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MÁVE AMERICAN MANNERS DE-CLINED ?

It is claimed by many persons that in the hurlyburly of this workaday world of ours the American man is fast losing his old-time courtesy of manner. The extreme tension upon which the business of the country is carried on, they claim, prevents men from paying the same should not be made so fine as to must "dress ship" out of compli- given guarantees as to these; we L. Stevens, former editor of the Southport attention to the little niceties of life repel the boys and girls who should ment to the Church, otherwise have nothing to gain by the subver- Letder but now editor of the New Berne which they have done in the past. While this is doubtless true of many men, our critics seem to have made part of the pupils, and soon a cus- roason desire to load or discharge as to that Government different in successfully carried it out. He and Lieutena mistake in using the word "man- tom becomes established respecting cargo or take in coals on a Sunday kind or degree from those we ac- aut Commander Geo. L. Morton, of the bers" instead of "ceremony." There dress to which the very poor cannot he must make application, not to knowledge as to Russia, for instance. North Carolina Naval battalion, went from constitution that the Americans conformal the committee application that the committe is no question that the Americans conform. If they appear in garb the Governor General, who is with- It is not impossible, but it is exare as a race using less ceremony in markedly different from that of their out power to grant a permit, but to tremely improbable, that we shall of the presentation ceremonies. Repretheir social intercourse now than fellows, they are jeered at and made the Archbishop of Manila; and if assume, by agreement with other santatives of the Naval Reserves and the they have in the past; but that their | so uncomfortable that their parents. | the latter dignitary approves of the Governme ts, any relation toward | Wilmington Light Infantry went along, manners are degenerating admits of already hard pressed for means of humble petition presented to him, Turkey that we do all that lies in and our commercial bodies were representadoubt. Ceremonial is almost al- support. make feeble resistance to which must set forth all the circum our power to protect American ed by Mr. James H. Chudbourne, Jr., together a matter of locality, differ- the boy's or girl's desire to leave stances of the case, then a permit right. What this may or ought to be President of the Chamber of Commerce. ing in different places. That which school and go to work. Even in the will graciously be issued, for which it is primarily for the Government Many ladies helped to make up the would be considered the proper thing most Democratic communities an the petitioner must pay a fee of at Washington to decide.—N. Y. party on board the Wilmington, and the a one place would be conspicuous aristocratic sentiment is instilled, \$500. And so on throughout the Times. in another. The innate good man- very often unwittingly, by teachers whole administration, which is which denote a perfect gentle- whose only aim is the elevation of founded on corruption and exists by are found everywhere. The their pupils, but who go about it in virtue of a universal system farther away we get in our social de- the wrong way. ment from a monarchial court and its customs the less ceremonial

as brightly as ever. disuse of ceremonial comes from the appearance. American theory that all men are It would not do in this country to one which has been too long decreated equal; for in the European revive the "ragged schools" of Eng- laved. very respective society, the deference pupils. That would be a mark of which the Committee has attempted to titular superiors is the very foun- distinction between classes not to be to accomplish for sometime has posed inferiors which would never tained by repressing the disposition Populists, believing that the wish of Phila. Record. be tolerated in this country. In our to ostentatious display in the con- the Democrats of this State was expronounced Democracy such a show struction and fitting up of school pressed last June at their Convention, of respect would be considered as buildings and by discouraging exhi- and that the spirit and interest ex-"toadving."

the little courtesies is the advent of vanity may be exhibited in the success in November. the type known as the "New Wom- lower schools as well as in the high The JOURNAL has constantly an," who, glorying in her newly er, and sometimes becomes so con- urged that Democratic State suc found independence, scorns the spicuous at commencements that cess was paramont to everything belping hand of her escort as being school authorities are compelled to else, and building from the precinct childish and weak. After having prohibit extravagant dressing. The to the presidency, was the sure been snubbed several times a man boys do not suffer as much from method to pursue for political sucnaturally does not offer that which this as the girls, but do not alto- cess, instead of from the presidency is so evidently not wanted.

