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Well Earned. "How did you happen to get that medal you're wearing?" "I got it for saving an empire's life. I had a pop bottle in my hand when he called Sweeney out sliding to the home plate with what should have been the winning run, and I didn't throw it."

One Good One. Patience—What do you think of that new young man boarder? Patrice—Oh, I think he's all right. "Got good eyes, hasn't he?" "Well, he's got one good eye." "One good eye?" "Yes, one seems good; but he was winking at me with the other during the entire meal."

Perfect Example. "The paper speaks of a certain argument as being tactfully yet forcefully phrased," said the young student. "What would be a good example of that?" "My son," returned the father, "can it be that you have never lent ear to your mother's able representations on the perilous occasions when I return home on pay day?"

Rich Loot. Brown was happily rambling through the land of dreams one night when he suddenly awakened to find the long barrel of a pistol unpleasantly close to his face.

"Utter one word," cried a strong voice back of the formidable gun, "and you are a dead man." "I'm not saying one word," was the meek rejoinder of the submissive Brown.

"What I want," continued the burglar, without lowering the pistol, "is every single valuable that you have in the house, and I want them quickly." "All right, old man," promptly replied Brown, digging up a slip of paper and handing it to the burglar. "Here is the combination to the refrigerator."

B'ARS GOT HIS FISH

Tale of Woe, as Old Bill Sanders Related It.

Mistake Was That He Went on Expedition Without a Gun—Uncle Joe Bunker Quite Frankly an Unbeliever. "I stopped at Shinhopple on my way for a few days with the trout on the Beaverkill, in Sullivan county," said John Gilbert, the traveling grocery man, "and Bill Sanders, the Homer of all that country, buttonholed me and said: 'Goin' to tackle the trout over in Sullivan, eh? Well, whar's your gun. Don't spect to get away from that with your trout if you don't take no gun, do you? I left nine pound o' the poottiest trout that ever dodged a fly an' gobbled a worm over along them upper Beaverkill waters, to say nothin' o' a ten-pound fish basket, jest 'cause I didn't have no gun, 'long about this time last seeron. Whar's your gun, John?'"

"I started at Bill and allowed that I couldn't see why a gun should be a part of my Sullivan county fishing equipment, and he said: 'B'ars, that's wh'y! B'ars! Better git a gun, John. I'd 'a' lugged home ten pound of old sockdologgers an' wouldn't 'a' lost my ten-pound fish basket if I'd only had a gun. I was fishin' on them upper Beaverkill waters and I had jest about filled that ten-pound basket o' mine, bein' only two pounds shy o' runnin' it up to its limit."

"I clum down to the rocks to git to the spot whar I was goin' to land pair o' one-pounders, settin' my fish basket down at the top o' the rocks for fear I mought stumble an' jest ez like ez not spill them eight pound o' fish outen it. I got down all right, an' soon had one o' them one-pounders hooked, an' give him line. He run down the creek a hundred foot 'fore he stopped to rest, an' then dinged if he didn't stop right whar a slamm'n' big b'ar was standin' in the creek doin' a little snatin' on his own account."

"Well, sir, John," said Bill, "it's Shinhopple Gospel truth I'm tellin' you, but 'fore I could wind that pound trout back an' away from thar the b'ar ritchted out an' socked the hooks o' his big claw on my trout, yanked it outen the water, grabbed my fish line, broke it off and holdin' the trout up a spell for me to take a pertin' look at it, makin' my dander rise so that it all but knocked my hat off, he gave his jaws a warnin' snap or two an' waddled outen the creek an' off into the bushes, takin' my pound trout with him. Then, I can tell you, I woke up. "Not if I know it you can't get away with that fish!" I hollered arter that audacious b'ar, an' turned an' shinned up them rocks to head him off an' make him stand an' deliver up that trout or take the consequences o' me a neckin' him an' shakin' him up till his toenails rattled."

"When I got back to the top I discovered that my en-pound fish basket that I had left thar fer to be safe, with them eight pound o' trout in it, wa'n't whar I put it. I looked all around, but it wa'n't nowhar to be seen. I run to the bushes an' thar I see two b'ar cubs walkin' off with my basket o' fish, cartin' it betwix 'em, like a couple o' boys carryin' a pall o' water they had been let cuten school fer to go git! Say! I was jest about knocked silly! An' as I gawked arter that pair o' sneaky young thievin' cubs they was 'fined by the old b'ar that had ketchid my pound trout only a minute or so afore, down the creek. "Stead o' boundin' arter that family o' highway robber b'ars, chokin' the daylighten outen 'em, an' gittin' my ten-pound fish basket an' my fish

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Wearisome Proposition. "Well, Mirandy," said Mrs. Bosbyshell to her cook, "I hear it rumored that you are going to be married again, this time to Joe."

"No'm, I ain't gwine git married again, Miss Lucy," replied Mirandy. "I'm very fond o' Joe, but I ain't gwine mahry him."

Time's Changes. "You know when I was living here some years ago," remarked the man who had just dropped in, "you had a little boy about six years old who you thought the brightest boy in the world."

