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One winter in the mountains of North Carolina I met old Lige Downs, a familiar character of those hills, trudging toward town with a bundle tied in a red bandanna slung over his stooped shoulders.

"Good morning, Uncle Lige," I said. "Mawmin, missy," he replied, taking his hat from his kinked white crown. "Are you going away?" I asked. "Yessum," he answered, "yessum."

"Where's Aunt Hootie? Is she going too?"

"None; she ain't gwine wif me. I ain't no fittin' cumpny fer dat woman nohow."

"Why, what's the matter?" I asked, amazed. "I always thought Hootie was the best wife in the world."

"Yessum; dat's what she shorely is. But a pore, mis'ble sannah laik me kain't stan' so much goodness. Dat woman nevah did know de power of sin, an' de parson hisself kain't come up to huli fer preachin'."

"De hull cabin shines wif glory, but me—I ain't nuffin' but a black spot."

"Why, Uncle Lige, you cannot leave your wife because she's good," I said.

"That would be a strange cause for divorce."

"Deys lots of um does it, missy. I ain't no dejections to huli bein' good, but when anybody gits so good dat dey ain't got no feelin's for nobody, what dey wants is a cabin to dere-selves."

The "black spot" moved down the sun flecked road toward other blacker spots that waited for him in the village.—Exchange.

Hawaii's Rippling Language.

The language of the Hawaiian Islands, as every one knows, abounds in vowels and therefore ripples deliciously in the mouth. It is only necessary to pronounce such names as Honolulu, Oahu, Kilauea, Hilo, Mauna Loa, Kahamamaha and Liliuokalani to discover this. A young Presbyterian clergyman of Brooklyn who visited the islands two or three years ago and prepared a lecture on them on his return declared that there was only one place on the islands which possessed a name lacking in euphony. That place was Spreckelsville. This euphony of the Hawaiian tongue was productive of

one of the jokes of his lecture. The first time he gave it he remarked incidentally that he "took the steamer Wy-ally-ally to go to the town of Nawilly-willy." A laugh followed the remark, and thereafter he always included this phrase in his lecture. It invariably produced the same result when used.

No Cause For Worry.

Elderly Fiance—I hope you are not impressed by the silly sentimentalists who hold that because you've married once you ought not to marry again! Pretty Widow—Don't let that worry you, dear; I've no such prejudice. My own dear mother was married three times, and I only hope that in all things I may follow her example.

Choked Him Off.

Kraft—The boss has promised to give me a rise in my salary next week. Newitt—Sorry, old man, but I can't lend you anything.

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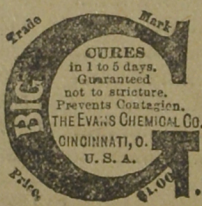
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