

HOW TO TREAT HUSBANDS.

New Jersey Pastor Lays Down Epigrammatic Rules for Wives.

Jersey City, N. J.—Rev. Dr. J. L. Scudder, of the First Congregational church, has preached a sermon on "How to Treat Your Husband." These are some of the rules and comments made on married life by the preacher:

"No wife can be as free and frivolous as she was before her nuptial days. Her station demands a certain matronly dignity.

"Don't be one of those autoerotic creatures that say 'Marriage makes two one and I'm the one.'

"The man who is married to one of those female tyrants with firm chin and haughty demeanor has no need of purgatorial fire in the life to come.

"A qualification of a model wife is to keep her temper and control her tongue.

"A cross, cantankerous jade loves to give her husband a piece of her mind, and usually, like a mosaic, her mind is composed of many pieces.

"Scolding wives live long and die hard. They possess vitality, volubility and sometimes vituperation.

"If a husband persists in going round in his shirt sleeves and leaves his clothes about the room when he should put them in the closet, never mind such trifles. They are only spots on the sun."

FARM FOR HUMMINGBIRDS.

New York Woman Will Raise Tiny Birds for Pets.

New York.—Convinced that hummingbirds will make good household pets, Miss Gwendolin Brooks of Central Park West, is going to raise them in Central Islip, L. I. Miss Brooks has bought a farm there and has obtained plans for aviaries from W. Albert Swasey.

She proposes to sell the tiny birds, and said she already has a lot of commissions for them. In spite of their small size they are not difficult to keep in good health, she declared, and they are most interesting to study. She has experimented in raising them in the south and west.

At Central Islip Miss Brooks will make a specialty of the species known as the "ruby-breasted" birds. Their real home is in South America, but they migrate to this climate in the hot weather, nest here and return to the tropics in August before cold weather can nip their frail bodies. Just how they manage to survive the hardships of their long journey here and back to the tropics has long puzzled naturalists.

Miss Brooks says that if the birds have considerable space to fly about in and are well fed with honey and insects they are not hard to raise.

NEWSPAPER TO TELL TRUTH.

Publication Will Deal with Society Regardless of Libel Laws.

London.—According to the Financial News, arrangements are being made to publish an English daily newspaper, the chief feature of which will be an absolute defiance of the libel laws.

It will publish comment of any kind upon any person, will deal with society scandals and financial gossip with unrestrained frankness, not concealing the names or the most intimate details. Cases before law courts on which comment is not allowed will be discussed regardless of the law, in a manner "calculated to take the curls out of counsel's wigs."

Judges will be criticized as freely as witnesses. If the latter are regarded as committing perjury they will be pilloried. Therefore the paper's conductors propose to avoid prosecution or suppression of their sheet by printing it in Belgium or France and mailing copies to English subscribers.

There will be no offices in England. If the postoffice refuses to circulate the paper in wrappers copies will be enclosed in envelopes.

ASKS "PUG" TO BLACK EYE.

Sailor Requests Jeffries to "Swipe" Him as a Souvenir.

Los Angeles, Cal.—John Lyle, a seaman of the destroyer Whipple, made a unique request to "Jim" Jeffries the other day. Lyle wandered into Jeff's place and said:

"Mr. Jeffries, I'm just off the Whipple and I've never been west before I come from Philadelphia and back in that town we have one fighter, Jack O'Brien, but he doesn't class with you.

"I've always wanted to see you and I had instructions from Philadelphia friends that if I ran across you in this country I should bring back a souvenir of you. So, if you will oblige me and let me have a black eye, kindly swipe me just once in the eye, so it will be good and black. Then I can tell the folks that Jeff did it."

Jeff refused.

Leads Deer by the Ear.

Harrisburg, Pa.—Harry Stahl, keeping the country store at Rockville, just west of this city, captured a live deer with his hands the other morning.

It was a full-grown doe, and had been chased into the river from the Cumberland shore, swimming a mile across to Rockville, where it was again beset by dogs.

Stahl heard the commotion and went to the deer's assistance. He drove away the dogs, and catching the deer by the ear, led it to his stable.

State Game Commissioner Kalofuss will send the deer to the state game reservation at Pine Grove.

