I beleave one apple iz sweet, and the one on the next tree is sour, I will bet sovereigns on this but I will dated. give onny smart professor a span of matched mules who will tell me what make sthem so.

Ivy on the exterior walls of houses absorbs dampness, by extracting moisture from the air as well as from the brick or stones that it overruns. The dampness of these is what gives life to the plant, so that the laterfor of the house is rendered drier than it would be otherwise.

#### Good News for AlL

Bradford, Tenn., Nov. 21.-(Special.) -Scientific research shows Kidney Trouble to be the father of so many diseases that news of a discovery of a sure cure for it cannot fail to be welcomed all over the country. And according to Mr. J. A. Davis of this place just such a cure is found in Dodd's Kidney Pills. Mr. Davis says:

"Dodd's Kidney Pills are all that is claimed them. They have done me more good than anything I have ever and eaten with the fork. taken. I had Kidney Trouble very bad and after taking a few boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills I am completely cured. I cannot praise them too ing card to show it has been left in much."

Kidney Complaint develops into Bright's Disease, Dropsy, Diabetes, Rheumatism and other painful and fatal diseases. The safeguard is to tom of disease.

HINTS ON EFIQUETTE. A letter or note should always be

The cultivation of politeness should begin in the home.

Separate invitations should be sent to the soung men of the family.

A gentleman always rises from his chair when a lady enters or leaves the room.

Politeness does not mean stiffness of manners but on the contrary, ease of manner.

Two or more sisters may be sent one invitation, the address being written the "Misses Blank."

At a ball one may not refuse a certain dance to one gentleman and then dance it with another.

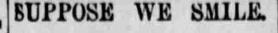
On the visiting card the day for receiving is engraved or written in the lower left hand corner.

Bananas are peeled, held in the fingers and eaten; if too solt or mushy they may be cut into slices

The old-fashioned practice of folding over the right side of the visitperson is no longer observed.

Before making a call on a lady, a gentleman must first receive an invitation to do so, or he must first gure your kidneys with Dodd's Kidney ask and receive her permission to Fills when they show the first symp-come.

You kan find more people in this Yung man, don't hunt after perfekworld who kan tell what kind ov shun, but go for a helthy average: a day the next 4th of July is a-going yu will strike this every now and to be than kan tell yu what the day then, and learn to prase sure good luk. before yesterday wur.



**HUMOROUS PARAGRAPHS FROM** THE COMIC PAPERS.

Pleasant Incidents Occurring the World Over-Sayings that Are Cheerful to Old or Young-Funny Seleotions that Everybody Will Enjoy.

"You are entitled to five words more to make the last line full, if you want them," said the advertising clerk, after counting the words.

The man who had brought in a small advertisement, offering his meat market for sale, reflected a moment.

"Just add this," he said. "Reasons for selling, nobody's business."

## Acute Sense of Smell.

"But, Aunt Ann," said her nephew, "this is an old and valuable relic. It is an Indian pipe of peace, of the times before the revolutionary war. It hasn't been smoked for more than a hundred years."

"I don't care." said Aunt Ann. "I can smell the tobacco about it yet. Take it away!"

#### What, Indeed !

Tess-I think Belle acted rather shabbily in breaking her engagement to Jack Hugard.

Jess-Well, he broke his arm. Tess-But, good gracious!

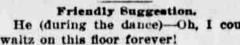
Jess-Yes, good gracious! What use is a fiance with a broken arm?-Phila-

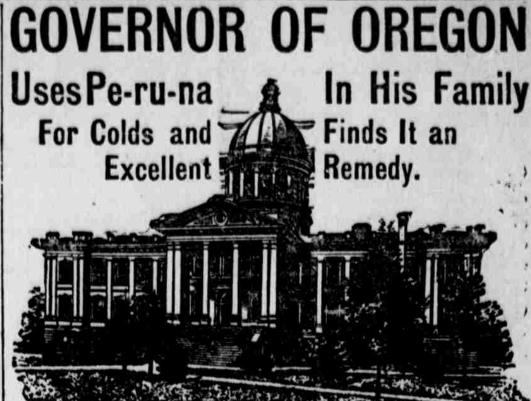
Just What He Expected.



