I d There's one thing to the ladies I plainly I'm neither gay nor amiable, I'm fussy, and I'm plain; But, giris, you needn't plot for me—all plotting

I never see the brightest eyes, and all

ver see the reddest lips, I'm proof all smiles; her think I'm not the man for any w

I want no knitted, netted things, no travelling hags, no wraps, No slippers and no cor

I buy the things that I require ; so ladies, hear

me say, All such attentions So shake your curls and giv wilder all you can Rut just remember, if you please,

I've heard there's twenty-one old maids con. sider me their "fate,"
And clever widows five or six that

me to mate;
There's pretty school-girls who insist I "must
have had some loss," And say I'm "so romantic" when I'm only tired

But, ladies, all attentions from this date I hope will cease;
The only favor that I ask, is to be left in peace For I consider one thing sure as anything can

I will not marry any girl, and none shall That's just exactly what he said about a year

Now, if you could but see his rooms, they are a perfect show
Of netted things, and knitted things, and

painted plaques and screens, hotographs of famous men, and Beauty's while on the hearty-stone sits his wife—she's sweet and good, I know.

And if you tell him of the words he said a year

He answers you, without a blush. the usual way;
No one believes a single word old bachelors

may say:
When the right angel comes along, they marry any day.-[Harper's Magazine.

A writer in the Chicago Tribune thus describes how prohibition does not prohibit in Kansas :-

used in Missouri. 'O, they are drinking just as much whiskey over in Kansas as they were be-

fore the prohibition law was passed." The wholesale liquor dealers in hansas City insist that they are shipping more whiskey into Kansas than ever. At the same time wholesale dealers are willing to pay any amount of money to have the

prohibitory law repealed. I have made close examinations all over Kansas and I say without hesitation that the new law is a success. Whiskey is not being sold in Kansas. It is not being drank here, at least publicly.

The other day as the Union Pacific ran into Rossville the conductor said :in this town.'

You can get all the whiskey you want 'Yes,' said the brakeman, 'there's more

whiskey drank here than ever before.' Well I staid in Rossville over night. I found every saloon locked up. Money couldn't buy a drink in the town. The week before a lame man who had been hobbling around on an artificial leg was convicted of selling whiskey and fined \$20. But the fine was remitted on account of his being a cripple. Still the "roughs" all said, 'there's plenty of whiskey to be had. 'Where ?' I asked.

'O, we had some yesterday,' they 'Now I'm not a resident and won't tell,

so please let me know where you got it," I pleaded. 'Well,' said one man, 'Lame John

'Where?' Why we went with him over behind

the meeting house shed, into the graveyard, and there Lame John unstrapped that artificial leg of his and took out a bottle of whiskey.

'Out of his leg ?' 'Yes, out of his hollow leg.' 'And what did you pay for it?'

'Thirty cents a drink.

have prohibition in Rossville, but when you have got to go off into the darkness with a cripple, following him behind the meeting house shed into the lonely graveyard, and he has to sit down on some mother's grave and unstrap an artificial leg for you to drink out ofwhy, I think you've got the next thing and the permanent cure it effects in kid!

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THE SONG OF BIRDS.

ation while very Young.

music? Is it all a matter of instinct, inherited habit, or do they learn it? That man kept it for eight years without any belief in Christianity.

Walking down the street with him a little while ago, he said:

Do you see that red-fronted drinking is aloon? I have been afraud of that for many years, and I lued to go down a bytical born with a language printed upon his brain. The father and mother many years, and I used to go down a bytical way have have known a word of any tongue except the English, but if the child is brought up to hear only Chinese height in the age he said.

And careful experiments have shown that the same is true of birds. Taken from the neats just just after they leave he shell, titley invariably sing, not their of ster parents; provided to their of ster parents; provided to the results of the complexion, are an estimated that is not anything the complexion, are an estimated that is not anything the complexion, are an estimated that is not anything the complexion, are an estimated that is not anything the complexion, are an estimated that is not anything the complexion, are an externally.

