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THE crow very rarely leaves a place without caws.

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THE organ is supplied with "stops," but unfortunately the piano has none.

A HEW and cry usually follows the small boy's acquisition of the pocket knife.

AFTER a too hearty dinner, if you feel dull and heavy, try a dose of Campbell's Cathartic Compound.

THE early bird catches the worm, but the man who stays up all night is generally the one to see "snakes."

Do tell me? the name of that delightful Perfume you use. With pleasure. It is the "Lotus of the Nile."

"WOMAN is man's counsellor," says a divine. Perhaps that explains why her fees are so notoriously high.

SHOULD earthquakes be referred to as "real-estate movements" or "matters in connection with ground rents?"

MINNIE: Papa, what is Volapuk? Papa: Why, it's the universal language. Minnie: But who speaks it? Papa: Nobody.

THE man with an only son: What kind of scholars do you turn out at this institution? Principal: Those who won't study.

DUDE (bad pay): That stripe looks well, so does this. What would you prefer for yourself, if you were choosing? Long-suffering Tailor: A check.

LIGHTNING never strikes twice in the same place. Neither does a mule. The reason for this is because the place is never there after the first strike.

"WHAT is your business?" "I feed the lions in a menagerie." "Must be dreary work?" "On the contrary, it is very funny. They keep the table in a roar."

PRESIDENT: Yes, Mr. Snapper, the faculty have decided that you have broken the rules, and there is no course for us but to suspend you. Student: H'm; how about suspending the rules?

"MR. S.," asked a professor at the Maine State College, "what do you understand by naturalization?" Mr. S.: "Naturalization is the process of making a foreign born person a native of the United States."

HE: I see that old Mr. Bentley was buried yesterday. Wife (shocked): Why, is old Mr. Bentley dead? He (who has just been "sat upon"): The paper doesn't say whether he is dead or not; simply that he was buried yesterday.

ENTER Mr. Suave, with his son Tommy. Mr. Suave: Ah! how do, Mr. Jones? Tommy, this is Mr. Jones. I think that you have heard me speak of him? Tommy: Oh, yes; that's the man you told mother was the biggest fraud in the place.

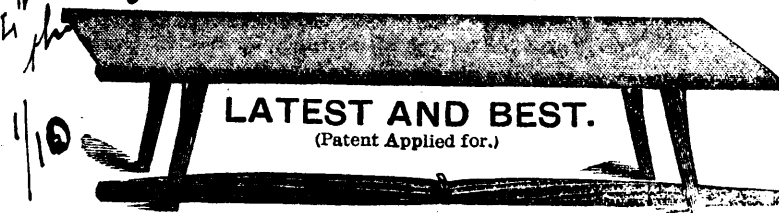
A LADY who was at the Woman's Congress in Washington, and very proud of the evidently high intellectual standard of its members, had her pride rudely shocked when she overheard an elevator boy say: "We have had 300 of the smartest women in the world here, and though they have been in this hotel for a week, there's not one of them who knows what floor to get off on."

A FRENCH priest, who had usually a very small audience, was one day preaching at the church in his village, when, the door being open, a gander and several geese came staking up the aisle. The speaker, availing himself of the circumstances, observed that he could "no longer find fault with his district for non-attendance, because, though they did not come themselves they sent their representatives."

A LADY carrying an umbrella entered the street car, but before she could take a seat the car jumped forward with an awkward jerk. The lady, in attempting to retain her equilibrium, whacked her umbrella against the head of a gentleman. "Oh, sir, I beg a thousand pardons. These drivers are so careless. Hope you are not seriously injured, sir?" "Oh, no, ma'am. I'm a married man, and am used to little knocks like that."

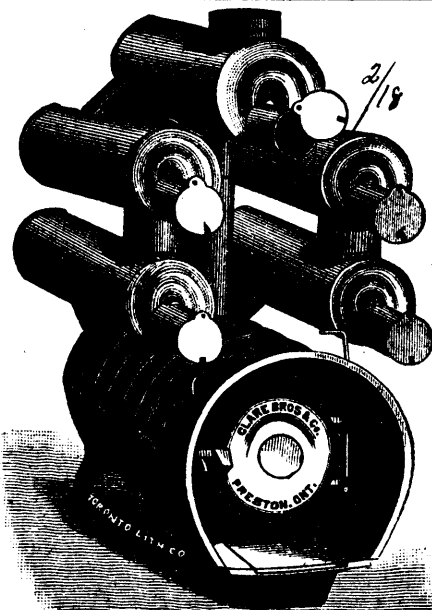
CARLYLE tells a story of one of the Lords of Session in Scotland, a Lord Justice-Clerk who lived in the beginning of this century—a strange, rough, gruff judge, who used to take sketches of people in court with pen and ink. One day he asked the usher, "Wha's that man yonder?" "That's the plaintiff, my lord." "Oh! he's the plaintiff, is he? He's a queer-looking fellow. I think I'll decide against him and see how he'll look."

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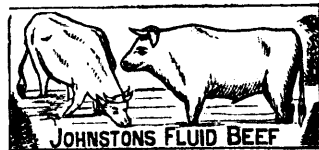
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