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THE BEWILDERED MOTHER

There's Madeline, and Gladys, and Dorothy, and Jane. They're pretty-pretty girls enough—of that I don't complain.

For Madeline is literary—and poets come to her. Comparing her to sunsets, when perfumed breezes stir.

Now Gladys is athletic, and just the other day, Went up in a big aeroplane, and stayed a month away.

And Dorothy's an "uplift" girl, and every slum in town, she knows just like a printed book, in spite of scandal's frown.

But Jane she is the worst of all, in politics she's starred, And holds uproarious meetings right out in our back yard.

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TROD ON BY ELEPHANT

But This Reckless Man Lived to Tell of It.

An African wanderer gives an interesting account of the reckless daring of the natives in moments of excitement. Late in the afternoon he shot two elephants and early the next morning sent some of his assistants out to bring in the tusks.

He had a foreboding that some thing was wrong and in a few minutes he clearly perceived a man lying upon a makeshift litter, carried by the camel, while Dan and Suleiman accompanied the party horse-back.

They soon came up, as the story is told by a writer in the New York Herald. Poor little Dick, a plucky and active ally, lay, as the man thought, dead upon the litter. They removed him gently, administered spirits, and on examination found his thigh broken a little above the knee.

Dan now explains the cause of the accident. While the camelen and others were engaged in cutting up the dead elephants, three agagers found the track of a wounded bull that had escaped into the thick jungle.

As there was no guns two of the men resolved to ride through the narrow passages formed by the large game and take their chances with the elephant sword in hand. Dick, as usual, took the lead on his little grey mare. With the greatest difficulty he advanced through the tangled thorns, which had been broken by the

passage of heavy game. To the right and left of the passage it was impossible to move.

Dan had wisely dismounted, but Suleiman followed Dick. On arriving within a few yards of the elephant, which was invisible in the thick thorns, Dan crept forward on foot, and discovered him standing with ears cocked, evidently waiting for the attack.

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Dan, who had been between the elephant and Dick, had wisely jumped into the thick thorns. As the elephant himself passed, he sprang out behind and followed with his drawn sword.

Jumping over Dick's body, he was just in time to deliver a tremendous but at the hind leg of the elephant, that must otherwise have killed both horses and probably Suleiman also, as the three were caught in a passage that had no outlet and would have been at the elephant's mercy.

J. B. LIVESQUEL, St. Joseph, P.O., 18th Aug., 1900.

"SONG OF THE SHIRT."

Turned Down Three Times and Finally Accepted by Punch.

Few poet-lovers but are familiar with Thomas Hood's song to the tollier, "The Song of the Shirt," which has been translated into more foreign languages than any other poem written by Hood. This poem was first printed in the London Punch on December 16, 1843, and created a sensation in London, and it was soon reprinted throughout the British Empire and shortly thereafter it was reproduced practically throughout the world.

This is quite a story connected with Hood's composition of the "Song of the Shirt." On October 25 that was brought to the attention of the poet that a wretched woman named Biddell was charged at the Lambeth police station with having pawned articles belonging to her employer. It was shown that she made trousers for sevenpence a pair, and the utmost she could make was seven shillings a week, which her employer looked upon as a good living for a woman who had herself and two infant children to support.

later the London Times had a powerful editorial on the incident. Punch quoted from this "leader" with stinging additions—probably by Douglas Jerrold—the following week. Hood, whose sympathies were stirred by suffering, penned his "Song of the Shirt" and sent it to Punch; his wife saying as the package was done up: "Now mind, Hood, mark my words, this will tell wonderfully! It is one of the best things you ever did!"

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Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia

The Sixth Sense.

The belief of some people that they can detect the presence of a spider in the same room with them and of other people that they can tell when a cat is near is rousing a lively controversy abroad, and a scientific study of the supposed ability has been undertaken by psychologists. One scientist has advertised for persons who believe they have the strange power and are willing to be tested.

No HOPE. (Passing Show.) "Oh, Mrs. 'Toks, I'm so upset! Our little Johnny's lost!" "Nobody'll know 'im to-day—'cos I've just washed 'im!"

