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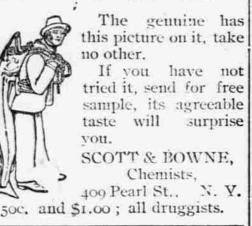
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state happy. Accordingly on a Satur- ant ways extended to him that sort of danger. A parachute can be guided and nothing, now known, will day, taking leave of his patient, he ad- old Irish hospitality which enabled a readily on the down trip, but you can't dressed her to the following purport: visitor in my own family who came for steer a balloon. To guide a parachute "You are now so well that I need not a fortnight to stay for six years.

> shall come and pay you a farewell vis- to nearly double that time. After out air and thus work it to where you it. But in the meantime I wish you eight or nine years, however, his kinsand your daughter to seriously consid- man got a little tired of his guest and er the proposal I am about to make. It let him know of his old mansion's prois abrupt and unceremonious, I am posed renovation and that he had sign- made in the evening. When the sun aware, but the excessive occupation of ed a contract for having it painted goes down, the wind goes down. The my time by my professional duties af- from garret to cellar.

I desire by the more ordinary course of tunate that I don't object to the smell lot or not far away. attention and solicitation. My annual of paint, and it will be well to have receipts amount to £---, and I can set- some one to keep an eye on the paint- and weighs about 500 pounds. A para-It may or may not be caused the f--- on my wife. My character is ers now that the wall fruit is ripen- chute is made of 8 cent muslin. The generally known to the public, so that | ing."

have seen in your daughter a tender informed him that he was going to be fully 100 feet before the parachute beand affectionate child, an assiduous married, adding, "I thought I'd tell you | gins to fill. It must fill if you're up and careful nurse and a gentle and in good time, so that you could make high enough. Invariably the fall is ladylike member of a family. Such a leisurely preparations to go, as the head first. When the parachute beperson must be all that a husband lady and you may not hit it off as well could covet, and I offer my hand and as you and I do." fortune for her acceptance. On Mon-

day when I call I shall expect your decousin's hand, saying: termination, for I really have not time

In this manner the lady was wooed dear, dear boy, surely if you can put up can land back on the lot where you and won, and it may be added the with her I can." union was felicitous in every respect.

How Li "Worked" Two Machines, With a seeming innocence that would have done justice to Ah Sin, the Hea- for men who have committed any then Chinee, Li Hung Chang appeared crime. It is a place where the outcasts to display the greatest interest in the of the world's society rule the land of ping house on Front street one day last sewing machines at an exhibition in their adoption and where the officials Edinburgh he visited when in Great Britain several years ago. His excellency's first question was

how long it would take for the sewing machine at which he had sat down to of the least advanced of the states of do a certain distance-seemingly con- South or Central America. Honduras fusing the mechanical stitcher with a indeed is a curious mixture of jungle If you have not lady's safety at the next stand.

for the routine of courtship."

tried it, send for free Without waiting for any reply to his rubber trees, of bugs, vampires, snakes sample, its agreeable query or further ceremony Li started and crocodiles-of all manner of things sewing a little seam. Nor did he do it that creep and crawl and sting and badly, a fact which made him seem de- bite; a region where life in the daytime lighted as a child. For some time the is a mockery and at night one feels as viceroy continued his hemming and, though sleeping in red pepper. though got away at length by his attendants, immediately sat down at the to be found men from different lands, next machine and insisted on working

> "What is the price?" asked Li at Philadelphia all furnish their quota. length.

gift," was the reply of the exhibitors. | make no attempt at concealment, bear | overalls is struggling with bundles and "Then I don't want it in that case," the names they were born to bear and packing cases in the shipping room of

Coming Down With a Parachute.

Played It to the Limit. Dr. Abernethy's courtship and mar- Irish gentleman's hospitality is unlim- parachute is like a dream," said a cirriage is very characteristic. It is told ited, but this is a slight exaggeration, cus balloon artist. "Ever dream of

see you after Monday next, when I In McCartie's case the visit stretched can tilt it one way or the other, spill

you may readily ascertain what it is. I Some months passed. Then his host with a knife. The aeronaut drops With tearful eyes Jerry grasped his finally filled it bulges out with a pop.

The Rogues' Refuge.

