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My wife and I were born of parents afflicted with this disease, but Dana's Sarsaparilla cured us. My wife's eczema was so bad that she could not walk for some time. Dana's Sarsaparilla cured her in three months. My wife is now 60 years old and has not had a recurrence of the disease for 30 years. Dana's Sarsaparilla is the best medicine I ever used. It is a true and reliable medicine. It is sold by all druggists. Price 50c. Inflector Free.

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## HUMOR OF THE WEEK

### STORIES TOLD BY FUNNY MEN OF THE PRESS.

Many Odd, Curious, and Laughable Phases of Human Nature Graphically Portrayed by Eminent Word Artists of Our Own Day.—A Budget of Fun.

**Sprinkles of Spies.**  
No people ever made any money swapping grunts.—Dallas News.  
It is the deaf and dumb orator who speaks feelingly, as it were.—Elmira Gazette.

When a baby is born it is usually red, but it soon becomes a little yellow.—Boston Courier.  
In carrying a gun the great point is to point the muzzle the other way.—Philadelphia Times.

**Combs.**—"How do you find trade?" Stone—"That's the great trouble. I can't find it."—Clothier.  
One feature of a cyclone is worthy of general imitation; it always does its level best.—Lowell Courier.

Milk has gone up half a cent a quart in Brooklyn, but no rise of cream is reported.—Troy Press.  
The amateur photographer has a habit of taking almost anything except a hint.—Somerville Journal.

The prize housekeeper is a tenant who can hold on for six months without paying any rent.—Galveston News.  
So far, no one has ever made the blunder of painting a Cupid to look as if he had any sense.—Aetichson Globe.

A SPRUCE STREET girl calls her pet puz Knickerbocker because he is addicted to short pants.—Philadelphia Record.  
A CROCKER who had a lot of Limburger cheese for sale advertised it as an "unapproachable bargain."—Sittings.

ABOUT all the buried treasures most people have are the good resolutions they have put away.—Galveston News.  
"They comes," said Uncle Life, "of the express company not havin' their money in old socks."—Cleveland Plain-Dealer.

It's no use to ask the man who is going to have a tooth pulled whether he doesn't think this is just a perfect day.—Somerville Journal.  
"I FEEL myself beneath you," as the man in the lower berth in the sleeper remarked to his companion on the shelf above.—Lowell Courier.

THE Tree-planting Society of Brooklyn is trying to check the nibbling of trees by horses. It is certainly a gnawing.—Philadelphia Record.  
Both lemons and figs can be done without. So long as the native peach is preserved the women will put up with that.—Philadelphia Times.

"LIFE," exclaimed the man who enjoys being a misanthrope, "is nothing but one long bustle for a chunk of ice or a lump of coal."—Washington Star.  
It was a small suburban youth who explained that it was not so much the heat that troubled people as "the general humility."—Boston Transcript.

THE woman who never had a baby of her own generally can't understand how it is that a mother can be so foolish as to let her baby cry.—Somerville Journal.  
Times like these breed cautiousness. A farmer whose poultry is in the basement of his barn sends us word that even the hens are laying low.—Buffalo Courier.

**SOCIETY EDITOR**—Here is a woman writing to us to know if a grass widow ought to wear mourning. Hoss Editor—She might wear a green lawn.—Indianapolis Journal.  
HICKS—"Smeddle always speaks well of everybody." Wicks—"Mere matter of habit. He worked at cutting out tombstone epitaphs for several years."—Boston Transcript.

MRS. POINDEXTER (horrified)—"I heard to-day that Mr. Collingwood leads a double life." Miss Forty (with a sigh)—"That's much better than a single one."—Brooklyn Life.  
SHE (romantically)—"In what hour of inspiration do those beautiful poems of yours come to you? He (abstractedly)—"The time of the noon mail delivery, mostly."—Chicago Record.

YOUNG WIFE—How nice it would be if life were a perpetual honeymoon—nothing but billing and cooing. Young husband—H'm! I think I could get along with just the cooing.—Truth.  
MISS MAY WATTS, of Boston, recently deceased, left all her estate of \$8,000 to her pet cat, Otto, which will be taken abroad. The cat should come back with an Otto biography.—Philadelphia Ledger.

