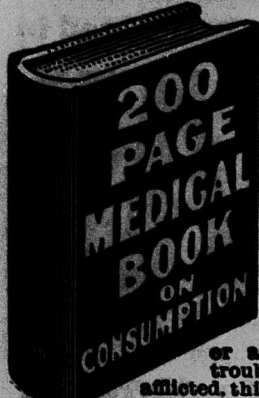


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In Lighter Vein.

At the Wharf End.

Ye'll weep it out, and sleep it out,
Faith, forget me in a day!
Ye'll talk it out, and walk it out—
Yis, I'll be long away!

But what a heavin' shoulder this
To rock a lad to sleep!
Ach, me gurl, that one kiss,
Ye knew it couldn't keep!

Some cry it out, and sigh it out,
But we'll forgit the ache!
Ye'll laugh it off, and chaff it off,
And learn to give and take!

And that's the gray ship waitin' me—
Sure, what's the use o' tears!
It's got to be, and ought to be—
One kiss for twenty years!

Had No Pull.

Mr. Makinbrakes (to chance acquaintance, whom he has met at a swell party)—"If you have any influence with Mrs. Upjohn I wish you would suggest to her that she announce dinner. I'm frightfully hungry."

Chance Acquaintance—"Me? I hav'nt any influence with Mrs. Upjohn. I'm Mr. Upjohn."

Mere Formality.

Mrs. Jenner Lee Ondego—"Yes, the cook we have now is one that used to work in your kitchen. She had a good recommendation from you, and I took her on that."

Mrs. Selldom-Holme—"You did? Well, you'll find her the same impudent, ill-natured, wasteful, good-for-nothing thing I found her to be."

His Grouch.

"What are you making such a kick about? You're carrying a policy of only a thousand."

"I'm kicking because I find I am carrying all the president's relatives."

More Easily Sued Now.

Head of the Firm (looking at him more closely)—"I think you're the young fellow that was here last week inquiring for a situation."

Young Fellow—"Yes sir; but I'm not so blamed particular now. I'm hunting for work."

Got It Between the Eyes.

"It will be soon enough, Miss Gwimple, if I return this book the next time I call, won't it?"

"Why, certainly, Mr. Featherp. There's no hurry about it. Any time within the next six months will do."

The Point of View.

"Henry, if I were a young man like you, and expected to have to make my own way in the world some day, I should try to make my expenses come within my income."

"Father, if I were as rich as you are, and had only one son, I'd try to bring his income up to his expenses."

The First of His Kind.

Adam had just discovered that he possessed an imagination.

"Riblets," he said. This was his pet name for the first lady of the land. "Riblets, I've just seen a remarkable funny sight."

Eve looked at him suspiciously. "You've been at those grapes again," she said.

"No," he quickly answered. "No more grapes for little Addie. I've had all I want of them. My head aches at the very name. No, I was on the other side of the creek and there I saw the animal with the trunk climbing a tree."

"An elephant climbing a tree? Impossible!"

"I tell you I was there. It was a funny sight. The elephant tried and tried and when he got a little way up he screamed for help. And the rhinoceros and the elk came up to boost him, and the elephant slipped back on the horn of the rhinoceros and jumped so high that he caught the first

limb of the tree and hung there howling. Ha, ha, ha!"

"Adam," said Eve, in her severest manner, "you are the most unblushing nature faker the world has ever known."

Improved the Chance.

At a recent wedding in a small western town the officiating clergyman after the ceremony and the usual congratulations, turned to the assembled friends and said:

"Friends, you all know these young people; you have seen them grow up from children, and now that they have entered the holy state of matrimony perhaps some of their old neighbors may have some special word to say to them."

There was silence; no one responded for a moment; then the father of the bride stepped out of his position near his daughter and said:

"I don't know as I can add anything to what has already been said," and he looked solemnly about the little gathering, evidently uncomfortable and embarrassed, but fortunately his eyes fell upon a neighbour, a political opponent, who would never listen to his views on certain matters relating to taxation, and the speaker's face brightened, and he exclaimed with energy, "but this seems an excellent opportunity and I should like to say a few words on the single tax!"

The Same Act.

An old negro was recently brought before a Justice in Mobile. It seemed that Uncle Mose had fallen foul of a bulldog while in the act of entering the hen house of the dog's owner.

"Look here, Uncle Mose," the Justice said, informally, "didn't I give you ten days last month for the same thing? Same henhouse you were trying to get into. What have you got to say for yourself?"

Uncle Mose scratched his head. "Mars Willyum, yo' sent me to the chain gang fer tryin' ter steal some chickens, didn't ye?"

"Yes, that was the charge."

"An' don't the law say yo' can't be charged wid de same fence?"

"That no man can be placed in jeopardy for the identical act, yes."

"Den, sah, yo' des hab ter let me go, sah. Ah waer after de same chickens, sah?"

Highly Complimented.

A few weeks ago a Philadelphia man was in a North Carolina town of very few inhabitants. One day when he was on the point of making a purchase he discovered that he had exhausted his small change. The shopkeeper could not "break" the \$10 bill offered him, and the Northern man went out in the main street to see how he might solve the difficulty. He asked several persons, but no one had the requisite amount for the bill. At last an old, white-haired, seedy negro came along. In sheer desperation the Philadelphia man said:

"Uncle, can you exchange a \$10 bill for me?"

Uncle looked dazed for the moment. Then his shuffling figure straightened. With a doffing of the hat and a bow worthy of Chesterfield, he replied with dignity:

"No, marse, I can't change no \$10 bill, but I done 'preciates the compliment jes' the same, sah."

Bill Nye's Cow.

Bill Nye, the humorist, once had a cow to sell and advertised her as follows:

"Owing to my ill-health, I will sell at my residence, in township nineteen, range eighteen, according to the Government's survey, one plush raspberry cow, aged eight years. She is of undoubted courage, and gives milk frequently. To a man who does not fear death in any form she would be a great boon. She is very much attached to her present home with a



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Entry must be made personally at the local land office for the district in which the land is situated. Entry by proxy may, however, be made on certain conditions by the father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of an intending homesteader.

The homesteader is required to perform the homestead conditions under one of the following plans:

(1) At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year for three years.

(2) If the father (or mother, if the father is deceased), of the homesteader, resides upon a farm in the vicinity of the land entered for, the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by such person residing with the father or mother.

(3) If the settler has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of his homestead, the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by residence upon the said land.

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"Well, there claimed the "Why don't yo "S'pose I wa sah?" answered

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"No, sah, p colored man. " Couldn't a dog it up?"

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"Can your d Papa?"

"My gwaciou months old."

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