The Peddler-Let me she hese

The Lady-Those last tabl you sold me are full of holes. The Peddler-Yes, I thoug would need some more by this





# The Magnificent State Capitol Building at Salem, Oregon. PRAISE FROM THE EX-GOVERNOR OF OREGON.

PERUNA is known from the Atlantic to the Pacific. Letters of congratu-lation and commendation testifying to the merits of Peruna as a catarrh Executive DEPARTMENT.

remedy are pouring in from every State of the Union.

Dr. Hartman is receiving hundreds of such letters daily. All classes write these letters, from the highest to the

The outdoor laborer, the indoor artisan, the clerk, the editor, the statesman, the preacher—all agree that Peruna is the catarrh remedy of the age.

The stage and rostrum, recognizing catarrh as their greatest enemy, are es-pecially enthusiastic in their praise and testimony.

Any man who wishes perfect health must be entirely free from catarrh. Ca-tarrh is well-nigh universal; almost

omnipresent. Peruna is the only absolute safeguard known. A cold is the beginning of ca-tarrh. To prevent colds, to cure colds, is to cheat catarrh of its victims.

Peruna not only cures catarrh, but prevents it. Every household should be supplied with this great remedy for coughs, colds and so forth.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O.

Dear Sirs--- I have had occasion to use your Peruna medicine in my famlly for colds, and it proved to be an ex-cellent remedy. I have not had or casion to use it for other allments.

Yours very truly. W. M. Lord.

It will be noticed that the Ex-Gov-ernor says he has not had occasion to use Peruna for other ailments. The reason for this is, most other ailments begin with a cold. Using Peruna to promptly cure colds, he protects his family against other

ailments.

This is exactly what every other fam-ily in the United States should do-keep Peruna in the house. Use it for coughs, colds, is grippe and other climatic affections of winter, and there will be no other allments in the house. Such families should provide them-selves with a copy of Dr. Hartman's free book, entitled, "Chronic Catarrh."

The Ex-Governor of Oregon is an ardent admirer of Peruna. He keeps it bus, Ohio. All correspondence held

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	USED TO IT. "Doesn't the noise and bustle of the city confuse you?" Suburb"Not a bit. All my neigh- bors have lawn mowers, bables and chickens."	HARD TIMES First Cook—"Times are mighty hard just now." Second Cook—"Deed they are. ] sandbagged six men as' night, an ony got fifteen cents out o' the hull lot."
ht you time.	I find Miso's Cure for Consumption the best medicine for croupy childrenMrs. F. Callahan, 114 Hall street, Parkers- burg, W. Va., April 16, 1901. I like a mule for one thing-be	Mustang Liniment



delphia Press.

Two severe cases of Ovarian Trouble and two terrible operations avoided. Mrs. Emmons and Mrs. Coleman each tell how they were saved by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM :-- I am so pleased with the results obtained from Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound that I feel it a duty and a privilege to write you about it.

"I suffered for more than five years with ovarian troubles, caus-"I suffered for more than five years with ovarian troubles, caus-ing an unpleasant discharge, a great weakness, and at times a faintness would come over me which no amount of medicine, diet, or exercise meemed to correct. Your Vegetable Compound found the weak spot, however, within a few weeks — and saved me from an operation — all my troubles had disappeared, and I found myself once more healthy and well. Words fail to describe the real, true, grateful feeling that is in my heart, and I want to tell every sick and suffering sister. Don't dally with medicines you know nothing about, but take Lydia E. Pink-ham's Vegetable Compound, and take my word for it, you will be a different woman in a short time." — MES. LAURA EMMONS, Walker-wille, Ont. ville, Ont.

# Another Case of Ovarian Trouble Cured Without an Operation.

"DEAR MRS. PINEHAM: - For several years I was troubled with ovarian trouble and a painful and inflamed condition, which kept me in bed part of the time. I did so dread a surgical operation.

