STRESSES AND STRAINS

CHAPTER 5

LOGIC

"Father, why are the students carrying their books to class today? They never did it before."

"They have examinations today, my son."

'Tis better to keep silent and be thought a fool than to speak and remove all doubt.

Waterman: I want to be excused this period to get a haircut, Professor.

Prof. Scherger: What, get your haircut on school time?

Waterman: Sure, it grew on school time.

A married man's greatest surprise comes when his first mate turns out to be a skipper.

The man who marries a woman who rolls down her stockings need not expect her to go into the kitchen and roll up her sleeves.

A formula for success: More bone in the back and less in the head.

Nutt: "Do you think I can make her happy?"

Stantial: "Well, she'll always have something to laugh at."

Niederhofer: "Lack of clothing is one of the characteristics of the savage."

Joseph: "So? There goes a cannibal queen."

'Nuff Sed'

A noted critic once received a short story from a writer and was asked to criticise it. He claims that he never got any farther than the first sentence, which was, "Colonel Winterbottom was a cold, stern man."

Very few lads fail in life whose dads had the wisdom to turn the woodshed into a club-room on proper occasions.

A man never appreciates his hair or his health until they leave him.

A bow-legged girl may be healthy but she's in bad shape.

CHAPTER 6

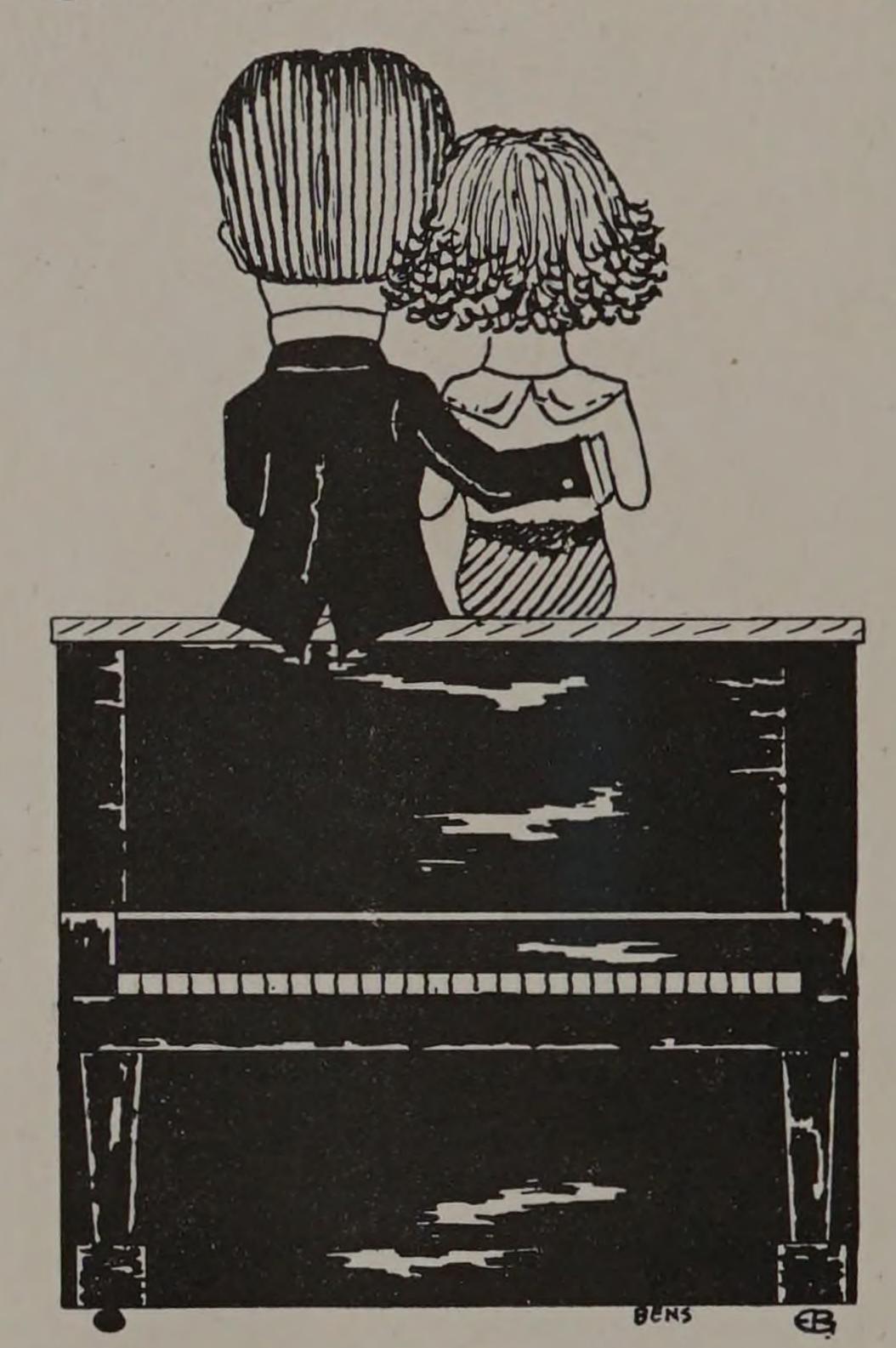
HISTORY OF RELIGION

Minister (to sick student): "I take a friendly interest in you, my boy, because I have two sons in college myself; one taking engineering and the other architecture. Is there anything I can do?"

Sick student: "You might pray for the one taking engineering."

Lizars: "The young bride worships her husband, doesn't she?"

Pierce: "Well, she places burnt offerings before him three times a day."



TRY THIS ON YOUR PIANO

What if John Barleycorn is dead, he may come back. He was a Spiritualist, you know.

Lord Babbington was instructing his servant in his duties, and ended by saying, "Now, Zeke, when I ring for you, you must answer me by saying, "My lord, what will you have?"

A few hours later, having occasion to summon the man, his lordship was astonished to hear, "My Gawd, what does you want now?"