

REMARKABLE COURTSHIP.

HOW A QUIETNESS PROFESSOR PROPOSED AND WAS ACCEPTED IN AN HOUR.

A correspondent of the Indianapolis Herald tells the following anecdote of Prof. Foster, who filled with much ability one of the chairs of the Faculty of the college in Knoxville, Tenn.:

Prof. Foster was well educated in the sciences usually taught in college, but his ignorance of the common affairs of life rendered him a remarkable subject for study of human nature in one of its multifarious phases.

Being advised by some of his friends to get married, he, with childlike faith and simplicity, accepted their advice, and promised to do so if he could find a young lady willing to have him.

"Why, child, don't be frightened, the Professor won't hurt you."

Being again seated, a deep blush succeeded the paleness which had been caused by the startling announcement, and she rallied enough to be able to answer.

"But stop, my child, and listen to me. There is not a young lady in the city that would not jump at the offer made you."

"But, mamma, I don't know that he loves me, he hasn't even said so."

"Yes, sir, if papa consents."

"He gave his consent without hesitancy, and it was readily agreed by all that the wedding should take place a week from that time.

Well, in due time the Professor went to the clerk for the license.

"Now, my child, and I will pay \$1,000 down and will hand you the balance in a day or two."

"Oh, not much," said the Professor, "I reckon three or four bushels will do for the present."

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