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DR. LITTLE, M. D., 222 Broadway, New Brighton, makes the treatment of chronic diseases of male and female weaknesses a specialty. Consultation free to the poor every Saturday from 1 to 3 p. m. sep27-71-1y

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WM. WALLACE, Dealer in Italian & American Marble, Marble Slabs, Monuments, Tablets, &c. Shop in Pennsylvania depot, Railroad street, New Brighton, Pa. sep27

H. H. H. MILLS, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Boots and Gents' Furnishing Goods, Broadway, Brighton. sep27-71-1y

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CANNON & WITTISH, Real Estate Agents, Beaver Falls, Pa. Office—Market st. Beaver Falls. [sep27-1y

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M. K. [illegible], Dealer in Stoves, Tin, Sheet Iron and Copper Ware, Bridge St. Bridgewater, Pa. [sep27-71-1y

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KENNEDY [illegible], Rochester, Pa. Dealers in Dry Goods, Groceries, Queensware, Hardware, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Flour and Feed. Highest price paid for Country Produce. [sep27-71-1y

HANKINS, Dealer in Boots, Shoes and Gaiters, Rochester, Pa. [sep27-71-1y

NORDLOZ, Dealer in Boots, Shoes, Gaiters, Rochester, Pa. [sep27-71-1y

CAPP, Manufacturer and Dealer in Boots, Shoes, Gaiters, Rochester, Pa. [sep27-71-1y

HANNEN, Dealer in Fine Watches, Jewelry, Silverware, &c. Rochester, Pa. [sep27-71-1y

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Flannels,
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Crash,
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Railroads.

RAILROADS.—PITTSBURGH, FT. WAYNE & CHICAGO RAILWAY.—Condensed Time Table from June 24, 1872.

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 1. Fst Ex	No. 5. Mail.	No. 7 Pac Ex	No. 3. Nit Ex
Pittsburgh	145AM	710AM	930AM	230PM
Rochester	252	845	1043	338
Alliance	505	1145	135PM	615
Orrville	633	153PM	323	747
Mansfield	835	422	535	942
Crestline { A	905	500	610	1010
Crestline { D	920	510AM	625	1020
Forest	1053	750	828	1143
Lima	1152	900	930	12 37AM
Fort Wayne	210PM	1140	1200AM	255
Plymouth	417	235PM	305	510
Chicago	720	630	650	820

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	No. 8. Mail.	No. 2. Fst Ex.	No. 6. Pac Ex	No. 4. Nit Ex
Chicago	120AM	820AM	535PM	930PM
Plymouth	910	1103	905	1240AM
Fort Wayne	1215PM	125PM	1135	315
Lima	225	315	142AM	505
Forest	345	414	235	630
Crestline { A	520	530	420	800
Crestline { D	1130AM	550	430	825
Mansfield	1206PM	618	540	940
Orrville	223	812	750	1108
Alliance	440	950	850	110PM
Rochester	717	1154AM	1105	329
Pittsburgh	835	100	1210PM	435

☞ No. 1 daily except Monday; Nos. 5, 7, 8 & 2, daily, except Sunday; Nos. 3 & 6, daily; No. 4 daily, except Saturday and Sunday.

F. R. MYERS, General Ticket Agent.

CLEVELAND & PITTSBURGH RAILROAD. On and after June 26, 1872, trains will leave Stations daily (Sundays excepted) as follows

GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	Mail.	Exp's.	Accom
Cleveland	845AM	1215PM	355PM
Hudson	1000	124	505
Ravenna	1030	155	532
Alliance	1130	254	617
Bayard	1202PM	302	
Wellsville	135	421	
Pittsburgh	400	610	

GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	Mail.	Exp's.	Accom
Pittsburgh	630AM	210PM	
Wellsville	900	405	
Bayard	1025	531	
Alliance	1115	557	725AM
Ravenna	1220PM	634	815
Hudson	1253	700	900
Cleveland	140	801	1015

Leaves. Arrives.
N. Philadelphia 6.40a.m. | Bayard 9.45 a m.
Bayard 12.10 p. m | N Philadelphia 3.00 p.m

RIVER DIVISION.

GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	Accom	Mail.	Exp's	Accom
Bellair	545AM	....	200PM	410PM
Bridgeport	555	....	210	420
Steubenville	700	....	315	540
Wellsville	815	155PM	440	
Rochester	930	255	535	
Pittsburgh	1040	400	640	

GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	Mail.	Exp's.	Accom	Accom
Pittsburgh	630AM	210PM	500PM	
Rochester	740	310	605	
Wellsville	850	410	720	
Steubenville	945	502	....	
Bridgeport	1045	558	....	
Bellair	1100	610	....	

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BLACK and COLORED ALPACAS;
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A Complete Assortment of every Description of Carpets; the Latest Designs and Newest Styles of Coloring, Admirably suited to the Fall Season; of the best English, Brussels, and all kinds of Kidderminster,

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Apr10,'72:1y] ALLEGHENY, PA.

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☞ Patrons and the public generally are invited to visit the New Store when in the city. Remember I am now at No. 16, Fifth Ave., and not No. 22 as heretofore. nov16-1ry

SELECT MISCELLANY.

SILAS GRIMGRIN'S TRAP

"It's a plain case," Mr. Grimgrin said. Against whom would it not have been a plain case, Mr Grimgrin judging?

"No doubt he is guilty; but what are the facts?" inquired Miss Thugg, in whose theory of justice striking came before hearing.

"They are very simple," Mr Grimgrin answered; "presented an altered check on the Oxide bank this morning—in jail for forgery this evening."

"But their may be some explanation," timidly remarked a young lady, at whose simplicity Mr. Grimgrin smiled, and Miss Thugg sniffed.

"He should have made it at once, then," said Mr. Grimgrin, "instead of standing dumb before his accusers. After-explanations don't go for much in such cases."

"Poor Edith! It will break her heart," the young lady could not help adding.

"Pooh!" said Mr. Grimgrin; as you will find out some day, heart-breaking is only a figure of speech."

Leaving the rest of Miss Thugg's party to laugh, and the young lady to blush, at Mr. Grimgrin's sentiments of observation, let us go back [illegible]

Earnest Jasper, who [illegible] forgery was just now [illegible] conversation, had hitherto [illegible] unblemished character [illegible] brother George, out [illegible] aries, after supporting [illegible] mother [illegible] and [illegible] ing to a happy time—not far distant, he hoped when certain tender engagements would no longer need to be deferred. The course of truthful love never ran smoother than in the case of Ernest Jasper and Edith Wade. Too trusting to allow mischief to be made between them, and too generous to make it between themselves, what could disturb the even tenor of their lives?

George Jasper was of a different temper from his brother. With a heart as true, he was more impulsive and passionate. It is such men that are easily incited to jealousy, and who act rashly under it.

When George Jasper and Mildred Heath plighted their troth, they would have staked their lives on each other's loyalty. But evil tongues came between them. Stories which should have been scorned—and were so at first—in time began to be listened to. Then came quarrels and reconciliations, time and again repeated, till at last it was insinuated to George that he had a rival in his love. He demanded an explanation in a tone so imperious that Mildred's pride took offence and she refused to answer. They parted in anger, and George's visits ceased.

A few days later, a cool note from Mildred informed him that all was over between them. In his bitterest moments he had not counted on this. His first impulse was to fly from the scene of his misery—whither he cared not—the further the better.

A letter received through the post-office, announced to Ernest his brother's departure.

"Leaving on you," the letter said, "the burden of our mother's support, I enclose you my employer, Mr. Winter's check for all my savings over the necessary expenses of my journey. I cannot tell you where I am going. I do not know. To you and our dear mother—the only ones to whom I have the right to offer it—I leave my fondest love. Farewell."

It was the check thus enclosed, which on being presented by Earnest, was ascertained to have been altered to a larger amount. On being questioned, Earnest offered no explanation. Instantly it flashed upon him that he could not speak without compromising his brother, and his silence was at once taken as evidence of guilt. He was arrested and committed for trial.

Silas Grimgrin was a post-office clerk, moral beyond his years, and with a conscience tenderly alive to the sins of others. We have already seen how little lenity poor Earnest received at his hands.

Silas Grimgrin had just returned from Miss Thugg's party, and, in his bachelor apartment, was regaling himself with a cigar and divers reflections on the vanity of human wishes, when a knock announced a visitor.

