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"Miss Fyrtie," said the jealous lover, sternly, "I demand an explanation."

"About what?" asked the fair young girl.

"I want to know what you mean by being engaged to Tom Digby and me at the same time."

"Nothing."

SPOKE TOO SOON.

"My dear," said the caller, "I was over to see Mrs. Gabbit yesterday afternoon, and you just ought to have heard what she said about you. Why, she talked about you all the time I was there."

"Mrs. Gabbit?" exclaimed the hostess, warmly. "Well, all I've got to say is that nobody believes a word she says. That woman couldn't speak the truth if she tried. Everything she says is pure invention—I won't give it a worse name, but I have my own opinion."

"I am dreadfully sorry to hear it. She talked all the time about you, and said she thought you were one of the nicest women in this town, and a lot more of the same nature."—Chicago Tribune.

CLUMSY.

"Our friend Pogrel admits that he sometimes has trouble seeing his nose."

"That's queer. Her feet are usually so clumsy, I don't see how she could get away from him."

BUT NEARLY.

"The giraffe was telling me he felt sick all over this morning," remarked the antelope.

"Of that is just his imagination," replied Dr. Monk.

"Wasn't he really sick all over?"

"Not quite; just throat trouble."

Keep your bowels regular by the use of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. There is nothing better.

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Robbing Yourself

That is just what you are doing when you fail to get regular and sufficient sleep. Your body requires this unconscious period for repair work; without it your nerve energy becomes exhausted, and you are tired, worn-out, nervous, excitable; have headache, neuralgia, indigestion, poor appetite, or other ailments caused by a lack of nerve force. Make it your business to sleep. If you are restless, take Dr. Miles' Nervine; it soothes and strengthens the nerves, and brings sweet, refreshing, life-giving sleep, and gives the organs power to work naturally. Try it to-day.

"I had a severe spell of fever, which left me in a very weak condition and very nervous. I had severe spells of sleep but very little. Every effort that was made to recover my strength was of no avail until I began taking Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine. After I commenced to take the Nervine my sleep was profound and restful, and the pain in my head, as well as the extent and I grew gradually better."

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THE BEAUTY QUEST.

Elizabeth has given up her music and her club; she spends her time between two things—her mirror and her "tub." The cookbook and her new white robes are covered thick with dust, for Lizzie has a brand new fad, and practice it she must! She's going to be the loveliest thing alive—if she just lives till Spring.

She gets up in the morning and brings out the diagram which tells her how to breathe and loosen up her diaphragm. And then she grabs a dumbbell that weighs an ounce or two and "puts it up" just eighteen times, as she has learned to do. While mother hustles down and makes The coffee and the butter cakes.

From breakfast time till lunch is served Elizabeth is found before her dressing table with strange instruments around. With which she works her cheeks and lips, massages throat and chin. And "rubs the wrinkles out again," in case some have crept in. But mother with her dust rag goes About with smudges on her nose.

The afternoon Elizabeth divides with jealous care. Between a walk of counted steps and putting up her hair; She reads each day an article about the beauty quest, And when she yawns, lies down to seek a little well-earned rest, While mother stands on guard to keep Folks from disturbing Lizzie's sleep.

Most of us think that Lizzie's always been a pretty girl (Although she had a freckle once and though her hair won't curl). But Lizzie's found her mission and when Spring gets here again She'll be a bowing beauty who will turn the heads of men. And mother? She'll be pleased to death Just to admire Elizabeth.

THE PATTERN OF THE SHINGLE.

When the angry passion gathering in my mother's face I see, And she leads me in the bedroom, gently lays me on her knee; Then I know that I will catch it, and my flesh in fancy itches, As I listen for the patter of the shingle on my breeches.

Every tingle of the shingle has an echo and a sting, And a thousand burning fancies into active being spring; And a thousand bees and hornets' oath my coat-tail seem to swing, And I listen to the patter of the shingle—Oh, so warm.

In a spatter comes my father—whom I supposed had gone— To survey 'the situation and tell her to lay it on; To see her bending o'er me, as I listen to the strain, Played by her and by the shingle in a wild and weird refrain.

In a sudden intermission, which appears my only chance, I say: "Strike gently, mother, or you'll split my Sunday pants." She stops a moment, draws her breath, the shingle holds aloft, And says: "I hadn't thought of that, my son; just take them off."

Holy Moses! and the angels, cast thy pitying glances down, And thou, Oh, family doctor, put a good salt poultice on; And may I with the fools and dunces everlastingly commingle If I ever say another word when my mother wields the shingle.

SECOND COMING OF CHRIST.

DR. TORREY SAYS CHRISTIANS WILL BE GATHERED UP TO GLORY WHILE ENGAGED IN THEIR EVERY-DAY PURSUITS.

Dr. Reuben A. Torrey, who has been conducting a great revival meeting in Philadelphia, in a sensational sermon declared his firm conviction that Christ is likely to come at any moment, and, gathering up Christian people from the streets and homes of Philadelphia, carry them to heaven in a cloud of glory. Everything will be going on just the same as now, he said. The theaters probably will be gay with light and music, men and women will be making merry at card parties and champagne suppers, politicians will be holding conventions and other people will be engaged in their ordinary pursuits.

