A True Snake Story.

Full forty or more years ago, when Mr. Chambers M'Kibben (now of Chambersburg) lived on what is now known by old residents here as the old Pierce farm, a snake incident occurred which has gone the rounds of the press from Maine to Los Angelos, and yet few know where it happened or who were the parties contained in it. In those days Mr. M'K. was a farmer, happy and contented, and we believe, at that time had one child, a little daughter. It was the custom of this little girl at various times to steal away from the table at meal with a part of her food to a secluded place, just outside a picket fence, which divided the yard from the field. Her mother, for reasons not definitely stated, thought fit to follow up and look after her child on one of these occasions. Upon arriving at the fence she heard the voice of her child saying in a childish way "quit, quit," as if gently repelling something. On looking over the fence her eyes met a sight which horrified her. The child was sitting among the grass and upon her lap had crawled a large blacksnake which was lying coiled up and playfully contending for a piece of cake which the child held in her hand. In those days Mrs. M'Kibben was young and active, and we might add here up to the time of her death, which occurred a few years since, proved herself capable of most anything that was good and noble. Following the instincts of a mother's love, with one bound she cleared the fence and seizing the child by the shoulders dragged her from under the reptile and fled.

The above is from the Newville Star, of last week. In order to ascertain its reliability we interviewed Mr. M'K., who kindly told us that the facts contained therein are correct in the main, and the little child who figures so conspicuously in the narrative, is now living in Pittsburg, married and happy.—Chambersburg Public Opinion.

A Father's Love-A Queer Way to Show It. The Maysville, (Ky.,) Bulletin tells the following singular incident : "While we were in Ripley, a few days ago, we learned a circumstance which in these days of practical matters, struck us as a little odd. Some two weeks ago, a gentleman in comfortable circumstances and apparently a man of education and refinement, arrived at that place with his family on a small trading-boat. Being in ill health, he concluded to rent a house and make Ripley for a time his home. In his intercourse with the people he informed them that he had been on the river for over twenty years, and followed trading rather for pleasure than profit. While his effects were being removed from the boat to his residence, a laborer was carring a peculiar shaped box, when one of the children told him to handle it carefully, asit contained the bones of his two little brothers. An inquiry into the matter developed the facts that twelve years ago the gentleman lost two children, to whom he was passionately attached, by death, and having a restless disposition, which impelled him to be on the move constantly, he could not reconcile himself to leave the remains of his two little ones among strangers. He chose rather to take them with him on his travels, which he has done ever since. They are contained in a

A Jump of One Hundred Feet on a Wager.

The Cincinnati Commercial, of a recent date, says: About three o'clock the other day a boy named John Leisser, eighteen or kinds of COUNTY, AND DYFING I mineteen years old, a worker in a machine shop on West Front street, jumped from the Cincinnati and Covington bridge, on a wager of \$20, and the performance was carefully prepared for, skiffs having been provided and manned to save the foolish youth from drowning. There were only a few spectators, as the performance was private, but Leasser climbed on one of the rails, six feet above the floor of the bridge, buttoned his coat and jumped. He struck the water with his feet, disappeared for a few seconds, and came to the surface all right. He was picked up by one of the skiffs and conveyed to the steamer Pat Rodgers. The distance from the rail to the surface of the water, perpendicularly, is 103 feet. The wonder is that death did not ensue from the concussion or shock to the system, produced by the sudden contact with the water from such a vast

of his sight."

A Diabolical Contrivance.

On the 19 just., information was sent to the detective force that Mrs. Charles C. Herring, wife of a carpet dealer on Second street below South, Philadelphia, received an infernal mackine containing three pounds of powder. A note accompanied the box, stating it contained some newly-patented articles.

The circumstances being suspicious, the box was carefully opened. It was one foot long and eight inches wide, was filled with powder, ou top of which, run through holes in a strip, were about fifty matches with the heads arranged to almost touch a sliding lid.

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June 16, 1874. **

ADAM H. HILBISH.

June 18, 1874. *

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SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.

Monday, June 15th, 1874.

TRAINS LEAVE HARRISBURG AS FOLLOWS: TRAINS LEAVE HARRISBUBG AS FOLLOWS:
For New York, at 5.25, 8.10 a. m. and 2.00 p. m. and *7.40 p. m.
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For Reading, at 5.25, 8.10, 9.45 a. m. 2.00, 3.50 and 7.40 p. m.
For Pottsville, at 5.25, 8.10 a. m. and 3.50 p. m. and via Schujkill and Susquehanna Branch at 2.40 p. m.
For Allentown, at 5.25, 8.10 a. m. 2.00 and 3.50 and 7.40 p. m.
The 5.25, 8.10 a. m. 2.00 p. m. and *7.40 p. m. trains have through cars for New York.
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SUNDAYS:

For New York, at 5.25 a. m.
For Allentown and Way Stations at 5.25 a. m.
For Reading, Philadelphia and Way Stations at 1.45p. m.

TRAINS FOR HARRISBURG, LEAVE AS FOL-

Leave New York, at 9.00 a. m. 12.40, 5.30 and *7,40p, m. Leave Philadelphia, at 9.15 a. m. 3.40 and 7.15 p. m. Leave Reading, at 4.30, 7.35, 11.20 a. m. 1.50, 6.10 and 10.30 p. m. Detection at 5.55, 9.00 a. m. and 4.30 p. m. Active Boading, at 4.30, 7.35, 11.20 a. m. 1.50, 6.10 and 10.20 p. m.

Leave Pottaville, at 5.55, 9.60 a. m. and 4.30 p. m. and via Schuykilli and Susquehanna Branch at 8.60 a. m.

Leave Allentown, at 2.30, 5.50, 8.50 a. m., 12.25, 4.30 and 8.55 p. m.

The 2.30 a. m. train from Allentown and the #4.30 a. m. train from Reading do not run on Mondays.

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Leave New York, at 5.30 p. m.
Leave Philadelphia, at 7.15 p. m.
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Leave Allentown, 2.30 a. m. and 8.55 p. m.

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