-In Bridgeport, Connecticut, on the morning of the 21st, two burglars broke into the store of Benjamin Betts, and one of them was passing goods out to his companion, when Mr. Betts, who had been aroused by a burglar connecting the store with his residence, appeared on the scene with a neighbor named Hayes. The burglars warned them to keep away, on penalty of having their heads blown off, and at the the same time commenced throwing articles within reach at Betts and his friend. The two latter discharged shot guns at the burglars, and one of them. being wounded in the head and neck, and beaten on the head with the butt of a gnn, was captured. The other escaped. The captured burglar gave the name of William Carey.

-Forty-three new cases of yellow fever and one death were reported on the 22d, in Jacksonville, making a total to date of 3839 cases and 332 deaths. Of the new cases, only six were white. One new case and two deaths are reported in Decatur, Alabama. The Board of Health of Col-ton, shelter, clothing or fuel. "Many cases are described of naked women umbus, Georgia, on the 22d, raised the yellow fever quarantine against all points.

-All the persons arrested on suspicion of having murdered Paymaster McClure and Flanagan, his assistant, near Wilkesbarre, Penna., on Friday last, have been released. Suspicion has been directed to several persons, and rumor says that arrests will be made. A reward of \$2000 has been offered, and an effort will be made to increase this sum to \$5000 by popular subscription.

-There was a heavy snow storm in northern Minnesota on the 21st. At Tower the snow is 13 inches deep, and in the woods back of Eli, it lies 12 inches on the level. There was no wind and no drifting. In northern Iowa there were slight flurries of snow, but at no point is the depth reported more than two inches, and that is melting. Some snow fell in central Minnesota and northern Dakota on the 20th, but it melted almost as soon as it fell. A light snow fell at Omaha, Nebraska, on the afternoon and evening of the 21st. At no time was the ground covered, as the particles melted as soon as they fell. Advices from points along the Missouri river show that the storm was general. At Nebraska City the fall was heavy. A tornado on the 22d devastated the Felicite plantation in St. James Parish, Louisiana. A house on the plantation

-A despatch from St. Louis says that two soldiers at Jefferson Barracks, under arrest for desertion, escaped on the evening of the 20th, after making a deadly assault on Sentries Kennedy and Welch. The deserters were Thomas F. Lynch and a recruit named McCurdy. Sentry Kennedy was cut down with an axe in the hands of Lynch, while McCurdy beat Welch into insensibility with the butt end of a revolver. It is thought the sentries will die. It has just been discovered in Fort Ripley, Minnesota, that a Ger man named Zeigler, who lived near that place, was shot and killed on October 2 by Frank Reynolds, aged 16 years, who had a grudge against

-Two colored men were discovered by policemen in Washington, about 3 o'clock on the morning of the 22d. carrying a bag between them. As soon as they saw the policemen they dropped the bag and fled, their flight being hastened by several bullets fired after When the bag was opened it was found to contain the body of Charles L. Nolen, a well-known colored barber, who was buried on the 17th.

-While a freight train was standing on the main track of the Burlington Railroad at Kenesaw, Nebraska, on the 22d, the engine of another freight train crushed into the caboose, completely wrecking the first twain and the engine of the second, and instantly killing George A. Pritchard, of Denver, and Robert Bean, of Meeker, Colorado, and seriously wounding two others who were asleep in the caboose.

