Matrimonial Catechism

What is marriage?
Marriage is an institution for the blind.
Why do some people never marry?
Because they do not believe in divorce.
When a man thinks seriously of marriage, what happens?
He remains single.
Does a girl ever think of anything but marriage?
Only that, and how to get married.
Should a man marry a girl for her money?
No. But he should not let her become an old maid just because she's rich.
When a girl refers to a "sad courtship" what does she mean?
She means that the man got away.
Is an engagement as good as marriage?
It's better.
In selecting a husband, why does a girl prefer a fat man?
Because a fat man finds it hard to stoop to anything low.
When asking papa, how should a young man act?
He should face papa manfully and never give him a chance at his back.
When the minister says "Do you take this woman for better or for worse?" what does he mean?
The bridegroom's people construe it one way and the bride's family interpret it another. It is very sad.
Why does a bride wear a veil?
So that she may conceal her satisfaction.
When a man marries, has he seen the end of trouble?
Yes, but it is usually the wrong end.
What is greater than a wife's love?
Her temper.
Do married women suffer in silence?
Yes; they all suffer when they may not talk.
When a man says he can manage his wife, what does he mean?
He means he can make her do anything she wants to.
When a child is smart and good, to whose family is it due?
To its mother's.
When a child is bad and stupid, to whose family is it due?
We refuse to answer.
Is it possible for a married man to be a fool without knowing it?
—Not if his wife is alive.
What is a mother-in-law?
See Gen. Sherman's definition of war.
How did the western man solve the mother-in-law question?
When she came to spend the summer with him, he hired a Christian scientist to come and give the old lady absent treatment.
Was it effective?
Yes; she went away and never came back.—Joseph Van Raalte in Philadelphia Ledger.

FIBROID TUMORS CURED.

Mrs. Hayes' First Letter Appealing to Mrs. Pinkham for Help:

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I have been under Boston doctors' treatment for a long time without any relief. They tell me I have a fibroid tumor. I cannot sit down without great pain, and the soreness extends up my spine. I have bearing-down pains both back and front. My abdomen is swollen, and I have had flowing spells for three years. My appetite is not good. I cannot walk or be on my feet for any length of time.

"The symptoms of Fibroid Tumor given in your little book accurately describe my case, so I write to you for advice."—(Signed) MRS. E. P. HAYES, 253 Dudley St. (Roxbury), Boston, Mass.

Mrs. Hayes' Second Letter:

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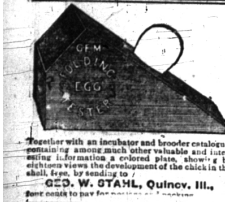

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CONSUMPTION

When "40 Below Zero"

Writing from Lake Placid, a Philadelphian spending the winter in the Adirondacks thus describes his experience with the thermometer at 40 degrees below zero:

"We have just been having the coldest snap which even this Arctic climate has experienced within the memory of the 'oldest inhabitant.' Recently the record for the year was reached—40 degrees below zero at my place, 41 at other places, and 44 at one cold spot at the other end of the village, where the ground is low.

"We made a mighty struggle to prevent things from freezing up in the house, but all in vain. I looked at the thermometer at half-past eight, and seeing that it registered 24 below, we made preparations; wrapped the pipes, even near the kitchen stove, with blankets, etc., kept the fires going until late, and though every door is double and every window has a storm sash, we were frozen in the morning solid.

"Well, we melted snow to get the water to boil the kettle and do such washing as we had to do, and the breakfast was late. This is the kind of weather we have been having for ten days; not quite so cold, but very near it; 22 below early in the evening and from 10 to 20 below right in the middle of the day.

"When there is a wind with that sort of temperature flesh and blood simply can't stand it. I am considerably the toughest of the tough about here because I began to stay out in the roughest weather right from the start in October and have kept it up without a break; but when you come up a hill with a powerful mountain breeze from the northwest blowing in your face and the thermometer down to 15 below, there is but one result—your face is frozen, I don't care who you are. The lumbermen have been forced to knock off, and they are in the sheltered, thick woods.

