WIT, HUMOR AND WISDOM.

"BLESSED IS HE WHO CAN UNDERSTAND A JOKE, FOR VERILY THERE BE SOME WHO KNOW NOT A JOKE WHEN THEY SEE IT."
—*A more or less ancient proverb.*

'All this hard wood you export,' the English tourist asked the Indiana lumberman, 'all this maple and beech, you know, where does it go?' And the man told him that most of it went direct to Scotland, where it was worked up into boxes and churns and paper folders from the rafters of Burns' cottage and the home of Sir Walter Scott.' And the tourist said 'Haw,' and wrote something in his note-book.—*Hawkeye.*

An anecdote, told by the writer who has just sketched Berlin society, whether literally true or only a neat invention, has met with great success. It hits at what used to be called in Germany a French fashion. An English missionary, so the story goes, was invited to a large dinner party by a German professor and Deputy. Out of regard to his cloth, the host, after the ladies had withdrawn from the table, apologized to the missionary for their perhaps too *decollete* style of dress. 'Oh, pray don't mention it,' replied the missionary; 'I have lived for ten years among the savages of Africa, and am quite accustomed to such sights.'—*N. Y. Sun.*

Two young ladies were gazing at the white elephant as it stood enthroned in all its sacred splendor and surrounded by the mystic emblems of its holy character and the adoring priests who were kneeling devoutly on every side.

'How curious it is,' remarked one, that any race of people should be so deluded as to worship an elephant.'

'It is indeed,' replied the other, sadly. 'When I look upon this worshipping throng of ignorant, superstitious creatures and realize how earnest and sincere they are, I cannot but feel that there should be no rest until the missionary message is borne to the last one of these benighted heathen.'

'True,' asserted the first speaker, 'it is a grand and solemn duty—'

Just at this juncture the animal flicked his tail and struck one of the Buddhist priests in the mouth.

'Howly Moses!' he exclaimed, interrupting his devotions, 'ye hathen baste—' and then the young ladies strolled on to the monkeys' cage. —*Philadelphia Call.*

There is much in the present bull market to remind one of the man down in Indiana who was the only man in his village having any loose cash capital. He was one day explaining to an Eastern man:

'The only stock afloat in our neighborhood are five shares of an old saw-mill which hasn't paid these last ten years. On Monday mornings I circulate the report that a syndicate has bought the mill, and will at once put it in repair. This sends the shares up to 25, and I sell out.'

'That's legitimate.'

'On Wednesdays I let it be understood that the syndicate is busted, and that nothing will be done to the mill. This sends the stock back to 10, and I load up.'

'And what do you do on Saturdays?'

'Oh, those are my regular days for working up a feeling in the country that I ought to be paid a bonus for converting the saw-mill into a distillery!'—*Wall Street News.*

At noon the other day a girl about nineteen years old and wearing a somewhat faded costume came up to the delivery window of the Bangor postoffice, threw down a letter and said to the clerk: 'Is that air address writ so's thar kin be no show of its gettin' off'n the trail and monkeyin' all 'round the country afore it gets to whar it's addressed?' 'Oh, I guess so. The mail boy can manage to—' 'I don't want no guess work about it, for that's a matter o' life and death. If that letter 'll go straight say so, and if it won't just unlimber your tongue and give me square music.' 'I'll guarantee that it will find the person to whom it is addressed,' said the clerk, who had deciphered the hieroglyphics on the envelope. 'That letter's fur my fellar back in Illinoy, an' he writ that if I wouldn't marry him right off he'd kill hisself, and I've writ back that he kin come on an' double up jest as soon as he wants ter. If that letter don't git thar straight, Jim's jest fool enough to swallow a dose of pizen or somethin', an' mind, young man, that you are liable to be pulled any minute for murder if he does. My name's Ann Snodgrass, an' anybody that knows the Snodgrasses 'll tell you that we're not to be fooled with when human life's at stake' And she shook a warning finger at the clerk and walked out.—*Anon.*

One day during the past week a stray dog—a mangy, ill-favored cur—who had probably been disinherited by its master on account of its disreputable appearance and habits, strolled into the Union depot in search of a trunk-strap or fragment of an emigrant's valise with which to appease his hunger, and was captured by one of the depot men, who tied him to a disabled truck. Several other depot men who witnessed the capture suggested a practical joke. A shipping tag was procured and on it was written 'R. P. Trotter, —, Ill. Collect $1.' The animal was then towed over to the baggage car of the road referred to, and the baggageman was told to take the dog to ——, where Mr. Trotter would meet the train and pay one dollar for its care and transportation, outside of the regular charges. It was a valuable animal—a specimen of a very choice breed of setters—and should be well cared for. There was a fee of fifteen cents due which the baggageman could pay and collect afterward from the owner of the dog. The amount was paid and the baggageman further invested ten cents for meat. The dog fared sumptuously, and the baggageman occupied his spare time wondering whether Mr. Trotter would object to paying $1.50 including the price of the meat and the fifteen cents, or whether he would insist on holding down on the $1.25. It might be possible that he would refuse to pay more than one dollar, the amount call for by the shipping tag, and that would leave only seventy five cents clear profit on the venture. The last surmise was improbable, for no man would stand out on a half dollar when a fine setter dog was in view.

