The Cranky Visitor.

When Aunt Brown comes to visit us—
My goodness gracious me!
The dog hides underneath the barn;
Old Tom climbs up a tree.
The hired girl says, "Sure, I'll quit
If she's to be the boss."
And everyone is nervous-like;
And even ma is cross.

When we're alone we're comfor'ble.
Jes' me and ma an' dad,
And Mary—she's the hired girl—
Except when she gets mad.
We don't go in for style and things,
But, bet you, we have fun.
Aunt Brown, you know, is city folks,
And keeps us on the run.

She says to ma, "O, what a shame
You're buried in this place,
The manners of that boy of yours
Are really a disgrace!
How sad your husband don't succeed,
You're growing thin, my dear;
And, mercy! get another hat,
That makes you look so queer."

She hates to walk, she hates to drive,
She hates our neighbors, too,
She only likes to rock and tell
My mother what she'd do
With stupid folks like me and dad.
My ma just smiles. But say!
You ought to see us shaking hands
When Aunt Brown goes away.

—The Housekeeper.

A VERY SUBSTANTIAL GHOST.

BY MATTIE DYER BRITTS.

One evening I went home to see my wife with some wonderful news. I I had just learned from the lawyers that an old uncle of ours, over in Jersey, from whom we never expected a dollar, was dead, and had left us the bulk of his property, including his country house.

There was another nephew who had always lived with Uncle Si, and expected to be his heir; but he was a thoroughly bad fellow, and the old man, after trying in vain to reform him, cut him off with a few hundred dollars.

When I reached home, and told Sue, she could hardly believe the good news.

'Oh, Charley!' she cried, 'if it is true, we can stop this endless paying rent, and have a home of our own at last!'

'It certainly is true,' I replied. 'We can take posession of our country-seat as soon as we like. There is only one small drawback.'

'Well, what is it Charley?'

'It's a ghost, my dear!'

'A ghost? What do you mean?'

'The neighbors declare that, ever since Uncle Si died, strange lights have been seen in the house, odd noises heard, and white-robed ghosts known to wander about the premises.'

'How absurd!' cried Sue.

'You know I can't give up my city business, and, if we do go there to live, you and Sarah will be left much alone and—'

'I'll answer for Sarah' declared Sue. She is not afraid of the world, the flesh, nor the—other fellow! Neither am I, when she's around.'

Sarah was our servant, a grim old maid from 'way down East, ugly but possessing all the spirit of her stout-hearted ancestors.

'I don't doubt Sarah's ability to scare anything mortal,' I remarked, dryly. 'But when it comes to a ghost—'

'When will you take me to see the place?' inquired Sue, interrupting me a second time.

'Whenever you please. Tomormow, if you like,' I answered.

'The sooner the better,' decided Sue. 'We'll go tomorrow.'

So over to Jersey we went the next day, and drove out to our late inheritance. It was really a fine property, but sadly out of repair. We concluded to take possession at once, and, on our way home, stopped in the village near by to engage workmen to put things in order. We heard stories of the ghost from all of them. One said he wouldn't live there if they'd give him the farm; another refused to go at all unless he had company; and the third was sure that bad luck would attend anybody who tried to stay in that house.

I was rather sorry that Sue should hear all this; but she, like a sensible girl, advised that we should not be influenced by any such silly stories. Besides, she added, if these things really were seen and heard, there must be some natural cause for them, which we would try to discover and put an end to.

I praised her for being such a brave little soul, and promised to buy her a revolver with which to defend herself. 'I don't know that you could shoot a ghost, if you saw one,' I said, laughingly, but it will be handy to have, anyhow.'

'I will use it, rest assured, if his ghostship appears to me!' returned Sue.

Just as we drove away from the shop where we had engaged a carpenter, a well-dressed man with a handsome, wicked face, passed by, and ave me such a scowl as he glanced, at me, that I asked Mr. Jackson who he was.

