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#### LAWN PLAYHOUSES

Large Enough for Three or Four Little Girls and Their Dolls.

The latest novelties in the smart toy shops are large playhouses, to be set upon the lawn for the use of the little kirls of the family. These come in very pretty designs, counterparts of the Queen Anne cottages in which the little mothers really live. They are large enough to accommodate three or four little girls and their dolly families. The interiors consist of one large room, which is furnished with small chairs, tables, couches, beds, bureaus, bookcases and so on, all of which articles of furniture come in very attractive forms and can be purchased at any of the large shops dealing in children's toys and games. These houses will be welcomed giadly by the little misses, for they open out a vista of afternoon teas, parties and receptions at which the hostess can play at being a real tive mamma and social leader. Placed in a shaded corner of the lawn, or out in the orchard, the girls of the family will pass many a happy hour when the sun is too hot for outdoor exercise.

### Let Them Alone.

People over 30 would do well to give up milk and eggs in any form as a diet," said a well-known physician. "These are the structure-forming food of animals which mature in a short time, and when taken in quantities by already formed they tend only to the hardening and aging of the tissues. I have seen people who were beginning to find stair climbing difficult, and who were losing their elasticity, much benefited by eliminating these articles from their diet. That there has been a great increase in the duration of life slow the age of 30 statistics prove, but beyond that period there has been no improvement. In my opinion, the person over 30 would have as good a chance to preserve life as the calld just beginning its struggle with existence if he would only suit his diet to

Where the Great Forests Are A table in Science shows that Cauada leads all other countries in the ent of her forests. She possesses 0,720 acres of forest-covered land, against 450,000,000 acres in the Unit-Russia is credited with 240,000 acres, about 48,000,000 more an the United States. India comes next with 140,000,000. Germany has 34,347,000 acres, France 23,466,450, and the British islands only 2,695,000. The table does not include Africa or South America, both of which contain immense forests. It may surprise some readers to learn that the percentage of orest-covered land is larger in several European countries, Germany for instance, than in the United States,



#### RETROSPECTS.

I met her in a glare of light,
One May, it was a regal night.
And she was stately.
In form and face she looked a queen—
I don't remember having seen
Her equal lately.

But Sue, in spite of royal pose, At heart was tender as the rose, And soon confided That some old gypsy once had read Her fortune, and "The Man," she said, Would come as I did.

I blessed that fortune-teller then, And pitted those unlucky men
Whom Sue had slighted.
I knew they must be in distress.
In black despair and nothing lessIndeed, benighted.

To-day I'm one of that sad crew, And yet can smile in spite of Sue— She was delicious! I hear she's found another "flame," "Beneath the light" (the way I came). Nor is suspicious.

The fortune-teller seems to know
The way they come, but how they go
Is more confusing.
Yet, come and go, you know, they must,
And I, at last, can find it just
A bit amusing!
—Chicago Record.

#### HUMOR OF THE DAY.

Mrs. Benham-"Mother will spend Sunday with us if the weather is pleas-ant." Benham-"2 think we need

Will never woo another day; But he who kisses one giri may Be sure to kiss some more some day. —Philadelphia Record

"I know a Scotchman who says he never played golf in his life." "Good; we can teach him the game and he can teach us the dialect."—Chicago Rec-

"Why should I marry you?" she asked, coldly. "Well, of course," he replied, viciously, "you can be an old maid if you wish."—Philadelphia North American.

"How do you feel about this proosed alliance with England, Game-y?" "Well, I think our nation will cheerfully look upon her in the light of a little sister.'

Tommy Wagg—"Pa, what does 'M.D.' after a doctor's name mean?" Mr. Wagg—"Perhaps it refers to his patients, my boy, and stands for many dead!" -Fun.

"Hello, Spiffins, are you doing much these days?" "A little, Snaggs. I have just sold three oil wells." "Ah, in the hole sale business, I see." Pittsburg Chronicle Telegraph.

Little Ethel (whose birthday gifts are numerous and valuable)—"Mamma, it's just too bad!" Her Mamma—"What, dear?" Little Ethel— "That we are born only once."

