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Theory.

"Why is there no great American dramatist?" asked the art pessimist. "Because," replied the sardonic manager, "when an American is capable of thinking up a first-class practical plot and dressing it up in good speeches, he doesn't bother about the theater. He goes into politics."

Cow Was Drunk, Not Wild.

A Virginia husbandman, alarmed by the indecorous performances of an ordinarily mild and gentle cow after munching a ration of ensilage, appealed to the sharps of the department of agriculture, thinking the cow had gone wild or mad. Investigation revealed that "bossy" had feasted on fermented cornstalks and had simply got drunk on the raw bourbon whisky.

Daily Thought.

And if you do but live long enough you get past the bad bits of the road.—Mrs. Humphry Ward.

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The Nagger, Male or Female, Usually Is the Victim of Business or Domestic Worry.

The newest German medical theories, as propounded by the famous Dr. Sadolin, the nerve specialist, is that an occasional family scrap is the finest tonic in the world for married couples, but that continuous petty strife will, in the end, wear out the most vigorous constitution.

The nagger is about the most unhappy creature in existence, however high the bid her husband, but putting up with her, may make for a Carnegie prize for heroism. She doesn't get any real relief from her own sufferings and the more she makes unhappy those about her, the more miserable she is herself. If her husband will only stay scared half to death for the next couple of weeks, they stand a fair chance of getting along together, is the philosophical German view of a marital predicament which is peculiar to so many households.

There are, however, other authorities who are less inclined to advocate the extreme measure of a rebellious and insubordinate husband. Indeed, on this side of the Atlantic, there are prominent physicians who do not hesitate to say that we have men naggers who are as bad as the worst woman who ever swore to love, honor and nag the meekest of males. These experts put most of the trouble, whichever the nagger's sex, on plain everyday "nerves." That is the way such cases are regarded by Dr. Charles S. Potts, professor of neurology at the Medico-Chirurgical college of Philadelphia.

"It is hard to say which sex becomes the more irritable under prolonged nervous strain," declares Prof. Potts. "Men can be mighty cranky, especially to their subordinates in the business world, when they are worried and run down. There are probably thousands of employes in the United States who can name men bosses who are confirmed naggers—worrying, wearying, overnice, persecuting and annoying taskmasters who appear to take delight in continual faultfinding. Well, some of them are born that way, as some women are naggers by inherent disposition. But the majority of them, like the majority of women naggers, are just unfortunates whose own worries and inner discomforts are reflected in their attitude toward those about them. Apart from those who happen to be born with bad dispositions, it is the nervous exhaustion of life that predisposes women, as well as men, to nagging."

Uncle Joe's Divination.

One summer, in the back woods of Missouri, where I had accompanied Uncle Joe Cannon on a tour of the state stumping, a funny incident occurred at the close of a speech which the former speaker had delivered to a crowd of rustics, one of whom approached with extended hand, saying, with warmth:

"Hulloo, Mr. Cannyun! Reckon ye don't 'member me."

"Of course I remember you!" said the other, accepting the proffered hand of the farmer. "I remember you very well, indeed. How's the good wife? And the old white mule—how's he pulling along?"

"By crackey!" laughed the farmer. "To think you'd 'member old Pete! Oh, he's still eatin' his head off, thankee."

Later in the evening I spoke to Cannon and asked him how he chanced upon the mule episode.

"To confess the truth," smiled the old man, "such a thing never entered my mind. I didn't know the man from Adam; but when I saw a long white hair on his coat I took a chance."—Judge.

Meaning of "At Half-Mast."

Perhaps you have noticed that whenever a prominent person dies, especially if he is connected with the government, the flags on public buildings are hoisted only part of the way up. This is called "half-mast." Did you ever stop to think what connection there could be between a flag that was not properly hoisted and the death of a great man?

Ever since flags were used in war it has been the custom to have the flag of the superior or conquering nation above that of the inferior or vanquished. When an army found itself hopelessly beaten it hauled its flag down far enough for the flag of the victors to be placed above it on the same pole. This was a token not only of submission, but of respect.

In those days, when a famous soldier died, flags were lowered out of respect to his memory. The custom long ago passed from purely military usage to public life of all kinds, the flag flying at half-mast being a sign that the dead man was worthy of universal respect. The space left above it is for the flag of the great conqueror of all—the Angel of Death.

Art and Architecture.

John Sloan, the well-known artist of New York, takes the same intelligent interest in architecture as in painting.

A New York architect, aware of Mr. Sloan's excellent taste, took him in his motor car to see a huge and costly country house that he had erected for a millionaire on a bluff overlooking the Hudson.

As the architect stood with Mr. Sloan on the terrace of the new property, he looked up at the mansion's showy facade and said thoughtfully:

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LUNATIC AS DOCTOR.

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Mothers will find Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup the best remedy to use for their children during the teething period.

Easily Made Coathangers.

A coathanger may be improvised from a newspaper in the following manner: Fold a newspaper through the center and continue folding or rolling it until it is a compact piece about three inches wide. Bend it downward in the middle and tie with a cord, forming a loop. It will answer the same purpose as a hanger of wood or metal and requires only a few minutes to make.

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Embarrassment of Riches.

"Wealth doesn't always bring happiness," remarked the youngster with the large spectacles. "Naw," assented the other kid. "Look at me cousin yonder. He's got two cents and he can't decide between lollipops and ice cream."—Pittsburg Post.

Liquid blue is a weak solution. Avoid it. Buy Red Cross Ball Blue, the blue that's all blue. Ask your grocer.

Didn't Concern Him.