WATCHMAKER—My friend, I suspect you've been putting kerosene oil in this watch. George Bond—That I have. When a watch goes in soak so often something must be done to counteract rust.—Kate Field's Washington.  
WATTS—Is it true that you got wind of the bank failure before the doors were closed? Potts—No, I went down to get a check cashed an hour after the doors were closed. It was then that I got wind.—Indianapolis Journal.

JUNIOR PARTNER—While I was taking down that buyer's order this morning I told him one of your funny stories. Senior Partner—Ha, ha! Did he laugh? Junior Partner—No; he countermanded the order.—Clothier and Furnisher.

## SALUTED THE WRONG FLAG.

Commodore Stanton Deposed For Recognizing Insurgents.  
The navy department at Washington learned by authority on Wednesday by telegram from Rear-Admiral Stanton in command of the United States naval forces at Rio de Janeiro, that this officer had saluted the flag of Admiral Mello commanding the insurgent fleet. This salute was unauthorized by any instructions the Admiral had received. It was an unfriendly act toward a friendly power and the secretary of the navy, after consulting with the president and secretary of state, issued an order detaching Admiral Stanton from command of his squadron and turning it over to Capt. Pickens, the next officer in rank. This was in reply to a telegram of inquiry.

Commodore Stanton's record as a naval officer is an excellent one. Born in Sag Harbor, N. Y., July 18, 1834, he entered the navy as acting midshipman in 1850. On July 18, 1854, he was commissioned Lieutenant Commander. Prior to the war he had served on the steamer Memphis, on the Farragut expedition, and had also in de cruises to the African coast and with the Pacific squadron. He was placed in charge of the steamer Tigra in the special West India expedition of 1862-63 and in 1863-64, he commanded the steamer Panon on the Western gulf blockade squadron, positions of great responsibility. From 1871 to 1874, when he was transferred to the Atlantic, Commodore Stanton commanded the receiving ship at Portsmouth, N. H., and the steamer Monaco on the Atlantic station. In November, 1881, he went on duty at the Naval Asylum at Philadelphia, where he remained until November, 1884, when he was assigned to the command of the steam frigate Tennessee, a ship of the North Atlantic Station. He was assigned to duty as commander-in-chief of the South Atlantic station, shortly after the Columbian naval review of last spring.

Naval officers who know Commodore Stanton are in a way at a loss to understand how he came to make such a serious mistake, if such it can be called.

## NEWSY GLEANINGS.

BERLIN has 40,000 empty tenements.  
WASHINGTON'S top crop is 50,000 bales.  
MOUNT CARMEL, Ohio, is again in occupation.  
CARBON at Winnipeg, Manitoba, is two cents.

The chosen residence in Europe seems to have been checked.  
The number of settlers by insurgent bands in Brazil continues.  
The sugar beet in France and Belgium has been attacked by a parasite.

The Erie Railroad has broken all records in the way of heavy excursion trains.  
The political situation in Austria is greatly strained, and it is feared a crisis is at hand.  
The German navy's base of support, it is said to have been decided, must be the Baltic Sea.

While sinking a well near Cavallo, Ill., a few feet of petroleum was struck at a depth of 115 feet.  
An amount of \$5,000,000 in gold has just reached the New York Sub-Treasury from San Francisco.

COSTA RICA will levy an export tax of \$1.50 per 100 pounds on coffee to raise revenue to pay her foreign debt.  
SERVICES of the recent floods in Louisiana propose to establish a colony of 1000 families in Colorado.

Exports are increasing, and owing to diminished imports, movement the foreign trade balance is in our favor.  
ADJUTANT-GENERAL WILLIAMS in a report to the War Department urges the extension of military training to schools.

MRS. T. P. MARTIN, of Troy, New Mexico, died from a fruit received in the Chinarron train robbery three months ago.  
EMPEROR FRANCIS JOSEPH has ordered that the mitrailleur invented by the Archduke Karl Salvator be introduced into the Austrian army.

A. L. COATES, of Rockwell City, Iowa, has been adjudged insane and sent to the State asylum. His mind was affected by the suspension of his pension.  
THE Secretary of the Kansas State Senate reports that six counties in that State will use their representation in the Legislature by the election of voters.

