A Dear Little School Ma'am.

With her fuony little glasses you'd have thought her very W160 If it wasn't for the laughter that was peeping from her eyes; Just the queerest and the dearest little school ma'am ever kuowu. Whose way of teaching boys and girls was

certainly her own. "A little c rner by himself to show that he

And, to spare the tender feelings of the dullest All the others in a circle, so you can't tell which

I encourage his endeavors with a penny sugar And, since this slight upon the rest might too

I take the box of kisses and I hand 'em round

"I've asked them what they'd like to be a dozen And each, I find, intends when grown to keep a

candy store; So, thinking that they ought to have some knowledge of their trade. I've put a little stove in, just to show them how

Enthusiastic? Bless you, it is wonderful to How interested in such things a little child can be; And, from their tempting taffy and their open shops.'

was from doubt. She deftiy smoothed the wrinkles of her snow; apron out-Just the queerest and the dearest little school

ma'au ever known,

-Mulcolm Douglas, in the Christmas St. Nicholas. Mothers and Daughters.

parts of the globe are so contradictory. to side, they strain every gueset and seam many parts of Germany. In Turkestan Clara Belle. and on the Tartar steppes, the Kirghese sultanas and their daughters, in whose perform the menial duties of the house- and even from the stage. hold. Tuey reverse our order of things. The mother wears silk and the daughter Oantoo; the mother cultivates accomplishments and the daughter does the drudgery. In fact, they really consider the mother entitled to the best of everything! Such is it to be uncivilized. There the mother is at home in the parlor and the daughter in the kitchen, and we would look in vain

blessed state of aff airs ! What to Teach the Children.

for the child too fashionable and well-

What a

educated to scorn her mother.

Teach them to be polite, teach them that much desirability as a pleasing deportment. They will lose the idea after a while that it is smart to be pert and bossterous, and take pride in being uttle ladies and gentlemen. Teach them to say "how do you do" or "good morning" to everybody they meet with whom they are acquainted; never to contradict, whisper, hum, beat a tatoo with the fingers on the furniture, or loll round in lounging attitudes in company; to say "yes, ma'am," "no, sir," "what, ma'am," "if you please" and "thank you" and "excuse me," if it is necessary to pass rest; and never do any of the things for it is falling to pieces. which it is necessary to be excused unless it is absolutely unavoidable. Not to toss which belong to others; not to listen to ever brought down from Moose River. any thing not intended for their ears; not to refuse to give the whole to a little visitor best of companions, but a rude one is a troublesome nuisance and will find himself learning at 18 or 20 things which should have been taught him when a child.

Sally Lunu. the little forks in this country are of of the slight regard the Prince has for the cookies and doughnuts, and there are some | deference due to woman of whatever rank, very nice ones made over there. There and because the Princess repelled his disare penny and two-penny plum-buns, and respect of Court etiquette. caraway buns, and spice buns, and the "Madame," said a husband to his young summer pea-jacket in Wanamaker's wincelebrated hot-cross buns. One of the wife, in a little altercation which will dows. "Now, that feller over there," he nicest of them all is the "Sally Lunn," spring up in the best regulated families, continued, pointing to an imitation dude named after the young woman who first | " when a man and his wife have quarrelled | sunning himself on the opposite side of the made them, more than seventy years ago. and each considers the other at fault, which street, " has got ou low quartering shoes She lived in bath, and every morning and of the two ought to advance toward a reconevening carried them round to the gentle- ciliation?" "The better natured and frock—the brute. And notice his scarf-pin, men's houses in a large basket covered wiser of the two," said the wife, putting up time no one could find out just how they an unction. She was the conquerer. and one plut of milk. She then poured as putty, and may be forced into the cracks of his are stitched in black." the batter into round cake tins and baked with a case knife. It will harden like papierthem in a quick oven. Dalmer was a mache. musician as well as a baker, and made a song and set it to music, all in praise of " Sally Lunn and her famous bunn," and the buns became such favorites that bar. rows were made to carry them in to the customers. In a few years Dalmer retired Lunn bun is the chief favorite with grown folks as well as children.

How to Remove Ink Stains.

