

What do you ask for that article?
Inquired Obediah of a young Miss.
"Fifteen shillings."
"Ain't you a little dear?"
"Why," she replied, blushing, "all the young men tell me so."

That was a smart youngster, who, hearing his mother remark that she was fond of music, exclaimed, "Then why don't you buy me a drum?"

A young man in conversation one evening, chanced to remark, "I am no prophet!" "True," replied a lady present, "no profit to yourself or to any one else."

A Cleveland paper advises the authorities to "close the rum-holes." "Some people do as often as they shut their mouths."

He was a poetical chap who describes ladies' lips as the "glowing gateway of beans, pork, sourkruit and potatoes."

"Now, children," asked a school inspector, "who loves a little girl?" A little girl not four years old, and evidently not posted in the catechism, answered quickly, "All woman."

UGHT MARRIED PEOPLE TO SLEEP TOGETHER? Hall's Journal of Health, which claims to be the high authority in medical science has taken a stand against married people sleeping together, but thinks they had better sleep in adjoining rooms. It says that king and queens do not sleep together, and why a hould other couple? Think of the idea of separating a newly married couple on a cold winter's night, because Hall's Journal of Health says so! You go to grass Mr. Hall!

A preacher remarked the other day that the women of the present day are generally a shiftless set. How did the rasal know that?

ONE OF THE STATES.—"Bob, where's the State of matrimony?"
"It's one of the United States. It is bounded by hugging and kissing on one side, and cradles and babies on the other. It was discovered by Adam and Eve, while trying to find a northwest passage out of paradise. The climate is sultry till you pass the tropics of house-keeping, when squally weather commonly acts in with such power as to keep all hands as cool as cucumbers. For the principal roads leading to this interesting State, consult the first pair of blue eyes you run against."

A Father who had jerked his provoking son across his knee, and was operating with great vehemence on the exposed portion of the urchin's person, when the young one, sliding into the parental legs with his venomous teeth "Blazes what are you bitin me for?" Well, dad, who beguned this car war?"

TWO SHARP.—An old man picked up a half dollar in the street. "Old man," that's mine," said a keen looking rascal, "so hand it over." "Did thine have a hole in it?" asked the old man. "Yes," replied the other smartly. "Then it is not thine," smilingly replied the old man; thou must learn to be a little sharper next time, my boy."

A recent meeting of a parish, a shrewd, straight bodied and most exemplary deacon submitted a report, in writing, of the destitute widows and others standing in need of assistance in the parish. "Are you sure, deacon," asked another solemn brother, "that you have embraced all the widows?" He said he believed he had done so, but if any had been omitted, the omission could be easily corrected.

A CAPITAL EVASION.—Two literary ladies were lately witnesses in a trial.
One of them hearing the usual question asked, "What is your name?" and how old are you?" turned to her companion and said:

"I do not like to tell my age, not that I have any objection to having it known; but I don't want it published in all the newspapers."

"Well," said the witty Mrs. —, "I will tell you how to avoid it. You have heard the objection to all hearsay evidence; tell them you don't remember when you was born, and all you know of it is hearsay."

THE COQUETISH MRS.—Has just returned from a pleasant trip to Washington. She only took with her forty-two dresses, twenty shawls, nineteen bonnets, and two hundred pairs of gloves. "Surely," said a friend, who happened to be present when she was unpacking, "you did not take all that with you." "I merely took what was indispensable, my dear. I left behind me all that was cumbersome." "Ah, yes, I understand, Jane,—your husband."

COMICAL.—A good deacon, at a conference meeting in the town of D— about thirty miles North of Boston, addressed his auditors one Sabbath evening as follows:—"My friends, there is a new doctrine going about now a days. We are told that all mankind are going to Heaven. But, my brethren and sisters, we hope for better things!"

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And lend to me thy waring wing,
Least while I plod, the thoughtless throng
Led on by some false God or King,
Seek in vain, the place to find,
That satisfaction gives human kind,
Each strives the favored goal to seek,
And struggling on with might and main,
Delves deep in earth, or oceans sweep,
And follows mammon's motly train,
And death whose gilded palace lies
In destruction to her votaries.
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Morning Train	Evening Train	Morning Train	Evening Train	
A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	
9 00	4 00	New York	5 20	10 30
11 25	7 05	New Hampton	2 35	8 27
11 42	7 22	Washington	2 19	8 11
11 54	7 34	Oxford	2 07	8 00
12 05	7 45	Bridgeville	1 56	7 50
12 10	7 50	Manunka Chunk	1 50	7 45
12 30	8 10	Hilwary	1 42	7 40
12 40	8 20	Mount Bethel	1 37	7 35
12 55	8 35	Water Gap	1 27	7 25
1 22	8 58	Stroudsburg	1 24	6 48
1 39	9 10	Spragueville	1 27	6 38
1 48	9 20	Heuryville	1 27	6 29
2 00	9 35	Oakland	1 21	6 14
2 18	9 52	Forks	1 13	6 39
2 38	10 11	Tobyhanna	1 14	5 41
2 52	10 27	Gouldsboro	1 10	5 32
3 15	10 46	Moscow	1 07	5 17
3 27	10 58	Dunsmuir	1 07	4 58
3 45	1 12	Hopkinton	1 03	4 37
4 20	1 14	SCRANTON	1 05	4 30
4 42	1 20	Clark's Summit	9 38	4 22
4 50	1 25	Abington	9 30	3 50
5 05	1 31	Factoryville	9 14	3 35
5 28	1 35	Nicholson	8 40	3 12
5 45	1 42	Hopkinton	8 33	2 57
6 10	1 55	Scranton	8 10	2 36
6 31	1 56	New Milford	7 49	2 17
6 50	2 15	Great Bend	7 30	2 00
P. M. A. M.		A. M. P. M.		

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Eastward.
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