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Many a girl who marries to suit herself doesn't.

Tight trousers are coming in again - to be worn out, as heretofore.

It is not necessary for a man to be all ice to avoid being nothing but steam.

Andrew Carnegie is a sufferer from lumbago. Has he ever tried a poor man's plaster for it?

Frank James is reported to be growing religious. Frank has a good deal of room to grow in that direction.

Did Sir Edward Clarke ever hear anybody refer to our national bird as anything but the American eagle?

A New Jersey girl tried to commit suicide because a man kissed her. Well, of course, there are exceptions to all rules.

The New Jersey girl who tried to commit suicide because a man kissed her would probably hail Gladstone Dowie as a boon.

With a record of thirteen killed and nearly 300 injured, the football season passed into history as a good second to the previous Fourth of July.

The surgeons and undertakers would not be kept as busy as they are if it were not for the men who always act upon the impulse of the moment.

The New York World says an honest man can live comfortably in that town on an income of \$100,000 a year. Save your pennies and go to New York.

A Chicago minister says Carrie Nation stands a better chance than Bishop Potter to get into heaven. Let's be charitable and hope that all three of them may meet there.

The cruiser Pennsylvania is now hailed as the greatest ship in the navy. It has just been completed and will hold its proud position until the next war boat has her trial trip.

The new Governor General of Canada thinks that country will in five years have a population of 40,000,000. That would certainly be carrying the anti-race suicide theory to the extreme.

The rural districts are not satisfied with the telephone and the free delivery of the mails. The demand now is for the interurban railroad. The problem of living in the country is being met.

A New Jersey man while trying to pay an election bet by riding a pig was thrown off and one of his arms was broken. For obvious reasons his brains were uninjured, although he landed on his head.

Nearly every day some New York widow who is 60 years old and has several millions of dollars marries some tender and true one who is young enough to be her grandson. Isn't it about time for the organization of a society for the protection of New York widows who are 60 years old and rich?

The launching of a ship involves some prosaic incidents and details. For the launch of the battleship Georgia seven tons of tallow, five barrels of fish-oil and several barrels of soft soap were required. All this slippery stuff helped her down the ways into the water. Even if one hesitated to use the noun "grease" to rhyme with a line referring to the "queen of the seas," the work the grease did is provocative of poetry.

Whatever may be England's faults, it must always be said to her praise that she has among her people a race of truth-tellers who know how to castigate her, and she has laws also which protect them in doing so. This is brought to mind by the letter of Sir A. Conan Doyle to the London Times, in which he reproaches the government for permitting British ships to betray the cause of their Japanese ally and admits, by the way, that Great Britain has "earned throughout history the reputation of being an unstable ally." For "unstable" read "selfish and treacherous" and Sir Conan's criticism can not be questioned.

The wholesome respect for the law that once prevailed has disappeared and instead of seeking to uphold it every effort is devoted to defeating the ends of justice by fair means or foul. Men guilty of crimes against society are sentenced to short terms in prison or not free altogether; the murderer and the thief are treated with the utmost consideration and succeed in winning the sympathy of those who should be first to condemn them. Even when punishment in some degree commensurate with the offense is inflicted a lenient governor or a pardon board

adds its mite toward the general disorganization by shortening the sentence. On every hand there is apparent a disregard for the law, an indifference to consequences, an implied realization that the punishment will be light, that is the most potent factor in the increase in lawlessness which endangers the future of the nation.

Living up to its reputation for doing things in a big way, Chicago has completed, by popular subscription, a great building for the use and endowment of the Chicago Orchestra. For many years this body of musicians, under the direction of Theodore Thomas, has been recognized as one of the best in the world. It has endeared itself to nearly all Chicagoans, and because of the low price of tickets and the high class of music given, has been one of the greatest of popular educators. Every year, however, it has been run at a loss, and a deficit averaging twenty-eight thousand dollars has been made up by wealthy guarantors. Last winter an appeal to the public was made for an endowment fund. Three-quarters of a million dollars was collected in sums ranging from one dollar to twenty-thousand. A site was secured on the lake front, and a building erected which contains, besides a hall and quarters for the orchestra, many suites and offices, the rent of which will go to the support of the organization.

