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WILLIAM WISE, Agent.

Mifflintown, Jan. 16, 1867-1y.

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June 27-tf.

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feb. 20, '67-1y.

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And all material required for building purposes.

Having connected with our Mill

Buckley's Patent Dry Kiln,

by which we can dry lumber in from TWO TO FOUR DAYS, by super-heated steam, without pressure.

Customers may therefore rely on getting perfectly Seasoned Lumber in their Doors, Window Frames, Sash, &c., &c.

march 13, 1867-6m.

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and also for

THE WILCOX & GIBS.

These are the two best Machines manufactured.

Persons wishing to purchase should call at Hecht & Strayer's Store, in Patterson, and examine for themselves.

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Jan 9, 1867

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And everything usually found in a first class Gentleman's Furnishing Store.

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SAMUEL STRAYER.

Patterson, april 10, '67.

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mar. 20, '67-3m.

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LARGER AND FINER ASSORTMENT OF

CLOTHS,
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Than ever was before brought to this town, which he is prepared to make to order in the

LATEST AND MOST IMPROVED STYLE,

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On reasonable terms.

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Coats,	Pants,	Vests,
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Hats &	Caps,	White Shirts
Flannel Shirts,	Undershirts, and Drawers.	

SULOUFF, FROW & PARKER.

Miscellaneous Reading.

BEWARE OF PICKPOCKETS.

A RAILROAD STORY.

"Beware of pickpockets, Joshua," said Joshua Harker's mother to her grown up son, when that interesting youth was about starting to visit his Aunt Betsy Baker, who lived seventy-five miles off, in the village of Grayburg.

"Yes'm," responded Joshua, dutifully, "I'll keep my eyes peeled for 'em. Guess if they ketch this child nappin', they'll rise earlier than they're used to."

"That's right, my lad; I allers knowed that you was the smartest of the family, Joshua, but I guess when you come to go about to see things you'll turn out to be smarter'n ever I thought. There's the keers comin' now. Look out, and hold on to your valise! And don't forget to be careful of your father's watch, and don't smoke no cigars, nor drink no water without lookin' into it, kase there was a woman, I've heard Betsy tell about, out there, drinkt a live snake! And do try and not dirty more'n two dickeys a week; it'll make such hard washin' for your Aunt, and she's got the rumatiz, you know! Now look out for your pocket-book! Tell Betsy to send me that recete for colorin' blue, and makin that quince-sass—and—lordy! here they be!" and with a kiss that made the very locomotive give a snort of amazement, Mrs. Harker tore herself away.

Joshua seated himself in the very middle of the car—he had heard it said that there was less danger there, and holding the valise on his lap, he put one hand on his watch and the other on his pocket-book, and mentally defied pickpockets—He had heard so much about their doings in the cars, that he thought it was impossible to use too much precaution.

At the next station they took on a very pretty but decidedly nervous young lady in a blue bonnet and pink dress. She passed beside Joshua and asked timidly:

"Is this seat engaged?"

"No, not that I know of," stammered Joshua, blushing up to his hair. "Want to set down?"

"Thank you," and she sat down so gracefully that her expansive crinoline spread entirely over Joshua's knees and valise, and completely enveloped our hero in an avalanche of flounces, shawl, fringe, &c.

Both of the young people seemed very much frightened. Joshua began to finger his pocket-book nervously, shifting it from his pocket to his coat, from thence to his vest, and finally deposited it in his hat, wishing at the same time that he could drop it in his boot.

The young lady fidgeted, and eyed her companion askance—pulling her bonnet strings, and clutched the handle of her reticule. But after a little while both seemed to get easier, and Joshua screwed up courage enough to say something.

"Fine day, marm."

"Yes, rather cold, though."

"That's a fact. Cooler than it was yesterday."

"Yes, sir, but not quite so cool as it was last winter."

"No, siree! Terrible cold Friday last winter, wasn't there?"

"Awful. Was you out any?"

"Out! I rather guess I was out in a spruce swamp driving old Buck and Broad all day! Golly how the frost stood on 'em?"

"Yes, I think likely."

A dead silence. At last with a desperate effort at sociability, Joshua asked the lady:

"Going far?"

"To Grayburg."

"You hain't! So be I. Quite a contiguency, hain't it?"

They were beginning to get better acquainted with each other, Joshua now took his hand away from his watch and put it round the back of the seat.

"Going to stay there long, Miss?"

"A week, I guess."

"Be you! About as long as I be," responded Joshua, letting his hand rest on the back of her shawl, and feeling very much as when Deacon Jones caught him robbing his pear tree. The young lady drew back.

"Law, you mustn't do so, sir. It ain't proper."

"I'd like to know what's to hender," said Joshua, boldly.

"Why, the folks will see us," said the lady.

"Who keers," said Joshua. "I am twenty-two years old. I've got my father's watch in my pocket, and ten dollars besides!" And forgetting he had deposited his wallet in his hat, he felt for it in his pocket.

"Jerusalem!" roared Joshua, springing to his feet in terrible dismay, "it ain't there! I've been robbed! It's gone! Somebody's committed arson to my person and pocket!" Joshua glared at the young lady by his side, who was now getting as excited as he was himself, and was busy feeling first in one pocket then in her reticule.

"You've got it!" thundered he. "I ort to have knowed you wasn't respectable! I've heern marm say a hundred times that no decent woman wore one of them waterfalls. You got it while I was huggin' you. I had no business to hug another gal when I'm keepin' company with Peggy Ann! Ten dollars that father got for brindle calf! Hand it over, or by scissors I'll search you if you be a woman!"

The young lady sprung up—her face red and her eyes blazing—she too had read the newspapers and heard of pickpockets.

