

Championing the Worm.

An incident occurred some years ago during a session of the British parliament...

There had been introduced a bill designed to prevent cruelty to wild animals in captivity...

When the Earl of Kimberley arose he gravely admitted the force of this argument.

"There can be no doubt," said he, "that the bill would put an end to fishing with worms as bait...

Sun Cooking.

Sun cooking—roasting and boiling by sunlight instead of by coal or gas—has been going on for 300 years...

An odd thing about meat roasted by sun rays is that it has an unpleasant taste...

One Sided Gambling.

"One need only to try his luck at any of the Riviera gambling palaces to learn how slender are the chances to win at roulette..."

A Shocked Scot.

The London Chronicle says that two Englishmen recently touring in Scotland found that Sabbatarianism occasionally extends to the middle of the week...

Rebuked the Bishop.

The bishop of Petersburg, England, is a great motorist and is also a staunch teetotaler...

Making Herself at Home.

Last summer five-year-old Lola's aunt came to spend a week with them.

The Finisher.

Lawyer—What is your occupation? Witness—I'm a piano finisher.

The Gossip.

Nell—She's an awful gossip. She tells everything she hears.

Do not make unjust gains. They are equal to a loss.—Hesiod.

Nothing Was the Matter.

"A newsboy I knew," said a yachtman, "took to the sea. He became cabin boy on a tramp collier."

"Come on! Pull! Get down to it!" he roared, dancing about wildly.

Light and Dark Cigars. A striking example of the ordinary smoker's ignorance on the subject of smokes is the popular superstition that a dark looking cigar is stronger than a lighter colored one...

How Spiders Undress. It is an interesting sight indeed to watch a spider change its skin and one that will well repay any one for the time taken up by waiting for the little known—generally speaking—event to take place...

Just Pleasantness. Perhaps just pleasantness has not a very heroic sound, but the human heart that, knowing its own bitterness, can yet carry itself cheerfully is not without heroism...

It Didn't Work Out Just Right. I saw the best of intentions become a veritable boomerang on Broadway the other night.

Kitchen Talk. "I suppose," said the Lemon to the Nutmeg, "that you were very much hurt when the cook announced that she did not intend to use you for flavoring the pudding..."

Cabbage Leaves. Wizz—What kind of cigars does Closest smoke? Wagg—Well, when you light one of them you instinctively look around for the corned beef.—Exchange.

Strictly Business. "Who presented the count to you?" asked the privileged friend. "No one," answered the heiress. "I bought him."—Lippincott's.

HER STRATEGY.

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"Walter," said my old chum, Bess, "why is it that I have never made any impression on you?"

"I don't believe it; but, whether he has or hasn't, forgive him." "Would you consider that turning the 'cold shoulder' to him?"

Heard in a Restaurant. "Say, waiter, I'm in a hurry. What can you give me for breakfast?"

The Speed of Light. Light holds the record for high speed among all moving things that have been measured.

In Old Bohemia. "I would like to meet some of the picturesque long haired knights of the pen and palette..."

A Bit of a Bull. The following entry was discovered the other day in the complaint book of a Melbourne club...

The intelligent Mule.

"Some people think mules haven't much intelligence, but I know they have," was the way a commercial traveler interrupted a story teller.

"Good night," said the man whom the commercial traveler had interrupted.—New York Globe.

The Top Hat. Tail hats, "perkin up like the spire of a steeple a quarter of a yard above the crown..."

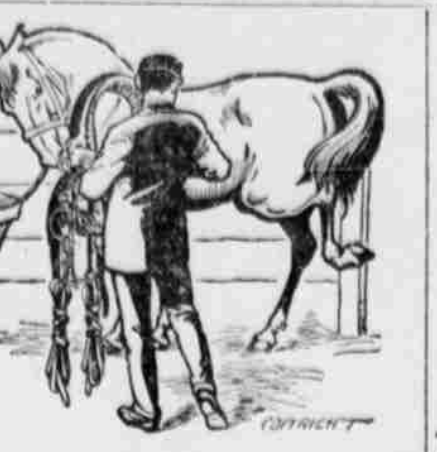
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Obedys Him. Mr. Newliwed—So you've been buying more useless truck? We have absolutely no use for those curtains.

Two Likes. "I like your nerve!" gasped the beautiful girl, struggling against the inevitable.



Does He Kick? We mean your horse. Does his harness fit him or does it chafe his back, his breast or any tender part that makes him uncomfortable?

A. F. FINK'S

ROAD NO. 322. To all whom it may concern: The commissioner appointed for the purpose of locating a public road as follows:

General Election Notice 1909. Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 2nd day of November, 1909, at the voting places in the various precincts of Lincoln county, Nebraska, there will be held—general election for the purpose of electing the following officers, to-wit:

STATE OFFICERS. Three Judges of the Supreme Court, Two regents of the University, COUNTY OFFICERS. One County Judge, One County Sheriff, One County Coroner, One County Treasurer, One County Clerk, One County Surveyor, One County Superintendent of Public Instruction, One County Commissioner, First District.

PRECINCT OFFICERS. Two Justices of the Peace, Two Constables, One Precinct Assessor, One Overseer for each Road District. Which election will be open at eight o'clock in the morning and will continue open until six o'clock in the afternoon of the same day.

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A. J. Ames, M. D., Marie Ames, I. D. DOCTORS AMES & AMES. Physicians and Surgeons, Office: Over Stone Drug Co. Phones: Office 273, Residence 273.

GEO. B. DENT, Physician and Surgeon, Office: Over McDonald Bank, Phones: Office 130, Residence 115.

DR. L. C. DROST, Osteopathic Physician, Rooms 7 and 8, McDonald State Bank Building, Phone 148.

WILCOX & HAL'IGAN, Attorneys-at-Law, Office over Scha' Clothing Store, Phone 8.

T. C. PATTERSON, Attorney-at-Law, Office: Cor. Front & Dewey Sts.

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT DEFENDANTS. To Adian H. Fisher and lots one and two in block eighty-four of the original City of North Platte, Nebraska, defendants:

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