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Old Lady—"Gracious! Fancy your watch striking as loud as that!"

That Top Note

Fine music and fine poultry were two things of which little Ella's father was very fond. Recently he bought a gramophone, and among other records was one of a very brilliant aria by a great soprano. The baby listened closely to the runs of the bewitching music until the singer struck some high arpeggio and trills at the close, when she exclaimed:
"Daddy, listen! She's laid an egg!"

Self-Criticism

Several ladies sat in their club discussing the virtues of their husbands.
"Mr. Bingleton," said one of them, referring to her life partner, "never drinks and never swears—indeed he has no bad habits."
"Does he never smoke?" some one asked.
"Yes. He likes a cigar just after he has eaten a good meal. But I suppose on an average, he doesn't smoke more than once a month."
Some of her friends laughed but she didn't seem to understand why.

He Couldn't Afford To Keep Them Now

A charitable lady was reading the Old Testament to an aged woman who lived at the home for old people, and chanced upon the passage concerning Solomon's household.
"Had Solomon really seven hundred wives?" inquired the old woman, after reflection.
"Oh, yes, Mary! It is so stated in the Bible."
"Lor, mum," was the comment, "what privileges them early Christians had!"

Cause to Kick

Not long since the pastor of a small church in a remote district got into a misunderstanding with the deacon over some small matter, and eventually the coldness spread to the congregation. The pastor stood it for a while and then went to the deacon for an explanation of the congregation's attitude.
"Well, among other things," said the deacon, pausing in his work of planting peas, "ye don't practise what ye preach."
"I don't practice what I preach?" was the amazed rejoinder of the parson.
"What do you mean?"
"I mean," responded the deacon, "that ye've been preachin' on the subject of resignation for nigh on two years now an' ye han't resigned yet."

Well Seasoned

Young Husband—Isn't there some thing peculiar about the taste of these onions, my dear? Young wife (anxiously)—Oh, I hope not, my dear! I took such pains with them, and I even sprinkled them with exulting cologne before I put them on to boil, to take away the unpleasant odor.

How He Knew

An aged and much-travelled tourist was relating experiences of his travels to a group of friends, when a blithering young man, who had himself made a short trip on the Continent, decided that it was about time to come in for his share of honors as a great traveller.
"When I made my trip through the Red Sea," the young man interjected, "we dropped anchor one night in the exact spot where Pharaoh's hosts were engulfed by the waters of the Red Sea. In the morning when we heaved up the anchor we discovered that one of Pharaoh's chariots, which had for years been lying at the bottom of the sea, was hooked on to one of the flukes of our anchor. It was in an excellent state of preservation."
"How did you know it was one of Pharaoh's chariots and not one of more recent vintage?" enquired the old tourist.
"Oh, that was easy," replied the noisy young man. "You see, in one corner of the chariot we found an old coin which bore the inscription: '2065 B. C.'"

From Naval Reservist

Geo. W. Thompson

Belfast, Ireland, June 21, 1916.

My Dear Wife.—With fondest thoughts and love, I am again writing you, knowing you are ever waiting for a word from me. Well, dear, I am enjoying the best of health at present, and hope you are doing the same.

I have not received any word from you this week, as I have been on leave, but if anything has arrived for me it will be on board the ship, and I will get it on the 23rd when I go back.

I am glad to tell you that I had a very good time on leave here in Belfast. I have got another Newfoundland chap with me, and we have travelled all through the lister and the smaller towns outside the city, where we travel by cars and motor trains. I have just come from Lushum, which is a very pretty place.

Of all the places I have seen in my travels, Ireland is the best yet, and the people are the kindest I ever met, and especially so to Navy men; I could not tell you how many times a day we were taken by the hand and greeted with the words—"God shine on the Navy men."

I thought about a month ago, that I would have seen Newfoundland again, as we were on the way there but were called back.

As far as I know now, our next cruise will be to the East Indies, China and Japan. It will take us about five weeks to get to the Red Sea.

We are hoping that we will not be out there very long, as I must say, for the first time, that I think the end of this great war seems to be in sight.

If we go to the Red Sea, we will likely call at Malta or Egypt on the way out, and, if we do, I will write you from one of those places.

Since leaving home I have travelled over eighteen thousand miles of water, and how many times have my thoughts gone back to my boyhood days, when I used to wonder if I would ever get a chance to visit these places.

Now I can look back over it all. I have been in the first church that ever St. Paul preached in (it is under ground), and the cave in which he lived.

I cannot say any more about my travels at present, as it would take me all day to write about them all. I am just longing for the day when we shall be sailing home.

Wishing you a very happy summer, and trusting that you all will—

"Keep the home fires burning, Though your hearts are yearning; Though the boys are far away They dream of home. There's a silver lining, Through the dark cloud shining, Turn the dark cloud inside out Till the boys come home."

I remain,
Yours ever
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Kitchener's Only Love

The true story of the oft told conversation between Lord Kitchener and her late Majesty, Queen Victoria, is at last out. It declares a London magazine. After being granted a peerage, it was Lord Kitchener's duty, of course, to visit the Queen, who at the time was in residence at Balmoral Castle, Scotland. On being ushered into the royal presence, Kitchener rather surprised Her Majesty by his courtly, soldierly, and yet cheerful manner. She could not at all reconcile it with what she had been led to expect—stiff, austere, six feet three inches.

The introduction over, and the story told from his own lips of the fall of the Mahdi, the Queen, with that insinuating gentleness of which she was a master, asked Kitchener if she might address one or two personal questions to him.

"There is nothing personal that I cannot tell your Majesty," replied the soldier.

"It is of common report, your lordship, that you have a strong repugnance to women? Has report lied again?"

"I have often been amused, Your Majesty," said Kitchener smiling, "on hearing the report. I am not guilty of the charge."

"Perhaps it has risen from the fact that you have not yet thought it advantageous to call a partner to your side?"

"I am still a soldier, Your Majesty," replied the soldier again good humoredly.

"And so you have never loved any woman?"

"Oh yes, I have and do still love?"

"May I be privileged to have the name of the good lady?" asked the Queen.

"The only woman whom I love is Your Majesty."

It is said that, after the interview, the Queen confided her impressions to a member of her family, remarking, "Such a man ought to have the best."

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Here's a Market For Old Ponies

Horse flesh is rising in price rapidly throughout Germany. In Leipzig this class of meat costs 30 cents a pound. Before the war it could be had for 12 cents. Most of it is obtained from worn-out army horses, which are sold to the butchers, at the average price of \$100 each. The butchers are accused of making exorbitant profits.

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