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Through from Baltimore 11:20, a. m., Way from Baltimore, 7:15, p. m., Hagerstown, 7:15, p. m., Rocky Ridge, 7:15, p. m., Motter's, 11:20, a. m., Frederick, 11:20, a. m., and 7:15, p. m., Gettysburg, 4:00, p. m.

Depart.
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The undersigned, having purchased the foundry of the late Henry Pampel, which was established over half a century ago, have completely refitted and renovated the plant, and are now turning out work of the most improved and modern patterns. The CELEBRATED SELF FEEDING EGG STOVE, IMP'D., a specialty; the old reliable TEN-PLATE STOVE none better, and THE FAMOUS PILOT COOK STOVE now in universal use. All at reduced prices and improved patterns. The "Funkstown" and Other Plows, All kinds of MILL GEARING AND FARMERS' MACHINERY. Kettles, cellar doors and grating. Repairing of stoves, furnaces and agricultural implements and machine work in all its branches executed by competent and skilled mechanics. Highest cash prices paid for old iron. We are determined to maintain the far-famed reputation on which this foundry has enjoyed for fifty years, and, knowing that the public is well acquainted with its merit, we respectfully solicit its patronage.
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June 1-1y.

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Feb 7-1f GEO. GINGELL.

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A LITTLE BOY'S TEMPERANCE SPEECH.

Some people laugh and wonder
What little boys can do
To help this temperance thunder
Roll all the big world through;
I'd have them look behind them,
When they're mad, and then
I'd like just to remind them
That little boys make men!

The bud becomes a flower,
The acorn grows a tree,
The minutes make the hour—
'Tis just the same with me.
I'm small, but I am growing
As quickly as I can;
And a temperance boy like me is bound
To make a temperance man.
—Youth's Companion.

POLLY'S STAMPEDE.

A Young Girl's Accidental Experience as a Cow-Boy.

BY JAMES E. PURDY.

You'll have to get out 'o this, Miss Polly!" shouted Dick Mayhew, riding hastily up to where Polly Danvers sat watching the restless cattle. "There's going to be a stampede sure, and you'll be in danger. Ride back to the ranch as fast as you can go, won't you? Give the word there. I'll need help with this!"

The cow-boy dashed away again as fast as possible, and Polly prepared to obey, but not so promptly as her trusty friend expected. Just for a moment she could not leave the fascination of that expected stampede. It would be delightful to see the whole performance, for it bade fair to be the most interesting thing that had happened since the beginning of her visit to her father's great cattle ranch on the plains. No Eastern girl of her acquaintance had ever seen a cattle stampede and she would like it.

But she must go. She had promised her father, when he reluctantly gave his consent to this, her first visit to the herd, that she would do exactly what Dick Mayhew said; and of course the kind, solidly-reliable, middle-aged "cow-boy" to whom she had been entrusted for this day's adventurous outing, and who was as fond of her as of his own girls, knew what was best.

Well, at least she would have the wild delight of a free gallop across the prairie alone. There was rapture in that for a girl whose fifteen years had all been spent in an Eastern city. She had learned to ride like an Indian since coming out here, and had become almost as fearless and self-reliant as the cow-boys themselves.

"Dick will need help, sure enough," said Polly, looking after the cow-boy. "If it only weren't for that promise to father I'd stay and help him myself. I would, indeed!"

Her blood danced at the thought, but with much firmness she put it to one side and prepared to depart. She made sure that her equipments were all right, even to the umbrella her thoughtful father had slung to the saddle in case of sudden necessity, and reluctantly gave her horse the long-delayed signal to go.

The animal obeyed the signal and went; but the manner of his going took his rider's breath away. The horse had grown old in the cattle business, and it now became evident that his interest in that business amounted to enthusiasm.

Under protest he had stood tolerably still until now, notwithstanding things were going on which demanded his active attention. But when he was required to turn and gallop away from a stampeding herd of cattle, he simply refused to obey such a preposterous command. So, instead of going in the direction suggested to him, he bolted and dashed after Dick Mayhew in fine style.