'That's your rival, the nephew old Si Hascomb threw over,' he answered. 'Joe Hascomb is a hard case. I'm afraid you'll find him your enemy when you come here.

'But it's no fault of ours that he lost the property. I shall not interfere with him unless he bothers me; in which case he'll wish he hadn't.'

'Charley, I'm afraid he will do you some harm,' said Sue, anxiously, as we drove on. 'He has such a wicked countenance.'

'Nonsense,' I replied, laughing at her fears. 'Why, you dread him more than you do the ghost!'

'Oh, yes, indeed I do!' cried Sue. 'A bad man is something tangible, and a ghost isn't, you see.'

'We're in no danger from this one,' I returned. But I believe, myself, that if ever that fellow found a chance to injure us, he would do it. And it was more the recollection of his evil face than any thought of the ghost which made me buy Sue the revolver.

The workmen had the house ready for us very soon, and we went into our new quarters quite merrily, despite the ghost. For a few days nothing disturbed us. Then one night, the lights appeared and the noises began. We saw flashes of light at several windows and heard groans and cries; but the most rapid and thorough search could not discover their source.

One evening, as Sue and I came home rather late, we distinctly saw a white figure in the path before us; but it vanished when we drew near. Sarah saw the same figure twice—once at the front door, once at the corner of the woodshed; all three of us saw it looking in the dining-room window, as we sat at supper one night; but, when we rushed out, we were only greeted by a hollow mocking 'Ha ha,' as if the ghost were deriding our futile efforts to catch him.

I expected to hear Sue ask to go back to the city; but when I ventured one day to say so to her, the plucky little woman declared that she was not going to be driven from a lovely home by his ghostship; but if he wanted to wander about for amusement, he had her permission to do so to his entire content.

One evening, when matters had been unusually quiet for several days, Sue and I were chatting, seated in our cosy sitting room, when she chanced to remember some orders which she had forgotten to give Sarah at supper time.

Sarah was finishing her ironing in the laundry, a small building a short distance from the dwelling. Sue threw a zephyr scarff over her head and ran across the yard without fear.

She had hardly been gone a moment when I was startled by the report of a pistol, then a groan and a heavy fall. I sprang up and rushed out, calling in alarm:

'Sue, Sue! Are you hurt? Where are you?'

'Here!' promptly responded her clear voice.

And I flew toward her, just as Sarah came running from the laundry with a light.

'What is it, Sue? What has happened?' I demanded quickly.

'Nothing: only I've shot the ghost,' exclaimed Sue, coolly. 'It came upon me, right in my face, as I was coming back from the laundry, and I fired before I thought.'

'You did just right!' cried I. 'Here, Sarah—bring your light.'

As Sarah came near I stooped over the white-robed figure lying at Sue's feet, pulled aside the disguising drapery, and revealed the wicked face of our enemy—Joe Hascomb!

We carried him to an upper room and laid him on the bed; the two women watched beside him, while I rode for a doctor. His wound did not prove serious, but he had a tedious fever, through which we nursed him faithfully.

He rose from that bed a changed man. He confessed himself the author of all the late disturbances; being determined that, if he lost the property, we at least should not enjoy it.

Having his own keys and a perfect knowledge of every nook and corner of his old home, a little ingenuity made the rest easy to him. When he got well, we offered him a thousand dollars with which to begin a new life. He thankfully acccpted it, and went away. We have never heard of him since, nor had any disturbance about our home; so we conclude the 'ghost' is 'laid' forever.

No Charge for Insects.

Anent the curious habit of that famous naturalist, Francis T. Buckland, who was usually accompanied on his travel by his pet monkey, the following story is told:

At a certain railway station the naturalist applied for a ticket for the animal. The man at the booking office went carefully over his schedule of charges for animals.

'Cows is cows,' quoth he; 'and so is donkeys. Cats is cats, and fowls is likewise. Sir, that'll have to go as a dawg,' pointing to the monkey.

