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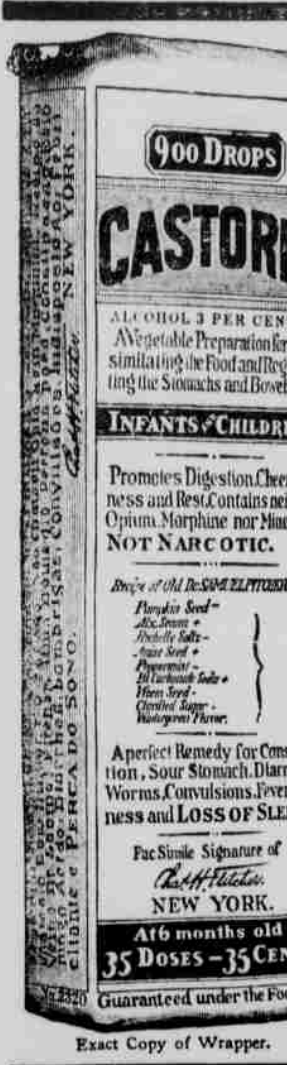
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CHEERFULNESS.

We Should Cultivate Cheerfulness at All Times.

In order to appear pleasant we must be cheerful. This is a duty we owe to others as well as ourselves. The world is on the lookout for all that is bright and gay, if we wish to be appreciated in social life, we must appear like a ray of sunlight, rather than a cloud, no matter how beautiful that cloud may be.

In life we meet with many unpleasant things that have a tendency to make us sad and depressed, but by sweet smiles and loving words of kindness, we may expel many horrors and make ourselves and many others around us feel bright and happy, instead of gloomy and sad.

There is much sorrow lurking in the pathway of every one, and in order to avoid becoming despondent, we must ever look on the bright side of life, for the happiest people are those who find pleasure in all things.

We should cultivate cheerfulness. If at first it seems unnatural it will after a short time, lose its artificial aspect, and seem entirely natural.

A cheerful countenance yields an influential power in winning affection and retain it after it has been won. One may be ever so beautiful and attractive, and yet wholly incapable of calming the troubled heart, unless he possesses a cheerful disposition.

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DR. DRAYTON'S PATIENT

By JEAN DICKERSON.

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A HERO.

He Who Does the Right Thing at the Right Time is a Hero.

This incident, which comes to us from over the sea, teaches us what a true hero is.

A few years ago a fire broke out in a charming little Swiss village. In a few hours the quaint frame houses were entirely destroyed.

One poor man was in greater trouble than his neighbors even. His home and cows were gone, and so, also, was his son, a bright boy of six or seven years. He wept and refused to hear any words of comfort. He spent the night wandering sorrowfully among the ruins.

Just as daybreak came, however, he heard a well known sound, and looking up, he saw his favorite cow leading the herd, and coming directly after them was his bright-eyed little boy.

"O, my son!" he cried, "are you really alive?"

"Why, yes, father. When I saw the fire, I ran to get our cows away to the pasture lands."

"You are a hero, my boy!" the father exclaimed.

But the boy said: "No! A hero is one who does some wonderful deed. I led the cows away because they were in danger, and I knew it was the right thing to do."

"Ah!" cried the father, "he who does the right thing at the right time is a hero.—Sunday School Gem."



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DANCIN' STILL.

Lots of the old boys dancin' still, Specially down by the cider mill.

Lots of the graybeards loosenin' tongue Because of the spell that has turned them young With the feel of the autumn, the splendid wine That tingles the heart till it's feeling fine.

Lots of the old boys singin' away, Specially out where the sunbeams play. Over the apples piled high to be Turned into toddy—Oh, mercy me! Lots of 'em waitin' to take their turn Where the ripples run and the bubbles burn.

Lots of the old boys smilin' yet Over the things that they can't forget— Days of autumn, with tang and smack Of sparklin' cider and applejack, And maybe a fiddle to play all night With the moon in the blue sky silver and bright.

THE QUIET LITTLE PLACE.

The quiet little place in the corner of your life, Oh, how it helps you smile through the struggle and the strife. To get away all cozy in its close enfolds sometimes, And listen to the silver of its memory-echoed chimes, And dance the dreamy dances that its sympathy of cheer Plays through the gentle shadows to your ever-lasting care!

