YOUNG LADY ACROSS THE WAY

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The young lady across the way says a girl can't have a purely fratricidal feeling for a young man without startling the neighbors to gossiping.

SUCH IS LIFE

It is going to be quite a surprise to the grocer to hear that food prices have dropped, but, like as not, by the time the news gets to him he will have had a wireless telling how wholesale prices have gone up again, and he needn't bother about changing the price tags.

Nobody yet has been able to figure out why it is that about eight of the 10 best pupils in any schoolroom are girls.

(Now go on with the story)

This teacher, worthy of the finest sort of medal, one day conceived a splendid scheme for getting all the boys the head of the class.

Teacher thought up a brand new of examination questions:

—Who is Babe Ruth?

2—Who won the world series?

3—What is the difference between a right guard and a right fielder

4—If the heaviest hitter comes to bat and there's a runner on third, why is it advisable to pass the batter?

5—What is a southpaw?

All but two boys answered every estion correctly; these two had the taken notion that (in reply to Quse 4) it would be better to bean the thus throwing a scare into the the team.

ardly needless to add that e girls displayed any startling f knowledge of the subject cussion.

y Duff was doing his nightly k—

papa, and mamma, and grandgrandpa, and Aunt Olivia, and lbur," etc.

ooking up at his dad, he said: when are you grownup folls begin doing your own praying? ing tired of having to do it for ou every night."

e candidate for congress had made ng and elaborate speech.

w'd I do it?" he asked his canmanager.

ised a lot of good opportunities," d the manager.

hat opportunities?"

ay, you had a dozen chances to and didn't."

CHALLENGE TOO SWEEPING

S ANGELES — After Daniel U. S. navy, sailor, had chalthe entire human and canine to battle, he was led away. went to Long Beach with his p. "I can lick any man living dog can lick any dog living," he. Three men in blue unitastefully trimmed with brass s overcame his violent objections ave him a room in a hotel with ste floors and steel window s.

BRINGING UP FATHER

By George McManus

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS

By Alman

WILL ROGERS (HIMSELF) —in— WHAT'S NEWS TODAY?

Uncle Sam M.D.

YOUR HEALTH

Send your health questions to Information Chief, U. S. Public Health Service, Washington, D. C.

Self-addressed, stamped envelops must be enclosed for personal replies; health questions of general interest are answered in this column by experts of the Public Health Service.

DEVELOPMENT OF A BABY

At birth, a baby's head is larger in proportion to his body than is an adult's. The abdomen is big. The arms and legs are short and the legs are slightly bowed.

Soon after birth, a baby develops sense of contact and temperature; that is, he knows when he is being held and he can appreciate heat or cold. He learns to see light and to hear during the first three or four days.

The first month the hands move aimlessly about. During the second month, and arms to put his hand to his mouth Dutries to lift his head.

a baring the third and fourth months, wha by will make an effort to grasp to s is held before him and will try to g it up. He should not be allowed this so unless he is supported. About and time, he begins to recognize others is e develops a will of his own, which plea xpressed in crying when he is disAlso. He will coo when he is happy.

bout the sixth month a baby can gra long for a few minutes. He will reach and hold whatever comes within gings of his busy fingers. He now besons to be sociable and will try to talk, metimes making vowel sounds.

mo rom the seventh month to the ninth forth, he will creep and will make efmove to stand. He likes to imitate attements and to have sympathy and pation shown him.

twe rom the ninth month to the fro th month, he learns to stand, and mos the twelfth to the sixteenth smith, learns to walk. He develops a to se of desire to please and this leads mo bedience. Sometimes at the twelfth mth he can say a few words.

ed; baby has no moral sense or knowlsing of what is right or wrong. He peo ly folows his instincts. An older shou must keep him from harm and thow him gently how to do the right until he learns for himself.

improper feeding is one of the causes of a child's failing to deprope ly, too close attention can-e paid to the right feeding of a ing baby.

Diseased Tonsils

Q. What are the symptoms caused by diseased tonsils?

A. This question is too general to be answered by an article in this column. There are many diseases of the tonsils, each with their own accompanying symptoms. If you will ask a more specific question along this line, the Information Editor will be pleased to answer the same.

Heart Trouble

Q. If a woman 37 years of age has a pulse rate of 62 with now and then a skip in the beat, does it mean that she has heart trouble? The general health is fairly good, but sometimes after climbing a flight of stairs heart seems to flutter and beat unduly fast for a time. If heart trouble, how should she try to overcome it or help it?