Polly had her wish in spite of herself, but she felt more dismay than exultation in the fact. This was a very different thing from sitting at a safe distance and wishing she could join in the chase. But she had no time for vain regrets now. The terrible predicament into which she was forced demanded all her thoughts and would require all her courage and self-possession.

It was a terrible predicament, indeed, and if she managed to keep her seat in the saddle and to keep

safely out of the way of all those tossing horns and thundering hoofs, she would have something to be thankful for so long as she might live.

The crisis had developed with wonderful rapidity. When Dick's warning was given the herd had been restless and unruly; when Polly's horse bolted with her he raced after a great crowd of panic-stricken creatures sweeping like a tornado across the plain. The stampede had fairly begun. And, as is always the case in cattle stampedes, there was no apparent reason whatever for the commotion.

If Polly could have remained quietly in her original position and watched the affair at leisure, she would have enjoyed such an exhibition as she had never dreamed of. All the cattle of the great herd had become solidly massed together and were rushing at headlong speed over the level ground.

From a distance a great dark stream would have been seen pouring onward with the swift undulations of a rapid river. From the nearer point of view that Polly was forced to accept more details were visible, and some of them were not pleasant to look upon.

Everywhere throughout the mass of terrible white horns tossed and rippled like the froth of the angry current. Here and there, as one head after another was reared upward, the red gleam of maddened eyes was visible. Tongues that dripped with foam began to appear.

If a beast was crowded from its feet it never knew what it was to take another step. In an instant it was overturned, trampled upon by hundreds of hoofs and left dead upon the ground.

And the noise of the living torrent was fearful. The thunder of the galloping hoofs sounded incessantly; there was a perpetual roar from the bellowing throats; the rattling clash of horns as the tossing heads struck together was like the beating of hail, and the panting of the hurrying brutes sounded like the rush of wind.

And close upon the edge of this horned army—so close it seemed sometimes that a pair of waving horns must catch in her habit skirt—the frightened city girl was being hurled along by her unmanageable horse.

But though frightened now in good earnest, Polly kept her wits about her. With one hand she held her flying skirt away from those threatening horns, and the steady firmness of her hold on the bridle kept the horse from crowding into actual contact with the outside cattle.

It was a fearful race. None of the maddened creatures paid the slightest attention to horse or rider. But the situation was bad enough without that. At any moment her horse might dash into the midst of the herd and then neither horse nor rider would have another minute of life to hope for.

A misstep at the terrific pace they were going would throw the horse to the ground and cast the helpless girl headlong under the multitude of trampling hoofs.

And it would do no good for Polly to call for help. Dick Mayhew was just in front of her now, riding at the same furious rate as herself. But he supposed her well on her way to the ranch; and amid all that tumult she could not make him hear her loudest screams. There was nothing for her to do except to keep herself on the back of that runaway horse as long as possible and hope for the best.

Polly had recovered from her first confusion of terror now, and was able to reason about things rather calmly. As a result of this, she felt a partial return of confidence in the horse that had played her this trick. She began to suspect that he was not frantic at all, but only in earnest. He seemed to know perfectly what he was about and to be satisfied that it was the right thing exactly. It seemed as though he fully understood what Dick Mayhew was working for and was trying his best to help him.

But why Dick Mayhew or anybody else should risk his neck in a

race with that herd of cattle was a thing that puzzled the girl. Nothing could stop them. An army of horsemen could not make them turn back. Yet all the time her cow-boy friend rode close beside the leaders of the herd, now firing a pistol in the air, now waving his arms frantically, now uttering sudden wild shouts.

And at every fresh surprise the leaders nearest the cow-boy edged a little away from him and shoved the inside cattle in the same direction. So, little by little, the man was forcing the head of the mad procession farther and farther from the straight line of march.

All at once Polly understood the whole thing. She had heard her father and his men talk about "winding up" a stampeding herd. The thing to do was to push the leaders gradually around in a circle. The others would follow, and as the circle grew smaller and smaller the front of the column would overtake the rear, and finally the cattle would be so helplessly wound up that they would stop in sheer bewilderment. This was what she was helping Dick Mayhew to do.

