

Out This Week: **CARTOON** NUMBER.
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(Being one-third of a subscription to 'World Wide' to January, 1903. See foot note.)

AGENTS

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AGENTS WANTED in every county throughout Canada and elsewhere. Agents get 60 percent profits in cash, and may earn really valuable prizes, such as organs, bicycles, gold watches and libraries, aggregating hundreds of dollars.

Anyone—even boys and girls after school hours, could sell twelve copies of the Magazine of 'World Wide' Cartoons in a single hour.

12 copies sold at 10c each.....\$1.20
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To the agent who sells the first three dozen in his or her county will be given over and above the profit of \$2.10 in cash, one of our splendid FOUNTAIN PENS or a watch, or books of the value of \$1.50 to \$2.00.

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Besides the rewards just mentioned, really fine bicycles, organs gold watches, or books of equal value will be awarded to those sending in the largest lists.

- One such prize for village competitors
- One such prize for town competitors.
- One such prize for city competitors.

It will be seen at a glance that these prizes will be worth working for—and they will be carefully selected and of really good value.

The edition is now on the press and orders will be filled in rotation as received.

It will be quite safe for anyone to send for three dozen, enclosing therefor \$1.50, which, as shown above, will yield a profit of \$2.10 besides the chance of the county and general prizes.

ORDER FORM.

For the convenience of agents, the following form may be used.

.....1904
 JOHN DOUGALL & SON, }
 Publishers, Montreal:

Please send me three dozen of your ten cent Magazine of 'World Wide' Cartoons, for which I enclose post-office order for \$1.50, in full payment, and which I will sell at ten cents a copy; the entire proceeds to belong to me.

NAME.....

ADDRESS.....

OR THIS FORM

May be used for those who fear that they might not know how to go to work to sell three dozen, and yet would like to try it.

.....1904
 JOHN DOUGALL & SON, }
 Publishers, Montreal:

Please send me six copies of your ten cent Magazine of 'World Wide' Cartoons, which I agree to sell as soon as possible after they arrive, at ten cents a copy, and to send you twenty-five cents in stamps as soon as I collect that amount.

NAME.....

ADDRESS.....

This small lot will ensure the agent 34 cents profit, but it will mean delay in getting further supplies. Those who send for three dozen at once obviously have the best chance of winning the prizes.

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 Is exceedingly funny. A splendid hit.
 A Most Laughable and Effective Review of the Year.



The Paris news stands and agents report that a similar collection of 1903 cartoons enjoyed a larger sale than any other publication in the French capital.

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NOTE—This Magazine of Cartoons while complete in itself, is an annual feature of a 20 page weekly paper called 'World Wide,' issued at one dollar a year, and which contains besides the best Cartoons, the best articles that appear in the best British and American publications. This publication is in its fourth year and is endorsed by eminent men and women. Free Sample Copy will be supplied with every copy of Cartoon Magazine.

President Trotter writes—I look eagerly for your weekly collection of good things, and recommend the paper warmly to my friends.

Dr. S. E. Dawson writes—I take a good many papers, but 'World Wide' is the only one which I read without skipping.

Prof. Rhodes writes—'World Wide' is a delight to me. Read every word.

Sir Algernon Coote, Bart., writes—I am delighted with 'World Wide.' The publication is superior to any of a similar kind that I have seen on either side of the Atlantic.

'World Wide' appeals to thinking people of all sorts and conditions. It is unbiased, giving both sides of the most interesting subjects. Its only mission is to select the best things that appear week by week in the best British and American publications, and pass them on to a wider circle of readers than would otherwise enjoy them.

Is your county being canvassed for the above?
 Note the cash premiums and valuable prizes.

The Ship-boy's Grace.

Mr. Frank T. Bullen relates a story full of simple pathos in 'A Royal Birthday.'

He is describing the Christmas dinner on board ship—'Immense joints of roast beef, kids full of steaming potatoes, masses of that sailors' delight—boiled cabbage—and last, but certainly not least, two gigantic plum puddings.

'But just as they were about to commence their banquet, the boy who had been exceedingly busy bringing in the bounteous supply of food, said tremblingly, yet firmly, and to the astonishment of many of them: "If you please, may I say grace?"

'For a few moments there was utter si-

lence, broken at last by a grizzled old Scotchman, who said: "Why, certainly, boy; go ahead." Several heads were bowed; some of the men played nervously with the handles of their sheath knives, bashfully, like men in the presence of a totally new order of things. But the boy, with strongly beating heart and heightened color, tightly closed eyes and faltering voice, said: "O Lord, bless this grub; bless the skipper for thinking of us; make us very thankful, and make us remember that this is Christ's birthday. We 'aven't thought much about him—least I 'aven't, Lord—but to-day millions of people all over the world are remembering it, and we won't forget it. Bless us all for his

sake." And there was a muttered "Amen."

'That simple grace altered the whole course of events aboard the "Peter Graham." Not a man among them but was uplifted in heart and mind by the testimony of this humble little ship-boy.'—'Temperance Record.'

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