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Three Short Stories in the Funny Dialect o

Joe Place, who lives out on the Biddeford Pool road supplies a fair amount of innocent amusement to the people of that section.

The other day he drove into the city with a load of cordwood. On the top of the load he had some mysterious parsel in a short sack, and the contents of the parcel occasionally moved and writhed.

When some one came along and asked him about the bundle Joe lifted up the short sack and immediately there was a mighty squealing from within.
"Leetle pigs," quoth Joseph, smiling-

"Now I tal yo' w'at I do," he said jo cosely, "yo' tal me how many leetle peegs dere be in date bag, and ba gar, geeve yo' de whole t'ree of heem. "Well," said the other, "I guess there are three pigs there, Joseph.'

Joseph was disgusted.
"Oh, ba gar," shouted he, "some-

body gon' tol' yo' 'bout dat."

They undertook to run down the capacities of Joseph's horse the other day and Joseph was mad. Somebody told him that the critter couldn't trot in 4:30. Joseph shook hisetaoin4ficim roice trembled with supperssed feeling. He pulled out his wallet and wanted to bet. And as he talked he grew madder.

At last he said: Now yo' look here, yot don' know w'at yo' talk about. Dat hoss he all r-rat. He can jussas fas' as yo' want heem trot. I bat yo' I put he de barn and geeve heem handful of oats and quart of hay. I tak' heem off de barn. Den he go batter dan ha'f pas' four or ba gar, I geeve yo' to

A man with Canadian wool trousers and a peaked fur cap as the most prominent articles of his attire came into the Biddleford Post Office the other day and stepped up to the window. Said he with a bland smile: "P'rap you don' have notin's here fort Joseph Mefrau, hey?"

"I donno," said the clerk. do you say your name is?" "Joseph-Mefrau." "Me-frow, Mee-frow-how do you spell

The Canadian at the window looked through the bars at the clerk, and then with a disgust that I cannot put in words, ne cried: "Ba darm, yo' donno how spell Jo-seph Mefrau, yo' bater sal out dis

plac' and go fin' some nodder bus'ness." YOU KNOW, YOUR HONOR,

Gentlemanly Prisoner Inclined to Leave It All to the Magistrate.

An elderly man, wearing an exquisite pair of Burnside whiskers and gold rimmed spectacles, was arranged in the Jefferson Market court on a charge of intoxication.
"What have you got to say to the

charge?" the Magistrate asked. "Were you drunk?" "Ahem!" replied the prisoner after some hesitation. "The question is rather embarrassing; but, of course, I do not want to appear to contradict

the policeman, who, indeed, was very "How did it happen?" inquired the

Magistrate. "Some kind of new drink, you know Really, I don't know the name of it, but it was dreadfully mixed, and seductive. I am sure, your Honor, that you would know it if I could only describe it properly."
"I'm sure I wouldn't," the Magistrate

replied. "I am no expert. But where did you get it?" "Where?" the prisoner repeated in surprised manner. "Why, you know, of course—right over here—it's pecul-iar that I can't remember the name of the street. But you know it, Judge,

I am sure. "I don't know the least thing about it," reported the Magistrate with emphasis, and his manner became severe.
"How many of those seductive drinks
did you have?"

Really, your Honor, I cannot tell, but I am sure you---" The Magistrate brought down the gavel on the desk with a snap that made the prisoner jump.

"Beg your pardon, your Honor," the latter hastened to say, "but I only meant to say that you may safely presume that I had five or six, or maybe t was six or seven, or it might even have been seven or eight, or-

"That will do," the Magistrate inter-rupted him. "I know one thing now, which is that I shall have to fine you \$5, and I am sure you know that you have deserved it.

"Really, I don't know," the prisoner managed to say while the policeman dragged him out of the courtroom. "But no doubt you know all about it."

How Birds and Animals Rest When a man is tired he stretches his arms and legs and yawns. Birds and animals, so far as possible, follow his example. Birds spread their feathers and also yawn, or gape. Fowls often do this. Fish yawn, they open their mouths slowly till they are round, the bones of the head seem to loosen and the gills open.

Dogs are inveterate yawners and stretchers, but seldom sneeze unless they have a cold. Cats are always stretching their bodies, legs and claws, as every one knows who has a cat for

most ruminant animals stretch when they rise up after lying down. Deer do it regularly, so do cows. This fact is so well known that if a cow when arising from lying down does not stretch herself it is a sign she is ill. The reason for this is plain—the stretch moves every muscle of the body, and if there be any injury any-

The Sentiment of the Song. "These songs of the sea are very imressive," she exclaimed when the full chested baritone had ceased warbling.

"Yes," answered the young man who lacks poetry, "but they're misleading. You get an idea that after a man has been in the navy a while he goes around singing about his home on the rolling deep when everybody knows that if he is lucky his home will be right here in Washington.-Washington Star.

# THOUGHT

Body and Head Mass Bleeding Sores. Suffered Beyond Description. Physician Could Not Even Relieve. Had to be Put Under Oplates.

