HIS REAL WOE

"Why so glum, old man? Won't she return your love?"

"No. But the worst of it is she won't return the presents I gave her!"

Feeding Farm Hands.

Every farmer's wife knows what tremendous appetites farm hands usually have; but while they eat well they work well, too.

Here's a good suggestion about feeding farm hands. Give them plenty of Quaker Oats. A big dish of Quaker Oats porridge with sugar and cream or milk is the greatest breakfast in the world for a man who needs vigor and strength for a long day's work. The man that eats Quaker Oats plentifully and often is the man who does good work without excessive fatigue. There is a sustaining quality in Quaker Oats not found in other foods, and for economy it is at the head of the list. Besides the regular size packages Quaker Oats is packed in large size family packages, with and without china. 5

Would Find Use for It.

After a day and a night spent in answering telephone calls from people who wanted the latest news from Peary and Dr. Cook, the secretary of one of the arctic clubs had retired for a well-earned rest, when the persistent 'phone bell rang again. A voice at the other end said:

"Do you want the ambulance sent right over?"

"What ambulance?" roared the irate secretary.

"Why, the one you sent for."

"I sent for no ambulance."

"You lie!"

The secretary gasped, then he screamed into the 'phone:

"Send it as soon as possible, and you come over, too, and I'll send you back in it!"

On a Time Limitation.

In spite of the reputation for latitudinarianism he gained from his early trial for heresy, the late Prof. Jowett of Oxford was intolerant of pretentiousness and shallow conceit. One self-satisfied undergraduate met the master one day. "Master," he said, "I have searched everywhere in all philosophies, ancient and modern, and nowhere do I find the evidence of a God." "Mr. ——," replied the master, after a shorter pause than usual, "if you don't find a God by five o'clock this afternoon you must leave this college."

Come Home, Mother.

Mother, dear mother, come home from the club, and rustle some supper for me; 'tis time you were here working over the grub and getting things ready for tea. The table's not set nor the teakettle boiled, the vegetables are not prepared; no wonder my temper and feelings are roiled, though 'tis doubtful, indeed, if you cared. Come home, come home, come ho-ho-home! Yes, cut your symposium down a wee bit, dear mother, and hustle right home!—Los Angeles Express.

A Work of Supererogation.

Henry dislikes being bathed and argues with his mother over every square inch of his four-year-old anatomy.

One night, when his patience was especially tried by what he considered wholly unnecessary work, he exclaimed:

"Oh, mamma, couldn't you skip my stomach? Nobody ever sees my stomach!"—Judge's Library.

Though we should examine the whole world we shall not find one man so happy as to have nothing left to wish for.—Oliver Goldsmith.

CHILDREN SHOWED IT

Effect of Their Warm Drink in the Morning.

A year ago I was a wreck from coffee drinking and was on the point of giving up my position in the school room because of nervousness.

"I was telling a friend about it and she said, 'We drink nothing at meal time but Postum, and it is such a comfort to have something we can enjoy drinking with the children.'

"I was astonished that she would allow the children to drink any kind of coffee, but she said Postum was the most healthful drink in the world for children as well as for older ones, and that the condition of both the children and adults showed that to be a fact.

"My first trial was a failure. The cook boiled it four or five minutes and it tasted so flat that I was in despair but determined to give it one more trial. This time we followed the directions and boiled it fifteen minutes after the boiling began. It was a decided success and I was completely won by its rich delicious flavour. In a short time I noticed a decided improvement in my condition and kept growing better month after month, until now I am perfectly healthy, and do my work in the school room with ease and pleasure. I would not return to the nerve-destroying regular coffee for any money."

Read the famous little "Health Classic," "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

For the Hostess

Chat on Topics of Many Kinds, by a Recognized Authority

An Animal Party.

This clever animal party may be utilized for guests either old or young. It is also adaptable for the needs of church societies, which are always in search of schemes to break the monotony, especially at the very commencement of an evening affair.

As each person enters a slip of paper containing the name of an animal is to be pinned upon his back and he is told he must guess from the conversation of those around him what animal he is supposed to represent. Then pass booklets ornamented with cute little "Teddy" bears and pencils. On a door have a poster of the animals going two by two into the ark and the words, "This Way to the Greatest Show on Earth." Admit the guests in groups to this room, where the cages containing the animals will be found, allowing ten minutes for each group to guess what the cages contain. Here is a list of animals which may be added to by individual hostesses: "Kid" (a glove of kid), "Lynx" (links of a chain), "Rat" hair rat), "Monkey" (letters M O N and a door key), "Chamois (a piece of chamois), "Lion" (a doll's pillow, "Goat" (a small piece of butter), "Peacock" (a dried pea and a toy rooster), "Bear" (a tiny undressed doll), "Eagle," (the letter E and a picture of a sea gull).

