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woke of Grierson.

overtook and passed his rival.

pile of clothes, and thus put a trium-

phant finish to his swimming feat.

Grierson, now swimming a

George Marchant said.

farther myself."

porting Metcalle with his right arm.

your other leg; it will help a little.

We'll be all right when we are once out

of this current," Grierson replied quiet

take and outstrip Crierson."

and himself was becoing.

warmth and circulation to their chilled

and aching bodies. These had the de-

sired effect; in a day or two both Grier-

son and Metcalfe were back in class and

of seeking Griersen alone.

[']] never forget yours.'

The latter took an early opportunity

"I have to thank you very much,

life at the risk of your own; there's no

was my fault too. I am very sorry.

Will you accept my best thanks, and

try to forget my part in the matter?

"Why, of course," Orierson replied,

and there the matter ended. - New York

as they are seated at the table.

to disappoint you."—Paris Figaro

playground.

to Metcalfe.

oceanward.

breath

THE BASIN OF TENNESSEE.

Qh, the glorious Middle Basin Qn, the giorious Andrie Dasin,
The rose in nature's wreath!
With her purpling alsy matter hills on high
And her blue cross underneath.
This here our fathers built their Lomes, Tis here their sons are free, For the fairest land

From God's own hand Is the Basin of Tennessee. Oh, the fertile Middle Bashul Proud Egypt's thrashing floor Held not in the chain of her golden grain Such fields as He at our door. Our daughters grow like olive plants,

Our sons like the young oak tree, For the richest land From God's own hand Is the Basin of Tennessee Oh, the Joyous Middle Barin, Land of the mocking bird! Land of the mocking bird!
Where the flying feet of our horses fleet
In front of the race are heard.
They get their gameness from our soil,
Their spirits will ever be,
For the merriest land
From God'sown hand

Is the Basin of Tennessee. Oh, the loyal Middle Basin, So quick for fife and drum! She stood in the breach on the Crescent

When the hated foe had come. Her Polk an empire free, For the truest land From God's own hand Is the Basin of Tennessee.

Oh, the glorious Middle Basin! Can we be false to thee?
Sweet land where the earth and the sk gave birth
To the spirit of liberty!
No, not while our maids have virtue, Not while our sons are free, For the fairest land

From God's own hand Is the Basin of Tennessee.

Maury Democrat

A COAL OF FIRE.

"He's a muff all round, outside The arm that held the hat dropped and school work, I'm sure. Can't play disappeared below the water. ricket a little bit anyway," said Doug-

"Rummy clothes he wears, ch? Mat ous strek a which brought him alongclothes shop," said Frank Newlyn. "He's a sullen sort of beggar too. 1 suppose he's proud of his poverty; some

fellows are like that, you know," George Marchant remarked. All the three speakers were in the sixth form at Denmark House, and the boy they referred to was Herbert Grierson, who had just come to the rehoel at the beginning of this term.

It was Saturday afternoon of a warm day in early summer, and the three boys were strolling down toward the bay, on the heights overlooking which the Denmark House stood. When they reached the beach, they found some half dozen other boys undressing preparatory to bathing. A large, broad beamed boat lay out in the bay. One or two other boys were now in it; among the rest Herbert Crierson.

We'll swim out to those fellows and have a dive from the boat," Douglass Metcalfe said. In two minutes the two were swimming toward the boat, Our Sale of These Goods followed closely by Tippoo, Douglas' terrier. They scrambled into the boat. The others were now in the water, with the exception of Grierson, who stood at the bow ready to dive. His clothes lay beside him, with his hat on the top. A sudden spirit of mischief seized Doug-

"Let's see if he is as good at swimming as he is at Virgil," he whispered to his companions. "Own up now, Douglas. You're a bit jealous of Grierson. You're afraid he's going to run you hard for dux, old

chap," Newlyn said. "Oh, as to that, I don't care much one way or the other," replied Metcalle, with a show of carelessness. "But I fancy I'm his match at swimming anyhow. But we'll see in a minute or As he spoke Douglas pretended to

stumble against Grierson's clothes, and recovering himself struck the hat with his hand, and sent it spinning into the "Hullo, that was jolly clumsy of And Everything Found in a First-class Furniture Store.

me!" he exclaimed. In a moment Grierson was in the water after his hat; which the breeze had caught and carried to a considerable distance out in the bay. Tippoo was before him, however, and swimming toward the hat.

"Now then. He's got a pretty good C. M. FREEMAN & CO We'll see who reaches the hat But I must send that little rascal Tippoo back," said Metcalfe, who was one of the best swimmers in the

AT THE THROTTLE. The Engineer Whose Steady Haud Controls

the Mighty Locomotive. Meantime, what is the engineer of the fastest train in the world doing Above the plunging surge's play for the passenger? Sixty, 70, 80 miles an hour-what does this mean to the man at the throttle? It means that the 61 feet drivers turn five times every second and advance 100 feet. The engineer turns his head for five seconds to look at the gauges, and in that time the terrible iron creature, putting forth the strength of a thousand horses, may have shot school. He leaped into the water and past a red signal with its danger struck out with all his strength in the warning, 500 feet away. Ten seconds and 1,000 feet are left behindone fifth of a mile. Who knows All were now watching the chase of what horrors may lie within that tho hat with interest and laughter and cries of "Go it, Douglas," "Strike out, thousand feet? There may be death Grier on," 'The hat's going to win." lurking around a curve, death spread-It was quite clear that Herbert Griering its arms in a tunnel, and the enson was a strong and expert swimmer. For a little Douglas Metcalfe did not.

gineer must see and be responsible for everything. Not only must be note ingain a yard upon him, but presently stantly all that is before him, but he the onlookers could see that the space must act at the same moment, workbetween the two loys had narrowed. ing throttle, airbrakes or reversing Metcalfe was, in fact, doing his very lever not as quick as thought, but best, and it was with keen sensation of quicker, for there is no time to think. satisfaction and triumph that he at last His muscles must do the right thing The hat was now floating a few yards automatically under circumstances in front of Metcalfe. The chase of it where a second is an age. had proved a harder one than had been In the three hours of his vigil there expected. Metcalfe and Grierson were are 10,800 seconds, during each one of

now far out in the bay, and of course which he must watch with the menmuch beyond their depth. At this point tal alertness of an athlete springing a strong current swept past the bay. The River Gleam emptied itself into for a flying trapeze from the roof of an amphitheater, with the courathe sea at the north horn of the Lay, geous self possession of a matador and this caused a current which set in awaiting the deadly rush of a mada transverse direction across the bay. dened bull, and far more depends on Both boys were by this time in the the engineer's watching well, because if he fails by a hair's breadth in coolcenter of this sea stream. Metcalfe's hand closed upon the but. It was his ness or precision of judgment there may come destruction, not only to intention to swim lock with it toward the heat and replace it upon the little himself, but to hundreds of passengers, who, while he stands guard, are perhaps grumbling at the waiter in Metcalfe was new facing toward the the dining car or telling funny stories shore again. Gri r-on had turn d too. in the smoker.—McClure's Magazine. The latter was quite aware that Met-

calfe had acted as he had done not How the Bee Sees. to recover the lost hat and restore it to We are so used to regarding the its owner, but in or ler to prove his suworld around us from the standpoint periority in swimming before the rest of our own sight that it is hard to reof the boys. The latter raised a cheer alize that to other creatures, far outas they saw Metcalfe striking for the land again, holding the hat in his hand. Then they saw Mccalfe stop suddenly. honey bee, for example, is supplied phia Record. with a pair of compound eyes with hundreds of facets, each capable of two behind Mctcalie, gave a few vigorsight by itself, and several occelli, or looks as if it had come out of an old side to latter. Eat before he could little, simple eyes, more closely allied stretch out a hand to prevent it Met- to our own. How these eyes are calfe's head went under. Grierson used, what are their separate funcdived at almost the came viewent. The tions, what sort of images they can boys in and around the institued their present to their owners, all remain questions as interesting and well nigh "Something's wrong with Douglas unsolved as they were before the days of our powerful microscopes. He's taken crump or something." Notwithstanding the fact that hun-A minute went by, and they saw the dreds of entomologists have been and heads of both lays reappear, a yard or are interested in this subject, we yet two further out. Grierson was supare only at the stage where we can affirm that the honey bee sees a very "I've cramp in my right leg and different flower from the one in which arm," Metcalle said in a hearse, low we observe her in search for sweets. voice. "I'm atraid I cm't swim a stroke

although of what that difference is and how it is produced we can form "All right, try to tread water with but little idea.-Nature. Washing the Mouth. If people would wash out their Yet Grierson knew that his task was

