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"In earnest, Irene," he exclaimed, pale with emotion and chronic dyspepsia, "the whole happiness of my life is wrapped up in your answer to the question I have asked."

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"It will be my sole aim to shield you from the rude blasts of all adversity, to smooth your pathway through the world, to interpose my right arm between you and every danger that threatens to disturb your peace and happiness, and—"

"If I listen to your suit, Mr. Hawkinson," interrupted the young lady, casting her eyes to the floor with some timidity and confusion, "you may regret it some day. You will find me ignorant of the practical duties of housekeeping, and without any—"

"Practical duties of housekeeping!" broke in the enthusiastic youth; "you will have no practical duties of that kind. As my wife you shall not be a drudge. You shall be the queen of my home. You consent, do you not, my dear—"

"Wait a moment, my dear Mr. Hawkinson. I am afraid you would find me thoughtless and extravagant in a great many things," the fair girl interrupted.

"Extravagant! Irene, it will be the joy of my life to provide you with whatever may gratify your slightest whim. You never can make a request of me that I will not rejoice to anticipate and grant beforehand."

"And you would be willing to spend all your evenings at home?"

"My angel! I'd never want to spend them anywhere else."

"You would never break my heart by joining a disreputable club or becoming a drinking man?" she went on.

"Hear me, dear Irene. I promise never to do either."

"Let me see," said the young lady, meditatively. "I think that is all—oh, you will agree to have the word 'obey' left out of my part of the marriage service, will you, Mr. Hawkinson?"

"Obey!" he exclaimed. "Obey! Why, my own, certainly. I am even willing to promise to obey you."

"Then, Marcellus, I am yours," said the lovely girl, as she lifted a full-grown phonograph off her lap, locked it carefully in a drawer of the writing table that stood against the wall, turned up the gas and beamed in a sweet yet business-like manner upon the astonished young man.

"Marcellus, I'm a stenographer and typewriter, and I've got your last proposal down in black and white, and I'll have you arrested for breach of promise if you don't live up to every word of it!"

More Terrible Than Robbery.

Burglar—Come, get up and show me where the money is.

Servant Girl—Oh, no, mister; I never get up before 8 o'clock.

Know What You Say.

"I have been working all day like a Trojan," said the young lady teacher to her pupils, "and I wish you would follow my example."

Up went the hand of the biggest boy in the class.

"What is a Trojan, Miss B.; and how hard does it work, please?"

"A Trojan is—is a—why, a Trojan is—*you look it up, Billy*, for yourself—then you'll remember it."

"That was a Parthian shot," said the principal of the school, who overheard the dialogue.

"What? Where? I didn't hear any shot," exclaimed Miss B., rousing herself from a trance of meditation.

"No?" replied the principal, with a caustic accent. "Suppose you look up the meaning of the phrase, then you'll remember it."

"There's a Roland for her Oliver," remarked an assistant teacher.

Then her face paled and she rushed out in search of an encyclopedia of phrases and fable before someone should ask if she knew the meaning and origin of the illustration she so flippantly quoted.—Detroit Free Press.

A Game of Indoor Bawl.

Time to Stop Fooling.

Dr. Gruff (to fashionable patient)—It's merely the same old ailment, my dear madam.

Mrs. Style—Oh, no, doctor; I really am ill now!

Dr. Gruff—H'm! If that really is so I'll have to change the whole course of treatment.

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THEY FEAR THE WOMEN.

The Tale of a Burglar Who Was Found Under a Bed.

A burglar has been talking to the New York Recorder about his business, and the tenor of a long interview is that they fear the women in the houses they attempt to burglarize. Among other things, he said:

"The best way for a woman to do if she woke up and found a man at work in her room would be to keep very still and pretend she was still sleeping, or, if he knew that she had seen him, to obey his orders and keep still.

"It was a smart girl and a cool girl that got away with a fellow I know. He had got into the second-story window and had just about landed when he heard two women comin'. He crawled under the bed and got out of sight. The women came

"SHE STEPPED ON A MAN'S HAND.

in and undressed and got into bed. When he thought they had been in bed long enough to get asleep he began to work out. A dim light had been left in the room. He had just got his head to the edge of the bed and his arm and hand were sticking out beyond the bed when he found one of the women was getting out o' bed. She stepped square on his arm, and, looking down, saw him, so it seemed, draw it back. She went across the room and turned up the gas and began looking around the dressing table. In a minute she called to the other woman, 'Mary, wake up.' The woman got awake an' the other says: 'What did I do with that letter that came this afternoon?' The one in bed didn't seem to recall the letter, but finally she seemed to an' the girl on the floor said: 'It worries me; I can't sleep; I must go downstairs and see if I left it in the parlor.'

