Jake Bradish went into Sitzer's saloon the other day, and called for a cigar. He placed the cigar on the counter and began viewing it from various points. "Vas ish der madder?" inquired the keeper. "Nothing," said Bradish; "only I was thinking that I don't care so much for a smoke just now as I do for a drink. Will you take this cigar for a drink?" he inquired, "Zertainly," said Sitzer, as he passed out the decanter. Jake poisoned himself, turned on his heel, and was walking away when the keeper called out: "I say, Shake, you tidn't bay me for dot drink!" "Why, yes I did," he replied, "I gave you the cigar for it." Sitzer was in doubt for a moment, and as Jake's hand was on the latch, he yelled, "Yaw, but you tidn't bay me for de cigar?" "Well, you don't suppose I'm fool enough to pay you for the cigar and let you keep it, do you?" And Jake went out and slammed the door.

"You keep postal cards here, don't you," asked a little woman of the stamp clerk at the post-office yesterday. "We do, madam." "I'll take one, if you will write on it for me." "All right—now go ahead." "It's to my husband, who is in Chicago," said she. "Write like this: "'SIR—I am most sick, baby is under the doctor's care, and James and the other children have the measles. The rest of us are usually well. All the women are wearing back-combs, and don't forget to write often. We all send love, and our house almost got on fire last night. JANE.'"

Much has been written against the use of tobacco, but the are very few cases where it can be charged fairly with abridging life. In consequence of its power of relieving nervous excitability, of rendering the mucus membrane of the air passages less susceptible to the influence of cold and damp, and the cause, whatever it may be, of influenza, it must, when used in moderation, rather tend to promote longevity. I have known very aged persons who have been smokers for the greater part of a century.—*Dr. Gardner.*

"Sir," asked an attorney yesterday of a witness who was testifying in a case of assault and battery, "have you been in this court before?" "Yes, sir!" said the witness, "I have been here often." "Ah, been here often, have you?" said the attorney in a triumphant tone. "Now tell the court what for." "Well," replied the witness slowly, "I have been here at least a dozen times to see you, to try and collect that tailor's bill you owe."

Flowers nearly always begin to fade and droop after being kept for twenty hours in water; a few may be revived by substituting fresh, but all may be restored by the use of hot water. For this purpose place the flowers in scalding water, deep enough to cover about one-third of the length of the stems. By the time this is cold the flowers will have become erect and fresh. Then cut off the shrunken ends of the stems and put them into cold water.

"Henry, why don't you keep a supply of cloves in your pocket?" said an Albany young lady to her escort at the Opera House recently; "you wouldn't then have to run out after every act; and I don't see why you are so awful fond of cloves, anyhow!"

We don't know how many daily papers Rev. Dr. Lorrimer takes, but he stated in a recent lecture: "If there is any one thing for which the human race is pre-eminent, it is for profound and solid lying.

In Providence and Worcester the price of milk has gone up two cents a quart for the winter, but our excellent system of water works enables milkmen here to retail at the old rates.—*Norwich Bulletin*

A stranger kissed a La Crosse girl by mistake, and was then licked by her two brothers for being mistaken. He then deliberately kissed her for being who she was, and was licked for being impudent.

It is said that there are not so many whips sold now as there we ten years ago. And this is explained by the fact that more drivers use a fence to encourage their horses than formerly.

When a stranger asked a Detroit girl, whom he met at a party, if she was married, she promptly replied: "Not quite, but I've sued three or four chaps for breach of promise."

A Milwaukee editor has had returned to him a book borrowed twenty-seven years ago, and begins to have hopes of humanity after all.

Considerate father: "You should eat Graham bread, my son; it makes bone." Responsive Youth: "H'm, I'm 'bout all bones now."

When all is summed up, a man nev-speaks of himself without loss; his accusations of himself are always believed, his praises never.

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Pittsburgh	8:25	2:30	8:30	9:15	6:10	6:20
W Pen Junc	9:42	4:25	10:39	7:51	4:15	4:23
Kittanning	10:23	5:08	11:33	7:11	3:12	3:25
R. B'k Junc	11:15	6:00	12:47	6:00	2:10	2:10
Brady Bend	11:30	6:17	1:08	5:45	1:55	1:50
Parker	12:06	6:57	2:05	5:00	1:05	12:30
Emlenton	12:44	7:40	2:38	4:32	12:19	11:55
Scrubgrass	1:30	8:25	4:00	3:41	11:30	10:35
Franklin	2:14	9:10	5:07	2:58	10:40	9:10
Oil City	3:00	9:50	6:15	2:20	10:00	8:15
Oleopolis	3:09	1:51	8:15	10:05	9:50	6:15
Eagle Rock	3:19	2:10	8:37	9:33	9:31	5:40
Tionesta	3:45	3:00	9:40	9:08	8:45	4:47
Tidioute	4:31	4:28	11:20	8:27	7:22	3:07
Irvineton	5:17	5:55	12:40	7:40	6:00	1:25
Ronseville	3:14	10:01	6:27	1:52	9:02	7:08
Titusville	4:10	10:55	7:35	12:30	8:10	6:13
Corry	5:26		8:52	11:10		5:06
Mayville	6:57		10:37	9:35		3:34
Buffalo	9:15		1:10	6:05		12:20
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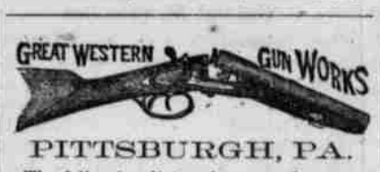

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