

Fun and Fancy.

Britain's jewel just now is a Garnet. A mount for a baillif. A dun-colored horse.

A tumbler full of whiskey—A drunk on a croquet.

The only game that a grumbler indulges in is croak-eh.

The acrobat in the circus is really the man who introduces the spring styles.

"The crops are backward," said the fox, as he slung the hen over his shoulder.

A missionary was asked the cause of his poverty. "Principally because I have preached so often without notes," he said.

"Shall I thereafter darn your stockings?" is said to be fashionable language for a young lady to use when making a leap-year proposal.

Mistress: "Forget it! Why, I told you to impress it on your mind." Bridget: "It was on my mind I put it, mum, and my mind went astray with it."

"What is love?" asks everybody, and somebody replies: "It is a feeling that you don't want another fellow fooling around her."

"Amateur Gardener" wants to know the easiest way to make a hot house. Leave a box of matches where the baby can play with them.

"Mamma, what is that old man working so hard for?" "Why, to earn a living, my child." "But he is so old that when he has earned a living he won't be alive."

"Your honor and gentlemen of the jury, I acknowledge the reference of the counsel of the other side to my gray hair. My hair is gray, and it will continue to be gray as I live. The hair of that gentleman is black and will continue to be black as long as he dies."

A debtor who was sued by his creditor acknowledged that he had borrowed the money, but declared that the plaintiff knew at the time that it was a Kathleen Mavourneen loan.

"A Kathleen Mavourneen loan," repeated the court with a puzzled look. "That's it, judge; one of the it may be for years and it may be forever sort."

The fashionable young ladies at a watering-place hotel a few nights ago organized a spelling bee. The bees that were the most extensive jewelry was the worst speller, and twelve out of the fourteen went down on the word "separate."

"Phthisis" floored them all, and one of the cooks was called in to spell the word for them. A young lady who fondled a pug dog and wore diamond earrings maintained that d-o-u-b-t was the way "doubt" was spelled when she went to school.

A bridal couple boarded the train out at Woodville. The groom was a tall, strapping fellow, and squeezed the bride into a seat next the window. Some of the train hands who were posted put the newboy up to bringing in a box of baby rattles and offer the embarrassed couple their choice for five cents. All sorts of excuses were offered by the man as reasons for not buying. Finally, he made a clean breast of the situation with, "See here, mister, I've only been married about fifteen minutes. Give us a chance. We don't want to set up housekeeping right here in the car. Keep your tinware an' I'll be along next year, and if the returns are in to show for it satisfactorily I'll buy the hull caboodle."

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It is told that an old Baptist parson, famous in Virginia, once visited a plantation where the darkey who met him at the gate asked him which barn he would have his horse put in. "Have you two barns?" asked the doctor. "Yes, sah," replied the darkey; "dar's de ole barn, and Mas'r Wales has jes built a new one."

"Where do you usually put the horses of clergymen who come to see your master?" "Well, sah, if dey's Methodist or Baptist we gen'ally put dem in de ole barn; but if dey's Phisician, we put em in de new one."

"Well, Bob, you can put my horse in the new barn; I'm a Baptist, but my horse is an Episcopalian."

Why go on day after day suffering with splitting headaches when a bottle of Dr. Austin's Phosphatine will cure you? If you do not believe it ask your Druggist for a circular—and read what those who have used it say about it. Price \$1.00. 2m.

If the girl who is fishing for a husband, says the Philadelphia Times, discussing husband fishing at the summer resorts, which it says has been a failure, "makes any mistake, it is that of thinking that the young man who is looking for a wife wants a costly piece of goods for show. Some young men want this, but there are few who can afford it and even those who can are in many instances afraid to yoke themselves to it. They know that a too showy young woman, even if she have wealthy parents, is apt to be full of troublesome whims and of notions very difficult to satisfy. Even if they be so sordid that they would like to marry for money, these young men know enough to reflect that riches sometimes take wings and go out of sight. They stop and consider that if there be wealth flies away and leaves nothing but the whims, the residue is an exceedingly undesirable piece of finery."

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Words of Wisdom.

Words of praise are almost as necessary to warm a child into a genial life as acts of kindness and affection. Juvenile praise is to children what the sun is to flowers.

To do good which is really good, a man must act from the love of good, and not with a view to reward here or hereafter.

Many a small man never ceases taking about the small sacrifices he makes; but he is a great man who can sacrifice everything and say nothing.

As the shadow follows the body in the splendour of the fairest sunlight, so will the wrong done to another pursue the soul in the hours of prosperity.

A ROYAL SABBATIC YEAR.—The year 1882 begins and ends with Sunday. A year girdled by a golden belt of 53 Sabbaths should stand out in our lives worthy of remembrance.

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For a boy to meet a tempter boldly, frankly, and at once with a "No," which has a meaning in it, is a great thing. Some boys will say "No," but it is in such a half-hearted way that the tempter knows that it means a half "Yes." This simply gives an invitation for repetition of the solicitation, and makes almost certain, too, the yielding. But a "No," that is enforced by tone and look that tells that the word has its own true meaning settles largely the matter, or if it does not settle it makes it certain that if the temptation come again it will be weaker and he will be stronger. The first "No," is a great thing.

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A Saint at the Zoo.

Capt. Harry Piper, Alderman and Superintendent of the Zoological Garden lately communicated the following facts to a reporter of one of Toronto's most influential papers: "Some time ago we purchased from the collection of animals at Central Park, New York, a monstrous Russian bear, which we have named 'Peter the Great,' on account of his tremendous size. Not long after 'Peter' arrived we found that he was suffering from the rheumatism, and in a pretty bad state. Pete was not the only one in the Zoo, which had a touch of that delicate torture; the lion likewise had it and in fact I was just being cured of a bad case of the rheumatism, myself, by the use of St. Jacobs Oil, the Great German Remedy. I found St. Jacobs Oil an excellent remedy, for it cured me in a short while, and my case was a very aggravated one. I argued that if it cured men it must be good for animals as well;

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