

Fun and Fancy.

A corn dodger—a man who avoids wearing tight boots. Young man, don't pay the minister over \$20. You will need all your energy the first time Helms put her diaphanous arms around your 12-inch neck and tries to trade off two kisses for a spring bonnet.

The Rector (to Irish plasterer on ladder pointing to a wall): "That mortar must have been very bad." "Pat (with a grin): "Fair, ye can't expect the likes of a good Roman cement to take to a Protestant church, sorr!"

When Fenderson heard the cannon yesterday afternoon he asked: "What's that?" "The Governor taking his seat on the Common," he was told. "Thunder!" exclaimed Fenderson; "does he always sit down as hard as that?"

A conversation was overheard at Margate between two children who were playing on the sand together. The small boy said to the little girl: "Do you wish to be my wife?" "The little girl after reflection, said, "Yes." "Then pull off my boots," said the boy.

"Let us play we were married," said little Edith, "and I will bring by dolly and say, "See baby, papa!" "Yes," replied Johnny; "and I will say, "don't bother me, now. I want to look through the paper." Children have strange ideas of grown folk's ways, now, don't they?"

"I declare," exclaimed Fogg at the dinner table to-day, "this is the most affectionate pie I ever saw." "A affectionate pie!" cried everyone at the table, including the landlady. "Yes," said Fogg; "the upper and lower crusts are so affectionate that they couldn't get anything between them."

"Ah, dearest," sighed the young man, kneeling at the feet of his ownest own, "doest thou know what all outward things is nearest my heart?" "Really, I can't say," she replied, "but if you have any regard for your health in this changeable weather, I should think it was a fannal shirt." She was too practical, and it broke the engagement.

An Austin man started in the lively stable business last week, and the first thing he did was to have a toy sign painted, representing himself holding the reins by the bride. "Is that a good likeness of me," he asked of an admiring friend. "Yes it is a perfect picture of you, but who is the fellow holding you by the bridle?"

"That man is a phrenologist. Pat." "A phrenologist?" "Phat's that?" "Why, a man that can tell, by feeling of the bumps on your head, what kind of a man you are." "Bumps on me head, is it?" exclaimed Pat. "Begorra, then I should think it would give him more of an idea phat kind of a woman me wife is!"

A simple herb found on the sunny plains of a Southern clime has, under the skillful manipulation of Dr. Van Buren, proved one of the greatest blessings ever sent to suffering humanity. Dr. Van Buren's Kidney Cure is acknowledged all the world over as the only perfect remedy for kidney troubles. Your druggist has it. J. Wilson, Goderich. 2m

A little girl was promised by her grandmother her gold watch and chain when she should die. The child appreciated the delicacy of the situation, but after some hints her grandmother was prevailed upon to show her the watch. "I wonder," said the little one to her mother, as they were leaving the grandmother's house, "if I shall get the watch in time to wear at the funeral."

Samson lost his strength with his hair. Thousands of men and women lose their beauty with theirs, and very large numbers restore the ravages of time by using the famous Cingalese Hair Restorer. Sold at 50 cents per bottle by James Wilson. 2m

Erratic Judges.

Justice North is becoming noted among English judges by his peculiar ways of asserting the dignity of the court. He lately astonished a lawyer in the crown court at Manchester, who was reading a paper, by saying that he must leave the court if he wished to indulge in the newspaper. The man put away his paper at once. Then the judge cried out, "Leave the court!" The man departed accordingly. This incident reminds the London journals of the vice-chancellor's remarkable order to a bald man, whose misfortune interfered with the official's comfort. The sunlight was reflected so vividly from the polished surface of the offender's head that the vice-chancellor's eyes were afflicted, and man was forced to retire. Severity with judgment was illustrated in the direction to remove a barking dog from the court room. The wrong animal was seized by the officer, and the magistrate exclaimed: "No, not that dog. I have been watching him all day, and I will say that a better behaved little dog never entered a court of justice."

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is a wonderful thing, yet so natural, so reasonable. Why? If you have feelings of goneness; too weak and dragging to rally; too nervous to sleep; an appetite hardly sufficient to keep body and soul together; headache, with pains across the back; the whole system relaxed; perhaps coughs and sore lungs; and will use one to six bottles of Dr. G. L. Austin's Phosphatine as the case may demand; it will not fail to make you an enthusiastic friend. Why do we say this? Because Phosphatine supplies a want, the very properties the system is lacking, and nutriment instantly converted into blood, bone and tissue. It is also delicious to the taste. Try it. The result is as certain as that cause and effect go hand in hand. All druggists, Lowden & Co., Sole agents for the Dominion, 55 Front St. East, Toronto.

The mob at Mt. Vernon, burnt the city marshal's house and beat his deputy terribly in revenge for an attempt to close the saloons on Sunday.