-Henry Shaffer, his sons Henry and Percival, and his stepson David Nimik, were killed by a locomotive while Omaha, on the evening of the 21st. Thomas Rowe and A. McLenig, who were also in the wagon, suffered dangerous, if not fatal, injuries, Albert Fawcett and John Epler, each about near Altoona, Penna., on the 23d. A strain on the Boston and Albany Railroad struck and killed Elliott Walker, aged 65 years, at West Natick, Massachusetts, on the 231. Noah Jagoe, on the 22d, fatally shot Miss Ella Green. in Owensboro, Kentucky, to whom he was engaged to be married. claims that it was an accident. "From the fact that he tried to stab her a short time ago, and had been quarrelling with her about receiving other company, he is suspected of shooting with intent to kill,"

-Engineers Cook and Major, Conmanslaughter, and were taken to cago on the evening of the 24th, over Mauch Chunk. Warrants have also the Michigan Southern Railroad, was The Coroner's jury which investigated the recent railroad accident at Washington, Penna., placed the responsibility for the disaster upon Conductor Heck, of the shifting engine, and charged him with involuntary manslaughter in causing the deaths of Engineer Noonan and Fireman McAu-The testimony showed that he had ordered the switch to be opened, and then failed to see that it was closed. Edward Boon, the new switch hand, who opened the switch, was condemned for gross negligence.

-Charles R. Ebann, a clerk in the

-- O. C. Lomsdalen, one of the best known farmers in the vicinity of Fergus Falls, Minnesota, has left the country. His liabilities are estimated has been arrested on the charge of appropriating about \$1800 of the county funds, during his term of office in 1884. On the night of May 14, 1884, Shaver was found bound and gagged in his office, and he declared he had been robbed of \$4000. His story was not generally believed, and the present arrest is the result of investigations that have since been made. A wholesale system of freight robbery has been discovered on the Mexican Central Railroad, and it is believed the loss to the company will reach \$50,000.

-The sufferers in Ramsey county, Dakota, are Polish Jews, who, two years ago, formed a settlement about 18 miles from Devil's Lake. The settlement comprises 70 families, numbering 238 souls. Their crops were entirely destroyed by an untimely frost in August, and they are now without and children existing in frost and snow." Food, clothing and money are urgently asked for.

-H. G. Farnham, traveling sales-man for a Philadelphia clothing house, was arrested in North Adams, Massachusetts, on the charge of attempting to pass a forged check for \$35.

-A fast freight train on the Erie Railroad ran into the rear of another freight near Ottsville, New York, on the morning of the 24th. George McMullen, a brakeman, was killed, and three other trainmen were badly injured. Before a flagman could be sent forward a passenger train dashed into the wreck. Two engines and a dozen freight-cars were demolished. No passengers were hurt. An express train an the Old Colony Railroad was switched upon a side-track at Howland Station, Massachusetts, on the morning of the 24th, and collided with a train standing on the siding. Two persons were slightly hurt, and the engines were wrecked.

-John Weisman, aged 28 years, committed suicide at his home, near Shelburne, Massachusetts, on the evening of the 23d. About six months ago he was married to a Philadelphia girl in answer to an advertisement. The girl's name was Emma Craven, and it is stated that her parents did not consent to the marriage. Mrs. Weisman states that her husband got out of bed during the night, saying that he was going to shoot a cat. She afterward heard him open a window down stairs, heard a shot and later found him dead. Stephen Sappington, a firmer and cheese manufacturer, of lafayette, Indiana, committed suicide on the morning of

-Mrs. Julia Therkeles, aged 36, and show. The Chief Marshal, William by one of them blizzards, which is the Placing one hand on either side of the rap at No. 28. her daughter, aged 14 years, were Parker, informed the doorkeeper. An terror of the hardy navigator in those abdomen, above the hips, the amma "It's four of the hardy navigator in those abdomen, above the hips, the amma "It's four of the hardy navigator in those abdomen, above the hips, the amma "It's four of the hardy navigator in those abdomen, above the hips, the amma the hardy navigator in those abdomen, above the hips, the amma the hardy navigator in those abdomen, above the hips, the amma the hardy navigator in those abdomen, above the hips, the amma the hardy navigator in those abdomen, above the hips, the amma the hardy navigator in those abdomen, above the hips, the amma the hardy navigator in those abdomen, above the hips, the amma the hardy navigator in those abdomen, above the hips, the amma the hardy navigator in those abdomen, above the hips, the amma the hardy navigator in those abdomen, above the hips, the amma the hardy navigator in those abdomen, above the hips, the amma the hardy navigator in those abdomen, above the hips, the amma the hardy navigator in those abdomen, above the hips, the amma the hardy navigator in those abdomen, above the hips, the amma the hardy navigator in t burned to death by a fire in a shanty, altercation ensued, in which pistols and regions where they have the equator compresses the body laterally a number in forty minutes." at Lexington, Missouri, on the morning of the 23d. The house of Frederick Mast, near Michigan City, Indiana, was burned on the 22d, and his Mast was badly burned, as was also an nfant which she rescued.

