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Just a Little Too Funny.

HOW & CINCINNATI HUMORIST LOST & VALU-ABLE WATCH.

"I remember a friend of mine," said 'Squire Johnson to the delegate, "who considered himself funny. He went to a prominent jeweler on Fourth street and purchased a watch for \$50, receiving a written guarantee that the watch would keep good time for a year. If the watch failed the money was to be refunded.

"Well, my friend was called to Europe soon after that and spent several months traveling about various parts of the earth. and it happened that he returned to Cincinati on the very day the guarantee on his watch expired. Asking me to accompany him, we went to the jewelry store, and calling out the proprietor, my friend laid down the guarantee, which the jeweler read, and then expressed himself ready to fufiti his contract. The watch was placed upon the counter and was found to be just one-half minute too fast.

The jeweler placed it carefully in drawer and going to his safe counted out five crisp ten dollar bills and passed them to my friend with a smile.

"Yes, but I don't want the money." stammered; 'give me back my watch. It was only meant as a little pleasantry.'

"I have complied with my contract," replied the jeweler, "and I only meant a little business,"

"But I must have that watch,' said the thoroughly disconcerted funny man.

"Well," replied the jeweler, proceeding with his work. 'I consider a watch that varies only one-half of a minute in a year worth more than \$50. I will sell you the watch for \$100."

So chagrined that he hardly knew what he was doing, my facetious friend paid over the \$100 and pocketed the watch.

"When you need another good watch give me a call,' said the jeweler, merrily, as we took our departure.

"Well, do you know I have never heard of that fellow doing a funny thing since."- Cincinnati Times-Star.

Manners' Double Extract Sarsaparilla for Catarrh is and always will be a leader, as its curative powers cannot be beat; price 50c a bottle. For sale by all drug-

Mrs. Janet Midgley, mother of Mr. Midgley, of the Worsted Mill, died on the the 18th inst, aged nearly 80 years. She was buried on Tuesday afternoon, the services being held at the Episcopal church. Mrs. Midgley was born in the county of Yorkshire, England.

Married.

In Danville, at the residence of the bride, on Monday, Jan. 12, 1891, by Rev. W. E. Roney, Mr. Glenn A. Tubbs of Benton, Col. Co., Pa., to Miss Clara J. Heller of Danville, Pa.

Hands Off.

The railroad bell-rope, which skirts the roof of every passenger car, is consecrated to the use of conductors and other train hands, as is proven by the summary arrest of a traveller in Wilmington last week who had the boldness to touch the signalling string. Levi Barto, of Linwood, Ps., got on a train at Chester, intending to go to Linwood. When he discovered he was aboard an express, which did not stop at that station, he requested the conductor to stop for him. Being refused, Barto jumped up and grasped the signal rope. The conductor, however, caused the train to continue on its course and on reaching Wilmington, he had Barto arrested. The prisoner was finally released on \$100 bail. It is likely that bis offense is punishable under the "malicious mischief" criminal code, which says that if any person shall willfully and maliciously endanger the safety of any person traveling, every such offender shall be guilty of felony, and, being there. of convicted, shall be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding \$10,000 and to undergo an imprisonment, by separate or solitary confinement at labor, not exceeding ten years.

How It Was!

At the battle of Gettysburg I was shot through the left leg and was sent to the hospital. The army surgeons relieved me but pronounced my case incurable. It discharged pieces of bone, and for years I have suffered with a running sore. I tried everything which my limited means would allow, and experienced no relief until I tried Sulphur Bitters. 1 am now almost well and shall continue their use .- Old Soldier. 1-16 St.

Washingtonville Fair-

The Northern Montour County Agricultural Society held their annual meet. ing January 12th 1891 and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Charles E. Shires ; Treasurer, Amandus L. Heddens.

It was decided to hold the next an

Wilkes-Barre & Western Railway

The annual report of the Company for 1890 shows an increase in net earnings of thirty-three per cent, over the previous year.

The interest on the outstanding bonds was paid and new equipment was added to the line. The road is in operation from Watsontown, on the Philadelphia and Eric Division Penesylvanta Railroad, to Rohrsburg, Columbia county. Construction work is in progress on the ex tension to Orangeville, where a connection with the Bloomsburg & Sullivan railroad will be made.

The following were elected directors for the ensuing year; Hon. Joseph M. Gazzam, president, Philadelphia; Chas. D Barney, Philadelphia; F. W. Kennedy Philadelphia; Morris Liveright, Philadelphis; 5W. C. Dearmond, Philadelphis; \$7050.59, leaving a balance in the Max Bamberger, Philadelphis; John B. treasurer's hands of \$740.59. The Stetson, Philadelphis; Charles Raht, New York; R. T. McCabe, New York.

S. H. Hicks was continued as general manager and superintendent, and Kobert reduced \$1569.34. C. Bellyille secretary and treasurer.

His Ignorance Cost Me \$150.00!

I was sick abed for three months. The dector said I had Prolapsus Uteri, which was untrue. lie didn't try to cure me but wanted to make a \$1.50 every day. My uncle is a druggist, and he told me to turn the doctor off and try Sulphur Bitters. I did so and five dollars worth of Sulphur Bitters cured me of general weakness and debility .-- Mrs. S ---- , New 1-16-2w Haven,

Maj.-Gen. B. F. Butler.

