Deacon Knew Well What the Trouble With the Young Men Was-Why Count Was Dissatisfied With Bride's Dowry.

A Lesson on Ethics. "My darling," said a mother, taking leave of her newly-married daughter, "in wedded life there is much to bear and forbear; but remember thisnever hit your husband with the pasteroller or potato-masher. The presence of hair on your pastry or mashed potatoes would lower you in the esteem of your friends. If occasion arises the poker is quite as effective and more

How Washington "Side-Stepped." "George Washington had a very

peaceful and happy married life," remarked the man who likes biog-

"Had he?" responded the coarse and ill-informed person. "I'm glad to hear that. I always suspected that it might be different, owing to Washington's utter incapacity for telling anything but the truth."

Slip of the Tongue.

"I am going to have a number of friends to dinner to-night, and I will want some lobsters," said the citizen, rushing into the fish market.

"Yes," replied the fish dealer, rubbing his hands; "how many lobsters are you going to have?" "Sir!"

"I mean how many lobsters will you require."

Exacting.

"So you had to close the show?" "Yes," answered the manager with the plaid vest.

What was the trouble?" "To much craze for realism. There was a counterfeiting scene, and the actors said they couldn't go through with it unless they could see what money looked like once in a while."

The Same Old Game.

"And who," whispered a member of the legislative committee, "is to get the hot end of this deal?"

The people," wildly exclaimed the irate member who was floating with the reformers.

"Oh, well, then, go ahead," said the first member, in a relieved tone. "I didn't know but what it was to be one of us for a change.'

Fatal Error.

Markley-I was foolish enough to remark to my wife that I rather admired those new waists that button down the back. So she got one. Ascum-Well, you practically told

her to get it. Markley-Oh, that was all right, but now she insists that she must have a maid to button it for her.

Poor Opinion of Esau. "What can you tell me about Esau?"

asked the Sunday school teacher of the juvenile class. "Esau," replied a little fellow, with

all the confidence of one who feels himself on safe ground, "was a feller with a gold brick." copyright for a mess of potash."

Was Worth More.

Count (to his flancee's father, who is a rich banker)-You will only give \$100,000 to your daughter as a dowry! I would have you remember, that four-and-twenty ancestors will turn in their graves when I marry a commoner.

In the Country Church.



The Village Parson (preaching)-I tell you, brethren, fast horses are ruining our young men. Deacon (just waking up)-No, it ain't. It's ther slow ones.

Phoebe's Feet. (after the service)—What makes you think my feet are so small?

He-I noticed, while we were in church, that you seemed to have no trouble in getting them into my silk hat.-Scraps.

A Sudden Departure. Clapham-Didn't your new cook

leave you rather suddenly? Brixton—Yes. She got mixed in her dates. She had a policeman and a burglar call on her the same even-

Taking No Chances. Mr. Younghusband—Why don't you try your hand at cooking, dear? Mrs. Y .- Well, I will if you will pleased when I left." promise to continue to love me.

Neatly Trapped.

"Are you fond of birds?" she asked innocently, as she stood at the piano fumbling the music.

"I dearly love them," he replied with never a shadow of suspicion. Then she ran her slender fingers over the keys and began to sing, "O, Would I Were a Bird."

Explained.

Silas-'What was the parson's text

Cyrus-"'Learn to Look Up."' Silas-"'Learn to Look Up'? H'm! He must think we ar, going to a town where they have the skyscrapers."

Those Tall Girls.



Cholly-Yes, indeed, my love for you has broadened me greatly. Sweet Kathleen-It hasn't lengthened you any, has it, Cholly?

Abbreviated Costumes. : Mrs. Gableigh-What did the ladies wear at the banquet? Gableigh-I can't remember, except

that their frocks would have made

admirable rainy-day outfits-Mrs. Gableigh (horrified)-What! Gableigh-If they had walked on

It Made No Difference. There had been a little family jar

and she was sulking. "You have no right to refuse me," she said. "When I promised to marry you I told you that I always wanted my own way, and you said that made

no difference.' "Well, it doesn't, does it?" he retorted. "You don't get it, do you?" Thus it happened that she called him a mean thing.

