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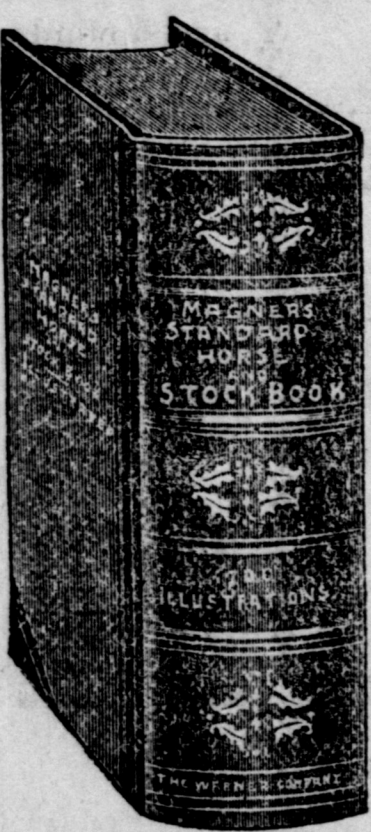
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Humorous.

Their Dissatisfaction.

A young clerk in an office on Fifth-ave. lately became very much dissatisfied with his position, and, as a consequence, his employer became dissatisfied with him.

So it happened that each inserted an advertisement in a daily paper and each wrote in response to each other's expressed want. It happened also that they sat near each other in the office and received their answers simultaneously.

This is what the employer read:

"Sir: I am competent, faithful and a hustler. I desire to change because my present employer is unreasonable and unappreciative."

This is what the young man read:

"Sir: I want a young man with some brains and 'get up' to him. Call at once if you desire to work. No more momentaries wanted."

Then the explosion occurred.—Chicago News.

Got no Invitation.

Tramp—Please, mum, me feet's on th' ground, an if ye could spare me an ole pair o' shoes, I'd—

Mrs. Spinks—There's a wedding going on in that big house across the street. Just go over there and wait. When the couple comes out, the family will throw a lot of the bride's old shoes after her.

"But, mum, they'd be too small."

"Huh! Wait till you see her feet."

Some of the Lubec workmen have a novel and ingenious way of keeping their time. One man rendered his account showing 25 hours for a day. When asked by the cashier how he got the 25 hours in one day, he replied, "Oh! that's easily explained; I didn't stop work for dinner." The explanation of course was entirely satisfactory. Another workman was asked if he would commence work at half-past six in the morning, and quit at half-past five at night. "No, sir," was his reply, "I don't propose to lose one hour out of my day for anyone."

On being pressed for his reason, he replied, "Any fool knows that 7 and 6 makes thirteen, while 6 and 5 make eleven." Standard time is not in it with this class of workmen.

Why is a steam engine at a fire an anomaly? Because it works and plays at the same time.

What soup do cannibals prefer? The broth of a boy.

Why is a field of grass like a person older than yourself? Because it is past-your-age (pasturage.)

The Farm.

In digging and storing potatoes they should not be exposed to light.

Well fed cows do not have to show up pedigree to establish a milk record.

With nearly all kinds of tree fruits, the best time to sort is when the fruit is being harvested.

Nova Scotia apples are shipped chiefly to London where they are best known and particularly appreciated.

A new factory has just been put into operation in Kokomo, Ind., for the manufacture of butter from peanuts.

In France the birds which are called ducklings are not birds of the present year, but ducks that were hatched the previous season.

Light in the poultry house is absolute necessity, and the inmates must have it to be in a healthy condition. Fowls will not thrive in a dark and cheerless place any more than plants will.

With poultry as with other classes of stock, it is a mistake to keep them after they have reached the age at which they should be marketed, as the food they require each day for their support gives the poultry-keeper no profit unless a gain in weight is going on at the same time.

Your horses should not be shod until they get their full growth. Under this time shoeing may cramp the hoof wall and cause bad feet. When shoes are put on a colt he is usually considered "a horse," and is very apt to get more driving than is good for him at a tender age.

The secret of dairying lies with the man, and success depends wholly upon good management. He who makes dairying a side issue, and a much neglected one at that, by keeping only a few ill cared for cows on a good sized farm is astonished at the man who can keep a goodly number on a few acres.

Because one cow of a particular breed does a remarkable thing is by no means proof that the same may be realized of every other cow of that breed. Some breeds may have a quality that is most likely to be conspicuous in a greater number of animals than another, but no two cows of the same breed perform alike. The matter of notable performances is wholly an individual function.

Now is the time to look well after the young colts as they come to the barns for the long winter months. If, with the dry pastures, they are thin in flesh, good grooming and grain will be necessary to give them a start upward. Good colts today are not made by any neglect but by good care and feed. The only chance for a dollar is by making growth steadily, for size plays an important part in the sale of a horse, more today than ever.

TEMPERANCE COLUMN.

Contributed by the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Hampstead, N. B.

Rise up ye Women that are at Ease

WHAT IS A DRUNKARD.

