Our Sphinx.

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Odds and Ends.

A Kansas City paper contains the advertisement of a man who says he wants a wife with a knowledge of music, but no 'Maiden's Prayer' or 'Silver Threads' kind of a girl will answer."

A party of young men dined sumptuously at a restaurant in Atlanta, and each one insisted on paying the bill. To decide the matter, it was proposed to blind fold the waiter, and the first one he caught should pay the bill. He hasn't caught any of them yet.

Rector's wife (severely): "Tommy Robinson, how is it you don't take off your hat when you meet me?" Tommy: "Well, marm, if I take off my hat to you what be I to do when I meet the parson himself?"

"Ladies and gentlemen," said an Irish manager to his audience of three, "ye there is nobody here, I'll dismiss you all; the performance of this night will not be performed, but will be repeated to-morrow evening."

At an examination of girls for the rite of confirmation in the Episcopal church, in' answer to the question, "What is the outward visible sign or form in baptism?" the reply of a bright little theologian was, "The baby, sir."

Scene in a New York Police Court—Judge: "Prisoner, I find you guilty of intoxication in the public streets. The punishment is ten dollars or ten days. Which will you take?" Prisoner: "I will take the ten dollars, your honor."

Said a woman speaker in a New Haven suffrage meeting, "Women is in every respect the equal of man. Her reputation for heroic bravery——" At that point a mouse ran into sight, and the orator jumped on the table and screamed.

"You don't ketch me atin' rabbits in this country," said a Hibernian yesterday. "Did you ever eat them in the old country?" he asked. "Yes, was the reply, "but how do I know but what was a rabbit in the ould country 'ud be a rat in America."

An Irishman, being a little fuddled, was asked what was his religious belief. "Is it me belafe ye'd be asking about?" said he. "It's the same as the widdy Brady. I owe her twelve shillins for whiskey, and she belaves I'll niver pay her, and faith that's my belafe too."

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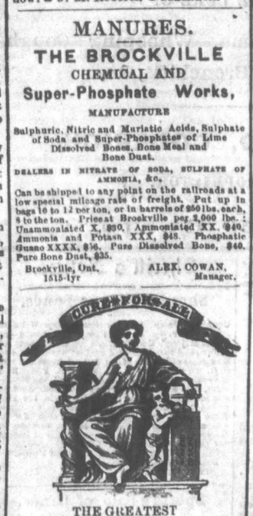

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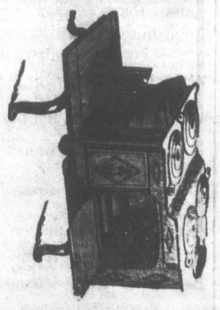

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The Latest Fenian.

The following was replied by Sir John's newspaper yesterday from one of our correspondents:

"A short time after Messrs. Sifton, Ward & Co. obtained a contract on the Pacific Railway, Mr. Sifton called on Mr. John McClary, a prominent manufacturer in London, and asked the construction of one hundred and twenty miles to be ready at a stated time, and offering to be paid was five dollars per mile. Mr. McClary felt the contract, but as the appointed time, Mr. Sifton failed to put in an appearance. After waiting for a time, by the advice, we believe, of another of the firm who resides in this city, Mr. McClary wrote to Hon. Alex. Mackenzie, enquiring who was responsible. After the further delay of a couple of weeks Mr. McClary received a visit from one of the Mackenzie brothers at Sarnia, who told him that Sifton had no right to have such work done, and the Pacific Railway supplies had to be purchased through their firm. But as Mr. McClary was a good Reformer and an available future candidate, the Government had decided to take the scrapers off his hands according to the terms of Sifton's agreement. In the most delicate manner possible, this brother of Mr. Casey's 'high-minded gentleman' informed Mr. McClary that their firm would expect their usual commission—two and one-half per cent—on the transaction. Mr. McClary indignantly refused to be swindled in such a manner, as the contract was not a very profitable one at the best. After some reflection Mr. Mackenzie found a way out of the difficulty. This was for Mr. McClary to add the amount of the commission to the bill, and that it would be paid at Ottawa without question. This was accordingly done with the most gratifying success all round. Mr. McClary received his five hundred dollars, and to-day, no doubt, possesses renewed confidence in the vitality and purity of Reform principles, while Mr. Mackenzie's brother pocketed his twelve dollars and fifty cents with a chuckle of satisfaction that Pagin himself might have envied."

Before Sir John's newspaper had published the falsehood the following denial of it was in print:

To the Editor of the London *Advertiser*.

SIR,—I notice a shameful article in this morning's *Free Press*, copied from an evening paper of yesterday; entitled "Corruption in High Places." I think it unnecessary to state more than that the portion referring to the Ward-Sifton scraper transaction is untrue.

We did, in the spring of 1875, receive an order from Messrs. C. Mackenzie & Co., of Sarnia, but it was through their own purchasing agent—Mr. Milne is, I believe, his name—and included, among other goods, fifty road scrapers, which were shipped and paid for by that firm in the usual way, and neither with reference to this or any other business transaction have my firm or myself had any correspondence with the Hon. Alex. Mackenzie.

