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UNDISCOURAGED FARMER.

I met a jolly farmer in a lovely Western A man of fertile fancy that was never known to fail, Who, when I told of bailstones sever ounces full in weight, Said he had seen twelve ounce ones back

And when I spoke of fish I'd caught, in certain foreign rills, That measured twenty seven feet from parrative to gills, He said, with brow nuruffied and a man-

in eighteen sixty eight

ner frank and free, That he had caught them twice as long in eighteen sixty three.

And then I spake of having met a fellow Whose mouth was large enough to get

three large potatoes in! Wherein he wished Jim Hankinson—his consin was alive He'd seen him hold six apples in his mouth in sixty five.

It seemed to make no odds to him how Fd exaggerate; He'd always go one better, so I thought that I'd narrate How with an ass's jawbone did the mighty Samson slay

Ten thousand of his formen-just to see

what he would say. He listened most intently, with an ever broadening smile, As though he were a person that had

never heard of guile; And when I'd done, he told me that he knew my tale was true. For Samson's self had told it him is cighteen sixty two.

## The Old South.

AWAY OUT IN THE LOW-LANDS, WHERE THE SUGAR CANE GROWS AND THE COUNTRY IS SO BEAUTIFUL IN SPRINGTIME.

[Atlanta Constitution.]

One of the most picturesque characters to be found in the South today," and a tourist at the Aragon yesterday, "is the old gentleman one sees here and there who has clung to his love for music ever since he was young and at the same time kept up his skill in this line, I have just been down in the valley of the Mississippi-away out in the lowlands of Louisiana, where the sugar cane grows and the country grows so green and beautiful in springtime. I go out there annually a little later than this and put in several months at that season of the year when the trees are budding and the ground is growing over with a verdant carriet and the birds are singing to a charm, and I tell you there is no more empring land, no more reposeful and dreamy region to be found anywhere.

But, as I was going on to say, one finds many of the old time musicianthere on the great cotton and sugar plantations. The old fellows have the air and manner of the barons of the old South they used to be. They were reared in luxury and case and have never known a care, it would seem. You sometimes find them sitting on the varandas of their great white houses surrounded by the tall columns that tower up and amid a world of frogrant flowers-just sitting out there in their shirt sleetes, or with some light coat on basking in the sunlight and singing the old time songs, while away off yonder in the fields the darkies are singing, too, while they work. It is a picture one never forgets when he has once seen it. Somehow the air down there in early springtime seems to have some sort of narcotte in it, for it makes fellow feel as sleepy and drowsy andreamy and at perfect peace with the

world as a clime could make him feel. "Then to sit out on the br ad sweeping verandas and hear these picturesque of fellows talk of old times and sing the o's songs-nothing could possibly be morenchanting."

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WILD ENOUGH FOR HER.

(Youth's Companion.) At the dinner table in a country hotel a guest says to a waitress:

"Miss, are you sure that this is duck that you are giving me?" "Wild! Well, I should think it was If you'd a seen us chasin' that duck more'n forty times 'round the barnyard fore we ketched it, I guess you'd believe it was wild."

When Haby was sick, we gave her Clastoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria



"Why, Arthur, for pity's sake, what mave you been doing?" "I was in the ash box, mamma."
"In the ash box! And why?" "We played mythology and I was Phoenix rising from the ashes."-Flie-

gende Blactter.



Little Willie-Are you tongue tied? Featherstone-Of course not, Willie What makes you think so? waiting for months for you to speak .-



The Teacher-Willie Watson, go to the blackboard and describe to the class

Willie Watson-Wot's ther use, teacher, when they can see Ikey Hammerstein's legs?-Judge.



Dashaway-You say your sister will be down in a minute, Willie. That's good news. I thought, perhaps, that she wanted to be excused, as she did Willie-Not this time. I played w

Dashaway - What did you do? Willie (triumphantiy) - I said you were another fellow. - Wonder.



-Truth



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say she was "self made.

THE REASON WHY.

to hear men talk of being "self made.

Faded Female-Sir, you announce in your paper that I am engaged to be mar-She-Hat, surely, marriage may someried. How came you to make such a times result in happiness?
He—Oh, yes—often. People couldn't Editor-We always try to err on the get divorced if they hadn't got married first .- Truth.



THE PROPOSED BUILDING OF THE FUTURE.

THE FINANCIAL SITUATION

Exchange

Have you a spare quarter?

mistake?

Long-Are you in favor of a gold ba-

Short-Silver is good enough for me

CHARITABLE.

WHAT HE DID.

Miss Gusn-So your regiment was at the first battle of Bull Run, colonel COLONEL FERRSE—Ht was, miss.

Miss Gush—How thrilling! You must tell me all about it. What did you do, colonel, when you saw with dismay that the day was lost?

COLONEL FERRSE—What did I do, miss? Why, 1—er—er—why, 1 did who the bull did.—Frank Leslie's Weekly.

POOR ECONOMY.

(Atlanta Constitution ) a newspaper."

"Never. That's why he broke his leg imping backwards from a moving train and cut his hand off fightin' his own re- make even the present fashions look arflection in a lookin' glass."

A HOBE.

