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The Total Sum.

The three children came and stood in a row in front of their mother.

"Mamma," they said, "what would you like for your birthday?"

The mother looked down benignly upon the group and answered:

"My dears, mamma wants nothing for her birthday, nothing but three good children. She'd like that."

"But then, mamma," cried the eldest, "then we'd be six."—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

"Physician Cure Thyself."

"I see you have a cold like everybody else."

"This isn't a cold. I simply got hoarse telling all my friends how to cure their colds."—Washington Star.

Total Loss.

"I can never be yours. Here are your presents."

"All very fine. But who's going to return all those cigars I bought your father and all those quarters I gave your little brother?"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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Weighing the Gold.

space was filled the overflow was put in the vaults of the subtreasury building adjoining. Armed guards are stationed at the entrance and in the rooms wherever deemed essential to protect the wealth of gold that is there. System is observed everywhere.

When the foreign coin is received in New York the iron-bound boxes are opened and the bags of coins carefully weighed and recorded. As the alloy standards of France, England and this country are so nearly the same, the process is not a complicated one. The scales are so finely adjusted that the result is disclosed to a very small fraction of an ounce.

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The work is more complicated with the bullion. While the weighing and melting are the same, in order to reduce the long brick to its constituent parts chemicals and electricity must be applied. The silver is separated and run into special moulds. From the remainder the gold, platinum, iridium, etc., is separated. The gold obtained in this manner is pure and is melted into bars of different sizes. After being tested and stamped, they are put away till wanted.

The Sky Pilot.

Owing to a fog, a steamer stopped at the mouth of a river. An old lady became very nervous and inquired of the captain the cause of the delay.

"Can't see up the river," replied the officer.

"But captain, I can see the stars overhead," she argued.

"Yes," said he gruffly, "but until the boilers bust we ain't going that way."—American Boy.

In Berlin These Days.

"Look here, my friend, what on earth are you waiting for? You've been standing here for an hour in the pouring rain."

"I'm waiting for a car."

"But at least five have just gone by."

"Yes, but not the one with the pretty conductor!"—Ulk, Berlin.

Only Difference.

First Landlady—I manage to keep my boarders longer than you do.

Second Landlady—O, I don't know. You keep them so thin that they look longer than they really are.—Pathfinder.

A Sad Diagnosis.

"Well," said Binkins, "the doctors say that I am as sound as a dollar."

"That's tough," said Wilkins. "A dollar doesn't last very long these days."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Being Well Prepared

means much towards the preservation of your health. The stomach must be kept strong, the liver must be active and the bowels regular. As soon as there is any deviation from those conditions you should try

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No Expensive Trip.

"Are you going rusticate this summer?"

"Oh, no, nothing so expensive. We're just going down on the farm."—Baltimore American.

It Was Too Big a Job.

It may not be generally known that Larkin Goldsmith Mead, the American sculptor, is a brother-in-law of William Dean Howells. W. H. Sherwin of Kansas City is a cousin of the novelist, and the other evening told this story:

"Someone asked Mr. Howells why he did not have Mead, a talented painter and pen-and-ink artist as well as a sculptor, illustrate his books. Howells replied: 'I have asked him to do so, but he has answered me by saying that if he made the pictures he would have to read my books, and he would be hanged if he ever did that.'"

Maybe They Were Friendly.

The Mesopotamian valley, up which the British expedition from the Persian gulf has made its way, is, according to tradition, man's first—and last—paradise. But Tommy Atkins, toiling through the sand under a blazing sun, fighting fleas and flies as well as Turks and Arabs, did not find the country Edenic. One night when the troops were trying to sleep one soldier was heard to say to another:

"Ere, Bill, if this is the Garden of Eden, I wonder what Adam and Eve did with these 'ere mosquitoes a-buzzin' around 'em?"

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Goals to Newcastle.

Mother was measuring a dose of tonic for her little son, who looked up and said:

"What am I taking this for?"

"An appetite," she replied.

"An appetite," he scornfully repeated. "I can't begin to hold now one-half I want to eat."—Philadelphia Ledger.

One Process.

"Since I've been living next door to a dealer in antique rugs I've learned a thing or two about the rug business."

"Yes."

"A rug can be aged very rapidly by allowing a few youngsters to use it as a playground."—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

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Did the Trick.