"My mustache has frozen in bed half a dozen times, as we have two windows in the room open when we sleep, and they haven't been put down day or night since we have been here. It is a bit strenuous, but I tell you, it is the finest thing in the world. But you should see the clothes we have on. Sweaters are nothing. I have six or seven thicknesses of wool between me and the blasts and not a thing exposed but the tip of my nose."

Medical Art in China

No Chinese representative of the healing art has ever dissected any portion of the human frame. According to their ideas of anatomy and physiology are matters of faith—confirmed by images which have been reproduced during untold centuries. Their osteology teaches that the skull is formed of one bone; so is the pelvis; the number of ribs varies with the individual, and at the junction of the arm with the forearm is placed a cubital patella. According to Chinese splanchology, the small intestine communicates with the cavity of the heart, while the colon, after describing sixteen circumvolutions, terminates by opening into the lung. The heart governs the vital processes—its operations with the cavity of the stomach it supplies all ideas and all pleasurable sensations. The liver is the habitat of the soul, and it is from this gland that all noble and generous sentiments emanate:

The gall bladder is the receptacle of courage; its ascent in the body is the cause of a fit of anger. They have an idea of the continuous motion of the blood, but it seems to be the product of an imagination more riotously oriental than even that which created the other items of their physiologic knowledge. They do not know the pulmonary circulation; they, naturally, know nothing of the valves in the veins; they do not even appear to have quite grasped the motor function of the heart itself, but they, nevertheless, profess to differentiate no less than seventy varieties of pulse—simultaneously recognizable on the person of a single individual! In the ultimate structure the body is composed of five elements: Fire, water, earth, wood and metal. Each of these elements is in a harmonious rapport with the corresponding members of the series of five planets, five metals, five solid viscera, five colors and five tastes. All diseases originate from disturbances of the primary and essential quintic harmonies of these correlations.—American Medicine.

That's Enough for Me

Sometimes I think I'll thrash him good,
He needs it bad I'm sure,
An' sometimes not, I believe I would
"N then I can't endure
T' tech ih' manly little kid,
For when he smiles, y' see,
He looks jes' like his mother did,
An' that's enough for me.

I guess a hundred times or more
I've taken him inside
Th' bedroom there an' closed th' door
An' tried an' tried an' tried
T' bring myself to strike him onct,
Jes' onct—an' then I see
His mother's smile on his wet face,
An' that's enough for me.

First thing I know I'm sittin' there
Pettin' th' little cherub
An' strokin' of his curly hair,
Holdin' him in my lap
An' dreamin' of her—seein' her
Jes' as she used to be,
An' somethin' makes my eyes t' blur
An' me cry silently!

He's got the same brown eyes she had
An' the same silky hair,
Looks so like her, the little lad,
That—well, I jes' don' dare
Te lay a finger rough on him,
'Cd almos' seem as though
I was a-helpin' harsh to her,
An' so I let him go.

He ain't a bad boy—no, he ain't,
Jes' mischievous, that's all;
In all his makeup there's a taint
O' meanness—an' I call
T' mind when things she used to do
Exactly like he does
I thought was jes' the cutest an'
The dearest she was.

Y' know, sometimes he'll come t' me
An' say to me: "Say, dad,
Y' ain't goin' to whip, now, are ye?
I ain't been very bad."
An' then he'll twist and sort o' smile,
My eyes get blurred and dim,
Th' ain't enough gold in the world
T' hire me t' tech him.

Folks say I'm spellin' him—may be
I am, but I don't dare
To tech him rough—he looks like she
Did, an' I don't care.
He puts his little arms aroun'
My neck, an' I can see
Her in his eyes, so big an' brown,
An' that's enough for me.

Home Not the Place

"You're looking bad," said Snuggins.

Buggins certainly did look pad. His eyes had large dark rings under them, his face was pale and his left cheek was horribly swollen.

"Bad!" he snorted. "So would you look bad if you'd been through what I have."

"What's the trouble?"

"Well, I've had jumping neuralgia since 3 o'clock this morning, if that's what you want to know. But that's not the trouble. The trouble is that I've been walking the streets with it since daylight."

