

## SUCH GUMPTION

Soft  
And cushiony  
It yields.  
Gentle pressure  
Upon it  
Produces faint depressions.  
Caressed it is  
By a  
Billowy pink  
Cloud.  
Oft  
A sudden sound  
Bursts forth  
As when a giant  
Army gun is shot.  
How quaint it seems  
That such  
Vast explosions come from  
A puffy yielding mass  
As a wad  
Of gum.

L. T.



Girl: "I've been crazy to dance with you all evening."

Boy: "I would be."

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We heard of a girl that turned down a date with a fellow because she didn't like him, but we just can't remember where.

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"To be or not to be, that is the question," said the professor of grammar to "Sunny" Dial.

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Col. Charles Lindberg will now render that popular melody, "Among My Souvenirs."

## OH DEVIL TAKE IT!

Article recently published declares that profanity is merely a poor substitute for a good vocabulary and the ability to express one's self well.

Student, much impressed, determines to do away with profanity and express himself in other terms. Accordingly, when he loses the paper he has been working on for two months:

"This, in truth, distresses me beyond utterance. Surely this is taxing one beyond the limits of human endurance. I do not believe I can retain my full senses, my sanity, under circumstances so harassing. I vow, one who can in silence bear so cruel a blow is deserving of a better fate, and such determination is worthy of a better cause. I am annoyed, indeed, I am ired,—I approach anger, wrath, fury! Such unfairness, the cruelty of the alien powers—oh, deviltake it!!! This is a terrible fix and I'll be darned if I write the #"\$%&'()\*+,-./:;<=>?@\*!!! thing over again



## EXAMINATION FOR FOOTBALL PLAYER

Professor of Political Science: "Mr. Beef, what does the date 1917 signify to you?"

Beef: "Prohibition, sir."

Prof.: "Right. Now what is our policy in Nicaragua?"

Beef: "Gee, dese oil are hard."

Prof.: "Oil is correct, Mr. Beef. Now what do you think of Al Smith's platform?"

Beef: "Dat's a wet one, prof."

Prof.: "Correct. What characterized the Coolidge administration?"

Beef: "I guess I'd better keep my mouth shut."

Prof.: "You have done very well, Mr. Beef. That passes you in Political Science."