Trouble in the Choir. There was something so unusual in the sing-

ing of the choir
That the Elder looked up mildly from the tenth of Jeremiah,
And with readjusted eyeglass looked along

the foremost row. While a hundred necks were twisted in a stare

As before the rolling thunder comes a distant wailing moan. There was a presage of disturbance in the very

Just the popping of the picket, ere the bat the awful din, Or the tuning of the fiddle ere the orchestra

An unprejudiced observer could have seen with half an eye There was waiting an explosion that would blow them all sky-high,

Or spontaneous combustion, to accept That was waiting just a motion to burst forth

The Soprano sat in grandeur, with her boo With her back comb turned in anger on the

Alto and the Bass; While the Tenor stood beside her with an elevated nese,
And the Organist pawed madly at the pedals

How could any one but Angels sing, when

they were feeling so,
Though the hymn was "Sengs of Gladness," they would make it "Sounds of Woe." When we sing about devotion, some devotion we must feel

somewhat of squeal. But the Alto sung her solo, and left it to the

Bass,
Who was grawing at his moustache and was looking for the place;
While the O. ganist, in anger, sang the lead-

ing part alone. And the Tenor tried to follow, but it ended in As the horror-stricken people heard the dis-

cord rising higher,
It was patent to the simplest there I was trouble in the choir.

And the Organist, in fury, closed the organ with a crash, And the Alto sobbed in anguish and the choir

When the Elder went among them with The Soprano told her story, with a sanguinary

It appeared the wretched Chorister had introwith a brand-new style of singing, and a

most distracting curl. But, to cap the bitter climax, this usurper Just a duck, a gem, a beauty, and is made the rest look flat;

And the straw that broke the camel's back and made the wreck complete—
She came early Sunday morning, and usurped

the leading seat. When the Elder asked the Tenor why he left. he said, "Because
The Soprano said his chest-tones sounded just

And he overheard the Alto one night whisper Tasta man with such a moust tche was a

And the Bass informed the Elder that he sac. When he came and joined the Elder's choir, to

He was an Episcopalian, and if people thought | land I came straight through to Chicago,

Any nonsense from a Baptist, they had made a great mistake. Then the Organist and Alto both put on an in-

Saying something in an undertone about And the Elder overheard them, as he gently

closed the door,
Use the poor words, "A poor old Fogy," and

And he scratched his poor old noodle, as he With his spectacles on forehead and his slippers on his feet,
And I really think the Elder had hope of pour

On the troubled sea of music, to allay the sad

in the meantime service opens with old "China" or "Bethune." And the Deacon with his tune-fork gives the people all the tune;
And the organ gathers cobwebs, and the peo-

ple gather gaace. While they roar out "Coronation" to the Dea. con's hoarsest bass.

The Mahdi's Star Waning.

Cairo, July 28.—The inhabitants of away. ongola through the Mudir have sent a spatch to the general commanding at nan, declaring their loyalty and exressing regret at their wavering in the ast. The telegram is regarded as an ddisional proof that the Mahd's influence s waning. An Arab trader, who has ust arrived at Assouan from Amarara luly 20, says it was reported there that Isman Digna was killed on July 18 by a number of the Bishareen troops, whose ephew Osman stabbed because he refusite ion the rebuse. to join the rebels,

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FINE EMIGRANTS

A Young Englishman's Criticisms on American Customs.

'Blow this country, I say !' remarked a young Englishman in the corridor of a Fifth street hotel, the other afternoon yawning spasmodically and throwing away a half-smoked cigarette.

'What's the matter?' inquired a sympathizing Time's reporter.

'Oh, I'm going back again to London. The way the people here live and work is far too much for me. The idea of working at the office all day and late at night and frequently on a Sunday! It's too much, you know, by George !

'Much difference in office hours be tween your country and ours?'

'Well, I should say there is. I should commence work before 9 o'clock in the Saturday and bank holidays, and that sort of thing, you know.'

'The English clerks get well paid, no doubt, in comparison to the American

paid, I suppose. A man who gets forty 'Been long over here ?'

months too long. I think the Americans are awfully rule and plain spoken. drunkard's cabin, leaving her children When I was in Chicago I asked one of to the mercies of a drunken father. the rallway officials if he could obtain a Whiskey causes more heartaches than position for me. He said : 'Are you out all else in the world, It fills our poorof work? The idea of asking a gentle-houses, asylums, jails and penitentiaries man if he was out of 'work.' I told him with men that would make a shining I was temporarily out of employment, mark in this world's history if they and he then said: 'What can you do?' would let the first glass alone. Men 'Oh,' I said, 'I am a very fair bookkeep- that would fill any position from the er.' What do you think he said? 'We lowest to the highest; men that would feed hogs on bookkeepers in this city.' be worthy of any woman's heart and Did you ever hear such a brutal expres- hand; men that any Christian woman sion in all your life?

