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BREVITIES.

Unnamable ways—Cross roads.

What is often found where it is not?

Paul.

A natural color—The gray of the evening.

"The voices of the night"—Those blessed babies.

The lay of the last minstrel—The song of a cobbler.

Eight hundred Americans are summering at Dresden.

Ants constantly set examples of industry, but uncles don't.

Patent eyelashes, for "ladies only," have been introduced at Saratoga.

If you can say nothing good of any one, say nothing at all.

Blessed is he who has no eye for a key, nor ear for a knot hole.

Why are good men like dough? Because women need them.

He that pelt every barking dog must pick up a great many stones.

An aching void.—The socket from which a tooth has just been drawn.

The son of the Sultan is going to serve two years in the Prussian army.

By general orders, gardens are to be made at every military post in the country.

Two feet is the present altitude of a head dress in London. The hair costs a small fortune.

It makes a great difference whether glasses are used over or under the nose.

When you expel a man from your house it is very natural he should be put out.

The great water snake at Willoughby Lake, Vermont, has been killed. It was 23 feet long.

Orange Judd, of the American Agriculturist, has purchased the New York and Flushing Railroad.

The shortest and best way to make your fortune is to convince people it is to their interest to serve you.

Pat thinks it is very good for a man to sometimes be alone, especially if he has his "swateheart wid him."

There are at present seventeen lines of steamers, making 1,322 voyages per annum, between England and America.

The Paris society for the protection of animals offers a reward for the least cruel dog muzzler.

Over 5,000 pilgrims to Mecca have returned home, absolved from all their sins by kissing the famous black stone.

I never knew anybody yet to get stung by hornets, who kept away from where they was—it is just so with bad luck.

There are some ideas that seem like rain drops, to fall upon a man's head; the head itself has nothing to do with the matter.

A charity school girl, under examination in Psalms, on being asked, "What is the pestilence that walketh in darkness?" answered, "Bedbugs, sir."

Philip Winebiddle, of Pittsburg, offers to do at any number of acres to that city for a park, provided no liquor shall ever be sold upon it.

The daughter of the Prince and Princess of Wales, who was christened on the 6th of August, received the names of Victoria Alexandra Olga Mary.

The conversion of 50,000 Feejee cannibals, out of 300,000 anthropophagi, into eaters of brute flesh and vegetables, is a great triumph for the Christian missionaries: If it were true.

When the few own the land, the scenes of Tipperary are inevitable. It used to be so in France, till the Revolution came and divided the lands among the many.

The late Sir Benjamin Lee Guinness, the wealthy brewer of Dublin, left property to the value of £1,100,000, which is supposed to be the largest amount ever disposed of by will in Ireland.

M. Gourlet has been reading to the French Academy a paper on the fins of fishes and their use in swimming. He is enabled to judge of the rapidity of motion of a fish by examining the shape, size, and location of the fins.

Spots on the sun have lately received more than usual attention from astronomers. Some of them are very large, and it is expected that in a day or two one of them may become visible to the naked eye, smoked glass being used, of course.

By a mixture of common salt and chloride of lime in the water with which the streets of London are watered, great labor and expense are saved. One watering serves for a whole day. The proportion of salt and water is not stated.

"It is not the 'unting that 'urts a orse," said a philosophic ostler, "it's the 'ammering, 'ammering, 'ammering, over a 'ard 'ighway: it 'urts 'e 'oves. When you are not going to 'unt, 'ire a 'ack, and 'ammer along with 'im."

A State fair is a queen; an agricultural fair is a farmer's daughter; a church fair is a parson's wife; a soldier's fair is the best looking girl he can get hold of; a charity fair is a pauper; and the most unpopular fair in the universe, boarding house fare.

Among the gifts to a newly married pair at a town in New Jersey, the other evening, was a broom sent to the lady, accompanied with the following sentiment:

This trifling gift accept from me, In use I would commend;

In sunshine use the brushy part, In storms the other end."

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