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Boys' kip Balmorals,	1 25
Youths' kip Balmorals,	1 00
Women's lasting high Polish,	2 75
Women's Congress gaiters,	to 2 50
Women's lasting Balmorals,	1 90
Women's Morocco Balmorals,	2 00
Women's Morocco shoes,	1 65
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Reading Accom., all way stations	7:30 a. m.
Express, principal stations	10:35 "
Way and Market, all stations	11:30 "
Express, principal stations	4:20 p. m.
Way and Mail, all stations	6:30 "

FOR POTTSVILLE.

Ashland, Tamaqua, &c., and W. stations,	10:35 a. m.
Pottsville and all way stations	5:50 p. m.
Pottsville, Ashland, Tamaqua, &c	6:10 "

FOR HARRISBURG AND THE WEST.

Express, Lebanon, Harrisburg and west,	1:10 a. m.
Accom., Harrisburg and all way stations	7:15 "
Mail, Harrisburg and principal stations,	10:45 "
Fast, Lebanon, Harrisburg and the west,	1:50 p. m.
Way, Harrisburg and all way stations	6:05 "
Express, Leb., Harrisburg and the west,	10:10 "

ARRIVE from Harrisburg at 4:49, 7:06, 10:25 a. m. and 4:10, 6:25, 11:40 p. m.

FOR NEW YORK

And principal way stations	4:44 a. m.
For New York and principal way stations	7:06 "
For " and all way stations	10:30 "
For " " "	2:40 p. m.
For " " "	4:20 p. m.
For " and principal way sta'ns,	11:40 "

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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23d, 1868.

Passenger Trains will run on this Road, as follows:

Leave Lancaster and Columbia at	8 00 A. M.
" Lancaster	3 00 P. M.
" Columbia	3 00 P. M.
Arrive at Reading	10 20 A. M.
" "	5 30 P. M.
RETURNING:	
Leave Reading at	7 00 A. M.
" "	6 15 P. M.
Arrive at Lancaster	9 20 A. M.
" Columbia at	9 25 "
" Columbia and Lancaster at	8 30 P. M.

Trains Nos. 2 and 4 make close connection at Reading with Trains North and South, on Phila. and Reading Railroad, and West on Lebanon Valley Road. No. 2 also makes close connection with Train for New York.

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READING, AUGUST 6TH 1868.

SUMMER ARRANGEMENT OF PASSENGER TRAINS, August 3, 1868.

Five Trains down to Philadelphia, passing Reading at 7 30, 10 35 and 11 30 a. m., and 4 25 and 6 30 p. m.

Up to Pottsville, at 10 40 a. m., and 5 50 and 6 00 p. m.

Trains West to Lebanon and Harrisburg:

Western Express from New York, at 1 10 a. m., and 1 34 and 10 10 p. m.

Harrisburg Accommodation Train at 7 15 a. m., and mail trains at 10 45 a. m. and 6 05 p. m.

On Sundays, the down trains pass Reading at 9 40 a. m. and 4 25 p. m., and up trains at 10 50 a. m. and 5 57 p. m.

The 4 25 p. m. down, and 10 50 a. m. up trains run only between Philadelphia and Reading.

Up trains leave Philadelphia for Reading, Harrisburg and Pottsville, at 7 30 and 8 15 a. m., 12 45 noon, and 3 30 p. m. and 5 15 p. m., for Reading only. The 8 15 a. m. trains connect with trains for Tamaqua, Williamsport, Elmira, Buffalo, Niagara and Canada.

The 8 15 a. m. and 3 30 p. m. up trains from Philadelphia, and 10 35 a. m. and 4 25 p. m. down trains stop only at principal stations, below Reading.

Reading Accommodation Train: leaves Reading at 7 30 a. m., returning leaves Philadelphia at 5 15 p. m.

Pottstown Accommodation Train leaves Pottstown at 6 45 a. m., returning leaves Philadelphia at 4 30 p. m.

