

THE silver question—Got change for a quarter?—*Texas Siftings*.

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AFTER spending an hour with a pretty fool, how refreshing homely people are.—*Atchison Globe*.

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TWO PERIODS (before marriage)—"Why so pensive, dearest?" After marriage—"Why so expensive, Mrs. Jones?"—*Racket*.

SHE—"How do you manage to think among all the noise in the stock exchange?" HE—"We don't think."—*Chatter*.

FANGLE—"There is a great deal of scratching at the polls now."

CUMSO—"Yes; it comes from the itch for office."—*Epoch*.

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OFT REJECTED—"You have no sisters, Mr. Cilley, have you?" "I never had until this summer," said Cilley, sadly. "I've got seven now."—*New York Herald*.

"WHO is happy on this mundane sphere?" sneeringly exclaimed Pessimus. "The girl with her first engagement ring," triumphantly replied Optimus.—*Jewellers' Circular*.

RAILROAD PROJECTOR—"Yes, sir, the road will be an air line."

LISTENER—"Then, of course, there will be no water in the stock."—*West Shore*.

W. A. EDGARS, of Frankville, was so badly afflicted with Kidney and Liver Complaint that his life was despaired of. Four bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters cured him.

WEKKS—"How does this weather agree with you, Wentman?"

WENTMAN—"It doesn't. I find it cheaper to agree with the weather."—*American Grocer*.

No Doubt About It—"So Jack is married, eh? Do you think he'll get along well with his wife?" "I'm quite sure he will. They sang in the same choir for two years without quarreling."—*Chatter*.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.

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MRS. UPTON—"Yes, that's my daughter's piano, but she has scarcely touched it since she has been married."

MRS. DOWNTON—"Jest the same with my darter and 'er typewriter."—*New York Weekly*.

ALL the year round Burdock Blood Bitters may be taken with good effect upon the entire system, but especially is it required in Spring and Fall for Biliary troubles and bad Blood.

MAGISTRATE (to prisoner)—"Have you any visible means of support, Uncle Rastus?"

UNCLE RASTUS—"Sah?"

MAGISTRATE—"What do you do for a living?"

UNCLE RASTUS—"Oh, now I understand's yo', sah. De ole ooman takes in washin', yo' honah."—*Harper's Bazar*.

CALLER—"How do you do, Mr. President? I'm very glad to see you."

THE PRESIDENT—"Your face is very familiar, but I really can't place you."

CALLER—"Oh, I don't ask you to place me sir; merely called to offer you my respects, sir."—*Dry Goods Chronicle*.

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VISITOR (to Chicago, 1893)—"I presume if I follow this crowd I will reach the World's Fair, won't I?"

POLICEMAN—"N-o, sir, but you'll reach the grand outpourin' of citizens at Patriot hall to argue about selectin' a site for the World's Fair."—*New York Weekly*.

A. LOUGH, of Alpena, Michigan, suffered twenty years with Dyspepsia and general debility, but found quick and permanent relief in Burdock Blood Bitters.

HUSBAND (newly married)—"Don't you think, love, if I were to smoke it would spoil the curtains?"

WIFE—"Ah! you are really the most unselfish and thoughtful husband to be found anywhere; certainly it would."

HUSBAND—"Well, then, take the curtains down."—*Chatter*.

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BOBBY—"Pa, are you very busy tonight?"

FATHER—"Well, I'm just reading the paper, Bobby. What is it?"

BOBBY—"There's a race of little people called Pigmies, isn't there?"

FATHER—"Yes."

BOBBY—"Well, pa, when they grow up are they Hognies?"

FATHER—"Bobby, you can go to bed at once."

We teach our youth the fame of that far day

When sturdy men, disguised as savages, Threw a small cargo of taxed tea away; And yet—alas! Time works such ravages!—

We tax ourselves with all our main and might, And thus confess that George the Third was right. —*Puck*.

"MAD ELAN," "RHYTHMIC VIGOR," AND "ALMOST INSPIRED DASH, SPIRIT AND SWING,"

(From the *Chicago Evening Post*, June 3.)

THERE is not a little of the mad elan, the rhythmic vigor, the almost inspired dash, spirit and swing of the Hungarian music in the various dance forms employed by these most prolific writers. It may well be said that a Strauss waltz must be heard on a Strauss orchestra, conducted by a Strauss in person, before it can be appreciated at its full value. Under these conditions one of their waltzes, muzurkas, polkas or galops is no longer a mere tune to move one's feet to; it becomes a musical composition of high artistic value and interest, and quite worthy, in its way, to be compared with similar works by the greatest masters. In fact, as waltz writers the Strusses have hardly been equaled. As a conductor, and more particularly as a conductor of that class of music which is universally connected with the family name, Herr Eduard Strauss is entirely admirable. He is full of fire, energy and personal magnetism. Every move of his graceful baton, every sweep and bend of his almost electric bow, which he uses entirely when conducting dance music, is full of authoritative and sympathetic meaning to the players whom he directs. Subscribers' lists, which are now at Messrs. A. & S. Nordheimer's, will close in a few days. Subscribers have first choice of seats. Reduced fares on all railroads.

GERMAN HOTEL-KEEPER—"Hist! The great Bismarck was here half an hour ago."

REPORTER—"Ah! Did he say anything to you of an official nature?"

GERMAN HOTEL-KEEPER—"No; his utterance was merely that of a private gentleman."

REPORTER—"Tell me what he said."

GERMAN HOTEL-KEEPER—"Two beers."—*Judge*.

CONSUMPTION is Scrofula of the Lungs and is often incurable, but the Scrofula from which it arises may be cured by the purifying alterative tonic Burdock Blood Bitters.

It was little Dot's first visit to a farm, and she went with her aunt to see how the pigs were fed. The little one gazed in astonishment at the young porkers for a moment, and then, placing her hand on her curly hair, she said reflectively:

"Auntie!"

"Yes, dear."

"Does 'oo put all the piggies' tails in cut papers?"—*The Fury*.

"UNCLE John," said little Emily, "do you know that a baby that was fed on elephant's milk gained twenty pounds in a week?"

"Nonsense! Impossible!" exclaimed Uncle John, and then asked:

"Whose baby was it?"

"It was the elephant's baby," replied little Emily.