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THE "BOYS" CHRISTMAS.

FOUNDER INTERVIEWS A FRIEND WHO HAS BEEN THERE.

The Boys Have a Good Time, But Founder's Friend Didn't Enjoy the After Effects.

Oh, yes I have spent Christmas with the "boys" said an old boy to me the other day. We had a glorious time up to the "boys" said, but I don't know that I exactly coincided with them. My head didn't seem to fit and I was thinking about a whole lot of things that were entirely foreign to gift giving or church going. I was not myself at all, indeed my indignity seemed entirely lost. I was another fellow altogether and a very uncomfortable fellow at that. But I had been with the "boys" and that accounted for it. I wasn't used to such high jinks and entirely unfamiliar with the regenerating influences of the gleeful cocktail and effervescent John Collins or perhaps I would have enjoyed the "boys' Christmas more.

It came about this way. I had been called me away side where I had my stocking to Santa Claus; and hotel becoming in the office. It was I felt decidedly but remaining over the where I had no int only the acquaintances I had seen at the hotel during my sojourn there. I sat in a high backed chair pondering over the situation one of the "boys" whose acquaintance I had formed in and took the vacant chair beside me. His name was Jack (the boys know each other only by their Christian names, and he was in a very lively mood over the prospect ahead of a good night's fun. "Hello Billie, Charlie, Tom" he said in response to the greeting of three swell young men who had just entered the hotel office. They were strangers to me, but not for long, as our mutual friend soon introduced us.

We talked together about what a glorious institution Christmas was and then at the invitation of one of the party we all walked in the direction of the bar. There we found Willie and Jim, who were "just takin' somethin'" and we would do them an honor if we joined them." We joined them and when we got through I waited for a few minutes intending to go out and resume the seat I had vacated. The "boys" didn't do this though. They stood chatting about a number of things and first one and then another proposed something. I wasn't used to this kind of thing, but having no place to go in particular I lingered with the "boys" who had increased in number very considerably. There were but seven of us when we entered the bar, but the number had now run up to upwards of twenty, and it was not nearly ten o'clock then and as the minutes sped along the crowd was augmented.

You know that while I am not a total abstainer I am very temperate in my habits and regular in my hours. But I had heard them say that when in Rome you must do as Rome does. I wasn't in Rome, it is true, but I was with the "boys," and I felt that I had to do as the "boys" do. They were a most good-natured crowd, and as they were all in the best of spirits I soon forgot my blues and joined in the conversation. We talked about everything from the latest social scandal to the newest phase of politics. The "boys" knew all about everything and everybody. In fact I don't remember ever having met a more entertaining crowd. As the minutes sped along the fun became more furious and the drinks faster. Everybody seemed desirous of out-doing the other, and if it hadn't been for the barkeeper who was accustomed to the boys, we would each have had half a dozen drinks ahead. One started up a song and the crowd joined in the chorus. Then a toast-master was selected, cards were drawn from half a dozen champagne bottles, and as the town clock and the barkeeper's watch were agreed that Christmas morn had come, we pledged old father Christmas and ourselves and one of the party, who was the tenor of a church choir, on Sundays, favored the party with a Christmas carol. He was heartily applauded and in response sang something that was not a hymn. Then we quailed the Queen and the strains of the National Anthem echoed and re-echoed from the bar through the corridors of the hotel. The "boys" were very loyal that night. Then we had speeches; speeches that fairly bristled with loyalty and affection for the British constitution. We drank to the professions of the boys, and toasted each other until—well my memory is a little hazy as to the hour, for time passes very quickly when one is making a night of it with the boys. One thing I did notice, however, was that the boys did not all wait. They went away in twos and threes after midnight until only about