The Western Express Trains connect at Harrisburg with express trains on the Pennsylvania R. R. for Baltimore, Pittsburgh, and all points west, and the 10 45 mail train connects at Harrisburg for Pittsburgh, Lancaster, Chambersburg, Sunbury, Scranton, Pittston, Wilkesbarre, Williamsport, Lock Haven, Elmira and the Canadas.

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AN ACROSTIC.

We find the following curious piece of poetry in the Presbyterian Magazine. The initial capital letters spell "My boast is in the glorious Cross of Christ," and the words in italic, when read from top to bottom and from bottom to top, make the Lord's prayer:

Make known the Gospel truths, *our* Father, King;
Yield us Thy grace, dear *Father*, from above,
Bless us with hearts *which* feelingly can sing
Our life Thou *art* for *ever* God of love;
Assuage our griefs *in* love *for* Christ we pray,
Since the bright Prince of *heaven* and *glory* died!
Took all our shame, and *hallowed the* display,
In first *be* ing man, *and* then being crucified.
Stupendous God! *Thy* grace and *power* make known,
In Jesus' name let all *the world* rejoice,
Now labors in *Thy* heavenly *kingdom* own,
That blessed *kingdom*, for Thy saints *the* choice!
How vile to *come* to Thee, *is* all our cry,
Enemies of *thy* self, and all that's *thine!*
Graceless our *will*, our lives *for* vanity
Loathing thy Truth, *being evil* in design.
O God, thy will be *done from* earth,
Reclining *on* the Gospel let *us* live
In *earth* from sins *deliver* ed and forgiven,
Oh *as* Thyself, *but* teach us to forgive,
Unless *it*-s power *temptation* doth destroy,
Sure *is* our fall *into* the depths of woe;
Carnal *in* mind, we've *not* a glimpse of joy,
Raised against *heaven* in *us* no hope can flow,
O *give* us grace and *lead* us on Thy way;
Shine on *us* with Thy love, and give *us* peace;
Self and *this* sin which rise *against* us say;
Oh! grant each *day* our *trespass* es may cease,
Forgive *our* evil deeds *that* oft we do.
Convince us *daily* of *them* to our shame,
Help us with heavenly *bread; forgive* us too
Recurrent lusts, *and we* adore Thy name,
In thy *forgive* ness we *as* saints can die,
Since, for *us* and our *trespasses* so high,
Thy Son *our* Saviour bled on Calvary.

MARRIAGE.

Marriage is a change of existence—a death-birth, as our German friends would say—an Exodus—a transit from one life to another—and with as impenetrable a veil of doubt and uncertainty spread over that other life, as is over that life to whose domains Death is the portal. "Where we are, we know," may a man about to be married well exclaim; where we have been we also know; whither we are going, no man knoweth, nor can know, 'till the going has merged into the gone." Charles V. said, no man could be said to be truly brave until he had snuffed a candle with his fingers; but my idea is, that no man's courage can be so severely tested as by entering into the holy state of matrimony, provided only that the man be of a contemplative, reflective nature. This courage is more required on the woman's part than on the man's. She must infallibly know less of him than he of her, as he beholds her ever in the world she moves in; whereas he, when he leaves her, mingles and is lost in the crowd of outer life. Whether he keep himself apart among the virtuous, or has his haunts among the vicious, she can only hear by report, and report is not a witness that should be trusted, and female etiquette denies her the searching inquiries necessary for complete satisfaction. Then again, he has more resources than she, if the home be made unhappy by the ill-assorted union. The tavern, the theatre, the meeting, the mart, are all open to him. He can be away from home when he likes, and as long as he likes; and when from home, to all intents and purposes, he is a bachelor again. Not so she, poor lady! Once a wife, a wife forever. She may not, cannot, would not, dare not, leave him. The laws, her children, and her high womanly instinct alike forbid it. She can never lay down her wifehood and become a maid again. And even if she do separate from him, and return once more to her father's house, the gay heart, the unspeakable palpitation of maidenly desire and hopes, building promises of coming life—these are there no longer; the butterfly is freed, but the wings are torn and unfeathered—it can fly no more. Hence, there is no one thing more lovely than when a maiden leans her fairy cheek upon her lover's breast, and whispers—"Dear heart! I cannot see, but I believe. The Past was beautiful, but the Future I can trust—*with thee!*"

—A few days since, a man named Tullo, a usually sober, quiet citizen, residing near Spring Hill, Steddard county, Mo., returned to his home in a state of intoxication. From some cause a quarrel sprung up between himself and wife, when he seized a gun with the avowed intention of shooting her. In order to defend herself she threw up her arm, when Tullo struck her with the gun, breaking the arm. At this point a son interfered, wresting the gun from his father, and striking him on the head broke his skull, so that he died almost instantly.

