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No matter what happens in 1908 nobody seriously believes that one Theodore Roosevelt will ever be found reposing snugly on a shelf.

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As for Judge Taft, he is perfectly willing to forgive everybody in Cuba if he is only permitted to leave the island.

If an article is imitated, the original is always best. Think it over, and when you go to buy that box of salve to keep around the house, get DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is the original and the name is stamped on every box. Good for eczema, tetter, boils, cuts and bruises, and especially recommended for piles. Sold by Stone & Mercer.

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**The Earth's Three Motions.**  
The motion of the earth at the equator is equal to nearly 1,500 feet per second, and the earth has three motions—viz, the rotation on its axis in one day of twenty-four hours, the revolution around the sun in one year of 365 1/4 days and a very slow gyratory motion at the poles. This last mentioned motion is a very peculiar one and has not long been known. The poles move around the outside of a line at right angles to the plane of the ecliptic, coinciding with the line of axle rotation once in 25,868 years.

**A Charming View.**  
Dawley (to the house agent)—I thought you said there was a charming view from the front window. Why, there are only houses to be seen. House Agent—So there is a charming view, sir. In the house opposite lives the most beautiful widow you ever clapped eyes on, and she's always at the window.—London Fun.

**Habit.**  
Habit is our primal fundamental law. Habit and imitation—there is nothing more perennial in us than these two. They are the source of all working and all apprenticeship, of all practice and all learning, in the world.—Carlyle.

**Cutting.**  
Mrs. Epeck—I think Mr. Mahstick paints such lovely pictures. I think that I shall have him paint portraits of Henry and me together. Mrs. Cutting—Oh, I didn't know that he painted battle pictures.—Chicago News.

**Her Wisdom.**  
"Girls!" quietly called old but eminently astute Aunt Broodhead. "Ma'am!" they replied as they tuttered obediently to her. "Always remember, girls, that when a man professes to have a 'fatherly interest' in you his own daughters need it, that your own father can succumb to it, and that it is the oldest of all stories save one in the world."—Luck.

**An Experiment.**  
"Where are you going, Michael, so early?" "Apothecary's: wife got sick last night." "Doctor been there yet?" "No. I found a prescription in the street when I was in town, and I'm going to have that made up and try it."—Fleegende Blatter.

**Confessing.**  
Actor—I can't play all three of the parts you have assigned to me in this melodrama. Manager—Why not? Actor—Because in the first act two of them engage in a fight, and the third rushes in and separates them.

**Basilisks and Dragons.**  
One of the peculiarities of the ancient writers on natural history subjects was the implicit faith which they placed in the genuineness of the various basilisk and dragon stories which were told to them. Brunetto, for an instance, to the point, relates with all soberness that "the basilisk is the king of serpents. He wears a white crest upon his head, and such is the abundance of his venom that the air is poisoned wherever this reptile passes. Trees in which he has his home exhale such a poisonous odor that birds in flying over are overcome with it that they fall to the ground dead."

"The drug," says the same author, "is the most powerful of serpents and inhabits especially India and Ethiopia. When he flies out of the caverns in which he makes his home he furrows the air with such violence as to make it gleam with fire. His mouth is small, and he has not the power to inflict deadly wounds with his teeth. In his tail, however, his power lies, and with it he can instantly strangle the largest elephant."

**The First Astronomy.**  
The beginnings of astronomy were on the tops of towers of Babylon and the pyramids of Egypt. It is believed by many writers that both classes of structure were erected for astronomical purposes. As early as the time of Job, nearly 2,000 years before Christ, most of the stars had been divided into constellations. The writer of Job mentions Arcturus, Orion and Pleiades as being familiar. The modern science dates from the labors of Copernicus, Tycho Brahe and Newton.

If a person determines early in life that a cheerful disposition is worth having and strives to obtain it and does so that person is a success in a fine sense of the word.

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"One plant at least has been patented," said an inventor. "It is the Abram precociteres, also water-master pea, alias weather plant. John Nowack took out the patent. The weather plant is still believed by many persons to forecast the weather. John Nowack was once it did so, and he put it on the market along with an indicating apparatus, guaranteeing it to forecast for forty-eight hours in advance and for fifty miles around for rain, snow, hail, earthquake and depression likely to cause explosions of fire damp. Alas for poor Nowack! The experts of the bureau of agriculture took up his patented plant. They proved that the movements of the leaves—to the right forecasting rain, to the left forecasting drought—were not caused by the weather, but by the light. And they proved that the plant's famous downward movement, which was supposed to forecast earthquake, was caused by an insect that punctured the stem. That is the only patented plant I know of, and Nowack lost money on it."

