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### A Bessing Man.

The writer was once on a time sitting across the street from a chapel of colored people in Jacksonville, Fla., and heard the following unique and original exposition by the preacher of the parable of the rich man and Lazarus:

"An now, broder, an specially you sisters, why do you 'spose de rich man wanted de water on de tip ob de tongue only an not all ober de hull body? I will tell yer. Mind, now, an specially you sisters—because de sins ob de tongue are so much wuss dan all de odder sins ob de body dat his tongue burned so much mo' dan de rest ob him dat he forgot ebery ting else in its fire. Ah, sisters, tink ob de words dat are runnin' off yo' tongue continually an look out fer de tip ob fire in de nex' world"—Ram's Horn.



Forwarded.

"He has been dead two years, and today I received a bill against him, with the request to forward it."

"Why, what did you do with it?"

"Put it in the fire."—Life.

### Where It Started.

A society dame who is not just now financially in a condition to consider a European trip has recently been much puzzled, amused and even annoyed by a rumor that she expected to spend the coming summer abroad. So often has she been asked about her plans and so frequently questioned concerning the time of her departure, etc., that she became desperate on the subject and made a determined effort to chase the report to its lair and throttle it. After long pursuit she discovered another woman who had been told by another woman that her servant had the information directly from Mrs. Society Dame's servant. So the disturbed lady entered her kitchen and interviewed Margaret.

"Margaret, did you tell Mrs. Beverley's Becky that we were going to Europe this summer?"

"Yes'm," answered the unperturbed Margaret.

"Why, Margaret, what on earth did you do that for? You never heard us even talk about such a trip."

"No'm," explained the beaming Irish girl, "but that blatherin' Becky is allers a-tellin' uv their fine doin's an goin's an comin's, an sure Oi wuzn't goin to have mo' folks git left, so I tole uv yo' wuz goin to stay a year an take me along wid yer fer company."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

### A New Scheme.

Polite Doctor (cautiously)—Your husband, madam, is suffering from overwork or excessive indulgence in alcoholic stimulants. It is a little difficult—ahem—to tell which.

Anxious Wife—Oh, it's overwork. Why, he doesn't even go to the theater without rushing out half a dozen times to see one of his partners.—Tit-Bits.

### The Old Man's Idea.

"Gosh!" said Mr. Jason, stopping on the corner and turning to get another look at the young woman passing by. "Kissing a girl with them sleeves on must be nigh the same as tunneling into a gingham sunbomber like a fellow had to do when I was a boy."—Indianapolis Journal.

### Handled With Care.

Customer (who has just purchased a wonderfully cheap set of furniture)—Do you always pack furniture carefully before delivering it?

New Boy—This kind we do, 'cause the jarring would shake it to pieces.—New York Weekly.

### Too Bad.

Publisher—No, Miss Passionquill, we cannot possibly print your volume of love poems.

Poetess—Why not?

Publisher—We have just run out of fireproof asbestos paper.—New York World.

### The Cynic's Sneer.

"I can lick him," proclaimed the excited pugilist, "with both hands tied behind my back."

"In such case," sneered the cynical gentleman, "you would dictate to an amanuensis."—Indianapolis Journal.

### No Extra Charge.

Honsekeeper—Half the things you wash are torn to pieces.

Washerwoman—Yes, mum, but when a thing is torn in two or more pieces, mum, I count them as only one piece, mum.—Pittsburg Post.

### An Inevitable Inference.

"Mr. Tyllins doesn't employ a servant for his wife," said one young woman.

"How do you know?"

"She told me herself. She said she was mistress in her own house."—Washington Star.

### Matrimonial Joys.

He—My views on bringing up a family—

She—Never mind your views. I'll bring up the family. You go and bring up the coal.—Exchange.

### Beginning Easy.

Van Clove—Who is going to be the best man at your wedding with Teddie Thoughtless?

Miss Vanderwhack—I am.—Town Topics.

### LOOK AT THEIR FEET, GIRLS.

A New York Miss Who Has a Way of Disconcerting Impertinent Admirers.

Why is it that the average fop who is bent upon flirtation with a woman whom he does not know can be completely disarmed and put hopelessly out of countenance in about three seconds if the woman simply fixes her stony gaze upon his feet? I had never observed this interesting fact until I chanced to overhear a conversation between two unusually attractive young women, both of whom I was acquainted with. The younger of the two was a pretty little Quaker miss from Philadelphia. The other was the New York girl whom she was visiting. They had been out shopping, and on the way home in an "L" road car, it seems one of the male type commonly known as "Johnnies," struck with the Priscilla like freshness of the Quaker maiden's beauty, had offended her Rittenhouse Square sense of propriety by the rapturous glances which he lavished upon her from his seat opposite, all the way from Twenty-third street to One Hundredth and Fourth street.

"Are all New York men like that?" asked the Philadelphia Priscilla of the New York Diana, with delicious naïveté. This was after they had reached the security of the New York girl's drawing room. "What can a girl do when a man ogles her like that?"

"Do?" echoed the New York girl, in the superior wisdom of her twenty-two years. "I'll tell you what I do, and I seldom have known it to fail. When a man acts like that and you want him to stop it, just call up your most stony glare and fix your eyes upon his feet with a sort of surprised 'Did you ever?' expression of the face, and if he doesn't stop annoying you in three seconds it will be because he is awfully short sighted."