Ink stains on silver or plated articles may we call them tramps." -London Truth. be effectually removed without injury to the articles by making a little obloride of lime into a paste with water, and rubbing House in proper trim for the reception of the stains until they disappear, and after- the bachelor President next month.

wards washing the article with soap and water. To remove ink stains from a mahogany table, put a few drops of spirits of nitre into a tearpoonful of water, and touch the part stained with a feather dipped into the mixture. Immediately the lok stein disappears the place must be rubbed with a cloth dipped in cold water, or there

will be a white mark.

Muking Beds and Climbing Stairs. There is nothing more cheerful to the couch—pleasant to the eyes as well idea of impressing him with your too good. maids, so that the visitors may see you on the fellow who beholds it. But there are things which are dangerous for a girl to do at home in the presence of It is easy enough to descend with sprightly phants, anything that walks grotesquely be put to very hard work. We shield sented by their backs bear no semblance to them if we can. In Asia and Africa, on their normal shapeliness. It is clear to my countries, an old belief prevails that they believe an angel, if feminine, could mount he was held. were born to labor. The same is true in the golden stair other than absurdly .-

Miscellaneous.

Hats and bonnets are this winter most veins flow the blood of long lines of kings, fantastically extravagant. They are odd still milk the sheep, cows and goats, and shapes borrowed from history, from fable,

A housekeeper asks, "What is the simplest way to keep jelly from moulding on minutes."

large velvet cloaks.

The prettiest new work basket is in the sticks being made of wicker. A great bow of velvet in the nasturtium shades is bound around the centre of the sticks and another is on the outside of the kettle, which has a there is nothing but goodness of heart of so | lining of nasturtium silk and pockets innu-

> The Japanese girl when she goes into company paints her face white, her lips and the corners of her eyes red, with two elate coloured spots on her forehead.

> Among Miss Astor's jewels is a necklace of four rows of pink pearls, lover's knots of rubies and sapphires separating the pearls at every tenth pearl.

woman, Mrs. Lowner, wife of Colonel Low. after that, and in a little time the traveller and church membership. things, instead of handing them; not to eat ner, of Fort Totten. She has killed 114 was left to the comferts of his cigar. He with the kuife; not to meddle with things prairie chickens this fall and the first deer thought no more of the matter until he

what she thought of the " marriage state | was his fellow-traveller on the train, and the when half will not do. A polite child is the | in general." "Not knowing, can't tell," was the reply; "but if you and I could put much at home. He bowed to the drummer, our heads together, I could soon give you a definite answer.'

The Princess Victoria and Prince Bismarck have become reconciled. A feud has Euglish children are as fond of buns as long existed between these two, on account

What We Call Our Drones.

One of the upper ten thousand, who was visiting America, accepted the hospitality of he didn't want to earn a nickel. of a gentleman in New York. When taking farewell of his host the latter asked " I'm going up the alley to see a slugging from business, a very rich man. To this him what he thought of the American day in every town in England the Sally people. "Well," answered the nobleman, " I like them immensely, but I miss something." "What is that?" asked the Yankee. " I miss the aristocracy," replied the Englishman. "What are they?" Ink stains may be removed from colored naively asked his host. "The aristable covers by dissolving a teaspoonful of tooracy !" said the nobleman, in a someoxalic acid in a teaspoonful of hot water, what surprised tone of voice, "why, they and rubbing the stained part well with the are the people who do nothing, you know; house when wives are at home and hussolution. Ink stains may be taken out of whose fathers did nothing, you know; bands away. He explains how readily, anything white by simply putting a little whose grandfathers did nothing, you know powdered salts of lemon and cold water on |-in fact, the aristocracy." Here he was may be obtained; and he departs saying the state, allowing it to remain about five interrupted by the American, who chimed that he will take the liberty of calling again minutes, and then washing it out with soap in with, "Oh, we've pleaty of them over in a week. He is an agent for a divorce and water, when the stains will disappear. here; but we don't call them aristocracy—

It will cost over \$60,000 to put the White

HER LOVER WAS A CANNIBAL. Maddened by Jeniousy He Bites Off the Prot. Goldwin Smith on the Position o

and of ther Nose.

