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WHAT HE COULD

"I can do something for Jesus,"
A tiny fellow said,
As his mother tucked him tightly
In his cosy little bed.

"You know, when on Sundays, mother,
We go to the Bible School,
The teacher wishes to have us,
Keep no quiet—as a rule."

That she says, "Now listen, children,
A pin I shall let fall,
If you would hear the sound it makes,
You must make no noise at all."

"Then in tones so low and tender,
When all is hushed and still,
Of Jesus' love she tells us,
And asks us to do his will.

So it would be work for Jesus,
He would not think it small,
If I brought the pin to teacher,
So that we might hear it fall."

—By Mrs. N. Ohman.

AS CHINA SEES THE WHITES

"We are always told that the countries of the foreign devils are grand and rich," a Chinese observed, after seeing much of the whites at Shanghai, "but that cannot be true else what do they come here for?"

"They jump around and kick balls as if they were paid for to do it. Again you find them making long tramps into the country; but that is probably a religious duty, for when they wave sticks in the air nobody knows why. They have nothing for they may be found walking with women. Yet the women are to be pitied, too. On festive occasions they are dragged around a room to the most hellish music."

Another interesting paragraph is from the pen of a chinese who had just returned from a tour of Europe and North America. He wrote to a relative as follows:

"You cannot civilize these foreign devils. They are beyond redemption. They will live for weeks and months without touching a mouthful of rice, but they eat the flesh of bullocks and sheep in enormous quantities. That is why they smell so badly. They smell like sheep themselves. Every day they take a bath to rid themselves of their disagreeable odors, but they do not succeed. Nor do they eat their meat cooked in small pieces. It is carried into the room in large chunks, often half raw, and they cut and slash and tear it apart. They eat with knives and prongs. It makes a civilized being perfectly nervous. One fancies himself in the presence of sword swallowers. They even sit down at the same table with women, and the latter are served first, reversing the order of nature."

ADVERTISING VS. PRAYING

Here is one deserving of notice:

The small daughter of a Little Rock family had been praying each evening at bed-time for a baby sister. The other morning her mother, reading the paper, exclaimed:

"I see Mr. Smith has a little daughter."

"How do you know that?" asked the child.

"I read it in the paper.

"Read it to me."

The mother read: "Born—On March—, to Mr. and Mrs ——Smith, a daughter."

The child thought a moment, then said: "I know what I am going to do. I am going to quit praying and begin advertising."—Little Rock Gazette.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

There are two sides to every story. The victory you win spells defeat for the other chap.

Had one of our suffragettes been in Mother Eve's place, what a fool she would have made of that snake!

Many a man has lost a good job got away from him because he harbored the delusion that no other man was smart enough to fill his place.

The average wife thinks she is her husband's guiding star—but most husband's refuse to be guided.

Two and a Half Hours on Operating Table

Specialist Could Not Remove Stone In The Bladder

GIN PILLS PASSED IT

Quebec, P.Q.

"During August last, I went to Montreal to consult a specialist as I had been suffering terribly with Stone in the Bladder.

He decided to operate but said the stone was too large to remove and too hard to crush. I returned home and was recommended by a friend to try GIN PILLS.

They relieved the pain. I took two boxes and went back to the specialist. He said the stone was smaller but he could not remove it although he tried for two hours and a half. I returned home and continued to take GIN PILLS, and to my great surprise and joy, I passed the stone.

GIN PILLS are the best medicine in the world and because they did me so much good, I will recommend them all the rest of my life". 170

J. ALBERT LEMARD.

50c a box—6 for $2.50—at all dealers, and money back if they fail to give relief. Sample free. National Drug & Chem. Co. of Canada, Limited, Toronto.

Is Makes New Friends Every day.—Not a day goes by that Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil does not widen the circle of its friends. Orders for it come from the most unlikely places in the west and far north, for its fame has travelled far. It deserves this attention, for no oil has done so much for humanity. Its moderate cost makes it easy to get it.

Occasionally the breaking of an engagement enables both parties to live happily ever after.

Faith may be all right in its place, but it doesn't enable a man to deliver the goods on schedule time.

A woman never feels absolutely sure that her husband has loose habits until he comes home tight.

No matter how deep-rooted the corn or wart may be, it must yield to Holloway's Corn Cure if used as directed.

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IN STERLING LIVES A GIRL

Who Suffered As Many Girls Do—Tells How She Found Relief.

Sterling, Conn.—"I am a girl of 22 years and I used to faint away every month and was very weak. I was also bothered a lot with female weakness. I read your little book 'Wisdom for Women,' and I saw how others had been helped by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and decided to try it, and it has made me feel like a new girl and I am now relieved of all these troubles. I hope all young girls will get relief as I have. I never felt better in my life."—Miss BERTHA A. PELOQUIN, Box 116, Sterling, Conn.

