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For Love Is All.

My friend Miss S. is a bachelor maid of some forty summers. Of late she has devoted her time to working in the slums, chiefly among women and children.

A dreadful case was brought to her notice recently. A woman had been cruelly treated by her husband, and had finally been locked out in the street. The poor creature, ragged and dishevelled, reported at the charity headquarters, and begged for shelter.

Miss S. herself dressed her wounds, and then entered into a sympathetic conversation with the sufferer. The latter, after recounting at length the injuries she had borne at the hands of her lord and master, asked a few questions in her turn.

'Live here?' she inquired.
'No,' answered Miss S.; 'I spend only a certain time here every day. My home is on Fifth avenue.'

'You're married, ain't you?'

'No, I am not married.'

The woman opened her bruised eyes in amazement.

'Say!' she said sympathetically; 'I'm awfully sorry. Ain't it fierce to be an old maid?'

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Public Schools and Libraries.

That the logic on which the public school is based involves the public library as its complement, should be self-evident to any community, says Professor Richardson, librarian of Princeton University. To train a man for seven years to make shoes or machinery, he says, and then turn him loose on the world without leather or iron to start with, is just what the community does in education when, after a seven years' apprenticeship at books in order to learn how to add ideas, scholars are turned loose on the community without a public library. To the assertion that they should buy their own material, he replies: "How many shoemakers or machinists do you think have the capital or constructive ability to buy materials and set up business for themselves? So it is with the common school graduate—only the few will find material and use his tools unless somebody furnishes capital, and it is for the community which has furnished the public schools to furnish the public library also, otherwise tools will rust and ideas will cease to be made."

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Too Much Dog Everywhere.

The soldiers who are on guard in San Francisco have been shooting the dogs because they have been driven by hunger to feed on the bodies of the dead covered up in the ruins. All who go to the trouble and expense of adorning with flower-beds and climbing vines their lawns or verandahs would like to have the dogs in Toronto similarly disposed of. If the civic authorities prove unequal to the task of forcing owners of dogs to keep them on their own premises there will come a reversion to street-fencing for protection.—Toronto Globe.

Thirty-six murders have been traced to a native cobbler in Mogador, Morocco. The victims were all woman and their bodies have been found either under the murderer's shop or in a yard rented by him. He has been condemned to be crucified, a form of punishment that has not been practiced within the memory of any one living.

The champagne bottle of the present day in strength and endurance is the result of the development of many years. Owing to the loss of some of the elements in the glass a bottle cannot be used the second time for champagne. The manufacturers of the cheap and artificially charged wines use the second-hand bottles almost exclusively.

The Nation in Danger.

Democratic Duncan, the former giant of Guysboro', but now Lieutenant-Governor of Nova Scotia, has prorogued his Legislature. And he did it in a frock coat. Words fail us when we contemplate such wickedness. All the social rules that were ever invented have been set at naught and Governor Fraser's refusal to wear a Windsor uniform with cocked hat and sword is like to shake the British Empire to its foundations. Indeed we doubt whether the Legislature is prorogued. The members may go home, but we feel convinced no self-respecting sergeant-at-arms would accept the word of a Governor in ordinary clothes. It may be that the poor man is coming every afternoon to his place in the chamber and sitting there from three o'clock till six, wondering why the Speaker does not enter. It is a pathetic spectacle.

As for the Governor, however, we have nothing but censure. Tradition and usage tell us that a Windsor uniform, even though tarnished as to gold lace, patched at the knees and fringed at the bottom of the trousers, is miles better than lavender unmentionables, patent leather shoes, a new chevrot frock coat and a white Ascot tie. The one is dignity, the other impudence. The worst of Governor Fraser's action is that it establishes a precedent other Governors may follow. And they may not be careful as to the clothes they wear. For instance, suppose Lieutenant-Governor Clark opened next session of the Ontario Legislature in loud-checked tweeds, a red tie and a bowler hat. It would be terrible. A heavy responsibility rests upon the King's representative in Nova Scotia. We fear he may be crushed under its weight.

A Strange Cargo.

One of the strangest cargoes a vessel could possibly have was unloaded at the London docks towards the close of March. It consisted of several sacks filled with dried flies, consigned to a large firm of grain merchants. These flies, originating in Brazil, have been purchased for use in the manufacture of food for chickens, cage birds, and the like. They were caught on the river Amazon by Brazilians, who travel up the river in flat-bottomed boats, and who are provided with gauze nets, with which they capture these insects in millions, as flies hover in dense clouds over many of the swampy reaches of the Amazon.

