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Deep in my darling's wondrous tender eyes,
Dark, luminous with longing love! Behold
The fleet unspoken heart words swiftly rise
In sweet mute eloquence, their story told.
Told—though her lips move not, nor word, nor sign;
No tell-tale tint invades her dimpled cheek,
And yet I know her love is mine—all mine,
No tongue can shape the thoughts her dear eyes speak.

RENT WAS NOT RAISED.

A WOMAN SHOWED HERSELF TOO SMART FOR HER LANDLORD.

They met in a street car, and the woman with the golf cape remarked:

"I see you still have the same house."

"Yes, and at the same rent," remarked the woman with the ostrich boa.

"But I thought your landlord had decided to raise it?"

"He did, but some how I didn't expect to move, though Tom gave up the house at once. You see, I really can't afford to have any more bric a brac smashed in moving wagons. I've lost enough already to stock a department store."

"So you have decided not to move?"

"Not quite, dear. You see, I told the landlord that I was very sorry to move, but we really couldn't afford a higher rent and that I myself would gladly show the house to intending tenants. Then I set every room in order and waited."

"Well."

"Well, I really thought that the first woman that came would take it. I praised the closets and told her what swell neighbors we had and"—

"But I thought you didn't want to"—

"No dear, but just as she was leaving I casually mentioned the fact that two persons had died of typhoid fever in the next house above and one two doors below. She seemed somewhat agitated, and when I called out the laddlord's address after her she didn't seem much interested."

"But, Maggie, you know that was"—

"Some time ago? Yes, but I never could remember dates, and the people did die."

"Well, did she"—

"Never went near. The bedrooms were too small for the next people, and the next ones were delighted, but thought the rent rather dear. Then I remarked that immediately after luncheon I intended to run around and engage that lovely little house in the next square at a lower rent. They carelessly asked which house, and I noticed that they turned that corner."

"How could you? Well, did she"—

"Well, you know, it was cheaper, and if they had taken our house I should have been obliged to rent that, for it was near enough to have my bric a brac carried.

"Your landlord told me that Swellstyles intended to take it."

"They did, but after Mrs. Swellstyles and I had gone over it I said, 'Your children all look so healthy that I think the house will just suit you, but mine, you know, are rather delicate, and the least hint of sewer gas alarms us.' She turned pale, and I knew at once that no even the parlor mantel would induce her to take it."

"And the landlord?"

"Oh, he came around that evening and said that as we were such good tenants he had decided not to raise the rent. Tom was so surprised."

"No wonder," gasped her friend. "This is our stopping place. Come and have a cream soda. I feel faint."—Chicago Tribune.

A Million Friends.

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A FREQUENT OUTING.

"My husband and I never have a discussion before the children. If I see a quarrel coming on, we always send them out."

"I thought I had seen them in the street very often."—Harper's Bazar.

GREAT DISAPPOINTMENT.

She—I hear you got a little brother for a New Year's present. Ain't yer glad?

He—Naw!

She—Did yer want a sister?

He—Naw. I didn't want no brudder nor no sister neider. I wanted a fightin' dorg an' a pair o' skates!—Life.

SEEING ON TRUST.

First Man—This must be an awfully funny play.

Second Man—What makes you think so?

First Man—Just see how those women in front of us are shaking with laughter.—Judge.

FREDDY PUTS IN HIS OAR.

Mrs. Tarbucket—Yes, ma'am. I done raise dis yere chile on de bottle.

Freddy—Huh! I guess it must have been an ink bottle.—Life.

A TERRIBLE MYSTERY.

Frouzy Fred—Wot's de matter, Bill? Yer lookin' blue.

Bibulous Bill—I feels blue, Frouzy, I feels blue. A doctor told me de other day dat I had water on de brain, an' I've been a tryin' ter think ever since how it got dere.—Brooklyn Life.

ENCOURAGING.

Tenant—Why, I haven't been able to make a fire in this fireplace all the winter. It doesn't draw.

Landlord—So? Then it must have saved about five pounds for you in fuel. In such a case I'm afraid I'll have to raise your rent.—Comic Cuts.

There is good reason for the popularity of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Davis & Buzard, of West Monterey, Clarion Co., Pa., say: "It has cured people that our physicians could do nothing for. We persuaded them to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and they now recommend it with the rest of us." 25 and 50 cent bottles.

