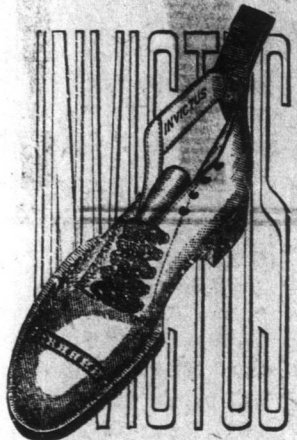


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Side Talks by Ruth Cameron

WHEN NOT TO LAUGH.



RUTH CAMERON

to prevent his getting on. He persisted, they pushed, he struggled and finally lost his grip falling on his back on the pavement.

He might have broken his back or fractured his skull. He didn't. At least, I suppose he didn't for he was on his feet in a few seconds. But before he had regained his feet that whole bus full had burst into uproarious laughter.

He Might Have Killed Himself.

A fall caused by themselves which might easily have proved fatal was their idea of something humorous.

What a person thinks humorous is certainly an interesting criterion of what he is.

Most of us would not laugh at an accident of this sort, but we do sometimes laugh at things which, however absurd they may seem to us, are not proper food for laughter because of what they mean to other people.

Even If It Really Is Funny.

Once upon a time when I was a youngster I was given a well-deserved rebuke in this line. A friend of mine was much upset because of the use of her picture in an amusing way by a newspaper. The usage was funny but it caused her considerable embarrassment and great annoyance when she first discovered it. When she told me about it I couldn't help

laughing which made her quite angry. I resented the anger and said so to a friend who proved herself a true friend by not siding with me. "There are some things you never should laugh at," she said, "One is anyone's religious faith, another is anything which seems serious at the time to the person it has happened to, even if it has a funny side."

There is an amusing little verse which touches on the other side of this subject.

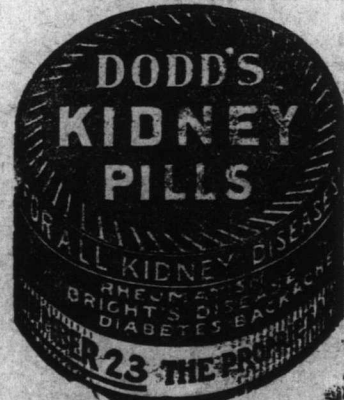
"Oh, do not get delirious
About your troubles numerous,
For what to you seems serious
To others may seem humorous."

We Don't Think Insanity Funny,
But—

Only if they are right kind of others they won't let this fact appear.

Many years ago insanity was thought exceedingly humorous. There are some critics who say that the part about Ophelia in "Hamlet" was put in as a comedy relief. That seems inconceivable to-day and yet many people laugh at drunkenness which is surely first cousin to insanity.

It is good to laugh, but it is also good to know when not to laugh. And nothing will teach one this last so well as good breeding and a kind heart.



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What To Do in a Storm.

If out of doors, trees should be avoided, and if, from the rapidly with which the explosion follows the flash, it should be evident that the electric clouds are near at hand, a recumbent posture on the ground is the most secure.

It is seldom dangerous to take shelter under sheds, carts, or low buildings, or under the arch of a bridge. The distance of 20 or 30 feet from all trees or houses is rather an eligible situation; for, should a discharge take place, these elevated bodies are likely to receive it, and less prominent bodies in the neighbourhood are those likely to escape.

It is right also to avoid water, for it is a good conductor, and the height of a human being near the stream is not likely to determine the direction of a discharge. Within doors we are tolerably safe in the middle of a carpeted room, or when standing on a double hearthrug. The chimney should be avoided, on account of the conducting power of the carbon deposited in it; on the same principle gilt mouldings, bell wires, etc., are in danger of being struck.

In bed we are tolerably safe, blankets and feathers are bad conductors, and we are constantly, to a certain extent, insulated. It is injudicious to take refuge in a cellar, because the discharge is often from the earth to a cloud, and buildings frequently sustain the greatest injury in their basement stories.

Are We All Pigmies?

The huge giant, whose fossilised remains have just been dug up in the State of Vera Cruz, strikes a severe blow at those who boast of physical development in the twentieth century. The giant is claimed to be eleven yards high!

Loushin, the Russian giant, was well under nine feet, or three yards. The biblical giant, Goliath, was merely a dozen feet, and the great King Og, of Basan, did not stand more than sixteen feet six inches in his socks. Og held the record before this eleven-yard champion came along to upset him.

