

CARL DUNDER.

Some Good Jokes on Several People.

"What's the matter with you?" asked Sergeant Bendall, as Carl Dunder entered the Woodbridge Street Station with a grin on his face.

"Maybe I vhas green like some grass, eh?" chuckled the old man in reply.

"I have often said so."

"Und I doan' come in der house when he rains, maybe?"

"Well, what is it?"

"I beat a schwindler py his own game—ha! ha! ha!"

"It isn't possible?"

"Yes, she vhas, Sergeant. You vhas always down on me. You pelief I vhas an idiot. You speak dot I ought to haf some guardians oaf me, und you make me feel bad. However, I show you dot I vhas no childrens. I goes down py der Third street depot yesterday to wait for dot Toledo train, und pooty soon a stranger comes oop to me und says:

"Hello! Smith, how you vhas?"

"I vhas all right."

"How vhas farming this year?"

"Werry good."

"Vhas your wheat and hogs and turpicks all right?"

"She vhas."

"How vhas all der folks in Podunk?"

"All well."

"Dot vhas good. Say, Smith, I like to use \$10 right away. Here vhas a \$20 check on der bank oop town. Gif me der \$10 and take der check und I meet you at der bank in an hour."

"And you gave him the money?"

"Yes."

"And took the check?"

"Of course."

"And I'll bet ten to one the check is worthless."

"Vhell, dot's vhat der cashier said."

"Well, you are an idiot!"

"Say, Sergeant, doan' you see some shokes in dot?"

"No, I don't."

"Vhell, you must be idiots, too. Dot man dakes me for a farmer named Smith, und I vhas Carl Dunder all der while—ha! ha! ha! Now you see der point."

"Yes, but you are \$10 out."

"So I vhas—so I vhas. I doan' see dot before."

"Any one else take you for Smith?"

"Vhell, not exactly, but I vhas oop too some snuff mit a packleg who vhas to beat me."

"I'll bet he got the best of you."

"I bet you \$10,000,000 he doan'! He comes in my place to get a \$5 bill shanged. I vhas on to him shust so queek ash dot. I know he likes to him-flam me, und I keeps my eye open."

"Can you shange me \$5, Mr. Dunder?"

"Mit pleasure."

"I count him out \$2 in bills und \$3 in silver, und \$1 vhas counterfeit—ha! ha! ha!"

"Well?"

"Vhell, he likes two hafs for one, und I gif him one half mit a hole in him—ha! ha! ha!"

"I vhas pooty much obliged, Mr. Dunder. He vhas a hot day?"

"So he vhas. So long."

"Und he goes avhay shust like a lamb. Doan' I beat him?"

"Got the bill with you?"

"Yes, I bring him along to ask you sometings. Who puts dot man's name on him?"

"Where—there? That's no name."

"I read him dot he vhas C. O. Unterfeut. I guess he vhas Sherman."

"That reads, 'counterfeit.'"

"She does?"

"Of course it does, and you are beaten, just as I expected. Mr. Dunder, it—"

"Sergeant, it vhas all right—all right. Doan' speak py me one word. To-morrow I goes py der lunatic asylum und knocks on der door."

"Who vhas dot?"

"Carl Dunder."

"Vhas you want?"

"I likes to come in und shtop two hoomed years."

"All right—you vhas in."

"Good-pye, Sergeant. Shust keep quiet und doan' speak. I vhas going—I vhas gone!"—*Detroit Free Press.*

Mere Sympathy.

Augustus (after the ordeal)—Now that we are engaged, I want to ask you a question. Why did you rush out of the room when I began to propose?

Alvira—It it made me feel sorry for the two girls down in the kitchen, whose lovers are too bashful and too awkward to propose; so I hurried down and invited the two couples up in the back parlor where the men could hear how the thing is done.

"Eh? Then they must have heard every word."