HEALTHY CHILDREN ARE HAPPY CHILDREN

The well child is always a happy child—it is a baby's nature to be happy and contented. Mothers, if your little ones are cross and peevish and cry a great deal they are not well—they are in need of medicine—something that will set their bowels and stomach in order, for nine-tenths of all childhood ailments arise from a disordered state of the bowels and stomach. Such a medicine is Baby's Own Tablets. They are a mild but thorough laxative which regulate the bowels, sweeten the stomach, and thus drive out constipation, colic, indigestion; break up colds and simple fevers and make the baby healthy and happy.

QUEBEC TRAGEDY.

Merchant Fatally Shoots His Partner's Son.

Victoriaville, Que., Jan. 29.—Alphonse Letourneau, hardware merchant of this town, last night shot Alphonse Auger, the son of his business partner, in the presence of Constable Bedard after a feud of long duration, which culminated in an alleged threat of Letourneau's life by the deceased.

The two men had engaged in a hot battle of words during yesterday afternoon, the source of argument having been a flock of hens, Auger being a poultry fancier. Auger is then supposed to have threatened Letourneau, and the latter wrote him a note, through a notary, warning him to keep away. The letter was delivered to Auger by Constable Bedard, and Auger immediately upon receiving it went to Letourneau, the constable accompanying him.

Letourneau was standing behind the counter in his store, that of the Letourneau & Auger Co., when the two entered. Auger went to him and angrily protested against what he said in the letter. Letourneau retaliated by drawing a revolver from his pocket, and shooting five times into Auger's abdomen. The latter fell, fatally wounded. He was taken to the hospital at Arthabaskaville, where he died this morning without regaining consciousness. Immediately after the shots were fired Letourneau, accompanied by Constable Bedard, went to the police headquarters, and gave himself up. There he waited anxiously for news of Auger's condition, and early to-day,

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when the message of the latter's death at Arthabaskaville had been received, he broke down and wept. Both men are very well known throughout Arthabaskaville county, having been engaged in business here for many years.

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Even If You Scrub and Dust Don't Let Them Get Rough. We are being told that in a few years there will be no servants, and so perhaps the finest ladies in the country will all have to come to their housework sooner or later. It would not be half bad if one's hands did not get so looking rough and red a short time in the kitchen.

A few old hints repeated may not come amiss: The first is: Don't use cleansers without first donning gloves. They cleanse—that is a fact, but as they take dirt off pans and pots and bathtubs so they take the soft white cuticle from the housewife's hands.

INGENUITY. (Gargoyle.) Guest—Walter, this steak is like leather and the knife is dull. Walter—You might stop the knife on the steak.

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ELEPHANTS OF SIAM. And Their Wonderful Work in Lumbering.

The elephants are our chief stand-by in Siam, and without them teak could not be worked as it grows in such inaccessible places that no hauling machine could be brought near the trees, says Abby Beatrice Prather, in Asia Magazine. Elephants can climb like cats. It is marvellous to see them pick their way up and down steep slopes, but sometimes they lose their foothold. One of our elephants fell down a steep river bank last year, hit her head against a rock and broke her neck.

ON THE WING. Hub—The new cook is a bird. Wife—Yes, a bird of passage. She's going to leave to-morrow.

PROFESSIONAL JEALOUSY. (London Eighty.) It was one of those rare occasions when Sir F. Harshball, the lawyer, lost a case, and he wasn't feeling so very happy over it.

Perceval—Gosh! Isn't it raining? Pansy—Never mind, boysie; take father's umbrella, then perhaps he won't so much mind your coming back—London Ideas.

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SOME "ECONOMY."

(Life) Willis: Was the investigation into the city's finances a success? Gill: Yes, indeed. The committee discovered that almost \$10,000 had been spent illegally. Willis: Great work. Gill: Sure was. We felt that the \$7,587 that the committee's expenses amounted to was well spent.

SOWING SUSPICION.

Mrs. Young—My husband says I am his right hand. Her Mother—I hope, my dear, he isn't a man who never lets his right hand know what his left hand does.