# DESTRUCTIVE STORMS.

RAIN, HAIL, BLIZZARDS AND TORNA-DOES.

MANY PERSONS INJURED AND SEVE-RAL KILLED.

Ashland, Wis., Feb. 26 .- The worst snow and wind storm of the season is prevailing here. It has been snowing and blowing ever since Saturday night. OSHKOSH, W18., Feb. 26 .- Yesterday afternoon a blizzard of great violence swept down upon this city, and in less than half an hour three inches of snow had fallen, and it was with the operated. The storm is by far the worst of the year. The effect will be keenly felt in the lumber camps, where the snow is almost so deep that logging operations were carried on with diffi-

WATERTOWN, Wis., Feb. 26.-The most vicious snow storm in two years raged here yesterday and last night. The snow is accompanied with a fierce wind from the north and the mercury is lowering rapidly. The roads are also drifted very badly. The railroads is pouring down, and at Louisville it is field are badly embarrassed by washouts are blocked to some extent.

MASON CITY, Ia., Feb. 26 .- A blizzard set in yesterday, covering the entire northern portion of the State. The thermometer marks zero, and all trains are delayed.

CAMBRIDGE CITY, Ind., Feb. 26 -A cloud burst Monday night caused Martindale creek, near this place, to rise so quickly that a woman and three children of the Hall family were drowned. They belonged to a party of gypsles encamped near the stream. The bodies have not yet been recovered.

CARBONDALE, Ill., Feb., 26 .- Monday night this place was visited by the heaviest rainfall that has occurred for the last 15 years. It rained incessantly until noon yesterday. The lowlands are inundated, and this will interfere with railroad travel. A tornado at Bainbridge, 15 miles east, completely demolished the residence of J. Snider. There was several inmates in the dwelling and all were injured, but none

ANNA, Ill., Feb. 26 .- A severe rain lasted until noon yesterday. flooded.

Columbus, Ohio, Feb. 26 .- The water in the Sciota river did not reach the point of damage until 20'clock this morning, when the river broke into the canal below the city, and the water covered a vast expanse of lowlands. The principal damage will be to the banks of the Columbus feeder of the Ohio Canal.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 26 .- A wind storm of cyclonic proportions, accompanied by hail and rain, swept over least one life.

but no material damage was done.

Brownsville, Tenn., 56 miles northeast of this city, was the worst sufferer so far reported. The storm struck the o'clock this morning the blizzard set town while its inhabitants slept, and had done its terrible work before the velocity and the thermometer fell to real situation was realized. It came from a southwesterly direction, and was preceded by a rumbling noise, which lasted a few seconds, and then burst upon the town in appalling fury. Residences rocked like cradles and heavy brick buildings trembled like leaves as the storm swept by in its impetuous career, leaving wreck and destruction everywhere.

fell in torrents, vivid ligtning flashed has also been cut off from Prescott, so across the skies and heavy thunder that the exact nature of the damage is added to the fear and confusion of the horror-stricken people. Daylight revealed the frightful work of the cvclone. Almost every building on the public square was unroofed, causing great damage by water to immense stocks of goods, while scores of residences were dismantled and are in

The only life reported lost is that of Mrs, James Cooper, the wife of an engineer. A tree fell across the house. crushing it in, killing her and badly inluring two of her children.

At Marianna, Ark., the new Christian church was completely demolished; Lesser's cotton shed was blown away, and the roofs of several other buildings were lifted off. About three miles out of town a negro schoo shouse, with 65 children in it, was blown from its founlation, but no one was hurt.

