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EVERY-DAY SUPERSTITIONS.

Some of the Many Things That Bring Good or Bad Luck--Lots of Superstitious Folks.

WHAT is your pet superstition? Oh, you haven't any? But didn't I see you stoop to pick up several pins while we were out walking? Yet, it cannot be the value of the pins; therefore it must be that ancient saying:

"See a pin and pick it up,
All the day you'll have good luck!"

which caused you to do it, and this is only one of your pet superstitions if you did not realize it!

Everyone has at least one of these "pet superstitions" even the man who pooh-poohs loudest and looks with scorn upon his wife who will not "cut out a new garment on Friday," because "she will never finish it," or "never live to wear it out," since both sayings are held by many to be true. All of us are familiar with the superstition which declares Friday to be an ill-omened day, for all sorts of reasons, and nearly as common as this is the one about the New Moon. There seems to be some doubt as to whether one should view the moon over the right or left shoulder in order "to have good luck for the month." One person prefers the left, while others declare it should be over the right you should see for the first time. And this must be in the open air, too, in either case, for

"Seen through glass,
Bad luck while it lasts,"

is a saying which many declare to have been proved conclusively time and time again.

There are few hotels or steamers which have rooms numbered thirteen for travelers and transients have been known many times to absolutely refuse to sleep in a room having this number, preferring to go to some other hotel rather than risk the unlucky thirteen. It was for this reason that hotel men abolished the use of this number and this alone. While one is happy and fortunate, having what we call a "streak of good luck," it is easy not to be superstitious, but let troubles and trials come, and there are few who do not catch at a ray of hope, or at least to peer into future possibilities, by taking note of every little saying or superstition they have ever heard, and reading its meaning into their lives.

The superstition as to a broken mirror has been proven time and again. "Seven years hard luck when the mirror breaks," is the saying, yet it is said to the satisfaction of a large number of people that it is not breaking the mirror that causes the evil fortune, it merely foretells, and it is an odd fact that at all times one may let a mirror fall when it would seem that it must break, and yet it doesn't. These are times when one's lucky star is in the ascendant.

Well-nigh universal is the belief that the gift of a knife, pen, or anything sharp will "break friendship," and this too, has been proved. It is customary even among those who declare themselves not guilty of superstition to give a few pennies in exchange for such a gift, in order to "buy it," and thus avert the coming "break in their friendship," which is otherwise inevitable.

Other superstitions relating to the sundering of tender ties are as follows:

Never give or accept a present of an umbrella, this is especially a symbol of break between lovers. A pair of shoes should never be offered to any one as a gift, for these, too, "break friendship."

Two persons should never pose together in the same photograph for this is a sure sign that they will sever their friendship before long and drift apart. One has only to glance over one's collection of personal photographs taken in days gone by and see how many of those with whom one posed before the camera some happy day are still friends to see how true is this saying.

Shippers are quite as unfortunate a gift as shoes, and should never be offered as a present. There are those who declare that to use the same comb or to dry one's hand on the same towel indicate that a quarrel will follow shortly, but one should avoid these acts anyhow, for hygienic reasons.

To lay an umbrella on bed, to pass anyone coming up as one is going down a flight of stairs, indicates evil fortune on the way.

To look into the mirror at the same time that another person is being reflected in it is a sure sign of disappointment or a quarrel with that person. To place one's shoes higher than one's head, either on or off the feet, is a sign of quarrelling, and to raise an umbrella over one's head while under a roof is also a sign of quarrelling, evil fortune, or of disappointment—Annie Billings in Pictorial Review.

TOO LATE.

A well-known Brooklyn physician was examining a class of nurses who had served their appointed time in the hospital. The candidates filed past him, and to each he addressed a question calculated to show the nurse's efficiency. In one of the questions he described the condition of a patient and asked the nurse how much morphine, in her opinion, should be administered to the sufferer.

"Eight grains," promptly replied the nurse.

The doctor made no comment, and she passed on. When her turn came again she appeared confused, and said to the examiner: "Doctor, I wish to correct the answer I made last time. I meant to say that one-eighth of a grain should be given to the patient."

"Too late," remarked Dr. Matheson, without looking up from his question paper. "The man's dead."

WHY NOT?

Aunt Spinsterly—I hope that your opinions uphold the dignity of your sex, Mammie, and that you believe that every woman should have a vote.

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YOUR OWN BOSS.

Now and then I hear a boy say, "If I could only be my own boss, then I would be happy." Did you ever know any one who amounted to much who was his own boss? The only one I ever read about was Robinson Crusoe, and he was glad to quit.

You have heard of the "independent farmer." He is dependent upon wind, water, and frost; must be at home every morning and night to milk the cows. The physician must buy his clothes and groceries of his patients. Do you think that Marshall Field, the great merchant, was independent? Not a bit. He carried two great stores around on his back. He would have been unhappy if he had not been doing something for the thousands in his great army.

No one can be his own "boss," unless he goes out of the world, into the wilderness, and then he will find himself dependent upon the berries and animals.

There is, however, one way of becoming your own boss. Let me tell you. It is to stay right where you are, and begin to help other people, and after a while you will find them willing to do something for you. Your work-shop will become a throne.

PARAGRAPHS.

One of the few things a boy learns thoroughly in college is for his father to keep on supporting him.

The good a man does may live after him, but it has a hopeless fight for recognition while he is alive.

The more a man can lose his head over a girl the more they can both fool themselves it is his heart.

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