SONG OF BALDHEADED MAN.

Great Caesar's classic head was bare,

Great Caesar's classic nead was one And likewise Socrates'; Peter and Paul were forced to wear Thin capillary fleeces; Shakespeare, earth's literary king, And Johnson, Pope and Gibbon, Being short of hirsute covering Wore wigs tied deft with ribbon.

But Acham, J. Iscarlot,
Ananias (of truth chary),
Herod, the Pharisees I wot,
All sported caputs hairy;
Later came Danton, Robespierre,
And Marat, bloody trio;
Guy Fawkes and Jeffries, Glencoe Stair,
Thick-thatched like fiddling Nero.

Nor will the eye, in sooth, oft see Bald Hottentot or Arab. Baild Hottentot or Arao.

Kamchatkan, aboriginee,
Kurd or man-eating Carli;
Nay, nay, but of the human breed
The greater in earth's story,
Are those who lead in thought and deed
Crowned not with hair, but glory! Monroe Guy Carleton, in N. Y. Sun.

THE NOSE HOLDERS

By T. P. MORGAN

HIRTY-ONE saints in bags. A suffering sinner with a huge spring clothes-pin snapped onto each ear, one on his nose, another on his lower lip, several hanging from his fingers, and twice as many more without places to hang on.

The victim of the clothes-pin was the inventive clerk of the Duffy house. The saints in bags were the 31 most prominent members of Elder Blowhorn's fol-

Besides being clad in bags, the saints were adorned by numerous abrasions and bruises, caused by the events that followed the practical application of the clerk's little invention for causing involuntary snoring.

After prolonged and unique reasoning, the clerk proved to his own satisfaction that snoring was greatly conducive to the preservation of health. His theory was simple enough, too. From careful observation, he had learned that the more robust the person, the more lusty and resonant was his snore. Weak persons snored in a weak, coy way, as if they had not learned to play on their nose harps very well. But the stalwart ones, strong of wind and sturdy of torso, would utter a few preliminary diapason notes, run up and down the scale a couple of times, and then, striking the proper key, dash into the popular tune "I am dreaming of thee, Nora, darling.

Following out this line of reasoning. the clerk very soon reached the conclusion that, in order for weak ones to become healthier, they must snore If they would not snore, they must be made to.

Ere long, the clerk's little invention for the promotion of involuntary snoring was complete. It was modeled after and very much resembled the pinching variety of clothes-pin, which, when it seizes anything, hangs on with the tenacity of a snapping-turtle.

All that is necessary to make a sleeper snore is to cause him to breathe through his mouth. The idea was that, when one of these nose holders was snapped on the victim's bill, he would either breathe through his mouth or And, if he breathed through his facial gash, he would snore, and the utility of the clerk's little invention would be demonstrated.

So pleased was the clerk with his idea that he constructed nearly half a bushel of nose holders before he made a trial of



HE CLASPED THE COMPRESSOPS ON THE BILLS OF THE SAINTS.

the invention except upon his own nose. where it worked to his intense satisfac tion, and nearly pinched his beak off at the same time

Conceiving the idea that the ordinary springs were too modest in asserting themselves, he substituted springs so strong that it took pronounced pressure upon the opposite ends of the holder to open them for the reception of the waiting proboscis.

For several days before the completion of the invention, the clerk had had his mental vision fixed on the subjects for a wholesale experiment. These were several of the most prominent followers of Elder Blowhorn and the doctrines by him taught at the camp, just out of

By some means, the clerk had learned that, owing to the limited number of sleeping-tents, and the unexpected arrival of a large delegation of believers from other localities, a number of the trethren were obliged to pass the night cots in the large audience tent in which services were held in the day lection of saints the clerk resolved to

Not that they lacked in health or muscularity, for most of them looked as if and dared the supervisor and his as-they had a decided hankering after the sistants to go ahead with their work flesh-pots of Egypt; but because he wanted to ascertain the different effects upon different individuals and noses, and o so that the tension of the springs might grace be increased or diminished to suit all

Several different days had been set guard for some time.

for the end of the world, and they had awaited its coming with all the anxiety felt by spectators around a sick horse. But as each date had failed to witness the interesting event, they grew apprehensive that it might walk in upon them

at any time. All day long their ascension robes hung on handy nails, and at night they slept in them.

In order that the rush of wind, consequent upon so many people going up at once, might not blow their robes up over their heads, the garments were sewed together at the bottom, making of each a long bag with sleeves in it.

When the clerk, with his half-bushel or so of nasal-pinchers, arrived at the big tent, just before midnight, he found 31 saints sleeping within, each in his ascension bag, and with his face upturned to the dim light of the solitary lantern. The inventor fairly hugged himself with delight at the flattering prospects of a successful wholesale ex-

As noiselessly as a spook, he tiptoed from cot to cot, clasping the compressors

on the bills of the saints. He had hardly retired to the pulpit, to watch the effects of the experiment, before the inventions began to get in their particularly fine work. The mouths of the sleepers flew open in one grand snore. A moment later, the pinching of his beak aroused one of the more wakeful sleepers, and finding his nose in the grasp of some imaginary demon, he sprang up in affright, tumbled down, and knocked over and extinguished the lantern.

The rumpus aroused the others, who, feeling their beaks in the clutches of something, and thinking that at last the long expected occasion had arrived and Satan was already endeavoring to drag them off, leaped up with loud cries, and endeavored to rush out where they could go straight up without having to cut holes in the tent.