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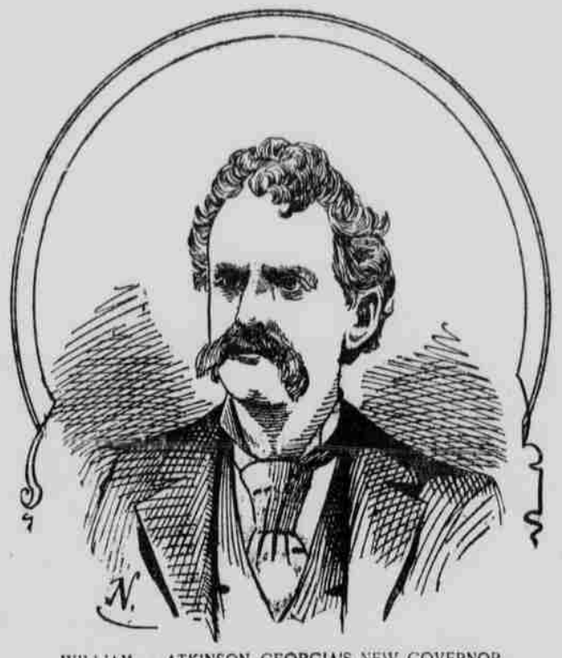

WILLIAM . ATKINSON, GEORGIA'S NEW GOVERNOR.

The newly-elected democratic governor of Georgia is a self-made man in every sense of the term. He worked his way through the University of Georgia and earned his own tuition for the study of the law. He has served several terms in the Georgia legislature, and has also been speaker of the house. He has been in politics since boyhood. His friends declare that he is now headed for the United States Senate.

THOSE NEEDLESS QUESTIONS.

"Good morning, Pat! Been injured in some way?"

"No, sor. Oi'm on me way to a masquerade."

"At this time in the morning? It is only nine o'clock!"

"Thrue for you, sor; but Oi'm goin' as a victim of a cable-car accident, an' for the saake ov carryin' out the disbguise. Oi how to thravel shlow like. Oi'll git there by to-night."

END OF THE WORLD.

AN ASBURY PARK PASTOR THINKS IT WILL COME RIGHT AFTER THE CHINESE WAR.

The Rev. Howard T. Widdemer, the pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Asbury Park, N. J., has expressed a belief that the world will come to an end in about ten years. Mr. Widdemer was teaching a class of boys in the Sunday school, and one of the boys made a remark about getting married.

"You should not begin so early to think of marriage," said Mr. Widdemer. "When you are 35 years of age, you will be just about old enough."

"But I may be dead by that time," said the boy.

"Yes, I think you will be dead," was Mr. Widdemer's unexpected reply.

When asked to explain, the minister said he thought all persons would be dead before the boy reaches the age of 35.

He bases his belief upon the Scriptures and particularly on that passage which seems to prophesy the end of the world when the gospel shall have been preached unto all the nations. He says that already missionaries have carried the gospel into every nation save one small country, which in his opinion the present China Japanese war will open up.

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TRUMPET CALLS.

RAM'S HORN SOUNDS A WARNING NOTE TO THE UNREDEEMED.

A stingy man's life is a prayer that God will be just like him.

Truth has no Sunday coat.

Knowledge of sin leads to it.

Only those can forgive who love.

Anybody can go to heaven—on a tombstone.

If the devil couldn't lie he would have to quit.

The man who does his duty will not slight it.

No man lives right who does not live for God.

All we can tell others about God is what he is to us.

When God tells us to rejoice it is a sin not to do it.

The peacemaker need never by out of employment.

One symptom of backsliding is a lack of thankfulness.

Don't argue with infidelity; show it the love of Christ.

It took the death of Christ to make our lives worth living.

Godliness goes right on paying dividends after the bank breaks.

If we speak kind words we must cultivate kind feelings.

When a peacock spreads its feathers it forgets it has black feet.

The things which do most to make us happy do not cost money.

If you would have power with God in prayer, take time to meditate.

You need not be civil to the devil in order to show that you are no bigot.

The hardest work any man can undertake, is to try to manage himself.

The busier a man is the harder it is for the devil to get into conversation with him.

SAMBO FOR CHAPLAN.

A REFORM IN CONGRESSIONAL DEVOTIONS IS IMPERATIVELY DEMANDED.

