

DINNER.

UL FOOD IS ATEN.

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THE LIGHTSHIP.

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A DEAL IN WHISKY.

The Profits Were Not So Large as the Buyers Expected.

Western customs and usages have found their way into many homes of the wealthy...

The guests remove their shoes on entering the house and, except when provided with a pair of cotton overshoes...

Silken cushions are scattered about the floor and the guests are arranged according to rank...

Before leaving the trays on the tables they set them on the floor, and dropping on their knees...

The host sets an example by removing the covers from the tiny bowls, and the guest, doing likewise...

In each course there are half a dozen dishes, and the host tells what they are.

The second course is a small fish boiled whole. One has a chance here to get in some fine play with the chopsticks...

The third course is a curry of rice and pickled vegetables, and for a fourth and final course you have sobo...

During the dinner each guest rises and proposes the health of the host and one other guest until the whole party is disposed of.

At the close of a dinner the tabako bon, a tray holding a hibachi with live coals in a cone of ashes...

"So you finally proposed?" said his chin.

"I think are always ridy to push ye up," said the janitor philosopher.

"There are tricks in the whisky business as well as in others," said the drummer for a large compounding house...

"In the course of a couple of weeks we concluded to put that whisky in bottles and sell it as case goods...

The Tamahawk or Tomahawk. Tamahac eventually came to designate the "war hatchet" of the Indian...

This weapon was either in the form of a spear or hatchet blade on one side, while upon the opposite side there was a cuplike cavity...

The tomahawk pipe was not only attractive and popular in trade, but, like the earlier trade pipe...

She was standing on the front porch reading the story paper, which had just come in the mail.

"Sposin I did," she returned. "It's no business of yours."

"I spoke in kindness, lady. You ain't treatin' yerself right to cry an' read both at once."

"Ah," said the conceited fellow, with a view to making her jealous...

"It did you or could you go and see the doctor. I knew it would."

It destroys one's nerves to be unable every day to the same humbug being—Beaconsfield.

A HOBO ON A TRAIN.

His Brief Interview With a Brakeman and the Conductor.

"I spent several hours in a small country town not far from here a few days ago," said a young professional man of this city...

"When I got back to the caboose, the conductor says, 'Well, Bill, did you fire the hobo?'"

A FISH-CATCHING FISHER. He Has a Mouth One-third the Size of His Body.

Most remarkable of strange fishes is the angler fish, whose very name seems a paradox.

The mouth is tremendous, growing to the width of a foot when the whole fish is only three feet long.

He is not a pretty fish to look at, but he attends strictly to business and will swallow anything that touches his warning fin...

"Are you one of the officers of the treasury department?" asked the man with the bloodshot eyes.

"Well, it's rather a confidential business, and I don't want it to go any further, but I've come to pay the government some money that I guess I owe it fairly."

Manasseh Cutler of Massachusetts, in a circular in 1787 "booming" the settlement which the New Englanders were about to plant on the Ohio at the mouth of the Muskingum...

"I hear that Bellingham has married money," said Perkins.

"That's all."

A TWO NICKER.

The Old Printer Explains What He Meant by the Expression.

"I was just stepping off the street car," remarked the old printer, who was telling a story...

"Well, a two nicker is a lady, a woman, anything that wears petticoats."

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John Law's Wild Schemes Gave It a Prominent Impetus.

Caricature is nowadays one of the principal methods of criticism. No movement can overreach the mark without eliciting dozens of works of art from caricaturists all over this and all other countries.

It was this tremendous amount of pictorial work that first directed the energies of William Hogarth, in London, in this direction.

Over and Over.

Mr. William Hawley Smith, in his "Walks and Talks," tells of a remark made by an Irish friend which might be applicable in many cases:

His Little Joke.

A Possible Cure For Founders.

A Remarkable Prediction.

Spoken in Irony.

THE TREATING HABIT.

Ignorance of National Customs Leads to Disagreeable Results.

"I had a rather embarrassing but instructive experience recently," remarked a chabman of this city.

She Got the Dress.

A Good Use For Allen.

CONGRESSMAN JOHN M. ALLEN OF MISSISSIPPI once went to New York from the south to attend a banquet.

HEALTHY HAIR

A man with a thin head of hair is a marked man. But the big bald spot is not the kind of a mark most men like.

Too many men in their twenties are bald. This is absurd and all unnecessary.

It always restores color to faded or gray hair. Notice that word, "always." And it cures dandruff.

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"Every Well Man Hath His Ill Day."

A doctor's examination might show that kidneys, liver and stomach are normal, but the doctor cannot analyse the blood upon which these organs depend.

Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies, vitalizes and enriches the blood. It cures you when "a bit off" or when seriously afflicted. It never disappoints.

Rheumatism—"I believe Hood's Sarsaparilla has no equal for rheumatism. It has done me more good than any other medicine I have taken."

Bad Cough—"After my long illness, I was very weak and had a bad cough. I could not eat or sleep. Different remedies did not help me but Hood's Sarsaparilla built me up and I am now able to attend to my work."

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