

WHERE SARAH WAS.

A farmer had some wheat stolen a few nights since, and he was so sure that he knew who the thief was that he came into town and secured a warrant for a certain young man living near him.

"People can be very easily mistaken," observed the plaintiff's lawyer. "I don't care—I know he was there," she replied.

"What time did the old folks go to bed?" "I gave'm the wink about 10." "Sure he was there at midnight, are you?"

"Yes, sir." "Why are you sure?" She blushed, looked over to her lover and laughed, and getting a nod to go ahead, she said:

"Well, sir, just as the clock struck 12 the old man jumped out of bed upstairs and hollered down: 'Sarah, yer mar wants some o' that catnip tea, and we got such a start we broke the back of the rocking chair and went over backward kerplunk.'

"Then the jury must understand that you were seated on Samuel's knee?" "I object!" put in Samuel's lawyer, and his Honor remembered the days of his youth and sustained the objection.

HOW AND WHEN TO DRINK WATER. According to Dr. Leuf, when water is taken into the full stomach it does not mingle with the food, as we are taught, but passes along quickly toward the pylorus, through which it passes into the intestines.

PRECEPT AND PRACTICE. Miss Bluestocking—Lydia and I have been to the health lecture, and you can't think how interesting it was!

Anxious Mother—But, my dear, how pale you look. Miss Bluestocking—Yes, mamma, I feel rather ill. The fact is that after the lecture Lydia and I had three ices each, and then Dr. Stethoscope insisted on buying me a big box of chocolate creams, and as he wouldn't have any of them, of course Lydia and I had to eat them all ourselves.

THE BEST POSITION. "Now, Maggie, let us understand one another thoroughly before we are married. You, of course, will recognize me as the head of the house?"

WHAT THE OTHER GIRL GETS. One of Denver's leading and wealthiest citizens has just built an elegant residence on Capitol Hill, says the Times of that city.

A LADY refers to the time she spends in front of her looking-glass as "moments of reflection."

A KENTUCKY COLONEL WITH A GOOD RECORD.

Colonel Sid Jones, who is associated with John B. Jeffrey in his publication of the Annual Theatrical Guide and Directory, is a veteran. No one would ever know this unless he looked up the record of Colonel Jones' past career, because he never hints at his soldier life.

WORMS USED AS FOOD BY THE PIUTE INDIANS. The Piute Indians of Southern California esteem the nut-pine worm a great delicacy.

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BE CHEERFUL. Do not brood over fond hopes unrealized until a chain, link after link, is fastened on each thought and wound around the heart.

THE DIFFICULTY EXPERIENCED. In taking Cod Liver Oil is entirely overcome in Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil and Hypophosphites.

DRUNKENNESS IN ENGLAND. The return which has just been published of the convictions for drunkenness in England and Wales during the four years from 1885 to 1888, inclusive, is not particularly cheerful reading.

WEAK WOMEN. One to themselves a duty to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, in view of the great relief it has given those who suffer from ailments peculiar to the sex.

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ALL COMEDIANS TELL THIS JOKE AS THEIR OWN.

Solon Shingle Owens was fonder of a joke on himself than of one on the other fellow. In his last stock-actor days at the Madison Square Theater, where he created the part of Old Rogers in "Esmeralda," he devoted his ample leisure to gin and geniality.

"I assured him that the show belonged to me—same thing, you know, Hayseed laughed and added: 'Gosh darn it! I thought I knowed you; that's why I spoke. I seen you las night; you acted the clown fus' rate. I've got a boy to hum that'd make a fus' rate clown, an' I jest thought I'd kinder ask if you couldn't give him a job. He's jest full of comical capers, an' las' night when me an' the old woman was a-lookin' at you cuttin' up monkey-shines, Martha sez to me: 'Reub, that's what our boy ought to be a doin'.' That's why I mention it, I'm sure Reub'd make a fortune amongst you clowns, for he's a regular nat'ral born—fool, anyway."

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