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An Ugly Tic.

Duprez, the great but ill favored French tenor, was once walking from the Grand Opera House in Paris with the baritone Barolbet, who was not an Apollo either. They happened to meet Perrot, the dancer, a man of very great ability, but short and thin and so ugly that a manager once said he could never engage Perrot unless for the Jardin des Plantes (zoological gardens), as he engaged no monkeys.

Perrot told them the story, and, when Duprez laughed at him, Perrot said: "Why, surely you need not laugh. 'I am ugly, I am certainly not so ugly as either of you."

"You monkey," said Duprez, "this difference shall soon be settled." And, seeing a stranger pass who appeared to be a gentleman, "Monsieur," said he, "will you be so good as to arbitrate in a little difference of opinion between us?"

"With pleasure," said the stranger, "if I can."

"Well," said Duprez, "just look at us and say whom you consider to be the ugliest of the three."

The gentleman looked for some time from one to the other and then said: "Gentlemen, I give it up. I cannot possibly decide," and went away roaring with laughter.

Value of Fresh Air.

Sleeping in the open air has passed the life limit of a fad and assumed the proportions of a habit. It is, moreover, a growing habit, the motto of which is "with nothing between you and the sky." Only in summer is it possible to push this habit to the extreme, of course, and even then so meager are the sky accommodations of the average home relatively few can enjoy the luxury indicated in the motto.

The number of persons who take to tents and repose in hammocks swung in the open air in the summer, however, increases each year. This is particularly true of young children, hundreds of whom during the past summer were emancipated from stuffy nurseries and given their naps on piazzas and balconies or upon the hand breadth of grass plot dignified by the name of "dooryard" in city homes.

Such children in their plump beauty and infantile good nature are the best possible witnesses of the efficacy of the "open air sleeping cure," if cure it may be called, since, more properly speaking, it is a preventive instead.—Portland Oregonian.

Unsolicited Testimonials.

A Wheaton (Ill.) lady who had "tried everything in vain until I commenced taking your valuable remedy" has written, if the Wheaton News can be believed, the following testimonial to a country druggist who is booming a new tonic:

Dear Sir—Before taking your medicine I was too weak to spank the baby, but now I can lick my husband. Heaven bless you!

This reminds me of the Shakopee man who was nearly blind and took Dr. Sawyer's wonderful Elixir. He wrote:

Dear Sir—Before taking your Elixir I could not see six inches before my face. Yesterday I saw wood. I feel that I ought to let these facts be known. Send me another bottle.

Phineas E. Perkins of Mound Center, S. D., says that before trying the Snake Cure "he had not drawn a sober breath for twenty-five years." Last Sunday he drew several sober breaths, greatly to the astonishment of his wife and without injury to his health. He expects a perfect cure—some time.—Minneapolis Journal.

A Glimpse of Tenyson.

Apprehension of being mobbed by the "profane vulgar" amounted, as is well known, almost to monomania with the poet Tenyson. Many good stories are told in illustration of this weakness of his. One of the best of them will perhaps bear repetition.

Lord Tenyson was taking a country walk with a friend, when a fellow creature was espied in the distance. "We must turn back," said the poet. "That fellow means to waylay us." His companion persuaded him, however, to continue on their path. They caught up to the enemy and passed him. He took no notice of them whatever. "What an extraordinary thing!" cried the irate poet. "The fellow seems to have no idea who I am!"

A Japanese on Japanese Women.

Among the Japanese women a certain number have no reason to envy the European ladies in the matter of purely white skins. When that whiteness is slightly rose colored, it is in Japanese eyes the ne plus ultra of beauty. Unfortunately, that beauty soon fades. The proportion of white skinned women is about one in ten. It is needless to say that this whiteness is held in high esteem. As the proverb has it, "A white skin covers seven misfortunes," a rather doubtful Japanese way of appreciating its loveliness.—Paris Figaro.

What He Smelled.

"I smell something burning," said the husband after he had lighted his pipe and settled back in the easy chair for a comfortable smoke.

"Isn't it delicious?" exclaimed his wife joyously. "I emptied a whole lot of rose leaves into your tobacco jar."—Ohio State Journal.

Heavy Returns.

"What business brings the heaviest returns?" asked the man who wanted to know.

"The literary business," sighed the struggling author as he opened a two pound rejected book manuscript.—Philadelphia Record.

Applary and Apes.

Host—Now that you've seen the house and the stable, I want to show you our apary.

Old Gentleman—Well, I s'pose I've got to, but if there's anything I hate I's monkeys.—San Francisco Chronicle.

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