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THE LESSON OF SORROW.

- This is the tale of that sorrow did-Did a king of old For a king who avoid as a king may live
- In a particle above water gift.
 Now, I have povolated life, Using Sections of themes in their scope. Hot Tot me, men of wisdom great.
- What is on have I of hope? "What need have I of hope?" cried he,
- Of hope for ruture things? Have I set and at gold an give. Fort gold an give to kings?"
- In a type in the property of the king.

 In some size and dim,

 But naught could show, and none could tell why hope sould come to him.
- Yet sorrow same in her somber garb,
- All habited in wor, She taught to king a mighty truth This of men come to know.
- She toight the king a lesson sore -A lesson grave and grand
- For smiling hope, with gentle class, Held sorrow by the band.
- This is the tale of what sorrow did-
- anis is the rais of what sortow did— Did for the king of sid.

 The king wto lived as a king may live, All panopied in gold.

 "Ah, men ig wisdom." cried the king.
- Your teachings were in vain,
 For I have learned when sorrow comes Then hope comes in her train "
 -Josh Wink in Baltimore American.

BY HAMILTON ORMSBEE.

It was a gala night at the Amphion academy. The Marasquin English Opera company was to open the season there in "Faust." Marasquin never had sung and never could sing in any language but Italian, but his Mephistopheles was a great impersonation, and his company was more nearly English than are most of those which sing under that appellation. Mitchell, the tenor, was a Nautucket Yankee; Neuman, the barltone, was born in Oshkosh, where his father owned a brew-Gaelle twist to it; Alice Titus, Mitchall's wife who had sung Marguerite to his Faust for 15 years, was a Vermont girl, and Miss Evans, the girl who was to succeed the old favorite. came from Texarcana and had courage, beauty and a voice. Here was the only new face. The others were established favorites, and Brooklyn had

There were women without bonnets and wearing diamonds in two of the boxes. Half a dozen Brooklyn men were in evening dress, and in the body of the house were knots of New York ers, who had come over to give their friends an auspicious start on their

turned out to do them honor.

black gown with a little black but, plain as a pike-staff, but jaunty as a cock partridge in the spring. Her black hair was freely touched with gray, and who was well past 40 but she was not old. Her face bore the unmistakable stamp of achievement, and she looked tenderness cannot disguise the fact a mature woman of fine health in the that I am gray. I was told of it to full ripeness and keepness of intellec | night by a chit of a girl with pink tual power. She here herself easily and a long and sweeping use of her glass as the curtain rose showed that not think I could hear. She was sur she had come for the opera rather than prised into speaking too loudly when

The performance went quietly until the vision of Marguerite was shown, say," with a rueful glance into the Scores of glasses were leveled at this large dressing mirror, "that I can't picture, a sigh of admiration swept blame her." over the house and then a hearty round of applause in recognition of the beau- only the make up" ty of the new singer. The woman in

tending her first opera, exclaimed to than eternity can ever be."-Brooklyn her escort: "She is perfectly lovely! Eagle. How can a girl look so much like an

The escort looked down with admiration into the flushed face and sparkling | inventions generally supposed. An eyes. He was 30 and in evening dress. | amusing account of what was probably compliment. Neille," he murmured, by St. Simon, and, according to him, "but I don't think I will. She is cer- it was from a M. Villayer that the idea tainly pretty, but I'm afraid she will of a "flying chair" first emanated. This not make good the loss of Alice Titus, ingenious person set up a passable Alice is an old stager from further prototype of the modern elevator in his back than I can remember, and she house in Paris, working it up and down positively had to st p singing last win- | between the walls. ter. Three or four women have tried to fill her place, but have failed. Perhaps this girl may do better. Old Al- | had one put up in her own apartments

quivered, but the young man was too machine. The chair suddenly stopped pleasantly absorbed to observe it. It moving while the princess was bewas Neille's first opera, and he felt tween two landings, and she had to obliged to dispel her illusions as far as remain blocked up for three hours unpossible. That is one of the ways in til the workmen broke a hole through which we take our revenge on youth. the thick wall. The king was so an-When Faust threw aside his student's loyed at this that he forbade any furcloak. appearing as a tail, dashing, ther experiments in the same line. handsome youth, the escort leaned over Nellie and whispered, "He doesn't look as if he was the husband of a woman of 50, does he?"

The woman in black did not hear

The garden scene came, and the new

Marguerite trembled as she drew her spinning wheel in front of her to begin, ininutes without laming his arm."-"There was a king of Thut. Her Chicago Post. voice was a little uncertain, and she hesitated occasionally. Indeed her singing was more like that of the real Marguerite than of an operatic prima don saw nothing inside but a man at sonna. But the voice was fresh and true, and there was in it a touch of very odd, so he went in and inquired two minutes. I was the cruck wrestler comething which we call charm and which won her audience. The appendid the man at the table. "They must me was so hearty that the girl be in great demand," said Pat, "for I shed through her "make up" with | see you have only your own left." pleasure. The woman in black sank back and sighed, "libe is so young, so

storionaly young." The wassan had recovered her critical attitude her the time the jewel neng van reacted. Her class followed as

ed every intenation. While the house was applauding enthusiastically she whispered to her companion, "She is a nice girl, and she tries, but she can't sing that, and I don't believe she ever will. Do you hear her trill wabble? She missed two notes in one of her ruus. It should have gone like this,' and in brilliant, pearly little tones almost under her breath the speaker ran through one of the passages in which

Marguerite vents her delight. Soft as it was, the young man be hind her heard the run. He looked at the singer's face and started. He glanced from the face to the gray hair and back again. He tried to remember all the things he had been saying, and blushed deeply.

Presently Paust was singing his love The woman in black leaned forward, her lips parted, her fingers unconsclously marking the time; then, as the tenor's fervor increased and his tone grew clearer and more vibrant, a flush overspread her face. As he ceased she beat her gloved hands together as loudly as she could.

A sympathetic look stole into the young man's eyes, and while the woman in black was wholly occupied with the stage he whispered softly to Nel-Her "That woman in front of us is Allee Titus. She is Mitchell's wife, and she has been blushing with pleasure at his singing. They sang lovers together for years, and the company called them the turtledoves."

Nellie awoke from her dream. She glanced from the woman to the tenor and exclaimed incredulously and louder than she knew: "She can't be Faust's wife. Why, she is gray!".

The lips of the woman in black tightened, and the young man regretted his indiscretion. He tried to atone for it in the church scene by praising the dramatic way Alice Titus had played that, but he knew that the singer understood the situation, and the words stuck in his throat.

Meanwhile the success of the performance and of the new singer grew. Before the end was reached the mem bers of the company had congratulated Miss Evans heartily upon her triumph. The last traces of the girl's nervousness disappeared. She walked as on clouds, and in the final trie she poured forth such a flood of voice as she had never known that she possessed. The audience was stirred quite out of the habit of putting on wraps during the last scene. It sat delighted and called out the singers after the final curtain had fallen. The men called "Brava!" loudly, and the recall became an ovation. Alice Titus' companion leaned forward, waved her handkerchief, cried "Brava!" and did what she could to stimulate the excitement. Somebody eried: "Evans! Evans!" and Marus

happy Marguerite. Then the audience began to go out. but the woman in black sat still. Her Ilps were white, and when her companion rose she did not move. The other woman averted her face and bus ted herself with her wrap. At hat the passage to the stage door was cleared. and the woman in black rose heavily and walked slowly toward It.

outn led forward the trembling but

She found Paust, still in his stage clothes, outside his dressing room. The woman in black passed in without r word. Faust dismissed his dresser. entered and closed the door. His wife was leading on the back of a chair sobbling. He raised her to his arms saying softly "There, darling, don't take it so desperately. Think of all the drudgery you escape by being out

of the harness. She still cried, nestling on his shoul der. Presently she raised her face kiesed him and said "You're wonder fully good to me, Fred, but even your

The man's face flushed with anger and his wife hastened to add; "She did not mean any harm, dear, and she did was pointed out to her as your wife She could not believe it, and I must

"Nonsense, dear! Of course it was black turned to the younger woman know I could look 20 on the stage to who had accompanied her: "She has morrow. But for all that I would do good points but she doesn't make up every bit of my hard work over again for the youth of that little chit behind Just behind them a young girl, at- me. Time is more cruel to women

The First Elevator.

E' waters are by no means the recent "It's a fine chance for me to pay a the first attempt at an elevator is told

The daughter of Louis XIV was so delighted with the novelty that she at Versailles. This honor was, how-The nostrils of the woman in black ever, the undoing of poor M. Vilinyer's

"That city man that was visiting me is overrated," remarked the farmer. "How so?"

"Oh, the papers all said he was a great hand at watering stock, but I found he couldn't work the pump five

Pat's Retort. An Irishman passing a store in Lona table. The thing struck him as being what was sold there. "Asses, heads,"

A Drawback to Amity. Judge-Well, Mrs. Jopps, what fault

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That does not breathe of everlasting hope. -Ella Wheeler Wilcox in Woman's Home Com

A MATCH FOR A MILLION.

"Had I caught my train that night." to do for a quarter of a century but to sit and watch pine trees grow to swell his bank account, "I would probably be gage and a few other things. I had and pretty shrewd on a trade, but a the tramp of feet over my head. town. I would have walked back to somewhat refreshed, but I was exthe farm after I found myself too late tremely bungry, because it had been a for the train, but I saw a handbill announcing a show that night and could food. As soon as it became light enough not resist the temptation to see it. though it did cost a quarter.

