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ADAM'S NAIVETE.

A Woman Defends the First Man From Charges of Cowardice.

And the Lord said, "Hast thou eaten of the tree whereof I commanded thee thou shouldst not eat?" The man said, "The woman whom thou gavest to be with me—she gave me of the tree and I did eat." This, it has been held for centuries, was Adam's great sin, for which he was driven out of the garden and his descendants, even to the present generation, compelled to work for a living. In addition to bearing the consequences of his error Adam has been denounced through all succeeding centuries for his cowardice and lack of gallantry in trying to throw the blame upon the woman who had been given to be with him—"God's first, best gift to man."

We are glad, therefore, that even after 6,000 years of unmerited condemnation which the memory of our great progenitor has had to bear there has arisen one person who dares to speak for him. And it is all the more fortunate that that person is a woman—a member of the sex whom Adam's words, by a wrong interpretation, were held to have maligned. This person is Mrs. Caroline F. Corbin, a distinguished authoress. In her latest book she says of Adam's plea: "This is not the expression of cowardice, but of the innocent and native belief that anything which this lovely being, fresh from God's hand, proposed must be right, and right or wrong must be done. It is a trait which has come down in unbroken continuity of inheritance to the latest born of Adam's sons."

The thought is a new one, but there is not a man alive and capable of appreciating Mrs. Corbin's argument who will not endorse it. Where is there a man today, barring a few crusty old bachelors, who would not have done the same thing under like circumstances? The woman was beautiful, the apple was good, and Adam was an unspontaneous, ingenious young man unaccustomed to the little social arts and deceptions that the daughters of Mother Eve have learned from her example.

We insist that Adam is vindicated, and that Mark Twain's tears over his grave were a deserved tribute. Now, let the building of his monument proceed. And let it be recorded thereon that "he was a kind, loving and obedient husband."—Troy Times.

Small Fortune Between the Cracks.

A cigar dealer was recently compelled to move from his down town stand, which he had occupied for 35 years, because of the demolition of the old building.

He packed his belongings with many a sigh of regret. When he had got his things all out, he turned to the workmen, who were waiting to begin tearing down the building, and remarked in a rather sarcastic tone:

"Well, boys, you may have all you find in this old trap."
The workmen began on the old floor, which had been worn into hollows by age. It had not been replaced since it was originally laid.

One of the men ripped up a board with his crowbar, raising a cloud of dust. When he got it out of his eyes, he saw something shiny in the crack.

He picked it up, and it proved to be a dime. Further investigation revealed the fact that the crack was lined with silver.

This was an incentive to the workmen. They plied their crowbars with remarkable energy for men poorly paid. In this instance they were amply rewarded.

In every crack of the floor silver dimes were found. Some of them bore dates of nearly half a century ago. The men gathered the coin in handfuls.
The cigar dealer, in speaking of the occurrence, said that he hadn't the slightest idea that so much money could be lost through carelessness and a poor floor even in 35 years.

"But it won't happen again," he said. "When I heard of it, I immediately gave orders to have my new store refloored with hard wood, and no cracks, at my own expense."—New York Herald.

A Striking Presentiment.

It is curious how future events are occasionally prefigured by some anticipatory token which, unlike presentiments and premonitory dreams, makes perhaps no impression at the time on those whom they concern.

Here is a striking example. One of Charles Dickens' sons, from some childish oddity of expression in his large, wondering eyes, was given by his father the very unique sobriquet of the "Ocean Specter," by which he was always called. The great novelist never knew of the weird significance his playfully bestowed appellation was to bear, for he himself had been nearly two years in his grave at the time his little "Ocean Specter," then a lieutenant in the Royal navy, died and was buried at sea.—London Tit-Bits.

Useless Purchases.

Two eminent French gentlemen, who were great friends, used to relate an amusing story of their impetuous days. Neither fame nor fortune had come to them, but they were always hopeful. The years had weighed heavily enough upon Jules, however, for him to have become entirely bald. One day Alphonse met him with a beaming countenance and cried gaily: "What do you think, Jules? I have been buying a strong box!" "Then, Alphonse," replied Jules firmly, "I shall buy a hair-brush."—Argonaut.

George Eliot.

George Eliot suffered from melancholic moods, and from her thirtieth year had severe attacks of headache. As a child she was poor in health and extremely sensitive to terror in the night. She remained a quivering fear throughout her whole life.—New York Times.

Why She Liked Them.

Boston Woman—Oh, I do so love the fields of our New England farms.
New York Girl—Why?
Boston Woman—Because they are so cultivated, you know.—Boston Courier.