**Buying Birds to Free Them.**  
Birds are often purchased in the bird market at Lucknow, India, in order to be set free again. This is done by Hindus as a work of merit and by Mohammedans as an atonement. In imitation of the Jewish scapegoat, it is essential that a bird used for this purpose should be strong enough to fly away; but that does not induce the cruel dealers to feed the birds, or to refrain from dislocating their wings or breaking their legs. They put down everything to good or bad luck, and leave the customer to choose a strong bird, if he can find one, and to go away if he cannot. The merit obtained by setting a bird free is not at all commensurate with the cost. It is still supposed to come in a large measure from the bird itself and from its attendant spirit, and hence birds of good or bad omen, and especially kites and crows, are in much demand and are regularly caught to be sold for this purpose.

**"Home, Sweet Home."**  
Probably no one would have been more surprised than Sir Henry Bishop himself could have foreseen that a single melody in one of his numerous operas would achieve such celebrity that at the present day it is still sung by leading piano concertos at fashionable concerts, laughed on street organs and loved by a vast public that knows nothing of music, properly so called, as the purest representation of the English spirit—"Home, Sweet Home." "Clair, the Maid of Milan," the opera in which this favorite song occurred, has long been consigned to the limbo of forgotten musical works, but "Home, Sweet Home," survives with undiminished popularity and is likely to survive when many more pretentious compositions have followed "The Maid of Milan" into oblivion.—Cornell Magazine.

**Women and Mirrors.**  
"We carry lots of women clear to the top floor or at least several floors up and then they take the next elevator down without going three steps away from the elevator," declared the operator of one of the "lifts" in a big office building. "No, it isn't because they like to ride in the elevators particularly. Why do they do it? To get the use of the mirrors, of course. See those mirrors on either side of the elevator? That's what attracts them. A bit of wind will strike them as they turn the corner by a big building and then they imagine that their hair is badly disarranged and make for the nearest mirror, which is in the elevator."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

**A Chinese Duel.**  
A Chinaman was killed recently in Bangkok in a duel with another of his race. The Chinese method of dueling is interesting, but does not seem deadly. These two Bangkok Chinamen fought with the two forefingers of each hand, stabbing each other with these in the region of the spleen and at the same level on the other side of the body. The men who go in for this kind of contest practice every morning, stabbing bags of rice or paddy with these fingers till they can use them like a piece of iron.

**Death by Boiling.**  
In old England, before the law was passed which prohibited "cruel and unusual forms of punishment," murderers were often condemned to death by boiling. In such cases the victims were chained in large kettles of cold water, which was gradually heated until it caused the flesh to drop from the bones. The last English victim of the "boiling death" was one Rouse, a man who, it was alleged, had killed a hundred persons.

**Talked Shop.**  
"I spent a pleasant half hour in a barber's chair yesterday." "How was that?" "Listening to the barber's story of how his brother went suddenly insane and slashed a customer. The barber explained between strokes that insanity ran in his family."—Columbus Press-Post.

**Anonymous.**  
Schoolmaster—"Anonymous" means without a name. Give me a sentence showing you understand how to use the word. Small Boy—Our new baby is anonymous.—Chums.

**Trying to Kill Him.**  
Mrs. Benham—I baked you another cake today. Benham—I know what you want; you want my life insurance.

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## HER FORTUNE

(Original)  
They were sitting by the library table, a lamp glowing from above. She was playing solitaire.  
"Can you tell fortunes with cards?" he asked.  
"No. Can you?"  
"I have a method of my own at card fortune telling. Shall I try yours?"  
"Yes, do."  
She passed him the cards, and, after shuffling, he turned over a card at a time till he came to the queen of hearts.  
"That's you," he said.  
"Oh, how flattering!"  
"The six of clubs, the ten of spades, the three of clubs, the four of spades, the king of diamonds." He paused.  
"Well," she asked.  
"That means a rich man is your suitor."