—A new city ice boat was launched on Wednesday afternoon at Philadelphia from Cramp & son's ship-yard, in the presence of a large number of persons. Her motive power is twenty per cent. greater than the boat used last year. She is built of iron, and cost $160,000. She will be ready for service about the first of the year.

A SAD MEMORY.

Eddie Lee and his little sister Eva were at play in the garden. It was a warm bright day in Summer, but Eva complained of being cold, and wanted Eddie to take their playthings, and go in to the nursery.

To this Eddie was very much opposed, having a natural dislike to being confined in the house when it was possible to be out of doors.

"But I'm chilly," said Eva, in remonstrance.

"Pshaw!" answered Eddie. "Get up and stir yourself then, and you'll get warm quick enough. I'm comfortable in the shade and here it's all sunshine."

"But I'm *tired*," said Eva, sitting down.

"Oh fudge!" cried Eddie, "lazy you mean!"

"No I don't!" answered Eva. "I ain't lazy, I'm tired!"

"Tired of what?" asked Eddie impatiently.

"Tired of running around with you," answered Eva. "I've played to suit you, now you ought to come in and play with me a spell."

"But I don't like to play girls' plays," answered Eddie.

"I played your plays 'cause you wanted me to," urged Eva.

"What of it?" laughed Eddie, very provokingly throwing up his ball, and running off after it as it came down.

"Please do come in and play with me, just a little while," pleaded Eva. "I'll play what you want to, if you will, I'd just as lief play out here, only I'm tired and cold. When I get rested I'll come out with you. You'll come in, won't you Eddie?" and her blue eyes looked up very pleadingly into his.

"No I won't, so there!" answered Eddie, crossly. "I'm not going to shut myself up in the house such a fine day as this, just because you're too lazy to play out doors."

"I ain't lazy," said Eva, her face getting red with excitement.

"Yes you are," answered Eddie, "and you know it, too. A great big, lazy girl. Shame!"

Eddie pointed his finger in her face, a very scornful expression on his features.

"I do think you're real mean," cried Eva, beginning to cry, "for I ain't lazy, if you do say so."

"Cry-baby! cry-baby!" said Eddie, with a wry face, very aggravating, and very much to be ashamed of if he only had known it at the time.

Eva answered not a word. She was too grieved for that. She got up very slowly and turned to go into the house. Angry and annoyed to think he was to lose her assistance in playing "horse" he gave her a push that sent her headlong against the door, and said in low, intensely angry tones:

"I hate you, Eva Lee! You're just one of the meanest, ugliest girls I ever knew."

She left him, without even looking at him or saying a word.

At supper she was absent from the table. Her mother said she was not feeling well, and had laid down to rest.

The next morning she was in high a fever. Doctor Gray was sent for and he prescribed for her, and ordered perfect quiet. But she grew worse, and for two days she lay between life and death.

On the third day, the doctor saw there was a change, but not for the better. Eva must die.

Can you imagine how Eddie felt when he was told that his sister was dying? I think not. He would have given a world if he could have done so, to have his angry words unsaid. How wicked and shameful his conduct looked to himself. She had complained of being cold and tired, and he had called her lazy, while it was the disease at work in her system. How he wished he had yielded to her entreaties, and played with her as she desired. But his repentance came too late.

Eva died. It was just sunset. They stood by her little white bed, weeping very sorrowfully. The window was open, and the sunshine and breeze came in, bringing brightness and perfume. A robin sung in the cherry tree. Eddie will never forget that scene.