The quiet little place that you've cut out for your own In an hour or two of comfort when the surging cares have flown; The smiling little moment in a waste of fuss and stream, When you sit down by a window in a corner for a dream, And the golden fancies winging from some fairyland of mist Take you back again to childhood and its morns of amethyst.

The quiet little place that you rush to day by day, Because there are so many things from which to get away, And all the troubled spirit in its yearning years the most For just a chance to linger in the shadows like a ghost, And have the old heart feelings that are comforting and true When the days have been unhappy and the soul has been so blue.

The quiet little place in the lives of all is sweet, The corner of our being where with higher selves we meet, And sitting there together in the beauty of the spell Feel a comfort stealing through us that no tongue can ever tell, And a higher resolution surging through our souls again To go forth and face the battle and be more courageous men.

DR. DRAYTON'S PATIENT (Continued)

Doctor Drayton dismissed his last patient just as the telephone at his elbow rang sharply. His sister's voice came over the wire, frightened with a burden of important news.

"I know you are dreadfully busy, Frederick," she apologized, "but Mrs. Weeks has just told me the most exciting thing—it's about Archer—"

"Spare me, Hannah," said the doctor, wearily. "I don't just understand why it is that people delight in acquainting me with news of my son's delinquencies; as a matter of fact, Archer has overcome any tendency to wildness and has settled down to hard work. I have hopes of his becoming something of a lawyer. Now, if you will excuse me—what—ah? An actress? Well, boys will be boys—and er—well, good-by!" He banged the telephone back on the desk and frowned at the picture of his handsome only son that looked down from the wall.

"Hannah says a very common actress! That doesn't sound like Archer—but what can I do? I can refuse to give my consent to his marriage with the woman and estrange myself from my lad! What is that, Harris, a call?"

"Yes, sir," said the attendant. "Emergency case—the lady was knocked down by an automobile and they brought her in here. I had her taken to the private room."

"That is right, Harris. I will come at once."

The physician slipped into a fresh white coat and opening a door in one corner of the office found himself in a small room fitted for emergency cases.

On the narrow white bed was the slender form of a young woman. Miss Smith, the nurse, was removing the black broadcloth costume with quick, deft fingers.

"Badly hurt, Miss Smith?" asked the doctor.

"A broken arm, I think, and I am afraid of concussion," she said in a low tone.

The doctor leaned over the lovely unconscious face of the girl and made a rapid examination.

"It may be concussion, but I think it is only shock. The arm is fractured—send Harris in."

Two hours later Doctor Drayton retired from the sick room satisfied that the unknown patient would recover.

"You will, of course, send her to a hospital," suggested Miss Smith.

"I think not," he hesitated. The girl felt very tenderly toward the young thing lying there on the bed.

A week slipped by, and still the sick room was occupied, much to the unspoken amazement of Miss Smith.

One day the patient opened lovely hazel eyes and smiled at the nurse.

"Where am I?" she asked faintly.

"At Doctor Drayton's home," replied Miss Smith primly.

The eyes closed again and a faint flush stole over the pale face. "Please tell me what has happened," she murmured.

Miss Smith told her in a few words of the automobile accident in front of the doctor's office. "We have been unable to learn your name," she suggested.

"Alice," murmured the girl, and went off to sleep.

"Have you discovered her name?" asked the doctor on his next visit to the sick room.

"Merely that it is Alice—she seems disinclined to talk—it's rather a mysterious case, Doctor Drayton. Perhaps she has no home—no people."

"I wish she hadn't—I would adopt her in a minute," said the doctor gruffly as he left the room.

He found his son smoking in the library.

"Hallo, dad, rushed as usual, I suppose," said the young man as he returned his father's hand grip.

"Yes—and I have rather a puzzling private case in the house."

A tap came at the door and Harris poked a disturbed face inside.

"I beg your pardon, Doctor Drayton, but Miss Smith wants you to come once—the patient insists on leaving the house and has demanded her clothes, and Miss Smith doesn't know what to do."

Archer followed his father into the hall.

Near the front door stood Miss Smith, her arms stretched across the doorway barring the departure of the young patient who had donned her street clothes and was standing pale and silent before the nurse.

"Madame!" expostulated Doctor Drayton.

"Alice" cried Archer sharply.

In a moment Alice was in his arms and hiding a blushing disturbed face on his broad shoulder.