Massena, N. Y.—"I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I highly recommend it. If anyone wants to write to me I will gladly tell her about my case. I was certainly in a bad condition as my blood was all turning to water. I had pimples on my face and a bad color, and for five years I had been troubled with suppression. The doctors called it 'Anemia and Exhaustion,' and said I was all run down, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound brought me out all right."—Miss LAVIRA MYERS, Box 74, Massena, N.Y.

Young Girls, Heed This Advice.

Girls who are troubled with painful or irregular periods, backache, headache, dragging-down sensations, fainting spells or indigestion, should immediately seek restoration to health by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

HIS CONSCIENCE

Old Zeb Hawkins sat on a log near the bridge one Sunday morning, casting anxious glances at an uncertain sky now and then. His willow fishpole and a can of bait lay at his feet. Before he had quite decided on the weather the minister came by, having taken a short cut owing to the fear of a sudden shower. "Well, Brudder Zeb, is you gwine to cho'ch or is you gwine fishin'?" he asked. "Ah dunno yet," said Zeb; "Ah'm jest a-wrastlin' wif mah conscience."

Sore Feet.
CHAPPED PLACES
CHILBLAINS

Are your feet hot, sore and blistered? If so, try Zam-Buk. As soon as Zam-Buk is applied it cools and soothes injured, smarting skin and tissue.

Its rich, refined herbal essences penetrate the skin; its antiseptic properties prevent all danger of festering or inflammation from cuts or sores; and its healing essences build up new healthy tissue.

For stings, scalds, cuts, burns, bruises, etc. just as effective.

Mothers find it invaluable for baby's sores.

All Druggists and Stores, 50c box.

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GIVES QUICK RELIEF.

WHAT IS A KISS?

What constitutes a kiss has just been defined by a decision of the Imperial German Supreme Court at Leipsic, reading as follows:

"A kiss is a reaction upon the body of another and always requires the permission of a kissed person. Without such permission one may only kiss if one is certain of the other's tacit consent—that is to say, in case of relatives, parents, and children or lovers. If the other is not only coy but also gravely objects to being kissed, it is to be assumed that such a person considers the kiss an illegal interference with his or her personal freedom and a violation of his or her honor.

"Anyone who inflicts a kiss upon another under such circumstances is guilty of assault and battery. A misdemeanor is therefore committed if the kiss simply takes place against the other's will. It is not necessary that the latter should consider the kiss an insult."

Children Cry
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SHE TOOK NO STOCK IN IT

"I see there's a great deal of talk in town about vivisection," said Mrs. East Side. "Well," replied Mrs. West Side, "I've raised a family of eight, an' they ain't one one of them ever been divisectionated and none of 'em has ever caught smallpox either. I don't take no stock in it."

HAD INDIGESTION
For Over
Ten Years.

Weakening the body will never remove dyspepsia or indigestion, on the contrary, all efforts should be to maintain and increase the strength.

Burdock Blood Bitters will do this, and at the same time enable you to partake of all the wholesome food required, without fear of any unpleasant after results.

Mr. Henry P. White, Surrettevilla, N.B., writes:—"I have been troubled with Indigestion for more than ten years; tried several doctors, and different medicines, but all without success. Having heard of the many cures effected by Burdock Blood Bitters, I decided to give it a trial. I have taken one bottle, and I feel that I am cured at last. I can now do the same hard work could before I was taken sick."

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A DULL GIRL

"Would you rather be good or clever or happy?"

There had been a hot discussion over the old question at Maggie Barton's luncheon. Each fate had had its champions, and nobody had come to saying that the terms were not "mutually exclusive," and that it would be hard to choose one of them which should not carry at least one other in its train.

On one conclusion the boys of girls had agreed—that to be a dull girl was a severe trial in this modern world. Edith Colman was the only one who did not say a word on the subject. Yet she knew more about it than all the other chattering, vivacious young creatures; for she was the very type under discussion—a dull girl.

She went home that afternoon with a fathomless depression at her heart. Life did not seem worth living, since she was to have none of its fairest prizes—praise, admiration, social success.

Not only was her spirit heavy, but her feet seemed weighted with lead, and when she tried to talk a little at the dinner-table, her words came more thickly and slowly than usual. She believed that her dullness was increasing. The next morning found her too feverish to think even of her stupidity. By noon she was shut up with a trained nurse and in attack of pneumonia.

Then a strange thing happened in her family. They found that the only dull child among the six boys and girls was desperately missed. She was not alarmingly ill, so that the family judgment was not warped by anxiety.