-Robert Elder, who shot and killed were found in their home in Cincinnati his wife, and then cut his own throat.

Jealousy is the supposed cause. -On the 23d yellow fever report from Jacksonville shows 33 new cases and 1 death. Fourteen new cases of yellow fever are reported in Fernandina. One new case was reported on the 23d, in Decatur, Alabama.

-Thirty-one new cases of yellow fever and four deaths were reported on the 24th, in Jacksonville. Twenty cases of the disease have occurred in Enterprise since last June, with three deaths, and there are now six cases of the disease there. There were 14 new cases of yellow fever at Fernandina on crossing a railroad in a wagon near the 24th. There was one death from yellow fever, but no new cases in Decatur, Alabama, on the 24th.

-A despatch from San Francisco says that while Joaquin Miller was shooting quail on the 22d, his horse 16 years, were killed in a freight wreck jumped and a bullet went through his left hand. It missed the bones and only made a flesh wound. The only danger is from lockjaw. George Johnston and William Akin were killed by the fall of a large stone in a quarry at Elliottsville, Indiana, on the 22d.

-J. R. Rambo, the missing ex-Register of Wills, of Norristown, has been in Harrisbug since the 22d. He returned home on the 25th. He is said to be mentally unsound. W. H. English, a trusted employe of the St. Louis Steel Range Company, in St. Louis, has been arrested for embezzlement. The amount known to have been taken is ductors Terry and Keithline and James | \$600. English, who had access to the Hannigan, a brakeman, who were mail, opened letters containing money found guilty of negligence by the and checks from customers, appropri-Coroner's jury investigating the Mud ating the funds and forwarding re-Run disaster, were arrested in Wilkes- ceipts. The mail pouch which left barre, Pa., on the 23d, on a charge of Boston on the 23d and arrived in Chibeen issued for the arrest of John robbed of all the first-class mail mat-Mulhearn and Joseph Pohl, lookouts, ter it contained, The stolen package consisted of registered letters and the supposition is that the thief obtained a large amount of money.

-It is said that wolves and coyotes are doing great damage in Northern Montana, having killed in the last few days many hundred of sheep and colts, besides attacking travellers. The Territorial Veterinarian, Mr. Parsons, who has just returned to Helena from Cheautau county, reports that Charles Adams was compelled to fly from the are dangerouly sick. beasts on the evening of the 22d, when they destroyed 80 of his thoroughbred bucks. On the evening of the 23d 150 mailing department of the Post-office sheep were killed in one flock, and also at Boston, was arrested on the 22d for 30 colts belonging to another ranchstealing letters. He confessed his man. The bounty law was repealed at one death in Decatur, Alabama on the last session of the Legislature.

-At Carlisle, Penna., on the 25th, the Coroner's jury in the case of the recent collision on the Cumberland Valley Railroad, near Shippensburg, at \$50,000. He disposed of all his grain by which one person was killed and and live stock at a sacrifice prior to his afteen others were injured, rendered departure. Albert A. Shaver, ex-the following verdict: "That the death Treasurer of Clare county, Michigan, of Charles Bitner was due to the inof Charles Bitner was due to the in- the gas. juries he received on October 18, 1888, by the east and west bound trains, Nos. 9 and 14, colliding on the Cumberland Valley Railroad one and one-half miles east of Shippensburg; that said disaster was caused by the forgetfulness, refusal or neglect of Conductor George W. Bowman and Engineer Jacob Fuller to hold their train at Shippensburg for further orders and in their failure so to observe the rules and regulations of said railroad company in proceeding on their way contrary to orders received from the Superintendent's office at Chambersburg."