GRANDMOTHER SAID.

"Always set your chair back when you are going away.
Don't leave it in the middle of the room or standing carelessly."
This is what grandmother said, as often, when a boy.
I jumped up and ran out of doors a reckless hobble-de-hoy.

"Always set your chair back when you are going away.
Don't leave it in the middle of the room or standing carelessly."
These words, repeated long ago, come ever fresh to mind.
When little duties are overlooked or left to lag behind.

In the daily walks of busy life, when we think we haven't time
To be orderly and almost look upon politeness as a crime,
We are quite too apt, from carelessness, to think, if not to say,
That it matters not if we forget to set our chairs away.

But it will be found that daily life will be more worth the living
If we blend, in harmony, the precepts of receiving and of giving;
If we heed the tender chidings dealt out in childhood's day,
And always "set our chair back when we are going away."

—Clark W. Bryan in Good Housekeeping.

A Wonderful Timekeeping Automaton.

One of the most wonderful timekeepers known to the horologist was made in London about 100 years ago and sent by the president of the East India company as a gift to the emperor of China. The case was made in the form of a chariot, in which was seated the figure of a woman. This figure was of pure ivory and gold and sat with her right hand resting upon a tiny clock fastened to the side of the vehicle. A part of the wheels which kept track of the flight of time were hidden in the body of a tiny bird, which had seemingly just alighted upon the lady's finger.

Above was a canopy so arranged as to conceal a silver bell. This bell was fitted with a miniature hammer of the same metal, and although it appeared to have no connection with the clock regularly struck the hours and could be made to repeat by touching a diamond button on the lady's bodice. In the chariot at the ivory lady's feet there was a golden figure of a dog, and above and in front were two birds apparently flying before the chariot. This beautiful ornament was made almost entirely of gold and was elaborately decorated with precious stones.—St. Louis Republic.

High Explosives.

There are certain explosives of high power which, when heated, burn quietly if freely exposed, or if confined explode only at the spot where heat is applied without the whole mass taking part in the explosion. Nitroglycerin, dynamite, gun cotton, picric acid and the new German military powder are examples. This is said to be because they are conductors of their own explosive wave. If, however, the same substances are subjected to a violent shock by the explosion in their midst of initial charges of mercury fulminate, the shock seems to affect all the molecules of the explosive at once, and the whole mass of the latter explodes with enormous violence.—New York Sun.

The Pearl Oyster.

Very few people are aware that the pearl oyster is not in any way like the oysters which we eat. It is of an entirely different species, and as a matter of fact the shells of the so called pearl oysters are of far more value to those engaged in pearl fishing than the pearls. There are extensive pearl fisheries in the gulf of California, and some of the finest pearls have been taken from those waters. In 1881 one pearl—a black one—was sold for \$10,000, and every year since that time many pearls have been taken from the beds in the California gulf valued at over \$7,500 each.—Chicago Herald.

She Loved Him.

Single Man (to himself)—I am sure that darling little angel loves me. She takes me into her confidence and tells me all her troubles.

Same Man (some years later)—Consarn it all! From morning till night, and night till morning, when I'm home, I hear nothing but tales about the servants, the butcher, the baker, the candlestick maker and all the rest of 'em.—New York Weekly.

Not to Be Considered.

Mrs. Chugwater (after an unusually spirited engagement)—Joshia, if we can't get along in peace, we'd better separate.
Mr. Chugwater (shaking his head mournfully)—It wouldn't help matters any, Samantha. I can tell you right now you'd never get another man that would endure your cooking as meekly as I do.—Chicago Tribune.

Switzerland's numerous waterfalls have proved a means for the generation and supply of an abundant amount of power for a comparatively small expenditure of capital. At the end of last year there were in that country 552 electric light installations and 53 plants for the electrical transmission of power.

Roots of all trees draw large quantities of moisture from the soil, which is discharged into the air through the leaves. It is estimated that an oak tree with 700,000 leaves would give off something like 700 tons of water during the five months it carries its foliage.

In British India the number of persons adhering to the sects of the ancient Brahmanic religious belief is estimated at 211,000,000. There are 7,000,000 Buddhists, 90,000 Parsees, 57,000,000 Mohammedans and 9,000,000 of the ancient pagans or nature worshippers.

There was recently given in Denmark a concert that may be regarded as absolutely unique as regards the instruments used. The instruments included two horns from the bronze age, which are believed to be at least 2,500 years old.

The drinking of salt water is said to be a perfect cure for seasickness, though it makes the patient very miserable for a few minutes after he takes the cure.

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