WIT, HUMOR AND WISDOM.

A young woman in an Ohio town has married her brother's wife's father. When last seen she was busy with a compass and a dictionary trying to study out what relation she was to herself.—*Peck's Sun.*

A young miss of sixteen asks what is the proper thing for her to do when she is serenaded by a party of young gentlemen at a late hour. We are glad to be able to answer this question. Steal softly downstairs and untie the dog.—*Rochester Express.*

At an entertainment held recently in London, it is said that the Princess of Wales wore the plainest dress of any of the ladies present. She displayed excellent good sense. It doesn't look well for a wife to be slosbing around in fine clothes with her husband $3,000,000 in debt.—*Rochester post-Express.*

A lean, hungry-looking chap applied to the proprietor of a Fulton street restaurant for a position as a waiter.

'What business were you in?' asked the foodseller.

'I was a—a poet, sir.'

'A poet! Well, I—. Here, John! For heaven's sake take this poor devil into the kitchen, and give him the first square meal he ever had!'—*N. Y. Commercial Advertiser.*

When Mr. Hendricks was in New York last week he called upon Mr. Tilden at Greystone. He found the old man holding a 100-pound anvil out at arm's length, and when Tilden inquired after the Indiana statesman's health the latter grabbed the handle of Samuel J.'s lifting machine and pulled the whole arrangement up by the roots; and then Tilden, with a significant smile, applied his mouth to his lung-tester and exploded it in the first round. There is a great deal of strength in the 'old ticket' yet.—*Norristown Herald.*

A man in Judge Geddes' district in Ohio was in the habit of visiting a neighboring town and getting drunk. One night on his return home, with several sheets in the wind, he approached his house, saw no light, and suspected that his wife had gone to bed.

'Now, Mary has gone to bed,' he said, 'and hasn't anything for me to eat. I'll make it warm for her.' But in a moment he saw a light and then said: 'I'll be blessed if the extravagant thing isn't sitting up till this hour of night burning out my oil. Now, durn me if I don't make it hot for her.'—*Anon.*

When the stranger remarked that he was from Arkansas, one of the passengers suddenly turned and asked:

'You are, eh? Maybe you are from Crittenden county?'

'I am that.'

'Perhaps from James's Landing?'

'That's it, exactly.'

'Then maybe you know my brother, William Henry Jones, from Penn Yan, this State?'

'Stranger, put it thar!' exclaimed the Arkansas traveler, as he extended his hand and smiled all over. 'Bust my buttons if I didn't help hang your brother for cattle-stealing jist before I left home.'—*Arkansaw Traveler.*

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'New word,' he said, with the air of one having authority, 'new word; I must look it up.'

'What is it?' asked his father.

'Labbored,' the young man replied; 'labbored; heard it on the boat half a dozen times. 'Taint in the dictionary, either, I've looked all through I two or three times. Some new word.'—*Burlington Hawkeye.*

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'Yes, father, but clubs are run differently now.'

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The year is wearing old,
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Will gaze upon the skies,
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When married men go home,
And try to play the old familiar dodge, dodge, dodge,
By saying, yes, my dear,
'Tis very late I fear,
But then we've had a meeting of the lodge, lodge, lodge. —*Somerville Journal.*

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'Young man, I reckons I could give you half of this mellyon an' hab plenty left.'

'Thanks, uncle.'

'But I shan't do it, kase it might be de spilin' of ye. In de fust place, de law am plain an' cl'ar on de pint dat what I leave behind goes to my natural heirs. In de second place, a puson without anticipashun mus' be dreffully onhappy. As de case now stands you anticipate, You anticipate dat half dis yere mellyon will stuff me full an' I'll have to leave all de rest. You anticipate dat I'll git choked on de seeds, or git sun-struck, or be 'tacked by de colic. As de mellyon gradually disappears you'll anticipate dat I won't gnaw the rinds werry clus. As de rinds disappears you'll console yourself wid de fack dat de seeds am left. As I wrap de seeds up in my handkerchief you'll reckon on lickin' de bo'd whar de mellyon was cut an' eaten, but as I lif' up that bo'd an' gin ye a whack on de back ye'll anticipate better dan to crowd in whar' ye ain't wanted. Now skip!'—*Detroit Free Press.*

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THE WISH-RING.

A young farmer who was very unlucky sat on his plow a moment to rest, and just then an old woman crept past and cried:

"Why do you go on drudging day and night without reward? Walk two days until you come to a great fir-tree that stands all alone in the forest and overtops all other trees. If you can hew it down, you will make your fortune."

Not waiting to have the advice repeated, the farmer shouldered his axe and started on his journey. Sure enough, after tramping two days, he came to the fir-tree, which he instantly prepared to cut down. Just as the tree swayed, and before it fell with a crash, there dropped out of its branches a nest containing two eggs. The eggs rolled to the ground and broke, and out of one darted a young eagle and out of the other rolled a gold ring. The eagle grew larger, as if by enchantment, and when it reached the size of a man, it spread its wings as if to try their strength, then, soaring upward, it cried: "You have rescued me; take as a reward the ring that lay in the other egg; it is a wish-ring. Turn it on your finger twice, and whatever your wish is, it shall be fulfilled. But remember there is but a single wish in the ring. No sooner is that granted than it loses its power and is only an ordinary ring. Therefore, consider well what you desire, so that you may never have reason to repent your choice."

So speaking, the eagle soared high in the air, circled over the farmer's head a few times, then darted, like an arrow, toward the east.