"Come in," Silas, glancing over his shoulder.

Stooping to clear the doorway, a young man entered, a fellow-clerk of Silas, at least six feet two in height, with a good natured, but not particulary bright looking countenance.

"Good evening, Mr. Grimgrin."

"Good evening, Bunce," said Silas; "pray lower yourself on the sofa there, for your head must be dizzy at that height."

Mr. Bunce smiled at the joke; he had heard it before.

"What do you think of Jasper's case?" he inquired, after a pause.

"There can be no opinion," Silas answered.

"I have mine at least," said the other.

"And what is it, pray?"

"That *he* is not guilty."

"Then who *is*?" said Silas sharply.

"*You!*" retorted Bunce, planting himself before the door, and displaying a badge, at the sight of which Silas trembled.

"What proof have you of such an accusation?" asked Silas, recovering his presence of mind with an effort.

"Ample," replied the other. "Numerous peculations in the office here, induced the authorities to place it under surveillance; and for a month past, I have occupied the post of detective under the guise of a clerk. Two days ago, unobserved, as you thought, you abstracted a letter directed to Earnest Jasper. Next day you returned it. An exmination which I, as well as you, know how to make, proved that it contained a check—the same—for by a process of my own I was able to read its contents—to-day presented at the bank by Jasper, and now in my possession.

"But all that," argued Silas, "does not prove that I either opened the letter, or altered the check."

"As to the question of a letter's having been opened," said the detective, "an expert is not easily deceived. As to the alteration of the check, Mr. Winter, the drawer, is ready to swear that George Jasper inclosed it unaltered in his presence, and left the letter with him to mail; and I can swear that when it came to the hands of George Jasper, the check was in its present state."

Silas Grimgrin stood mute and sullen.

"There is another charge against you" resumed the detective.

Silas started.

"To-day you opened a decoy letter containing money."

The guilty man made a movement as if to escape, but the towering form of the detective broked the way. In an instant the snap of the handcuffs was heard, and a brief search brought to light the identical bill taken from the decoy letter.

The poor wretch's courage failed, and he confessed all. He had stolen George Jasper's letter, not as he had others, for gain's sake, but to subserve another purpose. He too loved Mildred and had been mainly instrumental in her betrothal. To fix upon his rival the stigma of an infamous crime, seemed a sure way to secure the field premanently to himself. The fraternal devotion which prompted Ernest Jasper to sacrifice his own to his brother's reputation, was something a nature like Silas Grimgrin's was alike incapable of understanding or foreseeing.

The widow Jasper, Edith and Mildred were all weeping tears of joy at once over Ernest, just released from prison, when George burst in among them.

"What! you here, Ernest?" he exclaimed, "I saw your arrest announced in the papers, and hurried back at once."

A word explained all.

And then George met Mildred's eyes looking so tearfully and lovingly into his own, that, forgetting all, he was about to clasp her in his arms.

"But that letter!" he said, drawing back with sudden constraint.

"What letter.

"The one in which you declared all was over between us."

Mildred's surprise was a sufficient answer.

"Then, that was another of Silas Grimgrin's forgeries!" cried George, distinctively guessing the truth.

Two happy weddings speedily followed. And we are glad to be able to and that as husband. George Jasper isn't a bit jealous.—*Ledger.*

The Geneva Arbitration.

In Value as a Precedent.

[illegible] that the fact that the dispute [illegible] verting it into a peaceable lawsuit, and that the fact that the jurisprudence of the two countries supplied a common measure of damages, has done much to simplify the procedure. But then it has to be taken into account that probably no international dispute was ever attended with such a force of passion. Few, or no European writers, who talk of hate or resentment have an adequate idea of what this means in a community possessing as much education and taking as much personal interest in public affairs as the people of the United States. The wildest popular excitement in England, or any other European country, on a foreign question, falls very short, in extent and intensity, of that which prevails under similar circumstances here, because it only reaches a comparatively small class. The number of persons in England to whom a dispute with a foreign State comes home as a personal matter, and who contribute their personal passions to shape the policy of the government, is comparatively very small; here, the number who not throw themselves into it, is very small. It is difficult, indeed, to give any one who was not in personal contact with the American public between 1862 and 1870 an idea of how very much deeper than pecuniary "damages" the *Alabama* question went, and of the consequent magnitude of the triumph over barbarious passions wrought by the Treaty.

