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will come, and unless you have your horse shod you will not be prepared for it. You can have him shod at our place and get comfort and safety for him. We make this line of work a specialty, and you run no risk in bringing your horses to us; our experience has taught us to take care of the foot and you save the horse from many evils caused from improper shoeing. No foot, no horse is as true today as when first uttered. Try us when you want your horse shod.

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Be Happy.

"All people that on earth do dwell,
Sing to the Lord with cheerful voice;
Him serve with mirth; His praise forth tell,
Come ye before Him and rejoice."

These are apt thoughts for any season. Be happy; it is not only your privilege, but your duty. God has wrought to that end, and bids you to work also. Make not only the most, but the best of life. Be "true to the kindred points of heaven and home." Let there be gladness under the family roof tree. Let old and young rejoice together. Nor will the joy be less sweet and deep because it is sanctioned and sanctified by the Heavenly Father.

And let it be well remembered that no byway of selfishness leads to selfishness. Over the road of love and self-sacrifice and devout endeavor for the good and happiness of others, and only that way, lies the deep, safe haven of an untroubled peace. A man, saith Scripture, must give an account for every idle word; that is, for words that spring from an irreverence and religious sloth. How much more shall God call him to a reckoning for every unkind word, for every word shadowed and sharpened by a spirit of bitterness, selfishness and gloom!—F. C. McCook.

His Apprehension.

"Tunked if that 'ere hired man o' mine ain't the most worthless, shuckless, triflin' critter on top o' sod!" growled honest Farmer Bentover savagely. "Why, ram him, he read last week that the length of the day on earth is increasin' owin' to the constantly augmented size of the world b'cuz of the deposits of meteors and such like on it, and ever since, even though the article plainly stated that the change is so slight that it takes about ten million years to add half a second to the length of a day, vummed if he ain't been complainin' dismally about the prospect of his havin' to work longer for the same pay!"—Puck.

Trust God.

Providence hath a thousand keys to open a thousand doors for the deliverance of His own, when it has come to the greatest extremity. Let us be faithful and care for our own part, which is to do and suffer for Him; and lay Christ's part on Himself and leave it there; duties are ours, events are the Lord's. When our faith goeth to meddle with events and to hold a court—if I may so speak—upon God's providence, and beginneth to say: "How wilt Thou do this or that?" we lose ground—we have nothing to do there; it is our part to let the Almighty exercise His own office and steer His own helm.—Samuel Rutherford.

How She Felt.

Mrs. Black—Sam Johnson done left his wife 'bout six months ago.

Mr. Black—Do she t'ink he am nebbah comin' back?

"Waal, she jest beginnin' to hab hopes."—Smart Set.

HAD A LAUGH COMING.

Why Citizen Paid Gas Bill Without a Kick.

You must excuse my ignorance," he softly began at the window of the gas office, "but I want to settle a doubt in my own mind. Is your gas the same as laughing gas?".

"I never heard any one laugh over it very much replied the clerk. "In fact it is generally the other way."

"But I—I—ha, ha, ha!"

"You are laughing over it, it seems?',

Yes; can't help it, you know. My June bill was $2.25. We go away for July and shut the house up, and yet my July bill is much larger than the June.',

"Perhaps that's where the laugh comes in?"

"I know it does—ha, ha, ha!"

"Yes, we are always hearing of those things, and it is unnecessary to say that they made us tired. The bill seems to be $4.80

"Yes."

"And you—you—?"

"I'm going to laugh. It's a good joke—capital—ha, ha, ha?

"And you'll have to pay and not kick?" queried the astonished clerk.

That's it. I'll even—ha, ha, ha!"

The clerk handed him back the change from a five-dollar bill and looked at him in such a way that the customer felt called upon to explain:

"Yes, house all shut up for July, but we left six burners blazing, and I thought you had me for a cool hundred dollars. Only $4.80—ha, ha, ha!"

Fads and Fanciers.

Vest and sleeve frills of lace are soft and becoming.

High girdles are shown in street and house castumes.

The old fashioned ruche is pretty at the neck and throat.

Be sure to have one white hat among your winter millinery.

Black zibeline, with fibre braid, makes a stylish blouse.

A touch of gild in the decoration of an all-black gown is effective.

Fancy buttons of bone or horn in color to match the coat are worn.

Cuffs and collars in bands of bright embroidery make a plain shirt waist look smart.

The close-fitting turban, the toque and the round hat shape are accepted models for general wear.

Hats must match the costume with which they are worn, unless the contrast is becoming and fashionable.

An exceptionally smart example of military modes is a costume of army blue serge trimmed with black braid and brass buttons.

A Famous Timekeeper.

The world's best timekeeper is said to be the electric clock in the basement of the Berlin observatory, which was installed by Professor Foerster in 1865. It is enclosed in an airtight glass cylinder and has frequently run for periods of two or three months with an average daily deviation of only fifteen-one-thousandths of a second. Yet astronomers are not satisfied even with this, and efforts are continually made to secure ideal conditions for a clock by keeping it not only in an airtight case, but in an underground vault where neither changes of temperature nor of barometric pressure shall ever affect it.

Style.

A fashionable magazine offered $25 for the best definition of "style." The prize was won by Frank D. Blake of Clay Center, Kan., who was reared in an atmosphere of jack rabbits and buffalo, far from the world of dress. His definition fetched him $1.25 a word. It was this:

"That visible expression of some conception of beauty by which a standard of excellence is established or changed is 'style.'"—New York Tribune.

Ears.

After studying and photographing more tnan 40,000 pairs of ears of persons, including those of 2,000 insane and 800 criminals and those of 300 animals, an English criminologist is forced to conclude that the ear gives no clew to personal traits. This is a hard blow to so called scientists who think they can pick out the enemies of society by the angles at which the latter wear their ears.

Spanish Enterprise.

The shoemakers at Madrid recently combined to encourage dancing, with the object of wearing out as much shoe leather as possible. They hired several dancing halls and charge 10 cents admission. Each admission ticket bears a coupon, twenty of which entitle the owner to a new pair of shoes free of charge at the union store.

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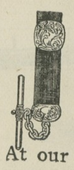
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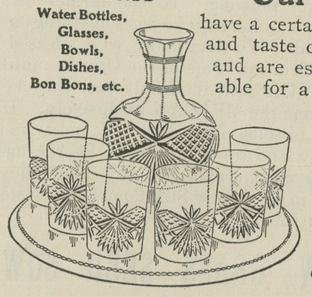
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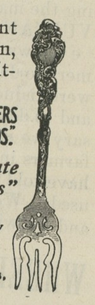
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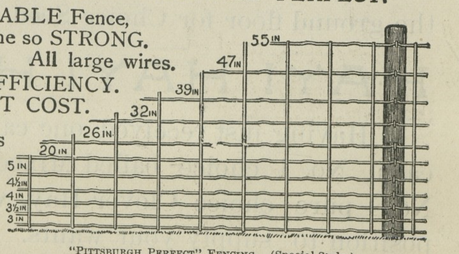
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