I saw the New York girl put her theory into practice a few days later. It worked wonderfully. The youth's footgear was immaculate. His patent leathers fitted him to perfection, and they were polished in the highest style of the art. His trousers were properly creased and not pulled up too high. He did not turn his toes in, nor was there anything else physically or artistically abnormal in his appearance. And yet the moment that stony glare was fixed upon his feet, with just the faintest suspicion of an amused twinkle in the girl's eye, that youth's confidence collapsed. He shifted his position, fidgeted nervously, fumbled his cane, and finally yielded to the inevitable and deliberately leaned over and surveyed his feet uneasily. Then he straightened up with an apparent sense of relief, but after that he kept his eyes off the New York girl, as a man might who has been hypnotized and doesn't want it to occur again.

The youth did not know that he was being observed by one of his own sex, as we had been obliged to occupy seats on opposite sides of the car and he had entered the train afterward.

"I can do it every time," said the New York girl, with a toss of her opera bonnet, as we left the train at Thirty-third street, "and so can lots of girls. Why is it? I don't know exactly, but I suppose they think there's something wrong—shoelace untied, patent leathers muddy or split or something of that kind. Anyway the method is simple and generally effective, and it doesn't attract the attention of others, as a rule. I know plenty of girls who always treat them that way."

### Rubinstein as a Composer.

As a composer Rubinstein had two great faults and one great virtue. He had a wonderful gift of beautiful and unerring melody, but he never knew when he became tedious, and he was totally incapable of self-criticism. He never went over his work; in fact, he was altogether wanting in the necessary patience for this. That which he had written remained as first written, and it is this failing that will spoil his fame with posterity. It arose from want of control in his youth, for when a mere boy of thirteen he was left to his own devices. Consequently he wrote for years without direction, and at a period when it was most necessary; therefore, he failed to learn that all important lesson of all artists—a lesson to be learned only in youth, and difficult even then—self-criticism. His nature was of itself impatient. He rushed along, pen in hand, eager to give utterance to the thoughts crowding his brain, and there was none to stop him in his mad career. In moods of extraordinary exaltation, he wrote masterpiece almost without effort, exquisite tone-poems over which the world went mad, and he grew to believe, and tried to convince others, that so all great work should be done.—Alexander McArthur in the Century.

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### Line.

Mrs. Isaac Grewell is on the sick list.

Nellie Sherman visited at Mr. Haskins' last week.

Dan Grewell has a new fiddle we expect some fine music now.

Elmer Straup expects to leave here soon and see if he can't find a better place than Nebraska. We did not learn where he was going.

Edna Guthrie is on the sick list but is some better at this writing.

When Mr. Anderson went out to work last Tuesday morning he could not find his harrow. He got his family out to help him hunt it, they searched everywhere and found it roosting on a fence post.

Mr. VanDykes are not through listing yet.

### Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with neuralgia and rheumatism, his stomach was disordered, his liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitter and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well.

John Speaker, Catawaha, O., had five large Fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and one box Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold by C. L. Cotting druggist.

### Pleasant Date.

Rev. Haskins failed to fill his appointment at Penny Creek on account of the rain Sunday night.

Chas. Irwin was the guest of Mr. Aurbushon Sunday.

Most Fern is listing part of his corn over again.

Mr. Guthrie had a letter from his son in Cedar county, Iowa stating large crops and everything booming.

Mrs. Grewell has been quite sick with lung fever. She is under the care of Dr. McKeeby.

Chas. Anderson has hired out to Mert Fern.

Mr. Sims will preach at Penny creek June the 25th.

Myrtle and Vina Anderson were the guests of Mr. Guthrie's last week.

Sunday-school was reorganized at Penny creek Sunday with a new set of officers. Let everyone come.

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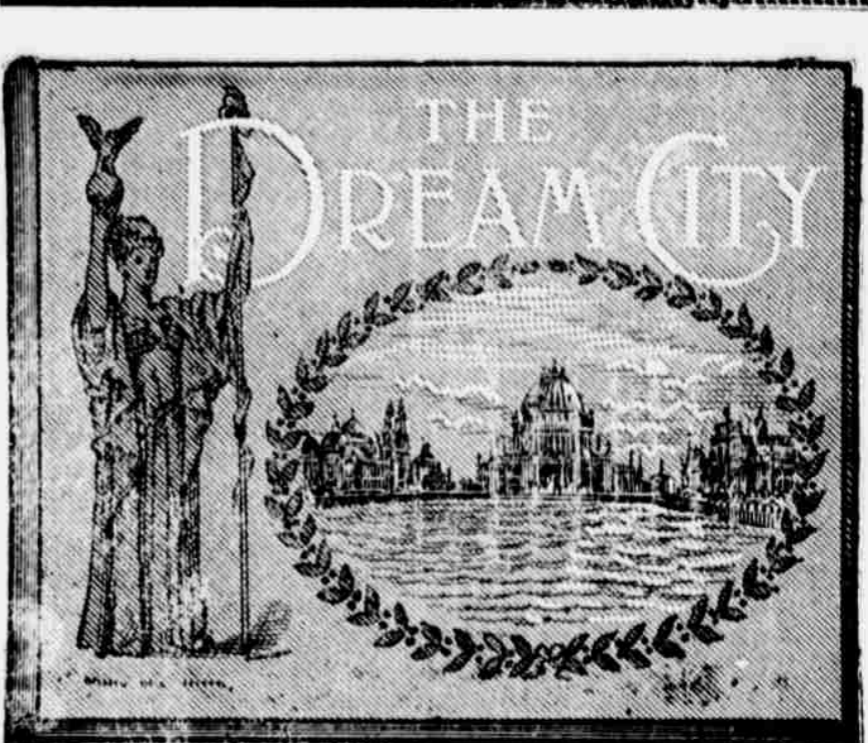
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