'Did you catch on? to use an Ameri-

mean. Yes, he offered me an engage earth; scattering love and sunshine irment, and I accepted it; but I soon stead of heartaches and misery.—Farmfound I had no leisure time so I resigned ing World. and tried one or two other things. I thought it would be awfully jolly to go on a farm for a little while, and I did so, declares it can, and that Hagyard's Yelbut the work was too hard, and I went low Oil is the remedy that cured him. back again to Chicago. By the by, do It is also a specific for all inflamation and you know that when I arrived from Eng- pain. and it was shockingly cold of course. I was wearing an English fur cap and corduroy clothes, and when I got off the dis corduroy clothes, and when I got off the train at the station some boys called out, 'What is it?' I said, 'I beg your pardon;' and they repeated, 'What is it?' and laughed as though they had made some amazingly witty observation. I gradually ideas to the result of hereditary impulses, special wear and tear, previous habits or rattacks of disease, the effects of which are supposed to have passed away. Nature in these impaired constitutions requires help all through life, and Wheeler's Phosphates and Calisaya supplies the form of energy wanted to bring such systems to a higher plain of wigor and maintain functional activity, amazingly witty observation. I gradually became conscious that they were making be placed in? So embarrassing, you know.

'You seem to have come west?'

'Yes, but the further away I get the less I like the country. I went to one place to seek employment and the head Throat, Lungs or Bronchial Tubes. of the firm asked me if I was a 'hustler.'

'I said, 'No, sir ; I am a bookkeeper, store. Large size \$1.00. and then he laughed in a callous sort of way, and said he guessed I was too grey for the place. I did not like to ask him Worms, and expel them from the syswhat he meant by 'gray' for fear he would tem. think that I was not familiar with the language of the country, so I walked

'You do not seem to have too great a liking for the country?

'You are right, my boy. I have given the place a fair trial and am going straight home. There is nothing congenial to me 'What would you suggest as a means

of improving our unfortunate country? 'Why, my dear boy, I would suggest that in the first place you have pockets in your billiard tables, and, next, that, you employ barmaids in your hotels. Then a fellow can pass his evenings pleasantly, and manage to survive the hard work. How can you expect a man to play billiards on a table with no pock- this. ets? And how can a fellow enjoy himself at the hotels when there are no barthey are a source of great attraction to the hotels, and I am sure would take the hotels, and I am sure would take the of Electric Bitters. You will be surand then there would be some induce- life; strength and activity will return; cat again, said a citizen, "when I can ment for a fellow to stay over here. I pain and misery will cease, and hencebilious attacks, as Dr. Carson's Stom- think I'll go and take a nap now. Have Electric Bitters. Sold at fifty cents a you a cigarette? Good-bye.'- Kansas bottle by J. Wilson.

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Does it make you any better and happier or any more gentlemanly to drink? Does or any more gentlemanly to drink? Doe it make you any dearer to those that love you? Are you making your good old you? Are you making your good old St., Chicago, Ill., is now in her sixtyeighth year, and states that she has sufheart happier by so doing? Stop but fered with Consumption for about ten heart happier by so doing? Stop but can never be one and drink to the dregs of that damning cup.

hairs and sorrow to those that you love trial bottle. and to those that love you. What good do intoxicating liquors do? Some hold that a great many are good for medicine. They may be, but while they are curing and relieve yourself of all those distress-one they are killing thousands; ruiring pains. Your Druggest can tell you all about it. Seld by J Wilson Goderich? like to see the average English clerk one they are killing thousands; ruiring men; causing them to do things that morning, and every one leaves at 6 they would not do. Some men come o'clock. Then we have half a holiday on home intoxicated, scold and curse their wife and little ones; when they them-selves have sold everything saleable in is found in Dr. Carson's Bitters, which the house for something to drink; they act as a Cathartic without griping or will curse and strike their wife because 'Oh, well, our clerks are not so well she can't prepare them something to eat, and often, in striking, they kill the only well off. You see everybody in Eugland learns to be a clerk, and it is supposed to be infra dig. to learn a trade. Trades to be infra dig. to learn a trade. Trades- elings to a straw. It is a dangerous mepeople, you know, are looked down upon, dicine. While it cures one it starts and are in fact very inferior. They thousands on the downward road. The make more money, and obtain higher first glass must be taken when sick. It salaries, and I think it is a beastly shame; starts men to swearing, lying, cheating, but the employment sought for by most gambling and murder; it causes children young fellows is bookkeeping, and of to grow up in rags, idleness, ignorance course the market can be overstocked and poverty; and the one they love, and splaries are reduced in consequence. honor and protect, the one they take from a home of happiness and love, sur-'Oh, about six months; and that is six rounded by dear friends and raised in

would be glad to look up to as her superior; men that would make loving husbands and indulgent fathers, making 'Catch what? Oh, I see what you home a paradise instead of a hell on

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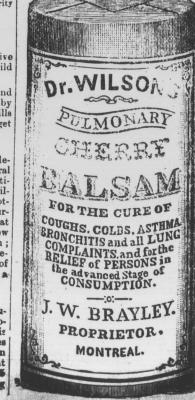
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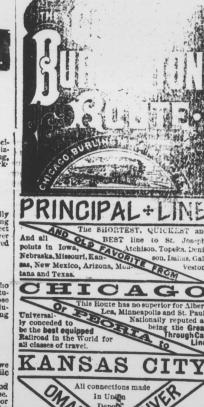
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