

QUIPS AND CRANKS.

"My face is my fortune," quoth the maid.

"I'm a fortune-hunter, then," he said.

A Great Trip.—She:—"This is such a stormy season to cross the Atlantic. Was your voyage over remarkable in any way?" He:—"Well, I should say so. I held four aces twice."

A CURE FOR DYSPEPSIA.—Dyspepsia is a prolific cause of such diseases as bad blood, constipation, headache and liver complaint. Burdock Blood Bitters is guaranteed to cure or relieve dyspepsia if used according to directions. Thousands have tested it with best results.

"Women must consider it a dreadful late to be an old maid," mused Mr. Chugwater. "They do, Josiah," said Mrs. Chugwater. "What terrible sticks they sometimes marry to escape it." And Josiah rubbed his chin and said nothing.

FROM THE FAR NORTH.—In northern climates people are very subject to colds, but the natural remedy is also produced in the same climate. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures coughs, colds, hoarseness, asthma, bronchitis and all throat and lung troubles. Price 25c. and 50c.

Keeper (in menagerie)—"You'd better not go too close to that cage. It's none too strong, and that tiger's a savage one." Visitor:—"I'm trying to get acquainted with him. I believe in keeping on the good side even of a tiger." (Pulling him away) "Then you be careful to keep on his outside."

Father:—"Remember, my son, George Washington became the greatest and most beloved man our country ever produced, and yet he never told a lie." Son:—"Yes, father, but he didn't have so much competition as us boys have."

George W., noble youth.
With him my son George does not vie.
"He" cannot tell the truth.

A CURE FOR HEADACHE.—Headache arises from constipation, bad blood, dyspepsia or liver complaint. As B. B. B. cures all these complaints it is naturally the most successful headache cure existing. Once the cause is removed the headache vanishes.

It is confidently asserted that, as far as patriotic instrumentalists are concerned, the banjo is well-nigh "played out," while the mandolin is "coming in with a rush."

Fashion decrees that we must give up handlin' (Excuse the rhyme) the banjo for the mandolin.

"Fashion's as transient as a flaming candle lean," Remarks the played-out banjo to the mandoline.

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Be still, my child; remain in statu quo,
While I propel thy cradle to and fro.
Let no involved res inter allos
Prevail while we're consulting inter nos.

Was that a little pain in medias res?
Too bad! too bad! we'll have no more of these.
I'll send a capias for some wise expert,
Who knows how to eject the pain and stay the hurt.

No trespasser shall come to trouble thee;
For thou dost own this house in simple fee—
And thy administrators, heirs, assigns,
To have, to hold, convey, at thy designs.

Correct thy pleadings, my own baby boy,
Let there be an abatement of thy joy;
Quash every tendency to keep awake,
And verdict, costs and judgment, thou shalt take.—Boston Transcript.



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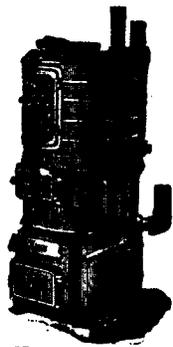
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