The flies thus caught are killed, dried in the sun, and thus placed in sacks. Upon arrival in London they are mixed with millet and other grain, and are sold as chicken food, etc. Some time ago the Brazilian government, fearing that the fish in the Amazon River would be starved, forbade the exportation of flies; hence the price of this strange commodity, which used to be 6d. per pound, has now risen to 1s. 6d. per pound, and often a little more.

Pompeii's Pathetic End.

Lady (at book store)—"I want to get a good novel to read on the train—something rather pathetic."

Salesman—"Let me see. . . . How would 'The Last Days of Pompeii' do?"

Lady—"Pompeii? I never heard of him. What did he die of?"

Salesman—"I'm not quite sure, ma'am—some kind of an eruption, I've heard."—Harper's Weekly.

One for Papa.

Old Skinem—"Huh! So you want to marry my daughter, eh?"

Young Man—"Well, I guess that's about the size of it."

Old Skinem—"Um—yes. Can you support her in the style to which she has been accustomed?"

Young Man—"I can—but I'm not mean enough to do it."—Chicago News.

Name.

"Well, the congregation have become so fashionable that they won't stand for the old name any longer. They want something modern."

"What will they call it?"

"I don't know, but I should think the Church of the Holy Limit would be about right."—Puck.

"Cousin Abner offended papa terribly while he was here," said the fluffy girl.

"Oh, indeed! How?" inquired the trim girl.

"You know papa is so proud of our family tree, and has it handsomely framed on the library wall. Well, Cousin Abner studied it all one afternoon, under the impression that it was railway map."—Judge.

The retailers of booze in Toronto got together at the King Edward hotel and raised the price of drinks from 30 to 50 per cent.

The only man who ever made any money at a bar was the man who was on the inside, and this is getting to be more so.

He—Why did you blush so when I kissed you?

She—Oh I always blush the first time I am ever kissed.—Topeka State Journal.

A quick lunch maketh a slow liver.

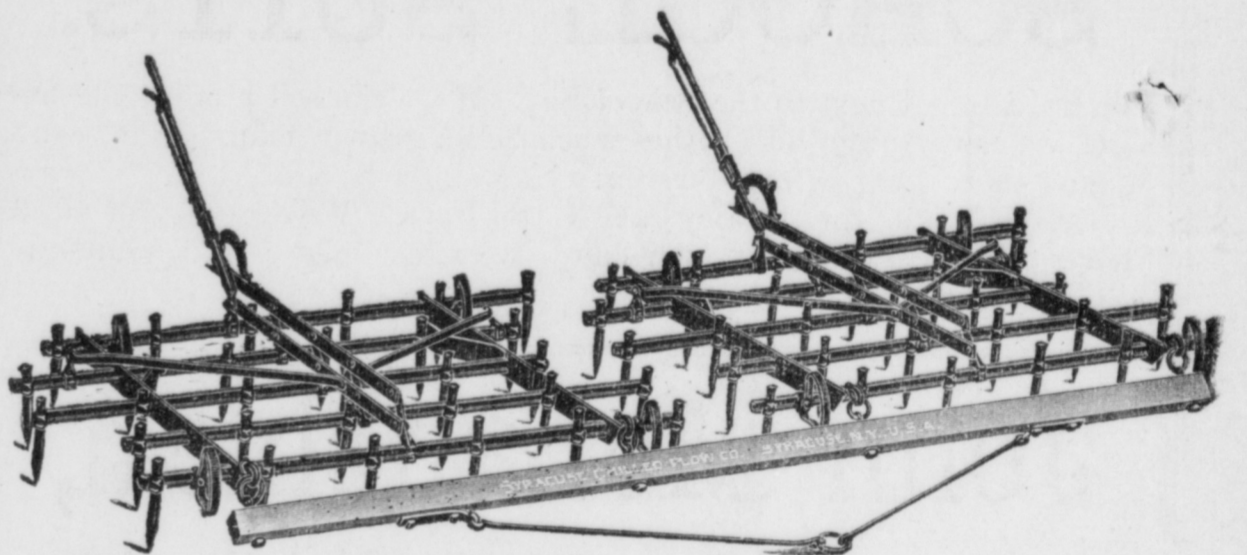
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