

Democratic Watchman

Bellefonte, Pa., Jan. 27, 1893.

A SLIPPERY EXCUSE.

"I wouldn't allow a man," he said, "to put his arm around my waist, though dark should be the way."

"If you want to hold me tight, some evening you may call."

"See that I do not call."

Authors on the Platform.

Pen Pictures of Famous Writers Who Read in Public From Their Own Works.

Many people have an idea that authors are a pale, worn out, dyspeptic lot, with the fires of inspiration burning in their sickly frames—all soul and very poor sort of bodies.

The fact is American authors are a good-looking, sensible and healthy body of men, with nothing about them of the melancholy shadow which is supposed to brood over genius.

Thomas Nelson Page was enough out of the ordinary in his style and personality to appeal to those whose chief pleasure is found in discovering and bowing down to idols of the beaten track.

When this novelist of the South is reading you may close your eyes and fancy before you some negro telling his simple story in his own homely, everyday way.

Mr. Page is a widower—another charm—and is only 36 years old. He was a lawyer before he became a writer.

Mr. Page has understood this in his readings, but his fellow-novelist from the South, the eminent writer, George W. Cable, unfortunately was not.

Those who remember Mr. Cable's first public readings and have heard him recently, must be struck with the difference. He has tried so persistently and conscientiously to improve on what only needed to be left alone that to-day he is neither himself nor anybody else.

Mr. Cable thought the thing over carefully, decided that his friend was right, and the Croole songs are now almost dropped from his repertoire.

And the unfortunate part of it is that having made these changes and modifications in himself he is to-day powerless to return to his original power in doing things.

Mr. Cable is certainly the most distinctive of American authors, and his words are only 90 pounds, and is small in proportion. He wears a full brown beard, and his voice, though high and shrill when he speaks, is of a fine tenor calibre when he comes to sing, which unfortunately he does not do often enough.

He is a devoted friend and admirer of Mark Twain, whom he can mimic to

such perfection that Mark says he cannot tell himself which is which in the dark. When Mr. Clemens and Cable were on their reading tour together they used to have warm religious discussions.

Everyone knows how Mark Twain comes upon the stage, how he draws and looks bored, how he thrusts his hands deep down into his pockets, scans the ceiling and seems preternaturally solemn just at the moment of bringing down the house.

F. Hopkinson Smith, novelist, artist, engineer and man of the world, has a faultless figure clad in the latest style imported from Bond street.

Mr. Smith in his public reading follows no plan but his own, and has been instructed by no teacher. His voice is full and pleasant, his manner vivacious and intense, and there is in his way of putting things and interpreting his own books a certain magnetism which never fails to hold his audience.

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Tourists.

Look Out For Cold Weather.

But ride inside of the Electric Lighted and Steam Heated Vestibule Apartment trains of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway and you will be as warm, comfortable and cheerful as in your own library or boudoir.

The Titan of Chasms.

A Mile Deep, 15 Miles Wide, 217 Miles Long, and Painted Like a Flower.

The Land of Sunshine.

A Unique Country where the Skies are almost Never Clouded, while the air is Cool and Bracing, like Perpetual Spring.

As an anomalous southern resort, by reason of the fact that there one may escape summer heat no less than winter cold, New Mexico is rapidly becoming famous.

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Sheriff's Sales.

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New Advertisements.

JOHN C. MILLER. PRACTICAL ACCOUNTANT. REAL ESTATE AND COLLECTION AGENCY.

Rents or Sells property of all kinds. Does a general collection business, opens or closes books for firms or individuals.

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LADIES WOOL HOSE at 18 cents, better ones for more money.

TILLY! TILLY! The Celebrated FIVE BROTHERS' TILLY. Solid, long Havana filler Sumatra wrapper.

ON EARTH—! \$10 cigar in quality—5c. cigar in price.

Insurance. J. C. WEAVER, GENERAL INSURANCE AGENT, Bellefonte, Pa.

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AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL. Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass. Sold by all Druggists. Price \$1; six bottles, \$5.

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BREWERY FOR SALE OR RENT. The subscriber offers her Brewery property, situated one mile west of Bellefonte for sale or rent on easy terms.

CHECK-WEIGHMAN'S REPAIRS. Agents wild with success. Mr. Thos. L. Martin, Centreville, Texas, cleared \$7119 in 9 days.

Electric Belts. FREE. Trial. Why suffer from the bad effects of the La Grippe, Lame Back, Kidney and Liver disease, Rheumatism, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, any kind of weakness, or other disease, when you can be cured by the use of the Electric Belt?

Railway Guide.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD AND BRANCHES.

Dec. 18th, 1892.

VIA TYRONE—WESTWARD. Leave Bellefonte, 5:35 a. m., arrive at Tyrone 6:52 a. m., at Altoona, 7:50 a. m., at Pittsburg, 12:10 p. m.

VIA TYRONE—EASTWARD. Leave Bellefonte, 6:35 a. m., arrive at Tyrone 7:52 a. m., at Altoona, 8:50 a. m., at Pittsburg, 1:10 p. m.

VIA LOCK HAVEN—WESTWARD. Leave Bellefonte, 9:32 a. m., arrive at Lock Haven, 10:37 a. m., at Renovo, 11:42 a. m., at Harrisburg, 12:47 p. m.

VIA LOCK HAVEN—EASTWARD. Leave Bellefonte, 9:32 a. m., arrive at Lock Haven, 10:37 a. m., at Renovo, 11:42 a. m., at Harrisburg, 12:47 p. m.

VIA LEWISBURG. Leave Bellefonte, 2:15 p. m., arrive at Lewisburg, 3:20 p. m., at Harrisburg, 4:25 p. m., at Philadelphia, 5:30 p. m.

TYRONE & CLEARFIELD. NORTHWARD. Leave Bellefonte, 6:10 a. m., arrive at Tyrone 7:15 a. m., at Clearfield, 8:20 a. m., at Lewisburg, 9:25 a. m.

BELLEFONTE & SNOW SHOE BRANCH. Time Table in effect on and after Dec. 19, 1892.

LEWISBURG & TYRONE RAILROAD. Schedule in effect December 18th, 1892.

LEWISBURG & TYRONE RAILROAD. STAIR WORK in all its branches ready to put up in any part of the country.

BELLEFONTE CENTRAL RAILROAD. To take effect April 4, 1893.

On the Red Bank branch trains will run as follows: GOING EAST WILL LEAVE Red Bank at 8:05 a. m. and 5:35 p. m.