ness ife would naturally have a ten- vails of special dressing for com- has constantly pointed out that dency to do away with much of the mencements, suffer many heart- Senator Butler was no friend of formalism of olden times, but if a burnings by reason of their envy of Democracy and could not be trustpoll could be taken of all the steno- others, and the poorer among them ed, that he would lead the Demographers and office clerks it might are obliged to make great sacrifices crats into political quagmires, from be easily shown that they are treated that they may not become conspic- which they could not retreat with with the same politeness which it is uons through the meanness of honor, and through which it would the custom of every American man their attire. to show toward a woman, whether That this condition should not be The JOURNAL has no criticism fo in his employ or not. The truest permitted to exist is obvious, for no the Committee, at this time; in time politeness and chivalry are not al- mental education can compensate of war suggestions or advice may be ways clothed in the most exterior. for the lack of moral training which given, but no harsh words should be It does not always take fine clothes such a custom proclaims. There are used which might weaken the hands and a mind filled with the small of course, many causes contributing of those who have endeavored to things of life to make a true gentle- to an increase in the number of work out Democratic success.

who had the leisure to devote to is a contributing cause that may be all Democrats to act together from the cultivation of ceremonial, and removed, and ought to be removed now until the polls close on Novemas in this country there is no stigms | because of its pernicious effect upon | ber 3rd. on being "in trade," manners are the character of pupils .- Baltimore not a necessary adjunct to social Sun. success. They have not, however, been neglected; in a certain way Beware of Sintments for Catarrh that they are more important now than they have ever been in the past, as mercury will surely destroy the sense at Smyrna printed in several paper from the ranks and achieved wealth whole system when entering it through It is, of course, on the face of it exquickly, without having either the nucous surfaces. Such articles should birth or breeding at the start, are analous to acquire a seeming familiarity with the customs and usages the seeming familiarity with the customs and the seeming familiarity iarity with the customs and usages possibly derive from them. Hall's "force" the Dardanelles -that is, of polite society, and to be recog. Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. could overcome the resistence which nized as being on an equality with Chency & Co., Toledo, O., contains no the Turkish defenses could offer. these possessing them. Thus upon morcury, and is taken internally, acting No such movement, therefore, would careful investigation one comes to directly upon the blood and mucous sure be undertaken unless with the active the conclusion that as a race the faces of the system. In buying Hall's support and co-operation of a pow-American people are just as careful of their manners as they have ever their manners as they have ever the continuous continuous and complete the sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, and the continuous continu been, but that as we have grown nials fre. older as a nation and farther from the customs which our ancestors brought from monarchial countries the ceremonial fashioned after court

ILLITEBACY.

Complaints are made in various Like the revolt in Cuba, the Phil- States Government were willing, whole population is increasing.

educational systems of most Euro- ment. Sotions of Church and Society and all other the buildings provided for high or ties have let them go.

houses invite fine dressing on the

through which true politeness shines resembling the monopoly of educa- voice in every department and praccoremonial has in a great measure racy of wealth embraces a very singled out by the insurgents for made it very difficult to apply any much more numerous class and in- attack. Monks and priests are refixed standard of manners, or to say cludes what in Europe would be garded simply as emissaries of the that the omission or commission of called the middle class. But the Government, and therefore responany perticular act proves a person to poor are being shut out of our sible for its misdeeds. - Saturday have been ill-bred. We are now far schools, not merely by their pover- Review. more apt to go to the other extreme tv. which compels them to go to and condemn as "bad form" that work at an early age, but by disrewhich was once considered essential gard of their wants and by vicious in a well-beed man or womam. This social customs respecting dress and cratic State Committee, which was

countries, which are governed by a land in order to provide for poor dation of the social code-and this tolerated in Democratic communicode permits an arrogance to sup- ties. But some relief might be ob-Another cause of the decline of dress on the part of pupils. This most a guarantee of Democratic gether escape. The girls in normal backward. The advent of women into busi- schools, where the bad custom pre- In addition to this the JOURNAL

As the control of society has conduct of schools, and especially made in the campaign, have been passed out of the hands of the few public schools, is one of them, and it made, and it should be the wish o

ase those who have sprung of smell and completely derange the yesterday morning is not confirmed. Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimo- now stand, could be had only from Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Hoop's Pills act easily and promptly ces has fallen into disuse .- on the liver and bowels. Cures sick head- these powers could be relied on.

