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### A MIXED BLESSING.

Why the Telephone Had Its Drawbacks for Mrs. Goldsborough.

"Oh, you have a telephone in your house, haven't you?" exclaimed Mrs. Gazzam, who was calling upon Mrs. Goldsborough, when the bell went ting-a-ling on the staircase.

"Yes," replied Mrs. Goldsborough, "we had it put in a week before last. George thought it would be a great convenience. Will you kindly excuse me while I answer the ring, for the maid has not yet learned how it works."

"How very convenient you must find it," the caller went on, when her hostess returned. "You can talk to your husband at any time during the day, for one thing. I think that is so nice. It really makes him nearer to you. Sometimes I wish most earnestly that I could speak to Frank in the middle of the day. He is gone from home for nine or ten hours, and I feel when he leaves in the morning as if I felt when we were engaged and he used to come to see me at my home in the country, perhaps once in six months, for it was a long way. When he would start for the train I'd think that I had lost him, and now it's the same when he leaves the house in the morning. Then, the telephone is useful in many other ways. You can order groceries and other supplies and you can talk to your friends."

"Yes," assented Mrs. Goldsborough,

the telephone is very useful, but it has its drawbacks. In fact, I'm sorry that ours was put in."

"Why?"

"You knew Nellie, the maid I had for so many years, didn't you?"

"Certainly. Isn't she with you yet?"

"No, she isn't, but she would be if it were not for the telephone."

"How was that? Did she object to answering it?"

"That was not the trouble. One day while I was out Mrs. Ricketts called her up and offered her \$5 a month more than I was paying her and Nellie accepted the offer. Mrs. Ricketts wouldn't have dared to come to the house and coax my maid away, but she used the telephone. And so I say that it has its drawbacks."

**Old Custom in the Senate.**

It has become a custom of the Senate to read the farewell address of Washington every anniversary of the birthday of the father of his country, and Senator Lodge, one of the best orators in the Senate, read it on the 22d. One of the most dramatic presentations of this message to the Senate was several years ago, when it was read by John J. Ingalls. Senator Manderson of Nebraska also read it with great effect and force, and last year Senator Frye had the honor.

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When He Made Himself Ridiculous His Sweetheart Retorted.

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"At twenty-two I was as love-lorn a youth as ever heaved a sigh or wrote doggerel ditties. She was pretty and sweet and smart, and all that. I was big and awkward and undeveloped. But no one was ever hit harder. I mooned, and was never happy out of her sight, and robbed my sleep to build castles in the air with her as the presiding princess. Girls are always more mature and wiser at that time of life, but she was tolerant and considerate, for blind devotion from any man is flattering to any woman."

"Time and again I had fixed a time for proposing, but my courage would ooze as fog yields to the sun, and she had a tactful way of changing the subject whenever my language was headed toward the fateful question. But one evening the crisis came with an irresistible rush. I have no idea of what I said, but I proposed and pleaded and swore that my life was in the balance. She refused in the kind way women have under such circumstances. I was mentally wrecked for the time. Rushing into the hall, I hustled into the old gentleman's hat, her brother's

overcoat, and her mother's overshoes, seized her umbrella and started, as funny a looking object as any made up for the stage. She called me back, laughing through her tears, helped me to replace the stolen property, called me a dear, foolish boy, and took me into the parlor again.

"She is now in the next room, playing with the children."

### Industrial Guide to Japan.

The Department of Commerce and Industry in Tokio has just issued a very useful little hand-book or guide in English, entitled "General View of Commerce and Industry in the Empire of Japan." This is for the purpose of giving foreign visitors to the country an outline of its commercial and industrial condition. It contains much information of this kind, which is not given in the usual guide books. Besides the foreign visitor for whom it is primarily designed, the little book should be of use to many, who never visit Japan, but are interested in its trade and industry.

### Garlic is Ancient.

Garlic came from Asia, and has been used since the earliest times. It formed part of the diet of the Israelites in Egypt, was used by Greek and Roman soldiers and African peasants.

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### Duels Common in Europe.

While the code duello, in its sanguinary character, is rapidly becoming obsolete in the United States, it appears to be still in high favor on the other side of the Atlantic. In Germany some 4,000 engagements are yearly fought on the field of honor with sanguinary results. Most of these engagements take place in the neighborhood of college towns. Within the space of twenty-four hours as many as twenty duels have occurred in the neighborhood of Jena.

Next to Germany in allegiance to the code duello comes France. There are some 1,200 duels fought annually in France, the participants being mainly officers in the French army. Italy comes next to France, with some 275 duels annually. During the past ten years Italy has furnished 2,759 duels. Austria, Russia, Spain and Great Britain rank next in the order named. In Great Britain the code has become almost as obsolete as in the United States. Most of the duels fought on the European continent are fought with the sword, though pistols and knives are used occasionally.

### What Dreyfus Has Cost France.

Appropos of the money made out of the Dreyfus case, it is curious to estimate what it has cost France as a whole. It costs over a hundred thousand francs a year, to begin with, to keep the prisoner on his island. The prosecution in the first instance—for spies are well paid—must have been expensive. Since then there has been another court-martial, to say nothing of two preliminary trials, which have involved the payment of writing experts, and so forth. Then on the side of the public is what the Dreyfus family have spent on advocates for propaganda (it has been put at three millions). The tons and tons of literature that have been printed must have cost a small national debt. Zola will spend a good many thousands on his case. The cost of extra police cuts some figure, too. It would be possible to go on indefinitely mounting up the figures, without taking any account whatever of the "moral and intellectual damage," which is not inappreciable by any means.

### Measurement of Lightning.

Some experiments of a curious nature, undertaken by Dr. F. Peckles, to determine the current intensity of a lightning flash, have been published in Wiedemann's Annalen. Lightning does not lend itself to investigation directly, but has a way of destroying both the observers and the instruments devoted to it, and so indirect methods of calculation have to be adopted. One of these is the irregular magnetization found in certain rocks lying on the earth's surface, which has been attributed to the violent electrical properties of lightning striking in their neighborhood.

### After a Long Fight.

At last, after a quarter of a century, there seems to be a disposition among British legislators to give the deceased wife's sister bill a real chance. It is stated that it will be taken up and passed at the next session of Parliament, thus taking away from the British humorists one of the oldest of their stand-bys.

### A King's Umbrella.

A West African King has just had an umbrella made for him twenty-one feet in diameter. When in use this umbrella, which opens and closes in the usual way, is fixed in the ground, and there is room underneath it for the King and thirty guests to take dinner.

### Water That Petrifies.

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