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118 pair of Men's and Boys' heavy Cassimere Pants, regular price \$2, sale price 98c

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Love and Lunacy

By Troy Allison

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"I hope you will remember it has been years since I have met you," said young Dr. Hilyer, polishing his glasses with vigor due less to necessity than to a desire to avoid his sister's flashing eyes.

Bettina gave her head a disdainful toss and looked herself to another chocolate.

"I know I shan't even like him," she said, finding it difficult to express disapproval with any great amount of dignity when one cheek was distorted by a chocolate drop.

"Now, Bettina, that's simply preposterous. He was the nicest fellow at college, and he is the only man on earth I would be willing for you to marry."

Bettina's fingers seized a candied violet which she discovered in the corner of her box.

"Of course I know he's a wonder," she said. "That's the reason I know I shan't like him. He is probably so perfect that he chews his food a regular number of times before swallowing."

Hilyer laughed.

"I've seen him swallow sandwiches so well that he could eat a lightning calculator to keep up with him. Now, Bettina, please be reasonable! I haven't seen Dent since we left college, but if he is as good a doctor as he is a medical student, you certainly will not have cause to complain of his principles. He will be here in time for the dance to-night, and I simply want you to be nice to him. I don't know what it is women do to themselves when they want to be especially charming, but you can do it when you try, little sis."

Bettina balanced the somewhat dejected candied violet on a skull that ornamented the doctor's desk.

"That's to keep the servant from eating the rest of it," she laughed. "Margaret had dare touch it now. Well, Brother Doctor, I'll see what effect the new pompadour silk will have on Dr. Dent. If it is immediate and startling, you see me sitting in the conservatory."

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EFFECTS OF CLIMATE.

Health and Energy Flourish Best in the Temperate Zones.

Grant Dexter in his book on "Weather Influences" says that "inhabitants of hot climates are usually listless, uninventive, apathetic and improvident. An equally high temperature, especially if moist, weakens body and mind. No long established lowland tropical people is a conquering race in the broad sense of the word. For the inhabitants of the higher altitudes, even under the tropical sun, this may be true, for as we ascend the temperature lessens about 1 degree every 270 feet on an average, and even at the equator we may have a temperate climate. The most favorable temperature for health, which carries with it an aggressive energy which leads and which has led the world march of civilization, is about 45 degrees on an average, and this is found in the temperate zones. From there have come the heroes and the men of martial conquest and intellectual attainment. The dominant peoples are shown between the latitudes of 25 degrees and 55 degrees.

"During the London fogs and on days when the weather is particularly depressing in the Bank of England certain sets of books, an error in which would be a certain loss of work during bad 'spells of weather' is recognized by the larger banking institutions in New York and the other eastern cities.

"It has been the universal experience of the superintendents of prisons and asylums for the insane that the persons in their charge varied so markedly with the meteorological conditions that no man could doubt that the relation between the weather and emotional states was any other than that of cause and effect. When asked, however, what definite conditions of the weather tended to be the most productive of emotional abnormalities no satisfactory answer could be made."

POINTED PARAGRAPHS. Do the best you can and you will be surprised how well you do.

It is one sign that you are all right when you are acting smart. Look yourself over. Do you act it?

The smartest man you ever knew and the one who could use the longest words could not hold a job.

So many of us act the fool while we think we are acting smart. Look yourself over. Do you act it?

Don't be too confidential; don't tell every one the story of your life. It will be soon enough to tell that when you stand before St. Peter.

They talk about getting into the rut. Remaining in the rut isn't so bad. Most successful men are found in the rut; most failures are found outside of it.—Itchen Globe.

SMOKING A CIGAR. One Way of Doing It That Is Said to Be an Impossibility.

"I have a customer who thinks he smokes two-cigs a day," said a downtown dealer. "As a matter of fact, he smokes many of them, and throws away some that are only partly consumed. However, he is firm in the belief that he smokes more actual tobacco than any man in New York, and a boast on the subject in my store yesterday led to a curious bet.

He declared a bargain with that he could smoke three ordinary cigars in half an hour. A bystander remarked that no man alive could smoke even one cigar continuously until it was consumed without taking it from his lips. "Booh!" said my man. "I do that right along and think nothing of it."

"I'll bet you a box of perfectos you can't do it," said the other, and in half a minute the wager was made. By its terms the cigar was to be consumed in steady consecutive puffs, he gave away the cigar from the lips until burned to a mark one and a half inches from the tip. A clear Havana Colorado Maudra was selected for the test, and the smoker took a seat and began to puff.

He puffed like an engine for about two minutes and accumulated something under half an inch of ash, and then he began to wobble. He shifted his feet and the excited crowd gathered slowly and fast and seemed to have difficulty getting his breath between the draws. At last, he kept turning his head to avoid the smoke and finally got to laughing. I could see he was in torture, but he stuck to it until he got within half an inch of the mark. Then he jumped up suddenly, threw the cigar away and walked out of the shop.

"I paid the bet and charged it to his account, and he told me last evening that the very idea of tobacco made him sick, doubt that he would be possible for anybody to smoke even a moderately strong cigar through in the manner I have described."—New York Press.

WORST KIND OF POVERTY. A Man May Have Plenty of Money

Much of what is called success is but the most vulgar kind of prosperity; it is the success of the brute faculties at the expense of the divine. To develop a few of one's brain cells, and these the lowest, by everlasting digging and grinding for money, to cultivate one huge gland which secretes nothing but dollars and the exclusive cultivation of which crushes out of life all the finer sentiments, all that is sweet and beautiful and worth while, makes a man as dry and barren as the great Sahara. He who follows this course cannot be rich, no matter how much money he may have. A man is rich when every faculty within him has followed his highest ideal, when he has pushed his horizon to its farthest limit.

