

FACT, FUN AND FANCY.

Bright, Sparkling Paragraphs—Selected and Original.

After the Initiation.

The house is full of medicine And mystery profound; We can not even run about, Or make the slightest sound. They keep the big piano shut, We cannot strike a note; The doctor's been here twenty times, Since father rode the goat. He joined the lodge a week ago, Got in at 4 a. m., And sixteen members brought him home. Though he says he brought them, His leg was sprained, and one big rip Had rent his Sunday coat. The members had a jolly time When father rode the goat. He's resting on the couch today, And practicing the signs. The hailing signal, call and grip, And other monkey shins. He utters passwords 'neath his breath And other things he'll quote— The members had an evening's work When father rode the goat.

And That's No Stale Dream.

"Mother, what is an angel?" "My dear, it is a little girl with wings who flies." "But I heard papa telling the governess yesterday that she was an angel. Will she fly?" "Yes, my dear, she will fly away the first thing tomorrow."

Got It At Last.

He criticized her pudding, And he criticized her cake; He wished she'd make the biscuits That his Mother used to make; She didn't wash the dishes, She didn't make the stew, She didn't mend the stockings As his Mother used to do. Oh, well, she wasn't perfect, But she tried to do her best Until at length she thought It time for her to have a rest. So when one day this man had grown old, And whined the whole day through, She turned him up and fanned his pants, As his Mother used to do.

In the Wrong Place.

An old gentleman walked up to the pretty attendant at the counting room of a daily newspaper office a few days ago and said: "Miss, I would like to get copies of your paper for a week back."

"You had better get a porous plaster," she abstractedly replied. "You get them just across the street."

All About Mary.

Mary made her little man Inure his life one day, The little man is dead and gone, But Mary—she's O. K. Mary had a little calf, It was so very lean, That everywhere that Mary "goed" It "scarcely could be seen." So Mary "bued" a pair of pads, And "stucked" them in her hose, So now the calf is plainly seen Wherever Mary goes.

The Knocker.

Put the hammer in the locker, Hide the sounding board likewise; Anyone can be a knocker, Anyone can criticize. Cultivate a manner winning, Though it hurts your face to smile, And seem awkward in beginning, Be a booster for a while. It is a mistake to suppose that all the actresses are on the stage. The average man's conscience is always willing to stretch a point. There are periods in many a man's career when he would rather have a lie told about him than the truth.

With Variations.

A woman went to her bank and, not finding the cashier who usually waited on her there, asked where he was. "Out of town," said the assistant. "Gone for a rest?" asked the woman. "No, to avoid it," replied the clerk. Conclusive. Suitor—Sir, I wish to marry your daughter. Pater—Take my advice, boy—don't. Suitor—But why? Pater—I've just found signs of insanity in her. Suitor—Heaven! What makes you suspect it? Pater—She says she wants to marry you.—Cleveland Leader.

Things to Forget.

If you see a tall fellow ahead of a crowd, A leader of men, marching fearless and proud, And you know of a tale whose mere telling aloud Would cause his proud head to in anguish be bowed, It's a pretty good plan to forget it. If you know of a skeleton hidden away in a closet and guarded and kept from the day In the dark and whose showing, whose sudden display, Would cause grief and sorrow and life-long dismay, It's a pretty good plan to forget it. If you know of a thing that will darken the joy Of a man or a woman, a girl or a boy, That will wipe out a smile or at least may annoy A fellow or cause any gladness to ebb, It's a pretty good plan to forget it.

Hints for Wives.

To entertain men visitors—feed the brutes. To keep children at home—lock up all their clothes. How to remove fruit stains from linen—use scissors. Quickest way to get rid of peddlers—buy all they have. To keep rats out of the pantry—place all food in the cellar. To test the freshness of eggs—drop them on some hard surface. How to keep servants—chloroform them and lock in the cellar. To entertain women visitors—let them inspect all your private papers. To make biscuits light—drench with kerosene and ignite before serving. Never allow the cook to wear her diamond ring while kneading bread. The stone will spoil the flavor of the most carefully prepared bread. The odor of cabbage, onions, and many other vegetables, while being cooked, is offensive to most persons, but it can be destroyed by coating the stove with rubber.

OVER THE COUNTY.

C. W. Kleckner moved from Lewisburg last week to Millheim. The citizens of Phillipsburg, have decided to wait until spring before installing the old court house town clock, which they recently purchased from the county.

Deputy Sheriff J. B. Strohm has found a purchaser for his farm near Centre Hill, J. C. Goodhart being the new owner. The farm is a choice one of Potter twp.'s places. Price \$6200.

Anyone desiring to invest in a fine farm should attend the sale of the Nathan Grove property on Saturday, on the premises in College township. See the advertisement on page 2 of this issue.

