

So Jack Hansom has married Miss Goldie?

"Yes, and I was mighty sorry to see it."

"Sorry? For her sake or his?"

"For mine. I wanted her."—Boston Transcript.

If you judge things by their titles You are apt to come to grief.

Just for instance, there are few things Louger than a lawyer's "trial."

First Student (in a burst of admiration)—Professor Gabby is a wonder as a linguist.

What tongue hasn't he mastered? Associate Professor (dryly)—His wife's.—Baltimore American.

Said a foolish young man from Tralee: "A hat store before me I see.

It is only a straw, So let us go inside I must buy a new cap for my knee."

Magistrate—You are charged with voting three times, madam. What is your plea?

Suffragette (indignantly)—The Ideal Woman's pleading days are ended, thank heaven!—Puck.

Let's have a more attractive rule! We'll send such interest to the school.

And after they were wed he found That boys will beg to be kept in.—Washington Star.

"That rich old miser's doctors despair about his recovery."

"Humph! His gay young wife doesn't"—High Life.

She was so kittenish he crowned Her with his name, the pup.

And after they were wed he found That kittens will grow up.—Yonkers Statesman.

"Fat girls are said to be good natured."

"Take my advice, old man, and marry a thin one. They can fatten their own waists up the back."—Pittsburgh Post.

Whenever I joke the butcher how As silent as a clam.

And every time I get his goat He makes no pay for lamb.—New York Mail.

"I never feed tramps at the door."

"That's all right, ma'am, serve it in the dining room. I ain't particular."—Detroit Free Press.

Since war has slipped the tether And thrown down the pasture bars

They even blame the weather On the faroff planet Mars.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

"Is Mrs. Babbles a gossip?"

"Wall," replied Miss Cayenne, "I won't exactly say she is a gossip, but she ain't any news censor."—Washington Star.

The little bits of red bugs must Have waded old one to touch 'em.

Else how do they know how to bite Where people cannot reach 'em.—Houston Post.

Redd—Did you notice how high Miss Fusanterheld her nose when riding in her new automobile?

Dalles of the St. Croix.

Its Quaintly Shaped Rocks Formed by Plunging Waters.

At Taylor's Falls, the terminus of the Taylor Falls branch of the Northern Pacific railway, the dalles of the St. Croix form a most interesting feature.

The St. Croix river here tumbles over a bed of trap rock. The theory of its production is that a great outburst of lava was overwhelmed by a glacier.

This very hard rock has been weathered into a great many quaint and curious shapes, and the vertical cliffs of from one to three hundred feet in height form a little canyon where the water is very deep.

Among the quaintly shaped rocks are the Devil's chair and Pulpit rock, in proximity to each other. These are on the Minnesota side of the river, and the trains pass beside them.

On the Wisconsin side of the river is a remarkable profile rock. It is known as "The Old Man of the Dalles" and has a resemblance to the profile of George Washington.

Minnesota and Wisconsin have set aside the land bordering the river as an international park. Among the interesting features of the place are the cistern-like holes, known geologically as potholes.

These range from one and one-half feet in diameter and six feet in depth to ten feet in diameter and ninety or a hundred feet deep.

These potholes in digests the presence of former rapids high above the present surface of the water. The stream by its great eroding power and carrying pebbles and stones in its circuitous movement slowly excavated these potholes.—Exchange.

ANCIENT FOOTWEAR.

And the Old Ceremony of Baring the Feet at Worship.

The Indian Hindus and Mussulmans alike wear both sandals and shoes (slippers) and the latter boots also.

The sandal (the word is Persian) was evidently the earliest covering for the feet over all southern and eastern Asia.

While the shoe was probably introduced into India by the Persians, Afghans and Muzulims, together with the "tip-toed" (Mittite and Etruscan) boot.

Both are usually made in India of leather, but never of pluckin, and, while the shoes are always colored red or yellow, the boots are generally brightly colored, both among the upper classes being also richly embroidered in gold and silver and variegated silk thread and with bangles, bugles and seed pearls after the manner of the ancient Persian boots represented on Greek vases.