-Seventy-one new cases of yellow fever and two deaths were reported on the 25th in Jacksonville. There are nine sick at Enterprise, six of them in a critical condition. There were 16 new cases of yellow fever at Fernandina on the 25th, but no deaths.

-Thomas Douglass Hoxsey, Paymaster in the United States Navy, committed sulcide on the eyening of the 24th, in Paterson, New Jersey, by shooting himself in the head. About two years ago his wife died. Since then he had been despendent. Relatives and friends think the shooting was accidental. On the morning of the 24th, Mrs. Margaret Brown left her then?" home in Boston with her youngest child, aged 18 months, leaving word that she intended to make away with herself and baby. She has not been heard of since.

-Baggage Master Sanborn, who on the 24th, caused the collision of trains at Howlands Station, Massachusetts, went to the Old Colony station, in Boston, on the 25th, and told the Master of Transportation that he misplaced the switch through excitement, caused by being shouted at.

-It was reported in Wilkesbarre, Penna., on the 25th, that school boys had found McClure's satchel in the woods, near the spot where he was murdered. It contained some silver. While engaged in a game of cards in Thompsonville, Ill., on the evening of the 24th, Warren Jordan shot and killed John Davis, Charles Davis, a brother to the murdered man, killed Jordan with a hatchet. As George Purdy was going along the road near Lebanon, Indiana, on the evening of the 24th, shouting for Harrison, some unknown persons drove up behind him and opened fire, killing him instantly. Thomas Watson, a half-breed Mexican. murdered Maggie Smith and then committed suicide, at Deer Lodge, Montana, on the 25th. there ain't no muskeeters, I can sleep. The couple had been living together till breakfast every time. I remember and quarreled. At Robinson's circus,

-David Veator, a bartender in Colhis father in Hammonton, New Jer- fax, Wyoming Territory, shot and sey, last August, was on the 24th con- killed his wife on the evening of the victed of murder in the first degree. 25th, and then killed himself. Jeal-John Downey shot and killed William ousy was the cause of the tragedy. Moore in Elizabethtown, Illinois, on David Sellers and wife, living near the 23d. They quarrelled over a game | Mount Gilead, Ohio, were murdered of cards. John Schaller and his wife on the morning of the 26th, and the house fired to hide the evidence of the on the evening of the 24th with their crime. Sellers was known to carry throats cut. Schaller evidently killed large sums of money on his person. There is no clue to the murderer. Ephraim Mayes was hanged on the 26th, at Elgefield, South Carolina, for the murder, in December last, of Jacob Burt, an aged deaf mute. He confessed his crime on the scaffold. Burt's the crime, and was sentenced to be hanged with Mayes, but the Governor pardoned the daughter, and commuted the wife's sentence to imprisonment for life.

-A passenger train on the Kentucky Central Railroad jumped the track near Paris, Kentucky, on the 25th, Engineer Robert Black jumped and was fatally injured, as was also Elmer D. Ryan, a passenger, who was on the platform. John Ryap and J. J. Allen, both train hands, were badly hurt. Two trains collided near San Jose, Illine's, on the 25th. Fireman Baum was killed and Engineer Foote badly hurt. Both locomotives and 17 cars were destroyed.

