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AN ORTHOGRAPHIC SNAP.

Making Pretty Fair Wages Out of a Wrinkle that Not Every Body Knows.

"How do you spell 'choir'?" inquired a short, puggy drummer as he sat at a table in the writing room of the Weddell house in Cleveland a few weeks ago.

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A WHOPPING SNAKE STORY.

The King of Snakes Plays a Practical Joke on His Own.

Prof. Henri Belmont of Paris, France, a snake charmer, stopped off at Chicago on his way from San Francisco to New York.

He registered at the Grand Palace and had sent to his room a blue box containing a trunk containing a number of writing reptiles.

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THE WAYS OF BEAVERS.

Their Houses not so Pleasant now as Formerly.

So much has been written about the habits of the beaver that almost every one knows something about the animal, and everybody is acquainted with the fact that it builds dams and houses to dwell in.

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MENDING A BROKEN NECK.

A Woman Who May Think Her Lucky Stars that She is Alive.

Mrs. Mary Donaghu will soon be discharged from the Pennsylvania hospital, and she may consider herself very lucky, as she came into the institution only last day last September with her neck broken.

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AWFUL TIMES IN CHILI.

The Horrors of War Added to by a Scarcity of Food.

Mail advices from Chili say 500 government troops and 800 revolutionists were killed in the battle of Pozo Almonte, in which the government forces were defeated.

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AND STILL THEY COME.

If the number of election petitions filed within the last two weeks against members elect for the dominion parliament, is any indication of the number of by-elections that will have to be run this year, the government might as well bring on a general appeal to the people at once. Over sixty petitions have been filed up to date, in which liberals and conservatives are proceeded against in about equal numbers. One side is therefore as blamable as the other for this miserable business.

In New Brunswick, however, the onus of instituting these proceedings must be placed upon the conservatives. They petitioned against Mr. King and Mr. Gillman before any conservative candidate had been attacked except Mr. Burns, of Gloucester, whose antagonist is not a liberal. No doubt this will lead to further reprisals on the part of the liberals upon Mr. Foster in King's.

Anything was required to demonstrate the wisdom of Mr. Blair's much maligned fusion into which the country will be thrown during the next twelve months, by reason of these petitions, will supply the most ample proof. The present dominion election law is all wrong and should be repealed without delay. It is calculated to drive decent men out of politics and to induce the thick-skinned gentry who remain to reimburse themselves by questionable means for the persecution they have undergone. There are too many influences already dominant in Canada by which the free voice of the people is stifled and their independence undermined. The exercise of the franchise has already been brought into much contempt. For what reason do the people of Canada go to the polls if the verdict they give is to be of no effect? If the verdict has been purchased one it has been purchased in most cases at public auction, and what guarantee is there that it will not be purchased again. It is unfortunately the case that too many of the electors are open to ulterior and improper influences. But this state of affairs will not be remedied but by means which can only result in more litigation, more elections, and more corruption. There are countries in the world whose politics are even more corrupt than those of Canada, but there is no where to be found a monument of concentrated imbecility as the Canadian election law.

**PURITAN POSMITY.**

The unanimous voice of the press in condemnation of the recent expulsion of a student from the Normal school shows that the day of tyranny in the school-room has gone by. It is only about twenty years since teachers were permitted to indulge their passion for vengeance, or wreak their ill-humor, by beating their pupils with clubs and whips at their own sweet will. The curriculum was that of the cudgel. Public sentiment has at last come to be sufficiently enlightened to declare against the enforcing of discipline by brute force, and who will say that change has not been for the better? The schools of the past generation for efficiency and order cannot be compared with those of the present.

And now, public sentiment seems to have advanced a stage further. It declares that no pupil shall be subject to the shame and disgrace which attach to public expulsion upon any except the most clearly justifiable grounds. It realizes that the consequences which attach to an act of this kind are beyond the control of their author, and nothing but the most vital necessity can excuse such a punishment. It recognizes that no one has a right to be vindictive to satisfy a fanciful need of society, but that he should be dealt with by constituted authority purely and simply according to his just deserts. He should not be made an example of because some canting moralist, eager to show his superiority, is too severely to think that he is contaminating somebody. As a matter of fact in this case nobody believes that anybody was contaminated. The moral nature that could be contaminated by such means is too guileless, too verdant for any practical purposes in this life.

The Woodstock Press has some sensible remarks on the subject. "The offence may have been a big one," says brother Holyoke, "but the remedy which does not effect a remedy is too severely. Whatever the rule or the penalty, none can be justified for driving a young man out of the country under any such circumstances. The public will be more disgusted with young Mr. Creed and old Mr. Creed too, than with the young man who was expelled, unless something further can be shown against him."

We publish to-day a communication from superintendent Crockett, in which he defends Mr. Creed from the attacks made upon him in the press. It may be that some of the comments upon Mr. Creed's action have been too severe. He has to some extent been made the scapegoat of his unpopularity. Mr. Crockett is of opinion that the ingredients of the young man Tesso were not those of which a fit instructor of youth could be made. We would like to have Mr. Crockett's opinion as to whether the ingredients of Mr. Creed are happily compounded in this respect. We recall the fact that Mr. Crockett himself once said in public of that gentleman: "Mr. Creed is not only peculiar; he is peculiarly peculiar!"

As to the communication, we gladly publish it. It is to be regretted in Mr. Creed's interest that the statement which Mr. Crockett makes, though not entirely conclusive as to the facts, was not made before. The general feeling in the community is that the proceeding by which young Tesso was made an outcast and an exile was hastily taken; that he should have been admonished as to the consequences that would follow the repetition of his acts instead of being turned adrift with a blasted reputation. It is the unanimous testimony of those who knew Tesso that he was not a vicious character, and the sense of contrition and shame which he showed after his punishment establishes the correctness of this opinion beyond all question. The fact that the lad had neither parents nor guardians in this country was a powerful plea for mercy.

We are prepared to admit that Mr. Creed acted from a sense of duty in the matter and had Mr. Crockett's statement been made earlier he would doubtless have escaped much of the harsh comment made upon him.

**ENGLAND AND ITALY.**

The cable brings the report, apparently reliable, that England has concluded an alliance with Italy, the basis of the agreement being that in the event of a general European war Italy will place her fleet at the disposal of England while England will engage to protect the coast of Italy from the operations of any hostile power. On paper the land and naval forces of Italy make an imposing show. There is no doubt that the navy if properly maintained would offer world-wide service, being able to hold its own with any maritime power except England. The army of Italy comprises about a million of men but it is questionable whether over one third of these troops would be serviceable against a civilized foe.

