

Riddles to Guess.

They put soft feathers into pillows
And make nice baskets out of —
Big grasshoppers are curious things;
Some batterflies have yellow —
Leaves fall in autumn from the trees;
In winter ponds and rivers —
Dogs watch by night, and sleep by day,
And horses feed on oats and —
Boys learn their lessons from a book,
And catch small fishes with a —
In winter, snow and ice are seen,
But summer showers make fields look —
Beetles and bats fly out at night,
'Tis said they do not like the —
In one thing men are not like boys,
For men like quiet, boys like —

Yellow Fever in the South.

It appears that yellow fever is still prevalent in the Southern States, and has not been eradicated by the cold weather. Physicians contend that the exhaling and removal of bodies is the cause of the reappearance of the disease, and in consequence of this and the exceedingly mild state of the weather, the Health Commissioners of St. Louis have ordered that no more bodies be disinterred from quarantine.

Humorous Selections.

Of what trade is a clergyman at a wedding? A join-her.
The lady who knit her brow has commenced a pair of socks.
Somebody fears that somebody is going to steal the canals. Lock them up.
Why is a washerwoman like a man-of-war? Because she draws much water.
What room in the house reminds one of a troublesome complaint. The room-atic.
Why is a fool like a needle? He has an eye, but he has got no head; and you can't see his point.
Why is a woman's heart like the moon? Though constantly changing, it always has a man in it.
The other day an old lady rushed into the garden in search of her daughter, upon being told that she had gone there with a rake.
A Boston writer, in alluding to the musical taste of the Hub, says: "Our ears have been cultivated until they overshadow our other organs."
An Indiana preacher made use of the expression "the iconoclastic segregate of sin" last Sunday, and has already received a call to a church in Boston.
One kind word spoken to a tramp may cheer his whole future life. Remember this when you see him walking off with your axe and fifty feet of garden hose.
A lazy fellow once declared in public company that he could not find bread for his family. "Nor I," replied an industrious mechanic; "I am obliged to work for it."

There is no harm in saying these lines over twice:—"A sorrow shared is but half a trouble, But a joy that's shared is a joy made double."
It is as impossible to live peacefully in a house with a hot-tempered person as it is to take a nap in a room when a hornet is buzzing on the window. He may sting at any minute.
A Paisley publican was complaining of his servant-maid that she could never be found when required. "She'll gang out of the house," said he, "twenty times for once she'll come in."

"Nigger, who was de fust man dat interduced salt pervishuns into de navy?" "Dar, now, you's too hard for dis cultured individual." "It was Noah, nigger, when he took ham board his ark."

THE END OF THE HONEYMOON. — Young Bride (much hurt).—"Edwin, you have been whistling and singing all day, and it is our last day, too. Anyone would think you were glad to get back to town again." Young husband—so I am. (Happy thought occurs to him here.) With you pet—with you, of course.—Judgy.

DEGENERATE TIMES. — First Dragon—"Awfully fine girl that." Second Dragon—"Ya'as, but hasn't got a word to say for herself. Asked her if she wasn't awfully fond of hunting. Said she'd never been on a horse in her life. Now, what's a fellow to say after that? Can't make out what girls do talk about in these days."—Punch.

One night Jones came home very late, and found his wife evidently prepared to administer a candle lecture. Instead of going to bed he took a seat, and, resting his elbows on his knees, seemed absorbed in grief, sighing heavily, and uttering such exclamations as "Poor Smith, poor fellow." Mrs. Jones, moved by curiosity, said sharply: "What's the matter with Smith?" "Ah," said Jones, "his wife is giving him fits just now." Mrs. Jones let her husband off that time.

When a woman is named "enough" there must be a good reason for it. Dr. Drysdale, President of the Malthusian League, says that he once met in an English hospital a young woman of that name. She was the thirteenth daughter of her mother, and was named "Enough" by a justly incensed father, who evidently thought that matters had gone far enough, and that a line must be drawn. The mother of "Enough" did not take the hint, but gave birth to nine more children, making twenty-two in all.

Here is a story they are telling with great gusto in the studio. Whether it is true or not I do not know, but at any rate it is studied from the life. Mr. Frith had a little girl for a model the other day, and, wishing to give her an intelligent expression, he entered into conversation thus: "Have you been sitting to any one lately?" "Yes, sir, to Mr. Cope." "Anyone else?" "Mr. Horsley." "Ah, Horsley—anyone else?" "I sat to Mr. Whistler yesterday." "What did he say?" "He asked me if I had been sitting to anyone lately, and I told him to Mr. Cope." "What did he say to that?" "He asked me who else, and I said Mr. Horsley." "What did he say then?" "He asked me who else, and I said I had been sitting to you, sir." "Well, and what did he say then?" He said, "What a damned crew!"

MORTGAGE SALE.