mouths twice or three times a day not going to prove an easy one. For a with an antiseptic solution, there few minutes he made little or no headwould not be near so much sickness way. Metcalie bung upon his arm al-In the last 10 years I have never had most like a dead weight. Douglas was a cold, sore throat or fever, and I asdoing his utmest to help himself, but cribe this immunity solely to the fact it availed very little, for, besides the that I follow this plan rigidly. There cramp which had attacked him, howas are any number of proprietary antiexhausted by his effects at first to overseptics that are excellent for this purpose, but many more simple agents Grierson strengled on, his burden that are as good or better. One of impeding every stroke he made and lessening its effect. The boy felt his the best of the latter is carbolic acid. A very weak solution of this gargled got out of the current in a few minutes and held in the mouth two or three attempting the estimate."—New times a day will work wonders. Immore, he feared that all would be lost. But he was making progress and could mediately after using, one will find see that the distance letween the boat that the mouth feels cleaner. I believe that a great majority of the "A minute proce, and we shall be in common throat and lung troubles smooth water," he whispered hoursely come from the lodgment of disease microbes within the mucous mem-As he spoke Crierson changed Metbranes of the mouth. The free use

of antiseptics will kill these germs.calfe from his lett arm to his right and used the left for assaraing. This gave St. Louis Globe-Democrat. him considerable case and rest, and his next few strokes were ireer and more Made Him Low Spirited. vigorous. And now he felt the current Near to where we live in Scotland decidedly lessening in force. Ho sumthere is a farmer who has had conmoned up all his remaining energy in siderable experience in wives. He one last effort, and half a dozen more has married and buried four. After strokes brought him free of the current. the death of the last wife a friend of The two boys were in calm water, ours walked over one Sunday afterand now, too, they were met by George noon to see and condole with the poor Marchant and Frank Newlyn, who reman, who, report said, had been an lieved Grierson of his burden and took exceedingly kind and indulgent hus-Metcalfe between them. In this order they reached the boat. There were band to all his wives. He found the many outstretched arms to help them farmer walking listlessly about his in, and then the Loat was towed to the deserted garden, and sympathy having unchained his tongue he ex-Dr. Metcalfe, the principal of Denclaimed: "Aye, aye! What with mark House and Douglas' father, was bringing the wives hame and pittem not a little alarmed at what had hapthem awa I am sair hadden doon" pened, though he did not show it. Both (low spirited).-London Gentlewomboys were immediately got to bed, and

prompt measures taken to restore an. smokeless Powder Ruins Guns. There seem to be some very serious drawbacks in the usefulness of the smokeless powder, on which the military authorities of the world have expended so much money lately. One of the latest discovered of these is that in some way it injures the guns in which Grierson," he said. "You saved my it is used. A French newspaper says that the powder has done great damage doubt about that. And the whole thing to the steel guns of the Italian army; men receive much attention that at least 500 pieces of artillery have been rendered practically uscless by it. -New Orleans Picayune.

Undertakers Don't Believe In Spooks. An aged undertaker of this city was asked if he had ever seen any spooks He laughed derisively and said: "No, and I doubt if you will find any one in A married couple, being invited to my line of business who believes in the a friend's house to dinner, commence existence of such things. We find there quarreling with each other as soon is nothing more harmless and pitiful than dead people."-Philadelphia Rec-Their host ventures to remark that

such conduct is somewhat unseemly, Reason For Laughing. whereupon the husband retorts, When you invited us, you said that you hoped we would feel quite at over that story of old Boreby's? It isn't home, and we certainly do not intend a bit funny." other if they kept quiet."—Exchange. with your heart.—London Tit-Bits.

Seaward at morn my doves flew free: At eve they circled back to me. The first was Faith; the second Hope;

Dreamlike they hovered, day by day
At last they turned and bore to me Green signs of peace through nightfall gray. No shore fortorn, no loveliest land Their gentle eyes had left unscanned

THREE DOVES

Quick visions of celestial grace;
Hither they waft, from earth's broad space,
Kind thoughts for all humanity;
They shine with radiance from God's face.

Ah, since my heart they choose for home. Why loose them-forth again to roam? Yet look, they rise! With loftier scope They wheel in fligh; toward heaven's pure

Fly, messenger, that find no rest Save in swin toil as makes man blest! Your home is in God's immensity; We nold you but at his behest. -- George Parsons Lathrop.

The first careful investigations of this subject were made in 1841 by the renowned naturalist. Achille Va everywhere. Prepared by lonciennes, in the Jardin des Plantes, Paris. A python there laid 50 eggs PARK & RUSSELL CO. within three hours, which at first were eval, but pointed toward the poles. The shells were soft and of a gray color. They soon changed to a perfect egg shape and became white. and the shells hardened somewhat, although they remained pliable, like leather, and were lusterless and rather rough. Their length varied from 21

to 44 inches. After laying the eggs the snake gathered them together in a heap under the cover she had in her box, wound the rear part of her body around the base of this heap, and then formed a cone shaped spiral of the rest of her body around the whole,

numbering us and perhaps quite as center of the heap of eggs was 105 important in the economy of nature, degrees F., while that of the box it must look quite different. The was only 72.5 degrees F.—Philadel-

The Girl at the Barricade. with Field. We came to a barricade. A very pretty girl guarded it with a sword. She sternly demanded the parole or countersign. I caught hold of her and kissed her and showed my pistols. She laughed. As I was armed with dirk and pistols, wore a sash and was unmistakably a Latin Quarter etudiant, as shown by long hair, rakish cap on one side, red necktie and single eyeglass, I was everywhere treated as a man and brother, friend and equal, warrior and-by the girls-almost like a first cousin. Field shared the glory, of course. And we made a great deal out of it and were thought all the more of in consequence. Vive la jeunesse!-Memoirs by Charles Godfrey Leland.

Out of Sight Out of Mind. "The difference with which impres sions are received," said a man lately, "was brought to my notice the other day at a club. A half dozen of us, to settle a wager, undertook to state how long a time had elapsed since a certain man then present had been seen there. The time given varied from two months to a year, but as a matter of fact he had been at the club within 30 days and had encoun tered every one of the men who were York Times.

The Date Crop. They had been talking learnedly of the crops and the varying yield from year to year. "Well," said one, "other crops may

be poor or even fail almost entirely, but there is always a good date crop. especially of the American variety. What is the American variety of date. I'd like to know?"

"The candidate."--Exchange

A Lesson For George. Betty-George intends to have his own way in everything when we are married. Grace-Why are you going to mar

ry him then? Betty-Just to relieve his mind of false impression.—Brooklyn Life. Among solids, glass is apparently

perfectly elastic. A plate of glass NEW bent under pressure and allowed to remain under stress for 25 years, when HARNESS released and carefully tested for any permanent set, was found to have returned to exactly its original shape.

From about the year 670 to 972 A. D., Europe was much disturbed by wars, which, together with the prevailing idea that the end of the world was to take place in 1000 A. D., caused a great decline in the arts.

All the people in Brazil have unusual respect for old age. Young men take care of old women, and old The diamond, though hard, is one

of the most brittle stones. A fall on a wooden floor will sometimes crack and ruin a fine specimen.

It is usually considered that an adult should drink about three pints of liquid a day. That's What He Wanted.

He (wedded for revenue only)-Cross again, and this only the second week of our alleged honeymoon! She—It has all been a dreadful mistake. Why did you seek for my hand, at the when my heart could not be yours? 'He (calmly)—Because it was your

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WORTH READING

Concord, N. H., April 17, 1890. Brooding Snakes.

The python lays eggs and hatches them by developing a high degree of heat, as has been proved in the case of the Indian and African species, says the Youngstown Telegram.

Concord, N. H., April 17, 1800.

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Brooding Snakes.

The python lays eggs and hatches them by developing a high degree of which I believe to be permanent. Scores of people in this vicinity have been entirely wonder to winch the suffering from a severe attack of Sciatica the wonder to winch the suffering from a severe attack of Sciatica the wonder to winch the suffering from a severe attack of Sciatica the wonder to winch I bear to twenty-five years. Two years since, while suffering from a severe attack of Sciatica the wonder to winch I bear to the suffering from a severe attack of Sciatica the suffering from a severe attack of Sciatica

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ITS CAUSES AND CURE, her head closing the top. Not a single egg was visible.