communities in this country that lippine insurrection shows signs of that this country should take the the proportion of illiterates to the dragging along interminable; and initiative in a scheme of active interas in both cases we are depend- vention in Turkey, and such an ar-This is inexcusable in a country ent on Madrid for information, it rangement would have one advanso rich as ours, where so much is is difficult to say what are the actu- tage: The United States could not done to provide free education. It al facts, either as to the causes of be suspected of any selfish purpose was at first assumed that the in- the outbreak or the position secured in whatever policy it undertook. crease in the number of illiterates by the insurgents. In the one case, But this advantage is apparent was due to an influx of ignorant as in the other, however, we are rather than real, and at best would immigrants from Europe, but this justified in the conclusion that the be fleeting. The serious difficulty loes not seem to be the fact, the primar; cause is sheer misgovern- in the way of intervention in Tur-

bean countries being more strict. None but he who has experienced powers may agree upon, it is in Advertising Rates given on application at if not better, than our own. In it can realize the extent to which agreeing to do anything. To put some of our larger cities the in- misgoverment and corruption extend the United States forward as the crease in number of illiterates may in a place like Manila. Shipmasters agent of the joint resolution of the fairly be ascribed to the overreach- find it impossible even to land their powers would only postpone the to be present on this occasion Governor and add to the prosperity of your city as ing ambition of pedagogues, the goods there unless a system of bri-difficulty, not remove it. After the Tuesday night and arrived here yesterday tural interests of your State. (Applause) vanity and pride of school directors. bery is entered upon which reaches beginning had been made by a Gov- morning at 4:30 o'clock. They came in He was glad to say that North Carolina and the resulting customs estab- from the lowest subordinate to the ernment innocent of ulterior de- private cars, and remained on board was always a friend of the navy, and in lished among the pupils. In some highest official. If this method of sign, the work of the other powers until 8 o'clock, when the committee report conclusion he thanked the citizens of communities the lower schools are doing business is resented, a most would remain and would be as both- resenting the Wilmington Light Infantry, North Carolina for the beautiful testimomore or less neglected that higher elaborate system of fines is brought ersome as ever. Moreover, any Wilmington Division Naval Reserves and nist which was before him. He remarked education may be provided for the into operation, and vessels have scheme that could thus be started the citizens called for them in carriages. That it was a very appropriate gift (Laugh ew and that the town or city may sometimes been mulcted in thous- could could be started without They were taken to The Orion where ter and applyuse), and it seemed that it gain distinction by the character of ands of collars before the authori- any help from the United States.

In our cities, at least, in spite of Those who desire to observe the tion by the rich which prevailed in tically exercise supreme control,

THE COMMITTEE'S ADDRESS.

The address issued by the Demcpublished in vesterday's JOURNAL, is

The co-operation, or fusion, proven a failure. The JOURNAL has bitions of vanity in the matter of hibited at that convention was al-

be impossible for them to pass

illiterates, but extravagance in the Whatever mistakes may have been

"FORCING" THE DARDANELLES The rather elaborate dispatch concerning the orders given for the use of the little Bancroft on her arrival the British Navy. If the rumored Sold by Druggists, price 75c. per bottle. understanding between Russia, and France, and England were actgal, then the ships of either or all

powers might agree, if the United

key is not in doing whatever the

The degitimate fines are bad what part the United States can the governor's staff; Major E. M. Haye, (Laughter). There is a similar tendency to enough in all conscience. If the take in the settlement of the Turk- U.S. A.; Dr. J. E. Turner, Rev. R. G. S. build costly school-houses for all cargo landed does not tally exactly ish question, except to seek to de- McNeille, Mrs. Carr, Miss Carr, Mrs. T. grades, in which the poor girl or with the number of packages on the fend the rights of its own agents J. Jarvis and Mrs. Battle. Mr. Harry S. boy feels out of place. It is no manifest, a fine of \$100 per package and citizens in Turkey. We are not Leard, one of the Seabourd Air Line's doubt well to make the school is imposed, whether the error is one directly or indirectly responsible, as cleverest passenger agents, accompanied houses better than the homes of the of deficiency or excess. On Sundays England is and as in some degree the party, very poor and to provide them with or Saints' days-and the latter are all the powers are, for the peace, facilities which will conduce to exceedingly numerous—the vessel order, and securiety of the Sultan's party and several hundred citizens boardhealth and comfort, but they must not only lie idle in harbor, but Christian subjects. We have not Southport. In the party were Mr. Charles attend them. The fine school- another fine of \$100 is imposed. | sion or dismemberment of Torkey. | JOURNAL, who originated the movement Should a captain for some urgent We have no interests and no duties to secure the memorial. and who so

A Palace of Hay.

