

Wit and Humor. The fathers of families who must work for a living represent the papa labor of the world.

When a cat gives an entertainment from the top of a wall it isn't, the cat we object to, it's the wall.

If most people only knew as much as they think they know they wouldn't talk so much about it.

It must be terrible hard work to hold office, so many occupants are obliged to go away for needed rest.

Now is the time of the year when the much suffering small boys get shingled by the barber and his mother too.

There is only the difference of an "a" between woman's weakness and man's weakness. One is gossip and the other go sip.

Some people who attempt to regulate the morals of the people cannot look at an approaching policeman without a shudder.

You can tell when a dog is warm the same as you can tell a dude when you meet him on the street—by his loud pants.

Judging from the number of counterfeits arrested lately, the Italian immigrant seems to think this a great country to make money in.

Unmarried lady.—It must be a great thing when husband and wife are of one mind. Married lady.—That depends on whose mind it is.

"I notice you never try to shine in conversation, Broomey." "Well, no. Fact is, Darringer, it keeps me busy trying to conceal my ignorance."

People who keep summer boarding houses are beginning to wonder by this whether city people really eat that way all year round.

What's that? A woman can't keep a secret? Just try to find out the age of one of the dear creatures and let us know how you come out.

Alberto.—O, darling, I love you, listen to my prayer. Elsie.—Your chances are better if you'll go to the piano and sing the latest song. I hate preaching.

"So this is Castle Garden?" were his first words as he landed. "Well, I suppose the next thing in order is to blow up the police!"

Ribel.—Papa says the money market is unsteady. Edith.—Why, Uncle George said this evening that money was tight. Ribel.—Well, that's what makes it unsteady.

"See here, Brown, you took that umbrella from my office and I want it." "I know I did, but this umbrella belongs to Smith." "What if it does? I stole it first."

Mrs. Parsley (as the boat pitches a trifle)—How delightful this little swell is, Mr. Parsley? Young Brockleby (complacently)—I always try to be entertaining, Mrs. Parsley.

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On his way up he stopped in a popular cafe with the intention of purchasing a good cigar. After considerable delay a cigar was selected through the joint efforts of the reverend gentleman and the attendant at the cigar stand.

He lighted it and asked the attendant for a glass of water. The attendant, "Robert give me a cigar—one of the usual kind," at the same time drawing from his pocket a \$5 bill.

The clerk, who knew the bill, passed out the cigar, took the bill, which he placed in the cash drawer and returned to the attendant.

The country clergyman was dumbfounded. He left the place without a word, and the caddis are about ninety to one that some quiet village will be electrified in the near future by a powerful sermon on the extravagances of city preachers.

The Planets in September. WHAT MAY BE SEEN IN THE HEAVENS DURING THE PRESENT MONTH.

Mercury is evening star, and as he speeds on his eastward course he will overtake Venus, who is also traveling eastward from the sun, but at a slower pace.

The two planets will be in conjunction on the 18th at 10 p. m. The swift-footed planet will next encounter Venus on the 22d at 10 p. m.

The planets will be in conjunction on the 10th at noon. On the 22d he will be in conjunction with Spica at 2 p. m. Mercury is in the constellation Leo.

He will set to-morrow at 6:38 p. m. On the 30th he will set at 6:00 p. m. Venus is evening star, and before the month closes will set more than an hour after the sun.

Observers will find her in the west, south of the sunset point and visible soon after the sun has gone down. She will make a close conjunction with Uranus on the 19th at 5 p. m.

Venus is in the constellation Virgo. She will set to-morrow at 6:52 p. m. On the 30th she will set at 6:20 p. m.

Jupiter is evening star, and will stand once more at the head of the list of the planets' brotherhood in September.

It is, however, his last appearance, for, though almost a son himself, he will soon draw so near the far more powerful central sun as to be entirely eclipsed in his beams.

Mars will overtake and pass Jupiter on the 11th at 9 a. m. On the 22d, at 8 p. m., Jupiter will be in conjunction with Beta Scorpii, being twenty-eight degrees south.

This makes the third time that the planet has passed the same star during the year, but he will not return to his near vicinity until twelve years have passed. Jupiter is in the constellation Scorpio. On the 20th he will set at 7:53 p. m.

Saturn is morning star, and will enjoy the honor of being the only planet visible in the morning sky. Uranus is evening star. He will be the planet nearest to the sun, among the evening stars at the close of the month, for Mercury and Venus will have passed east of him during its progress.

KNOW WHAT IT WAS TO FARE.—"Wonderful, isn't it, how people can go for days and days without food?" "I've just been reading about a man out West who hasn't touched food for two months."

"Nothing remarkable about that." "You think so?" "Certainly, I do. I lived in a boarding-house in New York for two years myself."

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