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Two individuals belonging to the fraternity of "The Great American Travelers," more commonly known as "tramps," passed through this village, one day last week. They were supposed to have camped one night in the milk shed at Antrim station, as traces of their foot-prints could almost be seen in the early morning in that vicinity. It was said one of

for a pair of shoes. Two men, one an American, and the other an Englishman, went down into Florida last week to punch each other in the head. The significant thing about the affair was that the Englishman got the worst of the contest in just nine minutes. Encounters of this nature are a disgrace to our much boasted civilization, and not much credit attaches to the three thousand specators who witnessed the

The voice of Congressman Baker of this district was heard in Congress last week upon the tariff question. He thinks that the measure, if it becomes law, will impede the manufact uring interests of New Hampshire and that as a consequence lower wages and decreased productions must inevitably follow. The constituency of the district are fully aware of the threatening effect of the bill, illustrations of which are not wanting in any manufacturing village in New Hamp-

It doesn't seem possible, but it is fact nevertheless, that the boom city of Fort Payne, Ala., was recently sold at auction to a Mr. E. N. Collem of Birmingham, of that state, for \$60,-000. The great attempt by New England people to found a city in the South has thus been a most gigantic failure, and the money invested in this and other schemes of a like nature by our northern people is as good much towards building up towns and days since, and will spend the revillages in our midst. The lesson learned will no doubt acrue to the benefit of New England people in the near future. In 1889 the movement commenced and in less than three years the whole thing, comprising a property of five millions of dollars, has gone to smash. When the South wants help in building up that section of the country let them offer an equivalent in return.

Grammar School Lyceum.

Lyceum exercises took place at the Grammar school on Monday evening. The following programme was successfully carried out: Music, chorus; Reading, Oscar Hills; Recitation, Helen Tambling; Music, Ella Bullard. Debate .- Question: "Resolved, that a trip to Europe would afford more pleasure to a majority of people than a trip to the World's Fair." Affirmative, Ella Bullard, Charles Ellinwood; Negative: Ethel Little, Harvey Balch. Vocal duett, Blanche Bullard, and Pearl Eaton; Reading, Susie Tambling: Composition. Charles Bevis. The exercises were well rendered and much interest was observed on the part of the pupils. The inclemency of the weather no doubt prevented a larger number of our citizens from being present.

Rum Figures. The Rockford Monitor says that to get an intelligent idea of the vastness of the drink bill of the United States for 1893, \$1,200,000,000, we must make a few comparisons: "The net dwelt largely upon the subject of charearnings of all the railroads of the United States amount to less than onethird of our drink bill. The loss of property by fire in 1891 was only onepinth of the liquor bill. The entire expenses of the United States government are only about one-half what we pay for intoxicants. The aggregate capital of all our national banks is about \$700,000,000, or but little more than one-half the amount squandered for drinks each year."

Who?

Who weeps with you when you are sad, and laughs with you when you are glad? The editor. Who has to be both kind and wise, and naywell, hardly ever lies, and when he does excites surprise? The editor. Who owns a heart as well as cheek, possessed of spirit proud yet meek, and lives for others all the week? The editor.—Orange, Va., Observer.

The columns of a newspaper represent a cash value. No paper can afford to give advertising or "notices" free any more than a merchant can toss over the counter free gifts of dry goods, or shoes. A newspaper is a legitimate business institution; its columns are its stock in trade, for, no matter in what part of the paper they appear.—Exchange.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

George W. Hunt made a business trip to Boston last week. Mr. and Mrs. John A. Bryer have

been on the sick list recently. E. W. Baker was counted among the sick ones the most of last week. The severest snowstorm of the season visited this vicinity on Tuesday. Born to Rev and Mrs. G. L. Todd,

Merrimac, Mass., on the 28th inst.. degrees below zero on Monday morn-

Harry Nay spent several days of last week with his grand-parents at

in Nashua last week. Squires Forsaith is again able to be about his business and around town, after several weeks' illness.

In our last issue the night of the S. of T. entertainment should have them wore a very, very poor apology been Wednesday evening, Jan. 31 At the Eagle hotel, Concord, on Jan. 22nd, Hon. D. H. Goodell was chosen President of the State Law and Order League.

Quite a delegation of the members of Waverley lodge, I. O. O F. of this place will fraternize with the lodge at Wilton, this evening.

Delmont E. Gordon of Hillsboro' Bridge calls attention to his specialty this week in a new line of clocks. See new ad. in this issue.

Mrs. N. C. Jameson and daughter Isabel, left their home last Friday for New York city, where they will remain the rest of the winter.

Ed. J. Whittemore, who has been connected with the Reporter office for two years, severed his connection therewith on Saturday last.

Postmaster Swett issued new cards last week, giving information of the arrival and departure of the mail Slight changes are noted.

The new carpet for the Methodis church has been put in position, and adds very much to the appearance of the interior of this place of worship Rev. Wm. Hurlin preached to the Baptist people last Sunday, relieving the pastor, who was unable to speak on account of a severe cold and hoarse-

E. M. Quint of Concord has been granted a patent on muffler or softstop for pianos, through C. A. Snow & Co., solicitors of American and

Mrs. Caroline Eldredge of Harwichport, Mass., arrived here a few mainder of the winter with her daughter, Mrs. H. Webster Eldredge

And still inquiry is being made concerning the matter of dedicating the new town hall If anything in this line is intended it is none too early to make the necessary arrangements. The Cutlery works are reported to have received some large orders of late. It is now hoped that business will be good, orders will continue to

come in, and everyone in consequence be made happy. Nothing would please this community more. The meanest man known in this world is the one who takes a newspaper for one, two or three years and then without any notice or any settlement leaves the location and allows

lisher "uncalled for." J. B. Farrington, for several years resident of this town, but now of Faunton, Mass., was here last week. He is employed as a salesman for Goodell Company, and was getting his samples ready preparatory to trip over his old route.

In Harrington & Kibbey's regular advertising space will be found a new announcement of their reduction in prices, for cash, to reduce stock, previous to taking their annual account of stock. Look the list and prices through, and you will secure a quantity of such goods as you will need for future use.

Rev. C. E. Eaton of the M. E church, took for his theme on Sunday ruorning, words found in the 13th chapter of 1st Cor., 13th verse. He ity, calling to mind the action of people of means, throughout the country who have put their hands deep down in their pockets and given of their funds to those who had been affected by the present business depression.

The First Sleighing Party. On Thursday last the first sleighing party of the season ventured out. The party was small compared with ly invited to attend. Proceeds are to those of previous years, but the mem- be divided with the town library. bers undoubtedly enjoyed the ride to the fullest extent, and also the evening's festivities at Hancock. The sleighing was rather thin, especially in this village, but it is probable everyone who went with the party on Thursday is ready to say: "the sleighing was just splendid."

Considerable excitement is just now rife at Candia, this state, over the inhuman treatment of a boy by the name of Georgie Strddler, by a Mrs. Hartford. The boy was taken by the Hartford family when quite young, and it seems has been maltreated in many ways for a long time. If the facts are as stated, and they seem to be well substantiated, this Mrs. Hartford is a fiend in human form. Nothing like it has ever been heard of in this state. The injuries inflicted were of a nature that caused the death of the boy recently. The and announcements should be paid matter is being investigated, and it is an will be brought to account and punished.

Baptist Roll-call. At the roll-call of the Baptist church last week Tuesday, fifty-five responded in person to their names, seventeen reported by letter, and two were heard from through friends; making total of seventy-four. Four of these meetings have been held on successive years. They have grown n favor, until now they are regarded by many as the most helpful meeting of the church. One good purpose The themometer registered several which they serve is that of keeping the church in communication with its absent members. While it is our policy to encourage non-resident members to connect themselves with churches where they reside whenever they can Mrs. Geo. W. Hunt and daughter, do so, we think it right that as long Edith, spent a few days with relatives as they are members with us they

should report to us at least once a year. The letters received from absent members this year were very gratifying. Another purpose which the roll-call serve, is that of bringing the older and younger members of the church together in a way helpful to both. Whatever the theory may be, it cannot be denied that one disadvantage of the popular young people's movement of our time is to cre- the advertised Druggists and get a ate and deepen lines of separation between old and young in the church Ordinarily young Christians do no realize how much good they can do the older ones by showing a kindly interest in them, or how much good of which is guaranteed to do you they can derive from the maturer christian life of those who have been faithful for scores of years. These roll-calls have certainly served to deepen fraternal, family feeling in the

A Card. Owing to the severe storm of Mon day night, many of our out of town customers will be deterred from visit ing our store during the Special Seven Day Sale now in progress. We take this means of informing our patrous that we have decided to continue the sale through next week, but will positively close Saturday, February 13. Please bear in mind we have large quantities of new goods and the prices will remain unchanged through next week. Additional bargains for Saturday of this week.

