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Poor Thing.

"I don't suppose Miss Pussay ever had any beaux when she was a young girl."

"No, she was too dignified and old-fashioned."

"And the men don't like her now, either."

"No, she's too kittenish now."—Philadelphia Ledger.

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Praise Indeed.

"So your son Josh has a situation?" "Yep," answered Farmer Cornsossel. "Been at work nearly a month." "What kind of a man is his employer?" "Cordin' to Josh's letters he must be right smart. Knows purty near as much about the business as Josh does."—Washington Star.

Economy.

"Can't you boil down that speech of Pnoodes' at the banquet this evening to about 200 words?" asked the managing editor, through the telephone. "I can," came the answer from the night editor; "but it isn't worth the fuel." Wherefore they froze it out.



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Carried Out His Threat.

"I thought you were working on Crotchett's house," said the house painter's friend. "I was going to," replied the painter, "but we had a quarrel and he said he'd put the paint on himself." "And did he do it?" "Yes, that's where he put most of it."—Philadelphia Press.

Her Experience.

The Maid—I can't understand why Tom wants to postpone our wedding till he gets his salary raised. They say that two can live cheaper than one. The Widow—Yes; as a matter of fact they've got to.

Is Your Hair Sick?

That's too bad! We had noticed it was looking pretty thin and rough of late, but naturally did not like to speak of it. By the way, Ayer's Hair Vigor is a regular hair grower, a perfect hair tonic. The hair stops coming out, grows faster, keeps soft and smooth. Ayer's Hair Vigor cures sick hair, makes it strong and healthy.

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How to Repel a Dog.
"No one comes in contact with all sorts of dogs more than the letter carrier," said the man in gray as the interviewer trudged along beside him. "Take it outside the business districts and every other family has a dog. Many of them I pay no attention to, but about one out of five aches to get his teeth into my legs at first sight. It is a part of my duty to teach such curs a lifelong lesson."

"Do you kick them?" was asked. "That would be foolish. I carry here in my side pocket about a quarter of a pound of dry fine cut tobacco. You see it is almost as fine as snuff. The dog that means to bite you won't come charging down with a roar. He sneaks up behind and gives a jump in. I am ready for it. Without seeming to be watching, I know where he is, and at the right moment he gets the tobacco dust in his eyes. Then there is a circus. That dog goes through such a performance as you never witnessed, and his owner, man or woman, indulges in all sorts of threats. I deliver the mail and say nothing and go on. The dog's eyes are sore for a fortnight, and if he afterward meets me on the street he will drop his tail and make a bolt for home. It's a lesson he never forgets, and I believe it also increases his owner's respect for Uncle Sam's uniform."—Chicago News.

Grasping the Idea.

Here the haughty, disdainful beauty interrupted him. "You are wasting your time, Mr. Spoonmore," she said. "Then you don't care for me, Miss Pinkie?" "Care for you? Not the least in the world." "Don't you think that in time—" "No, you noodle! Not in a thousand years!" "I'm a noodle, am I?" "You are." "I see!" he gasped, reaching for his hat. "I'm in the soup!"

"It's easy," began Mr. Jolley, "to obey the biblical injunction when one's neighbor is a pretty girl." "But surely," replied the bright girl next door, "it isn't easy for you." "Oh, yes; I refer to the command to love thy neighbor." "Yes, but the command is really 'Love thy neighbor as thyself.'"—Philadelphia Press.

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"Dunce."

It is a strange fact that the word "dunce," meaning a stupid person, comes from the name of one of the most eminent scholars of his time, Duns Scotus. In the Reformation the works of the schoolmen fell into disfavor with the reformers, and Duns, who was the leader of the schoolmen, was often spoken of with scorn by the votaries of the new learning. As time went by the name of Duns became a byword for utter stupidity.

Nothing Slow About Him. Biggs—I understand Borrow's is slow pay. How about it? Diggs—Oh, there's nothing slow about him. He never pays at all.



