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She was not an attractive girl in any way, and she knew it. She was restless and cross and unhappy and growing more unattractive in looks and manner as she became older. Then an aunt, visiting at her home after a long residence in a distant city, sized up the situation and out of pity for both the girl and everybody with whom she came in contact under took to prescribe the sure cure.

"Madeline, do you want to be a torment to yourself and everybody about you all of your life?" was the blunt and astonishing question she put to her niece one day.

"No, of course not," was the prompt and half-frightened reply from the astonished girl.

"You'd rather be sweet and lovely and happy?" came the next question. And it brought a sincere affirmative this time. The aunt handed her a folded paper and smiled as she said very kindly now: "Follow this magic prescription, and you will be what you want to be." And she was gone.

Madeline said: "Evertime you want to frown, smile. Every time a cross thought comes, think a pleasant one. Every time something nice is done for you, do something nicer for some one else."

For a few moments she was crosseyed then the common sense saved the day. She tried the cure—honestly, sincerely, prayerfully; and to her own lifelong joy, to say nothing of everybody else, there was no happier, more attractive, more lovable girl in the place than she—Herald and Presbyter.

VALUABLE STUFFING.

Custodian of natural history museum—This collection of stuffed animals is valued at many thousands of dollars.

Visitor—My! What are they stuffed with?

Wants Trouble.
 A peasant hunts trouble. Thinking the more the better, sees every drawback double And even chews his pills.

Really Unkind.
 Jones was reading the paper, when suddenly he snorted and addressed Mrs. Jones.
 "What temerity! Maria! It says here that some idiot has actually paid a thousand dollars for a dog!"
 "Well, my dear, those well-bred dogs are worth a lot of money, you know," answered his wife.
 "Yes, of course, I know that! But a thousand dollars! Why, it's a good deal more than I am worth myself!"
 "Ah, yes! But then some dogs are worth more than others, you see!"

Imitation.
 "Imitation is the sincerest flattery," said the ready-made philosopher.
 "Well, replied the unemotional person, "of course the imitation five-cent piece is an expression of admiration for a regular nickel. But it isn't any compliment to the innocent bystander it gets passed off on."

Only Practice.
 "Am I the first man you have loved this season?" asked the hotel clerk.
 "Almost," answered the girl.
 "Who got ahead of me? You have only been here an hour."
 "I had a slight flirtation with the driver of the bus as we came from the station."

DOCTOR OUGHT TO KNOW.

Two Irishmen were washing windows on the tenth floor of a London building, and one of them lost his footing and fell to the pavement below. His frightened companion ran down the stairs and had just reached the unfortunate man's side as the doctor said: "I guess the poor fellow is dead."

At that the injured man opened his eyes and said: "Shure, and O'm not dead."
 "Keep quiet," said the other Irishman, "the doctor knows best."
 —Pittsburg Chronicle.

FORGOT THE PASSWORD.

An old cavalry horse was in the shafts and the officer was in a hurry. Taking the reins from the driver, he shouted, "Charge!" and away the animal galloped, stopping dead when he reached the barracks at the word, "Halt!"

The next morning an Englishman wanted to catch the boat from the quay, and the driver said, "Sure, your honor, there ain't no horse in ould Ireland who can go so fast."
 He cracked his whip and shouted "Charge!" and away the horse went.

Nearing the quay, Pat yelled: "Jump for heaven's sake! I've forgotten the password!"

HOW THEY BECAME WARM.

He—You're a good little wife. She—Why so?
 "Because you had my slippers so nice and warm when I got home tonight."
 "Oh, you need not give me credit for that."
 "And why not?"
 "Because I've been using them on the children all day."

ACCORDING TO DOROTHY.

Three-year old Dorothy's papa had never used a cane, so when a visitor called who carried one the child gazed at it with a rather puzzled expression.

"Well, darling," said her mother, "what is it?"
 "Umbrella without any clothes on," answered Dorothy.

TRUE DEFENSE.

Lawyer—The prisoner pleads that he has the grip, your honor. Plaintiff—That's right—he's got mine.

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None Needed.
 Wife—The doctor said right away that I needed a stimulant. Then he asked to see my tongue.
 Hub—Heavens! I hope he didn't give you a stimulant for that.

Consoling Thought.
 "He called me a mud carp."
 "Don't be angry. Maybe that is just a roundabout way he has of saying that you are in the swim."

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Resources	Liabilities
Loans and discounts, \$27,480.98	Capital stock, \$10,000.00
Overdrafts, 585.31	Surplus and undivided profits, 47,629.89
Banking House, 5,000.00	Unearned discounts, 2,141.86
Furniture and fixtures, 1,000.00	Dividends unpaid, 10.00
Cash on hand, 12,214.12	Cashier's checks, 147.11
Cash in other banks, 63,212.55	Deposits, 300,177.70
Total, \$96,196.96	Total, \$96,176.56

State of North Carolina, County of Halifax, I, Ivey Watson, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

IVEY WATSON, Cashier.

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