

Clever Strategy.

A farmer, whose watermelon patch had been the object of several raids by passing motorists, secured immunity by posting the following sign conspicuously near the roadside: "Warning: Six of these melons are shot full of strychnine and nobody but me knows which ones they are!"

More Scarce Now.

"Did you ever see a black diamond?" "Oh yes. Before the war I used to have my cellar filled with 'em."

Cost of Politeness.

"Politeness costs nothing." "That's a mistake," replied the man who does not articulate well. "Every time I say 'please' to the telephone operator it costs valuable time because I can't manage to keep it from sounding to the operator like 'three.'"

Nonprofessional Talk.

"Doctor, may I speak to you in a nonprofessional capacity?" "Um-m. I guess so." "Your coat tails are on fire."

Save the Babies

INFANT MORTALITY is something frightful. We can hardly realize that of all the children born in civilized countries, twenty-two per cent., or nearly one-quarter, die before they reach one year; thirty-seven per cent., or more than one-third, before they are five, and one-half before they are fifteen!

We do not hesitate to say that a timely use of Castoria would save many of these precious lives. Neither do we hesitate to say that many of these infantile deaths are occasioned by the use of narcotic preparations. Drops, tinctures and soothing syrups sold for children's complaints contain more or less opium or morphine. They are, in considerable quantities, deadly poisons. In any quantity, they stupefy, retard circulation and lead to congestions, sickness, death. There can be no danger in the use of Castoria if it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher as it contains no opiates or narcotics of any kind.

Castoria always bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

Cigarette Paper Ban.

Do not try to nullify any cigarette paper to Greece. Official announcement has been received at the postoffice that cigarette papers are prohibited from transmission in the parcel post to the Greek postoffice in Macedonia, Epirus, Samos, the islands of the Aegean sea and Crete.

Just Shopping.

"Your wife seems to be carrying on a voluminous correspondence." "Quite so."

"What about?"

"Oh, she's getting prices from hotels she has no idea of going to. Shopping by mail."

You can learn a little each day—unless you are one of those persons who know it all.

IT'S NOT YOUR HEART; IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

Kidney disease is no respecter of persons. A majority of the ills afflicting people today can be traced back to the kidney trouble.

The kidneys are the most important organs of the body. They are the filters of your blood. If the poisons which are swept from the tissues by the blood are not eliminated through the kidneys, disease of one form or another will claim you as a victim.

Kidney disease is usually indicated by weariness, sleeplessness, nervousness, despondency, backache, stomach trouble, pain in loins and lower abdomen, gall stones, gravel, rheumatism, sciatica and lumbago.

signals that the kidneys need help. You should use GOLD MEDAL Hearlem Oil Capsules immediately. The soothing, heating oil stimulates the kidneys, relieves inflammation and destroys the germs which have caused it. Go to your druggist today and get a box of GOLD MEDAL Hearlem Oil Capsules. In twenty-four hours you should feel health and vigor returning.

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Ask for the original imported GOLD MEDAL brand. Three sizes. Money refunded if they do not help you.

SIMPLY LEFT IT TO TOM AS TO WANTING AND GETTING

Another Shrewdly Reasoned That She Needn't Worry About Time to Give Medicine.

There is a Philadelphia mother who's forgetful and knows it, but who is clever enough to discount this failing, as a rule. Not long ago her small son was rather indisposed, and the doctor ordered a medicine to be given at three-hour intervals.

"Did you give Tom his medicine regularly?" the husband and father asked unhelpfully upon his return home in the evening.

"Didn't miss a time," the mother responded with satisfaction.

"How in the world did you ever think of it?" the man asked.

"I didn't; but it was easy. I just told Tom this morning at what hours he was to take the medicine, and half an hour before each time he began wailing that he didn't want to take it."

No Inducement Whatever.

"Are you a member of the I. W. W.?"

"No," replied Plodding Pete. "I know a feller that thought the initials stood for 'Idleness Will Win.' The first thing the 'society' did after he joined it was to try to make him set up a private bomb factory an' work fourteen hours a day."