Why should the law prescribe "the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November," instead of saying "the first Tuesday?" Like many other small things, this provision introduces an interesting picture of the past. Although the Constitution requires the electors in all the States to meet and choose a President on the same day, it was not until 1845 that a law was passed by Congress providing that the electors should be chosen on the same day throughout the United States. When William Henry Harrison was the Whig candidate, in 1840, New York began to vote on the first Monday in November, and the polls were kept open until Wednesday night. Election day in Massachusetts was the second Monday, but before that day, in this instance, enough States had voted to decide the contest. The National Intelligencer of that year records that several thousand aged and infirm Whigs in Massachusetts did not bother to go to the polls. Delaware voted a day later than Massachusetts, Illinois, Indiana and Pennsylvania were among the early-voting States; Alabama was one of the last. This diversity, combined with slow methods of transmitting news, left the election results in doubt for many days. The system was not satisfactory. The States that voted early had an undue influence on the result. Especially was this true as communication became more rapid, and by 1840 an enthusiastic editor told how the news from Pittsburg had been brought to New York in thirty-five hours. "This," he added, significantly, "is a sign of the times." Congress accordingly decided to establish a uniform day. The original bill named the first Tuesday in November, but it was found necessary to harmonize this with the requirement that not more than thirty days should elapse before the meeting of the electoral colleges in the different States, which had been set for the first Wednesday in December. When Tuesday is the first day of November, December will have no Wednesday till the seventh. The interval is thirty-seven days. Under the law as it was passed in 1845 not more than twenty-nine days can elapse between election day and the first Wednesday in December. Under the law of 1887 the electors do not meet give their votes until the second day in January.

**Women Cross Chasm on Log.**  
A hazardous feat was performed by Mrs. John Ahl, wife of a pioneer, who lives at the mouth of the Homi-Homi River, and a young woman from Boston, says the Tacoma News.  
The two were sightseeing up the Homi-Homi and had arrived at the great waterfall at the foot of the upper canyon. Seeing that a tree had fallen across the canyon above the waterfall, making a rude bridge, and desiring to cross to the other side, the two climbed around the falls to the top of the canyon and walked across the log.  
The Boston girl took the lead and the log swayed dangerously as they crossed. The distance from the log to where the foaming waters beneath pitched over the precipice is between 300 and 350 feet. Both the women passed safely over, and did not realize until later that they were the first persons, so far as known, who had made the perilous trip, where a slip would mean instant death.

Since Mrs. Ahl and her companion made the trip the ranchers have been bantering one another to follow suit, but no one has yet made the attempt.

**Human Hair.**  
The finest human hair is golden, and red is the coarsest.

The trouble with a man marrying the only daughter in a family is that he also gets all the enlarged pictures on her father's walls.

# MAN IN THE CABOOSE

## JACK RUMSEY'S SECRET FOR SECURING SLEEP.

A Missouri Pacific Railroad Conductor Tells How He Prevents the Wreck of His Nerves.

A great deal of fatigue and anxiety is housed up in the little red box that swings at the tail end of every freight train and shares in every jolt of the string of heavy cars that precedes it on the rails. The men in it are good, hearty fellows who bear cheerfully the hazards connected with the great problem of transportation. They are astir night and day on a vast network of lines and the sympathies of tens of thousands of peaceful little homes go with them on their runs. The great public must have its supplies and these are the men who must get them through at the cost even of their lives.

Mr. Jack Rumsey, of Council Grove, Kansas, is an energetic, frank, good-natured member of this brotherhood and he bears a load of worries that makes it necessary for him to seek help to keep his excited nerves from wearing him out. He says:

"What troubled me most was my inability to get sleep when the chance came and a most irritating sensitiveness of my whole nervous system, growing out of the irregularities and anxieties connected with my daily work. Three or four years ago a clerk in the superintendent's office of the Missouri Pacific, at Osawatomie, advised me to use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. I acted on his advice and got help right away. So I keep them on hand all the time and whenever the strain begins to tell on me I take a few doses. They quiet down my excited nerves and make it possible for me to sleep just like a child. They are mighty good medicine for a railroad man. That is the absolute truth, as far as my experience goes, and I am right glad to recommend them."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are unlike other medicines because they act directly on the blood and nerves. They are a positive cure for all diseases arising from impoverished blood or shattered nerves. They are sold by all dealers, or will be sent postpaid on receipt of price, fifty cents a box, or six boxes for two dollars and fifty cents, by addressing Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

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"Largest Seller in the World."