As the train approached —, the baggageman uncoupled the dog from the handle of a commercial man's trunk, and, with the steering-rope in his hand, stood at the car as it pulled up in front of the depot. He glanced along the dimly lighted platform, expecting to see Trotter trot out of the crowd, rush up to the door and demand his dog, but no Trotter trotted.

'Ho, Trotter,' yelled the baggageman, after waiting a reasonable time. 'Hello, Trotter, here's your pup.'

But Trotter failed to materialize.

'What's the matter?' inquired the station agent, coming hurriedly forward, lantern in hand, and flashing the light in the dog's face, causing him to yelp in a terrified way.

'I've got a dog here for R. P. Trotter. They said he'd be at the depot to get it,' said the baggageman.

'Trotter? There's no such man in this town by the name of Trotter. I've lived here all my life, and I know every man in town.'

'Well, here,' said the baggageman, striking a happy idea; 'you take the dog and give me a dollar in a half and collect it of Trotter.'

'What!' exclaimed the agent, holding up his lantern and inspecting the dog. 'Loan a dollar on a half or, that cur? Never!'

'Cur! That ain't no cur; that's a fine setter.'

'Is it? Well, you couldn't sell it for two cents in this part of the country.'

The baggageman looked sad. Then a light dawned on him. He raised his right foot, there was a yelp, and the cur shot out of the car door like a meteor, with the rope trailing after him.

'Here! Don't leave that infernal kiyudie here!' yelled the station agent as the train moved off. But the baggageman heard nothing but the echo of an agonized canine yelp and the hollow, demoniac laugh of a brakeman who was in the plot.—*St. Louis Republican.*

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John Morrison's Heedlessness.

'Halloo, there!'

John Morrison stopped his whistling and looked in the direction of the voice. Farmer Rice was hurrying toward him across the bottom pasture.

'Lucky you happened along just now, as it will save me a trip to your father's place. I was out at the back meadow this moning, and I saw that last night's storm had blown that old sycamore that stood by the foot-log right across your father's fence. As there are cattle running in the woods, I thought I had best come right off and tell him or his corn would suffer. You can say to him that the fence is broken down flat and the sooner it is repaired the safer it will be.'

'All right,' answered John, as he quickened his pace to make up for lost time; but on his way he met Ralph Allen, who persuaded him to join him in a fishing party. Hurrying home, he obtained his father's consent to accompany his friend, but forgot to deliver Farmer Rice's message.

When Jown returned in the evening he was sorry to learn that a drove of cattle had trampled down and destroyed many dollars' worth of corn. Although he was heedless he was truthful, and he confessed that he had forgotten to tell of the broken fence, as he had promised.

The lad's father was deeply grieved at this repetition of his son's besetting sin.

'When will you learn to be trustworthy?' he asked. 'I was only last week that, after promising Mr. Henry the loan of a riding bridle, you forgot to carry it to him, and he, supposing I had denied him the small favor, walked a mile to have his own mended. You see what trouble you gave him, besides losing me the good-will of a neighbor. Nor have you forgotten what results followed your heedlessness last winter, when Widow Hammond asked you to send the doctor to see her little boy suffering with croup. If Susan Hines had not been passing that way at nightfall, and had not run to the village for the doctor, Willie Hammond would have died before morning, and you would have been responsible for his death. A few weeks ago you were sent to gather up the hands to assist us in threshing. You forgot Job Messer, and the result was that Charles had to take his place. With his delicate health this was more than he was able to endure. The consequence was serious illness, much anxiety for your mother and me and a doctor bill. It is a very serious failing—one that can bring nothing but trouble. A man or a boy who cannot be trusted is of no account in the world. Forgetfulness is no excuse whatever. Your word should be as sacred as your oath. Until you can be implicitly relied upon you will not be respected. Never make a promise that you are doubtful about fulfilling, and after giving your word as security see that you keep it to the letter.'

John promised to mend his ways, and I am glad to say that his memory has wonderfully improved. I hope in time to see him entirely overcome this bad habit.—*Forward.*

The Wonderful Secret.

Once on a time there was a king who had a little boy whom he loved very much. So he took a great deal of pains to make him happy.

He gave him beautiful rooms to live in, and pictures and toys and books without number. He gave him a graceful, gentle pony, that he might ride when he pleased, and a row-boat on a lovely lake, and servants to wait upon him wherever he went. He also provided teachers who were to give him the knowledge of things that would make him good and great.