An angry man is a fearful sight, but can't compare with an angry woman.—And this one was raging. She brandished her parasol in one hand and her reticule in the other.

"You've stolen my portmonie," said she. "You've taken advantage of an innocent, unprotected female, and played the part of a pickpocket! I might a' known that you was one! I've heern say they allers had red noses! Conductor! here! here! This white-eyed rascal has got my portmonie and Joe's miniature—and he hugged me—and he's got my pocket handkerchief—oh! dear! dear! I wish I had stayed to hum."

"Don't believe a word she says!" cried Joshua. "She's lyin'. She's the one that's been stealin'. She picked my pocket of everything but my father's watch and a plug o' tobacker; come and search her. Dear suz! I'm ashamed of myself! I was so startled that I couldn't cut my own fodder, and mind my P's and Q's. How I wish marm was here—she'd know just what to do. I'll see if I can't do something," and he began to climb over the seat.

The girl seized him by the coat tail.

"No you don't!" screamed she, "not by a long chalk! You think you're gettin off with my things do you! I'll let you know to the contrary? You'll wish your cake dough if you don't deliver up my portmonie. Stop him some of you—he's goin' to jump off the car with my valuables, an' I'll die if he shall. Conduc-tor! he's got Joe's miniature! Do stop him!"

By this time the whole car load of passengers were aroused to the condition of things, there was a division of opinion. Some took sides with the woman and some with Josh.

Joshua's senses began to be slightly muddled. A half score of people were heading him off, and that terrible young lady in a pink dress was clinging to his coat skirts, and his pocket book was gone. He felt desperate.

"Stand aside, every one of you," he cried to the passengers before him, and just then the cars gave a lurch, as they are in the habit of doing, and Josh went head first against the stomach of a fat woman who had risen to see what was the matter. The woman went over, Josh went, so did the young lady in pink, and the whole crowd fell on a seat where a very loving young couple and a lap dog were reposing. The seat was squelched, so were the lovers and the dog, and the cry arose faster and faster, "A collision! there's a collission!"

Everybody sprang to their feet and seized their carpet bags, and the comedy might have become a tragedy if the conductor had not just then appeared and restored order. He shook Joshua and ordered the young woman to sit down and behave herself.

Josh took off his hat to scratch his head, and lo! out dropped his pocket book. Our hero flung up both his hands in ecstasy. "Hoory, it's found. Hail Columby, ain't I glad!"

And about the same time the conductor picked up a nondescript looking bag from the floor. The young lady in pink rushed forward, and seizing it exclaimed, "My pocket! my pocket! It must have slipped off. O haint I glad! And Joe's pictur all hunk."

"Let's shake hands," said Joshua, approaching her, "I hain't a pickpocket, and by golly I'll have a kiss."

And he did.

THE SENTENCE OF DEATH IN ENGLAND.

The progress from barbarism to civilization does not show itself in British jurisprudence. The sentence pronounced on Burke and Doran, the condemned Fenians, is thus reported:

"The Chief Justice, addressing the prisoners, said: Thomas F. Burke and Patrick Doran, after a protracted and careful investigation into your respective cases by a jury whose patience was unwearied, you have been found guilty, and you are now called on to receive the last sentence of the law for the highest crime known to the law, that of high treason against the queen. Nothing indeed remains for me but to perform the sad and painful duty imposed upon me by law, and that duty is to pronounce the sentence which I cannot change or alter. (His lordship here put on the black cap.)—That sentence is that you and each of you shall be taken from the place where you now stand to the place from whence you came, and that on Wednesday, the 29th day of this month of May, you be drawn on a hurdle from that place to the place of execution, and that there you and each of you *shall be hanged by the neck until you are dead,* and that afterwards the head of each of you shall be severed from the body, and the body of each of you divided into four quarters, shall be disposed of as her Majesty and her Executive shall think fit, and may the Lord God Almighty have mercy on your souls. (His lordship here appeared deeply affected, and many persons in the court shed tears.)

SELLING A SUBJECT.

A man sitting one evening in an ale house, thinking how to get provisions for the next day, saw a fellow dead drunk upon the opposite bench.

"Do you not wish to get rid of this sot?" said he to the landlord.

"I do, and half a crown shall speak my thanks," was the reply.

"Agreed," said the other, "get me a sack."

A sack was procured, and put over the drunken guest. Away trudged the man with his burden, till he came to the house of a noted resurrectionist, at whose door he knocked.

"Who's there?" said a voice within.

"I have brought you a subject," replied the man, "come, quick, give me my fee."

The money was immediately paid, and the sack, with its contents, deposited in the surgery. The motion of the quick walking had nearly recovered the poor victim, who, before the other had gone two minutes, endeavored to extricate himself from the sack.

The purchaser, enraged at being thus out-witted, ran after the man who had deceived him, collared him, and cried out:

"Why, you dog, the man's alive!"

"Alive!" said the other, so much the better; kill him when you want him!"

RAFFLE TO PAY FOR A SHROUD AND COFFIN.

We doubted the truth of a report that a woman in Erie had gotten up a ball to raise means to pay the expenses of her husband's funeral, but we are now inclined to credit the rumor, inasmuch as a case somewhat similar has come to our notice in this city. We are informed that one day last week a poor woman died in the Sixth Ward. She had no relatives here, and a few of the neighbors took charge of the arrangements for her burial. A shroud and a coffin were obtained, but the deceased had left no money, and the "committee of arrangements" (a number of ladies) attempted to beg the necessary amount, but in this they did not succeed. They then purchased a lot of spoons and various other articles, and got up a raffle to raise the stamps. Whether they were successful in this, we cannot say. Our informant is a gentleman who was appealed to purchase a ticket.—*Har. Tel.*

☞ The English language is about six hundred years old.