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Florida's 70-Foot Bamboo.

Possibly the tallest bamboo in America grows in Arcadia, Fla., and is about 70 feet high. The clump has a spread of 50 feet and the diameter at the ground is 12 feet. The specimen is only 8 years old.

This is the common bamboo of India, probably brought to south Florida from the West Indies. In Jamaica it has become naturalized and is popularly supposed to be indigenous. It makes an astonishing growth during our rainy season, the canes often attaining their full height in six weeks, after which they begin to put on leaves. The canes are from four to five inches in diameter at their base. Unfortunately this species cannot stand low temperatures, and the specimen in Arcadia has frequently been damaged by cold.

A Good Business.

Id like to own a street car line, it ought to pay.
The people ride when it is fine,
To heat alley.
Of course they ride when it is wet,
For then they wish
To quickly under shelter get;
Man is no fish.

And so a street car line, you see,
May business find,
No matter what conditions be
With human kind.
Then to another point is my
Attention drawn;
No other business profits by
Its hangers on.
—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Not on Democratic Principles.
Perhaps it may be laid down as general rule that a legislative assembly, not constituted on democratic principles, cannot be popular long after it ceases to be weak.—Macaulay.

Two Different Effects.

"If you only knew how nervous I was when I proposed to you!"
"And if you only knew how nervous I was until you proposed to me!"—Meggendorfer Blaetter.

Just Like a Woman!

"The author of 'There Is No Death' has married an undertaker," says a contemporary. How does she expect her husband to make a living?—Charleston News and Courier.

Trying It on Nan.

Nan—You look perfectly lovely in that gown.
Fam—Thanks. That's all I wanted to know. Fortunately, I bought it on approval.

What Really Draws.

A high-brow lecture given free,
Would free entrance.
The horrid men would rather see
A barefoot dance.
—Pittsburg Post.

Identifying Gussy.

"What sort of a looking chap is Gussy?"
"Well, if you ever see two men in a corner and one looks bored to death, the other one is Gussy."—London Opinion.

George's Discovery.

"George," said the Titian-haired schoolmarm, "is there any connecting link between the animal kingdom and the vegetable kingdom?"
"Yeth, ma'am," answered George promptly, "hash"—Everybody's.

Thetis Couldn't Scold Him.

Little Achilles smiled.
"My hair always dries when I go in swimming," he said.
Herewith he rejoiced that his vulnerable spot was his heel.—New York Sun.

The average daily amount of meat consumed by each individual in New York City is 2.6 cents' worth, which is a falling off of about 1/2 cent in five years.

Rivalry of Muckrakers.

"Chicago people think their city almost as corrupt as San Francisco."
"Don't you believe it," said the Californian, warmly. "That's Chicago nerve. Always trying to get into our class."—Philadelphia Ledger.

All Who Would Enjoy

good health, with its blessings, must understand, quite clearly, that it involves the question of right living with all the term implies. With proper knowledge of what is best, each hour of recreation, of enjoyment, of contemplation and of effort may be made to contribute to living aright. Then the use of medicines may be dispensed with to advantage, but under ordinary conditions in many instances a simple, wholesome remedy may be invaluable if taken at the proper time and the California Fig Syrup Co. holds that it is like important to present the subject truthfully and to supply the one perfect axative to those desiring it.

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SOMETHING FOR EVERYBODY

Ambulance launches were one of the innovations of the Hudson-Fulton celebration.

The world's supply of tin was increased 116,648 tons last year, of which more than half came from the Straits Settlements.

Practically all the important coal mining states have inspection laws designed to prevent death and disaster among the mine workers.

Several French schools are using machines which suck dust from the leaves of books, spray them with disinfectant, and dry them with hot air.

At Tourcoing, France, five couples of working people celebrated their golden wedding the other day. Great festivities were provided for the occasion by the municipal authorities.

Wild boars still abound in a region which can be reached by railway in two hours from Smyrna. Near Samoun some sportsmen have shot as many as fifty wild boars in a single year.

One of the requests for a patent received in the patent office of Germany was for a device for making one's own matches. With the aid of it, any one can, by five hours' work, save 6 or 7 cents!

