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How Two Men Travelled on a Ticket for a Man and His Wife.

"It was a slick trick, and it worked," said a well-known conductor who runs in here, in telling of an incident of his last trip down to this place.

"Just before we left Dallas," said he, "I noticed a young lady and two young men get on the train and when I came through a little later to colect the tickets, found them sitting together in a double seat. When I stopped at their seat the man sitting next to the aisle handed me two tickets, one for a man and wife and a single ticket to Galveston. I took them, thinking nothing of it, but on passing back and forth through the car several times after that I noticed that the man and wife did not seem to be getting along very well together; in fact, their actions toward each other would lead one to believe they were perfect strangers, and during the day their actions became more and more noticeable until my suspicions began to be aroused, but I held my peace until almost here, when, finding the one who had handed me the tickets alone in the smoking compartment. I asked him if something was not wrong, whereupon he 'fessed up' and frankly told me the whole story.

"He said he and the young man sitting opposite to his when he handed me the tickets were from Kansas City, who having lost their positions in that city, had started to come south to see if they could find something to do down here in Texas, and that they had gotten as far as Dallas when their money gave out, and haying been assured of getting positions in Galveston, wanted to come on here. One of them by getting in a day and a half's work, had made $3, but as that would not bring them here they were in as bad a plight as before. The next day however, they happened to droc into a ticket broker's office, but the only thing he had in the way of tickets to Galvston was one for a man and wife. After consulting with each other they hit upon a plan and decided to take the ticket, paying their $3 for it. They then went to the depot and hung around the ticket window until they saw a young woman buy a ticket for Galveston, and followed, boarded the train with and deliberately sat down beside her, so when I came through the man sitting beside her politely took the ticket from her hand and passed it over to me, thus giving the impression that she was his wife, and in this manner the two adventurers came here.—Galveston Daily News.

Yearly Cost of Soldiers.

The yearly cost to the state of the American soldier is about $1,875. This individual sum is largely in excess of the cost of European troops. Great Britain, which has the smallest army of all the great powers, expends, roughly, $465 on each of her soldiers; Austria, with a war footing of over a million men, expends $225 per man, and Germany and France, the two military powers of Europe with the biggest armies, are equal with an individual outlay of $215. Italy, with the second smallest army, spends $190 on every soldier, she maintains; and Russia's cost is estimated at $185. In 1886 each soldier cost the United States $1,390, so that the lapse of fourteen years exhibits no small difference in national cost per man.

What a Whale Weighs.

"Have you any idea of the size of the common Greeland Whale? Nilson, the zoologist, estimates the full-grown animal to average 100 tons, or 224,000 pounds. That is to say, a whale weighs as much as about eighty elephants or 400 bears.—Of course some run larger than this. There are tales among old whalers of whales 110 feet long, and weighing at least 150 tons, but they are not seen in these days. A seventy-foot whale is a big one now. Still, it may give some idea of what monsters are occasionally killed when we mention that a ton of oil has been extracted from the tongue alone of a single whale.

At the Immoral Play.

The subject of undesirable plays has been discussed at many of the women's clubs during the past two weeks, and although all were agreed upon the subject, nevertheless, after the manner of women, there was considerable "discussion" concerning the undesirableness of a certain play.

"We talked about it," said pretty little Mrs. Smith, "and it was beautiful to hear some of the women talk about the sanctity of the home, and all that."

"But what about the play?" inquired her husband.

"Oh, everybody said it was awful."

'But how did everybody know?" insisted the inquisitive Mr. Smith.

"Why, Mrs. Van Sand told us."

"How did she know? Did Van Sand tell her?"

"Why, no; she went to see it. She went twice."

"Went twice?" exclaimed the astonished husband.

"Why, yes. She said that she felt it her duty to find out all about it, so that she could warn us, her fellow-club-women. And she gave us a synopsis of the play. It was perfectly splendid."

"Oh, it was. The play?"

"No; the synopsis, of course. Mrs. Sand is such a smart woman."

"You bet she is," assented the man of the home.

The Sleepless Seven.