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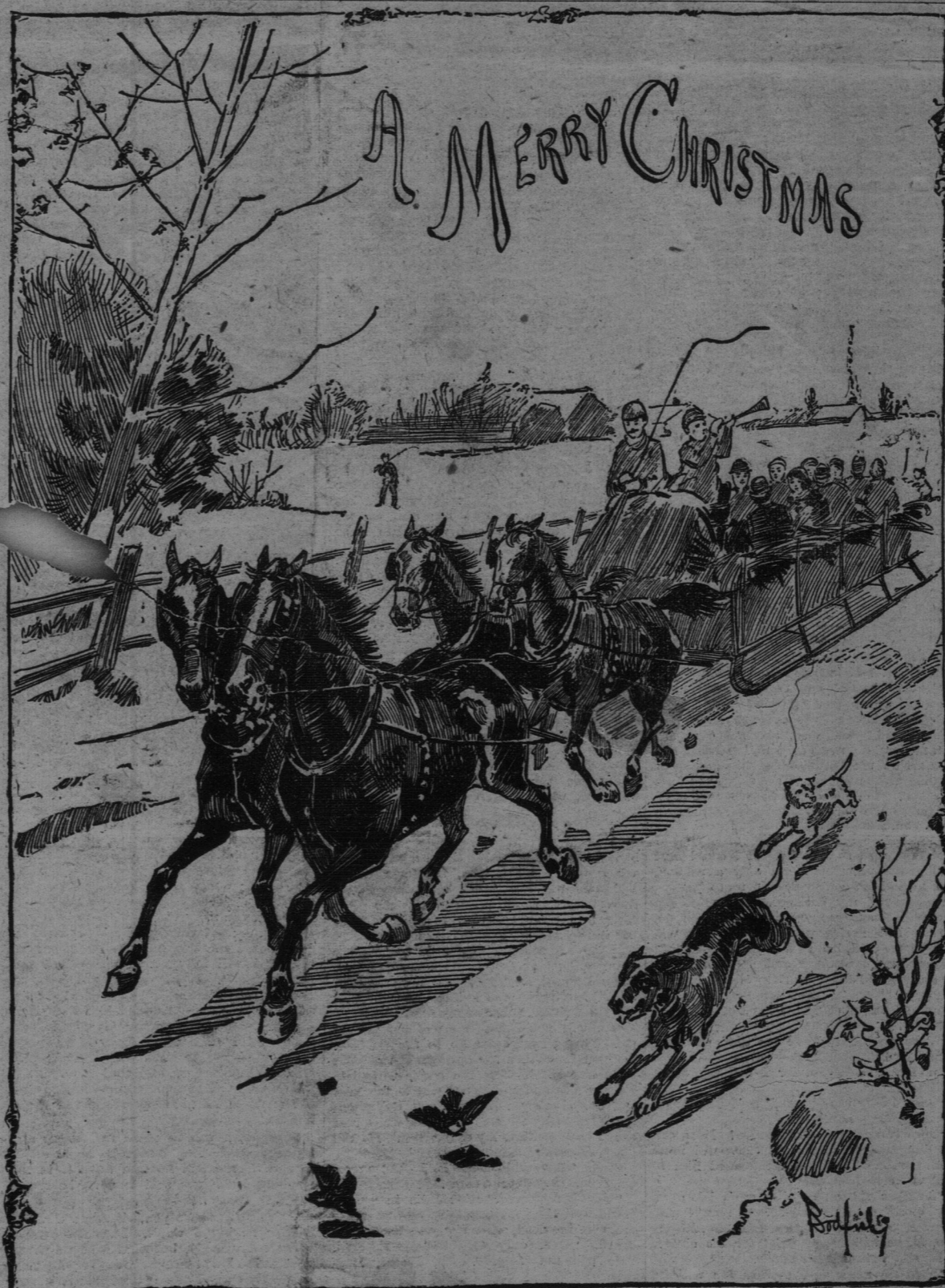
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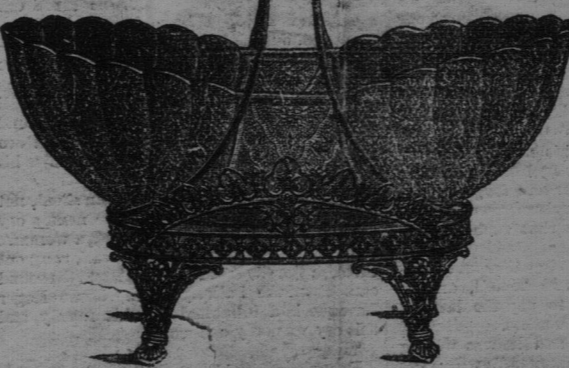
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THE JUBILEE MEDAL. Queen Victoria has decreed that the jubilee medal, of which about 1,000 have been struck, is to rank above all other medals, and is to be always worn on full dress occasions.