Yours truly, JOHN MCCLARY.

London, Nov. 18, 1876.

We give this as a specimen of the charges made by Sir John's newspaper against Mr. Mackenzie. The case needs no comment—it was simply a lie of the same nature as those indulged in by Tom White and his friend Ananias, in a like connection. It may be safely put down that all charges of the same kind brought against the Hon. Mr. Mackenzie and his brothers are equally false and malicious. —*Hamilton Times.*

Household Matters.

POTTED TROUT.—Clean and take out the bones; pepper and salt them, and, with a little herb seasoning, pack them flat and tight into a potting-pot, with a little butter. Bake them for a quarter of an hour. Let them get perfectly cold, and then cover them with clarified butter.

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HASHED BEEF.—Slice and brown one large onion with a small piece of butter in an iron saucepan; then add one teaspoonful of moist sugar, which also brown well. Mix in a small cup a dessert-spoonful of flour with a little water. Pour this into a saucepan, mix well and add a breakfast cupful of good plain beef or veal gravy, stirring occasionly. Cut your cold beef into thin slices, pepper it, and put into a saucepan with a bunch of sage. Let the whole stew until it boils. Serve up, garnished with pieces of toast.

GINGER WINE.—Boil together for half-an-hour seven quarts of water, six pounds of sugar, two ounces of the best ginger, bruised, and the rinds of three good-sized lemons. When lukewarm, put the whole into a cask with the juice of the lemons, and a quarter of a pound of sun raisins; add one spoonful of new yeast, and stir the wine every day for ten days. When the fermentation has ceased, add half an ounce of isinglass.

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PLANTING VEGETABLES.—Parsnips and other crops can be kept till late in spring if properly gathered the previous fall. The pit can be prepared as usual by excavating from six inches to a foot deep; the potatoes placed in and covered with straw and over that a cover of earth about four-to six inches. When this cover is frozen about three inches deep a thick covering of horse yard manure should be put on and covered lightly with earth. The frozen inside crust will keep the roots cool so that they will not grow. The pit can be left in this shape till late in the spring.

FALL PLOUGHING, after abundant experiment has been adjudged the best in heavy clay loams, as the winter frosts pulverize and thus ameliorate the land, especially where salt is sown lightly upon it. Where the land is light spring ploughing is best, especially if a shallow sod is turned. Fall manuring is recommended in many sections of N. Y. State and practised with good results by many of the leading agriculturists. Orchards should be manured in the fall also when plowed and afterwards a top dressing of manure placed around each tree so as to cover the roots. Especially after a large yield of fruit when the tree is exhausted manure should be plowed down in the fall so as to supply sustenance next spring to make the usual growth of wood. Fruit will not become small and diseased if the tree is properly fed.

HERS.—You farmers pay any attention to the poultry, and yet if properly attended to they are a source of large profit. To warrant profitable results, hens should be fed and watered regularly, and a proportion of cooked food should be given. Excellent results will follow from feeding every third day in winter and the cool weather of spring and fall with the following compound:—To three gallons of boiling water add one-half an ounce of common salt, a teaspoonful of cayenne pepper and four ounces of lard. Stir the mixture until the pepper has imparted considerable of its strength to the water. Meantime the salt will have been dissolved and the lard melted. Then, while yet boiling hot, stir in a meal made of oats and corn ground together in equal proportions and add a thick mush is formed. Before feeding, taste to see that you have an overdose neither of salt nor pepper and to prevent the hens being imposed upon with a mixture not fit to be eaten, nor so hot with pepper that you could not swallow it.

WINTER FEEDING OF STOCK.—Some writers on agricultural subjects assert that there is no immediate profit on winter-fattening stock, and the only profit is from the increased quantity of manure made thereby and its superior quality. Facts, they say, is considered by English farmers sufficient to defray the cost of feeding. They adduce figures to prove their assertion, thus reducing it to the solution of an arithmetical problem. An animal is of a given weight when being put into the stall for fattening. A certain quantity of food is consumed in the fattening, and when fit for the shambles he has gained in weight so many pounds or stones. This additional weight barely pays for the food consumed in the fattening, and hence it appears that there is no profit other than the manure, against which is to be placed in account the labor of feeding. But there is some thing to be reckoned more than the price of the additional pounds of meat. Those writers have overlooked, or at least they have not taken into account, the increased value of the whole carcass. In our home market well fattened beef sells readily at thirty to forty per cent. higher prices than it would if lean, and the difference in British markets is still higher. This profit we claim is made by fattening animals in addition to that from the manure, as fairly valued, to be equivalent to the food and labor. A milch cow can be brought well through the winter on good hay, without any other food, but the question arises—"Will she not do as well or better on hay of inferior quality, with the addition of roots that cost less to the farmer than any other provender?" We have had cattle kept in good, thriving condition throughout the winter on good straw, with two feeds of turnips daily. Cattle feeders assure us that a good-sized cow will eat twenty-five to thirty pounds of hay in winter when it is her only food. Straw is seldom treated by farmers as of much account. Roots, such as turnips and mangolds, produce from 600 to 1,000 bushels per acre, at he cost of the labor—say $12 to $15

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