Lillian Farrelly, a pretty blonde, 19 years old, living with her parents at No. 9 assure themselves of the soundness of know, in spite of Mr. Ruskin; and one of Pell street, New York, had two lovers their position, should read the article on these, worshipping at his feet in the with whom she alternated. The young "Moderation and Total Abstinence" by seathetic Burne Jones attitude, murmured; men were acquainted with the situation Mr. Sutton Sharpe in the current number "Ah, Mr. Whistler, I only know of two and tried to out rival each other by mak. of the "Fortnightly Review." They will painters in all the world-Velarquez and ing presents to the girl and taking her to find in it some reason for doubting whether yourself." "Why," said Mr. Whistler, in places of amusement. One night she went the authority of medical science is really the softest tones, "why drag in Velassight of a tired person than a clean, soft with Frank Sullivan to a theatre or ball on their side, and whether it is not rather quez?" and the next night it would be Robert in favor of these that believe a moderate as to the touch, and giving pro- Greene's ture. So matters went on until a use of alcoholic drinks is good for the "I give my brightest pupil," in a pleasant tone mise of dainty rest. I may add that week ago, when both young men came on majority of mankind, especially for those ing: "I see you everywhere in nature," in no occupation is a woman more attractive same night and each insisted that it who have to undergo severe labor either of said one of his admirers; "in the sky, in tive than when engaged in the servile work was his turn to take the girl out. They body or of brain. They will at least see the clouds, in the water." "Yes," said of making up just such a bed. Don't you went to the street to fight it out and Sulli that the point is still debatable. The the artist, with an air of inimitable selfremember how the heroine of "She Stoops van returned with his eyes blackened and assumption upon which their action is to Conquer" bags her game-I mean wins a his face covered with gore. He said that based, and which forms their sole justificahusband-by letting him view her at such he had been attacked by Greene with some tion for coercing their fellow citizens on a her up."-Manchester Times. "Whenever any pupil in his lessons doesn't housework? My advice to girls, in cases blunt instrument and that then Greene question of private health and taste, is where a desirable young man happens to had brutally kicked him. Lillian pitied that moderate use must lead to abuse; and ness for that kind of thing, but instead to day night Suluvan went with the Sullivan truth of the hideous charges of intemperfind some excuse for becoming chamber. Club, who had received a banner from Mrs. ance against Englishwomen is challenged, Hendrick's, wife of the Vice-President elect, as it certainly may be with good reason if transform a tousled bed into a snowy, slick to Newark, where they marched in the the charges rest on no more trustworthy and entrancing one. If the job be done procession which was reviewed by Gov. fundation than the work of the American, defuly it is ture to be potent in its effect Hendricks. When the club returned to the Mr. Gustafson, with its claptrap title," The city it was near 11 o clock and Sullivan Foundation of Death." While they are on proceeded to the house of his promised the path of research, they may be induced wife to make his excuses for failing to take to look back to the account of prohibition grace, but I defy any living being in skirts on inquiring her mother told him that the They will there find that the law having to ascend without awkwardness. In the had gone to the theatre with his rival. been passed at first by a small majority, I'm sure they'll do me credit when they come to current play at Daly's Theatre two of the He waited until they made their appear- and having failed in operation, as under acts have for a scene an interior in which a suce, when he sprang at his rival and those circumstances it was sure to do, And, with a nod that plainly showed how free she broad staircase leads directly back from the made a savage assault upon him. Greene enactment has been heaped upon enactrear. The characters go up and down got away and Sullivan turned his atten- ment and penalty upon penalty, till at last uncounted times. The women are per tion to his sweetheart. He threw her to the exasperation of the baffled prohibionsonating fine ladies and wear the most the ground and bending over her, took her ists has trampled on that which all freefashionable of dresses. On the stage level nose between his teeth and bit off the end. men hold most dear by empowering the Whose way of teaching boys and girls was really they are objects of estimable regard; but The young girl uttered a pieroing scream police, if they suspect the existence of liquor the instant they begin to mount those and became unconscious. The maddened to break without a warrant into any citidreadful stairs they become camels, ele- lover took the cit of nose out of his mouth, zen's home. The infamous trade of the How strange it is that ideas in various with the bind legs. They wabble from side leaned over to take another bite when he dant bribes. And what is the result? was struck from behind and was made a According to Mr. Johnson, For instance, take the question of girl. in their clothes, they threaten to burst their prisoner by officer Churchill, of the Sixth free and open sale of In spite of our advancing ideas, we have corset-trings, their joints seem to refuse Precinct. The young girl was taken to notwithstanding spasmodic and futile a general conviction that girls should not all customary action, and the outlines pre Chambers Street Hospital, where the efforts to enforce the law. The number of up, was stitched on again. Yesterday she on the increase. Legislation is forced the contrary, in spite of all we are always mind that nature never intended that was sufficiently recovered to appear against through by moral violence and by the fears hearing of the lazy lives of women in those women should go upstairs, for I don't her cannibalistic lover at the Tombs, and of politicians who stand in awe of the