Such a structure has just been defree schools and in spite, in some evils of a sacerdotel form of Govern- cided upon by the directors of the me find; in its place are to be found cases, of compulsory education laws, ment cannot do better than pay a National Exposition to be held at ton: simplicity and absence of form, we are getting back to something visit to Manila, where priests have a Torondo. A mammoth structure "North Carolina welcomes the cruiser will be erected from bales of pres- Raleigh to her waters and congratulates However, this abandonment of olden times, only that our aristoc- This explains why monasteries are of the big American fair. It will sed hay on the exhibition grounds her on her safe entrance into one of the be used to advertise the vast hay Bearing the name of the illustrious gentleproducing country of the West.

be sent down from, the Northwest, and the building will be built of these blocks. When completed the building will be festooned with wheat and other grains in the sheaf and in bunches, and caived the message and waved back the The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparille. divided off, so as to display the exhibits from each district. Should it escape its great liability to de-

Japan's Earthquakes. The northeast coast of Hondo, the largest of the Japanese islands, exof width and breadth there are sub- to the poop, where the ceremony Haywood Lewis, D. H. Abbott, J. Press. marine volcanoes. The seismic phil- of presenting the testimonial was to B. Martin. earthquake vibrations were trans- over from the Wilmington and from Suggs. mitted along the ocean bottom to Southport, who came to see the cruiser the shore, and a sudden rise of the and witness the ceremonies. water's level sent the tidal wave on its errand of destruction. The earthmake shocks, which travel at a rate of speed varying from 2 to 20 miles and staff, Captain Miller and his officers W. Bynum. a second, reached the shore first. and handreds of people. At 1 r. m. They were mild for quaky Japan, Governor Carr stepped forward amid ap- ock, F. W. Harget, G. R. Venters. the evening, an hour and a half later, said: that the slower moving waves of water were announced by the portentious booming sounds. Only four miles away from the coast fishern en were unaware of the presence of any extraordinary wave. But when the on moving volume of water reached whelming, with contemptuous ease, the feeble dykes which the Japanese fishermen, and rice planters had built to defend their low lying

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria. Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria. Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria. It is not inconceivable that the Children, Cry for Pitcher's Castoria. THE CRUISAR RALEIGH

NORTH CAROLINA PRESENTS HER TESTIMONIAL.

Presented, Hou. S. A. Asho Makes : Presentation Speech. Attentions From the Officers.

Wilmington Messenger, 15th.) the honor paid to the State by the naming On the whole, it is not easy to see S. F. Teltair, Colonel N. F. Alston, of say to the govern r of South Carolina.

greatest amount of pleasure possible out of As the steamer Wilmington was near-A palace of hay. Just think of a ing Southport the majestic cruiser was

from the barricane deck of the Wilmingbest barbors on the South Atlantic coast. man, patriot and sailor, whose colonists, Large bales of compressed hay will the first of English descent, entered the waters of North Carolina. We greet you

The signal corps on the Raleigh re-

with a thrice hearty welcome. Governor.'

the entrance will be tastefully thanks and greetings of Captain Merrill arranged. Inside the space will be Miller and his gallant officers and crew. The Wilmington landed at the wharf at Southport, and before the cables were been drawn to serve as jurors at the hunt bargains and get cheated." run out and tied the Raleigh's steam next term of the United States Dislaunch and several hoats from the cruiser trict Court which convenes in this struction by fire it will form a came alongside. Governor Carr and city, on Monday, October 26th, at unique and picturesque feacure of his party was taken on board the launch, 10 o'clock, a. m. the exposition, and one of unusal which was in command of Ensign F. L. always neged against fusion with the attraction and interest to farmers. - Chadwick, as handsome and clever a gentleman as ever went to sea. When the steam launch reached the Raleigh the cruiser's crew was called to quarters, the officers in full dress uniform assembled Gray, J. W. Stewart, J. P. Godett, at the gangway, the marines guard pa. Jr. (col.), J. H. Hackburn, T. J. raded in full dress uniform and four ruf- Mitchell, W. F. Morgan, (col.), tends nearer than any other land to fles were sounded with the bugle and Robert Hancock, W. F. Rountree, the tremendious submarine hole in drum as Governor Carr stepped over the Joseph B. Clark, Macon Bryan, T. the earth's crust known as the Tus- side of the ship. This was the official A. Green. carora Deeps. This is the deepest ceremony observed in the navy when the part of the ocean so far as men know; governor of a state comes abound in his it is almost as deep as the topmost own waters. When the governor came peak of the Himalayas is high. aboutd he was cordially greated by Throughout its hundreds of miles Captain Miller and his officers and was escorte t personally by the Captain William Potter, Daniel Hooker,

