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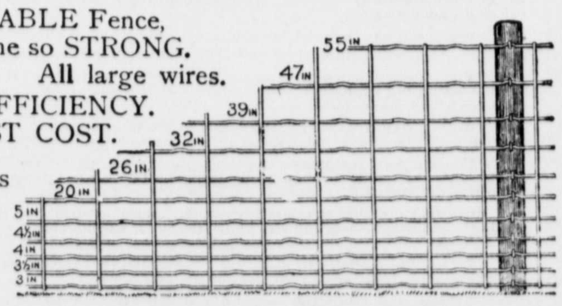

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Mother—Of course, Bobby.

Bobby—Why, mother, I heard you tell father last night that I knew entirely too much.—Detroit Free Press.

Figures It Out.

Jolk—When may a knothole be said to be not whole?

Polk—What are you talking about?

Jolk—The answer is: When only a part of the knot is not.—Philadelphia Press.

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This, in spite of all that is written in story books and silly romances or shown on the stage, is the recognized and seemly Irish way of courting.—Donahoe's Magazine.

APHORISMS.

In all things it is better to hope than despair.—Goethe.

Adversity borrows its sharpest sting from our impatience.—Bishop Horne.

He alone is an acute observer who can observe minutely without being observed.—Lavater.

If the ancients left us ideas, to our credit be it spoken, we moderns are building houses for them.—A. B. Alcott.

Money dishonestly acquired is never worth its cost, while a good conscience never costs as much as it is worth.—J. P. Senn.

The one who will be found in trial capable of great acts of love is ever the one who is always doing considerate small ones.—F. W. Robertson.

To be humble to superiors is duty; to equals is courtesy, to inferiors is nobleness, and to all safety, it being a virtue that, for all its lowliness, commandeth those it stoops to.—Sir T. More.

The Value of a Vacation.

A vacation pays as much from the standpoint of character as from any other point of view. Just as "every man is a rascal when he is sick," so the best intentioned man in the world may be a brute when he is worn out physically and working and planning or trying to do so with a fagged, weary brain. The brutal qualities in a man's nature come to the surface when he has drained his vitality to the dregs. He loses his self control and his passions get the better of him. He does things which in his soul he condemns and says things for which he afterward hates himself, and all because he lacks physical stamina. The long strain of the year has made him so irritable and exacting that the merest trifle upsets him. He goes all to pieces over little things which he would not even notice if he were in good bodily condition.—Success.

American Grit.

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An Old Jewish Cemetery.

The most interesting sight in Prague is the old Jewish cemetery. It is in the center of the city, surrounded by thick walls. There are thousands of ancient moss covered slabs, some bearing inscriptions of great antiquity which only Hebrew scholars can decipher. The cemetery is unused, but no other Jewish burial ground in Europe can compare with it for age or general interest to the antiquarian.

An Unfair Deal.

"Tried to skin me, that scribbler did!"

"What did he want?"

"Wanted to get out a book jointly, he to write the book and I to write the advertisements. I turned him down. I wasn't going to do all the literary work!"—Baltimore News.

Cure For a Homely Hat.

Floorwalker—I'm very sorry, madam, but I can't exchange this hat for you.

Mrs. Smithson—But my husband does not like it!

Floorwalker—Then I'd advise you to get a divorce.—Syracuse Herald.

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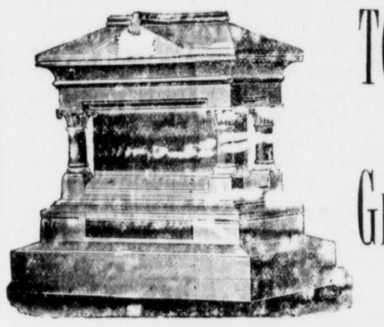

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