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Where the Washing was Done.

During the American Civil War several Northern soldiers were talking together one day just before the advance upon Corinth. A tall, gaunt, raw recruit stepped up to them with a bundle of soiled clothes in his hand. "Do you know where I can get this washing done?" he asked.

Two of the group were practical jokers. A bright thought flashed into their heads, and, as the sequel shows, unfortunately found expression.

"Oh, yes, we know! Just go up there with your bundle," pointing to the head-quarters of General Grant; "you will see a short stout man"—describing the General—"who does washing. Take your bundle to him."

The recruit thanked them and walked off in the direction indicated.

He gained entrance to head-quarters and stood in the General's presence.

"What can I do for you?" said General Grant.

"I was directed here by a couple of soldiers. They told me that you did washing, and I have a bundle here."

General Grant probably enjoyed the situation, but his imperturbable face did not relax. He simply asked the question, "Could you identify those men again?"

"Yes, sir."

"Very well; you shall have the chance."

Turning to an orderly he directed him to call a guard, go with the recruit to where the jokers were standing ready to enjoy his discomfort, and let him identify them.

"Take the men to the guard-house, give them this man's bundle of clothing, and make them wash it thoroughly. See that the work is well done."

The General was obeyed to the letter.

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Under Cover of Darkness.

The minister of a certain parish was going from home, and procured the clergyman of a neighboring parish to officiate on Sunday. His servant, who was also the beadle, was sent over to the station to drive the reverend gentleman to the manse.

When the train arrived the beadle asked him to wait a while, as he had some messages to do before he went. It was two hours before he returned. The good man was furious, and threatened to report him to his master.

"Well, sir, ye can dae that if ye like," said the beadle; "but he tell't me himsel' to wait till it was dark afore I drove ye ower; for if the folk o' the village saw wha was to preach the morn nobody wad turn oot ava."

Wonders of the Heart

All the blood in the human body passes through the heart in about three minutes. The heart beats 70 times a second, 4200 times an hour, 100,800 times a day, throwing out 2½ ounces of blood a second, 656 lbs. an hour, 7½ tons a day. It is only when supplied with pure, rich blood that the heart, an organ 6 inches long by 4 inches wide, can accomplish this enormous amount of work and rebuild its own wasted tissues. Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is the most effective treatment available for heart affections because it forms new, red corpuscles in the blood and gives to it that life-sustaining quality which is necessary to the health of every organ.

Mable: "Such a joke on Mr. Gayboy. We were out on the balcony between the dances, and he got the sleeve of his dress-coat all over red paint from one of the posts that were just painted."

Maud: "And did you go near the post?"

Mable: "No. Why?"

Maud: "Because you have red paint all over the back of your waist."

Men Who Draw Big Salaries.

At first glance there is something very imposing in a salary of £27 8s. a day. Of course, such an income is hopelessly beyond the reach of any but a few fortunate men; in fact, out of nearly twenty million males in Great Britain and Ireland, only six enjoy a salary which requires five figures to represent it.

Of these prizes the Church monopolizes no fewer than three, while one goes to the law, another to a member of the Cabinet, and the sixth to a Lord Mayor.

In point of actual value the Lord-Lieutenant of Ireland, Earl Cadogan, with an allowance of £20,000 a year, is the most highly-salaried man in the whole of the King's dominions; although Lord Curzon, the Viceroy of India, enjoys a nominally higher salary of a quarter of a million rupees, or, as it is often erroneously given, of £25,000 a year. At the present rate of exchange, however, Lord Curzon must take second place to Earl Cadogan, with a salary equal to £16,666 in British currency. It need scarcely, perhaps, be said that in both cases these salaries, high as they are, are too small to meet the actual expenses of the offices they represent.

The Archbishop of Canterbury enjoys a salary of £15,000 a year, and ranks third among highly-paid Englishmen, although it is more than doubtful whether even this salary admits of any margin for "profit." The Archbishop of York and the Bishop of London have salaries of £10,000 a year, thus barely qualifying among the "five figure" men, and must be bracketed with the Lord Mayor of London, who no doubt finds his £27 8s. a day scarcely sufficient to meet the demands on his purse.