"In my hilarious appreciation I was more of an entertainment than they cargo of pig iron. I went at once to the had on the stage, especially as I was utterly oblivious to the fact that I did | me to help unload the vessel in order not look like any one else in the audi- to get money for food. The captain, a ence. Toward the end of the performance a huge fellow came out, tossed | hearted, consented. I worked long cappon balls in the air, held men out at arm's length and lifted heavy fast, and it seems to me, as I remember weights. After this showing of his it now, to have been about the best prowess he offered \$10 to any one whom he could not throw inside of in all our section, though none present knew it, and I felt as though the challenge was aimed directly at me. I turned hot and cold during a few sec-

shouted, 'l'll go you, b'gosh!'

must have walked the streets (of laughed the man who has had nothing reached extreme physical exhaustion I gone to a little town in lower Wiscon- walk and lay for the night upon the sin to see a colt that a man there want- ground, with my satchel of clothing for ed to sell. I was a good judge of stock a pillow. Nearly all night I could hear

long time since I had had sufficient for me to see my surroundings I noticthat this ship seemed to be unloading a white man, who seemed to be kind breakfast that I have ever eaten.-

Little Harry was very fond of sweet things to eat, and especially of puddings, which were his favorite dessert. Accordingly his dinners were made a burden to him, since his parents persisted that he must make his meals Henry collect the some of those about me urged me Harry called the good things until last.

Henry took good care not to get out of the away and bave my neck on the good things until last.

Henry took good care not to get out of the away while Harry's nostrils were not to go up there and have my neck tickled with the tantellation of our dinner horn? "—Argomant tickled with the tantellation of our dinner horn? "—Argomant tickled with the tantellation of the same took and the same tickled with the tantellation of the same tickled with the same tickl

go in and do my best. It was a tough | ms most favored pudding a scheme most through the floor with a hip lock. way to future greatness. When his as the Montague Browns were not ing me the \$10, but the crowd shouted and potatoes he eyed it a moment in set they had to practice economy

> Got No Autograph. To an applicant for his autograph of American Beauty roses, their stems

"To ask a doctor or builder or sculp-

Don't get the notion in helping the poor that you can do more with a "cheerful word" than you can with a dollar.—Atchison Globe.

f you have time you might speak a good word for the living occasionally.--Chicago News.

Robert Barr relates that once, speaking with Bret Harte, he upheld the rigid life Henry Thoreau had led at Walden Pond, as compared with the luxurious surroundings of many modern authors. Barr advocated a return to the simpler habits of our ancestors. "Yes," Harte replied, "living on parched peas sounds very fine in a book. When I visited Emerson, I was astonished to find how close Walden Pond the vicinity were discussing the best was to the Emerson homestead, and I

there was certainly no hint of econoexorbitant in the market. The handsome tablecloth had been ruthlessly cut, and through the opening a cluster

Mrs. Montague Brown, young, pret officer for this dinner. The conversation was bowling along smoothly, and

guest of bonor was speaking: "And still I insist that no woman can do society all the time without neglecting her household and children." "Not at all," smiled Mrs. Montague. "I think I can persuade you to the contrary if you"- She paused, observing that he was staring with wide

half clad figure stood there. "Mamma, Mary's in the kitchen, and I tan't find my nighty," piped Montague Brown, Jr.-Harper's Magasine.

Too Extravagant by Half. The manner in which one defaulting cashier was detected was rather peculiar. It was all due to the curiosity of went to no expense in the way of dressing, they never heard of his gambling or drinking to any extent, he was a model husband, but he loved a good table. There was nothing unusual in this, but one day when the ladies of method of cooking means the wife of of the inhabitants to direct him to the commented on this. I had imagined the cashier declared very innocently that the pond was away out in the that her husband doted on ham, but he would not eat it unless it had been boiled in champagne. "Boiled in cham-"Before Emerson could reply Mrs. pagne!" exclaimed the listeners. "Heav-

> It was soon noised all around the here. neighborhood-that Cashier Blank was

bigh liver indeed, and the men began telling of his uplifted ideas of cookery. This soon reached the ears of the died it might be wise to investigate the in."-London Answers. accounts of such an epicure. Plain water was all they could afford for their hams, so the champagne lover was called up and subsequently relegated to the pen, where he had to forego his pet dish for many, many weary days.-Louisville Times.

"John, dearest, you don't look a day "I must. Centuries can't roll over a

man's head without leaving traces." "It was ages and ages, wasn't it? And, oh, John, how lonesome I have "You poor little wifey! If ever I

I was away?" "Thinking of you, darling, and longing and longing for you to come home." guese oysters contain about six grains "If that is the secret of beauty, I of phosphoric acid. French oysters ought to have grown a perfect Adonis. have about four grains per dozen. open eyes at the doorway. A tiny, And you're sure you recognized me

> "Of course, you old dear. Do you suppose I could ever forget you?" "Good gracional It doesn't seem pos sible that I've been away only since the day before yesterday, does it,

whole month tomorrow."-Pearson's agreeable with him. Then he began to

A stranger came to a provincial Bcotch town one day. He looked somewhat of an invalid, and he asked one chemist's shop.

Sectoh Medicine.

"Aye, an what kin' o' shop's that,

"Eb. sir, we've mae sic shop as that

any one falls lill Do you take no medi "Deed, no; not a drap. We've just whisky for the folk an tar for the sheep, an that's a' the fessick we deal

It Was Strictly Modern. "She has received a strictly up to date education, you say?" "Well, rather. She hasn't a bit of practical knowledge about household affairs, but she has more theories than you could get in a book, and she can talk about parliamentary law in a way that will make her shine in any woman's club you can pick out."-Chicago

"Mike," said Plodding Pete, "do you tink it does a man much good to go

troo college?" "Not much," replied Meandering have to: go away again, you shall go Mike. "I went troo a college once, with me. But you're more beautiful an all I got was two dictioneries an a than ever, sweet one. What have you suit of football clothes. De swag wasn't been doing with yourself all the time wort' de risk."-Washington Star.

It has been found that a dozen Portu-

It is human nature to deride what we cannot possess, to deny what we cabnot understand and to insult those we

"There was Mr. B.," said Mr. Spurgeon; "he was a big man in his way and seemed very anxious to make me

envy.-Chicago News.

"Not a bit more, husband mine, than his friend. He was very hospitable call me 'Charles.' I looked at him. I did not mind it much, but had he been my father or brother he could scarcely have done more. I thought I would

let him see how it looked, so I called him 'John.' He did not see my pur pose and so went on to call me 'Charley.' Then I called him 'Jack.' That cured him, and he dropped it. But I could see be had itttle of the sense of propriety." Undue familiarity with men of position, especially with minis-"Why, the place where you can buy ters of the grapel, calling them "Tom" or #3.55" or "Dick," is unworthy and

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onds of extreme silence. Then I sprang up and as I came out of my old blouse

job, but I finally threw the guant al | was born in his brain that points his There was a little hesitancy about give mother put before him a plate of meat as rich as other members of the smart home with him, and in a week I had gretfully away, he said: charge of all the teams in his lumber rich. That was really a match for a to Eat.

Richmond) till after midnight. At last ter the substance of which was as fol- the table. It was the most effective I became so exhausted that I could walk no longer. I was tired, I was hungry, I was everything but discouraged. Just about the time when I way rude. To ask one of these for a rare pleasure. She reflected compla came upon a portion of a street where quite another thing, and the request the board sidewalk was considerably elevated. I waited for a few minutes see me and then crept under the side-The next morning I found myself

ed that I was near a large ship and vessel and asked the captain to permit enough to earn money for my break-Booker T. Washington in Outlook.

Mark Twain on one occasion sent a let- on the floor, shot up two feet above

might be justifiably refused. It would never be fair to ask a doctor for one of his corpses to remember him by." There was no autograph to the letter, which was typewritten throughout.

Always speak well of the dead, and

Emerson spoke up in the tone of a ens, how expensive! We couldn't afwoman exposing a humbug, 'Oh, yes, ford to have had on our table often if medicibe."

How the Discussion Ended. It was whispered in Washington that

until I got it. The old man took me apparent eestasy; then, shoving it re- where it did not show. But tonight "I declare that looks so good I guess my anywhere. There were strawbercamps. In time I became a partner. I'll leave it till the very last thing and ries, bothouse grown, and terrapin and and he cleared the way to make me get rid of that pudding first!"-What canvasback duck, though both were

> table decoration of the winter. tor for his autograph would be in no ty and ambitious, smiled a smile of specimen of his work, however, is cently that she had captured a cabinet she leaned forward to listen. The

wilderness, miles from any human hab-

A Long Separation. "Home again at last, darling."

straight off without thinking at least a minute?"

the women of his neighborhood. He that we have actually been married a and generous. I was friendly and

"The what, sir?" "The chemist's shop."

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WEDNESDAY, JAN. 23, 1901. Entered at the Post-office at Antrim as second-class matte

Competitive Speaking.

The High schools of Henniker, Hillsboro and Antrim have completed arrangements for giving competitive declamations and readings early in the month of March. As it is understood there are to be three pupils selected from each school who are considered the best along this line, they will be thoroughly and well drilled, they will come together in Hillsboro some evening the first of March and publicly give the exhibition; Monday evening he addressed the competent judges will decide which meeting at the Baptist church. He one of the nine does best, also which of the three schools furnishes the best Mass. trio of declamers or readers. This will surely prove interesting and instructive, and beneficial to the particimost pleasant rivalry between the give an exhibition at Town hall on ferent remedies but I seemed to pants, and at the same time create a High schools in this section. Antrim Friday evening of this week, consist- grow worse and the medicine upset my has material in her High school from which great things are expected along this line, and from now on much and the result will be anxiously the expense of the graduating exer-entirely recovered, saved a doctor's awaited.

Debating Society.

Last Friday evening those who were interested in forming a debating enciety or lyceum met at High room to consider the advisability of launching such an organization upon the public. The project met with favor and the forty or more present took such steps as they thought necessary for a temporary organization. A committee on constitution and by-laws was chosen, as was also an executive committee. In the near future there will be another meeting this time at the Y. M. C. A. rooms which have been kindly offered for such purpose, when it is hoped that a permanent organization will be affected. It goes without saying that much good will result from such an undertaking, sopecially among the young, providing it is properly conducted, and knowing those who are engineering it we feel safe in saying that the greatest possible good is sure to be the result.

