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This may be played by any number from ten to a hundred. One begins the game by standing within a line, running parallel for a considerable length with, and about three feet from a wall, or fence, and repeating the following words,—"Warning once, warning twice, warning three times over; a bushel of wheat, a bushel of rye, when the cock crows out jump I!—Cock-a-doodle-doo!—Warning!" He then runs out, and touches the first he can overtake, who must return to bounds with him. These two then (first crying "Warning" only) join hands, and each of them endeavors to touch another; he also returns to bounds, and at the next sally joins hands with the other two. Every player who is afterward touched by either of the outside ones, does the like, until the whole be thus touched and taken. It is not lawful to touch an out-player after the line is broken, either accidentally, or by the out-players attacking it, which they are permitted to do. Immediately a player is touched, the line separates, and the out-players endeavor to catch those belonging to it, who are compelled to carry those who capture them, on their backs, to bounds. When three are touched, he who begins the game is entitled to join the out-players.

THE PUGNACIOUS RAM.—John B. Gough, in one of his eloquent temperance lectures, was encouraging those who signed the pledge to stick to it: "Stick to it," said he, "as the old ram did to his butting." The fable is, that a farmer had a ram which would run his head against the cows, horses, pigs, and indeed against every thing in motion. The farmer himself was more than once butted over and he finally determined to break up this propensity.—So he tied a heavy block of wood upon a rope, and hung it on the limb of a tree. The block was set in motion, and the ram, seeing it move toward him, hit it a blow.—This sent it off, but it swung back, when the ram hit it again, and so kept on doing. The farmer watched him until it was dark, and then left him, true to his nature butting away. Early in the morning, on going out to see how the ram had fared, he found that he butted himself all away, except a part of his tail, and that was hammering away at the swinging block.—That's the way to stick to your pledge.

THE BOY WHO LOST HIS DINNER.—A little boy was asked to dine with an old lady and gentleman, who lived by themselves. They amused him first by showing him pretty books and pictures, and he seemed to enjoy himself greatly; but when they sat down to dinner, to their surpise, he would hardly eat anything. The old lady asked him if he did not like what he had been helped to.

"O, it is very nice, thank you," he said; but still he would not eat more.

Presently, when the cloth was removed he looked terribly disappointed and in a minute or two began to cry.

"What is the matter, my child?" they asked greatly distressed.

"I was waiting for the pudding," sobbed he, and now I have lost my dinner."

Foolish little boy! he always got pudding at home, and he never tho't it possible that any one could dine without it; so he neglected the meat that was set before him, and lost his dinner.

A NOBLE ANSWER.—In a sermon preached at Wesley chapel, recently, Rev. Thomas Sargent, of Baltimore, stated that at a slave-market in one of the Southern States, at which he was present, a smart, active colored boy was put up for sale. A kind master who pitied his condition, and not wishing him to have a cruel owner, went up to him, and said,—

"If I buy you, will you be honest?"

The boy with a look that baffled description, replied,—

"I will be honest, whether you buy me or not."

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ABOUT RIGHT.—A lad from the "Green Isle," whose occupation is that of blacking stoves, fireplaces and stovepipes, bearing upon his arm a pot of blacking, with brushes and other implements of his trade, addressed a denizen of the city, who was standing at the door:

"Has your honor any stoves to polish, this morning? I'm the boy for that business."

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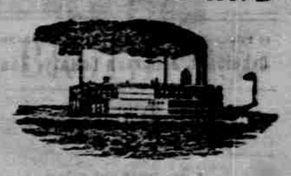

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