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High School Lyceum. On Friday evening last, the pupils of the high school gave another in their series of lyceum debates, in the high school room, and a good number of our citizens were present. The exercises were substantially as fol-Eaton; Essay, Robert Oaks; Recit ed, that a better education is gained by reading than by observation." On the affirmative side were Misses Woodbury and Campbell, on the negative, Misses Cochran and Cooley The question was well discussed by the young ladies, and the verdict rendered by the parties appointed as judges was that two-thirds of them were of the mind that a better edu cation could be gained by observation, the other third by reading. The question being submitted to the house for discussion, Mr. Fred Parmente responded by taking the two propo sitions as one. The debate was folhis paper to be returned to the publowed by song by Emma Wallace Reading, Miss Pettee: Recitation Fred Brown, and an essay by Myrtie Cooley, closed the exercises. These lyceum debates are to be commended. and while they are a source of grea benefit to the pupils who take part they are of interest to those who at tend and listen to the discussion.

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The Sons of Temperance have arranged to hold an entertainment and concert at the Methodist church this Wednesday evening, at which a very interesting program will be delivered. Very prominent on the program will be an address by Chas. T. Matthews, and a dialogue from several members of the order. Music and reading will also be rendered. Admission 20 cents. All are most cordial-PROGRAM.

Chorus Anthem,

2 Musical Duet, George Bailey, Fred Robinson Trio, "Pardon Came Too Late," J. Bate, J. Stotz, C. Muzzey Recitation, "A Word to Our Girls"
Ed. J. Whittemore Quartet, "Where has the Sum" ner Fled?"
Misses Whitney, Frye, Cooley.

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Charles T. Matthews

Mary Cole, Hattie Burnham Jack Cole, Will Ingram Grandmother Cole, very deaf, Blanche Cole, Blanche

Emma Wallace Ed. Whittemore Aunt Mattie,



Several of our people are on the ick list.

Harry Knight was at Manchester DONT THINK TOO LONG. for the past few days.

John Fleming spent Sunday with friends at Milford. Mrs. Gilman is a guest of Mrs. John Newton. The C supper, given under the di-

rection of the young ladies, was a success, and was greatly enjoyed by all. The young ladies wish to thank, through the columns of the Reporter, all who so kindly contributed and assisted in the supper.

Mrs. Dr. Loveland is visiting her

A number of young folks went to Hancock Friday evening, to witness the drama: "Bound By An Outh." A. W. Gray was in town last week. We always welcome Mr. Gray in our

Some of our fishermen went to Stoddard last week; with what luck, we have not learned. Snow enough.

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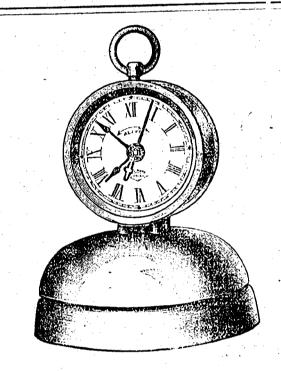
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In addition to the prize of \$150.00 every one who does not succeed in correctly counting the numbers will receive a set of twelve novels, by well-known writers. A list of these way published in the August Housewife. During the new year The Housewife offers a wide range of articles of value to the HOME and PRACTICAL WOMEN. Among its leading subjects are:

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A Matter of Business.

A number of lodges, churches, and societies in Autrim will hold entertainments this season for the benefit of stipation. their treasuries and for other purposes, undoubtedly worthy. The ANTRIM RE-PORTER will be pleased to report such affairs, if notified, but for the preliminary announcements of the entertainments, etc., where admission is charged it will be necessary to make the usual advertising charges, according to the long friend; if false, a life-long enespace occupied. It is a matter of busmy. We stand by this, and say it is
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DEERING.

F. P. Ellinwood is at home from

The Selectmen were in session at the products, the skill of the women in town hall Saturday. Charles Forsaith still remains sick and under the doctor's care.

The drama, "Enlisted for the War," will be played Friday evening, Feb. 22, by home talent.

Emma Ellaworth is expected home from Ashburnham this we k. George Gregg has been visiting his sister in Nashua.

HANCOCK. Cyrus R. Estabrooks slipped on the The day after Adam and Eve had ice last Friday and fell, breaking his been driven out of paradise, Adam hip. Dr. Hougden of Peterboro was said to Eve, "Yesterday you loved summoned to attend him. This is a me, when I could lay the garden of serious accident for him, as he is an Eden at your feet. How do you reold man, nearly 80 years of age, and gard me now when I am a beggar in feeble health.

The pulpit was supplied last Sunday oy a student from Andover Theological Seminary by the name of Clark, of paradise." But the serpent, who and he is expected to preach again next Sunday. The town lyceum will be held at the

own hall on Thursday evening of this

The following was clipped from an Elizabeth City paper. The two Cashons were formerly residents of this

CASHION-NOLAN. A Happy Wedding at the Most Holy

In the Church of the Holy Rosary there occurred a happy wedding yes-terday afternoon at five o'clock. Rev. Father Smith performed the ceremony. The contracting parties were Mr. Robert P. Cashion of New York City and Miss Alice Nolan of Elizabeth, New attention as anything unusual .-Jersey. The bride was attired in a Philadelphia Press. traveling dress of fawn colored cloth, trimmed with rable, and wore a hat to match. She carried a bunch of bridal roses and presented a charming appearance. Miss Maggie Nolan, sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid. St., and Mr. and Mrs. Cashion were congratuleted by many friends from New York, Jersey City, Brooklyn, New Brunswick, and this city. Among the numerous and beautiful presents were a pair of diamond ear rings, a gitt of the groom. Mr. and Mrs.

Cashion will reside in New York

HANCOCK, N. H., Jan. 20, '94. To the Editor of the Antrim Reporter: In looking over the columns or your last issue, our attention was attracted by an article signed "Committee." This article attempts to vindicate the nelp us make a better paper by so do-ing. Ii. W. ELDREDGE, Editor. toward the Rev. Mr. Kelsev. by as-Frint Wrappers

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to investigate the action taken, and soand physiological investigation and icits questions regarding the meeting critical study by Dr. S. Weir Mitchcalled by Mr. Keisey, etc. Now. inasmuch as we learn, from very trustworthy and reliable sources, that ho two who were present at said meeting are able to report the same story, we humbly ask, to whom shall we refer (proteids), which have been given for the correct report? We know of no one but Mr. Kelsey himself, who could and would fairly and squarely eport the matter. If an overwhelming majority of the church" consider themselves abused by our late pastor, much larger majority of the town's people think Mr. Kelsey has been abused by the church and Committee. We have in mind at this moment a trial which occurred nearly uincteen hundred years ago, in which an innocent person was falsely accused, by witnesses suborned for the occasion, and whom, even a heathen king, pronounced faultless, and was anxious to M. Bouchard, had a dispute with his release; but the exceedingly religious baker about an account, and the ba-

and pious aggrieved ones, cried, "Crn- ker took out a summons against him. "Away with Him." When the case came on for hearing, How strange that human nature should M. Bouchard stepped off the bench have changed so little from that day to and begged his substitute to decide it. this! But we would not appear to The substitute did so, and the result viodicate Mr. Kelsey's character. He was that the judge was ordered to needs no vindicating from our pen. pay the amount in dispute, together Viewed from an intellectual, a moral, with the costs of the proceedings. and a religious standpoint, he has London News. reached an eminence, to which, we fear, the church of Hancock will never NON COMMITTEE. Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

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The Women of Armenia

dress, education and singular social

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monies, including some strange rites

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etic spirit of the people and their

wild legends. Armenia is full of

folklore; the woods, mountains and

lakes are peopled with spirits; even

the flowers have spirits. The women

are the custodians of the folk poetry.

fire on winter nights is the following:

and an outcast?" Eve answered, "I

love you just the same." Adam said.

Your love makes me forget the loss

was listening, said, "She loves you

just the same because there is nobody

Unprinted Cuss Words.

she is spoke" and English as she is

written are two very different things,

None of our fin de siecle writers, no

matter how self consecrate to the

idol of realism, has dared to put

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English into print. Even the news-

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squeamish of all publications, shrinks

from reproducing in cold type the

"cuss words," epithets and exclama-

tions heard on the street so frequent-

ly that they have ceased to attract

He Might Live Too Long.

Old Hardcash-Yes, Miss Young-

thing has given me some encourage-

ment, at least she hasn't refused me

"Eh? Then what can she want?"

"She wants to see if you come of a long lived family." — New York

Sources of Ugliness.

Poverty alone does not produce the

vulgar type. Destitution, suffering.

want of leisure for mental culture.

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living have produced types of man-

sonal beauty occurs only as an acci-

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difference are the source of personal

found features seamed by sickness,

dimmed by sensuality, convulsed by

passion, pinched by want, shadowed

by sorrow, branded with remorse.

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down with labor, tortured by disease,

Composition of Snake Poisons.