"That doesn't matter, dear. There is no danger of any breach of promise suit between us, you know"—*New York Weekly.*

No Water In His.

"My friend, why do you shun water as a beverage?" said a temperance apostle to an inebriate.

"Because 'taint healthy. Water killed my brother Bill. He jumped into a well, when he had delirium trimins, and was drowned."—*Texas Siftings.*

A Great Man.

"Smith is every inch a man."

"Ah, then, there must be seventy-four of him!"

"How's that?"

"He's six feet two in his stockings."

"Ha, ha! Very good! A kind of a host in himself!"

SPORTING says a man's life is slower than his occupation, because, though he may lead a life, he always follows an occupation.

A Long-Felt Want Supplied.

Miss Antique (ancient maiden with modern ideas)—We had such a glorious meeting this afternoon, to organize the Anti-Male Social Club. In response to my call over fifty beautiful and charming young ladies presented themselves, and all were enthusiastic over my plan to escape from the thralldom of man. The first entertainment is to be given next Monday night, and not a man is to be allowed to enter. I am to deliver an address, Miss High-note is to sing, the Misses Ivory are to play, Miss Totter is to give recitations, the members of the art club are to bring specimens of their work, and we are to have a perfectly delightful time. Can't you come?

Friend—I have an engagement for Monday evening.

Same friend (the following Tuesday)—Well, I suppose there was a noble feast of reason and flow of soul at the Anti-Male Club last night.

Miss Antique—Um—er—the fact is, at the last moment, I received an invitation from Mr. Oldtime to go to the theater.

"How did the club get along without you, its organizer, I wonder?"

"I—I heard this morning from the janitor of the hall that there wasn't anybody there."—*New York Weekly.*

Though Shaken Like a Leaf

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A Senator's Dinner.

Did you ever note the character of orders which men who have been accustomed to good eating all their lives give? If not, and you have the opportunity, it might be entertaining for you to do so. I believe that the Senator who has eaten more good dinners in the last sixteen years than any of his colleagues is Mr. Jones, of Nevada. Mr. Jones is a bon vivant. While a man of great intellectuality, he does not despise the good things of this life, and is an acknowledged connoisseur in all that relates to the table. I saw him dining at Chamberlain's the other evening, and I was struck with the simplicity and yet at the same time the good judgment which he displayed. As near as I can remember, his menu was creme of asparagus soup, broiled shad, spring chicken fried Maryland style, a lettuce and tomato salad and coffee. Was not that a dinner fit for any man to enjoy? If poor, dear Uncle Sam Ward heard that order he turned over in his grave and was content.—*Washington Post.*

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His Lawyer Spoiled It.

"Prisoner, I sentence you to ten years."

"But, your Honor, I had a tangible defense."

"Your lawyer spoiled your case. What did you employ such a donkey for?"

"Why, sir, I heard he had the ear of the court."—*Chicago Ledger.*

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KING JOHN of England was forced to grant the Magna Charta June 15, 1215, when the great seal was affixed thereto at Runnymede, a meadow between Staines and Windsor. The original Magna Charter is preserved in the British Museum.

Forced to Leave Home.

Over sixty people were forced to leave their homes yesterday to call for a free trial package of Lane's Family Medicine. It your blood is bad, your liver and kidneys out of order, if you are constipated and have headache and an uneasy complexion don't fail to call on any druggist to-day for a free sample of this grand remedy. The ladies praise it. Every one likes it. Large size package, 50 cents.

National Educational Association.

The annual meeting of the National Educational Association meeting will be held at Nashville, July 16 to 19. Go via the Evansville route. It is fifty miles the shortest, eight hours the quickest, and it is the only line running through cars between Chicago and Nashville.

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How Roses Bloom.

