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The General and the Boy.

On the Atlanta campaign General Sherman made his headquarters for a time at the house of a farmer, where a tin basin and a roller towel on the back porch sufficed for the family's ablutions. For two mornings the small boy of the household watched in silence the visitor's efforts at making a toilet under the unfavorable auspices, but when on the third day the toothbrush, nail file, whiskbroom, etc., had been duly used and returned to their places in the traveler's grip he could suppress his curiosity no longer, so boldly put the question, "Say, mister, air you always that much trouble to yo'se'f?"-Lippincott's.

IS IT WORTH WHILE? Is it worth while that we jostle a brother,

Bearing his load on the rough road of Is it worth while that we jeer at each

other-In blackness of heart that we war to the knife? God pity us all in our pitiful strife.

When a fellow goes down 'neath his load on the heather,

And mightier far for woe than for weal.

Were it not well, in this brief little jour-On over the isthmus, down into the tide, We give him a fish instead of a serpent,

Ere folding the hands to be and abide Forever and aye in dust at his side? Look at the roses saluting each other:

Look at the herds all at peace on the plain-Man, and man only, makes war on his brother.

And laughs in his heart at his peril and the plain.

Is it worth while that we battle to humble Some poor fellow down into the dust? God pity us all! Time too soon will tumble All of us together, like leaves in gust, Humbled, indeed, down into the dust. -Joaquin Miller.

Johnny's Ribs.

"How many ribs have you, Johnny?" asked the teacher.

"I don't know, ma'am," giggled Johnny, squirming around on one foot. "I'm so awful ticklish I never could count 'em."-Everybody's.

Allaying Her Fear.

Sand Bar ferry, near Augusta, Ga., is a flatboat affair, frail and rickety. Two timid ladies, hesitating to cross, plied the negro boatman with ques-

"And are you perfectly sure no one has ever been lost here?" they demand-

"No, missus," replied the ferryman; "no one ain't never been los' here. Marse Jake Bristow done got spilled out and drownded last week, but dey found 'im again nex' day. We ain't never los' nobody; no, ma'am."-Youth's Companion.

He Got the Hare. An old sailor struck inland, thinking he would like to try work in the country. He approached a farmer for a meal one day, saying he was willing to work, but that he knew little or noth-

ing of country life. "I will give you a meal," said the farmer, "if you will round up those sheep on the common there and drive them into this fold. Come back when

you've done it." In three hours' time the sailor came back looking hot, but happy. "Have you done the job?" asked the

"Yes," replied the sailor, mopping his

"You've been a pretty long while about it. Let's go and see them." Looking over the gate of the field, the farmer saw the sheep safely in the fold. "There's a hare sitting up among 'em," he exclaimed.

"Do you mean that little feller there?" asked the sailor. "Why, that is the little beggar who gave me all the trouble. I thought it was a lamb."

The Dreams of Avarice. Ikey (who has been reading)-Fader, killed 'em by scores."

can anybody get rich "beyond der dreams of afarice?" His Father-I t'ink not, Ikey. Afarice vos a putty good dreamer.-Puck.

His Only Request.

through a Richmond hospital with deli- lans tripped and disappeared like a cacies for the sick and wounded. She brilliant meteor down one of the overheard a suffering young Confederate officer say, "Oh, my Lord!"

Wishing to rebuke him slightly, she came to his bedside and said: "I think that I heard you call upon the name of the Lord. I am one of

his daughters. Is there anything that On Business After Al. I can do for you?" He looked upon the lovely face.

"Yes," he said, "please ask him to

Home Journal.

Wellington Never Saw Napoleon. Mr. Carboul, the drawing master to scandalized man overheard: the children of Queen Victoria, there is the following: "On reaching the pal- weeping my heart away! Yes, my darace one morning the Prince of Wales ling, speak to me once more! I love showed me a drawing he had just fin- you, dear, I love you so!" ished. Napoleon was depicted on of Wellington, who was advancing to the angry manager. cut down his great enemy. While I can you tell me who is that on the Don't let it occur again!" left? he went on, presenting the The young woman froze him with a sketch to the duke. 'Well,' replied the glance. "I was ordering some new waistcoat and cocked hat, I should say partment," she explained icily.

