

TO CAUSE LAUGHTER

IMPIOUS LEVITIES OF THE FUNNY MEN.

Wit, humor and satire, original and artistic—true sense of love and other things—an impudent thing—sense of prevention.



Set ablaze the fire of love
In her breast,
And kindled high
With words his heart confesed.

He swore his love
had known no
But another fellow.
Until he saw her

face: "Was like the breaking of a dawn—
of grace."

And thus the fires were kept alight—
With fuel still supplied.

But Death made him its shining mark.
Ere she became a bride.

What of the love then? what was it?
They were kept burning as before.
But by another fellow.

Med to keep quiet.

It was Mr. Kelly who walked into
the sick room of Mickey Leland
last evening, and his eyes closed
and heard Fat exclaim:

"Mickey, it'll ye be lookin' Fawt
again?"

"Do ye know that spalven W.H.
O'Bryan's second husband?" asked
Mickey.

"That I do."

"I do for ye."

"Then fwaits allie?"

"It's down there," laying his hand
on his heart, "I'll break the shell
and cut me sunnyside out of the shell. I
make quiet the thig'll hatch out ad
I'll have a new born baby clawn in
me—inside—Monster Star."

SILENT IDENTITY.

Miss Ethel Coopinger and her
Major Jones, who used to live in Al-

lanta, How time flies! Didn't you
remember that Major Jones was here?

We used to play together in our back
yard.

Major Jones—"That was my father."

"Why, major, that's impossible!"

"I guess you're right. It must have
been my grandfather."

An Ounce of Prevention.

Mr. Kildare—"Hum, here's
a telegram from Morely!"

"It's about the same up there."
Don't bring it in here! The Morely children
have all got the scarlet fever—New
York World.

"Will for the sacrifice.

"I am sorry to say, Walter," said
Mrs. Kildare, "that your son's thumb will have to come off."

"My hand won't be much use," said
Walter, "but I'll be a good boy."

"You will have your four fingers left,
but you will not be able to grasp any-
thing."

"I can't weed the garden for
you, even if I could."

"I am a good boy."

"Cut for, doc?"—Ex.

An Unkind Remark.

Mr. Kildare—"Hill—allow me to con-

gratulate you on your marriage. Your wife is certainly a most charming lady."

Mr. Hill—"I am very happy as I am as
she is lovely. And she is so considerate! She's willing to put up with almost anything."

Mr. Kildare—"I know that when I heard that she had married you—

"Texas Ruttles—"

"I am a good boy."

"Cut for, doc?"—Ex.

He Discriminated.

Alphonso Deane—"Say, old man, I need
no body."

"Wither Tymes—handing him bill!"

Here comes the bill. Tymes—Well, but you've only
given me a bill."

"Cut for, doc?"—Ex.

A Household Treasure.

D. W. Fuller of Canajoharie, N. Y., says
that he always keeps Dr. King's
pill box in his pocket for cure-

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cough, rattler, cracked hands, shingles,

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ALPHONSO PARTHINE, Commissioner,
May 20, 1902.

COUNTY LINE CLIPPINGS.

Will Lederlich reports a son. Being the first
of the numerous sons of his wife, he has
come to Evansville to visit.

Mr. Shabot died Wednesday, June 4, after
a short but severe illness. Deceased was an
old and highly esteemed citizen of the city.

Leaves a wife and two sons.

Mr. McLowell of Hartford, visited our
established agent, Dr. Hill, at Warren last
week.

Mr. Hoad is attending court as a juror at
Mt. Clemens.

A. M. Lloyd, friend of Hill—visiting us.

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SEVEN MEN OF MARK.

The Chinese emperors ride at 4 over

morning and studies Bridge and

Chu until it's time to go.

The greatest speaker in the

land is to go to New York.

Wither Tymes—Well, but you've only
given me a bill."

"Cut for, doc?"—Ex.

Second Night.

Mrs. Noshape—There, you carolers
creatures, you have dropped that beau-
tiful statue of Venus and broken it to
pieces.

Bridget—Well, m'm, you ought to be
ashamed of yourself. You know very
well what you did to it.

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A Mystery Explained.

Mr. Newyorth—What makes you
say it's a mystery this evening?

Wither Tymes—Well, I don't know
how you used to hold my hand by the
hour before we were married. How
about you?

Mr. N.—Stupid! Not much. I held your
dear little white paw to keep you
from pounding the piano.

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