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A Walter's Mistake.

Walter (whose attention has been called to a gross error in addition)—Very sorry, sir, but even if you hadn't found out the mistake the firm would have benefited, not me.
Diner—Then you have no excuse!—Punch.

No Basis.

"Miss Pimmie, may I—er—call on you?"
"No, indeed, sir. You have known me six months, and you've never sent me a picture post card."—Chicago Tribune.

Rondeau.

She looked at him. Her eyes were steel gray.
Nothing at all the woman had to say.
No comment, no objection, did she do.
With perfect calm she let the man explain.
No anger—not the least—did she display.
He made a poor endeavor to be gay.
As he proceeded, hiding his dismay.
Striving his self possession to regain.
She looked at him.

Ah, well he knew that vainly he would pray
Forgiveness for his failure to obey!
He wilted like a flower wanting rain.
He shriveled and collapsed beneath the strain.
You would not wonder had you seen the way
She looked at him.
—Chicago Daily News.

Held Him to It.

"You think man is a creature of circumstances?"
"I do indeed."
"And he can't get away from them?"
"Not without a breach of promise case."

Quantity.

"Don't you admire the big hats that women are wearing?"
"Well," answered Mr. Meekton, "I must say they look more like the money's worth."—Washington Star.

Thrill.

A thrillless little writer man
Made not the least endeavor
To write on a concerted plan
Of any kind whatever.
He used to scribble on the spot
When he felt inspiration,
But pelt this system brought him not.
So he tried concentration.

Henceforth each morning he got up
To start his work at seven
And wrote, with stops to lunch and sup.
Till midnight or eleven.
Delightedly he planned himself
Upon his concentration.
Which brought him what he wanted—
—Thomas R. Ybarra in Philadelphia Ledger.

Making Up For Lost Time.

Stranger (chattering about)—What's all that loud wrangling about in there?
Sexton—The ladies, sir, are holding an adjourned meeting in the silence room. —Chicago Tribune.

Questions For Humorists.

It is a sin
To steal a pin.
Such action is a crime.
But tell me why
Should this apply
To making over a rhyme?
It is a sin
To steal a pin.
So claim a lot of folk.
It may be so.
I won't say no—
But how about a joke?
—Pittsburg Post.

More Serious.

"I went to the dog show and lost my heart."
"You are lucky. I went there and lost a mouthful out of my left leg."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

When Women Vote.

When women vote—oh, sorry day!
There'll be another fall to pay.
The ladies with delighted smiles
Will talk about election styles.
And milliners and modistes, too,
Will join the campaign hullabaloo.
And make their parties grow more fat
Through the election dress and hat.
—Chicago Post.

The Place For the Brand.

Girl (from Boston)—I'd like to put my brand on your heart.
Cowboy—Out here, miss, we always put the brand on the calf.—Douglas (Ariz.) Dispatch.

A Post Card Sharp.

Ma she tries to tell Mr. Murren
Pages two or three or three.
Ante shows how an' then
On a post card, "—the agen."
Pa says, "Bessie, to me, you're
Ante plays it pretty bad."
—Allen Parks in Woman's Home Companion.

Not Definite.

"I run a service on old automobiles the other day."
"Casualty or in your automobile?"
—Baltimore American.

By Degrees.

A maiden at college named Bessie,
Weighed down by B. A. and M. Ds.
Collapsed from the strain,
Said her doctor, "This plain
You are killing yourself by degrees."
—Success Magazine.

The Reason.

"Why do you speak for Miles Standish, John?" asked Priscilla.
"Well—I—see, I'm his social secretary."—Puck.

Controversy.

The pen is mightier than the sword.
It would be sad to think
That gore might ever come to flow
As copiously as —Washington Star.

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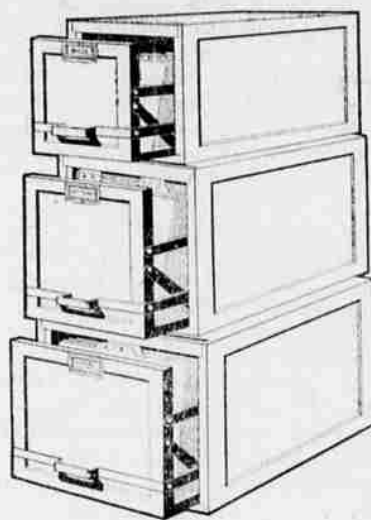
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Endeavor Program for Rally Day.

