I painted gauds and mimic soenes, id pompose trick that nothing mean i glaring light and shouting crowd, id love words in derision vowed; it crowned king with starving even, as dying swain who never cless it hellow show and empty heart; reat ministers of tragic ar. Pak, man! the eager people wait:
Go on with all thy studied prate.
Snaall you not feet their longing eyes
Because—because a woman olean.
What cares the crowd for dying wives,
Yor broken hearts, or blasted lives!
They paid their money, and they—say—
Laving or dead, on with the play.

What! staggering, than? why, where syo That stare was good; that trage, start Would make your fortune were it not That it rebukes the author's plot.
"My wife is dying?" He ne'er wrote Take backyour money," did yeu say! "Take backyour money," did yeu say! "Take backyour money," did yeu say!

Ring down the drop; the act is o'er; Nor bark has touched the golden shore, while, reading from life's inner page, Stands there is actor of the stage; Stan not upon the rold, white corse Falls there a word of sad remorse From at: that drowd who heard him say, "Eing down the drop—I cannot play."

## EPHEMERIS.

-Pisterl is in Holland. -Senator Chandler is going to Europe. -Leo Hudson, the Mazeppist, has mar-

-Mr. George Peabody is coming home to die.

-The latest thing in dresses-night dresses. -In California the mountain tront are

two feet long. -Blank-dispair-to miss a prize in a lottery-Punch. -Detroit has been having a discussion

about school books. -Georgi is the newest opera prima-

contralto in London. -An elephant race is sation in Cincinnati.

-Columbus, Ohio, and Boston, Mass. are to have baby shows.

-The Sunday horse-cars question i troubling Newark, N. J. -Lester Wallack and W. J.

went to Europe last week. -Commodore Goldsborough's died in Philadelphia last week.

-Fish resembling shad have been found in Lake Ontario. They are shad. -A reckless paper asserts that Phau is per-Phan-ming at New Orleans.

-Last week, in Boston, the Indian Deerfoot and a velocipede ran a race. -Volpini is a prima donna who sings at St. Petersburg for \$18,000 per month. -The Chicago Post says McKean Buchange is to retire from the stage, by re-

-Two sentimental girls in London romantically stabbed themselves with their

-It is said that there are at least one million Baptists in Great Britain and Ireland.

-- Open-air concerts are to be among the rational amusements of Chicago this -Burlingame and the other Chinese

mandarins leave Paris for Berlin on the 21st inst.

-An eastern editor has discovered that Taticence.

-A champion ten pin player in Savannah recently made twelve consecutive ten-strikes.

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-Punch calls the recently knighted musician, Sir Michael Costa, an extra Opera Knight

-Minnie Hauck's Parisian failure was

almost compensated for by her wonderful SUCCESS at Amsterdam. -The Prince of Wales is interested in

the coming Derby and will be back in

-Chignons are said to be going out in

blessing to wearers of that historic pile. -Another underground railroad has been chartered for New York. We hope it may be more successful than its prede-CCSSOTS.

-Carl Formes wore balmoral boots when he played Shylock in Glasgow recently, and the Scotch critics were indignant. -The city bill poster at Lowell stuck

be seen there. -Artemus Ward's mother has con-

cluded that the public does not intend to erect a monument to her son's memory, and so is about to do it herself.

-At Minneapolis several hundred Scandinavians met Ole Bull at the railway station and escorted him to his hotel, after

which he made them a speech. -A new picture at the Fine Arts Exhibition in Paris this year, attracted a good deal of attention because it was by Count

-James Gordon Bennett has presented \$1,500 to the fire department as a reward for its exertions in extinguishing the fire at his country residence last September. -Lawyers in St. Louis, in order to

have an outward distinction from common folks, have adopted the fashion of wearing, at all times, swallow tail coats. -Chinese thieves are not respectors of

law prohibiting Christians from entering Mohammeden mosques. The Sultan is even accused of leaning a little to chrisianity himself.

in a tub from the bark Oriole, of New many respects it gives a correct idea of the tribulations of hundreds of the disap--Two Hawalians attempted to desert the Marquesas Islands. They returned, swimming, in about eleven hours, having

ost the tub. -Among other celebrated works of art included in Mr. Corcoran's munificent bequest to the city of Washington, is in cluded the original statue of the Greek at inauguration to be ready to see ou Slave, for which Mr. Corcoran has refused \$20,000.

