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SCRAP BOOK.

There is a notice for a suburban garden fence which reads thus:—"Positively no more stealing allowed on these premises. No exceptions,"

A bad little boy rubbed cayenne pepper dust all over the back of his jacket. The schoolmaster thrashed him briskly, but dismissed school immediately to run to the nearest chemist for eye

Lord Clive asked a chaplain to one of his regiments in the East India Company's service for a tost. "Alas and alack-a-day! what can I give?" toast. Alas and alack-a-day! what can I give?" said the latter. "Nothing better," replied his lord-ship, "Come, gentlemen, a bumper to the parson's toast, a lass and a lac a day!"

A CAT SUCKING A MAN'S BREATH.—The Moberly (Missouri) Enterprise tells the following story:— Mr. French, a member of the Thorne Dramatic Troupe, playing an engagement in this city, retired to rest at an early hour, and soon fell into a deep slumber. After the lapse of an hour or two, he was aroused by a feeling of overpowering oppressiveness and suffocation, and was horrified to pressive and huge cat was sitting on his breast, and had its head to his mouth and was sucking away his breath. He found himself in an almost exhausted condition; so much so that he was unable to shake off the vampire fiend attacking him.
Struggle as he would, the cat only fastened his claws the deeper into his breast, and went on at its herrible feast. His groans and cries of agony, however, brought some neighboring lodgers to his relief, and he was rescued from his frightful position. Even then they were compelled to turn him out of bed and roll him over on the floor before the cat could be made to release its hold and abandon its purpose. Mr. French's face and chest bear frightful evidences of his terrible battle with the monster.

A QUAINT OLD BILL.—The following curious account for restoring a chapel was engraved in French on a watch crystal in the Swiss department of the Vienna Exposition. The whole was placed on a scroll less than an inch square. A painter had been employed to repair a number of pictures in a convent; he did it, and presented his bill in full for 59 fancs and 11 centimes to the curate, who refused to pay it, saying the committee would require a full detail. The painter produced it as follows:—Corrected and revised the Ten Commandments, 5 francs and 12 centimes; embellished and renewed Pontius Pilate, and put a new ribbon in his bonnet, 3 francs 6 centimes; put a new tail on the rooster of St. Peter, and mended his comb, 3 francs 20 centimes; replumed and gilded the left wing of the Guardian Angel, 4 francs and 17 centimes; washed the servant of the High Priest, and put carmine on his cheeks, 5 francs 12 centimes; renewed Heaven, adjusted two stars, gilded the Sun and renewed the Moon, 7 francs 14 centimes; reanimated the Flames of Purgatory, and restored some souls, 6 francs 6 centimes; revived the Flames of Hell, put a new tail on the Devil, mended his left hoof, and did several jobs for the Damned, 4 francs 10 centimes; put new spatter dishes on the Son of Tobias, and dressing on his back, 2 francs; cleaned the ears of Balaam's Ass, and shod him, 3 francs 7 centimes; put ear-rings in the ears of Sarah, 2 francs 4 centimes; rebordered the robe of Herod, and readjusted his wig, 4 francs 4 centimes; put a new stone in David's Sling, enlarged the head of Goliah, and extended his legs, 3 francs 2 centimes; decorated Noah's Ark, 3 francs; mended the shirt of the prodigal Son, and cleaned the pigs, 4 francs 9 centimes. Total, 59 francs 11 centimes.

FILL UP THE BLANKS,-DANIEL IN SEARCH OF A DOG. -[Fill the fifteen blanks with the name of as many varieties of dogs.]

There was a man whose name was Daniel, 1. He had a handsome-

Though soon he sold it to a farrier. 3. And tried to buy a well-trained-But found the salesman a deceiver,

4. And took instead a black-And then to make him all the merrier, 5. He purch: s:d a most lively---;

Then stepped aside and bought an eagle, 6. Yet fancied he should like a-

Which undesirable he found, So changed it for a youngthen saw upon a crimson rug,

8. What he declared "a lovely-He wished to own it when his eye 9. Fell on a little dog from——;
But as he whistled "Yankee Doodle,"

10. Up sprung a very clever—;
While close behind him there did stand II. A huge black coasted-

And yet to purchase it was folly, 12. He'd rather have a faithful-Or thought to get one might be hard,

13. He'd like to have a-Just than a man like an Albanian

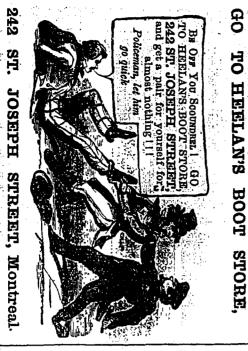
14. Led by a snowy-But how the little creature snarls!

