Wit and Humor.

THE PROFESSOR AND STUDENT.

A professor of Latin in the University of Edinburg, now no more, having desired the students to give a list of their names in Latin, was greatly surprised at seeing written on a slip of paper the name "Joannes Ovum Novum."

After in vain seeking for a translation of this, he at last became convinced that it was either one of those dark Latin passages, which even the skill of Bently would have failed in solving, or that it was a hoax.

He therefore next day, in the class, read out the three dark words, and desired the writer of them to stand.

One of the pupils immediately rose.

"What are you?" said the professor.

"A poor scholar, sir," was the answer.

"A *very poor* scholar, indeed, sir—or you would never have written such stuff as "Joannes Ovum Novum." That can't be your name, sir,"

"I don't see," said the student, "where you can find better Latin; my name is John Egnew, "Ovum" for Egg, "Novum" for new; Ovum Novum—Egg-new."

The professor seeing that he had rather the worst of it, immediately laid his finger upon his forehead, and looking at his hopeful pupil, who was standing somewhat in the attitude of a drill sergeant exclaimed in a pitiful voice,

"Alas! alas! something wrong here, I doubt."

"May be so," shouted "Ovum Novum," "something may be wrong *there*; but," striking his hand upon his own forehead, "there is nothing wrong *here*."

THE MAN WITH BIG FEET.

We heard to-day of a laughable "Anecdote of a man with a big foot." He was a Buffalonian, who must be living now, for a man with so good a hold upon the ground, is not likely to "drop off" in a hurry. He stepped one day into a small shop a of boot-maker, in the flourishing capital of old Erie, and asked Crispin if he could make him a pair of boots. Looking at his long display pedal extremities, and then glancing at a huge uncut cow-hide that hung on the wall, he said—

"Well, yes, I guess so."

"What time will you have them done?—to-day is Monday."

"Well, it will depend on circumstances; I guess I can have them done for you by Saturday."

"On Saturday, therefore, the man called for his boots:

"Have you got 'em done?" said he, as he entered the shop.

"No, I havn't—I couldn't, it has rained ever since I took your measure."

"Rained!" exclaimed the astonished patron; "well, what of that? What has that to do with it?"

"What has that to do with it?" echoed Crispin; "it has a good deal to do with it. When I make your boots, I've got to do it out of doors, for I havn't room enough in my shop, and I can't work out doors in rainy weather!"

FIFTY CENTS ON THE DOLLAR.

A gentleman in Twelfth street, who is in the habit of sending his boots out to be blacked, could not find his polished understandings one day last week. He sent his little son to the darkey's cellar but he returned saying it was shut up. The gentleman went himself in his slippers, and after rapping some time, he heard a noise inside.—Presently a window opened and Cuffy's head poked through,

"I want my boots," said the gentleman.

"Sorry to form you, massa, dat you cannot hab 'um" replied Cuff. "Fac' is, I is give out, busted, failed, broke, cleaned out, jamped up, split, I is."

"But, Cuff," said the gentleman, "I can't help that. I must have my boots."

Cuff, finding his customer rather riled up, poked out of the window one of the boots and said—

"Massa, I isn't tellin' no lie. I is clean bust and no mistake. I's taken an i'ventory of my a'fecs, and as I b'lieves, on the honor ob a gentleman, dat I shall be able to pay fifty cents on the dollar, I is willin' to gib you yours now: Dar it am. Take de boot."

So saying, he slammed to the window, leaving our friend to go home in his slippers, with one boot in his hand—*his fifty cents on the dollar.*

☞ "*This Animal,*" said an itinerant showman, "is the royal African hyena, measuring fourteen feet from the tip of his nose to the end of his tail, and the same distance back again, making, in all, twenty-eight feet. He cries in the woods in the night season, like a human being in distress, and then devours all those who come to his assistance; a sad instance of the depravity of human nature."

☞ "*Willie,*" said a doting parent at the breakfast table, to an abridged edition of himself, who had just entered his grammar-school, "Willie my dear, will you pass the butter? Thertainly, thir; I liketh to parthe anything,—butter ith a common thubthantive, neuter gender, agreeth with rolleth and in London ith governed by hog'th lard, underthood.

☞ *Sheridan* was never free from pecuniary embarrassments. As he was one day hacking his face with a dull razor, he turned to his eldest son, (who was a chip of the old block,) and said, "Tom, if you open any more oysters with my razor, I'll cut you off with a shilling." "Very well, father," retorted Tom. "but where will the shilling come from?"

☞ *Cure for Lisping.*—A British provincial paper says that a rapid and emphatic recital of the following pathetic narrative is an infallible cure for lisping:—"Hobbs meets Snobbs and Nobbs; Hobbs bobs to Snobbs and Nobbs; Hobbs nobs with Snobbs and robs Nobbs' fobs. This is, says Nobbs, the worst of Hobbs' jobs, and Snobbs sobs."

