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It is mentioned in the charter of Waverley Abbey, the Cistercian monastery close by, now in ruins, which gave its name to the works of Sir Walter Scott. This giant tree is still in vigorous growth.—London Chronicle.

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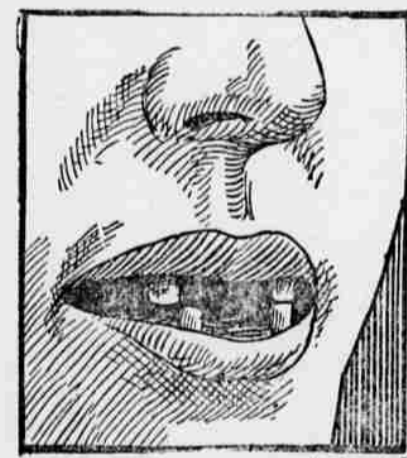
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seeds All of It. "I never saw anybody as cool, self-possessed, and quick to act in time of imminent danger as that man Globbs." "Chauffeur?" "No; just a common pedestrian."

Declared Off. Said He—Darling, we have been engaged for six months. Don't you think it is about time we were getting married?

Said She—Well, I'm willing to be married just as soon as you can provide me with a home.

Said He—That being the case, I suppose I am to consider the engagement broken.

Jumping at a Conclusion. "What sort of play is this?" asked the man who had just come in and taken his seat.

The question was answered by a man named Olson, who happened to be sitting next to him. "Ay tank—"

"O, it's a tank drama, is it?"—Chicago Tribune. Extremely Rare. "While I was downtown," said Mrs. Lapsing, laying aside her wraps, "I saw a wonderful old violin in a music store. The clerk said it was worth \$5,000. It was a genuine Sardanapalus, and you know that kind is getting very scarce nowadays."—Chicago Tribune.

Wouldn't He? "Somehow," said the political manager, "I can't help wishing I could get acquainted with the chap that held up those 125 travelers in Yellowstone park a few days ago. Wouldn't he be a dandy collector of campaign contributions?"—Chicago Tribune.

In the Mission Sunday School. Teacher—And what do you suppose all the animals did during those forty days in the ark?

Smyrty Williams—They just loafed around and scratched themselves. Sandy Toole (disdainfully)—Chuck it, Smyrty! What'd they scratch for, when there was only two fleas?—The Bohemian.

Quite the Contrary. Mrs. Upsome—Is your dentist one of the "painless" kind?

Mrs. Oylwell—Not at all. He's so sympathetic that he says it hurts him just as much as it does me.

Stale. Stubb—That old Senator is always telling ancient jokes and boasting of his family tree.

Penn—H'm. I think his family tree must have been a chestnut.

Righteous Resentment. "You may put that back in the show case!" said the indignant Mrs. Lapsing to the milliner. "I wouldn't even wear much less buy, a hat named in honor of that horrid murderess, Charlotte Corduroy!"

None in Evidence. Mrs. Highsome—Yes, he's the Duke of Huffhouse. In speaking of him, you know, of course, we use the term, his grace.

Mrs. Suddyn-Klymer—His grace? Why, he hasn't any! He's a regular lummix!

Badly Rattled. The timid young woman, who had letters of introduction to the great man, had ventured to call.

"You are so busy, judge," she said, "that I—I hesitated about disturbing you. How many—er—days in the work do you week?"

Collateral Evidence. His indulgent grandmother had given him a half of a custard pie.

"You seem to like it, Tommy," she said. "Like it!" exclaimed Tommy, taking it away from his face for a moment, "jes' see how I'm mussin' up my ears!"—Chicago Tribune.

Unlucky Accident. "What's the trouble back there in the sleeper?" asked the passenger in the smoking car.

"Little mixup between a New England manufacturer and a Louisiana sugar planter," said the agitated conductor, applying his handkerchief to divers and sundry scratched places on his face. "They happened to have berths in the same section, and they got to talking about the tariff."

Knows Better Now. "If you wish to have everybody for your friend," counseled her elderly adviser, "don't be a talker; be a listener."

It was not until after she had secured a job as telephone girl in the central office that she found out what a mistake she had made in taking the advice literally.

Parallel Case. "My observation," said the sage, "leads me to the conclusion that the more wealth one gives away the more wealth one has."

"It's just exactly the same way with kisses," whispered one of his listeners, a demure little miss who was sitting by a big man with a beard.

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## SOMETHING FOR EVERYBODY

Sixty languages are in everyday use in Freetown, Sierra Leone.

England's turbine fleet already includes sixty-two warships and forty-four vessels of the merchant marine.

