### Sparkles.

"I AIM to tell the truth." "Yes," said an acquaintance; "but you are a very bad shot."

A PHYSICIAN says: "If a child does not thrive on fresh milk, boil it." This is too severe. Why not spank it? severe.

### A Fearful Leap

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PROFESSOR—" Name an oxide." Student—"Leather." Professor—"Oxide of what?" Student—"Ox-hide of beef." The professor subsided.

"Do you think I'm a simpleton, sir?" thundered a fiery Scotch laird to his new footman. "Ye see, sir," replied the canny Scot, "I'm no' lang here, an' I dinna ken yet."

EVERYBODY SUFFERS PAIN.-It is the result of sin and violation of nature's laws. The great Creator of the universe in His in-The great Creator of the universe in His infinite mercy has done much to allay the sufferring of His people, by giving them out of nature's store-house a "balm for every pound." Such is the Pain Killer made by Perry Davis & Son; it stops pain almost instantly, is used both internally and externally, and is of all other pain remedies the oldest and best. and best.

PHYSICIAN: "You are to take this mixture after meals." Poor patient: "But it's very seldom, doctor, that I get a meal." Physician: "In that case, take it before meals." meals.

An enthusiastic prohibitionist editor wrote: "The battle is now open." But, alas! the compositor spelt "battle" with an "o," and his readers say they have expected it all along. pected it all along.

THE EVIDENCE OF A JUSTICE.—Esquire Pelton, of Grass Lake, Michigan, a justice of the peace, was given up to die with malarial fever. He testified to a cure from Burdock Blood Bitters, after physicians' and other medicines failed.

A: "I thought you were a vegetarian, and now I see you eating mutton!" B: "Well, I am only an indirect vegetarian—I eat the meat of such animals only as live on vegetable food."

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"THE poet is born, sir," said a man, "IHE poet is born, sir," said a man, haughtily, as he received a roll of manuscript from the editor, with a shake of the head. "Oh, is he?" replied the editor with a pleasant smile. "Well, when he gets old enough to write something, tell him to come and see me. Good-by." And he resumed his laboure. labours.

### CONSUMPTION CURED.

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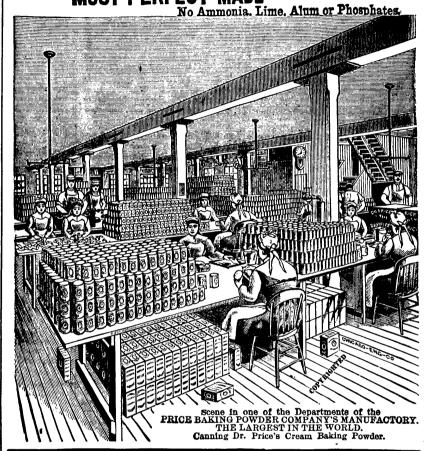
An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper, W. A. Noves, 149 Power's Block, Rochester, N.Y.

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### Rheumatism,

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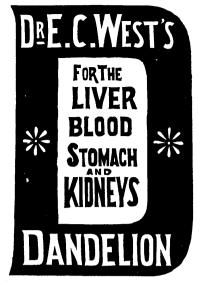
### Dyspepsia,

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