The White river, at Batesville, Ark., rose eight feet in a few hours, washing away culverts, and delaying trains

Three houses were blown down near Riverside, and several buildings flatened out in the southeastern portion

of the county. The Hot Springs old observatory, which has stood for several years on the summit of Hot Springs Mountain, and from whose top thousands of visitors have viewed the surrounding

The storm played havoc with the entire country between Hot Springs and the Wichita river. Many farm houses were torn to atoms, and the path of the storm is one mass of wrecked timber. Large trees were uprooted, and in many places the roads are completely blockaded by fallen timber. It is tost, but that there were is more than

so many farm houses. buildings and fences at Little Rock, mind stayed upon Him, in whatever be and at Alexander, near that place, a falls thee; that the belief of His love school house was blown down and and hope in His mercy, when thou art nine children injured.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 26 .- Brownsville, Tenn., six miles northeast of Memphis, on the Louisville and Nashville Railroad, was struck by a cyclone at four o'clock yesterday morning. look as if Half of the business houses of the town business? were unroofed and many materially damaged, while several buildings are

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cotton compress was unroofed, the Northern Methodist Church was demolished. A brick mill was unroofed. It next struck the handsome building of the Brownsville Savings Bank. The roof was picked off and fell to the street with a tremendous crash. Three squares of buildings across the street just north of the bank were unroofed, with the exception of the house of J. B. Phillips & Co. Only one residence is reported as having been damaged, that of Mrs. S. A. Baynson, Washington street. Just following the cyclone came a great flood of rain, that completely drenched the goods in the various unroofed houses, causing almost complete destruction in most cases.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 27 .- The morngreatest difficulty that the street cars | gradually increasing, became a steady ern (formerly the Cincinnati, Washington and Baltimore) and the Bee line have their tracks covered with water to the depth of three or four feet near the stock yards. Reports from various Ind., while at Indianapolis the rain

will not be interrupted. The storm reported central about Nashville, Tenn., at this writing, 11 o'clock, is causing grave apprehension here among men who have river interests and among men who have property and business interests in the lowlands of the city. If the precipitation in the next 24 hours should be as great in the Ohio Valley as it has been at Memphis and Nashville from the storm approaching here from that digreat flood. In that case the river would be at its maximum about Tuesday or Wednesday next week. The rising, with prospects of greatly insituation at this writing has a danger- creased losses. ous look.

Ohio river has reached a flooded stage. day. Small crafts were smashed to the city front has been cut off. A and are almost unsafe. The force of storm, accompanied by thunder and scare was started to-night, and a num- the wind was such that trees, houses lightning, began Monday evening and ber of families in districts submerged and wood piles were blown to pieces, The in 1883 moved out, but there is little streams are swollen and the lowlands fear of such a deluge as then. The river is still rising about an inch an hour. The Ohio and Mississippi Railroad between here and Cincinnati is closed.

DAVENPORT, IOWA, Feb. 27 .- A heavy snow storm has been raging here all day to-day and and street car traffic has been impeded on account of the existence. Cellars were overflowed snow. Between 8 and 10 inches of snow 13 on the ground and the storm continues. It is the first genuine snow storm that has occurred in this section for two years.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 27.—Despatches this section of the country yesterday, doing an immense amount of damage an immense amount of damage The storm in Memphis was severe, by a snow storm, during which snow blizzard was preceded late last night fell to the depth of two or three inches, covering the winter wheat and sheltering it from the severe coid. About 10 in. The wind blew at a high rate of zero. The fall of snow during the day was light and occasioned no serious delay to railway traffic. Snow ceased

falling about 4 o'clock this afternoon, but the wind is still high and the thermometer is low. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 27 .- Heavy rains continue to prevail in Arizona. Last night the floods washed out a large portion of the Prescott-Arizona While the storm raged and the rain Railway. Telegraph communication

