

boy, a few Sabbaths ago, on returning from church, "Mr. Bartlett preache the best surmon I ever heard. I don't

a conversation which recently took place between a father and his model child

before)-"Father, I would rather learn a hymn."

have two buns."-Er.

ant supply of water, and seriously en-tertains a project for bringing it in iron pipes, seven feet in diameter, from Lake Bigier. The length of pipe would be one hundred and twelve miles, and the cost ten million dollars; but it would supply water to all the intervening towns, and to the farms requiring irrigation.

"Marble Fauh" six times, "Once," said he, "I read it as a new book, from curiosity; a second time, on account of its beautiful language; a third time, be-cause I was going to Rome; a fourth, while in Rome, as a work well suited to the spirit of the place; a fifth, after I left Rome, as a pleasant reminder of my visit, and the sixth time because I wanted to."

During the discussion, Feb. 18th, on the appropriation to pay female cierks, Representative Rogers, of Arkansas, made a very severe attack upon them, charging them with all manner of short comings, and declaring his intention, within a month, to present a bill prohibiting their employment by the government. During the past week the female employees of the Treasury Department presented Mr. Rogers with four leather dials, handsomely gotten up, and inscribed, "In honor of the 18th day of February, 1870.

"How do I look, Pompey, said a young dandy to his servant, as he had intshed dressing. Elegani, massa; you look bold as a lion." "Bold as a lion, Pompey! "How do you know? You never saw a lion." Oh! yes, imassa, I seed one down to Massa Jenks,' in his stable." "Down to Jenks,' Pompey? Why you great fool. Jenks, ' Pompey? Why, you great fool, Jenks has not got a lion; that's a jackass." "Can't help it, massa; you look just like him."

A Texas paper tells how a serenading dence, and soon strains of fairy-like music stole upon the balmy air. After going through a choice programme, vocal and instrumental, a second-story window was raised, and the face of one