Tem—Do you like the Boston hop? Chem—Naw, I takes Chinese dope fer mine every time.

Some men would have no excuse for living if their wives didn't take in boarders.

The identity of the favorite son is established nearly every time a will is offered for probate.

HE MADE BEQUEST OF BRAIN

Man of Eminence Has the Idea of Advancing Scientific Study by the Action.

Announcement was made a short time ago that Dr. Leland O. Howard, chief of the United States bureau of entomology, had declared to the American Association for the Advancement of Science that he would bequeath his brain for scientific study to a school that specializes in neurology. A number of other scientists who attended the meeting expressed admiration for the doctor's action and are reported to be considering similar bequests of their own brains.

There was a British physician named Robert Peebles who created a sensation in London and Edinburgh several years ago by his insistent coaxing of athletes for the privilege of studying their bodies after death. He had been experimenting with the muscles and had arrived at what his associates termed a fantastic notion that some sort of operation could be performed on the leg of the human runner so that his speed could be increased. Leapers and high jumpers were his hobby, and in the course of five years it was estimated that he had examined the leg muscles of nearly a thousand men, making comparisons with the running and leaping muscles of the frog, the deer, the greyhound and other animals.

Peebles was a man of means, and after he had succeeded in inducing half a dozen athletes of reputation to "will him their legs" the attention of surgeons was attracted. They took the matter under consideration at one of their quarterly meetings and warned Peebles they would have him committed to a sanitarium if he continued his strange pursuit. Peebles defied them and they had a commission appointed. While his sanity was being tested Peebles died. In his will he bequeathed his brain to the commission.

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The reason for this, according to the head of one of the largest chemical concerns in the city, is not because there are more cases of rheumatism in the country today than ever before, but because sodium salicylate is made from carbolic acid heretofore imported from Europe. Now Europe needs all her carbolic acid to use in manufacturing explosives.

Horace Graves of the Oil, Drug and Paint Reporter said: "Nearly all the highly developed coal tar derivatives in the United States have been used up. Picric acid, which is used in explosives, costs nil over in Europe to what it would cost to manufacture here. In England they are too busy to manufacture it, so they have been buying from us in great quantities. We have been selling at huge prices. Last year at this time carbolic acid cost seven cents a pound, now it has gone up to \$1.50."

Drowning Season Here. Don't rock the boat! It is not merely a foolish sort of joke to do it; it is very frequently a murderous or suicidal joke. If you cannot swim do not wade out where the water is up to your chin. If you do, you may suddenly slip into a hole that lifts the water above your mouth and nose, and when that happens the chances are large that it will be your funeral the next day or as soon as your remains can be found. Don't dive from a high place without being sure the water is not so shallow as to result in your head striking bottom. Don't crowd five people into a boat made for three, or three people into a boat made for two. Don't play foolish pranks such as pushing a boy who cannot swim into deep water. Don't go out on the bay in a small motor boat. A storm may come up and your small ship be capsized.

The drowning season is here. There has never been a summer within the memory of the oldest citizen of the city that has not been marked by drowning tragedies.

Doubtful About It. Nath Taylor could neither read nor write, but he put one over on the city preacher that he engaged to marry him. Nath had for a long time contemplated marrying, but never had the nerve to inquire into the necessary legal formalities. A preacher from the city happened to be visiting on the farm where Nath was employed. When Nath learned of the presence of the preacher in the house he decided to go up and inquire just what had to be done. When Nath reached the front steps his courage left him, and there Mr. Smith, his employer, found him. Nath explained his mission and the preacher was called to enlighten him.

"And so you wish to get married, my man?" the preacher nodded encouragingly to Nath, whose courage was fast slipping away. "We-eh, I think I will try it a while," Nath replied. "How much does it cost?"

Considerate Wife. Senator John W. Weeks of Massachusetts smiled when one of a party in a Boston club alluded to henpecked husbands, and said that he was reminded of a man named Bates.

One afternoon Bates was having a little gabfest with an old acquaintance, when the latter spoke of married life and the beauty of having a happy home.

"That's whar I have a whole lot to be thankful for," said Bates. "I have a wife who looks after me constantly. As a matter of fact, there are times when she even takes off my shoes for me."

"I see," thoughtfully mused the acquaintance. "I suppose that is when you come home tired at night." "No, no," smilingly corrected Bates. "It is when she thinks that I am about to slide out early in the evening."—Philadelphia Telegraph.

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JOHN'S DEDUCTION AT FAULT

Result of Bright Youth's Reasoning Brought Conspiration to His Employer.

John was the new boy at the boarding house. His mistress was scolding him because he never surmounted an obstacle.

"John," she said, "when I sent you for a two-pound loaf of cake and they had none, why in the world did you not bring two one-pound cakes? That would be exactly the same thing."

John seemed to grasp the knowledge. His mistress thought so until the next day.

She was going on a journey, and being a large stout woman, told John to engage her two seats in the bus. When John returned she asked: "Did you have any difficulty?"

"No, madam," replied the hopeless John, "but I could not get them both together, so I got one on the inside and one on the top!"