-A contemporary says, that rearly all the brilliant complexions seen among the too cumbersome to putaway. I had some females of New York are the result of arsenic eating. Since the introduction of the "blonde fashion" arsenic eating has become almost a mania.

-The Lynchburg (Va.) Republican reports the recent discovery in the gorges of the mountains, near Allegheny Springs, of a waterfall twelve hundred feet high! A party was soon to leave Lynchburg to visit the spot and attest the truth of the

-An ancient idea was that no negro had ever invented anything; even when this was generally believed it was untrue for the most comfortable of easy chairsthe one which reclines to any and every angle-was invented by a slave in Old Virginia, and now we hear of a valuable cotton plow produced by a Southern freed-

-Colorado is admirably adapted to the culture of grapes. The soil is rich and the air light and dry, so that there would be little danger of, the rot and mildew which prove so destructive to the crop further west. Wild grapes grow in great abundance in Colorado and Arkansas, enough it is said to make several thousand barrels of wine a year.

-A traveler says that if he were asked o describe the first sensation of a camelride, he would say: "Take a music stool, and having wound it up as high as it would go, put it in a cart without springs, get on the top, and next drive the cart transversely across a plowed field, and you will then form some notion of the terror and uncertainty you would experience the first time you mounted a camel.

How to Lengthen Life. 1. Cultivate an equable temper; many a man has fallen dead in a fit of passion.
2. Eat regularly, not over thrice a day, and nothing between meals.

3. Go to bed at regular hours. Get up as soon as you wake of yourself, and do not sleep in the day time, at pleast not longer than ten minutes before noon. Work always by the day, and not by the job.

5. Stop working before you are very much tired—before you are 'fagged out.'

6. Cultivate a generous and accommo dating temper.
7. Never cross a bridge before you come to it, this will save half the

of life. 8. Never eat when you are not hungry, nor drink when you are not thirsty. 9. Let your appetite always come un-

often times the shrewdest sort of sense is than the one in which you have been exercising; this simple rule would prevent incalculable sickness, and save millions of lives every year. 11. Never resist a call of nature for a single moment.

12. Never allow yourself to be chilled "through and through;" it is this which destroys so many every year, in a few pers Knight.

—Cattle thieves in Texas are in the by some, lung fever or inflammation of —Cattle thieves in Texas are in the by some, the lungs.

wholesale business. One the other day the lungs.

13. Whoever drinks no liquids at meals the sylectore to

will add years of pleasurable existence to his life. Of cold or warm drinks the former are the most persistence to house by mistake; wife sent me 210 could former are the most pernicious; drinking at meals induces persons to eat more than they otherwise would, as any one can verify by experiment; and it is excess in eating which devastates the land

England in time to attend it.

—An exchange has discovered that there is a canal that every body still travels on, and that is the alimentary.

Chimpers are said to be going out in persons can soon accustom themselves to pious Paris, because the Pope refuses his a seven-hour interval between eating, thus giving the stomach rest; for every organ without adequate rest will "give out" prematurely .- Hall's Journal of Health.

THE splendid locomotive America, which was built at the great locomotive works of Patterson, N. J., in 1867, and which was awarded the gold medal at the Paris exposition in the same year, has been purchased by the Rock Island rail-The city bill poster at Lowell stuck the notices to milkmen, the other day, on the public pumps, certain that they would to take her through to San Francisco. This locomotive is the finest specimen of workmanship of the kind ever manufactured in this country, and cost \$60,000. The boiler is silver-plated, the smokestack of German silver and the engine over. In the fight between St der is beautifully veneered, the word traumphed over the man of many defeats. America being set in with different va. and has added another to the list of fail

STEEL BAILS, it is reported, are to be laid on the entire length of the railroad his personal knowledge Mr. Young of the from Paris to Marseilles. The change Tribune sent associate press news to the from iron to start the change of the length of the change of the land of the change of the length of the land of the length of the length of the land of th de Waldeck, who is 103 years old.