'Well, what will this go as?' laughed the naturalist, pulling a live tortoise from his pocket.

As to this the schedule did not afford any information, and the clerk turned in scorn from its perusal.

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"The average woman" does not sound like a phrase of high compliment. Yet the average woman is doubtless the most needed woman in modern civilization. It is interesting and inspiring to see that she has made marked progress during the centuries. She is much more capable and more lovable than three hundred years ago. Her advance is somewhat due to the work of those few leaders who make new paths and encourage more timid souls to follow them. But, for the most part, it can be traced to the steady, slow improvement all along the line—an improvement traceable to the average woman herself.

She makes better bread and better soup than she used to make; she reads more books and better ones; she has a firmer hand and a more understanding heart with children; she gives more discriminatingly in charity; her household, small or large, is better ordered; her love has more purity and more fire; her religion is more Christlike in its wisdom and its compassion.

Perhaps every average woman in the world longs to do more than the average. Even that longing is her part in the general store of aspiration and works for good. But it is a kind of graspingness of which circumstances are pretty sure to cure her. The Persians have a proverb, "God takes good care the trees do not grow into the sky." Wordsworth translates that into English poetry, and tells us that even a woman is "a phantom of delight" must also be

A creature not too bright or good
For human nature's daily food.

—Youth's Companion.

Fortune Telling by the Finger Nails.

Spots on the nails and their meaning will doubtless interest many of our readers, as will also the meaning attached to the various shaped nails.

Spots near the top of a nail signify things past; in the center of a nail, things present; and at the base of the nail, events to come. White specks denote our felicity, blue ones our misfortune; while spots on the first finger nail denote riches, on the thumb nail, honor. The presence or absence of a spot on the third or wedding ring finger, is said to prove our future good or ill luck in love; a spot on the nail of the little finger denotes a long journey.

A spot on the thumb-nail also denotes a present; on the first finger, a friend will visit you shortly; on the second finger, beware of a foe; on the third finger, a letter will soon arrive.

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We always pride ourselves upon our virtues and attribute our vices to the influence of heredity.

Without love it is not home.

Striving for Beauty.

Let every woman strive for a beauty which all will recognize as being genuine through and through. That which is superficial will fade and pass away, leaving a flood of disappointments and unhappy memories, while the true beauty will prove a 'joy forever.' She who possesses this gift will be blessed. And yet it is not a gift, for beauty represents the ultimate result of sincere striving for the best in life, for the noblest in character, sweetness of grace and purity of soul. Every woman may possess these divine attributes if she will. The way is open and mankind will smile approval if she chooses to become the woman beautiful. The 'woman who thinks' will shape her life to this course and will call to her aid the supreme source of strength and wisdom.

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Brass on bedsteads should never be cleaned with the ordinary brass polishers, as they destroy the coat of lacquer that is put on to prevent the brass from tarnishing. The bright parts should be rubbed every day with a soft cloth, and if they begin to look discolored rub with a cloth slightly moistened with sweet oil, and afterwards polish with a soft cloth and chamois leather.

PUBLIC LOCAL LAWS.

Passed at the January Session 1906.

Relating to Justices of the Peace and Constables.

CHAPTER 82.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments Section 61 of Article 7 of the Code of Public Local Laws, title, Carroll County, "subtitle, Justice of the Peace and Constables."

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland that Section 61 of Article 7 of the Code of Public local laws, title "Carroll County," sub-title, "Justice of the Peace and constables," be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments so as to read as follows:

Section 61. That each and every Justice of the Peace of Carroll County shall file with the county Commissioners of said county on the First Monday of April, July, October and January in each and every year, an account verified by his oath or affirmation, of all fines forfeitures and penalties imposed by him under the laws of this State, which said account shall show the names of the parties, the fines and penalties imposed together with the amount of costs and to whom the said costs were due; and the said justices shall at the time of filing said account, pay over to the said County Commissioners the amount of all fines, penalties, forfeitures and State's witnesses' costs (for which certificates have been issued) so received by him. Any failure to file said account as above required shall be cause for removal by the Governor of the State of Maryland and the selection of another justice of the peace to act in his place, and the clerk to the County Commissioners shall immediately notify the Governor of the failure of any the said justices to file said account by the time prescribed in this act. If any of said Justices shall fail to pay over to said County Commissioners all of said fines, penalties, forfeitures and costs collected by him at the time of or before the filing of said account he shall be deemed a defaulter and shall be liable to be proceeded against and punished in the manner prescribed by the code of Public General Laws of this State relating to "Defaulters."

