

Sparhles.

SPEECH is silver, silence is golden, giggling in brazen, and laughing is often ironical.

TO IMPROVE LEMONADE.—The juice of two oranges added to a pitcher of lemonade greatly improves it.

SUFFERING humanity read Carbolic Smoke Ball advertisement—cures Diseases of the Nose, Throat and Lungs. See page.

THE man who is convinced that advertising does not pay is generally anxious to have an extended personal notice every time he leaves town or returns.

THE late E. P. Roe was an industrious writer, but he knew when to stop. Unlike some authors who have departed this life, he will not continue to write novels for years after dying.

FATHER: What's that noise in the next room? **Mother:** It's Bobby singing "I want to be an angel;" dear little fellow. **Father:** Well, you had better go and see what he's up to.

MISS SCREECHER: Well, dear, how was my voice to-night? Did it fill the room? **Miss Veracity:** At first it did, but afterward—
Miss Screecher: Well? **Miss Veracity:** It emptied it.

"DOES your son get on fast in his studies, Mrs. Brown?" asked the minister at dinner. "Guess he does," put in Bobby; "I heard Jim Williams say that George was the fastest man in Yale College."

BROWN: That's a handsome umbrella you've got there, Robinson. Robinson; Yes, Brown. Brown: About what does it cost to carry an umbrella like that? Robinson: Eternal vigilance.

"Why do you call the man that gets married the groom, pa?" asked a little boy. "Because he carries favour with his mother-in-law," was the reply, "and tries to saddle his debts on his wife's father."

MADAM (to French cook applying for a place): Your accent, Marie, is not strictly Parisian. French cook: No, mum, me husband was Dublin born, and it is his accent that Oi have absorbed a trifle.

TEACHER: Can you multiply together concrete numbers? (They appear uncertain.) **Teacher:** What would be the product of forty apples multiplied by six pounds of beef? **Small boy** (triumphantly): Mince pies.

DEACON (to country minister). "I s'pose, parson, that the advance in your salary from \$500 to \$600 will be a big help to you. Minister: Yes, indeed. The addition of \$100 will enable me to hire a man to collect the \$500.

JUDKINS (with apparent carelessness). "By the way, Feebil, you're a lawyer; what would you do if a fellow was to refuse to pay for a bill of goods? Feebil (dryly): I would see a lawyer, give him a retainer, and state my case.

GROOM (to bride; they were waiting for the minister): Hadn't I better skip out and see what is the matter, my dear? The minister should have been here twenty minutes ago. **Bride:** No, George; you stay right where you are.

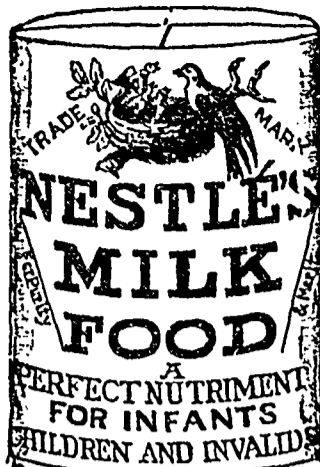
SHE: Mr. Sillihead sent me such a lovely novel, and I know he meant me to think the hero himself. The hero is disappointed in love and at last blows his brains out. The Other She: Well, Mr. Sillihead couldn't do that, at all events—for reasons.

WIFE (reprovingly). The great trouble with you is, John, you buy a good many things you don't need, simply because they are cheap. That is very false economy. **Husband:** Here is a lady's watch I bought to-day for \$20 that's worth every cent of \$30. **Wife:** O, thank you, John, why, it was a real bargain!

TRAMP: I know it, ma'am; I'm always out of work, but it's all my poor luck. Woman: How is that, poor man? **Tramp:** It's this way, ma'am. In the winter I feel like mowing lawns, and in the summer I just actually crave to shovel snow, and no more continually balks me. Have you such a thing as a pie in the house?

To the request of the eloquent Dr. Hawkes for an increase of salary, giving as his reason that his family expenses were increasing, an officer of the Church replied: "Do not trouble yourself; the Lord has promised that He will care for the young ravens when they cry." "I know that," replied the witty minister, "but nothing is said about the young Hawkes."

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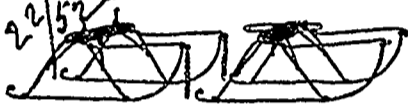
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