"Sing," she said, lifting her eyes to her mother's tearful face, as she bent over her darling. And her mother sang the dear old cradle hymn with which she had soothed her child to rest many times. Now she sang to her while she fell asleep in death, in the last, sweetest sleep of all.

Eddie is a man now; but the memory of his unkind words will never be forgotten.

SPEAK LOW.

I know some houses, well built and handsomely furnished, where it is not pleasant to be even a visitor. Sharp, angry tones, resound through them from morning till night, and the influence is as contagious as the measles, and much more to be dreaded in a household. They catch it, and it lasts for life. A friend had such a neighbor within hearing of her house, and even Poll Parrot has caught the tune, and delights in screaming and scolding, until she has been sent into the country to improve her habits. Children catch cross tones quicker than parrots, and it is a much more expensive habit.—Where mother sets the example, you will scarcely hear a pleasant word among the children in the play with each other. Yet the discipline of such a family is weak and irregular. The children expect just so much scolding before they do anything they are bidden, while in many a home where the low, firm voice of the mother, or a decided look of her eye is law, they never think of disobedience, either in or out of her sight.

O, mothers, it is worth a great deal to cultivate that "excellent thing in woman," a low, sweet voice. If you are ever so much tired by the mischievous or wilful pranks of the little ones, speak low. It will be a great help to you even to try and be patient and cheerful, if you cannot wholly succeed.—Anger makes you wretched, and your children also. Impatient, angry tones never did the heart good, but plenty of evil. Read what Solomon says of them, and remember what he wrote with an inspired pen. You cannot have the excuse for them that they lighten your burdens any, for they only make them ten times heavier. For your own, as well as your children's sake, learn to speak low. They will remember that one tone when you are under the willows. So, too, would they remember a harsh and angry voice. Which legacy will you leave to your children?

THE SABBATH FOR THE WORKINGMAN.—The Sabbath is God's special present to the workingman, and one of its chief objects is to prolong his life and preserve efficient his working tone. In the vital system it acts like a compensation pond; it replenishes the spirits, the elasticity and vigor, which the last six days have drained away, and supplies the force which is to fill the six days succeeding; and in the economy of existence, it answers the same purpose as, in the economy of income, is answered by a savings bank. The frugal man, who puts aside a pound to-day and another pound next month, and who, in a quiet way, is always putting by his stated sum from time to time, when he grows old and frail gets not only the same pounds back again, but a good many pounds besides; and the conscientious man, who husbands one day of existence every week, who, instead of allowing the Sabbath to be trampled and torn in the hurry and scramble of life, treasures it devoutly up—the Lord of the Sabbath keeps it for him, and in length of days and a hale old age, gives it back with usury. The savings bank of human existence is the weekly Sabbath.—*North Branch Review.*

—During the progress of tearing down an old chimney in the house belonging to Mr. Johnson, of Essex, N. H., recently, a tile hat of the old stove-pipe style, containing an old-style blue and white home-made linen handkerchief, was found buried in the hollow portion of the chimney. The hat was in a good state of preservation, and after a burial of sixty-five years is now in style again. The chimney was very large, containing four fireplaces, and was bulit in 1803, as was determined by marks upon the bricks.

—California has within its border 152 lodges of Free and Accepted Masons, with an aggregate membership of 7,606. The Grand Lodge was orgahized April 15, 1850.

—A Mr. Whitney, of Leominster, Mass., shot a golden eagle recently. The bird weighed ten pounds, and measured seven feet ten inches from tip to tip of its wings.

—A traveling "Count," arrested in New York for practicing the "dead Beat" game on hotels, pleaded in extenuation that he was insane from a disappointment in love.

—A steamboat twenty-two feet in length and carrying eighteen persons has been built on Washoe Lake, Nevada. It has a brass engine of seventy-five pounds weight.

—In Australia they have fenced in 10,000 acres where ostriches are kept, and it is found that the feathers of a full grown bird will sell for $100 a year.

—All the cotton mills of Newburyport, Mass., pass their October dividends. The balances are on the wrong side of the ledger.

—Two feet of snow in Quebec, and fifteen inches of the same in Oxford county, Maine.