ONE of the columns of the old Mary Washington monument at Fredericksburg, Va., has been stolen. It is supposed that the theft was committed by some rifle hunter whose purpose is to sell the relic to some one.  
WHATEVER may be the fate of the other nations of the world, the Ferris wheel will turn on its axis for some time to come. It will not be moved to Coney Island or elsewhere. It will remain in Midway Plaisance.

## PROMINENT PEOPLE.

JULES VERNE, perhaps, has earned more by his pen than any other living author.  
A. J. DREXEL, JR., son of the late millionaire banker, has withdrawn from the three banking firms with which his father was identified.

GEORGE W. WELLES, for twenty-five years secretary or charge d'affaires of the United States legations at Rome, Madrid and St. Petersburg, has returned to this country.  
J. A. DEMERKE, the founder of the Knights of Honor, and for many years one of the leading officers of the Order, died suddenly of a hemorrhage, at his home in Louisville, Ky.

MISS HELEN REED, who was recently ordained a deaconess by Bishop Nichols in St. Stephen's Protestant Episcopal Church, San Francisco, is the first lady to receive that order in California.  
SENATOR STEWART, of Nevada, is the largest possessor of coffee in the Senate. When he is under full headway on one of his thirty day addresses he absorbs three cups an hour, black as your hat and strong enough to float an egg.

"THE Duke of York has become a tenant farmer upon the estate of his father, the Prince of Wales, and, according to President Shaw, of the Cheshire Agricultural Society, the first thing the Duke did after taking possession was to ask for a reduction of rent, so as to keep in touch with his fellow agriculturists.  
EMPEROR WILLIAM, of Germany, recently unveiled in Bremen a statue to his grandfather, in his address at the banquet he claimed that to his grandfather alone was due the present condition of German unity; that while others assisted him most ably both initiative and successful accomplishment rested with him.

ARCHBISHOP HENWOOD, of New Zealand, is an accomplished and enthusiastic violinist. He carries with him on his travels an old violin of celebrated make, and during a visit to Baltimore, recently, took this highly prized instrument from his case to entertain Cardinal Gibbons with "Home, Sweet Home" and other melodies.  
Children Perish in Prairie Fires.  
Prairie fires have been committing great havoc in the Winnipeg (Man.) district for the past few days. Many farmers have lost their crops. Two children, son and daughter of a farmer named Watson, were caught by the flames while following their brother plowing in a field and burned to death.

## The Lime-Kiln Club.

"Ar' Brudder Lightfoot in de hall dis evenin'?" asked the President as he looked anxiously around.  
"Yes, sah," answered the brother as he looked up with energy and dispatch.  
"Please stop dis way, sah, Brudder Lightfoot, I understands dat you has lately been callin' yo'self professor?"  
"Yes, sah, I plays on de fiddle."  
"Oh, dat's it? You has also been wearin' mighty high collars."  
"Yes, sah."  
"Got good clothes?"  
"Yes, sah."  
"Talkin' 'bout rentin' a box in de pos' office, I heah?"  
"Yes, sah."  
"An' you is smokin' reg'lar cigars?"  
"Yes, sah."  
"Ar' dat a dimun pin you has on?"  
"Not quite, sah."  
"Am' dat watch chain all gold?"  
"Not all, sah."  
"Now, Brudder Lightfoot, look-a-vero, You is behind in your rent, heah ober heels in debt, an' your children heahin' got shoes to go to school. I heah of you loatin' 'bout saloons an' standin' on de corners. I'm gwine to gin you just one week to drap dat professor business an' hunt for a job. If you do it, well and good. If you don't do it, dis club kin dispense wid your presence. A professor ar' all right when he professes, but a professor who sows a fiddle for beer while his wife rubs a wash-board fur grub an' about de moon's onery critter on earth. De meatin' an' moon no dispurjed." Detroit Free Press.

