

THE HUMORISTS.

A LITTLE NONSENSE NOW AND THEN IS RELISHED BY THE WISEST MEN.

Caller—Is Miss Brownstone at home. Servant—Yes'm. She'll be at home all the evenin'. It's my night out.

Figgs—Closefitts left his property so that his widow could not marry again. Diggs—How was that? Figgs—He left it all to his son.

College President—All the boys have attended prayers regularly this week. Professor—Not one has missed for two weeks.

President—Humph! Some infernal mischief is brewing.

Visitor (in Jones room at 11 p. m.)—That young lady in the house across the way sings like a bird.

Jones (unkindly)—Well, not altogether. You see a bird stops singing at night.

Cadson—Cholly's a reckless dog; seems always to live from hand to mouth.

The Major—Yes; and mostly from some other fellow's hand.

"There is nothing new under the sun," remarked Solomon.

"O, yes, there is," said the milliner's collector, as he came up with the bill, "and your wife is wearing it."

Madge—Pa, that nice young fellow Mr. Downing, is awful fond of kissing.

Pa—How did you find that out, you good for nothing girl?

Madge—I got it from his own lips, pa.

Watta—I believe there is something in the theory of people being disinclined to marry those of similar character.

Potts—Why, sure! You never find a grass widow waiting her time on an ideal man of straw, do you?

Dick (at seaside hotel)—Where is Harry? We can not go without Harry.

Tom—He is up in his room writing to his father.

Dick—Then never mind him; he must be broke.

FORELIGHT OF A WOMAN.

I was talking one day with a lady about a friend whom we knew and loved, and she said: "If there is a heaven upon earth it is in his home!" It was a home from which selfishness had been expelled and love had come in to take its place.

Types imperfectly shadow the thing! they are intended to represent, but the stock of human happiness would be greatly increased if Christians would strive to make their homes here types of the better home hereafter, of which it is said there shall in no wise enter into it anything that defileth.

There is moral force in a home made beautiful by architecture and art, but there is uplifting power in a home that is made attractive by a pure and happy family life. A Christian father once said to a minister: "The moral anchorage of my sons is their cheerful, pure, attractive home life."

The humblest home may be made the centre of the highest happiness. In a recent article in a Western paper, the writer says: "Over a coffin the other day I heard a man say of the sleeper: 'In poverty and grief she never failed to have a kind and hopeful word for me.'" Such a tribute as that opens to us a glimpse of a home that had a heaven in it.

We often say that it will be our highest happiness in heaven to be with Jesus. Why may we not have a foretaste of that happiness by having Jesus with us in our homes here? It is written to God's chosen people that when, over all the land, there was darkness that might be felt, "All the children of Israel had light in their dwellings." May not the heavenly Father's children always have light in all their dwellings?

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his Stomach was disordered, his Liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

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