

Sparkles.

BECAUSE a woman "figures in society" it is no sign that she knows the multiplication table.

A THOROUGH scholar carries a key with which to unlock every door in the mansion of knowledge.

ALWAYS behind hand—The wrist. Always ahead—The twelve inch rule. Always ahead—The source of a river.

HERE is the verdict of an Idaho jury:—"We find that deceased came to his death by calling Tim Wallings a liar."

DISCRETION is more necessary to women than eloquence, because they have less trouble to speak well than to speak little.

THERE is nothing more truly insinuating and deferential than the wriggle of a little dog's tail in the presence of a big dog with a bone.

It was the late Bishop of Lichfield who, when he was abruptly asked the way to heaven, replied, "Turn to the right, and go straight forward."

A MAN may forget home, kindred, friends and almost everything else, but he never forgets the first time he went into a barber's shop to be shaved.

A QUACK doctor says in his advertisement: "I can bring living witnesses to prove the efficacy of my pills, which is more than anyone in my line can do."

"Mr challenge the jury?" exclaimed the accused. "No, thank ye, judge; I'm a man of peace, I am." He was therefore bound over to keep the peace.

A MAN need only correct himself with the same rigour that he apprehends others, and excuse others with the same indulgence that he shows to himself.

"SH-H-H, child. Young people should be silent when other people are talking." "Then when shall young people talk, mamma? Old people are never silent."

THERE are some marriages which remind us of the poor fellow who said—"She couldn't get any husband and I couldn't get any wife, so we got married."

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