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Mrs. M. A. Billett of Walnut street third set of teeth She is in her over to the chief election clerk, only

Ask Your Dealer for Allen's Foot Ease,

went down Alice Roosevelt had not Here the Inspector opened the packbeen in the center of the stage twelve hours.

Another Mary MacLane has been discovered out in Chicago, and as elect the government candidates." usual the critics are perplexed to know whether its genius or liver.

Duke Boris is coming back to this country. It seems that the distillers ere going to have another prosperous

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Bt. Paul, Neb. April 9, '03.

Rational Medical Co.
Gentlemen: This is to certify that I have used Liquid Koal for erget disease in cattle and believe it to be a cure for this disease from the experiments I have made, but believe it ought to be used when the animal is first taken with the disease. And for a lice killer it can't be beat by anything I know of. Yours respectfully.

Seward, Neb., bec. 5, 1902.

Liquid Koal, manufactured and sold by National Medical Co., York, Neb., is a necessity to any farmers rating stock Several instances of its efficiency have come under my personal notice. John HARVEY.

Ex-Mayor, Seward.

Wansa, Neb., bec. 18, 1902.

I consider Liquid Koal one of the best articles for all around purposes on the market. For mites and ince in the chicken houses and for lice on calves and horsest its the best and cheapest thing I have ever found. Liquid-Koal ought to be on every farm.

Coleridge, Neb., Dec. 8, 1902.

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Coleridge, Neb., Dec. 8, 1902.

I can say that your L. K. is the best insect destroyer that I ever used. It will not injure the eggs when used on setting hems. I find it the best all around stock medicine that I ever had on the place. I advise every farmer to keep a supply on hand.

G. B. GROFF.

Hartington, Neb., Dec. 10, 1902.

National Medical Co., York, Neb.,
Dear -tr: I am a user of Liquid Koal and
am well pleased with it. I would not try
to do without it as I find it useful in a great
many ways. I have had no sick hogs since it
commenced using it a year ago. In my
opinion it is the best and cheapest hog
cholera preventative on the market today.
You can use this as you wish. Anyone
wishing to know more about this please
write me.

Seward Neb. New 2010.

Seward, Neb., Nov. 28, 1901,
To Whom It May Concern:
This is to certify that I have bought the
third lot of Liquid Koal from the Nations
Medical Co., and think it the beatgern de
stroyer, appetizer and disinfectant that
have ever used. I have had occarion to u. have ever used. I have had occasion to use the new first in the best of the sever severe wounds, and found it the best and chapest remedy I ever tried; would not be without it on my place.

W. B. FRANCIS,

Deimont, S. D.

I have used your L. K., and think it is a
good preventive and disinfectant. I used
it as a medicine for all kinds of stock and
chickens. I had two cows that were sick
and would not eat and I used L. K. and it
helped them. I also used it as a hog cholera
preventive, and think it is all right
(J. H. PATRICK.

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# GOOD Short Stories \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

P. T. Barnum was a great practical loker. On one occasion he notified the dealer from whom he bought a large per he sent him was peas. The dealer indignantly denied the charge, and quite a warm correspondence followed, it being finally ended by Barnum, who

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the word "pepper" were not p's. On a recent day's outing in Westchester County, N. Y., Ernest Haskell, the artist, was painting a bit of the green hillside when a farmer came along, looked at the half-finished water color, then gazed, much puzzled, at three flat pans containing water which the artist had put on the ground close at hand. Turning away with a look of disgust, he remarked, halftloud: "Homeopath, b'gosh!"

In an article on "Some Humors of longress," in the Century Magazine, Francis E. Leupp says that Representtilve Harter of Ohio used to be one of the most earnest and vigorous debaters In the House. In the Intensity of an argument he quite forgot his surroundings. One day he was laying down the law in an impassioned way, and telling what ought to be done with a certain public abuse. "We ought to seize it," he cried, 'as a terrier does a rat, and shake the life out of it!" In entire self-oblivion he reached forward and seized Mr. McKaig, of Maryland, a rather small, light man, lifted him by his coat, and shook him, sulting action to words. McKaig was so astounded that he quite forgot to struggle, but naturally he was much incensed at the indignity. It took the interference of several friends and the most profuse apologies from Harter to avert hostilities and restore good feeling.

