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DISCOMFORTS OF ACTING.

Lack of Accommodations In the Green-room and Behind the Scenes.

The janitor has an important bearing on the actor's condition, which finds its expression is his playing and possibly on his nervous organization. He supplies the house and in most cases furnishes quarters for the actors such as no self respecting slave owner would in the old days have condemned a slave to occupy.

For the public nothing is too good. For the actor, on the other hand, anything is good enough. Instead of silken draperies, he finds only a tattered curtain at the window, if indeed he find a curtain at all, or even a window which it might cover. Instead of soft, comfortable chairs, one wooden chair none too clean, or a chair minus a back, will be the only seat, and not infrequently, if he wishes to sit down, he must do so on his trunk. Instead of delicately tinted walls, he will find dirty walls which have not been treated even to a coat of whitewash for years. While in the auditorium a soft carpet covers the floor, in the actor's room a carpet rarely exists, or, if by chance there be something which once was a carpet, it is so dirty that it would be better away.

The washing appliances of the actor's room, if they are found at all, usually consist of a small basin with a tap of running water. Most people would expect that, as the winter is the theatrical season and the paints used by the actors are made with grease, hot water would be at hand. But this is rarely the case, and in many instances running water in the dressing rooms is unknown. It is not uncommon for actors to refrain from using the basins, preferring to remove the "makeup" as well as possible with vaseline and to wait until the hotel is reached to complete this portion of the toilet. Tin basins and buckets are not the worst that I have seen "on the road," for once the water was in dirty, battered, old lard tins, and basins had to be bought by our manager.—Forum.

Let not sleep fall upon thy eyes till thou hast thrice examined the transactions of the past day. Where have I turned aside from rectitude? What have I been doing? What have I left undone which I ought to have done? Begin thus from the first act and proceed, and in conclusion at the ill which thou hast done be troubled and rejoice for the good.—Pythagoras.

THE BUSINESS MAN'S LUNCH.

Hard Work and Indigestion go Hand in Hand.

Concentrated thought, continued in, robs the stomach of necessary blood, and this is also true of hard physical labor.

When a five horse-power engine is made to do ten horse-power work something is going to break. Very often the hard-worked man coming from the field or the office will "bolt" his food in a few minutes which will take hours to digest. Then too, many foods are about as useful in the stomach as a keg of nails would be in a fire under a boiler. The ill-used stomach refuses to do its work without the proper stimulus which it gets from the blood and nerves. The nerves are weak and "ready to break," because they do not get the nourishment they require from the blood, finally the ill-used brain is morbidly wide awake when the overworked man attempts to find rest in bed.

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A STUPID ATTEMPT

To Sell Bad Whisky Under a Popular Brand.

Brands and Labels of the Famous Jesse Moore Whisky Imitated by a Seattle Importer, Who Is Now Under Arrest.

The recent arrest in Seattle, Wash., of Aaron Jaffe by a United States internal revenue officer for wholesaling liquor without a license has disclosed one of the most daring and dangerous frauds that has been perpetrated against the government, and against one of the most reputable and popular whisky firms in the United States. Numerous complaints have reached Moore, Hunt & Co. of San Francisco, sole agents on the Pacific Coast of the famous old Jesse Moore whisky, that a counterfeit article was being largely sold in Washington. The labels, bottles and wrappers were each so exact an imitation of the genuine as to readily deceive the owners of the original brand. The contents were, however, as might be expected, not even an imitation, but of so vile a character as to be readily detected by any one who is familiar with the high quality of the Jesse Moore whisky. Jaffe confined his operations to the sale of case goods; therefore detection was easy, as was also success in disposing of his goods, which bore the popular AA brand.

Ostensibly Jaffe was acting as agent for the "Golden Medal Distilling Company of Chicago," possibly a mythical concern. At any rate, all bills were made out and receipted in the name of that company. However, in a type-written letter prepared by Jaffe and mailed without signature to liquor dealers in Washington, he openly claimed that the whisky was spurious, but that the labels and bottles were so successfully imitated as to deceive even Jesse Moore & Co. or their agents, and in this single claim he was correct.

It has been said that "poor things are never imitated," which is a truism that even Jesse Moore & Co. and Moore, Hunt & Co. may accept with some small degree of satisfaction, and the fact that the Jesse Moore whiskies have become immensely popular and are steadily superseding all other brands of whisky on this Coast as well as throughout the Eastern States, was doubtless the strongest incentive to Jaffe to embark in an illicit and fraudulent manufacture.

