

MR. AND MRS. BOWSER.

BY MRS. BOWSER.

I had a caller the other afternoon when Mr. Bowser came home, and after she had gone he asked: "How long was Mrs. Blank here?" "About half an hour."

Punishing an Elephant.

Some elephants resemble men in their liability to sudden outbursts of passion, and in their exhibition of remorse when, the passion having subsided, they see the results of their violent temper.

That Baby of Ours.

In these very hot days the average man has little appetite for solids. But the weather does not seem to effect the appetite of an esteemed infant whose acquaintance I value highly—in the interest of science.

Whence Come the Flies?

From where do all the flies come? The question is often asked, and seldom receives a satisfactory answer as has been given by a contemporary.

Trustworthy People.

We all know people who are eminently trustworthy. We all know those who are just as much the reverse.

No Doubt Understood It.

"What's all this I see in this paper about the Samoan question?" asked Mrs. Hibby of her husband the other evening.

Almost War.

Petey Quince—"My father's richer'n yours."

Carriages Run by Steam.

A Munich firm has made a carriage propelled by gas, which it generates from benzol or analogous material.

A Strange Country.

Miss Langham—(reading an American paper)—"What a strange country yours is, to be sure, Mr. De Yank."

A Silly Question.

Daughter. "Mamma, Mr. Strongbox has offered me his heart and hand."

The Ladies' Favorite.

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The Outset Little Things.

"Cute" he echoed. "Well, I don't know as the adjective would have occurred to me in just that connection."

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