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He Made the Most of an Unpleasant Situation.

A group of men were discussing human nature and the difficulty of looking always on the bright and glittering side of things when the dingy. dark brown side is uppermost and seems destined to remain uppermost.

"It's a great thing to cultivate a disposition to make the most of things in this life," remarked a man who used to drive trotting horses for a living. "The most striking illustration I ever a county fair down the state about ten years ago. The man driving alongside of me let his horse swerve on the back stretch, and my sulky was upset. That caused a general mixup, and a colored driver right behind me got unloaded and his sulky broken to pieces. Well, I lay there for a minute, and then, as I didn't seem to be much hurt.

I started to get up. "'Hey, boss, don' yo' go gittin' up!" yelled the colored driver at me excit-

"'Why?' I asked him, some puzzled. "''Cause,' he answered, 'yo' all lay right wha' yo' is, and in a minute they'll sen' roun' hyah and haul us back pas' the gran' stan' in a caih-

"Sure enough, they did, and when we drove up that home stretch in the open back they sent for us that colored man was the happiest person I ever saw. Now, that's what I call making the most of things."-Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Way the Young People Begin Their Lovemaking.

The most important event in the life of a Portuguese woman is marriage Next in importance are the early days of courtship, for a Portuguese courtship is the essence of romance, and the ways of the Portuguese lover are singularly picturesque. Here is a lit-tle drama in which Cupid is stage director. If a young Portuguese sees in would like to become acquainted be follows her. Chaperons are not impossible obstructions. He follows her right up to her very door and notethe address. Next day he comes again. and if the young lady approves of him -for she certainly saw him the day before-she is on the lookout.

Sometimes hard fate in the guise of an angry parent prevents her, and then the gallant youth is kept waiting. Sooner or later she leans over the bat. cony and smiles at him. The happy youth ties a note to a cord which the next day the young man comes again have made prove satisfactory the punch the tradesman's head." swain is admitted to make the acquaintance of the young lady. After that courtship in Portugal is about the same as it is in Kankakee or Kalamazoo.-Leslie's Weekly.

Not a Laughing Matter.

Cut off from family and home by relentless tide, fat Mr. Bodger had been forced to clamber till he gained a pathway cut in the cliff's face. It was a narrow path, and Mr. Bodger was no narrow man. Getting more frightened every moment, he proceeded warily along the fast diminishing way till at last it faded suddenly into what the poets would call "sweet nothingness." Already he was overlapping, and it was impossible to turn. An excited crowd watched his prog-

ress from above. "What on earth am I to do?" gasped Bodger desperately on his four inch ledge as he gripped a tuft of seaweed with one hand.

"Do. guv'nor?" came back a voice. "Do anyfink you like, but for goodness' sake don't larf or your weskit 'll bump yer off as sure as eggs is eggs!" -London Answers.

Can't Please Everybody. The manager of an asbestus mill conceived a novel idea for his announcements. He had them printed on and its tail increased to a wonderful thin asbestus and inclosed in envel- length.—Century. opes of the same material. As he was uncertain of the correct addresses of some of the stockholders, he ordered his stenographer to write on each en-

velope "Please Forward." The idea was clever, but one may appreciate the feelings of the widov in the Rue de l'Ouest. The box was of one of the stockholders when she received an asbestus envelope addressed to her late husband with the inscription "Please Forward" beneath that the money constituted her entire the address. -Lippincott's.

All Were Pretty.

During an equestrian performance number of ladies in the front stood up, thus obstructing the view of those persons who were seated. In vain were they collectively requested to sit down till at last a happy thought oc- terday my new four dollar hat blew curred to one of the sufferers. He called out in measured tones:

"Will the pretty lady in front kindly sit down?" whereupon about fifty old women briskly seated themselves .--London Tatler.

That Boy Again. Mrs. Boardem-I ordered lamb and you sent me mutton. Butcher-It was lamb when it left

here, mum.—Judge's Library. Good reasons must, of course, give place to better.—Shakespeare.

The Feminine Instinct. "What on earth made your mother bring home that bundle of feathers?" "I'm sure I don't know, dad, unless it was because she saw it marked down."-Baltimore American.

