

A Pardon

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"You, boy! Come out of that and help bring on the wood." So called the mate of a steamboat on the Mississippi to a pale faced boy lying in his bunk. It was at night, and the weather was stormy...

Four and Its Multiple of Ten.

The number four was anciently considered the most perfect of all, being the arithmetical mean between one and seven. Omitting the second and adding the fourth, the sum is ten...

How Roberts Won the Victoria Cross.

Roberts had been a soldier since he was a boy. He was a great fighter and a great leader. He had won many honors and was now a general...

The Cows of Muscat.

Muscat is famed as the fattest of fatter, and the most regular of regulars, supplied with grain despite the efforts of the British garrison. But to the writer, reared on a Missouri farm, the qualities of the cows of Muscat seemed nothing short of freakish...

A Surprised Lion.

The lion eating lions did not always get their own way. Five Sikh carpenters made a staging eight feet high and on this they fixed their sleeping tent. Each night they ascended by means of a ladder, which they drew up after them...

A Test of Friendship.

A gentleman tried the following peculiar way of probing the ties of friendship. He sent letters to twenty-four intimate friends asking for a loan of a pound. Thirteen of the two dozen friends did not reply at all...

A Pointer.

The girl—you're not a bit like a lover. You never say pretty things. The man—Didn't I say that you looked like a beautiful autumn leaf? The girl—Well, don't autumn leaves want pressing?—Illustrated Bits

His Bad Break.

"How did you enjoy the music?" "Oh, I applauded at the wrong time as usual! Though the orchestra tuning up was a classical number!"—Kansas City Journal.

Thoughts.

Thoughts are much greater than things. They are vital forces and have endless effects. What you think today determines what you will be in year to come.

Easily Granted.

Tommy—Ma, can I have two pieces of pie this noon? Ma—Certainly, Tom. Out the piece you have in two.

A WINTER ROMANCE

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Jed Smith was a farmer's son twenty years old. He was educated, uneducated and awkward. He had romance in his soul. He fell in love with the new schoolmarm...

The Victorious One.

An Indiana business man was married a second time in 1904 in an Illinois village. He was a Saturday evening man. He was naturally in the mood of the victor...

He "Dassent."

The schoolmarm of the night word is sometimes more important than the rules of grammar. She thought she recognized the figure, and there was a something about the terrible voice that sounded familiar...

Riding Away With the Bride.

In many of the border counties of England the quaint old bridal customs of hundreds of years ago are still in vogue. The parents carefully abstain from appearing at the marriage ceremony...

Wanted the Prof.

"You look sweet enough to kiss," says the impressed man. "So many gentlemen tell me that," coyly answers the fair girl. "Ah! It should make you happy."

He Got It.

Era—As we strolled along he wagged a box of chocolates that I couldn't say the word "kiss." Belinda—And did you try? Era—Yes, but he took the word from my very lips.

A Big Shadow.

We are told that the "smallest hair throws a shadow." And so it does. It throws a shadow over your appetite when you find it in your food.

Baker Theater.

For his farewell week in Rochester commencing with the matinee Monday and continuing for the week, Mr. Lytell has made a happy choice in selecting for presentation that most amusing comedy entitled "The Dictator" which was written for and originally produced by Willie Collier...

She Stopped Her Bath.

As a correspondent of the London Times was once traveling through Africa in a bullock wagon, the sun was blazing, the bullocks were withering, and the water-drawings were making for a frontier town...

The Governor's Reason.

One day a man was brought to the governor from the penitentiary as an applicant for pardon. He was a large, powerful fellow, and the moment the governor looked at him he started...

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Report of the condition of LINCOLN NATIONAL BANK OF ROCHESTER

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