

Choice Miscellany.

The Village Oracle.

Beneath the weather-beaten porch That shades the village store...

The British Square.

The terrible disaster to the Italian troops in the Sudan, which has thrown the Italian people into a frenzy of excitement...

The Work of a Moment.

Did you ever write a letter, and just as you were finishing it, let your pen fall on it or a blot of ink blot the fair page?

The Life of a Man.

At the age of 25 a man should have acquired his maximum height, varying normally from five feet six inches to six feet.

A Cheap Skip.

"Can you," he said as he stopped a citizen who was entering the post-office, "can you direct me to a first-class restaurant?"

Push.

If there was more push in the world, there would be fewer hungry, half-clad, homeless, suffering children; fewer broken-down, dissipated men and women; less need of almshouses, houses of correction, and homes for the friendless.

Push never hurts anybody. The harder the push the better, if it is given in the right direction.

Real Heroism.

There is always a union of courage and true greatness in an unselfish risk of one's life.

Clubbing Offer.

Having made special arrangements with the publishers of a number of the leading periodicals of Canada and the United States we are enabled to make a large discount to subscribers.

Wages of Women.

The wages paid to women, in almost every line of business, are miserably low. It is very seldom that women receive, even for the same work, more than half the wages of men.

They Weren't Sandwiches.

Among the score of us who rushed into a railroad eating-house in Mississippi the call of "twenty minutes for dinner," was a chap who had his mind made up to say something unpleasant when he came to pay for his meal.

The Downward Steps.

Men do not grow either very good or very bad in an instant. When we see some great achievement of bravery, of heroism, of self-renunciation, we wonder as if it were sudden.

Still Another.

DIPHTHERIA CURED. - I hereby certify that Minard's Linctament cured my daughter of a severe and what appeared to be a fatal attack of Diphtheria, after all other remedies failed, and recommended to all who may be afflicted with this dreadful disease.

continental proportion The story of the first temptation was the story in brief of all the subsequent temptations and falls.

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Table with columns: Publication, Regular Price, Clubbing Price. Lists various newspapers and magazines with their respective prices.

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Enjoy Life.

What a truly beautiful world we live in! Nature gives us grandeur of mountains, glens and oceans, and thousands of means of enjoyment.

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Stoves!

Having Completed my Fall Importation of Stoves I have now in stock the Largest variety of Stoves in the County!

S. R. SLEEP.

C. G. RICHARDS & CO. SOLE PROPRIETORS. It is an invaluable Hair Renewer and cleans the scalp of all Dandruff.

ANOTHER PROOF.

GENTS. - In February last I took a severe cold, which settled in my back and kidneys, causing great pain.

ADVISE TO MOTHERS.

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth?

WE SELL. POTATOES, FISH, ETC. HALHEWAY & CO., General Commission Merchants, 22 Central Wharf - Boston.

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GOING WEST. Exp. Daily, Accm. Daily, F.M., P.M. Lists train schedules for various routes.

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For all diseases of the Liver, Blood, Stomach and Kidneys; and that many valuable lives will be saved through the spring and summer by using this boon to mankind.

J. B. NORTON, SOLE PROPRIETOR.

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