

Married People Would be Happier
 If home troubles were never told to a neighbor.
 If expenses were proportionated to receipts.
 If they tried to be as agreeable as in courtship days.
 If each would remember the other was a human being, not an angel.
 If fuel and provisions were laid in during the high tide of summer work.
 If both parties remembered that they married for the worse as well as for the better.
 If men were as thoughtful for their wives as they were for their sweethearts.
 If there were fewer silk and velvet street costumes, and more plain, tidy house dresses.
 If there were fewer "please darling's" in public and more common manners in private.
 If masculine bills for Hayannas and feminine ditto for rare laces were turned into the general fund until such times as they could be incurred without risk.
 If men would remember that a woman cannot be always smiling who has to cook the dinner, answer the doorbell half a dozen times, and get rid of neighbors who have dropped in, tend a sick baby, tie up the cut finger of a two-year-old, tie up the head of a six-year-old on skates, and get an eight-year-old ready for school. A woman with all this to contend with may claim it as a privilege to look and feel a little tired sometimes, and a word of sympathy would not be too much to expect from a man who, during the honeymoon, would not let her carry as much as a sunshade.—Ex.

The Pride of Woman.
 A clear pearly and transparent skin is always a sign of pure blood, and all persons troubled with dark, greasy, or blotched skin can rest assured that their blood is out of order. A few doses of BEGG'S BLOOD PURIFIER & BLOOD MAKER will remove the cause and the skin will become clear and transparent. Try it, and if satisfaction is not given it will cost you nothing. M. A. Miller, Druggist.

At an impromptu dinner not very long ago, one of the gentlemen was so very attentive to the lady beside him that he was accused of depriving the rest of the company of their enjoyment of her presence. This accusation led to a discussion which took the form of a conundrum. How can a young man share a young lady's company with others at the same time he monopolizes it? The hostess solved the problem by saying that a man can perform the feat by taking the lady apart. The next question was, can the man who takes a lady apart share also in the general company? The answer is that he can, because he will be a man beside himself. Some one asked how the lady who was taken apart could be put together again, and a witty beauty answered that it could be done by uniting her in matrimony. The remainder of the conversation was chiefly jaw and judicious advice, but the pudding was good and the cake was excellent.—Ex.

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It is no wonder that foreigners think the English language so difficult to master when we think of the great change that a single letter makes in the pronunciation of it. The letter c changes lover into clover, d makes crow a crowd, g changes son into song, k makes eyed keyed, l transfers pear into pearl, s changes hoe into shoe, t makes bough bought, w makes omen into women.


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 If you go spluttering over a page,
 When a couple of lines would do,
 Your butter is spread so much you see,
 That the bread looks plainly through;
 So when you have a story to tell,
 And would like a little renown,
 To make quite sure of your wish, my friend,
 Boil it down.
 When writing an article for the press,
 Whether prose or verse, just try
 To settle your thoughts in the fewest words,
 And let them be crisp and dry,
 And when it is finished, and you suppose
 It is done exactly brown,
 Just look it over again, and then
 Boil it down.
 For editors do not like to print
 An article lazily long,
 And the general reader does not care
 For a couple of yards of song.
 So gather your wits in the smallest space,
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