NEW ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF TREASURY



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Louis A. Coolidge, who recently succeeded J. H. Edwards as assistant secretary of the treasury, has been for many years a prominent Washington newspaper man. In 1904 he directed the literary bureau of the Republican national committee and has been editor of the Congressional Directory and Indexer of the Congressional Record. Although Mr. Coolidge has given a great deal of attention to politics and newspaper work, he has found time to write several books, among them "The Show at Washington" and "Klondike and the Yukon Country," besides contributing regularly to different magazines of the country. He is a native of Massachusetts, 46 years old, and a graduate of Harvard.

PANAMA "SKEETERS."

NINETY KINDS ARE FOUND IN THE CANAL ZONE.

Scientist, After an Investigation in the Isthmian Region, Makes Remarkable Collection of Little Disease Bearers.

Washington.—A government bug hunter has been down on the Isthmus of Panama collecting mosquitoes in the canal zone. He secured larvae of 93 species, of which 30 were new to science. With seven additional species already known, this constitutes the largest number recorded from any one locality on earth.

Anybody who is interested may see the mosquitoes for himself in the National museum, where they have been deposited. August Busck is the name of this scientific collector who now holds the mosquito record. He spent three months on the Isthmus during the mosquito breeding time, covering the end of the dry season and the early part of the rainy season.

It has cost, and is costing, a lot of money to protect the lives of the men working in the canal zone from the 90 separate species of mosquitoes now known to exist along the route of the waterway.

Mosquitoes do not fly very far from the place where they are born. They keep close to their food supply. Those that affect the inhabitants of a town or camp normally do not come from a distance greater than 200 yards. It is this fact that renders the sanitary work of the canal commission possible.

The land about every settlement is cleared by the removal of all brush, undergrowth and grass; only shade and fruit trees are left, and these are thinned out to admit sunlight and free ventilation. When practicable, swamps and low lands are filled in with some of the immense supply of material taken from the Culbreth cut.

Then the whole area is drained so that the surface water will run off. Ditches and slow-flowing streams are kept clear of mosquitoes by drippings of oil or of copper sulphate. Swamps and pools are oiled at least once a week.

Water barrels, buckets and pails must be screened or oiled, and all tin cans must be buried. Even the cast-off machines, brush-covered relics of French occupation, are drained of their puddles of water. If many insects infest a camp or town, it is fumigated. By carrying out these methods of general extermination exceptionally thorough results have already been obtained.

One important feat already has been accomplished. The yellow fever

mosquito, the only kind in America spreading this infection, scientifically called stegomyia, is very scarce. It is possible to live for weeks on the line of the canal without seeing a single specimen. This mosquito is a strictly domestic insect, never found away from man. It breeds only in artificial receptacles, such as barrels, water coolers, bottles, tin cans, etc., in and around human habitations. Knowing this, it is well within the power of the authorities to eliminate absolutely this dangerous insect, and render a yellow fever epidemic impossible on account of the total absence of the only agent which spreads it.

The malaria carrying varieties, included under the general name of anophelids, are also subject to rigorous attack. Usually the species of this group deposit larvae along the edges of slow-flowing streams and stagnant pools, but specimens were also secured from the bottom of an old boat, from an abandoned dump ear, from holes in trees and in similar out-of-the-way spots. It has not yet been determined whether all of these are instrumental in carrying malaria, and therefore they may furnish a fertile field for investigation.

Certain genera, technically called megarhini, psorophora and lutzia, were found, which, instead of spreading any disease hostile to men, wage war on their weaker cousins, and at times even on their brothers and sisters. They are cannibals of their sort.

MOTHER'S TEETH AID ELOPERS.

While Dentist is at Work Man Runs Off with Her Daughter.

Lewiston, Pa.—A shrewd ruse, which brought to 45-year-old John Tressler a 16-year-old bride, was unfolded here when Tressler related to Justice of the Peace Patton how he had managed his elopement three weeks ago with pretty Nora Haines, a farmer's daughter, who lived at Lockport.

Tressler was well received at the Haines home, but because of his age he was not held favorably in the light of a suitor. Learning that Mrs. Haines intended having her teeth attended to, he brought a dentist, who is a friend of his, from Lewiston to the Haines home. While the dentist was at work the daughter slipped out a back door with her fiancé and drove away to be married.

