The Children's Play Corner

Game of Feathers.

This is a game that is almost too simple for older people and yet very jolly for a large party even of them for a few minutes.

Seated in a circle, every one is set vigorously to wagging the hands. The leader proceeds somewhat after this fashion: "Dog feathers" (as dogs do not wear feathers, the hands must continue to wag). "fish feathers, lion feathers, mouse feathers, bat feathers."

At this last, unless all are on the alert, some of the hands may go down on the lap. In that case the person whose hands go down first must be come the new leader, because bats do not wear feathers. But if no one is caught the original leader continues: "Lynx feathers, squirrel feathers, eel feathers, robin feathers." At this last all the wagging hands must fly down to the maps at once, being raised again, however, and keep on wagging. This is because robins have feathers. If any pair of hands have failed to salute the feathers the owner of that pair must become the new leader and strive in turn to catch others.

From this description the principle of the game will easily be seen. It is a good game to familiarize children with the names of different animals

Game of Scouts.

The players divide into two parties and go into different rooms. Each party then sends out a "scout," and the two meet and decide on different things to guess a small object in a local shop, the left eyebrow of Julius Caesar, or anything equally puzzlings and then return to the rooms, each going to his opponent's party, when questions are asked him in quick succession, as the side guessing first is the winning one and can take possession of both "scouts." Only those questions which can be answered by "Yes," "No" or "I don't know" are allowable. As in other games, it is first discovered whether the object is animal, vegetable or mineral, and after this is settled questions come thick and fast until one of the parties has won the guessing race. when a shout or whistle proclaims the fact to their opponents.

Dumb Show.

Players are divided into two equal groups. One party goes outside of the room. The others stay inside and choose a verb. The outside team is told a word which rimes with the verb chosen. The outside team then acts out a verb which they think to be the right one without saying a word. If it is right the inside team claps hands. If wrong the inside team shakes heads, and the outside team must retire and try again. If successful teams change places. No speaking allowed.

Clipped Words.

1. A fish. 2. Hearty. 3. A drink.

Answer.—Whale, bale, ale.

The Rabbit.

One day a little rabbit came
Right into our back yard and sat
And wasged his long gray velvet ears
And sniffed about at this and that
As if he wondered where he was,
And then with scary little hops
He scuttled up the garden paths
And nibbled at the radish tops.
I thought he'd come to stay with us,
But when I ran across the lawn
He gave a jump and tossed his head
And small white tail—and then was gone:

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New President of the American Bar Association

Senator George Sutherland of Utah, who was recently elected president of the American Bar association, is one of the leading Republicans of his state. He is a native of England, fifty-four years of age and was brought to Utah by his parents while still a child. He was educated at the Brigham



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Young academy at Provo and at the University of Michigan law school, from which he was graduated in 1883. For a time he practiced law at Provo, but later removed to Salt Lake City. Senator Sutherland was elected to the United States senate in 1905 and reelected in 1911. He is one of the senate's leading lawyers.

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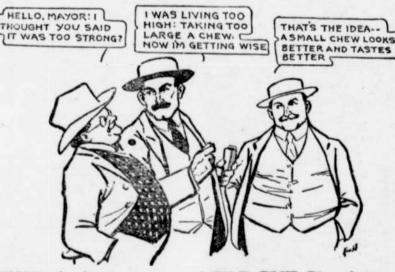
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