Section 2. And be it enacted that this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 4, 1906.

HON. EDWIN WARFIELD,
Governor.
HON. CARVILLE D. BENSON,
Speaker of the House of Delegates.
HON. JOSEPH B. SETH,
President of the Senate.

Office of the Chief Clerk of the House:
I Hereby Certify, That the aforegoing is a true copy of an Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at the January Session, 1906.

W. A. PERCY,
Chief Clerk of the House.

RATIFICATION NOTICE.

In the Orphans' Court of Carroll County:
April Term, 1906.

Estate of John Thomas Smith, deceased.

On application, it is ordered, this 17th day of April, 1906, that the sale of the real estate of John Thomas Smith, late of Carroll county, deceased, made by Charles H. Smith, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, and this day reported to this Court by the said executor be ratified and confirmed, unless cause be shown to the contrary on or before the 3rd Monday, 21st day of May next; provided a copy of this order be inserted for three successive weeks in some newspaper printed and published in Carroll county, before the 2nd Monday, 14th day of May, next. The report states the amount of sale to be $6,000.00.

A. KURTZ MYERS,
JOHN E. ECKENRODE,
GEORGE R. RUPP,
Judges.

True Copy,—Test:
Register of Wills.
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ELECTION NOTICE.

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TRAINS WEST.

STATIONS.	F M	W E	Ac.	Ac.	TPs	Ac.
	AM		A M	P M	P M	P M
Hillen Station	4 30	8 10	10 15	2 50	4 55	6 15
Union Station	4 35	8 15	10 20	2 55	5 00	6 20
Penna. Ave.	4 39	8 9	10 24	2 59	....	6 24
Fulton Station	4 42	8 22	10 28	3 02	5 05	6 27
Walbrook	4 45	8 27	10 31	3 10	5 08	6 30
Arlington	....	8 34	10 39	3 18	....	6 41
Mt. Hope	....	8 37	10 43	3 23	....	6 46
Howardville	....	8 40	10 46	3 26	....	6 48
Sudbrook Park	...	8 42	10 48	3 27	....	6 49
Pikesville	....	8 44	0 50	3 30	....	6 51
Greenwood	....	.....	.....	3 32	....	6 2
Owings Mills	....	8 53	11 01	3 40	....	6 59
Gwynbrook	....	8 58	11 06	3 45	....	7 03
Glyndon	†511	9 04	11 16	3 53	5 40	7 09
Glen Morris	...	9 06	11 18	3 56	....	7 11
Glen Falls	...	9 11	11 24	4 01	....	7 18
Finksburg	....	9 13	11 26	4 03	....	7 20
Patapsco	....	9 20	11 32	4 12	....	7 28
Carrollton	....	9 28	11 36	4 16	....	7 33
Tannery	...	9 34	11 40	4 22	....	7 39
Westminster	5 40	9 45	11 50	4 37	6 10	7 50
Avondale	....	9 50	11 56	4 45	....	7 56
Medford	....	9 53	11 59	4 49	....	7 59
New Windsor	5 52	0 00	12 06	5 00	6 24	8 06
Linwood	....	10 05	12 11	5 10	....	8 11
Union Bridge	6 00	10 10	12 15	5 1	6 31	8 15
Middleburg	....	0 15			6 37	
Bruceville	6 07	0 20			6 42	
Detour	....	24			6 46	
Rocky Ridge	....	10 32			6 58	
Emmittsburg	....	11 02			7 30	
Loy's	....	10 36			7 01	
Graceham	....	10 40			7 05	
Thurmont	6 5	10 45			7 10	
Deerfield	....	11 00			7 26	
Sabillasville	....	11 06			7 33	
Blue Ridge Summit	6 49	11 15			7 43	
Highfield	6 52	11 20			7 48	
Buena Vista Springs	....	11 2			7 50	
Pen-Mar	....	....			...	
Blue Mountain	.....	.....			...	
Edgemont	7 05	11 30			8 00	
Waynesboro, Pa., ar	7 30	11 50			8 23	
Chambersburg, ar	8 05	12 27			8 58	
Shippensburg, ar	....	12 55			9 25	
Smithburg	7 10	11 40			8 10	
Cavetown	7 11	11 42			8 12	
Chewsville	7 18	11 48			8 17	
Potomac ave.	7 28	11 57			8 25	
Hagerstown	7 33	12 02			8 30	
Williamsport	7 56	12 17			8 51	
Charlton	8 07	12 26			9 02	
Clear Spring	8 15	12 32			9 12	
Fort Frederick	8 25	12 40			9 22	
Big Pool	8 32	12 45			9 27	
Cherry Run, ar	8 35	12 48			9 30	
Park Head	8 51	1 02			9 45	
Mill Stone	8 57	1 10			9 51	
Hancock	9 05	1 20			1000	
	AM	P M	P M	PM	PM	PM