The tramp did away with a sandwich handed to him by the latest farmer wife he had favored with a call. She had wrapped the sandwich in a section of newspaper, which the tramp scanned with the eye of carelessness characteristic of his kind. "My idea of nothin' to git nutty about," he remarked to himself, after glancing at a market report, "is the advance of $2 a ton in the price of car wheels."—Judge.

BACKACHE NOT A DISEASE

But a Symptom, a Danger Signal Which Every Woman Should Heed.

Backache is a symptom of organic weakness or derangement. If you have backache don't neglect it. To get permanent relief you must reach the root of the trouble. Read about Mrs. Woodall's experience.

Morton's Gap, Kentucky.—"I suffered two years with female disorders, my health was very bad and I had a continual backache which was simply awful. I could not stand on my feet long enough to cook a meal's victuals without my back nearly killing me, and I would have such dragging sensations I could hardly bear it. I had soreness in each side, could not stand tight clothing, and was irregular. I was completely run down. On advice I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and am enjoying good health. It is now more than two years and I have not had an ache or pain since. I do all my own work, washing and everything, and never have backache any more. I think your medicine is grand and I praise it to all my neighbors. If you think my testimony will help others you may publish it."—Mrs. OLLIE WOODALL, Morton's Gap, Kentucky.

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BOB'S RACE FOR LIFE

ALL SPRINT RECORDS BROKEN BY YOUNG MR. DINKINS.

According to the Old Codger, He Traveled Fast, but the "Snake" Was a Close Second When He Reached Home.

The dry goods box and nail keg brigade were loafing luxuriously in the sunshine that was shedding warmth and lassitude on the platform in front of the village emporium, postoffice, etc. They were engaged, as usual, in the pleasant and unperilous business of assassinating time.

"Snakes'll be comin' out uv th' woods, soon," yawned a young yap who was expending first-class farmhand energy in aimlessly whittling a hickory stick.

"Did any uv you-all ever heer uv Bob Dinkins' race fer life 'fore his pap left Troublesome Bottoms an' went west?" inquired an old codger, with a small gray goatee.

It seemed that no one had heard of it, so the old codger proceeded to narrate:

"I reckin' Bob run 'bout a mile in th' same length uv time t'would take to wind a watch. There wuz a heap uv black snakes that spring. 'Peared that durin' th' winter all th' snakes in th' woods had turned black. Bob wux skeered uv snakes, an', nacherly, wuz in a highly nervous state most uv th' time. He imagined ev'ry thing he saw movin' was a snake.

"Well, Bob, he took th' horses out to th' pasture one Sunday mornin', pulled th' halter off uv th' one he wuz leadin', slung it over his shoulder, and started back to th' barn. He hadn't gone fer when he happened to glance behin' him.

"Wow! A long black thing wuz a-slidin' right up to his heels! He let out a whoop lack a Soo Indian an' struck out down th' path, jes' fairly splittin' th' wind wide open.

"When he'd run 'bout 500 yards he took a quick squint over his shoulders to see if he'd got away from it. He hadn't. Theer it wuz, spinnin' right along after him. Bob let out more yells an' ran lack a dawg after a rabbit. He done his best to git away from th' thing that wuz pursuin', but he couldn't gain an inch on it. He wuz barefooted, too, an' ev'ry minit he expected to feel it nab him by th' heel.

"His hat flew off an' his hair stood on end. His daddy an' mammy run out to meet him, an' when he come rippin' into th' stable lot, hollerin', mammy drapt lack she'd been shot, clean into a dead faint. She thought it wuz all over with her darlin' son.

"Bob went tearin' round th' lot lack a colt shet away from its ma, stompin' an' kickin' an' yellin' fer 'em to kill it. His daddy gazed at him, powerless lack, till he saw what wuz th' matter. Then he got a healthy piece of hoop-pole an' went for his heroic son."

"Th' snake had hung its teeth in his breeches leg, I s'pose?" asked a fellow with a pair of green goggles.

"Snake!" snorted the old codger. "I didn't say 'twas a snake, did I?"

"But it was a snake that wuz after him, wuzn't it?" demanded a gawky chap who had his mouth open.

"Not on yer sweet life," replied the old codger. "It wuz nuthin' but th' long, black halter strop. It had slipt off his shoulder an' wuz draggin' in th' path behin' him. Th' young galloot saw it an' thought it was a snake!"—New York Times.

Betrayed by His Collar.

References which appeared satisfactory had been placed in the hands of the renting agent, who was on the point of declaring them unnecessary owing to the general appearance of the applicants, when suddenly he exclaimed: "By the way, I'm sorry, but I don't believe I can let you have that flat after all. It's been spoken for."

When the possible tenants had departed indignantly the agent said: "Do you know what made me change my mind so suddenly? It was their dog's collar. In lifting the little fellow to pet him I read the inscription on his collar, and saw it was engraved with four different addresses, all of which had been put on since last tax day. Three of the addresses had been scratched out. If those folk had secured my flat another would have been scratched out and a fifth added by day after tomorrow. A dog's collar marked up like that shows that his owners don't stay in one place long enough to get a new plate on his collar, between moves, and I don't care to rent to transients."

Power of the Mind.

Some people give up all mental effort as soon as they get sick or afflicted, but there are some minds that no pain or suffering can subdue. The most powerful warship afloat, which was launched in the Thames in England last February, was built by a man who can neither sit nor walk. The most famous of our racing yacht designers is blind, but he could build a boat that was good enough to defend the America cup year after year.

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His Reply.

She (for the 'steen-hundredth, more or less, time)—"Oh, darling, do you really and truly love me?" He (a trifle grimly)—"Now, look-a-here, Gladys! Do you want me to put up a cash bond?"—Judge.

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