Harvard University Head Tells Good Story With a Moral That is Easy to Understand.

There is a story told in Boston which ought to spur on Harvard graduates in their efforts to obtain the Harvard endowment fund. President Lowell and a business man were talking over the progress of the campaign.

"I know how much you are asking for," said the business man, "but how much do you really want?"

"Well," President Lowell answered with a slight twinkle, "I am like the little girl who went to the butcher's for her mother. She stood by the counter until it came her turn and the butcher said, 'What do you want, little girl?'"

"I want a limousine," said the little girl, "but mother wants 10 cents' worth of liver."

"Carpet-Bagger."

It is said that the term "carpet-bagger" was first applied to political adventurers in America. It was designed to describe a needy political adventurer who wanders over the country pandering to the prejudices of the ignorant in order to try to get into office. He was so called because he was regarded as having only enough property to fill a carpet bag.

VAMPIRE IN REAL LIFE BEATS FILM

Death and Ruin to Men Caused by Fascinating Los Angeles Beauty.

HER POWER IS FATAL

Whole Gamut of Passionate Emotions Enshroud Career of Maud Kafitz—Trouble, Love, Hate, Revenge, Mark Career.

Los Angeles, Cal.—Mrs. Maud Kafitz—a vampire in real life!

The woman around whom centers the suicide of Charles McGwire, the bombing of the residence of Oscar Lawler and the sordid tragedy of a ruined home and a broken-hearted husband is, by her record, the stage vampire become a living personality.

Her life study is a character study of fascination—her fascination—her power—over men of a certain type. Men mark the milestones of her life. And these men suffered.

William Kafitz, Charles McGwire and her other friends and admirers were drawn to the flame of her personality and were scorched by the blaze. Her husband died, broken-hearted, eight months after she shot him. McGwire lies in a suicide's grave, dishonored, and charged with the bombing of the residence of Oscar Lawler and the serious injuring of Mr. and Mrs. Lawler. Those other men whose lives touched hers are in troubled waters.

Always Trouble.

Trouble, trouble—love, hate, revenge, the whole gamut of passionate emotions, enshroud the career of Maud Kafitz. And always trouble.

Born in Toronto, Ohio, 40 years ago, she has been characterized by her own sister as a "wayward girl" since she was eleven years old.

Little is known of her life up to the time of her meeting William Kafitz in Los Angeles in 1905, but she had been in California before. In 1900, and there were rumors of a tragedy in San Jose. A man shot another man there. Both are said to have been admirers of the then Maud Myers. Her remarkable influence over men of a certain type had, as far as can be learned, claimed its first tragic denouement.

In 1905 Maud Myers came to Los Angeles with her parents and sister. They rented a house at Winfield and Westlake. William Kafitz, who was in the real estate business, had this house on his list and called there to show it to a prospective buyer. He met Maud Myers, and his middle-aged heart throbbed with youth. He came to sell. He remained to court—and to regret. They were married in 1906.

Kafitz' marital sea was comparatively unruffled until the death of his



Death and Ruin Caused by Beauty.

wife's father. Mr. Myers always had told his daughters he was in moderate circumstances. He had settled \$5,000 on Maud when she married Kafitz, but had led her to believe he was a comparatively poor man. With his death it was learned he was wealthy and Mrs. Kafitz inherited \$50,000.

Handsome Stranger Appears.

Enter—trouble. This was the cue and trouble accepted it.

Mrs. Kafitz bought, against her husband's advice, an expensive limousine and engaged a chauffeur, Jacob Migeot. She made many trips in the car which kept her away from home all day. She said she was shopping, but her husband was warned that at an automobile show she was accompanied by a "handsome stranger" and wore orchids. The stranger was Jacob Jepsin. This was the beginning. Far beyond lie Campbell, Ahearn, Beyerle, McGwire, the shooting of William Kafitz, while the smoke from the burning Lawler home rises in the distance.

They Mixed Drinks.