Selling liquor at wholesale without a license is a serious offense against the United States internal revenue laws, and Jaffe will doubtless, as he should, upon conviction receive a severe penalty for his wrongdoing. Infringement of a copyright is also a serious offense, with severe penalties. Altogether, it would seem that this imitator of an excellent article has involved himself to an extent which will necessitate his prolonged retirement from the whisky business.

When arrested and confronted with the evidence of his crime, Jaffe broke down and made a full confession of his own guilt, without, however, implicating his partners in the fraud, whose identity is yet in doubt. The facts will doubtless come out on the trial. As the evidence against Jaffe is cumulative and abundant, there is no doubt of his conviction.

This is the most daring attempt yet made to imitate the Jesse Moore whisky, but the manufacturers may find some satisfaction in the fact that the culprit is suppressed. Moore, Hunt & Co. will vigorously push the prosecution of Jaffe for fraud in counterfeiting their trade-mark and labels.

A Mistake In a Pig Market.

Once upon a time on a spring morning somebody went to market. The other body wanted roast mutton for his dinner. Somebody must go to the same butcher from whom she bought those delicious chops the week before. She went. When she got there, that particular butcher was invisible. The pork butcher at the next stall kindly informed her: "Meester Shimbrecht vas so seek as never vas. Die tomorrow or now maybe." As good luck would have it, just a few stalls above was another dealer in mutton. (Yes, for were not sheeps' legs, livers, heads, shoulders, etc., suspended from hooks above the stall precisely like that other butcher?) He was literally besieged with customers too. He must keep good meat, somebody thought, else so many folks would not be there.

She no sooner reached the stall when the butcher asked, "What will you have, miss?" Miss, mind you! She at that time an old married woman of six months too. "A leg of mutton. There, this one here just suits. Weigh it, please." But he did not weigh it. He only smiled. That smile haunts her even to this day. The people at the stall smiled, too, and a trio of silly women laughed outright. Somebody didn't smile not a bit. She blushed instead, though. Land of Love, how she did blush! If she looked as she felt—o-o-o-oh! what a sight she must have been. "This, miss," he managed to utter as somebody turned on her heel in high dudgeon, "is veal, not mutton." Must-teen! Light! If you love life, don't breathe the word while somebody's within earshot.—Cor. New York Recorder.

Royal Leads All.

The Royal Baking Powder is the purest and strongest baking powder made, and has received the highest award at all the great international and State fairs, wherever exhibited in competition with others.

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HE IS A RECKLESS RIDER.

Manly Qualities of the Duchess of Marlborough's Prospective Husband.

Lord William Leslie de la Poer Beresford, V. C., C. I. E., who, it is said, will become the third husband of the dowager Duchess of Marlborough, once Mrs. Louis C. Hamersley and more remotely Miss Lily Warren Price of Troy, N. Y., enjoys the distinction of having broken every bone in his body except his neck. He is one of the most reckless cross country riders and steeplechasers among the Irish gentry, and he has been compelled to pay liberally in broken bones for his reputation. He was born in 1847 and is ten years older than "the American duchess" whom he will wed. He has been a gallant soldier in his day and wears the Victoria cross for bravery in a battle with the Zulus.

The dowager duchess was the daughter of Commodoore Cicero Price of the United States navy, and some 14 years ago, when she was a young lady of 22, her remark-

THE DOWAGER DUCHESS OF MARLBOROUGH.

able beauty won for her the sobriquet of "The Pearl." She was a pearl of great Price, too, for she succeeded in marrying Louis C. Hamersley, who soon succeeded to the $7,000,000 estate of his father, Andrew G. Hamersley. There was a string attached to the fortune, however, for the will left the estate to the son for life and further directed that the son at his death should will the property according to directions left with the family lawyers. Louis C. Hamersley died soon after his father, leaving the immense fortune to his widow during her life. At her death the estate was to go to several New York charities, providing J. Hooker Hamersley, a cousin, possessed no male heir. If he did possess a son, the son was to receive the fortune. J. Hooker Hamersley was then a bachelor, but he soon married, and his second child, a boy, is now called "the $7,000,000 infant."

After five years of mourning Mrs. Hamersley married the Duke of Marlborough at the city hall, New York. The new duchess paid her husband's debts and prevented historic Blenheim castle from passing to his creditors. In November, 1892, the duke died suddenly, and his son forced the duchess to leave Blenheim, although her money had made it possible for him to possess it. The duchess is now called the dowager Duchess of Marlborough, but as the present Duke of Marlborough has no wife, and as his mother, the divorced wife of the late duke, is still living, the American duchess' right to the title is not plain. The dowager Duchess of Marlborough by brevet may be an appropriate method of designating her.

ON THE RAGING CANALS.

A Buffalo Party Journeying to Florida In a Very English Houseboat.

