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"Don't seem as if I'd had half the good I expected to out of it," she said wistfully. "'Tisn't but eight years since I had it made up. Two years I wore it Sundays; the next two, sewing circle afternoons; next two, when I went errands to the village, and these last two round the house, common. But now"—and she regarded the bundle sorrowfully before stuffing it into the yawning piece bag—"now 'tisn't even fit to hang out washing in Mondays."—Youth's Companion.

Powerful Paper.

A surveyor when inspecting one of the cottages under his care had his attention called by the tenant to a large diagonal crack in one of the walls, close to which they were standing, with the remark from Mrs. Hodge, "I am afraid, sir, as the old house be a-coming down, sir."

"We will see to this," said the agent, and, taking from his pocket a few strips of stamp edging, he pasted them transversely over the fissure so that he might on his next visit see whether the crack had extended and whether it was a settlement or not.

On his calling about a month afterward he found the pieces of stamp edging still remaining unbroken and pointing out to the old lady that the crack had not opened any farther, was amused with this unhesitating remark: "Yes, sir, but who'd ha thought as two or three such bits of paper would ha' held us together?"—London Answers.

The Tea Drinkers.

The chronic tea drinkers of this country are generally the kitchen girls and women who remain in the kitchen and in the house a great deal. The teapot is constantly on the stove, and the strong, stale brew, full of tannic acid and bitter extractives, is poured into the stomach at frequent intervals. Here we get not only the stimulation of the caffein, but the irritation of the tannin derivatives on the stomach mucous membrane. The sooner or later result is sleeplessness, an irritable, fretty disposition, nervous dyspepsia or even gastritis and constipation. Of course the treatment is to stop the cause, treat the insomnia, dyspepsia and constipation and give fresh air. Tea tasters show earlier than other individuals decay of the teeth. Children up to fifteen years should not drink coffee or tea regularly.—Journal of American Medical Association.

Osman Pasha's Daring.

One of the most gallant generals that ever surrendered to the enemy was Osman Pasha, the immortal defender of Plevna. Surrounded by an immeasurably superior army of Russia, Osman kept his flag flying for 142 days, inflicting a loss of fifteen men on the enemy and losing thirty of his own garrison. It was only when both provisions and ammunition failed that he decided on that desperate attempt to cut his way through the investing army. The attempt, one of the most daring and resolute in history, failed, and Osman was at last compelled to admit defeat. So impressed, however, were the enemy with his valor that as he was carried wounded through their ranks they greeted him as a conqueror with cheers and presented arms.

Lincoln Told a Story.

At one time a friend complained to President Lincoln that a certain politician was endeavoring by his influence with unusual energy with the hope of securing the presidential nomination.

"That reminds me," said Mr. Lincoln, "that my brother and I were once plowing a field with a lazy horse, but at times he clipped across the field so fast that I could hardly keep up with him. At last I found an opportunity when I got him and knocked it off. Now I am not going to make that mistake a second time. If the secretary has a chill on him I am not going to knock it off, if it will only make his department go."

The Clear Infinity.

That which we heedlessly call vastness is, rightly considered, not more wonderful and more impressive, than that which we heedlessly call littleness, and the infinity of God is not mysterious, if it is only unfathomable; not concealed, but incomprehensible; if it is clear infinity, the darkness of the pure, measurable sea.—Ruskin's "Modern Painters."

Revenge by Proxy.

Celtic Stranger—Tim Hennessy has just been arrested. What will the charge be against him? Very Young Lawyer—Ten dollars in my fee in the first court case. Celtic Stranger—Well, here it is. I've had it in for Tim this long time, an' 'tis worth ten dollars to get even wid him!—Puck.

Makings of an Artist.

He who works with his hands only is a mechanic; he who works with hand and head is an artisan, and he who works with hands, head and heart is an artist.—Ruskin.

Little things are little things, but to do little things faithfully is a great thing.

Fearful Football.

