

There is nothing certain in law except expense and delay. The flea, grasshopper, and locust, jump 200 times their own length, equal to a quarter of a mile for a man. Success rides on every hour; grapple it and you win; but without a grapple it will never go with you. The small pox originated in China, 1,120 years ago; inoculation was invented for it about 590 years ago. A Child's Wit. — Said a Sunday school teacher, "remember, dear children, God is everywhere." — The words had hardly escaped his lips when a rough looking little fellow rose up and said to the pastor: "Please, sir, did you say God is everywhere?" "Yes, my son; everywhere." "Is He in my pocket?" "Is He in your pocket?" "Well, I guess I've got you there," was the triumphant retort; "cause I haint got any pocket."

GRAMMATICAL.—Highlanders have the habit when talking their English, such as it is, of interjecting the personal pronoun "he" where not required, such as "The king he has come," instead of "The king has come." Often, in consequence, a sentence or expression is rendered sufficiently ludicrous, as the sequel will show. A gentleman says he has had the pleasure of listening to a clever man, the Rev. Mr. — (let his locality be a secret), and recently he began his discourse thus: "My friends, you will find the subject of discourse this afternoon in the First Epistle of Peter, fifth chapter and eight verse, 'The devil he goeth about like a roaring lion, seeking whom he may devour.' Now, my friends, we will divide the subject of our text to-day into four heads. Firstly we shall endeavor to ascertain 'Who the devil he was.' Secondly, we shall inquire into his geographical position, namely, 'Where the devil he was,' and 'Where the devil he was going.' Thirdly—and this of a personal character—'Who the devil he was seeking.' And fourthly and lastly, we shall endeavor to solve a question which has never been solved yet, 'What the devil he was roaring about.'"

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INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869. Pro. of QUEBEC, } SUPERIOR COURT. Dist. of Montreal. } In the matter of ALEXANDER H. LOWDEN, personally, and as having done business with ALEXANDER H. LOWDEN in Co-partnership, under the style and firm of "A. H. LOWDEN & CO.," An Insolvent. ON the twenty-second day of June next the Insolvent will apply to said Court for his discharge under the said Act. ALEXANDER H. LOWDEN, By J. S. ARCHIBALD, His Attorney ad litem. Montreal, 8th May, 1874. 39-6

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869. Pro. of QUEBEC, } SUPERIOR COURT. Dist. of Montreal. } In the matter of JAMES R. LOWDEN, personally, and as having done business with ALEXANDER H. LOWDEN in Co-partnership, under the style and firm of "A. H. LOWDEN & CO.," An Insolvent. ON the twenty-second day of June next the Insolvent will apply to the said Court for his discharge under the said Act. JAMES R. LOWDEN, By J. S. ARCHIBALD, His Attorney ad litem. Montreal, 8th May, 1874. 39-6

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