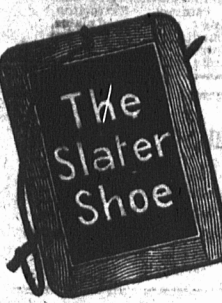


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"Do you see that seedy looking chap sitting on that bench over there?"

"You mean the one with fringe on his trousers, tassels on his elbows and openwork shoes?"

"That's the one. Well, sir, he is the most ingenious man in this big city."

"It doesn't seem to do him much good."

"Don't, eh? Why, sir, it's preserved his happy home to him even if he does owe the butcher and the landlord and the grocer and everybody else. He alone has succeeded in doing what every man in this town, not to speak about the country at large, would give most anything to do. If true merit and ability cut any ice with our beloved government he'd be at the head of affairs this minute. Why, with his marvellous sagacity and miraculous success as a compromiser we'd never hear of any friction between this country and every other. Never, sir, and with no loss of dignity, either. Why, sir, I believe that man could keep peace in an old ladies' home."

"What's he done that's so wonderful?"

"Why, he and his wife had the usual argument this spring that disrupts every family in the land. She was bound and determined to spend his vacation at the seaside, and he gently but firmly insisted upon going to the mountains. You know the rest. They argued the matter, they disputed about it, they squabbled over it, and they quarrelled. Neither would give in. The breach between them grew wider and wider. It became a point of honor with each to prevail. They became more and more bitter. Reconciliation seemed out of the question. And then, sir, when that chasm seemed unbridgeable, that man's superhuman ingenuity came to the rescue. Profound peace fell upon the battlefield, ecstatic bliss succeeded strife, and delicious happiness reigned again in that home, and the children could eat their meals without spending half the time dodging dishes."

"Huh! I suppose he gave in to her. That's no trick. Every man does that."

"No, sir. That would have left ranking wounds, festering bitterness and horrid memories to the defeated. But he arranged it all so that neither was defeated, neither was victorious."

"Impossible. But how?"

"He went, sir, deliberately to work and lost his position, so they couldn't afford to go to any place. Now, wasn't he a wizard to think of that?"—Alex. Ricketts in New York Times.

A GRAND SHOWING.

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Manager, Charlottetown.

A By-Law for allowing a rate of discount on the Assessments on Real Estate and Personal Property in the City of Charlottetown for general Civic purposes for the Current Year ending the thirty-first day of December, A. D., 1904.

Be it enacted by the City Council of the City of Charlottetown as follows:

1st., a discount at the rate of 2 1/2% shall be allowed all tax payers who shall on or before the 25th day of July, next, A. D., 1904 pay to the City Clerk, at his office the taxes severally due by them for the current year on real estate and personal property for Civic purposes.

FRED. F. KELLY, Mayor.
W. W. CLARK, City Clerk.

June 8, 1904.

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"I have now come to the parting of the ways," said the legislator thoughtfully.

"How so?"

"I must now decide whether I am here to represent the bosses or the people. If I offend the one I never can be nominated again; if I offend the other I never can be elected. I tell you, the public does not realize the great problems of statesmanship that confront a man in public life."—Brooklyn Eagle.

He Certainly Is.

"Yes," said the party who occasionally thinks out loud, "he is certainly entitled to a seat in the front row of the heavenly orchestra."

"Who is entitled to the aforesaid seat?" asked the human interrogation point.

"The man who can umpire a game of baseball and please both sides," replied the noisy thinker.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

First Aid to Atlas.

Atlas had grown tired of supporting the world when a ray of hope came.

"At last, at last!" he exclaimed.

"Help has arrived."

Hastily dumping the old thing on M. Jerspont Porgan's shoulders, he skipped off to the Olympian council.—Harper's Bazar.

Stuck on It.

"And do you like chewing gum?" asked the fair maiden with the rapid fire jaws.

"Sure," said the swain who had been trying vainly for an hour to get up from the chair. "Sure; I'm stuck on it."—Baltimore News.

Giving Him a Few Pointers.



—New York Times.

A Fishing Accident.

"Terrible thing has took place" said the Billville citizen as he entered his gate disconsolately.

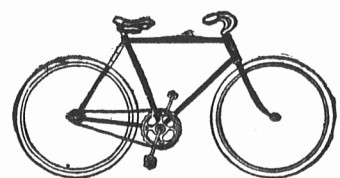
"Mercy on us! What can it be?"

"Alligator swallowed little Billy and the can o' bait."—Atlanta Constitution.

His Answer.

"I am informed that there is an illicit still concealed somewhere in these hills," said the revenue agent.

"Oh, that's all moonshine!" replied the lank mountaineer.—Commons.



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