One simple fact was that nothing seemed to go well without her. The flowers on the breakfast table were faded; there was nobody watching at the window to let Mrs. Colman in from a hard morning of shopping; Bridget was crying with toothache, and there was nobody to console or advise; Bob couldn't get his arithmetic lesson, not because Edith wasn't there to him, for she, poor girl, knew less about the problems than he did, but because nobody thought to send him off to the dining-room, where he could work in solitude; Helen hadn't the audience which she liked for her practising; even Mr. Colman was irritably saying that half the house was gone, and he recalled remorsefully that he had been wishing not long ago that "Edith had something to say for herself."

The Colman family discovered suddenly what the world needs to learn, that a so-called "dull" girl who has enough sense to discover her own limitations can be an invaluable element in the happiness of her friends.

When Edith got well—for she did get well with promptness—she found that she was not to lose all the prizes for which she had longed at Maggie Barton's luncheon.

The outside world never viewed her in a different light. To them she was always 'the dull one of the Colman girls.' But in the little circle for whose praise alone she really cared she was declared to have that best tribute is all the world—not the sense of being thought clever or wise or witty or beautiful or accomplished, but of being indispensable.

HIS REGIMENT

A minister one day got in conversation with an Irish soldier who happened to be stationed in Liverpool, and of whom he asked several questions as to what regiment he was in, etc.

Ultimately Pat thought it was his time to ask a few questions.

"Now," said he, "I'd like to know what you are?"

"I'm a soldier, too," said the minister.

"And what regiment are you in, and where is it stationed?"

The minister, pointing towards the sky, said:

"My regiment is in heaven."

"Oh, man," replied Pat, "you are a long way from the barracks!"

Was Badly Run Down.

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills Built Her Up.

Mrs. Frank Blough, Sarnia, Ont., writes:—"I embrace the opportunity to write you saying that I have used Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, and found them very helpful to me. I was very badly run down, and was taking doctor's medicine. My son, out West, wrote me saying, 'Mother! you use the Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, they will be better for you than doctor's medicine.' This I did with good results. I often recommend them to other people. My doctor did not know I was using them, he used to say 'Why! I never saw any one's heart gain up like yours has. You do not need any more medicine.'"

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WHAT THIRTEEN HENS'S A DAY WILL BUY IN A YEAR

1 Barrel of flour,
50 Pounds of sugar,
20 Pounds of corn starch,
10 Pounds of macaroni,
10 Quarts of beans,
4 Twelve-pound hams,
1 Bushel sweet potatoes,
3 Bushels Irish potatoes,
10 Pounds of coffee,
10 Pounds of raisins,
10 Pounds of rice,
20 Pounds of crackers,
100 Bars of soap,
3 Twelve-pound turkeys,
5 Quarts of cranberries,
10 Bunches of celery,
10 Pounds of prunes,
4 Boxes oranges
10 Pounds of mixed nuts.

Four big barrels heaped up and in the bottom of the last barrel, a purse with two pockets. In one pocket a five dollar gold piece marked "a dress for mother," in the other pocket a ten-dollar bill, marked, "to buy shoes for the children."

GOOD HUMOR AT THE TELEPHONE

Telephoning is one of the things which seem to try the patience of many of us. Some of our young folks cannot wait a minute for their connection, or get a wrong number, without losing their temper and expressing to the operator their opinion of service. It is undoubtedly a fact that a great many vexatious things happen at the telephone, and yet when one considers the vast amount of business done over the telephone, the enormous number of calls an hour through the busy portions of the day, the number of mistakes is not excessive. And, in any case, nothing is gained by snapping back. Good humor is a lubricant which helps telephone service to run smoothly.

Was Troubled With Weak Back.

Weak back is caused by weak kidneys, and it is hard for a woman to look after her household duties when she is suffering from a weak and aching back, for no woman can be strong and well when the kidneys are out of order.

Doan's Kidney Pills go right to the seat of the trouble, cure the weak, aching back, and prevent any and all of the serious kidney troubles which are liable to become deep rooted into the system if not attended to at once.

Mrs. Augustus Jinks, Demorestville, Ont., writes:—"For several years I had been troubled with weak back and kidneys. I had terrible dizzy headaches, and could not sleep at night. A friend of mine asked me to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and I did so, and in a short time was cured."

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If ordering direct specify "Doan's."

THE LUMBER JACK

I had always imaged the lumberjack to be "wild and woolly," overflowing with malice and mischief, ripe for any devilment, and while that may be true of the jack who periodically comes into town for "a good time," with six months' wages burning his jeans and a determination to "out loose," the exact reverse is the case in camp. The lumberjack in town on a holiday and the lumberjack in camp are two distinctive persons, perhaps, sundry, separate alms, and nowhere in Western Canada will you run across a better-behaved, harder-working, more earnest lot of men. I take off my hat to them, be they walking boss, buck-beaver, swamper, roller, or axeman. And well informed, too. One man volunteered the information that out of every four dollars in the Provincial Treasury one of them was provided by forest revenue. He probably had read as much in the Annual Forest Branch Report, but no matter; the fact that he had remembered it speaks volumes. Another told me that of nearly 10,000 fire permits issued last year, only eight fires burned away. "And," he added, "that was going some."

