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How Very Shocking!

A certain newspaper man, who has the reputation of being rather brilliant on occasions, attended a function in Washington recently where the hostess was known to be clever at repartee. When the journalist—he was entitled to be called a journalist, because he had reached that stage in his career where, when he goes to interview a great man, he puts in the interview what he said to the man rather than what the man said to him—when this journalist was about to take his leave, he went to the hostess to say good night.

Before he could express the pleasure which the evening had afforded him, the hostess said:

"Now don't say anything conventional. I am tired of platitudes."

"I won't," he replied. "I'll say I have had a h— of a good time."

"I'm d—n glad of it," replied the hostess.

What a happy old world this would be if people who lose their tempers were unable to find them again!

Don't take things as they come if they belong to other people.

Law is a great thing—for lawyers.

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Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic, 25c. a bottle.

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Love may intoxicate a man, but marriage sobers him.

I do not believe Piso's Cure for Consumption has unequalled for coughs and colds.—JOHN F. LOYER, Trinity Springs, Ind., Feb. 15, 1909.

Two often cease to be company after they are made one.

Lighting and Water.

It is practically impossible to cause an electric spark of high electromotive force to leap from one surface of a liquid to another. For this reason it is rare that lightning strikes the surface of water.

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Has Right to Pray for Japan.

At least one man in Missouri piously prays that victory may perch on the banner of the Jap in the war now being waged. This is Colonel John Sobieski, of Richmond, lineal heir of King John Sobieski, of Poland.

Seed Corn.

A Kansas City small boy was asked by his school teacher to use "seed corn" in a sentence.

"When I was out in the country last summer," said the youngster, "I seed cornstalks in a field."



To be a successful wife, to retain the love and admiration of her husband should be a woman's constant study. Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Potts tell their stories for the benefit of all wives and mothers.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will make every mother well, strong, healthy and happy. I dragged through nine years of miserable existence, worn out with pain and weariness. I then noticed a statement of a woman troubled as I was, and the wonderful results she had from your Vegetable Compound, and decided to try what it would do for me, and used it for three months. At the end of that time I was a different woman, the neighbors remarked it, and my husband fell in love with me all over again. It seemed like a new existence. I had been suffering with inflammation and falling of the womb, but your medicine cured that and built up my entire system, till I was indeed like a new woman. Sincerely yours, MRS. CHAS. F. BROWN, 21 Cedar Terrace, Hot Springs, Ark., Vice President Mothers' Club."

Suffering women should not fail to profit by Mrs. Brown's experiences; just as surely as she was cured of the troubles enumerated in her letter, just so surely will Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cure other women who suffer from womb troubles, inflammation of the ovaries, kidney troubles, nervous excitability, and nervous prostration. Read the story of Mrs. Potts to all mothers:—

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—During the early part of my married life I was very delicate in health. I had two miscarriages, and both my husband and I felt very badly as we were anxious to have children. A neighbor who had been using Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound advised me to try it, and I decided to do so. I soon felt that my appetite was increasing, the headaches gradually decreased and finally disappeared, and my general health improved. I felt as if new blood coursed through my veins, the sluggish tired feeling disappeared, and I became strong and well.

"Within a year after I became the mother of a strong healthy child, the joy of our home. You certainly have a splendid remedy, and I wish every mother knew of it.—Sincerely yours, MRS. ANNA POTTS, 510 Park Ave., Hot Springs, Ark."

If you feel that there is anything at all unusual or puzzling about your case, or if you wish confidential advice of the most experienced, write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., and you will be advised free of charge. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has cured and is curing thousands of cases of female troubles—curing them inexpensively and absolutely. Remember this when you go to your druggist. Insist upon getting

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THE KEYSTONE STATE

Latest News of Pennsylvania Told in Short Order.

Edwin Lonsdale, florist of Springfield Township has made an assignment to John G. Lamb for the benefit of his creditors.

The directors of the Coatesville Young Men's Christian Association have decided to erect a new building for bowling alleys and swimming pool. Coatesville council has passed an ordinance granting the West Chester Street Railway Company the right to lay tracks and operate an electric railway in that borough. Work has been commenced on the new line.

A Shamokin young woman, who refused to reveal her identity, saw the police and a crowd pursuing John Didovich, who, it is alleged, had matched a purse from Miss Elizabeth Boyd. The young woman grappled with the fugitive and held him until the police arrived.