The great difficulty about Italy's position, however, is the immense state of her finances, which renders it not only exceedingly doubtful whether she could meet the expenses of a campaign, but whether she will be long able to maintain her military services on their present peace footing. It appears that one-third of the entire revenue of the country goes to pay the national debt, of which the interest amounts to about \$110,000,000. In 1861, immediately after her constitution, Italy owed \$600,000,000, in 1880 the debt had swollen to \$2,000,000,000; and adding together the debts of the state, the provinces, the communes, and the individuals, we find that Italy is indebted to almost \$4,000,000,000.

The "denunciation" of the commercial treaties between France and Italy by Signor Depretis and their subsequent breaking up by Signor Crispi, has struck a heavy blow for the present at least also trying up, slowly but surely. Accordingly the sons of Italy, like the sons of Ireland, are flying away to strange lands, and seeking in the pampas of Brazil, in the busy streets of New York, or the sands of Africa, those means of living which they denied them at home. The new premier in the meantime promises an "economic recuperation," which it is to be hoped he will be able to bring about.

**GREAT MILITARY CAPTAINS.**

By the common consent of civilized mankind, Marshal Von Moltke will rank as the greatest general of the age. By some he will be classed with the most renowned military captains of ancient and modern times—Alexander, Hannibal, Caesar, Frederick the Great and Napoleon Bonaparte. Others will place him by the side of such illustrious warriors of the second class, as Marlborough, Saxe and Wellington.

There is no fixed standard by which true greatness of any description can be accurately determined, least of all military greatness. The chief ingredient of all renown, and more especially of martial renown, is success. Military failures may be grand; they can never be glorious. The conditions under which, and the means by which, the wonderful achievements of war have been accomplished require to be considered if we would ascertain their true value.

There can be little doubt that many names have been made famous by accident or through the exertions of other men. Too much prominence in many cases has been given to the general and not enough to the soldier in the ranks. The secret of Napoleon Bonaparte's military prowess appears to be comprised of two elements—his rapidity of movement and the fanatical devotion of his soldiers. On many occasions when the battle hung for hours in the balance it was only the matchless enthusiasm of his troops that finally won the day. The battle of Trafalgar, which the name of Nelson will be linked as long as time shall endure, was not won by Nelson but by the bravery and skill of British seamen. There was no wind on that day by which scientific evolutions could be brought to bear; the ships struck one another in the night and selected their opponents; after the first gun was fired it was immaterial to the final issue whether Nelson was dead or alive on board the "Victory."

Wellington's strength as a general lay in his caution. He seldom fought on the offensive and left nothing to chance. It was chiefly the marvelous courage and endurance of the British soldier that made Wellington famous.

Judged by the poverty of his resources the greatest exponent of modern times was Frederick of Prussia; by the vastness of his conquest, and the number of his victories it was Napoleon, but as a strategist and organizer of armies no name in the annals of civilized warfare takes precedence of Marshal Von Moltke. Other men have had far more ambition and more force of conquest; none have exhibited a patriotism more sincere nor a genius for strategy more exalted. He had the power of planning a campaign so that he could name the pivotal points in time and space to a certainty at which the struggle would be determined. He could not have done this had not the military system of the German empire been organized with marvellous exactness. Of that system Marshal Von Moltke was not alone the embodiment; he was its author and creator.

**BISMARCK.**

An exchange in commenting upon the career of Bismarck says that every year he lingers on the scene diminishes the proportions of his grave-stone.

Undoubtedly the fame of many men is heightened by the position they occupy. Rutherford B. Hayes as president of the United States filled a large space in the public eye. His insignificance was not discovered until he went into the chicken business. Napoleon at Vienna was a vastly greater man in popular estimation than Napoleon at St. Helena. Tallyrand the diplomat was absolutely extinguished in Tallyrand the exile. But for the stirring scenes in which he took a part his name would have disappeared from the pages of history. So, with Bismarck the despotic chancellor. Though an unquestionably great man, it may be his misfortune to outlive his fame. But for his tyrannical abuse of the power he once possessed he would never have been reduced to his present unenviable position. Future generations, however, will accord to him the tribute of having been the chief instrument under Providence of welding into solid unity that marvel of the nineteenth century, the great German empire.

**FREDERICTON'S RECORD.**

The city of Moncton has had a number of serious business failures this week, which moves THE HERALD to say a good word for the business men of Fredericton. Probably no city in Canada can exhibit so clear in this respect as Fredericton. Business here in all branches is conducted on a prudent, conservative basis, and failures are almost unknown. The average commercial traveller would rather sell \$100 worth of goods in Fredericton than three times that amount in some of the other cities in the maritime provinces. He knows that our merchants are in the habit of paying for what they buy and keeping their engagements honorably. This is a creditable record for a town where the opportunities for amassing wealth have, as yet, been so limited.

**PARNELL'S FOLLOWING.**

All reports tend to confirm the opinion that Parnell has ceased to be a factor of importance in Irish politics. The Irish are a generous race and, except under extreme provocation, will not desert a friend. It is to be characteristic of the nation that Parnell owe whatever supporters he still has after the miserable exhibition he has made of his selfishness, and his betrayal of the cause of home rule on the eve of victory. But the indications supplied by the English press point clearly to the conclusion that the reign of Parnell is over. It is said that there are only two friends in Ireland where the ex-dictator's friends are in a majority. One is Dublin, where the Freeman's Journal exercises a great influence. The other is Thurles where Archbishop Croke, Parnell's most powerful opponent with the people at large, is personally unpopular. Everywhere else he is a man with a little mob of followers ready to shoot, fight and take his money, but the great mass of voters are emphatically against him. His abandonment of evicted tenants and refusal to supply them with the funds of the league, of which he still occupies the position of president, has been recognized by all and to sink him in the estimation of all thinking Irishmen beyond redemption. His alliance with the conservatives will probably result in the loss of several seats in Ireland by the liberals. Mr. Gladstone, however, is reported to be confident, in fact jubilant at the prospect of an early appeal to the electors.

