

ONCE MORE.

ONCE more the melancholy days,
The saddest of the year;
The college boys begin to haze;
The overcoats appear.

The play's the thing, the ladies fret
Unless they go, and, oh,
What appetites the darlings get
While sitting through the show!

The evening clothes we wore last year,
Alas, likewise black,
Whenever we stoop in them we hear
A seam or something crack.

The sealskin lovey used to wear
Is sadly out of style;
They're putting it in good repair;
But, oh, 'twill cost a pile!

The awnings sadly flap; the leaves
And lawns are getting brown,
And from the cornices and eaves
The vines droop sadly down.

The lark has ceased to warble where
The meadow flowers blow;
Now searching chills are in the air
And hard coal prices too.

—Chicago Record-Herald.

Hadn't Used Any Hysteria.

A certain lady of title recovered from a rather severe illness. An adept with the brush and a regular exhibitor of water colors in connection with the local art gallery, it was supposed she had overworked herself.

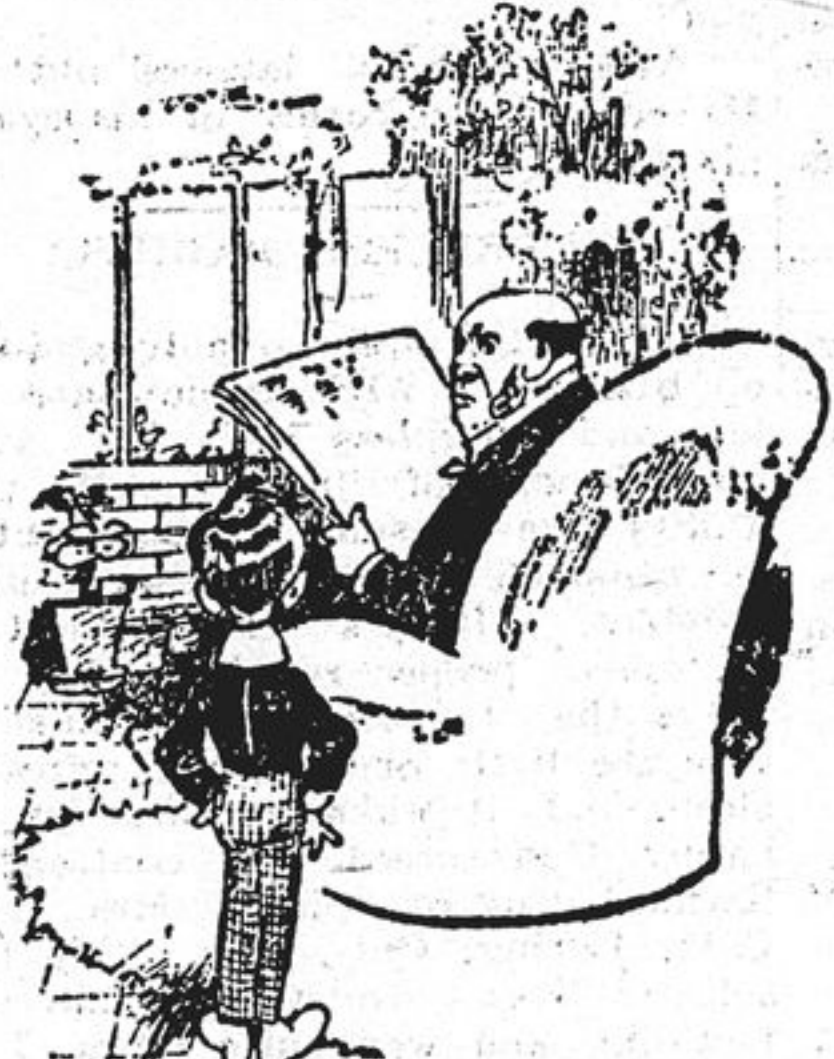
When the doctor was called in, an old nurse who had been in the family many years bored the medical man with her opinions as to the cause of the attack.

"It's them long hours an' hard work of the paintin' what's done it," she remarked directly she saw him. "The doctor was preoccupied and scarcely heard the remark."

"Has her ladyship exhibited any traces of hysteria?" he suddenly demanded, turning to the talkative nurse.

"Oh, no, sir!" was the unexpected reply. "They was water colors, all on 'em; real beauties too!"—Evening Wisconsin.

Professional Impulses.



Later—if I'd spoken like that to my father, sir, he'd have knocked me down!
Filius—That's the worst of being the son of an auctioneer.

"Admitted Free."

"Have you any articles of value with you?" asked the customs inspector.
"Nothing," answered the returning traveler, "except a wealthy grass widow whom I expect to marry as soon as I land."

"Well," mused the inspector, rubbing his chin thoughtfully, "I guess you can take her through. Seems to me she will come under the classification of baled hay, and that is free."—Baltimore American.

The Debtor's Paradise.

"Come to collect that little bill, have you?"

"Yes; that's my errand. I"—
"Well, don't get nervous. There is no cause for you to become excited. I ain't going to pay the bill."

"You don't know what a load you have taken off my mind. It's such pleasure to call on you, and I didn't know but that I was going to be deprived of the pleasure."—Boston Transcript.

An Entertainment Spoiled.

The hall was crowded when the sleight of hand artist advanced to do his tricks.

"I have here, ladies and gentlemen," he began, "a large lump of anthracite coal!"

It was enough. Before he could make it disappear the frenzied populace was upon him.—Baltimore News.

Hirsute Calculation.

Little Wynnie (just returned from Sunday school)—Is it true that even the hairs of our heads are numbered?
Mr. Frontseat—The Bible says so, my child.

Little Wynnie (after a pause)—It won't be very hard to keep track of gouts, will it, papa?—Judge.

Lovely Party.

Nodd—I'm going to give a children's party. Will you come?

Todd—On one condition.

"And that?"
"That I can play with the children and don't have to talk with the grown-ups."—Life.

Literary Note.

While—Pa, a magazine is just a place filled with powder and guns and things. Isn't it?

Pa—No, my son; it's usually filled with advertisements of powder and guns and things.—Philadelphia Press.

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