-Miss Mazle Mount, 21 years old, committed suicide at the Conservatory half a dozen years. I think it gets betof Music in Cincinnati on the 26th. A | ter and sweder the longer you keep it. dose of morphine was unsuccessful, I have another kind of cider you may owing to prompt medical attendance, so she cut her throat with a razor. A love affair is supposed to have been the the innkeeper fished out from the cause of the act.

county, Penna., was killed on the bore such marks of age as would have Lehigh Valley Railroad, near Gien made the mouth of an epicurean wine-Onoko, on the evening of the 25th. He was on his way home from a visit | The cork came out with a mighty pop, to a patient, and it is supposed that and a fine spray filled the air with mist while walking on the track he stepped and the aromatic fragrance of chamout of the way of one train directly in | pagne. front of another. His dead body was found by a brakeman between the tracks, his cane, broken in two, being sparkling fluid. The tourist needed no near by. Dr. Leonard was 65 years of | urging He was a member of the Carbon Medical Association, National Medical neither is it clampagne, exactly. What Association of the United States, and do you call it?" one of the consulting surgeons of St. Luke's Hospital, Bethlehem.

—A family of eight persons sat down to a supper in celebration of a wedding of George Martin, in Minneapolis, on the evening of the 25th, After swallowing a few morsels sank to the floor, with systoms of polsoning, the victims including the groom and bride. It is supposed a rival of Martin poisoned the food. At last accounts all

—There were 23 new cases and 2 "In deaths from yellow fever in Jacksonville tourist. on the 26th. The number of cases to date is 3997, and deaths 341. There was one new case of yellow fever and

-Mrs. Henrietta Spere, aged 78 years, and Mrs. Martha Beckel, aged 65, were found suffocated to death on the morning of the 26th, in their room in the German Home for the Aged, in Baltimore. It is supposed Mrs. Beckel who was ignorant of its use, blew out

-Albert D. Stickney was found dead in bed in the Everett House; in Troy, New York, on the 26th, It is thought he had been dead two days when found. Death was caused by hemorrhage of the lungs.

HE WAS A SEA CAPTAIN.

Natural Hallucination of a Man Who "Was Half Seas Over."

"Can't a feller wait for his ship?" said a man with red eyes and seedy clothes, as he steadled himself against one of the stone posts on the sea wall along the Battery in New York. He addressed a policeman who was watching him closely. "Can't he wait till his ship is ready to pull out?"

"Yes," said the officer, in a tone as if it depended on circumstances. "Can't he linger where the waves dash high, till the tide is right to h'ist his ship over the break water?" "Yes, if he's quiet about it."

"Can't the captain of a big eightmast ship with two bow-sticks on her rest in your park till they send the starboard schooner to take him off?" "You are a captain of a vessel,

"Yesser, that's it. See her tied up over there toward that 'ere big statute. See the masts on her, and the fo'castle sticking up'n the air like a church steeple? That's my ship. I'm goin' on t'her jest as soon as they come to take me off in the bulkhead. Lemme rest in your park till they pull up here to this stone sidewalk with the for'ard bulkhead."

"All right; but you mustn't holler," "Nary yell-'tain't the way of seafarin' men. I've follered the sea for forty years, podner. As soon as they row me out in the lighter we will weigh the anchor, and if she seems to be 'bout the right heft we'll sail away to Greenland's icy mount'ins and India's Coral sands. We'll hist the rest of the masts and sail away past Coney Island and Cuby and all them places, while the stormy petrel and the albacrossers and flyin' fish dash around us, Ev'ry morning, podner, we'll weigh the anchor to see if it's gainin' any." "How long did you say you had been

sailor?" asked the officer. "I've trod the deck for forty years. Give me a wet sheet and a flowin' sea and a wind that follers fast, and if the rest of the bedclothes are moderately dry and the piller comfortable and once when I was sailing my good ship in Mt. Vernon, Kentucky, on the off the coast of Giberalter with the barometer, box up the compass and heave overboard the log and lighten the ship a little; lower the hold down

the batch ways before \_\_\_\_ ' " "Come, that will do-move on!" "In jess a minute I was standin' by the larboard side and then I walks over to port, and--"

"Move on!" "Then I goes along for ard of the flyin' jibboom, and--" .Gitl"

Cider in Various Forms.

