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Husband (glancing over bill)—Why is it you pay three times as much for stockings as I do for mine?

Wife—Oh, that's all right. I wear my stockings three times as long as you do.

Censorship in Russia.

A correspondent tells the following story of methods of censorship in Russia:

I was at an evening party of the local press censor in a south Russian town. About midnight I had strolled from the music room into a card room, and was watching a game of cards, one of the players being our host, the censor, when the hostess approached her husband.

"I wish, my dear, you would step behind. There are three poor devils there who have been waiting for you a couple of hours. I did not wish to disturb you sooner.'

"They must wait a little longer," replied the censor; "I must finish my rubber."

Twenty minutes later our host absented himself for a quarter of an hour.

Meeting his wife next doy, I asked her who were the "three poor devils" referred to.

"Editors of the three local journals," she replied.

They had waited two and a half hours in the censor's back kitchen with their MSS. and proof sheets for that morning's issue, without which they could not go to press.

His Greatest Work.

"I suppose you saw the Venus of Milo," said the eager art student to the young man who had just made a rapid tour of the European continent.

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"I did," he said, cautiously, "and I thought 'twas about the best piece of art over there. Of course that's only my idea."

"Many people agree with you," said the art student, approvingly. "It is very fine."

"Well, now, I'm glad to hear you say that," said the returned traveler. "Knowing I'm not really up in art, of course I feel some hesitation in giving my opinion. But do you know, candidly, it didn't seem to me there was another thing of Milo's that touch the venus, or came anywhere near it!"

A Disappointed Cannibal.

A pathetic story of a disappointed cannibal is told in an English religious paper. "One day," says a missionary, "I was eating some canned sheep's tongues that had been sent from home. One of my natives, seeing me, jumped with delight. He thought they were men's tongues. His gloom on discovering that it was not a religious revival, after all, and that the missionary remained unconverted would have touched the hardest heart."

In After Years.

Husband—When we were married you confessed entire faith in my veracity, but now you don't seem to believe a word I say.

Wife—Yes, but this is a progressive age, you know, and even a confession of faith needs to be revised occasionally.

An Excusable Tip.

Bilkins—Seems to me the custom of tipping is spreading everywhere. It's outrageous!

Wilkins—In some cases it is excusable.

"I'd like to know in what cases?"

"Well, you can't get weighed without tipping the beam, you know."

The Senate judiciary committee of the California Legislature has unanimously reported in favor of the passage of an anti-trading stamp bill.

She—I understand that Sarah Ann married a struggling young man. He—Yes, he struggled all right, but he couldn't get away.

Dolly—He's one of those men who won't take no for an answer. Madge—What are you going to do? Dolly—Why, tell him yes.—Town Topics.

Friend—What is hope? Poet—It's something that wakes you up at four o'clock in the morning when the postman doesn't come around till ten.—Ram's Horn.

He—My father is a banker, and has never been inside a theater in his life. She—Really? My father is an actor, and has never been inside a bank in his life.—Judy.

Newrich—How'd you get along at the dinner? Mrs. Newrich—Fine. When they eat pie with a fork, I done it, too, so as not to let 'em see their break.—New York Sun.

Judge—The next person who interrupts the proceedings of this court will be expelled from the room! Prisoner—Hoo-ray! Whoopee-ee! Now, lemme go!—Chicago News.

Bank President—We're ruined! The cashier has absconded with one hundred thousand dollars. Director—Don't get excited. He has left a note offering to take us into partnership.

Mrs. Oatcake (reading newspaper)—Gracious me! Mr. Murdock has been arrested. It was discovered that he had twenty wives, and all are living! Farmer Oatcake—O-oh! another case of Brigham-y.—Puck.

Boarder (warmly)—Oh, I know every one of the tricks of your trade. Do you think I have lived in boarding-houses twenty years for nothing? Landlady (frigidly)—I shouldn't be at all surprised.—New Yorker.

"Let me see, a cynic is aman who is tired of the world, is he not?" the young student of language asked. "No, no, my child," replied the knowing tutor; "a cynic is a man of whom the world is tired."—Pick-Me-Up.

The Senator—Why mustn't I vote for that bill? Constituent—Because the people don't want it, Senator. The Senator—What have the people got to do with it? Ain't election over, hey?—Louisville Courier-Journal.

After the wedding: He—What are you crying for, love? She—Over papa's wedding present—boo—hoo. He—Why, what's the matter with it? She—It's nothing but a receipted bill for the gas we used up during our courtship.—Pick-Me-Up.

Uncle John—So you don't like your teacher, Tommy? Tommy (savagely)—No, I don't. I wisht he was at the bottom of the sea! Uncle John—Oh, come now, Tommy! That's too much to say. Tommy—Well, I wisht he was at the bottom of Jones' mill pond, then.—Philadelphia Press.

