DRIFTWOOD.

ABOU BEN HILL'S SET-BACK.

Abou Ben Hill—soon may his temper cool—
Awoke one night from dreams of Bourbon rule,
And saw within his room, by moonlight gilt,
Making it rich as William Vanderbilt,
An angel writing in a book of gold:—
Exceeding cussedness had made Ben bold,
And to the presence in his room, said he:
"Is it a free-trade tract engrosses thee?"
"Nay," said the vision, dimpling round the mouth,
"I write the true friends of the current South."
"And is mine one?" said Ben. The angel's head
Shook a stern negative: Abou turned blood-red
And thundered out, "I pray thee, then, instanter
Write me Ben Hill—of Georgia—of Atlanta"
The angel wrote and vanished: e'er the week was
He sought Ben out upon the Senate floor,
And showed the names the South delights to own,
And lo, the list was headed by—Mahone!

—*Tribune.*

ALEXANDRE DUMAS is a champion of woman suffrage in France. He says: "They will vote gracefully, will soon wear bonnets a la ballot-box, universal suffrage wais.s and political equality skirts. At first it will make a sensation, then it will become fashionable, after that a habit, then an experience, then a duty, and at last a blessing."

ON the plains of Nevada, a mile from any house, a gentleman noticed a cat, a huge. It lay on its back, its feet uppermost, and was apparently dead. Around it, feeding unsuspectingly, was a flock of small birds. Just as he was thinking how much easier it would be for the animal to feign death and catch a bird by deceiving it than by slipping up to it, he was astonished to see the cat suddenly roll over and grab one of the feathered tribe that was very near. The other birds flew away a hundred yards or so and alighted. The cat only made one or two mouthfuls of the game and then crept around to the windward of the birds, laid himself out again and once more successfully played the dead dodge.

JAMES CASSIDY, a tailor in the employ of David H. Gaffin, Utica, N. Y., has had a miraculous escape from instant death. In Mr. Gaffin's store are a series of wide hatchways extending to the fourth floor, through which goods are elevated. A scuttle of coal was lifted to the fourth floor, where the tailors are at work, this morning, and while stooping to take it from the rope Cassidy lost his balance and fell headlong through the hatchway. While in the air he reached out wildly with his hands and fortunately succeeded in obtaining a hold on the rope. He struck the floor feet foremost, his clutch on the rope having somewhat broken the fall as well as landing him upright. His hands were badly lacerted in the descent, but, with the exception of the fright sustained, Cassidy is in no other respect the worse for his thrilling adventure.

WILLIAM MULLOCH is a resident of Hedgehog Harbor, Wisconsin. A short time since he incurred the displeasure of a portion of his neighbors, and a committee was appointed to furnish him with a suit of tar and feathers. They called at his residence, built a fire in the yard, with which they warmed the tar, tore open a pillow which they had with them and arranged the feathers ready for use. They then summoned Mr. Mulloch by gently heaving some rocks through the window. Being apprised of the intentions of his visitors, William appeared at the door with a Winchester rifle and announced his readiness to participate in the contemplated pic-nic, and gave notice of his intention to begin his part of the amended programme at once. The crowd saw the fire in his eye and suddenly decamped, leaving the tar and feathers as trophies of his bloodless victory.

THE *Miltonian*, of Milton, tells how one of the Hungarians employed in the construction of the double track of the P. & E. railroad above town, came to Milton to buy a cook stove. Upon examining a number of different patterns he concluded to take a nice looking range. After his purchase had been delivered, he built a fire in the oven of the "new fangled thing," and placed his bread upon the top of the stove and patiently awaited the heat to bake his living. But it did not seem to work satisfactorily. Highly incensed at being cheated, he repaired to the merchant who had made the sale and demanded that he take back his stove and refund the purchase money. The seller drove to the cabin of the Hungarian and after a hearty laugh, instructed him in the workings of the range, when the purchaser became delighted at the manner and promptness of the work done by his purchase. It was the first stove the buyer had ever seen.

MR. R. R. TANQUEY, the veteran Rochester sportsman, recently had a fight with a porpoise. In a letter from St. John's River, Florida, he says: "I will write you of my last struggle with a large porpoise. Yesterday, as I was rowing up in what we call the 'witchtide,' this monster came running between me and the bluff. I struck him on the head with my oar. He gave a sudden dart and went ashore like Jersey lightning, and I went almost as quickly after him. Then he rushed for the deep water again, but chanced to open his huge mouth. This was my chance, and I rammed the oar in his mouth and down his throat. Then came a tussle; he pulled and I pried. After a long struggle he quieted down. I ran for the boat and got my largest sword. With it I gave him a gash in the throat that made him wild with pain. After a while I got a chance to make him fast to the boat with a line around his tail. A man came to my assistance and we pounded him with clubs until he was dead. We waited for the next tide, as it was hard work to tow a dead porpoise. He doesn't float when dead. By hard work we got him ashore and to camp. Then we measured him. He was nine feet ten inches long, two feet three inches in diameter, and would probably have weighed more than six hundred pounds."

ABOUT SIX years ago, Mr. Libby, of Burton, Maine, went down to the pool and went out fishing with a party. Soon after they started he began to grow hoarse and be slightly pressed for breath, but he thought it was caused by dampness and fog that was rising from the water. He steadily grew worse until he could hardly whisper. About noon the party landed on one of the islands to cook their fish and eat their dinner, and Mr. Libby, who was standing beside the fire, found himself unable to speak. The party went home next day, deeply deploring the condition of their friend, who showed no signs of improvement. For three years Mr. Libby remained in a mute state, communicating to his friends by the use of a slate. Mr. Libby was prevailed upon to go down to the pool again, fishing, and the party with him landed on the island where three years before he had lost his speech. They built a fire and proceeded to dinner, and as Mr. Libby was walking around after dinner he suddenly slipped on a small stone and fell on his side. When he arose he found himself able to speak as well as ever he could, and he continued to speak and have full power of speech until his death, which occurred about two years after his recovery of speech.

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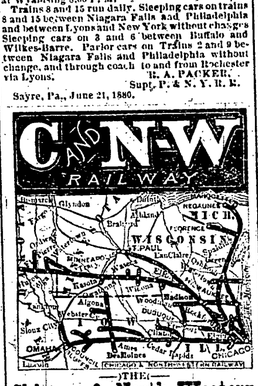

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