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The best joke of the honeymoon season is told by a southern hotelkeeper. The male half of the new partnership registered like this: "August Buerger and wife." He remained one day, and when he stepped up to ask the amount of his bill the clerk said it would be \$4.

"Four dollars!" Mr. Buerger said. "Why your rates are high, aren't they?"

"O, I guess not. That's only \$2 a day."

"But I have been here only one day."

"I know, but it's \$4," the clerk replied.

"How do you figure that?" the newly wedded man asked, as he leaned over the counter with a frown of perplexity on his otherwise blissful features.

"Well, there's yourself, one day, \$2 and there's your wife, one day, \$2; two and two make four."

Then the fellow slammed his fist down on the register, while a crimson flush of blood suffused his cheeks.

"Well, I'll swear," he cried, "if I didn't forget all about her, I'll eat my hat! Here, take this V, keep the change and say nothing about it, please."

But the clerk didn't keep the change, so he didn't think there was any reason why he shouldn't tell the story.

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What names are more familiar to Canadians than the Rt. Rev. A. Sweetman, Lord Bishop of Toronto, and Dr. Langtry, of the Church of England, the Rev. Mungo Fraser, of Knox Presbyterian church, Hamilton, or the noted Methodist preacher-traveller, Dr. W. H. Withrow, or Toronto. All these men have proven what is claimed for Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder, and have given their written testimony to it. Sold by Garden Bros.

**An Unprincipled Wretch.**

Old Mr. Gruffly—I understand, sir, that you have been encouraging my daughter in her desire to go upon the stage!

Mr. Plimpton (his neighbor)—Yes, sir, I have.

Old Mr. Gruffly—Do you think she would succeed? Is her voice good enough to make it possible for her to make her mark in opera?

Mr. Plimpton—To be frank with you, I don't think it is.

Old Mr. Gruffly—Then why have you been advising her to go ahead and seek an engagement? Tell me that, sir!

Mr. Plimpton—Oh, anything to get her out of this neighborhood. There isn't a person in the block that won't subscribe for at least half a dozen tickets for her first night.

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**Pointed Paragraphs.**

Lantern-jawed men are not always light-headed.

The most of the slips occur after the cup has been to the lips.

Tears of joy and sadness are both drawn from the same tank.

Some people, like bricks, are always hard-pressed for cash.

No jeweller has ever been able to improve on the setting of the sun.

The man who has a telephone in his office is charged with electricity.

When a woman drives a man to drink he always makes a good time record.

Time may be money, but some people's time is about as valuable as confederate currency.

Beauty would be more than skin deep if the average female complexion could be figured in the deal.

When an actress wears her diamonds while bathing, it's simply force of habit; she's used to having them in soak.

The fabric of a ready-made suit may not be of the best, but the fabrications of the dealer are usually the real thing.

—From the Chicago News.

Rev. Chas. Fish, Methodist Minister, 195 Dunn Ave., Toronto. Cured of Eczema.

About ten years ago I felt the beginnings of what is commonly known as Eczema. The disease commenced in my ears and spread entirely over both sides of my head and also developed on my hands. During those ten years I was a great sufferer. Specialists on skin diseases treated me. As I write this I am just commencing on the fifth box of Dr. Chase's Ointment, and, judging from the rapid improvement effected, I am certain that before the box is used I shall be completely cured.

CHAS. FISH, Methodist Minister, 195 Dunn Ave., Toronto.

Queen Victoria has persistently held out against the electric light, saying she would have none of it near her apartments in Windsor Castle, and only allowing a small installation some distance away. But at length her majesty has been somewhat converted to the clear, clean illumination, for she has issued a royal warrant appointing an electrical storage company makers of electrical secondary batteries to herself. The next

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step will be for wax candles to bid au revoir to ancient Windsor Castle, while the gas man's occupation will be gone.

**An Up-to-Date Catarrh Cure.**

Woodville, Ont., Feb. 22nd, 1897. It gives great pleasure to testify to the excellent effects of Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure. It has completely cured me of Catarrh in the head. I practise it as an up-to-date cure.

Tact is much more to be praised in a man than in a woman, because he is somewhat slower in his perceptions, and must arrive by reasoning at a comprehension of what is to be done under certain circumstances. Hence if he rises instantly to the occasion, it is admirable, while a woman has by nature intuition and a power of interesting the feelings it is admirable, while a woman has by nature intuition and a power of interesting the feelings of those around her which makes tact involuntary.