"The other one said, 'All right,' an' the first girl calmly took a lot of matches, just as if she meant to light the gas, and went out of the room; but she didn't go any further than the room where a man was sleeping. She told him she had found a man under her bed. He thought at first it was that same old man women are always finding. She convinced him finally and he went out an' got help. She came back and stood in the hall while the men burst in and snaked the fellow from under the bed. He was a completely fooled man, an' said that woman was so cool an' natural about it that he never should have suspected her in the world. But the best part of it was that, after the first woman left the room the other was just as quiet and happy there as a baby. She didn't suspect anything, an' when she found that there had been a man under the bed all the time she just up and fainted away.

The Recluse of the Wabash.

There died here recently one of the best known men in Wabash, Dr. S. F. Thompson. His history is peculiarly pathetic. In early manhood he was engaged to an estimable lady who died suddenly. The doctor never married, and has always lived alone in his little house on the bank of the river in a secluded nook. He retired from practice several years ago and devoted his time to reading and fishing in season. He was a thirty-second degree Mason and was also a member of Fort Wayne commandery, Knights Templars.

Opposite the city and back of the bluffs that follow the irregular course of the Wabash river, in a quiet glen, was a little fish pond, the pride of the doctor's heart. He had made a pond by damming up the waters of a spring-fed brook known as Treaty creek, flowing through his garden patch. The pond was stocked with black bass and perch, fed at intervals by this solitary recluse, until they became veritable pets, darting from their weedy retreats to the shore, with their green noses ruffling the water, whenever the doctor appeared on the bank. The predatory boys of the city were in the habit of coming up in the rear of this pond, and while hidden in the willows and alders bordering the spot, stealthily dropping a baited hook into the water, "snaking out" a string of fish with far greater ease and in half the time it would take to do the same along the riffles and in the overfished holes of the Wabash. The doctor was aware of the robberies and laid many traps to catch the trespassers. He was known to be a severe man, and those who had been apprehended always had to pay handsomely for their fun.—Wabash Cor. Indianapolis Journal.

Wool From Glass.

The scientific journals of recent date, especially those which allot departments to the discussion of the glassworkers' art, have been filled with marvelous accounts of a wonderful glass composition lately invented in Vienna. This new art makes the spinning of "glass wool" possible and many fine webs of the "crucial cloth" have already left the looms. The frizzled glass threads from which the cloth is woven are said to surpass in fineness not only the finest cotton, but even the threads of the silkworm's cocoon, their softness and elasticity being even greater than that of manufactured silk "lint." Surgeons have already begun to use this "wool" in place of cotton, common wool and silk lint, and the chemists and apothecaries say that a finely-woven web of cloth makes the most perfect filter that one could imagine.

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The professor was rather startled at the reminder, brought his lecture to a hasty close, and said, "That will do." One of the class reminded him that he had given out no lesson for the next day.

"Ah," he said dreamily, as he took up the book, "yes—let me see. Well—well, boys, you may as well take strychnine tomorrow."

"Strychnine?" ejaculated one of the boys.

"Oh, yes," responded the professor with a quizzical smile, "if you have duly appropriated the lecture you have just heard, strychnine can't hurt you. You are quite prepared for it."—Youth's Companion.

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Causes and Cure of Wrinkles.

Wrinkles are, of course, the special delectation of every woman, and when they begin to make their appearance one of the most perplexing questions is as to how they can be removed, or, at least, the evil hour of their coming be put off for a time. There has been a good deal of nonsense printed in various channels as to this subject, and one of the most cherished fads is that the steaming of the face will remove them. This is one of those half-truths which are simply deceit and disappointment. Wrinkles appear because the fine muscles of the face lose their tone, the tissue shrinks and the skin fits itself to the depressions which are thus left. It is a mistake to suppose that wrinkles can be wholly eradicated, especially those which are due to advancing years. Let us "grow old gracefully," and accept the inevitable with the best grace possible. A cheerful disposition will do wonders toward lighting up the face and making one's friends forget or overlook entirely the signs of advancing years. But, Good Housekeeping says, wrinkles frequently come on prematurely and prove extremely vexatious.

