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# TRAGEDY AT THE TARGETS.

mountains and forests so near for a sate retreat, it was impossible to prevent their plundering parties from committing fre-quent depredations." "Ay, ay, I did not know these thinga," said the Scot, " and were the English too hard for them at a fair engagement?" "Indeed, sir, they were. The best and bravest of the Scots allowed of that." "Ay, ay, I'm unac-consisted with bickfory, but it is beliared to

### ETROPEAN WHEAT GROPS.

### THEY EXCHANGED WIVES.

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KILLING NO MURDER

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servatory at Chiswick—Pall Mall Gazette. a. Laytin, who is dis-servatory at Chiswick—Pall Mall Gazette. I Canada's Chinese Curlosites. Postmaster Flint, of Belleville, who has been on a visit to Victoria, B. C., writes to the Intelligencer giving his views of the the Intelligencer giving his views of the Chinese question as follows: "I is anusing to go among the China shops, and set he strange commodities offered for sale, things that you can't possibly imagine the use of. God blees the Duke of Argyle, but the Chinese have invented a little ivory hand with the fingers bent, attached to a long flexible handle, with which to servatory at Chiswick.—Pall Mall Gazette. 1 Postmaster Flint, of Belleville, who has rows of the solution of the chinese for a strange the use of. God blees the Duke of Argyle, but the Chinese have invented a little to a long flexible handle, with which to servator themselves.

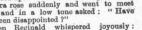
the curtain, which had hidden this little cene from the audience (but not from the surprised group within the box), and robe of spo f a damsel, dressed in a roue of sponse hite. Her long, black tresses waved own her back as it was fanned by the hidnight breeze, lending contrast to the

oratorio commenced all nervousness van-ished, and the lovely face became as rapt and calm as though all earthly trials were past, and had been succeeded by a heavenly peace. This continued until the time came. twhen custom allows a short rest for the singers, and algo that compliments may be exchanged between friends. Then as the door of the box which contained Flora's party was opened and the face for Which to human nature to watch the changes of facial expression which Reginald'sentrance produced upon the different occupants. Flora had been searching appeared within it, it would have been amusing to a student of human nature to watch the changes of facial expression which Reginald'sentrance produced upon the different occupants. Flora rose suddenly and went to meet him, and in a low tone asked : " Have you been disappointed?" Then Reginald whispered joyonaly : "All is as I hoped. The highest honors have been awarded to me, and the pro-fissted for a moment, then, with a supreme effort, gathered up her courage, and put hument (for it was the first time in all decorded him the privilege), Reginald accorded him the privilege, Reginald dent douched the quivering, tender mouth with his own. Flora then drew her arm through his and led him forward from the shadow of the curstin, which had hidden this little cene from the addience (but not from)

The Close-Fisted Eco

The farmer sat in his easy chair Between the fire and the lamplight's glare, his face was raddy and full and fair; His three small boys in the chimney nook Jonned the lines of a picture-book; Sis wife, the pride of his home and heart,

AH, YES, THE WOMAN.



As a colored citizen, who is a great be-liever in the return of departed spirits to this earth at certain, stages of the moon, was wending his way along a lonely path that twists and turns among the shrubbery lining the edges of a branch across the college grounds, he was suddenly shocked by the appearance of what to him seemed nothing less than a veritable ghoat. Sitting upon a bending tree that leaned over the path and kissed the waters of the branch with its top foliage was the form

### A GREAT YARN.

## A Manacled Horse Thief Springs Thr

Manacled Horse Thiele Shake Services the Window of a Kailway Car. A Joliet, Ill., despatch says: "Big Jim Ryan, Sherifi of Cook county, Wyonin Territory, arrived at the prison last evenin with a noted cowboy horse thief name tim O'Connor sentenced for three years

Territory, arrived at the prison last evening with a noted cowboy horse thief named Jim O'Connor, sentenced for three years. The sheriff related a story of interest re-garding the escape of O'Connor from his custody while coming through lows on the Rock Island fast train. The sheriff.and his prisoner had been seventy two hours on the cars, and were nearly tired out for want of sleep. The prisoner was heavily 'ironed with shackles. Just after the train had left Dea Moines, and while it was yet dark, the The Queen's Herd. A London cable says: The Queen contemplates erecting new buildings on the royal farm at Abergeldie e Mains, near Balmoral," where her famous herd of Aberdeen-Angus cattle is kept. The present buildings are very old and defective and most inconveniently arranged, but she merely holds it on lease, with the cossile different H. M. Gordon. The lease was lately renewed. The necessary improvements will be carried ont before next spring. The farm extends to 130 acres and is fairly good lend, which is judiciously enriched and of sleep. The prisoner was heavily ironed with shackles. Just after the train had left Des Moines, and while it was yet dark, the Prisoner asked Ryan for a drink of water. The officer went to the tank, not ten feet distant, and was pouring out the water, when his attention was attracted by a ter-rible orash of broken glass. He turned and found that O'Connor was gone, having plunged head first through the window while the train was flying along at itop geed. The sheriff was carried, several miles before the train stopped. Ryan hut instead of finding his mangled remains, as the sheriff fully expected, he found racks entering a large corn field. It was not until late in the atternoon that O'Con-nor was optured. The prisoner had irong on both leys and hands, yet had made his on both leys and hands, yet had make his way for twelve miles from the railroad, and whot is a mot a mark upon him to show that he was not a mark upon him to show that he was not a mark upon him to show that he was not a mark upon him to ence. There was not a mark upon him show that he was in the least bit hurt.