"Sweet cider? Yes sir. Here you

are. A tourist was spending a day in a wife and daughter were implicated in primitive New Jersey hamlet, and inquired at the village inn for a glass of that famous Jersey beverage. "That's good. Just made, wasn't

> "Lemmesee. John, when was this der made?" John repiled from the lower end of the room that it was made a little over two years ago.

"Guess your right, John," returned the innkeeler. You ought to know, as you put it ap yourself." "How did you manage to keep it

sweet so long?" "Easy etough, I put into a barrel of sweet cider a quart of milk, about a half a pint of mustard seed-the black seed-and ax egge. Mix them all up together and pour them in the barrel. Cider will keep sweet that way for a

want to taste. The tourlst did want to taste it, and gloomy and cobwebby depth of a sub--Dr. Robert Leonard, of Carbon counter closet, a quart bottle which bibber water with anticipated delight.

> "Try a glass of that," said the innkeeper, as he filled two glasses with the

"Why, that dosn't taste like cider,

"How did you make it?" "I bottled it three days ago. It was fresh, sweet, strained cider then. I put in each bottle a couple of raisins and a small lump of rock candy, and if you can find any champagne that will beat that I will buy a thousand cases

of it. "I should think it could be sold in some country places for champagne?"
"I've sold a good many hundred bottles of it.

"In what country town?" asked the

"In New York city." A good tomato should not only be sound and solid, but also plump and THE JAPNESE AMMA.

The Artist Who Kneads and Rubs the Muscles.

As I am sitting in my room there comes to my ears sound of a shrill pipe, sounding not unlike a fife. The traveler in Japan, go where he may, almost invariably hears the sound at night. and will be told in answer to his inquir-ies that the performance is a profes-in either 27 or 52." sional shampoogr or amma. Many of these people are blind, and at night pass up and down the streets, feeling their way with long sticks, which they hold in one hand, while with the other hand they play upon the bamboo pipe. which seems to notify the world of their

presence.

The amma is not a shampooer in the American sense of the term. He does not confine his operations to the head | stead. and hair. He practices what is known by the French as the massage. His art the body and bringing them into play, and he is regarded as a useful functionary second only in importance to the physician as a healer of physicial disorders. The art is practiced not only by men, but also by women, and at almost every inn where I have stopped among the first persons to proffer their services have been the ammas. Only once have I yielded to their invitations to allow my body to be treated like a piece of dough, and that was at Subassevere exertion of climbing the mounthat it might be well to allow an amma | gentle slumber. to shampoo us was acceded to, more the treatment,

The particular amma who came to our room and shampooed us was an ungainly and awfully ugly woman of midquestion her fully as to the business, and learned from her quite a number of interesting facts. She informed us that before commencing the practice of her art she has been obliged to serve an apprenticeship of three years, during which time she read a large number of Japanese books teaching of the human body, and especially the muscles, and physiology. She had, practiced the massage for ten years already, and had by means of it gained her livelihood. She stated that she was able in one into the next county, evening, from 6 to 10, to treat four persons, who paid her a fee of fifteen of American currency.

practiced by the amma, the patient lies water, taking the covers with him. upon a futon or rug while the amma knives were used. Parker was fatally and all such things. 'Roll up them of times, then drawing up the loose the feet.