Suddenly her horse swerved a little and thrust his head fairly against the side of one of the maddened cattle. A pair of red, angry eyes were turned in Polly's direction, and they seemed to see for the first time this meddlesome outsider. With a bellow of rage the creature lowered its wide-spreading horns, and without further warning straightway charged upon the horse and its helpless rider.

Polly did not scream. A tightening at her throat made her voiceless. Her danger was fearfully great and she knew it. In an instant the terrible enemy was upon her. He had dashed away from the herd beyond her horse, and then turning with lowered head was making his onslaught. The girl saw that even if she escaped death on the points of those dreadful horns she was likely to be cast headlong upon the bristling horns of the galloping herd.

But the wise old horse saw the danger as quickly as she, and knew far better how to manage it. Just as the lowered horns almost touched him he swerved suddenly, turned sharply about and galloped to the rear. So the horns aimed at the horse struck a member of the herd and aroused great anger in him.

In a moment the horse had turned again and was in full career toward the front once more. With difficulty Polly had kept her seat through these swift and surprising evolutions. Now, when she faced about, she saw two furious members of the herd detached and in hot pursuit, not of her, but of Dick Mayhew. If one horse could not be overthrown another would serve!

In one awful second the girl realized both the peril of her faithful friend and her own inability to even warn him. In another instant the shock would be upon him and he would be killed before her eyes. If only he could be made to know his danger! If she could only attract those furious creatures to herself once more!

With a flash of inspiration Polly saw a faint possibility of rescue. With cries and with blows from her small fists she urged the horse to a swifter run, so that the distance between her and Dick became less and less. And then, laughing aloud at the absurdity of her device she bent down and unslung her umbrella from the saddle.

As she grasped the handle she was close behind the cow-boy. But so were the pursuers she strove to rescue him from. Before she could cry out both the enraged creatures had struck Dick Mayhew's horse, and the poor animal lay bleeding and disabled on the ground, while his stunned rider struggled to free himself from the entanglement which held him.

The force of the collision threw both the assailants backward toward the herd. Before they could recover from the recoil and renew their charge the horse which had begun the disturbance swept, with his plucky young rider, between them and their victim.

As Dick Mayhew struggled to his feet he saw the amazing apparition of Polly Danvers flying past him like the wind. She had something in her hands, and as she passed the two brutes, which were about to charge upon him for the second time, he saw them both dash backward in affright. In the sudden rebound they were caught beneath the hoofs of their companions and in a twinkling the life was trampled out of them.

Polly had found her weapon at last, and it had done good service; for it had enabled her to save the life of the friend who, in another moment, would have been a mangled corpse beside his horse.

As she rode forward she had grasped the handle of her umbrella with one hand, while the other hand was on the spring of this extraordinary implement of warfare. In dashing past the two threatening creatures she had suddenly, and with a wild scream, spread the umbrella in their astonished faces, with the result already described.

And as he looked, Dick Mayhew saw the umbrella at the head of the stampeding herd, still opening and shutting like the flapping of a great black wing.

That evening, when at last Dick Mayhew had got her safely back to the ranch, and when everybody was making a tremendous ado over her, Polly produced great consternation by suddenly declaring with much emphasis:

"I'm going back home to-morrow! I'm afraid of cows!"

HYGIENE.
1. Every woman needs to take regular exercise in the open air every day; and that exercise should not be in the nature of work, but of recreation.

2. As a rule, housekeepers need to eat more of simple food. If the food is simpler, less time will be needed in its preparation, and what it lacks in unwholesome richness and unnecessary variety, it will gain in nutriment and digestibility. The result will be an improvement in the health of all the family, and will injure no one but the doctor.

3. Less time ought to be given to the routine work of housekeeping and more to relaxation and recreation. All that "the best of wives" did not do, and for the lack of which she became an inmate of an insane asylum, the housekeeper ought to do. The woman who "always stays at home," who "never goes out of the house even on Sundays," and who is "always doing something for her family," not only will "have no ideas outside of her home," but will soon come to have none even there.

