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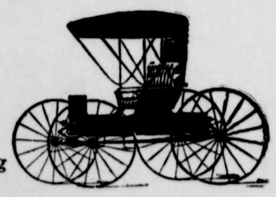
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NEW YEAR'S HAIR SPLITTING.

Difference Between Resolutions and Good Intentions.

"DID you make any New Year's resolutions, Johnny?" asked the cashier as the bill clerk returned from his locker.

"What do you take me for?" asked the bill clerk. "It may be necessary for you, but I don't quite see what I've got to make resolutions against."

"I beg your pardon," said the cashier. "As usual, I spoke in haste and unthinkingly. New Year's resolutions are for imperfect and weak willed persons like me. Not for you."

"I've made em, all the same."

"Then originally you had faults?"

"One or two little blemishes, perhaps," admitted the bill clerk. "One time I swore off smoking cigarettes."

"Some people might regard that as a blemish," said the cashier.

"I guess I kept to it for about three weeks," said the bill clerk, "and that was doing pretty darned well, too. Most of them don't last that long. It always makes me a little weary to hear a fellow say: 'No, I ain't taking any, thank you. I've sworn off, and I'm not going to begin again.' In a day or two you'll see him lining up in the same old way at the same old place, and that's all there is to it."

"It is only too often the case, I fear," sighed the cashier.

"Billy Manchip has sworn off from cussing," said the bill clerk, with an amused smile. "I came in through the alley, and he had three fellows loading for him, and they were handling the cases as if they were going to sleep when Billy came out. I expected to hear something rich and fancy, but except that he kind of stuttered when he came to the places where the ornamental words would have fitted you'd have thought he was talking to a Sunday school class. I said to him, 'What's the matter, Billy?'

"'It's just a fool habit, swearing,' says Billy. 'I've sworn off.'

"I'll give him just about one week," continued the bill clerk. "Say, the walking in hades ought to be good by this time. I don't think I ought to do anything to make it better, do you?"

"There's a difference between intentions and resolutions," said the cashier. "A good intention is all right, but it needs a resolution on top of it to make it stick. You may intend to quit going into debt for things you could do without, and you may intend to get around to the office on time and put a little more ginger into your work when you do get there. You may intend to be a little more deferential in your manner toward your elders and superiors in the office and to take good advice when your elders and superiors give it to you, but nothing's likely to come of intending. When you resolve—when you say to yourself, 'I am going to do this,' or, 'From this time on I'm not going to do that,' then there's some hope for you."

"You think it's all right, then?" queried the bill clerk.

"It's a good thing to make a resolution to do better any time," said the cashier. "It's bad to break it, but it's better to make it and break it than not to make it at all. If Billy can keep a clean mouth for a week it will be better than nothing, and he may last longer. If you stopped filling your lungs with cigarette smoke for three weeks you're that three weeks to the good."

"Thank you for this little lesson," said the bill clerk gratefully. "How about taking up your employer's time shooting off that everlasting slack jaw of yours?"—Chicago News.

New Year's Morning.

Only a night from old to new!
Only a night and so much wrought!
The old year's heart all weary grew,
But said, "The new year rest has brought."
The old year's heart its hopes laid down
As in a grave, but, trusting, said,
"The blossoms of the New Year's crown
Bloom from the ashes of the dead."
The old year's heart was full of greed.
With selfishness it longed and ached
And cried: "I have not half a need!
My thirst is bitter and unslaked.
But to the New Year's generous hand
All gifts in plenty shall return.
True loving it shall understand.
But all my failures it shall learn.
I have been reckless. It shall be
Quiet and calm and pure of life.
I was a slave. It shall go free
And find sweet peace where I leave strife."
Only a night from old to new!
Never a night such changes brought.
The old year had its work to do.
No new year miracles are wrought.

Always a night from old to new—
Night and the healing balm of sleep.
Each morn is New Year's morn come true—
Morn of a festival to keep.
All nights are sacred nights to make
Confession and resolve and prayer.
All days are sacred days to wake
New gladness in the sunny air.
Only a night from old to new;
Only a sleep from night to morn!
The new is but the old come true.
Each sunrise sees a new year born.
—Helen Hunt Jackson.

Fate of a Resolution.

A month ago I made a pact
With conscience to forswear an act,
To take effect on New Year's day.
The day is here. I now resolve
To let the business all devolve
On conscience. 'Tis the easiest way.

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RESOLUTIONS FOR THE MEN.

WHAT would I suggest? Oh, lots of things! To begin with, I'd have husbands make a cast iron resolution to spend more of their time at home. When a man marries a woman he leads her to suppose he does it because he yearns for unlimited quantities of her society, and it must strike any fair minded person a good deal like getting goods under false pretenses if as soon as the honeymoon wanes he chases off to the club or downtown the minute he gets his dinner, leaving her to solitude and the unexciting delights of her own company. It is a situation that perhaps a man never appreciates, because he has never been there himself. It couldn't happen to him, because the moment he detected a symptom of lonesomeness he would put on his hat and go off to the theater or the corner saloon or some place where there were light and brightness and gayety. A woman has no such resources. She can't go around at night by herself hunting up company, but must sit at home, no matter how lonesome and bored she may be. Men are forever wondering why women want to congregate together in boarding houses. One answer to the conundrum is that they want somebody to talk to while their husbands are downtown at night. I have yet to see the woman whose husband was a home keeping and home loving man who wasn't satisfied to stay there too. There's one thing dead certain, and that is if men were so anxious to stay at home evenings as they were to call on a girl before marriage and if they took as much trouble and pains to try to entertain their wives as they do their sweethearts the domestic millennium would be within hailing distance.



"YOU DON'T KNOW WHAT YOU ARE TALKING ABOUT."

Then, it seems to me, a man might resolve not to unload all his troubles on the family hearth. Of course I know every day a man has to go through with enough to try the patience of a saint, but because cotton has gone down instead of up or things haven't run smoothly at the office is no real reason for slapping Sammy and kicking the cat as soon as he gets within his own door. A man might occasionally remember that a woman has troubles of her own and needs to be cheered and brightened. We are continually told that a woman should always meet her husband with a smile, but no woman can smile long enough or brightly enough to raise the temperature in a house where a man is sitting around with a scowl on his face. It takes reciprocity, and it's just as much a man's business to smile and help to make home happy as it is a woman's. There's always room for plenty of good resolutions New Year's day and other days. He might resolve, if he really meant to turn over a new leaf and try to do his part toward making home happy, to make his wife an allowance and pay it promptly as a debt of honor; to remember that servants are mortal and that you can't hire a three dollar a week girl to cook like a $1,000 chef; to bear in mind that a woman never gets too old to like a compliment or to be interested in hearing that her husband loves her and appreciates her, and, above all, to save some of his good manners and good humor for home consumption.—Dorothy Dix.



GOOD HUMOR FOR HOME CONSUMPTION.

Celestial New Year.

According to the Chinese calendar, the new year begins on the 25th of January. The day is celebrated with great rejoicings. Processions and festivals of the carnival sort are held in the principal cities. The Chinese are extremely fond of fireworks and are adepts in the manufacture of them. Many kinds are used in their New Year's celebrations. The noisy kinds are particularly popular, so that the processions move along in a hullabaloo of popping noises. The processions differ in the different localities At Canton, for instance, one curious feature is the bearing aloft of little girls on long poles. The girls are garbed to represent idols. Borne high above the crowd, each girl is sheltered by a big umbrella carried on a still longer pole. They look like pretty flowers rising above a meadow. One of these quaint processions is always a most interesting sight to the foreigner.

Do You Know This Man?

Jim Tanks would swear off, so I hear,
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