## Found Gold in Nebraska.

Investors in Nebraska Real Estate will find this true. Now is the time to get in on the ground floor. We have some choice investments. Write us for further information.

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When a girl marries a man to reform him, she is throwing a boomerang.

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What costs us nothing give us but small delight.

Many School Children Are Sickly. Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, used by Mother Gray, a nurse in Children's Home, New York, break up Colds in 24 hours, cure Coughs, Croup, Feverishness, Headache, Stomach Troubles, Teething Disorders, move and regulate the bowels and Destroy Worms. Sold by all druggists or by mail, 25c. Sample mailed FREE. Address ALEX. S. OLNEY, Le Roy, N. Y.

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A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES. Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Your druggist will refund money if PAIN-OINTMENT fails to cure you in 6 to 14 days. See

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PISO'S CURE FOR CHRONIC BRONCHITIS, CROUP, COUGH, ASTHMA, CONSUMPTION

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Since the discovery of the famous Rocky Ford melons the Eastern marketmen have paid Colorado truck farmers over \$20,000,000.

The most costly harness ever made for four horses was ordered in England some months ago by the Khedive of Egypt. The cost paid \$50,000.

Mrs. Catherine Greene, planter's wife, was the inventor of the cotton gin. Her work on the farm taught her the necessity for such an invention.

## HIS EXPERIENCE TEACHES THEM

That Dodd's Kidney Pills Will Cure Bright's Disease - Remarkable Case of George J. Barber - Quick Recovery After Years of Suffering.

Estherville, Iowa, Jan. 23d. (Special.) - The experience of Mr. George J. Barber, a well known citizen of this place, justifies his friends in making the announcement to the world "Bright's Disease can be cured." Mr. Barber had kidney trouble and it developed into Bright's Disease. He treated it with Dodd's Kidney Pills and to-day he is a well man. In an interview he says:

"I can't say too much for Dodd's Kidney Pills. I had Kidney Disease for fifteen years and though I doctored for it with the best doctors here and in Chicago, it developed into Bright's Disease. Then I started to use Dodd's Kidney Pills and two boxes cured me completely. I think Dodd's Kidney Pills are the best in the world."

A remedy that will cure Bright's Disease will cure any other form of Kidney Disease. Dodd's Kidney Pills never fail to cure Bright's Disease.

When a girl can't think of anything else mean to say about another girl whom she dislikes, she says "She's really a sweet girl, don't you think?"

**Cataract Cannot Be Cured**  
with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Cataract is a blood condition, and in order to cure it one must take internal remedies. Hall's Cataract Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Cataract Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Cataract. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, price 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

When a girl begins to make a fuss for a young man, it is time for him to either back away or negotiations for a wedding ring.

TO LOSE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take Cassette Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c

I have noticed that the most strongly minded women marry just the opposite sort of men.

There is no use wasting exertions on the bigamist. He gets us deserts where he earns them.

D'Auber: "I am wedded to my art."

Miss Caustique: "And may I ask does your wife support you?"



Miss Agnes Miller, of Chicago, speaks to young women about dangers of the Menstrual Period.

"To Young Women: - I suffered for six years with dysmenorrhea (painful periods), so much so that I dreaded every month, as I knew it meant three or four days of intense pain. The doctor said this was due to an inflamed condition of the uterine appendages caused by repeated and neglected colds.

"If young girls only realized how dangerous it is to take cold at this critical time, much suffering would be spared them. Thank God for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, that was the only medicine which helped me any. Within three weeks after I started to take it, I noticed a marked improvement in my general health, and at the time of my next monthly period the pain had diminished considerably. I kept up the treatment, and was cured a month later. I am like another person since. I am in perfect health, my eyes are brighter, I have added 12 pounds to my weight, my color is good, and I feel light and happy." - Miss AGNES MILLER, 25 Potomac Ave., Chicago, Ill. - \$5000 reward if original of above letter proving genuine news cannot be produced.