it was meant for Napoleon.' 'Right,' said the prince. 'And who is that other figure?' 'By the cut of the jib,' returned the duke calmly, 'I should say it was myself.' 'Right again, Well, now, is the drawing accurate? That's what I want to know? The duke rose, put down the sketch and thus impressively addressed the Prince of Wales: 'My, boy, I'm going to tell you something that the English people don't seem to realize. I was sent out to keep Napoleon in check, but never Once in the midst of a battle someone cried, "Look! There's Napoleon!" but before I could get the glass to my eye the smoke from a field gun had enveloped him,"

Caller-What's the matter, old man? Has anything happened?

when I was called upon at the club food.' for my maiden speech last night I began, "As I was sitting on my thought a seat struck me," and spoiled everything!-Lippincott's.

They All Paid Up. baker; Mr. Jordan, a carpenter, and had promised her. Mrs. Brown handed the bill to Mrs. Andrews, the milliner, saying, "That pays for my new bonnet." Mrs. Andrews, in turn, passed it on to Mr. Jordan, remarking that it would pay for the carpentry work Shamed by the beasts that go down on Brown, saying, "That pays \$10 on my board," Mr. Brown passed it to Mrs. Brown, remarking that he had now paid her the \$20 he had promised her. asking credit for the amount on his it to Mr. Brown, with the remark that it settled for that month's board, whereupon Brown put it back into his pocketbook, observing that he had not supposed a greenback would go so far.

Following Instructions.

She was a little girl and very polite. It was the first time she had been on a visit alone, and she had been carefully instructed how to behave.

"If they ask you to dine with them," papa had said, "you must say: 'No, thank you. I have already dined."

It turned out just as papa had an-"Come along, Marjorie," said her little friend's father. "You must have a

bite with us." "No, thank you," said the little girl, with dignity. "I have already bitten." —Classmate.

How Grandma Viewed Them.

"I'm glad Billy had the sense to marry a settled old maid," said Grandma Winkum at the wedding.

"Why, grandma?" asked the son. "Well, gals is hity-tity, and widders is kinder overrulin' and upsettin'. But old maids is thankful and willin' to please."-Ladies' Home Journal.

Brevetted For Bravery.

Everybody calls Alfred J. Stofer, a well known Washington character, "Major" Stofer. "Where did you get your title, Sto-

fer?" Representative Littlefield of Maine once asked him. "Earned it, suh," Stofer replied, 'killin' Yankees in the war."

"But, Stofer, you were not old enough to be a soldier."

"Who said I was a soldier, suh; who said I was a soldier? I was livin' in my native village of Culpeper, Va., suh, in those tryin' times, and it was there I won glory for the sainted Confederate cause and myself by killin'

"But how did you kill them?" "Killed them by indigestion, suh; by indigestion. I sold 'em apple pies and

One of Them Kings. The king of Italy, accompanied by a numerous party of officers in brilliant uniforms, visited an American man-ofwar at Naples. During the inspection A pretty young girl was walking of the ship one of the resplendent Italhatches. A sailor who saw the fall rushed aft and, saluting the officer of the deck, said: "If you please, sir, one of them kings has fell down the for ard

The manager of the big department store stood stock still outside the little boxlike chamber which held the telemake me his son-in-law." - Ladies' phone of the establishment, for he was a very startled manager indeed. Within the chamber he could hear Miss Jones, the stenographer, speaking, and lating to certain Turkish provinces, sent In the published reminiscences of this is a scrap of the conversation the

"I love you, dear, and only you! I'm

The young woman rang off and horseback leveling a pistol at the Duke stepped out of the cabinet to confront | die. Some die young and some die old.

"Miss Jones," he said, "that telewas looking at the drawing who should phone has been fixed where it is for come in but the duke himself. 'Why, the purpose of convenience in conductthe very man who can best criticise ing business and not for lovemaking my drawing,' said the prince. 'Now, in office hours. I am surprised at you. OUR EXPENSIVE PALATES.

The Price of Flavor Is Not Always the Price of Luxury.

