

MY PEARL IS A BOW'RY GIRL.

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Of course ev'ry boy has a sweetheart,
And some boys they have two or three;
Of all the girls in this great city—
There's only one "in it" with me.
She lives with her folks on the Bow'ry,
A few doors away from Canal,
And helps to support her old mother
Does my little Bow'ry gal.

Chorus: My Pearl is a Bow'ry girl,
She's all the world to me;
She's "in it" with any the girl's 'round the town—
And a "corking good-looker," See?
At Walahalla Hall, why, she kills them all,
As waltzing together we twirl;
She sets them all crazy, a "Spieler a Daisy,"
For my Pearl's a Bow'ry girl.

In summer we go down to "Coney's"
Together we stroll long the beach,
And sometimes we go in the ocean,
For at swimming, you bet, she's a "peach."
The other boys of me are jealous;
But with me, why, that "cuts no ice,"
I'm going to lead Pearl to the altar—
As soon as I gets the price.



CHARLES DICKSON in "A Jolly Good Fellow."

POINTS IN POLITICS.

Judge M. P. Kinkaid made a mistake in coming to Lincoln to see how a well regulated legislature was convened, he should have remained at home to see the people of O'Neill enjoy a hanging bee without the hanging. Holt county is a terror, stay at home Judge, and lend your moral support to the side of the righteous.

A prominent but lonesome democratic member of the House in speaking of the action of the republican caucus in naming John M. Thurston for senator said: "I never was snubbed so in my life, just think of it, a son of pure Bourbon completely left out in the cold not even given a chance to get in the carry-all, who knows, I might have joined the boys; it was done maliciously, yea verily with malice aforethought, but I say—come have something with me.

There are a score of lawyers—from the western part of the state—who each thought himself just about the calibre to fill ex-Judge and Governor Holcomb's boots, and they have not drawn a long breath for two weeks on account of the supposed action of the incoming governor in not resigning the judgeship, but Governor Crouse has been in office long enough to know the value of that article commonly known as peace of mind, so he just looked innocent, smiled serenely and kept that long expected resignation in his inside pocket.

CHARITY.

The lady was making some remarks about the kind of clothes some other ladies at church had on.

"The finest garment a woman can wear," said her husband, "is the mantle of charity."

"Yes," she snapped, "and its about the only one some husbands want their wives to wear."

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