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Force of Storm Waves. The average storm wave is thirty feet in height. The highest storm waves ever measured were between forty-four and forty-eight feet high.

The Variable Female. Dora (at the party)—Geoffrey, you mustn't monopolize me, you know.

Insuperable. "You say you don't object to me on account of my age, Miss Geneva?" "No, I don't mind your age a bit, Mr. Ryan."

Insisting on Accuracy. "Did you arrest this man?" asked the police justice. "I did not, your honor," answered the officer, formerly a resident of Boston.

Mistaken Idea. Physician—My dear fellow, you should practice deep breathing. Caller—Great snakes, doctor, I do! I work in a coal mine.

What He Meant to Her. "Yes, I am going abroad." "And how are you going to arrange your itinerary?" "Oh, pompador. I think that will be most suitable for traveling."

Singular Effect. Rufon Wreath—I dreamt last night I was John D. Rockefeller. Saymond Storey—I told ye I could smell kerosene on that cheese you was eatin' yist'day.—Chicago Tribune.

His Great Hope. "I can't see anything of special interest in that manuscript of yours," said the publisher to the aspiring author.

Within His Reach. Ardley Keap—For two cents I'd write to my rich old uncle in London and strike him for a loan.

Uncle Allen. "When the office starts out to seek the man," said Uncle Allen Sparks, "the man generally meets it a little more than half way."

Higher Still. The Clerk (haughtily)—I bettered myself. The Prize Fighter (cheerfully)—I did more. I bested the other.—Baltimore American.

A Contented Mind. Mistress (fanning herself, to maid)—Oh, Emily, isn't it hot? They say it's 80 in the shade!

For Example. Lotson—Do you believe that "all an orator needs is a voice?" Slathers—Sure. But it's different with a baseball umpire. He doesn't need even a voice. All he needs is a husky roar.

The First of Its Kind. Philos (sagely shaking his head)—There is nothing new under the sun. Justdew (with timid reluctance)—Have you seen my baby?—Judge.

Omissions of History. William Henry Harrison had just won the battle of Tippecanoe. "Well," he exulted, "Indiana's safe, anyhow!"

Out of the Dim Past. Nabuchadnezzar was eating grass. "But I'm not selling '2e-rab'?" and pretending to like it," he said.

Poor Guessex. The eminent statesman summoned his private secretary. "This is the third letter I have had from Mannyburp," he said, "at the end of which he has marked 'Confidential.' B. T. L." "What does he mean by B. T. L.?" "Don't you know?" said the private secretary, lowering his voice. "He means 'Burn This Letter.'"

Headgates of Government Dam on Hermiston Ditch Opened.

Pendleton—Settlers in the Hermiston valley are rejoicing over the fact that water has been turned into the big government ditch which will feed the Cold Springs reservoir, the water to be stored for use during the summer of 1909.

The water is now running through the concrete section of the feed canal, recently rebuilt. The temporary dams, which have held back the seepage from the new concrete lining, have been removed, and within a few days the water will be pouring over the big inlet drop into the reservoir.

The fact that the government is able thus early to begin storing water in the big reservoir insures a full supply of water to the reservoir site, through the distribution system direct, through its engineers estimate that it will take 100 days' flow to fill the big reservoir, with the ditch carrying its full capacity.

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Work to Commence at Once on Big Klamath Undertaking.

Klamath Falls—M. D. Williams, county surveyor of Klamath county, has gone to Lakeview to take charge of the engineering work of the Valley Land company for its high irrigation and colonization project in Lake, Klamath and Harney counties.

The Valley Land company is the successor of the Oregon and California Land company. It has also acquired the De Wally reservoir site, owned by the Hewitt Land company.

The company controls over 300,000 acres that it proposes to irrigate, and to colonize under the contract and auction bid system, recently tried with great success in the San Luis valley in California.

R. J. Martin, president of the company, states that about 5,000 contracts have already been accepted and that the opening will be held in September of 1909.

Work will be begun immediately, as the undertaking is a large one, calling for several large dams for the storage of water and many miles of canal.

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"I think I'd like something to read on the train," said the austere spinster.

There being nothing else on the counter she bought it. But she tore off the conspicuous title of it before she carried it into the car.

Miffins (to Puffer)—She's a stunning woman, old man, and you're bound to be stuck on her. But don't mention laundry or anything like that! Her grandmother was a washwoman.

Puffer (later, to the lady in question, as he relates a story)—Yes, indeed! I can tell you, it took the starch—big pardon! the nerve—right out of me.—Life.

Galas Distinction in Queer Way. Newitt—His social position is considered a man of some distinction. Bunker—He's taking a queer way about it.

Recalled Them Distinctly. "What were your sensations when the automobile struck the tree and threw you out?" I presume, though, you didn't have time to think.

A New Name. "What do you call a man who drives an automobile?" "Well, judging by the way in which he takes possession of the road I should say an auto-crut."—Baltimore American.

Juvenile Ignorance. "You ought to know better, Johnny," said Mrs. Lapsling, reprovingly, "than ask me what the difference is between courage and bravery. They are perfectly synonymous terms and mean the same thing."—Chicago Tribune.

The Rich Turkish Beggar. Beggars are never suppressed in Turkey. The story is told (and they say it is true) about an American lady who by mistake gave a beggar of Constantinople a goldpiece. The man had left his post when she returned, but one of his colleagues told her where he "resided."

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