Football had its enemies among the early Puritans in England. In 1583 one Philip Stubbes produced a work entitled "The Anatomie of Abuses," wherein there is a very fierce attack on football. The game was played with vigor in the sixteenth century. "Whosoever scapeth away the best goeth not scot free," writes the author, "but is either sore wounded, craised and bruised, so as he dyeth of it or else scapeth very hardlie, and no mervaile, for they have the sleights to meet one betwixt two, to dashe him against the harte with the elbowes, to hit him under the short ribs with their griped fists, and with their knees to catch him upon the hippes, and to pick him on the neck, with a hundred such murthering devices; and herein groweth envie, malice, rancour, choler, hatred, displeasure, emulitie and what not else; and sometimes brawling, contention, quarrel picking, murther, homicide and great effusion of blood as experience teacheth."

The Puzzle Master.

To the present writer, who never got the hang of a single puzzle in all his life without help, Sam Lloyd was the most remarkable person in the world, for he invented 10,000 puzzles in more than half a century of diabolical activity. He began when he was six by scaring the cook with ventriloquial robins in the kitchen chimney and taking the rabbits out of the pockets of his mother's guests in the parlor. At ten he was a noted chess player and invented many chess problems. He studied to be an engineer, along with side dashes into painting and drawing, languages and mathematics. But his propensity to puzzle was too much for him. While still almost a youth he invented and drew a puzzle in fifteen minutes, printed the first edition at a cost of less than $5 and made $10,000. Who said he would have remained an engineer when he could make $10,000 in fifteen minutes?—American Magazine.

Cattle, Locusts and Railways.

In running railways in Brazil there are two difficulties to contend with which the European traveler does not know—cattle and locusts. The cattle cannot be kept off the track. Miles and miles of it are fenced in, and yet the cattle manage to force their way through and then cannot get out. The cowcatcher is efficient, but not sufficiently so, as the trains are often derailed by an ox being caught either between the cowcatcher or cylinder and the rail or even between the locomotive and the truss of a bridge, but such accidents are hardly ever serious. Locusts are less common, but occasionally trains along in clouds. When they come to earth they may pile up to a foot deep in the cuttings, and, of course, the locomotives will skid along uselessly. This happens but infrequently.—Cassier's Magazine.

Bridges in Korea.

Some idea of the delights of traveling in Korea is given by the following description by a traveler of the "bridges" in that country: A first class bridge in Korea is simply an assortment of planks nailed together. These are scarce. A second class bridge is a series of isolated stones, from one to another of which the visitor may jump. A third class bridge, much the commonest variety, is invisible, its position being indicated by a couple of posts, one on each side of the river. They mean that you may safely wade across, as the water will probably not go much above your chest.

Creation of a Knight.

The ceremonies at the creation of a knight have been curious. The principal were a tap on the ear and a stroke with a sword on the shoulder. John of Salisbury tells us the form with the naked list was to use among the ancient Normans. By this it was that William the Conqueror conferred the honor of knighthood on his son Henry. It was afterward changed into a blow with the flat of the sword on the shoulder of the knight.

Hard to Find Things.

He—Where are my collars, dear?

She—I don't really know.

"Well, yesterday I couldn't find my shirts; this morning my ties were missing; now I can't find my collars. The only place I know worse than my bureau is my card index system!"—Yonkers Statesman.

Well, Rather.

"I think it is disgraceful to be enormously rich."

"Oh, so do I. I was brought up to think that way. But say"—

"Well?"

"Don't you wish once in awhile that you weren't so boasted respectable?"—Toledo Blade.

Well Answered.

An American woman who had been told by a Britisher that America was deficient in antiquities and curiosities remarked: "The antiquities will come. As for our curiosities we import them."

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Notice is hereby given that, as directed by the Commissioner of the General Land office, under provisions of Act of Congress approved June 27, 1906 (34 Stats., 517), we will offer at public sale, to the highest bidder, at 10:00 o'clock a. m., on the 13th day of October, 1911, at this office, the following described land: E½ SE¼, sec. 18, N½ NE¼, sec. 19, Tp. 16 S., R. 11 E. W. M. Serial No. 03687.

Any persons claiming adversely the above-described land are advised to file their claims, or objections, on or before the time designated for sale.

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