

IN THE WORLD OF SPORT

Pitcher Krause, Who Seems to Have Lost Form.



Photo by American Press Association

The uncertainty of baseball was never better illustrated than in the case of Harry Krause...

Sweden's Skating Champion. Having won all the laurels Europe has to offer in the line of skating...

To Regrade Ball Clubs. J. B. Farrell, secretary of the National Association of Baseball Clubs...

Hedges' Big Mistake. President Hedges of the St. Louis Americans made a mistake when he sold Jimmie Williams and Hobe Ferris...

Vanderbilt Cup Race. That the Vanderbilt cup race which is to be held on the Long Island motor parkway on Oct. 1 will be the biggest and most interesting automobile race ever held in this country...

Drucks Making Good. Pitcher Louis Drucks of the New York Nationals is coming steadily. He has worked hard on the fadeaway curve, made famous by Mathewson...

HUMOROUS QUIPS

Verse Reform. The printer is a strange concern this type is wrangled to. And all he does is backward from. The way he ought to do...

Musings of the Office Boy. Hey's there one way to ask a customer. Try to suit everybody and you might as well look for a new job...

Just Acting Natural. Few people are able to keep from getting into a tizzy of distress in what they do...

Natural Inference. By George but I feel strong and vigorous," said the summer boarder at Meadowbrook cottage breakfast table...

The Eternal Question. A teacher was trying to explain the dangers of overwork to one of the smaller pupils...

Life. "That's what ma wants to know," said Mrs. Myles. "You weren't at the bridge party yesterday?" Mrs. Styles. "No, I was detained by sickness at home."

Love! Nelly Mr. Welloff asked my opinion about sending you a birthday present and I told him you had stopped having birthdays five years ago. Was that right?"

Hunting News. "Poor Heepeek. Every time he starts to say anything his wife stops him."

The Real Danger Zone. "May I ask you a question?" "Sure, stranger."

The Best She Could Do. "Why Hestus said the coldest this egg-bait fresh."

A Simple Pleasure. "What form of summer amusement pleases you most?" "Staying at home and writing to people at summer resorts about how cool it is in the city."

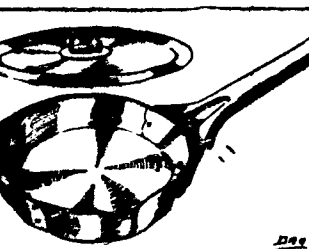
By Moonlight. Evelyn-Did you notice the queer looking canoes? Why, they are like bowls!

Quizzing the Guide. Passenger (perceiving a graveyard alongside)-Porter!

Looking Ahead. "But he has a patent of nobility, father?" "But suppose the patent expires?"

HINTS FOR THE BUSY HOUSEWIFE

Frying Pan That Prevents Escape of Odors.



A frying pan that does not smoke and does not permit any odor to escape from the pan is illustrated above. It has a handle which never gets hot...

Household Hints. Never stir a spoon cake batter. If that is done the air is allowed to escape.

Cold-cream served in green pepper shells is a suggestion for a daily luncheon addition.

Small pickles, olives and capers mixed very fine are excellent seasoning for salad dressing.

Never eat fresh bread in water before cooling else it will become soft and spongy and the flavor will be lost.

Codfish Balls. Put a cupful of pickled fish into about a quart of cold water and let heat slowly till the fish comes to the top...

Tomato Relish. Take one-half gallon each of green tomatoes and cabbage, one quart of onions, six pods of green bell peppers...

Chocolate Pudding. Wash one-half cupful of Irish moss and put into one quart of milk, let heat and cook till the milk thickens...

Watercress Salad. This may be served simply with salt or with a French dressing. The addition of a few slices of sour apple is deemed an improvement by many.

Naval Cleansing Method. For silk or linen underwear or gloves these in a strong solution of cream of tartar water to retain the new, creamy feeling so much desired...

Umbrella Mending. To mend an umbrella take a small piece of black sticking plaster and soak it in water until quite soft. Place this carefully under the hole inside and let dry.

Skin Shoes. "Do you know, Dot," said Johnny, "that they can make shoes out of all kinds of skins?"

What Two Sparrows Did. The town clock in Sarnta, Ont. stopped one morning not long ago and on investigation the hands were found securely tied down by strands of twine and grass.

