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Always Something "What do you think will be the resuit when the lobster supply becomes exhausted?"

"Old Bill Davis."

Philadelphia Press.

that girl?

-lilustrated Bits.

i ad me.

lather-No: the idiot would marry

So Sudden.

We've quit keeping up appear

Oh, keeping up dis appearances."-

"Where is he living?"

in' the case ever since."-Judge.

The Proper Sensation.

"How does the razor feel, sir?"

"I give it up." snapped the victim,

Preserves.

Mother's putting up preserves; Father's awful sore, For it gets on father's nerves

A CINCH.

To put up, with and for.

get such a reputation as a great philan-"Are you worrying over that? My thropist? dear sir, rest easy; there will be something just as easy to work, only by that I would pay the railroad fares of Sharpp-I announced far and wide another name."-Milwaukee Sentinel. all the unemployed who wished to go work on farms. Oldest Inhabitant.

"Well?" "Who is your oldest inhabitant?" sents."-N. Y. Weekly.

Philanthropy at Small Cost.

"He's in jail. He wuz sentenced to be hung 80 years ago an' hez bin fight Tired Tatters-Say, Weary, ef yous

had yore choice, which'd youse rudder be-hang'd er 'lectrocuted? Weary Walker-Dunno. youse?

Tatters-'Lectrocuted. Tired course. Weary Walker-'Cause wby? face feel it ought to feel ashamed."-Tired Tatters-'Cause dey let a fel-

ler die a-settin' down.-Chicago Daily News. An Annoying Mistake. "Wasn't it scandalous the way Mrs. Waddson acted at the Cashington's

dinner? "I hadn't heard about it. What die she do?" "Flirted desperately with her hus band all the evening, supposing he was

somebody she had met somewhere in Europe,"-Chicago Record-Heraiu. A Medical Student. Mrs. Donohue-Th' druggist sez ye're to take a wineglass full av this medicinew anst ivry hour durin' th' day Mr. Donohue-An' durin' th' night

phwat? Mrs. Donohue-He didn't say, but suppose he manes ye're to slaep off th' iffects av it thin .- Puck.

Insinuation. Mrs. Newcomer-Were you ever in Washington? Mrs. Upperton-Yes, my husband

scutatives. Mrs. Newcomer-Indeed! By the way, how much do the pages get a Belle-Did you tell Arthur you would year !- Chicago Daily News. e him out of your will if he mar

Wedderly-You look worried, old man. What's the cause thereof? er in spite of that, so I told the girl! Singleton (with a sigh)-Oh, several Wedderly-Well, take my advice and

The Best Way Out.

marry one of them and let the others Your sudden marriage to Mr. Sap go. I've had the same experience,said the ex-widow's friend, "sur Tit-Bits. "I reckon it surprised him, also," re the bride, with a smile.- Hous

the crime?

Value of a Reputation. Judge (indignantly)-And you declare this man to be innocent, even after hearing his own confession to

Foreman of Jury-Wal-al ye see, yer oner, he allus wuz sech a liar that we're afeard to trust him now .- Judge,

Confidence Man

ted the adjacent landscape, the village was an honest feller. exulted in its metropolitan name and "We all went out in a street car to often used it to tantalize rival towns see it. I seen it was only worth about who could not boast such lofty titles. \$1,000. When we got down to business timable woman of Brooklyn, who has The shade of evening was falling on Lize kicked again and I was gettin' lived the life of the sex to which she the hot dusty Kansas prairie-a cool purty rousin' boilin' hot and so I whise was born for 34 years, has been transrelief from the burning sultry sun that pered to one of the fellers to take her formed into a man. had baked the fields all day. A light out and buy her something. That there Miss Best went into a hospital a few breeze started to blow, causing the feller went and bought her a silk dress weeks ago. Even then the strange corn fields to rustle and the wheat and a hat and some beads and when change was creeping over her and mas-

by two large black horses approach up the papers, and he had 'em all down the long road, leaving a low ready. cloud of dust behind; the lone driver was an old man, a typical old settler, As he tied his horses to a fence my companion exclaimed:

"Gy gum! There's old Hank Scrubbins. Gets more letters about green goods and get-rich-quick schemes than any other fellow in the county." "Does he ever bite?" I asked.

"Don't know about that. People always called him a pretty smooth cuss till all the green goods men in the country got to warmin' up to him like he was an easy mark."