Houseboating, which is so popular in England, and which was given such wide fame by Black's novel, "The Strange Adventures of a Houseboat," is, like many other very English institutions, gaining a certain meed of popularity on this side of the Atlantic. Pierre Lorillard and other wealthy gentlemen have taken long trips in handsomely equipped houseboats, and the boats are quite common in Florida waters. One of the most ambitious houseboating trips ever planned in this country is now being carried out by Captain George Moon of Buffalo and a number of friends. The party recently left Buffalo by way of the Erie canal en route for Florida. They expect that the trip may be made in six months, and that each member of the party will heartily enjoy the novel journey.

The route chosen by the houseboatmen lies through the Erie canal to Albany; thence down the Hudson river, through the Raritan river, to the Delaware, down that to Delaware City, where the voyagers will lock into the Delaware and Chesa-

THE MOONLIGHT.

peake canal; down the Chesapeake bay to Norfolk, through Albemarle sound, and thence via canals and rivers to the gulf region. The route as laid out gives them an all inside course, with the exception of about 40 miles.

The houseboat is called the Moonlight in honor of her captain. The party consists of 12 persons, eight of whom will sleep on the boat, while the remaining four will be accommodated on board the yacht Glance, which is to tow the houseboat to its destination.

The boat is divided into three general compartments—a parlor 13 by 18 feet, a dining room of the same dimensions and a large kitchen with a storeroom and closets attached. The living rooms are carpeted and furnished in luxurious style, and the journey along the raging canals will be enlivened by the presence of a piano. When canal navigation opens next spring, the party will return by the old route.

China's Ancient Military Maneuvers.

The Chinese "rules for war" as carried out by the imperial armies now in the field against Japan are 3,000 years old. They must be very nice rules if we may judge of them from the specimens given by an English writer who has seen them. Perhaps the nicest of them, for the assailed party, is the one that goes thus: "Spread in the camp of the enemy voluptuous musical airs so as to soften his heart." This military maneuver was held in especial esteem 3,000 years ago by its author, Sun-tse, who is still regarded as the highest authority upon the art of war.

A Duel With Ropes' Ends.

An extraordinary duel has taken place in Brussels between two young men. They were enamored of the same young lady, who, after considerable hesitation, made her choice. The unsuccessful suitor challenged his rival to a duel and proposed that each should be armed with a piece of rope, and that they should thrash each other as long as they could hold out. The challenge was accepted. The fight, however, had not been long in progress when the police came up and stopped it. Both "duellists" were covered with blood. The challenger had the worst of the encounter, his face being a mass of bruises.

ANIMAL SENTRIES.

They Are Posted by the Flock or Herd to Guard Against Surprise.

The too eager sportsman is often balked of a shot by the watchful sentinel posted to guard the flock or the herd against surprise. Posting a sentry is the most universal of the instincts which use organization as a means of defense. Chamois, ibex and other mountain antelopes always post a sentinel. Always when a herd of seals is sleeping on the rocks there is a watcher. This instinct, The Spectator informs us, survives even in animal captivity.

"When the prairie dogs at the zoo occupied a small paddock, they always kept a sentinel on duty, although he seldom uttered his warning whistle, having learned probably that the visitors would not come inside the railings. The prairie dogs at the Jardin d'Acclimatisation of Paris observe the same precaution." As is well known, wild geese are particularly wary in this respect. Mr. St. John says that "they seem to act in so organized and cautious a manner when feeding or roosting as to defy all danger. When a flock of wild geese has fixed on a field of newly sown grain to feed in, before alighting they make numerous circling flights, and the least suspicious object prevents them from pitching.

"Supposing that all is right and they do alight, the whole flock for a space of a minute or two remain motionless, with erect head and neck, reconnoitering the country around. They now appear to have made up their mind that all is safe and are contented to leave one sentry, who either stands on some elevated part of the field or walks slowly with the rest—never, however, venturing to pick up a single grain of corn, his whole energies being employed in watching. The most curious part has to follow. When a sentry thinks he has performed a fair share of the duty, he gives the bird nearest him a sharp peck."

Mr. St. John declares that he has seen the sentry occasionally pull out a bunch of feathers when the first hint was not immediately attended to and at the same time utter a querulous cry. Wild swans are almost as cautious as wild geese. The signal of danger differs with the species of animals, but the alarm note seems to be universally understood by the sentinel's followers. Wild geese and swans have a peculiar call, as of a bugle; rabbits and sheep stamp on the ground; wild ducks utter a low and cautious quack; elephants whistle; ibex and mountain sheep whistle.—Rod and Gun.

HAVE YOU INDIGESTION?