Mamma-"Dear me, Nellie! How have you torn that great hole in your pinafore? It wasn't there this morn-Nellie-"Where do you suppose it was then, mamma, dear?"

First Tramp (in the road) - "Why don't you go in? The dog's all right. Don't you see him waggin' his tail?" Second Tramp-"Yes; and he's growlin' at the same time. I dunno which end to believe.'

Coacher (loudly)—"Two are out! play for the batter." Mrs. Notupp— "Batter! b-a-t-t-e-r! Goodness sakes, what sort of batter are these men playing for?" Mr. Manu-"Dough, madam."-Judge.

"You're the biggest freak in the museum," exclaimed the petrified man as the fat lady accidently stepped on his toe. "As for you, sir," indignantly replied the fat lady, "you posi-tively have no feelings whatever."

Of course hair dye doesn't hurt the brain. We have the assurance of the maker that it does not, and if any doubt still remains, there is the further fact that nobody who has any brains ever dyes.—Detroit Journal.

Miss Cute-"What made Miss Millions accept Cholly after first re-fusing him?" Miss Pert-"Oh, he looked so cheap when she turned him down that she couldn't let the chance for a bargain escape her."-Philadelphia Record.

"I am all out of patience with you, Jack. I should just like to know why George Jones is always at the head of his class, while you are always at the foot?" Jack hesitated for a moment, and then, looking his mother squarely in the face, he said, innocently: "You forget that Jones has very clever parents.

"I have just learned," she said, with a perceptible tings of asperity, "that I am the ninth girl to whom you have been engaged." "Well," he suavely replied, "that ought to make you glad." "Glad!" she exclaimed; "I'd like to know why?" "Don't you know," he answered, "that there's luck in odd numbers."-Minneapolis Tribune.

### Saved by a Cat.

Score one for pussy. A Bristol (England) cat a few days ago proved the means of saving a whole from destruction by fire. At halfpast two in the morning a shopkeeper named Ledo Schniedermann was aroused by his pet tabby, which was gently scratching his face. He tried to drive her away, but as

the faithful feline persisted, he aroused himself, to find the room full of smoke. He alarmed a lodger, Herman Mulller, and also his sister and another young woman. They all rushed to the stairs, where the flames were already spreading. With the exception of the lodger,

With the exception of the lodger, the inmates, taking puss with them, reached a landing, from which they escaped to the back yard. Just as the flames shot right through the spiral staircase, Mulier, who had stopped to put on his boots, was out off from escape. The flames reached his room, and then, throwing out some bedding, he leaped from the second-story window. He badly sprained his ankle and was taken to the infirmary, New York Heraid.

#### THE MARKETS.

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Timothy, prime .....

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#### Demand Still Exceeds the Supply of Bessemer Pig - A Drop in Wheat.

REVIEW OF TRADE

R. G. Dun & Co's weekly review of trade reports as follows:"The astonishing feature is the magnitude of demand notwithstanding prices which would ordinarily check it. In products directly consumed by individuals, the larger employment and better wages of the working force give explanation. Ef-forts to meet the demand call for more stores, manufacturing works and ma-chinery and facilities for transportachinery and facilities for transporta-tion, as if every man's wages were in part diverted to build up the nation's machinery of manufacturing and dis-tribution. The occasion promises quick profits, the building is largely for the future, and it goes on in spite of un-usual prices.

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that and anthracite to \$22.50, southern
foundry to \$18.20 at Pittsburg, with
heavy sales; gray forge to \$19, and
southern at Chicago to \$20.55, with local
coke at \$21. Structural shapes were
advanced \$5 per ton a week ago, cut
nails 25 cents per keg this week places
\$2 per ton, common bar iron to 15,
cents at Pittsburg, and tool steel to
7 cents, with large Mexican orders
placed for pipe, and good orders for
bridges at Chicago. Few works can
promise delivery before December, and
most of the heavy contracts placed have
been for next year's delivery.
Sales of wool have been moderate,
6.325,700 pounds, for the week, and for
five weeks 42.05,820 pounds, of which
33,453,290 pounds wer domestic, and
when the last great speculation was
in progress sales in the same week of
1835 were 57,669,222 pounds, of which
39,118,387 pounds were domestic. Some
hesitancy in buying by manufacturers
is attributed to current prices, and in
quarter-blood washed fleece and unwashed and combing light some concessions have been made, so that the
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washed and combing light some con-cessions have been made, so that the average of 190 quotations by Coates Bros. is about 20.33 cents, against 20.46 cents August 1.

