

# The FUNNY MAN

#### IN BASEBALL

Valley:—"Why do they call that a fowl;—I don't see any feathers!"

Finol:-"Don't you know that's a picked team."

#### A CASE OF UNREMITTING KINDNESS

Cliff:—"I understand your father is a very kind man, he writes to you nearly every mail."

Polar:-"When he dont send a cheque, do you

call it kindness?"

Cliff: - "Sure! Unremitting kindness."

#### SO BEWARE

Farmer Willis:—"What are you polishing up your gun for?"

Farmer Gillis:-"On account of this European

war."

Farmer Willis:—"Surely you don't think we will be drawn into the conflict."

Farmer Gillis:—"No; but think of the horde of agents who are out selling the 'war map."

Country Merchant:—"What was the ambulance doing at your place today, Johnny?"

Johnny:—"Oh, one of them map guys insulted

Papa."

Billy:—"They say he has more money than he knows what to do with."

Creamer:-"Ah, such ignorance must be bliss!"

#### MODERN SCIENCE

Prof:—"As you ascend mountains, with thermometer in hand, does the mercury mount up or fall?"

Blackquiere :-- "Mount up!"

Prof :- "why?"

Blackquiere:—"Because the air is heated by the mountain ranges."

Owen:—"I am selling a map that gives a complete geographical, topographical and cosmographical conception of the necessary elements, constitutents and relations of the belligerent nations, now in the juxtaposition of prodigious contention on the war swept European continent."

Old Farmer :- (aside to wife) "Tell Jack to ram

a load of buckshot in the old "Queen Anne."

### TWO ARTISTS

Art:—"I heard a pianist who had such wonderful power that he could make you feel hot or cold, happy or morose, at will."

Jim :- "That's nothing new, so can our fireman."

Alf:—(to unlucky angler)" Hallo here you fell in!"
Paddy:—(wringing his clothes)" No, you idiot!
This is perspiration."

# PATRIOTIC

Mellady:—"What is your impression, when you see the flag of your country waving over your head?"
Livy:—"My impression is that its blowin'."

## HISTORY HELPS

Prof:—"To aid your memory I will give you Columbus' dates in a little rhyme,—

'Columbus sailed the ocean blue
In the year fourteen ninety two '——

Repeat it."

St. Clair-

"Columbus sailed the dark blue sea
In the year fourteen ninety three!"