**GREAT CITIES OF THE FUTURE.**

Mr. Van Horn, one of the greatest railway men of the world, has recently made the prediction that in the not distant future Chicago will be the foremost city of the United States and Winnipeg the first in importance of Canadian cities. This opinion is eminently flattering to the two western centers, and is not without a fair foundation in fact. Both cities are the principal trade centres of very extensive and fertile regions of country, and each is already the focus of a large number of converging railways. Chicago has already a vast population and immense wealth. Winnipeg starts in the race 50 years later, but stands in gain rapidly by the overflow of population northward when the western states and territories have filled up. It is far north for a great city, but not so far as St. Petersburg, which already has nearly a million inhabitants. In the fertility of the country surrounding it the prairie city of Canada has an immense advantage over the Russian capital. But there are long strides to be taken before the city of 30,000 can reach the million mark, or even pass Toronto and Montreal in the race for first position in Canada.

**THE LOYALISTS.**

James Hannay's paper in the New England magazine on the subject of the Loyalists will be a revelation to the American reader. It is a most valuable production from a literary as well as a historical point of view. Mr. Hannay is one of the brightest journalists in the province, but his historical writing is his forte and in this field he has no equal in Canada for rigid impartiality and lucid and orderly presentation of facts. Many historical writers say that though they thought the details which they had to deal with were already familiar to their readers and they were at liberty to omit whatever would interfere with the literary style and swing of their work. Many historians, too, are so hopelessly prejudiced in favor or against the cause of individual or national contention, that their writings are valueless for historical purposes. This is especially true of American historians. Mr. Hannay's paper, though it does not exceed the bounds of an ordinary historical review, is so free from individual respecting the Loyalists and cannot fail to produce a great effect upon his American readers.

**PARLIAMENT.**

The parliament of Canada was opened with fully the usual amount of ceremony on Thursday, Ottawa, the reception of the speech was singularly barren of interesting topics, referring only to the reciprocity conference at Washington in October next, to the extension for this year of the *modus vivendi* and to measures relating to the cattle trade, the revision of the vice-admiralty practice, the criminal code and a few other bills of minor moment. The address in reply was moved by Mr. Hazen, whose maiden effort was warmly received. The opposition leaders are in good spirits and will force the fighting. At their first caucus over ninety members were present—which would seem to promise a breezy session.

**THE CENSUS OF MAINE.**

The total population of Maine as returned by the present census is 691,068, while the population in 1880 was 648,936, showing an increase during the decade of 12,150, or 1.87 per cent. of individual counties in the state seven show a decrease. The largest percentages of decrease being 14.9, in Waldo, and 11.38 in Lincoln counties. Aroostook county shows the largest increase, the numerical increase in that county being 820, and the percentage of increase of 18.92 per cent. Twenty-six cities and towns show a population in 1890 of 4,000 and over. New Brunswick will be grossly disappointed if it does not make a better showing than Maine, despite the exodus.

AN ANALYSIS of the profession or callings of the members of the Canadian House of Commons gives the following results: Lawyers, 55; farmers, 37; merchants, 34; doctors, 21; gentlemen, 13; journalists, 9; millers, 2; coal mine managers, 2; machinist, 1; distiller, 1; manufacturers, 7; lumbermen, 6; railway employes, 1; contractor, 2; banker, 1; shipowner, 1; provincial land surveyor, 1; notaries, 4.

Our genial friend of the Chatham Advertiser takes occasion this week to steal no less than three editorials from THE HERALD. We have no objection to this provided the editor of the Advance would only write a few editorials sufficiently good for THE HERALD to steal.

**A Talented Imposter.**

Sheriff Longfellow, of Washington county, Me., was in Fredericton this week endeavoring to procure information as to the antecedents of one Charles Champion, formerly a private in the infantry school here, but who has of late, it appears, been cutting up a variety of shames over the border. Champion assumed the name of DeConroy and represented that he belonged to an English family of eminence. He married an American girl about three years ago and has now two children. From all accounts he has been playing the game of imposter with considerable success, since he left Fredericton four years ago. In February last he was arrested for forgery and other misdemeanors and is now on trial at Machias, Me. It was to secure information respecting DeConroy's identity and his life when in this city that sheriff Longfellow came to Fredericton.

**LIKE ST. CATHERINE OF SIENNA.**

Are Mrs. McCabe's Blood Red Scars due to God's Grace or Scarlet Fever?

Devout Catholics in St. Paul, Minn., and St. Paul has many devout Catholics are much interested in the strange marks visible on the hands and feet of Mrs. McCabe, who lives four miles from Newport. She is according to the statement current, the wife of a farmer, and a rigorously pious woman. She has been for many years in the habit of making protracted fasts and performing other acts of penance.

When the McCabes came to St. Paul, Mrs. McCabe refused to visit or be visited for the first year. She invariably denied herself to callers, and spent most of her time in prayer. Later, however, she relaxed somewhat of her rigid self-discipline, and some of the church's most faithful followers imbued with deep admiration for the piety of their neighbor, visited her frequently. Thus it was learned that Mrs. McCabe was scarred on her hands and feet with the marks of the crucifixion in precisely the same manner as was the martyr, St. Catherine of Sienna, 600 years ago.

Mrs. McCabe explains the blood-red marks on her hands and feet by saying that three years ago, when she was sick with scarlet fever, the marks appeared gradually, growing plainer day by day until they assumed the vivid color of the present. She has also a red scar directly over her heart, in which detail her case further corresponds with her predecessor. The bearer of the scars believes that they were inflicted to show that God had heard her prayer. Scaples suggest that the scars are simply traces of the scarlet fever, a disease capable of strange vagaries, but the majority of the religious attach a deeper significance to these singular markings.

**NEW MUSIC AND THE MANOLIN.**

(Boston Post.) That music is in a measure the sport of fashion is illustrated by the history of the guitar. In the sixteenth century it was the favorite, the reigning instrument. It was made of the orichalcum of the first opera and the first oratorio. Poets were written in its honor. So common was its use in France and Spain that even its name, an name of eastern origin, entered into the proverbial slang of the nation. The ingenious Hamilton mentions it respectfully in the "Memoirs of Grammont." Le Sage speaks of a woman so beautiful that all the guitars of the province had been scraped in her praise. In the time of the Directory, which already has nearly a million inhabitants. In the fertility of the country surrounding it the prairie city of Canada has an immense advantage over the Russian capital. But there are long strides to be taken before the city of 30,000 can reach the million mark, or even pass Toronto and Montreal in the race for first position in Canada.

But the pianoforte, in a certain sense a less truly musical instrument than the guitar, drove all before it. Wires tuned by the tuner and struck by hammers gained the battle over wires picked by the fingers or the plectrum. The guitar was voted to be an unfit instrument for a man and to-day it is to be forgotten in connection with that hideous literature known as "Floral Keepsakes," the engravings of which represented scantily dressed ladies with abnormally large eyes toying with this instrument; or a swarthy pirate in seeking moist wood to strain a reluctant maiden. And the guitar became a symbol of effeminacy though curiously its poor relation—the banjo—was always free from this reproach.