The death of Queen Victoria which occurred yesterday has cast the great British nation into mourning and in her sorrow she has the sympathy of the world. Her's has been a long and eventful reign. She ascended the throne in 1837 at the age of 18 and consequently has reigned 64 years and was at the time of her death in her 82d year; during her reign the United States has had 18 presidential administrations. Her ability, justice and kindness caused her to be beloved by her subjects and respected and admired by the world. Her memory will be cherished by her people and it will be a long time before the world will see another such wonderful woman. The new king, Albert parents in Concord. Edward will take the title of Edward VII; his advent into the world's politics will be watched with much interest, as doubltess he will have ideas which if carried out may make a great change in the policy of the British Empire.

Notice.

Tenement to let on Depot Street. Apply to E. W. BAKER, Agent

Rich, Warm, Healthy blood is given by Hood's Sarsaparilla and thus it protects the system from colds, fevers, pneumonia and diseases that quickly overcome and debilitated system.

Such little pills as DeWitt's Little Early Risers are very easily taken, and they are wonderfully effective in cleansing the liver and bowels. C. H. Martin, Antrim, Eston Bros., Hancock, G. O. Joslin. Bennington.

Selectmen's Notice.

The Selectmen of Antrim hereby give notice that they will be in session the First Saturday in each month, at their rooms in Town hall block, to transact any and all town business. Per order.

SRIECTMEN. The Collector of Taxes will meet with the Selectmen the same day.

His Wife Sayed Him.

could hardly breaths, I would grew damaged.

A steam mill has been established on the Base lot some distance north of this village. The mill is operated by a Mr. DeLong.

Mrs. Almon Hullet has been quite by a maryellous remedy for old people's complaints."

Only 50 cents at Martin's drug store.

Village and Town News.

Wm. H. Story, The Main Street weler, Hillsboro Bridge.

Mrs. Hannah Hill was in Henniker home by illness. Fice Rural Delivery is growing in one day recently. popular estimation.

ployed at the cutlery shop. Special union meetings are being held at the churches this week Walking on our sidewalks has been

E W. Baker has been coufined to

Everett Scott of Bennington is em

the house the past week by a case of Morse of Wilton were in town Thurs-

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hunt are in Marlboro called there by the illness of relatives.

A goodly number of our people have been and are now suffering with severe colds.

Miss Winifred Cochrane, of the State Normal school, Plymouth, is at

her home here on vacation. Misses Emma and Bessio Barrett, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs.

W. H. Simonds has severed his connection with the Antrim Bakery and of Somerville, Mass., are with friends his place is taken by George Fulton and relatives in town. of Woonsocket, R. I.

home in Sullivan.

Mies Parrett Smith observed her 10th birthday on Saturday last at the boro a portion of last week. home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Smith, on North Main street. A goodly number of her young friends had been invited and were present; all enjoyed the occasion as only young

people can. Mass, preached at the Baptist church guests. Lunch was served and a on Sunday morning and addressed the social season enjoyed. Sunday school; he also conducted the union service in the evening. On A Prominent Chicago Woman went from here to North Attleboro.

ing of vocal and instrumental music, stomach. A friend advised me to try readings, declamations, drills, etc., Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and I by the pupils of the school. The found it was pleasant to take and it proceeds will go towards defraying relieved me at once. I am now cises in June next. Every one who bill, time and suffering, and I will is interested in the welfare of our never be without this splendid medi-High school should be sure and at-cine again." For sale by C. H

Frauk Twichell has been in town

Rev. B. H. Lane is confined to his Lester H. Brown was in Hillsboro

Miss Edna Gangloff is at her home here from Lyndeboro. It is rumored that the Carter House

will soon be occupied. It has been five sleighing of late lifficult the past few days owing to the and has been enjoyed by many. O. H Robb is cutting wood on his farm in the east part of the town.

Miss Kate Twichell has been stopping in the family of G. M. Nesmith. Quite a number of horses arrived at the Brown lumber lot one day last week.

is in town, stopping with her grand-

mother. Ex Gov. D. H. Goodell, R. C. Goodell and F. A. Southwick are in

New York. this village their headquarters one night last week.

Several of our sportsmen have been F. A. Davis, have returned to their fishing during the past week, they report varying success. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. I. Hutchiuson

Miss Isabelle M. McClure was the guest of friends and relatives in Hills-

The officers of the W. R. C. were installed on Friday evening last by Miss Kate Perkins of Marlow. The work of installation was done in a most pleasing manner, there were present members of the G. A. R., S. Rev. E. A Whittier of Lawrence, of V. L. A. S., besides other invited

Prof. Roxa Tyler, of Chicago, Vice-President Illinois Woman's Alliance, in speaking of Chamberlain's Cough Guard Your Sight With a Pair of Remedy, says: "I suffered with a Bevere cold this winter which threaten-The members of the high school will ed to run into pneumonia. I tried dif-Martiu.

We Want

You to trade here with the feeling that you are running no risks. We have Glasses at all prices and we guarantee that they are absolutely as good as can be bought elsewhere for the price. Our Best Glasses cost but little more than the average common trash. Our scientific examination of each eye separately, is without charge.

Remember the place.

DELMONT E. GORDON.

Graduate Optician,

The White and Gold Front.

Hillsboro Bridge, N. H.

Already some town meeting talk is heard.

past week. Moses Ash has returned from visit in Laconia. Mrs. R. C. Goodell is with her

The doctors have been busy the

Considerable lumber is being drawn through this village. Miss Margaret Jameson is comfined

o her home by illness. Frank Dickey was with his family n Peterboro over Sunday.

Daniel and Henry McClure were in Peterboro one day recently. C. O. Pratt who has been visiting

in Boston and vicinity returned home Miss Kate Perkins of Marlow was

a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hatch. D. P. Bryer of South Framingham,

Mass., was at his home here over Sunday. Mrs. F. B. Rising is confined to her

home by illness. Miss Wilson is caring for her.

visit in Boston. A few from here attended an enter-

on Friday evening last.

boys instead of young men.

Somewhere in the neighborhood of 500 persons have been vaccinated in town during the past week.

The young people of the several churches held a union meeting at the has discovered the remarkable secret Baptist church on Tuesday evening. Dr. Chesnutt while turning around

The Mother's Favorite.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the mother's favorite. It is pleasant and eafe for children to take and always cures. It is intended especially for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough, and is the best medicine made for these diseases. There is not the least danger in giving it to children for it contains no opium or other injurious drug and may be given as confidently to a babe as to an adult. For sale by C. H. Martin.

31 degrees below zero Sunday morning at the depot.

Come to my store and get a twentyfive or fitty cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar, and I will pay you back your money if it does not cure your cold or cough.

CHAS. H. MARTIN, Antrim, G. O. Joslin, Bennington. EATON BROS., Hancock.

The U.S. Civil examinations will be held at several places in each state during March and April to secure Miss Mattie, have returned from their young men and women for various let wound and the burgher a bayonet government positions. Last year upwards of 8000 such appointments A few from here attended an enter-tainment at Hillsboro Lower Village No fees are charged. Information about the places and dates of exami-In the Y. M. C. A. item of last nations can be had free by writing the week it should have read twenty-nine Columbian Correspondence College. Washington, D. C.

Old People Made Young.

J. C. Sherman the veteran editor of the Vermontville (Mich.,) Echo, of keeping old people young. For years he has avoided Nervousness. My wife's good advice saved my Dr. Chesnutt while turning around Sleeplessness, Indigestion, Heart Wisheld, on Main street one day recently was trouble, Constitution and Rheumatiam thrown out and his sleigh somewhat by using Electric Bitters, and he

Kodol Dyespapais Cure does satah let the saint all known is it inakes also by

Twenty-fifth Anniversary.

Waverley Lodge, I. O. O. F., Celebrates Friday Evening, Feb. 1.

Arrangements are nearing complefifth anniversary of the institution of Waverley Lodge, No 59, I. O. O. F., of Antrim, on Friday evening of next week. Feb 1, and following out the instructions of the Lodge the committee have made such preparation as they think proper for the suitable observance of the occasion.

Supper will be served from six to eight o'clock; a caterer from Lowell, Mass, has been engaged, who will furnish a first-class turkey supper with all the fixin's. This part of the evening's entertainment will be confined to Odd Fellows and their families, Rebekahs and their families, and specially invited guests. It is quite important that as many as can possibly liny their supper tickets early—this week if convenient—as the committee Miss Maude Muzzey of Greenfield will then know about how many plates to provide for. After the supper at Odd Fellows

hall-about 8.30 o'clock-the exercises will commence at Town hall, consisting of speaking and reminiscent re-A band of "Weary Willies" made short season of promenades. To the this village their headquarters one exercises at the Town hall the public is most cordially invited, and it is hoped and expected that there will be present a crowded house The orator best authority, and every parent is seault, of West Acton, Mass., Grand anxious to take every precaution to of the evening will be Wm F. Dus-Master of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of the Jurisdiction of may be within reach. Many who are Massachusetts; other speakers will be present, including Grand Master Starr B. Center from Peterboro, Grand Secretary Kidder from Manchester, Past Grand Master Cummings from Condiction. Every one about here will very general among the children of want to see and hear these gentlemen for they will each have something nice to say, especially Bro. Dusseault, who

is a speaker of unusual ability. Waverley Lodge at this time extends a cordial invitation to every one n this section to rejoice with it, and feeling that it has the well-wishes of all around, is more determined than ever to do a greater amount of good in the future than has been its privilege and pleasure to do in the past.

The favorite cathartic is Hood's Pills. 25c.

Kodol Dyspensia Cure "Digests what you eat."

The National House was just thirteen minutes debating and passing the pension bill of \$145,000.000.