(especially those native of America)

has been made a subject of chemical

ell, the Philadelphia expert. Assist-

ed by Dr. Reichert, Professor Mitch-

ell succeeded in separating the venom

of rattlesnakes and moccasins into

three different and distinct poisons

the names of "venom peptone," "ven-

om globuline" and "venom albu-

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more about the habits of serpents

and the action of the poison of the

venomous ones than any other man

Condomned In His Own Court.

demned in costs in the very court

over which he presides. This novel

experience has come to the judge de

paix, or county court judge, of Com-

mentry, near Montlucon. The judge,

Two Negatives.

Johnnie-Well, you said "No, no,"

when I asked you for a quarter this

morning. When do I get it?-De-

His First Letter.

A writer in The Christian Union gave

an amusing account of the first letter

ever written to his wife by a certain

old gentleman. The couple had never

been separated in all the years of their

married life until pa, at the age of 70,

concluded to visit some relatives in Bos-

When he was preparing to start on

of paper and put in a wafer, so you

ody noticed 'em. I am Your Respected Husband.

Royal Pensioners.

Duke of Saxe-Coburg (the Duke of Edin-

burgh) now that he has become a Ger-

man prince. The government has yield-

ed to the request of the royal family on

the ground that the duke finds his Ger-

Cable.

won't have no trouble about that."

make an affirmative?

troit Free Press.

Papa—That's the rule.

It is not often that a judge is con-

in America.—St. Louis Republic.

The venom of poisonous serpents

Louis Post-Dispatch.

Friend-No, she doesn't.

ives the most faithful picture of ev-

Every one knows that "English as

else!"-Lecture by A. Abovian.

Among the stories told around the

Their Lives making silks, cotton and woolen Poisoned by Impure Water cloth, carpets and embroidery; their

Stowe, Vermont.

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Lily, aged eight years, was nearly as bad as
Eva but being older and stronger, held up a littlo better. We gave them both Hood's Sarsaparilla, which built up their strength and health
finely so that they became fat and plump, lively
and happy. My son Carroll was in a bad con-

One bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla put him on his feet and restored perfect health. I believe Hood's Sarsaparilla sayed my children's lives." John T. Brown, Stowe, Vermont.

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me in Revere, Mass., Monday.

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> Mr. Geo. Vose is confined to his cose with inflammatory rheumatism.

W. H. Stinson of Boston, Mass. ssisted by Mr. Wilder of Lyndeboro. istalled the officers of Oak Hill Grange Plairsday evening. Delegations from yudehoro. New Boston, and Greeneld, were present, the exercises were ery interesting. A bountiful supper News. was served, and a pleasant and enjoy-

his memorable trip, his wife, who was to remain at home, said: "Pa. you nevend Dr. Whittle, who is quite sick er writ me a letter in your life, and I do hope when you git safely there you'll with pucumonia. write me a line and let me know how

you bore the journey. I'll buy a sheet and proved to be a success in every vay, much credit is due E. W. Firmin and others for their untiring efforts Pa was absent a week, and faithful The hall was tastefull trimmel with to his promise he sent a letter. It read iosa and flag. Beadle's orchestra of thus:

RESPECTED LADY—I got here safe, and I am very well, and I hope you are the same. I shall be glad to git home, for the pride of the airth that I see here is enough to ruin the nation. The women folks are too lazy to set up in their carriages. They loll back and look as if they was goin to sleep, and I don't s'pose one of 'em could milk a cow or feed a pig. Nephew Abilah has a proper dairy of horses, an I have rid all over Boston. There wa'n't no need o' putita them boughten buttons on my coat, for no-body noticed 'em. I am Keene, gave a fine concert for an hous. Dancing commenced promotly at nine Supper served at Unitarion church by ladies of that society. Tables were laid in a tasty manner, and the waiters

Mr. Labouchere finds a good_deal of oopular support in his opposition to a

Tuesday ovening a ten cent supper further grant of \$50,000 a year to the was held by ladies of Unitarian society James Merrill, Jr., died suddenly in Antrim of heart disease. Ho was formerly a member of Francestown band, and the remains were brought here for burial.

man estate so incumbered that he is still formerly of this town, died of quick comes again before parliament.—London brought here for interment.

Hood's Saved



Eva, Carroll and Lily Brown

"Gentlemen:-Last winter, my two girls, boy and wife were taken ill. The doctors said they were poisoned by drinking water from an old well. The two girls falled to rally under the doctor's treatment. Eva, aged four years, fell away so sho only weighed 181/, lbs.; coughed all the time and was helpiess. Physicians said She Had Consumption.

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Mrs. L. N. Colburn returned to be Mr. and Mrs. Chase of Hennike re guests of Chas. Sleener.

Misses Lowell and George of Boston, Mass., are visiting at M. L. Col-

[Too late for last issue.]

Harrison Whitfield has moved into he house vacated by Mr. Chase.

able evening speat. Dr. Todd was called to Weare to at

Fireman's Ball came off the 22nd were all trained in serving.

Mrs. Geo. Shattuck, while attend ing the ball, had a valuable for cape taken, and an old one left in its place. We hope it was taken in mistake and that she will soon receive her own prop-

Jennie La Bonta of Worcester, Mass.

Packing a Trunk Well. Do you know how to pack a trunk

well? asks Rath Ashmoro in The Ladies' Home Journal. And if you don't how many people do you know who do? And wouldn't you gladly give \$1 for a large and 50 c ats for a small trunk that is properly packed? The packer comes with dozens of sheets of tissue paper and several pieces of tape. You can sit where you belongings are, and as skirts and bodges are taken down say which you want. Then the bodices have their the ves stuffed with paper to keep then rassape, the trimmings carefully covered with it; the skirts are properly tolded; the bonnets and hats have tapes pinned to them, and these same tapes are tacked to the sides of the hatbox, so that no matter how much the trunk may be shaken not a feather nor a rose newes cut of its place. Then when everytherights done there is laid on the top of the last tray a list of the things the area to the trunk, so that you don't lose you that per searching for the

and the left at home. request Fiv. . ci. Cremated In America. The i.e. white person lawfully cremated within the present limits of the United States, according to wishes and desires expressed by himself, was Colonel Henry Engrens, one of the Revolutionary patriots. He was born in Charleston, S. C., in the year 1724, and died on his plantation near that place on Dec. 8, 1792. His will, which he had requested them to open and read the next day after his death, was supplomented with the following: "I solemply enjoin it upon my son, as an indispensable duty, that, as soon as be conveniently can after my decease, he cause my body to be wrapped in 12 yards of towcloth and burned until it be entirely consumed." The request was carried out to the letter and was the beginning of cremation in Amer-

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ica.—St. Louis Republic. Naturo's Nobleman. One whose charity is as broad as the earth, who is generous to a fault, who is honest to a rival; who, becoming a friend, remains one through track and thin; who, loving, loves with all the ardor of a nel le, conse tent mind; who, being convinced of the right, is as imenough to hold his judge and in suspense and to change his at a deshould so perior arguments be brought to bear such a one is an ideal man and one of nature's noblemen. - New York Ledger.

W. L. Poyer, proder, of Chambersburg, Pa., has in kis ein joe a worksman who has produced a state hat marks the bours backs att. The figure I means Xi. II toward X, and corrying the figures out it is a erect this; for a sparking party. The young guitleman, not ready to be kicked out, triumphantly shows his watch and stays until 7 o'clock in the morning, -- Jewelers' Circular.

The Tallest of All Animals. There are a few groups of living large mammals whose existing members appear never to have been surpassed in size by their fossil relatives. Foremost among these are the whales, which now appear to include the largest mambers of the order which have ever existed. The so called white, or square mouthed, rhinoceros of South Africa seems also to be fully equal in size to any of its tainly true of the giraffe, which may even exceed all its predecessors in this respect. Whether the fossil giraffes were or were not the equals in height of the largest individuals of the living species, there is no question but that the latter is by far the tallest of all living mammals, and that it was only rivated in this respect among the extinct forms by its aforesaid ancestors. Moreover, if we exclude creatures like some of the gigantic dinosaurian reptiles of the secondary epoch, which, so to speak, gained an unfair advantage as regards height by sitting on their hind legs in a kangaroolike manner, and limit our com parison to such as walk on all four feet in the good old fashioned way, we shal find that giraffes are not only the tallest mammals, but likweise the tallest of all animals that have ever existed.

Leather Like Velvet. The manufacture of leather is reach ing what must be almost the highest perfection of the art. A new process has recently been patented in France for the production of a leather which both to the touch and eye has a striking resemblance to velvet. Leathers of this description hitherto manufactured have been obtained by treatment of the flesh side of the hide or skin. The flesh side of the skin being always coarse, the patentees claim now to secure better results by treating the hair side. They scratch or rub the hair side with a rub ber of strong erosive qualities, or with emery or glass, when working small surfaces, and use a grindstone for heavier work. In this manner a downy nap is brought out which they throw and lay in different directions, thereby bringing out varied designs of changing hue and appearance. The velvety surface produced is said to be similar to the down of a peach skin. The fiber is very fine, soft to the touch and has all the appearance of silk velvet shorn very you have tried it for yourself. close. -- Shoe and Leather Gazette.