Three years ever-changing fashion has smiled on our guitar, and the manolin, and the study of these instruments is even encouraged. And with reason; for such venerable and musical instruments should not be neglected.

**EARLY MARRIAGES.**

Lucy Hopper gives some interesting information regarding early marriages among the crowned heads. Queen Victoria was married when she was not quite twenty-one, and the Prince of Wales espoused the charming Princess Alexandra before he was twenty-two. The Emperor of Austria took to wife the radiant Elizabeth of Bavaria when he was not yet twenty-four. The present Czar of Russia was twenty-one when he gave his hand to Dagmar of Denmark, who was two years his junior. King Humbert of Italy was twenty-four at the time of his marriage to the lovely Marguerite of Savoy, then a girl of seventeen. The present King of the Belgians and the latter seventeen at the time of their wedding. And the late King of Spain, Alfonso XII, was very little more than a child when he was married in union with his twenty-two cousin Mercedes. He was only twenty-two when he married his second wife, the present Queen Regent. And it was at the same age that the present Emperor of Germany was united to Augusta Victoria of Schleswig-Holstein. The Emperor of Austria was twenty-three at the date of his ill-starred union with the Princess Stephanie of Belgium.

**FRANK LESLIE'S POPULAR MONTHLY.**

FOR MAY, 1891.  
A new and admirable portrait of the Hon. James G. Blaine appears on the front page of FRANK LESLIE'S POPULAR MONTHLY for May, which contains a notable illustrated article by T. C. Crawford, the well-known Washington correspondent, setting forth officially Secretary Blaine's views, labors and aims upon the great subject of commercial reciprocity between the United States and Latin America. A new serial story entitled "John Maggs, Barbarian," by Scott Campbell, setting forth the adventures of a man who, who has become the most successful illustrated article: "Going Abroad," by Frederick S. Daniel; "A May Day in Japan," by Norma Lorimer; "The Bamboo," by P. Hordern; "The Sandwich Islands and their Volcanoes," by Edward Spring; "The Wonderful Fireboat New York," by Frederick M. Dey; "A Robin Paper," by Nelly Hart Woodworth; "Elephant sport in Ceylon," by MacMahon Challinor; and "The Ocean Telegraph cables of the World," together with several other stories and poems by Joel Benton, Douglas Sladen, and others.

**FREAK OF NATURE.**

(Aroostook Republican.) One of the most curious freaks of nature ever born in this vicinity is now in the possession of Bert Hammond and may be seen at the store. It is in the shape of a small pig, possessing eight legs, four ears and from the shoulders down, two separate bodies, with but one head. The two bodies are attached to each other at the breasts, and at the point of junction there are two fore feet, the other two fore feet being attached to the back a trifle below the neck. The four hind feet are in their respective location. Two of the four ears are situated in the usual place while the other two are attached to the top of head. Each member, head and bodies, are well proportioned and of the ordinary size. This strange freak, which was one of a litter of nine (the rest being like the ordinary animal) was born last Thursday and after living a day was killed by its mother, and has since been preserved in a glass jar of alcohol.

**ROUND THE WORLD.**

The Week's Events in Brief—The Cream of our Exchanges.

It is stated that the New Orleans District Attorney's report shows that all the Italians lynched by the mob voted at the last election, which practically made them United States citizens.

County Warden Flanagan of the North Shore leads them all in the big coil line. He has one sired by the government person, Prefere, that is only one year and eleven months old and weighs 1,825 lbs.

Letha Watts, the most notorious woman in Kansas City, with a long record of shooting and cutting, was shot and severely wounded by Dr. James Brownlee while beating Mrs. Brownlee with a baseball bat.

Lorenzo Coleman, the insane son of a well-to-do farmer near Steubenville, Ohio, shot his mother and sister and the hired man, because he thought the shooting would reduce the price of coffee. The maniac is in custody.

A dispatch to the N. Y. Herald from Port-au-Prince says it is believed that the Haytien government has refused to lease to the U. S. the coaling station at Mole St. Nicholas, negotiations for which have been in progress for some time.

A four-year-old son of Edward Rider, of Gardiner, Me., while at play a few days ago, plunged his hand into a pail of boiling water. The hand was scalded to a blister and pieces of flesh fell from the bones. It is doubtful if he regains the use of his hand.

About ten days ago Mrs. Albert Martell, of the Martell hotel, Arichat, gave birth to twin girls. She was married in January, 1888, since which time, five years and three months, she has been the mother of seven children. Mrs. Martell only weighs one hundred pounds.

A young man named George Stark, died at Anderson, Ind., a few nights ago, in horrible agony. The excessive use of cigarettes caused his death. A short time after death his body turned a livid green. Physicians claim that death was due to arsenical and nicotine poison.

A Halifax despatch says that Pigott (or Plogot), who sold \$400,000 worth of cattle belonging to his employer in Texas and skipped to Canada, as reported the other day, has been arrested there. Only \$400 was found on him. The woman in the case was not with him, but is said to be in Montreal.

A young man named Charles Barber, of East Settlement Que., who was recently discharged from the Protestant hospital for the insane, committed suicide on Wednesday. He took out a flat-bottomed boat, and after dressing himself in the middle of his clothing, waded out into the middle of the river and threw himself in it.

The British consul at Delagoa Bay reports a brutal assault made by a Portuguese officer upon two officers of the British South African company named Hawley and Colquhoun. Hawley suffered internal injuries and is unconscious. The officer who made the assault has not been arrested. The lives of the British residents are unsafe.

In swearing in the Quebec police force on Tuesday, Recorder Dery took advantage of the opportunity to give them some good advice. He urged them to stop fast driving in the streets by any means in their power, even to striking the horses with their clubs. He also denounced the sale of liquor without a licence or after lawful hours, and asked the police to put it down.

R. P. Hutchinson, "Old Hutch," is missing from Chicago. He bought a ticket to Florida and is supposed to have left the city. His son, Charles L. Hutchinson, president of the Corn Exchange Bank, says his father has been mentally unsound two years. Mr. Hutchinson's liabilities are placed from \$2,000,000 to \$3,000,000. His friends are satisfied his assets will more than meet the obligations.