"Mills have strong demands for goods and the clay worsteds have further ad-vanced. In cotton goods demand ex-ceeds supply and many kinds have ad-vanced, although the material has de-clined.

"The cotton year ends with spot quoted at 6% cents. The crops has sur-passed all others, and with commercial stocks here and abrond and mill stocks about 600,000 bales larger than a year about 690,000 bales larger than a year ago, the actual consumption of American cotton seems to have been about 10,000,000 bales, so that a crop of 10,000,000 bales would leave stocks about where they were a year ago, if consumption should remain the same. There is prospect of increased consumption, but also of a yield exceeding 10,000,000 bales, notwithstanding recent losses.

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"Wheat has declined mainly because reports of injury in the Northwest have been discredited, and the exports from both coasts have been for the week 3,010,010 bushels, against 3,785,759 bushels last year, and for five weeks 16,114,685 bushels, against 16,875,639 bushels last year. The western recepts have been 19,513,474 bushe's, against 20,320,585 bushels last year, indicating in recent weeks some disposition on the part of farmers to hold their grain. The e-ormous exports of corn, 20,802,123 bushels, against 10,309,483 bushels in the same week last year, and the western receipts, 19,722,019 bushels, against 18,620,787 bushels last year, are not to be forgotten and have caused a decline of 1 cent in price.

"Fallures for the week have been 141 in the United States, against 171 last year, and 25 in Canada, against 22 last year.

#### FASHIONS CHANGE,

And It Is Now the Fashion to Get Unmarried.

New York Tribune: A group of lit-tle girls, from 12 to 14, were talking with each other one day on Bailey's beach at Newport, a few days ago, and a stranger curious to hear what the children of the elect conversed about, took a seat on the sand in their neighborhood. They were talking of the future, as children of their age are wont to do, and, of course, the prospective bridegroom came in for a large share of their attention, "Yes, I shall marry," announced unquestionably the beauty of the party, a lovely girl of 13, "but," she added with calm conviction, "I do not think I shall stay married long. I get tired of people so easily. I shall probably get a divorce after a few years. Her sentiments did not seem to excite any surprise or disapproval, but one of the group said timidly: "My mother thinks it is very

wrong to be divorced. She says it is a solemn vow for better or worse, and if it is for worse, why people must stand it." The other laughed mockingly, and the first speaker who seemed to be the spokesman for the party answered with the wearled air of a woman of the world, which she had successful copies from some admired friend of her mother's, "How funny you are, Margery, with your old fashioned ideas. Fashions change in marriage like in everything else, and just now it is the fashion to get unmarried whenever you want to."

#### Spiritualists Disport Without Spirit.s

Spiritualists had a jolly picnic at Braintree, Mass., with baseball, wheelbarrow and potato races and other wholesome outdoor sports, with not a cabinet or a screen in sight. Now, if the spirits had consented to appear under such auspices through the mediumship of the contestants in the potato race, for example, many skeptics might be gathered into the fold of spiritualistic belief, but there was no manifestation of the supernatural on that cheerful day. For some reasons all spirits, whatever may have been their character during the mortal life, show an exclusive partiality for darkness and slow music when summoned back to earth.

#### A Handsome Admission.

England is the country which holds the record for the consumption of alcohol. Englishmen, and even Englishwomen, drink enormous quantities of alcohol, and the vice is even more prevalent in Ireland, where it has assumed unheard-of proportions. we must not flatter ourselves that we are much better in France. Unhappily alcoholism is increasing alarmingly in our country.-Bordeaux La France.

#### Pleasure of Anticipation

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