We should say, therefore, that although the judicial habits of the two countries have made peaceful settlement easy, once settlement was resolved, the decision in favor of peaceful settlement was attended with at least the ordinary difficulties, and we here, leave out of sight the obstructive influence exercised by the unfortunate historical relation of the two countries, important for the purposes of our argument as this is. In considering the readiness of nations to go to war, and trying to form a judgment as to the probabilities of war hereafter, and of the likelihood of the Geneva precedent's obtaining a ready acceptance, we find, too, that of the live years we mention (as having occurred within the last twenty years—the Crimean, the Italian war of 1859, the American, the Prussian-Austrian and the German-French), all but one were due to circumstances of an abnormal character, in their very nature provocative of war, and very unlikely ever to rise again.

* * * With Germany and Italy united, two provocations to war, which it has taken a century to create, have passed away. Something else may take their place, but it will need at least the same length of time to create them, and in our day pacific influences gain strength in a geometrical ratio. We may say the same thing, *mutatis mutandis*, of our rebellion.

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There then remains as a source of continued apprehension the Turkish question, which brought on the Crimean war; and it must be confessed that this does give every reason to expect a renewal of hostilities, and presents a problem more difficult to solve by arbitration than any, for arbitration in it would mean neither more nor less than the submission by Russia to a court of the question what "the destiny" of the Russian people ought to be, and this is almost ludicrous to expect.

In calculating the influence of the Geneva Tribunal, we have, too, to take into account the enormous influence of habit on the human mind, and the effect it has of perverting the judgment. Dueling is senseless, all admit, though nobody can picture to himself any good way of avoiding it; but let a few men of undoubted honor and courage avoid it, or the law rigorously put it down, as in England, and the spell is broken—the practice suddenly becomes ridiculous. We have little doubt that some such sobering and enlightening influence with regard to war will be exercised by the Geneva arbitration. It will familiarize civilized nations with the idea that there is an honorable way of avoiding war, and the general popular abhorrence of war is ordinarily and naturally so strong, that if a practical and tried way of avoiding it were present to everybody's mind, very few would think of examining any particular dispute to see whether it come under the class which philosophers pronounced capable of settlement by arbitration, and general politicians, would find the difficulty of resorting to hostilities enormously increased. Even the discussion whether a cave was fit for arbitration or not would have a specific influence.—*The Nation.*

A Model Love-Letter.

MY DEAR MRS. M——: Every time I think of you my heart flops up and down like a churn-dasher. Sensations of exquisite joy caper over it like young goats on a stable roof, and thrill through it like Spanish needles through a pair of tow linen trowsers. As a gosling swimming with delight in a mud puddle, so swim I in a sea of glory. Visions of ecstatic rapture thicker than the hairs of a blacking brush, and brighter than the hues of a hummingbird's pinions, visit me in my slumbers, and borne on their invisibe wings, your image stands before me, and I reach out to grasp it like a pointer snapping at blue buttle fly.

When I first beheld your angelic perfections I was bewildered, and my brain whirled around like a bumble-bee under a glasstumbler. My eyes stood open like cellar doors in a country town, and I lifted up my ears to catch the silvery accents of your voice. My tongue refused to wag, and in silent adoration I drank in the sweet infection of love as a thirsty man swalloweth a tumbler of hot whiskey punch.

Since the light of your face fell upon my life, I sometimes feel as if I could left myself up by my boot-straps to the top of the church-seeple, and pull the dellrope for singing-school.

Day and night you are in my throughts, When Aurora, blushing like a bride, rises from her saffron colored couch; when the jay-pird pipes his tuneful lay in the apple tree by the spring-house; when the chanticleer's shrill clarion heralds the coming morn; when the awaking pig ariseth from his bed and grunteth, and goeth for his morning's refreshments; when the drowsy beetle wheels to droning flight at sultry noon-tide; and when the lowing herds come home at milking time, I think of thee; and like a piece of gum elastic, my heart seems stretched clear across my bosom.

Your hair is like the mane of a s