The Rev. W. W. Waddell declares that in Brazil the elections are a farce, The ballots are hardly ever counted, for the government nominates its ticket, and then, after an election, announces all its candidates elected. "A year or so ago," he says. "an Amerlcan, who had settled in Bahla, the second largest city in Brazil, was made an election clerk, and was told to bring the returns from an interior town into Bahia. After the election had closed. the clerk took the returns and hastened away, guarding them with the greatest care. He rode his horse hard, for he felt that the suspense would be great at Bahia until the returns he was carrying were received. What was his Vicksburg, Miss., is cutting her chagrin, therefore, to hand his package to see it thrown into the waste basket. 'Here, what are you doing?' he shouted. "Throwing them away, A powder to shake into your shoes. It rests the feet. Cures Corns, Bunions, Swollen, Sore, Hot, Callous, Aching, Sweating feet and Ingrowling Nails, Allen's Foot-Ease makes new or tight shoes easy. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores, 25c. Sample mailed FREE, Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Rox, N. Y. Up to the time yesterday's curtain swer; 'we don't need any more votes,' age and showed the astonished American a quantity of blanks, each of which was signed, with a space to be filled in with any number necessary to

The Kind of a Man He Is.

"Quinine was never cheaper than it is now," remarked Mr. Bowersox as he laid down his newspaper. "It can be obtained in a wholesale way at twenty cents per ounce. Some years ago the price was in the neighborhood of a dollar."

"How do you know?" asked Mrs. Bowersox.

"Well, I ought to know if anybody ought. Many an ounce of quinine have taken, for I was a terrible sufferer from ague in my younger days, I can tell you."

"Well, that's just like you exactly, Benjamin Franklin Bowersox." "What is just like me?" asked Bowersox in some surprise, for his wife's

tone was one of severity. "Why, it was just like your extravagant nature to contract the ague when quinine was very expensive, and now that the drug is cheap enough to place the shakes within the reach of all you are as free from it as if there wasn't any such thing as malaria in the world. Benjamin Franklin Bowersox, if there is a more aggravating man than you on this foot stool I wish some one would point him

out to me. That's what I wish." At this point the aggravating man put on his hat and went down street

Worrying a Bad Habit.

Worrying is a habit that grows very rapidly. The more it is indulged the stronger it becomes. When you discover that you are its victim, just anything from it? If so, what is the power of helping others and the op portunity of doing the next best thing "But I can't help it!"

Colossal Counter Claim.

It is hard to get ahead of some girls. One who was presented with a bill for £49 for money spent on her by a rejected suitor nearly frightened him to death by only threatening to put in a bill for one shilling apiece for all the kisses he had taken during the comship.-Spare Moments.

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And about the Care of the Skin, Scalp, Hair and Hands,

Too much stress cannot be placed on the great value of Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Resolvent in the antiseptic cleansing of the mucous surfaces and of the blood and circulating fluids, thus affording pure, sweet and economical local and constitutional treatment for weakening ulcerations, inflammations, itchings, irritations, relaxations, displacements, pains and irregularities peculiar to females. Hence the Cuticura remedies have a wonderful influence in restoring health, strength and beauty to weary women, who have been prematurely aged and invalided by these distressing ailments, as well as such sympathetic afflictions as ausemia, chlorosis, hysteria, nervousness and

debility. Women from the very first have fully appreciated the purity and sweetness, the power to afford immediate relief, the certainty of speedy and permanent cure, the absolute safety and great economy which have made the Cuticura remedies the standard skin cores and

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Saprems Court Sustains the Lont. Ease Trade-Mark.

Butalo, N. Y., June 26.-The Su preme Court has ordered a permanantumental, with costs, and a full account ing of sales, to issue against Paul if Hudson, the manufacturer of the bar powder called "Dr. Clark's Foot Powder," and also against a retail dealer of Brooklyn, restraining them from making or selling the Dr. Clark's Foot Powder, and the Brooklyn in the der, which is declared, in the decision of the court, an imitation and infringement of "FOOT-EASE," the powder to shake into your shoes, now so largely advertised and sold all over the country. Aller S. Olmsted, of Le Roy, N. Y., is the owner of the trade-mark, "FOOT EASE" and he is the first individual who ever advertised a foot powder ex-tensively over the country. The decision tensively over the country. The decision in this case uphelds his trade-mark and renders all parties liable who fraudulent ly attempt to profit by the extensive "FOOT-EASE" advertising, in placing upon the market a spurious and similar appearing preparation, labeled and pu up in envelopes and boxes like FOOT Similar suits will be brought against others who are now infringing on the FOOT-EASE trade-mark and common law rights.