The Canadian Pacific Railway is making preparations for the summer travel, which the officials say will be the biggest since the present inauguration. Seven sleeper cars have been sent to Vancouver for the passengers from the Empress of India. Two monster excursions are already being arranged for American tourists over all the line to the Pacific. These are to be followed by smaller parties later in the season.

G. D. Libby of Gardiner, while at Coboessee pond, recently captured an enormous mud turtle which weighed nearly 150 pounds. He shot at the turtle while in the water, stunning it, and then rowing alongside, he lifted the animal out of the water with a boat hook and gave him the contents of the other barrel. The claws were as large as a man's hand and its head as large as that of a good sized baby.

He pulled the turtle to the shore and saw the shell for his cabinet of curiosities. John Devine, a limeman while removing dead telephone wires at New York on Tuesday received an electric shock and fell to the pavement. His skull was fractured and he was killed. Thomas McManey, who was on the same pole sustained a slight shock. He hastened down to help Devine, touched a wire at the foot of the pole, received a severe shock, was hurled some distance and made unconscious for several minutes. Two horses were also severely shocked by treading on the wires.

Sir James Ferguson, under foreign secretary, stated in the House of Commons yesterday that the Portuguese government had not yet accepted the convention regarding South Africa, but instead had sent counter proposals, which were now being discussed. Lord Randolph Churchill has gone to Mashonaland in the event of a syndicate composed of Col. North, Lord Brassey, Cecil Rhodes and two others. Letters from him are to be printed in London. For this work and his influence he gets \$25,000 and pays his own expenses.

A burglar entered the store of John Manders, of Maberly. He was heard shortly after he entered. J. Manders and his brother, Charles, found some money taken. They awoke up the village residents and took after him, catching him, got the money in his possession. They brought him to the station and left him in charge of constable Kerry, who sent him to Perth by the first train. When Charles Manders took after him first, the tramp looked back and seeing him fired three shots at him. This is the same fellow that, in company with another, entered the same store last fall and escaped.

Depositors from Corfu report an outbreak of Greeks against the Jews. The Greeks recently spread a report that the Jews murdered a Christian girl for the feast of the Passover, a child's body being found in the Jewish quarter, though the girl was murdered as that of a daughter of a leading Jew. The Jews declared the Greeks murdered the child as an excuse for rioting and plunder. The excitement became so great that 6000 Jews were compelled to close their shops and the government put a military cordon around the Jewish quarters, in spite of this the Greeks built a bonfire in the square, in which they declared the Jews should be burned. Before the rioters could carry out their intentions they were dispersed by the troops, although not before many Jews had been beaten and injured.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

LOCAL NEWS.

Carburetor.—These animals are becoming quite numerous in the vicinity of Lower Queensbury.

Blew Down.—The bill-board which the city authorities erected on Phoenix square blew down in a gale of wind on Thursday.

Fire.—A dwelling occupied by James Higgins, near Marysville, was burned Wednesday morning. Loss, \$500; no insurance.

SPECIAL SERVICES.—Rev. Joseph McLeod has been holding evangelistic meetings at Lincoln, and has met with considerable success.

WATERING THE STREETS.—The watering cart made its first appearance this season Thursday afternoon, and laid the dust in good style.

AN ERROR.—In last week's issue, it was stated that the Musketeers would be in this city on the 24th of May; it should have been the 4th.

LECTURE.—Rev. Jos. McLeod delivered a lecture at the Marysville hall on Monday evening last to a large audience on the subject of Temperance.

THE UNIVERSITY.—This year's graduating class will number 12. The boys are "plugging" desperately, causing a big rise in the tea and towel market this week.

LAWYERS.—Some of the I. S. corps men have been busy during the week cleaning the square behind the officers' quarters and preparing it for lawn tennis.

ELECTION CHOP.—Petitions were filed with the clerk of the House against the return of A. H. Gilmore, M. D. for Charlotte and G. G. King, M. P. for Queens county.

IMPROVEMENTS.—A new siding has been built by the C. P. R. to two miles east of Waassa, to facilitate the loading of about 1,000 cords of fire-wood for the river steamers.

BUILDING.—J. C. Risten and Co. are erecting a single tenement house on government road, above Smylie street. The building will add greatly to the appearance of that part of the town.

GETTING READY.—The Frederickton branch has resumed practice, and having obtained some new talent, hope to have a band second to none in the maritime provinces this summer.

MINSTRELS.—The world-renowned Gordon's minstrels will appear in this city some time soon, and will doubtless be given a good house. They bring with them their celebrated gold band.

FREEDOMER'S SHARE.—By the will of the late M. P. Black of Halifax, his sister, Mrs. E. H. Wilnot, of this city, falls heir to about \$50,000. His niece, Mrs. R. D. Wilnot, of Sarny, receives \$100.

HIGH JINKS.—The marriage of Joseph Sands and Miss Cox, employees of the Queen hotel, furnished the boys an opportunity for a bonfire celebration on the court house square Wednesday evening.

IMPROVEMENT.—Queen street is receiving a much needed cleaning and is beginning to look respectable. If the authorities would have the others cleaned in the same manner it would be a great improvement.

HARD LINES.—A Montserratian has placed new laurels about the hoary head of Vesuvius by ascending the mountain and looking down the crater. He says it Gehenna is anything like Vesuvius it will get hard with Montserrat.

MUSKETEERS.—This description of game has been plentiful this spring and many have been trapped and shot along the river since the thaw went out. Among amateur sportsmen, Harry Atherton takes the lead with a score of fourteen pelts up to date.

A HUGE OX.—The largest ox that ever was seen in the city came down on a raft from the Tobique river the other day in charge of a man by the name of Williams. It was twelve feet long from the tip of the horn to the tip of the tail, five feet high and girted nine feet.

THE QUEEN CITY.—Bangor is to have a big celebration in merchants' week, on the 26th, 27th and 28th inst. There will be baseball, a horse-trot and a regatta for which about \$2,000 have been raised. There will be an excursion from Frederickton and other provincial points.

GLAZE.—The residents at McLeod's hill were astonished a few days at the bold appearance of a large bull moose, which came out into the clearings and seemed to have designs on Mr. Edward Brannen's clothes-line. He disappeared before fire-arms could be brought to bear.

THE LUMBER KING.—Mr. Gibson has thirty million feet of lumber in his drive this season, which is fully up to the mark of other years. Owing to the falling of the water, the driving has been somewhat hindered. The mill at Marysville is now running night and day.

FRANCIS.—W. S. Hooper, the popular and efficient agent of the Dominion Express company here, has been appointed to the agency of the company in St. John, and leaves about the fifteenth of this month for that city. It is not yet known who will be his successor in Frederickton.