A. Shortness of breath, specially such as stair-climbing, is often the first sign of an overtaxed heart. This does not necessary mean serious organic heart trouble. I would urge that the patient be examined carefully by a physican to see if there is any cause for anxiety.

FUNERALS BAD ADVERTISING

LOS ANGELES — Because Hollywood business organizations protested that a dozen funerals a day winding their way through the suburb would be bad advertising, city council here probably won't choose a new cemetery just beyond Hollywood.

RECOVERS SIGHT AFTER SIX YEARS

EVANSVILLE, Ind.—After six years of darkness, Percy Pritchett, who lost his sight in an automobile accident here, has recovered the use of his eyes. Pritchett collapsed at the grave of his father two weeks ago and physicians at that time removed bits of bone that pressed on his brain. It is probable his sight will be entirely normal.

CLEANING FRAMES

To clean gilt frames, grate a fresh raw onion and apply the juice with a soft brush to the frames

BETTY AND HER BEAU

SOAP BENEFICIAL TO SKIN, SAYS SPECIALIST

A well known New York skin specialist says that it is an erroneous idea that soap will hurt the complexion. According to him, women who wash their faces with soap have clearer complexions and do not suffer from enlarger pores. His advice is to choose a soap free of alkali, either scented or unscented and wash the face thoroughly at night with the soap, rinsing with cold water. In the morning it is sufficient, says this skin specialist, to wash with warm water and rinse with cold.

CAREFUL DRAINING FOR HOUSE PLANTS

Many house-plants die because water accumulates in the bottom of the flower pot. The pot should not only have a hole in the bottom, but a layer of gravel broken brick or stone should be put in for drainage.

NECKLACES OF SILK AND COLORED STONES

Fashionable necklaces are now made with silk and colored stones. Yellow and black, white and green are popular mixtures. Necklaces in silk and cut jade motifs are also seen frequently.

EX-KAISER BILL FOUNDS HOSPITAL

AMSTERDAM—A hospital has been opened at Amerongen which was founded by the ex-kaiser. Wilhelm himself was present at the ceremony.

ANATOMY HAS PLACE IN POLITICS

TOLEDO, O.—Even anatomy has its place in politics here. Federal Judge Killits "came back" at a political opponent in this wise: "Silver Spoon Ashley's uncalled-for attack carries its own antidote. It is obvious what was in his mouth when born—his foot, of course. The foot has been there ever since.

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Gave his opponent the blues,
When he took a swing
The other poor thing
Started to shake in his shoes.

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INCHES FROM THE GOLDEN-PLATED RULE

By Lillian Paschal Day

LOVE

We think a lot of Our Doctor.
He was in France two years.
X-ray specialist. We felt lost.
Sonny would have no other doctor.
New-fangled faddists come and go.
We stick to Dr. Ed. He isn't old.
But he has old-fashioned ideals.
Friend of the family down to Don.
Don was Our Dog, Sonny's pal.
But he was Boydear's idolizer.
He loved me with cupboard love.
Because I fed him.
Between meals I lost out entirely.
He romped with Sonny all day.
Patronizingly he loved the boy.
But his soul-worship was Boydear's.
Every evening he met the 6:10 car.
You could set the clock by him.
When Boydear got off, Don danced.
He whirligigged round and round.
Laughed and barked with joy.
Every one smiled at the cute trick.
Boydear had taught him several.
One evening his idol was late.
The 6:10 came and went.
Don ran after, not seeing the other.
Car behind ran over his leg.
He crawled home to his nest.
Boydear had made it snug for him.
It was under the back porch,
Was in the city—Sonny, too.
Together we all three came home.
We heard Don whimpering.
But we heard his tail thump, too!
And he so terribly hurt!
And he licked Boydear's hand.
He was so glad to see him.
I wept. Boydear's eyes were wet.
What to do. Should we kill Don?
Sonny cried and begged.
We had an anxious consultation.
Decided to ask a veterinary.
Phoned, couldn't get one anywhere.
All were out or couldn't come.
"Ask Dr. Ed!" cried Sonny.
Doubtfully I looked at Boydear.
"Do you suppose he would?"
We phoned—and he came!
He had a dog, he explained simply.
Ethics? Golden Rule was enough.
Gently he amputated the poor foot.
Boydear held the ether cone.
Don came to and licked his hand.
He got well—but went three-legged.
One evening he met the 6:10.
Seeing Boydear, he whirligigged!
Pivoted on his three good legs.
Passengers clapped. Boydear laughed.
He hugged Don and me together. * *
Don died soon after Boydear did.
Broken-hearted, Dr. Ed said.
Surely not, though, I thought.
If that killed, I'd be dead, too.

Isn't it odd?
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