Record Diamond Drill.

The largest diamond drill core ever cut has just been presented to Lehigh University. It was cut in the Marcy vein, at the Maltby colliery, Scranton. The specimen is a core of an 11-inch diamond drill and the core is 19 inches in diameter. The object of the drilling was to drain some old workings at the Maltby colliery. A barrier of 183 feet had to be penetrated before the water, which had a head of 176 feet, could be tapped. The core shows the middle rock of the Marcy vein.

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If woman had her way man wouldn't have his.

HARD TO FOLLOW.

Lady Duff Gordon, the fashion expert, said to a New York reporter: "If you see a girl with a skirt as loose and full as a balloon, don't think her old-fashioned. The tight skirt has gone. The loose full one has come back. "It is very hard for you young men to keep track of the fashion. A girl said to a young man one evening: "Here I walked through the Row and Piccadilly, and took tea with you at the Carlton, and all the time the button of my blouse was unfastened at the back, and yet you never offered to do them up." "Well," said the young man, "I thought perhaps it was the newest wrinkle. You see, I offered to sew up the slit in a girl's skirt the other day and she told me to mind my own business or she'll tell her father."—St. Louis Democrat.

WHAT DID HE EXPECT?

"Jones," said a hotel manager to a waiter, "what did that gent from table No. 7 leave so suddenly for?" "Well, sir," said the waiter, "he sat down and asked for saucages, and I told him we were out of them, but if he would care to wait a few minutes I could get the cook to make some." "Well," said the manager, "what then?" "I went to the kitchen," resumed the waiter, "and accidentally trod upon the dog's tail, and of course it yelped. And suddenly the gent got up and left."—London Tit Bits.

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BILLY SUNDAY'S COMPLIMENTS TO MY LADY.

WASHINGTON POST.

"The mere society woman—the mere society woman," repeated Sunday, with emphasis—"is the most useless being on the face of the earth. She has no occasion to use brains. All she thinks her body is for is to be a fashionable frame on which to hang fashionable garments, and a digestive apparatus with which to gormandize upon all the viands that a rich husband gives. Her daughter runs to dancing and painting her face. If you kissed her you'd die of painter's colic."

"About women of the smart set, who are merely that, little can be said in justification. They are silly, frivolous, extravagant. They have thrown to the winds all modesty, prudence, religion, and the virtues that are so attractive in women, and have allowed themselves to be flattered, cajoled, and bamboozled by a lot of jilted jays with cracked characters. They turn their homes into third-rate gambling dens and booze joints.

"We're always hearing about poor girls who go wrong and sell themselves to the devil and tempt men into sin. If you believe what some folks say you'd think it was only the six-dollar-a-week factory girl that filled the joints and wrecked the homes and lured away mothers' darlings. As a matter of fact, some of the most dangerous women, some of the most unprincipled sirens, are to be found among the daughters of the rich; women who prefer cards to cradles, who will lie for money, steal for money, wear the scarlet lener for money, murder for money."

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ADrift with Humor

Victim—Mercy! That isn't the right tooth you've pulled.

Denist—Be patient, madam; I am coming to it.

"Eh, there! Your dog is sniffing very close to me."

"Oh, he sniffs everybody, but he bites rarely."

Chump—Were you ever at an afternoon tea?

Grump—No, but once I was in a house where 16 phonographs played simultaneously.

"You say he is the man who put this town on the map?"

"That's him, stranger. He just finished serving his sentence about six months ago."

Weary Variety Agent—And what is your particular claim to originality?

Artist—I'm the only comedian who has so far refrained from addressing the orchestra as "you in the trench."

The Mother—I see a triangular tray to hold a piece of pie unharmed in a lunch box has been invented.

The Boy—But who would harm such a little piece of pie as you cut, mamma?

Crawford—Did you have any regular schedule when you went your motoring tour?

Crabshaw—Oh, no! We just naturally stopped wherever the car happened to have a breakdown.

"Why are you moping there, Dick?"

"I've no one to play with."

"Well, go and fetch Freddie, next door."

"Oh, I played with him yesterday, and I don't suppose he's well enough to come out yet."

LITERAL ANGUISH.

"Woman, you are undone!" hissed her rival in the amateur play.

"Oh, where?" cried the heroine, trying to get a look at the back of her waist.

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