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MEN AND WATCHES. me Persons Say the Timepiece Takes After Its Owner.

ahead and genius sometimes soar with men as it is with their watcheswith men as it is with their watches—
the most reliable and serviceable are and enjoys good health.

There is a Pennsylvania railroad en-

citable, uncertain temperament, the watch cuts up all sorts of pranks and is too fast or too slow or else will not run

at all. Watch repairers look with considerable suspicion on men whose watches always need regulation. The man whos grandly, but it is the steady-going sort of worker who gets the most done in the end, and is the most reliable. It is the end, and is the most reliable. It is the end, and is the most reliable. It is the end, and is the most reliable. It is the end, and is the most reliable. It is the end, and is the most reliable. It is the end, and is the most reliable. It is the end, and is the most reliable. It is the steady-going sort watch is always need regulation. The man whose watch is always right "just to the tick" is pretty sure to be one who keeps regulation.

The vacant house decays soonest, and the watch or the man that is kept run-There is a Pennsylvania railroad engineer who has retired on a pension after forty-eight years of service. "I have carried one watch for more than twenty-six years," he says, "and it always kept the right time. A good engineer must have a good watch; it does the most important part of his work."

It is said of this engineer that he has been an exceptionally sober, orderly, steady-going man, whose health has always been good and his record always lean. But doesn't this go without saying, when we know that his watch always kept the right time?

Watchmakers say that a watch partakes of the traits of the one who carries it. If the owner is steady, eventempered and reliable and never "files off the handle" his watch behaves ittelf in the most proper manner. If the parter is a genius, with an erratic, ex-

War Menus

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MENU FOR TUESDAY.

Breakfast. Cornmeal Porridge Tea or Coffee

Dinner. Fried Cod Baked Potatoes Stewed Tomatoes and Onio Tapioca Pudding

Turkish Rice Brown Bread Butter Oatmeal Cakes Apple Sauce Tea
The recipe for Turkish Rice, mention-

Turkish Rice-Wash and drain one-half cup rice; cook in one tablespoon dripping until brown; add one cup boiling water, and steam until water is absorbed. Add one and three-fourths cups hot stewed tomatoes, cook until rice is soft, and season with salt and pepper.

LIVERY STABLES.

(Cleveland Plain Dealer.) Only recently the last New York horse car went to the scrap heap. Toll gates still exist in the vicinity of Philadelphia. The present generation smiles at these anachronisms, and offers mock sympathy to cities that permit themselves to lag so sadly behind the times.

The horse car and the toll gate really passed before the present generation arrived. The generation that is coming will look back at the present as a time of passing unslessness. That many established things are passing even now is quite certain. Take, for example, the

very stable. Who has thought of the village livery who has thought of the village livery stable as an institution of the past? Was it not only yesterday that the big barn was a feature of every small town and of every little business centre of the cities? Yet it is stated in the Providence Journal that last week the last livery stable in a certain New England egion went out of business.

No more does father hire a steady nag and a roomy surrey for the family's Sun-day afternoon outing. No more does the city swain take his girl for an aftersupper trot to the cool midsumme when the snow comes. The commercial traveler seldom acknowledges depen-dence on the conveyances which were

the sea, in the air. The sea horse and Pegasus offer no opposition, and good old Dobbin is succumbing.

The blacksmith shop will endure yet a little while. Though few now condescend to hire a horse for pleasure, the faithful animal still remains as a drudge

and continues to pull some of the bur-dens of the cities. "The village smithy" Nowadays the old cottages which

Nowadays the old cottages which mark the location of the former toll gates are regarded as antiquarian curiosities. It is possible that the children of today will point out to their children. ancient and dilapidated buildings that nce served as livery stables, and will compelled to explain what a livery



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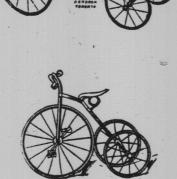
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