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Lloyd's Column

The school boy has queer ideas sometimes, says the Great Divide as is demonstrated by the following answers given to teachers in search of information: A poor boy was asked: "What is a gentleman?" "A fellow that has a watch and chain," he replied, adding, when he saw that his answer was not perfectly satisfactory, "and loves Jesus." "Medieval is a wicked man who has been tempted." "A demagogue is a vessel containing beer and other liquids." "Tom, use a sentence with responsibility in it." Tom said, "When one suspender button is gone there is a great deal of responsibility on the other one."

"What is a lad?" Inquired the teacher. A very small girl answered: "A thing for counting with." "Give the future of drink." "Present, he drinks; future he will be drunk." "The plural for pillow." "Bolster." "Compare ill." "Ill, worse, dead." This recalls the answer of the boy who said: "Masculine, man, feminine woman; neuter, corpse." "Who was the first man?" said a teacher. "Washington," promptly answered the young American. "No," said the teacher, "Adam was the first man." "Oh, well I suppose you are right," replied the undaunted patriot. "If you refer to furriers." "How did that blot come on your copybook, Sam?" "I think it is a tear, Miss Wallace." "How could a tear be black Sam?" "It must have been a colored boy who dropped it," suggested the reflective Samuel. "What made the tower of Pisa lean." "The fame in the land."

If any one person had all the money that is wasted in postage stamps within a year, he could make faces at John D. Rockefeller and afford to run a country newspaper. Large contributor to this mountain of needlessly wasted wealth are those people who send unsigned letters to the newspapers. Before an editor publishes an article that is in any way a criticism, he wants to know who the author of that article is, but the name need not be published in connection with the article, but the newspaper management must have the author's name as a sort of defense should anyone come in and demand an explanation through the barrels of a shot gun. Occasionally we get these kind of letters. We got one the past week from "A Constant Reader" who wanted us to investigate some fake mining company that was attempting to sell stock in Box Butte county. We imagine this is about the steenth hundredth time that we have stated no attention will be paid to articles of this kind. Sign your name if you want attention. If the writer is afraid to assume the responsibility, why ask us to do so?

Under ordinary conditions he was a man of prominence—but as he assembled the steps of his residence, very early in the morning, it was evident that he desired to be as much otherwise as possible. The boys were lingering near to see that their charge was safely disposed of for the night. The door opened before the man on the steps could get his key to work, and he was met with the question: "John, where have you been?" (Silence.) "Are you going to answer my question?"

"Yes, my dear I am. From my personal knowledge I can't give the desired information, 'n I'm going to ask the boys who brought me home."

"I think that fellow is real mean," said Marie, throwing down the paper. "What fellow?" "Why, the one it speaks of here who has invented a car window that will open and shut readily by touching a spring." "Well, I think it is a great thing. Why do you object to it?" "Simply because now I can never have, when traveling alone, some fascinating traveling man bending over me to open or shut the window for me."

A bright youngster greatly desired a steam boat just like his cousin, Edison Lee who lived in another town and who had been visiting at the youngsters home. On retiring as usual one evening he commenced his prayer: "Now I lay me down to sleep; I pray the Lord—get me a steamboat just like Edison Lee's. If I should die before I wake—tie a long string to it for eus sake."

Did you ever experience that feeling that comes to a person when you ring the door bell and no one comes to the door, yet you knew the party just went into the house? A lady dropped into the office this week and suggested that mention be made of it in this column. She says the neighbors have all had experience.

A writer on one of the daily papers suggests that one week in each year be observed as "Take Back the Door You Borrowed" week. If this suggestion was carried out here we imagine some of our men and women would look like a kid on the opening day of school. We wonder if it would bring back to us our atlas?

They were on Box Butte avenue. One had come down town to make a small purchase. "Mercy, I can't buy that lace at all. I have left my money at home and haven't a cent with me. What'll we do?" "Let's go shopping."

The young man took his sweet-heart out to the graveyard and showing her a dark corner said: "Mary, my folks lie there. Would you like to lie there when you die?" It was a grim way of proposing but Mary was a sensible lassie and accepted.

Tom—"They say them German guns carry twenty miles."
Terry—"That's nuthin'. Our big guns simply ask, 'Wot address?'"

There are some people who are suspicious of you when you are doing them a kindness.

Women, it is said, live longer than men. This comes of their keeping their age a secret. Death doesn't know when to call for them.

A metal box into which an incandescent lamp can be inserted has been patented by an Idaho man for warming beds.

Some things are expensive at that. We know of a man who offered \$25 for "nothing," of his own free will and accord.