Physiological chemists occasionally delight to tell us that we are the dupes of aesthetic senses and pleasing flavors. Men will pay, they say, half a their undivided one fourth interest of each of guinea for a pint of turtle soup which, said minors, subject to the dower interest of said Sarah A. Haley, in the following described from a strictly nutritive point of view, real estate, to wit: The northwest quarier of is not worth a twentieth part of that sum. Oysters, we are told, are an extravagant form of food, since fourteen travagant form of food, since fourteen in thy life have I set eyes on him. travagant form of food, since fourteen of them do not contain as much nourfrom said petition that said real estate consists ishment as a single egg, while it would require the ingestion of no less than is the most advantageous time to sell said real 200 good oysters before the protein estate: reached. Caviare, again, is not to be said minors and all persons interested in said estate appear before me at chamber in the court house in the City of McCook, Red Willow countries. compared with the bloater as regards ty. Its nutritive value. Indeed, the latter "offers the largest amount of nutriment for a given sum of any animal" in the latter said Sarah A. Haley, guardian, to sell said real estate for the purposes above set forth. its nutritive value. Indeed, the latter Host (groaning)-Oh, nothing-only ment for a given sum of any animal

It is evident if we regard these conclusions seriously that a large section of the human race is wickedly indulgent, caring more for the palatable than the nutritious quality of food. The same appears to be true in regard Mr. Brown, a Kansas gentleman, is to beverages, and even in the case of the proprletor of a boarding house. clgars there is no difference, chemical-Around his table at a recent dinner ly speaking, between the penny Pick-God pity us all as we jostle each other; sat his wife, Mrs. Brown; the village wick and the shilling Havana. The God pardon us all for the triumph we milliner, Mrs. Andrews; Mr. Black, the difference of 11 pence is paid for flavor, and flavor alone. Physiologically it is Mr. Hadley, a flour, feed and lumber possible that a "brandy and soda" cost-Pierced to the heart: Words are keener merchant. Mr. Brown took a ten dol- ing, say, a shilling is just as satisfaclar bill out of his pocketbook and hand- tory as a pint of champagne at 5 shiled it to Mrs. Brown, with the remark lings. Similarly it may be said that a that there was \$10 toward the \$20 he pint of beer at sixpence is quite as good, dietetically speaking, as a small

bottle of Chauteau Margeaux at 3s. 6d. There are, however, clearly instances in which in no sense can the nutritive equivalent of food and beverages be summed up in so many pounds, shilhe had done for her. Mr. Jordan hand- lings and pence. How often is it ed it to Mr. Hadley, requesting his re- found, for example, that the invalid ceipted bill for flour, feed and lumber. may be tempted to take a few oysters Mr. Hadley gave the bill back to Mr. in preference to a small beef fillet or some turtle soup when calves' head, the basis of mock turtle, would scarcely appeal to him, even although it may be more than equal in nutritive value She, in turn, paid it to Mr. Black to to the only reptile used to any extent settle her bread and pastry account. as food in this country. When a per-Mr. Black handed it to Mr. Hadley, son refuses to take a given food, however nutritive and wholesome it may flour bill, Mr. Hadley again returning | be, because it is not tempting to the sight or the palate, it is in many instances probable that if he struggles to overcome his fastidiousness such food may prove to tax his digestive functions and may even cause gastric

The chemical analysis of food and physiological experiments in the test tube do not take into account this psychical factor of digestion, for the digestive process is well begun when the sight of food is pleasing. On the contrary, when food does not appeal to the eye it is likely not to appeal to the stomach. It is hardly reasonable to conclude, therefore, that the price of flavor is always the price of luxury .-Lancet.

Outwitted the Cat.

It is a moot question whether birds suddenly recover from fright or sham death to effect their escape when captured. A man living in one of the houses in Park row, London, is the possessor of a fine old Persian tabby cat, which not infrequently makes a raid on Hyde park and returns home with a fat prize. The other day one of the maids met puss climbing leisurely upstairs with a sparrow in his mouth. He was making the peculiar muffled "mowwow" that meant "here's fun." The bird's head dangled limply, Its eyes were half shut, one wing was trailing, and feathers were missing from its tail. The owner of the house and the cat happened to come downstairs at the time, and the mald drew his attention to puss and the bird. The cat laid the sparrow at their feet with pride. The maid stooped to take the bird in her hand when it suddenly shot up and flew straight out of an open window. It had evidently not been hurt by the cat, which was so angry that it tried to jump out of the window