The Chamois Trail. Every day at noon at Grindelwald there is a rush of visitors for the telescopes in order to gaze at one of the most interesting natural scenes in the Alps, "the chamois trail." Regularly at this hour a herd of twenty to thirty chamois may be seen passing in Indian file up the yawning abysses of the precipitous Mettenberg rocks, separating two glaciers, the male animals leading the way, the king of the herd keeping twenty yards in advance and on the watch. At the bottom of the Mettenberg, where the slope is freed from snow, the chamois find a meager subsistence when their usual feeding grounds are under deep snow. It is a curious fact that the chamois descend to their feeding grounds at had of that was in a big horse race at | dawn, when there is little likelihood of avalanches, and return to their haunts at an hour when avalanches for this portion of the mountain has frequent avalanches-have already fallen and the danger is past.-Geneva Cor. Pall Mall Gazette.

Pussy and the Burglar. A good dog has hitherto been considered the best protection against burglars, but a certain old lady differs from this view. She believes in cats. and, her house being broken into not long ago, she proceeded to put her theory into practice, and with marvelously good results. The midnight hour had not long struck when she heard unusual sounds in the hall below. She slipped out of bed. took her faithful feline in her arms and walked quietty on to the landing. She leaned over. The burglar was on the stairs. Suddenly in an unlucky moment he struck a match upon the staircase. The lady could see the burglar, but the burglar could not see the lady. She held puss up and then dropped her upon the burglar's head. The cat uttered an unearthly screech and then commenced to scratch for all it was worth. Puss was certainly the willing worker. The next instant the man was outside in the street.-Manchester Guardian.

Whistler's Friendships. That Whistler, the man of famouenemies, had faithful friends is recalled by Ford Madox Hueffer, writing the street a pretty girl with whom be of the pre-Raphaelites in Harper's Magazine. Madox Brown had a circu lar printed drawing the attention of all his old patrons to the merits of Whistler's etchings and begging them in the most urgent terms to make purchases because Whistler was in indigent circumstances. The story is that upon one occasion Mado's Brown, going to a tea party at the Whistlers' in Chelsea, was met in the hall by Mrs. Whistler, who begged him to go to the poulterer's and purchase a pound of butter. The bread was cut, but there was nothing to put upon it. fair lady drops from the balcony. The There was no money in the house, the poulterer had cut off his credit, and This time he rings at the door. If the Mrs. Whistler said "she dared not send inquiries which the young lady's elders her husband, for he would certainly

> Why He Waited. The man who is anxiously watching the steeple jack at work 300 feet from

the ground is approached by a passing acquaintance. "Hello, Brown!" says the latter. "Are you still here? It's fully an hour ago that I saw you standing in the very

same spot. "That fellow up there gives me the cold shivers," says Brown. "He makes me feel weak in the knees."

"Going back to your office?" inquires "I guess so," Brown reluctantly replies. "There doesn't seem to be much

use in waiting any longer. I don't believe he is going to fall." And he turned away with a lingering glance at the intrepid jack .- Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Great Age of Halley's Comet. While Halley's comet has been identified as a member of our system for over 2,000 years, certain characteristics of its orbit lead us to believe that it has been with us at least ten or perhaps 100 times as long as that. According to all accounts, it was a magnificent object at the time of the

Norman conquest in 1066. Its head was equal to the full moon in size. A Queer Hiding Place. During a furious storm in Paris a janitor was struck on the shoulder by a small but heavy tin box which had fallen from an upper story of a house found to contain \$6,000 in gold and notes. It was claimed at the police station by an elderly woman, who said

her window. Another Theory Demolished. "It costs nothing to be polite." "You're wrong. While I was politely picking up a glove for a lady yesoff and rolled in front of a passing trolley car."-Chicago Record-Herald.

savings, which she had hidden by ty-

ing the box to the drainpipe outside

How He Got Out of It. "My dear, before marriage you told me all your doings." "Yes, but now I have come to think such talk savors too much of egotism.

-Lippincott's.