Quality and not quantity makes DeWitt's Little Early Risers such valuable little liver pills. Charles H. Martin, Antrim, Eaton Bros., Hancocz, G. O. Joslin, Bennington.

Kodol Dyspensia Cure

A Surgical Operation. this story about the late Dr. Lewis A. Sayre of New York city: "When a young medical student at

the College of Physicians and Surgeons in New York, one of the operating physicians was about to cut off an Irishman's leg, but before beginning the operation gave a long talk to the students on amputation. The trishman lay on the operating table in full possession of his faculties, and as he listened to the discourse he grew whiter and whiter. Finally he jumped from the operating table, crying: 'Get me me breeches, be gob! I'll die with me leg on!" And with that he was out of the room. "Dr. Sayre found him several days later with his knee badly swollen. The young doctor promptly cut open the knee, but saved the leg. One day he had no lint to bind the wound, so he used the tow stuffing sticking out of an old horsehair sofa. When he called again, he found the wound so much improved that he reasoned that tow dipped in Peruvian balsam would not only

disinfect a wound, but would keep i free from pus. "This was the foundation of one of the most satisfactory successes be ever had in surgery. It was the means of introducing into the army the use of tarred hemp, or oakum, as a dressing

for wounds." Our Race For Money. "If it is not true that we Americans regard money making as the work for which life was given to us, why, when we have millions, do we go on struggling to make more millions and more?" writes "An American Mother" in The Ladies' Home Journal. "It is not so with the older races. The London tradesman at middle age shuts his shop, buys an acre in the suburbs and lives on a small income or spends the study or hobby-music, a microscope, Bennington. or it may be dominos. You meet him and his wife, jolly, shrewd, intelligent, jogging all over Europe, Baedeker in hand. They tell you they have a curiosity to see this fine world before

they go out of it." A Blessing. Dr. Conan Doyle tells this story of a without paying duties. Boer and an English soldier who lay wounded side by side on the field of battle: "They had a personal encounter, in which the soldier received a bulburgher, not to be outdone in courtesy, handed a piece of biltong in exchange. Joslin, Bennington. In the evening, when their respective ambulances came to carry them off to the hospital, they exchanged friendly

greetings. 'Goodby, mate,' said the soldier. 'What a blessing it is we met each other!" A Petching Compliment. She was not from Chicago. "Do not anger me," she said. "How am I to know when you are angry?" he asked.

"I always stamp my feet," she an-He looked down at her dainty shoes. "Impossible." he sald. "There isn't room for a stamp on either of them." That fetched ber. Cleveland Plain

Misapprohematon.

A small boy the other day heard the couplet of a hymn which runs thus: And mean trembles when he was the control of the meaning that the last was all for Mature with

Smallpox in Hancock.

A flury of excitement was occasioned on Wednesday morning last when it was learned that there was probably a case of smallpox in a lumber camp tion for the celebration of the twenty- in Harlcock about three miles from Antrim village. News was at once sent to the State Board of Health, who Wednesday sent their imspector, Dr. Cook, to examine and report. In the evening Dr. Cook met the Select men, Board of Health and School Board of Antrim in the Selectmen's rooms and told them that the case was a well defined one, that it was

brought by the patient-a Frenchman -from Manchester, that it was isolated and sufficiently quarantined and vaccination throughout the camp had been general, and in his opinion the Board of Health of Hincock would in their good judgement take proper care of it and there would be no spreading from this case. The local Board of Health

under orders from the State Board ordered general vaccination throughout all the schools in town, which for the past few days has been well attended to. The physicians who performs the operation gives to each child a certificate that he has been duly vaccinated, and the pupil presents such certificate to his teacher; and it ing vaccinated

While it is not feared that smallpox will break out in our midst, yet it has been thought hest by the authorities that the matter of vaccination be made right move in the right direction.

At this writing the patient with the dread disease is getting along comfortably. In the newly founded Yankee town

of Southern Pines, N. C., there is a new elegant hotel the Piney Wood Inn. A New Yorker is managing the hotel and it is crowded every winter. The climate at Southern Pines is just grand. Not too cold; not too warm, but just right. Take a run down there and see how you like the climate. It costs but little as excursion tickets can be had and Piney Woods Inn will make you moderate rates.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

The Nineteenth Century Exhibit of the Young Men's Christian Asso-

Six thousand one hundred and nine-

ty-two branches now exist, with 521, 000 members, among 50 nations. speaking 35 languages. Its sphere of ufluence extends to many times that number; affecting the lives of great odies of men; its contribution to church, civic, national life recognized; | sers Creaser, with a cash capital of \$1,the 1,439 American Associations have 000,000. The papers go to the secre-The Army and Navy Journal tells 252,000 members, of whom 32,000 are college students, 37,000 railroad first machine is set up. In three men. 5,000 soldiers and sailors, 1,650 Indians, 1,000 miners, 5,000 colored men, 23.000 boys. The gymnasiums euroil 77.000 men and boys, the educational classes 26,000. The annual attendance upon Bible classes exceeds 500 000, the religious meetings 2,500, 000, a daily attendance at the build ings of more than 100,000. 1.400 secretaries are employed; two schools for training officers conducted; \$40. 000 per year contributed for Association work in foreign lands, where 20 secretaries are stationed; Naval Temperance League with 2,000 members; 359 buildings costing \$20,878,000 owned, -a building erected every nine days for the past year; property valuation exceeds \$24,000.000; money given and pledged for work and mildings in 1900, over \$6,600,000. 27 State Committees employ 57 secretaries and expend \$152,000 annually. The International Committee employs 43 secretaries and expends \$140,000. publishes three periodicals and 50

pamphlets annually. The above statement is taken from MEN, the international organ of the Young Men's Christian Association, and represents the progress of the work during the fifty-six years of its

existence. This season there is a large death rate among children from croup and lung troubles. Prompt action will save the little ones from these terrible diseases. We know of nothing so certain to give instant relief as One Minute Cough Cure. It can also be relied upon in grippe and all throat or fancy gardening. The German or and lung troubles of adults. Pleasant Frenchman seldom works when past to take. C. H. Martin, Autim, 60. He gives his last years to some Eaton Bros., Hancock, G. O. Joslin.

> A New Brunswick farmer whose barn stood on the Canada frontier one door in Canada and the other in this country, was arrested for receiving goods in the Canada end, and moving them across the line into the other end

The merited reputation for curing piles, sores and skin diseases acquired by DeWitt'e Witch Hazel Salve thrust before they both fell exhausted has led to the making of worthless on the field. The Britisher gave the counterfeits. Be sure to get only De-Boer a drink out of his flask, and the Witt's Salve. Chas. H. Martin, Antrim, Eaton Bros., Hancock, G. O.

> Kodol Dyspepsia Cure "Digests what you eat."

To Let!

Three vacant Stables in my barn to let; running water and warm stalls. Rates low. Apply to O. H. ROBB, Antrim.

The most southing, healing and antiseptic sp. lication ever devised is De-Witt's Witch Hasel Salve. It relieves at once and cures piles, sores.

THE GRAND SCHEMER

HIS TAILOR CALLS TO SEE HIM WITH HIS LITTLE BILL.

The Account Remains Unsettled, but the Clothing Artist Is Taken Into the Great American Steam Trou sers Creaser Company. [Copyright, 1900, by C. B. Lewis.]

Major Crofoot had left the door of his office open by accident, and as he sat smoking with his heels on his desk he was suddenly accosted with: "I vhas come for dot leetle bill." "What-er-ch-is it you?" exclaimed

the major as he almost fell out of his chair in getting up. "Well, well, but this is luck. Why, man, I was just making out a check for you. I happened to remember that I owed you a dollar for cleaning my suit." "Yes, it whas a dollar," replied the tailor as he held out the bill, "und you

don't pay me for a year." "A year? How time flies! Yes, it le a bill for a dollar for cleaning a salt and pepper suit, and if you had only waited half an hour you would have had a check for it. The check would have been filled out for \$100. My dear



"I VHAS COME FOR DOT LEETLE BILL." man, you are one of the few people who had confidence in me when my fortunes were at the lowest ebb. The check for a hundred was to prove my gratitude.'

"Vhell, I'll take him now," tailor...

"Ah. I remember that salt and pepper suit and the days of my adversity!" sighed the major as he walked about and ignored the check. "You brought the suit up here one day thoroughly cleaned and rehabilitated, and you went away saying not a word about the bill. You treated me as if I had millions of dollars, and never, never can I forget your consideration. Major Crofoot remembers those who remember him." "Vhell?" queried the tailor as he looked at the bill in his hand.

"I said a check for a hundred." replied the major, "but I shall do better than that. A bundredfold is not enough. I'll make a rich man of you. I'll put you right up among the millionaires. The more I think of how you trusted in my integrity the more anxious am i to prove my gratitude. Tailor, shake hands. Tailor, accept my congratula-

tions." "But how vhas he?" asked the cred-

itor, with a puzzled look. "It was this way, my dear, confiding friend: I was just about to incorporate the Great American Steam Troutary of state today. Next week the months we shall have 50 of them at work in the principal cities of the United States. The stock is supposed to sell at par, but I can get you \$10.000 worth at \$87. The dividends won't be less than 50 per cent and may go a hun dred. For the first machine out we want a practical manager. You shall have the position at \$20,000 a year Tailor, shake hands." "I don't see how he vhas," said the tailor after a lymphatic shake. "You don't? That is because your good fortune has for the moment upset

you. Look at my trousers. Look at the trousers of all the men you meet. There are creases in them. When you buy a pair of \$10 trousers, you pay \$5 for the creases. You must have 'em to be in the swim. Can't go into society or get a check cashed at the bank without 'em. The creasing, as you know, is now done by hand and is slow work. Our company will crease by steam. The trousers will be fed in, the same as straw, and at the rate of 30 pairs a minute. They come out beautifully creased, at a cost of only a quarter a pair, and there you are. Each machine will crease 18,000 pairs per day of ten hours, and that's an income of \$4,500 a day. We shall stram crease the trousers of the world. Every royal head will be among our patrons. Isn't it plain to you now? Isn't it as clear as daylight that you will be riding in your own barouche in less

than six months?" "But you owe me a dollar," persisted the tailor. "Great Scott, but you talk about & dollar when hundreds of thousands are falling at your feet! Let me go over this once again. We are the Great American Steam Trousers Creaser.

