

Just For Fun.

When a couple of women are trying to say
"Good-by" to each other, ah me!
It's as good as a certain Shakespearean play—
"Much Adieu About Nothing," you see.

Wife—I'm going to run across the street
just a minute to bid Mrs. Jones good-by.
Husband—Well, you'll have to hurry;
the train leaves in three hours.

Cumson—One thing may be said in favor
of the English generals in South Africa.
Cawker—What is that?
Cumson—They haven't begun to write for
the magazines.

"Bill," sang out the Kansas farmer to his
hired man, "have you fed the bull dog yet?"
"No, I haven't. I was just getting ready to."
"Well, you needn't feed him now.
Uncle Sam him and bring him up here. I see
a lightning-rod agent coming down the road."

"Did you ever laugh until you cried,
Tommy?"

"Yes, until this morning."
"What at?"
"Well, pa stepped on a tack and I
laughed; then pa caught me laughing, and
I cried."

Indignant Patron—You advertise to cure
consumption, don't you?

Dr. Quack—Yes, sir. I never fail when
my instructions are followed.

Indignant Patron—My son took your medicine
for a year, and then died.

Dr. Quack—My instructions were not fol-
lowed. I told him to take it for two years.

A city man was being driven rapidly down
the crowded street, when his horses became
frightened and dashed off at a lively gait.
The business man leaned forward and called
to his coachman:

"Can you stop 'em?"

"No," shouted the other.

"See that you run 'em into something
cheap, then," ordered his employer.

"What is a furrier, Tommy?" asked the
teacher of a pupil in a juvenile class.

"A man who deals in furs," answered
Tommy.

"That's right," said the teacher.

"Now, Tommy, you may tell me what a
currier is."

"A man who deals in cures," was the un-
expected but logical reply.—Chicago News.

"James," whispered the good woman,
"there's a burglar in the parlor. He stum-
bled against the piano in the dark. I heard
several of the keys struck."

"All right!" said James, "I'll go down."

"Oh, James, you're not going to do any-
thing rash?"

"Certainly not. I'm going to help him.
You don't suppose he can get that piano out
of the house without assistance, do you?"

"I understand," remarked the polite re-
porter to the manager of a railway noted for
the unpunctuality of its trains, "that there
was an accident on your railway last night."

"Oh, do you?" was the sarcastic reply.

"Yes, sir." "Do you know anything about
it?" "Only that it happened to the train
which was due here at 8.15."

"That train
came in to the minute sir," said the manager,
firmly. "Are you sure of that?" "Of
course I am." "Thanks. That must have
been the accident referred to," and the
reported dodged out safely.

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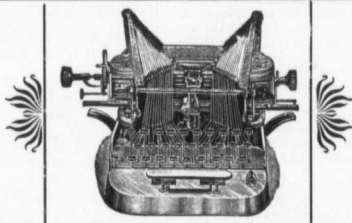
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