**Interesting French Investigations.**  
In a communication to the Societe Medicate du XIIe Arrondissement de Paris, Dr. Rosenblith shows that effusions of blood in sprains are very rapidly reabsorbed by massage. In practice the injured articulation is at first immersed in very warm water in order to dilate the superficial vessels, after which preparation of the affected region massage is performed outside of the injured part; it is then gradually approached, a very gentle stroke being applied to it at first, followed by more vigorous friction, thus gradually producing insensibility. When partially obtained a more or less energetic kneading is pursued, according to the varying degree of sensibility experienced by the patient, and to the massage part is finally applied a compressive bandage, with wadding, which is wrapped in a flannel or linen band. If the strain occurs in the inferior limbs Dr. Rosenblith—contrary to the ordinarily commenced practice of avoiding movements for a shorter or longer period—advises the patient to walk as soon as he can do so without feeling great pain. Walking, he says, adapts the articular surface in a natural way and actuates the venal and lymphatic circulations by the muscular contraction.  
But it's Her Bright Side.  
The inhabitants of this earth have never seen but one side of the moon. The explanation is this: The moon makes one revolution on her axis in the same period of time that she takes up in revolving once around the earth, thus the same geographical region of the lunar surface is always toward us.

**Catarah Cannot Be Cured**  
With local applications, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease, catarah is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarah Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and nervous system. Hall's Catarah Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarah. Send for testimonials free. J. C. CHENEY & Co., Props., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, price 75c.

The United States has a lower percentage of blind people than any other country in the world.  
In Olden Times  
People overlooked the importance of permanently beneficial effects and were satisfied with transient action, but now that it is generally known that Syrup of Figs will permanently cure habitual constipation, well-informed people will not buy other laxatives, which act for a time, but finally injure the system.

In 1700 the first public library was opened in New York.  
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The Chinese lore came from China to Europe about 1780.  
Beecham's Pills cure indigestion and constipation. Beecham's—no others, 25c. a box.  
The first street railway was laid in New York in 1825.  
If afflicted with sore eyes use Dr. Isaac Thompson's Eye-water. Druggists sell at all per bottle.  
In B. C. 2,000 the Empress Lee-Ling-Chi first manufactured silk.

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Dr. Kilmer & Co., Brighton, N. Y., Gentlemen—I ought to have written you long ago of the great good your Swamp-Root has done for me. For a long time I had been troubled with a Disordered Stomach, Inactive Liver, Pain in the Back and across the kidneys and was generally run down, had no ambition to do anything; in fact, my life was a burden; could not sleep nights, was completely discouraged and gave up of ever being any better. I took SWAMP-ROOT and am now able to do most of the work as usual and feel like a different person. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root Cured Me.  
It has helped me more than any other medicine I have ever used and I beg of you to accept my sincere thanks for the wonderful benefit I have derived. Mrs. H. Mabel Suits.  
At Druggists, 50 cents and \$1.00. See "Invitation Guide to Health" Free. Consultation Free.  
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**The Population of the Earth.**  
In an appendix to "Petermann's Mittheilungen," just issued, there are complete statistics of the population of the earth, in which a table of the great cities (with more than 100,000 inhabitants) is of great interest. Of such cities England has thirty, Germany twenty-four, France and Russia each twelve, Italy ten, Austria-Hungary six, Spain five, Belgium, the Scandinavian States, Roumania and the Balkan Islands each four, the Netherlands three, Portugal two; the total in Europe being 116 great cities. Asia has 105, China having fifty-three and British India thirty. In Africa there are seven, in America forty, of which the United States have twenty-six, South America nine. Australia has only two large cities.

**Time to Kill Off Rome.**  
At the time of the Crimean war the aggregate strength of the armies of the great powers of Europe did not exceed 3,000,000 in round numbers. To-day it is more than 20,000,000.

**Multnomah Falls.**  
The Columbia River, having its head waters in British Columbia and flowing for a long distance between Oregon and Washington, is one of the most beautiful and charmingly picturesque rivers in the world. The Dalles of Columbia, where the river narrows, are world famous and over terraces of stone the waters flow in a succession of cascades. Of the numerous falls that lend picturesque interest to the great river the most beautiful is Multnomah Falls, Oregon. Here the waters fall like a strip of spray, a distance of 800 feet.

**The Gondolas Must Go.**  
Fair Venice is in danger of losing a feature which has become world famous and to which many a romance may be traced—to wit, the gondolas and gay costumed gondoliers. In the place of the former a fleet of American electric launches will ply Venetian canals, and instead of the gondoliers American engineers will guide these new-fangled boats.

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