THE HISTORIC BARBER.

SOME VERY ORIGINAL NOTES ON THE GREAT MEN HE HAS SHAVED.

Edgar William Nye Receives the Gushing Confidences—Commodore Vanderbilt and a Few Others as Shavees.

It was in Chicago, the booming city along whose busy streets I had so often wandered and on the banks of whose brawling river I had so oft been "bridged" that I met a barber who made a specialty of shaving eminent men. I noticed that my presence did not seem to unnerve him as I had supposed it would, and that he held my nose a good deal higher while shaving my upper lip than I had ever held it, even in the bright and halcyon days when, as a little boy, I wore a vest made over from other garments of my father's handed down from the dim and musty past.

His hair had formerly been a bright red.

HE WIPED A LARGE HOT TEAR FROM MY HEAD.

Some was flowing and some had fled. I thought of this sentiment whilst he was shaving me, and when he had finished I wrote it in his album for him.

At times he spoke almost sadly of the past and of those he had shaved, who were now in a land where full beards are worn almost exclusively. Once, as he spoke of a statesman who had passed on and left us, he asked me to excuse him as he wiped a large hot tear from the top of my head. I said, "Never mind; weep on, thou sad-hearted man. Relieve thine o'ercharged orbs. It will do thee good. I have wept in a barber shop many a time myself. It does me good to see thee do so now."

When he had recovered himself a little, he wiped his eyes somewhat on a towel, and, going into the clothes press for a few moments, where I heard him measuring out some cough medicine, he soon returned, brightened up a great deal, he and his breath both having gained a great deal of strength, it seemed to me.

He said that he used to shave Commodore Vanderbilt. I asked him how the commodore was to shave. He said that he always got shaved at home. "I used to go up every morning and shave him at his home. He left orders that I was to come to his room, and there I would always find him in his shirt sleeves. He rarely swore at me, fearing that I might accidentally cut his cheek. He frequently had soft boiled egg on the end of his nose, but I never laid up anything agin him for that. You never can tell where soft boiled egg will light. I even found soft boiled egg on Mr. Beecher's chin once, and he said that it must have been there all through one of his most searching sermons. You never know when you eat a soft boiled egg whether the most of it went inside on the lining of the coats of the stomach or outside on the lining of your overcoat, or in your ear or down the back of your neck.

"One time, however, the commodore swore at me quite a good deal, I remember. I had shaved him a little too close, and so his face bled a little. Of course I had to rub alum on it to stop the bleeding, and it made the old man quite smart for one of his time of life. He got kind of hot and told me I could go away and never come back any more. I told him I had a wife and family and I would like very much to stay.

"'No,' said he, 'you cannot shave "for a biled owl," or "for sour apples," or "the ace of spades,"' or some such thing he said, I know. 'But,' said he, 'I do not want to see your family suffer. You have cut my face so often now, you——mullet head, and then puckered it up with alum, that my mouth stays open all the time and pretty soon I will have to put a gore into the back of my neck. Go away from my house and never, never return if you please. As I said, I do not want your family to suffer, and so I will give you a letter to a business man I know down town, who will see that you get a job at his place. Now go away.'

"He gave me the letter, and I opened it careful so as not to cut the check, if there was any into it. But there wasn't any. It was just a short letter. It said:

"DEAR JOHN—This will introduce a barber who has been practicing on me for quite a while and patiently working his way up to a position where now I feel like giving him this he irty and earnest letter to you. He has a family dependent on him, and anything you can find for him to do around your justly celebrated slaughter house will be duly appreciated by.

"Yours truly, C. VANDERBILT.

"P. S.—Let him try it first on the cattle that are already dead. C. V."

"Did you ever shave any other celebrated people besides Vanderbilt and me?"

"Yes. I used to shave Mr. Barrett—Lawrence Barrett, the great actor, when he was in a hurry. He entered the shop rather soft and glidy like, as if he was looking for Julius Cæsar, with a view of stabbing him at an early date.

"I would say, 'Good morning, Mr. Barrett.'

"He would say, 'Sirrah, I know thee not!' He would then fold his arms, and, with growing wonder and delight, look in the mirror at the only man for whom he ever showed a genuine respect and esteem which nothing could shake. Then he would take off his coat and fold his arms again and throw back his head and try to look like the man who acts as chief train dispatcher for the solar system.

"'Larry,' I would say, 'come off the perch now. It is your turn, Mr. Brannigan.'

