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It's a terrible thing, isn't it? Somehow, that awful cough, that hard struggle for air, can never be forgotten. Be a little fore-handed and prevent it. Keep Vapo-Cresolene in the house, and when the children take cold let them breathe-in the vapor during the evening. It goes right to the throat, just where the croup lies. All irritation subsides, the cough quiets down and serious trouble is prevented. It never fails to cure whooping cough.

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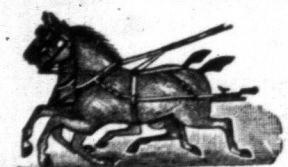
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## YON YONSON'S DISPATCH.

### Old Oleason Was Hardly to Blame For Not Understanding It.

One awfully blizzard night in January I was seated in the little doghouse called a telegraph office on the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad in Illinois. The time was midnight, and I was deeply engrossed in that thrilling detective story, "Shadowed by Three," when the door flew open and a specimen of humanity entered my office.

Several things were the matter with him. He was nearly frozen, excited to the point of insanity and could not talk English.

The purpose of his visit was made known by grunts, signs and a jargon of unintelligible language—he wanted to send a telegram, and I was to copy it from his dictation and then send it on the wire.

The nativity of my caller was Swedish. He repeated to me, I am sure, 600 times what he wanted to say in the message, and as he could not talk Swedish I tried to make a message out of it, with English spelling. When, after almost coming to blows about the thing, I finally accomplished the task to the best of my ability, my attempt resulted in a message reading as follows:

Old Oleason, Monmouth, Ill.—Hear Heaton bedstallaku accom hear savare shashutahel.

Yon Yonson.

This message I read over to the caller just as it sounded to me, and he nodded that it was all right; consequently I sent it to Monmouth, and the next thing I heard of it was three days later, when a dozen Swedes visited me to either find out why Ole Oleason had not come to our city or to do me bodily injury. The matter was left to arbitration, and when Ole was heard from he explained that he did not understand the message. When it got to him, it was adorned with all the fatigues of which such words in the hands of young operators are capable. His copy read:

H. E. & H. Ell. & Pdmukucum hays m 44 are shashun Pazi.

After various diplomatic essays, it developed that my customer had been talking to me in "English" with a Swedish dialect and that what he wanted to say was:

Hear Heaton, he dead, he'd like you come here answer, he shoot himself.

## HE EVENED MATTERS.

### A Small Boy Who Removed a Possible Cause of Evil.

An up town family has two interesting children who are always getting into mischief. The boy, who is the older, is usually the instigator of the escapades, and so though the small girl runs away with him and gives the cat coal oil and sets the plants on fire and steals the eggs the cook expects to have for breakfast, "to beat with sand to make a nice, creamy cake," she usually escapes with a lighter punishment than is meted out to the chief culprit.

Recently, however, the heir of the family got even. An uncle of the children had given each of them a beautiful little cut glass goblet. Now, they didn't care a thing about the cut glass part, but they cared very much for the fact that they carried each was traced on his possession, and they treasured them as if they were jewels of diamonds—for a while.

The first day, indeed, they would hardly drink from them, they deemed them so precious. The second the inventive genius of the son tempted him to set his on the kitchen stove, and that it would get soft and he could write his age on it. Directly, of course, it was in bits.

Then he tried to buy his sister's treasure, but it was not for sale. Not even when he offered to buy it with an equal share in the hobby horse could induce her to part with it. Then, after much cogitation, the ingenious youngster bethought him of a project.

"Put your goblet on this stone, sis, and then we'll let this big stone drop on it and bounce off. It'll be lots of fun; the goblet is so nice and hard," he said.

Confiding little sister, nothing loath, did as she was bid, and in a moment all that remained of her cherished possession also was broken to pieces.

"Now, don't cry," said the brilliant son of the house amiably, when all was over, "I did that on purpose, so we wouldn't want anything I didn't have some of, anyhow. That would be selfish, so let's play policeman." And play policeman they did until called to bed, and the powers that are forever interfering with them.

## The Lay of the Cocoonist.

The wearisome monotony of the school-room is sometimes relieved by the common notions evolved from childish brains. A schoolmistress tells the following from her experience:

"The scholars I had were most of them farm laborers' children, and some of them were a little slow of comprehension. One day in geography class I explained at great length all about the cocoonist. I noticed that one of my scholars looked incredulous, and so, when he slowly put up his hand at the close of the explanation, I asked him what he wanted. With an expression of great anxiety on his face he asked:

"Does cocoonists really grow on trees?"