TRAINS EAST.

STATIONS.	Ac.	Ac	TPs	Ac.	WE	FM
	AM	AM	A M	P M	PM	PM
Hancock			5 35		1230	3 15
Mill Stone			5 43		1238	4 03
Park Head			5 50		1245	4 10
Cherry Run le.			6 03		12 9	4 23
Big Pool			6 08		1 04	4 28
Fort Frederick			6 13		1 09	4 33
Clear Spring			6 22		1 18	4 42
Charlton			6 29		1 25	4 50
Williamsport			6 40		1 37	5 02
Hagerstown			7 05		2 05	5 30
Potomac ave			7 08		2 10	5 35
Chewsville			7 18		2 18	5 43
Cavetown			7 24		2 25	5 49
Smithburg			7 26		2 27	5 51
Shippensburg, Pa			8 05		....	2 35
Chambersburg, Pa			7 30		1 35	3 22
Waynesboro, Pa			7 25		2 13	4 10
Edgemont			7 34		2 35	6 00
Blue Mountain					....	....
Pen-Mar			.....		....	....
Buena Vista Springs			7 47		2 48	....
Highfield			7 50		2 50	6 15
Blue Ridge Summit			7 55		2 55	6 17
Sabillasville			8 1		3 02	6 23
Deerfield			8 05		3 0	
Thurmont			8 18		3 18	6 39
Graceham			8 21		3 21	....
Loy's			8 24		3 2	....
Emmitsburg			7 50		2 55	6 10
Rocky Ridge			8 28		3 3	6 49
Detour			8 35		3 37	....
Bruceville			8 38		3 45	7 00
Middleburg			8 41		3 48	....
Union Bridge	5 10	6 30	8 50	12 50	3 55	7 10
Linwood	5 14	6 35	8 53	12 54	4 00	....
New Windsor	5 2	6 40	8 58	12 59	4 06	7 7
Medford	5 39	7 00	9 05	1 06	4 14	....
Avondale	5 44	7 05	9 07	1 08	4 17	....
Westminster	5 52	7 5	9 15	1 15	4 25	7 31
Tannery	6 10	7 29	9 24	1 25	4 34	....
Carrollton	6 15	7 33	9 28	1 30	4 38	....
Patapsco	6 21	7 37	9 32	1 34	4 42	....
Finksburg	6 30	7 45	9 37	1 41	4 48	....
Glen Falls	6 32	7 47	9 38	1 43	4 50	....
Glen Morris	6 38	5 40	9 44	1 48	4 56	....
Glyndon	6 43	7 55	9 46	1 52	5 00	8 01
Owings' Mills	6 55	....	9 55	2 03	5 10	-811
Greenwood	....	....	....	....	....	....
Pikesville	7 05	8 11	10 02	2 13	5 18	-818
Sudbrook	7 08	8 14	0 05	2 6	5 20	821
Howardville	7 10	..	10 6	2 8	5 3	822
Mt. Hope	7 13	...	10 08	2 20	5 26	824
Arlington	7 17	...	10 11	2 23	5 30	-827
Walbrook	7 25	8 27	10 19	2 30	5 40	8 33
Fulton Station	7 30	8 37	10 28	2 33	5 45	8 36
Penna. Avenue	7 32	8 40	.....	2 36	5 47	8 38
Union Station	7 37	8 45	0 30	2 40	5 52	8 43
Hillen Station	7 45	8 50	10 35	2 45	6 00	8 50
	AM	AM	A M	P M	PM	PM