And then, he said, all at once, the sound of a trumpet will be heard, angels will appear, and amid a cloud of light Christ himself will come to release his own. The people will leave the theaters, not by the front door but by the roof, and those who have been looking for the Lord will go forever to live with Him in glory.

Dr. Torrey preached with vividness and realism and held his audience awe-stricken. At times people glanced involuntarily at the ceiling as if they half expected to see the glory of the Lord breaking in upon them. At other times they broke into fervent cries of "Glory be to God," "Praise the Lord" and similar expressions of religious fervor.

Dr. Torrey supported his argument as to the second coming of Christ with numerous Biblical quotations and, in the course of his argument, made a sharp fling at Christian Scientists, and "humbly" Christians who hide in "obscure corners" and "clandestine chambers."

He said: "Some people speak of the great revival sweeping around the world as the second coming of Christ. But that is not the coming told about in the Bible. That the Lord Himself shall come, is what the Bible teaches. He will come visibly, in a cloud, in the very manner that we saw Him go, and every eye shall see Him in His glory. This is not what I think or what I teach. It is what the Bible teaches."

Besides coming visibly, Christ will come publicly. "As the lightning cometh out of the East and shineth toward the West, so shall the coming of the Lord." In these days men are constantly professing that they are Christ. But these are 'dear-o'-ears' and 'inner chamber' Christs. They are all predicted and expected non-events."

Grip Quickly Knocked Out.

"Some weeks ago during the severe winter weather both my wife and myself contracted severe colds which speedily developed into the worst kind of a grip, with all its miserable symptoms," says Mr. J. S. Egerton, of Maple Landing, Iowa. "Knees and joints aching, muscles sore, head stopped up, eyes and nose running with alternate spells of chills and fever. We began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, aiding the same with a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, and by its liberal use soon completely knocked out the grip."

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IS THE MOON INHABITED?

Science has proven that the moon has an atmosphere, which makes life in some form possible on that satellite; but not for human beings, who have a hard enough time on this earth of ours; especially those who don't know that Electric Bitters cure Headache, Biliousness, Malaria, Chills and Fever, Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Dizziness, Torpid Liver, Kidney Complaints, General Debility and Female Weakness. Unparalleled as a general tonic and appetizer for weak persons and especially for the aged. It induces sound sleep. Fully guaranteed by all druggists. Price only 50c.

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A MARRIAGE COMPACT.

THE PATH OF REFORM HAS ALREADY BEEN BLAZED BY A FORESIGHTED COUPLE IN DENVER, COL.

Unquestionably the root of many domestic troubles and marital contentions may be traced to the looseness and vagueness of the marriage contract. It formulates no definite and practical modus vivendi for the contracting parties. Even the "obey clause" is either omitted altogether or is no longer taken seriously. The mutual rights and duties of married life are left to be determined by combat and compromise, arbitration and conciliation. If the two parties get together at the outset and draw up a form of agreement to govern their partnership the chances of controversy and disruption would be greatly diminished. Here is a project for reform upon which the students of the divorce problem might well concentrate their efforts.

The path of reform has already been blazed by a foresighted couple in Denver, Col., under the guidance of the mother of the canny bride and the father of the groom. The bride's mother drew up an agreement, or rather, a catalogue of do's, which she asked the groom to sign. The latter submitted the draft to his father, who framed a counter pledge for the bride to sign. The concordat possesses high sociological interest. The groom pledged himself, in part, as follows:

I will not smoke in the bedrooms.

I will not join more than two secret societies and will spend at least two nights a week at home.

I will not pretend to have business conditions and financial conditions from my wife, pretending to be afraid she will worry.

I will not quit dressing well, and run around looking like a tramp, saying "I'm married now, it doesn't make any difference;" but promise, if able, to buy at least two new suits of clothes each year.

I will not insist on choosing the names for all the babies.

I will attend to the furnace myself or hire a man to do it. I will not refuse to discharge the cook. I will not complain or get sarcastic if the meals are disarranged or bad, and, finally, I will go to church with my wife at least three times a year.

And the bride promised, among other things:

Not to invite all my friends to visit, and not to exclude my husband's friends from the house.

Not to join more than three women's clubs or insist upon reading my papers to my husband.

Not to keep pet dogs.

Not to pick out some other man in the neighborhood and hold him up as a model.

Not to complain of feeling sick, tired out and nervous oftener than is necessary.

Not to go shopping more than three times a week.

Not to drag my husband out to evening parties when he comes home tired out and worried.

Not to insist that the baby gets its temper and bad traits from its father's family.

Not to insist on trying to economize by doing home repairs, painting, or making home furniture.

Not to tell my husband the shortcomings of the servants every evening at dinner, nor to insist on talking to him while he is reading the paper at breakfast; not to ask him to suggest what to have for dinner, and, finally, not to insist on buying his clothes.

A PERFECT MATCH.

The Portrait Painter (in despair)—"Madam, I find it impossible to procure colors that will match your exquisite complexion."

The Sitter (without reserve)—"Well, man, just draw the outlines (today; and when I come next time I'll bring some of my colors for you"—April Lippincott's.

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"Well, to be exact, I'm 'tossie broke'."

"What's the difference?"

"I went broke buying a solitaire for my girl."

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