Royal Fads.

"The papers say that Queen Alexandra's hobby is clocks." "Yes, I noticed 'he other day that one of her royal sisters is very fond of fine poultry."

"Well, I fancy it requires a much higher degree of intelligence to set a hen than to set a clock."

Turned the Other Way. "You can't judge by appearances, paw," said Farmer Sorghum's eldest daughter. "Beneath the roughest exterior may nestle the heart of gold." The old man looked thoughtful.

"That sounds nice," he said, 'but it seem to me it's jest the opp'site

A Forecast.

Olden-You're cultivating rather extravagant tastes

Youngman-Oh, well, when I get a start in the world I expect to have all the money I want.

Olden-Well, at that rate, you'll want all the money you expect to have.

Suspicious of the Gilt Edges. "This is what I call a gilt-edge investment," said the persuasive agent. 'Yes." answered Farmer Corntassel. 'but that's just how it was with the gold brick I bought. The edges were fine, but the inside was a delusion

Gave Her Such a Scare. Husband-Darling, I believe that I

and a snare."

am failing. Wife (in alarm)-Gracious! How often I have warned you, George, against your foolish speculations! Husband-I don't mean in business, dear; I mean I'm failing in health. wife (relieved)-O, is that all?

Logical. He-"Do you lieve the missing link will ever be found?' She-"Of course not."

He-'Why?" She-"Because if found it will not be the missing link.'

Cinderella Revised. Cinderella's fairy godmother had changed the pumpkin into a coach.

But Cinderella was not satisfied. "Oh, fuge!" she exclaimed. 'Why couldn't you have changed it into an automobile?"

III-Considered.

Caller-Mr. Sharpe, I have come to ask your advice as to the quickest way to be relieved from any debts. Lawyer (thinking for a moment of something else)-Pay them.

Generalities Unsafe. "Is it good luck to have a black cat

follow you?" "It all depends, I suppose, on whether you're a mouse or a man."

Draw Your Own Conclusion. "Was your last mistress satisfied with you?" "Well, mum, she said she was very

Beyond His Control.

"Dear me." said the good-looking female visitor to the superintendent of the lunatic asylum, "what a vicious look that woman has we just passed in the corridor! Is she dangerous?" "Yes, at times," replied the superin-

tendent, evasively. "But why do you allow her such

freedom?" "Can't help it"

"But isn't she an inmate and under your control? "No. She is not under my control. She's my wife."

As It Sometimes Happens.

"Anyway," said Enpeck, with a sigh long drawn out. "I may be able to worry along if they don't arrest me for bigamy. "Arrest you for bigamy!" exclaimed

tion. "What in the name of goodness do you mean by that?" "Just what I said," replied the meek and lowly martyr. "I seem to have married not only you, but your mother and all the rest of your family as

the acting head of the misfit combina-



The Lady-Don't you ever get tired doing nothing?

Wily William-Lidy, believe me, I do nothin' else!

A Serious Problem.

and he sat down midway of the stairs to consider it. "What?" snapped his wife, who

was 3 a. m. "There 'sh two of you up zhere. Problem is, have I been taking too

many dzhinks or-huh-marryin' too many wives?"-Washington Times.

Making It Easy.
"My Dear Sir," wrote the editor to the persistent young author, "in order to simplify matters somewhat we are inclosing a bunch of our 'declined with thanks' notices. If you will put one of these in an envelope with your manuscript and mail it to yourself it will make it easier for all of us, and you will be saving something in postage as well.'

Proof Not Pacifying.

Dolly Sweettoynge-And will you tell me solemnly, Harold, looking me steadily in the eyes, that ever since our engagement you have not kissed another girl?

