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**CITY NEWS**  
The Asheville Hardware Company.

Theo. Hartman, time keeper of engineers and firemen of the Asheville and Charlotte divisions of the Southern has been transferred from Spencer to Asheville.

**LAST EVENING'S DANCE**

Very Pleasant Affair at the Battery Park Hotel.

The dance given at the Battery Park last evening, although not largely attended, was one of the kind at which everyone enters into the evenings pleasantly with interest and enthusiasm. At 11:30 o'clock the guests retired to the dining room, where they were served watermelon. After this refreshing repast the German began and until about 1:30 o'clock those present enjoyed following the leader, Francis Gudger, in many pretty and original figures.

Do not try to get one woman to compliment another woman on her judgment in the selection of hats.

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Watch Blomberg's ad. Ten per cent. reduction sale in his sporting goods department.

To FARE well go to Woodlawn Cafe.

**Shifting the Responsibility.**

An Irishman who traded in small wares kept a donkey cart, with which he visited the different villages. On one occasion he came to a bridge where a toll was levied. He found to his disappointment he had not enough money to pay it. A bright thought struck him. He unharnessed the donkey and put it into the cart. Then, getting between the shafts himself, he pulled the cart with the donkey standing in it on to the bridge.

In due course he was hailed by the toll collector.  
"Hey, man!" cried the latter.  
"Whaur's your toll?"  
"Begorra," said the Irishman, "just ask the droiver."

**Ted and the Text.**

The golden text for a certain Sunday school was, "And the child grew and waxed strong in spirit" (Luke ii, 40). Little Ted's hand went up like a flash when the superintendent asked: "Can any of these bright, smiling little boys or girls repeat the golden text for today? Ah, how glad it makes my heart to see so many little hands go up! Teddy, my boy, you may repeat it, and speak good and loud that all may hear."

And they all heard this: "And the child grew and waxed strong in spirit like 2:40."

**A Well Satisfied Girl.**

At an old fashioned revival meeting the minister approached Minnie, who was only ten years old, and urged her to go forward to the "mourners' bench" for prayers, as many of her young friends had done.  
"No, thank you," said Minnie, holding back.  
"But why?" questioned the minister.  
"Don't you want to be born again?"  
"No," replied Minnie. "I'm afraid I might be born a boy next time!"—Brooklyn Life.

**The Giant Squid.**

Undoubtedly the giant squid has frequently been mistaken for a sea serpent. In all qualities which can render a marine monster horrible this huge and frightful mollusk may be said to compare favorably with any creature of fact or fiction. When full grown, it weighs 10,000 pounds, having a body fifty feet long and two arms each 100 feet in length, as well as eight smaller tentacles.

**Enough to Settle It.**

A wag after having witnessed an unusually villainous performance of "Hamlet" remarked: "Now is the time to settle the Shakespeare-Bacon controversy. Let the graves of both be dug up and see which of the two turned over."

**It Went Off.**

Mrs. C.—I wonder where in the world the alarm clock has gone? I saw it on the table yesterday.  
Mr. C.—It was there yesterday, but I heard it going off this morning.

**Suffering.**

To suffer an hour with and for one we love brings us nearer in spirit to him than many years of joyous companionship, for only in sorrow does the heart reveal itself.

**The World as We Find It.**

Fudd—This is a hard world.  
Dudd—And yet everybody is looking for soft places in it.—Boston Transcript.

**Another Triumph For the Country Locomobile.**

On July 14th two Locomobiles—one Surrey and one Stanhope—made the ascent to the top of Greylock. This has never been accomplished by any other automobile.

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