

THE IRISH WITNESS.

Witnesses in court are not always as man- nable as they are in the hands of the pot- ter. Sometimes the dullness of the deponent pro- duces a dangerous weapon to the lawyers, or mys- tifies the bench in a manner to set thousands in a roar of laughter. Not seldom a stupid exterior masks the most mischievous and cunning, and so, to the delight of the lookers on, a brow-beating attorney catches a tar- tar, and the witness escapes in triumph.

An action was brought against the owner of a wagon, which by the carelessness of the driver, had crushed an unlucky donkey against a wall and killed him. Sergeant Cooke, well known for his roughness of ex- amination, was perplexing one of the witness- es, who found no other way of extricating himself than by giving a graphic description of the matter in question.

'Well, my Lord Judge,' said the hesitat- ing clown, 'I'll tell you how it happened as well as I can. My Lord suppose I am the wagon here I was. Now my Lord Judge, there you are the wall.' The describer now hesitated as if trying to recollect his third po- sition.

'Come follow,' said Cooke, 'out with your story at once. You have not told us where you were.' 'Of course the court was in a room.

'My Lord Judge,' said the witness, with sudden sparkle in his eye, 'his honor, the counsel was the ass.'

But the lawyers are not the only victims of facetious wit. Now and then the court catches it in the most palatable and ludicrous manner. Here is a case which will be re- membered by a good many who were present on the occasion, as a veritable fact, that made a world of fun at the time of its occurrence in one of the Southern counties of this State.

Judge G., is a very decided character, and more good stories are told about him than any man on the bench in that region. The judge's manner in court is dogmatic, and ar- rogant, and not infrequently he has been seen to see him heartily laughing at. They had a fine chance one day when an Irish witness stood on the stand who being rather unmanage- able, was taken in hand by the Judge, with a manner which said very plainly, 'You shall see gentlemen, how I'll handle you.' This heard of him?

'Well Dennis,' said the judge, blandly, 'tell me the contents of the chest.' 'Yes, your honor,' said the witness, 'I first there was a picture of Dan O'Connell—the great Irish patriot—maybe your honor's heard of him?'

'Certainly,' said the Judge. 'Go on with the inventory.'

'Then there was a picture of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ—made yer honor's heard of him?'

The seemingly unmade look of inquiry and 'doubt' that accompanied the witness' words, set the audience in a roar of laughter—and the judge will never hear the last of it.

A Detective's Wager.—A good story is told of a wager laid by a London detective with a country gentleman, that the latter could not proceed from Oxford circus to the bank, via Holborn, on foot, with a guinea, without being robbed.

The country gentleman, who was ac- cepted, and the country gentleman, who was decided to carry the guinea in his mouth as the safest place. All went well until the country gentleman came to Holborn bars, where a crowd was collected around a Jew peddler who was selling a guinea.

The crowd sympathizingly turned to look at him to pick up his traps; but he would not be comforted because he had lost all his sav- ings, consisting of a guinea. Says a boy with a pretentious air, 'The guinea is in my hand, and I'll not let it go for nothing.'

'I see that good pick it up and put it in his mouth.'

The unhappy country gentleman was con- victed on the clearest evidence; he was bound, had his coat split up the back, and was obliged, in addition to pay the wager to the detective.

How to Increase a Farm.—Rev. S. King, in a recent address to the Cornish farmers, rebuked what he calls their 'last for im- mense ranches.' He tells them that if they have fifty acres and desire to have fifty more, they should annex the fifty that lie beneath those they already own, and gain their title to them by the use of a subsoil plow.

This is good advice, applicable in all localities, as a man had better increase his estate by thor- ough culture, than by merely increasing its superficial area.

A Boy's Man.—A gay fellow, who had taken lodgings at a public house, and got con- siderably in debt, absented himself, and took new quarters. This so enraged the landlord, that he commissioned his wife to go and dan- ce with the debtor having heard of, de- clared publicly that if she came, he would kiss her. 'Will he?' said the lady; 'Will he give me my bonnet, Molly; I will see whether any fellow has such impudence?'

'My dear,' said the cunning husband, 'pray do not be too rash. You do not know what a man may do when he's in a passion.'

Just So.—An English writer, in giving ad- vice to a young married woman, argues the advantage of keeping a garden and attending to it herself, and as a sort of clincher, adds that mother Eve married a gardener. Quite truly remarks that the gardener, in consequence of the match, lost his situation.

Loafers.—Different nations have different kinds of loafers. The Italian loafer spends his time in sleeping—the Turkish in dream- ing—the Spanish in praying—the French in laughing—the English in swearing—the Rus- sian in gambling—the Hungarian in smok- ing—the German in drinking—and the Amer- ican in talking politics.

'Have you heard my last sell,' asked a wag who was noted for joking at the ex- pense of other people's feelings? 'No,' replied the other, 'but I saw the grating over its windows the last time I passed by?'

'Pompey, are you willing to be damned if it should be the Lord's will?' in- quired a pious friend. 'Oh yes, massa, and more too; I am willing you be damned too, massa I replied Pompey.'

Curly to Animals.—An old lady has recently given fifty thousand dollars to the Royal Society of London for the prevention of cruelty to animals, to be expended solely in a reform of the slaughter houses in Lon- don.

Secretary Chase has discharged a clerk from the Treasury Department for refusing to subscribe to the fund for raising negro regiments in Washington.

'I go through my work,' as the nee- dle said to the boy, 'as the idle boy said to the needle.'

A lad in a state of mental absence, gave three cheers for the stars and stripes during school hours, and perceived his error when he got the stripes and saw the stars.

Love in a cottage is all very well— when you own the cottage, and have money at interest.

A young lady being asked by a politi- cian which party she was in favor of, replied that she preferred a wedding party.

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