The cages (boxes crossed with wire) were numbered, and the guests wrote down what they supposed the animal was in the booklet opposite a corresponding number. Animal candy boxes are good for prizes. Then have a contest to see who can come the nearest pinning a goat's whiskers on in the proper place, the contestant to be blindfolded.

Serve an ice, "animal" cookies and barley sugar animals.

Japanese Fan-Tan.

At a Japanese affair this delectable concoction was served. I give the recipe as it came to me feeling sure it will be very welcome, as many calls for just such a dish come to the department.

To make fan-tan, cook half cupful of well-washed rice in a pint of milk until very soft. Stir in a heaping tablespoonful of sugar and one well-beaten egg and remove at once from the fire. Mix in a half cupful of assorted candied fruits, cherries, apricots and pine apple, and turn into a shallow, well-ubttered pan to cool. When firm cut into strips about an inch and a half wide and three inches long; dip in egg and breadcrumbs and brown delicately on both sides in butter. Drain, dust with powdered sugar and serve hot.

Announcing an Engagement.

The hostess had asked eight girls to luncheon and no one expected the interesting news that was announced in this fashion: The centerpiece was a low mound-shaped form of white roses known as "bride," and there was a delicate fringe around them of maiden-hair ferns and mignonette. Over this from the chandelier swung a cluster of white wedding bells; they were tied with fluffy tulle streamers The place cards were little standing cards of a bride and bridegroom cut out, and it did not take long to discover that the faces were photographs of the young woman, who was soon discovered to be the honored guest, and the lucky man, who it was discovered, was to lead her to the altar. This menu was served: Chilled canteloup, cream of spinach soup, fillets of fresh fish fried in olive oil, with sauce tartare; creamed sweetbreads, green peas in timbals, finger rolls, fruit salad, with cheese and bar-le-duc, pineapple sherbet, small cakes, coffee.

A Good Guessing Contest.

The answers to each question are words ending in 'age."

What is the age of a ship? Voyage.

What is the age of a pocket-book? Coinage.

What is the most musical age? Bandage.

What age is necessary for a soldier? Courage.

What is a railroad's age? Mileage.

What the earliest age to express? Package.

What age is always ahead? Cabbage.

What's Uncle Sam's age? Postage.

What age does the ostrich attain? Plumage.

What age do single people never reach? Marriage.

What age does a lady prefer? Manage.

What's the best age for a horse? Carriage.

What is said to be a mean age? Damage.

What age should a king have? Homage.

What age is always before us? Dotage.

MADAME MERRI.

FANCIES OF FASHION

Green belts are stylish.

Grays are to be fashionable.

Never has lace been so universally used.

Old red is a prime favorite with black.

Yellow is more to be seen than for years.

Fall tones are generally soft, dull and faded.

Small buttons are more used than large ones.

Pockets in motoring coats and ulsters are huge.

Close fitting styles will continue through the winter.

Paris Models

THE WALKING costume at the left is of old blue cloth. The back and sides of the upper part of the costume simulate a sort of jacket ornamented along the edge with buttons of the material. These buttons also ornament the long front which fastens on one side.

The turn-over collar, the wide revers and the cuffs are all faced with black liberty, of which the girdle is also made. The latter is knotted in the back with long sash ends.

To this upper part the lower part is mounted with plaits forming a deep flounce. The cravat and sleeve ruffles are of lace.

The evening gown at the right is of crepe de chine trimmed with a beautiful metal and jet embroidery.

The upper part is in princess or cuirass style, and to this the lower part is gathered. The bertha and little puffed sleeves are of mousseline de soie

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A nurse is expected to know what to do for common ailments, and women who suffer backache, constant languor, and other common symptoms of kidney complaint, should be grateful to Mrs. Minnie Turner, of E. B. St., Anadarko, Okla., for pointing out the way to find quick relief. Mrs. Turner used Doan's Kidney Pills for a run-down condition, backache, pains in the sides and kidneys, bloated limbs, etc. "The way they have built me up is simply marvelous," says Mrs. Turner, who is a nurse. "My health improved rapidly. Five boxes did so much for me I am telling everybody about it."

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THE DANGER SIGNAL

"Yes, Freddy, I'm a sick man!"

"Wot's der matter?"

"Why, I'm gettin' that restless an' wakeful, dat I can't sleep, only at night!"

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A New York friend of Cuticura writes:

"My three year old son and heir, after being put to bed on a trip across the Atlantic, investigated the stateroom and located a box of graham crackers and a box of Cuticura Ointment. When a search was made for the box, it was found empty and the kid admitted that he had eaten the contents of the entire box spread on the crackers. It cured him of a bad cold and I don't know what else."

No more conclusive evidence could be offered that every ingredient of Cuticura Ointment is absolutely pure, sweet and harmless. If it may be safely eaten by a young child, none but the most beneficial results can be expected to attend its application to even the tenderest skin or youngest infant.

Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston.

Poker Finance.

Mose Coonley (a winner)—Guess I'll cash in, boys.

Abe Mokeby (also to the good)—Guess I'll do de same.