As a matter of fact, with all these so-called enviable men it is a case of "the higher the salary the poorer the man"; for while the Bishop of London may be able to "make ends meet," the salaries of the Lord-Lieutenant of Ireland and the Viceroy of India usually require large reinforcements from the private purses of their owners.

Apart from the Viceroy of India, the only Governor of a Colony or dependency whose salary reaches this figure is the Governor-General of Canada (the Earl of Minto), whose allowance is just \$10,000 a year. The Governors of Madras and Bombay have a nominal £12,000 and the Governor of Bengal £10,000 a year; but their actual salaries in our own currency are only £8,000 and \$6,666, respectively. And the latter is the real value of the salary of the Indian Commander-in-Chief.

Not a single one of our Ambassadors gets £10,000 a year; Sir Edmund Monson, our Ambassador at Paris, and the most highly-paid of them all, falling £1,000 below this limit; although there are three diplomatic salaries of £8,000 a year each.

Although the Attorney-General of England has an official salary of £7,000 only, his fees bring it up to the very respectable average of £15,000 a year; and the fees and salary of the Solicitor-General amount to about £3,000 less.

Thus, it is no exaggeration to say that the Britons drawing official salaries of five figures can easily be counted on the fingers of both hands, although we ransack the whole world for them.

In curious contrast to British salaries it is strange to reflect that a single business-man in America, the manager of the great Steel Trust, enjoys a salary almost twice as large as the aggregate official income of our Cabinet and eight times as large as the highest stipend paid to a British official, however exalted. Mr. Clinton Dawkins, the financial expert of Egypt and India, is said to draw from Messrs J. S. Morgan and Co., a salary larger than the combined incomes of the Lord Chancellor and the Archbishop of Canterbury.

As managing directors of the Consolidated Gold Fields of South Africa, Mr. Cecil Rhodes and Mr. Rudd drew a joint income of £120,000 only a few years ago; and several managers of large American trusts are reputed to have salaries ranging from £20,000 to £50,000 a year.

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"What does your father do?" asked the teacher of the new boy.

"He's a contractor," was the reply.

"A railway contractor?"

"No, ma'am; a sausage contractor. He ties up the ends after another man has filled them."

WHEN FATHER RODE THE GOAT.

BY T. L. G., COLUMBUS, GA.

One day we noticed father more,
Then usual was the case,
Because he was so nervous, and
So solemn was his face,
His absent-mindedness I'm sure,
We could not help but note,
We found out later, he that night
Was pledged to ride the goat.

'Twas midnight when the door bell rang,
And father's voice was heard,
To whisper something for our ear,
I think the secret word,
And when he'd satisfied himself
By trying all the blinds,
He'd twist his fingers, crook his arm,
And get off other signs.

One sock left in the ante-room,
His watch for safety taken,
His coat ripped up the back, and he
With great excitement shaken,
We recognized our father dear,
Who then sat down and wrote,
The day and date upon a slate,
On which he rode the goat.

He said, however, all was mild,
He would not make complaint,
And then he'd groan and feel himself,
And look as if he'd faint;
Some words he oft repeated,
And of them we made a note,
There's something on my father's mind
Connected with the goat.

At last we got him off to bed,
And then he fell asleep,
And muttered things he'd sworn on oath,
To ever secret keep;
Next morning at the table,
When we asked how stood the vote,
He answered in an absent way,
"Oh, yes, I rode the goat."

—Exchange.

A Good Start.

"I have been thinking for a long time," she said, with a sober expression which contrasted strongly with her usual airiness, "that I ought to have some serious purpose in life. So I have decided to go into literature."

"You intend to pursue it seriously, do you?"

"Yes, indeed. I've bought a lovely Louis XVI. desk, and I've got some of the most exquisite stationary you ever saw. Papa gave me a gold pen and a mother-of-pearl penholder, and I have just the prettiest silver inkstand! All covered with filigree work, you know."

"You are certainly well equipped."

"Yes," she replied, serenely. "I've got a splendid start. All I have to do now is sit down some time and think of something to write."

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