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**A Railroad Man's Writup of a Swell Wedding.**

A country editor once employed a railroad man to write up a swell wedding for his paper. Following is the writup:

"Last week a large number of guests were present at the residence of Col. Jinglesex, to witness the marriage of his lovely daughter to our esteemed young fellow citizen Major Raoul Baptist McGilligan. Col. Jinglesex was the general manager of the entire guest system, and had his headquarters established in the dining room, and only left his post and the sideboard, where the gentlemen were often sidetracked for repairs, to go through the parlors on a tour of inspection. Mrs. Col. Jinglesex acted as superintendent and yard-master, and most of the time was employed in the kitchen, where she had the supper courses made up and saw that they left on schedule time. The whole thing was a real ten-foot driver, Miller platform affair, and will long be remembered by those who were fortunate enough to receive invitations. A few moments before the arrival of the preacher who was to pull the bell cord for the matrimonial train, old Col. Jinglesex left the sideboard and started up grade with a heavy load. The consequence was he slipped an eccentric, and came into the parlor running on one side, but was flagged down in time to prevent him jamming his headlight through a bay window. The old gentleman, in stopping to fill his tank so often, lost the right of way, and did not witness the ceremony.

The bride was a slender beauty, and her eyes were of a peculiar pea-blossom blue color, and when her lips parted in a smile they looked like some one had opened a red pocket-book. She was dressed in a flowing robe of yellow-tinted bobbinet muslin à la euru, looped up at the sides with a Hungarian pompadour of blue grenadine and fuchus of Queen Anne gimp. The dress was cut on an incline, forty-eight degrees across the shoulders, and curved around the left arm. The bosom of the fair bride was covered with a trestle work of Louis XIV lace, and her waist was 'surfaced up' and 'filled in' with artificial flowers, made attractive by several narrow-gauge short lines or red trimmings, which skirted around and centered at a common terminal point on the crest of her polonaise. Down on the front of the robe was a midland route of antique buff serge, intersected by numerous feeders of costly fez merine.

The wedding was bon ton—everything moved on schedule time, and along the whole line, not a 'low joint' or high centre jolted the gentle glide of happiness."

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**The Suspicious Prodigal.**  
The prodigal son sat down smilingly at the table, remarking that it seemed good to be at home once more. The family, with one exception, replied that it seemed good to see him there.

"What's this," he asked suspiciously, "veal?"

"Yes," said his father joyously, "that is our fattest calf."

The elder son sneered.

"No, no," said the younger son with a deprecating gesture, "no veal for me, I worked for six months in a packing house in the far country."

"But this meat," was raised on our own farm, my boy," argued his father. "I had it killed especially for you. You may depend upon it that it is all right."

"I know, I know," said the younger son, "and I appreciate your anxiety to provide the best for me, but you see, father, it is the idea that kills me. No sir, no veal for yours prodigally. But I would like a cup of tea and a sturdy helping of the vegetables and green truck."

"That's always the way with them prodigals," said the elder son, disgustfully, to himself. "I wonder he didn't slap father over the jaw with that hunk of veal, just to show his superiority to the conventions. Well, it's one of the things I have to put up with in this infernal hole. I'm tempted to start for Denver tonight."

But he thought better of it after dinner.—Minneapolis Journal.

**THE WISDOM OF ANIMALS.**  
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**THAT AWFUL TELEGRAM.**

Her Opinion of Him When She Read the Contents.

"What is it, Mary?"  
"It's a boy, mum, with a telegraph."  
"A telegram? Oh, ask him if James is killed!"  
"He says he don't know, mum."  
"Ask him what he does know about it."  
"He says all he knows about it is that it is for you, and there's sixpence to pay."  
"Oh, dear! Oh, dear! What shall I do? Here, Mary, here's the purse. Pay him whatever he asks. Oh, my poor James! I knew something would happen to him before he went away this morning. Will they bring him home in an ambulance, Mary?"  
"I s'pose so, mum. Maybe you'd better read the telegraph."  
"I can't; I can't. Oh, it serves me right for not kissing him more than three times when he left. And we've been married such a short time, too!"  
"Why don't you open the telegraph, mum?"  
"Well, I suppose I must; but, oh! I can't tell you how I dread it!"  
And then she read the telegram:—"Will bring friend home to dinner."  
"James."  
"The heartless brute!" she exclaimed.

**No Place For Lawyers.**  
Many unkind things are said and printed about members of the legal profession, only a few of which are deserved.

"Billy" Saunders is a natural born wit. He is in his eightieth year, living in New York, and is still working at his trade, painting. On a recent occasion "Billy" and one or two of his mates were beautifying a lawyer's office. The younger partner, thinking to take a "rise" out of "Billy," said:—"I say, 'Billy,' did you ever know of a painter going to heaven?"  
"Yes," said "Billy," "I knew of one once."  
"And do you think he stayed there?"  
"Well, I did hear that they tried to put him out."  
"And did they succeed?"  
"No. According to the latest accounts, they had not succeeded."  
"Why, how was that?"  
"Well, sonny, it was this way. They couldn't find a lawyer in the place to draw up the papers."

**Diplomacy.**  
Sunday passed, Tuesday rolled around and still his tall form did not loom in the vestibule when the cuckoo clock was sounding 8. Thursday he came and the beautiful girl was burning with wrath.

"So this is the way you neglect me," she hissed. "What have you to say for yourself? Why didn't you come?"  
"I couldn't, faltered the young man.  
"I had the dyspepsia and the doctor advised me not to come."  
"What? The doctor told you not to come to see me because you had the dyspepsia?"  
"Well, he told me to keep away from all sweets."  
The next moment she had him seated on the parlor sofa telling him he was the only young man in Chicago.—Chicago News.

**Disraeli and the Devil.**  
Shortly after his entrance into political life Disraeli stood for a certain Middlesex borough in the Conservative interest. It was a "personally conducted" canvass, and, among others, the future Prime Minister solicited the vote and interest of a well-to-do but somewhat frascable farmer, who was supposed to be rather doubtful in his political convictions.

"Vote for you!" he shouted when Mr. Disraeli made known the object of his call. "Why, I'd vote for the devil sooner."  
"Ah, quite so!" said Mr. Disraeli, suavely, "but in event of your friend not standing, may I hope for your interest?"

**John and His Medicine.**  
A certain minister, while passing down the street of a Scotch village, observed one of his parishioners seated at his cottage door sipping his broth. This appearing an unusual proceeding, he stopped and asked him what was the matter.

"Oh," replied John, "the Chimley is reeking a bit, so I can't outside to sup ma brot! Ye had better gang in and gie the missus a bit of advice about it."

The minister had scarcely opened the door when a female voice exclaimed:—"Is that you again, you auld rascal?" and the minister's hat was crushed over his eyes with a stool.

Without uttering a word the minister closed the door and, stepping up to where John sat, said solemnly:—"John, our chimney at home smokes sometimes, too!"

**Her Influence.**  
"Ah," declared the man who had risen from the ranks, "I love to recall the days when as a lad I romped bare-foot through the dew-covered grass."  
"Then you were compelled to take the Kneipp treatment as a child?" inquired the pampered daughter of the Four Hundred.

**Non-Committal.**  
"Mamma, did you ever flirt when you were a girl?"  
"Yes, my dear, I did once."  
"And were you punished for it?"  
"It led to my marriage with your father."—Translated for Tales from Le Rire.

**Just a Common Case.**  
"They are evidently man and wife."  
"No; quite the contrary."  
"What?"  
"They are woman and husband!"

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