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WIT AND WISDOM.

"There, Tommy, you must not touch that other cake; there was one for you and one for Virgie," said Mrs. Bushman, severely.

Modjeska, it is said, will sit at the window and sketch clouds for hours. If Modjeska wants a big job in this line she ought to sit right down and sketch the political situation in this country.

A tortoise bearing the inscription "G. W., 1774," was found in a grove near here yesterday. There is nothing bogus about it, either. We know the young man who cut the initials and date on the tortoise only two days before it was found.

There is a law prevailing among the Osage Indians by which the man who first marries a daughter in any family, acquires the right to take all the daughters home with him. Among civilized people, he only has to take the young lady's mother.

New Yorker (who has been "stuck" more than an hour with intellectual young lady from Boston): "You say you despise New York men. Then why do you come to New York, and why do you go to New York parties?"

Young lady from Boston: "For a complete intellectual rest."—Life.

Jones—"I see by the New York papers that John C. Eno, the defaulting bank president, began life without a cent." Smith—"Began how?" Jones—"Without a cent." Smith—"Well, he may have begun without a cent, but he is certainly in pretty bad odor now."—Philadelphia Call.

It is interesting to notice the different pronunciations of the word "here" by the congressmen from the different sections of the country. When the roll is called the western man shouts "here" boldly and openly, and the "r" is distinctly heard; the southerner answers "heer" or "yeh," and the New England Yankee murmurs a cross between the two.

The following smart remark was made by a seven-year-old boy of our acquaintance. The doctor had come to prescribe for his sister, and suggested that the little boy might also take some of the medicine, as it would do him no harm. "No," said the little fellow, manfully, "there's nothing the matter with me, and you ain't going to run up a big bill against papa on my account."—Oil City Derrick.

A policeman leaned over the area-railing, and addressed Bridget, who was at that moment engaged in shifting an ash-barrel, observed: "Bridget, my darlint, the loight av yer oyes makes the dawn same loike darkness." "Thim's the very warruds that yer sapayrior, the sargent, shpoko to me. I suppozit's a part of the discipline of the fource."—Chicago Tribune.

A Nashville man had to pay \$800 for kissing a school teacher. Well, it sounds high, brethren, \$800; but if she was the right kind of a schoolma'am, with pink cheeks and a white apron; not so tall by a head and shoulders as the biggest boy in school, with brown eyes, undecided whether to be roguish or serious, mouth made for smiles and her chin fastened on with dimples, just a ripple in her hair—a—a—a—and the Nashville man was deliberate about it, and didn't kiss her like a turtle snapping at a fly—a—a—a—we're growing old now, but if things were about as above suggested, we don't know but the Nashville jury let him have it a little bit under the ruling quotation. He ought to be willing to pay a thousand for it, anyhow.

Origin of the "Monroe Doctrine." Among the confidential files of diplomatical history connected with American affairs, the primary incitement of the "Monroe Doctrine" by the president in his message to congress in 1823, is of the most interesting class, but as yet too recent in diplomatic policy to be unveiled as a factor of history. The general impression in the American idea has accorded the inception of the doctrine to Mr. Monroe, but among the diplomatic secrets of that period the suggestion was presented to him by the British Prime Minister, with the confidential pledge to the president that the British Government would stand at his back to enforce what he was thereby induced to advance in his message, that European powers should not acquire further territory in either North or South America, nor interfere with local forms of government independent of European control.

The cause that British policy of the time veered in this direction came about in this wise: After the fall of Napoleon in 1815, a conference of all the leading European powers took place on the continent to re-establish the "status ante quo," so called, with purpose to restore the old dynasties upon the thrones as of "divine right," which had been disturbed and effaced by the "Little Corsican." This conference parceled out kingdoms and restored royal families with intent to efface every vestige of the French revolutionary ideas, and adjourned in full belief that the old order of governments had been restored. But the leading catholic powers of the continent, composed of France, Spain, Italy and Austria, were not satisfied with the limit of restoration as effected by the conference under the conservative auspices of British influence. At the instance of Prince Metternich, prime minister of Austria, these powers formed what is known in history as the "Holy Alliance," with pledges to sustain each other in suppressing freedom of the press, irresponsible religion, etc. As a further provision of the league, the Alliance included the restoration of all colonies on the American continent that had been wrested from either of the parties to the compact, either by sale or revolution, which mainly included the dozen or more of these recently organized independent Spanish-American Republics between Mexico and Brazil, as also to repudiate, on behalf of France, the sale of Louisiana by Napoleon to the United States in 1803.

Mr. Canning, the British prime minister, got hold of this secret compact of the "Holy Alliance"—and as the commercial British policy of the period was hostile to any interference with these Spanish Republics which had opened a free market for surplus military material that was of no use to Great Britain after Napoleon's fall and consequent peace, as well as of English manufactures, which would have been prohibited as imports under Spanish rule—the British government determined to circumvent this intent of the late continental alliance to the extent of armed resistance in the last resort, and turned to the United States as a contingent ally in view of the momentous interests involved concerning the Louisiana purchase, which embraces five or six of the largest states in the union. The British prime minister confidentially informed the American government what was contemplated by the alliance, and suggested to the president to assume the grounds he asserted in his message of 1823, with full understanding that the British power would be his ally in all future consequences arising therefrom. This proffered British league with the United States was strictly in accordance with diplomatic policy, of which European history, since the beginning of the seventeenth century, is very replete as to the wars and alliances of European nations; and as a political basis, would have embraced the very factors which brought on the great "Thirty Years" war, in which Wallenstein and Gustavus Adolphus became so immortalized in modern history.