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### Quite a Different Case.

Guite a Different Case. Mother (to her boy Johnny, who has been caught fighting in the street)—He hit you first, did he? Well, you shouldn't have struck him back. Don't you remem-ber the Bible says, "If he smite thee on the cheek, turn to him the other also ?" Johnny-Yes, ma; but what's a failer goin' to do when he gets hit on the nose ?

Judge Hughes was attacked with rheu matic yout on his return trip from Winni-peg and is now at his son-in-law's resi-dance at Saynia at Sarnia.

but not recognizing him they drove on, n with the result that the horse tripped over the rope, and on struggling to his feet ran away, threw the three youths out and smashed "khe vehicle into kindling wood. G smashed "the vehicle into kindling wood. G Fortunately the lads were not severely w but as they might have been. Neverthe fless their parents are very indignant over the affair. The police, to cover up their barbarous plan of catching offenders, ar-rested the three young fellows and the case came before Recorder Champagne to-day, but was adjourned.

The Queen's Herd.

were. The best and bravest of the Scots
allowed of that." "Ay, ay, I'm unac-quainted with history, but it is believed to
have been otherwise where 'I live."
"Where," said the Englishman, "do you live?" "At Bannockburn!" "Hem—"
Not another word ensued. The subject entirely dropped, and the shrewd Caledonian ast squirting in the fire as if he meant nothing by the answer. Passionate Versifiers.

A new lady poet appears as a contributor to that valuable Democratic journal, the Detroit Free Press. The name of this lady Sarah K. Bolton, and her poem is upon "That Last, Last Night," and we quote:

Your hand, electric to my own, Your lips, more precious than a throne, Were mine, ah joy! and mine alone, That last, last night.

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will have to import this year an excess at least of 4,000,000 quarters over her imports to a year ago. The shortage in Italy will be 3,000,000 quarters, making in all Europe a shortage of certainly 16,000,000 quarters, which will have to be supplied from Rus-is, India, Australia and America. "Let us look, then, at the wheat markets in these different countries : Australian orops have been good, but they are of little importance from their limited extent. "In India the monseons which are counted on to ripen the wheat have been wanting, and unless they spring up in Sep-tember the Indian crop will be a failure. Even assuming this harvest to be astisfac-tory, the Hindoo merchants, with their ohracteristic shrewdness, are disposed to hold back the surplus wheat of last year in expectation of a still further rise. There-fore India cannot be counted on at present to relieve the situation. "There remain Russia and the United States, where the wheat of interested re-ports to the contrary. As I said, we began giving orders in both these markets months ago. "Other French houses, more timid thay Dr. Tschakert, professor of ecclesiastical Dr. ISCUSKET, professor of ecclesiastical history at Konigsberg, announces the dis-covery of a large number of sermons and scholis from the pen of Martin Luther. The documents had by some means found their way into the town library of that city. The sermons must have been preached at Wittenberg or neighborhood between 1519 and 1521.

to a long flexible handle, with which to scratch themselves. They wear lonse gar-ments and find this instrument very con-venient. I have not seen any rats, cats or dags exposed for sale, but I believe the Chinese are much likemany Indians, omni-vorous. A barber shop is a queer sight, the dexterous way in which with a slender piece of steel they will cut out the hairs from the ears and nostrils is wonderful, they wear their queus wound up in a knot on the top of the head. The wealthy, how-ever, allow them to dangle at full length, nearly touching the ground. The hair is black, apperently coarse, kept in very good order. Rich men go about often in silk sack coats of all colors, silk pantaloons. Oddly the high cast women have their feet contracted. The feet of the infants are plunged in water nearly boiling, the toes I are then doubled as near the ball of the foot as possible, bandages applied, and as a l result the feet become little elongated balls, useless for any purpose but to gratify 1519 and 1521.
The Congregational, Presbyterian and Reformed Churches of Japan are about to form an organic union. The basis of the mixed were, allow them to dangle at full length, nearly touching the ground. The hair is black, apperently coarse kept in very good order. Rich men go about often in silk ack coarse of all colors, silk pantaloans.
Oddly the high cast wormen have their feet contracted. The feet of the infaits are plunged in water nearly boiling, the toes are the individual church, but over the initie holdy, the Presbyterian forms will prevail. The union paves the way for the formal national adoption of the Christian the eyes of the parent and lover. Things Lost in Travelling. Thirteen thousand boxes gone astray, thirteen thousand nmbrellasleft in railway carriages, sixty-seven thousand different items of property lost on the railways of the United Kingdom during the single month of August, 1887. The numbers arr-almost inconceivable, but they are given by the Beilery News from the reports of the