Harold Hardpressed-Solemnly and truly, Dolly. Why, I haven't even asked but four, and every one of them happened to know of our engagement.

A Proposal?

Yes; papa's been speculating rather wildly lately." said Miss Nuritch. but I don't ca e what he does with his money. I've got resources of my own, you know."

"Yes?" replied Mr. Wood Marrier. "Don't you think, Maggie-er, that is -Miss Muritch, that you had better 'husband' your resources?"

New Considerations. "So you are not concerning yourself about the ratio between gold and

silver?" "No," answered "e rural voter; "what I want to see ow is some definite and satisfs or relationship between a five dollar bill and a ton of coal, or two bits and a pound of

Something Wrong. "Maria," said old Growells, "don't I allow you enough pin money?"

"Yes, dear," replied the other half of the sketch. "My allowance ample."

"Then why is it," continued Growells, "that I can never find a pin about the place when I happen to want

The Modest Humorist. "What do you regard," asks the interviewer, "as the period of greatest development in American humor?"

Here the person who is being interviewed waxes thoughtful. At last he "Well, I have been writing jokes

Not So Bad as That. Sympathetic Listener-In those dreary, desolate wastes, Mr. Dashpole, I suppose you grew fond even of your dogs?" Returned Arctic Explorer-Heav

for the past five years."

ens, no, miss! We had plenty of pem mican and walrus meat. Her Excuse. "Didn't I see that young man with his arms around you?"

"Yes, but we were just practicing the position for the waltz." "Don't you know that?" "Well, yes, I suppose I do; but I wanted to be sure."

Knew Whereof He Spoke. Towne-Wasn't that Cholly Saphead who was just talking to you? Browne-Yes. There's a fellow who has more money than brains. Towne-Really?

Browne-Yes, I just lent him \$2.



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clerk of Hoit county, Nebraska for a druggists license to sell mail spritous and viryous liquors for medical, medicinal, mechanical and chemical purposes at Page. Verdi
gre township, Holt county, Nebraska from
May 1, 1903, to April 30, 194. If there be no
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40-2 A. H. FARNSWORTH, Applicant.

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O'Neill, Nebraska, Feb. 25, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that In pursance of instructions from the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under authority invested in him by Sec. 2455, R. S. U. S., as amended by the act of February 25, 1895, we will proceed to offer at public sale on the 22nd day of April, next. at this office, the N W ½ S W ½. ec 28, T 31 N., R. 12 W

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described land are advised to file their claims in this office on or before the day of sale, otherwise their rights will be forfeited.

S. J. WEEKES,

Register

SHERIFF'S SALE. SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an ord rof sale issued to me by the clerk of the district court of Holt county, Nebraska, in case of County of Holt vs Justin McCarty, sr., Elizabeth McCarthy, and Cornell College were defendants; that I will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash in front of the court-houe in O'Neill, Holt county, Nebraska, April 20, 1903, at 10 o'clock, a m., the following real estate situated in said county and state, towit:

lowing real estate situated in said county and state, towit:

The south half of the southeast quarter of section 14 and the north half of the southeast quarter of ection 23, in lownship 25 north of range n ne [9] west of the 6th p m., except 5 acres out of the northeast corner of said section 23 to satisfy a decree entered in said cause Dec mber 31, 190, for the plaintiff for 41.0 and now owed by defendant Cornell (ollege on its answer and cross-petition filed in said cause for \$862 and costs \$50.28 and accruing costs.

C. E HALL, Sheriff of Holt County, Neb.

B IDGE NOTICE.

B IDGE NOTICE.

Sealed proposa's will be received at the office of the county ce k, C'Neill Nebraska. Until 12 o'clock. Apri 20, 1903 for the building of a bridge across the Elkhorn river in Ewis precluct about the center of the Sela 20-27-9. Said bridge to be a die and stringer bridge. Contractor to furnish plan and specification. The county to furnish the pling to be delivered at the site of said bridge.

All bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for bridge." The board of supervisors reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

E. S. GILMOUR.

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County lerk

BRIDGE N TI E. BRIDGE N TILE.

Sea co prorosals will be received at the office of the county of rk, O'Neill, Nebraska, until 12 o'clock. April 20, 1903, for the building of a bridge across the South Fork creek, on section and range line between section 6 26-11 and section 1-26-12 be ween McClure and Chambers precincts. Said bridge to be a pile and stringer bridge. Contractor to furnish plans and specifications. The county to furnish the piling for said bridge delivered at the ite of the bridge.

All bids to be sealed a d marked "Proposa for Bridge". The board of se pervisors reserves the right to reject any or a bid.

E. S. Gli MOUR,

County Clerk

LEGAL NOT CE.

William T, Wilder and Linda W. Wilder, his wife, non-residents defendants, will take notice that on the 9th day of March, 1903. Charles E Gi'son, paintiff, filed his petition in the district court of Holt county, Nebrasa, against you, impleaded with the County of Holt, and John Doe, whose name is unknown, the object and prayer of which are to foreclose a certain mortgage executed by William T. Wilder, and Linda W. Wilder upon the northeast quarter (nets) of section three 31 township twenty-five [25] range [12] Holt county, Nebraska, to The Guaranty Investment Company, and give to secure the payment of a fromissory note of six hundred dollars [\$400.06] to be due and payable on, he first day of May 1894, with interest at seven per cent from date until due and ter per ce t thereafter, a dupon which is due the cum of \$1,25.00. Said mortgage was recorded to book 4, of mortgages at pages 543 of the records of Holt county, Nebraska.

You are required to answer said petition in or before Monday, the 20th day of April, 1893.

C. A, KOBINSON, Kearney, Nebr., 27-4 LEGAL NOT CE.

C. A. HOBINSON, Kearney, Nebr. Atterney for plaintiff.

LEGAL NOTICE.

To Etta F Crow, widow of william Crow, deceased, Emily Andrews. — Andrews, her husband, Frank L Crow. — Crow. his wife, Edgar Crow, — row, his wife, William Cro. — Urow, his wife John Doe, true name unknown, defendants, will take notice that on the 9th day of March, 1903. harles F Gibson, plaintiff, filed his petition in the district court of floit county. Nebrasa, the object and praye of which are to foreclose a certain mortgage on the southeast quarter of the 50-th ast quarter (sek) of certain for the southeast quarter (sek) and north haif (sek) nottheast quarter (sek) and northeast quarter (sek) of the section 1 ownship 5 north range 15 Holt-cou ty. Neraska, which sald mortgage was executed by that is fulfi, and ida a, Huff, hi wile, on he lith day of une, 1888, to secure the payment of their promissory note for the sum of the tousand dollars, (\$1000) to be due on the 1st day of June, 1833. Which said mortgage was recorded in Book 39 of mortgages, at page 262.

pure 182 Plaintiff prays for a decree in the sum of \$2192.50. That said mortgage be foreclosed and said premises be sold to satisty said

anount.

Plaintiff further all ges that John Poet whose true name is unknown. has, or claims to have, some interest in said premises by virtue of an unrecorded deed.

You are required to answ r this petition on or before Monday, April 20, 1903.

C. A. ROBINSON, Kearney, Neb.

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Attorney for plaintiff.

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NOTICE

To Patrick Cannon, Wil'iam R. Parks and ife, Mrs. William R. Parks and Solomon ife. Mrs. William R. Parks and Solomon Hirsh.