ROGER LAROQUE. Adapted and Translated from the French of Jules Mary. BY OLIVE HARPER.

CHAPTER XIX. Roger returned saddened and horrified from the look of Julia, who he now knew, had probably designed, his ruin, and now all that had been hidden in that poor boy's face, which felt like fire under his touch, though she was the fear of his only child, and he began to wish he had never left America, where they had been at peace.

not that I have not long to live, and I do not wish, after I am gone, that you think I did not love you. If you are not well, mother, we will go away somewhere. A change perhaps would do you good. I will see the doctor to-morrow.

But Roger would not let him have the whole, but only a part of it, and finally Luverson, pale with rage, left the house, and Roger closed the door upon him and then he went back upstairs and opened the window, and saw the light of the moon, and then he turned the key in the lock, and he was alone.

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He knelt, was hidden to enter and found his father standing in front of the forced drawer, to which he pointed as he spoke. "This is a most extraordinary thing," said he. "I have never rubbed it before." "I was afraid you would notice it," observed his son; "it made such a beastly hash of the table." "You were afraid I would notice it?" repeated Mr. Nicholson. "And, pray, what may that mean?" "That it was a thief, sir," returned Alexander. "I took all the money in case the servants should get hold of it; and here is the change and a note of my expenditures. You were gone to bed, you see, and I did not feel at liberty to knock you up; but I think when you have heard the circumstances you will do me justice. The fact is, I have reason to believe there has been some dreadful error about my brother John; the sooner it can be cleared up the better for all parties; it was piece of business, sir—and so I took it, and decided, on my own responsibility, to send a telegram to San Francisco. Thanks to my quickness we may hear to-night. There appears to be no doubt, sir, that John has been abominably well."

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A CHRISTMAS STORY.

The Misadventures of John Nicholson.

By ROBERT LOUIS STEVENSON.

CONCLUSION.

It was a long and (as the reader knows) a painful story; but Flora heard it with compressed lips. She was lost in none of those questionings of human destiny that have from time to time arrested the flight of my own pen, for women such as she are no philosophers, and behold the contrary only. And women such as she are very hard on the imperfect man. "Very well," said she, when he had done, "then down upon your knees at once and beg God's forgiveness." And the great baby plumped upon his knees and did as he was bid, and none the worse for that! But while he was heartily mouthing requests for forgiveness on general principles the rational side of him distinguished and wondered if, perhaps, the apology were not due upon the other part. "If you had written home," replied the lady, "there would have been none of it. If you had even gone to Murrayfield reasonably sober you would never have slept there, and the worst need not have happened. Besides, the whole thing began years ago. You got into trouble, and when your father, honest man, was disappointed, you took the pot, or, as he would have said, you were punished. Well, you've had your own way of it, John, and I don't suppose you like it."

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CHAPTER IX.

IN WHICH MR. NICHOLSON ACCEPTS THE PRINCIPLE OF AN ALLOWANCE.