Tressler has been arrested, charged with abduction. When he and his girl-wife appeared in the courtroom the latter showed her marriage certificate, whereupon the mother's blessing was given. Tressler says he will pay the dentist's bill.

Seesawing with a Piano.

Man on a Plank 100 Feet Up, on a Roof, Almost Turns Gray.

Allentown, Pa.—A peculiar method of hoisting a heavy piano to the upper floor of a tall building was so put to the test in this city as almost to turn the hair of Councilman and Piano Dealer Horace S. Schultz gray in a few minutes.

He and his men were moving the piano. To elevate it on the outside of the building a 14 foot plank was raised to the roof over 100 feet above the sidewalk. Only a few inches were allowed to project over the end of the roof, and to this end were attached a block and tackle.

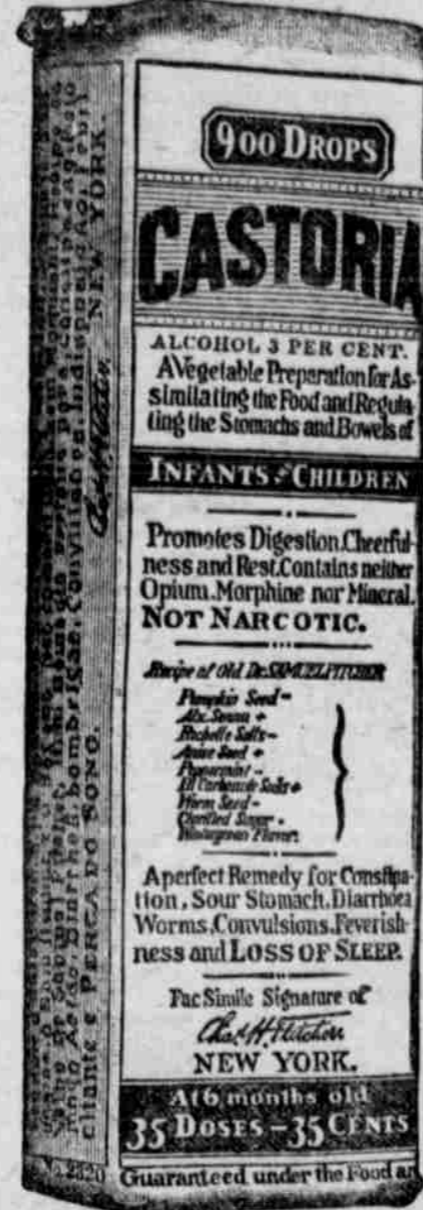
Schultz then seated himself on the far end of the plank, to keep it down, and his assistants below began to

hoist the piano. Half way up the cornice, on part of which the plank rested, gave way, and the latter shifted considerably and caused the plank and Schultz to rise every time the workers below heaved on the rope.

Mr. Schultz realized that it was useless to shout. To jump off the plank meant to allow the piano to crash to the pavement, and, perhaps, kill the men below. Swaying up and down, and every second threatened with being capitulated through the atmosphere. Schultz passed through about ten minutes of the most agonizing torture. Finally his plight was seen, an additional man of weight came to his relief, the plank was pressed down, and the hoisting of the piano was finished; and then Schultz, faint and sick, was taken off the roof.

Don't Poison Baby.

FORTY YEARS AGO almost every mother thought her child must have PAREGORIC or laudanum to make it sleep. These drugs will produce sleep, and A FEW DROPS TOO MANY will produce the SLEEP FROM WHICH THERE IS NO WAKING. Many are the children who have been killed or whose health has been ruined for life by paregoric, laudanum and morphine, each of which is a narcotic product of opium. Druggists are prohibited from selling either of the narcotics named to children at all, or to anybody without labelling them "poison." The definition of "narcotic" is: "A medicine which relieves pain and produces sleep, but which in poisonous doses produces stupor, coma, convulsions and death." The taste and smell of medicines containing opium are disguised, and sold under the names of "Drops," "Cordials," "Soothing Syrups," etc. You should not permit any medicine to be given to your children without you or your physician know of what it is composed. CASTORIA DOES NOT CONTAIN NARCOTICS, if it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.



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