"There were seven of the twelve," said one of the discharged jurors in speaking of the matter the next morning, "who didn't want to sleep themselves and wouldn't let the rest of us sleep. Whenever we dropped into a doze they came around and shook us till we were wide awake again."

"And you had to submit, I suppose, for they constituted the majority?"

"Yes, they were the rousing majority," said the hollow-eyed juror, with a pensive attempt to be facetious.—Chicago Tribune.

SCREAMED WITH ECZEMA

Baby's Skin Red and Raw. Doctor's Medicine was Painful and Useless. A Stranger Advised CUTICURA. Cured in a Month, with Skin Smooth and Fair.

My little daughter, when six months old, broke out with Eczema. I took her to a doctor and he pronounced it "Moist Eczema," and prescribed for her. She screamed when I put the medicine on her, and I stopped using it. It was indeed very painful. Her skin was all red and raw, and moisture coming from it all the time. A perfect stranger to me advised me to use CUTICURA remedies. I got CUTICURA SOAP and CUTICURA (ointment), and they *entirely cured her within a month*. She is twenty-three months old to-day, and her skin is like a piece of silk, and fair as a lily.

MRS. E. J. KANE, 815 Ohio Ave.,
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I commenced to get pimples and blackheads when I was fifteen years old. My face was covered. I spent about ten dollars for soaps, medicine, etc., but they never did me any good. I used CUTICURA SOAP for two weeks, the pimples and blackheads began to disappear, and it only took three cakes of CUTICURA SOAP to cure my face of those homely pimples. JOSEPH B. CLAMER,
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Take care of the stomach and the health will take care of itself. If people only realized the soundness of that statement the majority might live to a good old age, like Moses, "the eye undimmed, the natural force unabated." It is in the stomach that the blood is made. It is from the stomach that nourishment is despensed to nerve and muscle. If the stomach is "weak" it can't do its whole work for each part of the body. If it is diseased the disease will taint the nourishment which is distributed, and so spread disease throughout the body. It was the realization of the importance of the stomach as the very centre of health and the common source of disease, which led Dr. Pierce to prepare his "Golden Medical Discovery." "Diseases which originate in the stomach must be cured through the stomach." The soundness of this theory is proved every day by cures of diseased organs, heart, liver, lungs, blood,—by the use of the "Discovery," which is solely and singly a medicine for the blood and organs of digestion and nutrition. It is a temperance medicine containing no alcohol, whiskey or other intoxicant.

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CAME HOME TAGGED

Mr. Burren's Cruel Neighbors Found Ingenious Means to Rebuke Him.

Down near the historic old village of Cahokia, on the east side, there are some old residents whose minds are in a state of turmoil. There are vague rumors rife as to what will happen if a certain resident gets his hands on certain other residents, or their sons or daughters, or even relatives. In fact, there is as close to a fued in existence as ever excited the people of this section of the country.

All the trouble is over a score or more of fowls owned by Jacques Burren. The poultry is of blooded stock and imported, so Burren asserts, from portions of the country where cock fights are not uncommon, and where people delight in raising fine specimens of hens and roosters, especially the latter. Mr. Burren has the habit of poultry raising, especially of the fighting variety, thoroughly engrafted and he has been known to go to almost any length to secure a promising chicken to add to his well-stocked farm.

Recently Mr. Burren has been in the habit of allowing his poultry to wander at will over the neighborhood. Sometimes the poultry got into the yards of neighbors and uprooted beds of garden vegetables in their search for delicacies. Irate women, and at times the heads of the families, drove the poultry away, but feared to kill any of the members of Mr. Burren's poultry family because of his possible wrath.

Within the last week the depredations by the blooded chickens have been the cause of much compiaint, and a few days ago some of the younger element of the neighborhood got together to devise ways and means to compell Mr. Burren to pen his stock up, or at least to keep them on his premises. The meeting was secret, and the result of the deliberations of the members of the conference was not known until about noon. Then it was that the chickens wended their way homeward to partake of the boiled corn-meal mash and milk that is always ready for them when the hands of the clock point to the hour of 12.

