuice. Cut some very thin slices from a leg or the clump end of a loln of muton; sprinkle them with pepper, salt, ounded mace, mince, minced savory erbs, and minced shalot; fry them in simmer very gently about five or seven minutes of boiling is necessary.

IF BABIES could talk, they would ofen express their thanks to their nurses, for relleving them of pain and suffer-ng by the use of Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup.

aste. Mince the beef tolerably with a small amount of its own fat: add a seasoning of pepper and salt and chopped herbs; put the whole into s roll or puft paste and bake for half an hour, or rather longer, should the roll be very large. Beef pattles may made of cold meat by mineing and sea-soning beef as directed above and baking in a tich puff paste in patty tins.

AN EXTENDED POPULARITY .- Each year finds "Brown's Bronchial Troches" in new localities, in various parts of the world. For relieving Coughs, Colds and Throat Diseases, the Troches have been proved reliable.

PARSLEY and Butter, to serve with tablespoonfuls of minced parsley, half conducive either to religious thought slightly saited, and when it boils, throw in the balance; the 12 cents decided in a good bunch of parsley which has been previously washed and tied together in a bunch; let it boil for five Professor: "What sort of a man minutes, drain it, mince the leaves very fine, and put the above quantity in a "Well-a-he was considerable of a tureen; pour over it half a pint of smoothly-made meited butter; stir well, that the ingredients may be not so full of gas as some others," thoroughly mixed, and serve.

SWEET OMELET .- Mix the yolks o two eggs, a teaspoonful of sugar and some essence of vanilla in a small bowl. Made an unfortunate clerk tumble over previously melted. Remove the egg next engine house." rom the fire in one minute, and , let dry in the oven five minutes, after which sprinkle it with sugar.

CHOCOLATE. - Melt four ounces of brute Rafferty this day!" grated chocolate over a boiling kettle, add gradually three cups of boiling water and one ounce of sugar. Set it fame via pencil, brush and canvas, upon the fire, and when scalding hot would become a "rising artist" at once pour it upon the yolks of two eggs, it she would turn her attnetion to bread Chinese of mending cracked iron wares well beaten, with one and one-half by cementing them with cast iron while gills of cold water; add a pinch of cinby cementing them with cast iron while gills of cold water, and a photo of a in liquid state is thus described: "In the case, for example, of a cast iron pan few moments to cook the egg. It must for ninety-six hours the judge got a not boil, but should be beaten with an verdict in two minutes by sending them

PORK AND BEANS .- First pick your behind a newspaper and quaking with a gentle ecstacy of laughter. I look at wooden braces. The pan being ready, word again, and he had thrown off his crucibles, made of clay, are laid let stand over night; if your pork is too sole:unity and was laughing also. Then I in charcoal, and ignited in a small salt parboil it for a short time; put it cast water, cover it closely, and set it in the

> WE trust the time will come when every one will use Dobbins' Electric Soap, (made by Cragin & Co., Phila-delphia.) Its sale is daily increasing, as is always the case with articles of merit. Try it.

FRIED CHICKEN.-Chickens must be young to fry well. If no larger than igeons, they may be fried whole; if fort. They want a whole loaf. larger, dissect, wash, rub salt on while wet, pepper, and fry in butter or lard, keeping the dish covered. Mix one or two eggs with a spoonful of flour and a eacup of milk, and pour over the chicken when done, setting the frying pan in the oven long enough to cook

SCRANBLED EGGS WITH DRIED BEEF. -Shave the beef very fine; put a tea-spoonful of butter in a frying pan; set it over the fire, and when hot put in the beef; heat a few minutes, stirring constantly to prevent burning; beat up the required number of eggs and stir in with the hot beef; stir altogether until the eggs are cooked. Serve immediately.

Precent Pains and all Asthmatic and Bron-chia Affections, are soon relieved by that cor-tun remedy for Coughs and Onlds, Br. Jayne's imperiorant.