> The hand some gold line t silver punch bowl and silver ladle had been placed on deck and was covered with the ship's col-

and it was not until half past 8 in plause, and addressing Captain Miller, "It has been customary for the govern ment to name its new cruisers after the principal cities in the thirteen original States, and it is a matter of pardonable pride to North Carolinians to know that this handsome cruiser has been pamed for their capital city. (Applause.) Ever since she has been launched we have the steep sides of the sea bottom and watched her with interest, and we will J. Laughinghouse. mounted up to the swallow places, always follow her gallant officers with cur the wave grew to a height of 20 to 50 best wishes. (Applause.) Though she feet, and hurled itself into the inlets has not received her baptism of blood," and bays of the hapless land, over- he Governor said, "the people of North Railroad has contracted with the Riggs lantern jawed. Carolina would be confident that her Robinson circus to transport their record would be as unsullied in war as in circus from Goldsboro to New When he talks."-Brooklyn Life. peace. (Applause.) We welcome you Berne and from New Berne to Kinsto our waters. Captain hiller, you have ton. The show will take place in my best wishes." (Applause.)

The Governor then introduced the Hor S. A. Ashe, of Raleigh, who, he stated. would deliver the testimonial in behalf of the citizens of North Carolina,

Captain Ashe, after speaking of the pleasure it would give him to be the instrument of making the presentation in behalf of the good people of North Carolina, and of the high appreciation of the people of the State and particularly of the City of Raleigh, that the Government had complimented that city by naming return from: such a splendid eruiser after it, welcomed the cruiser and the officers and the crew to the waters of North Carolina, and he concluded by expressing the interest which the people of North Carolina would always cheerish for the cruiser mail, passenger, and express trains. Raleigh and for those connected with her,

and the earnest hope which they entertained that she would add lustre to the flag of our country, that her career would be one of triumph in every coeffict, and that prosperity and felicity would ever

attend her and her officers and the men

who forced her crew. Captain Miller replied briefly to Cap-Magnificent Punch Bowl and Ladle tain Ashe, and when he stepped forward he was greeted with enthusiastic applause. The Captain thanked him for his words of w. ome and his remarks so full of historic interest, and said be was Yesterday was the auspicious day set glad to be in North Carolina waters on apart for the presentation of North Caro-such an occasion. (Applause.) I conlina's testimonial to the United States gratulate you upon the fact that a ship of cruiser Raleigh in acknowledgement of this size can come in so castly and salely over your bar. (Enthusiastic applause.) It shows that you have a magnificent parbor, and it will increase the commerce Carr and his staff and party left Ruleigh well as be a great benefit to the agriculthey breakfasted. Those with the gov- should be out to some practical pu pose ernor were his private secretary, Major as the governor of North Carolina used to

> Captain Miller proposed three cheers and a tiger for Governor Carr and the given lustily by the officers and crew.

> a tiger had been given the men lustily gave the following cry. Rah! Rah! Rah! Who are we? We are the sons of the new nav e-e

Are we in it? Yes, we are! Raleigh! Raleigh! Rah! Rah! Rah!"

The bowl was then carried to the saoon, and Captain Miller escorted the governor and his party and a large number of guests to the saluon, where the lowl had quickly been supplied with delightful punch. The tables were supplied with snowy linen and were spread with served by polite Japanese waiters, and again: the ship's officers assisted in seeing that their guests were bountifully and royally served. During the banquet Dr. Mc-Neille, an eloq ent and brilliant New Englander, was called for and responded in an interesting and good humored speech that scintillated with wit. Then followed a great social time all over the huge palace made entirely of hay! seen riding in the harbor. When about a officers. It was surely one of the most mile, off the signal corps of the Naval delightful, enjoyable and successful occa-Reserves signalled the following; message sions that have ever occurred in Cape

in the name of our capital city and State of Hood's Pills, which are up to date in every respect. Safe, certain and sure. All

druggists. 25c. C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

The following named persons have

Jurors, however, are not required to attend until Tuesday, the 27th. CRAVEN COUNTY: -J. L. Rhem, E. K. Bryan, J. T. Hollister, Ralph

