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Names in Electricity.

Electricity is the one branch of science that honors the great names in its fundamental terminology. Andre Marie Ampere was the French physicist who first measured the current and for whom the unit is named. The ohm bears the name of George S. Ohm, a German man of science who discovered the law on which the unit of electrical resistance is based. The volt is named for the Italian Volta, the greatest electrical authority of the eighteenth century, who was the first man to construct a rude electric battery. The farad, the unit of electrical capacity, is named in honor of the English physicist Faraday; the coulomb, the unit of quantity, for the French physicist Coulomb, and the watt, the unit of power, for James Watt, the Scotch inventor who improved the steam engine.

Herbert Spencer Was Human.

Herbert Spencer in the attitude of superintending his household affairs was practical and amusing. At one time the postman had not been giving satisfaction, so Mr. Spencer called his housekeeper and gave her directions to transfer his custom to another tradesman whose shop faced the delinquent's. "And, Miss Smith," said the author of "Synthetic Philosophy," "be particular that the first postman sees you giving your orders to the second postman."

Always Lucky.

McConnell—Sure, isn't Larry always the lucky boy? Murphy—Lucky, do you call him, when it was only yesterday that he fell breaking his leg on his arm? McConnell—Faith, an' wasn't he lucky on that occasion, wid th' accident takin' place within twenty feet of th' hospital?—Chicago News.

On the Other Hand.

"On the one hand," said the teacher, pointing a long finger to the map on the classroom wall, "we have the far stretching country of Russia. On the other hand—what do I see on the other hand, Tommy?" "Wars," bawarded Tommy, hopeless with fright.

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Discretion.

Wife (whose husband, the local mayor, has just been knighted)—Have you heard from the man who offered to trace our pedigree? Husband—Yes; he has found out more than enough. Wife—What did you pay him? Husband—Fifty pounds—to hold his tongue!—London Opinion.

The Desideratum.

"George, what do you have to do when you draw some money out of a bank?" asked an innocent young wife. "You have to put some money in the bank beforehand," replied the husband. "That's always been my experience!"

A Friendly Tip.

"My husband always is the severest critic of the gowns I wear."

Prejudice, which sees what it pleases, cannot see what is plain.—Aubrey de Vere.

F. S. Rexford, 615 New York Life Bldg., Kansas City, Mo., says: "I had a severe attack of cold which settled in my back and kidneys and I was in great pain from my trouble. A friend recommended Foley's Kidney Pills and I used two bottles of them and they have done me a world of good." W. E. Brown & Co.

The Dignity of the Office.

An Indian judge when first appointed to his position was not well acquainted with Hindustani, says the Bombay Gazette. He was trying a case in which a Hindu was charged with stealing a "nilghai." The judge did not like to betray his ignorance of what a nilghai was, so he said: "Produce the stolen property."

A Peek Into His Pocket

would show the box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve that E. S. Loper, a carpenter, of Marilla, N. Y., always carries. "I have never had a cut, wound, bruise, or sore it would not soon heal," he writes. Greatest healer of burns, boils, scalds, chapped hands and lips, fever-sores, skin-eruptions, eczema, corns and piles. 25c at all druggists.

Shark Soup.

In Ceylon there is a considerable trade in the oil of the white shark. The fins of the animal are very rich in gelatin and are used largely by the Chinese for making soup, of which they declare that the turtle soup is prized by epicures in this country is but a distant and feeble imitation.

Wall Patched.

Johnny's mamma had put several patches on his trousers, and when the little fellow tried the trousers on he said gravely, "Mamma, if you had made the patches a little bigger I'd have had new pants."

Hard Luck.

She—Because I cannot marry you do not be disheartened. You must face the world bravely. He—It isn't a question of the world; I've got to face my creditors.

How Sheridan Paid a Debt.

No one knew better the power possessed by a really polished compliment than Sheridan, and on innumerable occasions during that rather stormy theatrical management of his did he exercise himself from a difficulty by means of one. A good instance is the following: An English nobleman who had married a beautiful actress once applied with much dignity in the greenroom to Mr. Sheridan for the arrears of her salary and vowed that he would not stir till they were paid.

"My dear lord," said the impetuous manager, "this is too bad. You have taken from us the brightest jewel in the world, and you now quarrel with us for the little dust she has left behind her."

Graveyard Marriages.

A strange custom prevails among a certain tribe in the Caucasus. When a single young man dies some one calls upon a betroved parent who has a daughter in the course of a year and says: "Your son is sure to want a wife. I'll give you my daughter, and you shall deliver to me the marriage portion in return." A friendly offer of this description is never rejected, and the two parties soon come to terms as to the amount of the dowry, which varies according to the advantages possessed by the girl in her lifetime. Cases have been known where the young man's father has given as much as thirty cows to secure a dead wife for his dead son.