Jefferson Yallerby—Me too!

Bill Bingy (the banker, a big loser)—Well, I guess yo' each done got anuddeh guess a-comin', gen'lemen! Ownin' to dis heah attempted an' uncalled-fo' run on de bank, de instertootion am now suspended an' won't resume oppyrations till de panicky feelin' hab fully subsided an' de foolish depositahs continues doin' business as fohmahly. And it's youah deal, Mose Coonley!"—Illustrated Sunday Magazine.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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Unsophisticated Onlooker—I think this is a first rate place. See what a fine view we have of this car coming.

Seasoned Spectator—Fine view fiddlesticks! Nothing ever happens on these straight stretches—not even a broken leg. Come on down to the turn and wait for the fun.—Puck.

Beginning Hostilities.

Mr. Perkly—Oh, if you could only learn to cook as my first wife did!

Mrs. Perkly—If you were as smart as my dear first husband was you'd be rich enough to hire the best cook in the land.

Of Some Benefit.

Barber—Did the bottle of hair restorer I sold you do any good?

Customer—Yes, indeed; it kept me from wasting my money on any more.

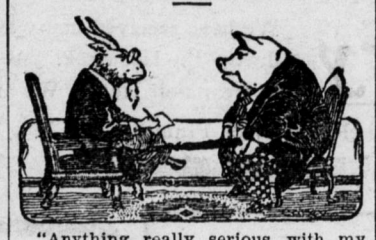
Every time a married woman begins to talk about her rights it's her husband's cue to enumerate a few of his wrongs.

There are $15,000,000 worth of buttons made in this country every year, yet lots of men use nails to connect their suspenders with their trousers.

No matter how long your neck may be or how sore your throat, Hamlins Wizard Oil will cure it surely and quickly. It drives out all soreness and inflammation.

Gossip has a thousand tongues—and they all work overtime.

THE DIAGNOSIS



"Anything really serious with my eye, Doc?"

"No, no—simply a pig-sty."

And He Suffered.

Little Willie, suffering from an attack of toothache, had paid his first visit to the dentist, accompanied by his mother. Father, on his return from the office that evening, was naturally much interested.

"Didn't it hurt?" asked father.

"Sure, it hurt," replied Willie.

"Weren't you scared when the dentist put you in that big chair and started all those zizz-zizz-zizz things?"

"Oh, not so much."

"That was a brave boy. But, surely, you suffered?"

"Of course I suffered. But I just kept repeating over and over the golden text we had in Sunday school last Sunday."

"The golden text? What was it?"

"Why, 'Suffer little children to come unto me,'" replied Willie, glibly. "I kept saying that over and over to myself, and the first thing I knew it didn't hurt any more."

Ours and Theirs.

"A play on names unconsciously perpetrated by my youngest son was very funny," said a Flatbush man the other day. "We live next door to a family named Feitenour, and the other night while my family was busy reading in the library we heard a racket on the back porch. My son went out to investigate, and on his return my wife, always inquisitive, asked what had caused the noise.

"'Nothin' but a couple of cats,' Jim told her, and then I heard her ask: 'Did you see whose they were?'

"'Yes; one was ours and the other was Feitenour's.'"

Weakened by Alcohol.

Dr. Bertillon, the eminent French vital statistician, has shown that tuberculosis is twice as prevalent among the retail liquor dealers of France as among other shopkeepers. He attributes it to the fact that the alcohol which they handle and use all day long weakens their bodies and thus renders them more susceptible to the disease germ.

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Repartee in the Bright Family.

"The newspapers are making a great stir about men's disinclination to marry," remarked Mrs. Bright.

"The Bible says there are no marriages in heaven," commented Mr. B.

"And what has that to do with us?"

Bright laughed.

"Perhaps they are figuring on having a little heaven on earth."

The Minority Position.

"Saw Peleg down to the public library yistiddy. He wuz reading all the old newspapers he could find."

"Yes; he can't remember for sure whether the Panama canal is to be sea level or lock, and whichever it is he's agin it."

The Grouchy Man.

She—There's Mrs. Toozle. She seems quite reconciled to the death of her first husband.

He—Yes; but I'm afraid that her second never will be."—Illustrated Bits.

The 800-foot bridge over the Yellow river at Lanchowfu, in the province of Kansu, is nearing completion. All materials had to be conveyed nearly 1,000 miles in Chinese carts.

You can't tell by the size of the gravestone how big the man was who lies in the grave.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.
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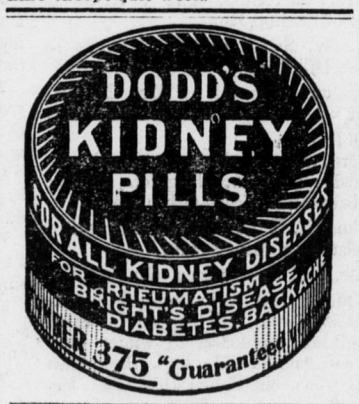

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