Gold, silver and lead mines are, it is said, to be worked extensively in the bleak district of Innishowen, county of Donegal, Ireland, overlooking the Atlantic.

Three women were among the eighty-nine applicants who recently took the examination for postal clerks at Buffalo. The highest grade, 89.70, was obtained by Miss Mary Pfann. All of the women applicants were successful, while only 35 per cent of the men passed.

Mrs. Louise Waterman Carpenter of Brookline, Mass., has just passed her one hundred and second birthday. She was born at Warwick, R. I., and is a direct descendant of Roger Williams. She is in good health and active enough to get about unassisted and until three years ago felt no need for glasses.

Girls have gone in for many Chinese fashions, such as the mandarin jacket, the kimono sleeve and the chrysanthemum embroidery, but the wearing of five buttons on the coat or jacket is a new idea, unknown to the many. The Chinese wear these five buttons to remind them of the five moral virtues which were recommended by Confucius. These are: Humanity, justice, order, rectitude and prudence.

The Women's Progressive Association of New South Wales has won what it considers a great victory. Three hundred thousand dollars had been voted to increase the salaries of the teachers of the public schools. The men teachers, if reports are true, tried to gobble it all up, but the association, whose members are all voters, thought the women teachers were entitled to a share. They fought the point and won.

See Kans-ki, a Caddo Indian, attracted considerable attention and wonder at the Rock Island depot on Saturday as he went north on the noon train from Binger to his home town. He beats the old German of New York, Wouter Van Twiller, who was 5 feet 6 inches tall and 6 feet 5 inches around. This Indian is 5 feet 7 inches tall and 7 feet 5 inches around. He is 26 years old and weighs 696 pounds.—Watonga (Okla.) Herald.

"Large or small game?" asked the Englishman invited by a New Yorker to go hunting on Land Island. "You don't expect to find lions and tigers on Long Island, do you?" answered the New Yorker. "Hardly," responded the Briton with a laugh, "but I like a spice of danger in my hunting." "If that's the case," answered the other, "I'm your man, all right. The last time I went out I shot my brother-in-law in the leg."

Sir William Ramsay's declaration as to the probable near achievement of the transmutation of metals is a vivid instance of the way modern science is re-establishing what only a short time ago was dismissed as superstition. In a book only fifty years old a writer describes as folly the medical practice of the middle ages of putting smallpox patients in a red room, draped with red hangings, curtains and red bedclothes. Yet the value of red light in preventing the sufferers being marked by smallpox was scientifically discovered anew a few years ago by Finson, of the violet light rays fame.

One of the most successful hoaxes of history was the mechanical chess player with which Baron Kempelen of Hungary, astonished Europe about the year 1769. This was apparently a figure controlled by mechanical devices, and which was able, notwithstanding the fact that apparently no intelligence was concerned in its movements and decisions, generally to beat its human antagonists. The cabinet connected with the automaton appeared entirely too small to contain a hidden operator. And yet it did conceal a man who was an expert chess player. He was a Polish patriot who had lost both of his legs. This man, Woropsky by name, was an expert player. With him in the cabinet the rest was easy.

For 1,400 years the Faust legend—the sale of a human soul to a devil—has existed. The first recorded hint of its vitality is given in the sixth century story of "Theophilus." That story suited the early Christians in their efforts to stamp out the necromancing devices of evilly disposed persons prone to seek power by unholy means. The association of the name of Faust, however, with the legend is not more than 400 years old. The likeliest prototype of the modern Faust is the man of the same name who in Cracow boldly proclaimed himself a professor of magic. In the sixteenth century stories Helen of Troy was bestowed by Mephistopheles upon Faust and not until the middle of the eighteenth century does there appear a shadowy Margaret, in the form of a "beautiful but poor girl," who afterward develops into the Margaret of Goethe.

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Explaining It. The tortoise had won the race. "I didn't half try," said the hare, with a yawn. "What's the use? We're not allowed to bet on races now, anyway." From which it is apparent that the real facts in the case were suppressed.—Chicago Tribune.

Great Objector. Street Preacher—O, my friends, when Gabriel blows his trumpet what will you be doing? Voice (from outskirts of crowd)—Waiting for Montgomery Ward to serve an injunction on him!—Chicago Tribune.

# CASTORIA

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Close Quarters. The following extract from a letter of thanks is cherished by the recipient: "The beautiful clock you sent us came in perfect condition, and is now in the parlor on top of the book shelves, where we hope to see you soon, and your husband also, if he can make it convenient."—Youth's Companion.

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