"But he would rock back on his heels and throw out his chest and kind of skuff his shoes on the floor like a tumbler that is chalking his feet in the circus, a habit he got when he was a bareback rider, and then he would inhale and exhale his breath quickly like a gentleman who has blown out the gas and is partially asphyxiated, but which really meant passion, so I understand, and then he would say:

"'Hah! Swagger not, thou topless varlet, thou unwhelked fly-up-the-creek. Salute me not, thou pan-American stoughton bottle and tallow spatter on the brow of nature. Avaunt! Shet up!

"'Wilt thou forsooth pour the ribald. "Next!" into the ear of Laur-r-rence Barr-r-r-rette?'

THERE WAS ONLY ONE BITE AT THIS HOUSE.

"I would then ejaculate 'Rats!' and he would take a seat in the chair like a k n that is getting $4 a week to reign through one act and then take tickets at the door the rest of the time. I offered him once a strop to hold in his hand to reign with, but he would not have it."

"Is he hard to shave?"

"No, he is quiet in the chair, and winks perfectly natural. He is a real good fellow, I think, if he would only try to forget that he is sitting for a lithograph. When he gets his head out of the iron head rest and is not having his photograph taken he is first rate."

"Who else did you ever shave?"

"I have shaved Chauncey M. Depew once, but he did not know about it, or at least I did not tell him who I was, and so perhaps he would not remember me now. He was very nice and quiet, and didn't make me any trouble. He kept looking at the clock while he was being shaved, and said something over softly to himself. I judged he was going out to dine somewhere. I asked him if he wasn't Mr. Depew, and he said he was. Then I asked him if he ever heard about the tramp that called at a farm house on Fifth avenue to get something to eat. He said no, he had not. Well, there was nothing to it only it seems that once a poor tramp, with clam shells in his rich Rembrandt beard and chicken feathers in his nut brown hair, called at a quiet farm house on upper Fifth avenue and asked for food. 'Odds bodkins,' exclaimed the farmer's wife, as he came to the door, 'you are indeed in a sorry plight. And how long since you tasted food?'

"'Four days,' said the tramp, catching madly at the waist band of his trousers just in time, for he had no suspenders, 'four days I have been without food, and four nights I have slept in a railroad culvert with nothing over me but a first and second mortgage and a right of way. I have a college education and an angel mother. Give me a crust, lady, or a little plum duff, lady, and God will reward you. For three days I wandered aimlessly around on the site for the world's fair trying to find my way to the settlements. On the fourth day I came upon a habitation and tried to get a bite. There was only one bite at this house, and a large mauve colored bull dog got that. Lady, will you give me of your bounty, or must I ask you to look the other way while I pass out at the gate and go away?'

"The good woman could not resist this appeal, and so she got some crullers and cold cabbage with vinegar onto it. Also a glass of milk and a cold sausage. The poor tramp took it and was about to conceal the whole thing in his whiskers, when the good lady said, 'You ought at least to ask grace and give thanks before you eat your food. Let me beg of you to ask a blessing before you eat.' 'That is all right in theory, lady,' exclaimed the tramp as he absorbed the sausage and drained his glass, 'but it does not work well in pratice. Me and Chauncey Depew always talks better after we've et.'"

"Who else have you shaved?"

"Well, I've shaved Mr. Evarts. He is a kind-hearted old gentleman, with a skin that hangs around his throat like the seat of an elephant's trousers around a baby elephant. He is a gentleman, every inch of him. He does not talk much with barbers, though. He is a thouhtful man, but does not dress well. One day he wanted me to brush his hat. I brushed it the wrong way for him. He did not know the difference, but gave me a quarter and went out. One day I tried to show off to him, and whilst I was shaving him I spoke of the beautiful spring weather and coated from the poet:

"'Oh, what is so rare as a day in June?' He said that some days in March was a good deal rarer, for he'd seen 'em when they was almost raw. He is a wag, Mr. Evarts is. He can think of more puns than anybody. He is really a wit of the old school, but he is hard to shave, and when you get lather up his nose his remarks are almost cruel at times.

"One day I was shaving a foreign nobleman in New York, and being in a great hurry I rather suddenly lifted his nose, as is usual when shaving the upper lip, when to my surprise it came off and fell in the cuspidor. It was a wax nose, such as is frequently worn by the nobility of some countries where the royal blood contains other ingredients besides royalty, and so I had to put a pink pomatum nose on him till he could get up to the Eden Musee and have another one made. By my carelessness I learned afterwards that I come mighty nigh breaking up the match betwixt him and a real sweet little American girl with good breeding and lots of means but no noble blood."