Perhaps There Is a Hint For You In This Story of Some Ailing Chickens.

"Troubled with indigestion, are you?" Feel all puffed up, eh? Well, it's a pity that some one couldn't treat you the way my brother-in-law's wife treated her chickens. That was when they lived out in Lewistown, Pa."

"Going to tell us another story now, I suppose, like those about catching herring in the grass and hunting shad with a dog and gun, ain't you?"

Without paying any attention to this slighting remark the Jerseyman went on:

"My brother-in-law's wife had a fine crop of chickens that summer. They were all hatched that spring and were growing well when one day the whole flock got at a bag of dry cornmeal and filled their crops full of it. The first thing my brother-in-law's wife knew of this was when the meal began to swell and turn sour, and the whole troop of chickens were waddling around with crops twice their regular size and every chicken looking like the bass drummer in a German band. You see, the chickens either had got at water too soon or else didn't have gravel enough in their crops to grind up the meal, and it wouldn't digest and seemed likely to burst them.

"There was no one by to give help or advice, and my brother-in-law's wife wasn't going to lose that lot of more than 100 fine chickens if she could help it, so she started right in to do the best she could. The children caught the chickens and brought them to her, and with her buttonhole scissors she cut a slit in each one of their crops. She squeezed out the cornmeal, washed their crops out and sewed them up again. The chickens seemed grateful. They were kept quiet for a couple of days, fed lightly, and every one of them recovered."—New York Sun.

Long Farms In Maine.

Maine probably has many oddly shaped farms, but we doubt if one can be found more peculiar in form than that in the east part of Dexter, formerly owned by the pioneer blacksmith Elijah W. Sprague. This was eight rods wide and a half mile long, with the highway cutting it at right angles into unequal portions. The inconvenience of so narrow a farm, with pasturage and woodland at one end, is obvious to any one, but in this form it has continued from the days of the forefathers to the present time, in use as a farm all the time. A farm only 20 rods wide and about half a mile long was in use a great many years near Farmington Falls and may be so used yet for all the writer knows, but the Dexter farm beats it by nearly two-thirds for narrowness and general oddity. Farms of this shape are numerous in Canada.—Lewiston Journal.

Didn't Want to Be Shielded.

He took her hand gently in his.

They were affianced, and there was no kick coming on the score of conventionality.

"I will always," he murmured, "be at hand to shield thee in the great struggle of life."

She gazed earnestly into his loving eyes.

"No"——

She seemed not to be aware that he started violently upon the word.

——"I must insist upon going to bargain sales alone. You would only be in the way."

Even as she spoke her face kindled with the excitement of the fray.—Detroit Tribune.

The Retort Clerical.

"Since you take me to task so roundly for my failings," said the physician, somewhat nettled, "let me ask why you don't restrain your own son. He gambles, drinks and plays the races."

"Ah, yes," said the clergyman, with a sigh. "We don't seem to exert much influence over our own families, do we? By the way, doctor, please convey my warmest sympathies to your wife and say to her I am sorry she is still unable to find any relief from her rheumatism."—Chicago Tribune.

HOW IT MAY HAPPEN.

"Jenny crickets, she's got the rickets," whispered one beau to another in the company of a very pretty girls. Truly she was very beautiful, but there was a twitching about the nerves of the face which showed suffering. "No," said the other, "it's neuralgia and she's a martyr to it." St. Jacobs Oil was suggested as the world-renowned cure for it. Did she try it? Yes and was cured by it and married some of the fellows" afterward. The use of the great remedy for pain will not bring about a marriage, but in its cure of pain it will bring about conditions of health to make life more enjoyable. No man or woman ought to marry who is a sufferer from chronic pains. We should not wed woe to win only wretchedness.

A Vanishing Lake.

Georgia has a large lake near Cordele called the "Vanishing lake." It has an area of four square miles and goes dry every autumn, the water reappearing in the spring. It will have 18 feet of water in it a week before it goes dry.

No Runaway Horses In Russia.

Horse runaways are unknown in Russia. No one drives in that country without having a thin cord with a running noose around the neck of the team. The horse stops as soon as it feels a pressure on its windpipe.

He Didn't.

He was making friends with the policeman.

"My good fellow," he said, "you mustn't believe everything you hear about me."

"I don't," responded the officer. "If I did, I'd run you in."—Detroit Free Press.

Tomb With Shorthand Inscription.

In the Church of St. Mary's, Sculcoates, Hull, England, is a tombstone with an inscription in shorthand. It is in memory of Mrs. Jane Delamoth, who died on Jan. 10, 1761. The tablet is an object of curious interest to people who visit the church.

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