LENGIR COUNTY:- John H. Dawson, John Warters, J. A. Pridgen,

PAMLICO COUNTY:-John B. Reel,

osophers think that through some take place. In the meantime, the GREENE COUNTY:-W. E. Grimsvolcanic upheaval in these depths launch and boats brought great crowds lev. Daniel W. Patrick, Joseph

CARTERET COUNTY:-M. R. Geffrov. W. S. Chadwick, W. S. Bell, Jr., Marion Lupton.

JONES COUNTY:-Lewis Bynum, Around it assembled the Governor Samuel Hudson, John Pierce, John ONSLOW COUNTY: - Samuel Ger-

WAYNE COUNTY:-W. P. Daniel. A. Roscower, R. E. Pipkin, H. L. BEAUFORT COUNTY:-J. M. Spen-

cer, Sylvester Dibble, (col.) WILSON COUNTY:- H. H. Hutchinson, James T. Cobb. HYDE COUNTY: -J. M. Clayton. PITT COUNTY:-W. M. King, J.

Exentaion Rates to the Circus. The Atlantic and North Carolina New Berne on October 27th, and at Kinston on October 28th. Return trip tickets will be sold at the following rates, on October

.90 .80 .70 Wildwood, New Port, Havelock, .50 Croatan, .40 Riverdale, On October 28th to Kinston and Tuscarora. .55 Core Creek,

\$1.00

Morehead City

Dover, Caswell, These rates apply to the regular S. L. DILL, Superintendent.

good as Durham.' knows there is none just **Blackwell's BULL DURHAM Smoking Tobacco** bag of Blackwell's Dutham. Buy a bag of this celebrated tobacco and read the coupon-which gives a list of valuable presents and how to get them.

THE MULE IN POLITICS.

Creole Who Had No Use For a Property Qualification For Voters. The proposal to have a property and educational qualification for voters was defeated in Louisiana some time ago. The creoles voted against the proposed amendment to the constitution almost to a man. The action of a large number | cipal, together with what it earned, of them can readily be understood when one considers an incident which occurboard the ship, and after three cheers and red one day before the election at the work quite as Mr. Smart had antici Democratic headquarters at New Or- pated.

A tall, lean creole went to the headquarters and asked to have the question at issue explained. One of the party leaders explained, and when he had finished the visitor said: "I haf a couseen, Alphouse. He no read, no write. He

"Has he any property?" asked the nan who had explained things. "Non. Ob, oui. A mule, Jacques. "How much is the mule worth?" "Two bundred dollar."

"Alphonse can vote," said the Dem The tall creole was silent awhile and stood, with his eyes fastened in meditato the best hostelries in America- It was tion on the floor. At length he began

"I haf a couseen, Jean Baptiste. H no read, no write. He vote?' "Does Jean Baptiste own anything?" "Non.

"Not even a mula?" "Non

"Then Jean Baptiste can't wote." "Alphonse vote?" 'Yes. Alphonse owns a male.' "If ze mule die, Alphonse vote?"

The creole again fixed his eyes on the floor, and for a long time was silent. Then he looked up and cried: "Ah, I see! Ze mule vote. Me n want zat 'mendment.''-New York Sun.

"Have you anything to say?" asked

the judge. "W'y, only this, your honor," answered the pickpocket. "I only ask that you won't let 'em handouff me while they take me to the pen." "Want to have a better chance to es

hands was loose I might get a chance woman's bloomers catching on fire and to make me expenses some way or another on the trip."-Cincinnati En-

"I hope," she said thoughtfully, 'that you won't have anything more to Why not? Don't you think your sea

"I'm not going to discuss that point. Even if we do deserve the criticism i does not come gracefully from a man floor," replied Noah, applying some who buys hair restorer regularly from a baldheaded barber." - Washington standing off to note the effect. - Chica-

Scene, a highland ferry. Tourist-But we paid you sixpence each as we hostess, 'you have taken half a pie ou came over, and you said the same fare would bring us back.

