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Bits of Byplay

By Luke McLuke

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Stick to short words and follow them. This isn't any joke. For if you have to swallow them The big ones make you choke.

His Opinion.
"What do you think of the war in Europe?" asked the thin man.
"General Sherman beat me to the expression," replied the fat man.

Timely Verse.
Bill Eowhay is a jolly sight.
He loves his little joke.
Says he, "My watch is water tight;
It's often been in soak."
—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Up in an airship Billy wore
His watch—the artful guy—
And to his satisfaction proved
That time cooks surely dry.
—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

Bill does not care for company
When he's in miseriee;
When he is dry he does not want
The town he's in to be.
—Houston Post.

Things to Worry About.
The thread of a silkworm is one-thousandth of an inch in diameter.

It Happens to Us All.
The jokes I tell are full of fun,
Just wait until I've told you one,
But when my new made yarn I've spun,
Some boob will tell an old one.
—Luke McLuke.

A subtle jest leaps off my tongue,
I've stry played it up;
The boob shouts back what I've just sprung
And thinks he made it up.
—New York Mail.

The Nine Most Indispensable Things.
Gartic.
Spats.
Ear muffs.
Rubber collars.
Hot dogs.
Finger bowls.
Toy poodles.
Rouge.
Noise.

Names is Names.
O. G. Kneebone lives at Halley, Ida.

Luke McLuke Says:
A vigilance society has denounced the wearing of low necked dresses on the street, and each member of the society will offer a pin to every woman who is exposing her chest. It won't be long. The bill for pins will be about \$957,654,000 a week.

What has become of the old fashioned schoolboy who used to hold up his hand and snap his fingers when he wanted to attract teacher's attention?

The man who marries once is entitled to some sympathy, but when he makes the same mistake two or three times he deserves all he gets.

When they are courting he always lies about his income and she always lies about her relatives.

The man who is thrown on his own resources seldom lands in an easy chair.

There are a lot of foot names for business, but annui is about the biggest fool name of the lot.

Why is it that there is always one cartridge left in the empty gun which the cheerful idiot playfully points at the innocent bystander when the fool sizer isn't around?

The main reason why there are so many divorces is because there are too many married women and too few wives.

The fashion sheets predict a revolution in underwear. Well, a change is necessary every now and then.

When a man tells you that his wife believes everything he tells her you can bet that he is either a monumental liar or that he hasn't been married more than two weeks.

As a rule, the man who is a great help to his wife and who is handy around the house isn't worth a nickel on any other job.

What has become of the old fashioned supper that consisted of hash and stewed tripe and prunes for dessert?

Ignorance is bliss. That's the reason why a married man often hides his money in the sweat band of his hat for a month after his wife discovers where he is hiding it.

A man will go into a snake dispensary to get away from himself, and after awhile he will look into the mirror and see four of himself.

A man will buy himself a pair of crimson socks and be so proud of them that he can't boast his pants high enough. But if his wife buys him a crinoid he gets mad and asks her if she wants people to imagine that he is henpecked.

THE ANNUAL MOVING HABIT.

Already in local newspapers are appearing announcements of the thousands of farm sales that occur each year as tenants make their annual or biennial shifts. If the facts were known it would probably be realized that the cost in shrinkage of values brought about by such sales amounts each year to millions of dollars, a sum the tenants can ill afford to lose.

With many this annual transfer is purely habit. They go from one farm to another, year after year, apparently chasing a vain hope that sooner or later they will strike a place where they can succeed with less labor than they have put into their work in the past. This moving prevents their accumulating equipment, familiarity with a particular soil and locality and capital that they need to become farm owners. To the moving tenant a farm in the next township always looks a little more attractive than the one he is now operating, but the deception is just as positive as the mirage that the traveler pursues in the desert. Stick-to-it-iveness is a decided asset to the tenant who will carefully cultivate that attribute, and tenants who have become prosperous farm owners give abundant testimony to this fact.

There is plenty of evidence to show that the farmer who sticks succeeds, while he who moves usually fails.—Country Gentleman.

USING A HYDRAULIC RAM.

Many Farms Possess Running Streams Which May Be Utilized.

[Prepared by Ohio Agricultural college.]
There are thousands of farms possessed of a running stream of good, clear spring water which is so far from house or barn as to be entirely useless for domestic purposes. It is possible in the majority of these cases, with a very small cash outlay, to lift this water from the spring and force it to the point where it can be used. The hydraulic ram furnishes the means. Given a spring flowing at least three gallons a minute as far as 300 to 500 feet from the house and as much as 100 feet below the level of the house, it is possible to raise a fair amount of this water and to force it in a running stream through the kitchen.

