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## CABMEN AS LINGUISTS.

An Innovation That Got One London Jehu Into Trouble.

"On one of the Boulevard cabs," writes the Paris correspondent of the London Mail, "may be observed the legend so familiar in the shops in the Vendome quarter of English spoken." This particular cabman is modest in his pretensions, as he speaks also Italian and German, not to mention the terrible 'argot' which every self-respecting cabbie prefers to academic French. Unfortunately 'English spoken' may be translated generally by 'prices doubled.'"

Anxious to learn whether London cabbies were as cultured, a representative of the Mail questioned a few of them.

One cabbie smiled when he read the news of his Paris confrere and chuckled when he came to the words 'prices doubled.' "That would be a good thing," he said, "but it wouldn't be allowed here. Oh, yes, I know some chaps that can speak French and German and Italian, too, that hasn't always been cabmen, you know. Some of them have some fun understanding things they're not meant to when people inside think they're quite safe in talking French."

"But wouldn't it pay them to put a notice on their cabs that they speak French?" "No, I don't think so. People that are any class have an interpreter, or they get things arranged by their hotel servants. Besides it ain't allowed to put any advertisement on a cab."

But a second jovial faced Jehu gave a different opinion. "We ain't allowed to have advertisements, but we can 'ave a notice on the cab. I mind a man I knew—we called 'im 'Whistler—why? 'Cos he was always whistling, of course—he could speak French, and he put a brass plate on the back of his cab, 'Lea coacher'—that means the cabman—'parles voo francoy'—I think that's it. Anyway, it meant 'the cabman speaks French.' We used to chaff him a bit, but 'voo plenty of fares. Only one day 'e was away, and another chap got his cab, not knowing about this notice. Well, some French people spoke to 'im, and 'e thought they were 'aving him, so there was a row, and the copper came up. However, a gent, passing, 'e says, 'Why, cabbie, that notice means the cabman speaks French.' Then 'e left a bit small."

"I know there are fellows that speak French and German, too—if you know Latin, I've 'eard say, you can easily speak French and German. Some went over to Paris with the English cabs, and I suppose picked it up there. I can speak a bit myself—I knows 'ley ong parlo' and 'sil-laplay, maddemoselle.' So I can generally understand foreigners, and besides they mostly know a little English. So I don't think we're likely to start those notions."

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### The Truth of the Text.

"I hold to the Scriptural doctrine that it is more blessed to give than to receive," said the little man who is familiar with quotations.

"I confess that I have never been able to appreciate the force of that injunction," responded the big fellow who believes in looking after No. 1 above all others.

"Perhaps I should say that it is easier," continued the little man.

"Well, I don't see it," said the big fellow.

"You would if you were in my business," said the little man.

And doubtless he would. The little man was a telegraph operator.—Washington Star.

### A Qualified Misfortune.

To illustrate the readiness of some unscrupulous people to turn even their calamities to a dishonest advantage, the story is told that a certain small farmer complained to a relative that his cow was sick.

"And you have to buy milk?" asked the relative.

"Land, yes!" "How much d'you have to pay?" "Mis' Tewkesbury lets us have some of hers for 5 cents a quart."

"Well, what d'you do with your milk while the cow's sick?" "Oh, we sell it to the city milkman."

"Get 5 cents a quart from him?" "Sakes, no! He gives 6!"—Youth's Companion.

### Exactng Man.

Man always meets trouble half way and then stands on a corner expecting happiness to come along.—Chicago Record.

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It evidently was Bill Durland, for, extending his hand, he said in a good, strong, hearty voice: "Why, hello, Henry! How's every one at home?" "Henry" spake never a word, but gazed longingly at the outstretched hand and then fearfully at the sharer of his joys and sorrows. Then he exploded, "Say, Bill, I know it's you, but Liz here thinks it's some kind o' bunko game been worked, and I dasset say a word to you." Bill looked astonished, then amused and continued his way up Sixth avenue. Henry and Liz had some earnest conversation, during which Liz was overheard to remark that she "didn't know how he got along before she married him."—New York Mail and Express.

### Selling Goldfishes.

In a store where home aquarium supplies are sold there are, besides the usual varied assortment of glass globes, a number of larger tanks of various shapes and sizes in which stock is kept for sale. The tanks themselves are, of course, sold if there is a demand for them.

Lying across the corner of the largest of these tanks is a little net, the hoop no more than 5 or 6 inches in diameter and the handle about a foot long. This is to scoop up the goldfishes when they are sold. When a new outfit is sold complete, the fishes are delivered in the globe or tank. It often happens, however, that the person already owning a globe wants to replace fish that have been lost or to add to his stock, and he goes to the store where such things are sold and buys one or more goldfishes, just as he would buy any merchandise, except that instead of sitting down at a counter to make his selections he bends over a tank and indicates among the fishes swimming about the ones he wants. As he makes his selections the dealer scoops them out with the little net, and as likely as not the purchaser carries the fish he has bought—a single fish or half a dozen, or whatever the number may be—right away with him in a tin pail.

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