

Observations of Rev. Gabe Tucker.

You may notich it on de pain's as a mighty risky plan To make your judgment by de clothes dat...

The Ideal Oatmeal Porridge.

Clean, aromatic, coarse dry meal must be got from some shop where they know what is good in the way of oatmeal.

A saucerful of such porridge put into a soup plate and a half-pint mug of good rich new milk is, indeed, a lunch or a supper, or a finish to breakfast which is fit for a king.

"How fragrant it is!" said Mrs. Mixer, as she sniffed the odor of a bottle of Jamaica ginger.

A healthy man never thinks of his stomach. The dyspeptic thinks of nothing else. Indigestion is a constant reminder.

Fun and Fancy.

Soft water is often caught when it rains hard. The Zulus don't wear clothes, and there are consequently no opportunities for shabby contractors during their wars.

"Wounded in the war, were you? Paddy!" "The bullet hit me in the chest, here, surr, an' came out at me back."

Woman is like ivy,—the more you are ruined, the closer she clings to you. A vile bachelor adds, "Ivy is like woman—the more it clings to you the more you are ruined."

Wash a baby up, clean and dress him up real pretty, and he will resist all advances with a most superlative crossness; but let him eat molasses, gingerbread and fool around the coalhod for a half hour, and he will nestle his dear little dirty face close up to your shirt-bosom, and be just the loveliest, cunningest, hit-the-rascal in all the world.

When one tries to be funny he succeeds little better than an elephant who hopes to be graceful, but when one's tongue is so made that wit is the result of its normal activity then one may even be funny in a prayer and at the same time deeply reverent.

Were you ever alone, and did you feel it was almost useless even to kneel. For nothing on earth could still the pain that had come to your life again and again!

Not long since, in a Mississippi court, a colored man sued a neighbor for damages for killing his dog. Col. M., defendant's lawyer, called Sam Parker, coloured, to prove that the dog was a worthless cur, for whose destruction no damage ought to be recovered.

"Come Out, Mr. Gold." The oratory of the red man is highly figurative and poetic, always; but an Indian can make a very practical speech in his native style, too.

"There is a gentleman who, I suppose, is now in this house. He is a very fine gentleman, but a very modest one. He does not like to show himself at these meetings. I do not know how long it is since I have seen him, he comes out so little. I am very much afraid that he sleeps a great deal of his time, when he ought to be out doing good."

"His name is Gold. Mr. Gold are you here to-night, or are you sleeping in your iron chest? Come out, Mr. Gold; come out, and help us do this great work, to preach the gospel to every creature. Ah, Mr. Gold! you ought to be ashamed of yourself, to sleep so much in your iron chest. Look at your white brother, Mr. Silver; he does a great deal of good while you are sleeping."

"Come out, Mr. Gold. Look at your little brown brother, Mr. Copper, he is everywhere. Your poor little brown brother is running about, doing all that he can to help us. Why don't you come out, Mr. Gold? Well, if you won't show yourself, send us your shirt, (that is, a bank note). That is all I have to say."

We pass the word along for Mr. Gold. We think that John Sunday's call is very timely, and we re-echo it, hoping that it may reach the ears of Mr. Gold, or of those who have him in custody. "The silver and gold are mine, saith the Lord of Hosts," but the gold seems to be obtained with much more difficulty than the silver or copper.

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How to get Rich. The great secret of obtaining riches, is first to practice economy, and as good old Deacon Snyder says, "It used to worry the life out of me to pay enormous doctor's bills, but now I have 'struck rich.' Health and happiness reign supreme in our little household, and all simply because we use no other medicine but Electric Bitters, and only cost fifty cents a bottle." Sold by F. Jordan.

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EPH'S COCOA.—GRATEFUL AND COMFORTING. "By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected Cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a deliciously flavored beverage which may save us many heavy doctor's bills. It is by the judicious use of such articles of diet that a constitution may be gradually built up until strong enough to resist every tendency to disease. Hundreds of subtle maladies are floating around us ready to attack wherever there is a weak point. We may escape many a fatal ailment by keeping ourselves well fortified with pure blood and a properly nourished frame."

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Why don't they get them, then? Then sensible girls of this generation will mostly be old maids, because men go in for the girls who giggle the most, who are dashing, who sport the most false hair, and who pad the most atrociously. And really it has been so long since a real woman, as God made her

has been in fashion, that we doubt if the men of to-day would know to what species she belonged if they should suddenly behold her.

Suppose you try the sweet simplicity doctrine, young ladies, and go to a ball or a party in the traditional scant-skirted white muslin with blue ribbons, and your hair au naturel.

You will have the pleasure of playing waltz-flouring to the end of the chapter. If anybody thinks dress is of no consequence, just let her get into a railway car with a faded calico gown, and an old shawl, and a last year's bonnet on. All the men will be reading newspapers. They will be very deeply absorbed.

The papers that day will be particularly interesting. Credit Mobilier or the last murder trial will be especially fascinating. They will sit near the end of the seat next the aisle and never see you. You may stand there with your arms full of packages, and shift from one foot to the other, and stagger against their backs at every lurch of the engine, until the crack of doom, before any of those gentlemen who are crying out for plainly-dressed women, will give you a seat.

Next day you just go and dress up in your new spring silk, with its frills and flounces, and your stylish dolman, and your charming Paris hat, and your delicate gloves, and your floating curls, and go into a railway car and half a dozen gentlemen will forget that a newspaper ever existed, and insist that they greatly prefer standing to sitting.

Don't we know! Haven't we tried it? Gentlemen, reform yourselves! If you really desire women to be sensible, encourage them to be so. Have courage to be polite to ladies who are not dressed in the height of fashion. Don't be forever talking about style. Show the ladies by your conduct that you want them sensible, pure minded, and you will have them so, for they will do anything to please you.

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At a missionary meeting in Hamilton, John Sunday, an Indian preacher, in closing an address, spoke as follows: "There is a gentleman who, I suppose, is now in this house. He is a very fine gentleman, but a very modest one. He does not like to show himself at these meetings. I do not know how long it is since I have seen him, he comes out so little. I am very much afraid that he sleeps a great deal of his time, when he ought to be out doing good."

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