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## A Knockdown for Higher Critics.

In a recent Boston address Rev. Booker T. Washington told this amusing story of the difference between the old religious life of the southern negro and the new: "Some time ago an old colored man in a Sunday-school was trying to explain why the children of Israel were not drowned when Pharaoh's hosts were. The old man said it was in this way: 'When the first party came along it was early in the morning, and the ice was hard and thick, and they had no trouble in crossing over. But when the next party came along it was twelve o'clock, and the sun had been shining on that ice a long time and made it so thin that they went through.' There happened to be a representative of the newer generation present, and he got up and said he did not accept that explanation, for he had been at school and studied about those things in his geography, and he had found out that ice does not freeze down so near the equator. The old colored man replied: 'I's just ben expectin' sumthin' like dat. The time I was talkin' about was before dey had no jographies or 'quators either.'"



The man who tries to go through life without life assurance is like a ship that puts to sea without preparation for a storm. He may reach his destination in safety over calm seas, or he may be dashed to wreck in an unexpected tempest. Your policy is your life-boat.

—Union Central Advocate.

## "Mr. Dooley" Prophecies.

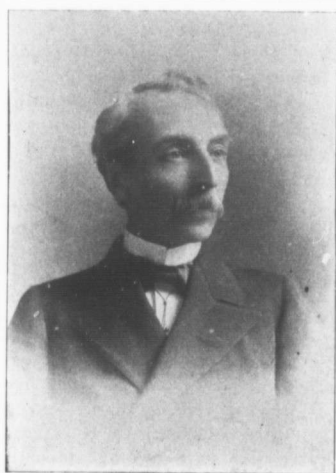
I can see in me moind th' day when explosives 'll be so explosive, an' guns 'll shoot so far, that only th' folks that stay home 'll be kilt, an' life assurance agents 'll be advisin' people to go into th' army.



An Irish philosopher says there is no blessing like health—especially when a fellow is sick.



Possibly nothing ever makes a woman so angry as the discovery that she has been polite to a man who isn't worth it.



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