We don't steam trousers, but we crease 'em by steam." "I know." "We crease 18,000 pairs per day at a quarter a pair. We make \$4,400 per day clear money on every machine. and we have 20,000 machines at work. Your share of the profits will be at least haif a million dollars per year. in ten years you are worth \$5,000,000. Tallor, shake hands. It all comes from

your confidence in me." "But I don't have some confiden vhas here for my dollar." "And the dollar is your deposit on your ground floor stock. It is an evidence of your good faith and will eventually be returned to you. Can you sell your shop today? Can you be ready in three days to take bold of the first machine and fired 18,000 pairs of trousers through it? You can, of course. You will be ready, and I can depend on you. Shall I speak to some bank about your opening an account?"

"If-if-you could pay"-"You'll get your first month's misty in advance, and if you want to use balf a million I can lend you the cash That's all, except that we'll hands again. You will excuse me, know, but I've got to go out for an hour or two. Call again. See you later. Don't fail me." The grand promoter put on h and overcoat and left the office. The tailor had come for that dollar. He

took a chair to wait. The fire was low and the room was cold, and in an hour his teeth were chattering He stood it for another hour, and then he rose up and softly tiptoed out and eczema and skin disesses. Beware of ment down states. At the foot of the imitations. C. H. Martin, Antim, making pe met a man who desired making be met a man who desired making the foot of the met a man who desired making the foot of the met of the cold desired making t "He yes done out," was the Have you been trying to enter

To.

your hair split at the end? Can you pull out a handful IR by run-

fingers through it? Does it seem dry and lifeless? Give your hair a chance. Feed it. The roots are not dead; they are weak dead; they are because they are hat's all.

starved—that's all.

If you don't want f your hair to die use Ayer's Hair Vigor once a day. It makes the hair grow, stops falling, and cures dandruff.

It always restores color to gray or faded hair: it never fails. \$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

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LENA G. GRFENE,

April 13, 1899. Now York, N.Y.

If you do not obtain all the benefit you expected from the use of the Hair Vigor, write the Doctor abent it.

DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

The champ on traveler of the legisla ure is evidently Mr. Bauernfreund Ward Eight, Manchester, who according to Brown's Book, was born in Bavaria, and has lived in Austrailia, China, Jopan. India, Aden. ap town, Sucz. and Cairo. He is ow connected with the German press of Manchester.

G. C. COLLINS,

At Perry's, East Antrim. Hours Tuesday, Thursday and Satur day, 1 30 to 4 p m., other times by app intment.

Thorough examination, and proper

I desire to inform the public gen erally that I have a quantity of Loose and Baled Hay which I offer for sale at Right Prices; quality as good as can be found.

MILTON TENNEY.

Antrim, N. H.

FOR SALE

Some nice thrifty shoats for sale at a reasonable figure. 1 Laval

gard Lover to Action. After the athletic young man, resting lazily in an easy chair, had studied the ceiling at which he was blowing smoke he replied to the pretty sister who had twice asked him the same question: "Bess, you know I don't care the turn of my hand for women. I'm saturated with what the politicians call apathy. Of course I remember the Georgia girl that visited us last summer. She was a magnificent creature to look at, but I'll warrant she is just like the rest of them. I paid her some attention for your sake, little one, but really I had to think twice before recalling her. Her name was Molly, wasn't it?" "Tab Twing writes me of a report that Molly is going to marry Captain

and the sister took observations from the corner of one eye. "What, that chump? The infernal feather headed flirt and egotistical ignoramusi What right has a conceited puppy like that to marry a woman like her, to drag her from garrison to camp and from camp to garrison? Don't her family know enough to prevent it? Good heavens, Bess, you have influence with her! Why don't you interfere?" "And get snubbed for my pains? I guess not! But you seem agitated about the matter, my dear boy."

Howker of the army. You know him,"

"No; it's not that, Bess." Yet she could see the blush on the back of his neck as he looked out the window. "I'm ill. I've felt it coming on for several weeks. The truth is that the doctor says I must go south for awhile," and be never besitated at this whopper, and she was gushing in her hypocritical sympathy. "It's a confounded aulsance, but I'll start tonight?" Within 15 minutes she sent this: "Darling Molly, he's coming. I told you I'd find a way to stir him up."-Detroit Free Press.

Blinks-I bear the cabmen are going to strike for shorter libra. Minks (who sometimes rides)-Why goodness me, their bours are not over 40 minutes long now !- New York Week-

It is one of the parallerities of Wall street applicat that the familia are all The mark where I come the feet

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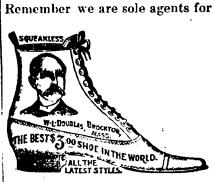
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Dyspepsia, Sick-Headache and Liver ID CENTS Complaint. SUGAR COATED

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You are hereby not field, that George E.

some nice thrilly shoats for sail at a reasonable figure. I Laval Cream Separator, good as new, lot Salt Pork at 10c. ib. Lot English Hay, lot Stock Hay.

GEORGE E. COLBY.

Antrim, N. H.

aff over 18,000 pairs a day, und now ly thas glad to go home mit my life und let dot bill go. Shake hands. I congratulate you!"

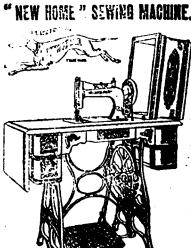
A WOMAN'S STRATEGY.

She Found a Way to Quicken a Lassard Lover to Action.

Some nice thrilly shoats for sail conty and the decase d, has filed his account of the estate of said decase d, has filed his account of the estate in the Probate Office for said county and that the same will be presented for acceptance at the Court of Probate to be holden at Nashua in said County, on the 26th day of February next, at which time and place you are hereby o ted to appear, that you may be heard on said account.

And it is ordered that the said Administrator serve the above citation by causing the same and this order thereon, to be publication whereof o be at least one week before said only of heart probate to be noticed in the said Administrator of the estate in the Probate of Said county and that the same will be presented for acceptance at the Court of Probate to be holden at Nashua in said County, on the 26th day of February next, at which time and place you are hereby not feel, has filed his account of the administrator of the estate in the Probate of the administration of said estate in the Probate of the administrator of the estate of Said decase decase d, has filed his account of the administrator of the estate of Said decase d, has filed his account of the estate of Said decase d, has filed his account of the estate in the Probate of the administrator of the estate in the Probate of the administrator of the estate in the Probate of the administrator of the court of the court of the probate of the administrator of the probate of the administrator of the court of the court of the administration of the court of the administration of the administrator of the administration of the administration of the admini

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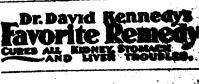
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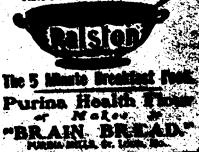
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TF you could hire a careless, destructive servant for \$1 a week, would you employ her? Assuredly not! For her wastefulness would cost you actually more than the best trained servant at high wages. Just so cheap coffee, by its wastefulness, costs you actually more than Chase & Sanborn's Seal Brandthe standard of fine coffee! For it takes twice as much to secure equal strength, and it has none of the valuable stimulating power or rich aroma. Try Seal Brand just once!

In r-lb. and a-lb. Tin Cans (air tight).

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To Close.

1 English Semi Porcelean Gold Band Sets, 13.50 for \$9.50. The last set of a lot that is all closed out but the sample; it shows some marke from having been handled, but at the price we offer it, is a bargain you will not see duplicated.

1 German China 113 piece Dinner and Tea Set, 25.00 for \$19.50.

> The last full set we have of a stock pattern has a fine spray dece ration with gold, and would cost more by 20 per cent to import than we will sell this one set for.

1 lot English Semi Porcelean 112-piece Sets, 13.50 for \$10.

A delicate light brown in color, decorated under the cluze at d warranted not to crackle, every piece full-size. - It Will Pay You to See These Sets.

Aluminum Kitchen Ware at Half the Price of a Few Months Ago.

Many of our customers who have desired to own more of this ware than they have felt able are now offered an apportunity to become purchasers at a slight advance only over tin. We have s full line at present and would be pleased to show its merits an quote prices to all who are interested.

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HOLIDAYS.

What better Belldey Gift for the protection of the family, or for your

The Mutual Life Insurance Co.

News From Our Neighbors.

HILLSBORO BRIDGE.

were visiting relatives in Manchester

from her visit to Rutland, Vt.

last Tuesday.

business here during this month.

K McClintock and son, Warren,

Victor Mosley and his clerk are

George Avery is to close out his

The Rebekah circle met with Mrs.

Abner Durgin, a brother of Mrs.

Currier with whom he has made

his home for the past few years, died

Quite a number from here attended

The election of officers of the First

National bank was held last week.

The old board of officers were reelect-

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

cures. It surpasses any other salve,

lotion, ointment or balm for Cuts,

Corns, Burns, Boils, Sones, Felons,

Ulcers, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Fever

Sores, Chapped Hands, Skin Erup

tions; Infalable for Piles. Cure guar-

anteed. Only 25c. at Antrim Phar-

FRANCESTOWN.

have returned from a weeks visit is

Mrs. Hannah Fitts is restricted to

Mr. and Mrs E. W. Colburn and

Mrs. Rose Prescott attended the in

tallation of Portia chapter, No. 14.

