

Humorous.

THE SUPERANATED O. G.

"I have been called a superanated old goose," remarked a woman, about fifty years of age, as she entered the central station yesterday. She sat down and looked at the captain for half a minute, and then continued: "I have been called an ignorant old dodo, a centennial parchment, a delicious old living pyramid, and several other hard names, and I want a certain woman arrested right off."

"It was a woman, eh?" queried the captain. "It was a woman, sir, and when I shut my eyes her image comes before me as plain as a photograph. You can find her on the market."

"You had a fuss, did you?" he asked. "We had a dispute!" she replied, as she unrolled a white handkerchief and held up a banana. "She had some of these bandanas for sale, and when I asked how she sold bandanas she laughed in a mean way and said she hadn't a bandana on her stand. There they was, right before my eyes, and yet she said she hadn't any."

"You called them bandana, while you meant bananas," said the captain. "There you go, too!" she exclaimed, as she rose up. "Don't you s'pose I know what a bandana is?"

"Yes ma'am, but that—"
"This is a bandana!" she shrieked as she waved it around.
"That is a banana, ma'am."
"It's a bandana, or I'm a fool!"
"It's a banana, or I'm a villain!"

She stepped back as if she meant to throw it at his eye, but after a little reflection she calmly remarked: "There's two of you against me, and some of us are fools. I'm old enough to be your mother and I've called these things bandanas for over fifty years. Now I want to find out if I'm a living Egyptian pyramid, or if you sit up behind that desk to make fun of me. Where's the city directory?"

"The directory won't settle this dispute," he replied as he stepped down. "Come to the door and we'll see what others say."

She followed him out, and in a half minute along came a boy.
"Boy, what's that?" asked the captain, pointing to the fruit.
"She's a banana," answered the boy.
Thirty feet behind was another boy, and he said it was a banana. In the course of five minutes three or four men had passed by and each one had called it a banana.
"There—are you satisfied now?" asked the captain as he turned to go in.
"I hate to give in, but I've got to," she sighed. "I've been called a superanated old goose, a delicious pyramid and a centennial parchment, and I guess I am. I've read of folks eating bandanas and tying up bundles in bananas, and fifty years of my life has been lived for nothing. The woman was right, you are right, and next time I'll inquire for lemons and find out that everybody else calls 'em string-beans. Good-by, squire."

JUSTIFIABLE HOMICIDE.

There is a story of barbarous cruelty, and it is taken from the Virginia (Nev.) Chronicle.

Last night a gentleman went into Mayer's barber shop, and climbing into one of the chairs stretched himself out for a shave. The barber lathered his chin, got an edge on his razor, and then began to tell him his family history, and of course he expected the man to tell him his in return, but was somewhat chagrined to find that his victim was fast asleep.

When the shaving was finished he woke the sleeper and said: "Hair cut!"
"No sir."
"But you'd better have it cut—it's getting pretty long. The summer's coming on now. Your head'll get hot and all over dandruff."
"But I say I don't want it cut."
"Nobody in Virginia wears his hair long now."

"You d—d fool!" shouted the man, "can't you see I wear a wig?"
"That's because you've never used my hair invigorator. Lemme sell you a bottle." The foregoing is the substance of the testimony at the Coroner's inquest this morning. The jury promptly rendered a verdict of justifiable homicide.

A dandy of twenty-six having been termed an 'old bachelor,' appealed to an elderly gentleman to decide whether he should be called old or not, giving his age as twenty-six. Said the elderly gentleman: "It is owing to how you take it. Now for a man it is young enough; but for a goose it is rather old."

Art received rather an awkward criticism from a free-and-easy young man who recently met a sculptor in a social circle, and addressed him thus: "Er—er—so you are the man—er—that makes—er—mud heads?" And this was the artist's reply: "Er—er—not all of 'em; I didn't make yours."

A gentleman in Danbury, Conn., has had perseverance enough to take the temperance pledge eighty-three and break it eighty-two.

Baltimore is inaugurating a crusade against pumps. "This well. But the milkmen have yet to be heard from."

A horse ought never to be hungry, for the most of the time he has a bit in his mouth.

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