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THURSDAY, JUNE 10, LEFT ALONE

It's the lonesomest house you eve This big gray house where I stay-I can't call it living at all, at all, Hince my mother went away. Four weeks ago, and it scenus a year And I acho in my heart with wanting

And my oyes are always red. I hate them to call me in to my meal For It seems I cannot bear To awallow a mouthful of anything And laughing to see me take

And a second piece of cake. There's no one to go to when things Hie was slways so safe and sure : Why, not a trouble would tackle a bo That she would not try to cure. "I'm too bly to be kissed," I deed

But, sopisliow, it don't feel right To creep into bed as still as a mount And no one to say good-night. Or tuck in the bedelothes under my And push all niy halr back so;

Things a boy laughs at before ble But things he likes, you know. can't make it out for the life of m Why mother should have to go, and her boy left here in this old gray

Needing and wanting her so. Theres are lots of women, it seems to doctors may bring on an attack of That would not be needed so much-Mothers whose boys are about grown

Or our old aunties or auch.
I tell you the very lonesomest thing
In this great wide world to-day. Is a boy of ten whose heart scens When his mother is gone away.

PETER AND TREE PLANTING Peter lived on the prairie. When! was three years old the first railway train came through. Uncle Peter car ried the small boy to see it.

A boy on the train threw a peach to Peter. He ato it and laughed with "Don't throw away the stone," said

Uncle Peter : "we'll plant it." Peter's chubby, brown, little hand patted the soft earth over it. That first sesson he watched the green shoot break through and send out a few leav-. The next season it was tall enough for Peter to jump over it. The next season it was so tall he couldn't.

When Peter was eight years old there were seven peaches on his tree, one for each member of the family and not one of them had ever tasted at first white, but later of a greenish or anything so good before. He planted all the stones.

To-day Peter is a big boy. He has eight well-grown peach trees, which carry health and delight to all the neighborhood. And he has a young orchard coming on, which will some day bring more money than all his father's oron. -The Youths Companion.



NOT EVEN THE FIRST STEP

Mr. Mores, having bought a no bloycle of the most improved pattern presented his old one to Dennis Halloran, who did errands and odd job for the neighborhood, "You'll find the wheel useful when you're in a hurry, Dennis," he said.

The young Irishmad was foud in his thanks, but regarded the wheel doub

"I mistrust 'twill be a long while befoor I can ride it." he said "Why, have you over tried?" asked Mr. Morse.

"I have," said Donnis, gloomily, "A frind lint me the loan o' his whiles he was having the moomps. Twas t'ree weeks I had it, an' what wi practising night an' morning, I niver got so I could balance mealif standing atill, let alone riding on it."-Youth's

A STRANGE EXPERIENCE

First Drug Clerk-I had a queer experience last night. Had just closed up the shop, lain down, and got to sleep, when there was a most violent ringing at the night hell-Second Drug Clerk-Ha, ha, halafter

a postage stamp, oh ? First Drug Clerk-Nothing of the Second Drug Clerk-Ho, ho, ho

Wanted to look in the directory, sh

or maybe wanted to know what street it was? First Drug Clerk-Nothing of the sort. You might guess all day and not hit it.

Second Drug Clerk-Then what earth was It? First Drug Clerk-He wanted prescription filled.

A KEEN OBSERVER

Ethel, aged three, had been to visi her cousing, two fun-loving and romping boys. She had elimbed upon her father's knee and was telling him of

her visit. "Papa, every night John and George a universal panaces in one remedy say their prayers they ask God to for all ills to which flesh is helr. make them good boys," said she.

"That is nice," said papa. Then thinking scherty for a few have, however, in Quinine Wine, moments, she said, "He ain't done i

RATHER LIBERAL

"Look here!" roared the angry farmer. "Why do you peaky hoboes by the influence which Quinhie exertalways come to us farmers for handouts? Why don't you tackle city folks | lieves those to whom a chronic state sometimes ?"

Pikes, politely, "it is on account of the tranquillizing the nerves disposes to wonderful article we read in an agri- sound and refreshing sleep-imparts. cultural paper."

"Indeed I And what was the articl

'De Farmer Feeds Us All." A MARROW ESCAPE

Tom-How did you come out at the oburch affair last night ! Jack-I came out with a nicklefust enough to pay my car fare home

A good intention will no more make a truth than a fale mark will make a good shot .- Spurstowe.