In spite of the horrors of the day and the tedious drinking of the night John slept the sleep of infancy. He was awakened by the mail, as it might have been ten years ago, tapping at the door. The winter sunrise was painting the east, and as the window was to the west, the light of the sun shone into the room with many strange colors of refracted light. Without the houses were all cleanly roofed with snow, the garden walls were covered with a foot of white; the greens lay glittering. Yes, strange as snow had grown to John during his years upon the bay of San Francisco, he had not had a snow shower since he was a boy. It was for his own room that Alexander had been promoted; there was the former dominion; there was the latter, which a cunning fancy might yet detect the face of Skippy Jim, of the Academy, John's former dominion; there were the chairs—two, three—three as before. Only the carpet was new, and the litter of Alexander's clothes and books and drawing materials, and a pencil drawing on the wall, which (John's eyes appeared) a marvel of proficiency. He was standing, looking, and looking, and drawing, hanging, as it were, between two epochs of his life, when Alexander came to the door and made his presence known in a loud whisper. John let him in, and jumped back into the warm bed. "Well, John," said Alexander, "the cablegram you sent me, I have been to the cable office and paid your bill, and even saw the old gentleman himself, and properly apologized for his delay in replying. He is a very good fellow, and I believe you had been drinking. Then I knocked up old Macneven out of bed and explained to him the state of your affairs, and he was in a dressing gown. And before that I had been to the High Street, where they have heard nothing of your affairs, so I went to the office that you dreamed it."

"Well, the police never do know anything," asserted Alexander; "and as my rate, they have dispatched a man to inquire and to recover your trousers and your money, so that really your bill is now fairly clear; and I see but one lion in your path—the governor." "I'll be turned out again, you'll see," said John, dully. "I don't imagine so," returned the other; "not if you do what Flora and I have arranged, and lose no time about it. Is your watch right? Well, you have a quarter of an hour by five minutes before the half hour you must be at table, in your old seat, under Uncle Duthie's picture. Flora will be there to keep you contented; and we shall see what we shall see." "Wouldn't it be wiser for me to stay in bed?" said John. "If you mean to manage your own concerns, you can do precisely what you like," replied Alexander; "but if you are not in your place five minutes before the half hour I shall be there to see that you are. And thereupon he departed. He had spoken warmly, but the truth is, his heart was somewhat troubled, and as he hung over the balustrade, watching for his father to appear, he had had ado to keep himself braced for the encounter that must follow. "If he takes it ill, why it'll be a herring across John's tracks, and perhaps all for the best. He's a confounded snuff, this brother of mine, but he seems a decent soul."

At that stage a door opened below with a certain emphasis and Mr. Nicholson said into a tremulous voice, and spoke so eloquently of a mind oppressed with dread, that Mr. Nicholson related. At length even he contributed

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Conclusion of the Misadventures of John Nicholson, a Christmas story by Robert Louis Stevenson, will be found on the sixth page of to-day's Gazette.

A BRIEF pleasure trip to India made by a party of Englishmen last fall shows how much may nowadays be seen in a short time with the aid of fast steamers and fine railroad service.

The city council is again asking for tenders for a supply of broken stone. Enough money has already been wasted in the purchase and indiscriminate spreading of broken stone.

Mr. P. T. BARNUM has a quick eye for extracting advertising value from his misfortunes. It is held by some that the late fire which attacked his menagerie at Bridgport will not, on the whole, be a losing operation because it and its results can be utilized in so many ways to draw public attention.

JOHN G. WHITTIER the poet was eighty years old on Saturday last, and has been for sixty years engaged in active literary work. Most of Whittier's co-workers in the struggles of the early Abolitionists have joined the majority, and the era of American poetry with which his name will forever be associated already belongs to a historic past.

PARIS is the place for novelists. The Petit Journal has just announced two new feuilletons, one by Emile Richebourg, the other by Xavier de Montepin.

SOME weeks ago the street committee discovered that the city engineer had made an error by a miscalculation in the measurement of the asphalt walks in the King Square.

MORE encouraging reports than ever come to us from all directions, pointing to a great revival of trade all over the world. St. John should see to it that she is not out in the race for business.

SAYS the New York Epoch: The visit to this city of Mayor Howland, of Toronto, is one of the notable events of the past week. Mr. Howland, besides being a champion of law and order, is very much interested in other social problems.

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THE ANNEXATION CRY.

Why should New Brunswick or Canada annex themselves to the United States? What would be gained by changing our political condition?

These are questions that are being constantly raised by writers on the other side of the line who affect to believe that there is wide-spread dissatisfaction in Canada with her present form of Government.