After Mr. Scrubbins had been introduced to me he read a letter handed him by the postmaster. When this was finished he elevated his feet to the railing, took a bite from a plug of tobacco and said: "Well, I reckon, boys, you hain't

heerd about me turnin' confidence man. have you? "No, how's that?" asked the post-

master, all attention. "Jest like this. Last fall when I

a quarter section to it and salty as home. rock salt, and when it's dry its as to spend part of it anyhow.

"Well, after I-had it fer six months ter; "but what did you do with the d found the land warn't no earthly account to me Lize and my daughter Friend-Say, old boy, how in the Lize seen in her 'Fireside Helper' as at college. world did you, with your small income, how we could get minin' stock, money or some good business store for our whole plum farm and they kept naggin' me to do something. So I writ to a few days got a letter from a feller in Kansas City, who sez he was the other feller's agent. Well, we kept get "Well, total expense so far, ten tin' letters and papers, some of 'em from fellers that said they used to know my old dad back in Ohio. So after awhile I writ to one feller in Kansas City to come and look at the

"Well, the feller came. I met him there at the depot, just as it was gettin'



dark. He sez he was in a hurry, had had to get back, said he could look over the place that night and get back served two years in the house of repre- in the mornin' and wanted me and Lize to go with him and see his part ner in Kansas City. He had a letter writ by a lawyer in the county seat sayin' the records was all right. He was dressed out fit to kill and talked like greased lightnin', and didn't want to see no one 'cept me and Lize.

"Well, by dad! didn't know that sal marsh was so purty till I seen it that night. Most level as a table and roll in'. Ought o' seen the feller's ever pop out-looked like 'twas worth \$100 an acre. So Lize and me didn't want to make him feel bad by tellin' him it was salty.

"So the feller bought our tickets and we went to Kansas City on the three feller's pard as we was climbin' off the made to feel like a thief. car. The new feller said he owned the let him. They took us to a hotel close insurance company.-Life.

by and the fellers said not to worry about expenses as they owned the ho A REMARKABLE tel and would see that there was no bills fer us to pay. Seems as they was buyin' the farm fer another feller they called Client.

"Well, first they wanted to trade \$16 bills as was stole from the mint at Washington, D. C., but Lize she kicked 66] HAD sold a large invoice to the on that. Then they wanted us to take A proprietor of the general merchan some minin' stock in a gold mine in dise store in Chicago City and we'were Californy, and Lize kicked again. The sitting in the shade in front of the fellers then said they guessed they store waiting for my train to arrive would take only the north quarter sec STRANCE FREAK OF NATURE at the little station close by. Not tion. After dickerin' awhile we reck withstanding the fact that the entire oned \$75 a acre was a purty fair price place consisted of a railway station, a Then one of them fellers sez he had Peculiar Metamorphosis Occurs at the general store and post office and sev a store in a suburb worth \$15,000 he

I had been watching a wagon drawn who was loafin' 'round there to fix eration some days ago, a man, Well, we signed 'em and I



sent my nephew, John, who lives in Kansas City and runs one of them sold my wheat I heerd that the old typewritin' machines down to run the Dobson 'Salt Marsh' could be bought store fer awhile and the fellers bought by payin' the delinquent taxes. There's our tickets and me and Lize come

"Well, I watched fer them fellers fer smooth as a billiard ball. Won't no several weeks and at last one came. body have it because nothin'll grow I watched him drive up the marsh on it; and as it joins me on the north and then he stood lookin' 'round not I thought I might find use fer it. Lize knowin' what to do next. He come was dead set against it fer awhile. But up to the house, and after a lot of after I promised her one of those new loud talkin he give in and said I sure fangled washin' machines she was all ly had one on him. He fin'lly sez it right, and so I hitched up and we went I buy him a ticket to Kansas City he over to the county seat and got it will deed the sait marsh back to me dirt cheap. The boys all laughed at and so I bought the ticket and here's me fer buyin' it, but a feller who has the deed. The sait marsh is mine." jest sold 2,000 bushels of wheat has "By gum! that's a confidence scheme, all right," said the postmas

"Well, you see John kind a took Marthy got talkin' about movin' to fancy to that store and we sold it to some city where there was a college, him and Marthy is spendin' the money

"I guess there's your train comin" over yonder, mister."-Kansas City

one of the fellers at Chicago and in PAYS NO RENT OR TAXES

Former New York Policeman Dwell in a Peculiar-Looking Houseboat in Ireland.

