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A Suggestion.
That Nature gives hints to her children in plain.
This fact in your hat you may paste;
Let summer girls go where an arm of the sea
Forever encircles a waste.
—Puck.

Quoted.
"In my opinion," he said, "women ought to remove their hats in church the same as they do in theaters."
"How," she asked, "do you know that they don't?"
It was at this time that the wild, hunted look **came into his eyes.**—Chicago Times-Herald.

Equal to the Occasion.
Miss Jones—Professor, do you dare to look me in the face and say that I originally sprang from a monkey?
Professor (a little taken aback, but equal to the occasion)—Well, really, it must have been a very charming monkey.—Tit-Bits.

Very Likely.
Mother—Who is that young fellow who is calling on you now?
Daughter—I think he intends to be a minister. He said he wanted to take orders.
Mother—Huh! I guess he's looking for a job as waiter.—N. Y. Weekly.

Self-Defense.
Piano Manufacturer (hotly)—Why didn't you show off that piano, instead of making such horrible noises on it?
Salesman (apologetically)—Those ladies live next door to me, and I was afraid they'd buy.—N. Y. Weekly.

The Dear Thing.
"How do you like my engagement ring, Laura?"
"It is beautiful, Julia, beautiful. Honestly, it sparkles so that I couldn't tell it from a real diamond."—Chicago Record..

The Other Kind.
Mrs. Crimsonbeak—The woman next door has the ague.
Mr. Crimsonbeak—The dumb ague?
"No, it can't be that, for she was speaking to me for an hour this morning."—Yonkers Statesman.

Public Sales
Notices of sales will be inserted free upon heading when the bills are printed at this office. When the bills are not printed at this office will be charged. Persons having sales have sale should select a date and have the same in this column.

SATURDAY, AUG. 18. In Chapman tract, Augustus Stroub and Levi Hamer, administrators of Tobias Hamer, will sell 350 land.

FRIDAY, AUG. 31. at the court house at Middleburgh, G. W. Row, sheriff, will sell the estate of Peter Sechrist in Union (N. Y.).

TUESDAY, SEPT. 11. three miles west of Middleburgh, Harlan Miller, administrator T. A. will sell 326 acres of the estate of Samuel C. Miller.

FRIDAY, SEPT. 14. at Port Ann, Adams & ship, Benivel Walter, administrator John Shaeffer, will sell two tracts of estate, including the distillery property.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 22. near Pallas, V. Swartz, executor of David M. Swartz, will sell real estate.

Got What He Asked For.
"So you are looking for a position," said the merchant to the youth with high collar and noisy necktie. "Can you do?"
"Oh, any old thing," replied the young man. "Of course, I don't expect the junior partnership at the bank, but I want to be sure of an early rise."
"Very well," replied the merchant. "I'll make you assistant janitor. You will rise at four o'clock every morning and sweep the floors."—Collier's Weekly.

His Ambition Crushed.
Weary Wrangles—Why so sad, I see?
Lonesome Samy—Dis paper says man wot's born in a foreign country can't never be president of de United States.
"Well, what of it?"
"Dat wuz de one job I've allus been lookin' for'ard ter!"—N. Y. World.

The Perpetual Programme.
The man of an inventive mind His tireless brain will rack,
A covering for ships to find Impervious to attack.
And when success seems just in hand Some other genius, great,
Produces a projectile new To smash his armor plate.
—Washington Star.