It is unquestionably true that a proper, thorough and careful course of face massage will do a good deal to help things, where the skin has become dull and listless, as will especially happen in cases of general decline or ill health. From two to four times during each twenty-four hours the face should be gently but systematically rubbed, the best method being to employ a fine towel or bit of red flannel. The finger ends answer very well, but it is more difficult to use them without weariness. It will be noticed after a few days that the skin is gaining in tone and vigor, when the degree of vigor employed may properly be increased.

Bad air is one of the most potent causes of wrinkles, and the remedy, of course, is the getting of good air. Excellence of the highest degree may not be attainable. If not, let us get the best we can. With good air should come good living and plenty of nutritious food, especially that which has fat-producing qualities. Massage of the face is well recommended, using a light, gentle, circular motion of the fingers, while much may be done by cultivating flexibility and voluntary motion of the muscles of the face, especially those affecting the wrinkled portions. And it may not be amiss, though it be a delicate matter, to suggest that an overworked, thankless, hopeless life will inevitably wrinkle the fairest face with furrows that no agency this side of the grave can remove till the cause shall have been lifted.

Star Stones.

The asterias or star stones are among the most wonderful productions of the mineral kingdom. They are corundums; the star sapphire being a grayish blue; the star ruby, bright red; the star topaz, a straw yellow. The star appearance in the stone is caused, according to some mineralogists, by a foreign substance in the gem; others say it is due to peculiarities of crystallization. Whatever it may be, advantage is taken of it by the lapidary, who cuts the stone in the shape of a dome, beginning at the center of the star and making the points radiate to the circumference. The stone has six points, and as the light plays on the surface of the stone the bright lines of the star change with the position of the gem and produce a singularly beautiful effect. These stones are very valuable, the best specimens, being, it is said, worth as much as diamonds of the same weight. Burton, the great oriental traveler, had a star sapphire which he always carried on his person, and in the heart of Arabia or the deserts of Africa, the sight of this wonderful gem always inspired a respect that was akin to reverence. The wild Arabs and negroes would gaze at the stone, then at its possessor, and, concluding that he had a talisman of unexampled power, would render him all possible assistance for fear of incurring his vengeance.

The Railway Telephone.

The Port Defiance, Tacoma and Edison Railway has in operation an appliance designed to prevent delays when an accident happens to any one of the cars along the line, or when trouble of any kind occurs. The appliance is an ingenious telephone arrangement so connected with the main office that the conductor or motorman can telephone what the trouble is and all the details, so that arrangements can be made at the office to avoid delay of other cars on the line, thus discommoding patrons. Along the line between Point Defiance and Edison a telephone wire is strung, and there are special poles, down which proper wires run to an average man's height from the ground. Each car carries a telephone instrument, which can be connected with the wires and communication with the office obtained. After notice of trouble is received the remaining cars on either side of the break can be operated by office orders through the telephone, and thus kept running on time. It would seem to be to the interest of almost every railway in the country to adopt such a telephone system.—Scientific American.

Suez Not as Great as Soo.

The Suez canal has a world-wide renown and serves the commerce of Europe and Asia. It has a vast traffic, since it shortens so greatly the distance between the two continents named, yet a small canal in the northwestern section of the United States, which is but little known outside of this country, is the avenue of a much greater traffic. The Sault St. Mary's canal connecting the State of Michigan with the Canadian Province of Ontario, has this year done an immense business. By the close of navigation the amount of freight carried through it will be over 11,000,000 tons, which is fully 2,000,000 tons more than the Suez canal floats in twelve months. In October freight went through it at the equivalent of 300 barrels of flour every minute. It is the channel through which the vast commerce of our northwest passes, and of which the world generally has but little conception.—Boston Journal.

Slot Machine for Testing the Eyes.

A use of the automatic box by penny-in-the-slot craze has been made by a London optician. He keeps a stand at railway stations and other public places so constructed that a penny dropped in lights up the inside of a sort of stereoscope-like arrangement, where a page of type can be read through various numbered glasses which are changed by turning a knob. When one strikes a glass that enables him to read the type comfortably he notes the number, which corresponds to the sort of spectacles he wants. At the side of the machine hang a number of order blanks, on which he only needs to fill in that number with his name and address and to send 60 cents to get a pair of glasses by return of post. The order blank can be posted or dropped in a locked receptacle on the machine.—Jewelers' Circular.

Steel Freight Car.

A freight car thirty-six feet long has been built of steel in Manchester for the Mexican Railway Company. It is said to be no heavier than a thirty-four-foot wooden car, and will hold nearly three times as much.

The Composition of Water.

Water is composed of oxygen and hydrogen in the proportion of one volume of the former gas to two volumes of the latter.

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