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**Not Days Enough.**  
 "You ought, like us, to have holidays in honor of your great men," said the Russian beauty.  
 "But in the American year," said the major, "there are only 365 days."  
 —Philadelphia Press.

The extraordinary precocity of the children of India has called forth the astonishment of a recent traveler, who says that many of them are skilled workmen at an age when children are usually learning the alphabet.

**A King and a Guinea Pig.**  
 The late Rev. Charles Spurgeon, in reading out a list of subscribers to one of his charities, made running comments and jokes as he went on that kept the audience in great good humor. Coming to a Mr. King who had given 5 shillings, he said, "There's a king who has given his crown." Coming next to a Mr. Pig, who had given a guinea, he exclaimed, "There's a guinea pig!"—London Tit-Bits.

"De trouble 'bout advice," said Uncle Eben, "is dat de man who has made a sho nuff success in life is gin'rally too busy ter stop an give lessons."—Washington Star.

The republic of Guatemala has over 16,000 saloons and taverns. In the country districts there is one to every 82 inhabitants: in the towns one to every 52.

**The Sequel to the Joke.**  
 Many years ago a visitor to Edinburgh was being shown over the high court of judicary. He made some remark concerning the dock and its duties, and in reply the official jokingly said the visitor might one day be sentenced to be hanged in that very room. The sightseer was the notorious Dr. Pritchard. Two years had barely passed when in the dock he had so closely inspected he was doomed to death for poisoning his wife and mother-in-law.—London Mail.

Judges in England have worn the peculiar wigs they now wear ever since the reign of Charles II.

The ancients took the owl for a symbol of wisdom because he always minds his own business.

Ask for Minard's and take no other

**When \$1,000 Looked Big.**  
 Divide anything up into pairs and you magnify it. A certain wise man took this way to give his wife an idea of how much \$1,000 is. She had no idea of money. Her purchases were enormous. It happened one day that her eye fell upon a magnificent ring, and she coveted it. It cost \$1,000. But what was \$1,000 to her in comparison with the ring? Of course her husband consented to the purchase. What else could a dutiful, affectionate husband do? But he tried this method of educating his wife concerning the great price of the ring. He instructed his banker to send her the \$1,000 in small pieces—pennies, dimes, quarters. In came the money, bagful after bagful. She never had such an idea of \$1,000 before. When the money was piled before her, it alarmed her. The price of the ring went up a hundredfold, and was considered at once an extravagance which she of her own option abandoned.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

**A SURE CATARRH CURE.**  
 No matter what your experience has been with so-called catarrh "remedies," your ultimate, complete recovery can surely and positively be effected. Don't suffer any longer. Don't trifle with a distressing and dangerous disease when a sure cure is within your grasp. Thousands of sufferers whose condition was worse than yours have been cured and are now in perfect health. Their enthusiastic and unsolicited testimonies show beyond the shadow of a doubt that  
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 Rev. Warren Bentley, writes:—"While in Newark, N. J., conducting religious services, I was troubled with catarrh and used Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder. It gave me great relief and I have recommended it to many among whom I have labored." Hon. David Mills, Minister of Justice of Canada, has used this remedy and highly recommends it over his own signature. At all druggists.  
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**TO LET**—Until the 31st of May next the office in the Newson Block with stoves and window blinds lately occupied by W. S. Stewart Attorney at law. Terms easy. Apply to W. S. Stewart at his office Prowse's new block. Ch'town Dec. 14th 1898 Dy e. o. d. 2 wks.  
**TO RENT** from Jan 1st, 1899. The Brick Store—corner Queen and Grafton Street, lately occupied by Johnson & Johnson. Apply to Goff Bros. d&wtf  
**STRAYED** from the owner's premises, on Friday afternoon last, a fox terrier dog pup, color white and tan. Reward. J. L. Thomson Prince Street 290  
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**SKATES**—Sharpened while you wait, and repaired by a competent hand at Rice's Bicycle Repair Store opposite the Skating Rink 285 st.  
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 Tickets are not good for going journey after date of issue, and will be good for return up to and including January 7th, 1899.  
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 Excursion Return Tickets will be issued from December 21st to January 2nd, both inclusive at first class single fare.  
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 Tickets are good only for continuous journey in either direction.  
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