But, of however rare and costly ornamentation, the invariable rule is to remove them after entering a private house just when stepping on to the mat or carpet on which the visitor takes his seat.

They must be cast off, the right boot or shoe first, before the worshiper enters a temple or mosque, and it is still regarded as an absolute profanation to attempt to enter either fully shod.—Westminster Gazette.

Kid Gloves.

The majority of the fine kid gloves used in this country are imported from France. The superiority of French kid gloves over all others, according to an importer, is due above all to the perfection of the skins, the kids being reared in villages by poor peasants who own only a few goats and therefore take great care of them.

Another reason is that in France one workman takes the prepared skin and manipulates it himself right up to the finished glove. In Germany, on the contrary, division of labor is extensive and great factories turn out in two or three hours what requires two days' labor on the part of the French workman.

THEY LOST THE PRIZE.

But Then the Contenders Were Only a Lot of Sea Gulls.

Some campers at a northern lake once put a big fish on a sloping rock near the water's edge to see what the gulls would do.

A soaring scavenger soon spied it and swooped down for a feast. Seizing the fish in his talons the voracious bird flapped its great wings and screamed greedily as he tried to make off with his find.

But the fish was too heavy to be lifted. The only result of repeated attempts was that the fish began to slide toward the water and soon fell in with a splash.

Diving after it, the gull brought it to the surface, and then began a curious spectacle. Thus after time the gull hoisted the fish as high as his strength would permit, only to weaken and let the fish fall again.

The noise attracted other gulls and a battle ensued. First one gull and then another would dive for the fish, lift it part way above the water's surface and be set upon by other gulls until the fish slipped back a sacrifice to jealousy and greed.

For almost an hour this struggle lasted, ending only when all the gulls were tired out. The prize was lost. A fraction of the energy thus spent in scrapping over an object too big to handle would have secured for each gull an ample meal of smaller fish, with which the lake abounded.

Or, a little co-operation, instead of so much vain competition, would have lifted the fish to a safe place on dry land, where all the gulls could have feasted at their leisure.

But they were only gulls; hungry, unthinking, gluttonous gulls. Of course, man would have known better. Yes?—Cleveland Press.

DIET AND DIGESTION.

Length of Time Different Foods Remain in the Stomach.

Few people could make an accurate guess as to the length of time different foods remain in the stomach. The popular ideas as to what are the most digestible foods are all wrong, or nearly so.

In eating chicken, for instance, one imagines that he is sure of a rapid digestion, and yet chicken meat remains in the stomach, under normal conditions, for four hours. Duck, which is generally supposed to be much more difficult to digest than chicken, remains for only two hours.

A hard boiled egg lasts for four hours, which is much longer than the average, whereas boiled fish remains for only an hour and a half.

It is a very common mistake to suppose that well boiled beef is very easily digested, while as a matter of fact it remains in the stomach for six hours, which is longer than any other common article of food. Tripe, on the other hand, remains for only one hour in the stomach and is one of the easiest of all foods to digest.

A period of one and a half hours is required for apples, celery, cheese and oysters, while twice this time is required by ripe bread, onions, sausage or raw milk.—Boston Herald.

Something Suitable.

"When a statesman has something to say, let him say it," said a congressman. "But this continual getting up and talking on every subject under the sun just for the sake of getting one's name in the papers—well, that sort of thing gets statesmanship a bad name."

"A deputation visited a jeweler."

"We want to buy a solid silver coffee-pot," the spokesman said.

ONE

Replication—Speaker in debate in new session of the Senate.

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Continuation of the "So Jack Hansom has married Miss Goldie?" column with various jokes and short pieces.

Continuation of the "Dalles of the St. Croix" column with more details about the geological features.

Continuation of the "They Lost the Prize" column with more jokes and short pieces.

Continuation of the "ONE" column with more details about the proposed amendments to the New York Constitution.

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