though the amma to whose treatment I and knuckles. The arms and chest are got to see how a hog slept! treated as the legs, and then the patient is turned over face downward, and the shoulders and back are punched and kneaded until the breath almost forsakes the body. The entire performfingers and wrists displayed by the am- ent. ma is quite remarkable. Our amma shampooed four persons in succession the evening we engaged her, consuming four hours in the task, during which she was working with all her might almost constantly, only stopping to wipe off the perspiration which flow-

ed from her face. The result of the experiment, so far as I personally was concerned, was, I think, such as to warrant the repetition of the treatment under like circumstances. I awoke on the morrow feeling far less tired and sore than I oblige me." had reason to believe my mountain

climbing would have left me. in some respects founded upon rational joining apartment where he saw on a principles. This is not, however, the sofa a small, three-cornered hat, a is swiftly and surely dwindling away as the merits of western medical theory and practice are becoming more and more recognized. The old style of practitioner, with his nostrums and enchantments, his mixtures of villatnous herbs and minerals, his powders made of dried snake skins and bird dung, is still in the numerical majority when a sensus likeness so strong as it is. My mother of the medical practitioners of Japan is often regrets that she never saw Napotaken, but the young men, graduates | leon, and what I wish you to do is to of the university at Tokio, are rapidly absorbing the entire practice among you to her." the wealthier and more intelligent classes. The medical department at to array himself in Napoleon's unithe Imperial university at Tokio is un- form. When he had dressed he was der the care of German professors, men led to the apartment of the empressof thorough ability and experience, and the results achieved during later years that the illusion was complete, and have been most marked and most beneficial to the country as a whole. It is great man," the feeling of not a few Europeans resident in Japan that, while always preferring the services of a European or American practitioner, the graduate of the university at Tokio may generally be trusted to treat a patient carefully and well.

Contagiousness of Diseases.

Scarlet fever is a specific poison which emanates from the person of the patient, and can be caused by no other means. Diphtheria is contagious, but may arise from fermenting filth, etc. Typhoid fever and Asiatic cholera are not directly communicable from person to person, but are spread by the dejecta of their victims, which contaminate the water supply.

THE TRAVELING HOG.

How it Behaves Esself When Sharing Its Bed with a Fellow-Traveler

Ine botel register lay hospitably open, and I took up a stuttering pen with which to splatter my autograph

over the list of late arrivals.
"I'm afraid we're full," interrupted the night clerk; "That is if you want a

My jaw fell-ll!-ll! "What kind of fellows are they," I inquired, feebly.

"Nice gentlemen-tall, slim man in 27; short, fleshy man in 52." "Tall, slim man," I mused; "I'll try

I'm rather long and slender myself, still there's nothing like economy in space when it comes to a hotel bed-

I followed the bell-boy up to No. 27, and in response to his rat-tat-tat at the consists in kneading ail the muscles of door, I heard emphatic guttural interjections muffled under the bed-clothes. I didn't try to understand them; I had reason to believe they were not at all complimentary to me. However, the tall man opened the door, gingerly, and got back into bed, where he assumed the shape of a gigantic letter V

He was snoring loudly by the time I had undressed, and I cherished serious intentions of blowing out the gas and leaving him to his fate, I crawled timidly in on the off side, and grasped birt, immediately after my descent the covers with a death grip. But I from Fujt. Tired and aching from the was tired, and soon, with a half-conscious sense of insecurity, I feit my tain the suggestion of Dr. Knipping grasp weaken, and I dozed off into a

A movement on the part of my bedfrom curiosity as to the possible results fellow awoke me, and horrors! The than from any faith in the efficacy of covers were slipping away! Is there any thing to compare to the utter helplessness with which a man, on a cold

night, realizes this awful sensation? I caught at them, frantically, and dle age, whose blackened teeth when my eyes bulged out in a mad despair as she smiled looked like a row of water- a Borean draught wailed along the sermeion seeds set in her face. During rated edge of my spinal column. Thus the process I had an opportunity to I lay, for hours, in a half torpid state, keenly alive to his every move, yet un-

able to retrieve an inch of vantage. The clock on the customs-house struck twelve, and I was sinking into a chilly nightmare, when the fiend rolled over against me with a restful sigh born of warmth and comfort.