Worked the Visitor.

"Speaking about visiting Englishmen," said a hotel manager recently who had been reading about one in the newspapers, "reminds me of one that came to the Palmer House in Chicago some years ago when I was room clerk out there. He and another had been paying a visit to the Rockies, and their last stopping place had been Cheryenne. Coming east they had fallen in with some Americans who made themselves agreeable, with this result: 'After they had put their names on the register one of the Englishmen leaned over the desk. 'I say,' he whispered, 'I am expecting President Cleveland's son to call this evening to return \$50 which I lent him on the train. Will you please put the money in the safe for me if I do not happen to be in?'"

Royal Perquisites.

The king has many privileges which he never exercises. He enjoys an immemorial right to all gold and silver mines, not only on his own land, but upon any of his subjects' lands within his dominions. So shareholders in Rand and Westralian mines would have to forego their dividends if the king felt avariciously disposed. The king is also entitled to a yearly tribute from his tailor, consisting of a pair of white doves, a pound of cummin seed, a pair of scarlet hose and a silver needle.

Schoolboy Blunders.

The University Correspondent recently offered a prize for schoolboy mistakes. Here are a few examples: "Mute, inglorious Milton"—these epithets are used by a writer who was envious of Milton's being poet orient. He finds "sermons in stones" expresses the same idea as Wordsworth's "the restless stone that all day long is heard." Calvin was a noted scientist and peer, who died lately. Naples is an independent state in the north of India. Shakespeare made a mistake in mentioning Galen, who did not live until a hundred years after his time. The feminine of fox is foxhen. John Burns was the name of one of the elements to the throne of Scotland in the reign of Edward I. The pyramids are a range of mountains between France and Spain. The three highest mountains in Scotland are Ben Nevis, Ben Lomond and Ben Jonson. Wolsey saved his life by dying on the way from York to London. When the English first landed in Australia the only four footed animal in the country was a rat. Monsoons are fertile gorges between the Himalayas.

When Bjornson Died.

Bjornson's son, in describing the last hours of his father, writes: "Now and then the bright flame of his humor flickered up. The doctor felt his pulse and said it was good. With his face beaming with humor he turned toward us and said, 'I am the first man to die with a good pulse.' He said one evening—and it seemed as if an old wise man was speaking with the weight of experience. 'Now I could write—yes, now I could write, for I have been in the realms of death and have felt the pain that attends death.' And when all of us thought that the indifference of death was upon him—my mother, who always gave him his food, which he would receive only from her, stood at the bedside with a brooch on her breast which she had worn at her confirmation—then he opened his eyes and looked at her. He smiled, lifted his hand and touched the brooch. This was the last sign to the outer world he was able to give."

When He Was Bad.

It has been said that you never know a man till you travel with him, and certainly traveling has a tendency to bring out all the depravity innate in human nature. Out of this test, however, Benjamin Disraeli emerged with flying colors. This is what was said of him by Mrs. Austen, who with her husband traveled with him when he was quite a young man, as related in Mr. Montgomerie's biography: "Your brother," she says (the letter was addressed to Disraeli's sister, "is so easily pleased, so accommodating, so amusing and so actively kind that I shall always reflect upon the domestic part of our journey with the greatest pleasure. Your brother has behaved excellently, except when there is a button, or, rather, buttons, to be put on his shirt; then he is violently bad, and this happens almost daily."

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Turn About. At a Christmas dinner in Washington a statesman who had been much in the public eye was called upon after the meal to make a little speech. He rose and began: "You have been giving your attention so far to a turkey stuffed with sage. You are now about to give your attention to a sage stuffed with turkey!"

Penalty of Laziness. Head of Department—What's this lying on my desk? The last dunning letter received from my tailor, duly mislaid by all my clerks. Oh, dear! What have I done? Actually sent it around to be duly noted by the whole staff without taking the trouble to look at it!—Fliegende Blatter.

A Wrong Impression. Fair Critic—Oh, Mr. Smear, those ostriches over there are simple perfect! You should never paint anything else but birds. Artist (sadly)—Those are not ostriches, madam. They are angels.—London Opinion.

Quite a Joker. Tall Sophomore—O'Fat is making all kinds of money writing jokes. Fat Junior—Writing jokes? Tall Sophomore—Yes. In his letters home he tells his father he leads his class.—Chicago News.

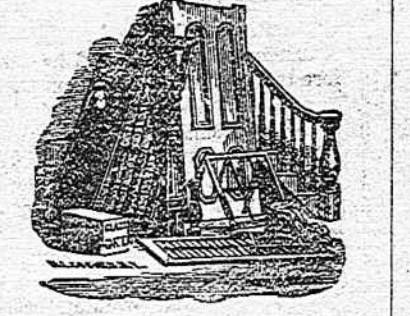
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