Household Hints.

A good plum cake is made as follows: Beat up one pound of butter and one pound of sugar, the whites of eight eggs and the yolks beat separately; half a gross of nutmeg, two teaspoonfuls of ground cinnamon and two ounces of candied orange and lemon peel are added and three pounds of flour are then added and beaten up to a light batter for a whole hour to make the cake light. This cake is baked for three hours and makes a good cake for New Year's or a Twelfth Day cake. Icing can be added if desired.

DOUGHNUTS OR FRIED CAKES.—Make a batter of flour, eggs well beaten and sugar and add a few caraway seeds. Have ready a pan full of hot lard and drop into it large spoonfuls of the latter, for the batter may be made stiff enough to stamp out into rings, or made into flat cakes, which are cooked in the hot lard until browned. When taken out, a little white sugar is sifted over them.

MINCE PIES.—A pound of lean, tender beef and two pounds of suet are chopped fine; three pounds of currants, three pounds of pared apples and a half pound of candied lemon are chopped fine and added the juice and grated nutmeg and a quarter of an ounce each of mace and cinnamon pounded fine. A pint of good cider and a glass of brandy are also added and the whole is well mixed. Pack into a stoneware jar to keep.

SAUSAGE MEAT.—Two part of lean pork and one part of fat are finely chopped; for three pounds of meat add two teaspoonfuls of salt, one of pepper, two of minced sage and a teaspoonful each of mace and nutmeg. The seasoning is evenly mixed with the meat, which may be packed in jars and covered with melted lard to keep.

Macaroni is made as follows: Remove by scalding the skins of half a pound of the best almonds, and pound them to a paste in a mortar or bowl, with two tablespoonfuls of water flavored with vanilla essence; beat up the whites of 8 eggs to a froth; add a pound of fine sugar and mix evenly with the almond paste. Drop it on tissue paper in small rounds and bake 20 minutes.

RICED CAKES.—Beat up 8 ounces of butter to a cream, add the whites of 7 eggs, well beaten, then a pound of sugar, then the beaten yolks of the eggs; lastly beat in a pound of ground rice very thoroughly; drop on a baking tin, sift sugar over the small cakes and bake 20 minutes.

GINGER CAKES.—Beat up 4 ounces of butter with four ounces of sugar, add one ounce of ground ginger, and the yolks of 4 eggs, well beaten. Add flour to make a fine paste, roll out very thin and bake 20 minutes.

OATMEAL GINGER CAKES.—Mix fine oatmeal with sufficient maple syrup or common molasses to form a stiff paste; adding 2 ounces of ginger to the pound of oatmeal; roll out thin and bake half an hour.

FRENCH ROLLS.—Rub two ounces of butter into 2 lbs. of flour, add 2 well-beaten eggs and half an ounce of German yeast cake, or 2 teaspoonfuls of fresh yeast in half a pint of new milk; beat up to a stiff batter and set it in a warm place to rise for one hour; then, without kneading, drop it on tins in round or long rolls and bake 15 minutes.

Words of Wisdom.

God is better served in resisting a temptation to evil than in many formal prayers.—[William Penn.]

There is nothing greater than the name of Christ, but nothing more to be feared than to bear it unworthily.—[Quaen.]

Patent, trusting humility is the crowning Christian grace; but for the want of it, how often has Jesus occasion to rebuke us!

Look upward and onward. We learn to climb by keeping our eyes, not on the valleys that lie behind, but on the mountains that rise before us.

An apostate soul may die, an apostate church may die, but somewhere on the earth the glory of the Lord will abide.—[Morgan Dix.]

Of all religious thought, none is so important as the right thought of Christ. What we think of him underlies all true spiritual life and hope. What do we say that he is?

Once more and finally: God is given us his word not only for our sustenance, but for our stimulation. Not only does it enlighten the eyes, but rejoices the heart.

Middle Life.

"It is a solemn thought and feeling connected with middle life," says the late eloquent F. W. Robertson, "that life's last business is to begin in earnest; and it is then, midway between the cradle and the grave, that a man begins to marvel that he let the days of his youth go by so half-enjoyed. It is the pensive autumn feeling; it is the sensation of self-sadness that we experience when the longest day of the year is passed, and every day that follows is shorter, and the lighter and feebler shadows tell that nature is hastening with gigantic footsteps to her winter grave. So does man look back upon his youth. When the first gray hairs become visible, when the unwelcome truth fastens itself upon the mind that a man is no longer going up hill, but down, and the sun is always westering, he looks back on things behind, when we were children. But now there lies before us manhood, with its earnest work, and then old age, and then the grave, and then home. There is a second youth for man bettet and holier than his first, if he will look forward and not backward."

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