Utterly regardless of shame but sale'y intent upon bleeding the taxpayers to the last drop, the politicains of Trenton, Mo, have advanced the salary fo the mayor of that town from \$4.16 to \$8.32 a month.

Piso's Cure for Consumption is the best medicine I have ever found for coughs and colds.-Mrs. Oscar Tripp, Big Rock. Ill., March 20, 1901.

It is said that smokers are not so liable to take dirtheria as those who do not smoke. It is usual for doctors just before visiting a patient suffering from a contagious disease to smoke for a few minutes.

An artesian well at Grevellle, near pecking away at the brush. Paris, 255 feet in depth. suplies 700,-000 gallons of water every day.

Thank God every morning when you get up that have you something

## SURE NOW.

The Truth About Coffee.

It must be regarded as a convincing test when a family of seven has used Postum for five years, regaining health and keeping healthy and strong on this food drink.

This family lives in Millville, Mass., and the lady of the household says: "For eight years my stomach troubled me all the time. I was very pervous and irritable and no medicine helped me.

"I had about given up hope until five years ago next month I read an article about Postum Oereal Coffee that convinced me that coffee was the cause of all my troubles. I made the Postum carefully and liked it so much I drank it in preference to coffee but without much faith that it would help me.

"At the end of a month, however, was surprised to find such a change in stop and consider: Are you gaining my condition. I was stronger in every way, less nervous and at the end of six gain? Are you losing anything from months I had recovered my strength so it—health, strength, cheerfulness, the completely that I was able to do all of my own housework. Because of the good Postum did us I knew that what you claimed for Grape-Nuts must be true at hand? Whatever you do, don't say and we have all used that telicious food ever since it first appeared on the mar-

"We have seven in our family and I do the work for them all and I am sure that I owe my strength and health to the steady use of your fine cereal food and Postum (in place of coffee). I have such great faith in Bostum that I have sent it to my relatives and I never lose a chance to speak well of it." furnished by Postum Co., Battle Creek,

Ice cold Postum with a dash of lemon is a delightful "cooler" for warm days. Send for particulars by mail of extension of time on the \$7,500.00 cooks' contest for 735 money prizes.

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Once upon a time-Mrs. Chency tells the story-the mother of a certain famlly left home for a few days, giving the children, as recompense for their loneliness, permission to have exactly what they chose for their meals. One morning, accordingly, they were reveling in a breakfast of johnny-cakethat luxury having been their unanimous choice-when a neighbor walked

Instantly the little feast was turned to ashes; the children sat about the table with crimsoning faces. Johnnycake might be delectable to the palate, but to be caught enting it was humiliation unspeakable. For did not everybody say that only the very poor-est people ate Johnny-cake?

One smiles at the scene, and yet-

For years Grace Perry had been wishing that she could earn some pocket-money. Her father gave to her as generously as she could afford, but the family was large and his expenses heavy. If she could only have a little income of her own, Grace thought; but there was nothing she could do, ex-

Then Grace colored. Years before when she was a little girl, an old aunt had taught her how to do fine laundry work. She had thought it play then; later the knowledge had enabled her always to wear such dainty, fresh gowns that richer girls wondered and envied. She liked the work, too, and there were many people who would have been glad to pay her well for it. But, of course, she could not think

of it. What would people say? There were the Morgans, too. Things were a little hard with the Morgans, and it was necessary to retrench. They talked the matter over in family coun cil, and decided among other things to give up desserts at dinner. Mutual confessions revealed the fact that every member of the family really cared nothing for them, and was confident that he would be better without them.

Yet within a month the Morgans were having desserts again. They said, to offer friends no dessert.