The short of the matter is that women if they desire good health must not be confined so closely to the cares of the household. I know that many women will look upon this advice as absurd, and will say, "It is all very easy for you to preach, but quite another thing for us to practice. A woman's duties involve a multitude of little things, the importance of which a man never realizes until they are omitted, and then he is the first to find fault. These things must be done. I cannot stop, I cannot find time to take out-of-door exercise and visit my neighbors. The work must be done, and I must do it."

Nevertheless, the fact remains, that when serious illness comes to the mistress of the house, the wheels of the treadmill cease to revolve, at least for her. Then the work either stops entirely, or goes on under other hands, and is cared for by other heads. The question is a pertinent one, would it not be better to do less work while in health, and thus avoid the sickness? And even tired help is less expensive than medical attendance. The old maxims, "A stitch in time saves nine," and "An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure," are worthy of consideration in this connection.—Good House-keeping.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 25, 1890.

Emmitsburg Rail Road.

On and after Oct. 13, 1889, trains on this road will run as follows:

TRAINS SOUTH. Leave Emmitsburg at 8.20 a. m. and 2.52 and 5.50 p. m., arriving at Rocky Ridge at 8.50 a. m. and 3.22 and 6.20 p. m.

TRAINS NORTH. Leave Rocky Ridge at 10.40 a. m. and 3.33 and 6.35 p. m., arriving at Emmitsburg at 11.10 a. m. and 4.03 and 7.05 p. m.

JAS. A. ELDER, Pres't.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Wetly's all-rye whiskey. It has no rival for superiority, is absolutely pure and has a reputation of the highest standard for excellence and purity, that will always be sustained.

FURNISHING house for rent or will sell furniture to tenant, apply at this office.

GROUND has been broken for a new building for the Ev. Lutheran Sunday School at Frederick.

Rev. Prof. J. R. Kerschner will preach in the Reformed Church on Sunday morning at 10 o'clock service.

The contract for remodeling Grace Reformed Church, Taneytown, has been awarded to Mr. Cromwell of Walkersville, for \$4,600.

The growing wheat and oat stalks in some fields of Kent county are covered with a small green bug, which threatens much damage to the crop.

See a young lady in another column with one of Aunt Rachel's Herb Pads on. It cures disease and it disinfects the air you breathe. Read all about it.

Mr. Lefro, proprietor of the Emmitt House, has made considerable improvements about the house, and repainted a good part of it. He has also put up a pool table.

The Pyrus Japonica which on account of the remarkably warm weather the past winter, came into full bloom the latter part of January, is again covered with blossoms.

ARTICLES of incorporation for a college at Walkersville were filed at the Clerk's office in Frederick last Saturday. The institution will be known as 'The Walkersville Collegiate Institute.'

When you see a local paper well filled with home advertisements, you may safely bank on the merchants and business men of that town being public spirited, enterprising and generous hearted men.

The Frederick News says Joshua Ober's family took their departure from jail on Wednesday evening. Unless released on bail, Joshua will remain in the toils until the grand jury meets in August.

The election at Mechanistown for President of the four Commissioners resulted as follows: For Pres't of Board, J. H. Cover. For Commissioners, C. J. Carmack, N. C. Groff, J. C. Mackley and T. W. Loy.

FREDERICK MICHAEL, aged 70 years, a farmer who resided near Alesia, Carroll county, went to spring near his house last Wednesday to draw two buckets of water. He had drawn one, and while stooping to get the second he fell into the spring and was drowned.

On Wednesday night of last week, a large barn on the farm of Harry S. Kemp, near Ferryville, Carroll county, was burned with nearly all of its contents, including two head of horses, eight head of cattle, 125 sheep and a large quantity of provender. The loss amounted to \$4,000; partly insured.

LAST Thursday morning, D. S. Kemp, a carpenter on Mt. Pleasant, fell from the roof of a building to the ground, a distance of about twenty-five feet, striking on his head and shoulders. Mr. Kemp died that night from the effect of injuries received by the fall not having regained consciousness.

The Fairfield Correspondent of the Star and Sentinel says: Rev. M. L. Firor, of Baltimore, who was married last week, is with his wife visiting his parents and friends at this place.

P. H. Riley started last week for the lark region, taking with him about 50 hands and two teams. Before leaving home they had baked 3,212 light rolls, 60 loaves of bread, 3 bushels of small cakes and broiled 14 pieces of bacon.