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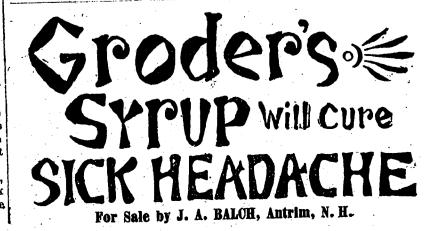
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A mask upon her pretty nose, She blushes like a sweet June rose.

THAT PICTURE.

During five or six years Marcel had worked at that famous painting which he affirmed should represent the crossing of the Red sea, and for five or six That's a sum, that is!" years this masterpiece of color had been obstinately refused by the jury at the annual salou.

So, from force of habit in going and roming so often from the studio to the museo and from the museo to the studio, the picture knew the road so well that, if one had set it on wheels, it would have been able to go all alone to the Louvre.

Marcel, who had ten times repainted and rearranged this canvas from top to bottom, attributed to a personal hostility of the members of the jury against himself the ostracism which rejected it annually from the Square salon, and in his idle moments he had compesed in honor of the Cerberuses of the institute a little dictionary of curses with some illustrations of a savage ferocity. This collection, which had become celebrated, had obtained in the studios and at the School of the Fine Arts the popular success which is attached to the immortal complaint of Jean Belin, painter in ordinary to the grand sultan of Turkey. All the daubers of Paris had a copy of it in their

For a long time Marcel was not diswhich ho received at each annual exhibition. He was comfortably settled in the opinion that his picture was, in it; least proportions, the long sought for pendant to the "Marriage Feast at | called it, "At the Port of Marseilles." Cana," that gigantic masterpiece whose brilliant splendor the dust of three centuries has not been able to tarnish. So, every year at the epoch of the salon, Marcel sent his picture to be examined by the jury. Only -- in order to throw the examiners off the scent and to try to bafflo them in their preconceived determination to exclude it, which prejudice they seemed to have against the "Crossing of the Red Sea" -- without changing anything in the general composition of the painting, he modified certain details and changed the title of his picture. Thus, one year it came before the jury under the name of "Tho Crossing of the Rubicon." But Pharach, badly disguised under Casar's mantle, was instantly recognized and rejected with all the honors due him.

The following year Marcel threw upon the foreground of his canvas a layer of white paint to represent snow, planted a tree in one corner, and dressing up an Egyptian in the uniform of the imperial guard of France he baptized his picture "The Crossing of the Beresina." The jury, which had rub-bed up its spectacles that day upon the official occasions the members of the institute wear dress coats having green palms embroidered on the lapels and collars-was not duped by this new ruse. It recognized perfectly the obstinato canvas, especially by a Lg devil of a many colored horse that prancel about on top of a wave of the Red sea. The dressing of this horse served Marcel for all his experiments in coloring, and in his everyday speech he called it "a synoptical tableau of fine tones," because it reproduced all the most varied of light and shade. But once more, unmoved by this fine detail, the jury had not black balls enough to fully express their feelings in rejecting "The Crossing of the Beresina.

"Very well," said Marcel, "I'll wait! Next year I shall send it again under the title of the 'Passage des Panoia-

A few days later, and when Macrel had already forgotten terrible threats of vengeance he had uttered against his persecutors, he received a visit from Father Medicis. Thus the behemians had nicknamed a Jew named Solomon. who at that epoch was well known to all members of artistic and literary Bohemia, with whom he was in perpetual relations. Pero Medicis did business in all sorts of bric-a-brac. He sold completo sets of furniture at from 12 francs up to 3,000. He bought everything and knew how to sell it again at a profit.

taken advantage of his sagacity in sup-The exchange bank of M. Proudhon plying them with collateral.-New was a very little affair compared to the system applied by Medicis, who possessed the genius of traffic to a degree never before attained by even the most able of his fellow believers. His shop, which was situated in the Place du Carrousel, was a fairyland where one found everything to be desired. All the products of nature, all the creations of art, all that comes forth from the bowels of the earth andiot genius, Medicis made of it an object of negotiation.

His business touched everything, absolutely everything that exists; he dealt even in the ideal. Medicis bought ideas in order to exploit them himself or to sell them again. Known to all the litterateurs and all the artists, an intimate of the palette and a familiar friend of the writing desk, he was the Asmodens of the art. He would, sell you some cigars for the plot of a novel. some slippers for a sonnet, some fresh fish for paradoxes; he chatted "by the hour" with writers whose business it was to relate in the newspapers the scandal of society; he would procure you places in the galleries of the house of parliament and invitations to private soirces: he lodged by the night, the week or the month the wandering daubers who paid him in copies of the works

of Flavius Josephus. On entering the home of the bohemians, with that intelligent air which distinguished him, the Jew divined ment. In fact, the four friends found and you will find a liar." And you'll themselves at that moment met in councious appetite they were discussing the nity in which he or she lives.—Baltigrave question of bread and meat. It mora World.

was on a Sunday, and the end of the month! Fatal day and sinister date! The entrance of Medicis was therefore greeted with a joyous chorus, for they knew that the Jew was too miserly of his time to spend it in visits of mere politeness. Therefore his presence always announced an affair of business. "M. Marcel," said Medicis, "I have

come here solely to make your fortune. That is to say, I've come to offer you a superb chance to enter the artistic world. Art, as you well know, M. Marcel, is an arid road of which glory is the oasm." "Pero Medicis," said Marcel, on the

hot coals of impatience, "in the name of 50 per cent, you venerated patron saint, be brief!"

"This is the affair," said Medicis. 'A wealthy lover of paintings who is making a collection of pictures destined to make the tour of Europe has ordered me to procure for him a series of remarkable works. I have come to offer you an entrance into that gallery of art. In a word, I have come to buy your 'Crossing of the Red Soa.' "Cash?" said Marcel.

"Cash," responded the Jow. making the orchestra in his breeches pocket play a lively tune. "Go on, Medicis," said Marcel, displaying his painting. "I wish to leave to yourself the honor of fixing the price

of this work, which is beyond all The Jew placed on the table 50 crowns in beautiful new silver pieces. "Go on," said Marcel; "that is only

the advance guard." "M. Marcel," said Medicis, "you well know I shall add nothing. Reflect! Fifty crowns. That makes 150 francs.

"A feeble sum," replied the artist. "Why, know that my first word is always my last, merely in the robe of my Pharaoh there are 50 crowns' worth of cobalt. Pay me at least the material. Equalize those piles, round up the fig-

ures, and I will call you Leo X." "Here's my last word," said the Jew. "I'll not add a sou more, but I offer a dinner to all of you, various wines at your own discretion, and at the dessert I'll pay in gold." "Does any gentleman wish to make any further bid?" yelled Colline, rap-

ping three times with his fist on the table. "Going, going, gone!" "Agreed," said Marcel. "I will send for the picture tomor-

row," said the Jew. "Now let us start, gentlemen; the table is laid." The four friends descended the stairs, singing the chorus from "Les Huguenots," "A table, a table!"

Eight days after that feast Marcel learned in what gallery his picture had taken its place. While walking through the Faubourg Saint Honore he stopped in the midst of a group that was gazing with curiosity at the hanging of a sign over a shop. That sign was none other than Marcel's famous picture, couraged by the determined rejections sold by Medicis to a dealer in provi-Only, the "Crossing of the Red Sea" had once more suffered a modification and bore a new title. Some one had added to it a steamboat and had A flattering ovation arose among the loungers when they discovered the painting. So Marcel turned away, delighted by this triumph, and murmured. The voice of the people is the voice of God!" Boston Transcript.

> Politeness Pays. ve often heard my uncle," said the nephew of a noted lawyer who died lately, "dwell upon the fact that he owed much of his success in life to a habit of mvariable politeness, without any element of todyism, which had been institled into his nature by the teachings of a wise mother. His first start in his profession came through an old service man who was employed about the house where he boarded when a young man. One morning he passed out as she was scrubbing the front steps, and he saluted her politely, as usual. She stopped him. They tell me ye are a lawyer, she said. 'Yes.' Well, I know a poor widdy woman that wants a lawyer, and if you will givo mo your address I'll tell her.

The 'poor widdy' proved to be the chief heir to a large estate in Delaware coun tails of its green palmed coats—on ty. My uncle became her attorney and trustee of her children, recovered her interest in the estate and derived a good income from its management for many years." -- Philadelphia Record.

