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ON THE SAFE SIDE.
Komley-I thought you were going on a business trip this week, Jephson?

Jephson-I was, but the new curate is taking special interest in my wite's salvation, so I'm not going. $\qquad$


THEY ARE NOBBY. COME AND SEE THEM.

## "DAY AFTER TO-MORROW STYLES."


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## CAST OF CHARACTERS.

Time- 1882.
MARTIS MestlaNb, an Aguedurt emplogee $\qquad$ WHI.I.IAM BARRY
Dlanymis O'llara, tuthr to Van TYke's children. Elwood Van T'yke, Empo, a wealtly merchant.
age 14 $\qquad$
$\qquad$ Tommy Mctihane, one of Kising (ieneration, age 14 $\qquad$ Ja\%. H. Manning Fireddie Van Tyke, another, age 8.4. Bolivar, one of the Growler diang. Filsie Connolly, another of the Kising Cieneration, age 12. Vileanor Vian Tyke, another, age 12.. Johanna McShane, Martin's fair sivter.

## 'III: IROIOCUV.。

Scene-llarlem, N. V. Samuel Af. Forrest . Ilarry N. Welch Frank Fortham Harry J. Turner .. Cura O'Neill lanive Valentine Lizrie Conway

THE: PIAY。
ACT 1--Ten years.
AC'S'S II, anl III.-Two years Inter.
IION. MARTIN McSIIANE: Aquerluct Contractor and state semator.... WIIIIIAM BARRI I'rof Dionysius O'llara, principal of O'llara College.............................Jas, II. Manning Elwood Van Tyke, merchant. . sanmel M. Forrest Thomas J. Mcshane, attorney-nt-law, age 24 ... ............... .......... Chas, J. McFadden liugene Coleman, of the Hall of Records........................................................... Dill F'erdinand Vall 'l'yke, a spendthrift, age 2.4 Officer Koach, of the First Precinct. Chas. I. llates ISuck Moran, one of the boys. . Weary Watkins, a slaker. $\qquad$
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$\qquad$ . K. Randolph Mr. Hennessy. - Joseph Davies Mr. Hennessy............................... Charles Barry Michael Angelo, peanut connoissenr. C. R. Randolph Eleanor Van Tyke, a society belle, age $22 . . .$. .F. S. Martin

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Mr．J．（from head of stars）－Mary，did the tailor deliver my new trousers to－day？

Mary－Y＇es，sir．
Mr．J．－Well，I wish you would ask Mrs， J．where she put them，as 1 cannot find them．

Mary－Mrs．J．has just gone out bicycling， sir．

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| Hossle Me'lingr |  | - Fioa lluler |
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| Alice O'Reilly |  | ... Dalsy sinmmerm |
| Johama Meslia |  | I isole Conway |
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## SYNOPSIS OF SCENES.

 ingman'y Shanty.

ACT I-Sicene 1-Ilerahl Sipare, New Vork City, Scene 2-Mcshawsin Den, whowhg a portion of the ohl mhanty and part of the new mansion.

ACT' II- A partion of lattery l'ark, New Yonk, afforiling a vien of kefoge on Sime Nereet.


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 After l'tologne, "The Dilk's (irecting" (arrangerl hy limil O. Wioli). ................ Wimaworth

Note- Dancing unler the supervision of Mesnry. Manning and Davis. scenery by De la Harpeand Wabl Valentine, Mechanical efteces hy 'Ihow. W', J"itzgerald.

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Flossie-Well l'se dest as dooi as new, but Dod dave 'oo another little dirl.

TOMMY'S BREAK.
(From Puck.)
I got fired from Sumlay school Week hefore last. 1 don't care! Never liked it, anyhowWasn't any fun down there.

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Oh, woman, lovely woman, thy charms are ever great,
Thou dosi keep the men all guessing sometimes at a lively rate.
How often hast thon caught them with thy smile so fair to see,
Oh, woman, lovely woman, come, wilt "smile with mc?'"
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