



### HIS GRACE.

TEACHER—"What do you say before eating, Bobby?"

BOBBY—"Nothing, ma'am."

TEACHER—"Well, what does your father say?"

BOBBY—"He generally says, 'Is that all you've got for supper?'"

—*Smith, Gray & Co.'s Monthly.*

### IMPERVIOUS TO DEMOCRATIC INFLUENCES.

HOOLIGAN—"Sure they do be sayin' that Dave Hill is after gittin' the Dimmicrat nomination fur the Presidency."

BRADY—"An' fwhy not, many a worse mon nor him moight git it."

HOOLIGAN—"An' cud he carry New Yorruck?"

BRADY—"Och battershin! Anny man that's a good Dimmicrat cud carry ivery ward in New Yorruck. Fwhat else does Tammany be for, ye omadhau."

HOOLIGAN—"Come off now. I'll bet ye five there's wan ward he'll not carry."

BRADY—"Done! Shake on that! An' fwhat ward is it that wud go back on a good Dimmicrat?"

HOOLIGAN—"Fwhat ward is it? Fwhy Ward McAllister."

### WELL ORGANIZED.

A LECTURE by Rev. Canon Brock on "The Church of England—Its Continuous Organic Life" has just been published. GRIP has not yet been favored with a copy, but we have no doubt that the reverend author can easily prove that the English Church is ahead in the organic business. The Presbyterian Church, for instance, isn't in it when it comes to continuous organic life, for it is only within the last few years that the "kist o' whistles" has been tolerated by that denomination.

### DIDN'T BELIEVE IN COMPETITION.

BIXBY—"What, you a Socialist? You surprise me. What induced you to change your views?"

FLIPJACK—"Well, I've gone in for these newspaper competitions so often and never got a blamed thing that I'm completely disgusted with the competitive system."

SAYS Meredith, "Look at this question of drink; The Government ought to do 'way with it, But they're only in sport;" says Mowat, "I think Your party don't even play with it!"

### A LEFT-HANDED COMPLIMENT.

THE *Globe* critic speaking of the Foresters' concert, says encores rewarded nearly every effort of the singers and "it was long after ten o'clock before the audience felt that the full value of its ticket-money had been received." Wonder how the galaxy of local stars who appeared on the occasion like that? The ticket-money was only 50c., too.

### UP TO DATE.

TEACHER—"Charles, can you tell us what Canada's principal article of export is?"

CHARLES—"Scandal, sir!"

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### CANADIAN NEWSPAPER DIRECTORY.

THE Canadian Newspaper Directory for 1892, published by Messrs. A. McKim & Co., Montreal, is received. In addition to classified lists of the newspapers of Canada, in the preparation of which great care has evidently been exercised to secure accuracy, it contains a highly interesting history of the rise and progress of Canadian journalism by Mr. E. B. Biggar, abounding in well-told reminiscences of the early days before the era of telegrams and boiler plate. The book is a beautiful specimen of typography and invaluable to advertisers and others who are interested in knowing the status of Canadian newspapers.

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