15. 'Tis snappish as a small---So many dogs did he quite confuse, And Daniel found it hard to choose, And quite impossible to find One that was suited to his mind: Some were to large and some to small,

And so he'd have no dog at all. Dogs NOT ALLOWED IN THE CARS.-It happened the other day on the Lehigh Valley Railroad. The train had just left Easton, and the conductor was making his first round, when he observed a small white dog, with a busy tail and bright black eyes sitting cosily on the sent beside a young lady, so bandsome that it made his heart roll over like a lob-sided pumpkin. But duty was duty, he remarked in his most deprecatory manuer: "Oh! my, is that so?" and she turned up two lovely brown eyes at him beseechingly. "What in the world will I do? I can't throw him away. He's a Christmas present from my aunt." "By no means, miss. We'll put him in a baggage car, and he'll be just as happy as a robin in spring." "What! put my nice white dog in a nasty, stuffy, dusty baggage-car?" "I'm awfully sorry' miss, I do assure you, but the rules of this company are as inflexible as the laws of the Medes and them other fellows, you know. He shall have my overcoat to lie on, and the brakesman shall give him grub and water every time he opens his mouth." "I just think it's awful mean so I do; and I know somebody will steal it, -so they will," and she showed a half-notion to cry, that nearly broke the conductor's heart; but he was firm, and sang out to the brakesman, who was playing a solo on the stove: "Here, Andy, take this dog over to the baggage car, and tell'em to take just the best kind of care of him. The young lady pouted, but the brakeman reached over and picked the canine up as tenderly as though it was a twoweek-old baby, but, as he did so a strange expres-sion came over his face, like a wave or a cramp colic and he said hastily to the conductor: "Here, you just hold him a minute, till I put this poker away," and he trotted out of the car door and held on to the brake wheel shaking like a man with ague. The conductor no sooner had his hands on the dog than he looked around for a hole to fall through. "Wh-wh-why, this is a worsted dog." Yes, sir," said the little miss; demurely, a didn't you know. that?" "No, I'm most awful sorry to say I didn't know that " and he laid the Christmas dog on the owner's lap, and walked out on the platform,—where he stood half an hour in the cold, trying to think of a hymn tune to suit the worst sold man on the length Valley Road. Will the total the sold was a sold with the sold.

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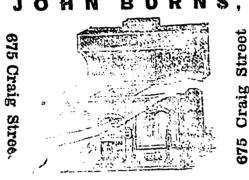
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EDOUARD POITRAS per A. HOULE, his Attorney ad litem.

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PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, District of Montreal, SUPERIOR COURT. DAME ONEZIME BUTEAU, wife, common as to to property, of PIERRE ARBEC, farmer, of the parish of St. Joseph de Chambly, said district, duly authorized to sue,

Plaintiff.

The said PIERRE ARBEC, her husband, . Defendant. An action for separation as to property has been

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CANADA, In the SUPERIOR COURT. PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, District of Montreal.

MALVINA BOURQUE, of the Parish of Montreal, District of Montreal, wife of JEAN BTE. FOR-GET dit DEPATI, Trader, of the same place, duly authorized a ester en justice,

The said JEAN BTE. FORGET dit DEPATI.

An action en separation de biens has been instituted in this cause on the ninth day of August, instant.

Montreal, 16th August, 1876. BOURGOUIN & LACOSTE, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, District of Montreal In the SUPERIOR COURT. MARIE RACETTE, of the Parish of Montreal, Dis-

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PROVINCE OF QUEBEC,) SUPERIOR COURT. District of Montreal. DAME MARY COLLINS, of the City and District of Montreal, wife of WILLIAM GAFFENY, of the same place, Blacksmith, duly authorized a ester en judgement.

The said WILLIAM GAFFENY, Defendant. The said Plaintiff has this day, instituted an action for separation as to property, against the Defendant in this cause.

Montreal, 7th August. 1876. JUDAH, WURTELE & BRANCHAUD. Attorneys for Plaintiff.

CANADA, SUPERIOR COURT. PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, District of Montreal. DAME ARTHEMISE DESCHAMPS, of Cote St.

en jugement,

The said PIERRE BOUCHARD,

Defendant. An action for separation as to property has been instituted in this cause. Montreal, 4th August, 1876.

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