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Cheer up my lively lads, boys, it never shall be said,

That the sons of America were ever yet afraid;

We will answer our country's call on land, sea or shore,

To conquer all the rebels and ten thousand traitors more.

The Eagle of Liberty cries over land, seas and shores,

We are coming Father Abraham with six hundred thousand more;

And if rebels fire on our capital give me a place to stand,

With the Union flag staff placed in my hand.

No matter how hot the canon smoke or shell burst in the sky,

I hold the flag staff in my hand, and hold it 'till I die;

And if one should hit me and lay me on my face,

I hope to go to Washington and not to a traitor's grave.

S. D. M.—1812.

Marietta, July 4, 1864.

## The Two Deaf Ladies

I had an aunt who purposed visiting me for the first time since my marriage, and I don't know what evil genius prompted the wickedness which I perpetrated towards my wife and ancient relative.

"My dear," said I to my wife the day before my aunt's arrival, "you know my aunt Mary is coming here to-morrow. Well, I have forgotten to mention a rather annoying circumstance in regard to her. She is very deaf, and, although she can hear my voice, to which she is accustomed, in its ordinary tone, yet you will be obliged to speak very loud in order to be heard. It will be rather inconvenient at first, but I know you will do everything that lies in your power to make her stay agreeable."

I then went to John Thornton, who loves a joke as well as any person that I know, told him to be at my house by six o'clock on the following evening, and I then felt comparatively happy.

I went to the railroad depot with a carriage the next night, and when on my way home with my aunt, I said—

"My dear aunt, there is one rather annoying infirmity that Anna (my wife) has, which I forgot to mention before. She is very deaf; and though she can hear my voice, to which she is accustomed, in its ordinary tones, yet you will be obliged to speak extremely loud to her in order to be heard. I am very sorry that she is so."

Aunt Mary, in the extreme goodness of her heart, protested that she rather liked speaking loud, and that to do so would give her great pleasure. I handed out my aunt, and she ascended the steps,

"I am delighted to see you," shrieked my wife, who met us at the door.

The policeman on the opposite side of the street was startled, and my aunt nearly tumbled down the steps.

"Kiss me, my dear," howled my aunt, and the hall lamp clattered, and the windows shook as with fever and ague.

I looked at the window, but John Thornton had disappeared. Human nature could stand it no longer. I poked my head into the carriage, and went into strong convulsions of laughter.

When I went into the parlor my wife was helping aunt Mary to take off her bonnet and mantilla; and there sat John, with his long face of woe.

"Did you have a pleasant journey?" suddenly went off my wife like a shot, and John nearly jumped to his feet.

"Rather do."

"Ma, whereabouts shall I find the Matrimony?"

"I find that to be one of the best," was the answer.

in this strain. The neighbors for squares around must have heard it, for when I was in the third story I heard every word.

In the course of the evening my aunt took occasion to say to me—

"How loud your wife speaks. Don't it hurt her?"

I told her that all deaf persons spoke loud, and that my wife, being used to it, was not affected by the exertion, and that they were getting along nicely.

Presently my wife said, softly—

"Alfred, how loud your aunt talks."

"Yes," said I, "all deaf people do. You get along well together. She hears every word you say."

And I rather think she did.

Elated by their success at being understood, till everything on the mantelpiece fairly clattered, and I was seriously afraid of a crowd collecting in front of my house.

But the end was near. My aunt, being of an investigating turn of mind, was desirous of finding out whether the exertion of talking so loud was not injurious to my wife.

"Doesn't talking so loud strain your lungs?" said she, in an unearthly hoot, for her voice was not as musical as it was when she was young.

"It is an exertion," shrieked my wife.

"Then why do you do it?" was the answering scream.

"Because—because—you can't hear me if I don't," squalled my wife.

"What?"

My aunt fairly rivalled a railroad whistle this time.

I began to think of evacuating the premises, and looking around and seeing that John was gone, I stepped into the next room, and there he lay, flat on his back, rolling from side to side, with his fists poked into his ribs, and a most agonizing expression of countenance, but not uttering a sound. Immediately and involuntarily I assumed a similar attitude, and I think, from the relative position of our feet and heads, and our attempt to restrain our laughter, apoplexy must inevitably have ensued if a horrible groan, in which John gave vent in his endeavor to suppress his risibility, had not betrayed our hiding places.

In rushed my wife and aunt, who by this time comprehended the joke; and such a scolding as I got then I never got before, and I hope never to get again.

I know not what the end might have been if John, in his endeavors to appear respectful and sympathetic, had not given vent to such a diabolical noise, something between a groan and a horse laugh, that all gravity was upset, and we all screamed in concert.