To Keep from Drowning. The human body weighs a pound in the water, and a chair will carry two grown persons; that is, it will keep their heads above water, which is all that is necessary when it is a question of life or death. One finger placed upon a stool or chair, a small box, or a piece of board, will easily keep the head above water, while the two feet and other hand may be used as paddles to propel toward the shore. It is not at all necessary to know how to swim to be able to keep from drowning in this way. A little experience of the buoyant power of water, and faith in it, is all that is required. We have seen a small boy, who could not swim a stroke, propel himself back and forth across a deep, wide pond by means of a board that would not sustain five pounds' weight. Children, and all others, should have practice in the sustaining power of water. In nine cases out of ten, the knowledge that to be able to sustain a pound-weight is all that is necessary to keep one's head above water will serve better in emergencies than the greatest expertness as a swimmer. A person unfamiliar with the buoyant power of water will naturally try to climb on top of the floating object on which he tries to save himself. If it is large enough, that is all right. But it is generally not large enough; and half of the struggling group is often drowned in the desperate scramble of life-and-death struggle to climb on top of a piece of wreck, or other floating object, not large enough to keep them all entirely above water. This often happens when pleasure boats capsize. All immediately want to get out of the water on top of the overturned or half-filled boat, and are all drowned, except those whom the wrecked craft will wholly bear up. If they would only trust to the water to sustain ninety-nine hundredths of the weight of their bodies, and the disabled boat the other hundredth, they might all be saved, under most circumstances. An overturned or water-filled wooden boat will sustain more people in this way than it will carry. It would keep the heads above water of as many people as could get their hands on the gunwale. These are simple facts, easily learned, and may some day save your life.

Monkey With an Ancestor. Professor Reuger wrapped a live fire-eating wasp and a lump of sugar in a piece of paper and handed the delusive package to an intelligent monkey to see if our much disowned grandfather could be fooled. Our nimble ancestor opened the document and caught on the bitter sweet with alacrity, and immediately thereafter uttered a shrill ejaculation, jumped on the table, upset a pint of ink over \$50 worth of manuscript and drawings, hurled an expensive microscope through a third-story window, and continued to tear and smash things until he secured the professor's thumb, which he chewed with intense and growing enthusiasm until the learned man killed his ancestor with a club. He then wrote with his left hand that a monkey can be fooled on the first ballot, but it does very little good to fool him.

A Dude's Presence of Mind. "Yes," said Augustus McDude, "I was never so completely broken up in my life. I had got right into my seat at the opera before I found that I had clean forgotten my kids, and swellest house of the season, too. Just think of it!" "Heavens!" exclaimed his horrified companion, "what did you do—go home?" "No; there was too big a jam to get out, so I just took out too silver dollars and held one in each hand all the evening. I thought the money would be the next best thing, you know, and it answered first rate." And his fellow dudes sucked the heads of their canes in speechless admiration.

Market Report. Eggs, per doz., 18c. Apples, per bushel, 1.00. Flour, per barrel, 6.25. Butter, per roll, 50. Cheese, per pound, 20. Beefsteak, 12. Beef, per fore qr., 8. Mutton, do, per hind qr., 10. Salt Pork, 12. Corned Beef, 8. Hams, 15. Bacon (sides), 15. Bacon (shoulder), 12. Lard, 25. Potatoes, 1 1/2. Cabbage, 2. Sugar, 12 @ 16 1/2. Coffee, in tins, 16 1/2. do, green, 16 1/2. Tea, green, 30 @ 75. do, English bkfst., 75. Rice, 10. Beans, 6. Apples, dried, 10 @ 16 1/2. Raisins, do, 25. Currants, do, 12 1/2. Wool, 12 1/2. Dry Hides, 12 1/2. Green, do, 6. Hay, per ton, \$10.00.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon. July 7, 1884. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the judge or clerk of Coos county, Oregon, at Empire City on Saturday, August 16, 1884, viz: James Lamb, Homestead No. 2063 for the lots 1 and 2 and N. E. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4 and S. E. 1/4 of N. E. 1/4 Sec. 26, T. 28, S. R. 12 West. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Isaac Chandler, Geo. W. Clinton, Wm. S. Hall, Geo. W. Clinton, Profit Dean, Wm. F. Benjamin, Register.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon. July 21, 1884. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the judge or clerk of Coos county, at Empire City, Oregon on Saturday, August 30, 1884, viz: Christian Beverley, Homestead No. 4361, for lot 2, S. E. 1/4 of N. W. 1/4, N. E. 1/4 of S. W. 1/4, and N. W. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4 section 18, township 29, S. R. 14 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Wm. P. Fox, John McKennis, J. P. Train, R. H. Rosa, W. F. Benjamin, Register.

NOTICE! I have closed my books, and all those indebted to me are requested to settle up in 30 days from date, or I will put their accounts in the hands of an attorney for collection. Randolph, July 8th, 1884. A. Parshbaker.

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