

MAKING MATCHES.

The Machine that Cuts 10,000,000 Sticks a Day.

The operation of making matches from a pine log may be divided into four heads, namely: Preparing the splints, dipping the matches, box making and filling.

As the block revolves and decreases in diameter the knife advances and a band of veneer of uniform thickness is obtained.

From the cutting room the splints are taken to the drying room, where they are placed in revolving drums, which absorb all the moisture the splints may contain.

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WHAT PAT HAD UNDER HIS COAT. "Reverend but Near-Sighted Employee—'Patrick, what's that under your coat?'"

PRACTICE WHAT YOU PREAMCH. Merchant—"I wish to insert an advertisement in the Morning Eagle."

FIT ASSOCIATES FOR FORTYSEVEN, ONLY. "Henry!" cried Mrs. Von Toodles, grasping her man's hand by the arm.

A DESPERATE LAST CHANCE. "If you hypnotize a man, you can make him do anything you want him to, can't you?" asked Ethel.

CHANGED HIS TUNE. Lawyer—"Madam, I'm sorry to say that I don't see the ghost of a chance for you to break your uncle's will."

WHY THEY FELT OUT UP. "If you please, Mr. Cashgoods," said the young salarwoman, "we have been discussing the matter of salaries."

Therapists was at the pinnacle of power between the year 2000 and 750 B. C., and, in fact, the people were the inventors and civilizers of the whole world.

WELL MEANT, BUT—Dauha—Now, Miss Hunter, please look pleasant—that's it—keep that for a moment until I catch it.

NOT USED TO OTHER WAYS.—New Minister—Hereafter it will be necessary to keep the windows tightly closed during service.

HIGHLY UNNATURAL.—Walker—I had a most unnatural dream last night, Fadam! I dreamt I had borrowed five dollars of me for a week.

A VERY PARTICULAR WOMAN.—Agent (at railroad)—'Madame, do you wish your baggage checked?'"

My doctor said there was no cure for me. About six weeks ago I had our druggist send for six bottles of Floraplexion, which I have taken, and it has done me more good than anything in twenty years.

Floraplexion is the speedy and permanent cure for Sick Headache, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Biliousness, Liver Complaint, Nervous Debility and Consumption.

When the Minneapolis suspension bridge was removed recently, the anchorage iron, although they had been carefully imbedded in cement, were found to be decaying and corroded.

How's This? We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of cataract that cannot be cured by taking Hall's Cataract Cure.

One million tubes for Koch's lymph is the work which is at present engaging the attention of a German glass worker.

Is true, however strange the assertion. Any compound of vegetables easily absorbed and able to promote digestion, nutrition and excretion, purify the blood and secure healthy action of the liver, kidneys, skin, bowels and lungs.

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An imitation of Nature—that's the result you want to reach. With Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, you have it.

They cleanse and renovate the whole system naturally. That means that they do it thoroughly, but mildly. They're the smallest in size, but the most effective—sugar-coated, easiest to take.

EVERY MOTHER

Should Have It in the House. Dropped on Sugar, Children Love to take Johnson's Another Laxative for Croup, Colds, Bronchitis, Whooping Cough, and other ailments.

BEECHAM'S PILLS

PAINLESS—EFFECTUAL. FOR BILIOUS & NERVOUS DISORDERS. Such as Wind and Pain in the Stomach, Giddiness, Fullness, Swelling after Meals, Dizziness, Drowsiness, Cold Chills, Flushings of Heat, Loss of Appetite, Shortness of Breath, Costiveness, Scurvy, Blisters on the Skin, Disturbed Sleep, Frightful Dreams and all Nervous and Trembling Sensations.

WORTH A GUINEA A BOX.

Becham's Pills, taken as directed, will quickly RESTORE FEMALES to complete health. For Sick Headache, Weak Stomach, Impaired Digestion, Constipation, Disordered Liver, &c.

It has been shown that if the sun was a burning sphere of solid coal it could not last 6000 years.

LEWIS' 93% LYE Powdered and Perfumed. Strongest and purest Lye made. Makes the best paste for removing stains in 30 minutes without boiling.

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HUMOROUS

Staggering figures—The Whisky Trust's millions.

Well-heeled—The heiress with French shoes.

A great poker hand—An engine stoker's list.

A man never sits down on his silk high hat more than once.

She (in the theatre)—Why do you go out between the acts?

He—For spiritual reasons, my dear.

Naughty Willie—I won't! I shan't! I don't want to be an angel.

Firm Mother—You must.

When a new reporter asks for his pay in advance it is fair to presume that he has been working on a village newspaper.

Car Driver—My work is like a church organ.

Passenger—How so?

Car Driver—It's full of stops, Whoa!

NOT IN IT. Lives of rich men oft remind us, Struggling for our daily rations, We shall never leave behind us Millions for our poor relations.

Millionaire (to his new butler)—Jenkinson, do you smoke?

Butler—Why—er—of course I do sir.

Millionaire—Well, tell the locksmith to call around to-day and change the lock of my cigar cabinet.

UNREASONABLE. They say that each dog has his day, And ought to have some rights; But is that any reason, pray, Why cats should have the night?

Williamson—There is one place I never go to without putting my foot in it.

Hargraves—Where is that?

Williamson—In a shoe store.

A COMPLIMENT TO HER SKILL.—Ethel—I never play on the piano, except for my friends.

Maud—I should think you'd find it more pleasant to play for your enemies. You would then taste the sweets of revenge.

THE RECKLESS GIRL. "Put on your veil," her mother cried, "Or you'll your beauty wreck; The winds your face will freckle o'er," Quoth the maiden, "Let 'em freckle."

A NIGHTINGALE.—Mrs. Smythe—My husband is an enthusiast on music—sits up all night to sing.

Mrs. Tompkins—What does he sing.

Mrs. Smythe—Oh, lullaby, usually.

OBJECTIONS OVERCOME. May—A girl doesn't like to be grabbed and hugged against her will.

Frank—No; but my shirt front isn't my girl's will.

PLENTY OF EXPERIENCE.—Chapple—Your friend Charlie talks of setting out for the North Pole very soon.

Athaw—Has he any experience as an Arctic explorer?

Chapple—Well, he has been courting a Boston girl all winter.

VERY STRANGE INDEED.—Gilboly—What a'cleck is it, Charley?

Charlie Bondclipper—It's just 10.

Gilboly—What a singular coincidence! I was just going to ask you for \$10.

A STUCK-UP LOT OF MEN.—"Henry," she whispered, "is the glib business, such as yours, a real nice one?"

"Nice!" he declared. "Come down to the factory some time and I'll show you the most stuck-up lot of men you ever saw; the Four Hundred are nowhere."

SHE WANTED TO SEE.—"So this is the barn?" exclaimed the fair young girl who was visiting her country cousins.

"Yes."

"Then do please show me the dear little barnacles."

HE WAS RIGHT.—"Have you any photographs of your children, Mr. Peck?" asked a friend of the Hon. Alperus Peck.

"I should say I had," answered Mr. Peck. "I've about a bushel of them."

"Why, Alperus!" exclaimed his wife. "Well, haven't we? Haven't we photographs of all four of them, and don't four pecks make a bushel?"

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