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#### She Had Experience.

Penelope-"Charley called last night." Penelope—"Charley called last night."
Justine—"That's twice in a week, isn't
it?" "Yes." "I suppose he'll come three
times in the next week." "That's what
my brother says." "And five times the
next?" "That's what passiver says."
"And six times the next?" "That's what
aunite says." "And seven times the
next?" "That's what appa says." "And
then what?" "Then we'll get married;
that's what everybody says." "And then
what?" "Then I shan't see him any more
of an evening; that's what mamma
says."

#### What Ailed Him.

Dr. J. L. Hill, a well-known trustee of the United Society of Christian Endeavor, tells of two lunatics on their way to the

asylum falling into conversation.
"What are you crazy about?" the first

"What are you crazy about?" the first one asked.
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Society. church." I am afraid it will ruin the

"Why, man alive! you're not crazy," said the first; "you're a fool."

#### Keeps Young.

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mutch damage in the world.

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tew do next 12 az unanom tew do next 12 az unanom tew others.

"He ain't got enny more backbone than an angleworm haz, and wiggles in and wiggles out ov everything.
"He will talk to-day like a wize man, and to-morrow like a phool, on the same

"He alwuss sez 'yes,' when he should ay 'no,' and staggers thru life like a

say no, and sangest drunken man.

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