#### not known. The Men Who Succeed.

The men who succeed in business in this day are not ordinary men. In fact, no ordinary man can succeed; the time has gone by for this. General knowledge is more comprehensive and universaltlan at any period of human history; the masses of men are better educated, and if not educated, they are better informed by reading and observation. So it is that business men know more, have a broader knowledge and intelligence, and are, consequently, shrewder and more enterprising. Compared with the business men of any former period, the merchants of to-day are far from ordinary men in their field of effort in life. And each day is making the field wider and increasing the number of the necessary qualifica-tions for success in it. Why, the salesman of the present day, no matter in what line or where you find him, is a man of bright, quick understanding, such as entitles him to rank with the energetic and successful men of any class. Then when you come to the man who has large capital invested, and who must foresee, plan and direct in regard to the interests of a great house from season to season, you behold an individual, who, in this day, must be brave, calm and far-sighted to succeed at all. country, was leveled to the ground A business man in the present vortex of trade is not a mere seeker for a living or a fortune, but he is necessarily a man of intelligence, self-reliance and experience, which elevate him to the rank of those who succeed by both mind

and energy. Он, look not at thy pain or sorrow, how great soever; but look from them, look off them, look beyond them, to not yet known whether any lives were the Deliverer! whose power is over them, and whose loving, wise, and tenprobable, owing to the destruction of der spirit is able to do thee good by The Lord lead thee, day by Considerable damage was done to day, in the right way, and keep thy at the lowest ebb, may keep up thy head above the billows.

> If nine men fail at poultry farming, and the tenth one succeeds, does it not look as if the tenth fellow knew his

NEGLECT no opportunity of doing good, nor check the desire of doing in a total state of destruction. The it by a vain fear of what may happen. injured, but not fatally.

# DAMAGE BY STORMS.

HOUSES IN KENTUCKY DOZEN BLOWN DOWN.

A NUMBER OF BUILDINGS IN GAINES-VILLE WRECKED.

the most violent and destructive storms of the limited express. Two men are ever known in Southern Kentucky passed over this section yesterday to wreck the limited express at the morning, destroying several houses and doing great injury to property. In the vicinity of Bellview, a little village south of this city, six tobacco barns, and a dozen houses were unroofed and ing dawned with a fine drizzle, which blown down. The loss is estimated at other dumped into sacks a large \$20,000. The rain fell in torrents and rain, which continued during the en- the wind blew a perfect cyclone over then mounted their horses and escaped tire day, but to-night it stopped rain- this city, doing great damage. The ing. The Baltimore and Oalo South- river at this place is almost out of its banks, being higher than known before

parches to this city from Mt. Vernon. points give the weather as cloudy and Lims, Findlay, Springfield and other warm at Oil City, Pa., Pittsburg, points in Ohio report great damage by Wheeling, W. Va., and Terra Haute, high water, and the flood constantly increasing. The railroads about Springraining. A number of approaches to the New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio the Central Depot have been blocked and the Ohio, Indiana and Western by water, but the roads affected by this suffering the most. At Admore, a have erected temporary depots where small station on the Cincinnati and the water cannot reach and business Dayton Railroad, there are several washouts. The Cincinnati express was saved from running into a washout by the vigilance of a farmer, who discovered that the bridge had been carried away. At Findlay cellars of prominent manufacturing establishments are flooded and the contents ruined. Damage has been done to the natural gas supply of both Findlay and Fostoria by the carrying away of pipes. All pikes and highroads in the location named are in rection it will doubtless cause a third an impassible condition, owing to the carrying away of culverts and bridges. At latest reports the water was still

CARSON, Nev., Feb. 25 .- There was LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 27 .- The a terrible storm at Lake Tahoe yester-One of the elevated road stations on pieces, the wharves severely shaken The snow is drifting along the road here, covering the station houses and burying logging camps.

DENISON, Texas, Feb. 25.-This ection was visited yesterday afternoon by a terrific rain and hail storm. The wind blew almost a tornado. Thousands of window panes were broken, and spring gardens were wiped out of and great damage was done.

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eign of terror there at the State e tion in 1888. After a tilt between Mr. Chandler and Messrs, Harris and Berry, the Arkansas Senators, the resolution was referred. Mr. Evarts competency of the Senate to elect a President pro tempore, who shall hold office until another is chosen. After some debate it went over. The credentials of Senator-elect Wilson, of Maryland, were presented and filed. The Blair Educational bill was discussed. After an executive session the Senate adjourned.

