

DON'T MIND ME.

"Don't mind me," he told the ice man. "If you want to raise your price, man. Go ahead and put it higher, and I will not say a word."

A RACE AGAINST TIME.

By George C. Wallis.

At the time of the incident I am about to relate occurred, I was a clerk in a prominent bank in a certain northern city, fairly industrious, I believe, and with strong hopes of early promotion.

I said, desperately. "If I can get a 'special' within the next hour, I might get to Liverpool soon enough after the 5:12 to catch the ship. I can pay for one."

There was a brief scuffle, a metallic snap, and, to my intense astonishment, my traveling companion, stood handcuffed and under arrest!

That was the end of my race against time. My success in recovering the money, added to Mr. Winter's kind intercession on my behalf, saved me from dismissal, and the promotion, though delayed, came at last.

BURNING TROLLEY CARS.

The Right and the Wrong Way for Motormen to Act. It is not an uncommon experience for a motorman to so overtax his machinery with an excess of current as to burn out a fuse.

THE BEAR AND THE SEAL

Once there lived a Polar Bear. Where the North's magnetic. Creamy white his trousers were. And his glance pathetic.



FUNNY SIDE OF LIFE

"Miss Silly, what do you think of this automobile speeding as sport?" "I think it is just killing."—Baltimore American.

KEYSTONE STATE CULLINGS

SIX BURNED IN ACCIDENT.

Three May Die as Result of Gas Explosion in Diamond Mine.

An explosion of gas in the Diamond mine of the Lackawanna Coal Company at Scranton, burned six men, three of them seriously.

The Point of the Proverb.

An old proverb advises the shoemaker to stick to his last. It means that a man always succeeds best at the business he knows.

Richest Gold Field.

Kalgoolie, Western Australia, is one of the newest and richest gold fields in the world.

ULCERS IN EYES.

Awful Discharge From Eyes and Nose—Grateful Mother Strongly Recommends Cuticura.

The Universal Washday.

"Wash-day is Monday everywhere," said a globe-trotter.

TWICE-TOLD TESTIMONY.

A Woman Who Has Suffered Tells How to Find Relief. The thousands of women who suffer backache, languor, urinary disorders and other kidney ills, will find comfort in the words of Mrs. Jane Farrell, of 606 Ocean Ave., Jersey City, N. J., who says:



Twelve sticks of dynamite were placed under the Church street bridge, Minooka, near Scranton, and exploded at 2 o'clock in the morning.