Signs are not wanting to assure any one that every year single chrysanthemums are steadily gaining in favor, mainly, of course, with those whose aim is to grow plants for general decoration and for supplying cut blooms for their own table. Single blossoms, fortunately, are not criticised by the home grower as to the size, as their beauty cannot be thus measured.—Gardening Illustrated.

The government is going into the hotel business, having agreed, through its insular branch in the Philippines, to take \$300,000 at par of the bonds to provide money for a new hotel at Manila, which, with its working capital, is to represent an investment of \$450,000. When the Philippines have a centennial, or some other big celebration, will the insular government put up its hotel rates on the visiting public?—New York Press.

The new marriage law now under consideration in Victoria, Australia, has as its object the prevention of clandestine marriages. It provides that no clergyman shall perform the ceremony unless the couple applying shall have obtained a license. An exception is made, however, for reasons unknown, in the case of Quakers, who are not obliged to come before the marrying authority armed with a permit.

One of the latest ideas for killing rats is a trap into which the animal walks, attracted by an electric light and a display of food. Once in he cannot get out and an electric current kills him in fifty or sixty seconds. The apparatus can be so arranged that the electrocuted animal itself signals its fate to any desired place, advising the watchman by an electric bell or the lighting of an electric lamp that there is a dead rat to be removed.

Music batons were first used in England about 1820. It was not until ten or twelve years later, however, that the baton came into general use. A German conductor who wielded one produced such wonderful results with his orchestra that it was thought there must be some magic power in the baton, and it consequently became popular with conductors all over the country. Before the advent of the baton time was kept by the first violinist or by the pianist.

What is regarded as the most ancient coin in the world is one that was discovered a few years ago by a German archaeologist during his explorations in north Syria. It is a coin of pure silver, bearing a perfect Aramean description of Panammu Bar Rerub, king of Schamol, who reigned 800 years B. C. Up to the time this coin was found the Lydians had always been regarded as the inventors of money, but this new find showed that the Semitic Arameans, who lived two centuries before the Lydians, are the oldest known coiners of money.

In 1846, under Louis Phillippe, there were eight thousand doctors in France. In 1891 the number had reached fifteen thousand. In the space of forty-five years, 1846 to 1891, the number had almost doubled, the yearly increase being 155. In the decade following this period the augmentation is given at two hundred, and since 1901 the increase has been much greater. And the number of students at the medical schools and the universities continues to grow. The number enrolled on January 15, 1906, was 7,507, and a year later 7,649, an increase of 142. In 1908 and in 1909 the numbers were 8,265 and 9,246, or 616 and 597 in excess of 1906.—Le Reve.

For some time past efforts have been made to raise funds in order to protect from the ravages of wind and weather and the encroachment of drifting sands the ruins of St. Piran's oratory at Perranzabuloe, said to be the oldest Christian relic of its kind in England. It is now proposed to build a protecting house of concrete around the ruins. If this protection is not forthcoming it is probable that "the lost church," as it is locally known, will be again buried beneath the sands, which covered it for so many centuries. It is generally believed to be the original Church of St. Piran, to whom the Cornish miners give the credit of first showing them tin, and who was one of the most notable of the many Cornish saints.—London Globe.

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Where the Work Came In.

Mrs. Bacon—I understand your husband is at work on a new poem? Mrs. Egbert—He is. He's trying to get some magazine to accept it.—Yonkers Statesman.

To get rid of daughters, East Indians marry them to flowers. When the flowers are dead the girls are widows, and widows can be sold—cheap.

She Meant Professionally.

As the young man caressed the cheek of his lady love she drew away hastily.

"I think," she said indignantly, "you had better see father first."

"Why, what do you mean?" asked the perplexed lover.

"Father," she replied, as she nursed her cheek, "is a barber."—Success Magazine.

Sure!

Wear your tight shoes for fashion's sake;
Besides, 'tis lots of fun—
Two corns with but a single ache,
Two toes that throb as one.

Earned the Right.

City Friend (spending the day in distant suburb)—Didn't it ever strike you that your servant is impertinently inquisitive?

Subberbs—My dear fellow, it's only the way of a privileged old family retainer. Why, would you believe it, that girl has been with us over five weeks!—Harper's Weekly.

Says Facts Will Not Lie.