In the U.S. Senate, on the 27th, a bill was passed for the erection, at the Western entrance of the Capitol at Washington, of a bronze statue of Christopher Columbus, and the removal of the Naval Monument to a new site. The bill appropriates \$75,000. A bill was also passed making the salary of the Surgeon General of the Marine Hospital Service \$6000 per annum. The Anti-Trust bill was discussed, Mr. Sherman saying he had been instructed by the Committee on Finance to move to strike out the third section, which imposes penalties for the offense of entering into trusts or combinations, After an executive session the Senate ad-

HOUSE. In the House, on the 26th, the entire session was occupied with debate on the contested case of Atkinson vs. Pendleton, from the First District of West Virginia. Pending discussion,

the House adjourned. In the House on the 27th, the contested election case of Atkinson vs. Pendleton, from West Virginia, was considered, and the minority report declaring Pendleton elected was reected—yeas, 142; nays, 159—by a strict party vote. The question recurred on the majority report, seating Atkinson, and the Democrats refrained from voting. The vote resulted-162 yeas to 0 nays, and the Speaker counted a Mr. O'Ferrall raised the point of no quorum, but the Speaker ignored him, and Atkinson was sworn The Democrats refrained from voting in order that the question of the right of the Speaker to count a quorum may be taken before the courts. Pending consideration of the Urgent De ficiency bill the House adjourned.

-Robert Pope, a white man of bad reputation, and his 11-year-old son, were shot dead while riding home in Hampton county, South Carolina, on the evening of the 24th.

-There was no change in the strike at Nashua, New Hampshire, on the 24th, and the indications are that the mili will be closed. The stitchers in Brown's shoe factory, at Natick, Massachusetts, after being on strike for a week, resumed work on the 24th on the assurance that their grievance would be settled.

-A train on the Evansville and Terre Haute Railroad went through a bridge at Kelso creek, near Vincennes, Indiana, on the morning of the 25th. Engineer A. Lyons and Fireman Louis Bowden are missing, and are supposed to be under the engine, which was totally wrecked. Several passengers were

### NEWS OF THE WEEK.

-An attempt was made on the evening of the 24th, to wreck the limited express on the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad, near Massillon, Ohio. A heavy iron bar was placed across the track. Fortunately it was discovered by the engineer of a freight HOPKINSVILLE, Feb. 25 .- One of train, which was a short distance ahead now in the penitentiary for attempting

same place not long ago. -Two masked men entered the general store of W. C. Henderson, at Berwyn, Indian Territory, on the evenwith all their contente, were destroyed | ing of the 24th. One of them covered the clerks with revolvers, while the amount of jewelry and money. They with the booty.

-Thomas Jandra, on the evening of in years. Five thousand pounds of tobacco have been destroyed.

CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 25.—Desthe 24th, in a fit of jealously, shot and escort, but not fatally. After firing at several persons, Jandra fired two builets into his own head while lying beside the dead girl.

-A party of grave robbers were surprised in a cemetery in Louisville, Kentucky, on the evening of the 24th, One was shot and killed, three others were arrested, but a fifth one escaped. The party consisted of three Louisvill physicians, Dr. J. T. Blackburn, Dr. W. E. Grant, and another whose name is unknown, and colored assistants. It was one of the negro assistants who was killed. Marshal Hudson was shot and fatally wounded in Webb City, Missouri, on the evening of the 24th, while trying to arrest Charles Smith and Edward Lewis, two roughs for creating a disturbance.

-Barbara Jordan, aged 20 years, a domestic in the family of O. P. Merryman, in Baltimore, was found dead in bed on the morning of the 25th, asphyxiated by gas. She had been in the employ of Mr. Merryman one day, Charles Hanley and William Dodson were asphyxiated in a street crossing watch box of the Vandalia Railroad in Terre Haute, Indiana, on the evening of the 23d. Hanley was dead when found, and Dodson is thought to be beyond recovery. They entered the watch box during a heavy rain. Bernard O'Brien, aged 40 years, a wellknown resident of Pittston, Pa., was kicked to death by a horse on the 25th. He leaves a wife and twelve children.