Milford, Del.—Three small children mixed and drank "milk shakes" of white shoe dressing when their milk supply was exhausted. Physicians say their chances of recovery is fifty-fifty.

Wishing Him Luck.

At a wedding I attended in Cripple Creek, Colo., a telegram arrived for the bridegroom while the guests were eating the wedding supper. The bridegroom asked the best man to read it aloud, saying he supposed it was congratulations. The best man arose and read: "Here's hoping that you have better luck than we had." It was signed by the bride's two divorced husbands.—Chicago Tribune.

To Have a Clear Sweet Skin.

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One of Them Would Meet Him.

"One thing is sure," said a wife to her husband. "I'm going to settle this question of whether or not Shakespeare wrote his plays when I get to heaven."

"How?" he asked.

"Why, I'll ask him," said the practical wife.

"Yes," said the husband, "but suppose Shakespeare isn't in heaven?" "Well, then," sweetly returned wife, "you ask him."—Ladies' Home Journal.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County—ss. Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE.

FRANK J. CHENEY. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1888.

(Seal) A. W. Gleason, Notary Public. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is taken internally and acts through the blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

A Practical Man.

"Forty thousand dollars is cheap for that picture," said the disgusted dealer. "Art, sir? You don't know the meaning of art."

"Maybe I don't," replied the self-made millionaire, "but I know the value of money. There are cheaper ways to cover four square feet of wall space than by paying \$10,000 a foot for a piece of canvas painted by some old duffer who lived in a garret 200 years before I was born."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

"CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP" IS CHILD'S LAXATIVE

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Mother! You must say "California."

—Adv.

Trying to Please.

"Why did you put me at the table between those two women who nearly talked me to death?"

"I did it because I heard you say you were fond of tongue sandwiches."

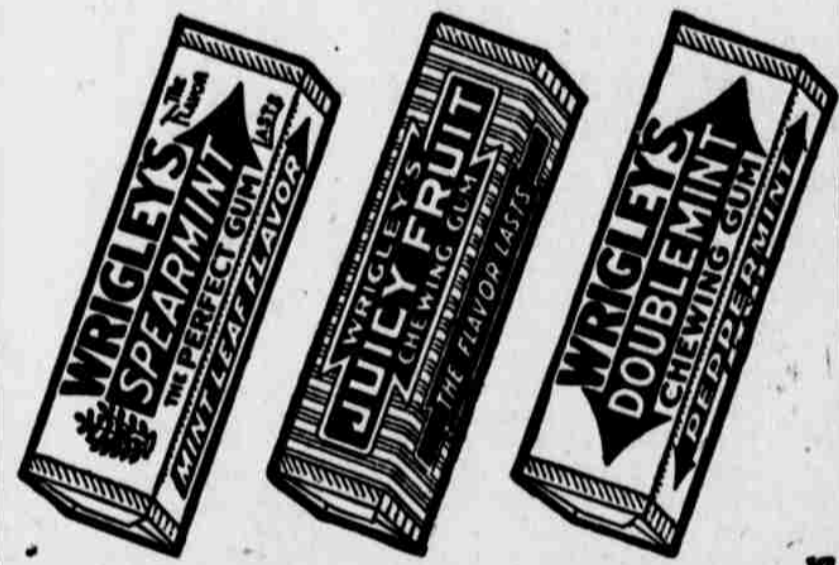
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Business Demand. "The clockmaker I went to struck me as rather a sycophant."

"Naturally. Doesn't he have to be a timeserver?"

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Work will bring success—and the more folks you have working for you the more success you will achieve.

Many a man seems dead to the world when he is buried in thought.

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The first purebred Shorthorn cattle were brought to the United States in 1793, a small shipment being imported from England to Virginia that year. The Shorthorn has had more to do with the improvement of cattle in this country than any other breed—probably than all other breeds. It is the combining beef and milking quality of the Shorthorn that has made the profits on the farms, plantations and ranches. It pays to use Shorthorn bulls. American Shorthorn Breeders' Assn., 15 Dexter Park Ave., Chicago, Ill.

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