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India's Growth and Population.
The number of persons to the square mile in India in 1901 (the last census) was 42,390. Of the total of 294,361,056 who constituted the population at the last census, more than 200,000,000 were Hindus. The Christians number 2,923,241. There was an amazing preponderance of widows, over widowers in that country. Of Hindus there were 6,000,000 widowers and 19,000,000 widows, and of Mohammedans there were 1,300,000 widowers and 4,500,000 widows, and so on with other races. The taxation so on with other races. The taxation in 1895 was 84 cents in 1905, and the debt has grown in that time from \$85,000,000 to \$1,155,000,000. The imports rose from \$225,000,000 in 1895 to nearly \$320,000,000 in 1905, while the exports in the same period increased from \$305,000,000 to nearly \$615,000,000.

His Lack of Courage.
"Little boy," asked the gentle voiced matron, "how does it happen that you don't catch any of these fish but the smallest ones?" "It happens, ma'am," answered Tommy, choking back a sob, "cause the other boys ain't afraid to lie like blazes, blame their picturs, an' I am."

WHAT IS PE-RU-NA?

Is it a Catarrh Remedy, or a Tonic, or is it Both?

Some people call Peruna a great tonic. Others refer to Peruna as a great catarrh remedy.

Which of these people are right? Is it more proper to call Peruna a catarrh remedy than to call it a tonic? Our reply is, that Peruna is both a tonic and a catarrh remedy. Indeed, there can be no effectual catarrh remedy that is not also a tonic.

In order to thoroughly relieve any case of catarrh, a remedy must not only have a specific action on the mucous membranes affected by the catarrh, but it must have a general tonic action on the nervous system.

Catarrh, even in persons who are otherwise strong, is a weakened condition of some mucous membrane. There must be something to strengthen the circulation, to give tone to the arteries, and to raise the vital forces.

Perhaps no vegetable remedy in the world has attracted so much attention from medical writers as **HYDRASTIS CANADENSIS**. The wonderful efficacy of this herb has been recognized many years, and is growing in its hold upon the medical profession. When joined with **CUBEBS** and **COPAIBA** a trio of medical agents is formed in Peruna which constitutes a specific remedy for catarrh that in the present state of medical progress cannot be improved upon. This action, reinforced by such renowned tonics as **COLLINSIONIA CANADENSIS**, **CORYDALIS FORMOSA** and **CEDRON SEED**, ought to make this compound an ideal remedy for catarrh in all its stages and locations in the body.

From a theoretical standpoint, therefore, Peruna is beyond criticism. The use of Peruna, confirms this opinion. Numberless testimonials from every quarter of the earth furnish ample evidence that this judgment is not overenthusiastic. When practical experience confirms a well-grounded theory the result is a truth that cannot be shaken.

Sagacity of Ravens.

A case of remarkable sagacity in a pair of ravens is related in the Field. Two collie dogs were hunting rabbits and the ravens were soaring overhead. As the dogs drove the rabbit out into the open near the top of a hill it ran straight into a trap and was caught. As the dogs came near the ravens came down and by loud croaking managed to drive away both. They then started to devour the rabbit, which they quickly dispatched.

An Expert Opinion.

"What we want to do," said the moralist, "is to strive for the uplifting of our fellowman." "That is easy," said the flying machine inventor. "The difficulty is to keep him from dropping back to earth with a rude jar."—Washington Star.

CASTORIA

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The Metropolitan Habit.

In an Italian mission school in New York City the teacher was giving a lesson on the life of Lincoln. "And remember, children," she said earnestly, "when Lincoln went to school it wasn't as easy for him as it is for you. He had to walk miles and miles and miles."

"Why didn't he ask for a transfer?" asked a little boy on the front seat.—Judge.

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Omissions of History.
Socrates was busy, engaged in writing.