Force of Habit. "I'll bet that judge used to be a street car conductor," said the bridegroom as they came out of the office of the justice of the peace.

"What makes you think so?" asked the bride. "When I handed him his fee for marrying us, he asked me if I wanted a transfer?"

Read Backward. Jack—How did you come to get interested in that novel you are reading? Marie—I liked the way it ended.

Talented. "Wasn't your wife something of an elocutionist before she married you?" asked the man who had just returned from an extended stay abroad. "She is yet," answered the other sadly, thinking of her oratorical efforts on the occasions when he had come home late from the club.

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Vocal Carpenters. Hazel—What is that scraping noise out front? Dawn—Must be the chorus girls filing off the stage.

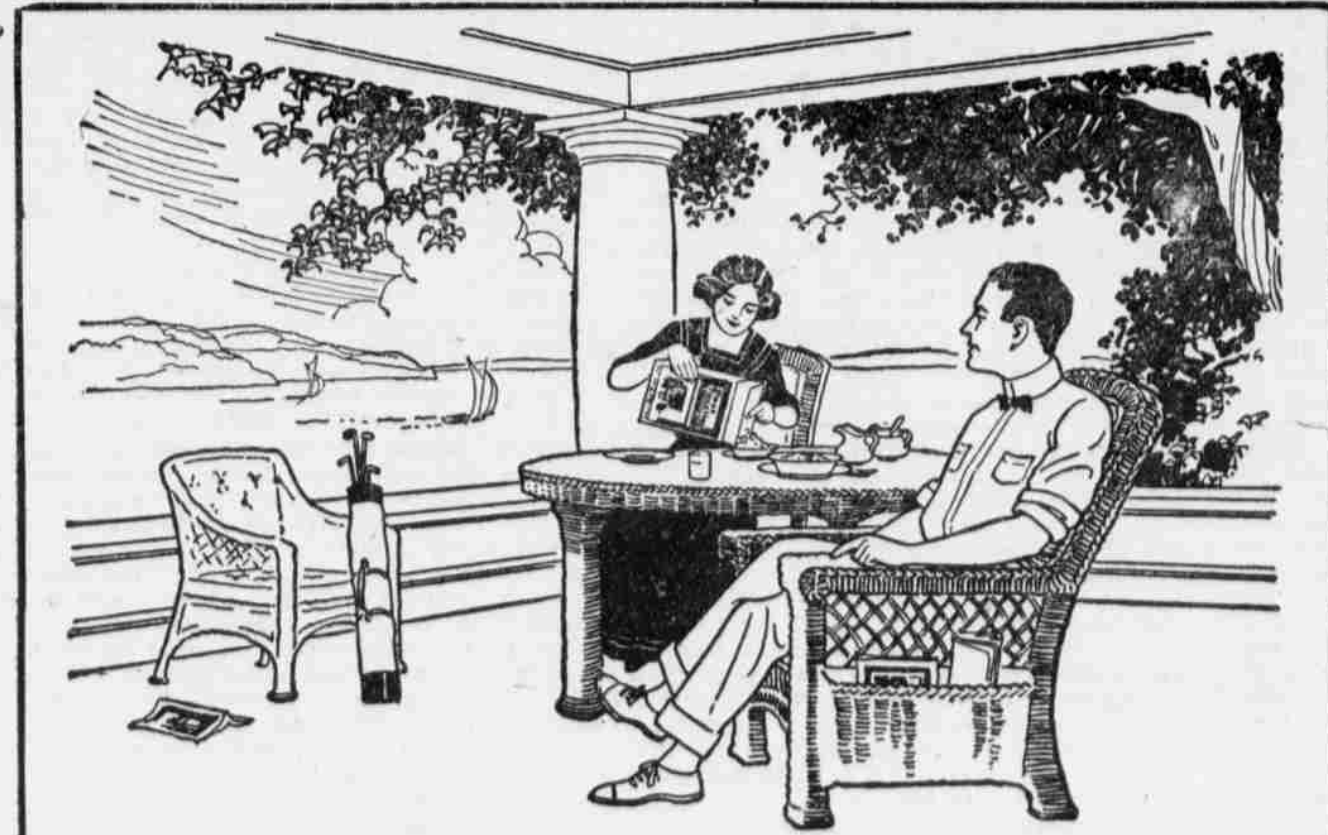
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Shrapnel is also playing a most important part in aerial warfare, and of these antiaircraft shrapnel, all of which embody the same general essentials, there is perhaps none more effective than that known as "Ehrhardt antiaircraft shrapnel."

His Bid. Between the blonde young woman on the other side of the car and her stout neighbor next to the left there intervened a space perhaps four inches in width. Clinging to the strap just in front of the blonde woman was a cheerful individual whose uncertain footing was, it seemed, not wholly due to the jolting and jerking of the common carrier. Presently he fastened an ingratiating smile upon the young woman.

"Madam," murmured he, "if you'd lemme sit down in that place there by you I'd—I'd vote for woman suffrage."—New York Evening Post.

After passing the spring chicken age a woman makes a goose of herself.

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