Mr. Burren was waiting in his yard for the return of his poultry. The first to return home was a large game cock which had won its spurs several times over. Mr. Burren was astonished at the appearance of his favorite chicken. A tag hung from its mouth. It vainly tried to dislodge it, and scratched and clawed fiercely. It was with difficulty that Mr. Buren got close enough to grab the chicken and make a closer examination. A card had been attached with a piece of string to a kernel of corn. The chicken had swallowed the corn, but could not swallow the card. It hung out of its mouth. An inscription on it read: "I am a straight-out-and-out Democrat and dislike scratching."

A few minutes later other chickens returned home. Half of them carried tags in their mouths, bearing inscriptions such as: "There will be a hot time in the old town to-night," "Why don't you keep us penned and we wont get into trouble," "I'm a fighter, not a broiler" and "I'm a poor forager."

It took Mr. Burren no little while to dislodge the corn from the chickens' throats and he expects to have several of his finest under the soil as a result. There was blood in his eye yesterday afternoon, when he was seen by a Republic reporter, and said that if he could only get a line on the identity of the persons who fed his chickens tagged corn he would get even with them.

She Dusted.

A few days ago a well-known Washington woman, being unexpectedly bereft of her kitchen assistance, advertised for a colored woman capable of performing general housework.

The first caller in response to the advertisement was a mulatto damsel, bedecked with ribbon and finery. From her airs and graces she might have been a graduate from a seminary. She announced that she had noticed the advertisement and was desirous of securing employment.

"Are you a good cook?" inquired the lady of the house.

"No, indeed, I don't cook," was the reply.

"Are you a good washer and ironer?" was the next query.

"I wouldn't do washing and ironing; it's too hard on the hands," declared the caller.

"Can you sweep?" the housewife then wanted to know.

"No," was the answer, and it was a positive one. "I'm not strong enough for that.

"Well, in the name of goodness, what can you do?" said the lady of the house, exasperated. The placid reply was:

"I dusts."

Another Mean Man.

"I found my hat where I had mislaid it myself."

"Did you apologize to your wife with due humility?"

"No; I had the humility all right, but I hadn't the time to hear all she would want to say on the subject."—Chicago Record.

Decidedly Not.

"You don't happen to have change fur a quarter, do ye?" asked Eaton Shabbelong, who had an unexpected stroke of luck.

"Change fer a quarter!" echoed Tuffold Knutt, with infinite disgust. "If I had do ye reckon I'd be carryin' the thirst I've got with me this minute—Chicago Tribune.

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"Johnson is such a cheering chap!"

"Eyah?"

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You know what a foolish extravagant fellow my brother 'Bob' is?" said my chum to me the other day. "Sepnds all his money on one blow out, and then goes broke until his next allowance. Well, let me tell you his latest.

"'Bob' has been pretty attentive to Jessie Sinclair for the last year but of late he has been more so than usual because there is another fellow he has been trying to cut out. He wanted to give her something very nice, so he went to the florist's and ordered one dozen American Beauty roses to be sent to her address. They were seventy-five cents apiece, and that meant $9., enough for 'Bob' to pay. But what does the foolish fellow do?

"He sees some extra long stemmed ones standing in a vase near by and he prices those. 'One dollar and a quarter apiece,' says the man. 'Bob' is feeling very generous that day; his allowance has just come in. 'Give me a dozen of those instead of the cheap ones I took,' he says, and hands over the extra $6.

"That night he calls on the girl to see the effect his present has made. She hasn't received the flowers yet; they come while he is there this just suits him, because he will be able to see the expression of astonishment on her face. She opens the box, sees 'Bob's' card and lifts up the roses with a cry of rapture and an 'Oh! Mr. Wentworth how sweet of you.' Then she looks around everywhere for a vase tail enough. You see she hasn't any of those that stand on the floor, but only an ordinary chrysanthemum jar. She takes that down and measures the flowers, then she lays them on the table and with one skilful whack of her little pearl handled knife she chops off half the length of the stems. Bob says it turned him cold to see six dollars go into the waste basket like that. We say at home it serves him right."

She Did.

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