☞ "*Humble* as I am," said a bullying spouter to a mass meeting of the unterrified, "I still remember that I am a fraction of this magnificent republic."

"You are, indeed," said a by-stander, "and a d——d vulgar one at that."

☞ "*Why* did Addam bite the apple?" asked a Sabbath school mistress of a bright little fellow of about six years old. "Cause," said the pupil, "he hadn't got no knife to cut it with!"

☞ *A gentleman* down East seeing his pretty maid with his wife's bonnet on, kissed her, supposing her to be the real Simon Pure. He discovered his error through the assistance of his wife.

☞ *Said* a guest to a gentleman, with whom he was dining, and who was a temperance man: "I always think a certain quantity of wine does no harm, after a good dinner." "Oh, no sir," replied mine host, "it is the uncertain quantity that does the mischief."

MISCELLANEOUS.

LUMBER YARD.—THE ATTENTION OF Builders and others, is respectfully invited to the Planing Mill, where they can be suplied in all kinds of Planed Flooring, Turning and Lumber, from 1 inch Boards to Pannel Plank.
HENRY STRAUCH
Corner of 9th and Norwegian Streets.
May 25, 1850 21-tf

THE BRADY & ELLIOTT (Warranted) Ever Pointed Gold Pens, now stand A No. 1 in the Pennmarket; every person who has tried them will acknowledge their superiority. They are made and sold exclusively by Brady & Elliott, two doors above the Miners' Bank. Watches of all the celebrated makers sold as above, at prices to suit the times.

4,000 FEET OF SUSQUEHANNA WHITE Pine Flooring; together with a general assortment of seasoned Lumber, Shingles, &c., for sale by DAVID D. LEWIS.
Lumber Yard, Schuylkill Haven.
October 5, 1850 40-tf

TURNING LATHE FOR SALE CHEAP, BY the subscriber; with or without tools.
JOS. MORGAN, Market Street, Pottsville.
Sept 14, 1850. 37-tf

DRAFTS AND BILLS OF EXCHANGE IN sums of 1 or 100 pounds Sterling on England, Ireland, Scotland, Wales, France, Germany, or any part of Europe, for sale, without any charge, at
B. BANNAN'S
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Also, European Bills and Drafts cashed and collected at his office.
☞ Passengers also engaged at the lowest rates, and no detention or grumbling.
June 8, 1850 23-

MUSIC.

NEW MUSIC.—LEE & WALKER, SUCCESSORS to Geo. Willig, No. 162 Chesnut street, under Barnum's Museum, have just published the following beautiful Ballads, Polkas, &c.:
Think ere you Speak, by N. J. Bonte
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Saucy Kate, as sung by Mr. Hudson, music by Dr. Cunnington.
"Raise the bright Flag of Columbia," adapted to the popular air of "Ever be Happy," in Opera "Enchantress."
The Thou art gone, by the late "J. T. S. Sullivan."
Hopeless Love, " " "
Woman's Love, " " "
A Dream that love can never forget, by M. Keller.
Diligent Polka, by J. A. Getze.
Erinnerung do, by M. Keller.
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Orders punctually attended to.
Jan 12, 1850. 3-tf

IRON, &c.

TIN ROOFING.—THIS BEING THE SEASON when persons who desire to secure their buildings from the ravages of fire, should seek to have them made fire-proof—the undersigned would respectfully inform the public that he is prepared to fulfil all orders for Tin Roofing, spouting, &c., &c
JACOB M. LONG.
Pottsville, June 29, 1850 26-tf

CHAINS.—For Sale, 120 feet ¾ in. chain. Also 2 furnished at the shortest notice, 60 feet ⅝, 12-16, 7-8, 15-16 and 1 in. best proof cable chain; at N. York prices—freight added.
E. YARDLEY & SON.
April 20 1850 16-

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June 29, 1850 26-tf

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Philada., July 11, 1846.

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FOR SALE—A KITCHEN RANGE, WITH A back Boiler for hot water, nearly new and in perfect order, for sale very cheap by the subscriber, he having no further use for it.
B. BANNAN.
Nov. 30, 1850 48—

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May 11, 1850 19-tf

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April 13, 1850. 15 tf

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March 16, 1850 11-tf

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March 16, 1850 11-tf

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March 16, 1850 11-tf

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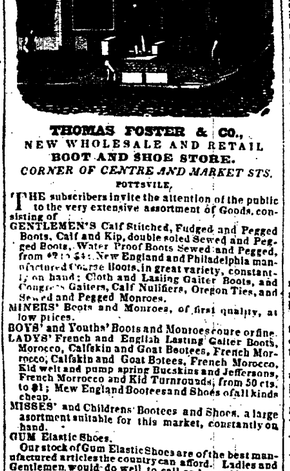

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June 15, 1850 24-tf

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SICKLY AND UNHAPPY WIVES.

Extract of a Letter from a Gentleman in Dayton, O.

"DAYTON, May 1, 1847.