Put him in the kitchen of a modest four-storied house, and his legs would reach the dining-room above, his chest would thrust up into the bedroom, and his head come out in the attic!

The average height of the measly specimen of humanity who inhabits the globe to-day is about five and a half feet. How we are diminishing!

THE FROSTY MORNING.



WAT MARCH

in pills, the druggist weigh it on his scales. I praise it in the highest terms; it is more precious than our rolls; for it's the stuff that kills the germs, and makes the microbes hunt their holes. A mortal loses all his pep when blistered by a summer sun; he toils along with weary step, and feels as though he weighed a ton. A slight exertion makes him groan, he's always in a grouchy mood; in every snow, every bone, he feels a beastly lassitude. But when the autumn frost appears, and eager winds his whiskers nip, he rolls his shirt-sleeves to his ears, and looks for some one he may whip. The languor of the summer time, the weariness of sizzling heat, no more oppress him when he'd climb around the town on busy feet. In August I am beastly old, as old as greybeards ever are; but when the frost lies on the world, I'm younger than a movie star.

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Why Was It Suppressed?

We recorded yesterday the suppression by the Irish military authorities of that well-known Dublin newspaper the Freeman's Journal. It is an act which requires a great deal of explanation—much more than was forthcoming from the Government in the debate in the House of Commons last night.

It is the more extraordinary because one of the proprietors of the Freeman's Journal, Mr. Hamilton Edwards, formerly a director of the Amalgamated Press, is known to be a thoroughly patriotic Englishman. The reason given by the authorities was that the newspaper had published false statements about the recruiting of the Irish police force. This charge is denied; and, if it was true, it is not easy to see why the Government resorted to so high-handed and arbitrary a step instead of prosecuting in the regular manner.—Daily Mail, Dec. 17.

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Some husbands complain that their wives talk too much, and for that matter a similar complaint has been known to be made by women regarding their husbands.

For two married people to refrain from ever speaking to one another for three whole years, however, as have Mr. and Mrs. Hill of Ilford, is surely a record.

Both of them, though, spoke volubly enough to other people; but it is not so very long ago since the newspapers chronicled the death of an eccentric Welshman who voluntarily abstained from all speech whatsoever for a period of thirty years.

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There are, too, many other similar cases on record both as regards men and women, the best known, perhaps being that of the Hungarian patriot Ferencz Ronyi, whose fame lives in B. Nesbitt's "Ballad of Splendid Silence."

Taken prisoner by the Austrians during the rebellion of 1848, Ronyi was ordered to reveal the hiding-place of his men who were still at liberty; and as he refused to answer the Austrian General Haynau, of infamous memory, caused his mother, his sister, and his affianced bride to be executed before his eyes. Still, he heroically kept silence, and never throughout his remaining years did he utter another word.

"Some" Testimonial.

A man sent a testimonial to the "There's Hair" Restorer Company, which read as follows:

"Dear Sirs,—I was recommended by a gentleman who paid us a visit some time ago to try your hair restorer. On trying it I found it greatly successful. I had not much hair on my head at the time, but since I have used it, it has grown long and curly. My wife was complaining to me about the mats being worn out, so I thought I would try this wonderful restorer on them. I applied some, and it has made them look as good as new ones. In placing this wonderful restorer on the front door mat, I accidentally spilt some on the step and thinking it would take no effect, I took no notice of it.

"The next morning, as I was going out of the front door, I was greatly alarmed to see such a lot of hair on the step, and in a week's time it completely covered the house, and as everybody passed they remarked, 'What a lot of hair!'

"I remain, yours truly,
"A. LYRE.
"P.S.—You are at liberty to use this letter just as you please."

The Canny Scot Again.

Turning over the pages of Harry Furness's new volume, "My Bohemian Days," I came across a good story concerning Archibald Forbes, the famous war correspondent.

A deputation of journalists had been granted an interview with the Grand Duke Nicholas of Russia.

While it was in progress (writes Mr. Furness) Forbes, to his annoyance, noticed that a certain Scottish correspondent was writing in his notebook—making "copy" of the interview while actually in the presence of the Grand Duke.

This was too outrageous. "Do put that away. Can't you carry what you want in your head?" said Forbes in an undertone.

But the other was not making copy. "I have just thought," he explained, "that I paid five francs yesterday for a dinner which I didn't put down in my expense account."

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