

Democratic Watchman
Bellefonte, Pa., February 6, 1891.

The Show on the Road.

Since I last ran you I've met with immense success in showing my show in various places, particularly at Detroit. I put up at Mr. Russell's tavern, a very good tavern too, but I am sorry to inform you that the clerks tried to cum a Gouge Game on me. I banished my new sixteen dollar huntin cased watch round considerable, and as I was dressed in my store clothes and had a lot of sweet scented wagon grease on my hair, I am free to confess that I thought I looked putty gay. It never once struck me that I looked green. But steps a clerk and axes me hadn't I better put my watch in the safe. "Sir," sez I, "that watch cost sixteen dollars! Yes, Sir, every dollar of it! You can't cum it over me, my boy! Not at all, Sir." I know'd what the clerk wanted. He wanted that watch himself.

From Detroit I go West'ard hoe. On the cars was a be lookin female, with a green cotton umbrella in one hand and a handful of Reform tracks the other. She sed every woman should have a Spear. Then as didn't demand their Spears didn't know what was good for them. "What is my Spear?" she axed addressing the people in the cars. "Is it to stay at home and darn stockings and be the ser-lave of a domineerin man? Or is it my Spear to vote and speak and show myself the eal of man? Is there a sister in these keer that has her proper Spear?" Savin which the eccentric female whirled her umbrella round several times, and finally jabbed me in the wekkit with it.

"I have no objections to your going into the Spear business," sez I, "but you'll please remember I ain't a pickenil. Don't Spear me agin, if you please." She sot down. At Ann Arbor, bein seized with a sudden faintness, I called for a drop of suthin to drink. As I was stirrin the beverage up, a pale faced man in gold spectacles laid his hand upon my shoulder, and sed, "Look not upon the wine when it is red!" "Soz I, this ain't wine. This is Old Rye." "It stingsh like a Adder and Bitch like a Sarpent!" sed the man. "I guess not," sed I, "when you put sugar into it, That's the way I allers take mine."

"Have you sons grown up, sir?" the man axed. "Wall, I replide, as I put myself outside my beverage, my son Artemus joinin on 18." "Ain't you afraid if you set this example b4 him he'll cum to a bad end?" "He's cum to a waxed end already. He's learnin the shoe makin bizness," I replide. "This is a cold world," sed the man. "That's so. But you'll get into a warmer one by and by if you don't mind your own bizness better." I was a little riled at the feller, because I never take anything only when I'm on-well. I arterwards learned he was a temperance lecturer, and if he can induce men to stop settin their hands on fire with the frightful lieker which is retailed round the country I shall heartily rejoice. Better give men Prusick Assid to onet, than to pizen 'em to deeth by degrees.

At Albion I met with overwhelm success. The celebrated Albion Female Seminary is located there. And there air over 300 young ladies in the Instiushin, pretty enough to eat without season or sass. The young ladies was very kind to me, volunteerin to pin my handbills onto the backs of their dresses. It was a sublime site to see over 300 young ladies going round with a retirement of A. Ward's unparalleled show, conspicuously posted onto their dresses. Virtue is its own reward.

A. WARD.
Device for Stopping Runaways.

An ingenious contrivance has been devised which, when attached to a vehicle, will stop a runaway horse or speedily arrest a vicious or frightened animal. It consists of a removable sleeve which acts in conjunction with a central pulley and side levers, which are under the immediate control of the driver and by which an instant rearward revolution of the central pulley can be effected. A substantial band perferably of leather, is secured around the central pulley and extends forwardly, its extremity having lateral straps attached to it, and also to the bits of the horses, so that the revolution in a direction away from the horses will shorten the band and pull the heads of the horses downward and rearward in a forcible manner, throwing the animals upon their haunches and quickly arresting their forward movement.

Provision is also made for automatically locking the central pulley, so that the tension of the horses will not be removed if they back up. This pressure however, can be readily removed by the driver pressing with his foot on the treadle when it is desired to control a team of fractious horses with trammel heads.

MIXED SANDWICHES.—Chop half a pound each of cold boiled ham, chicken and tongue; season with one teaspoonful of melted butter, one tablespoonful of prepared mustard, a little white pepper, a very little salt; mix thoroughly, and then add the powdered yolks of two hard boiled eggs; put this mixture thick on thin slices of buttered bread, and place them in a warm oven while preparing a white sauce of milk, butter and flour; when the sauce is ready, pour it over and around the sandwiches, and sprinkle over all a good quantity of finely chopped celery. The sandwiches should not be allowed to bak o, but heat thoroughly.

Some weeks before his death the late William H. Vanderbilt said to a friend: "All this money isn't worth a rap. I would give it all for your health." To which his friend, half laughing and half seriously, replied: "Well, too much money is nuisance. The happiest time in my life was when I was worth \$300,000."

Pauline Lucca Retires.
The Pathetic Story of the Famous Song-birds First Attempt.

NEW YORK, Jan., 26.—Pauline Lucca has decided to retire from the concert stage, but the news surprises no one. Yet the old time concert goer, if a man, shakes his head and sighs; if a woman, drops a tear of regret for the wonderful voice and radiant face known in the past. Her life story—perhaps all life stories would be if they were as well known—is an interesting one. One of its most characteristic incidents is told by one who knew her well in later life. When she was about 8 years old—it was in 1852—she was a half-Orphan in a school at Wm. Besides being poor she was stupid in her studies (so she told this friend), and was also of unattractive personal appearance. Her teachers, with one exception looked upon her with the same mild contempt which characterized her treatment by the other and more fortunate pupils of the school.