But for all this the young prince was not happy. He wore a frown wherever he went, and was always wishing for something that he did not have.

At length, one day a magician came to the court. He saw the scowl on the boy's face, and he said to the king:

'I can make your son happy, and, turn his frowns into smiles. But you must pay me a great price for telling him the secret.'

'All right,' said the king, 'whatever you ask I will give.'

So the price was agreed upon and paid, and then the magician took the boy into a private room. He wrote something with a white substance upon a piece of white paper. Next he gave the boy a candle, and told him to light it and hold it under the paper, and then see what he could read. Then he went away.

The boy did as he had been told, and the white letters on the paper turned into a beautiful blue.

They formed these words:

'Do a kindness to some one every day.'

The prince made use of the secret, and he became the happiest man in the realm.—*Anon.*

Duke.

'Stop crying, Johnny,' said Fanny Dare, 'and I'll tell you about a dog I know who won't eat a bit of cake if his master says it isn't paid for.'

'O, what a funny dog!' said Johnny, stopping right off.

'One day,' continued Fanny, 'I gave him a bit of cake. He opened his mouth and was just going to bite, when his master said, 'Duke, that isn't paid for.' Duke dropped the cake instantly and turned away. He seemed to say, 'Nobody shall persuade me to eat anything that isn't paid for.' I asked his master to go out of the room and then I tried to coax Duke. I held the cake to his nose. But he could not be coaxed.

'When his master came back, he broke the cake into seven bits. Then, as he put them on the floor, he said, 'Duke, this piece is paid for,' this piece is not paid for,' till he had scattered all the cake on the floor.

'"Now,' he said, 'you can eat all the pieces that are paid for.' And Duke just picked out the three pieces his master said were paid for, and he wouldn't touch the others.

'Afterward he gave Duke three of the four pieces to eat. Then he took the fourth in his hand and said, 'Duke, this piece is the last piece. It is paid for. You may take it if you want it. But I have not had any, and I like cake as well as you do.'

'Duke eyed the dainty morsel. He smelt it, then slowly turned his head away as if to say, 'You may have it, dear master.'

'Then his master ate a bit and said, 'Here, old fellow, I've had enough; you eat the rest.'—*Little Men and Women.*

"In Mother's Place."

'If you want to go see granny, mother dear, you start off by the first train to-morrow morning,' said Ted; 'I have a holiday, and I'll stay at home and take care of baby and the house.'

'Could you manage?' asked his mother, doubtfully.

'Manage? Yes, splendidly; why, there's nothing to do!

Ted's mother smiled, but she accepted her boy's kind offer, and started off early the following morning.

'Now I'm in mother's place,' said Ted to himself, 'I shall soon get through all the work; why, there's baby awake already!'

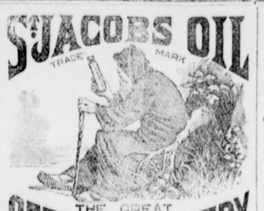
Yes; master baby was awake and insisted upon being taken up and dressed at once. When that performance was over he screamed with indignation because his breakfast was not ready for him.

'Ah, I remember,' said Ted, 'mother told me she always had his bread and milk waiting for him; it seems to me there's a lot of things to remember about a house and a baby.' A great many things poor Ted found to attend to: the beds to make; the rooms to sweep and dust; the fire to attend to; the meals to prepare and master baby to amuse.

'It's not so easy as I thought, being in mother's place,' he said to himself that night as he sat and listened for his mother's welcome footstep.

'Ah, there comes mother!' he added, 'and very glad am I to see her.'—*Anon.*

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Delanys	9 45	3.50
*Bingham	10 00	4.00
arr Clayton	10 15	4.10
leave "	11 08	4 31
" Middletown	11 42	5.06
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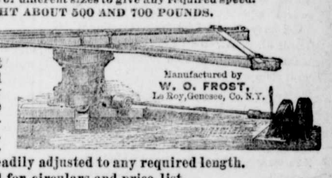
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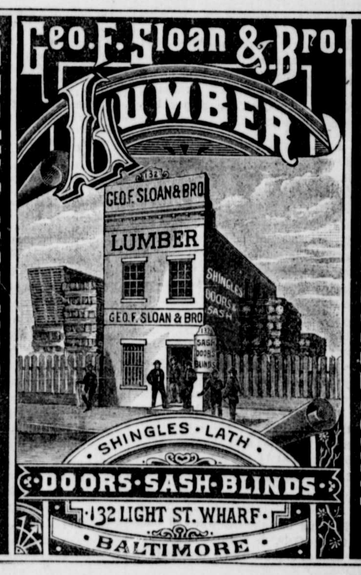
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