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work to be done.

Papa (soberly)—That was quite
a monstrosity you had in the par-
lor last night.

Maud (nettled)—Indeed! That
must depend upon one's under-
standing of the term monstrosity.

Papa (thoughtfully)—Well, two
heads upon one pair of shoulders,
for example.

Fair Countess—I wish to get
some rugs, something real artistic
and æsthetic, you know, but I
can't afford to pay a very high
price.

Honest Dealer—Right this way.
Here, madam, are some antique
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tory. Take them home, smear 'em
with grease and tobacco juice, then
wash them a little, dry them in an
oven, lay them for three days in
the sun, and they'll look as faded
and antique as the genuine im-
ported article costing ten times as
much.—New York Weekly.

The music of the band is reserved
for those who keep up with the
procession.

Bishop Hare, of South Dakota,
is fond of telling stories about him-
self to illustrate the points which
he playfully makes that a man who
lives long on the plains comes to be
a good deal of a barbarian. Once,
so one of his stories runs, he had
the misfortune while entering a
dining-room to step upon the skirt
of a lady's dress. Apologizing he
said: "You know that I have been
living with the Indians lately and
have grown somewhat awkward."

The lady, Miss Potter, quickly re-
plied: "I don't think that, bishop,
but I am surprised at one thing—
that after living so long with the
Indians you shouldn't be better at
following up a trail."—New York
Sunday Mercury.

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money, and so having more to
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