The Baby Carriage. The Baby Carriage. The Baby Carriage. The Baby Carriage. The Baby Carriage may be associated by the Baby and the Single Monoching better. See what he says to something better. See what he petu-lant people who find fault with the petu-lant people who find fault with the petu-lant people who find fault with the baby carriages on the market on basy days. The husband can't leave his work to do the marketing, so the good wife must do it. She öften has no one to whom the baby can be entrusted, and perfore the little one must be taken along. No doubt they are often a source of discomfort, but probably the gradeses part of its felt by the lady in charge of the carriage. The people who jostle and sorsmble in a crowd are einfinitely in the years to come, when the present gen-ent and feeble, some of theos now in baby carriages may be near with strong arms to give us a helping hand over the rough places. The Last Resort. Seaside Pastor-Short bathing. data Things Leat in Travelling. Thirteen thousand mbrellas left in railway a thirteen thousand mbrellas left in railway a the first the context of the string. The seaside Pastor-Short bathing. data the very careles of the string built be solution they strew the mover the rough places. The Last Resort. giving orders in both these marges months ago. • Other French houses, more timid thay ourselves, began buying two weeks ago, and within the last few days there has been a general rush for wheat, so much so that quite. an excitement has been pro-duced in the United States, where prices have already advanced nearly 10 per cent. In Erance the rise has amounted to about 20 per cent. I shall be greatly surprised if therë is not à further rise in prices, which, all things considered, seem to me äs yet cheap." Willie Coming to America.

The Last Resort. Seaside Pastor-Short bathing dos-tumes? Demoralizing spectacles? Really, sir, you smaze me! I had not notheed any-thing of the kind. Strange Caller-Such things might be and you not see them, you know. Surely you won't refuse to preach against them. Deliver a sermon that will make the walls resound-such a sermon as you did three years ago. You will do it, I hope?". "Certainly, certainly, sir, next Sun-day."

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A boy was teasing his little brother about the shape of his nose, when the little fellow quietly remarked: "I can't help is; I didn't buy it myself\_it was a birthday resent."

"Rev.-Phillips Brooks is the only Episco-pal clergygan who has preached at Chau-tauquas.

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many are left behind, but that so few should be forgotten. It is a mistake in holiday travel to burden yourself with the care of anything that cannot be packed in boxes or portmanteaus.—London Daily Neves. The gem alluded to was a diamond soli-taire of great size and of limpid purity, and was set in a pendant of fairy-like delicacy of workmanship.

it. In such cases postage ground be pre-paid. A good method of disposing of MSS. which have been found unavailable by numerous editors is to offer them, without, hinting of their previous rejection, to the rag man, to be paid for at his regular rates. The 'greatest care should be taken in selecting copy paper. Some editors prefer a cream tinted note paper (scented) with a beaten 'gold finish for poems and heavy ragged-edged linen for love stories. This is when you commence to write. Laster on the reverse of wall paper and the backs of old envelopes will do. *Times*. of workmanning. Fresh from Vanity Fair. Some Bar Harbor costumes are very chio this season, particularly those which are intended for boating. White is the favor-ite costume for out of door purposes, and albatross flannel is the favorite fabric. The plain skirt of heavy white woollen with a heavy quality of jersey corsage are quite the correct thing for Bar Harbor cos-tames among the younger ladies; the fine ra ment being left for the marrie belles. The plak dotted surah in bright colors

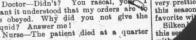
Doctor-Did you give the patient that white powder at 10 o'clock? Nurse-Yes, sir. ) Doctor-And the liquid at 11? Nurse-No, sir. Doctor-Didn't? You rascal, you I

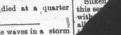
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"Yes," she said, " the waves in a storn remind me of our hired girls at "Hired girls, madam ?" "Yes, uch awful breakers."

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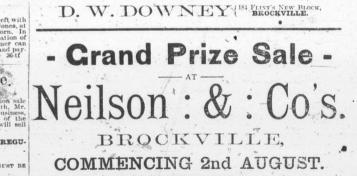
sheet posters, with lithographic head-ings, and were gotten up in a manner that shows that the REPORTER office to the profusion of chicken pie and to the profusion of chicken pie and Grounds, Unionville," and they will be

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excepted there will be 200 tickets) which will be put in a bag. When the tickets are all taken up two disinterested overseers will be chosen and a child selected to draw, and whoever holds the number drawn will get the prize.

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