New Brunswick has nothing to gain by such a union. It would not add one jot to the enterprise of people and thousands of them were the change made would still remain alien.

Why this question of annexation should be continually raised is difficult to say. With the exception of a few of the bitterest of the Anti-Confederates, who still survive, there is no desire for annexation, and these are now a mere handful of our population.

Two Thousand Men Go Deer Shooting. (London Times.) About 2,000 ottars marched at day-break the other day headed by pipes, parades, Island of Lewis, for Park and Aline deer forests.

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TUESDAY, the 20th inst.
 By order of the Common Council.
 T. W. PETERS, CHIEF CLERK,
 Finance Committee.
 St. John, N. E., 2nd Dec., 1887.

The Sun has scored several points on its morning contemporary recently. I have already called attention to two important "scoops" made by the Sun, but the present week has clearly demonstrated that the Daily Sun is by far the most newsy paper in the Maritime Provinces. No other newspaper had entire prices sufficient to get a special from New York about the loss of the big raft, but contented themselves with the meagre despatches sent by the associated press. It is strokes of enterprise like this that make a newspaper famous. I am glad to be in a position to say that the people of St. John appreciate the enterprise of the Sun and that its circulation is increasing rapidly. Its advertising patronage speaks for itself.

The death of Colonel Foster removes another of St. John's old and well known citizens. Col. Foster was a militiaman of the old school and I believe connected with the volunteer militia of the province since its organization. At all events he was for many years in command of the Brigade of Garrison Artillery and only resigned when he could no longer attend his duties. Col. Foster had hosts of friends among the elder portion of the community and at one time his was the fashionable shoe store of the city. All the swell people traded there, and this in itself gave the Colonel a wide acquaintance among the fair sex of the city.

I have watched with no small degree of interest the manner in which the Telegraph is conducting its campaign against the Globe or more properly speaking against Mr. Ellis. Nothing could have been more ridiculous than for Mr. Ellis to have allowed himself to publish the annexation article which has caused so much talk. But the effort of the Telegraph to make cheap capital by flaunting a bogus loyalty in the eyes of the people is sublimely ridiculous. When one reads the boasts of the Telegraph about its loyalty and devotion to the interests of Canada one has but to turn back a few weeks to find articles quite as Anti-British and quite as annexationist as anything that has ever appeared in the Globe. Fear that they would lose their advertising patronage and not love of country was the cause of the change.

The attacks of the Telegraph on the Globe have been made with the intention of depriving the Globe of its title of organ of the Liberal party. Ever since the death of the late Mr. Elder the Liberals of the city have been looking more and more to the Globe for light; gradually dropping the Telegraph, their former lamp. It is little wonder therefore that the Telegraph does not love the Globe and smarting under a diminishing circulation and the fact that the Globe being the more influential has obtained a larger share of government printing this year the Telegraph is now trying to get back some of what it has lost. These are what I believe to be the reasons for the articles of the Telegraph on Mr. Ellis. If the Globe were not a better paper than the Telegraph and had not a larger circulation Mr. Ellis might have been an annexationist or what not for all the Telegraph would have cared.

I observe by the despatches that the big raft has gone adrift. The steamer found it too unwieldy to tow in a gale. I fail to see the object of building a raft so large. Why not build smaller rafts that could be towed into a harbor when it comes on to blow too hard. This it seems to me would be the safest method and I think it would pay to adopt it. This raft I should imagine must have proved very expensive for its owners. The failure to launch it in the first place and its loss at sea now have added largely to the cost. The raft will no doubt be recovered and towed into New York. It is almost impossible for it to break up.

JOHN. N. B.

BOYS' CHRISTMAS.
 (Continued from first page.)
 "The boys were left, and I don't know ten fellows would have been if the bartender hadn't men- fact that it was time to close the bar then, but the "boys" home. Just before leaving we sang Auld Lang Syne, had cap among ourselves, and an- the expense of the house, and I took the boys up to my room and discussed the gentleman I had brought with me as a travelling com- panion for some time until one of the boys remembered that he had to dine out that day, and they all left me to go home. I took off my boots and went to bed singing We Won't go Home till Morning. We had had a fine time, at least the boys said so when I met them the next evening. It was altogether too fine a time for me, however, and I've eluded the boys ever since, and particularly on Christmas Eve.