"Why, of course, Jacob," I answered.

"Where did you think they grew?"

"Why, said he gravely, 'I thought the monkeys laid 'em.'"

## Must Have a Representative.

It is a postulate of Chinese ethics that no branch of any family should be allowed to be without its living representative, in order that the ancestral rites may be duly performed. As it constantly happens that there are no sons it becomes necessary to adopt those of other brothers, or, failing these, the grandson of an uncle or the great grandson of a grandfather. Sons thus adopted are on the same footing as if they were own children and cannot be displaced by such sons born later.

## Still in the Business.

Wunn—By the way, what became of Spriggins? You remember his great commencement essay on the downfall of the Roman republic, eh?

Tuther—Oh, yes! He is now writing bright essays on the downfall of prices for the great universal emporium of Barr, Gaines & Cutts—Indianapolis Press.

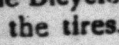
Every one should live just far enough away from his old home to enjoy the privilege of boasting about it.—Atchison Globe.

Life without love is like flowers nurtured without sunshine.

## When you hire a wheel from the Bicycle Livery

If they are Dunlop Tires then you can rest assured the wheel has a good pedigree in its every part.

Dunlop Tires on all good wheels.



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Carlyle says: If you are in doubt whether to kiss a pretty girl or not, give her the benefit of the doubt.

The profit of a gold mine depends, not on the amount of rock crushed under the stamps but upon the amount of gold which can be extracted from the rock. In a similar way the value of the food which is eaten does not depend on the quantity which is taken into the stomach but upon the amount of nourishment extracted from it by the organs of nutrition and digestion. When these organs are diseased they fail to extract the nourishment in sufficient quantities to supply the needs of the several organs of the body, and these organs cannot work without nourishment. The result is heart "trouble," liver "trouble," and many another ailment. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, acting on every organ of the digestive and nutritive system, restores the remote from the stomach through the stomach in which they originated. "Golden Medical Discovery" contains neither alcohol nor narcotics.

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Hall's Family Pills are the Best.

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Woman, Why?—You have sallow skin, pimples, eruptions, discolorations. Why resort to cosmetics and powders to hide the effects? Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills regulate the system and restore to the cheek the healthy rosy bloom and peach blush of youth. From one to two pills a dose will clarify and purify the complexion in short order. 10 cents for 40 doses.—157

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I know MINARD'S LINIMENT will cure Diphtheria.

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I know MINARD'S LINIMENT is the best remedy for croup.

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And you will ward off colds, pneumonia, fevers and other diseases. You need to have pure, rich blood and good digestion. Hood's Sarsaparilla makes the blood rich and pure as no other medicine can. It tones the stomach, creates an appetite and invigorates the whole system. You will be wise to begin taking it now, for it will keep you strong and well.

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For Infants and Children.

Why are cats like unskilled surgeons? Because they mew-till-late and destroy the patients.

**Children Cry for CASTORIA.**

Where is the man who has the power and skill to stem the torrent of a woman's will?

## LOGIC AS A FINE ART.

SHERLOCK HOLMES, JR., GIVES EVIDENCE OF HIS SKILL.

Takes a Man He Never Saw Before and in an Instant Finds Himself in Possession of the Individual's Private History.

"Hah!" exclaimed Sherlock Holmes, Jr., pausing suddenly and looking at a man who had stopped at the corner to wait for a car.

"Do you know him?" asked his companion.

"I never saw him before," Mr. Holmes answered. "I have never heard his name. Until this moment I have been unaware of his existence. He is a married man. He has been married twice. He has a son, and that son is the child of his first wife. He and his second wife have had no children."

"Ah, Sherlock," said the other, full of amazement and curiosity, "you are a constant source of wonder to me. Often I find myself lying awake at night thinking about you and asking myself whether you are really human or not."

The great amateur detective permitted himself to smile faintly. This was unusual for him. After a brief silence he replied:

"There is no reason why you should ask yourself such questions. There is nothing supernatural about these deductions. Now, of course, he was in the secret of it all. Do you know how many cracks or joints there are in the sidewalk between your office door and the corner where you take the car?"

"Why, no," his astonished friend replied.

"Can you tell me how many of your elevator boy's teeth are filled with amalgam?"

"Certainly not. I never looked at his teeth."

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