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Quarreling is only advisable in the affairs of unmarried folks, as making up is so sweet with them.

A woman said the other day that women did not believe in divorce because they didn't want to let go of good things when they had them, and were afraid to turn loose bad ones for fear of getting something worse. "Things" in this paragraph means husbands.

There is lots of able boddyed people lying around loose who might have preserved their importance if they had remained fourth corporals, but making them captains has ruined them for life.

Facts and Proof.

Hulett, Wyo., Dec. 4.—(Special).—An ounce of fact is worth a ton of theory and it is evidence founded on facts that backs up every box of Dodd's Kidney Pills. The evidence of people who know what they do. Mrs. May Taber, highly esteemed resident of Hulett, says:

"I know Dodd's Kidney Pills are a valuable medicine because I have used them. I took seven boxes and they cured me of a severe attack of Kidney Trouble. They relieved me from the first dose, and when I had finished the last box I had no pain and my kidneys are now acting properly."

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HER SANTA CLAUS LETTER.

She wrote a note to Santa Claus, The queerest note that ever was; 'Twas naught but scrawls and dots and rings, But, oh, it meant so many things!

For little girls, strange to believe, Want many things on Christmas eve, She asked for dolls all dressed in blue, And red and pink and purple, too;

She asked for dogs and cats and toys, And instruments that make a noise; She asked for candies, cakes and strings, And pop corn strung in lengthy strings.

She sent her note to Santa Claus, The queerest note that ever was; Her papa mailed it early, so 'Twould surely off to Santa go. 'Twas naught but scrawls and dots and rigns, But, oh, it meant so many things!

Virtue becomes a vice as soon as you are vain of it. The race horses owned by Lillian Langtry, the actress, are entered on the English turf under the nomme de course of "Mr. Jersey," for which privilege a fee of \$150 must be paid. She has very good success with her horses.

Put castor oil in capsules or in orange juice and there will be no taste of the oil left in the mouth after taking.

THE "COFFEE HEART."

It is as Dangerous as the Tobacco or Whisky Heart.

"Coffee heart" is common to many coffee users and is liable to send the owner to his or her long home if the drug is persisted in. You can run 30 or 40 yards and find out if your heart is troubled. A lady who was once a victim of the "coffee heart" writes from Oregon:

"I have been a habitual user of coffee all my life and have suffered very much in recent years from ailments which I became satisfied were directly due to the poison in the beverage, such as torpid liver and indigestion, which in turn made my complexion blotchy and muddy.

"Then my heart became affected. It would beat most rapidly just after I drank my coffee, and go below normal as the coffee effect wore off. Sometimes my pulse would go as high as 137 beats to the minute. My family were greatly alarmed at my condition and at last mother persuaded me to begin the use of Postum Food Coffee.

"I gave up the old coffee entirely and absolutely, and made Postum my sole table beverage. This was 6 months ago, and all my ills, the indigestion, inactive liver and rickety heart action, have passed away, and my complexion has become clear and natural. The improvement set in very soon after I made the change, just as soon as the coffee poison had time to work out of my system.

"My husband has also been greatly benefited by the use of Postum, and we find that a simple breakfast with Postum, is as satisfying and more strengthening than the old heavier meal we used to have with the other kind of coffee." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

DISCOVERY OF THE COLUMBIA.

The work of individual explorers is not always recognized or remembered. The story of Robert Gray, of Boston, who discovered the great river of the West and named it Columbia after his ship, is but little known. In 1787 a number of Boston men formed a partnership to trade on the Pacific. This was a number of years before Lewis and Clark reached the Columbia, writes Agnes C. Laut in Leslie's Magazine, and almost twenty years before Astor had thought of his Pacific company. The first voyage was one of adventure and peril, but it was on the second trip to trade among the savages for furs that Gray found the great river.

The first expedition consisted of two vessels, the larger one named the Columbia, and commanded by Capt. John Kendrick. The smaller, commanded by Gray, was a little sloop of ninety tons, called the Lady Washington.

