

When Gladstone Spoke. Gladstone was one in whom nervousness had become mannerism.

Fingers Before Forks. There are some rare occasions in these days of refined table manners when fingers are really permissible instead of forks.

Irregular Pulses. A pulsus paradoxus is a pulse that stops for a moment when you are taking a deep breath.

A doctor who has been studying the pulse of various people has something interesting to say on the subject.

Two Views of the Same Question. A noted bishop in order to point a lesson in humility sometimes tells a story of a young clergyman whose first appointment was to be an out of the way and poor parish.

Where Books Were Pawns. In primitive books had a recognized and settled value. We know how they were exchanged for a horse or half a dozen sheep.

Why She Left Them at Home. "Have you any references?" asked the lady of the house. "Yes, ma'am. A lot of 'em."

Surprised. Lady—I am surprised, little boy, to see you smoking that cigar.

An Expensive Luxury. "Yes," said the literary man with a sigh; "style is a fine thing for a writer to have, but when his wife's got it too it takes all the profit away."

Runaway Match. "People wonder how I got my wife. It was a runaway match. I ran away, and she ran after me."

Contentment gives a crown where fortune hath denied it.—Ford. He Won't Limp Now. No more limping for Tom Moore of Cochran, Ga.

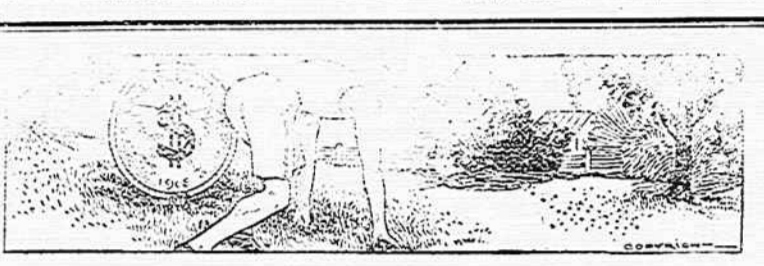
Affinities. "That gossiping 'liddy has such a mean, speaking little dog for a pet."

Temperature of Volcanoes. Scientists have secured an accurate measurement of the temperature of boiling lava in a crater.

Careless About Appendicitis in the Town of Manning. Many Manning people have stomach or bowel trouble which is likely to turn into appendicitis.

Electric Bitters. THE BEST FOR BILIOUSNESS AND KIDNEYS.

Stiff Neck Relieved. For any stiffness or lameness Sloan's Liniment gives relief at once. It acts like massage—quicken the blood and limbers up lame muscles and joints.



Starting With A Little Money. It is by no means unusual with accounts at this bank. So don't let your lack of a larger sum prevent you from becoming a depositor.

The Bank of Manning Invites Accounts. from business people of small as well as large affairs. It treats all depositors with equal courtesy.

PURE DRUGS are essential to hastening the return of health of those who are ill. We keep our stock of Drugs fresh, so that your doctor's prescription may be filled properly.

Coloring a Meerschmum. "The secret of coloring a meerschmum pipe," said a man who makes them, "is in not allowing the bowl to get too hot."

Our Denatured Food. Were a gastronomic nation we should insist on having French or German bread, with crisp, tasty crust, reducing the soapy lumps made of bleached, bolted flour robbed of nutritive phosphates and sources of flavor.

Tea Drinking in Siam. Tea is to be found in every part and dwelling in Siam. There is always a kettle on the fire filled with tea and prepared for drinking.

Nothing Wrong. Billy—"Huh! I bet you didn't have a good time at your birthday party yesterday. Willie—I bet I did. Billy—Then why ain't you sick today?"

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Wasting Coffee. A pleasing odor ascended to the guest room, and one of the visitors sniffed it faintly. "The coffee smells good," she said, hastening her preparations for breakfast.

They Were "Ulys" and "Mrs. G." Mrs. Grant had no secretary to attend to her correspondence, the great bulk of which was referred to the office for action.

An Interesting Illusion. A curious and interesting effect may be produced in the following simple manner: Take a sheet of paper or thin cardboard about five inches square and roll it into a tube.

Metal in the Human Body. The human body contains, among other constituents, about two pounds of phosphorus, which is essential to the health of the bones and the vigor of the brain.

What She Asked For. "Uncle Jack, who was visiting them from the west, wished to talk to Elizabeth's father at his office.

Plenty of Ends. "Mamma," queried small Edgar, "how many ends are there to a stick of candy?"

It Was Born So. Stranger in Town—So that is the haunted house? "What gave it such a significance? Resident—Well, there's something uncanny about it from the beginning.

A Continuous Performance. "Our baby gives us considerable trouble. Yells unless he has his own way."

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There is no friendship between those associated in power. He who rules will always be impatient of an associate.—Lucan.

First La Grippe, Then Bronchitis. That was the case with Mrs. W. S. Bailey, McCreary, Ky.

POTASH PAYS. There will always be a market for Rice. The people of the world live principally on rice, and their demand makes raising too much impossible.

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, County of Clarendon. An Ordinance To Regulate the Riding of Bicycles in the Town of Manning.

WHEREAS, Fred Lesesne made suit to me to grant him Letters of Administration of the estate and effects of Charles J. Lesesne.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, County of Clarendon. NOTICE.

The firm of Williams & Iseman, doing business under the name of "The Present," has been dissolved, and we hereby give notice that Jacob Iseman will no longer be connected with the business.

HOME Bank and Trust Co. A man who was afraid of banks hid his money in the attic and the mice chewed up \$2,500 of it. After this he probably will bury it and forget the place. Be wise, deposit with the HOME Bank and Trust Co.

Does Your Baby Suffer From Skin Disease? He would be a heartless father indeed, who did not allay his suffering as did Mr. E. M. Bogan of Enterprise, Miss. He says: "My baby was troubled with breaking out, something like seven-year itch. We used all ordinary remedies, but nothing seemed to do any good until I tried HUNT'S CURE, and in a few days all symptoms disappeared and now baby is enjoying the best of health."

District Court of the United States, DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA [Petition to Conform Composition] In the matter of Evander G. Stokes—Bankrupt.

Very Serious. It is a very serious matter to ask for one medicine and have the wrong one given you. For this reason we urge you in buying to be careful to get the genuine—THE FORD'S BLACK-DRAUGHT Liver Medicine. The reputation of this old, reliable medicine, for constipation, indigestion and liver trouble, is firmly established. It does not irritate other medicines. It is better than others, or it would not be the favorite liver powder, with a larger sale than all others combined.