At last the end of the school year drew near, and brought with it the annual examinations. The mother was present at the exercises, and when she saw how plainly poor little Pauline's poverty showed in spite of her own loving handiwork the tears began to roll down her cheeks. By and by the other pupils rose to sing, Pauline alone remaining seated as usual. But this day she was not content to be passed. She resolved to do something which should make them all forget her improvised dress and her plain place. She gazed imploringly at the master. "Can you sing?" he asked. "I think so," she answered without a falter. "If you want to you may try 'Where the May Breezes Blow.'" He graciously granted, touched by the pathos of her appearance.

Lucca says: "Many times since then I have sung before great audiences made up of finely dressed and distinguished people, but I have never put more effort, more enthusiasm, more ambition into my voice than I did then. I sang 'May Breezes,' but after I had finished it they would not let me stop. I sang every song I knew, and when I stepped from the platform I was nearly deafened by applause, and the tears had gone from my mother's eyes."

A Good Turn.
It Cost Him Twenty-five Dollars but It Was All Right.

"Feller come along to my place about a year ago," said a Wayne county farmer on the market yesterday, "and introduced himself as an agent for a book to be published in about two months. It was a sort of pioneer history of Michigan, and he wanted to put in my word cut and write up my history."

"Yes," "Well, I didn't care much about it you know, but as his terms were low I kinder thought it might be all right. The old woman got into the scheme and she wanted her pictur' in."

"Yes," "Well, the boys said it would look prizen nice to leave them out, and so I concluded to put the five of us in. Feller said he'd group us, you know. I was to go in the middle, with the old woman and the boys kinder wobbling around in a circle."

"Yes," "Feller said all day, took down some notes and carried off \$25 and our pictur's."

"And you haven't seen him since?" "No." "Nor received the book?" "No." "He must have been a fraud."

"No doubt of it, but I'm kinder glad of it, after all. He hadn't been gone a hour when Bill begun sayin' as how his pictur' was to look the partiest, and then three boys fit about it for a hull month. Then the old woman got an idea that her pictur' order be in the middle instead of mine, and for six weeks we never spoke a word. Then our two nays got down on us 'cause the agent didn't call on them, and in one way and another we hev bin made miserable. If the book had come along there'd hev bin no holdin' any of us."

"But it won't come." "I guess not I may meet the feller around here some day, and if I do I shall walk up to him and say: 'But you star, young man! You are \$25 ahead, but by swindling me you hev saved the hull darned family from chawin' each other into splinters!'"

Detroit Free Press.
ASK YOUR FRIENDS.—Who have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla who they think of it, and the replies will be positive in its favor. One has been cured of indigestion and dyspepsia, another finds it indispensable for sick headache, others report remarkable cures of scrofula, skin rashes, etc. Call on them, and advising which Hood's Sarsaparilla receives the hearty endorsement of its army of friends.

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A fresh drug clerk in Hannibal, Mo., found an unlabeled bottle in his employer's store, which from its foaming when shaken, he thought was shampoo fluid. He recently used it. His hair began coming out and an investigation proved the fluid to be insect exterminator.

I was so much troubled with catarrh it seriously affected my voice. One bottle of Ely's Cream Balm did the work. My voice is fully restored.—B. P. Lippencott, A. M., Pastor, of the Olivet Baptist Church, Philadelphia, Pa.

A physician who declares that both the "eye-opener" and the "night-cap" are very injurious says that the later is the lesser evil of the two. "When a man," he says, "gets to drinking early in the morning as a regular custom, he is pretty far gone. A drink before breakfast is a pretty certain indication of a half dozen others before sundown."

Sechler's Grocery.

TO THE HUNGRY PUBLIC.
It is only those who eat—the many who require the necessities of life, to prolong their existence, that we address. Those who use nothing—who think they need nothing—who live on expectation, hope or some intangible nothing, will save time by passing this column by. It is not intended for them but the other fellows. We write what is here put down for the people who are mortal enough to get hungry, and in consequence of getting hungry are sensible enough to try to get what is good, pure, wholesome and necessary, at prices that do not require them to lay out all that they earn, to appease their appetites. We have seen in the hunger appealing business for many, many years. We know what men want, we know what women and children desire, and we know how much better and how much more pleasant it is to reside in a community where people enjoy good health, than among dyspeptic complainers, growlers and sufferers. To have healthy people pure food must be used. We understand this, and understanding it, keep prizen nice to leave them out, and so I concluded to put the five of us in. Feller said he'd group us, you know. I was to go in the middle, with the old woman and the boys kinder wobbling around in a circle.

It is for you who want, or use anything eatable, either as meats, fish, groceries, fruits, nuts, relishes, or in fact anything from a piece of chewing gum to a first class beef steak, that we write and pay the printer to print this invitation for you to come and see us. If you live in town drop in and see what all we have and what quality of goods we carry. If you live in the country come in the first time you come to town and learn how easy it is to get good, pure, fresh groceries, as low if not lower than many have been in the habit of paying for old, impure and strengthless articles of diet. If you have any good fresh farm produce bring it along. Under any and all circumstances COME AND SEE US.

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