

A female optimist is a woman who smiles when she meets a masculine bore.

Doctors are not trying to communicate with spirits when they wire skeletons.

If a girl throws a man over it's because she isn't hopelessly in love with him.

A man's idea of an eccentric woman is one who goes to the opera to hear the music.

The man who goes to the bad never thinks of providing himself with a return ticket.

-Chicago News.

Many of Pinehurst's guests will attend the sale to be given by the ladies of Emmanuel Church at Southern Pines, next Thursday. Dolls, fancy articles etc., will be on sale.

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