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What Tesla Selected.

Thomas Edison used to have Nikola Tesla working for him in his studio near Paris. Tesla came to him one day asking for work, and Edison, who needed help, referred him to the foreman, named Fulton.

His Mistake as to American Girls.

A Louisville girl who was recently in Germany met a young English officer who was in the same city, and, in fact, in the same house with her for two months, studying German for his promotion.

After Dinner One Day in the early acquaintance of the couple the officer offered the Louisville girl a cigarette, and upon her refusing it he said:

"Why, I thought all the girls in the United States smoked." "So we do," replied the girl, "but never cigarettes, only pipes. If you will get that pipe off the mantelpiece in the next room I shall be charmed to smoke with you."

Consumption.

Pulmonary tuberculosis is not a contagious, but only a communicable disease. The contagiousness of the disease, it is now well known, is mainly the tuberculosis expectoration, which, when dried and pulverized to dust, constitutes the main danger of infection.

Challenging the world of science.

Henry G. Rush, a farmer of Lancaster county, has offered \$1,000 as a forfeit in the event of his failure to clearly and indisputably demonstrate that Kepler, Sir Isaac Newton and scientists in general are wrong in their fundamental conceptions of astronomical mathematics.

A matrimonial agent effected rather a romantic combination at Moundsville, W. Va.

Miss Mary Proctor, the astronomer and lecturer, frequently gives her personal services toward entertaining poor children and adults. Generally her lectures are well received.

Boomerangs Not New.

The Australian aborigines are not the only users of the boomerang, nor were they the first to use that missile. The Egyptians knew all about it, just as they seem to have known all about everything else.

His Request.

Husband—My dear, I want to ask you one favor before you go off on that long visit.

Not an Optical Case.

Optician—I cannot sell you spectacles for your husband. He must come for them in person. What is the nature of his visual defect?

Billings' Brother.

Mrs. Billings (aside)—Goodness me! Here comes Mrs. Spruce with her smart looking husband, and here John goes along by my side stopping and snuffing. What shall I do to brace him up? Ah, I know! (Aloud) John! Did you see that handsome girl looking at you?

Marie Antoinette's Necklace.

It must have been in 1802 that Meyerbeer paid his last visit to London, and I saw him at one of the Philharmonic concerts, which were then held in the old Hanover square rooms.

"The Seal the Seal"

We all went one day, says W. J. Stillman in The Atlantic, to Coney Island, on the southern shore of Long Island, since a popular bathing place for New York, but then a solitary stretch of seashore, with a few bathing boxes and a temporary structure where bathers might get refreshments.

A Story About Wilberforce.

Before he became a bishop he had been archdeacon of Surrey, and his old archdeaconry became a part of his later bishopric of Winchester. At a meeting of the clergy at Chatham his chaplain told him that an old Dr. —, who was vexed at having been forgotten.

A Telephone Enigma.

"I recently heard," said the inquisitive man who had the faculty of being able to be in two places at once, "the following conversation over the telephone: 'Who are you, please?'

Nice Hanging.

Bobby Meade of the colonial office was anxious to have executions in Malta carried out more humanely. So he consulted Marwood. Marwood strongly advised the "long drop" and explained his own process thus: "There was Mr. Peace, a small man. I gave him a six foot drop, and I assure you, sir, he passed long like a summer hew."

Orsany.

"Yes, it was a drawn battle," he said in talking the matter over with his wife.

"Something Hot."

D'Orsany was at a dinner at Dismal's, which was not of a kind to suit the fashionable gourmet and where everything had been cold. At the end of dinner there was brought in some half melted ice in a dish. "Thank heaven!" said D'Orsany, "at last we have got something hot."—Sir Algeron West's Recollections.

Beyond Control.

Gadsby—My wife will raise Cain with me if she discovers that I've been drinking.

Good Friday was called Long Friday by the Saxons.

Writing to be Eaten.

The wasp is not a vegetarian, like the bee, and so the wasp mother has before her the problem of supporting her young with meat. As her eggs are laid out in hot weather and as food enough must be stored in the cell with the egg to mature the young insects, the question is how to preserve the meat fresh for so long a time.

Peter Cooper Met the Spirits.

During Peter Cooper's lifetime he was a frequent visitor at the home of S. J. Pardessus, on Pacific street, Brooklyn.

Don't Give Up the Ship.

Somewhat more than 50 years ago it happened to me to meet at the house of a mutual friend a daughter of the late Major Benjamin Russell, for many years editor of the Boston Centinel. She was a bright, interesting woman and a brilliant raconteur, and she told me a number of anecdotes of her father, who was a strongly individualized and notable character for a good many years. Among them was the following:

The Effect of His Fate.

An amusing story is told at the expense of Winston Churchill, the author of "The Scipio Letters." The picture of Churchill displayed in the window of a Baltimore bookshop, inquired of a bystander who he represented.

At the Examination.

Teacher (to little Isidor, who is very poor at fractions)—If I need 3 1/2 yards of cloth for a suit and the cloth costs 2 1/2 gulden a yard, what will the suit cost?

"False Doctrine."

School Examiner—What is the meaning of false doctrine?

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CUMBERLAND VALLEY

TIME TABLE.—Nov. 19, 1890. Leave no. 2 no. 4 no. 6 no. 8 no. 10 no. 12

Leave no. 1 no. 3 no. 5 no. 7 no. 9 no. 11 no. 13 no. 15

PHILADELPHIA AND PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD SYSTEM. R. A. RIDDER, Gen'l P. Agent. J. F. BOYD, Sup't.

TERMS OF ADVERTISING.

The first term of the Courts of Fulton county in the year shall commence on the Tuesday following the second Monday of January, at 10 o'clock A. M.

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