Inherited. Knicker-Jones is all the time wanting more money. Bocker-No wonder; his father was a college president and his mother was a woman.-New York

He only confers favors generously who appears, when they are once conferred, to remember them no more .-

For many years a prayer meeting has been held in the house of commons once a week during every parliamentary session. No one knows who originated the idea, but the records of the proceedings, which are faithfully noted each week, show that in the year 1833 the well known Quaker Mr. T. Fowell Buxton and the evangelicals Sir George Grey and Mr. Zachary Macauley were in constant attendance. The prayer meeting is held in a room granted for the purpose by the sergeant-at-arms and is restricted to twenty minutes. The proceedings are very simple. At each weekly meeting a president for the following week is chosen. On the day of assembling-Tuesday, at 5 o'clock-the president for the day opens the meeting, reads

Prayer Meeting In the Commons

tion.-London News. He Begs Pardon No More. Jones had just trod on the toe of an old gentleman while getting into the

a portion of the Scriptures and either

offers an extempore prayer or calls on

one of the members to pray. Two or

three others offer short prayers, and

the meeting closes with the benedic-

"I beg your pardon," he said. "Hey? Speak louder. I'm a trifle

"I beg your pardon," repeated Jones. "H'm! Peggy starving? Well, I'm sorry. Who's Peggy?" Jones was red in the face now.

"You misunderstand, sir!" he shout "Hey?" "You misunderstood!"

"Miss Underwood, is she? Peggy. who is starving, is Miss Underwood? "I didn't say anything about Miss Underwood!" screamed Jones. "I beg-

ged your pardon, and you misunder "Oh, now I see!" said the old man sympathetically. "It is your Aunt Peggy who is starving Miss Underwood. Well, why don't you report the

Not In Her Class. While delivering an address at woman's club an actress told the

case to the police?"-Pearson's.

story of a young woman prominent in New York society who desired to achieve histrionic honors. The manager to whom she confided her desire pointed out the inadvisability of the step she contemplated and

added that even were he disposed to give her the chance she coveted he would still be in doubt whether he talents were such as to justify such action on his part. "What is particularly desired by us at the present time," he said, "is the

chanics of the stage." "Merciful heavens!" exclaimed the young woman, throwing up her hands "You don't mean to tell me that it is

Groceries.

service of people who know the me

necessary I should be on terms of intimacy with those dreadful stage hands?"--Lippincott's.

Proud of His Prospects. Louis Pierre was one of a number of Canadian immigrants who settled at Fitzgerald, Ga. As he spoke both

French and English he rapidly became a man of importance and was successively elected to the offices of city marshal, coroner and justice of the peace. A dispute arose between the French and English settlers as to the superiority of the United States over the Canadian provinces. They finally agreed to leave the decision to Judge Pierre, who handed down this

"Yoost tage a loog at me. Ferst dey mage me constabul, den coroner, und now joostis of de pees. Soon I be ze governair, den senator. den president I would be ze long time in Canadaire 'fore dey mage me queen."-Circle Magazine.

A Diet of Wild Honey. Wild honey as a change is an agree able sweetmeat, but after a few days constantly partaking of it the European palate rejects it as nauseous and almost disgusting. Our experience extended over a fortnight, during which period our food consisted solely of it and maize. It has escaped the Biblical commentators that one of the print pal hardships that John the Baptis. must have undergone was his diet of

wild honey.-Geographic Magazine.

Ancient Oath Taking. A method of taking the oath far more hygienic than kissing the book was that observed at the Forest of Dean Mine court for about 500 years. beginning in the thirteenth century. It was not for any hygienic reasons. but to prevent soiling the book that the miners before giving evidence touched the four gospels with a stick of holly. The witnesses wore their hats to show that they were free min ers.-London Chronicle.

Only Part of the Truth. Ives-I saw Captain Deepeeres today. Beers-Well, what if you did? Ives-What if I did? Didn't you tell me that he was with his vessel when she went down last week with all on board? Beers-Yes, but I didn't tell you his vessel was a submarine.-Chicago News.

An Exception. Binks-Here is somebody who says that no woman is a suffragist unless she has a grouch on some man. Sinks -That's queer. My wife isn't a suf-fragist.-Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Pa Was Wise. "Papa, what is quiet hostility?" "Quiet hostility, little Jim, is the way in which when I decline to give you a penny you sneak round behind my chair and make faces."—Scraps.

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