Down the Susquehanna, or the Cruise of the Danubian Cannon Club, is the title of a new story which begins in Number 16 of The Boy's Holiday. It is full of stirring adventures, fun, frolic and the liveliest kind of incidents. It tells in graphic language the mishaps that befall a party of boys and their parents, launching their boats at the head-waters in Otsego Lake, made the voyage to Chesapeake Bay, thus passing over the entire length of the Susquehanna. The story is sure to delight the boys.

REPORTS on all sides are to the effect that the live stock market is exceedingly dull. In Baltimore, horses are said to be selling very low. Mr. George P. Beam who returned from that market last week, says it does not pay to ship horses to the city now. From our observations we are inclined to think that the home market is also getting dull, judging from the fact that leading dealers are buying from each other. This week Constable W. P. Nunecker purchased two fine horses from McNair & Patterson, and as Nunecker is a dealer himself, he must have bought them at prices which will enable him to realize a profit on them.

From the Gettysburg Compiler. A branch of the Farmers' Alliance was formed at Willow Grove school-house Cumberland township, with the following officers: Theodore McAllister president, A. W. Waybright vice-president, F. S. Cromer secretary and S. S. Schriver treasurer.

Hon. A. F. White, Samuel S. Moritz and John S. Rhodes have been appointed reviewers to locate and survey a portion of road in Liberty township, leading from Waynesboro and Emmitsburg pike to Fairfield, from lands of Geo. W. Wertz to lands of John Clark, about 300 perches long.

During the recent thunder storm a tall tree near the second gate at Culp's hill, was struck near the top, the current passing about half way down the trunk when a terrific explosion took place, shattering about 10 feet of the trunk into hundreds of pieces and scattering them over a space of three hundred yards. Among the debris quite a number of shells were found. It is thought by some that the tree may have contained a shell which arrested the electricity and produced the above result.

Blacksmithing.

The undersigned has opened a blacksmith shop at the old Harman stand on West Main street, Emmitsburg. Blacksmithing and buggy repairing of all kinds neatly and promptly done. apr. 18-44. JACOB L. TOPPER

Wm. H. Biggs & Bro., Rocky Ridge, have sold during the past week five Holstein Friesian calves to parties living near Unionville, and are almost daily in receipt of letters of inquiry from different States pertaining to their fine stock of cattle. -Clarion.

Preparing for Memorial Day. Hon. Milton G. Urner, Naval Officer of the Post of Baltimore, will deliver the address at the Memorial Service at this place, May 30. Arthur Post G. A. R. is about to begin preparations for even a larger parade than they had last year.

Commendable. All claims not consistent with the high character of Syrup of Figs are purposely avoided by the Cal. Fig Syrup Company. It acts gently on the kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the system effectually, but it is not a cure-all and makes no pretensions that every bottle will not substantiate.

Surplus Stock of Peach Trees. Samuel Gamble has a few hundred Standard varieties of peach trees in healthy condition for sale cheap. Standard varieties 10 cents each or \$1 per dozen. A few Globe, extra large peach, 15 cents each, \$1.50 per dozen. By the hundred very cheap for good trees of standard varieties.

The Standard. "I regard Hood's Sarsaparilla as having passed above the grade of what are commonly called patent or proprietary medicines, and as a well known physician recently said, 'It is fully entitled to be considered a standard medicine, and has won this position by its undoubted merit and by the many remarkable cures it has effected. For an alterative and tonic it has never been equalled.'

Choral Union Concert. At a regular meeting of the Choral Union on Tuesday evening it was decided to hold a concert on the evening of Ascension Day, May 15. A fine program is being arranged and this concert promises to be the best given yet by this popular society. Special meetings will now be held in order to prepare for the concert, the first of which will be next Thursday evening at 8 o'clock sharp.

County Bonds. The Board of Commissioners of this county will receive proposals until 12 o'clock noon April 29th inst., for the purchase of \$25,000 four per cent county bonds of the county. The bonds will run for forty years, but will be redeemable at any time after twenty years from May 1, 1890. Coupons will be payable November 1 and will be received in payment of county and municipal taxes.