Skipper-Well, well, and I telled ye nothing but the truth, an it'll be no more than the same fare I'm wantin

the noo for bringin ye back. - Punch.

Miss Daisy Medders (coyly)-Do you "It is queer how you inexperienced riders always want to take such long

afraid to stop and get off for fear we can't get on again. "-Detroit Free July and October. "I will take 11 yards of this silk. "Yes, Miss Van Avenue. I believe I

"This is October. Cut it off and de liver it at once."-New York Herald. "Was it whisky that brought you here?" asked the prison visitor. "I think, lady, from the way the copper smelled, "answered Dismal Daw

was honored with an introduction to

son, "that it was gin."-Indianapolis The Regular Thing. Statistically Inclined Tourist (in Oklahoma)-What is the death rate

Alkali Ike-Same as it is everywhar else-one death for every inhabitant .-

Daughter - Did you give Charley any sacouragement? to that. He called it a loan, however. -Detroit Tribune.

"I don't quite see why you call Mr. Why, because his face lights up se



Miss Cityniece - What kind chicken is that, Uncle Josh? Uncle Josh-That is a leghorn. Miss C. -How stupid of me! course I ought to have noticed the horns on his legs. - Up to Date.

THE DOUBLED CROWN. Sunday School Financial Scheme and The Sunday school needed money and Mr. Smart, the superintendent had a new way of getting it. He proposed giving each boy balf a

was to be returned to him. The scheme was good, but it didu't

crown. At the end of a month the prin

The fourth Sunday found the superin tendent ready to audit the profit and ioss accounts, and he commenced Johnnie's class.

"How have you done, Johnnie?" "My half crown has earned another one." said Johnnie, with the air of one baving an option on a halo.

"Good," said the superintendent Not only is Johnnie a good boy in belping the school, but he shows business talent. Doubling one's money in a single month requires no common ability. Who can tell but what we may have another budding Orcesus among us? Johnnie, you have done well. And pow, Thomas, how much has your half crown earned?

"Lost it," said Thomas "What, not only failed to earn any thing, but actually lost!" said Mr. Smart. "How was that?" "I tossed with Johnnie," was the re

ply, "and he won."-Tit-Bita. Beating a Candidate "Daddy's out yander." "Out whar?"

"Out vander."

What's be a-doin of?" "He ain't a-doin of nuthin. They're a-beatin him fer the office. "I reckon that's what it is. One hit him with a fence rail, 'nather floored

him with a lightard knot, 'nuther whaled him with a pine saplin, as w'en they got tired they sent for the coroner, an now they're a-settin on him an a-restin of theirselves."-Atlanta Constitution.

Mysteries of Providence

"I see," said the lady who wishes to wear bloomers, "that another woman has been burned to death by her skirts burning her to death.

"Which simply goes to show," said the husband of the lady who wishes to wear bloomers, "how mysterious are the ways of Providence. '-Cincinnati

"Can't you take a friend in on the

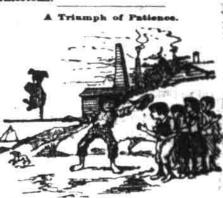
the others who were standing about. "There isn't going to be any ground more pitch to the exterior of his ark and

"Why, Jimmie," said the graciess

Four plate. "Yes'm. Mamma said I mustn't have but one piece when I was visitin. - Detroit Free Press. Positive Proof.

Jason Huckleberry-Course I love you. Do you s'pose I'd have been actin the fool over you all this time if I didn't. -Truth. Not In One.

"You call this a round steak?" asked Leatherby 'Yes, sir,' replied the waiter. "How many rounds does it usual take to master it?"-Philadelphia North



Exhibitor-It has tooken me more'n six mont's to learn him to do it, but Bow's dat for de result?-Truth.

> The Story of a Candidate This is the man And these were his methods-Rose at air With all his tricks And went into the race like bricks Before the ch Had chinicd for ten Had paid the tax Of twenty men; Had sent their children And raised a mortgage Had gone to cour! With smiling face A voter's case; Had plank d five shining To help 'em build A church in town E Had warded off A sheriff's sale And paid a poor m Out of jail; Relieved six widows Destitution And made a campaign Contribution. And still they never Heard him groan When fifteen fellows Asked a loan. He took no notes, Expressed no doubt, But freely shelled his

This tran the man was for office ran, And that was his Called and gring plan. His host the office,