"But the streets are no place for you," protested Snuggins, "if you have neuralgia. You ought to stay home."

"That's all you know about it," snarled Buggins. "Home's no place for me when I'm sick."

"Why, your wife used to be a trained nurse."

"Exactly. She can give me the best attention—from a medical standpoint; she knows just what ought to be done and does it. But there the matter ends. Sympathy's what I want, and that she won't give to any sick man. She says she wouldn't have been a good nurse if she hadn't got rid of her sympathy in the first year of her training. She is always well herself and can't appreciate what pain is. Go home? Not much!"—Philadelphia Press.

HORSE KNEW LAND WAS NEAR.

Animal's Instinct Better Than the Observation of Man.

When Thomar McGuiness, a well-known horseman of Philadelphia, went to Europe some time ago, he took a blooded horse with him. The animal was in a specially prepared stall on deck and enjoyed the trip despite the rough weather. When Mr. McGuiness thought land should soon be sighted, he asked the captain how far the ship was from the Irish coast. The commander of the steamer, in his usual gruff manner, replied: "Your horse will tell you; watch him."

The owner of the animal could not understand what the captain meant, and he was not particularly pleased with the answer. Finally, however, a couple of hours before land was observed, the horse, which was a magnificent bay, poked his head through the grating and, stretching his neck, whined loudly. "There you are," said the captain to Mr. McGuiness; "your horse smells the land."

The captain, in explaining the odd occurrence, said that the thoroughbred detected the odor from pasture lands that was wafted far seaward, and that horses on board ocean steamers always give the first signal when land is near.

THE RESULT OF ACCIDENT.

Unexpected Discoveries from Which Wealth Was Made.

It often happens that an ignorant man will stumble upon an invention which clever men have been working over for years. At one time all the gum used in England was made from gum arabic and cost no end of money. It happened one night that a big starch factory on the banks of the Liffey, near Dublin, took fire and great puddles of starch and water were found outside.

Some calico printers who had been making an evening of it came by, and, being very tipsy, one of them tumbled into the sticky mess. Next morning, when he tried to dress, all his clothes were stuck tight together as if they had been dipped in glue, and the wretched man was obliged to stay in bed till his wife had soaked them in clean water.

The man, from his trade, knew how valuable this gum was, and taking the rest of the party into his confidence they experimented by scorching starch on a fire shovel. They found it made excellent gum, and mixed it with water, and it was this invention which enabled postage stamps to be produced in an adhesive form.

Gratitude Well Expressed.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Feb. 8th.—Mr. C. A. Smith, patentee and decorator, whose home is at 309 Anne street, this city, makes the following statement:

"I was laid up with some kind of pains. Some said it was Lumbago, others Sciatica, and others again Rheumatism. A friend of my friends suggested that it was lead poison, but whatever it was it gave me a great deal of pain in fact, almost completely crippled me. I had to use two canes to walk about and even then it was a painful task.

"A friend advised me to try Dodd's Kidney Pills and I began the treatment. After I had used the first box I was able to throw away one of the canes and was considerably improved. The second box straightened me up so that I could go about free from pain without any assistance and very soon after I was completely cured, well and happy, without a pain or an ache. Dodd's Kidney Pills seemed to go right to the spot in my case and they will always have my greatest praise."

Alarmed Herself.

The resemblance between an alarm clock and a comedience is so obvious that it has often been remarked. A man would hardly like to look himself in the face if he were without either, while the monitions of both meet with the same amiable or impatient disregard. One usually maintains each of them in considerable privacy, but an old woman in Kansas City put the clock the other day to a new and public use. She went to a railroad station with an alarm clock suspended from her neck with a rope. She was asked about it by a polite stranger, and said that her son had set the to go off at 9:30, which would be a signal for her to go out on the platform and get her train, which left at 9:45. She did not want to take any chances of losing it.—New York Tribune.

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LA GRIPPE is epidemic catarrh. It spares no class or nationality. The cultured and the ignorant, the aristocrat and the pauper, the masses and the classes are alike subject to la grippe. None are exempt—all are liable.