"Why do you keep on grinding out that stuff?" shrilly asked Xantippe. "It doesn't sell. Nine-tenths of it comes back from the publisher." "I know it," he said. "I am writing for the benefit of posterity, in the belief that—"

"Posterity!" snapped Xantippe. "What has posterity ever done for you, I'd like to know?"

"Posterity, my dear," mildly rejoined Socrates, "has always been polite enough not to interrupt me in the middle of a sentence."

Which crushing retort silenced the good dame for the space of nearly thirty seconds.—Chicago Tribune.

Music and Method.

The sane, healthily way to study the piano is to apply one's thought directly to the work laid out methodically by the teacher for a certain length of time every day. That length of time depends entirely upon the future that the student may decide upon. If he or she takes up music as a profession, four hours daily should be given to study; if as an amateur, two hours are enough. In both cases the division of time devoted to practice should be not less than one hour.—I. J. Paderewski in Strand Magazine.

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Looks Suspicious.

"There must be some fake about that new trick of Sardow-Sampson's," said Tete de Veau.

"What trick is that?" L'Oignon asked.

"Why, the strong man closes and locks, unassisted and within five minutes, a Saratoga trunk packed by a woman for a week's trip to the seashore."

ORPHEUM.

First in interest on next week's program at the Orpheum will be Madame Bartholdi's trained cockatoos. These birds with their snowy white plumage have always been favorites with bird trainers because of their intelligence, which almost amounts to reason, and among the troupes of trained cockatoos Madame Bartholdi's hold first place. Their ranks are enlivened by the bright colors of the macaws and parrots. Ladell and Crouch are a pair of youngsters, just barely over the age when they do not have to run from the Humane Society's officers. Their offering is programmed as "Steps and Stunts" and is said to be the latest in eccentric dancing and acrobatics of the grotesque kind. The Toddy Trio do sensational acrobatics with the aid of a trampoline. Their efforts are not limited to this class of effort, however, for they have a reputation both as comedians and strong men to sustain, and must bring out something new each season to maintain their leadership. Charlene and Charlene come to this country via Australia. Mr. Charlene is a juggler of the first rank, and his wife offers a musical turn that would place her in the ranks of the solo performers if she chose to work apart from her husband. The acts held from this week are Belleclair Bros., Les Aubin-Leonel and Murphy & Francis.

"Bumper."

The word "bumper," meaning a striking vessel, derived its origin from the Roman Catholic religion.

It was the custom in England in ancient times to drink the health of the Pope after dinner in a full glass of wine. This was called "au bon pere," from which we have the contraction "bumper."

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Painless Tips, Mayoe.

The extraction of tips may be made a painless operation if the International Stewards' Association, which met in Indianapolis, should accomplish its purpose to establish a school of cooking and hotel service.

Will V. Zimmer, a hotel man of Atlanta, Ga., who is now in New York, is at the head of the association, says the New York Sun. Knowledge of hotel service is acquired in a haphazard way under present conditions. Mr. Zimmer says it is the purpose of the association to have the hotel business, from bottom to top, taught as a branch of a technical training school.

The Winona Institute of Technology at Indianapolis has made the first bid, offering grounds and building. The school is to be supported by scholarships given and maintained by hotels. Those taking advantage of scholarships are expected to repay the money so that the fund may be perpetual. Mr. Zimmer says a number of hotels in the large cities have already offered to establish scholarships. He looks for general improvement in hotel service when graduates of this school go out into the world.

Mothers will find Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup the best remedy to use for their children during the teething period.

The Real Wearer.

"If these trousers don't fit," said Mr. Moekun, "my wife will send me back with them." "Why, I supposed they were for you," said the tailor, wrapping them up.

The British empire needs maps. A survey of its unsurveyed portions would cost \$15,000,000, say \$750,000 a year for twenty years.



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No Way Out of It.
Ronzet de Lisle was composing the Marsellaise.