Mrs. Emily Diehl, of Stroudsburg was burned to death.

On account of the spread of small pox, a Shamokin officer of the State Board of Health notified the inhabitants that unless they were vaccinated by April 28 collieries and factories will be shut down.

Dale Patton, who has been a terror to the people of Big Valley for several years, was sentenced to four and one-half years in the Western Penitentiary by Judge Woods, at Lewistown. He broke down and cried like a child.

In the effort to determine what shall be done with money collected for erecting a monument to the mine workers shot down at Lattimer, a meeting of the Executive Boards of all three districts is soon to be called.

Fire originating from sparks from a railway engine near the Port Clinton tunnel, destroyed many hundred acres of timber on the Blue Mountain one mile west of Hamburg. The flames were extinguished during the night by 100 men and boys.

There were but two bidders for the new city filtration plant to be placed on Island Park, in the Susquehanna—Coder & Miller, Harrisburg, \$273,000; Eastern Construction Company of New York, \$289,500. No action was taken on the bids.

In the investigation of the Blythe Township election frauds at Pottsville, the court was informed that Patrick Connelly, a member of the District School Board, was expelled from the board for the alleged reason that he missed two meetings. It is charged that the real reason Connelly was put out was because he revealed a plan to extort money from the public school teachers, who were told to "pay up or get out."

While the two young sons of William Haines, a farmer, of Lancaster, were depositing waste in the kitchen stove, the stove was shattered by an explosion and both boys were badly burned. While collecting waste paper the boys had picked up a paper bag containing gunpowder.

The residence of Chief of Police Thomas McKeowan, at Ridley Park was entered while the officer was away by a negro and some money, a revolver and several other articles of value stolen.

A transfer was filed in the Recorder's office at Lancaster whereby the Philadelphia, Coatesville & Lancaster Railway Company becomes the owner of all the property and rights of the Brandywine Electric Street Railway Company. The consideration named is \$1. The companies had laid out parallel routes from Coatesville to Lancaster through a thickly settled region. There will now be no war of rates as at first indicated, and the note is one of protection. The proposed road will be the connecting link between Lancaster and Philadelphia by trolley.

Charles Croll, of Plymouth, while a prisoner of Constable Zeigler, of Allentown, jumped from a Lehigh Valley express train while it was going at high speed down the mountain near White Haven. He has not been seen since, and whether he was hurled into the Lehigh River and drowned or was unhurt and escaped to the woods is not known. Croll is accused of the archnemy of military property from an Allentown company.

Charged with criminal libel, Rev. T. A. Smyth, pastor of the East State Street African Methodist Episcopal Church, Harrisburg, has filed a bond of \$1000 for his appearance at the June term of court. The charge was preferred by officer J. H. Early, and said to have grown out of an article published in the "Boys' Capital," which Mr. Smyth edits.

The Philadelphia & Reading Railway Company has asked Governor Pennypacker for a hearing on an application to extend the time of the commissions of coal and iron policemen. Recently the Governor decided that he would commission these officers for one year only. The Governor has signified his willingness to hear argument.

Two of the three borough auditor of Marcus Hook refuse to serve.

In an address at the West Chester High School, President Joseph Swain of Swarthmore College, offered to the school a free scholarship at Swarthmore College for four years.

Samuel A. Crozer, of Upland, has completed his thirty-seventh year as superintendent of the Upland Baptist Sunday school, and the celebration was marked by a banquet to the teachers and officers of the school.

While Mrs. Newlin was testifying against Chester Hemery in the office of Alderman R. J. Shoemaker, of Chester, Hemery sprang up and attempted to choke the woman. He was subdued and held for trial. Mrs. Newlin says he assaulted her son.

The court has appointed John F. Dohoney, a Harrisburg newspaper man, a member of the Board of Commissioners of Dauphin County, to fill the vacancy created by the death of William M. Lauman, of Middletown.

George Pratt was arrested at Pottsville, charged with fraudulently collecting money for alleged insurance. Pratt is said to have duped persons in Norristown and other places.

A \$2000 Pipe Organ, towards the purchase of which Andrew Carnegie donated \$500, was used for the first time in St. John's Lutheran Church, Lemaux.

The Butter Boys of Porto Rico.

Every morning the people of the large towns of Porto Rico are awakened by the merchants crying "Butter! Butter of the country!"

These are the butter boys who go trotting in each morning as soon as the tropical dawn begins, to sell the native butter which has been made by their mothers the day before.

