

Out of His Mind.

"Owld Uncle Moike Duffy is out av his mind intoirely!"

"Phwot makes yez say that?"

"Phwoy, he's been asther makin' his will an' l'avin' iveryt'ing he's got in dhe worruld to his heirs, not kapin' back for himsilf as much as a quater's wotr' av anyt'ing. T'ink av ut, l'avin' himsilf penniless at his age, in case he should doie!"

How to Tell.

A Chinese laundryman was ironing and talking to himself. Picking up a shirt that had every button in place and every rent or rip carefully mended, he said: "Bachelor; him lan'lady fix him." Picking up another shirt that was buttonless and full of rips, with edges frayed, he said: "Mallied man."

His Mind Easy.

Mrs. Smith repeatedly reminded her husband that she owned the silver, that she owned the furniture, and so on, until poor Smith almost wished he'd married a poor girl. The other night Mrs. Smith awoke to hear strange noises in the lower part of the house, and, vigorously punching her husband in the ribs, called:

"John, get up! There are burglars in the house."

"Eh?" inquired Mr. Smith, sleepily.

"Burglars! Down stairs!" howled Mrs. Smith.

"Burglars?" said Smith, as he turned over. "Well, I don't own anything."—*Life*.

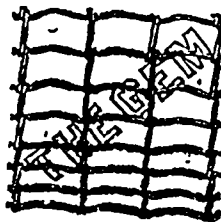
Water for Calves.

In order to determine how much water the herd of thirteen calves at the Kansas Agricultural College would drink, the water given them for a week was weighed and put in a barrel with an attachment for letting it out as fast as needed. In the seven days the thirteen calves drank 868 pounds of water, or an average of eight pounds a day. The weather during this time was warm for the first three days and cooler the last four days. In addition the calves got an average of fourteen pounds of skim-milk besides grain and hay.

The calves drank several times a day, not much at a time but often. I noticed several times that they took one or two swallows. Oftentimes they would take a few mouthfuls of grain, go and get two or three sups of water, then back to their grain again. Even after their ration of milk they would take a few swallows of water.

This experiment shows that calves need water in addition to their milk ration; it also shows that they like it often and not so much at a time. Always see that it is fresh and clean.

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