#### Amusements.

#### A RIDDLE.

A man has a little boat in which he must carry, from one side of the river to the other, a wolf, a gout, and a cabbage; and must not carry more than one of these Which shall be take first, without the that, during one of his navigations, the wolf may devour the goal, or the goat the rabbage! Suppose he carry the wolf, the cabbage is lost—if the cabbage, the goat is devoured—if the goat, the embarrassment is equal; for he must risk his goal or his cabbage on the other

#### ENIGMA.

My home is in earth, yet in other I dwell; I'm found both in spirit and matter as well Pin found both in spirit and matter as well;
No heart but it knows me; without me no touth No virtue or tenderness, heanty or youth; Without me no creature, no lift-giving breath, No sting of corruption, no whisper of death; Time itself would be wanting and yold but for one And infinity lost, and elemity.

In towns you may find me; I'm seen in the street And trump of the multitude's echong feet, In the hearth of the poor, in the throne of the great In the fentures of want, in the glitter of state; I bide in your closet, I full with your tear; I join in your transports, your treasure I share; I abide in tranquility, sojourn in light, Begin every tempest, and end every night; I head every trouble, end all discontent; Nay, I'm used in each thing 'neath the firmament.

id, again, in all countries, from Thames to Canton In every tribe that the sun shines upon : In the gorgeous tropies, the orient East, With the Carmelite's londs, the Musaulman's feast; With Spam's eigarittes, or else on your way Through Gaul's sunny clime, with your tasse de

A home by your hearth, with the Times on your

knee, And hiding of course, in your cup of Bohen. Still, <sup>7</sup>tis I, just the same, old as Adam, still young And, lastly, I'm just on the tip of your tongue

ANSWERS TO 'AMUSEMENTS' OF LAST WEEK Enigma.—Robert Prench's Railroad Hotel, Canfield Charade.—Block-Hend—Arithmetical Calculation.— The time required, working incessantly, 72 years, 17, weeks, 4 days, 2 hours, 52 minutes, 48 seconds: liver required, 720,570,000 lbs. E. Kelly of Hamilton send, us a correct answer.

### Commercial.

#### GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY.

TRAFFIC FOR WEEK ENDING 4TH SEPT., 1863.
Passengers   \$27,005 63
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JAMES CHARLTON.  AUDIT OFFICE, Hamilton, 5th Sept. 1863.
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#### NEW YORK MARKETS.

New York, Sept. 9, 1863.

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Provisions.—Pork quiet; sales 200 bbls at 11 75 a 12 for old mess; 10 75 a 10 85) for new do; 10 50 a 10 75 for new prime. Beef dail. Stocks-are better and fauly active, but close less

broyant. Money, on call, still netive at 7 per cent. Sterling Exchange firm at 110½ 6 r specie, and 146 for currency. American Gold 132}

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