A PATRIOTIC ACCIDENT.—Miss Monahan, while using a crocheting needle at the Regent street school on Tuesday, had the misfortune to have the implement impaled in her thigh. Medical attendance was summoned, and after the application of chloroform the needle was extracted.

A FAKIR ARRESTED.—Martell, who it will be remembered figured prominently in the Walton robbery case, was arrested on his return from St. John on a charge of selling a man a watch for \$25 that was actually worth only \$5 dollars. He was discharged next day on refunding the \$25.

NICK CUBS.—W. Chestnut, of this city, is the possessor of a fine pair of cubs, which he obtained from Thos. Evans, Cat's river. They are about six weeks old, and are very playful and tractable. John Gunn has also two fine specimens of the junior breed which he obtained from the same source.

AUTOCHEMIST.—Martell will sell all the articles contained in the government stables on Phoenix square on Friday morning, May 28th, consisting of harness, wagons, slovens, sleighs, sleds, hobbles, horse clothing, lap rugs, buffalo robes, with a variety of other things. See notice in this paper and posters.

THE RIFLE.—On Thursday evening next the annual meeting of the York county rifle association takes place in the drill hall. Final arrangements will then be made for entering a team from York county in the Dominion league matches, which are to take place May 16th, May 20th, July 11th, July 25th and August 8th.

A BAD ACCIDENT.—While Thomas Ross and James Minto were working at W. T. Whitehead's residence, George street, on Monday last, the staging on which they were standing gave way and precipitated them to the ground. Ross had his left leg broken above the knee, but Minto only received a general shaking up.

A Misleading Report.

Once Frederickton was all on fire in the temperance work, says the Rev. Job Stenton, but in the last three or four months there has been scarcely a word of temperance. If he had five hundred of the electors of York before him, and it was not Sunday night, he would speak pretty plainly to them. He would tell them that he would not give a snap for their temperance if it was held subservient to their politics. He considered that John A. Macdonald and A. G. Blair, through their supporters, did more evil in York county in one election than all the ministers in the county could undo in four years.—Gleaner.

The Frederickton Soap Co.

The Factory at St. Mary's will not be running with a full complement of hands until three weeks hence. The company expects to employ from thirty to thirty-five hands, of whom from ten to a dozen will be girls. The principal varieties of soap manufactured, will be toilet and laundry soaps; of the former description the company has about two gross finished and expects to turn out about four hundred gross during the season. A specialty will be made of toilet soaps, of which there will be manufactured probably five different brands. The factory is capable of producing when running in full blast about three hundred gross per week, for which quantity the company hopes to find a sufficient demand. No visitors are allowed in between the hours of ten and twelve in the morning, as during that time the employees are particularly busy.

New Time Table.

The C. P. R. summer time table goes into effect on the 21st May. By it the Frederickton train out leaves at 7 o'clock in the morning, one hour later than under last year's table, to arrive at St. John at 9:30. Leave St. John at 4:30 p. m., and arrive at Frederickton at 6:55. This train will not stop at Welsford either way. Welsford will be served by suburban train from there. The Frederickton train will connect at Frederickton Junction both ways with train for St. Stephen. Connection will also be made at McAdam Junction for Hillsdon and Woodstock, arriving at Woodstock at 9:20 p. m.

The "Big Four."

There are no insects on the members for Northumberland, Tweedie, Burchill, O'Brien and Robinson. The Chatham World says that they have purchased a road machine, to be used on the road between the river and the mill, and will turnpike several miles of road a day, cutting down all the ridges, filling all the hollows, and leaving a smooth and rounded surface. These roadmakers have been tried in other counties with good result, and our roads, comparatively free from stones, are especially adapted to them. The machine is to be delivered the 10th May.

Antiquated.

The warlike soul of quartermaster Lipsett is bowed down with anguish. He sheds tears of ink in the "Parmer" this week over what he terms "those very antiquated knapsacks which were used in the days of the Brown Bears," that are now being gathered up for the inspection of the 71st shotelers by General Herbert. The quartermaster has good cause for indignation that such a comparison should be made with the trim, new valises of the infantry school corps.

That Railway Crossing.

The manner in which the Canada Eastern train obstructs the roadway at Sunbury street, where three streets converge, is a cause of great annoyance to the people of that part of the city. For some time before starting, the cars extend right across the road, making it impossible for any team to pass. This is a matter which should be looked into by the proper authorities and rectified if possible.

Football.—Rugby football seems to be again coming into favor in New Brunswick.

The first match was played in St. John between a Mount Allison team and one from St. John, while local teams in St. John were also pitted against each other. This year the university and the infantry school will play here according to Rugby rules. This will add interest for the spectators and duceus for the doctors.

RUNAWAY.—While a man named Hartt was coming in from Marysville with a load of furniture on Wednesday evening, he left his team standing at the St. Mary's end of the bridge. The team after remaining a short time, turned and made for home. Before going far they got clear of the hinder part of the wagon. Several attempts were made to stop the team, but without avail. No damage was done.

A BAD MEMORY.—A gentleman in this town has a rather lively living in Minneapolis, wishing to keep conversant with the family connections, he in writing a short time ago asked his brother the names of his children received reply: "Lizzie, John, Robert, Benjamin, George, David, Sadie, Mabel, Charles, Edwin, Ernest, Blaine and Fannie.—I can't think of any more at present."—Woodstock Press.

LECTURE.—Rev. Ralph Brecken of Sackville academy delivered a very interesting lecture Monday evening on the subject of Jewish Customs and customs. The vestry of the Methodist church in which the lecture was delivered was well filled and the audience went away well pleased with the discourse. One of the features of it, was four young ladies and two gentlemen arrayed in costumes of the east.

The Census.—People who think that they will know just what the population of Frederickton is as soon as the census men get through with their work are liable to be mistaken. The commissioners are not allowed even to add up the returns, let alone make the information public. The county lists are coming in daily, and it is thought the city lists will be complete some time this week.

DOGS POISONED.—James Wilson, of Douglas, had two dogs poisoned Saturday night last, one of which was a very valuable thoroughbred spaniel. Arthur Machum, of the same place, lost a very sagacious colt, which was poisoned the same evening. It will be extremely unhealthy for the persons who were the means of destroying these dogs if they are discovered.

MARYVILLE NEWS.—Thomas Wheeler, the managing manager of the Marysville line of buses, has arranged to give the people of Marysville an opportunity of attending church in this city. The line will make two round trips each Sunday one in the morning and one in the evening. They begin these trips to-morrow (Sunday).

