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KNEW SOMETHING OF IT.



Williams (shaking his fountain pen)—You have no idea how easily these pens run! His Neighbor (applying a blotter to his trousers)—Oh, I have an inkling

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A Case for Sympathy.
Two matrons of a certain western city, whose respective matrimonial ventures did not in the first instance prove altogether suitsfactory, met a woman's, club one day, when the "fattle, I'met your 'ex', dear old Tom: the day before yeaterday. We talked much of you."

Ta that sof" naked the other matron. "Did he seem sorry when you told him of my second marriage?"

"Indeed, he did; and said so must frankly!"

I "Homest?"

I'mest! I e said he was extremely horry, though, he added, he didn't know the man personally."—Lippincott'—Magazine.

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Exchanging Solamn Thoughts. "Ah, says the man with the parted whiskers," when one stands alone in the night and consceptiates the warders of creation, bow full how purile with the same of the universe! Has this ever occurred to yok?"

"You bett" answers the man, with the big scart pin. "He feels jitt aspunk as he does when he misses the part of the same of

cago Post.

Spoken from Experience.
It was the grammar viass and the cacher had asked for words ending with "ous." Can asy mer, "abe said, "give me to word like "dangerous," and the dangerous. There was stlenge for a moment Then a boy in the back row pint to this hand.

"Well, Hobby, what is your word!" "Please, Miss," came the reply "plous, fall of pie!"