

With the Long Bow.

"Eye nature's walk, shoot full as it flies."

THE palmistry of the foot is one of the latest. The "perfessors" state positively that the lifeline on the foot starts at the base of the big toe.

M. Gorky, "the bitter," is being run thru a court of justice in Russia. This is where the bitter gets bitten.

Who was it sent "teacher" that "comic"?

How would you like to see the United States senate try to dig the Panama canal?

About the sweetest valentine we know of is a pound of real candy, not plaster, in a dinky little box tied with red ribbon.

A Topeka (Kan.) paper is offering the prize of a piano to the most popular street car conductor.

As a form of sport, sacking out the ashes from the cellar when the mercury is below zero will never compete with holding your best girl's hand by moonlight.

It is interesting to trace a little further the wandering footsteps of Will H. Kernan. W. E. Maiden, night editor of the American Associated Press at St. Paul, writes:

The following is from the Bismarck Tribune. Back in the early eighties, when all was boom and bluff in Bismarck and thruout North Dakota, there came to this city—to the Tribune editorial force

A Kansas City throat specialist claims that it is a physiological truth and not a libel that women can talk more, faster and easier than men.

"The tongue of a woman five feet tall is a quarter of an inch longer and weighs a fraction of an ounce more than that of a man six feet two," said the physician.

Granting that these facts are as they are stated, it may still be a question for the anatomist and the logician as to whether the better and more fluent enunciation of the ladies is due to the better tongue development

In our college class of fifty or sixty young fellows, one of the quietest of the bunch, one who talked less than any other student, was named Shaw. As a form of compulsory exercise, it was optional with the boys whether they took military drill or gymnasium.

But as a rule he doesn't keep it up as long.

FIRST AID TO THE FOOLISH.

FOR Acute Desire to Speculate—One knockout drop (mild to medium) in half a glass of water every morning before breakfast.

For Lawsonitis—Teaspoonful of soothing syrup mixed with bromide, every three hours.

For Matinee Fever or Hero Hysteria—A very common and stubborn complaint among young girls, and occasionally among the old ones.

For Chronic Versification (Bumpus Literatum)—One buck and saw, and six hickory logs every morning before and after breakfast.

For Water on the Stock—Wineglass full of Reecivertone one hour after meals and just before retiring from business.

Little Elsie—Mama, when good people die do they climb the golden stairs? Mama—I suppose so, my dear.

Little Elsie—Why don't they patronize the elevator?



"The Smoke Inspector'll Get Ye if Ye Don't Watch Out."

Funny Breaks of Little Folk.

HAD IT ON HIS PERSON.

A PUPIL in a Lynn (Mass.) school was asked by his teacher to give the definition of a vacuum.

A RULING PASSION.

WEE KATHARINE was born with a love for pretty things and a great fondness for dress.

HIS POINT OF VIEW.

THREE-YEAR-OLD HARRY had been seated in his high chair and was looking around with considerable wonderment in his bright eyes.

NOT A UNITED STATE.

A TEACHER in a Boston school said to a little girl just beginning the study of history:

ENTIRELY TO THE TASTE.

GRACIE was taking her first look at the new baby and mimicking its wrinkled little face.

BLUNDERS OF THE WEE ONES.

THE Christmas number of the Schoolmaster contains a delightful collection of "howlers" and other amusing answers given by children either in class or at examinations.

Out of so many good things it is difficult to select, but certainly the answer of the boy to the question why David preferred to be a doorkeeper in the House of the Lord:

A confused recollection of different texts and facts is shown in many good answers, such as that of the boy who spoke of the man who went "down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and as he was going down thorns sprang up and choked him;"

A scholar of 8 asked why Moses took off his shoes in the presence of the burning bush, gave as a novel explanation: "Please, sir, to warm 'ees feet."

What Women Want to Know.

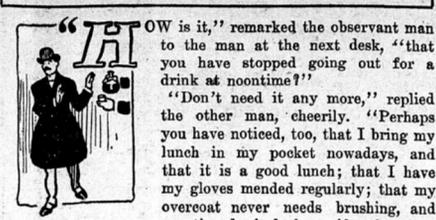
CO-OPERATIVE HOUSEKEEPING.—Will you kindly tell me thru your column where I can get some information or articles on co-operative housekeeping?

QUESTION FOR TOMORROW.

THE COMPLEXION BRUSH.—How often should the complexion brush be used?—Kate.

Traveler (to valet)—That's a rather large statue, Pat. Pat—Yis, sor. They tell me the hand is iliven inches wide.

Great Virtue in Gristle Salad



"NOW is it," remarked the observant man to the man at the next desk, "that you have stopped going out for a drink at noontime?"

"Don't need it any more," replied the other man, cheerily. "Perhaps you have noticed, too, that I bring my lunch in my pocket nowadays, and that it is a good lunch; that I have my gloves mended regularly; that my overcoat never needs brushing, and my ties don't look as if a hot iron were not among the things possible;

"It all came about thru a chicken salad," continued the reincarnated man, "and a club salad at that! They used to give teas occasionally at the club of which my wife was president.

