



THE LAKE DISTRICT OF ENGLAND.—"Conistone Water" and "Conistone Old Man," height 2,633 feet. Photo. by G. P. Abraham, Keswick.

The Old Fogey.

"Inert, Irresolute, his neck he cranes
Into the future, grumbles and complains;
Extols his own young years, with peevish
praise,
But rates and censures these degenerate days.
—Conington.

Saw Humor In It.

Ever: a sense of humor may exist in
excess. There is the case of a British
soldier who was sentenced to be flogged.
During the flogging he laughed continu-
ously. The harder the lash was laid on the
harder the soldier laughed. "Wot's so
funny about bein' flogged?" demand-
ed the sergeant. "Why," the soldier
chuckled "I'm the wrong man!"

One Dependent Sure.

When a young man flippantly remarks
that no one is dependent upon him he
overlooks the fact that, married or single,

some day an *old man* will be dependent
upon him. When that time comes, life
assurance is about the only certain asset
that he can possess. Ninety-five out of
every hundred are poor in old age. That's
the time when the life assurance policy
comes in pretty handy.—Insurance Ad-
vocate.

Too Late!

A Georgia negro boy was leading a
newly-acquired mule down to the river.
In order to have his hands free he tied
the halter rope round his waist. When
the boy became conscious, and had his
face sewed up, his first words were:
"Mammy, jes' de fus' move dat ole
mule made I know'd I'd made a mis-
take."

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"Prosperous and Progressive."