He Had Plans A wholesale house in Detroit in which represented.

the answer.

" Pretty solid house?"

" Oh, yes ; but rather cranky." " Going to be with it next year ?"

store. I'm fitted for almost any place there, and I'm going to push myself."

" And then you'll work for promotion?" "You bet! and if things come around right I'll have an interest in the old ranch inside of two years."

"Eh! How's that?"

The leaf in the marriage register in two marriageable daughters, and I m going high priestess, and if you should dissect her Haworth Church, on which is inscribed the to be his son-in-law, or break both legs try- brain you would find that in the corner name of Charlotte Bronte, has been so ing. I've got the pluck to succeed, and you devoted to "necessities" the strata of before any one or leave the table before the often handled by American travellers that can bet a new hat on me any day in the clothes, cooks, sewing girls and roast tur-

> walked into the store Monday morning to A young gentleman asked a young lady report. The first man his eyes rested upon old gent had his bat of, and seemed very and he smiled, and he went to the door and called after him in a forgiving tone, but the man escaped, and bas not been seen in Detroit since .- Detroit Free Press.

> > A Dude's Views on Dress.

Philadelphia Press: "Few men really know how to dress," said a prize dude, as he paused to get the reflection of his new and a billy cock hat, with a Prince Albert please do. It represents a little skate with a white damask cloth. For a long her mouth for a kiss, which was given with -entirely out of season. Besides, everything should have some real or apparent were made, but after a while a baker by | Cracks in floors, around the mould board, purpose about a man's dress, and that of her. And this is how she made them : permanently filled by thoroughly soaking of the scarf, and don't seem put there to She took one quart of flour and mixed newspapers in paste made of one pound of hold the folds together at all. Now, you'd with it a half teaspoonful of salt and three flour, three quarts of water and a table- hardly believe it, but the beast basn't even tea-poonfuls of baking powder, then rubbed spoonful of alum, thoroughly boiled and had the soles of his shoes blackened, and in half a cup of butter, four beaten eggs mixed. The mixture will be about as thick the backs of those disgusting yellow gloves

He Couldu't Bither.

A gentleman who drove up to the postoffice yesterday and found no place to hitch his horse called to a boot black and asked " Can't do it just now," replied the lad

Close at his heels was a second boy, and the gentleman addressed him with the

same inquiry .. "Oh, I couldn't stop a minute," protested the gamin, "fur I'm one of the sluggers he's going to see slug !"

The newest canvasser goes from house to privately and for slight reasons, divorces scheme must be acknowledged,

PROBIBITION AS A PRINCIPLE.

Prohibitionists.

