

EVERLASTING FIRE.

How the Parson Lost His Klondike Flock.

"It appears to me," remarked the Rev. Mr. Tender Foot to one of his parishioners, "that there has been a sudden falling off in the attendance at our place of worship. Have you any idea as to what may be the cause of this defection?"

PAT AND THE ADMIRAL

Or How a Situation Was Saved by Irish Wit.

A strict rule promulgated by every successive commandant at the Navy Yard prohibits smoking on Mare Island under the most stringent penalties.

WHISTLED ANNIE LAURIE.

He Then Proceeded to Clean Out the Clinic.

Dr. Edward Ricketts, of Cincinnati, is one of the largest men physically and mentally in the Southern Surgical and Gynecological Association.

A Minister's Trials.

This narrative from a minister is of greatest value to those whose nerves are unstrung, health shattered or otherwise ailing.

"We are living too fast. 'Fast as lightning,' expresses it, for we talk by electricity, cook by electricity, travel by electricity and so on.

Fine PHOTO-GRAPHS and CRAYONS at McKillip Bros., Bloomsburg.

The best are the cheapest.



TID-BITS FOR MA' HONEY! and tender little juicelets for the children, are all right, but papa and 'the boys' want a good, juicy steak.

A Klondike Episode. Frost-Bitten Pete was lounging in a corner of the bar of the Glazier House, taking no interest in the jollification that was in progress.

The Champion Snorer.



"Ain't you afraid your house on Madison avenue will be robbed while you are away?"

Advertisement for SANDY CATHARTIC Cascarets, Cure Constipation, Regulate the Liver. Includes a logo and product details.

"The best is, aye, the cheapest." Avoid imitations of and substitutes for SAPOLIO

STOVE NAPHTHA, the Cheapest and Best Fuel on the market. With it you can run a Vapor Stove for one-half cent per hour.

McCLURE'S MAGAZINE FOR THE COMING YEAR.

Some Notable Features: CHAS. A. DANA'S REMINISCENCES, ANTHONY HOPE'S NEW ZENDA NOVEL, EDISON'S LATEST ACHIEVEMENT, THE CUSTER MASSACRE, MARK TWAIN'S ADVENTURE, NANSEN'S ILLUSTRATIONS.

THE MARKETS.

Table listing market prices for various goods including Butter, Eggs, Lard, Ham, Pork, Beef, Wheat, Oats, Rye, Flour, Hay, Potatoes, Turnips, Onions, Sweet potatoes, Tallow, Shoulder, Side meat, Vinegar, Dried apples, Dried cherries, Raspberries, Cow Hides, Steer, Calf Skin, Sheep pelts, Shelled corn, Corn meal, Bran, Chop, Middlings, Chickens, Turkeys, Geese, Ducks, and Coal.

Wants His Leg Back. After thirty years of hobbling about the world on crutches, General Daniel E. Sickles is about to petition the Government for him to give back to him his leg.

He Couldn't be Discouraged.

Comedian Jimmy Cook, the clever vaudeville artist, is a native of this city, born and raised on the West Side.

He Lost It in "Bloody Angle." At Gettysburg, it found its way by devious ways into the Army Museum at Washington.

Hired Him Over Again.

The following story from the St. Louis Globe Democrat illustrates several things: When J. W. Sherwood, now general superintendent of the Clover Leaf, was superintendent of the Big Four, he had to discharge a brakeman for violation of rules.

Blacked with the erosion of years, stripped down to the bare and shattered bones, it hangs on two brass rods, cheek by jowl with the articulated skeleton of a walrus.

Too Grand for His Taste. After the failure of Le Grand B. Lockwood, some years ago, his magnificent place at Stamford, including furniture and fixtures, was advertised for sale.

Sewed Up for the Winter.

Teachers in the public schools of a large city hear many stories, some of them amusing, some of them pathetic.

The Discovery of Gold

Measures are being taken to make the parade of the golden jubilee, celebrating the discovery of gold in California, the finest pageant ever seen on this coast.

A Monster Gun.

They are now building a gun for Uncle Sam which will weigh 126,000 tons and will cost \$250,000.

Advertisement for The Leading Conservatory of America, New England Conservatory of Music, Boston, Mass.

NEW DINING ROOMS.

A LARGE and well furnished dining room has been opened by HARRY AURAND, on the second floor of his restaurant.

Advertisement for Johnson's Belladonna Plaster, featuring an illustration of a person applying the plaster.

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