O. E S., at Hillsboro on Monday

J. W. Roberts of Boston has re-

Geo. F. Farnum is suffering from

ga grene. Dr. Weaver of New Bos-

on was called in consultation in the

The third lecture on the Mound

in Library hall was well attended and

much enjoyed. The fourth lecture in

The farm buildings of George

Kingsbury were burned to the ground

on Monday morning from a burning

chimney. Partly insured. It is not

only a personal loss to Mr. Kingsbucy

buildings burned, eventually causing a

On Thursday evening last the of

ficers of Oak Hill grange were instal-

led by State Secretary Hutchinson and

wife of Milford, who did their work

gracefully and impressively. A turkey

supper was served and a short enter-

minment furnished: a female quartet

rendered "The Whip-poor-will Song,"

Mrs. Alice D. Place recited a "Med

ley," a duet, by Charles Bryant and

Miss Bessie Bryant, an elaborate

Japanese drill was given by eight

young ladies. Miss Gertrude Hender-

The officers are as follows:

Master-J T. Woodbury.

Overseer -Fred A. Pettec.

Lecturer-Stella N. Duncklee.

Steward -Rodney Huntington.

Chaplain-George E. Pettee.

Treasurer-Walter S. Bailey.

Secretary-Mabel A. Bailey.

Ceres-Mary M. Woodbury.

Chorister-Rosa F. Prescott.

Pomona-Maude Sleeper.

Flora-Annie Stevens.

Prescott.

Gatekeeper--Rodney C. Mills.

Lady Assistant Steward-Amy

When threatened by pneumonia or

my other lung trouble, prompt relief

necessиry, as it is dangerous to de-

Minute Cough Cure to be taken as

soon as indications of having taken

cold are noticed. It cures quickle

and its early use prevents consump-

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Bros., Hancock, G. O. Joslin, Ben-

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llowance is made for prompt pay-

ent of taxes and yet in 21 years the

collector has not been obliged to re-

port a dollar of taxes uncollected.

The rate of taxation is \$8 per \$1000.

Beat Out of an Increase of His

Pension.

A Mexican war veteran and promi

diarrhoes and this has kept me from

getting an increase in my pension for

cure for diarrhoea and is pleasant and

nafe to take. For sale by C. H.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure

"Digests what you eat."

Pepsin in preparations often fail to

relieve indigeston broause they can di-

is one preparation that digests all

classes of food, and that is Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It cures the worst

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, the best physic. They also

nent editor writes: "Seeing the ad-

We would suggest that One

Assisant Steward-Fred Peters.

eighboring granges.

turned to his country home.

evening of last week.

farm to be abandoned.

Arlington, Mass.

he house by illness.

Has world-wide fame for marvellous

Gardner at her home on Walnut street

BENNINGTON.

Miss Flora Gardner of Hillsboro Upper Village was in town recently. Miss Lulu Franc has gone to her and Suncock over Sunday. home in Paris, Me.

Karl Felch, John Eaton and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Muzzey were here to grip. attend the ball.

Vaccination has been general throughout our schools during the past week.

Will Bellows is housed by illuess nursing a case of the measles. Guard Your Sight With a Pair of Gordon's Glasses
The White Front, Hillsboro, N. H.

Everett Scott is working in Goodell's cutlery shop at Antrim. Quite a number of the S. of V. Saturday. The funeral was held coat. and L. A. S., attended the installation Tuesday. The body was taken to

of the W. R. C., in Antrim, on Fri- Penscook for burial day evening last. Several of the Bennington members the poultry show at Milford. Chas. of the Antrim High school take part Perry exhibited some handsome in the entertainment given in that full blooded Plymouth Rock hens.

town on Friday evening next. Iustallation of officers with Benningon grange (to-night) Wednesday. Saturday and Sunday were our cldest thus far.

Persons who suffer from indigestion cannot expect to live long, because they cannot eat the food required to nourish the body and the products of the undigested foods they do est poison the blood. It is important to cure indig stion as soon as possible, and the pest method of doing this is to use the preparation known as Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It digests what you eat and restores all the digestive organs to erfect health. C. H. Martin, Auilim, Eaton Bros., Haucock, G. O Joslin, Benniegton.

HANCOCK.

Miss E. Brooks is spending a few tays with her nophew, Prof. M. S. Brooks and family in Brookline, Mass Mrs. J. S. Washburn has closed her

allage home for a lew weeks and i pending the time with members of er family in Boston. A few apples still remain in the

ands of producers. C. A. Whitsker and son shipped one hundred barrels o Liverpool last week. Frank P Fiske and family of Mil ord, formerly of East Harrisville, a c

pending a few weeks in town the mests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Tarbell The meeting and installation of the Ill ers of the Hillsboro county Pomom grange here Thursday week was, spite the storm, a marked success The beautiful veremonial of the instal-ation took place at 11sq. m , H. O. dudley, the officer in charge, being assisted by Mrs. Kate Swinnington of but a loss to the town to have such Lyndeboro. After the collation a iterary program was presented, con si-ting of music by the local grange, songs, reading, paper, review of Gov Jordan's message and discussion of the question, "How to increase the grass crop at the least expense to the la mer." Several of the visiting patrons remained over to the installa ion of the officers of John Hancock

the ceremony, assisted by Mrs. George Gould of Greenfield. Representative Buswell of this town has introduced into the legislature a son presided at the piano. There bill providing for a bounty on hawks

grange, H. O. Hadley, the officer of

the Pomona installation, performing

F. E. Enton has returned to the Medical college at Montreal. Special services of prayer were held

Mrs Jane Boardman has gone to Misses Bertha and Alice Duncan we returned to Cushing academy af-

A large number of children have een vaccinated during the past week,

Made Young Again.

"One of Dr. King's New Life Pills ach night for two weeks has put me n my 'teens' again" writes D. H. Turner of Dempseytown, Pa. They ir the best in the world for Liver. St mach and Bowels. Purely vege table. Never gripe. Only 25c. at unrtin's drug store.

GREENFIELD.

Mr. O'Connor and her young son. of Boston, are with her daughter. Mrs C. H. Cragin, for the present. Harry Spear of Nashua was here list week and called on his sister. Mrs. N. F. Cheever.

Arthur Holt has been off duty several days with a touch of grip. Mrs E. C. Hopkins and Mrs. C. M. White arranged a surprise party Monday evening, for Miss L. B. White, it being her 31st birthday About thirty of her triends gathered at her home, where the evening was spent very pleasantly in social games, after which ice cream and cake were vertisement of Chamberlain's Colic, served. Miss White was the recipient Cholera and Diarrhoes Remedy, I am of a very vice gold bracelet from reminded that as a soldier in Mexico those present, which she gratefully in '47 and '49, I contracted Mexican

tham, Mass., where she will remain on eve y renewal a dose of it restores wit friends for the present Mr. Epps has placed his mill on the Mars hell Whittemore lot, where he is sawing fo F. B. Clark of Dover, who Martin. has purchased the pine lumber.

Letters from C. H. Hopkins wh with his wife and niece are stopping in Apopka, Fia , state that the weather has been fine ever since they arrived there, thermometer registering 75 to gest only albominous foods. There 85 degrees. They are feeling fine and living high.

Catarri Cannot be Cured. with LOCAL APPLICATATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarris is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take histograf remedies. Hall's Catarris Cure is taken internally, and sots directly on the blood and success surfaces. Hall's Catarris Cure is not a quack surfaces. It was prescribed by one of the best blood purifiers, seting directly on the best blood purifiers. The purise combination of the true investment of the purise combination of the true investment of the purise combined to the purise of the purise combined to the purise of the purise of the purise combined to the purise of the purise combined to the purise of th

STUDY ALL YOU MAY.

THERE IS NO SUCH THING AS A "TIRED BRAIN."

When a Man Thinks His Brain Is Tired, It Is Really His Stomach That Is Overled or Some Other Vital Point That Is Weakened.

Every man should have impressed upon him the fact that the human brain is capable of absolutely unlimited development. It can be developed more easily, more permanently than both confined to their beds with the the muscles. Like the muscles, it is developed by exercise, but unlike them there is no limit to its possible develop-Miss Nettie Childs has returned ment and there is no age limit to the growth of mental faculties.

If you go to a certain hotel in Chicago you will find at the door of the large dining room a colored gentleman who takes your hat, overcoat and unibrella. He gives you no ticket. When you walk out again, to your intense amazement he hands you your prop erty, identifying you among hundreds of other guests and immediately asat her residence on Mill street last sociating you with the proper hat and

In a big store in Twenty-third street. or 15 years old, works for a living. One day at that store this writer asked and love--is gone. for a book apparently seldom purchased. Various dignified white men were asked about the book. They thought that they did not have it, but to make sure they asked the colored boy. Without a moment's hesitation he pointed out a certain balcony on the east side of the store and told exactly where the small volume could be found. Every one of the thousands of books in that store was located in a definite spot in that young negro's mind, despite the fact that he probably had seen the insides of very few of

The two instances quoted are not unusual. They indicate merely the most superficial sort of development of one particular mental faculty, that of recollection. A more remarkable instance of such development was shown by Houdin, the French prestidigitator. William Bussett, Jr., and family He could pass a shop window containing perhaps scores of different articles, cast a glance at the window as he went by and enumerate without error everything in it from that one glance. Some men learn a score or more o

the volumes...

Yet the greatest development of any human brain has never taxed even to the slightest degree the actual capacity of the mind.

No matter to what extent you may train your mental faculties, no matter how much you may use your brain, you will still be like the man who has spent 5 or 6 cents and has a million dollars in the bank.

We are justified in believing that w are destined to marvelous mental achievements in the future, when we consider the instrument of thought Builders by the Rev. A. N. Somers that has been given to us and which is so little used at present. A scientist named Meinert calculates that the gray matter of the brain conthe course occurred on Wednesday

tains 600,000,000 cells. That in itself seems quite complicated. If we only had one thought stored away in each cell, we would know quite a good deal.