Sister- You have told me her name "They tell me Jones never subscribes yet I know no more than I did before. Is

ristic - N. V. Weekle.



PRETTY EVENING GOWNS

Humility ever dwells with men of

Things are unbearable just until we

## The Kind-Hearted Man.

HE WAS DELUDED BY HIN You came oh, yes, you see SYMPATHY FOR BEAUTY IN It's many a day since last I had HE WAS DELUDED BY HIS DISTRESS

A man had occasion to go to the Union depot yesterday afternoon to meet his Ob, thanks !- "You think I'm looking wife, who had been out in the country for a time. When he got to his station My deepest feelings, "Will I tell he found his train half an hour late, and he bought a paper and sat down on Just how it happened that we fell one of the benches.

Not long after he had scated himself a rather pretty girl, who wore a pink waist and had nice rosy cheeks and clear blue eyes, and who looked to be not over seventeen, came and sat down next to him. The man who was waiting for his wife took a casual look at the girl and went back to his paper.

Pretty soon another pretty girl who also wore a pink waist and had blue eyes and a fresh complexion and all that sort of thing came along and stopped in front of the first girl. The second pretty girl looked as if she wanted to cry. She said with tremulous voice, "Why, Nettie It is said that a building something like the above picture will be built in New York city in what do you think? The fare's a dol-

the said that a building something like the above picture will be built in New York city in the uear future, the side for it having already been purchased. Then proposed building will be about half a mile high and will comprise fifty stories. Iron interspersed with aluminum, with glass and with stone for pictorial effect, will be used chiefly in the construction of the building. This will be above ovar held with a specious court, heed therefor not spiral driving park of gradual ascent inside the central dome. The arrangement will be such that during summer only "A what?" gasped Nettie. "A dollar! And she told us it was only 50 cents, and I have ut got enough the sides of this imperceptibly ascending spiral avenue can be forced upon to natural air, while in severe winter weather they can be closed tight. If he wester, The lower part of the huge oval shell will be arranged chiefly for the management of the whole-sile business, and on the second floor the employes and workmen in the wast hive will have their quarters. Above this the building will be divided into flats and balls and will furnish a home for about 20,000 o get the tickets; and, oh, dear, I don't know what we will do!"

She sank down beside Nettie and the wo looked at the tiled floor with very solemn faces. Presently Nettie looked up and said: "I'll take a walk around Mrs. Paddington-It makes me sick the room. Perhaps there is somebody here I know." She made the tour of the Now, I'll wager you never heard a woman room and came back with her face gloom-Mr. Paddington-No; they generally keep that as quiet as possible.-Puck. ier than before. "Nobody here I ever saw before," she said, brokenly. The other girl sprang to her feet. "I'm going to tell the ticket man just how it is, she said. "Perhaps he will take what we've got and let us send him the rest." She came back with tears in her eyes

'He won't," she said, sadly. The man who was waiting for his wife heard all of this. His heart was touched. So he leaned over and said: "I beg pardon, but ladies, I-that iswill you allow me to help you in your hour of trouble?"

The pretty young girls started and soked at the man with frightened airs. The man hastened to reassure them that his intentions were honorable and, after many protests and arranging for repay ment and exchange of names and all that he gave the pretty girls \$1.15 and they thanked him pretty and went to get their

It so happened that the man's wife down to another train in the evening. While he was sitting on a bench waiting for the train he got to thinking of his afternoon experience, and concluded that be had done a right worthy act. As he a pretty girl in a pink waist sat down beside him. Pretty soon another girl, A. S. Harrison, Enfield, looking all woe begone, came along and said: "Why, Nettie, what shall we do The fare's a dollar "

The man who was waiting for his wife job. got up and walked slowly to the door. He had seen a great light. They were the same girls.

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#### RECONCILIATION,

You're back again? I'm very clad The pleasure, why, dear me! It seems an age ?" well, yes-"too bad

We fussed so easily.

But then I seldom show You'-what! you didn't know Out, a week ago ?

Your fault?" I've quite forgotten how It was-but any way, It really doesn't matter, now,

About it; as you say—
"Kiss and be friends?"—you wretch!-Oh well !- I guess you may.

# What May be Expected.

THE SORT OF EXAMINATION JOHNNIE MUST PASS ON GOING TO SCHOOL.

According to an exchange, new pupils in the schools of the future will have to submit to this examination:

Teacher-"Johnnie, have you got ertificate of vaccination for small pox?" Yes, sir."

Have you been inoculated fer croup? Yes, sir." Been treated with diphtheria scrum? Yes. sir."

"Yes, sir." Have you a written guarantee that you are proof against whooping cough, measles, mumps, searlet fever and old

bacilli?

"Had your arm scratched with cholera

"Have you your private drinking

"Do you promise not to exchange sponges with the boy next to, you, and never use any but your own pencil?" "Yes, sir."

"Will you agree to have your books fumigated with sulphor and sprinkle your clothes with chloride of lime once week?" "Yes, sir.

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Golden opportunities do not fly in cir-

People who think wrong will be sur to live that way. Many a man is compelled to stand

punishment who never fought a prize No man who debuts the worthiness of

It is hard to believe that a sin will bite the club or the work room,

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