The drunkard is not like any of God's creatures. An angel, we are taught to believe is a pure creature, created to adore God in heaven. A Christian is a person who lives by the laws of God, a believer and follower of Jesus Christ. A man is a rational animal who thinks and reasons. A brute is an irrational animal who follows instincts and appetite but never indulges them to excess. But what is a drunkard? He does not enjoy happiness like an angel, he does not live and strive for happiness like a Christian, he does not observe the laws of moderation, satisfying his appetite like a brute. Then what is he?

A drunkard is nothing but a drunkard, a thing in human form. There is nothing like him in the creation of God, he is a self-made wretch, he is a slave to the most brutalizing of passions, he is an apostate from the Christian law, he is a social pariah, he is a curse to his home and family. He is worse than a madman because his disease is self-imposed, and the cure is self will and God's help.

Although he is guilty of all this, he should be the object of tender sympathy and compassion. He is the ward of a Christian state and is surrounded by all the cares which science and philanthropy can bestow upon him. Instead of this he is an object of scorn and contempt, he is shunned and despised by all (even the drunkard maker), the very boys in the street hoot and deride him as he passes.

The drunkard is a slave who seemingly is unable to break the chains that bind him and regain his liberty, he is a wreck and a ruin, a poor degraded, besotted creature. He may perhaps be a warning to others, a sad sign pointing out the way that leads to shame, sorrow, disgrace, and crime; to blighted hopes and saddest failures; to the destruction of all happiness here and the hope of happiness hereafter.

Oh! that we could pierce the mass of brutal flesh in which the man is imprisoned. That the temperance bugle call might reach that enslaved and imprisoned soul, that we might sound in its ears the notes of Christian liberty and brotherly love. Could we but waken in it the memory of its Christian privileges and of the days of its innocence and happiness. Could we but stir it up to the high and holy resolve of breaking its chains and regaining the liberty which it once enjoyed.

Grant, Oh, Father; that the means of becoming a drunkard may soon be driven from our land, and to bring about that result is the mission of our order. To that end let us work so that the next generation will not have to ask what is a drunkard?—P. J. Connell.

A DRUNKARD'S WILL.

A dying drunkard in Oswego, New York, left the following as his "last will and testament":

"I leave to society a ruined character, a wretched example and a memory that will soon rot. I leave to my parents as much sorrow as they can, in their feeble state, bear. I leave to brothers and sisters as much shame and mortification as I can bring on them. I leave to my wife a broken heart and a life of shame. I leave to each of my children poverty, ignorance, a low character, and a remembrance that their father filled a drunkard's grave."

Ye patrons of the saloon, is this the "will and testament" you are writing out each day for your wife and children? Shame upon you to leave them such a disgraceful inheritance! Where is your manhood? Where is your love for your family? Where is your honor and nobility? Are you selling it to the saloon keeper?—California Christian Advocate.

A WHISKEY DRUMMER.

A whiskey drummer, who has sold the liquid damnation for twenty-five years past, stood in the Globe Hotel the other day and made a speech that ought to make every temperance man shake hands with himself. He said:

"In this section of the country the sale of whiskey is decreasing every year. We sell less and less of it each succeeding year. People have quit drinking. It is no longer considered in good form to swill it. A drunken man is a disgrace. A tippler cannot hold a job anywhere that is respectable and progressive. The railroads won't have him, neither will anybody else. The sentiment is getting stronger against it all the time. The teacher, the preacher, and the paper are all creating sentiment against hard drinking. In twenty years from now the whiskey problem will have solved itself. Beer, soda-water, lemonade, milk shake and other light beverages will have crowded it out of the saloon and the drug store into the medicine chest of the doctor."—Centralia Courier.

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BABY'S GONE TO SCHOOL.

The house is very still to-day, As if some one were dead; No laughter stirs from room to room, Grim silence reigns instead. Old Kitty slumbers on the rug. Trip on an empty stool; No one to-day to wake them now— Baby's gone to school.

No dolls lie just beneath our steps No lady gaily dressed, Comes switching in the bedroom door, Announcing herself our guest. Instead, some order is here to-day— We can find pen or spoon; No one about to use them now— Baby's gone to school.

For we tied the little bonnet blue, Under the dimpled chin, Pressed many a kiss on the upturned face And tucked the ringlets in. Forbidden tears unbidden flowed With a prayer for honor's rule; A battle of life began to-day; When baby went to school.

COOK'S ANODYNE LINIMENT.

President Adam's Retort.

President Adams said a characteristic and bright thing last week when the fight about athletics was on among the alumni at the University of Wisconsin. One of the strongest arguments brought against athletic sports in the report presented by Howard Smith, of Chicago, was that they "savor of the poolroom and the race-track."

"Why," said an enthusiastic partisan of Mr. Smith in President Adam's hearing, "I suppose that while the big football game was on between Chicago and the university last fall in Chicago half the pool and billiard rooms and saloons in Chicago were emptied!"

President Adam looked the excited little man over quietly. "Well," he said slowly, "and isn't anything that will deplete the poolrooms and the saloons a good thing?"—Milwaukee Evening Wisconsin.

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