Borning Chinese Tribes. In the plains on the western Forders of the Chinese empire, in the very heart of Asia, there live roaming tribes who seldom visit towns, except it may be in the way of trade. They dwell in tents which they pitch wherever they may happen for the moment to be wancombinations of color with their plays dering or working. The tent used by some of the roving Mongolian folk is great flock of crows came along and made of telt and is usually low, small settled in the field. The tame one and pointed toward the top. The wooden door frame is no higher than half a till the attention of the flock was window frame in our houses, but the

tent, although not equal to the wants of a large family, is snug and comfortable oneugh in summer, but cold in winter. -Western Mail. Sells Worthless Securities. There is an individual in New York who makes a good living by dealing in | securities which have a purely speculative value, and which, in many cases, are known to be worthless. He buys these cheap for cash and sells them to men who go into fraudulent bankruptcies and want to make a showing of asacts to their creditors. He has been making money in it for years and has had a share in filling out the schedules

York Letter. Her Bathing Togs. The little boy was very much interested in a picture that his sister had had taken while at the seashore. It was a picture that had been taken "just for the fun of the thing" and not for distribution among her friends-one of those pictures that a girl keeps in her own room where none but her intimates may see it. This one showed the young lady and her "dearest friend" on the beach in bathing suits. Both of the girls were pretty and had good figures that the bathing suits showed to excellent advantage, but the picture seemed to be a source of endless speculation to

of a great many bankrupts who have

"Did you and Mamie wear them togs at the seashore?" he asked one day...

"Of course we did," she replied. "Did you wear them short skirts and stockin's so's you could go in bathing?' he persisted.

'Certainly: what makes you ask such a question?" 'Oh, I dunno," he replied carelessly. "I thought mebbo you went in bathin so's you could we'rr them togs."-Chicago Post.

The Gossip. truth when he said, "Find a gossip find the worst kind of a liar at that. The gossip is a curse to the commu-

Skin **Eruptions**

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A Tamo Crow Boycott. It is a well known fact that wild animals and birds do not care to receive back into their society a member that has lived a season with a man as a pet. This was illustrated in a noisy manner out near Pleasant Ridge, according to the story told by a witness: "A tame crow," said he, "had for several years cawed around the farmhouse of our neighbor and vesterday was seated on a fence away out on the farm cawing, when a grow frantic, cawing and scolding in his own skin.-London Million.

attracted to it. "Rising en masse, the flock circled around and alighted on the fence about the tame one, which became frightened and flew up. It was followed by the others, which crowded about it in its flight and forced it to fly farther and farther away from the farmhouse and over a great wood. There they all set on it and pecked it and clawed the poor thing till its flight was marked with feathers falling. All this while they kept up a terrible cawing and calling, like a convention of reformed drunkards. They would undoubtedly have killed the poor bird, but it spied a man at work in the woods and dropped down to him. He proved a friend, and Jim Crow was soon perched on his shoulder, cawing defiantly at his relatives who had cast him from among them, but who now flew to a respectful distance." — Cincinnati Times Star.

Keep your eyes on your tongue if you want to be beautiful. It is the weather glass of your interior organization. If it shows a bright red, be merry and sing. You are in fighting trim and you ought to win, for, as the ruddy, noble Gladstone puts it, nothing is impossible to the well man.

A table is a queer thing. It is said to groan under the good things that are piled on it, while the stale jokes that are driveled out after the good things are eaten are supposed to set the table in a roar.

There are now over 250,000 words in the English language acknowledged by the best authorities, or about 70,000 more than in the German, French, Spanish and Italian languages combined.

A little girl startled her mother the other day by abruptly asking what One of our ministers told a great barbers did with all their shavings. —Philadelphia Record. / The Atlanta Constitution is of the

cost her.

HUMAN SACRIFICES IN RUSSIA.

This Horrible Practice Still Exists In That Country. Very few persons in Europe or elsewhere are aware that human sacrifices still exist in a part of the Russian empire.

The fact is nevertheless certain. Among the Tchuktchis such sacrifices still take place and seem likely to be practiced for long time to come. At the same time no blame therefor can be attached to the Russian government or the orthodox church, for efforts by both to stop the custom have proved ineffectual. The sacrifices alluded to are those of old people and the sick, who, finding no pleasure in life, resolve to have done with earthly existence, to rejoin their dead relations and go to increase the number of

The Tchuktchi who has made up his Boston: Transcript. The Tchuktchi who has made up his mind to die immediately notifies his neighbors and nearest relatives. The news spreads in the circle of his friends, and all of them soon visit the unhappy person to influence him to change his mind. Prayers, reproaches, complaints and tears have no effect on the fanatic. who explains his reasons, speaks of the future life, of the dead who appear to him in his sleep, and even when he is awake, calling him to them. His friends, seeing him thus resolved, go away to make the customary preparations. At the end of from 10 to 15 days they return to the hut of the Tchuktchi with white mortuary garments and some weapons which will be used by the man

in the other world to fight evil spirits and hunt the reindeer.
After making his toilet the Tchuktchi withdraws into the corner of the hut. His nearest relative stands by his side, holding in his hand the instrument of sacrifice—a knife, or a pike, or a rope. If the Tchuktchi has chosen the knife, two of his friends hold him under the arms and by the wrists, and at a given signal breast. If the pike has been chosen, two of his friends hold that weapon and two others throw the victim on its point. For strangulation the rope is put about his neck, and the sacrificers drawit until death ensues. Then the assistants go to the corpse, redden their hands and face with its blood and place it on a sledge drawn by a reindeer, which draws it to the place of the funeral.

When at their destination, the Tchuktchis cut the throat of the reindeer, take from the dead body its clothing. which is torn in pieces, and place the corpse on a lighted funeral pile. During the incineration the assistants offer up prayer to the happy in the other world and supplicate these to watch over them and theirs.

These horrible practices are followed today with the same exactness as in ancient times. The Inkatchis, the Lamouts and the Russians in ited to these sacrifices often take part in them, although there is no example of one of them having taken the same road to reach the other world.—Yakootsk Gazette.

A Photograph of Beecher. We photographers have queer experiences. Ours is a most excellent opportunity to study human nature, and making a baby laugh is not the one trick of his money, I turned my attention to wars. It is a monopoly, the calling. In order to take a good phothe dealer. The man with the The "South sea bubble" began with ograph one should know something about the sitter's habits and surroundngs. This he must learn at a single Henry Ward Beccher thoroughly en

glance or by an adroit question. joyed having his photograph taken. To use his own words, "Whenever I have 10 minutes to spare I run up and have Sarony make a new photograph of me." Mr. Beecher was impulsive and carnest. By talking to bim for a few moments about a favorice subject I could arouse his enthusiasm, and then when the fire was still in his eyes and his face was lighted up with expression I snapped the camera and got a picture in which Beecher, the orator and preacher, and Beecher, lucky, for I didn't play many cards the thinker, stuck out at every point.-Napoleon Sarony in New York Herald.

Bound in His Own Skin.

Through the courtesy of the librarian of Trinity college, Cambridge, I was enabled, says a correspondent, to examine a portion of human skin which was taken from the body of Corder, the murderer of Maria Martin, in the red barn near Bury St. Edmunds. The doctor written, sent the author a piece of the murderer's skin, properly tanned and prepared. In this a copy of the book was subsequently bound and presented to the library. This is a remarkable instance of a man's biography being bound

How the Judge Was Revenged. In the course of a speech made in case tried in the mayor's court counsel told this anecdote of a learned judge I looked up and was of course surwho used to sit not more than 100 miles | prised to see him, but I knew the from the Guild hall: The case he was little game in which I was not taking trying was against a railway company | much interest was up. for the loss of a bag. After a somewhat lengthy hearing the judge summed up to the jury thus: "Gentlemen, the know this gentleman? He has been plaintiff claims damages for the loss of his bag against the company. They are always losing bags. They lost mine when I was on circuit. Consider your verdict." They did and found it very easy to arrive at a conclusion .- London

Barbed Wire Boundaries. A great political international future s undoubtedly in reserve for barbed wire, if all nations follow the example given by Turkey and Servia. These two countries, which have been so often at war against each other during centuries and whose frontiers are not indicated everywhere by natural obstacles, have tinuous line of iron wire.—New York

Nelson's Nightcap. stay with him at his house in Merton. Dr. Burney was both a composer of

cap with him, he borrowed one of Nelthe cap and sat down to read, as was on the boards. But he was far his habit, but was soon surprised to more than this. find the ca, in flames. These he put out at once, and then gathering the these lines: Take your nightesp again, my good lord, I de-

I would not retain it a minute. What belongs to a Nelson wherever there's fire Is sure to be instantly in it. -New York Journal.