Have you the grip? Or, rather, has the grip got you? Grip is well named. The original French term, la grippe, has been shortened by the busy American to read "grip." Without intending to do so a new word has been coined that exactly describes the case. As if some hideous giant with awful GRIP had clutched us in its fatal clasp. Men, women, children, whole towns and cities are caught in the baneful grip of a terrible monster.

The following letters speak for themselves as to the efficacy of Peruna in cases of la grippe or its after effects.

After Effects of La Grippe Eradicated by Pe-ru-na.

Mrs. Fred Weinberger, Westerlo, Albany County, N. Y., writes:

"Several years ago I had an attack of la grippe which left my nerves in a prostrated condition. Then I had another attack of la grippe which left me worse. I had tried three good physicians but all in vain. I gave Peruna a solid trial for a short time. I was feeling better and now I am as well as anyone."—Mrs. Fred Weinberger.

Hon. James R. Guill of Omaha.

Hon. James R. Guill is one of the oldest and most prominent men of Omaha, Neb. He has done much to make that city great, serving on public boards a number of times. He endorses Peruna in the following words:

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A Relative of Abraham Lincoln.

Mr. Silas S. Lincoln, who resides at 913 I Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., has the honor of being third cousin to Abraham Lincoln. He writes:

"I had la grippe five times before using your medicine. Four years ago I began the use of Peruna, since which time I have not been troubled with that disease. I can now do as much work at my desk as I ever could in my life. I have gained fifteen pounds in weight."—S. S. Lincoln.

Pe-ru-na Not Only Cured La Grippe but Benefited the Whole System.

Miss Alice M. Dressler, 1313 N. Bryant Ave., Milwaukie, Minn., writes:

"Last spring I suffered from la grippe and was partially cured but the bad after effects remained, through the summer and somehow I did not get strong as I was before. One of my college friends who was visiting me asked me to try Peruna, and I did so and found it all and more than I had expected. It not only cured me of the catarrh, but restored me to perfect health, built up the entire system and brought a happy feeling of buoyancy which I had not known for years."—Alice M. Dressler.

An Actress' Testimony.

Miss Jean Cowgill, Griswold Opera House, Troy, N. Y., is the leading lady with the Aubrey Stock Co. She writes the following:

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A GLEAM OF SUMMER SUNLIGHT.

A Sure 'Nuf Hurry Up Train Between Chicago and Kansas City.

The new train on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway passed through Chula for the first time Sunday night, about three hours after dark. There was no hesitation at Chula town, at least none perceptible. There are no high places in Chula town, hence we question whether she ever touched the track. She just ripped a great fiery hole in the darkness and left the atmosphere heated steam hot for a second, then whistled for Niantic or Chicago, we are not certain which. If "Central" had not been closed we would have telephoned to Chicago to see if she hadn't run clean through the Union Station. She is sure 'nuf a "hurry-up train." Chicago is only about three miles up the track now. She is a gleam of summer sunlight, vestibuled and electric lighted from the cowcatcher clear back a hundred yards behind the last coach. She is knee deep with velvet carpets, and her cushion's are as soft as a girl's cheek. She is lighted by a dazzle and heated to a frazzle. She was built to beat the world and her gorgeous splendor makes us chuckle to think we have a pass on her. She goes so fast that the six porters look like one big fat nigger. She is called "The Southwest Limited." She stops, going both ways, at Chillicothe, and you can get on her there, but, you'll have to hurry.—The News, Chula, Mo.

The Octopus as Food.

The octopus is very largely used as an article of food in southern Italy. Its long tentacles are cut transversely, so that, when served at table, they have the appearance of rings. The fish when taken by day, are lured from the crevices of the rocks by a piece of red flannel at the end of a bamboo, which they attempt to grasp, and they are then speared with a trident. At night an iron cradle with a bright flame of inflammable wood is fixed to the bows of the boat. This attracts the fish and leads him to his doom.

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He who bears false witness against his neighbor bears true witness against himself.

Women of the two Dakotas sent a petition to James J. Hill asking that water instead of champagne be used for christening his new steamship Dakota, to be launched at New London, Conn. Mr. Hill says the old custom will be followed.

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