Some heroes blunder into glory. These did not. They deliberately set out with the full glory of their venture in view. Whatever the profit and loss might show when they came back, they were well aware that they were attempting the biggest and most venturesome thing any of their countrymen had essayed in the way of exploration and trade.

Gray's little sloop distanced the Columbia and cruised over a great area. First it rounded the north end of Vancouver, and proved that this was an island, not part of the continent.

At one point of Prince of Wales Island the Indians willingly traded two hundred otter skins, which were worth eight thousand dollars, for an old iron chisel.

Gray and Kendrick exchanged ships for the return voyage, as Gray had proved himself the swifter navigator. On July 30, 1789, he left Vancouver Island. Stop was made at Hawaii for provisions; and Attoo, the son of a chief, boarded the Columbia to visit America. On December 6th the Columbia delivered her cargo of furs to Shaw & Randall of Canton, China, and received in exchange Chinese tea for Samuel Parkman, of Boston.

On August 11, 1790, after rounding Good Hope and touching at St. Helena, Gray arrived in Boston. It was the first time an American ship had gone round the world, and salvos of artillery thundered a welcome. The whole city of Boston was on the wharf to cheer him home, and Gray was the hero of the hour.

This trip was not a financial success, but it was decided to send the Columbia back at once on a second voyage.

Sailing in September, 1790, Gray reached the west coast of Vancouver Island in June, 1791. He spent the greater part of the year in cruising about and trading with the Indians, and not until the following May did he find his river. It was on May 19, 1792, that he went ashore, planted coins under a tree, took possession in the name of the United States, and named the river "Columbia."

Tried to Rescue Her.

The woman looked worn and worried to the verge of despair, and her male escort was regarding her with deep anxiety. She sank into a seat in an Indiana avenue car and moaned.

At Twenty-ninth street she suddenly extracted a tiny vial from her shopping bag, pulled a bit of cotton out of the mouth of the thing, and was putting it to her lips, when the man opposite sprang to his feet and dashed it from her hand.

"My God!" he exclaimed hoarsely. The woman's escort sprang up simultaneously and the two clinched and staggered down the middle of the car.

"Confound you!" roared the woman's escort. "Can't my wife use her toothache medicine without having a blankety blank idiot imagine she's trying to commit suicide?"

Then the would-be rescuer apologized and discovered that he had an engagement that could not be neglected another moment.—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

A Terrible Mistake.

"No," said Ragson Tatters, "I don't like dis here slang. I had a fierce 'sperience on account of it onct."

"W'en wuz dat?" asked Weary Wille. "O! quite some years ago. One day a man asked me if I didn't want some soap. O' course, I sez 'No,' an' de worry nex' day I learns dat 'soap' wuz a new slang word fur 'money.'"—Philadelphia Press.

Not What He Meant.

Mother (to her daughter)—Will you play that new sonata for the doctor? Daughter—But, mamma, the doctor has had so much sorrow lately— Doctor—But, my dear young lady, to hear you play will not be pleasure.—Fliegende Blatter.

When it comes to triplets it keeps a man busy trying to hold his own.

GOOD BLOOD FOR BAD

Rheumatism and Other Blood Diseases are Cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

"In the lead mines I was at work on my knees with my elbows pressed against rock walls, in dampness and extremes of cold," said Mr. J. G. Menkel, of 2975 Jackson avenue, Dubuque, Iowa, in describing his experience to a reporter, "and it is not surprising that I contracted rheumatism. For three years I had attacks affecting the joints of my ankles, knees and elbows. My ankles and knees became so swollen I could scarcely walk on uneven ground and a little pressure from a stone under my feet would cause me so much pain that I would nearly sink down. I was often obliged to lie in bed for several days at a time. My friends who were similarly troubled were getting no relief from doctors and I did not feel encouraged to throw money away for nothing. By chance I read the story of Robert Yates, of the Klauer Manufacturing Co., of Dubuque, who had a very bad case of rheumatism. I decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, the remedy he had used. In three or four weeks after beginning to use the pills, I was much better and in three months I was well. The swelling of the joints and the tenderness disappeared, I could work steadily and for eight years I have had no return of the trouble. My whole family believe in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Both my sons use them. We consider them a household remedy that we are sure about."

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