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With malice towards none, with charity for all, with firmness in the right, as God gives us to see the right, let us strive on to finish the work we are in; to bind up the nations wounds; to

care for him who shall have borne the battle, and for his widow and his orphan, to do all which may achieve and cherish a just and a lasting peace among ourselves and with all nations.—A. L.

Railroads. PENNSYLVANIA CENTRAL R. R. On and after Monday, Nov. 15th, 1869, trains will leave the Penna Railroad Depot, at Lancaster, as follows:

READING RAILROAD. SUMMER ARRANGEMENT. MONDAY, APRIL 18, 1870.

Great Trunk Line from the North and Northwest for Philadelphia, New York, Reading, Pottsville, Tamuqua, Ashland, Shamokin, Lebanon, Allentown, Easton, Ephrata, Litz, Lancaster, Columbia, &c.

Leave Harrisburg for Reading, Pottsville, Tamuqua, Minersville, Ashland, Shamokin, Grove, Allentown and Philadelphia, at 8:10 a. m., 2:05 p. m., 4:10 p. m., stopping at Lebanon and principal way stations; the 4:10 p. m. train connecting with the Philadelphia, Pottsville and Columbia only. For Pottsville, Schuylkill Haven and Auburn, via Schuylkill and Susquehanna Railroad, leave Harrisburg at 8:40 p. m.

On Sundays: Leave New York at 5:00 p. m., Reading at 8:00 a. m. and 3:15 p. m., the (8:00 a. m. train running only to Reading.) Leave Pottsville 8:00 a. m.; Harrisburg 8:35 a. m.; Reading 9:15 a. m.; Philadelphia 10:15 a. m. and 1:05 p. m. for Harrisburg, at 7:25 a. m., for New York and at 9:40 a. m. and 4:25 p. m. for Philadelphia.

READING AND COLUMBIA R. R. SUMMER ARRANGEMENT. ON AND AFTER MONDAY, APRIL 25TH, 1870. PASSENGER TRAINS WILL RUN ON THIS ROAD, AS FOLLOWS:

LEAVE. Reading... 10:30 a. m. Columbia... 11:30 a. m. RETURNING. Reading... 7:20 a. m. Lancaster... 9:27 a. m. Columbia... 8:15 p. m.

Dentistry. LANCASTER, June 25th, 1868. EDITORS EXPRESS: Dr. Wm. M. Whiteside, the enterprising Dentist, has purchased from me a large stock of teeth and instruments in the instruments formerly belonging to me, and also those used by my father, Dr. Parry, in his practice.

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Poetry. RECONCILIATION. The sun is going down, old friend, The sun is going down; Thy heart is full of sighs, my friend, The day is well nigh flown.

Miscellaneous. A MOMENT OF PASSION. The story, or something like it, has been told before, but we wish to tell it in our own way.

boy after him, up-stairs, to the garret, and taking down a rod, swung it in the air above his head. "O father! Don't! Let me tell you!"

"I don't understand you," said Mr. Ellis, looking bewildered. "Didn't he tell you?"

"Yes, sir," answered the roguish mouth. "To play—where?"

"Very well; all right, then. But, mind one thing—you are not to go down to the river. Yesterday you came home with your clothes soiled and wet. I won't have that again. So remember, that I've said—don't go to the river."

"Not if Mr. Wheeler lets Eddie go?" "There was a half-pleading look in the young, bright face.

"The boy heard, but did not look back or make any response, which a little annoyed Mr. Ellis, who had grown very sensitive on the score of strict obedience.

spoken, or recognized any one, that he could not stay in the chamber. Every moment he looked to see the eyes open, and how could he meet their gaze.

"Willie wants you," she said. "Has he recovered?" asked the father.

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"Now squirm, old natur." A stinging Christian was listening to a charity sermon. He was nearly deaf, and was accustomed to sit facing the congregation, right under the pulpit, with his car-trumpet directed upward toward the preacher.

"A lady in Otsego, Michigan, wife of Isaac A. Whitmore, having notified several liquor dealers not to sell her husband any drink, which was disregarded by them, resorted to an extraordinary expedient to detect and punish these violators of the law.

"The doctor, on this hint, examined the body. "What is this?" he asked, as a long, purple stripe, lying across the back and shoulders, met his eyes.

"The human heart: It is stated that Professor Haughton, of Dublin, has calculated that the ventricles alone of the human heart perform the total daily work of 124,208 foot-tons.

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