

Fun and Fancy.

A SLANDER FROM TORONTO. Only an acre of leather. They plod through all manners of weather...

'Ever had a cyclone here?' asked a Kansas man who was visiting a country...

'Pa, I want to go whaling.' 'All right my son. And in a few minutes he was busy in the woodshed with lots of blubber.

A young lady was sitting with a gallant Captain in a charmingly decorated room. On her knee was a diminutive niece, placed there pour les convenances.

GOVERNOR COLQUITT'S HARD LUCK.—Speaking about slander, I heard the other day that Governor Colquitt stopped over at Raleigh to see Governor Jarvis...

THE DUNKERS.

The Diction of a Peculiar People.

While we were passing out to Waynesboro we could see the Dunkers going to church in every direction. Off to the left at the edge of a woods was a small church with many gravestones around it.

The railroad underneath us running through the Antietam Valley was speeding toward Mount Alto. We came to a small school house, a pretty hard case. Sometimes at the Dunker love-feasts you can see the worst fighters in the children of the Dunkers, who are eating Passover supper.

Thus talking we began to descend a beautiful piece of road, shaded by great oak trees and hickory trees, with a hill on the right, while directly underneath us could be seen another road coming through a valley, the two apparently to meet close by.

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In the Arms of a Single Sensation.

The average kisser of the female profligate may not know exactly what she is getting, and may consider the kiss merely a superficial smuck, which may be scraped off with a chip, or be wiped off on her sleeve...

A Terrible Rebuke.

An old man whom age had made helpless and decrepit was obliged to depend entirely for his subsistence and care upon his only family. While taking his food his hand trembled so that he often spilled it upon the table-cloth...

'What in the world are you doing there, my son?' 'Why, mother, said the little boy, 'I'm making it for you and father to eat out of when I'm a man!'

It was a lesson in time to the father and mother, and grandfather after this had a place at the table, and was treated as one of the family, and not like a worn-out brute.

Why Mr. Lex Will Get Left.

Mr. Lex, a candidate for the general court, spoke at an agricultural fair the other day, but he did the business for himself. The farmers to a man swear they won't vote for him, and they have a reason for keeping their word.

A Nautical Fraud.

The Gulf streams exists very largely in school geographies. It is my candid belief that not one captain in a thousand can tell when he is in it without consulting his charts. All the wonderful things that we learn about in school, simmer down to a little when we actually see them.

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