

THE FUNNY MAN

FIXING THE BLAME
Margaret is only seven years old, but sometimes quite naughty. On one occasion her mother, hoping to be particularly impressive, said: "Don't you know that if you keep on doing so many naughty things your children will be naughty, too?" Margaret dimpled and cried triumphantly. "Oh, mother, now you've given yourself away!"—Everybody's Magazine.

SIMPLE AND EASY
At a big party in London a woman of the newly rich and ostentatious class was sitting beside the wife of a prominent labor leader. The former began to talk about her jewelry. "I clean my diamonds with ammonia," she said; "my rubies with Bordeaux wine, my emeralds with Danzig brandy and my sapphires with fresh milk. And you, Mr. Blank?" she asked, turning to the labor leader's wife.
"Oh, I don't clean mine," said the latter sadly. "When they get dirty, I simply throw them away."—Boston Transcript.

Lost Opportunity
The Wife—"I've just shown him the bill for this hat and—"
Her Mother—"Oh, Laura, your extravagance will—"
The Wife—"And he said, 'Why didn't you get a better one?'"—Punch (London).

A Pertinent Question
If the forty days of Lent were for sorry fasting sent, isn't that good proof that Easter should be given to the feaster?—J. W.

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WORMS NOT DESIRED.
Mother—"Get up, Elsie, Remember it's the early bird that gets the worm."
Elsie (crowsily)—"Let him have 'em, mother. I'm not hungry!"—The Watchman-Examiner (New York).

EARLY TO RISE.
The Chief—"H'm, late again, Smith!"
Smith—"I'm sorry sir, but last night my wife presented me with a boy."
Chief—"She'd have done better to have presented you with an alarm clock."
Smith—"I rather fancy she has, sir."—The Passing Show (London).

AH, YES!
"Is Mr. Perkins at home?" inquired the caller.
"Which one, sir?—there are brothers living here," said the maid.
For a moment the caller looked puzzled, then he had an idea.
"The one who has a sister living in St. Louis," he explained.—The Watchman-Examiner (New York).

HIS AWFUL RELAPSE.
A shell-shocked soldier in Germany was released from a sanitarium—cured. He was driven to the railway station in a taxi, and the chauffeur said:
"It costs you 200,000,000 marks for this ride."
"The soldier thought, 'Is the

WIFE NO. 3.
"How long have you been married?" asked the clerk at the hotel desk as an elderly bridegroom registered.
"Two weeks," replied the happy man.
"Front!" cried the clerk. "Show the gentleman to Parlor B. Fifteen dollars a day, sir."
"Third wife," calmly said the guest.
"Oh, excuse me! Front, show the gentleman to 824 back. Take the elevator; four dollars a week, sir."

man crazy again? I crazy again? He gave the chauffeur a twenty-mark coin, whereupon the chauffeur said:
"On this you will get 3,000,000 marks change."
The soldier said: "Just keep the change, and drive me back to the sanitarium."—Watchman-Examiner (New York).

OR MERELY AS EVIDENCE.
"She keeps a diary of all her quarrels with her husband."
"I see, a sort of a family scrap book."—London Mail.

What We Escape
The best argument for the styles of the present day is the family album.—Dry Goods Economist.

No Recommendation.
"What do you think of mud as a beautifier?"
"Well, it hasn't done much for the turtle."—Judge.

Strange Attachment.
Wanted—Room for elderly lady with garden attached, where she can plant and potter in flowers.—Classified ad in the Montgomery Advertiser.

A la Mr. Spooner.
"Say, Bill, I was held up by the comic trap today."
"The what?"
"The trappie coff—the coffee trap—the tropic caft—the oh, hang it, you know what I mean!"—Boston Transcript.

WHY, SURE
"Pa sent me for a piece of rope like this."
"How much does he want?"
"Just enough to reach from the calf to the fence."

HIS WEAKNESS
Two street cleaners were discussing a comrade who had died the day before.
"Bill certainly was a good sweep-er," said one.
"Y-e-s-s," conceded the other, thoughtfully. "But don't you think he was a little weak around the lamp posts?"

SIMPLE ENOUGH
Teacher: Can any one tell me how a stovepipe is made?
Johnny: First you take a big long hole, and then you wrap some tin around it.

NO HAND JOB.
Mrs. Lafferty—"Ten stitches did the doctor have to take in me ould man after the fight last night."
Mrs. O'Hara—"Ten? Was that all? Shure, when the doctor seen me poor husband carried in this morning he says: 'Has any wan got a sewing machine?'"—Boston Transcript.

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OH, MAGGIE—HERE COMES LORD APPLEBERRY DOWN THE STREET.

GRACIOUS AND I'M NOT DRESSED!

WHEN HE CALLS TAKE HIM IN THE PARLOR AND ENTERTAIN HIM UNTIL I FIX UP!

BY COLLY SHE CERTAINLY FELL FOR THAT!

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