"It seems to be up to me to do something of the kind," he said. "The people have grown tired of hearing 'There'll Be a Hot Time in the Old Town Tonight,' and they're hollering for something fresh."

Endeavoring to make it musical and catchy, and as unlike "Hail, Columbia," as he possibly could, he tumbled up his hair, saved a few more notes on his violin, and proceeded to grind out the rhymes to fit them.

The Motor Race.

A few days ago, a well-known personage was motoring in Derbyshire, when a policeman stopped him.

"You'll have to take off that mask," said the officer, "it's frightening everyone who sees it."

"But I'm not wearing one," explained the unfortunate offender.—London Tatler.

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No Kick to Register.

"The people of the countryside had set apart a day to pray for rain.

"Join in the meeting," Uncle Hank? asked Farmer Stebbins.

"No," thundered Uncle Hank Hardpan. "If you want to hold a religious populist convention you'll have to run it without me! I'm a standpatter on the Lord's 'weather, by jinks!"

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Correcting His Geography.

In the absence of the information editor, who was away on his vacation, this question was referred to the manager of the country circulation department:

"Who wrote 'How Big Was Alexander, Pa.?'"

"I don't know," he said; "but whoever did it was away off in his geography. There's an Alexander in Illinois, one in Iowa, one in Kansas, others in Maine, New York, North Carolina, South Carolina, Texas, West Virginia, and Wyoming, but if there's an Alexander in Pennsylvania, by George, it isn't in the post-office directory."

CATARRH BLOOD AND SYSTEM DISORDERED

Catarrh is not merely an inflammation of the tissues of the head and throat, as the symptoms of ringing noises in the ears, mucous dropping back into the throat, continual hawking and spitting, etc., would seem to indicate; it is a blood disease in which the entire circulation and the greater part of the system are involved. Catarrh is due to the presence of an excess of uric acid in the blood. The Liver, Kidneys and Bowels frequently become torpid and dull in their action and instead of carrying off the refuse and waste of the body, leave it to sour and form uric acid in the system. This is taken up by the blood and through its circulation distributed to all parts of the system. These impurities in the blood irritate and inflame the different membranes and tissues of the body, and the contraction of a cold will start the secretions and other disgusting and disagreeable symptoms of Catarrh. As the blood goes to all parts of the body the catarrh poison affects all parts of the system. The head has a tight, full feeling, nose continually stopped up, pains above the eyes, slight fever comes and goes, the stomach is upset and the entire system disordered and affected by this disease. It is a waste of time to try to cure Catarrh with spray washes, inhalations, etc. Such treatment does not reach the blood, and can, therefore do nothing more than temporarily relieve the discomfort of the trouble. To cure Catarrh permanently the blood must be thoroughly purified and the system cleansed of all poisons, and at the same time strengthened and built up. Nothing equals S. S. S. for this purpose. It attacks the disease at its head, goes down to the very bottom of the trouble and makes a complete and lasting cure. S. S. S. removes every particle of the catarrh poison from the blood, making this vital stream pure, free and healthy. Then the inflamed membranes begin to heal, the head is loosened and cleared, the hawking and spitting cease every symptom disappears, the constitution is built up and vigorous health restored. S. S. S. also tones up the stomach and digestion and acts as fine tonic to the entire system. If you are suffering with Catarrh begin to use S. S. S. and write us a statement of your case and our physicians will send you literature about Catarrh, and give you special medical advice without charge. S. S. S. is for sale at all first class drug stores.

I had Catarrh for about fifteen years, and no man could have been worse. I tried everything I could hear of, but no good resulted. I then began S. S. S., and could see a little improvement from the first bottle, and after taking it a short while was cured. This was six years ago, and I am as well today as any man. I think Catarrh is a blood disease, and know there is nothing on earth better for the blood than S. S. S. Nobody thinks more of S. S. S. than I do. M. J. JATSON, Lapeer, Mich.

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