

A MAIDEN'S COMPLAINT.

[A young lady writes to the Onlooker complaining that she is "cut out" by her mother, who "is quite young, very handsome, smart looking and well turned out. She talks so well, too; knows everything and is free to use her knowledge more amusingly than I."]

When presented at court, I am fain to confess I thought I should make a sensation; I am pretty, well read, very smart in my dress, and my eyes have their own fascina. on. Not a girl that I know can do battle with me, and my rivals I easily rout; How, then, could the terrible fact I foresee That mamma would her daughter cut out?

She was married, I think, at the age of sixteen And no doubt made a social sensation; She says when her curtsy she made to the queen Her majesty smiled approbation. And still she's a youthful and beautiful star That shines as a jewel of night, But why should she my little flickering mar And snuff out my spark with her light?

In the style of her mien she's a peerless princess. And her gowns always fit to perfection. Bien chaussee, bien gantee, she's sure of success, And of gems has a priceless collection. In London or Paris, at Brighton or Rome, At Hamburg or Dieppe or Spa, I vow that I might just as well stop at home, For I always am done by mamma.

So accomplished, moreover, with ripples of wit On the stream of her brisk conversation, And stories that—there make a palpable hit; If I told them, I'd get a jubilation. It's most hard for a girl to be snubbed in this way.

At each turn to meet tribulations stout, But, oh, how I long and pray for the day When her daughter my mother cuts out! —London Punch.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

Love to a woman is a thrill; to a man it is a throb.

By the time a man has learned to know women he is able to make a guess at himself.

Every woman over 30 knows a lot of weather signs that she gets from the way a cat acts.

A woman divides all the men in the world into two classes—those she knows she can flirt with and those she isn't sure about yet.

A woman can do more with a hairpin and the handle of an old toothbrush than a man can with a tool chest and three old clocks.

When a woman is out calling on people that she thinks are fashionable, it always makes her mad to hear her husband talk about "veal potpie."—New York Press.

Denunciation.

"Yes, sir," exclaimed Senator Sorghum. "I heartily and unreservedly condemn all methods in politics which are not frank, honest, open and above board."

"But"— "I know what you are going to say. I know some of the tricks myself. But if I could manage to denounce them so loud that the other people would be afraid to use 'em, life would be one grand, sweet perpetual walkover."

Ways and Means.

Tears stood in my wife's great, gray eyes. "I am dying to go to the Paris exposition!" she exclaimed.

"You are very foolish!" said I, striving to be calm. "If you die, you will go to heaven!"

Recuba bit her lip. It was impossible of course, to gainsay my logic.

A General Term.

"Where did they go for their vacation?"

"To the mountains."

"What mountains?"

"Well, I think they are just in the rear of their Uncle Jim Stebbins' farmhouse down in southern Illinois."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Pat's Capabilities.

Contractor—Pat is the slowest man I ever bossed. He's been an hour taking up a few bricks.

Friend—Give him an hour in that saloon. When he comes out, he'll take up the whole pavement.—Philadelphia Record.

From His Point of View.

Hicks—Do you and your wife ever get into an argument?

Wicks—No; I try to argue with her sometimes, but all she ever does is to make a lot of unfounded assertions in reply.

Not Longer to Be Endured.

He—Those hideous, heathenish, fiendish Chinese!

She—I think so; I'm going right to work this very minute and hunt up a civilized name for chow-chow.

May Come Later.

Tess—So he has really married Miss Crabbe?

Jess—Yes, he was hit hard. It was love at first sight with him.

Tess—Too bad he wasn't gifted with second sight.—Philadelphia Press.

Poor Dear!

"Why that serious, anxious look upon your face?" banteringly asked the short haired woman.

"I can't remember where I stuck my gum," replied the man in the pink shirt waist.—Chicago Tribune.

A Bad Shot.



Mr. Rabbit—Yes, I think he must belong to the Society For the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. He is so careful not to hurt us.

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"Hello!"

"Hello! Who is this?"

"Mr. Lloyd of Riverside. I want to ask if"—

"Mr. who?"

"Lloyd."

"Can't make it out. Say it again."

"Lloyd—Lloyd."

"Molloy?"

"No! Lloyd—just Lloyd."

"Gus Joy!"

"No, no! Lloyd! Can't you?"

"Try it once more."

"Lloyd."

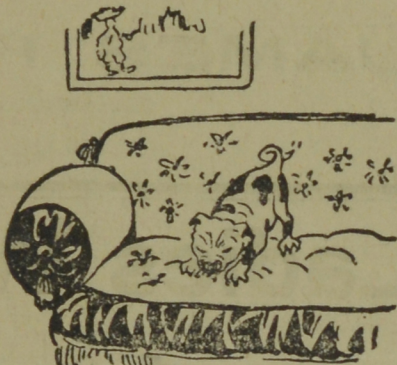
"Can't get it."

"Double L. o. y. d."

"'Dub lello wydee? I don't understand Kanaka. Ring off!"

[Hangs up phone in disgust.]—Chicago Tribune.

It Came.



Fido—I'm sick of sleeping on this bumpy old couch. How I long for



"Spring."

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