be a guest in the house, is not to disdain all him and made him nappy by promising to this is contradicted by the experience as I do?" inquired an aristocratic lawyer connection with household affairs, with the become his wife, also declaring that she of hundreds of millions. They will of a labouring farmer. "Squire," replied would never speak to Greene again. Mon- be glad at all events to find that the the farmer, " look at that field of grain; all her admirer. Going upstairs is one of them. her to a place of amusement, as he had in Verment, given by Mr. Edward Johnson was \$100, which left a net profit of \$166 per promised. She was out, however, and in the Popular Science Monthly of last May. acre. placed it carefully in his vest pocket, and informer is of course encouraged by abunliquor, piece of nose, which Sullivan had given places in which liquor is sold seems to be temperance vote; but public opinion does not support coercion; and, as Mr. Johnson says, of enforcing the laws as the laws against burglary and larceny are enforced the firm consists of four partners, with a no one dreams for a moment. Unfortusolid old gentleman at the head, took on a nately the attempt, though abortive, is not new traveller a few days ago. He was without consequences. The people learn engaged and packed off without having disregard of law; the taverns being seen the senior partner, and he probably unlicensed are no longer regulated; ardent didn't care a cent whether such a person spirite being most easily smuggled are top?" "Shut a boy in a pantry for a few existed or not. He was coming in over one substituted for more wholesome beverages; of the roads on a recent Saturday, and had and the moral agencies by which intemper-Chestnuts and their leaves, imitated in taken a seat in the smoker to enjoy a lance has been greatly diminished, are fine silk cord overed with beads, are used 15-center, when a fellow traveller asked weakened by the fallacious confidence by the Euglish dressmakers to trim their him how business was, and what firm he reposed in legislative coercion. But when people are careening on the wings of a "Business is infernal dull, and I re pre- supposed principle they think as little of shape of a gipsy kettle, both kettle and sent the firm of Blank & Co., Detroit," was practical consequences as they do of inconvenient rights .- Week.

Most Americans do not have homes; " Well, that will depend. When I get in | they have merely places to stay, where the I'm going to ask for a position in the father can read his newspaper, the mother ply the sewing machine and the children make molasses candy, or have annual birthday parties. But the idea of a heart centre, where love is cherished, thoughts are fostered, and morals expanded, 18 apparently unheard of in their philosphy. Materfamilias goes to church on Sunday "Well, the old crank who furnishes the without an idea that she is leaving the doubloons to keep the business booming has holiest temple behind her, of which she is key fill up all but the smallest crevice con-The best shot in Dakota is said to be a The conversation died away very soon scientiously set aside for religious belief

How People Will Dance,

"The changes for the coming winter are not at all arranged yet," says an authority on dancing, "but a general survey of the field may be given. The waltz quadrille and lawn tennis quadrille will be the equare dances of the winter, without doubt. The plain quadrilles will be danced more like the Saratoga quadrille. That is, the first four will dance with the side couples instead of remaining quiet. In the round dances the waltz will, as usual, be the dance. I think it safe to say the waltz will never be superseded. The other round dances will go as usual. None of them have been dropped."

An Observing Policeman.

"Officer, what is the charge against this woman ?" asked the police justice. "That's no weman, your honor. That's a man dressed in woman's clothes." " How do you know ?"

"Why, I watched him on the street and he passed four women with new winter the name of Dalmer bought the business or other parts of a room, may be neatly and fellow's scarf-pin is stuck in the upper part cloaks on and never once turned around to look at them."

" Seventy-five and costs."

He Knew What Would Sell.

Pittaburg Chronicle: "You are confident that your new patent medicine will be a success, are you?" asked a friend of a manufacturing druggist.

"I'm positive of it," replied the druggist. "What virtues does it possess?" inquired the friend.

"Oh, it don't possess any medicinal virtues, you know, but it is the nastiest tasting stuff you ever heard of !"

The Santa Rosa (Cal.) Republican is authority for the statement that a redwood tree out in that county furnished all the timber for the Baptist church in Santa Rosa, one of the largest churches in that section, the interior of which is finished in wood, there being no plastered walls. Sixty thousand shingles were made from the tree after enough was taken for the church. Another redwood tree kept two men busy for two years in cutting it up into shingles.

The publication of Mark Twain's new lawyer. Discontented wives, either with book, "Huckleberry Finn," is indefinitely or without good cause for divorce, thus postponed, after 2 500 copies had been sene lished will be destroyed.

Tales of Whistler.

Mr. Whistler's bon mots are circulating in society in a fashion calculated to make the bones of Sidney Smith turn in Prohibitionists, if they really care to their grave. He has his admirers, as we all

This is one of the best of stories, but another of the same kind is worth repeatcomplacency, "Nature is very apt. She shows a decided improvement since I took

"Why do you not hold up your head the valuable heads hang down like mine, while those that have nothing in them stand upright like yours."

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