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The Sorceries of Science. A FOND BY AN OLD SCIENCE-MAN. Day by day, in this wonderful age, in announced some amazing invention...

VARIETY. He is the only happy man in the world who has learned to be content with what he has.

"Marriage," says a cynic, is like putting your head into a bag containing ninety-nine snakes and one cat. You may get the cat, but the chances are against you.

"As a general thing," said John Quince last evening, "I am down on puns, but upon my word, I've always considered blacksmith a home-sure."—Yorker (N. Y.) Gazette.

"How do you feel when you have killed a man professionally?" said a doctor to an officer. "Oh," responded the officer, "I don't mind it; but how do you feel under the same circumstances, doctor?"

The whole science of social economy is found in these lines: "Well, while I am a beggar I will rest; and say there is no sin but to be rich; and being rich, I shall be able to say that to say there is no vice but beggary."

A learned clergyman in the State of Maine was accosted in following manner by an illiterate preacher, who despised education: "Sir, you have been to college, I suppose?"

The average man will sit passive in a barber's chair and unmarryingly submit to having his countenance covered with soap suds and thumped with a wad of hog bristles, but if his wife should accidentally spatter him with a dish-cloth all the recording angels in the land couldn't do justice to the results.

"Do you think," writes a young student of human economy, "do you think the human race is decaying?" Not at all—not at all. Part of it is at present decaying, it is yet alive, and because the medical student doesn't give it a chance, Oh, my! the human race was never in all its history so well protected against decay as it is at present.

The poet's eye in a frizzy rolling, Doth glance from heaven to earth, from earth to heaven, thence to the rhyming dictionary, And as imagination bodies forth...

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Mechanical. I HAVE SECURED A FIRST-CLASS HORSE-SHOER. HORSES SENT TO MY KING STREET SHOP WILL BE FAITHFULLY ATTENDED TO.

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