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Lightning Rod Sharpers. The season for lightning rod swindlers to make their appearance amongst the farmers, is approaching. We warn them to be careful what documents they sign. A couple of weeks ago a party of these sharks were travelling through Huntington county, Va., and working their scheme by representing to the farmers that they were only required to sign a document to pay a small sum as the difference between the old and new rods. Afterwards a farmer learns to his sorrow that he has signed a negotiable note for about ten times the amount to pay for the exchanging of the lightning rods. Our readers should keep a sharp lookout for them. -Frederick News.

Journalistic. The Frederick Weekly Times has been enlarged to an eight page paper. With its issue of the 10th inst. the Cumberland Allegian entered its 15th volume.

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The Outlook Herald entered upon its twentieth volume yesterday. In reviewing the past Bro. Cassell says: "Nearly twelve of these years it has been under the present management and when we speak of the twentieth year of progress we can speak unadvisedly for progress it has made both in itself and affairs about it. It is not yet all that it may be, possibly not all that it should be, but it is strong enough to say, that it has done enough for itself and for its readers to feel, that in an accounting of results, it has no occasion to apologize for its existence." We wish the Clarion and its genial editor many years of prosperity and usefulness.

Fine Instruments on Fine Ships. As to music, the owners of the City of Paris, City of New York and Teutonic have shown the same consideration for the comfort of their passengers that they have in everything else. The two former ships are each provided with an upright piano by Mason and Hamlin, furnished in a superb case of cherry inlaid in bird's-eye maple, the design harmonizing beautifully with the room itself. These pianos contain the improved mode of stringing invented and patented by Mason & Hamlin, which is said to peculiarly fit them for withstanding the ravages of the sea. The Paris and New York are each provided with a two-manual pedal base organ, also by Mason & Hamlin, furnished in an exquisite case of white enamel. The salon of the Teutonic contains a piano and also one of those marvelously beautiful and artistic instruments, viz: the Liszt organ, by Mason & Hamlin. The case of this instrument is truly a work of art. It is of oak, highly polished, with trimmings in gold and dark brown, the total effect harmonizing beautifully with the architecture of the room. It is to be regretted that America can boast no such ships as these, but it is some comfort to the patriotic that the magnificent instruments on these ships are all of American make. -N. Y. Sun.

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Literary Societies.—Their Object, Aim and Advantages.—A Model Organization. The Philomathean of Mt. St. Mary's College a Model Organization of this Kind.

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The Maryland Classes of the Synod of the Potomac, of the Reformed Church will meet on Friday morning at the first of May. These Classes numbers thirty-one ministers. The opening sermon will be preached by the retiring president, Rev. M. L. Firor, of St. Paul's Church, Baltimore.

Dr. Geo. S. Fonke of Westminster, during his visit here this week has secured specimens of our "nigger head stones" with the view of using them in paving the streets of Westminster. The doctor's attention was attracted to these stones by the condition of the square in this place, which has been paved with them for about fifteen years and notwithstanding the amount of travel over it has never showed the slightest sign of giving way. The unusual hardness of these stones makes them almost everlasting.

Improvements. The old Agnew house on Green street, now owned by the Sisters of Charity, has been torn down and a new three-story building will be erected on the site. The Sisters will also have a mansard roof put on the house adjoining the new building.

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Mrs. John A. Peddicord is visiting her mother at Millersstown. Revs. J. J. Eyster, and F. Ward have gone to New York, to attend the annual Alumni dinner.

Mr. Jno. T. Cretin has closed his distillery for this season. Mr. William Moran of Washington is visiting his parents at this place. Mr. Vincent Eckenrode and wife and Miss Nanmie Orndorf spent Saturday at Taneytown.

ITEMS FROM LOYS. A sad and fatal accident happened at Mr. Samuel Beiler's last

PRIDE AND MERIT.

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EVERYBODY in the world is engaged in throwing the blame on some one else.—Acheson Globe. TEACHER—"Why didn't you ask your father how this sum was done?" "Johnnie—" "Cause I didn't want to be sent to bed."

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