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A WEDDING INTERRUPTED.

Why a Carolina Bride Objected to the Use of the Self-Cooking Revolver.

Henry Glad in the Atlanta Constitution.

By the way, Ballard Smith tells a story of a North Carolina wedding. It runs this way: It was in the Carolina backwoods, a country couple and a country parson. Though a Baptist, the minister wore an old surplus. When he had finished the ceremony he said:

"An' them 'uns who God hath joined--"

"Stop thar, parson," said the groom; "Don't say them 'uns say these 'uns!"

"John," said the parson, "I teach you at school, and I say them 'uns."

"These 'uns," shouted the groom, drawing his pistol.

The parson, seeing the movement, fired through his surplus and the groom dropped dead--winging the parson as he went down. There was a lively fusillade of perhaps thirty shots. When the smoke cleared away a half dozen men were on the floor. The bride, peeping over the pulpit to which she had fled for refuge, gazed mournfully on the scene and said:

"Them self-cookin' pistols is a playin' hell with my prospects!"

Of course the story is an impossibility, and yet, said Mr. Smith: "That is the staple story of the south that is circulated and believed throughout the north. While such a thing could hardly have happened in North Carolina any more than in New York, the average northern man smiles incredulously when you tell him that this performance is improbable at a Carolina wedding."

"* * * Keep to your place and your place will keep you." But you can not expect to keep your place without health, the foundation of all success. For instance, a railroad engineer in the employ of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad had been grievously affected with diabetes for six years. He took four boxes of Kidney-Wort and now writes that he is entirely cured and working regularly.

One of Brother Gardner's Lectures Detroit Free Press.

"Am Brudder Stepoff Johnson in de hall dis evenin'" asked the president, as he arose and looked up and down the aisles.

"Yes, sah."

"Den he will please step to de front."

Brother Johnson appeared to labor under the impression that a medal was about to be presented to him for having the longest head of any colored man in America, and his face wore a broad grin as he stood at the desk.

"Stepoff Johnson," said Brother Gardner, in his most solemn tone, "I was in de back room of a grocery in Beaubien street de odder night to bargain fur ten bushels of 'laters, an' I heard your voice as you cum in to order fo' pounds of buckwheat flour, and to remark dat your old woman was ravin' crazy wid her toothache."

"Yes, sah, dat was me."

"De ole man Climax soon dropped in, an' he wasn't five minits befo' you had a hot dispute 'bout de alge of de airth."

"He doan' know nuffin, sah."

"You called him a fool!"

"An' he called me a liar!"

"You said he was a bigot."

"An' he said I was a humbug."

"I hear it all, Brudder Johnson, and now I want to talk to you a little. In de first place, what do you know 'bout de alge of de world?"

"I--I--well, sah, what does de ole man Climax know 'bout it?"

"Dat's it--what do either one of you know 'bout it? Nuffin--nuffin 't all. Dat's whar de trouble cum in. Two men will dispute harder ober whateyo doan' know dan ober solem facts. De worst enemy I ever had was a man who got mad at me becase I wouldn't believe in ghosts. What we doan't know we often try to 'make up for in argument. What we lack in argument we try to make up for in jab. It am easier to call a man a fool dan to produce facts and figures to convince him dat he am in de wrong. It am safer to call an ole man a liar dan to wink at a young man's wife. Let me say to you:

"What you believe in wid all yo' heart am after all, be wrong."

"De man who draps argument fur epithet has no case."

"It am only de farrest m'nded man who admit de ignorance of what they doan' know."

"Abuse may silence a man, but it won't convince him."

"It am only de bigot who prides himself on his cast-iron opinions."

"It am only de fool who believes aschuchans am true becase he asserts 'em."

"Now, Brudder Johnson, you drap back to yer bench an' sot down an' stay sot, an' de nex time you 's' hear somebody holdy announce dat dis world am fifty million y'ar old you pick up your backwheat flour an' walk home wid de reflekschun dat it wouldn't establish de facts in de case if you an' him war to gouge an' bite 'n kick an' claw till der wasn't a rod of sidewalk left in Gardnerville."

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"Not Guilty."

A member of a church congregation in Wisconsin was last fall charged with gambling in stocks and brought up before a committee for investigation. The trial began by a deacon asking:

"Brother Smith, the charge is gambling in stocks."

"Yes, sir."

"And you plead not guilty?"

"No, sir, I plead guilty."

"Then you do buy and sell stocks, speculate in wheat and oats and sell 'em in pork?"

"I do, sir. Didn't I give \$1,000 in cash to help build this church?"

"Yes."

"Well, I scooped that in on a little deal in pork. Didn't I pay in \$500 on the organ?"

"Yes."

"That was part of my profits on a spec in oats. Didn't I foot a deficiency of \$400 in the minister's salary this year?"

"Yes."

"That came from a rise in stocks. Didn't I chip in \$700 toward the parsonage?"

"Yes."

"That came from a corner in oats. Haven't I whacked up on the orphan asylum, the new bridge, the park and the fire engine?"

"You have."

"Well, that means more corners, and holding on till I felt my hair growing gray. Gentlemen, I will step out for a moment and let you reach a verdict."

He stopped, but it was only thirty seconds before he was called in and congratulated on the verdict of "not guilty."

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scrapidity of the kidneys and enlargement of the liver, and the kidney disease came upon me so fast and suddenly that before I was scarcely aware of the cause of my trouble I became badly bloated, and my body and limbs very much swollen, so that it was with great difficulty and severe pain that I was able to walk any. I became dreadfully troubled by being short breathed so that even a slight exertion or a little exercise would tire me almost to exhaustion, and I was so distressed when I retired at night that I couldn't sleep, and was very restless. One of my limbs especially had a very severe nervous pain, which always seemed to be more severe at night than at any other time, and would frequently ache so sharply so that I was unable to sleep. I began to feel a few days ago, and am very disappointed by the result, for before I had used a bottle of it I began to feel relieved, and soon commenced to sleep peacefully; the severe nervous pain in my limb which I had to handle so tenderly did not appear any more, my head-ache and backache have disappeared, I feel better every day, and rest well at night. The swelling has disappeared from my body and limbs, I am now able to do my house-work comfortably and easily. Hunt's Remedy has certainly done wonders for me. MR. G. DAWLEY.

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