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Catawissa. F. DALLMAN, Merchant Tailor, Second St. B. Robbins' Building.

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THE GREAT MAGICAL HAIR FORCER! Will force a hundred set of Whiskers or Mustache in from two to three months, on any person over twenty years old.

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H. C. HOWARD, DENTIST. Located a first-class DENT, SHOP, HAT CAP, AND FUR STORE.

EXCHANGE BAKERY AND CONFECTIONERY. The undersigned, successors of F. Wampler, would respectfully announce that they have taken the well-established bakery recently occupied by the late F. Wampler.

Hotels. MONTGOMERY HOUSE. WILLIAM LEFFLER, Proprietor.

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THE ESPY HOTEL. ESPY, COLUMBIA COUNTY, PA. The undersigned would inform the travelling public that he has taken the above named establishment and thoroughly refitted it.

THE NATION. Its Rulers and Institutions. IN ENGLISH AND GERMAN.

PERFECT COMBUSTION. SIGNAL LIGHT. The first and only one that will perfectly burn in any position.

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Poetical. MARCH. BY W. W. OGDENMAN. (THERE IS A singular Italian proverb, which reads "Severest chill of the month of March.")

The Wrong Man. The other morning an elderly gentleman started to walk up the C. & P. Railway track from Bellairs to West Wood.

The Champion Dead-Head. An editor in this State lost his pass on the Iron Road, and requested the officers of the road to secure the arrest of any man who should present it.

A Thousand Dollars Saved. It was observed of a certain covetous man that he never invited any one to dine with him.

Miscellaneous. THE FOLLOWING amusing incidents are related in "Mary's Border Reminiscences":

At a late hour, when all were competent to give direct evidence as to the superior quality of the wine that had been so bountifully supplied by their hospitable host.

A Race with a Crocodile. "Did I ever tell you of my race with a crocodile?" asked the doctor.

ROMANCE OF CRIME.—The Bastrop (La.) Conservator says: The sheriff was very much astonished the other morning when a gentleman walked into the court room, stepped up behind him, tapped him on the shoulder and told him he was ready to be arrested.

A GOOD WIFE.—ON A TOUGH STORY.—A rich old gentleman, somewhat famous for his anecdotal powers, told a story the other evening which shows that he either has a most remarkable faculty for extending the truth.

THE PYRAMIDS.—Colonel James, in a recent lecture on the pyramids of Egypt, stated that in the King's Chamber, inside the pyramid, some of the stones, weighing some ninety tons, were not found in Egypt at all, but were brought down the Nile, a distance of five hundred miles, and then placed in the level of the ground.

IN THE HOG STUPID.—The hog has the name of being the most stupid of animals; and yet the reputation is far from deserved.

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Humorous. The last time an Iowa man saw his thumb it was going through a corn sheller.

A Michigan blacksmith began work with a powder-flask in his pocket. The new shop will be completed in March.

An independent old lady, speaking of Adam naming all the animals, said she didn't think he deserved any credit for naming the pig—any one would know what that animal was.

Miss Ellen L. Fletcher, of Charleston, N. C., having learned the trade has opened a jeweller's shop, and the watches of all the young men in town are out of order in consequence.

"Two intimate friends in this city," says a Bostonian, "are engaged in an estimated dialogue with red hot potatoes, and one of them has since had only one eye on things in general."

"What Shall We Do With Our Girls?" asks one of our good patriots in an interesting lecture. If her girls are likely to resemble their mother much, we think she had better drown them.

A young lady in a Massachusetts town has taken up dentistry as a vocation. Her good patronize her. One young man has become hopelessly infatuated with her, consequently he hasn't a tooth in his head.

"Have you seen my black-faced antelope?" said a visitor. "Whom did your black-faced antelope with?"

A countryman in Savannah observed a gang of darkies laboring on the streets each wearing a ball and chain. He asked one why that ball was chained to his leg. "To keep people from stealing it," said the darkey, "heap of thieves about here."

A Michigan gin-mill keeper has this evasive arrangement: You put your ten cents in a slot marked "nickel," the apparatus revolves, and directly you see a glass of whisky standing before you, and you don't know, of course, who gave it to you, or how it came there.

A New Yorker wrote to General Spinner, asking for his autograph and a "sentiment," whereupon the veteran Treasurer of the State replied: "Send me your autograph with a sentiment. My sentiment is this: When a gentleman writes another on his own business he should enclose a postage stamp."

A lady in Indiana, who soaked her hair every day in enough medicine, under the impression that it was somebody or other's hair restorative, did not find it so. "To keep people from stealing it," said the darkey, "heap of thieves about here."

While a rather affected young lady was confiding to her admirer how ethereal her appetite was, and the sensitive delicateness of her organization, the too matter-of-fact help laughed out: "Say, you have your bit of pork and beans now or wait till yer folks come."

A Harvard graduate who had been more devoted to terrestrial than celestial science, was asked for ten minutes for final examination in physics was asked: "Mr. —, what planets were known to the ancients?" "Well, sir," he replied, "there were Venus and Jupiter, and —, after a pause — I think the earth, but I'm not quite certain."

Coleridge was descending in the presence of Charles Lamb, upon the subject of the single lady process. "Say, you have your bit of pork and beans now or wait till yer folks come."

A number of passengers on a Southern railroad who, in deference to the feelings of the single lady process, refrained from indulging their smoking propensities, felt that their courtesy was unappreciated when the gentleman in the next car, who was wearing a from her pocket and with nimble fingers proceeded to fill it with the strongest of Virginia leaf.

A Georgia darkey to whom Senator Sumner had written for ten minutes, a bill was explained, characterized it as "a trap to kill niggers." "You see, some fool niggers will go to the Parden house and get ten minutes for a white man and de white man will just for dat ar nigger out de winder and broke his neck."

Parson B — came out of his church one day when the wags were like glass from the frozen rain upon them, and had proceeded homeward but a few steps, when down he went, flat upon the walk. "Dear me," who were just behind, bluntly remarked, "Ah, parson! the wicked stand on slippery places." "Yes, deacon," said the ready pastor, "I see they do."

A minister at a colored wedding, wishing to make some humorous remarks, said: "On such occasions as this it is customary to kiss the bride, but in this case we will omit the kiss. The brilliant remark the indignant bridegroom very pertinently replied, "On such occasions as this it is customary to give the minister \$10, but in this case we will omit the \$10."

Here is the way they do things in Indiana: Within five months the Rev. Mr. Brock buried his wife, engaged himself to three women, married one of them, was sued for breach of promise by one of the others, got a divorce and married the one who sued him for the breach of promise, was sued by an ecclesiastical court and was suspended from conference, then went and joined the Campbellite church, and he and his third wife were both baptized.

A guest at a hotel in Belfast, Maine, called on the U. S. A. dinner, was stripped of his coat and, accompanied by his wife, entered the dining-room in his shirt sleeves. A waiter brought a hot water bottle, which he regarded curiously, and then laid it down. Pretty soon another bill of fare was placed in his plate. Then a waiter placed a hot water bottle on the table. "I didn't come here to read show bills. I came after some dinner."

We often read of instances of extraordinary presence of mind; but one occurred the other day. A wide-headed instrument of nearly two inches growth and with throbbing heart and bated breath introduced a good share of its length into an appropriate portion of the deceased. What the surface of the needle really indicated was not learned, as he took it with him as he passed through the sash. — Exchange.

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