Here and There.

A PROPHECY.

Dashaway-There's one thing about it-I'll never marry a girl who doesn't dress well.

Cleverton.—But suppose you can't afford to keep it up. What then?

Dashaway.—She won't be so poor as all that.

DIDN'T KNOW IT'S BUSINESS.

Rowne De Bout.—I hear you have been ill. Howell Gibbon.—Yes; bwain fever. Rowne de Bout.—No! brain fever! You don't say. (Pause.) Well, it got left that time THE FLAVOR OF DECEIT.

Mr. Broadwater (the banker)—Dey's cheatin'

goin' on ! Mr. Knight.—Cheatin'

Mr. Broadwater.—Yassir! da's whad'r said. Mr. Knight.—How's you gwine t'prove it? Mr. Broadwater.—Dem lozzenger chips of

mine am all pe'pmint an' I jess smelt sassafrash. Da's how I proves it.

HE BEAT THE TATTOO.

Reporter—Great fun up at the dime museum to-night—the one legged drummer run a race with one of the freaks.

Sporting Editor-Look at the heading. NO ASSISTANCE.

Scene, the club at 5 p m.

Cholly (meditatively)—By Jove! I wish I knew what Kitty Keene would say if I should ask her

Holly (with a tone of bitter reminiscence)—I could tell you what she said to me when I did if it would help you any, old fellah!

DISCOURAGED THE AGENT.

"I've got a washing-machine here," began the inventor.

The capitalist looked at him in the cold calculating manner common to capitalists and answered: "Well, if I were you, I'd run right home and

That night the Anarchist band received another application for membership.

TANGLED.

Sobersides (in charge of his friend.)-Now,

then, look where you step!
Boozer.—Tha' (hic) tha's jus the trou (hic) ble; I can't step where I look.

HASTY.

Mary.—If Missus don't withdraw what she said to me I shall leave the house. Thomas.—What did she say?

Mary-She said, I give you a month's notice!

GOSSIP AT THE POKER PARTY.

Mr. Fred Winston.—Burton's always late. Here we've been waiting for him for an hour.

Miss Creamer.—That isn't a circumstance to that Miss Frankfurt's annoyance. She's been waiting for him for over three years.

OF COURSE NOT.

"I wonder if the little speckled hen laid an egg yesterday?" said Mrs. Rumso. "Why, no, mamma," replied Freddy; "yester-

day was Sunday." DIDN'T DARE DO IT.

Mrs. Bingo—Your new dress trousers are ruin-l. I hung them out in the back yard to air, and some boys threw snowballs at them all the

Bingo-Why in thunder didn't you go out and

stop them?

Mrs. Bingo—I couldn't very well. They were relatives of the servant girl.

KNEW IT WAS THERE.

Lady—Have you any nice, mild cheese?
Mr. Kaiserchintz (grocer)—Yah, I guess you schmel him before you come in alretty, eh?

Mrs Peastraw—Johnny, you stop sliding down that board or I'll whip you.

Johnny—I won't.

Mrs Peastraw-You stop or I'll-I'll cut your

Johnny (stopping)—Yes ma'am.

Gargoyle-Who is your favorite poet?

Cummey—Rider Haggard.
Gargoyle—He doesn't write poetry at all.
Gummey—I know that.

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