

BETRAYED.

I worshipped her in such devout, strong wise, That all the essence of my soul and brain Dwelt in the vestal violet of her eyes.

Mr. Crabbe's Burglar.

Two maiden ladies occupy the front parlor of our lodging-house, and Mr. Crabbe, an exceedingly crusty old bachelor, the back parlor adjoining.

ole were two large pails of ice water, he prepared them every night, we learned afterward. The head of the dummy rested on the door; all was still.

HIS HEAD CUT OFF.

A GRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF AN EXECUTION IN MONGOLIA.

The Rev. J. Gilmour in the Chinese Recorder: Jan. 4, 1889, was a bitterly cold day in Mongolia. I had hardly got my table, forms and medicine-boxes out to the stand on the streets when it became apparent that there would be nothing done on the streets that day.

BILL NYE STUCK.

How He Had to be Dug Out of a New Pavement.

An extremely tall man, whose prominent characteristics seemed to be a pair of ears, No. 14 boots, and a bald head, wandered uncertainly out of the Willard the other evening, says the Washington Post, and started down Pennsylvania avenue.

FUN.

Some men have a mission: others have not even the promise of a consulate.—Life.

Of course the emblematic bloom of base ball is the pitcher plant.—Baltimore American. It doesn't seem inappropriate that Tuscaloosa should have a dental college.—Yonkers Gazette.

CLEANLY SAVAGES.

Many of Them Think a Daily Bath is Really a Necessity.

Cleanliness is a virtue which is not supposed to be practised to any large extent among uncivilized people. It is a fact, however, that some savage tribes are cleanly in their habits, and in this respect are far superior to many people who live in civilized lands.

Joking a Railroad Director.

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The station agent at Benham was a joker from when he couldn't spring something new on the boys. It was a railroad junction, and more or less drummers, advance agents, and other men who had cut their eye teeth were always to be found there waiting for a train.

A Whiskey Substitute.

A substitute for whiskey as a remedy for rattlesnake bites has been discovered. A man in Clinton County, Missouri, was bitten on the leg by a rattler while in the woods two miles from home a few days ago, wiped the blood off with a leaf, and taking a big cud of tobacco from his mouth bound it on the wound with a piece of bark.

Very Funny Situation.

Servian affairs have a ludicrous aspect at present. Ex-King Milan is furious because the Servian Government allowed Nathalie to have an interview with her son, the young King Alexander.

Liked Mr. Childs.

A London correspondent says: "My worthy friend, Mr. G. W. Childs of Philadelphia, assures me that he never stated that the MS. of 'Our Mutual Friend' was presented to him by Dickens, but that he acquired that interesting document by purchase. I know of my own knowledge that Dickens had a great regard and esteem for Mr. Childs, whom I first met at Gadshill."

Falled Out His Whiskers.

Ben Williams, of Lansing, Mich., has a novel way of ridding his face of whiskers. Every Sunday morning for the past twenty-two years he has sat down before the glass and pulled the hair out of the lower part of his face with a pair of tweezers.