

A seedy chap without a nickel in his pocket, ate a forty-cent dinner in an Omaha restaurant. When he had to confront the cashier he lost his presence of mind. Instead of saying "I'm an Indiana editor," and gracefully waiting for a check, he feebly ejaculated, "Don't kick." Result as stated in the *Free*: "The cashier did kick, sending him from the door into the gutter on the first round."

"Who's Herbert Spencer, Pop?" asked an inquiring Brooklyn boy of his father the other morning. "He's a famous English philosopher, my son." "And what is a philosopher?" continued the lad, with the business air of a person who could keep right on asking questions until doomsday. "A philosopher," returned the father gravely, "is a man who never marries."

A Tale of Woe—I clasped her tiny hand in mine; I clasped her beautiful form; I vowed to shield her from the wind, and from the world's cold storm. She set her beautiful eyes on me; the tears did wildly flow; and with her little lips she said: "Confound you let me go!"

Mr. Gollux tells a good story of President Lincoln: that when he was attacked with small-pox, he said to his attendants, "Send up all the office-seekers, and tell them I've got something I can give each of them!"

The Princess Beatrice has just refused the heart and fortune of a young American nobleman. He wrote it all out on a piece of paper and sent it to her, in these words: "I love you, as God is my witness."

A bilious Englishman relates this story: "I am sure I beg your pardon," said a young American lady to her right hand neighbor at a dinner table, after sneezing violently—"I hope I didn't splash you!"

The Boston Globe doubts if the boy who disobeys his mother and goes skating and gets drowned will go to Heaven. In the first place, there isn't one chance in a hundred that he'll get drowned.

A lady, being asked what was her husband's occupation, said he was engaged in "finishing." It was subsequently ascertained that it was a term in the penitentiary to which she had referred.

It is perhaps a debatable question whether a person who has been notoriously in the habit of lying has a right to tell the truth. It is, of course, the only device by which he can deceive people.

A member of the Georgia Legislature asked the meaning of the word geology. They told him it was a species of vaccination. "Well," said he, "I don't take much interest in liggers."

Across the walnuts and the wise: Engaging Child—"Oh, Mr. Jenkins, do let me see you drink! What for, my dear?" Engaging Child—"Oh, mamma says you drink like a fish."

A Washington physician argues that love proceeds from the stomach, and that the heart has nothing to do with it. He says that corn beef and meaty potatoes begin love.

A citizen of Dallas, Texas, killed a man the other day with a shot from his revolver at sixty-two yards' distance. That's very nice shooting and probably can't be equalled.

You Below is delighted with the size and character of the American women's car, and he has encouraged an Orange N. J. girl to take several of the tucks out of hers.

The two Maryland negroes who started out in a canoe a few days ago to become pirates have been heard from. They were found in eleven feet of water.

A man in Illinois broke into the house of a widow. She pitched him out of doors. A striking evidence of the power of the widow's might.

"After all," says an old doctor, "there are only two kinds of disease, the one of which you die, and the other of which you don't."

The Dey of Algiers says red-headed women are the most beautiful. And this shows that he is not a Dey of Judgment.

A child being asked what the three great feasts of the Jews were, promptly replied: "Breakfast, dinner, and supper!"

Miss Bidwell, who married Mr. Bidwell, of Philadelphia got her eye knocked out during the ceremony.

A young man has used his barber for cutting off his moustache. The barber says he didn't see it.

The hair of a young lady in Vermont turned white in a single night. She fell into a flour barrel.

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