HE WILL RETURN TO THE SOUTH FOR THE FIRST TIME SINCE THE WAR.

It seems hardly necessary to say anything of the history of Gen. B. F. Butler. No man in the whole nation has been more constantly in the public eye for the last four decades than he. As a successful lawyer and influential politician before the war, as a patriot who was among the first to respond to the country's call at the firing upon Fort Sumpter, as the man who gave New Orleans the best government the city ever bad, as Commander of the Army of the James, as a Representative in Congress and a leading politician since the war, he has had public attention constantly focused upon him. No man in the country has received more praise and more abuse than he, and no man has more warm, personal friends and admirers. Many of the people of the South have been particularly bitter against him, and have tried to make his name the synonym for all that was detestable. He is now about to return good for evil, and heap coals of fire upon the heads of his detractors by a great enterprise to help restore prosperity to the region which suffered so severely from the ravages of the war. He is at the head of the great Geor gis-Alabama Investment and Development Co., whose

advertisement appears elsewhere in this paper, which is made up of capitalists whom he has associated with himself in a scheme to rebuild and develop large portions of Dixle. Early next month he intends to make a tour of the South, visiting that section for the first time since the close of the war-twenty-six years ago. He will go to New Orleans, and to all other prominent points, and survey the fields of operations of this company carefully, to inform himself personally as to the possibilities of each locality. There is something phenomenal in such a tour by a general whose first visit was sword in hand, but who now goes as a restorer. It will be watched with great interest by all sections of the country .- National Tribune, Washington, D. C. 1-16-4 .

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria, When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria, When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

The financial statement of the Columbia County Agricultural Society for the year ending January 1, 1891, shows the total receipts for the year to be \$7791.18. There were 18, 992 tickets sold at 25 cents, and 286 tickets at 18 cents. amounting to \$4799.48. The premiums paid were \$2495.08; salaries, \$710; bonds paid, \$2000; the total expenses were assets of the society are \$1027.93 outside of real estate. The liabilities are \$5000. During last year the debt was

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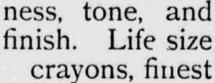
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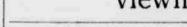
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FINANCIAL BAROMETER.

There is no better barometer of the financial situation than a business house which deals only in the luxuries of life. Notwithstanding the cry of the stringency of the money market, and the recent announcement of the failure of some well known firms and financial institutions. Bailey, Banks & Biddle, the widely known jewelry house of Philadelphia, state that the past Christmas season has been the greatest of their years of prosperity. It was, they say, the largest business

in their sixty years' experience.

There were more persons in the store in December, and more goods were sold than in any December in the history of the store.

"It leads them all," is the general reply of druggists when asked about the merit or sales of Hood's Sarsaparilla.

The following letters are held at the Bloomsburg, Pa. post office and will be sent to the dead letter office Feb 3, 1891. Miss Clars A. Dawson, Mr. Elijah Fowler, Mrs. Mary E. Smith, Miss Lida Thomas, Eph Yohe.

Persons calling for these letters will please say they were advertised Jan. 20, 1891.

One cent will be charged on each letter advertised. A. B. CATHCART, P. M.

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SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

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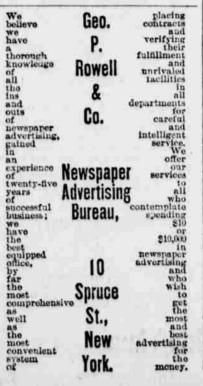
PINE RIDGE AGENCY, Jan 18 .- At noon, yesterday, General Miles sent a message to the hostile camp asking for a conference council with the principal chiefs. There was an immediate response. Among the chiefs were Two Strikes, Short Bull, Eagle Pipe, Crow Dog, Big Turkey, Black Robe, Kicking Bear, Iron Foot and Man Raised Above. The chiefs were Brules and when the subject of returning to their agency at Rosebud was broached they said they were in favor of returning if the military man should be placed over them as agent. Captain Lee, Ninth infantry, who was recommended by General Miles as agent for the agency in question expressed the hope that he would be al-lowed to take hold of the agency in question. After a little more parlying, Big Robe stood up and solemnly and dramatically proclaimed himself in favor of peace, at the same time he asked those who wished to join him in restoring peace and working for the prosperity of their people to raise their right hand towards heaven. Immediately every right hand in the gathering was raised on high and with a general shaking of hands the confer-ence came to a close. There are no lights in the hostile camp to night. Everything is quiet. The Indians seem to be in favor of redeeming the pledges they made to General Miles.

Leading physicians recommend Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Old and young take it with porfect safety. It cleanses the plood, strengthens the nerves, and vitaof tonic alteratives.

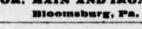
of this kind we discover remnants that were overlooked hitherto. They are all firstclass goods, and must go to make room for Spring stock.

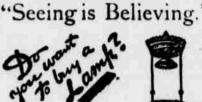
The only thing you need con-cern yourself about is, will the room fit the paper. Our announcement last year brought purchasers more than we could supply; but then there is the regular stock to fall back on, always fresh and clean and new. Our wall paper busi-ness is one of the growing departments of our trade. We are anxious for your trade. We will be glad to furnish estimates and guarantee work first-class.

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