The farmer took the ring, placed it on his finger, and turned on his way homeward. Toward evening, he reached a town where a jeweler sat in his shop behind a counter, on which lay many costly rings for sale. The farmer showed his own, and asked the merchant its value.

"It isn't worth a straw," the jeweler answered.

Upon that the farmer laughed very heartily, and told the man it was a wish-ring, and of greater value than all the rings in the shop together.

The jeweler was a wicked, designing man, and so he invited the farmer to remain as his guest over night. "For," he explained, 'only to shelter a man who owns a wish-ring must bring luck."

So he treated his guest to wine and fair words; and that night, as the farmer lay sound asleep, the wicked man stole the magic ring from his finger and slipped on, in its place, a common one which he had made to resemble the wish-ring.

The next morning, the jeweler was all impatience to have the farmer begone. He awakened him at cock-crow, and said:

"You had better go, for you have still a long journey before you."

As soon as the farmer had departed, the jeweler closed his shop, put up the shutters, so that no one could peep in, bolted the door behind him, and, standing in the middle of the room, he turned the ring and cried:

"I wish instantly to possess a million gold pieces!"

No sooner said than the great, shining gold pieces came pouring down upon him in a golden torrent over his head, shoulders and arms. Pitifully he cried for mercy, and tried to reach and unbar the door; but before he succeeded, he stumbled and fell bleeding to the ground. As for the golden rain, it never stopped till the weight of the metal crushed the floor, and the jeweler and his money sank through to the cellar. The gold still poured down till the million was complete, and the jeweler lay dead in the cellar beneath his treasure.

The noise, however, alarmed the neighbors, who came rushing over to see what the matter was; when they saw the man dead under his gold they exclaimed: "Doubly unfortunate he whom blessings kill." Afterward, the heirs came and divided the property.

In the meantime, the farmer reached home in high spirits and showed the ring to his wife.

"Henceforth we shall never more be in want, dear wife," he said. "Our fortune is made. Only we must be very careful to consider well just what we ought to wish."

The farmer's wife, of course, proffered advice.

"Suppose," raid she, "that we wish for that bit of land that lies between our two fields?"

"That isn't worth while," her husband replied. "If we work hard for a year, we'll earn enough money to buy it."

So the two worked very hard, and at harvest time they had never raised such a crop before. They had earned money enough to buy the coveted strip of land and still have a bit to spare.

"See," said the man, "we have the land and the wish as well."

The farmer's wife then suggested that they had better wish for a cow and a horse. But the man replied:

"Wife, why waste our wish on such trifles? The horse and cow we'll get anyway."

Sure enough, in a year's time the money for the horse and cow had been earned. Joyfully the man rubbed his hands.

"The wish is saved again this year, and yet we have what we desire. How lucky we are!"

But now his wife seriously adjured him to wish for something at last. "Now that you have a wish to be granted," she said, "you slave and toil and are content with everything. You might be king, emperor, baron, even a gentleman farmer, with chests overflowing with gold; but you don't know what you want."

"We are young and life is long," he answered. "There is only one wish in the ring, and that is easily said. Who knows but sometime we may sorely need the wish? Are we in want of anything? Have we not prospered, to all people's astonishment, since we possed this ring? Be reasonable and patient for a while. In the meantime, consider what we really ought to wish for."

And that was the end of the matter.

It really seemed as if the ring had brought a blessing in the house. Granaries and barns were full to overflowing, and in the course of a few years the poor farmer became a rich and portly person, who worked with his men afield during the day, as if he, too, had to earn his daily bread; but after supper he liked to sit in his porch, contented and comfortable, and return the kindly greeting of the folk who passed and who wished him a respectful good evening.

So the years went by. Sometimes, when they were alone, the farmer's wife would remind her husband of the magic ring, and suggest many plans. But as he always answered that they had plenty of time, and that the best thoughts come last, she more and more rarely mentioned the ring, and at last the good woman ceased speaking of it altogether.

To be sure, the farmer looked at the ring, and twirled it about as many as twenty times a day; but he was very careful never to wish.

After thirty or forty years had passed away, and the farmer and his wife had grown old and white-haired, and their wish was still unasked, then was God very good to them, and on the same night they died peacefully and happily.

Weeping children and grandchildren surrounded the two coffins; and as one wished to remove the ring from the still hand as a remembrance, the oldest one said:

"Let our father take his ring into the grave: There was always a mystery about it; perhaps it was some dear remembrance. Our mother, too, so often looked at the ring—she may have given it to him when they were young."

So the old farmer was buried with the ring, which had been supposed to be a wish-ring, and was not; yet it brought as much good fortune into the house as heart could desire.—*Anna Eichberg, in St. Nicholas for October.*

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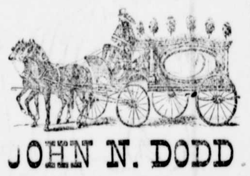

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H. H. PRICE, Longwood, Talbot Co., Md., writes, June 21, 1883: "I have used Orchilla Guano for several years, and have tested it by the side of high-priced fertilizers, and I *decidedly give the preference to* Orchilla."

W. SPRY SHERMAN, Vienna, Dorchester Co., Md. writes, July 16, 1883: "Most of the best farmers and heaviest wheat growers of this district—such gentlemen as JAMES MITCHELL RIED, ALFRED H. MERRICK, WM. H. TURPIN and others, have used Orchilla Guano for years, *and still use it almost exclusively.* In fact, some of our large wheat growers, who for years declined to use it, are now using it *exclusively* for wheat and corn, and say that it is the BEST fertilizer in the market for clover and grass. The sales this year will be much larger than ever before."

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