

ON A CROPPED MAIDEN.

She's rosy, bright and fair, And cuts her curly hair Like a mop.

How studious she looks As she's working at her books— Maiden sage.

Then the rosy head she shakes, Which matters only makes Rather worse.

I wonder how a fay, If she wore her hair this way, Would appear!

But she says I mustn't laugh, And "will not stand" my chaff— She's too big!

After Marriage.

Just after marriage a young man imagines that he is by no means a small potato. He goes among his bachelor friends, and tells them that there is no solid comfort for a man in this life unless he has a wife to take care of.

A Funeral Among the Arts.

There are ants which bury their dead—fact which was discovered by accident. A lady had been obliged to kill some ants, the bodies of which lay about on the ground.

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Presbyterian. Rev. J. T. DAVIDSON preaches at Homer, 1st and 5th Sabbaths of each month; At Minden, 2d Sabbath of each month; At State Line church, 3d Sabbath of each month; At Athens, 4th Sabbath of each month.

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Rev. McGEE, preaches at Homer, on the 3d Sabbath and Saturday before of each month.

Rev. A. HARRIS preaches at Antioch, 1st Sabbath of each month and Saturday before—At Colquitt, 2d Sabbath—At Rocky Spring, 3d Sabbath of each month and Saturday before—At New Friendship, 4th Sabbath and Saturday before.

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