Dublin -In an inlet of the sea near Kenmare, County Kerry, Joseph D. Hagerty, a retired New York policenan, lives on a peculiar-looking house friends. boat with his wife and four children He says he enjoys ideal liberty, paying neither rent nor taxes. He came to room and two staterooms with bunks. fast that it was necessary for her It cost him \$2,000.

ingenious arrangement of pipes this but never gave her the slightest suspirange boiler and similar purposes. On ual change. shore is a little plot of ground on which are grown vegetables and poultry is reared for the use of the Hagerty fam- realization of her condition. She-knew

We want no interference from any body," said Hagerty. "We are free-born people and we intend to remain so Everybody else in this country is a them? I'm busy, good day.'

LET SOMETHING GOOD BE SAID.

When over the fair fame of triend or to The shadow of disgrace shall fall; in a big deal deal on in Kansas City and Of words of blame, or proof of thus an Let something good be said.

> Forget not that no fellow being yet If something good be said.

No generous heart may valuly turn aside But may awaken strong and glorified,
If something good be said.

She will make her plunge into the world as a man. Before Miss Best could leave, however, the realization of the said.

And so I charge ye, by the thorny crown And by the cross on which the Savious bled.

And by your own souls' hope of fair re

nown. Let something good be said!

Briggs-These lawyers are no specters of persons. When I

o'clock train next mornin'. Met the cross-examined the other day I was Griggs-That's nothing. union depot and was goin' to build a time I was cross-examined. I felt like raged. She makes the further a setter one soon as the railroads would a common, ordinary president of an

TRANSFOR**MATION**

YOUNG BROOKLYN WOMAN CHANGED INTO A MAN.

Age of Thirty-Four and She Will Start Life Anew in Masculine Role.

New York -- Miss May Best, an es

fields to sway in graceful rhythmic she came back she was ready to sign culinity was assuming dominance. She anything. So they asked a lawyer came out of the institution after an op-

The completion of the metamorphosis left her a woman in experience and ideas but a man in form and physical

The necessity for a new environment. new start in life, was impressed upon her by Dr. Claude N. Finley, the physician who had charge of the case, and she will go to St. Louis, there to don male attire, assume a new name and fit herself to the life which this amazing freak of nature has necessitated.

From childhood Miss Best was strong, robust girl, with an abnormal fondness for the sports of boys. As she grew older she would have liked to play basetall and done other mannish things, but was restrained by a sense of delicacy.

As a young woman she was tall, broad shouldered and very handsome, with fet black hair and blue eyes. She was strong. had rather large hands and feet for a woman, and walked with a mannish stride. In spite of these things, a slight harshness of voice and the increasing growth of hair on her face, she never had the slightest suspicion of the change in life she was undergoing. Her ideals remained feminine; she chose girl companions. She painted, sewed and did all the other things that women do. She had men friends and girl friends

and was popular with both. Miss Best devoted herself to several



DON MALE ATTIRE

to her church and to her charitable work, living a life of usefulness and endearing herself more and more to her

Miss Best was always aware of the streak of mannishness in her, but did not think it was any greater than had the district two years ago and after manifested itself in many other women staying with relatives for awhile de- whom she had seen. She did not think ided to build his houseboat. It is 40 seriously of the matter until a few years feet long and contains a kitchen, living ago, when her beard began to grow so shave every day. In spite of this growth The roof, being flat and indented, is she kept her secret from everyone used as a water tank, fresh water being save those who lived with her. The procured from a nearby stream; by an beard humiliated her to some extent, can be conveyed inside for use in the clon that she was undergoing any sex-

It was a little over two weeks ago that Miss Best was brought to a sudden then for the first time that she was not a woman but a man. She was prostrated by the blow and consulted her physician.

slave. If they aren't, why do they pay and he had Miss Best removed to the to live on the earth that God made for hospital, where an operation was performed which confirmed what Miss Best had suspected.

When the news was broken to Miss Best she was very ill for a time. She was told, however, that outside of the shock she had nothing to fear, that she could assume the sex of a man freely and without embarrassment, but that I was obviously impossible for her to con tinue to live as a woman.

Miss Best left the be pital in the clothing in which she entered and went to her home in Brooklyn. There ar rangements were quickly made for her removal to St. Louis, from which poin however, the realization of the change that had come over her prostrated he again, and she has been ill in bed ever

Mustn't Bite His Family. Des Moines, Ia .- An injunction straining Henry H. Duke from bi his wife has been issued by the trict court on complaint of Mrs. D who asks a divorce on the grout cruelty. This cruelty, she says, sists if biting her whenever he is tion that Duke is in the habit of bi his children to punish them