Patriotism is a strong instinct in the breast of a certain elderly lady, who was recently much troubled at the failure of her three nephews to enlist. They were such stalwart, sturdy fellows that she was ashamed of them.

When strong hints had been received in silence, her patience became exhausted. One day she sent a telegram to each of the three. These all bore the same message:

"Your country is calling. Wire reply if you wish to borrow my ear-trumpet."

She is now very proud of her three lads in khaki.—London Answers.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the original little liver pill put up 40 years ago. They regulate liver and bowels.

Preparedness.

Mr. Tompkins was obliged to stop overnight at a small country hotel. He was shown to his room by the one boy the place afforded, a colored lad.

"I am glad there's a rope here in case of fire," commented Mr. Tompkins as he surveyed the room, "but what's the idea of putting a Bible in the room in such a prominent place?"

"Dat am intended for use, sah," replied the boy, "in case de fire am too far advanced for yo' to make yo' escape, sah."—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

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On the Safe Side.

Jones and his wife were seated at the dining room table perusing the evening papers when the door bell rang. Jones arose to answer it, when his wife said:

"Let me hide those umbrellas before you let them in."

"Why, do you think somebody will steal them?" asked Jones.

"No," replied his wife. "Someone might recognize them."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Corroboration.

"I'm so oblivious to everything except my art when I am on the stage," said Hamlet Tiepacer, "that I never can see the audience."

"So the box office reports," said the manager.—Browning's Magazine.

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Rivals.

Two privates in a Highland regiment began arguing in the canteen as to the rival merits of Edinburgh and Glasgow—a burning topic north of the Tweed.

"Ay, an' whit is yer Edinburgh?" sneered the Glaswegian. "Naethin' bit a hull wi' a castle, an' ruins on yin side an' a row o' ludgin' hooses on the ither!"

"Bit jls' lulk at the fine buidlin' we hae in Edinburgh!" protested the man from that city.

"Oo, ay! Ye hae some fine prisons!"

"Weel, an' fine we need them wi' sae mony cheap trips frae Glesgae!"

"Here, some o' the world's greatest heroes live in Glesgae!" snapped the Glasgow man angrily.

"Heroes! Humph! Sooner ca' them martyrs fur livin' there!"

"Ye will find Glesgae men a' ower the globe!"—proudly.

"Mebbe"—calmly—"n' ge y glad tae be oot o' it!"

"At ony rate," said the Glaswegian man firmly, "Glesgae is a far greater place than Edinburgh!"

"Awa, mon! Edinburgh is the capital o' Scotland!"

"Weel, that's as may be," was the Glaswegian's final hit. "But heaven help ye if ye gang down Argyle street o' a Saterdag nicht an' say it!"—London Answers.

How to Heal Itching, Burning Skin Diseases

A Baltimore doctor suggests this simple, but reliable and inexpensive, home treatment for people suffering with eczema, ringworm, rashes and similar itching, burning skin troubles.

At any reliable druggist's get a jar of resinol ointment and a cake of resinol soap. These are not at all expensive. With the resinol soap and warm water bathe the affected parts thoroughly, until they are free from crusts and the skin is softened. Dry very gently, spread on a thin layer of the resinol ointment, and cover with a light bandage—if necessary to protect the clothing. This should be done twice a day. Usually the distressing itching and burning stop with the first treatment, and the skin soon becomes clear and healthy again.—Adv.

Next Best Thing.

A hospital nurse was testing a volunteer on his practical knowledge of first-aid work.

"Now, what would you do in case a man collapsed?" she asked.

"Give him some brandy, miss," replied the man.

"But suppose you had no brandy?"

"Sure, then," he answered cheerfully, "I'd promise him some."—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Entirely Different.

"What's this, daughter? You let Mr. Flubdub, whom you barely know, kiss you?"

"Now mother, let's get this thing right. I didn't let him kiss me. I merely let him try."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Getting Acclimated.

Queen of the May—the climate is perverse.

Each spring the danger's greater; It might be prudent if you would rehearse

In a refrigerator.

—Washington Star.

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"What was it?"

"He said, 'Father, where do you get all the funny things you tell people I say?'"—Washington Star.

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Possibly So.


"There will likely be a big influx of travel to Europe after the war."

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