ROUNDER.
The Death of Baker Pasha.
 The death of Baker Pasha, better known as Valentine Baker, is a loss to England of one of the best, the bravest, and the worst-treated of her sons. No truer gentleman, no abler General, no more gallant soldier, no man of better manners or more promising abilities ever stepped on English earth, or was ever more cruelly cast out to exile by an English Sovereign. His fault was serious of its kind, no doubt, but that kind was not the worst, and the penalties which were accumulated upon him were cruelly out of proportion to the offence. He was imprisoned, he was fined many thousands of pounds, he was driven from a career of which he was master, and even to the ends of the earth vengeance pursued him; for after having been drawn to Egypt by an absolute promise of the English Government, that promise was broken in the most shameful way. I think that when her Majesty reflects upon the very lenient way in which errors proceeding from the same source as that of Valentine Baker have been treated, and when she thinks of this able and gallant man driven out from the country he loved and had served so well, to die in a foreign land, she will feel glad that, although too late, she at last relent. For the saddest part of this sad history is that her Majesty had at last relented, and that, had General Baker lived but a few weeks longer, he would have been reinstated in the British Army.

A correspondent who was in the Russo-Turkish war thus writes of Valentine Baker: "The death of General Valentine Baker brings many reminiscences of his sterling qualities as a soldier to my mind. I have still before me the scene on the day of the Battle of Karahassankeln, when I looked down from the summit of Sakar Tepe. The Russians, after a hard day's fighting, had been driven from all their positions on the right bank of the Lom, and had with great loss succeeded in clearing the bridge over the river, when Baker on his white charger was seen leading a body of Turkish cavalry in pursuit. Suddenly a shell from the Russian artillery, brought up from Popkeni to cause the route of their troops, was seen to burst just between Baker and his aide, who was riding alongside. Both went down, and we all stood breathless at the thought that the brave fellows were gone. In a few moments, however, we could see with our glasses that they were on their feet. The shell had burst too late to kill the riders, but in time to severely score with its fragments the flanks of the horses they rode. Unfortunately for the Turks, the jealousies of the commanders of Mehmet Ali (who was of German birth) of Baker prevented the talents of either being permitted, free play. It was not until the day of Taskessan, when Baker, with his magnificent brigade of Bosnians, holding at bay over 30,000 Russians, saved the army of Suleiman from wreck, that they recognised their error. It was then, as history in Turkey, too late."

A Protest Against Fashion.
 (Kentucky Interior Journal.)
 It is out from New York that Dame Fashion, has decided that the bustle must go. Of course it must, everywhere the pretty wearer goes, but if the decree is intended to mean that it shall not be worn, we have \$15 in our inside pocket which says it will not be obeyed. A woman without a bustle now would look very much as a peacock without a tail—pretty badly, I thank you.

Heron Allen has just completed a novel entitled "Ashes of the Future." We warrant they will be just as hard to sift as the ashes of the present.—Rochester Post-Express.

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THE ATHENS says: "Our American cousins propose to form a society for the study of folk-lore, which shall establish a journal for the collection of relics of old English folk-lore (ballads, tales, superstitions, dialect, etc.); lore of negroes in the Southern States of the Union; lore of the Indian tribes of North America (myths, tales, etc.); lore of French Canada, Mexico, etc. Prof. Child and Prof. T. F. Crane are moving in the matter."