Lincoln and the Battery. At the breaking out of the war Captain Tompkins of the battery of artillery, state of Rhode Island militia, stationed at Providence, enlisted with his entire command and left at once for Washington. Soon after his arrival his battery, together with other troops, was reviewed by the president in front of the White House, and Captain Tompkins, proud of his battery, brought it past the president in the very best shape he was capable of doing and at once returned to be presented to the president, as was done with all the other officers. When the captain was presented, Lincoln said loud enough for all near by to hear, "Captain, your battery is certainly a very pretty battery-in fact, the prettiest battery I have ever seen," and then in so low a tone that no one but the captain heard him, "but I must say, captain, I have seen very few batteries."

Unexpected Answers.

The French government, wishing to obtain definite statistics on points reblanks with questions to be answered to the provincial governors. The replies received from the pasha of Damascus are worth quoting:

Question.-What is the death rate in your province? Answer.-In Damascus it is the will of Allah that all should Q.-What is the annual number of births? A.-God alone can say. I do

not know and hesitate to inquire. Q .- Are the supplies of water sufficient and of good quality? A .- From the remotest period no one has died

in Damascus of thirst. General remarks as to the local sanitation: Man should not bother himself latter deliberately, 'judging from the songs from the publishers for No. 3 De- or his brother with questions that concern only God.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE. In the district court of Red Willow county

State of Nebraska In the matter of the application of Sarah A Haley, guardian of the estate of Arthur Haley, Teresa haley and Fernardine Haley, for license

On reading the filing the petition, duly veri fied, of Sarah A. Haley, guardian of the person and estates of Arthur Haley, Teresa Haley and of unimproved and uncultivated farm land, and no income is obtained therefrom, and that now

It is therefore ordered that the next of kin of Nebraska, on the 20th day of July, A. D. It is further ordered that a copy of this order be served on all persons interested in said estate at least fourteen days before the date set for the hearing by publishing the same onc

Cook Tribune, a newspaper printed and published in said Red Willow county.

Dated at chambers in said Red Willow county, Nebraska, this 22nd day of June, A. D. 1907.

R. C. Our,

Judge of the District Court

each week for three successive weeks in the Mc

APPLICATION FOR LICENSE,

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ORDER OF HEARING ON PROBATE OF WILL.

In the county court of Red Willow county In the matter of the estate of Edgar B. Ey

On reading and filing the petition of J. E. Kelday of July, 1907, and purporting to be a duly authenticated copy of the last will and testa-ment of the said deceased, may be proved, ap-proved, probated, allowed and recorded as the last will and testament of the said Edgar B. Evans, deceased, late of Boston, Massachusetts. Ordered that July 20, 1907, at one o'clock p. m., is assigned for hearing said petition and all person's interested in said matter may appear at the county court to be held in and for said county and show cause why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted, and it is further ordered that notice of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in the McCook Tribune, a weekly newspaper, printed in said county for three successive weeks prior to said date of Dated July 5, 1907.

J. C. MOORE. 7-5-3t County Judge,

The Presidential Salute.

The American presidential salute is twenty-one guns, as is the English royal salute, but the reason why just twenty-one guns are fired is obscure. Antiquarians have put forth different theories as to this. One states that seven was the original salute, but that in England this was given three times one for Scotland, once for Ireland and once for England. Some declare 3:00 p. m., in Berry's hall. that the American salute is twenty-one guns because the sum of the numbers 1, 7, 7, 6 (the year of the Declaration of Independence) is twenty-one.-Minneapolis Journal.

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8:30 p. m., in Ganschow's hall. JOHN HUNT, V. C. BARNEY HOFER, Clerk.

8.00 in Berry's hall.

McCook Lodge No. 137, I. O. O. F., meets every Monday, at 8:90 p. m., in Ganschow's hall. E. H. DOAN, N. G. SCOTT DOAN, Sec.

P. E. O.

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RALPH A. HAGBERG, T. I. M. SYVLESTER CORDEAL, Sec. WORKMEN McCook Lodge No. 61, A.O.U.W., meets every

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