The monthly sickness reflects the condition of a woman's health. Anything unusual at that time should have prompt and proper attention.

## ROMANCE OF A HIRED SUIT.

Sweetheart's "Yes" Tucked Away in a Pocket and Almost Lost. "It would surprise you were I to tell you the names and positions of some of the men who patronize me," said the man a part of whose business is indicated by the sign "Dress Suits for Hire." "But then, again, it oughtn't," he continued, "for a man must hold some position in some sort of society if it is ever necessary or advisable for him to hire a dress suit.

"We are always finding things in the pockets of hired dress suits. There was one instance that turned out a real romance. Several months ago in going through the pockets of a dress coat we came across an unopened letter. It was fully addressed, so I merely slipped it into one of my business envelopes, rewrote the address and mailed it. I never heard anything from it until the other day, when the postman left a parcel in the store, which was found to contain a large slice of wedding cake. There was a note, too, which revealed the romance.

"The note was from the man to whom I had forwarded the letter I found in the dress coat pocket. He said that that letter had been the means of making him the happiest man on earth. You know what that means. Men always say that just after they have been married. Well, this young fellow had asked the girl in the case to marry him and she had promised to give him her answer at a dance to which both had been invited.

"During the evening she had avoided the subject; did not mention it even at parting, and the lover had gone home convinced that it was all off. He spent a bad day, being too proud to appeal to the young woman, and then he got the letter which I had forwarded to him. It was his 'Yes,' or her 'Yes,' just as you look at it. At any rate it fixed matters all up. She had written it before going to the dance and had slipped it into his pocket while dancing with him, thinking to give him a fine surprise. She did, all right, but not entirely the way she had planned. She never supposed for an instant that he had hired his suit, and consequently would not be apt to think there would be anything in the pockets for him.

"Well, after everything was smoothed over, he confessed and the girl insisted that a piece of wedding cake be sent to me in return for my little part in the affair.

## POLITE TO THE LAST.

The "Ellen" in Samuel Langhorne Clemens' excellent but now forgotten book, "Sketches from Life," had probably never heard of Emerson's saying, "There is always time enough for courtesy," but she embodied the great sage's principle in her daily intercourse with her fellow beings. Politeness was a ruling passion with her. To the fisherman's boy she would answer, "Yes, sir; soles, sir if it is quite convenient." Mr. Blanchard lodged with Ellen's mistress, and one day the man servant of a friend brought a parcel of books.

The man delivered the books into Ellen's hands; then, remembering he was entrusted with a letter also, he searched his pockets in vain for the missive. Ellen, waiting in the hall, was greatly distressed.

"Oh, pray, sir, do not trouble yourself!"

"Trouble myself!" exclaimed the servant. "If I have a letter to deliver I've got to deliver it," and he continued his search.

"I'm sorry to keep you waiting," broke out the apologetic Ellen.

"Why, it is I who am keeping you waiting," returned the puzzled servant. "What are you talking about? Well, I can't find the letter."

"O sir," entreated the maid, "never mind! I dare say it doesn't signify. Another time will do quite as well." Mr. Blanchard's landlady was taken sick, and every day the lodger's inquiries were answered by the faithful Ellen in somewhat this wise:

"My missis's compliments, sir, and she had a very indifferent night," or "My missis's compliments, sir, and she feels very weak to-day."

One sad day, when Ellen appeared with the breakfast, her eyes were red and her lips quivered. In response to the usual question she sobbed out: "My missis's compliments, sir, and she died this morning about 8 o'clock."

Wanting to Help. "Who is that man? What do you want?" called the sleepy man. "Sh! Keep quiet if you value your life," hissed the burglar. "It's only money I'm after."

"Wait a minute and I'll get up and help you hunt for it."

England's Only Rhinoceros. A ferocious rhinoceros, which has been at Manchester Institution for twenty-eight years, has just died at Belle Vue, and now the rhinoceros at the London Zoo is the only one in England. It's a poor mule that won't work both ways.