-The Coroner's jury in the Sawtelle case in Great Falls, New Hampshire, has found that Hiram was killed by his brother Isaac. There was no evidence before the jury to show the participation of an accomplice in the crime.

-Martin Starrow jammed a bar into a hole containing a dynamite cartridge at the Lackawanna Iron Company's stone quarry at Scranton, Penna., on the morning of the 26th. He was blown high into the air and decapitated. A despatch from Prescott, doing an immense amount of damage a blizzard from the nerthwest prevailed to property, and causing the loss of at throughout these States to-day. The Union county, Arkansas, alleging a throughout these States to-day. The Union county, Arkansas, alleging a less than 150 persons lost their lives in "We shall see," the dam disaster. Wickenburg was destroyed, every building falling before the awful assault. Seymour, 12 miles further on, was also wrecked. An encalled up the resolution declaring the gine ran into the rear of an empty coal train at a crossing in Plainfield, New Jersey, on the 26th, and the engine and six cars were wrecked. The engineer and firemen saved themselves by jumping off. The engineer's throat was badly cut by pieces of flying glass.

-Assasins killed one man and attempted to kill two others in Springfield, Louisiana, on the evening of the 24th, J. C. White, Deputy Sheriff, was killed; Harmon Kinchen dangerously wounded, and William White shot at several times, but escaped by the fleetness of his horse. When fired upon, the three men were on horseback, and had started home about midnight from | the girl anxiously. the town. Lucien Morgan and a man named Hale have been arrested, charged with the crime.

-An unknown negro bought some bananas in a fruit store in Jacksonville, Florida, on the 26th, He ate one and threw the peel on the floor. The proprietor told him to pick it up, but he refused, and the former called Policeman Payne, at whose command the negro removed the peel. Upon reaching the street the negro shot and killed the policeman and escaped.

-An attempt was made on the evening of the 26th to wreck the limited express on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, near Independence, Ohio. The ties were found wedged into a cattle guard and removed a few minutes before the arrival of the train.

-Charles Sattell, a Swiss, has been arrested in Guaymas, Mexico, on a jellies, and in boiling the liquid too ment. The singer seemed to throw charge of counterfeiting American long! A few minutes is sufficient to her whole soul into that weird, thrilling, money.

-Mrs. Margaret Bienenstein had a bottle of carbonic acld broken over her head by her brutal husband, on the 27th, at their home in New York. The husband was insanely jealous on account of his wife's good looks. The woman was horribly disfigured. -Advices from Pikeville, Kentucky,

tell of another murder among the McCoy-Hatdeld adherents. The victim was Uncle Joe Johnson, who on the evening of the 23d was called to his door and shot by a man on horseback. Johnson had incurred the enmity of the Hatfields by disclosing a plan of escape by Mounts and another of their set, and his life has been threatened. The dead body of Robert A. Smith, a merchant in New Market, Ontario, was found in the cellar of his house on the 27th. He had been murdered and the house had been ransacked.

-A land-slide occurred near Quinnemont, West Virginia, on the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad, on the morning of the 27th, covering the track for 200 yards. A freight train of 18 loaded cars ran into the slide a few minutes later and wrecked nearly all the cars. Nobody was hurt. The east-bound vestibule train had just passed when the slide occurred. The Chicago Limited Express dashed into the rear of a Lebigh Valley train in Newark, New Jersey, on the evening of the 27th. The passengers were badly shaken up,

#### Face to Face.

If my face could only promise that its color If my heart were only certain it would hide the hidden away in the Maryland hills! I would meet you and would greet you in the old familiar tone.

