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"I wanted that cup, and I called you that way so you would hurry."

Why Johnny Went to Bed Supperless

"What is the matter with this horse-radish, Maria?" asked the father of the family. "It looks muzzed up."

"What's the reason they call it horse-radish, papa?" inquired Johnny. "I offered it to the horse a little while ago and he wouldn't touch it."

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HANS THE COBBLER

How He Worked a Little Business Scheme

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DON'T haf no jobs on hand und no meat in der house, und my wife says it vhas better dot we jump into der river. I light my pipe und walk out mit my hands under my coat tails und think und think, und when I goes home I vhas all right. Dot night I paint me a sign und hang it oop in der window. She reads:

"Notice.—Dis vhas to warn all poets to keep avhay from me und bring me no work."
My wife can't make it out und asks me many questions, but I don't say nothings und goes to bed. Early in der morning dot liddle tailor comes in und says my peesness vhas busted all to smash und I vhas a ruined man, but I keep still. My shop vhas just opened when a woman mit two pairs of shoes in her hand to be fixed oop comes in.

"How about dot sign?" she says as she looks at me.
"He vhas all right. If you vhas a poet you can go right out."
"Oh, I can! Maype you don't like poets?"

"No."
"Vhell, it don't make no defference to me whether you do or not. Here vhas some shoes to be fixed, und if you don't do it I shall raise a row to take der shingles off der roof. It vhas a pretty how-de-do dot you vhas down on poets. I vhas a poet myself, und I like to see you keep me out. Just listen to dis:

"A mashing young man in Detroit Tried to flirt mit a girl from Beloit, But she gave him a stare Dot cured his red hair Und busted his mashing exploit."

"Dot vhas poetry, Mr. Cobbler—chenuine poetry, und all my own—but you shall fix oop dese shoes just der same, und I want 'em tomorrow." Dot romans vhas gone out only three minutes—when a man's comes in mit



shoes to haf der heels fixed, und he puts 'em down on der bench und stands back und says:

"So some poets vhas not wanted in dis shop, I see?"
"No, sir."

"Vhill you tell me why?"
"Because I don't like poetry. He makes me seasick."

"Oh, he does! Vhell, I like to say a few words to you, Mr. Cobbler. I vhas a poet myself, und even if it kills you I shall bring my work in here. Hearken to dis:

"Dot poy stood on der burning deck; Der goat stood on der hill Der poy vhas named John Henry Jones; Der goat vhas only Bill."

"Dot vhas poetry, sir, und I vhas der poet who made him, und if he makes you seasick I vhas glad of it. Here vhas shoes, sir—shoes to be fixed oop. Don't you dare to refuse to do my work. If you don't know dot a poet vhas a bigger man dan der president of der United States you vhas a fool. Now, sir, let me say dot if those shoes do not be mended when I call again—

"Here among der pegs und wax I'll bring about a mild climax."

He vhas gone out six minutes maybe ven a second romans comes in. She also haf some shoes to be fixed. She puts dese shoes down und clasps her hands und rolls her eyes und says:

"Der winter winds vhas blowing chill, Der frost vhas in der air; Der autumn leaf it vhas no more, No more der flowers fair."

"It gife me pains to look around Upon der landscape drear, Und I vhas werry mooch afraid Next spring I won't be here."

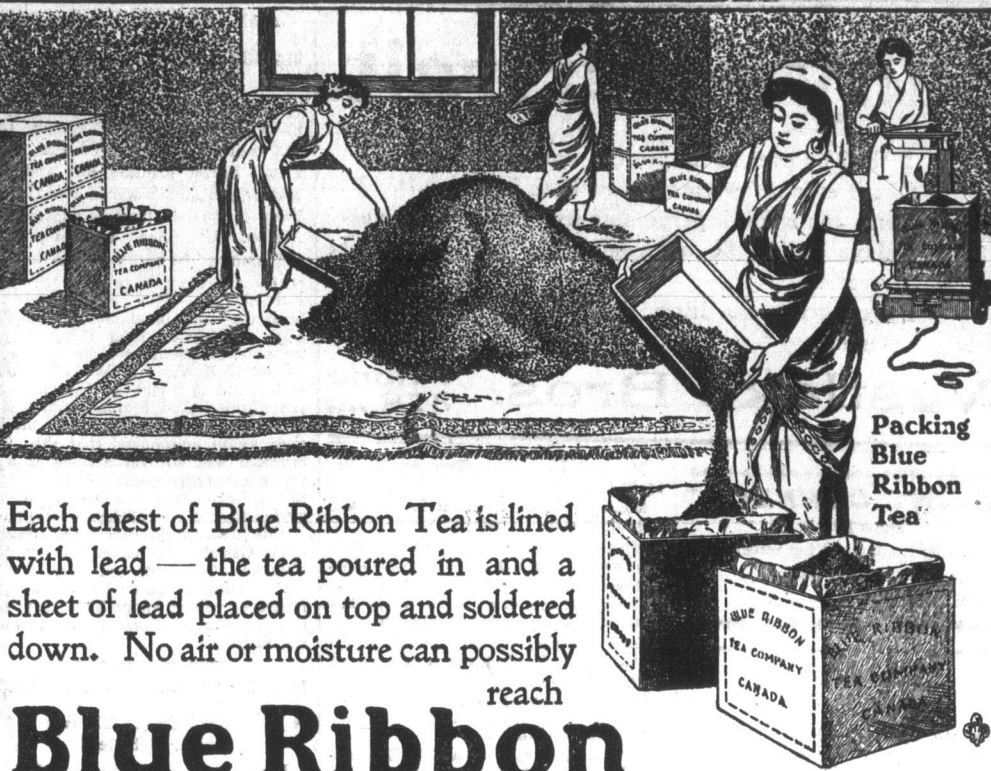
"Vhell?" I says as she looks down at me.

"Vhell, old man, you hear me," she replies. "I vhas a poet. I vhas always a poet. I shall be a poet until I die. You may keep der working mans down, but you can't keep down a poet. She vhas bound to rise oop und soar avhay on der wings of der morning und seat herself on der sun kissed clouds of der east."

"Vhell?"
"Vhell, you fix dese shoes inside of three days or I shall come in here und kick der inside of dis cobbler shop out doors. Farewell until I come to kick!"

I haf three days' work on hand now, und I vhas hustling along when a tall und solemn looking man comes in. By golly, but he haf a whole basket full of shoes to be fixed oop, und he stands in der middle of my shop und holds out one arm und says:

"Poets not wanted here!"
"Vhell?"



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A. R. SAUERMAN, J. R. SNELL,
M. W. Recorder

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