A young fellow from Minnesota, who had come to me six months before with an empty pocket-book and no introduction, met me at one of the camps and showered me with blessings. He had been a bit of a dandy when he applied for the job, and the walking boss rather hesitated about employing him, but he made no mistake; he was the happiest man in camp, tagged, burnt the colour of an old sorrel horse, but overflowing with good spirits and joy.

"Go back to town?" he asked, when I spoke to him. "No, not for mine, I want. Just a little tent or a little shack for me right here, with the leaves climbing in the backyard o' nights kind o' friendly-like, and the ole river rushin' lazy down below to lull me to sleep; later on, p'r'aps," and he blushed, "p'r'aps a little girl from back Minnesoty way to share the shack and the bears with me. It's great-out-o'-doors places for me."—Norman H. Rankin, in The Canadian Magazine for May.

THE SEVEN AGES OF MAN

The seven ages of man have been well tabulated by somebody or other on an equitative basis. Thus:—First age: Sees the earth. Second age: Wants it. Third age: Hustles to get it. Fourth age: Decides to be satisfied with only about half of it. Fifth age: Becomes more moderate. Sixth age: Now content to possess a sixty-two strip of it. Seventh age: Gets the strip.

BE GREATER THAN YOUR POSITION

"A distinguished theological professor once said: 'If I had a son, I should tell him many times a day to make himself as big a man on the inside as possible.'

"Young men too often want to be big men on the outside, to occupy places which fit them as a turtle's shell fits a clam.

"Never mind your position, young man. Whatever it may be, try to fill it. The duties which you have to perform may seem trivial, but because it is a small position is no reason why you should be a small man. You may be big inside, you know, if you are small outside.

"The young man who applies himself to internal growth, as it were, is bound in time to find a place where he would be able to use every power within his possession.

"At any rate, better be a big man in a small place than the opposite. A pinch of powder in a small cartridge can make a deal of noise and drive a bullet a long distance. What can it do in a Krupp gun?"

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WHILE YOU MUST THINK

Many people take it for granted that youth will be thoughtless. But when we take time to consider, we know there is no other time when every decision counts as it does in youth, and thoughtlessness may do comparatively little harm. But while you are young is the time when you must think in order to be safe.

Coughed Almost All Night

With That Dry Tickling Sensation in the Throat.

A bad cough, accompanied by that distressing, tickling sensation in the throat is most aggravating.

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup heals the mucous surfaces, relieves oppression and tightness of the chest, removes accumulated mucous or phlegm, quites even the most obstinate and distressing coughs, securing sleep and rest at night, not only to the sufferer, but to others whose rest would otherwise be broken.

Mrs. Noel Marshall, Basswood Ridge, N.B., writes:—"Just a few lines to let you know what Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup did for me. I took a severe cold, coughed almost all night with that dry, tickling sensation in my throat. The first bottle did me so much good, I thought I would try a second one, which I am pleased to say resulted in a complete cure. I can strongly recommend it to any one suffering from a cough or any throat irritation."

The price of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup is 25c. a bottle; the large family size, 50c.

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Miller's Worm Powders will not only expel worms from the system, but will induce healthful conditions of the system under which worms can no longer thrive. Worms keep a child in a continual state of restlessness and pain, and there can be no comfort for the little one until the cause of suffering be removed, which can be easily done by the use of these powders, than which there is nothing more effective.

THE CAUSE

"I'm surprised at the efforts to bar diaphanous gowns. What ails these finicky mayors anyway?"

"Oh, it's a clear case of pause and effect."—Philadelphia Press.

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Of course it is less trouble to make enemies than friends—but friends are worth the trouble.

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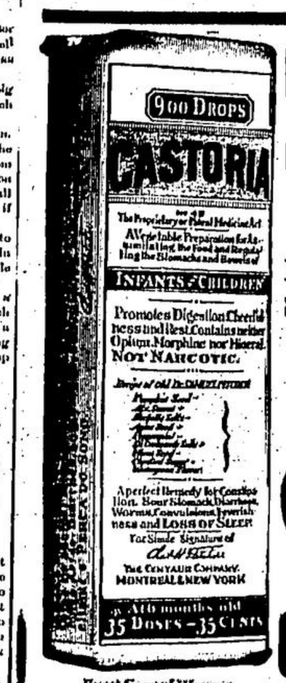

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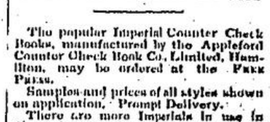

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