Grandpa - Well, Sammy, where

THE BRIDAL OF THE LADY AIDEEN

"Oh, Lady Aideen, will you wed with me, wed, with me in the early morning.

A silken gown for your body's wear, a golden crown for your hair's adorning?
(One firting magpie on the quicken tree files from his perching twixt you and me.)

from his perching twirt you and me.

The proudest colt that my land has fed

For you shall chafe first harnessed,

And for your bidding six maidens be."

Oh, bird of sorrow, between hope and meb "Oh, Earl Desmond, I am loath to speak, loath to speak for your true heart's sorrow. I'll be a bride at no man's altar, though I be a

wedded bride tomorrow.

(Death's hand closes on the digging spade Rest forever neath the yew tree's shade.)
Fix slow steeds my body bear; to fret or prance they will not care, And no handmalden with me would dwell. (Hark, the tolling of the passing bell.)

for me who won my refusing?
Who hath the singing and all the sun on earth forever, and I the losing? (Oh, the plow horses going off from mel Borrow and tears will my harvest be.) My arms were strong for your woman's fear, heart were weak for your loving, dear. What can he give whom you will not name?" (Clings a winding sheet by the candle's flame.)

"Oh, Lady Aideen, will you name for me, nam

"Oh, Earl Desmond, be you brave for sorrow, brave for sorrow which is no man's shielding; Love has wept till his eyes grew blind, and victory's not in a weapon's yielding.

(Six black horses awalting me; the ring of the spade has ceased to be.)
My lord is named with a bated breath, probability he will produce the opera "L'Attaque du Moulin," by Zola. Whom hope calls Life and despair names Death. And oh, his love no world can kill!" (The banshee waits on the windowsill.)

—From Verses by Dora Sigerson. of historical accuracy in opera. She has seen singers impersonating charac-

DIAMOND CUT DIAMOND.

Crooked Faro Dealer Was Hoist "I had a curious experience when I first struck Seattle," said a well know gambler. "I had been playing pretty lucky down in Denver and up in the Cripple Creek country and came up to the sound by way of Portland. Don't know why I came, but just came. I didn't find any of the boys whom I knew, but soon got acquainted and was moving around having a good time, but not playing Mikado" at the Unter den Linden theaany. I had a good deal of money and was enjoying a few days of leisure. One day I sat down to a faro layout and was keeping cases myself. I didn't know the dealer from Adam's orphan and didn't pay much attention to the game. I was simply chipping along waiting for the cases. keeping about even, and seldom

start of a deal. "After awhile my attention was called to one player. In fact, about 1694 to meet the difficulty experiences all of them had dropped out but us by William III in raising funds for the two, and as I was noticing my own play only enough to see that my own bets were promptly paid I had to notice him. He seemed to have plenty A broken bench implied a money chang of money and was dropping a good

making more than one bet at the

deal of it on the high card. "Now, there are a good many things about a faro box that every one is not on to, but with a fellow who makes his bread and butter on the green cloth, as I have for years, it's an old acquaintance. I own a little one that I got from Gifford down in San Diego a year ago, and I practice with its emioceasionally up in my room, when I haven't anything elso to do and nothing particular to think

"When I noticed the fellow lose cial difficulties occasioned by the French money must have been greener than the establishment of an improvement the cloth in front of him, for he didn't tumble to the dealer, who was working very raw. He was putting up more than half the deck for the high eard to lose. He did not pay a bit of attention to me, so I did to regular army, to whom an elegant repart him. I have a pretty good memory,

because I need it in my business. It was no trouble for me to watch him shuffle and remember eight or ten turns from the top, and of course I could catch the last turn. He was just putting up for the other fellow and thought I was just playing open, but had my chips leading over from some out of the way card to the card I knew was going to win and was, of course, apparently as much surprised as the dealer when it was seen my chips led right.

"The dealer was busy and was accomplishing what he was striving for. I was busy, too, and equally successful. The result was that in who dissected the man after the sentence | two or three deals the moneyed genof death had been carried out, knowing | tleman had dropped close on to \$1,000, that a "Life of Corder" was about to be | while I was fully that much to the good, and the dealer was apparently not noticing that his hard work was accomplishing very little toward increasing the bank roll.

"About that time Rickebaugh of Los Angeles walked into the room, and stopping near me in surprise said: Hello, Lem, what are you doing in this country? Thought you'd gone into mines in Colorado and quit faro.'

"The dealer looked at me a moment and said: 'Say, Rick, do you playing mighty lucky. "Rickebaugh glanced at the great stack of chips in front of me and sar-

castically remarked, 'Lucky, h-1!' "The dealer looked sold, and at the end of the deal quietly turned down the box and cashed the chips. "Of course I didn't have the heart

to call his last turn, though I knew it from the time the cards were boxed. -Seattle Press-Times.

A Setting to Shakespeare. I am persuaded that if Shakespeare lived today he would rejoice agreed to mark those frontiers by a conplays that is now always accorded to them by the better theaters. Of course the setting of plays today is Not long after the battle of the so utterly different from the Eliza-Nile Nelson invited Dr. Burney to bethan setting that a revival of a Shakespearean play often necessitates some rearrangement and cutmusic and a writer of books on muting of scenes. But if I may venture sical subjects. and was on terms of upon what will doubtless be called an friendship with all the great men of amazing piece of impudence here again I fancy Shakespeare would be Having forgotten to bring a night- very tolerant. He was a consummate master of stagecraft and had the son's. Before going to bed he put on keenest sense for what was effective

In spite of all their crudities and of their adaptation to wholly different remains sent them to Nelson with modes of stage setting and stage management, his plays yet remain masterpieces, not, indeed, of paltry nineteenth century theatrical device and trickiness, but of sovereign, constructive dramatic skill. They still contain the best lessons in stagecraft for beginners. The design of Sardou is to the design of Shakespeare as the design of a gimcrack eight story boulevard "residence, with every fitting complete," to the design of a Gothic cathedral.—Nineteenth CenSTAGE GLINTS.

lumbus" at the Lyric theater, London.

Juliet." Dr. Boito is doing the "book."

In Herr Suderman's realists; drama of

"Heimat" at Berlin, Signora Eleonora

Duse essayed the role of Madga and

Though it is not settled what will fol-

low "The Second Mrs. Tanqueray" at the

St. James, London, it is ruinored that II.

way, after seeing a performance of Dos-

tojevsky's "Crime and Punishment,"

was so depressed that he went home and

Sir Augustus Harris has renewed for

another year his existing tenancy of

Covent Garden theater, London. In all

Madam Marie Roze laments the want

ters that belong to the Plantagenet

Mlle. Reichenberg has been achieving

triumphs in the Dutch towns she has

visited. From Amsterdam, where she

played various roles, come enthusiastic

Ludwig Barnay, the great German

actor, after repeated relapses, has so far

recovered as to be able to reappear in

Widman, "Jeuseits von Gut und Bose."

noved at the substitution of a female for

a male Nanki Poo in the revival of "The

ter, Berlin, that he tried to stop the per-

BANKS AND BANKING.

The clearing house of London was the

The Bank of New York and the Bank

The Bank of Venice had its origin in

forced loan by the government from

The Bank of England was projected in

The word bankrupt comes from two

Italian words signifying a broken bench

The Bank of Genoa was ruined in the

last century by being twice pillaged by

a foreign foe; first by the imperialists in

1746; second by the French army under

The British parliament in 1812 passe

an act that members of the house c

commons becoming bankrupt, and Le

paying their obligations in full, should

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It lightens a duty to resolve to per-

When you bid your sin goodby, don't

horrible death in a wreck.

£2,000,000 were seized and sold.

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tion of Sunday trains.

vices.

injured.

they look.

bowie knife.

form it cheerfully.

er without funds; hence the term.

of Massachusetts were founded in 1781.

first of its kind, established in 1775.

wealthy citizens.

Massena in 1800.

vacate their seats.

French war.

"Hamlet" and in the new drama by

Sir Arthur Sullivan was so much an

reports. Many had to be turned away.

period attired in empire costumes.

A. Jones' "Ruy Blas" will come next.

achieved complete success.

committed suicide.

Verdi has decided that his next opera-

Cholera! A Russian version of "Our Boys" has Thousands are now dying in the East. Cholera will be the plague hero this summer. The World's Fair will bring it. been given recently at a theater in Mos

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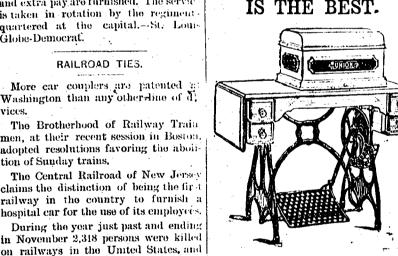
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A New Kind.

ural History museum) -Oh, we've

the day.