† To take on passengers for points where it stops west of Union Bridge.

‖ Stops only to land passengers from points west of Union Bridge.

- Sundays only to take on passengers for Baltimore.

The Owl. Week Days and Sunday.

Leave Hillen 11.25, p. m., Union 11.30, Pa. ave. 11.34, Fulton 11.37, Walbrook 11.40, Arlington 11.48, Mt. Hope 11.52, Howardville 11 54, Sudbrook Park 11.55, Pikesville 11 58, Greenwood 11.59, Owings Mills, 12.08, Glyndon 12.18, Emory Grove ——Glen Falls 12 26, Finksburg 12.28, Carrollton 12 39, Westminster 12.55, Avondale 1.00, New Windsor 1 10, *Linwood 1.15, ar. Union Bridge 1.20. Leave Union Bridge 4 30 a. m., Linwood 4.34, New Windsor 4.39, Avondale 4.48, Westminster 4 55, Carrollton 5.11, Finksburg 5.28, Glen Falls 5.31, Emory Grove——, Glyndon 5.42, Owings Mills 5.53, Pikesville 6.03, Sudbrook Park 6.06, Howardville 6.08, Mt. Hope 6.12, Arlington 6.15, Walbrook 6.24, Fulton 6.28, Pa. ave., 6.30, Union 6. 35, ar. Hillen, 6.40.

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Sunday Trains.

On Sunday trains will leave Hillen Station at 9.30 a. m. and 10.30 p. m, Westminster 11.15 a m. and 11.59 p. m., arriving at Union Bridge at 11. 5 a. m. and 12.25 a. m. Leave Union Bridge at 6.30 and 8.30 a. m., and 4.10 p. m., Westminster 7.15 and 8.55 a. m, 4.37 and 7.31 p. m., arriving at Hillen Station at 8.50 and 10.25 a. m and 6.15 and 8.50 p. m. The Union Bridge accomodation train which leaves Baltimore at 2.50 P. M., is a daily.

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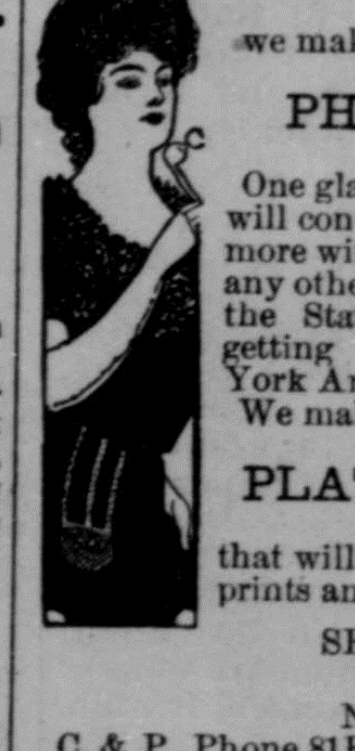

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