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FOR THE CHILDREN

Summer Weather. Sing of summer weather, Wind and sky together. Clover top and berry blossom and maycocks in the sun.

A Chess Game. The players stand in two lines facing each other with a large open space representing a river between them.

A Merry Game. One of the merriest games that children enjoy is the old time game of blindfold and given a long line...

Burns Under Water. In a short thick candle set press in from underneath so from nail so as to make this end heavier so that the candle will keep right side up.

Game of Whistle Puff. A small fluffy feather is selected for this game. All of the players sit in a circle. Some one starts the game by throwing the feather as high as possible into the air.

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SNAPSHOTS AT CELEBRITIES

Governor John Burke of North Dakota.



Although the presidential election is two years off, looks for possible party standard bearers are already on the way. Among the latest to gain publicity is that of Governor John Burke of North Dakota...

Governor Burke earned his success by hard work. As a youth he learned the trade of cigarmaker but this did not fit with his rising ambition and he turned to the law.

Octave Thanet's Heres. Octave Thanet (Miss Alice French) began her literary career with a predisposition to deal with economics and philosophy.

Governor Stubbs of Kansas. Governor Walter Horace Stubbs of Kansas, renominated to succeed himself at the recent primaries is a progressive of the first water.

Oil of the Porpoises. The porpoises killed in winter are the fattest and produce most oil. The largest size measure about seven feet in length...

Busy All the Time. Little Howard came in the other day, crying and rubbing several bumps caused by a series of "butts" administered by a pet sheep.

The Trouble. "Do you find any trouble writing stories, Davdly?" "None whatever. But I'd pay a man well that could tell them for me."

A Warning Play. Old Friend-Your plan is a most excellent one. But do you think your wife will agree to it? Married Man-Oh, yes. I'll tell her some one else suggested it, and I'll call it an idiot's idea.

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DIAMOND CUT DIAMOND.

O. Henry Was a Shade Smarter Than the Magazine Man. A friend of the late O. Henry writes of him "He was reckless in spending money and frequently gave elevator boys and bellboys five and ten dollar notes."

His friends recently narrated an incident showing the man's shrewdness. A magazine noted for "slow pay," they said, contracted with him for a three part story for which he was to receive \$1,500.

The editor in an effort to save money apparently declared that, after all, the story didn't appear to be worth more than \$1,000-this when he had the two installments in his office.

All right, said O. Henry, I won't write the third one then. And he didn't. He laughed at the editor. "Well, then," said the latter, "I'll run the two parts and then let our readers have a guessing contest as to how the story ends-and put up perhaps a \$500 prize to the winner."

A WEIGHTY REASON.

It Told Why One of the Nineteen Commissioners Was Excused.

Before a certain gentleman set out for Japan and India his relatives gave him errands. One wanted an Indian shawl, another a silver Buddha, a third a chryselephantine carving, and so on. All the list of commissions was appalling.

But when he returned he had executed but one of the nineteen commissions that had been given him. He had brought back only the chryselephantine carving. This he gave to one smiling cousin amid the disappointed looks of the other relatives.

The traveler smiled. "It happened," he began quietly, "that each of you had written your commission on a sheet of paper. On the second day of the voyage out I took all these sheets of paper from my notebook, opened them and spread them on my lap as I reclined in my steamer chair."

The air was very still at the time, but suddenly a brisk wind sprang up and every sheet was blown away except that of Cousin Max. Max's sheet was weighted down with the gold coin he had given me to pay for his carving." -St. James' Gazette.

Some persons like one sort of shoe and some another, but the kind which was desired by Pierre, the French Canadian mail hand, has never enjoyed a wide popularity.

Shoes for Sunday. Pierre stated to the young man who advanced to meet him as he entered the saleroom of the big shoe factory.

What's the matter? asked the clerk. Do they hurt you? Are they too tight? Pierre shook his head violently.

She no tight? he said, but also she no talk. Shoes for Sunday must talk talk all the way up in church for to sou' stylish, see? -Youth's Companion.

Little Howard came in the other day, crying and rubbing several bumps caused by a series of "butts" administered by a pet sheep.

Well, Howard, said his sympathetic auntie, "what did you do when the sheep knocked you down?" "I didn't do anything. I was getting up all the time." -Delaware.

Do you find any trouble writing stories, Davdly? "None whatever. But I'd pay a man well that could tell them for me." -Philadelphia Inquirer.

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