In her excitement, she had taken a forkful of the gristle and it stuck in her throat. For a moment she preserved her dignity and made an awful effort to swallow.

Then she gave a choked cry and rushed from the table. She ran into a back room, followed by several women, who poured water down her, thumped her back and showered her with advice.

"That night, when she came home, she told me she had resigned from the presidency and had decided to give up clubs and club life forever.

"And, John," she said, "it wasn't the club cooking nor the gristle nor even my conscience that did it. It was my dying thought, my last vision, as I felt myself lapsing into unconsciousness. I've often heard people tell of their dying thoughts; how, when they fancied themselves drowning, their whole lives passed in review, or their worst sins faced them, or they imagined themselves children again.

"The minute I came to I resigned from the club. I wouldn't have another vision like that for an officership in every club in the United States!"

"Well, I don't care what it was," she replied. "It seemed awfully natural; and I'm going to stay home and attend to my own business hereafter. I wouldn't run the risk! Where are those old socks you wanted darned?"

"And—er—I'm recommending gristle salad to my friends. Get your wife to try some."

What the Market Affords.

APPLES, fancy Greenings, 80 cents; Northern Spy, 50 cents; Jonathans, 70 cents. Cranberries, 10 cents a quart.

In quoting prices it is the intention to give the average as nearly as possible or in some instances the lowest market price for which an average quality can be secured.

There seems to be no fixed standard for meats by which the consumer can be sure what he is getting merely by calling for a certain article.

The housekeeper who wants nothing but the best and is willing to pay for it usually gets it if she trades at the same shops steadily, while the discriminating buyer who cannot afford the extra prices will get the pick of the average lot at a price considerable less.

THE CONSERVATION OF ENERGY.

MANY actors will not shake hands with anyone except on Sunday. One or two will not even touch anyone except on Sunday.

Hand-shaking, they say, is accompanied by good wishes, and in the unconscious effort of making good wishes the perfectly fresh and unimpaired physical condition, so essential to fine work in the actor, is a little gnawed away.

Sir Henry Irving goes further than anyone else in his precautions against loss of energy. For the three last hours before the playing of a difficult and trying part, he not only will not touch or shake hands with anyone; he will not, if he can avoid it, even speak to anyone.

Journal Proverb Contest

(Fifth Week Series.)



MY ANSWER To No. 3 Journal Proverb is Name Address

What Proverb Does This Picture Illustrate? To the four persons sending in the most nearly correct and most originally prepared solutions of illustrations representing proverbs, appearing in The Journal this week, will be given cash prizes as follows:

First Prize. \$3. Second Prize. \$2. Third Prize. \$1. Fourth Prize. \$1. One illustration will appear in The Journal each day this week except Saturday, and all answers must be in The Journal office by 8 a.m., Wednesday, Feb. 22.

Contentants must send in all five solutions together at the end of the week. Do not send them in each day if you want them to be considered for prizes.

All answers must be upon Journal blanks, printed with each Proverb Picture. Only one answer allowed on each blank.

Correctness, neatness and originality determine prize winners. You may send the pictures with the blanks if you wish, or submit your answers in any way you desire.

SOLUTIONS TO LAST WEEK'S PROVERBS. 1—"A saw is a good thing, but not to shave with."

LAST WEEK'S PROVERB PRIZE WINNERS. First Prize—Mrs. G. Cryderman, Minneapolis.

Mr. Beckel sent in his blanks handsomely mounted on brown cardboard with pen and ink decorative effects and Mr. Quinby sent in his mounted on red hearts with gold trimmings.

As stated before in this column, all readers have an absolutely equal chance to win prizes in these interesting weekly contests.

THE PROVERB "ROLL OF HONOR." Here is "The Roll of Honor" of Proverb Winners to date. Get your name on this honor list:

- E. B. Northrop, Jr., Miss Corinne Odell, G. L. Brown, J. B. Ogden, Miss Grace V. Cox, G. E. Wray, Mrs. George P. Wilson, Miss Jennie P. Theis, Mrs. G. Cryderman, N. T. Lynskey, Mrs. F. B. Kendrick, Charles H. Beckel, Mrs. J. B. Bartlett, Miss Grace E. Polk, J. I. Quinby, Mrs. J. L. Everts.

SATURDAY'S UNFINISHED DRAWING CONTEST PRIZE WINNERS. First Girl's Prize—Violet N. Griffith, Minneapolis.

The Gamossi Cleaning up of Golf Gloves. Men's women's, children's and infants' high grade wool gloves being closed out at less than cost to manufacture.

Vests for Men of Spring 1905 Patterns have arrived Whipple & Malmstedt

CAFE TRAFALGAR New and Complete Best of Service. 411 Hennepin Avenue.

Northwestern Trunk Co. The Popular Priced Trunk, Bag and Leather Goods Store. 248 Nicollet Ave.

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