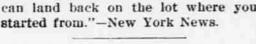
There is one corner of Central Amer-Ica that is at present a perfect paradise of the government protect all thieves that come to them and make it dangerous for any detective to molest them. This is the republic of Honduras, one and gigantic forest, of cocoa and of sir." Here, in every hamlet and city, are

mostly outlaws from their own country. Chicago, Boston, New York and England, France, Italy and even far | the chance." "Your excellency shall have it as a away Russia have their share. They

"Coming down from the clouds in a that while attending a lady for several as is shown by a story borrowed from falling from a high place? You come down, alight quietly and awake, and qualifications in her daughter which he Jerry McCartie was often the guest you're not hurt. Well, that's the paratruly esteemed to render the married of friends who on account of his pleas- chute drop over again. No; there is no out of harm's way a practiced hand

want to land or to avoid water, trees, chimneys or church spires. "Circus ascensions are generally

balloon then shoots into the air, and "A balloon is made of 4 cent muslin rope that secures the parachute is cut gins to fill, the descent is less rapid, and finally when the parachute has Then the aeronaut climbs on to his tra-"Oh, Dan, dear, you have my hearty peze and guides the parachute to a safe thanks for your consideration; but, landing. In seven cases out of ten you



Wanted a Job as Boss. A boy of about 14, with well worn

clothes and a face in which timidity and determination struggled for the mastery, entered the office of a shipweek, approached the desk of him whose appearance spoke the control of the establishment and, catching his eye, said:

"Do you want a boss, mister?" "What!" exclaimed the proprietor. surprised out of his self control. "I want to know if you want a boss,

"I don't understand you. What do you mean?"

"Well, sir, I've been looking for something to do for three weeks now, and nobody wants a boy, so today I thought I'd see if somebody didn't want a boss. I'd like to be a boss." "Well, well! That's not bad. Are you willing to work up to the job? It

took me 25 years to get it." "'Deed I am, sir, if you'll give me

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cause I require two, one for myself laws of their own country had not deand the other for the empress." And he had them.

What the Barber Said.

"To shave a man at home," said a barber, "I charge a quarter, but to shave a dead man half a dollar is the price. About a tenth of my private customers are women.

"I shave at their houses six or seven women every day. I don't know why it is some women have beards. It is very distressing to them, and they shave close and often. It is their only remedy. The electric needle is no good for them, you see, because their beards are so thick that it would take a lifetime for the operator to go over their faces and pluck each hair out separately, as must be done in the electrical depilitating system.

"Beards only grow on old women. They are one of the feminine disfigurements of age. It is the same trouble, I suppose, as that which affects old men. Old men, you know, have thick growths of hair in their nostrils and ears that must be cut out weekly, and their eyebrows if not regularly trimmed would grow to two or three inches."-Philadelphia Record.

She Was "Founded."

Netta was a little girl who lived in a foundling asylum, a place where homeless children without relatives are cared for.

A visitor who often came to the foundling had taken a great fancy to Netta. It was the birthday of Muriel, the lady's little girl, and permission was asked for Netta to take tea with Muriel.

As it was Muriel's birthday Netta wished to be very nice to her. At the same time Netta felt she had an advantage over Muriel, for it was not every one who lived in a foundling hospital.

"You were born, Muriel?" she asked. Muriel nodded and smiled.

Up went Netta's head a little higher. "It is so common to be born," she said. "I was founded!"-Exchange.

A Village of Lunatics.

Laos, in Cochin China, is, according to Dr. Lefevre, a village of out and out fools or lunatics. A common form of mania with them is to believe they have a buffalo in the stomach. Hopeless cases of this delusion, or "pipop," as they are called, are thrown into the water and if they save themselves are accounted free from the possession.

The Ladies' Gallery.

It is not perhaps generally known that an order for the withdrawal of strangers from the English house of commons does not extend to the ladies' gallery, which is not supposed to be within the house. Ladies can therefore only be informed of the subject of debate and left to withdraw or not at their own discretion.

Chance For Him at Home.

observed the simple and bland Li, "be- go along about their business as if the clared them outcasts .- London Express.

Naming the Chinese Baby.