ORIGIN OF BOAP

It is said that some received its mane from the town of Savonna, none Genoa. This scens borne out by the fact that the French word for soap is "Savon." The wife of a fisherman of that town, having heated lye of soda In a vessel improgented with olive, oil, thus accidentally disovered this composition. Many scholars believe that somp was unknown to the ancients; Cone home I-so the preacher said, but there is documentary evidence in support of the contrary opinion. There is found no trace whatever of some of an analogous substance among the Greeks. When Homer in his Odyssoy describes Princess Namsica washing A pouring the ten, and passing the tion any substance except water used in washing. Among the Romans, Two blg lumps of augur Instead, of however, soap was known from the first contury of our era. Pliny writes : They also use somp invented by the Gauls, for giving the hair'a blonde color. It is made of tallow and nalips. The best is made of beech ashes and goat wiet. There are two kinds, soft and liquid. Both are used by the Germans, and the men use them more than the women.". In the rules of Pompell soap houses have been found, which proves beyond doubt that the proparation of soap was known to the ancient Romans.

When going away from home, or any change of limbitat, he is a wise man who numbers among his belongings a buttle of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysontory Cordial. Change of food and water is some strange place where there are no dysentery. He then has a standard remedy at hand with which to cope with the disorder, and forearmed he can successfully fight the allment and

EVIDENTLY PROM MISSOURI

Hernard, aged three years, was given two very nice pupples by his father. The next day at a playmate's home two children tried to teach him to sing, "Where, O Where, Has My Little Dog Gone?" He refused to repeat the words saying, "Wait a minute." He ran home, returning with the pupples in his arms, and said, "I knowed all se time where they was."

BRONCHITIS

Bronchitis is generally the result of a cold caused by exposure to wet and inclement weather, and is a very dangerous inflammatory affection of the bronchial tubes. The Symptoms are tightness scross the chest, sharp pains and a difficulty in breathing, and a secretion of thick philegm,

yellowish color. Neglected Bronchitie is one of the most general causes of Consumption.



Mrs. D. D. Miller, Allandale, Ont., writes: "My husband got a bottle of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup for my little girl who had lironchitls. She wheezed so badly you could hear her from one room to the other, but it was not long until we could see the effect your modicine had on her. That was last winter when we lived in

"She had a bad cold this winter, but instead of getting another bottle of Dr.
Wood's Norway l'ine Syrup, I tried a home
made receipt which I got from a neighbor
but found that her cold lasted about twice
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SPARKLES

Editor-My dear sle, we can't publish stoff like this. Why, it's not verse at all ; It's an escape of gas. Spring Poet-O, I see-something wrong with the meter.

One morning as a country physician was driving through a country village he saw a man amusleg a crowd with the antics of his trick dog. The doctor pulled up and watched the for awhile and then said : "My dear man, how do manage to train your dog that way ? I can't teach mine a single trick." The man looked up, and, with that simple, rustle look, replied, "Well, you see it's this way : you have to know mor'n the dog or you can't teach bim nothin'."

"The backglor is worse off than the married man." "How do you make that out?" "The married man is afraid of only one woman, the bachelor is afraid of all of them.

She-What do you want? He- Pennorth o' pudden. She-Plain or plum? He -Plain. She-Hot or cold? He-Mot. She-Have it 'ere or tike it wiv yerf · Ho-Fre. Hin-Pork or fingers He-(wenelly)-O blow yer pudden

"Tell your mother, Johnny," said his kind malden aunt, as she placed a piece of cake in his band, "that I was very sorry your sister couldn't come. "And what will I say," replied little Johnny with an air of strategy, "li mamma asks where is sister's piece of

"I have three witnesses who wil swear that at the hour when this man was robbed I was in my own chamber taking care of the baby." "Yes, your honor," gilbly answered the prisoner's counsel, "that is strictly true. We can prove a lullaby, your honor."

WHY THE KETTLE SINGS

Do'you know why a kettle "sings" when the water is boiling? It's like this. When the water be gins to get hot little bubbles form at the bottom of the kettle and rise to ward the top until they burst. At first they burst only a little way from the hottom, but as the water gets hotter and hotter they rise higher

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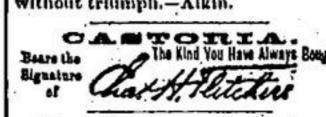
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I did so and soon commenced to feel better, and my appetite back with the first bottle. Now I feel no pain and am cured. Your remedy is deserving of praise."-Mrs. Emma Chatel, Valleyfield, Belleriver, Quebec.

Erle, Pa.—"I suffered for five years from female troubles, and at last was almost helpless. I tried three dectors but they did me no good. My sister advised me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it has made me well and strong. I hope all suffering women will just give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial, for it is worth its weight in gold." —Mrs. J. P. Endlich, R. F. D. 7, Eric Pa.

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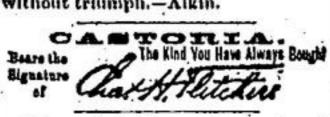
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