"DR. A. M. MAURICEAU—*My Dear Sir:*—The Married Woman's Private Medical Companion, for which I enclosed one dollar to your address, came safely to hand. I would not have troubled you with these few lines, but that I am impelled by a sense of gratitude, for myself and wife, to give utterance to our sincere and heartfelt emotions.

"My wife has been perpetually sinking for some three years or more, in consequence of her great anguish and suffering some months before and during confinement; every successive one more and more debilitated and prostrated her, putting her life in imminent danger, and which was on the last occasion, despaired of. I supposed that this state of things was inevitable, and resigned myself to meet the worst. At this time (now about two months) I heard your book highly spoken of as containing some matter of importance to the married state. On its receipt and perusal, I can not express to you the relief it afforded my distressed mind and the joy its pages imparted to my wife, on learning that the great discovery of M. M. Desmeaux provided a remedy. It opened a prospect to me which I little conceived was possible. No pecuniary consideration can ever repay the obligations I am under to you for having been the means of imparting to us the matters contained in 'The Married Woman's Private Medical Companion.' The rates of profit, ere another year would have passed over my head, in all human probability my wife would have been in her grave, and my children left motherless."

Extract from a Letter.

"LANCASTER, PA., Oct. 24, 1847.

"MY DEAR SIR: I know you will have the kindness to bear with me in encroaching upon your time, while I acknowledge (in behalf of myself and wife) the obligations we feel ourselves under to you in having made known certain matters, contained in your most invaluable 'Married Woman's Private Medical Companion.' It has been such to us, I may add in poli to me. If I express myself rather warmly, you will see that I can not do so too warmly, when I inform you of the extent to which I have, through it, been benefited. I will state my situation when I obtained your book through the mere curiosity. I look upon it as one of the most fortunate events of my life. I had been married some ten years, and was the father of seven children. I was long struggling unceasingly on the edge of poverty, with a moderate competency, out the results of my utmost exertions at the end left me about where I was at the beginning of each year—and that only, with the most stinted economy, sufficing with barely the necessaries of life. Finally, this constant effort was beginning to tell fearfully upon my health: I felt less capable to endure its continuance, while I felt the necessity of perseverance.

"This constant, unceasing struggle on my part was imperative, in consequence of the prostrated condition of my wife (with occasional intervals) for six years, much of the time confined to her bed, and of course incapable of taking the charge and management of household affairs. Her condition arose from causes of which I was ignorant. Oh! what would I have given had I the six years to live over again! What would my wife have given to have been spared the long days and still longer nights prostrate on a bed of sickness!—all of which would have been avoided, had I seen a copy of 'THE MARRIED WOMAN'S PRIVATE MEDICAL COMPANION.'"

From a Physician:

DANGEROUS DELIVERIES,
OBSTRUCTIONS, IRREGULARITIES, &C.

How many are suffering from obstruction or irregularities peculiar to the female system, which, undermine their health, the effects of which they are ignorant, and for which their delicacy forbids seeking medical advice! How many suffer from *prolapsus uteri* (falling of the womb), or from *fluor-albus* (weakness, debility, &c., &c.)! How many are in constant agony for many months preceding confinement! How many have difficult if not dangerous deliveries, and whose lives are jeoparded during such time, will find in its pages the means of prevention, amelioration, and relief!

Extract from a Letter.

To those just Married.—"Had I known!"

"PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 29, 1847.

"DR. A. M. MAURICEAU: Had I known of the important matters treated of in 'The Married Woman's Private Medical Companion' some years ago, how much misery I might have escaped! I have suffered from ignorance of which you point out in your book, without knowing what to do. I obtained a copy, and found my case treated of. I trust every female will avail herself of the information contained in its pages."

Letters are daily received of this character, unnecessary to present.

To those yet unmarried, but contemplating marriage, or perhaps hesitating as to the propriety of incurring the responsibilities attendant upon it, the improvements of which they possession of the revelations contained in these pages, so intimately involving their future happiness, can not be appreciated.

It is, of course, impracticable to convey more fully the various subjects treated of, as they are of a nature strictly intended for the married, or those contemplating marriage; neither is it necessary, since it is every one's duty to become possessed of knowledge whereby the sufferings to which a wife, a mother, or a sister, may be subject, can be obviated.

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☞ CAUTION.—The public are cautioned against the various catch-pennies intended to be palmed off upon them, imitating the title of the work as "The Married Ladies' Medical Companion," and various other titles. The title of the work is "*The Married WOMAN'S Private Medical Companion,*" *by Dr. A. M. Mauriceau.*
August 17, 1850. 33-6m

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Lumber delivered at any point.
JOHN TEMPLE.
August 17, 1850 33-1y

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B. BANNAN.
October 5, 1850. 40—

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Nov. 23, 1850 47—

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The subscriber is Agent for the above Company, in Schuylkill County, and will receive proposals, and give all necessary information on the subject.
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June 29, 1850 26-1y

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