

QUIPS AND CRANKS.

Keep cool and you command everybody.

The future of the child rests in the work of its mother.

A woman who wants a charitable heart wants a pure mind.

Men are like wheat—the riper their wisdom the lower they hang their heads.

A man never has so much use for his watch as when listening to a long sermon.

Beware, my son, how you flirt with the intoxicating cup. The great Goliath was brought down by a sling.

By the way, why doesn't the conductor punch the train-robber? He might at least give him a check.

"I know Jack hasn't much money, but we can live on faith, you know." "And hope, too, I suppose?" "Yes, and charity."

Forrester: I hear your six-months old baby has been very sick. Is the worst over? Lancaster: No; we haven't named him yet.

"On what do they base their claims to distinction in society?" "Why, bless you, they have the most aristocratic servants in town."

"Do you take this man for better or for worse?" asked the minister. "I can't tell until I've had him for awhile," returned the bride.

"I was careless at church and put one dollar in the box, when I meant to give only a dime." "A case of contributory negligence, so to speak."

Sophronia: They say that one should always strive to get into company that is better than one's self. George: In your case that would be impossible.

She: Why were you so awkward and embarrassed when you proposed to me? He: Oh, I was trying not to look so cocksure of being accepted as I felt.

Mamie: I believe in woman's rights. Gertrude: Then you think every woman should have a vote. Mamie: No; but I think every woman should have a voter.

Boston Woman: Oh, I do so love the fields of our New England farms. New York Girl: Why? Boston Woman: Because they are so cultivated, you know.

"Well, Miss Billus is married at last." "Whom did she marry?" "Really, my dear fellow, I have no desire to expose any one who is overtaken by misfortune."

Hicks: Well, well, we shall come out of it all right. Congress is working. Wicks: So is the yeast in that pan of dough. But what comes of its working? Gas, sir; simply gas.

"Look here" said Mrs. Taddles to Hungry Higgins, "didn't I give you a dinner yesterday?" "You did, madam," replied Higgins with a courtly bow, "and one good dinner deserves another."

Indignant Father: How is this, sir? I find that you are absolutely penniless. Mr. Impetuous: Yes, sir. "Didn't you tell me that your prospects were the brightest in the world?" "So they were. The prospect of becoming the son-in-law of a wealthy man like yourself, and getting a beautiful wife like your daughter, made my prospects very bright. And, my dear sir, these prospects are realized. Bless you, sir, bless you."

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