The following interesting program will be given by the Endeavorers on Sunday evening, April 18, at 7:45: Hymn, by Endeavor chorus; prayer, by the pastor; hymn, by chorus; scriptural lesson, G. E. Pierce; remarks on lesson, Miss Lottie Wiley; repenting Endeavor pledge; offering prayer; duet, Ella and Stella Schuler; short address, "Beginnings and Growth of Christian Endeavor," B. H. Kirby; reading, Mrs. E. R. Seely; solo, Rene Olin; short address, "Value of the Christian Endeavor to Young People," Stella Schuler; quartet, reading, Ella Schuler; short address, "Young People and Whole-hearted Service," M. F. Horn; trio, Ella, Stella Schuler, Bertha Pierce; benediction.

Sunday Morning at Tabernacle.

Bible school at 9:45 a. m. Preaching service at 11. Order of service: Voluntary; hymn 235 (Wednesday); Hymn 31, "Jesus is All the World to Me"; prayer by the pastor; communion hymn 238, "Midnight on Olney's Bells"; communion; offering; Hymn No. 18, "The Way of the Cross Leads Home"; announcements; Hymn No. 204, "All Thy Works Shall Praise Thee"; scripture lesson, read respectively; soprano solo, "O Sweetly Solemn Thought," Mrs. W. I. Quisenberry; sermon, "Vision and Service"; invitation hymn No. 107; benediction.

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Making It Too Plain.

"Gentlemen of the jury," said a lawyer the other day, "there were thirty-six hogs; remember the fact—just three times as many as in the jury box, gentlemen."—Graphic.

Two Is Company.

Two heads are better than one.
When the evening lamp burns low,
But when a third appears above
It's apt to spoil the show. —Judge.

Long Though It Be.

"The dancer says she is all wrapped up in her art."
"I had no idea art was so transparent."—Boston Globe.

The Censor.

The playwright said, with merry mien,
"I think the plan immense, sir.
For if my plays are never seen
I'll charge it to the censor!"
—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Optimistic Adam.

Eve—We have got to leave Eden.
Adam—Cheer up! We'll come back some time and have an old home week.
—New York Press.

The Tailor Man.

The tailor is a funny man,
An every-day job.
If he has customers would please,
He has to give them fits.
—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

In the Lion's Den.

First Martyr (to second sister)—Well, old chap, there's one consolation—there won't be any after-dinner speeches.
Sketch.

The Glutton.

He finds this abstinence from food
A hardship, though he doubts
But quite forgetful of his goal
For fat men with the poet.
—New York Telegram.

Po's Explanation.

"What is a drydock, po?"
"A dry-dock is a physician on the water wagon."—Two Tuples.

Study in Grafting.

Uplift the farmer, if you will.
'Twould be one of life's greatest joys
If men would all devote their skill
To grafting such as he employs.
—Washington Star.

Light.

Why hide your light under a bushel when a plumb measure will answer the purpose?—Judge.

Punished.

Once Melissa, with me sat,
We were tele-telling.
Round her were hers, so that
Mine went unmentioned.
"Naughty lips!" Melissa cried,
Though hers did distract them.
"Naughty lips indeed!" I sighed.
Naughty lips—I smacked them.
—Smart Set.

Nothing Doing.

Drummer (in dry town)—Is there a chance for a man to get any spirits here?
Hotel Clerk—Not the ghost of a chance. —Detroit Tribune.

One on the Saggageman.

"I've got a trunk you cannot smash," said Wags to the baggage man.
"Lead on!" cried the B. M. "I've got five plunks that says I can!"
Into his back yard Wags led him.
"Now, smash that trunk," said he.
But the B. M. sadly shook his head—
"Twas the trunk of a big oak tree."
—Chicago News.

The Insignia.

"What makes you think that man would make a detective?"
"Because it comes natural to him to wear a starch hat and a white necktie."—Washington Star.

Far Their Own Good.

And look me to stand at spring's door,
My good-bye to this season!
The birds are busy to come once more
With song and nest and nestling.
—Indianapolis News.

Another Point of View.

"I don't think such a play should be permitted in a theater."
"But just see how magnificently it is staged!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Time to Protest.

Before the spelling speller
Have put them to letter rout
Why don't the silent letters
Of the alphabet speak out?
—Chicago Tribune.

Too Fast.

Cook Store—I hear you are keeping company with Gas Meter.
Water Heater—I should say not. He's too fast for me.—Puck.