The Cost of a Fog.
 The cost of a single day of fog to the gas consumers of London may be gathered from figures compiled from official sources. Wednesday of last week was a day of dense and continuous fog, necessitating the extensive use of gas, and on that day the quantity of gas supplied to London by the Gas Light and Coke Company amounted to 103,065,000 cubic feet, or 35,000,000 cubic feet in excess of the quantity sent out by the same company in the corresponding day of last year. The above excess in the supply of gas would represent the supply to a town of from 10,000 to 12,000 inhabitants for a whole year. In addition to the quantity supplied by the company mentioned, there was supplied by the other two Metropolitan Companies—the South Metropolitan and Commercial—about 45,000,000 cubic feet, making a total consumption for London on a day of fog of nearly 150,000,000 cubic feet. Approximately the value of this gas is \$21,000 of which cost from \$7,000 to \$8,000 was directly due to the fog. In 1855, on a day of similar fog, a great strain was put upon the companies. On the day in question the supply, it is said, beats the previous highest record.

A Man of Experience.
 (Chicago Tribune.)
 "Did I understand you to say that you had had considerable experience with the Indians in the West?" inquired a man on an Eastern train of a tall stranger.
 "Yes, I suppose I have."
 "What do you consider the outlook for their civilization?"
 "Poor, very poor. They don't seem to learn anything. Why sir, only last week I traded one of the most intelligent of them an old horse, blind in both eyes and all crippled up generally, for two good ponies, and he never knew he was cheated. I can't understand why it is the Indian doesn't improve more."
 "Well, that looks bad for them, sure enough. I suppose you have a ranch near one of their reservations?"
 "Oh, no, I'm no rancher," replied the stranger, as he threw his leg over the arm of the seat. "No, I'm a missionary. I was sent out by the William Penn Missionary Society, of Philadelphia, and have been laboring among the red brethren for the last twenty years."

One Woman Appreciated.
 (Kansas City Times.)
 In an unfrequented spot in Bellefontaine Cemetery, St. Louis, there are two graves, one over of which is a modest tombstone with the following inscription upon it:
 Here rests that angel of a woman,
 ISABELLA (BARKAN) COVART,
 Wife of Thomas Brock,
 Born in New Jersey in 1825;
 Died in St. Louis in 1885.
 You were always satisfied, always content with what you had.
 I did not have to rob my employers to keep you in extravagance.
 How pleasant it was to meet you on returning home.
 God bless you.
 YOUR HUSBAND.

An Unfortunate Groom.
 (Masson (Ga.) Telegraph.)
 Announcement: The marriage announcement for this afternoon at Christ Church of Mr. Asher Ayres and Miss Louise Conner has been unavoidably postponed by reason of the fact that Mr. Ayres is detained as a juror in an important case now pending in the Supreme Court.

THE SATURDAY

FOR MUSICIANS.

Odd Items in the Musical Line From Different Parts of the Country.

O HUNTS GIRLS.

That Women all Over the World are Talking and Thinking About.

A tall, Spanish-looking young lady has been at several theatres lately. Apart from her beauty, she has worn some of the loveliest costumes seen this season. She is accompanied by a white-haired old gentleman who is variously stated to be father, uncle, guardian, and husband.

This same lady was at another theatre lately in an absolute-green moire-antique dress, draped with a thin material of the same shade. The... this stuff had broad stripes of alternate lace and watered ribbon.

What is the whole duty of a bridegroom when, after the wedding and the breakfast, he finds himself alone with his bride in an empty railway compartment?

I notice that the Fredericton Brass Band, assisted by some of the best celestial talent, is to give a concert in the Fredericton City Hall on or about the 18th January. I should like to be present on that occasion, for their concerts are always a grand success musically, and as the Band is quite popular it usually has a large audience.

The following interesting anecdote of Rossetti is told by an English paper:—When Dante Gabriel Rossetti was very young, scarcely more than a boy, he was deeply in love with a young girl; and having a poet's gift, he sang a poet's love in numerous sonnets and verses to her.

A gentleman who was invited out to dine at a Delaware Avenue residence lately (says the Buffalo Courier) observed that the chandelier over the dining-room table was of peculiar construction, so that there was a light over the head of each guest. The globes were of various colors, some amber, some red, and some blue.

A Quarter of a Century.