Just resentment: Young Husband—Bertha, did you ask the grocer to show you some of those seedless beans I was telling you about this morning? Young Wife—Yes, and if you want your slippers warmed before you put them on you can warm them yourself, sir. I won't.—Chicago Tribune.

The Man—Your daughter telephoned me to call and fix your piano. Her Father—What's the matter with it? The Man—One of the strings is broken. Her Father—What will it cost to repair the broken string? The Man—Two dollars. Her Father—Well, here's $5. Break the rest of 'em.—Chicago News.

"Paw," asked little Johnny, "what's a compromise?" "That, my son," replied the wise father, "depends on whom it's made with. For instance, if I make a compromise with a business man, I go about half way. But if I make a compromise with your mother, why, I—er—I go all the way."—Houston Chronicle.

"What do you think of Keats' 'Ode on a Grecian Urn?'" asked Mrs. Old Castle as they sipped their tea in the magnificent library. "I think," her hostess replied, "if he'd of been a gentleman he'd of paid it. Josiah says people never ought to have luxuries that they have to get trusted for."—Chicago Record-Herald.

"Now, try to remember," said the teacher, "that Horatius won his glory by his performance at the bridge. Always keep that thought in mind and it will help you to be brave and noble." "Huh!" sneered Johnny, "that ain't nothin'. You see my pa and ma at bridge almost every night in the week."—New York Herald.

"I wish to get excused this afternoon," said Bizzlethorp, as he approached the general manager's desk; "you see they've put me down to act as a pallbearer at a funeral." "Certainly; go ahead. But you don't seem to feel very sad about it." "No. He's the fellow my wife has always been holding up to me as a model."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Mrs. Pugh—Our minister says he is going to change the last part of the service. Mrs. Knave—Does he think he can improve it? Mrs. Pugh—No, but he thinks it's necessary. Instead of saying, "Let us sing the Doxology," he is going to say: "Let us adjust our clothes, slip on our gloves, grab our hats, forget all about the Lord, and be dismissed."—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

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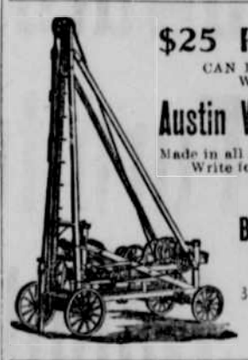

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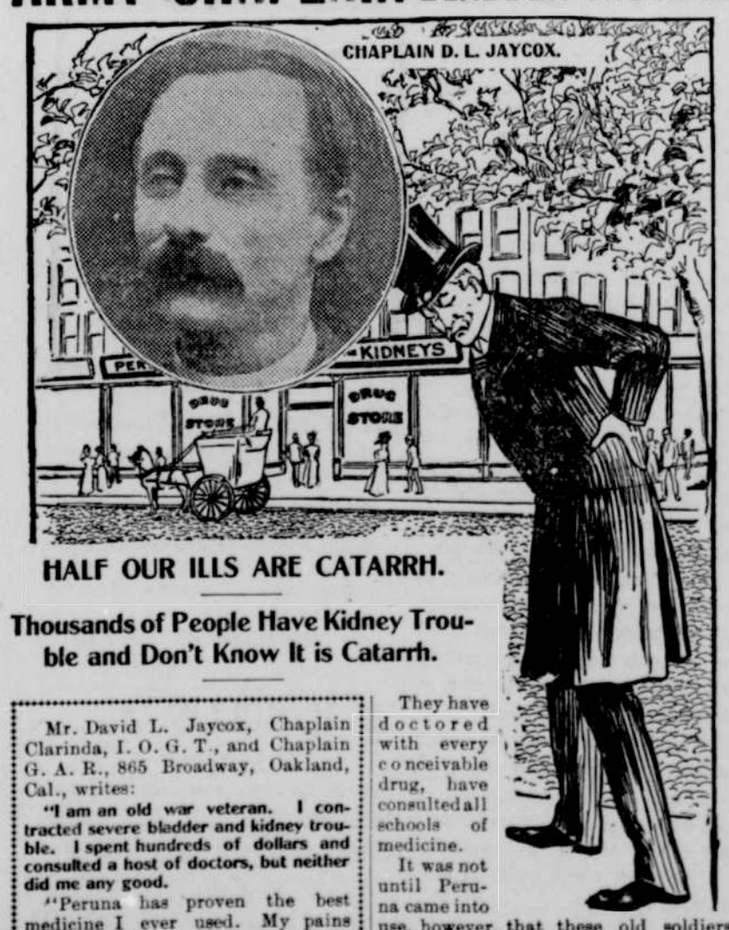

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