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A girl may mean well when she offers a young man a generous slice of her angel cake but he is never sure of

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Several machines have been invent-

ed for making the heat of the sun produce steam or electric power, but a Washington man is the first to turn such a device to practical use.

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Everybody knows what a transformation a little water makes on a des-ert, producing an oasis of tropical verdure, while all beyond this watered space is desoration and death. It is usually so expensive to drill wells and pump the water on a desert that it does not pay to reclaim the waste tand. But, if the overabundance of sunshine on the desert can be utilized the problem is solved.

Mr. Calver's machine consists of a

the barren land.

set of big mirrors and lenses, by which he focuses the sun's rays as a boy does with a burning glass. The heat which can be generated by Mr. Calver's machine is said to be equal to a furnace for a 500 horse power boiler. With such a power as this available wherever one sees fit to set up his plant, it is easy to see how well drilling and water pumping can be done on large scale. Geologists have found in recent years that our southwestern deserts have almost numberless subterranean streams flowing at depth vary ing from 25 to 250 feet below the dry,

need be no lack of water if the borings are intelligently directed. The amount of arid lands which lie in Arizona, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Texas and Colorado is estimated to be at least five hundred millions of acres. this is rendered useless by the need of water, and the reclamation of this land would add billions of dollars to the

parched surface of the earth. So there

wealth of the country.

In many sections of Colorado and other States in which irrigation is used, the best farming, lands in the country are those which were formalworthless and are now artificially watered, and the very finest crops in the land are grown there.

#### ONE CENT A YEAR

Is the salary That Frank Lynch Will Re ceive From the Government.

Iowa County, Wisconsin, lays claim to having the lowest-salaried official in the employ of the United States Gov-ernment. The Government hires disease. The only cure is to cleanse the blood of the poisonous matter which is the cause of the outbreak in the flesh and skin. Impure blood can be absolutely purified by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Its effect on flesh and skin is marked. It is the law that such employes shall be paid quarterly, but Lynch, although becomes emouth and revains its nate. becomes smooth, and regains its nat- he has been carrying the mails regulararal color. The eyes brighten and ly since last July, has as yet received

sparkle, the whole body is radiant with the brightness and beauty, of health. "Golden Medical Discovery" contains ing for any remitances on his salary ing for any remitances on his salary until next July, when he expects a check for a whole cent. It is supposed this will be the smallest check ever issued by the Government and efforts cleansing the system of clogging have already been made to secure possession of it. The mail carrier has received several offers of \$15 or \$20 for Lots of women dress shabbily in the the check, but he has so far warily

Both Dodgeville and Mineral Point have railroads, but there is none between the two towns. The trip from one place to the other by rail is so roundabout that it is out of the question, so passengers and mail are driven across country. Whoever has the contract for carrying the mail feels that he is certain of all the passenger trade, for no one has yet had the courage to compete for passenger business with the United States mail carrier. this reason the transfer of the mail is

deemed a valuable privilege. Every four years the post office department advertises for bids and the contracts to lowest bidders for transfer of mail sack. Last year there was the liveliest competition ever known for the Dodgeville-Mineral Point contract, Several different men signified their intention of going into the contest, and the "talk" was kept up until each bid-der knew he would have to go pretty low to get the prize, the man who then held the contract had been receiving about \$40 per year for carrying the mail. It is said that when the bids for the new contract were opened in Washington it was found that the three lowest offers for carrying the mail per year were I cent, 39 cents and \$1.50. Frank Lynch, being the 1 cent bidder, was awarded the contract for tour years.

His First Client Never Came Back. The legal lights were discussing disappointments with which they had met, and this is the story that one of

them told: "The greatest disappointment that I ever met with happened at the beginning of my career. I was young at the time and inclined to hold my parents responsible for this handicap which was keeping me from the fame and glory that I thought was my due.
"My bright new shingle was somewhat weather-beaten, and my office desk had two holes worn in it by my

heels before my first client came.
"But come he did one day, charging into my office like a mad buil. Glaring at me and throwing down a roll of bills as large as my fist, he shout-

'I want to see Mr. Blank!" "'I am Mr. Blank,' I said, edging up to the roll. 'Good Lord, sonny,' he roared, 'I want to see your father, the lawyer!"
"I am Mr. Blank, the lawyer," I ans-

wered, with all the dignity I could muster.

"Oh. Christmas!' he yelled, as he seized his roll and put it in his pocket.

"What have I been retained on?" I asked. making a bluff at the roll

"He stared at me for a moment and

"See here, sowny, I've got an import ant engagement to meet. I'll be back in an hour. Here's your retainer,' he added, throwing youn a quarter. But he never ame back. I was looking at my picture the other day, taken about that time, and I cannot say that I blame wim."—Detroit Free SETTLERS' FXCURSIONS.

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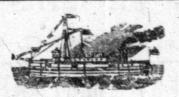
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