The historical barber then powdered my high, intellectual Adam's apple and I came away.

Bill Nye

MODERN NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE.

In days of old, it used to be
Enough for folks like you and me
In the morning paper
We read what *happened*—who were dead,
Had been burned out, elected, wed,
Or cut some special caper.

But times are changed; the press is, too,
And now each morning brings to view
Things which Horatio (Greeley)
Ne'er dreamed in *his* philosophy—
Nor would have published, then, if he
Had dreamed them ne'er so freely.

We in these modern days must know
The *views* of Messrs. So-and-so—
Divines, and base ball batters,
Members of Congress, and their wives
And persons leading public lives,
On all important matters;

For instance, what the men would do
If they were women; and *they*, too,
Must not neglect to tell us
How they'd make love, if they were men
What books have helped them most and then
If husbands should be jealous.

The mental gladiators fight
O'er questions such as if 'tis right
To smoke, if one's a preacher;
Wear low-necked gowns; or if a man,
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Embrace the lovely creature.

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[Medical Journal.]

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No. 4, at $2.49 a suit.
No. 5, at $2.98 a suit.
No. 6, at $3.49 a suit.
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Canned Tomatoes, Corn, 4 cans for 25c, Strawberries, 4 cans for 25c, Blackberries, 4 cans for 25c, York County Buckwheat, Fishing Creek Buckwheat, 75c for 25 lbs.

Dried Corn, 5c ⅌ lb, and 4 lbs for 25c. Finest Evaporated Corn.

Just Received—California Hams, 8c. Boneless Ham, 12c. Bologna, 3 lbs for 25c. Dried Beef, Cheese, 3 lbs for 25c. Limberger, 12½c ⅌ lb.

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SMOKED CISCOES—This is a lake fish smoked and very fine.

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Fresh Lobster, New Olives, Imported Macaroni and Vermicelli.

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20 lbs of Finest Evaporated Corn at 6 lbs for 25c. This is a Big Bargain and some one loses much money.

50 pails of Assorted Jellies at $1 ⅌ pail.
Fine Preserves, assorted, in pails, 10c ⅌ lb.
Big Lot of Apple Butter at 7c ⅌ lb, 4 lbs for 25c.
600 lbs of Mince Meat at 6, 8 and 10c ⅌ lb.
Big Lot of Finest New Green Peas at 7c ⅌ qt.
Finest Marrow Fat Beans at 10 ⅌ qt.
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We also have Lentils, Split Peas, Hominy, Lima Beans, etc., etc.
Wheat Germ, fresh from the mill, 6 lbs for 25c.
Granulated Corn Meat at 8 quarts for 25c.
Rolled Oats and Oat Meal at 6 lbs for 25c.
Finest New Italian Macaroni, 2 lbs for 25c.
Finest New Italian Vermicelli, 2 lbs for 25c.
Finest New Italian Spaghetti, 2 lbs for 25c.
Finest New Italian Paste (Tetter's), 2 lbs for 25c.
Honey in Combs, very fine, 18c ⅌ lb.
600 lbs Extracted New York State Honey, 2 lbs for 25c.
Finest Natural Color Pickles at 6c and 8c ⅌ dozen.
Nicnacs and Ginger Snaps (fresh), 3 lbs for 25c.
Finest Water Crackers, 4 lbs for 25c.
Tar Soap, just the thing for rough hands, 5c a cake.
Blackberries in cans, 4 for 25c.
Strawberries in cans, 4 for 25c.
Cherries in cans, 3 for 25c.
Fine Solid Packed Tomatoes, 8c a can.
Best Pie Peaches, 3 cans for 25c.
12c Canned Corn at 4 cans for 25c.
Finest French Peas at 2 cans for 25c.
Fine French Peas at 11c a can.
Codfish at 8c ⅌ lb.
Pickled Herring, 6 lbs for 25c.
Smoked Herring, 50 to 60 in box, 25c a box.
White Fat Mackerel at 5c each.
Deep Sea Bloater Mackerel, 18 and 20c ⅌ lb.
White Fish, 9c ⅌ lb.
Caustic Soda at 6c ⅌ lb.
Holland Herring, Limburger and Sweitzer Cheese.
Dried Beef, 15c; Knuckles, 15c; Picnic Hams, 8c ⅌ lb; Boneless Hams, 12c; Skinned Hams, 12c; Bologna, 3c