Here is a diagram of a hydraulic ram. A is the feed pipe leading from the spring to the ram. B is the waste



valve out of which part of the water may escape. D is a ball valve leading to the air chamber C. E is the delivery pipe leading to the point of delivery.

Its action is as follows: Water rushing down the drive pipe enters the base of the ram, and since valve B is naturally in an open position, will flow out. Soon the force of this flowing water is sufficient to close the waste valve by pressure from beneath, and the water thus entrapped is forced up into the air chamber through D. The flow into C will continue until the pressure in the chamber is equal to the force of the water from below, when D will close, and there will be a sufficient backward flow to allow B to open and water will again escape through this valve. As soon as sufficient momentum is gained by the flowing water, B is again closed, and the operation is repeated. At each beat a small portion of water is forced up through the delivery pipe. The action is entirely automatic and seldom gives one trouble. F is a shifting valve through which a small amount of air is sucked at each backward beat, thus preventing the air in the air chamber from becoming waterlogged.

For Better Butter.
One of the most common causes of poor quality butter is the lack of immediate, thorough cooling of the cream after separation. The dairy division of the United States department of agriculture has made a careful investigation of conditions on a large number of dairy farms, and the data obtained show that if properly cooled cream of the best grade can be produced with but little extra labor or expense. The principles involved are very simple and are easily understood.

A liberal use of ice which has been stored in winter to be used the following summer is one of the requirements for the solution of the poor butter problem. Farmers who are already successfully delivering good products to the creamery have usually provided for themselves a convenient source of supply for the ice, suitable houses for storing the ice and ice water tanks for the immediate cooling of the milk and cream. In parts of New England, although the dairymen often hold cream on the farm four days in the summer and seven days in the winter, they deliver practically all their product while sweet. After it reaches the creamery it is pasteurized and shipped a distance of from 50 to 300 miles and may still be sold in these remote localities in the form of sweet cream.

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(M. M. Carrick, M.D., Sanitation Expert.)

So many dramatic disclosures have been made in regard to the relation between dirty milk and the excessive death rate among infants that farmers are beginning to realize as never before, the necessity of co-operation with the municipal authorities in their fight for pure milk.

Milk is certainly the most important article of food in the human diet, and it is also the most contaminable. All sorts of diseases are carried through milk. Tuberculosis is an example of this class, and a number of epidemics of diphtheria and scarlet fever have been traced to the milk supply, but when we pause to consider that one-fifth of all the babies born in the United States die in their infancy from preventable diseases, and that sixty per cent of these are due to gastro-intestinal diseases, due to improper feeding or impure milk, we naturally begin to look into the cause.

I realize, of course, that not every farmer can have his milking done scientifically, but it is possible for him to produce safe milk for his own use and that of the public by very simple and inexpensive means.

He may not have an elaborate dairy outfit, but his cattle can be kept clean and in perfect health with the assistance of a veterinary. It will be to his financial interest in the long run. Tar paper, white-wash and homemade cement will insure a sanitary stable at small cost.

Then, there should be a covered milking pail in place of the old-fashioned wide-mouthed pail. This will keep nine-tenths of the dirt out during milking time. All milk utensils may be kept clean by the use of a brush and a solution of soda followed by a final rinsing in scalding water.

A Letter of Appreciation.

Through the columns of THE TRIBUNE I wish to thank all who have shown me so much kindness, in sending me so many tokens of friendship, and all who have been so kind in so many different ways.

I hope that all took as much pleasure in doing those kind acts as I in receiving them. I wish to thank all who so kindly and generously filled a large sunshine box, which contained a large number of packages, one to be opened each day, which is a great pleasure to me as I am not going to school and each day is made a pleasure by the bright rays of sunshine.

I thank the Rebekah Lodge for the globe and gold fish and also the one who gave me two more gold fish last week.

Veda H. Algard.
Five Corners, March 1, 1915.

White Slavery.

In an official report sent to Washington on Feb. 11 by William P. Fitch, a special investigator for the United States Department of Justice, evidence is submitted of an organized traffic in girls stolen by gypsy bands. These girls are sold to white slave dealers in the markets of New York, Philadelphia, Chicago, St. Louis, Minneapolis, Milwaukee, Kansas City, Dallas, New Orleans and Indianapolis. The price of the girls ranges from \$200 to \$2,500 each. Mr. Fitch says he has names, addresses, and dates in about one hundred cases in which sales of girls were made.

—It is strange why some people get angry when they are asked to pay an account. No right thinking person will do so and no honest person who intends to pay his debts can blame a business man for asking for what belongs to him.

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Five Corners.

March 1—One year ago today that terrible blizzard came; hope there will not be any this month.

J. D. Todd is very much improved from injuries received in falling town meeting day.

Frank Corwin has sold his house and lot here to Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Doyle.