But you must remember that each cell is divided into several thousand Every one of these molecules contains many millions of atoms. Unquestionably each separate atom plays

its part in the working of the brain. Figuring on a very modest basis, you find that your brain contains 18,000,-000,000,000,000,000 separate atoms. The theory that the atom is an indivisible particle of matter, which is indicated by its name, meaning uncutible, is only a theory not by any means demonstrated. There is no reason to believe that there is any limit to the universe in the direction of bigness or littleness. What we call an atom may be in effect an indivisible particle of matter or it may be a small universe in itself. However this may be, don't you think that with a brain organized vere present visitors from eight as above you ought to be able to devel op a good deal of mental energy and be quite free from any worry about overworking the machine which has been given to you to do your thinking? When a man thinks his brain is tired it is really his stomach that is overfed or some other vital point that is depleted or overloaded. Keep the rest of your body in good condition, and your brain will never feel any amount of work that you will be able to give it.-

> The Man With a Paper. The man with a paper during the morning and evening hours in New York city is legion. There are about 400,000 of him. A man without a newspaper on an elevated train, in a street car, aboard a ferryboat or in a railway coach, morning or evening going to or

New York Journal.

from business is conspicuous. He is a rare bird indeed, and looks as though he were wrecked and floating alone on a sea of tossing papers. He is sure to feel lonesome and almost outside the pale of civilization, for his fellow men, with their faces to their regular diet of daily news, hardly no-

If you have time to spare a mome from your morning paper, just look about you, in car or boat, observe and listen. You will see every mortal man -with often hundreds in view at one time-religiously bowing at the altar of the news in silence that is only broken by a continuous rustle as the scores of leaves are turned. There is no more devout newspaper reading community than is found in the me tropolis.-New York Herald.

Even Buds Grow Old. According to Professor Adam Sedg wick, says The Youth's Companion there is reason to believe that buds share in the growing old of the parent plant. He illustrates his meaning in this way: Suppose the average life of an individual plant—say a tree—to be 100 years, then a bud removed when the parent plant is 50 years old will also be virtually 50 years of age, and if transplanted by grafting will be able

Her New Toy. Hetty (recently engaged)—Oh, mother you ought not to ask, me to make the bread now. The dough gets into the setting of my diamond ring awfully! Mother-Then why not take the ring off when you begin to make the bread? Hetty-Mercy! Suppose somebody should come in!—Boston Transcript.

to live on the graft only 50 years more.

Brough For a Swallow. cases of indigestion and gives instant "You must keep your mouth shut when you are in the water," said the nurse, as she gave Bessie a bath. "If you don't, you'll swallow some of it." "What if I do?" asked Bessie innocently, "There's plenty more in the pipes, im't there?"—Exchange.

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Pity Beauty

The most beautiful thing in the world is the baby, all dimples and joy. The most pitiful thing is that same baby. thin and in pain. And the nother does not know that a little fat makes all the differ-

Dimples and joy have gone and left hollows and fear; the fat, that was comfort and New York city, a small negro lad, 14 color and curve-all but pity

The little one gets no fat from her food. There is some thing wrong; it is either her food or food-mill. She has had no fat for weeks; is living on what she had stored in that plump little body of hers; and that is gone. She is starving for fat; it is death, be quick!

Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil is the fat she can take; it will save her.



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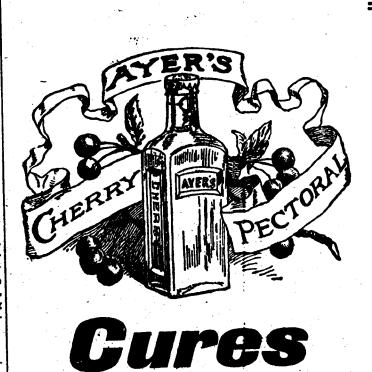
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"I caught a bad cold which resulted in arthma so severe that I was threatened with suffocation whenever I attempted to lie down in bed. A friend recommending Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, I began to take it, and soon obtained relief, and finally was completely cured. Since then I have used this medicine in my family with great success for colds, coughs, and croup."

8. HUTTER, Editor Relink, Steven's Point, Wis.

"I contracted a severe cold which settled on my lungs and did not yield to the various remedies I tried. I had noticed Ayer's Cherry Pectoral established where I had traveled, and decided to give it a trial. I purchased two bottles, and before I had finished the first one I was almost cured, and I am now in perfect health. My mork subjects me to very severe weather, but I had finished the first one I was almost cured, and I am now in perfect health. My mork subjects me to very severe weather, but I had finished the first one I was almost cured, and I am now in perfect health. My mork subjects me to very severe weather, but I find that a timely dose of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral acts as a preventive against colds and coughs."

CHAS. HULL, Whortley Road, London, Ont.

resome time since, I had a severe sold and could not sleep on account of coughing. A friend at Van Buren, Ark., recommended Ayer's Cherry Posteral. I proceed a bettle, and never had anything afford me such quick relief or a more had anything afford me such quick relief or a more had anything afford T. WRIGHT, Chester, Ark.

SIZE DAILES AND PRICE

BENNINGTON, N. H.

January Bargain Chances.

Under ordinary circumstances the man offering you gold dollars at 50c is a doubtful fellow to do business with, but there are periods in business when selling goods at cost and even below cost, is a necessary step. We have taken stock in our Clothing Department, and we must take that step, we are overstocked. We have had a successful season still we have lots of excellent goods that for some reason have not moved as we would like to see them. Perhaps we bought too heavy, whatever the reason they are here and must be sold. We never carry over our stock and for this reason our goods are always new and up-todate. We have no old goods on our counters. We now offer to the peope of Bennington and surrounding towns Our Entire Line of

Ready-to-Wear Clothing

Men's Boys and Children's Winter Suits. Men's and Boys' Overcoats, Ulsters and Reefers at prices that must turn this stock into ready cash.

colors, all wool former price, \$6.00 this sale \$4.90.

One lot Men's Suits, consisting of Elegant Winter weave, fancy plaids and worsted suits cheap at \$10,00 must go at \$7.50 These make a first class business suit

\$11.00. We thought them a bargain at \$13.00. Men's and Young Men's Black Clay Worsted Suits \$10, 10 50, 12 50, 18, 15, 17. These are very fancy and are equal to tailor made. Space will not allow us to give full details of these suits but our entire line must go at this

same ratio Men's Suits, Young Men's Suits, \$4 90, 5, 6, 7,50, 8 50 9, 10, 11, 12, 15 Boy's Two Peice Suite, \$1 50, 2, 2 50, 3, 8 50, 5

Still we cut Men's and Boy's Uleters can sell you tonish you, from \$4 90 to 15

Men's Heavy Winter Suits, Cheviot Suits, several One lot Boys' Ulsters, nicely made, very dressy coat, given it when it was built and opened must go at \$4 and 4.50.

Men's and Boys' Overcoats. We have not the room to describe these conts-we have the goods-they must go holy men ever came that way, they at \$4.00, 4.50, 5 00, 6 00, 6.50, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 17, and \$19. Will add that they include the latest styles, Our famous Auburn Melton suits must clear us out at extra finish. Meltons and Kerseys, and fancy plaid

linings in Brown, Black and Oxfords. Men's and Boys' Reefers, \$2.25, 2.50, 2.75, 3, 3.25, 4.00 and 5.00.

Child's Reefers, \$2, 2.25, 2.50, 8, 3.50 and 4. Men's Odd Pants in extra large sizes, we have them. 12 44-16-48 waist measure Men's Corduroy pants, lined throughout with heavy cotton cloth, taped seams and cannot rip, only \$1.75

A bargain at \$2 50, Heavy Winter Pants 32-40, 1.75 Fancy Worsteds, \$2, 2.50, 2.75, 8, 4, 4,50 and 5. Our Card-Any one buying a suit or a garment Boy's three Piece Suits \$1 50, 2, 2 25, 2 50, 3, 3 50, during this sale can have the privilege of returning it any time during six days from date of purchase, if it great big heavy ulster for only \$4.90 Men's Ulsters all does not fit or it he can buy the same things for less colors, all styles all weights, at prices that will surely as- money elsewhere. Here is no chance for you to get swindled, but a good chance for you to save a dollar

Custom Made Portland Sleigh

The Largest, Most Roomy Portland ever made; height of back 28 in., width of seat inside measure 40 in., height of side of seat 18 in., width of dash leather wings 40 in., length of runners 72 in., trimmings whip-cord or 20-oz. broadcloth, painted carmine or dark-green. This is a dandy, price \$50.00. Come and see it. If you need a sleight, you will never go away without it.

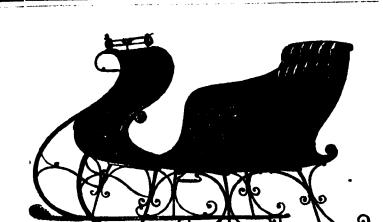
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NEW DESIGN PORTLAND—Round corner OLD COMFORT SLEIGHS, at \$30.00, 35.00, body with high back and sides, scroll braces on Gear triming, 18 ounce all-wool cloth, spring back and Light Gentleman's Driving Sleigh, fine finish, Fancy Portland, fine finish, spring back, wing

dash, Wilton mat, good roomy job \$45.00. 1 FOUR-SEATED PASSENGER SLEIGH-

Trimmed with cloth, oil carpet, drop-tail gate, seats of solid wood backs and removable, body 82 inches One Car Load of High Grade Western by 7 feet, Price \$50

Fur Coats.



FAT MAN'S CUTTER—Trimmed with 16 oz. with 16 ounce all-wool cloth, spring back, velvet all-wool cloth, spring back, Wilton mat, large and being killed and stripped, his body had grew so great that the street was blockmat, top best 28 ounce rubber, lined with good all-roomy, cushions 38x18 inches, nickel arm and dashwool cloth, bevel glass side-lights, nickel dash-rails; the indestructible cannon shoe is used on there. A man, unless a lunatic, would to clear it. Hone realized over £700 in

These Sleighs mentioned above are made by Sturtevant, Larrabee Co., and are warranted First Class in every way.