In a moment they were all down, and saints and cots were tangled in inextricable confusion. Then, as it dawned upon each that the object upon his bill was a large clothes-pin, he forgot his desire to ascend in his thirst for re-



IN INEXTRICABLE CONFUSION.

venge. The sewed-up bottoms of their robes prevented their locomotion, and all they could do was to scramble to their feet and tumble down again, fighting all the time like demons in bags. Each thought himself the victim of a joke upon the part of his neighbor, and was fully determined to get even for the unseemly meddling with his sacred

Frightened at the unexpected workings of his inventions, the clerk endeavored to escape in the darkness, but only succeeded in getting into the very midst of the melee, where he speedily found himself beaten and rolled on scandalously.

Two saints, finding that he had not on a robe, held him fast and shouted to the rest, who speedily suspended hostilities. The lantern was relighted, and in spite of the struggles and remon-strances of the inventor he was held by two brothers, while others snapped the nose holders onto his ears, nose, lips

A rope was produced, and, to the clerk's terrified eyes, it seemed as if they were about to hang him. Strengthened by fear, he jerked away from the saints who held him, rushed against and over two of the brethren, and burst headlong through the side of the tent, wholly ignoring the opening provided

As well as they could, the ascensionists hopped and tumbled outside and saw the clerk disappearing with the speed of a quarter-horse and shedding nose pins at every jump.

Presently he went out of sight in the moonlight, in the direction of the Duffy house, and the 31 bagged saints returned to their cots to await the end of the world.-Good Literature.

FLAGS GUARD PROPERTY.

Reading Woman Imitates Barbara Frietchie and Wins Over

Supervisors. Reading, Pa.-Mrs. Marie Wagonorst, of Longswamp, proved herself

Berks county's Barbara Frietchie. "Shoot, if you must, this old gray lead, but the man who takes one of the flags away from the front of my property will run up against a bunch

of trouble.' So, in effect, if not in so many words, said Mrs. Wagonhorst when Supervisor Fegley attempted to open gutter in front of her dwelling.

No sooner had the official staked out a line for a new gutter in front of the building than she secured American flags and stuck them in the ground along the line.

She then procured a shotgun and she took up a position on her porch he After a long parley they gathered to will hatch into larva.—Farm Journal gether the implements of their trade and decamped with more haste than

Though the field of battle had been



DETECTING FORMALDEHYDE.

This Preservative Has a Tendency to Disappear from Milk in Which It Has Been Placed.

When samples of milk have been

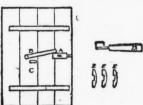
were supposed to be pre-

served with formaldehyde, they have sometimes been left for a long time before being examined by the chemists, at which examination they were found to contain no evidences of formaldehyde. The man from whom these samples were obtained was thus exonerated. It now appears, however, says the Farmers' Review, that the authorities have sometimes erred in their conclusions for it is now fully demonstrated that formaldehyde has a constant tendency to disappear, although this disappearance is slow. When a very small amount is used, it disappears so rapidly from the milk that its dimunition is noticeable within six hours. In some experiments made at the Pennsylvania station, formaldehyde added to milk in the proportion of one part of formalde-hyde to 10,000 parts of milk disappeared entirely in five days. When the amount was increased ten times the disappearance was very slow, and by the twenty-fifth day the formaldehyde had only partially disappeared. As might be expected, the disappearance was more rapid at high than at low temperatures. This should be a lesson to experts to hermetically seal all vessels containing samples of milk that are to be tested for use in legal

A GOOD BARN DOOR LATCH

One of Simple and Easy Construction Which Will Serve as Well as a More Expensive One.

There is always need of having a good fastener on barn and crib doors, says the Drovers' Journal. There are a good many different kinds made and



THE LATCH IN PLACE.

SAINTS AND COTS WERE TANGLED sold, but a simple and easily constructed one is shown in the cut. The picture shows the inside of the door. A is the latch, B the piece that drops down and unlocks it when it is punched forward by means of a pin which fits in the latch in the ordinary way; D is the key and C the keyhole EEE are the wooden pieces in which the latch works. This latch could be made with a very few tools and will do the work.

HEN FOOD MASHER.

One That Will Do Good Work in Preparing the Potatoes and Meal for Feeding.

Cut a round stick three feet long just blg enough to clasp handily with your fingers. Cut a block 20 inches long, five inches wide and three inches thick.



HEN FOOD MASHER.

Nail the round stick or handle securely to the flat side of the block ten inches from the bottom, as shown in the cut, explains the Farm and Home. This masher is complete and will be found durable and satisfactory. A shingle will clean off the masher after using. I boil large kettles of potatoes, turn nto half a barrel nut in the nec quantity of meal and with this masher the food is ready for the hens or hogs

EEE AND HEN LORE.

Look out for mice getting into the eehives during the winter.

As soon as there is fair prospect that nard winter weather is passed, move colonies to the summer stands.-Farm

Take the country over, the barred Plymouth Rock seems to be far in the lead in general popularity.—Midland Farmer

The beginner should remember that starting with a flock of dunghills is like cutting a tree with a dull ax. In your efforts to improve the flock ion't overlook the fact that a poorly bred thoroughbred is worse than a

scrub.—Michigan Farmer.
Examine on the first fair day, after they have had a good flight, to ascer tain the amount of bees and stores and to know if they have a queen They should be supplied with combs of honey if lacking in stores; united with others, if queenless.-Farm Journal.

To Protect Empty Comb.

To protect empty combs from the moth larva, place them where they will get a good freezing during winter. Without exception, nearly all empty combs will be found to contain moth aggs in autumn. If combs are kept in

If you "na a new bug or worm feasting on any of your belongings, lose no time in finding out what it is and if it's harmful. It might be stamped Mrs. Wagonhorst remained on out if taken at the start.—B. L. P.

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