The venerable Elias Stover, one of Rebersburg's most respected citizens, has just passed his 91st birthday. Mr. Stover served all through the Civil war, and is still enjoying remarkable good health.

We are virtually surrounded in our city by an epidemic of typhoid fever, says the Phillipsburg Journal. Yet we are fortunate by not having one case this summer, which shows we carry a clean borough.

The horse owned by Abe Craft, of Snow Shoe, became frightened at a passing auto and in its attempt to get away, returned the boggy doing great damage to the same. Fortunately no one was seriously hurt.

A. M. Row, formerly owner and editor of the Clearfield Raftsmen's Journal, is city editor of the Los Angeles Times. He was absent from the building when the plant was blown up recently by dynamite a couple of weeks ago.

Mrs. Annie Gentzle and daughter, Maggie, of Kansas, are visiting friends in and about Baileyville and Pine Grove Mills. Mrs. Gentzle was formerly Miss Annie Goas, and this is her first visit in that section in nearly fifty years.

Charles Vulle and John White, while outing near Spruce Creek club house, Huntingdon county, Saturday night, came across a big porcupine and, getting out of the machine, they killed it with a club. It weighed almost 50 pounds.

Matt Savage, editor of the Clearfield Public Spirit and promoter of the Clearfield colony in Florida, is in New York City arranging for an organization of the colonists, who, it is said, already own a hundred farms in that far southern state.

James C. Goodhart, of Centre Hall, recently sold a fine Holstein cow to Droyer Eley for the magnificent sum of \$87.50, which all goes to prove that it pays to raise good stock. Mr. Goodhart has still a number of equally good cows in his stable.

The labor of remodeling the Millheim hotel has commenced, and the work will be rushed right along in order to finish up as far as possible before cold weather sets in. A third story will be added to the building and a number of other improvements made.

The friends of Emanuel P. Shook, of Spring Mills, will learn with regret that he is not improving since his fall from a ladder while picking apples some time ago. He is practically paralyzed and is gradually growing weaker, with little hopes of his ultimate recovery.

Allison Bros. have their mill dam, at Spring Mills nearly completed. It is very massive and built in the most substantial manner, with quite a number of improvements added. While rebuilding, the water power was so well arranged that they were shut down only part of a day at a time.

Lloyd Dorman, a son of Mrs. John Dorman, of Snyderstown, is suffering at his home with lock jaw. About four weeks ago the boy stepped on a rusty spike, which penetrated his foot. Some time later lock jaw developed, and his condition now is such as to give his friends little encouragement.

Centre county is a fine field for apple raising. At curb market and on wagons upon the streets of the town can be seen as fine apples as anywhere in the state. The other day Mr. Witherite, of Runville, favored the Democrat with a sample of this fruit from his orchard, that for size and flavor would take a prize at any fair.

J. H. Jordan and nephew, Perry Jordan, son of Frank Jordan, of McConnell, Ill. are visiting the former's cousin, Charles Whitehill, at Oak Hall station. Mr. Jordan left Potter township thirty-two years ago, went west, engaged in farming for a number of years, and then retired from active farm life. He is enjoying his trip east very much.

Word has been received by the friends of Chaplain Gill, of State College, who has been in the Johns Hopkins hospital at Baltimore, Md., for some time past, that his condition is such as to necessitate another operation. This is to be regretted, and it is hoped that he may soon be able to leave the above institution, restored to his former good health.

From all reports D. L. Bartges, of near Centre Hall, and E. A. Carson, of Potters Mills, are the champion potato raisers of Potter township this season. From a patch of a little over six acres the former raised 1430 bushels, while the latter plowed up 1100 bushels form seven and one-half acres. These are excellent yields, and show Messrs. Bartges and Carson to be tuber raisers of the first water.

A letter received from L. Hoover Dalby, of Phoenixville, by Mr. and Mrs. John W. Conley, at Centre Hall states that D. C. Keller, of Phoenixville, was seriously injured by a boar. Mr. Keller and several others were endeavoring to put the hog in a crate, when he became vicious and attacked Mr. Keller, inflicting most serious wounds in the region of his hips. The physicians think if blood poisoning can be avoided, the wounds will heal.

The Democrat ventures the assertion that this year the crops of Centre county will vie with the crops of any other county in the state, as to grain, hay, fruit, truck and berries. The spring was unpromising up to June but thereafter there was a wonderfully rapid change, with timely rains and favorable temperature continuing until close until fall, which brought forth all vegetation as if by magic; and where farmers felt despondent in the spring over the crop prospect, all the harvesting was done this fall with a smile and to the filling of barns and sheds. Well, who could have been more deserving?

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