There is another side to the johnny- card bearing the words: cake question, nevertheless, and one that Is worth studying. Once in a while some soul of braver fiber than the majority has insisted upon eating the majority has insisted upon eating yours" he said; "but there's one her johnny-cake, and enjoying it in thing I should like to know. spite of its lowly popular estimate, Sooner or later it has come to pass that Johnny-cake has been lifted from its humble estate, and has won the respect due to its intrinsic merit.

Once or twice something still more curious has happened-johnny-cake has become the fashion! Then the one who first insisted upon eating it has been seen to smile reflectively .-Youth's Companion.

### NO THOROUGHFARE.

Uncle Matthew Had to Do Things in His Own Way.

Those well-meaning but often exasperating people who can do things only in one way are well drawn by Mr. Clifton Johnson, who, in a jaunt through Long Island, came upon a typical New England character in the "Uncle Matthew" whom he thus describes in "New England and Its Neighbors:"

A tall, bony old man was working at a large button-ball tree he had just cut down. It had fallen across the highway, and the top reached the opposite curbing. The man was chopping off limbs and trimming the brush from each in turn, quite oblivious of any need of opening the street to traffic. Some of the teams turned about and sought another thoroughfare; others joggled upon the curbing and drove along the sidewalk. Presently a man with a load of brick alighted and approached his neighbor, who was still

"See here, Uncle Matthew," said he, 'why don't you cut off these top branches, so teams can go past?" "Wal, I'm a-going to."

"But you no need to trim all the brush first."

"Naow look here! I'm a-dewing this ob, ain't I? If you're in a hurry, drive along on the sidewalk, same as other folks do."

"But I've got a ton and a half o' brick "That don't make any diff'rence."

"I'd smash my wagon all to flinders. I'll take hold here and help, and you can make a road through inside o' five minutes." He began to pull aside the small limbs.

"Naow you jes' stop that!" exclaimed Uncle Matthew. "You're mixing everything all up! You ac' as if you was crazv!"

The man remonstrated, but Uncle Matthew, with truly Napoleonic spirit, took command of the situation and had his way.

#### Beautitul Snow. "I have brought you a poem on 'Beau-

iful Snow," faltered the thin young man, "On beautiful snow, is it?" said the busy editor; "well, there is a snow shovel: take it out again."--Philadelphia Record.

Willing to Wait.

"But we-we shall not begin our married life with a secret, shall we, dear

est?" dearester," he murmured "No. there's plenty of time."-Pittsburg Gazette.

Here are two new ones: Why is a nan unlike a hen? He can lay an egg on a hot stove without burning his feet, and the hen can't. Here is an other: Of what use are ankles? To keep the calves from the corn.

# CHANGE OF LIFE.



Some sensible advice women passing through this trying period.

The painful and annoying symptoms experienced by most women at this period of life are easily overcome by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It is espe-cially designed to meet the needs of woman's system at the trying time of change of life.

It is no exaggeration to state that Mrs. Pinkham has over 5000 letters like the following proving the great value of her medicine at such times.

"I wish to thank Mrs. Pinkham for what her medicine has done for me. My trouble was change of life. Four years ago my health began to fail, my head began to grow dizzy, my eyes pained me, and at times it seemed as if my back would fail me, had terrible pains across the kidneys. Hot flashes were very frequent and trying. A riend advised me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I have taken six bottles of it and am to-day free from those troubles. Ind am to-day free from those troubles. I cannot speak in high enough terms of the medicine. I recommend it to all and wish every suffering woman would give it a trial."—Bella Ross, 88 Montclair Ave. Reslindale, Mass.—\$5000 forfait if original of above letter proving genuineness, cannot be produced.

#### Inquisitive

As old Robinson was walking along the principal street of his native were a sociable family, where people town something new struck his eye were always "dropping in" at meal. in the window of the watchmakers' times, and it looked so strange, they shop. It was a large, handsome clock and from it was suspended a

"Coe 300 days without winding!" Sucdenly an idea struck him and

"What's that?" "How long it would run if you wound it up?"



"For six years I was a victim of dys-pepsia in its worst form. I could eat nothing but milk tops, and at times my stomach would not retain find digest even that. Last March I began taking CASCARETS and since then I have steadily improved, unto I am as well as I ever was in my life."
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