For more than twenty-five years has Hagar's Yellow Oil been sold by druggists, and it has never yet failed to give satisfaction as a household remedy for pain, lameness and soreness of the flesh, for external and internal use in all painful conditions.

winter will be furnished by the net and Artillery Bands.

Not long since the City G. had occasion to bury one of its members, Mr. Wm. Ward, and called on to perform the same to another. This time it is their trombone player, Mr. John Quirk, who was stricken down with typhoid fever.

Fashion Notes.

Edging of narrow bands of ostrich feathers enters the most fashionable bonnets, black feathers being combined with all colors.

A little brooch in shape of a double circle of grayish diamonds and with a tiny diamond as a dewdrop upon one of the petals is the favorite pin for those in half mourning.

Moonstones are used for all manner of jewelry, and are shown forming the leaves of flowers for lacepins, as buckles and for bonnets and ornamental hairpins. They are in all shades of blue, green, red and opalescent, and when formed into flowers have usually a small brilliant as a centre.

Buckles are very much worn, coming in all styles of pearl, metal and enamel to confine the ribbon that defines the waist of long, French corsets. Some are very elaborately ornamented, and most of them are long and narrow in shape. Those set with rhinestones are not much worn.

The fashion of wearing many silver bangles has returned, but at present none of them are hung with pendants or show much diversity of design, the ten or fifteen which it is necessary to wear to be super-chic being simply alternately plain and twisted silver wires which slip over the hand and clatter loosely about the wrist.

The tendency is steadily towards an increased masculinity in dress, and even at concerts and at the theatre the young girls and debutantes dress in the severest fashion with cape coats, plain felt hats, whose only trimming is ribbon bows, and English walking gloves, made of heavy kid, with broad attachments on the back in a contrasting color.

White cloth with Turkish embroidery of gold is used for dress bonnets, being employed as the soft crown of poke shapes, with dark velvet edging the front, as golden brown velvet, terra-cotta, or the shade called golden-green. To these the variety there is in combinations of this white and gold cloth is seen on London bonnets forming the drapery front, while the crown is black lace drawn on wires and left transparent.

Bonnet pins to hold the strings in place, and those thrust in the hair at the back to keep the bonnet firm, are very elaborate in design. One of these latter was of blond shell, and the elaborately carved head was crusted with tiny diamonds. It was worn with a theatre bonnet of wine-colored velvet trimmed with black lace, and with black lace strings fastened under the chin with diamond beads.

Garnets are very popular since the Bohemian Society presented a set to Mrs. Cleveland which was made to order in jewels. These are set as bangles, pendant, long clasp pins, buckles and upon gold-linked bands an inch wide, that clasp closely around the throat. Some of them are very richly colored, they light up well at night and are extremely effective when worn with costumes of black or Brussels net.

Mrs. Langtry has the handsomest turquoise in America. It is set as a pendant with twenty-seven diamonds and valued at \$3,000. Since the exhibition of the Empress Eugenie's turquoise and diamond diadem, exhibited in a large dry-goods shop in New York and purchased at the recent sale of the French crown jewels, turquoise has gained in fashionable favor. A pair of charming bracelets consists of very narrow gold bands set all the way round with alternate turquoise and pearls.

One of the many devices for varying the effect of simple dresses is to wear tresses. These are made with many yards of moire or pique-edged gros-grain ribbons of an inch and a half in width, which are tied in an elaborate knot at the waist in the back, brought over the shoulders, where a number of loops are and drawn in again to the waist in front, where the rest is tied into many and elaborate loops and ends. Of course these only look well on figures not too much inclined to embonpoint and should be of the way round to match the dress.

Just How He Wanted It.

[Kansas City Times.] Young Husband—Clara, my dear, I wish that in sending in notices of your luncheons to the Sunday papers you would not speak of yourself as Mrs. Henry Hustler, nee Van de Poel. I don't like it. Her husband's name should be sufficient for a wife.

Young Wife (meekly)—Well, Harry, how shall I put it? "Oh, say 'Mrs. Henry Hustler, wife of that enterprising and successful real-estate man, Henry Hustler, whose beautiful residence at once addition is now upon the market.'"

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