"I tried different remedies hoping to get better, but nothing seemed to bring relief until a friend who had been cured of ovarian trouble, through the use of your compound, induced me to try it. I took it faithfully for three months, and at the end of that time was glad to find that I was a well woman. Health is nature's best gift to woman, and if you lose it and can have it restored through Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I feel that all suffering women should know of this." -- MRS. LAURA BELLE COLE-MAN, Commercial Hotel, Nashville, Tenn.

It is well to remember such letters as above when some druggist tries to get you to buy something which he says is "just as good" That is impos-sible, as no other medicine has such a record of cures as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound ; accept no other and you will be glad.

Don't hesitate to write to Mrs. Pinkham if there is anything about your sickness you do not understand. She will treat you with kindness and her advice is free. No woman ever regretted writing her and she has helped thousands. Address Lynn, Mass.

FORFEIT if we cannot forthwith produce the original latters and signatures of above testimoniais, which will prove their absolute genuineness. Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

She-Well, I wish you would do so instead of waitzing on my feet.

At the Club.

First Member-I've been up with the sun every day this summer. Second Member-So have I, but after I've walked the floor with him for awhile I usually go back to sleep again .- Detroit Free Press.

### Took Him Up.

Tramp-Madam, I'm sadly in need of-

Madam-I should say you were. There's a creek just beyond the grove. Here's soap and a towel.-Detroit Free Press.

#### Unpardonable Error.

Mrs. Uppson-ls your new neighbor a society woman?

Mrs. DeSwell-Mercy, no! Why, she actually calls her kitchen maid a hired girl.

## Can't Lose It.

Singleton-Does a married man ever follow his wife's advice? Wedderly-Yes, occasionally, but it usually follows him.

## Cause and Effect.

"Isn't there an awful lot of funny things in the newspapers, John?" remarked Mrs. Jimblecute, as she glanced at the work of the joke carpenters. "Sure," rejoined Jimblecute. "I suppose that's because you women are always putting your hair up in them.

## Nothing Serions.

"Well, madam," queried the doctor, "how are you feeling to-day?"

"Oh, doctor," she replied, "I have such terrible pains all through my body, and I can hardly breathe; I have no appetite and cannot sleep a wink." "But otherwise," said the M. D.,

"you feel all right, don't you?"

What She Missed. "After all," said Mrs. Stubb, thoughtfully, "I wonder if Eve wouldn't have rather lived in a house than in the garden ?"

"Of course," assented Mr. Stubb, distributing his cigar ashes over the matting. "Not having any doors to slam must have been very awkward to Eve when she lost her temper."

Their Appropriateness. Miss Ann Teek-He's always making jokes about me.

Miss Peppery-Oh! you musta't mind his jokes.

Miss Ann Teek-But they're not at all appropriate.

Miss Peppery-Why not? They're ali oid .- Philadelphia Press.

-only with hiz heels.

Mrs. Winslows SOOTHING SYRUP for children teething, softens the gums.reduces infin mation, allays pain cures colic. Price 250 bottle.

never waz known to flatter ennybody

The man who is determined to write sumthing new haz little hopes ov winning; but he who iz willing to repoint a moral, or sharpen both ends ov an old truth, so that it will stick in both ways, may possibly suckseed.

A company has been organized in London for the procuring of wealthy brides for impoverished aristocrats. A percentage on the estimated wealth of the bride is the fee for this work, to be paid within a week after the marriage takes place.

Thare are but fu men who are az phoolish az they are thought to be, and less who are az wize az they think they are.

The best way to tell a good oyster from a bad one iz' to eat it. The man who kan't tell the difference is this way isn't worth convincing.

"All Signs Fail in a Dry Time" THE SIGN OF THE FISH NEVER FAILS IN A WET TIME

In ordering Tows 's Slickers, a customer writes : "I know they will be all right if they have the 'Fish' on them." This confidence is the outgrowth of sixty-nine years of careful manufacturing.

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