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deep snow and scrap a grizzly bear for you after she lands over there; no quitter about that kind of a gal. The last time I saw the old waliper I met him in town, and there was nothing to good for the Irish with him. We were both pretty well dressed and we had a time. He would not let me pay for any thing. He seemed to have all kinds of money. He asked me that night, what part of Missouri did you say you were from? I told him Sedalia and Booneville county; yes he said, about 40 miles from where I was born and raised. I was sure surprised and asked him where he was raised. He said not far from Clinton, Henry county. I asked him why he did not tell me that before and he said I never asked him and perhaps he would not have told me anyway for it would have spoiled his fun. He told me he had been in Sedalia several times before he left Mo. He used to gather cattle to pasture through the spring and summer and often came there for delivery of the cattle and said he paunched cows first two years he was in Colorado, but too slow money and said he would have to make it in bigger bunches. He had been prospecting 14 years then and sold one mine for \$10,000.00 and blowed it all in and sold the last one for \$15,000.00. He had a little sense the last time and watched his step.

When I bid him good by big tears came into his eyes.

Tilikum.

AN EXCEPTION

Husband—This tomato soup tastes just like that my mother used to make.

Wife—I'm glad to hear it. You have never said before that anything of mine was as good as your mother's.

Husband—Yes. There was only one thing she couldn't make properly.

Wife—What was that?

Husband—Tomato soup!—Stockholm Kasper.

Unto This End

"By the way," said the lawyer who was drawing up the will, "I notice that you've named six bankers to be your pallbearers. Would you rather choose some friends with whom you are on better terms?"

"No, that's all right," was the quick reply. "Those fellows have carried me so long they might as well finish the job."—Boston Transcript.

HARD CASH

First Citizen—Has Zero made much money in the ice cream business.

The Other One—He made a cool million.

She Wants to Know

He said he had never loved before. As he gave the girl a kiss. "Then how," asked the girl, "With her head in a whirl, 'Did you learn to love like this?'"

Showed Her New Steps

Hostess (at dance)—What have you and Arthur been doing outside all this time?

Dolly—Oh, he showed me some new steps.

"But I thought he didn't dance."

"He doesn't. We sat on them."

Sorry for Thoughts

"Oh! Are you really a mind-reader?"

"Yes! I am."

"Then I hope you aren't offended. I didn't mean what I thought about you."

Many Hearts Offered

Merritt—So that heiress refused you?

Giles—Yes. She said that so many hearts were submitted to her daily, she hoped I would overlook the absence of any individual criticism.

Her Heart Engaged

He (admiringly)—You are a girl after my own heart.

She—Thank you; but I hope you are not a man after mine, because it's otherwise engaged.

RENEWABLE CHARMS

Mr. Laurels—Mere physical beauty is all too fleeting.

Miss Manchester—It doesn't last long out, then, it can be renewed every day.

Love's Labor

The man who loves his little wife. And heads her every call and beck. Has still another duty now— He shaves the back of dearie's neck.

Mysteries

Not all the mysteries are cleared up. There is one connected with those persons who walk across the continent or wheel perambulators from one section to another or undertake to get the autographs of a thousand mayors—all, say, upon a bet. What one would like to know is who puts up the reward or lays down the other half of the wager. We never hear of him. He is more obscure and modest than the head of a bootlegging syndicate and, apparently, every bit as afraid that he will get his deserved punishment.—Toledo Blade.

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The Vogue

Bill—When are you going to pay me that ten you owe?

Phil—I intend to open negotiations with you soon with a view to funding the debt.—Life.

Improved in His Studies

"You don't love me any more. I used to be all the world to you once!"

"Yes—but I have got better in geography since!"

Never

"I know a good joke—have I told it to you before?"

"No; you certainly have not!"—Princeton Tiger.

Location

"Adventure is just around the corner."

"Ya, I know. Where the traffic cop stands."

Dangerous Sport

"Are you going to the masquerade?"

"No; last time I won a prize and my friends all got mad at me."

Retreat

"Why should we buy a house, dear?"

"Well, we have no car, and we ought to get a place to hide."

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In the spring of 1874 I left the state of Missouri and went to Colorado. I owned a good horse, a pretty fair Texas saddle a Springfield rifle and a Colt six shooter. I went through with emigrant wagons, 17 men, 6 women and several children. We traveled the Smoky Hill route and I remember right there was no farming. West of Salina Kansas, I had a great time hunting on the trip. I killed several antelope one 2 year old buffalo, lots of prairie chickens and rattle snakes.

In the spring of '75 I worked in a Mica Mine for an old prospector and we had a great time together. He seemed to take great delight in talking about Missouri and would ask me all kinds of questions about Missouri such as this—Is it a fact Bill that the girls all chew tobacco in Missouri and do you ever in the town of Lapover down where the Missouri laps over onto Arkansas? Do they really make pumpkin rollings—gather in the neighbors to help roll the big pumpkins on a wagon? That must be a great pumpkin pie country? He kept me pretty sore with such questions. Some times he brake loose and talk like this; hello pardner, what are you loaded with, fruit and lumber? What kind of fruit and lumber? Hoopoes and pumpkins.

One day he was out on the unporting Mica and he told me about a stranger traveling down through Missouri and saw a lot of men chained up to a telegraph post and a guard over them armed with a Winchester rifle, two Colt six shooters and a Bowie knife. The stranger asked the guard what the men had for? Guard told him nothing. Why do you keep them chained up? Guard told him he intended to whip them West in a few days and wanted to get them used to the train. If I had been near enough to him I would have landed on him, I was pretty sore because he told me that one and the old man of a gun would be;

I suppose you have heard of sweet Batsle from Pike Who crossed the White Mountains with her true love like, three yoke of oxen a big yellow dog a Shanghai rooster and an old sandy hog. They camped one evening way down on the Platte, close to the river in a big shady flat, and Bettie or found layed down to repose. White Ike stood gazing at his Pike county rose. Then he hollered, that's the kind of a girl to throw your rope onto Bill, go with you across the White Mountains, stop for no big waters, falling timber or

Bulla

Mamie de Payster came home to Mamma de Payster after a big party and exclaimed: "Oh, mamma, I met the most wonderful boy, George Rayner."

Mamma de Payster chuckled roguishly: "Is he one of those Texas rangers, my dear, I've heard so much about?"—Chicago Phoenix.

Must Placate the Child

A well-known actor was playing to a crowded house, but was frequently interrupted by the squalling of a child in the gallery.

At last the noise grew so unbearable that the actor abandoned his lines and said, "Ladies and gentlemen, unless this play is stopped, the child cannot possibly go on!"

Loves His Work

"You have no idea what a really big executive gets out of business," declared the New Yorker.

"No?"

"Gets down just in time for lunch and then he plays golf."

"What if it rains?"

"There's the matinee."

WHO'S "BEST"

Wife—You don't love me a good half!

Hubby—I love you—a better half.

Speed Bugs, Ferinstance

"'Tis true the buggy horse is 'bout extinct," growled Hiram Weepie.

"But in this motor age there is no lack of buggy people."

He Was Reserved

Wife (referring to guest)—He's a most attractive man; is he married?

Husband—I don't know. He's a reserved cimp—keeps all his troubles to himself.

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