In China girls are called instead of Mary Ann or Marguerite "Spring Times. Peach," "Cloudy Moon," "Celestial Happiness" or what may not be considered so nice, "Come-along-a-littlebrother" or "Add-a-younger-brother" or "Lead-everlasting-younger-brothers." The latter means that a son would have been more welcome than a little "go away child," as they call the girls. They belong to the family of the husbands to be and do not count in the family of their birth, so that when a Chinaman is asked, "How many children have you?" he makes no count of the girls, although he may have ten. The boys only he c unts, and his reply will indicate only the number of boys. He gives his sons such names as "Ancestral Piety," "Ancestral Knowledge," "Practical Industry," "Able to Sing Out," "Second God of Learning," "Excite the Clouds," "Beginning of

Joy," "All Virtue Complete." The little slaves who begin life as household drudges before they graduate lower answer to such names as "As You 30 cents. Please," "Sparrows' Crumbs," "Joy to Serve," "Your Happiness," "Not For Me."-Kansas City Journal.

A Little Mistake In Medals.

The chief officer of a Yorkshire yeomanry regiment while congratulating one of the troops on its appearance made a stirring allusion to the medals worn by some army veterans in the ranks. One of the men, a native of Wharfedale, afterward went home in a very thoughtful frame of mind, and next morning he came on parade with | you think of it, John?" several medals on his breast. Said the officer, "I didn't know you

had been hf the regulars." "No; I ain't," said the man.

"Well, how about the medals, then, my good fellow? They can't be yours." The man promptly answered: "Can't they? Aye, but they be. My old coo won 'em all at Otley show."-Upper Wharfedale.

Not Available.

When at 3 o'clock one morning Mrs. Newman was convinced that she heard a burglar in the parlor, she cautiously awakened her husband.

"Very well," said Mr. Newman, with a drowsy patience born of frequent similar alarms. "I'll get my revolver from the drawer and go down and in- pot was either choked or too narrow. vestigate."

"But, William," said his wife, with a sudden gasping remembrance, "your pistol isn't here, dear. I-I tied it up with ribbons for an ornament under your father's sword today!"-Youth's Companion.

Means to the End.

Goldrox-So you want to marry my daughter. What means have you to night drinking somebody's health .that end?

Mr. Forchen-Hunt-Oh, we'd be married in the usual way-by means of a "In de case ob er good many men,"

the concern. He intends to be boss of the establishment before his side whiskers, which have not yet sprouted, are as gray as those of the present incumbent. And the chances, with his energy and



Four Good Smokes Cheap. "Gimme three nickel cigars," said the man with the red necktie at the restaurant counter. He was quickly

will, are in his favor .- New York

supplied. "Now gimme a good Havana or Key West cigar, about a 15 center." He carefully lighted the Havana cigar and tucked the nickel cigars in his upper vest pocket.

"You smoke a Havana yourself and keep the nickel cigars for your friends, suppose?" said the dealer, with a sickly smile.

"No," said the man with the red necktie; "I've got a better scheme than that. I always smoke a 15 cent Havana or Key West cigar after dinner. Then I smoke the nickel cigars afterward. The nickel cigars taste exactly like the Havana cigar, and thus I get the benefit of four choice cigars that ordinarily would cost me 60 cents for

"Try it yourself," said the man with the red necktie as he walked out .-- Chicago Tribune.

The Picture and the Frame, A well known artist used to tell a good story concerning his first academy picture. He was favored by many visitors to see it, his frame maker

among the number. This good fellow took his stand before the work and seemed buried in profound admiration. "Well," said the painter, "what do

"Think of it, sir? Why, it's perfect. You won't see one better, I know. Mr. - has got one just like it." "What!" said the amazed artist. "A

picture just like that?" "Oh," replied the frame maker, "I

wasn't talking about pictures. I was speaking of the frame. You may believe me, sir, it's the frames as gets 'em in, and that is just a beauty!"

Wherein They Were Alike, A country minister who, though a poor man, was notoriously defective and hesitating in his style of delivery in the pulpit, was sitting having a cup of tea with one of the old spinsters connected with his congregation when he observed that the spout of the tea

"Your teapot, Miss Kennedy," he remarked, "disna-disna rin weel." "Ay, jist like yoursel', Mr. Broon," retorted the nettled lady. "It has an unco puir delivery."

How He Got Ill. Mrs. Askins-What makes Mr. Moddlin so sick?

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