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HE WANTED TO KNOW.

A party of Americans was being conducted over the ancient abbey in one of our famous old towns. The learned attendant pointed out the ages of the various parts, and referring to one arch in particular, said, "That arch may possibly go back to William the Conqueror."

"Don't you like it?" promptly asked one of the sightseers.

The attendant signified that he did not understand.

"Well, why are you sending it back, anyway?" was the reply. "Won't it suit you?"—London Tit Bits.

Force of Habit.

Cloverton—That old hoss you sold me stopped right in front of the church as the bell struck one, and he never moved till it struck two.

Chris Snodgrass—Oh, yes; I forgot to tell you he'd been in a livery car and that it took two strokes of the bell to start him.

Explaining the Obliquity.

"How very crosseyed Fred Biggs is getting!"

"Yes; he's dead in love with old Kicker's daughter, you know, and when he calls on her he invariably keeps one eye on the clock and the other on the door of the old man's room."

Something.

The College Boy—Dad, I really must have me a hundred.

His Father—It's outrageous. You're twenty and you've never made any thing for yourself.

The College Boy—Beg pardon, sir, but I always make my own cigarettes.

SOMETHING LEARNED EVERY DAY.

Frank—Poor Jones! He has lost all his money in a wildcat mining company.

Ethel—Mercy! I didn't know you had to mine for wild cats.

At Rehearsal.

"What ails the soubrette?" asked The manager replied: "Why, you see, The fare ain't got her voice."

May Be So.

Miss Knowitt—He is very rich now, but I hear he started in life as a grave digger.

Miss Kutting—I guess that's the reason why the daughter is so anxious to have the past buried.

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Just a Little Smile

Too Much.

De Sapp—Do you think that Miss Clever was having fun with me?

De Soffe—Well, old chap, give me the details.

De Sapp—You see, I had my bull terrier with me. And I said to her, "That dog knows as much as I do." And she said, "Don't you think $150 was too much to pay for him?"

Between Actors.

First Actor—I had a quarrel with the manager this morning and threatened to leave the company.

Second Actor—Wasn't there any one to take your part?

First Actor—Yes, my understudy. That is why I didn't leave.

She'd Be Ill.

"What is the meaning of the verb 'to purchase?'"

"Don't know, ma'am."

"Well, now, if your papa gave your mamma $50 to buy a new hat and dress what would she do?"

"Send for the doctor, ma'am."

Great Idea.

Ernest—I've got a splendid system for preventing those numerous fatal accidents caused by door hinges shooting each other.

Ethel—What is it?

Ernest—Let only one man hunt at a time.

Pure Fiction Mostly.

"I see Sellem, the traveling salesman, has written a novel."

"I should imagine he had imagination enough to do it."

"Oh, no. He's been working out expense accounts for 15 years."

Other People's Money.

"I think it's a man when he didn't have a cent he could call his own."

"Yes. He's always more ready to spend other folks' money than he used to have."

His Rival.

Ethel—You have been engaged for the last seven years, and can well afford to marry.

Ernest—Why don't you do it?

Mr. Benson (relenting)—I am waiting for her pet dog to die.

ORDER APPOINTING TIME FOR HEARING CLAIMS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, } ss.
County of Oakland. } ss.

At a session of said Probate Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Pontiac, in said county, on the 5th day of December A. D. 1919. Present, Hon. Ross Hotchkiss, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of

WILLIAM H. SMITH, Deceased.

Edward A. Smith, executor of said estate, having filed in said court his petition praying that he be licensed to sell certain real estate belonging to said estate as described in said petition, and that he be licensed to sell the same at private sale, as is more particularly set forth in said petition.

It is ordered that the [illegible] day of [illegible] A. D. 1919, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at said Probate Office, and show cause why a license to sell the real estate described in said petition should not be granted; and that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Birmingham Eccentric, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County of Oakland, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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A true copy.

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MALCOLM STEWART, Incompetent.

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OFFER FOR PUBLICATION, General.

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DETROIT UNITED LINES

BIRMINGHAM TIME TABLE.

In effect Nov. 3, 1919.

Eastern Standard Time.

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A Carol is a song of joy, exultation, praise and devotion. Hence a Carol expresses the true spirit of Christmas as no other class of vocal music can.

In olden times, particularly in England, it was the custom of children and young people to sing Carols upon street corners, at the door steps of their friends, and in public halls in order to inspire, within the hearts of their hearers, the true meaning of the Christmas message.

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Watch for them.

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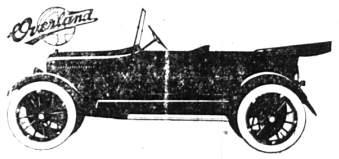

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It means money ahead in only 50 weeks. It brings opportunity knocking at your door, for when you have money, opportunities are offered you to make more money, that you would never otherwise hear about.

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This Club Is for Every Member of Every Family

12 Clubs

No matter what your income is, there is a Club for you

1c Increasing,	Start with 1c and increase 1c each week in 50 weeks	$ 12 75
2c "	" " 2c " " 2c " " " "	25 50
5c "	" " 5c " " 5c " " " "	63 75
10c "	" " 10c " " 10c " " " "	127 50

1c, 2c, 5c, 10c, Decreasing. You start with the largest amount and Decrease your payments each week. This is a very popular plan.

50c Club—Start with 50c and deposit 50c each week in 50 weeks	$ 25 00
$1.00 Club—Start with $1.00 and deposit $1.00 each week in 50 weeks	50 00
$5.00 Club—Start with $5.00 and deposit $5.00 each week in 50 weeks	250 00
X Club—For any amount not covered by above. You can pay in advance.	

Why You Should Join the Club

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