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As if the rainbow met its earthly doom

Beside its namesake iris and must lay
Imprisoned bars of flame and blossom gay
Haif hid beneath the olive's mournful gloss.
The lies branches weeve a shadow loom

Across the marbles, where the countain's spray
Drips slow, like cool and unsung melodits,
And through the grass the little liesards glide. Dripe slow, like cool and unsung melodies, And through the grass the little linards glide, Dazed with the drowny fragrance of the trees, and love and life lie sleeping side by side, For where still Eros lures the honey bees. A dark young lad dreams through the hot noon-

-Charlotte Becker in Ainalee's Magazine.

The_ Devil's Inn.

BY M. QUAD.

Zacetacas, Mexico, you have heard the story of "The Devil's Inn" and been mystified over it. If you have not heard the story by word of mouth, you will be interested in it.

On the highway to San Luis, about four miles out of Zacetacas, are the rulus of the inn. They have been ruins since 1884. For ten years previous to that the inn was unoccupied and gradually falling into decay. The name for business was "The Holy Rest." The name had no peculiar significance. If found the place full of sinners. The landlord and most of his customers were a hard lot, and during the four or five years the place flourished it had a bad name. The authorities had about determined to close the inn up when it The most that could be learned from there one night and had a long and confidential conversation with the landlord, and next morning both were missing. The place was overhauled, but no traces of murder were found. The servants scattered, the doors were nailed up, and "The Holy Rest" was left to darkness and the bats. Of course it soon had the reputation of being hauntod, and after a couple of years an incident occurred that gave it a still worse name. A young man belonging to one of the best families of Monterey, who happened to be in Zacetacas on a visit, made a wager that he would pass a night alone in the inn. He rode out before dark, well armed and provided with lights, and was seen to enter the place by a window. Next day his naked body was found on the highway in front of the house. He had been terribly dealt with. His ribs had ture of Abraham Newland was that of

doctors that he had been attacked by a wild beast. animal could be found. It was discov- hausted. not have shown such ferocity, and a | a few days.—Good Words. man must have left traces behind him. If a wild beast, where was his lair? How did he manage to carry the body out? There was no manner of wild beast in Mexico who could have done

been crushed, his face bitten as if by a

dog, and his clothing had been clawed

off his body. He had been dead for

hours, and it was the opinion of the

such a thing. I was one of the four American civil engineers employed by the local goved to make surveys for a drainage ca- ing. nal, and of course I heard of "The Devil's Inn," as it had long been called. That the people were earnest and sincere in their talk made no difference to me. I had no belief in haunted made me enemies. Perhaps things would not have gone as far as they did but for the chief of police of Zacetacas. He called on me one day in serious at lunch. vein and said:

"I want to warn you against making any foolish move in connection with 'The Devil's Inn.' The place is surely haunted and dangerous to life, no matter what you may think. Don't be silly enough to pay it a night visit, as I hear you contemplate doing."

I had contemplated nothing of the kind, but the chief had scarcely finished when I was resolved to take that very step. My chum was named Clark, a young man from Chicago, and I had no sooner broached the subject to him than he was ready for the adventure. equipped with everything deemed necessary, we were driven out to the inn. After shaking hands and bidding farewell with those who had accompanied us we entered by an unguarded window, and the carriage drove off. It was a rambling one story building containing 14 rooms. There was an office or bar room, a dining room, a kitchen, and the remainder were sleeping rooms. There was a cellar under the kitchen only. All the furniture had been left, and everything was mold and decay. Our first step was to carefully inspect every room and the cellar, and we did not find so much as a rat. We looked for secret panels in the partitions and for hidden traps in the floors, but we

made no discoveries. The dining room was about 16 feet square, with a long table in the center and a dozen stools about. There were three windows in this room, but all strongly boarded up. One door opened from the office and another from the kitchen. We lighted candles, braced the doors securely and started a bit of a fire in the open fireplace to drive out 12 bars Fairbank's Standard Soap.......25c the dampness. We had brought our pipes, wine and a luncheon, with a pack of cards to divert ourselves, and of anything occurring to alarm us. As we sat down to the cards our revolvers were laid on the table, and we laughed and loked without restraint. We had braced the doors shut with stout boards, and our first alarm came when was something curious in the way the we could see the brace quiver under the strain. There was no sound of footsteps or whispering. Rising with the number caution, we grasped our fewers and tiptoed to the door. When we resched it, we suddenly larked the brace state of the door. When the strain tiptoed to the door. When we resched it, we suddenly larked the brace state of the door. When the strain state and tiptoed to the door. When the strain state of the door we resched it, we suddenly larked the blder eleter, "contrast tiptoet in the door will be door the door with the door wi

the spiders in their webs were the only living inmates. Some one had tried that door. Some one had dung it wide open as the brace was removed. Clark and I laughed at each other; but we both felt awed and mystified and a bit

When the door had been secured as

afraid.

before, we returned to our game and spoke in whispers and kept very quiet. After half an hour we abandoned the cards and sat listening. I think it was half an hour after midnight and we were both probably nodding in sleep when both doors were suddenly burst open, with a crash, our candles were blown out by what seemed a strong wind, and next instant I was seized, lifted off my feet and carried to the broken window of the office and flung out. While I yet lay on the ground Clark followed me, and we heard a queer sort of chuckling from the window above. We both scrambled up and ran for our lives and in time reached the city. Neither of us was much hurt, but we had received a great fright. What had attacked us we could not say; but, whatever it was, it had the strength of three average men.

We went at once to the police, but even as we told our story we saw a red glare on the sky and knew that "The Devil's Inn" was on fire. Next day, as we visited the place with a strong detuchment of police, we found nothing but the walls standing. The unknown something that had flung us out had fired the place by accident or design, and the smoke stained adobe wonder over.

A FAMOUS BANK NOTE. The One That Cruikshank Drew and the Crowds It Drew. One day about the year 1818 George Cruikshank was passing Newgate on his way to the exchange, when, seeing a crowd collected, he went forward to learn what was the matter and saw was suddenly abandoned by the owner. that it was the execution of several The most that could be learned from men and women. He was horrified at the servants was that a stranger came | the spectacle and on inquiring learned that the woman was being hanged for passing counterfeit £1 notes. He learned also that this punishment was quite a common thing, even though the poor wretches often sinned in ignorance, being the dupes of men who sent them to buy some trifle and return the change to them. Wrung with pity and with shame, Cruikshank went home and immediately, under the inspiration of his feeling, sketched a grotesque caricature of a bank note. He called it a bank restriction note-not to be imitated. He represented on it a place of execution, with spaces about filled in transport ships bearing the lucky or unlucky ones who had escaped death to Van Diemen's Land or Australia, while in place of the well known signa-

"J. Ketch." He had just finished this, when his publisher Hone entered, and seeing it, begged to have it for publication. So Cruikshank etched it and gave it to Hone, who exhibited it for sale in his A company of 50 soldiers went out window with startling effect. Crowds and searched the inn. The search was | quickly began to gather and purchased a thorough one, but no trace of man or so eagerly that the issue was soon ex-

ered that the young man had been attacked in a particular room, and, after making more etchings, the crowds

BRITISH BANK CLERKS.

Sumptuary Laws Trying on Those With Slim Purses. Bank clerks generally look so sleek and comfortable and are almost invariably so well groomed that their ernment of Zacetacas in the year nam- grievances rarely receive patient hear-

One who was recently dismissed for the terrrible crime of smoking a pipe in a city cafe during one of the hours sacred to what is called by city courtesy lunch writes, giving a list of rebouses, and my sarcastic reflections strictions which he declares are ab-

> No clerk is allowed to smoke a pipe in the streets during banking hours or

The average clerk's salary is not so very high, but nevertheless he must wear a silk hat and cane to the office, dressed as one with double the salary. Wearing a cap to business is not to be thought of, as it is an unpardonable

but in many banks the salary is much lower and the chances of promotion very small. A clerk's money is greatly diminished by his having to subscribe to numerous the cricket or football grounds in order,

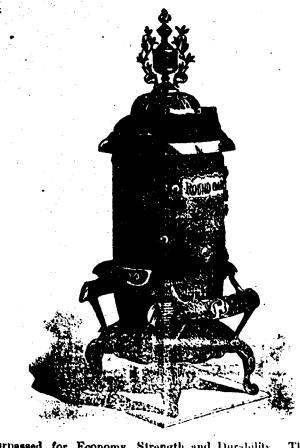
which he himself is never able to see. Saturday is no holiday for him, as he does not leave the office on those days until about 4 or 5 o'clock. It must not be supposed that the day's work of a bank clerk ends with small size. Book all about dyspepsia mailedfree It must not be supposed that the the closing of the bank to customers. In fact, it only begins at that time.-London Express.

When the Chief Cook Leaves. The importance of a chief cook becomes evident when the time for his departure arrives. One day last week the proprietor of a popular restaurant on Fifth avenue decided for reasons of his own to part with the services of the man who had for some years looked after his kitchen. The chef retired and with him more than 20 of his assistants. This number included his assistant cooks and every man in the kitchen, even to the unimportant functionary who presides over the refriger-

ators. This exodus did not surprise the proprietor. The chef had brought the others with him, and they were in a way more closely attached to his service than to the proprietor who paid them their wages. When a substitute was hired, he also brought the same complete corps of assistants who are supposed to know the methods of their chief better than any assistants not directly employed by him.

This manner of employment exists in all the large restaurants, where the under his direction even if he was not personally concerned in the matter.-

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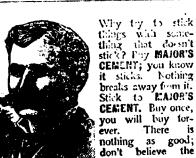
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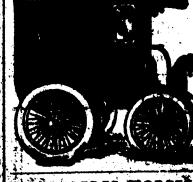
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