Each little merchant carries a plate on his head, balancing it expertly like a juggler, and never bothering to steady it with his hand, whether he is running or making change.

The plate contains about fifty or sixty "pats" of the stuff. It isn't very good, although it seems delicious to the Porto Ricans, because their climate is not adapted for keeping butter well; so they are accustomed to an article that would seem rancid and strong to the luckier persons in the north.

The "pats" are very small, weighing less than an ounce each, and they sell for about one cent. The customers of the butter boys usually buy just enough to serve for one meal.

The butter boys' mothers don't make this butter in a churn. They merely shake milk or cream in a big jar till it is fairly solid. Then they put in lots of salt and send it to town.

Superlatively Poor.

Bourke Cochran was condemning a certain popular novel.

"This novel," he said, "is as poor and barren as Elmo County land."

"Is Elmo County land very poor and barren?" asked one of Mr. Cochran's interlocutors.

"Is it?" said he. "Well, I should say it is. Once two strangers rode on horseback through Elmo County, and the barrenness of the land amazed them. Nothing but weeds and rocks everywhere. As they passed a farm-house they saw an old man sitting in the garden, and they said, 'Poor chap! Poor, poverty-stricken old fellow!'

"The old man heard them, and calling out in a shrill voice: 'Gents, I ain't so poor an' poverty-stricken as ye think. I don't own none o' this land.'"

Hope For the Future.

"Come! come!" cried the candidate's friend, "don't be disheartened so easily."

"But I'm sure to be beaten," replied the candidate, dismally.

"Oh, let your motto be, 'He who runs and fights away may live to run another day.'"

No Baldheaded Row.

"No sir," explained the aspiring author, "there is no occasion for a chorus; in fact a chorus would kill the piece. It is not a comic opera."

"You should have been the father of the prodigal son."

"Why so?"

"You appear to take delight in killing the fatted calf."

Booming Business.

"That lobbyist seems to have a good deal of money to spend," remarked the first councilman.

"Yes," replied the other, "he's working for an ordinance to allow automobiles unlimited speed."

"Ah! in the interest of the auto club?"

"No, the undertakers' trust."

The Girl That Buys Him.

American Girl—We haven't been over long, you know. I suppose your people always lived here?

Augustus—We came to England with the Normans, don't you know.

American Girl—Oh, indeed, the Normans? I'm afraid I don't know them.—From Tit-Bits.

WOMEN BREAK DOWN.

Sometimes women drift into a condition of "half invalid." Continual languor—all tired out, run down, headache, nerves shattered, no appetite, poor digestion. In nine cases out of ten it's because the kidneys fail to do their work of filtering the poisonous system waste from the blood. The kidneys are weak and need the strengthening help of Doan's Kidney Pills. Read how these pills repair a weakened physical condition when this condition is caused by sick kidneys.

Mrs. Sadie Mettles, of 304 W. 4th Ave., Columbus, Ohio, says: "Prior to the year 1898 I suffered considerably from backache, pain in the head, languor and depression and weakness of the action of the kidneys. The pain was always worse in the morning and I felt miserable. I was induced to procure a box of Doan's Kidney Pills and I began their use. They proved prompt and effective. They cured me, and there has been no return of the trouble since taking them. I owe all the credit to Doan's Kidney Pills."

A FREE TRIAL of this great kidney medicine which cured Mrs. Mettles will be mailed on application to any part of the United States. Address Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. For sale by all druggists, price 50 cents per box.

Muskegon (Mich.) union carpenters have agreed with local contractors to arbitrate all differences in the future. The wage is to be 32½ cents an hour, with an eight-hour day.

When a young man tells a girl he loves her for herself alone it is equivalent to an injunction against interference from the rest of the family.

If a druggist has no conscience he usually has something he considers equally good.

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Hon. Nelson Rice, of St. Joseph, Mich., knows of a large number of grateful patients in his county who have been cured by Peruna.

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MARCH, APRIL, MAY.

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Gentlemen: "I wish to congratulate you on the success of your efforts to win the confidence of the public in need of a reliable medicine. The sun has just crossed the equator on its yearly trip north. The real equator is shifted toward the north nearly eighteen miles every day. With the return of the sun comes the bodily ills peculiar to spring. With one person the nerves are weak; another person, digestion poor; with others the blood is out of order; and still others have depressed spirits and tired feeling. If you do not receive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis. Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

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