WIT AND HUMOR.

which does not last long. Soak it thoroughly with crude petroleum when new, it will remain unchanged indefinitely. A rustic summer house in a devil was afther them. "Houly murbeen unusually exposed to dampness and decay had not this been prevented a dozen years ago, by petroleum. The peculiar brown color imparted by a mixture of a heavy oil remains unserving the peculiar brown color imparted by a sez I; "and is it no closet at all, but a changed; and a lattice work of pine hayhenish balloon. Then the walls stop-lath, a fourth of an inch thick, fully ped stock still, and he opened the door, exposed to dampness and weather, is as and there I was wid the roof jist over sound and unworn as ever. The oil is me head! And that was what saved now so cheap that there is no excuse me from goin up till the hivins en-

WHEN a certain man had been mad the prefect of a small village, he bought his wife a new fur garment. She, proud SWEET AND SOUR CABRAGE .- My of her finery, and full of her husband's new honors, entered church just as the and I used this old receipt, which is congregation rose to their feet to hear the Gospel read. She, thinking this was done out of respect to her, and rehave not forgotten I was once poor!" In a New England village a Baptist preacher was discoursing from the text, 'In those days came John the Baptist

preaching in the wilderness of Judea. Warming up, he said, "Oh! how I like tumeric), one teaspoonful of ground to read these words in the blessed Bible. You don't read anywhere in it about VEGETINE in Powder Form comes within the reach of all. By making

the medicine yourself you can, from 50c. package containing the Barks. Roots and Herbs, make two bottles of the liquid Vegetine. Thousands will gladly avail themselves of this opportunity, who have the conveniences to COFFEC CUSTARD.—Make a good, strong make the medicine. Full directions in extract of coffee—by dripping it as slowly as possible—for ten people you Form is sold by all druggists' and genslowly as possible—for ten people you will want two cupfuls; take eight of the same measures of milk, and beat into the yolks of six eggs; add three ounces of powdered sugar; mix into this the two cupfuls of coffee; as coffee this two cupfuls of coffee; as coffee this cupful this the two cupfuls of coffee; as coffee this cupful this the two cupfuls of coffee; as coffee this cupful this the two cupfuls of coffee; as coffee this cupful this the two cupfuls of coffee; as coffee this cupful this transfer that the cupful this cupful

"Miss Roach is an intelligent, charm ing young lady, a beautiful brunette and her brother is a bank cashier," read Mr. Tilden from a newspaper the other day. Then he soliloquized. "Beau tiful-bank cashier-young and charming-bank cashier-intelligent brunette-bank cash-barrel might get empty-good thing to have in the family-both good things- beautiful bank cashier—perhaps, yes, I think I made a mistake in not interviewing her

WHEN a young lady tripped into a nusic store the other day and asked the ashful clerk in attendance for "Two Kisses," he jammed on his hat and rush-ed out of the back door. The clerk, butter, stir in a dessert-spoonful of never having heard of the piece of flour, add the gravy and lemon-juice. music, thought he was the victim of a music, thought he was the victim of a Leap year proposal, and his salary was not large enough to support two.

An ingenious drug store clerk, who suspected that some one was tapping till, fixed an arrangement on it so that any one who tried to open the drawer without understanding it, would get four Inches of brad-awl rammed into BEEF ROLLS.—The remains of cold his hand. And then he want out and forgot to explain the thing to the boss. of salt, pepper and minced herbs; pull and as soon as he gets able to be about gain he'd like to hear of a job

> PEOPLE will not be so very foolish that they will allow themselves to be deceived with a new Cough Syrup when they have experienced the value of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup for many years. Price. 25 cents

"I SHALL know better next time. said Mrs. Keepupwiththestyle. "That nateful milliner told me the hat was something new and there were four hats just like it in church; but I might have known better. I saw the new moon over my left shoulder. Ot course I'd be unlucky."

Retigious fracts cent to a man with call's head, boiled fowls, etc-Two 12 cents postage due on them are not a pint of melted butter. Put Into a word or action. We have in our mind saucepan a small quantity of water, a young man who was just wavering

was this Chief Justice Coke?" Student: Student cannot see the point and is allowed to continue.

A LADY, a regular shopper, who had Add a small pinch of salt to the whites all the stockings in the store, objected of the eggs and whip till stiff. Then that none of them were long enough. lightly mix the whites and yolks, and "I want," she said, "the longest hose pour quickly into an omelet pan in that are made." "Then, madam," was which half an ounce of butter has been the reply, "you had better apply at the

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An Italian being accused of marry-

ing five wives was asked by the judge why he wedded so many. "In order to meet with a good one, if possible," the fellow replied. A Georgia man fired seven shots at a wildcat, killed his dog, wounded a farmer in the leg and put one of his

own eyes shot. The wildcat escaped. "THE Utes still under guard," says contemporary. It is a good thing to

the sod they would be more still. It takes a live man to pull up stream, although a dead one can drift down. SWEETNESS is no protection against

Some men do not like crumbs of com-

injustice; even sugar can be crushed.

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