He Saw the Point,

He had a pretty hard day of it and soundly, and no man likes to be awakthorg, and as she approached the bed review at New York. alm exclaimed:

"John! Oh, John!" He never moved.

"John! Wake up!", she persisted. "There's one of the funniest incidents-

He stillslept and she began to shake

"John! Listen to me!" she cried. He mumbled something and she shook him again. He opened his eyes and gruffy asked what the trouble

"There's the funniest story in one of the papers," she said. "It's about Goldast, the millionaire, and it makes me laugh every time I think of it. I'll tell you about it."

"No, you won't," he exclaimed hotly. "What in thunder-"

"Why, John!"

"I suppose you think it's a joke to wake me up out of a sound sleep to tell me some foolish story. What do you think I went to bed for?"

"Don't you want to hear it, John?" she asked in surprise.

"No, I don't."

"Dear me," she said in a puzzled sort of way, "don't you really I to be waked up in the middle of the night to hear a story any more than an when I get to bed first?"

He glared at her and she retreated. but she knew that the shot had gone home. He does'nt wake ber up any more and expect her to laugh at some joke or story he heard at the club.

Both in the Same Box.

There was a strange incident in Clerk Tanner's office vesterday.

Dr. Sam Stiles has a crippled outs at all druggists. foot on which is a shoe with nothing | June 23 lyr. a. p. r. m in the toe. He was standing at the desk when Mr. Charlie Hancock, who has been paralyzed, walked in with great difficulty to present a jury slip for payment.

He weighs about two hundred and twenty-five pointds, and as he walked in, he planted himself squarely on Dr. Stiles' crippled foot. The doctor did not feel it until he started away, and then he came near falling.

"You are on my foot, sir," he said, shaking Mr. Hancock who was writing his name on the slip.

with your I'm signing my name don't you see? 'replied' Mr. Hancock, who did not hear the doctor's remark.

"Tell him he's on my foot," said the doctor, turning to a bystander, and when Mr. Hancock was told where he was he said, as he shifted his position, "Excuse me, sir; but I've been para-Ivzed and I haven't got a bit of feeling in my legs. I didn't know I was on your foot."

"That's all right," replied the doctor, "I havon't got any feeling in that foot, and I didn't know you was on it until I started away."—[Atlanta Journal.

He Got His Kiss.

MURFREESBORO, March 27th.—A at rural "shindig," as a party is known in this country, Miss Matilda Lilywell and her lover, Reuben Sparkle, entered into an agreement that the one who should eat the larger number of biscuits should pay the other a forfeit to be named by the winner. Sparkle openly declared that should be gain the victory a kiss would be his reward, but a toss of the head from the country beauty warned him that his triumph would not be lightly won.

So, allowed only spring water or cider to moisten the feast, the p rla gan. One after another of the light, delicate compounds of the beauty's mother disappeared until thirty-five had been eaten by the young man. while the lady passed him and drew up at the unparalleled and incredible number of fifty-seven, a feat almost beyoud comparison.. Giving the swooning youth a kiss to confort him. Miss Lilywell sank into unconsciousness and is still speechless.

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Scientific American.

Arrived Safely at Havana.

Havana, March 21.-The two Columhad gone to bed early. When his wife | bus caravels, the Pinto and the Nina, entered the room he was sleeping arrived here today under escort of two United States warships, the Newark en a half an hour after he gets asleep. and the Bennington, on their way to She was evidently amused at some- take part in the great Columbus naval

Epitaph by Eugene Field.

Here lies the body of Mary Ann, Whe rests in the bosom of Abraham It's all very nice for Mary Ann, But it's mighty tough on Abraham.

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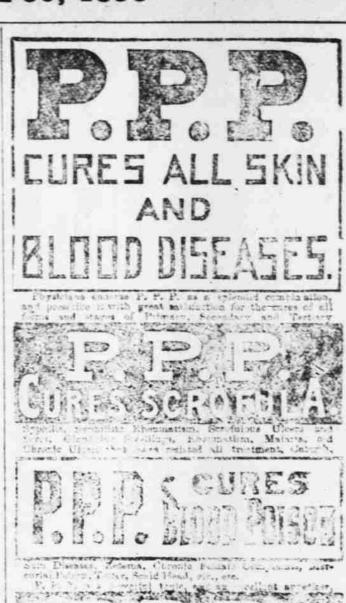
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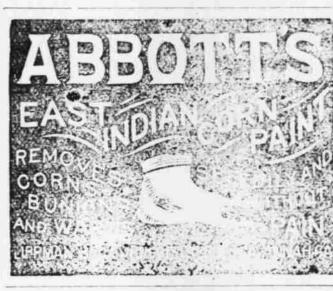
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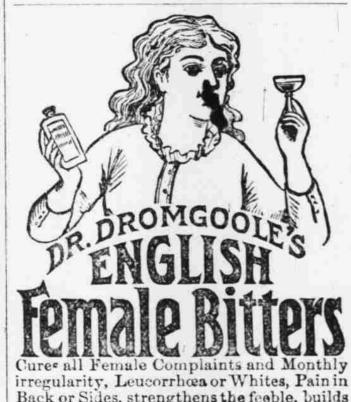


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