You and e-ch of you will take notice that Charles VanGorder has begun an action in the district court of "Holt county. Nebraska, to foreclose a mortgage given on the southeast quarter of section twelve (12), township iwenty-nine (29), r nge feurteen (14), west of the 6th, P. M. in Holt count. Nebraska, by Patrick Cannon to secure his n te of \$300 oated May 9th 1893, and upon which here is now due the sum of \$150 with interest at ten never cen from May 1st. 1899. Plaintiff alieges had he is the owner and holder of said note and mortgage and that the same and that the defendants be required to pay said amount or that said premises be sold to satisfy the amount found due the plaintiff and for other equitable relief. You are required to arswersaid petition on or before the 30th day of March, 1903.

R. R. DICKSON, 34-4.

NOTICE.

To Handerkan Nehelf, widow, S. M. Bunnell and wife, Mrs. S. M. Bunnell, first and full names unknown. C. H. Toucray and Mrs. C. H. Toucray is and full names unknown. C. H. Toucray and Mrs. C. H. Toucray, is and full names unkn wn, Nelson ioneray, widower, and the County of Holt, defendants.

You and each of you will take notice that Michael Lyons as plaintiff has filed his petition in the district court of Holt county. Nebraska, against you and eact of you, the object and prayer of sa d petitien being to foreciose a certain mortgage executed by the defeed in t. Handerkin Nehoff to Showalter Mortgage con pany and now owned by the plaintiff upon the northwest quarter of section twenty-five (25.) township twenty-even 27.) range twelve (12.) west of the Sixth P. M. in Holt courty. Nebrask, said mortgage being given to secure the payment of her promissory note of August 1, 1889, for \$675, due five years after date Plaintiff alleges that there is due him upon said note and mortgage the sum os \$100 fs. weich sum with intereft from this date he prays for a deeree that the defendants be required to pay the same or that said plemises be sold to satisfy the amount found due.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 4th day of March 1905.

Attorney for Plaintiff.

NOTICE. To H. N. McKee and wife, Mrs. H. N. Mc-Kee, W. D. Mathews, Mrs. W. D. Mathews, Hugh E. Coen and Mrs. Hugh E. Coen, Ne-trask Mortgage and Invest ent Company, Charles P. Wright and Mary C. Wright, de-fendants

charles P. Wright and Mary C. Wright defendants.
You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 24th day of February, 1903, G. A. Hamilton began an action in the cistrict courtof fold County, Nebraska, against you, the object and prayer being to foreclose a certain real estate mortgage upon the northeast quarter of section thirty-five, township thirty-two, tange ten of Holt county, Nebraska, given by Tom crowe to Nebraska Morigage Investment Company, to secure his note of 400 due August 1st, 1885. Plaintiff alleges that he is the owner of said note and mortgage and there is due nim thereon the sum of \$1000 and prays for a decree that the defendants be equired to pay the same or that said land be sold to satisfy said eebt and for other equitable relef.
You are: equi ed to answer said petition on or before the 6th day of pril, 1863.

R. R. DICKSON,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

NOTICE. To an uel L Knapp, Julia A. Minor, widow, R. J. Fisk and the unknown heirs of Mary J. Doolittle, deceased, L. G. Doclittle, and husband. — Doolittle, defendants.

You while ach take notice that on the 28th day of January, 1905, harles VanGorder, plaintiff filed his petition in the district court of Holt County, Nebraska, against you and plaintiff filed his peth ion in the district court of Holt County, Nebraska, against you and each of you, the object of sain action being to for ecose a certain mortgage excepted by the defendant, Samuel L. Knapp to the plaintiff upon the southeast quarter of ection two. (2), township tw no-nine (29), range fourteen (14), west of the 6th P. M., in Holt county, Nebraska, to secure the payment of his not of \$200.00, dated May 8th, 1823, and upon which there is now due the sum of \$250 for which sum with intrest from this date plaintiff prays for a decree that the detendants be required to pay the same o that said premises may be soid t satisfy the amount found due and for other equitable relief.

You are required to answer said petit on on or before the 6th day of April, 1903.

K. R. DICKSON.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Attorney to Plaintiff

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