

HUMOROUS.

A Louisville man allowed his wife to stand for a week for pin-money, with the understanding that she should forfeit ten cents for each absent button and the same amount for each cup of poor coffee. She found herself in debt to him before the end of the first week.

A Florida alderman sold his vote for an arcade chain and a circus ticket, and his friends are naturally ashamed and indignant. They know that he might have obtained a jack-knife in addition by simply asking for it.

At a small town on the Louisville & Nashville railroad, the other day, four able-bodied white men were seen in a field playing croquet. It was the sublimest spectacle that an impoverished country ever beheld.—[Louisville Courier Journal.

Working of the optional system at Dartmouth, Calculus and Greek are optional during a part of the course. The following extract from a first recitation of a certain class in Calculus is instanced: Professor—R., what is the object of studying Calculus? R.—To get rid of Greek, sir.—[Dartmouth Anvil.

A Western engineer has invented a hot water pump with which to squirt hot water on deaf persons who walk on the truck. This another source of interesting items is ruthlessly cut off by the inventive genius of the country.

The Louisville Courier-Journal, in speaking of Capt. Jack says: "His ideas in regard to back pay are uncertain, but he has a way of going for an adversary's back hair which is unpleasant, to say the least of it."

An amateur snake-fancier, whose neighbors complain of him for keeping his snakes on the roof of his house, defends himself by saying that he supposes he can put any sort of tiles he pleases on his roof, and that he prefers reptiles.

A lady recently applied to the office of a life insurance company for a situation as agent. When asked what her qualifications were, she answered that she had had considerable experience in soliciting contributions from tradesmen for fancy fairs. She was engaged.

In an English church, recently, after the publication of the bands of marriage by the minister, a grave elder, in a stentorian voice, forbade the bands to be taken by a certain couple. On being called upon for an explanation, "I had," he said, pointing to the intended bride—"I had intended Hannah for myself." His reason was not considered sufficient.

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