Sir Henry Hawkins, a brilliant advocate and one of England's greatest criminal judges, expresses the following opinion in his recently published "Reminiscences":

"Let me say a word about circumstantial evidence. Some writers have spoken of it as a kind of 'dangerous innovation' in our criminal procedure. It is almost the only evidence that is obtainable in all great crimes, and it is the best and most reliable. I have witnessed many great trials for murder, but do not remember one where there was an eyewitness to the deed. How is it possible, then, to bring home the charge to the culprit unless you rely on circumstantial evidence?"

"Circumstantial evidence is the evidence of circumstances—facts that speak for themselves and that cannot be contradicted. Circumstances have no motive to deceive, while human testimony is too often the product of every kind of motive."

Distinction.

"Col. who? I don't think I ever heard of the man. What is there so remarkable about him?"

"By George, sir, he's got the longest beard in the State of Oklahoma, and that's saying a heap, let me tell you!"

Preparatory Delay.

"Did you ever try gardening?" asked Mr. Crosslots.
"Once," answered the man who always has a discouraged look. "By the time I had read all the publications necessary to inform me on the subject, the season for flowers and vegetables was over."—Washington Star.

Nothing to Say.

Stranger (to fellow passenger on train)—By the way, what do the people in your section think of—
Fellow Passenger—Sir, I am a postmaster.

Merely Following the Custom.

"Well," said the Eskimos, next day Chagrined, "it really looks as if he didn't want to stay; He's packed his duds and gone away just like all other Cooks."

Profess and Taxis.

Under the figure of Proteus, the old man who in many forms was always the same unpleasant customer, the ancient probably typified the charge for taxicabs.—New York Post.

Her Friends.

Nan—How is poor dear Lil this morning?
Fan—She looks dreadfully.
Nan—O, I know that; I'm asking you how she feels.

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His Reproof.

Somewhere in the pages of her pleasant "Book of Joys" Mrs. Lucy Fitch Perkins tells a delightful story of her New England clerical great grandfather, who was a man of ingenuity and resources. She says:

He employed more than one device to secure wakefulness on the part of his weary congregation. Standing during the prayer was but one of many. My grandmother used to tell us with pride of an instance which occurred at a time when a new church edifice had been proposed, and was under warm discussion. Great-grandfather thought this a worldly and unneccessary expense, and emphasized his opinion by pausing in the midst of his sermon on a Sunday, saying impressively as he fixed the somnolent members of his congregation with a stern look: "You are talking about building a new church: It seems to me quite unnecessary, since the sleepers in the old one are all sound!"

Construction of Language.

An absurdly worded statement of a fact which was not in itself remarkable recently tried the gravity of the listeners. It was on the occasion of the funeral of an elderly woman in a New England town. She had left an old mother, nearly 90 years of age, and an only son who was well on toward 50.

The services were conducted by a timid young clergyman, recently settled over the parish. After praying for many and various things, he said: "And two, we especially pray that the Lord will comfort and sustain in their loss and sorrow. One is the orphan, who, although no longer young, is an orphan still, and must so continue; the other is the mother, far advanced in years, who has survived her daughter, although considerably her senior."

Lidless.

The little boy who had stuck his head out of the car window to address a question to the man on the station platform drew it in again.
"Mamma," he said, "that man out there says this place is Wydopen. Isn't that a funny name for a town?"

Town with a Future.

"Paris is a wonderful center of social gaiety and popular excitement."
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As a Matter of Justice.

"Sir," one of your reporters referred to me in your paper this morning as a 'big, greasy, drunken loafer.' I want that corrected. It's an infamous slander!"
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Spoils the Picture.
Millicent—What made you refuse Mr. Wilder's invitation to go walking with him? Don't you like him?
Mildred—Oh, yes, I like him well enough, but his red whiskers don't look well with my new pink hat.—Summerville Journal.

PILES

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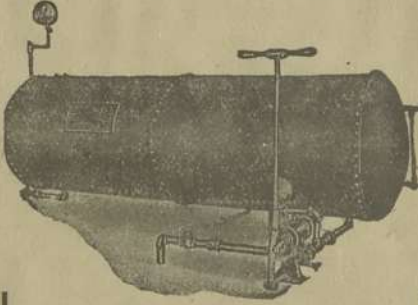
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