Sure, let a woman have the last word, if she wants it. She is none the richer and you none the poorer.

It sure is a wise child that gets out of the room to laugh when the old man mashes his thumb.

Minding other peoples business is what brings so much care and worry into some faces.

Sometimes a good scare is better for a fellow than good advice.

Raincoats made of paper are now on the market.

There's little to be gained by being a knocker.

On Certainty, thou art a jewel.

DRINK HOT WATER BEFORE BREAKFAST

Says you really feel clean, sweet
and fresh inside, and
are seldom ill.

If you are accustomed to wake up with a coated tongue, foul breath or a dull, dizzy headache; or, if your meals sour and turn into gas and acids, you have a real surprise awaiting you.

To-morrow morning, immediately upon arising, drink a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This is intended to first neutralize and then wash out of your stomach, liver, kidneys and thirty feet of intestines all the indigestible waste, poisons, sour bile and toxins, thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal.

Those subject to sick headaches, backache, bilious attacks, constipation or any form of stomach trouble, are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store and begin enjoying this morning inside-bath. It is said that men and women who try this become enthusiastic and keep it up daily. It is a splendid health measure for it is more important to keep clean and pure on the inside than on the outside, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, causing disease, while the bowel pores do.

The principle of bathing inside is not new, as millions of people practice it. Just as hot water and soap cleanse, purify and freshen the skin, so hot water and a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels. Limestone phosphate is an inexpensive white powder and almost tasteless.

BONE DRY BILL PASSES THE HOUSE

Only Three Votes Were Cast Against
the Measure in Nebraska House
of Representatives

Lincoln—Nebraska's bone dry prohibition bill, House Roll 793, passed the House of Representatives on third reading March 7, by a vote of 90 for, 3 against, 7 absent and not voting. The bill will now go to the senate for action by that body.

Several of the House members explained their votes. Representative Thomas of Alliance when casting his vote made the following statement: "As a member of the prohibition committee which drew up 'his bill, I feel it my duty and privilege to explain my vote. During the campaign last year I took a public stand in favor of state prohibition. My opponents claimed that because of the fact that I was a Democrat it was impossible for me to also be a 'dry' and that I was therefore endeavoring to mislead the voters. I believe that my actions with reference to the prohibition bill should be conclusive evidence that I have lived up to my pledges made during the campaign. I vote AYE."

House Roll 244, introduced by Trumble, intended to regulate political advertisements in newspapers, which was protested against by the Nebraska Press Association at their meeting in Lincoln recently, has been killed by the committee on Miscellaneous Subjects by being recommended for indefinite postponement.

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Resolved that we Alliance Lodge No. 168 I. O. O. F., tender to our bereaved brother our sincere and heartfelt condolence altho words of sympathy cannot remove the sense of loss occasioned by taking away so kind and loving mother.

We trust that this expression of interest may in some way assuage the grief of the afflicted.

E. M. MARTIN,
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North Platte Valley Teachers' Association. You should go! Where Sidney, Neb., March 29, 30, and 31, 1917. The pronoun "you" refers to every teacher in the western part of Nebraska. Not only should teachers attend, but school boards will find it to their advantage if they are represented by at least one member. Teachers are responsible for educational results in their schools and members of boards of education will serve their communities more satisfactorily if they have studied general problems of education. H. W. Foght, of the United States bureau of education, Washington, D. C., will conduct a rural life conference, and the program will appear the best talent, presenting phases of school work from primary through the high school, and the general problems with which all have to deal. You should go and spend a profitable time surrounded by helpful professional influences.

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DRINK HOT TEA FOR A BAD COLD

Get a small package of Hamburger Breast Tea, or as the German folks call it, "Hamburger Brust Thee," at any pharmacy. Take a tablespoonful of the tea, put a cup of boiling water upon it, pour through a sieve and drink a teaspoon full at any time during the day or before retiring. It is the most effective way to break a cold and cure grip, as it opens the pores of the skin, relieving congestion. Also loosens the bowels, thus driving a cold from the system.

Try it the next time you suffer from a cold or the grip. It is inexpensive and entirely vegetable, therefore safe and harmless.

RUB BACKACHE AND LUMBAGO RIGHT OUT

Rub Pain and Stiffness away with
a small bottle of old honest
St. Jacobs Oil

When your back is sore and lame or lumbago, sciatica or rheumatism has you stiffened up, don't suffer! Get a 25 cent bottle of old, honest "St. Jacobs Oil" at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub it right into the pain or ache, and by the time you count fifty, the soreness and lameness is gone.

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