

SUPPOSE WE SMILE.

HUMOROUS PARAGRAPHS FROM THE COMIC PAPERS.

Pleasant Incidents Occurring the World Over—Sayings that are Cheerful to Old or Young—Funny Selections that Everybody Will Enjoy.

"My goodness!" exclaimed the ribbon-counter lady, "did you hear that awful noise? What was it?"

"Crash in the towel department, I believe," answered the floorwalking gentleman, with an open-faced grin.

A Growing List. "I can't save a cent."

"The necessities of life are higher than they were a few years ago."

"Yes; and there are so many more of them."—Washington Herald.

Real Mean.

Miss Fattie—George tried very hard to put his arm around my waist last night, but no man can do that sort of thing with me!

"No, dear; it would be rather difficult."

Continuous Round of Pleasure. "But," protested his wife, "a woman isn't expected to know much about business."

"Of course not," answered her husband from behind a worried look.

"Most women have an idea under their hats that all a man does at his office is to sit in an upholstered chair with his feet on the desk, smoke 25-cent cigars and listen to funny stories."

The Better Way. "According to a scientist," remarked the fluffy-haired blonde who writes type between meals, "the way to sleep is to think of nothing."

"That scientist has bunions on his feet," growled the fussy old bachelor on the pedal extremity of the mahogany.

"The way to sleep is to think it is to get up."

In This Case It Did. "Our remark-theater ornamental."

Another. "The man who makes the greatest success," remarked the moralizer, "is the one who begins at the bottom of the ladder and works his way up."

Not So Fortunate. Mrs. Peckem—Our cook has just given warning. She is going to leave.

Turning of the Worm. "My dear," said Mr. Especk, "can you tell me the difference between your mouth and the courthouse door?"

Enlarged View. Stranger—What sort of a man is your neighbor, John Brazgas?

Teacher—Sam, who war de strongest man in de world?

Reduction. The old nag was jogging up the hill with the elopers.

Rather Round. "I don't thank you for recommending that young clerk!" exclaimed the indignant old broker as they met in the elevator.

"What's the trouble?" queried the social banker.

"Why, you said he was as square as a dollar, and he isn't square at all."

Accounted For. Mr. Bacon—Don't be frivolous now. I hate a frivolous woman!

Same Old Supply. Star Boarder—When I first came here, ma'am, I understood you to say you kept chickens, and yet I haven't seen chicken on the table once.

His Idea of It. "Well, well," said Tom to his sister, "is that your new hat?"

Family Pride. Mrs. O'Rafferty—An' phoy did ye give th' name av Goldstein at th' police station, Oi dunno?

His Opinion. "What is your opinion of love?" at first sight, Mr. Oldbach?

Its Proper Use. "Here is a little poem," said the party with the unbarbered hair, who had drifted into the editorial presence.

The Wheelbarrow. The farmer's son looked up from the sporting page.

"By heck," he said, "I wish we had one o' them there horseless carriages."

A Long Wait. "The man who makes the greatest success," remarked the moralizer, "is the one who begins at the bottom of the ladder and works his way up."

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Of More Importance. Mrs. Newpop—Be careful, George; you must not let the baby stand alone.

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"H'm! Neither is a dollar."

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ALFONSO'S ISLAND PALACE

Wedding Present in Bay of Aroa to Be Site of Summer Home.

King Alfonso of Spain is preparing to enjoy next summer the odd wedding present that some wealthy Spanish nobleman bestowed on him and Queen Victoria, says the New York Sun.

The island is about three miles and a half in circumference. It is diversified in surface and beautifully wooded.

The king has placed the building of his palace and the beautifying of the island in the hands of the marquis de Viana and a Madrid architect, Senor Ripollas.

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