And naught should ever show you the wrong given me up, as they told you was the that you have done

If my trembling hand were steady, if my smiles had not all fied,

If my eyes spoke not so plainly of the tears they often shed,

I would meet you and would greet you at the old sweet trysting place,

And perchance you'd deem me happy if you met me face to face.

If the melody of spring tide awoke no wild re-If the autumn's golden burden awoke no living I would meet thee, and would greet thee, as years ago we met,
Before our hearts were shipwrecked, on the
ocean of regret.

If my woman's soul were stronger, if my heart were not so true.

I should long have ceased remembering the love I had for you;
But I dare not meet or greet thee, in the old familiar way, Until we meet in heaven, when tears have pass-

## MISS DOROTHYS DEAL.

"I declare I never saw anything like it" exclaimed Miss Dorothy, breaking out afresh on her return from the funeral of Mr. Dearborn. "Just one week ago to-day, he sat in his chair and told me all about the small fruits in the patches; how much he expected to realize from the sale of them, and now" -"Don't cry Aunt Dorothy, all is for the best I am sure, uncle's lungs were frail and this dreadful epidemic has bereaved many households of their head. We have still the old farm, and

about the marketing? of course, John ated the verses from my memory, can do the chores and gather the fruits leaving only the skeleton of the story as they ripen, but who is to transact to flutter in my brain like an autumn the business for us?"

some of these nice strawberry pre- the poor thread of my simple prose. serves. Uncle used to tell me my Somewhere in the '40s Crisi and Jennie sweetmeats were "prime."

to do our marketing for us; what think between them. you Auntie."

suggests such a precedent."

follows: "MISS DOBOTHY DEARBORN:"

dozen samples received. Kindly for- face. ward one dozen of each variety at once; Despite the clearness of her senses

your profits." "A letter for you Auntie," exclaimed

be true. Here were we one month ago, thought like an inspiration. The acthinking our last hope gone, and now companist was striking his final chords. we are an established firm with a pay- She stepped up to him, asked him to ing business of our own."

"Yours you mean dear!" will admit I have the knack of doing fatherland. that, to a turn. The crystalizing point No one present understood a word is the rock upon which most preserve- of the "prayer." Softly at first the makers split; and they make a mistake plaintive notes floated on the air, in not heating the block sugar for their swelling louder and richer every mothoroughly incorporate the compound, plaintive "prayer." Gradually the and it should be dipped, boiling not Again there was silence—the silence into the heated receptacles, a spoonful of admiring wonder. The audience sat at a time into each, until all are filled; spellbound. Jennie Lind lifted at last then set to harden in the sun! After her sweet blue eyes to look into the which process it becomes your pleasing duty to dust the powdered sugar on the surface, and close the covers for storsurface, and close the covers for stor-ing. So you see Aunty, it is science a monent, with the impulsiveness of a and labor in league in this business, child of the tropics, Grisi crossed to and it would surprise me much if we did not make a sterling success of our work."

' Some of these days, you will be getting married, I suppose," remarked Miss Dorothy, reflectively.

went down upon the fruit-stained and for years he has had corns upon hands, and the old maid was mute; the little toes of his feet, and at time there was trouble in the camp after has suffered so severely with the all, she thought, and that must have to abandon his work on his far been why her father sent her to Oak- winter he has suffered more this dale farm to recover her bloom!

"I am airaid this last kettle of red permanent effect. Last week cherries is just a little scorched Aunt," resolved to have both his little said the girl with a pitiful quaver in off in order to escape suffering her young voice, as she lifted it from corns, and so he had the oper the fire. " Well upon my word!"

Miss Dorothy's exclamation caused is glad that his corns have Carry to turn quickly, just in time to good

be gathered into the out-stretched arms of Austin Ellerslee.

"So I find you at last my darling, proper course. And I, well the loss of my little sweetheart for whom I had ransacked the four corners of the country, sobered me; and when the governor bought an interest in the large grocery house of Sterling & Co. I settled down to work:-

"The fates threw your letter into my hands for reply, you know the rest. I want you to marry me at once and return to town."