Mr. Briggs, an uncle of Harry Smith, is making his home with him for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Ferris entertained Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Mann, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mann and little daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mann and son, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Young and son, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Young and son, Mrs. Leona and Leroy King at their pleasant home last week Tuesday evening. They all enjoyed a jolly evening. Mr. and Mrs. Ferris are good entertainers.

Wm. Dickerson is quite ill with tonsillitis. Dr. Gard is attending him.

Harrison Smith, who slipped and fell town meeting day and dislocated his kneecap has suffered greatly, and now he is suffering from pneumonia. Dr. Gard is attending him.

John I. Bower is very ill of pneumonia. A nurse from Auburn is caring for him.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hunt and two sons DeAlton and Leslie attended the evangelistic meeting at King Ferry last Sunday evening.

Dannie Moore spent last week Wednesday in Syracuse and attended the great automobile show there. Frank Corwin spent Thursday at the same place.

Quite an attendance at the chicken pie supper which was held at the Grange hall last week Wednesday evening by the Belltown church. They realized \$15 which was good, for the night was bad.

The Belltown Ladies' Aid society will have a dinner at the home of Mrs. LeRoy Mann on Thursday, March 11. Everybody cordially invited.

Miss McGillivray of Ithaca was an over-Sunday guest at Howard Shaw's.

Harry Ferris attended the automobile show at Syracuse, Saturday last.

The dance was not so largely attended last Friday night as some they have had, the night being very cold and blustery.

Mrs. Emily Snyder of the Forks of the Creek spent a few days last week with Mrs. Elizabeth Lyon.

Asa Coon and family will soon move in the Chaffee house. Albert Gillow is doing some papering for them.

Mrs. Wm. White is under the care of Dr. Gard. She is very ill.

Mrs. G. W. Atwater, who has been very ill ever since their return from the West, is now slowly recovering, her many friends are pleased to learn.

The many friends of Miss Veda Algard sent her a beautiful sunshine box last week. She enjoys opening each package, one for every day in the month.

Merrifield.

March 2—Through the kindness of A. E. Burkenstock, our teacher, Miss Chamberlain, and her pupils enjoyed a fine sleighride a few days ago.

Mrs. George Doremus has returned from a week's visit in Binghamton.

Claude Phillips and wife of Auburn were Sunday guests of John Carter and wife.

Mrs. Wm. Grant and son Frances visited at James Turney's in Venice, Sunday.

Miss Ruth Cuykendall of Auburn spent Saturday and Sunday at C. A. Morgan's.

Quite a number in this vicinity are suffering from severe colds and grip. E. J. Morgan, Thomas Coulson and Harry Hicks attended the automobile show in Syracuse last week.

Mrs. Hobart Loyster and daughter Harriet spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Tompkins, in Union Springs, recently.

Mrs. Thomas Coulson is on the sick list.

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Two Acres Too Much.

Silas—I hear your son left that small town and went to the city to have a larger field for his efforts.

Hiram—Yes; and that's what gets me. When Hank was home, a two-acre potato patch was too big a field for him.—Judge.

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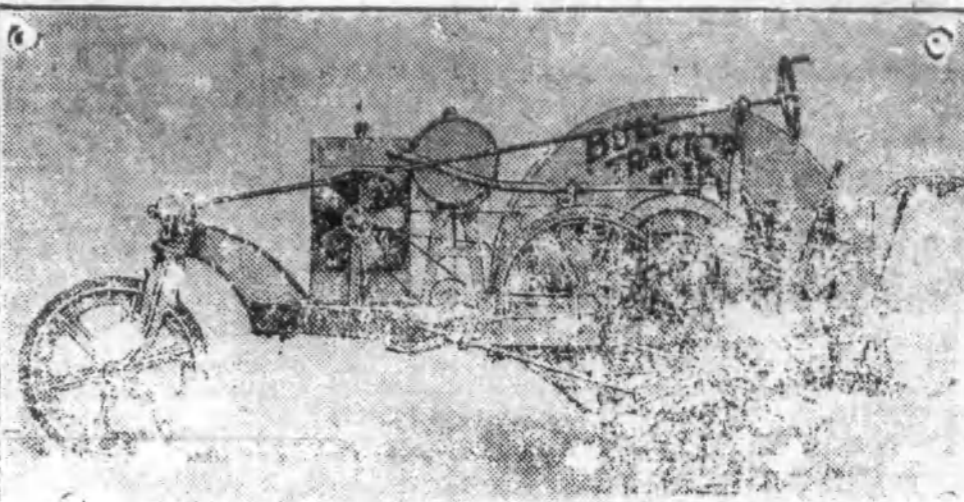
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