PLATE GLASS FRONT.—John H. Taber has been making considerable improvements in his capacious store on Queen street. One of these, the adding of a plate glass front, shows his store off to great advantage.

Mr. Crockett Speaks.

To the Editor of THE HERALD. Sir,—I have been pained during the sessions in the press relating to the will of Tessa, to witness the unmitigated contention passed upon Mr. Creed and his son for having laid the information against the unfortunate young man. I feel assured that if the writers had been acquainted with the facts of the case they would have made their comments in a different spirit. Tessa's offence was unfortunately of such a character as to render his removal from the institution a necessity in the interests of public morals and decency. His shameless exhibition of obscene pictures—so absent as to forbid any description in the public prints—on repeated occasions, once during the opening exercises in the assembly hall, and his reproduction of them during the hour allotted for drawing with such modifications as his vile imagination suggested, besides exhibiting them in public places outside—all of which he admitted—indicated the absence of that degree of moral sense which could warrant the institution to send him forth as an instructor of youth. If the Normal school were a reformatory he should have been retained and dealt with according to the usages of such institutions, but an institution established for the training of teachers cannot with safety to itself, much less to the public schools, harbor such persons within its walls.

Opportunity.

Master of human destinies am I, Fame, love and fortune on my footsteps trail. Cities and fields I walk. I penetrate Deserts and seas remote. And passing by Hovel and mat and palace, soon or late I knock upon the door of every gate. If sleeping wake; if feasting rise before I turn away; it is the hour of fate. And those who follow me reach every stage of life, and there I conquer every foe. Save death; but those who doubt or hesitate, Condemned to failure, penury and woe, Seek me in vain, and uselessly implore. I return not, and I return no more.

PERSONAL.

Concerning People Known to Most Readers. THE HERALD returns thanks to hon. Mr. Blair for late New York papers. John Gibson, of Marysville, is yet very ill from his grippe, but is gradually improving. Fred. McMurray of Portland, Me., formerly of this city, is here on a visit to his uncle, J. F. McMurray.

Mr. Gibson has chartered the tug "G. D. Hunter" to run to his home at St. John. She will make three trips a week for New Brunswick, arrived over the C. P. R. yesterday with Mrs. and the Misses Lugin and went on to Seattle, where they purpose to reside in the future. They were met here by a number of old friends.—Vancouver World, 17th.

Horse Notes.

Harry Niles of Kingsclere has purchased James Carr's stallion "Richmond Bright." The price is rumored to be \$200.

The Frederickton race association are making preparations for a programme of racing on either the 23rd or 25th of May. D. J. Stockford will have his training stable at Gov't barn going next week, and expects to have about a dozen horses under treatment.

S. Murray of Spring Hill has purchased from Boston dealers a gray pacing horse which is said to be very speedy. It is now at the Barker horse stables and is being looked after by J. B. Orr.

Bad Accident.

A distressing accident occurred on George street, Wednesday evening, by which a young lad by the name of Moore was seriously injured. It seems that Moore, along with some other lads, was jumping over a sloven wagon, and Moore slipped and fell. A carriage driven by F. Carvell was just behind, and one of the wheels passed over the boy. The boy remained unconscious for some time and two doctors had to be summoned. The latest reports were to the effect that he was doing as well as could be expected, and would likely recover.

The River.

The schooners Active and Water Lily arrived from St. John during the week, the former with a general cargo and the latter in ballast.

The schooner Glad Tidings, captain G. Christ, which arrived early this week from St. John, sailed with a cargo of planed hemlock boards from Estey's mill.

Since last Sunday the water has been falling gradually. Unless there be heavy rains this month the drives will be seriously impeded on the upper St. John.

Church News.

To-morrow at the morning and evening services in St. Paul's church, Rev. Mr. McLean of Harvey will occupy the pulpit.

The Baptist church of Blissett, Docktown and Upper Blackville have secured as their pastor Rev. Mr. Crandall of Nova Scotia. Some very successful revival services have been held.

Rev. Ralph Brecken after lecturing in Woodstock proceeded to St. John where he preaches to-morrow (Sunday) in the Carleton Methodist church.

The Frederickton Market.

The market prices this week are about the same as last. We quote: Beef, 7 to 9 cts; mutton, 6 to 7 cts; veal, 5 to 6 cts; Hams, 8 to 9 cts; butter, 15 to 17 cts; turkeys, 12 to 15 cts; chickens, 45 to 50 cts; ducks, 60 to 70 cts; eggs, 13 to 14 cts; potatoes, \$1.75 to 1.85; turnips, 60 cts; carrots, 80 cts; hay \$10 to 12; straw, \$5 to 5.50.

To the Editor of THE HERALD.

The young men of the base ball club to Arboz day at 2:30 p. m., as chosen later. The Lone Stars are to have a good team in the fall this year, and the club that gets ahead of them will have to hustle. Parker and Haines have been engaged as battery. There is some talk of an amateur league being organized with the following clubs:—The Lone Stars, Lone Stars, Alerts, Marysville B. B. club Potato-Peeler, Athletics and the L. S. C. club. The Shamrocks, of St. John intend to have a good programme of sports on their grounds on Monday, 25th May, which will be observed as a holiday, the Queen's birthday falling on Sunday. The Potato Peeler's accept the challenge of the Athletics for a game of base ball on Monday, 25th of May.

H. McKen, Captain.

The first game of Base Ball of the season was played here Friday afternoon, between the I. S. C. club, and a team from Atkinson, Cook's minstrel. The game was a five inning one and resulted in favor of the I. S. C. by a score of 38 to 7.

The grounds of the Frederick athletic club will be taken over on May 1st by Mr. Scully, the owner, unless some arrangement is made. The lease has not yet been signed, but the club has failed to pay the rent of the grounds.—Moncton Transcript.

An effort is being made to get up a local team among the members of the St. John club to play the Maine State college nine here on May 25th. The movement so far is not meeting with much success, as the old players are rather adverse to going on the diamond again.

The members and friends of the Frederick base ball association have come to the front promptly with the funds necessary to refund the beautiful grounds for the coming season. The subscription list was circulated on Thursday and in an hour or two the necessary \$150 was obtained. Credit is extended to the board.

Halifax will have at least two local teams this season, writes a Halifaxian to a friend in this city. One will have Graham and Doyle as a battery, and they will be backed up by members of the Social club. The other nine will have "Shorty" Power and White as battery, with seven men back of them, the pick of last year's amateur league.

