

# Half Sick Half Well

**On Disapproval.**  
The Detroit Free Press supplies a new definition for an old customer.  
"They tell me that Blakely is not rich, and yet there is a hardly a day but wagons from the jewelers and other merchants stop there."  
"That's so. Mrs. Blakely is one of those women that have things well home on disapproval."

**A Bass Against Fire.**  
The crew of a steamer from Spain discovered in mid-ocean that flames were racing in the hold. For ten days they bravely fought the flames. If men would fight as persistently against disorders of the stomach, there would be fewer premature deaths. The best weapon for such a fight is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters.

**The Hint That Hit.**  
"Have you noticed," he asked, "that the czar of Russia has proposed to have Europeans put down their arms?"

"You are right; I hope his proposal will not be regarded with favor over here."

"Why?" he returned in some surprise.  
"Oh," she said, "what's the good of having arms if you don't make use of them?"

After a few moments he came out of his dozed condition.

**What Do the Children Drink?**  
Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried the new food drink called GRAIN-O? It is delicious and nourishing, and takes the place of coffee. The grain in GRAIN-O is the best grain to give more health to distribute the system. GRAIN-O is made of grains, and when properly prepared, taste like the choice grades of coffee, but costs about as much. All grocers sell it. 10c and 25c.

**A man named Gustave Marcellin, a professional beggar, was found dead in his room in the Hotel Gramercy, Atlantic City, New Jersey, 1892.** A search led to the discovery of French Government bonds and various securities to the value of \$100,000. He left a paper requesting that his savings might be divided equally between the city and the bureau de bienfaisance.

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