Hybrid perpetual roses bloom mostly upon shoots that grow from the old wood; that is, canes of one or more year's growth. The best blooms are found upon the canes which start from near the root the previous season; therefore, it is best every spring to cut out all canes which have bloomed one season. As you value good roses and a quantity of them do not fail to do this. To increase the quantity and richness of bloom with hybrid perpetuals practice what is called "pegging down." This is to send all the canes that have been left after pruning nearly to the ground. The outermost ones may be within six inches of the surface and the others a little higher. This horizontal position of the canes somewhat retards the flow of the sap as it returns to the roots, and more of it is used in forming buds and flowers. If you prefer to grow your roses upright do not fail to cut back the canes about one-half. If you wish to have seed for new varieties, it is well not to have the soil too rich, else, according to my experience, you will get fewer seeds and not the best roses. All the roses should be where they will have plenty of sunlight, and yet be protected from high winds.

A Michigan Central Railroad Employee Wins His Case After a Seven Years' Contest.

ALBION, Mich., Dec. 20, 1887.

While employed as agent of the Michigan Central Railroad Company at Augusta, Mich., about seven years ago, my kidneys became diseased, and I have been a great sufferer ever since. Have consulted the leading physicians of this city and Ann Arbor, and all pronounced my case Bright's disease. After taking every highly recommended remedy that I had knowledge of, to no purpose, and while suffering under a very severe attack in October last, I began taking Hibbard's Rheumatic Syrup, and am to-day a well man. It will afford me pleasure to render you and suffering humanity any good that I can, and in speaking of your remedy allow me to say that I think it the greatest medicine in the world.

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Didn't Hit Him.

"Legislature went back on you colored folks pretty strong, didn't it?" laughed a butcher to one of the white-washers at the market yesterday.

"How was dat, boss?"

"Passed a law to hang any one who lifts a chicken."

"Hu! Dat doan' worry me."

"But you—"

"No sah! Not much! See whar I lost de eands of two fingers in a chicken trap sixteen y'ars ago? No use passin' any laws in hopes to catch my ole neck in a hoose. I sticks right by bacon an' codfish, sah."—*Detroit Free Press.*

Why Don't You Go to Florence, Ala.?

It is foremost amongst the manufacturing cities of the new South, is located in Lauderdale County, on the great line of the great iron and coal belt, has exceptional facilities for water and steam power, and extends a hearty welcome to all intending settlers. Two hundred and fifty new buildings now in course of erection shows the effect of Northern enterprise. In conclusion, the soil of Lauderdale County is famed for abundant yield of wheat, tobacco, and fruits of all varieties. Send to E. O. McCormick, G. P. A., Monroeville, Ala., for excursion rates and descriptive pamphlets.

The Man He Was Looking For.

Angry Citizen (rushing in on Texas editor, who is also coroner, to horse-whip him)—You scoundrel! (starts back as he looks into the barrel of a revolver) I—I was looking—

Editor (smiling dangerously)—Who did you say you were lookin' for?

"I was lookin' fur—fur the mayor."

"Guess you're lookin' for the coroner, ain't ye?"

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Thankful for Small Mercies.

A little boy one day inadvertently swallowed a sixpence. Amidst the general hubbub his mother's voice was heard to exclaim devoutly: "Thank heaven!"

"Thank heaven," retorted his father, "what for?"

"Oh, it might have been worse. It might have been six-pennorth of coppers."—*London Pick Me Up.*

Answered His Own Question.

A laughable illustration of how anger causes a man to make himself ridiculous is given in the following incident from a German newspaper:

Banker Rosenthal directed his book-keeper to address a sharp letter to Baron Y., who had promised several times to pay what he owed, and had as often neglected to do so.

When the letter was written it did not please Banker Rosenthal, who is very excitable, and he angrily penned the following:

"DEAR BARON Y.—Who was it that promised to pay up on January 1? You, my dear baron, you are the man. Who was it that promised then to settle on March 1? You my dear baron. Who is it, then, who has broken his word twice, and is an unmitigated scoundrel? Your obedient servant.

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—*New York Graphic.*

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