Lawyer Hughes spent Sunday up river and his frequent trips in that direction have aroused the curiosity of his friends.—The Star.

Brother Mactuit should not be jealous. There is no mystery about the movements of George up river last Sunday. He has signed a contract to play left-field for the Independents of New Brunswick. When the N.I. Dependents come down to play the press nine on the 24th with George Mactuit of the batting list, Brother Mactuit will regret that he released him so hastily last summer.

Opportunity.

Master of human destinies am I, Fame, love and fortune on my footsteps trail. Cities and fields I walk. I penetrate Deserts and seas remote. And passing by Hovel and mat and palace, soon or late I knock upon the door of every gate. If sleeping wake; if feasting rise before I turn away; it is the hour of fate. And those who follow me reach every stage of life, and there I conquer every foe. Save death; but those who doubt or hesitate, Condemned to failure, penury and woe, Seek me in vain, and uselessly implore. I return not, and I return no more.

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I am directed to sell by Public Auction, on FRIDAY MORNING, May 8th, Commencing at 10 o'clock, all of the articles contained in the GOVERNMENT STABLES, consisting of:—2 Sets Heavy Working Harness, 2 "Light Driving Harness, 2 Heavy Working Collars, 2 Double Sleds, 1 Double Seated Pump, 1 Single Sleigh, 4 Neek Yokes, 4 Measure Forks, 4 Brushes, 4 Ladders, 16 Sets Hobbles, 2 Sets Whiffles and Traces, 10 Chaises, 2 Shawls, 2 Buffaloes, 1 Lap Rug, 1 Stocking, 1 Foot Book, 3 Saddles, 4 Water Pails, 4 Bales of Horse Clothing, 2 Boxes, 100 lbs. Coal, 100 lbs. Lard, 1 Bedstead and Bedding, 2 Stools, 1 Table. All to be sold without reserve.

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LUMBER.—The cut on Acrostock this year will amount to about 30,000,000 feet, while that of the St. John river is about 65,000,000. The city council meets next Tuesday evening.

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While Charles Boyle was young colt up Queen street Monday, he collided with White's "bus. The sulky to which it was upset and Boyle was thrown out, nately neither he nor the colt were injured. Many years have gone since family doctor originated Johns Byrne Liniment. Mrs. Spahn, sister of Mrs. died at her home, Queen street day last from pneumonia. Mrs. Wallace Broad died at her residence, St. Stephen's morning. She was a daughter of Balkum, Milltown, and leaves a son. Captain Perkins has received a reply from the Ottawa authorities stating that from the York county rifle association presenting both the 71st and Infantry would not be allowed to compete in the League. It has thereupon how spring twined enter the competition also, are shot with Martini rifle, tion being supplied by the of charge.

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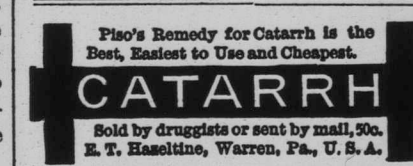
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to give the woman of the nineteenth century. It seems to have been left to the gray bearded old man, Graham H. Hamrick, to discover something which has puzzled the brains of learned men and scientists for ages past.

The discovery is the art of preserving animal and vegetable substances so that they may be kept without a sign of decay, decomposition or change, but in his efforts to solve this great problem he has become to be regarded by many people in this section of the country as some kind of being to be avoided, and there are many who will not go near the log house in which the old man has "lived dead people" and animals.

Just how Mr. Hamrick conceived the idea that he could preserve animal and vegetable matter in its natural state he does not say; but, after experimenting for years he became convinced that he had not labored in vain, and he declares, and his works prove, that he has the art perfected. Until a short time ago his experiments in preserving or embalming had been confined to lower animals and vegetables, and so successful had been his efforts that he determined to test the process on human bodies.

He secured permission from the authorities of the state hospital for the insane to experiment on two bodies. These were given into his custody, and in one hour after he had them in his room he informed examination. The bodies were examined, and it was found that they had not been mutilated in any way, not a drop of blood had been drawn, nor an incision or puncture made in them.

Since that time the two bodies have been continually exposed to the air and all kinds of climatic changes, but they are still perfect and lifelike. They are now in his room lying on a table, looking as natural as when living. The blood in the veins can be plainly seen standing out in bluish black lines where vessels are superficial.

In the same room are embalmed cats, dogs, fowls, rabbits, fawns and other things—all as natural as life. Sticking about in corners and on rough shelves these "ornaments" give the room the appearance of a museum. Those who have ventured into the home of the farmer have been amazed at the sight. Mr. Hamrick is plain and frank, with only a moderate education, but has been too thorough to give the slightest idea of his process.

However, he does not hesitate to say that his process consists of applying a fluid, the ingredients of which can be found in almost any general country store, and that the whole thing is so simple a child could use it. This assertion is doubted by gentlemen who have given the matter very careful study.

He positively refuses to claim more power in his process than he can prove by past experiment to belong to.

The home of this queer old man is ever open to those who wish to visit him. There are those who dread him and his humble cabin because they fear the dead and on account of his association with the embalmed or mummified animals and bodies. It is almost impossible to get negroes to go near the cabin.

The learned doctors of this country are not alone in recognizing him and his secret in a proper way. The Royal Scientific Association of France has made him an honorary member and given him a certificate of life membership and a solid gold medal as a token of the esteem in which they hold him for making it possible for the people of this age no longer to speak of "lost art" of embalming.

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## SEL. DORA'S FRI.

BY MARY E. MOFFAT.

"Come, Dora, the sleigh is at the door. Why, my child, what is this? What has happened?"

"Oh, mamma," and a tearful face was raised from the cushions upon which Dora had thrown herself. "I had a dreadful dream last night, and— and—I've felt like crying all day long, only I don't want you to see it, and so I tried to keep up."

"Why, darling, don't you know dreams go by contraries? So dry your eyes, and I will help you on with your things while you tell me about it."

"But, mamma, it was so awful! You know its about time for Clinton to sail, and I thought he had been shipwrecked, and I saw him struggling in the waves, and I saw him go down—down—and he—oh, I can't tell it."

In spite of herself, Mrs. Holmes's cheeks blanched as she listened, but with a decided:—

"Do not give way to such folly, Dora!" she bade her daughter's face with rose-water, and put on her heavy, fur-lined wraps. Then she developed her head in a soft fleece of knitted wool whose delicate pink made the sweet face, with its fair, rose-tinted complexion, look even more lovely as she kissed it, and said:—