To be sold, by Public Auction, at the Court House in Summerside, in Prince County, on Tuesday, the Eighteenth day of February next, at the hour of one o'clock, in the afternoon, under a Power of Sale in an Indenture of Mortgage, dated the fifth day of October, 1878, made between William Thomas Mill, of the one part, and John Brecken, Frederick De St. Croix Brecken, and Robert Robinson Hodgson, trustees, of the other part,—

1. All that tract, piece or parcel of land, situate on Lot Eighteen, and bounded and described as follows: Commencing at a stake fixed on the shore of Indian River; thence by a line running south twenty degrees west until it meets the boundary line dividing Lots or Townships Numbers eighteen and nineteen; thence running due east on said division line for the distance of thirty-two chains; thence by a line running north twenty degrees east until it reaches Indian River, aforesaid; thence following the course of the River to the place of commencement, making and including fifty-six (56) acres of land be the same, a little more or less, in Prince County, aforesaid.

2. Also, all that other tract, piece or parcel of land, situate on Lot or Township Twenty-five, in Prince County, aforesaid, and bounded and described as follows, that is to say: Commencing at a stake fixed on William McMurdy's eastern boundary line at the south-east corner of Joshua Harding's Lot; thence running south for the distance of forty-four chains; thence north forty-four chains; thence west eleven chains and fifty links, to the aforesaid stake or place of commencement, making and including fifty (50) acres of land, a little more or less, being the southern moiety of one hundred acres of land; and being bounded on the north by the northern moiety thereof, known as Joshua Harding's lot; on the east by ———— Gay's land, on the south by ———— Keefe's land, and on the west by the said William MacMurdy's land.

3. Also, all that other tract, piece or parcel of land, situate on Lot or Township Number Nineteen, bounded and described as follows, that is to say: Commencing at a square stake fixed in the south-west angle of land in the occupation of Peter Gillis; thence running north six degrees and forty-five minutes, east fourteen chains and two links to division line between Lots Nineteen and Eighteen; thence along said line westwardly twenty-six chains and sixty nine links to the entrance of Barbara Weit River; thence along the course of the said river to the place of beginning, containing 117-113 acres and forty perches, be the same, a little more or less.

4. All that tract, piece or parcel of land situate on Lot or Township Number Eighteen, and bounded and described as follows, that is to say: Commencing at a stake set on the shore of Richmond Bay in the centre of a road on the line of Lots Eighteen or Nineteen; thence northwardly along said shore such a distance as shall make fifteen chains and sixty five links (15 chains and 65 links) at a right angle from said division line; thence north eighty-nine degrees east or parallel with the said division line forty-eight chains and fifteen links (48 chains, 15 links) or to lands the property of the said William Thomas Mill, thence south twenty degrees west to said division line to the stake at the place of commencement, containing seventy-eight acres of land, a little more or less.

5. Also all that other tract, piece or parcel of land situate on Lot or Township Number Twenty-five (25), in Prince county, and bounded and described as follows, that is to say, commencing at a stake set in the north boundary line of land in possession of the widow Keiff or Lawrence Malone, being the southeast angle of fifty acres of land the property of William T. Mill, from thence by a line running north twelve chains and fifty links, thence east nine chains and fifty-five links or to the east boundary line of land in possession of William Gay, thence south to the first mentioned land, thence westwardly along said land to the stake at the place of commencement, containing eleven and nine-tenths acres, a little more or less.

6. Also all that other tract, piece or parcel of land situate on Lot or Township Number Nineteen, in Prince County, bounded as follows, that is to say, commencing at the southeast angle of land in the possession of Neil McDonald, from thence running west along said land twelve chains and twenty links (12 chains, 20 links) or to the southwest angle of said land, and from thence two points running two parallel lines south thirty-one (31) chains or to the south boundary line of plot G containing thirty-seven and one-half (37½) acres of land, be the same a little more or less, together with all buildings and improvements thereon and appurtenances to the same belonging.

For further particulars apply at the office of Messrs. Hodgson & McLeod, Solicitors, Charlottetown. Dated the 13th day of January, A. D. 18 9. JOHN BRECKEN, FREDERICK DE ST. C. BRECKEN, R. R. HODGSON, By E. J. HODGSON, their attorney. Jan. 13—law ts prog.

The above Sale is hereby postponed till WEDNESDAY, the 2nd day of April next, 1879, then to take place at the hour and place above mentioned.

Dated the 17th day of February, A. D., 1879. JOHN BRECKEN, FRED'K DE ST. C. BRECKEN, R. R. HODGSON, By E. J. HODGSON, their Attorney. Charlottetown, Feb. 18, 1879.

NOTICE.

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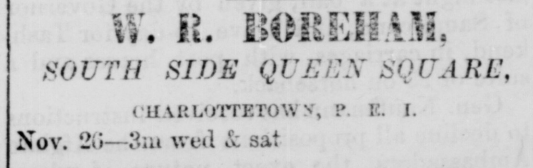
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