It is that several colored ministers will be candidates for the position of chaplain of the next House of Congress. We hope that one of them will be chosen. The colored preacher is proverbially strong in prayer and has an unique and original style of supplication that would be a revelation to Congressmen accustomed to the stiff, dry as dust prayers of the average chaplain. The style of prayer usually dealt out to the country's lawmakers has a formal cut, is as conventional as a clerical coat and as evenly polished and as nicely rounded as though the petitioner were contributing to the literature of Heaven instead of humbly begging pardon for sin and seeking the guidance of the Most High. A reform in congressional devotions is imperatively demanded. What Congress, especially the next Congress, needs is good, old-fashioned, robust, plantation prayer—prayer full of melody and emotion, that will raise the canscience of a bald headed reprobate from the dead and knock like thunder at the pearly gate. No other than a negro parson can fill this long felt want. And if a negro chaplain is to be selected, let him be a sure enough old-fashioned Sambo, full of the spirit and strong in the native faculty and untaught power that belongs only to the untutored Senegambian of the lowlands. The educated negro is a rank failure in prayer. He has sacrificed all the originality, the fervor, the unction of his race to technical skill in prayer craft. The genuine, soul-moving negro prayer must not be fettered by syntax, nor by the dictionary. It must go to Heaven its own way and on its own wings. There is an angel there that will correct all its mistakes and make it read according to the heart of the supplicant. The Reed Congress will need a chaplain of this sort to expostulate the throne of grace—one that can boldly grapple with the mercy of the Lord, even as Jacob did with the angel, and not let go except with a blessing. That Congress, unless all signs and precedents fail, will be wild and wooly, and the chaplain ought to harmonize with his surroundings.—Memphis Commercial.

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THE WEATHER.

When you wish to know what the weather is to be, go and select the smallest cloud you see; keep your eye upon it, and if it decreases and disappears it shows a state of the air which will be sure to be followed by fair weather; but if it increases in size, falling weather will not be far off. The reason is this: When the air is becoming charged with electricity you will see every cloud attracting all less ones toward it until it gathers into a shower. And, on contrary, when the fluid is passing off or diffusing itself, even a large cloud will be seen breaking to pieces and dissolving.

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SMILES.

"A LITTLE NONSENSE NOW AND THEN."

When a man is full you would expect him to look occupied.

After a man passes fifty his family have the most fun after he is tucked in bed.

If some people couldn't find anything to hide behind, they would always be on the run.

That girl who is saving up for a sealskin sacque may not be far-sighted but she sees fur ahead.

The friendship between two girls usually ceases as soon as they have told everything they know.

He (after the acceptance)—Have you never loved any one so much as you do me? She (thoughtfully)—Not in the winter.

"So you are going to break your engagement with Harry? How will you do it?" "I don't know. I was thinking of marrying him.

"Then you are quite satisfied with this picture of your husband?" Wife—Well, yes—that is, if it's impossible to make it look any less like him than it does now.

Bacon—What are you doing with a picture of a footfall player pinned to your coat? Egbert—Oh, yes! My wife pinned that there so as to remind me to have my hair cut.

"Well, now," said father plumpkin, "all this talk about what a farmer ought to raise and ought not to raise is jest nonsense. What he wants to do is to raise the hoe often enough and any kind of a crop will do well enough."

Domestic—Oh, please, mum, what shall I do? Half the soup is spilt, and the boarders is at the table. Mrs. Slimdiet (firmly)—Empty the box of red pepper into what's left. There will be enough then.

A certain judge took occasion recently to warn his people from coming into the court room drunk, in these words: "I wish to put everybody on notice that if they come into this court room while I am sittiog on this bench drunk they had better look out."

Carlton Cornwell foreman of the Gazette, Middletown, N. J., believes that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy should be in every home. He used it for a cold, and it effected a speedy cure. He says: "It is indeed a grand remedy, I can recommend to all. I have also seen it used for whooping cough, with the best results." 25 and 50 cent bottles.

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Literary women have a way of making a man humble by asking him if he has read a certain novel that is just out, and then when he admits that he hasn't, of looking at him as if he were a worm.

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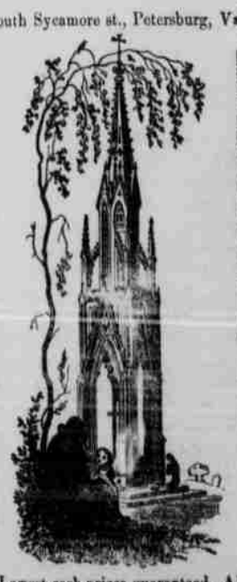

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