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SHOW ROOM: - 1794 NOTRE DAME ST.

NEAR ST. PETER.

Doctor—I'we notes or seep before undright are better than four hours after that time.

Lazybones--Fiddlesticks! Two hours or sleep after one is called in the morning are better than all the others.--New York Sun-

Breaking the News-Patient (bad pay)- What is my condition, Doctor?

Physician—My friend, my advice to you is, to pay your debts and prepare for the end.—Philadelphia North American.

Alas !-

A beauty sleeps b'neath you quiet grass. Who dreamed her face the world might not surpass: Strength is her neighbor, but he boasts no more—And over them the wind cries out "Alas!"

-- Omar Khayyam (Le Gallienne).

"You will have trouble very soon," said the fortuneteller, attentively studying the lines in the paim, "with a tall, dark man. Be on your guard."

Mark how closely the fulfillment followed on the heels of the phophecy. Within three hours thereafter the fair caller's buter, a gentleman of Abyssinian extraction, struck was for higher wages.—Chicago Tribune.

An Ambition crushed—First Small Boy—Pought you was goin to wear your hair football style?

Second Small Roy-Oi' man said if I went 'roun' lookin' like a mop he'd wipe de floor wit me.—Indianapolis Journal.

Sometimes varies His Talk.—Hicks—What a tiresome bore Stuffer is! He is forever telling about the things he has eaten. It's positively disgusting.

Wicks-Oh, you are too hard on Stuffer. Sometimes he is talking about the things he is going to cat-Boston Transcript.

He (cautiously)--If I should propose, would you say "yes?"

She (more cautiously)- If you knew I would say "yes" would you propose? Rehoboth Sunday Herald.

"You are the only woman I have ever loved," he said.

"I wish I could believe you," she answered, "but all men say the same thing,"

"Well," he persisted, "you are-are-the only woman I ever loved enough to tell that yarn to."-San Francisco Examiner.

Manufacturers' Life Insurance Co.

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