A man is poor when he has lost confidence of his friends, when people are nearest to him do not believe in him, when his character is honeycombed by deceit, punctured by dishonesty. He is poor when he makes money at the expense of his character, when principle does not stand clear cut, supreme in his life. When this is clouded he is in danger of the worst kind of poverty. To be in the poorhouse is not necessarily to be poor. If you have maintained your integrity, if your character stands foursquare to the world, if you have never bent the knee of principle to avarice, you are not poor, though you may be compelled to beg bread.—Orison Sweet Marden in Success.

Struggling With the Language. A story is told of a German teacher at an American girls' college who was not thoroughly acquainted with the

English language and the college slang had not helped her in solving the puzzle.

She had heard the girls talk about going off on larks. Returning one day from a picnic she said to some of the girls, "Oh, I have been stuck a canary." She startled her class one day by complaining against some of the cold days of September, saying, "Why, it was so cold one day I had to stay in my room all the morning and sit with my feet over the transom trying to keep warm."

Salvation With Food. Fourteen-year-old Emma, who had come home from her first day's schooling in elementary physiology, was questioned by her parents as to what she had learned.

"Papa," she complained, "I don't think I like physiology."

"Why not, my dear?"

"Well, teacher was explaining digestion to us today, and she said we had to mix salivation with every mouthful of food."—Harper's Weekly.

Had He Meant Well. The good man was comforting the stricken widow.

"Think how much better off he is." "And the good man wondered why she refused to be longer comforted by him.—Browning's Magazine.

His Negative. Bunshy—The speaker of Multry's negative virtues. What are they? Dawson—They're something I don't like. He always says so when you want to borrow anything of him.—Boston Transcript.

Had to Have It. "You married me for my money" she exclaimed angrily.

"Oh, well," he replied soothingly, "don't blame me. I couldn't get it any other way, you know."

A PERSIAN TRAGEDY. Sublime Courage by Which Princess Salome Escaped Her Master.

James Baker, a well known traveler and writer, tells a curious story of a war 1000 years ago. The Persian Shah was at the head of his army. The husband of the Princess Salome had slain in the siege. When the Persians entered and sacked the town Salome endeavored to save her young son, but was torn from her arms and hanged in pieces before her eyes. Her own life was spared and she was borne to the camp outside the walls of Tiflis to the next day lay reclining on a great cushion under a tree on that hot, sunny hillside and awaited her answer. Presently she appeared before him, veiled in a long, pure white robe, calm and steady, her face deathly pale. She advanced, her armed jailers following her. The Persian waved his followers aside and asked the princess, "You consent to be my wife?" "Yes," was her answer. "I consent to love you, for after the death of my husband and son it is my destiny; there is no other fate for me.

"Georgia," said the princess, "there are certain families that possess strange powers and dark secrets. My mother foretold I should be the wife of a Djafar, and from my mother, I too, receive these powers to read the future." The Persian was impressed by her manner and her presence. She saw her power. "Give me your hand," she said. "Let me read there if I shall have long years of happiness with you." He held forth his hand. She held it until it slightly trembled in her fingers. Then she burst forth with a cry of horror. "Oh, my master, knowest thou that death awaits thee, perchance this very night?" Djafar Bek trembled now. "Thou wilt die by the hand of a man thou hast this day so feared?" "It is by the hand of the Djafar," he said. "Most certainly, give me your dagger." He drew it and handed it to her. She held it up and, looking up to the blue heavens above, she uttered a prayer; then, handing it back to him said: "Now it is useless. It can slay no one." He looked at her unbelievably. "Try it," she exclaimed. "I will do it for thee. Let me see where her finger rested full upon her heart. The keen blade went swiftly home, and she fell at his feet, exclaiming, "O God, receive my soul!" Then she lay dead.

Iron Making in Early History. Iron was used before history was written. The earliest records mention it. Genesis (ix, 22) refers to Tubalcaim as "an instructor of every artificer in brass and iron," and in Denton's "History of the Earth" it is said that the giant Og was "a bedstead of iron." The galleys of Tyre and Sidon traded in this metal. Chinese records ascribed to 2000 B. C. a superior iron, the product of it as superior to the bronze age came before the iron age because copper, found as a nearly pure metal, easily fused, and with another soft metal—tin or zinc—always into hard bronze, while iron, found only as an ore, must have the impurities burned and hammered out by great heat and force before it can be made into a tool.

Not a Favorite Breed. Lovers of good, plain dogs, which have been allowed to grow naturally will appreciate the story of the English peddler who went to a dealer in dogs and thus described what he wanted.

"I'll want a kind of dog about so 'igh an' so long. It's a kind of gry'ound, an' yit it ain't a gry'ound, because 'is tyle is shorter nor any of these 'ere gry'ounds, an' 'is nose is shorter an' 'e ain't so slim round the body. But still 'e's a kind of gry'ound. Do you keep such dogs?"

"No," replied the dog man. "We droovs 'em."

"Yankee Doodle." As for the origin of the tune of "Yankee Doodle," over which there is much controversy, it can be said—that most of the views expressed about its origin are right, but only partly so. It is true the tune is the same as that of "Lucy Locket Lost Her Pocket." "Yankee Doodle Came to Town," and that of the Dutch rasper, "Yankee Doodle, Doodle, Doodle," but it is also identical with the old Sicilian "Danza Esparta" (sword dance) and that of a German song which was published in Cologne a few years that Columbus discovered America.