I couldn't stand it. I slipped out onto the floor, crept round to the foot had become learned in anatomy and of the bed, and crawled in on the side next to the wall. Wrapping myself in the voluminous folds of the blankets, I lay down, sincerely hoping he'd roll on

But he didn't, I hadn't been asleep more than an hour, when I awoke with sen apiece. Her daily earnings were, a sense of oppression in my left side, however, not more than thirty sen on and a sharp elbow, at an acute angle, an average, or about twenty-four cents | lay imbedded in my complaining ribs. shoved it away savagely, and he In the operation of shampooing, as floundered over like a porpoise in shoal

At that moment I heard the bell-boy, the 24th. Ill health is ascribed as the 25th, John Proctor put on a Marshal's tropics all around us, picking at us and kneels beside him. The first act in the with a bell-boy's exaggerated attempt ribbon and attempted to enter the looking cross, and one day there come drama deals with the abdominal cavity. at caution, blunder past the door and

"It's four o'clock, sir; bus'll be round I got up, too, lighted the gas and cut in the right side, John Bremen was sails benin there!' says I in thunderin' folds of flesh, he kneads and pinches glared at my persecutor. He was lyshot in the head, James Jones, Sheriff. tones. 'Spice the maintop royal-zal- them, at the same time making passes ing west by nor'west of the bed, smilelect, was shot through the right lant rope; feld up the mizzen spanker which correspond in their direction ing as if he dreamed nature had made young son perished in the flames. Mrs, shoulder, and several spectators were and put it in the closest; pull in the with that of the colon. This portion of him in a circle. And he continued to wounded by bullets. Proctor is under mainmast fore it gets wet; furl the treatment ended, each leg is attack- smile, all unconsciously, as I washed in ed and vigorously rubbed and kneaded, a lavish quantity of water and poured the process terminating by a smart the remainder into the slop basin! And bastinade administered to the soles of I think I had the towel as limp and wet as any towel ever need be outside the In rubbing and kneading the muscles | wash-tub! And when I left the room use is made of a round ball of boxwood, the gas-meter was humping itself, the door was wide open, and I'm pretty submitted employed only her fingers certain that some body else than No. 28

Counterfeiting Napoleon.

Boucher, a famous violinist during the first quarter of the century, bore a ance ends with a vigorous rubbing of singular resemblance to Napoleon in the neck, which, in my case, seemed to countenance and figure. One evening threaten the dislocation of the cervical at St. Petersburg he played a concert. vertebræ. The amount of strength in where the czar, Alexander I., was pres-

"Monsieur Boucher," said the czar, as the violinist was presented to him, "I have a favor to ask of you. It is an affair," he continued, as Boucher bowed, "unconnected with your profession."

"I am wholly at your majesty's service," answered the violinist. "Well, come to the palace to-morrow morning at 12 precisely. You shall be shown into my cabinet, and I will then tell you the nature of the favor, which, if you will grant, will greatly

The next day Boucher, on presenting himself at the palace, was ushered The art of the amma appears likely into the czar's private cabinet. The to live for a long time in Japan, as it is czar immediately led him into an adcase with the medical practitioner of sword, the uniform of the French imthe old Chinese school, whose practice perial guard, and a cross of an officer of the Legion of Honor.

"I will explain the favor I have to request. All those objects you see there belonged to the Emperor Napoleon; they were taken during the campaign of Moscow. I have frequently heard of your resemblance to Napoleon, but I did not expect to find the put on this dress and I will present

The czar withdrew and left Boucher mother. The czar assured his mother that she might say she had seen "the

Italian Restaurants in New York.

A young New Yorker need not be very old to remember when the reputable restaurants of the city bearing Italian names and serving an Italian table d'hote might have been counted upon the fingers of one hand. French cooking was then the proper thing, and to express a positive fondness for Itzlian cooking was regarded as eccentric or to be as one among many. But gradually fair Italy's cuisine became an acquired taste-or a pretended one, which meant the same to the proprietor's pocketuntil now there are enough Italian restaurants in New York to supply half the population of Florence.