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Mr. Helen Phazies. No. 331 Daytom St., Chicago, Ill., is now in her sixty-eight year, and states that the has ulfill any bear of with Consumption for about ten years, was treated by mine physicians, all of them pronouncing her case shopsless. She had given up all hope of ever recovering. Seven bottles of Dr. King's Now. N. A treated the provided and the provided that for many years, and I used to go down a bytic and provided the provided that the same is true of birds. Taken from the nests just just after they leave the shell, titley invariably sing, not their of the provided the provided that the same is true of birds. Taken from the nests just just after they leave the shell, titley invariably sing, not their of the provided that the same is true of birds. Taken from the provided the provided that the same is true of birds. Taken from the provided the provided that the provi

own so-called natural song, but the song of their foster parents; provided of course, that this is not anything beyond their physical capacity. The notorious house-sparrow (our "English" sparrow), in his will or semi-domesticated state, the course of the song of the course of the c never makes a musical sound; but if he is taken in hand early enough he may be taught to sing, so it is said, nearly as well as the canary. Bechstein relates that a Paris clergyman had two of these sparrows which he had trained to speak, and, among other things, to recite severing to know why creatures thus gifted do not sing of their own motion. With their amiability and sweet peaceableness With

Birds sing by imitation, it is true, but as a rule they imitate only the notes which they hear during the first few weeks after they hatched. One of Mr. Barrington's linnets, for example, after being educated under a titlark, was put into a room with two birds of his own species, where he heard them sing freely every day for three months. He made no attempt to learn anything from them, however, but kept on singing what the titlark had taught him, quite unconscious of any thing sigular or unpatriotic in such a course. This law, that impres-sions received during the immaturity of the powers become the unalterable habits of the after life, is perhaps the most momentous of all the laws in whose power It is very common to hear the remark we find ourselves. Sometimes we are are tempted to call it cruel. But if it were annulled this would be a strange world. What a hurly-burly we should have among the birds ! There would be no telling them by their notes. Thrush es and jays, wrens and chickadees, finches and warblers, all would be singing one grand medley.—Atlantic.

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door behind you without slamming it. Never interrupt any conversation, but wait patiently your turn to speak. Leok for beauty in everything and

Carefully clean the mud and snow from your boots before entering the

If from any cause you feel irritable, try the harder to do little pleasant Do not keep your good manners for

company, but be equally polite at home and abroad. When inclined to give any angry answer, press your lips together and say

Always speak politely and kindly to you help, if you would have them do the same to you,

When pained by an unkind word act ask yourselves, 'Have I not done as badly and desired forgiveness?'-[Canada Presbyterian.

Thirty cents a drink.'

'Well, boys,' I said, 'you may not we prohibition in Ressville, but when to restore the natural the natural color is

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'Why is it that the employees in telehone offices are all ladies?' Mrs. Brown made this enquiry of her husband. 'Well,' answered Mr. Brown, el of the shorter commandments, and the narrative goes on to say that it was panies were aware that no class of emsomething very comical, when the pair were disputing over their food, to hear one gravely admonish the other: "Thou shalt not steal!" It would be interesting to know why creatures thus gifted do work in a telephone office? Mrs. Brown further inquired. 'Talking,' answered Mr. Brown, and the conversation came they ought to be caroling the whole year to an end. - [Somerville Journal.

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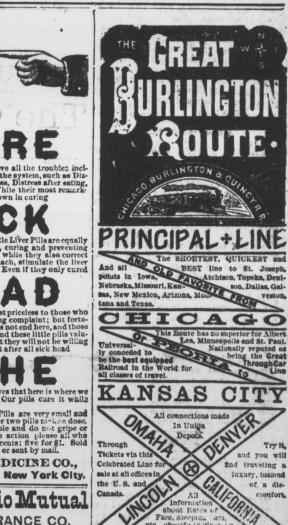
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