In life there are many things which interfere with a just estimate of the virtues of others. There are veils upon the heart that hide its most secret workings and its sweetest affections from us; there are earthly clouds that come between us and the excellence that we love. So that it is not, perhaps, till a friend be taken from us that we entirely feel his value and appreciate his worth. The vision is loveliest as it is vanishing away, and we perceive not, perhaps, till we see the parting wing, that an angel has been with us.

It has long been a common saying that no woman can be a lady who washes and scrubs. Well, if purpose gives character to action (and we all agree that it does), then if it is unladylike to wash and scrub, it must be much more unladylike to have clean dishes, clean houses, or clean clothes. O, Pride! what a blind liar you are!—Henry Norman.

There are sympathies by the sweet relationship of which souls that are well matched attach themselves to each other, and are affected by, I know not what, which cannot be explained.

The nearer the intimacy, the more cuttingly do we feel the unworthiness of those we love; and because you love one, and would die for that love tomorrow, you have not forgiven, and you never will forgive, the friend's misconduct.

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"It's the devil for any one to tell me a secret, for it is sure to come out in print."—HAZLITT.

"I put it down in my min' den, an I ain't never rub it out, dat if you take prouddness out'n de white folks dey er des ez skeiry ez de niggers," said a gentleman of Ethiopian descent recently, and his observation contains a good deal of truth. Pride and bluff are two prominent elements in the modern man.

When I was a very young boy we used to "make p'tend" that one fellow was a criminal and another fellow the marshal; we made p'tend that one fellow kept store and the other fellows were purchasers; later we divided the crowd into two parties, organized each party into a company with a captain and fought each other valiantly. I remember now, how very soldierly we looked with the strips of carpet braid down our trousers, and on our coats and caps. This all occurred before we were old enough to play marbles or cultivate our literary taste at the shrine of the dime novel. The fellow who could make p'tend to the best effect was the best man.

When we became old enough to drive cows I found that the boys who drove to Doherty's pasture took precedence to those driving to Watson's because they were the most accomplished at making p'tend. We have been at it all through life. A man wants an office in the worst way but he makes p'tend he doesn't. When a man gets his feelings hurt most horribly he covers up the wound with a bland smile and lies in wait for the other fellow with *animus furandi*. After all, perfect honesty, wearing one's heart on one's sleeve is a poor thing. You don't find it in highly civilized races.

It is about as hard to suppress smuggling as it is to suppress the liquor traffic. In both instances it is the mild excitement connected with a breach of the law, that seems to be most fascinating. An exchange states that some amusing anecdotes are related in connection with the recent discoveries of smugglers' tricks. A few years ago an individual in an ecclesiastical costume used to cross the frontier from Switzerland into France every morning with a large breviary in his hand. He was a man of dignified aspect and received every mark of deference from the customs officials, who sometimes accompanied him part of the way in his daily stroll. At last a letter put the authorities on the alert, and the presumed priest was found to be a professional smuggler, who had contrived to introduce into France at least a thousand watches in his breviary, which on examination proved to be a tin box.

We all consider the succession duties, or tax collected on the large estates of deceased persons as a step in the right direction, and not a great deal of sympathy will be wasted upon the selfish minded old man, who in his attempt to evade the death duties in England transferred all his property by deed of gift to his young wife, not expecting that he would survive her. She made a will leaving it to a former beau of hers and then was killed on the hunting field. The husband was thus left dependent on the lover's generosity.

Foreign ideas of the British sense of propriety will receive a shock from the recent order of the London county council that men and boys bathing in public ponds must wear drawers. Hitherto they have bathed naked, and the minority in the council opposed the innovation as an "undemocratic step."

A club or society without office bearers, and without dues, would seem to be an impossibility, but one has been so organized in the Celestial city. It is a Kipling club.

THE IMP.

**A CODE OF SIGNALS**

Nature has a code of signals—a listless step and tired, weary feeling are in the code. They show that the system is run down and dragged out. Nature's medicine for this is Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills—they benefit the entire system, brace the nerves, and brighten the brain, curing nervousness, sleeplessness, weakness and palpitation of the heart, etc.

We may, if we choose, make the worst of it. Everyone has his weak points; everyone has his faults. We may make the worst of these; we may fix our attention constantly upon these. But we may also make the best of one another. We may forgive, even as we hope to be forgiven. We may put ourselves in the place of others, and ask what we should wish to be done to us, and thought of us, were we in their place. By loving whatever is lovable in those around us, love will flow back from them to us, and life will become a pleasure instead of a pain; and earth will become like Heaven; and we shall become not unworthy followers of Him whose name is Love.

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