

Oranges. Oranges are a most valuable fruit. Orange juice always thins and with few exceptions is well borne by the weakest stomach.

If He Wins. "That eastern cashier speculated." "And of course was unsuccessful."

Queering a Rival. "If you've got a rival in the sweet heart business," remarked the freckled fanatic, "you never want to knock him."

His Whereabouts. "Do you happen to know anything of your master's whereabouts?" asked a wife who was looking for her husband.

Terrible Effect of Eloquence. An unfortunate man has obtained access to rich Baron Raptine. He depicts his misfortunes, his misery, in so moving a manner that the baron, with tears in his eyes and his voice choked with sobs, calls to his servant:

Yourselt. Depend on yourself. A knowledge of how to swim is better than to expect somebody will be at hand to throw you a life preserver in case of accident.

Turner's Toast. Turner, the painter, was a ready wit. Once at a dinner of artists and literary men a minor poet, by way of being facetious, proposed as a toast "the health of the painters and glaziers of Great Britain."

The laugh was turned against the poet. "The laugh was turned against the poet," said the poet.

Unpleasant. A Marysville school-teacher was teaching her class the mysteries of grammar.

The Other Way. Teacher—I would like some one in this class to define the meaning of vice.

Three Hard Words. There are three short and simple words, the hardest to pronounce in any language (and I suspect they were no easier before the confusion of tongues), but which no man or nation that cannot utter can claim to have arrived at manhood.

The Fly in the Ointment. Probably the worst thing about marrying a widow is the fact that some where in her cupboard and boxes she keeps her widow's veil to be in readiness in case she needs it a second time.

All Doubts Removed. She—And you will always love me, even when I am old and ugly? He—But you never can grow any older or any uglier in my eyes, darling.

A Paradox. "I would rather be right than be president," said the statesman.

Strong. Wife—Are you sure you caught this fish? Mr. Gayfello—Of course. Wife—It smells very strong. Mr. Gayfello—Strong? I should say it was. It nearly pulled me overboard.

Excites His Admiration. "You admire your grandfather very much, don't you, my little man?" "Yes," answered the youth.

Greatly Overestimated. Hewitt—Half the world doesn't know how the other half lives. Jewett—I think you overestimate the number of people who mind their own business.

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An Unusual Race. An unusual race was advertised to be run at Ripon, in Yorkshire, in 1725: "The Lady's Plate, of £15 value, by any horse that was no more than five years old the last grass. Women to be the riders. Each to pay a guinea entrance. Three heats and twice round the common for a heat."

The hardest thing to find is a honest-partner for a swindle. A Neighbor's Grief. Mr. Stutton—They tell me Neighbor Harris' cat is dead.

The faults of the superior man are like the eclipses of the sun and moon. He has his faults, and all men see them; he changes again, and all men look up to him.—Confucius.

The Koreans as a people are better developed physically than the Japanese. They are taller and mentally are liberally endowed.

The first straw paper made in this country was manufactured in 1828.

FOR SALE. THIRTY ACRES OF LAND lying immediately in front of the Episcopal Theological Seminary. For terms apply at this office.

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