"I don't know any such."  
"You're not supposed to know just who loves you till you are told."  
"You think so?"  
"I said not supposed to know."  
"Oh."  
"The king of clubs," he went on, "the queen of spades. The queen of spades indicates that a dark girl wishes for herself some one who loves you. Look out for her. The nine of hearts, the three of diamonds, the jack of clubs. The jack is that little black—I mean a dark gentleman whom you met."  
"Don't get personal."  
"The jack, falling between the jack of hearts and the queen of spades, indicates that you prefer him and that the dark lady loves the jack of hearts, a blond man, who prefers you."  
"And who is the jack of hearts?"  
He sighed. Then he went on dealing. The next important cards were the ten of clubs, that fell under the jack of clubs, and the ace of hearts, that fell under the jack of hearts. He paused and looked serious.  
"What's the matter?" she asked.  
"A great deal. The dark gentleman has ten chances to the blond gentleman's one."  
"He hasn't. I mean I prefer blond men to brunettes."  
Two hearts fell, one on each side of the king of diamonds. "It looks," he said, "as if, after all, you would marry the rich suitor." The king of hearts fell under the king of diamonds. "Your father favors him."  
"Papa doesn't."  
"Oh, here comes the queen of diamonds, also in the line under the king of diamonds. That's it; your mother favors the rich suitor."  
"How silly!"  
"These hearts falling all about the jack of clubs indicate that the dark gentleman is far ahead of the rich one, notwithstanding your mother's influence."  
"What's the blond gentleman doing all this while?" she asked softly, her eyes bent on the cards. He cast a sharp glance at her and without reply went on dealing till the jack of hearts was surrounded by cards of his own suit.

"Late in the game the blond gentleman seems to be finding more favor with the queen of hearts, but these clubs falling between it and the queen of spades indicate a complication between the dark girl and the blond gentleman."  
"What possible complication can there be?" she asked sharply.  
"Well, having been discouraged by the queen of hearts—that is, you—she might have gone so far with the dark lady as not to be able to withdraw."  
"She can't have much pride to hold him if he doesn't want to be held." She spoke with a great deal of asperity.

"You shouldn't have discouraged the blond gentleman."  
"How did I know?" She paused. He gave her time to frame what she had to say, but she failed to do so.  
"The blond gentleman certainly made his feelings plain."  
"What stared at the cards without reply."  
"Let's go one. Something may turn up," he added.

If there was any method in his dealing it could not be discovered. She did not seem interested in the method, only in the result. He dealt a number of the club suit about the jack of clubs.  
"This is strange," he said. "The black little—I mean the dark gentleman seems to have found favor with the dark lady. It may be that she will not stand between the queen and jack of hearts after all. Choose one of the cards on the table, and it will indicate how the affair is coming out."

Reaching forward, she touched the five of hearts. He took her hand in his and placed it on the six of hearts, saying: "The five and the six of hearts make eleven, or the jack. In other words, you will make the blond little man happy, won't you?"  
"Oh, he's very regular now."  
"Well, well, I didn't think he'd ever reform."  
"He hasn't. His habits are all bad now."—Philadelphia Ledger.

**Quite Regular.**  
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Going down the Rhine you get a lesson in farming. If you wanted to buy a farm in America you would go out with a pick and spade and dig holes all over a 100 acre tract to make sure the soil was so and so and that there was not more than one stone to the acre. On these cliff vineyards along the Rhine it looks to you as if there was not more than a bushel of earth to the rood and that the rest was all stone.

In America you wouldn't buy a farm on the perpendicular surface of the Grand canyon, yet you imagine the bluffs of the Rhine seemed almost as impossible before the enterprising grapevines got a start there. There may be a few inches of space on the cliffs where some German has not made a terrace big enough for a bunch of grapes, but if any such spot has been overlooked you failed to discover it with your binoculars.

There are advantages in owning a vineyard on the Rhine. Next to the financial returns, the chief advantage lies in the glamour of romance that hangs over the bluffs. Frowning castles look down on you from the most inaccessible peaks.

"Who lives in that big brownstone house?" you ask a German passenger on your steamer as you round a bend.  
"That is the castle of an old nobleman who kidnapped a beautiful maid and held her prisoner," you are informed. "When the knights of those days tried to rescue her, the old nobleman would simply drop a big stone or two upon them as they attempted to climb the cliff. One day while rolling a stone down upon a knight the nobleman fell off and was killed."  
"And now," you observe, "I suppose the place is for rent. Do you know how much the administrator wants for it?"—Chicago Post.

**An Inch or So Below.**  
"It's funny," began the long winded bore, "but nobody ever seems glad to see me." "Well, and have you never found out the cause of your unpopularity?" "No, I can't discover it."  
"That's strange, because it's right under your very nose."—Philadelphia Press.

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