"But my father's refusal?" "The old gentleman failed lask week, for a large amount and will be only too glad to make his home with Miss Dear-

born," he answered promptly. "Well that is settling matters with a high hand," exclaimed Miss Dorothy excitedly to Mr. Ellerslee.

"But I shall be glad to have your father child, it will be like old times, and if it will make you any happier to have your handsome young sweetheart for a life partner, why I'm not sorry 1 made the deal which brought you together, though I must confess I am completely sold out."

"But I will come back Auntie, and help you with the preserves;-after the wedding I mean-that order you know must be filled! SIDNEY EARLE.

### THE POWER OF MUSIC.

Jennie Lind and Grisi. I have read somewhere a little ballet us try to do all things as he had lad that tells a pretty story of the famous songstress, Jennie Lind. Many "Why how you talk, Carry! what days, months, and years have obliterleaf which the summer's winds had rid-"The Lord will provide." Aunt Dot, dled and robbed of its green. But I come now, have a fresh cup of tea and shall try to repair the injured leaf with Lande were singing in different places "That reminds me we have still a in London. Those who went into ecgood many jars left over, and it has stacies over Grisi's "Norma," were the just occurred to me we might sell them, next evening enraptured with Lind's and use the money in hiring some one "Casta Diva." Great was the rivalry

Finally Queen Victoria, deeming it a Miss Dorothy said nothing, but look- shame that two such gifted women ed dubious while the deft young fin- should be separated by a mean, ungers rolled in tissue paper, sample after worthy jealousy, requested both to apsample of crystal jellies and luscious pear at a court concert. Of course fruits, which John packed carefully in they both came. The queen warmly sawdust, and left waiting for its super- welcomed them together for the first scription and shipment—the huge box. time. She gave the signal for the concert to begin. Jennia Lind was the In the private office of Sterling & younger, and it was arranged that she Co., grocers, sat a young man reading should sing first. With perfect confi-Mr. Chandler presented a petition from Arizona, says that the death list has a small black banded letter relating dence in her powers she stepped forward to begin. Chancing to glance less than 150 persons lost their lives in "We shall see," he mused. "This is at Grisi she saw the southern woman's a new departure, but there is certainly malignant gaze fixed on her. The no objection to buying of private par- flerce look almost paralyzed her. Her ties, when the character of the stocks courage left her, her voice trembled, everything grew black before her and The Evening Post carried an answer she almost fell. By the greatest exerto that small missive, which read as tion of her will, however, she managed to finish her aria. A painful silence followed its conclusion-a silence that We find your fruits all that we told her of her failure. She caught could desire, and enclose check for one a triumphant expression of Grisi's

> and file our order for a gross of every she quickly realized that failure meant kind as soon as you can supply them. lost glory, dissappointed hope, the de-We will furnish our own jars if you struction of happiness, grief and morprefer, which will add something to tification to her family and her friends. Suddenly a soft voice that seemed to come from heaven whispered to her: "Sing one of your old songs in your na-"Why I declare, it seems too good to tive language." She caught at the rise, and took the vacant seat. Softly her white fingers wandered over the "No, no, Aunt, Dottie, be sure keys in a loving prelude, then she sang. you deal fairly. Who prepared It was a little prayer which she had the fruits, attended to the weights, loved as a child; it belonged to her and measures, washed the jars, childhood's repertoire. She hadn't and heated them all ready for use. sung it for years. As she sang she was The cooking is a small job when every- no longer in the presence of royalty, thing is arranged to hand; though I but singing to loving friends in her

> > scornful face that had so disconcerted her at first. There was no fierce expression now; insted a teardrop glist-Jennie Lind's side, placed her arm about her and kissed her warmly, utterly regardless of the admiring audi-

## A Sure Cure for Corns.

Ebon T. Marshall of Rincon, Cal., is Quick as thought the girlish head a farmer and has large landed interests, Corn salves and other remedia formed. He will not be able shoes for several weeks, but he