**GEN WASHINGTON'S BLESSING:** During a celebration which occurred in New York City, during the life of Washington, the General was present, and a Scotch nurse who had the care of a little boy, was observed to eagerly lift him up, that he might look upon the Father of his Country. She was not satisfied with this, however, and the next day while out walking with the child, she saw the General in a store, and darting in she exclaimed, "Please your Excellency, here's a bairn that's called after ye." Washington turned his benevolent face full upon the lad, smiled, laid his hand upon the boy's head and gave his blessing. In after years the boy, then a distinguished man, used to say "I have reason to believe that blessing has attended me through life. I was but five years old, yet I can feel that hand even now." The boy was Washington Irving, to whom, perhaps, as a fruit of that blessing, we are indebted for the best biography of Washington.

**CLEANING CARPETS.**—Take a pail of cold water, and add to it three gills of oxgall. Rub it into the carpet with a soft brush. It will raise a lather; which must be washed off with clear cold water. Rub dry with a clean cloth. In nailing down a carpet after the floor has been washed, be certain that the floor is quite dry, or the nail will rust and injure the carpet. Fullers' earth is used for cleaning carpets, and weak solutions of alum or soda are used for reviving the colors. The crumb of a hot wheat loaf rubbed over a carpet has been found effective.

A few days since, a dinner called on a young gentleman and presented him a bill, when he was somewhat taken aback by the gent taking him aside and blandly saying: "My dear sir, call next Thursday, and I'll tell you when to call again."

"Ma, whereabouts shall I find the Matrimony?"

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**Odds and Ends.**

**A COPPERHEAD WELL ANSWERED.**—In the cars, the other day, between Baltimore and Washington, a discussion sprang up, as to the propriety of allowing negroes to vote. One of the copperhead participants, thinking to "make a plain case by the argumentum and hominum, said to his Republican antagonist: "What would you think if, at the next election, you were to go to the poll and cast a vote for George B. McClellan, and a big, black nigger were to come alongside of you and cast one for Abe Lincoln? The Republican reflected a little and replied: "Well, I'd think the nigger had a d—n eight more sense than I had."

Bill S— is a good accountant, but like all men, will sometimes make mistakes, and in one of his bills figured up that "8 times 8 are 88." The debtor was not slow in discovering the mistake and demanded an explanation. Bill examined the account and saw that he was "down" but did not like to admit; so, putting on a bold face, he said—"That's all right."

"How so?" was the inquiry.

"It's all owing to the inflation of the currency," said Bill, "the multiplication table, like everything else, has gone up!"

On returning home after his duel with young O'Connell, Lord Alvanley gave a quinea to the hackney coachman who had driven him out and brought him back. The man, surprised at the largeness of the sum, said, "My Lord, I only took you to—"

"My friend," interrupted Alvanley "the quinea is for bringing me back—not for taking me out."

"My dear, why is your neck handkerchief like the real estate your father has?"

"Don't know, duck."

"Because, love, it is a good property," (property.)

A bystander thought he distinguished something like a kiss after the dialogue ended.

A conceited coxcomb, with a very patronizing air, called out to an Irish laborer, "Here, you bog trotter, come and tell me the greatest lie you can, and I will treat you to a glass of Irish whiskey."

"By my word," says Pat, "an yer Honor's a gentleman."

"Would you be willing to undertake the management of my property for your victuals and clothes?" said Girard to a gentleman who was congratulating him on his vast possessions.

"No," was the reply.

"Well, that's all I get," said the millionaire.

A lady was passing along the street, when she was met by a young man, who in passing, stepped on her dress. Turning to the lady, he remarked: "Hoops take up too much room."

To which the lady quickly replied; "Not so much as whiskey, sir," and passed on.

An Irishman was directed by a lady of large size to secure and pay for two seats in a stage, as she wanted comfortable room in riding, the fellow returned and said, "I've paid for the two seats ye told me to, but as I couldn't get but one seat for the inside, I took 't other for the outside."

"Tom," said an acquaintance of his who met him on the Wayne House steps last evening, "Tom: who did you say our friend B. married?"

"Well, he married—forty thousand dollars! I forget the other name."

An Iowa editor has fallen heir to an estate worth one and a half millions. Of course he'll retire. Just fancy a man worth that sum writing a puff of a patent clothes pin, or of Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.

At a spiritual circle the other evening, a gentleman requested the medium to ask what amusement was most popular in the spiritual world. The reply was, "Reading our own obituary notices."

Some mischievous wags, one night, pulled down a turner's sign, and put it over a lawyer's door; in the morning it read, "All sorts of turning and twisting done here."