—The New York Regard says: "It is proposed by a few, gentlemen in Washington for get up a real English dinner to that in the vicinity of the stations from to steel will require 187,000 Philadelphia Post. He ence ordered for the Company, it has been calculated order was obeyed. When the leak was discovered, Mr. C. refused to send further news, and the intimates, was therefore that in the vicinity of the stations from rail will not last over four years, and on the whole line not over eight or ten years.

The steel rails, it is believed, will last thirty or forty years. The bridges are also to be constructed of steel as soon—as bloom. The bud broke and first showed bloom. The bud broke and first showed

THE Illinois Legislature has passed a very stringent law for the manage of the plant, from four five inches in diameter. idiots and insane persons, and gives their —Chinese thieves are not respectors of persons and property to the charge of persons, as one proved recently, who guardians or the Overseers of the Poor.

An Office Booker's Tribulations. A Washington c orrespondent sends the following letter as having been picked up a few days since in the hall of one of the hotels in that city, and says that in

pointed:
WASHINGTON, D. C., April 26, 1869. My Dear Sir: I had purposed writing to yeu as soon as I got my appointment as foreign Minister, but as I failed in that I have since been waiting, Macawber like, for "something to turn up." You may not be aware that I came on here great Captain as soon as he had the pow er to dispense. I had two trunks packed

with recommendations, beside a long roll of the names of our fellow-citizens that was of the most influential men in our village, including 11 saloon keepers, 2 merchants 9 farmers, 74 government contractors during the war, 1 soldier (drafted), 2,489 politicians (very influential in their own estimation), and I believe also four or five honest men (which latter I had to write their names legible), and 1,941 sound, constitutional country lawyers, besides various other names a friend of mine wrote for me during the time I was treat

ing all hands for their signatures. With these important papers and a value full of letters of introduction, methought the case a clear one for at least England, France, Spain, the German Confederations of the case and the case at least England, France, Spain, the German Confederation of the case of th tion, or mayhap Russia; was not particu lar as to location—eye to pay. Had an interview with the President; asked me what I wanted, told him minister, consul or collector in a small place like N. Y. was all I aspired to; said I would do well

was all I aspired to; said I would do well in being precise as to exact position, and suggested that I should call agsin. In the meantime, before I could see him again, Motley had done me on England, Curtin, on Russia, Washburn was booked for Parley Vous, and I concluded that foreign principals. and I concluded that foreign missions were not much after all—very dangerous travelling by water, as those steamers race at times—could not make the port of New York on account of Grinnell, and went back on New Orleans myself (after I heard the new Collector had been con-

firmed,) on account of the yellow fever. Saw the President, told him I thought an auditorship would do. Asked me which one. Said I was not particular. President suggested I would drop in after Thad made up my mind. In a day or two heard those had been filled, and attributed my failure to not having my name written in place of one of thei

To show just where I was, I send extracts from my diary:
March 24. Hotel bill presented including refreshments 20 days, \$218 75; paid on same, \$12; balance, \$506 70; drew on

March 27. Wife sent \$150 by mail borrowed from a neighbor; changed hotel 25th so this will keep me until I can change again, most of my recommenda-tion in trunks at first hotel. March 81. Saw President; said per-haps I could get a clerkship if I knew the

department I would prefer; to call again.

April 4. Saw the President; said a clerkship in the Interior Department would suit; replied no vacancies, call again; that 2d Hotel is not what I consider a first class house; changed to boardng house; left valise and overcost; sent to

wife for \$200,

April 7. Letter from wife; says come home; sent me \$40; sold the "line-back" cow to get it; all right when I get an office; advanced \$10 on board. April 9. Pocket picked on street cars

only satisfaction I have had in Washington; no money in the wallet; three hotel bills and mem. of bal. due for washing; I hope the thief will not be found dead with those papers on his person; I shall

never get the office.

April 12. Landlord wants another Advance; I will leave these one-horse boarding houses at once; saw the President; told him a messenger's place would be acceptable; advised me to call again; changed boarding house, or rather left the last; have not put up at any; take my meals as I want them; drew on wife for \$100.

not raise any more; advises me to "not be a fool." 4:30 P. M. Have been so busy in looking after my wife's letter have not dined; did not have any appetite for breakfast; I shall eat heartily; two days of fast sharpens the appetite and helps di gestion; people do gaze at me wonder-fully walking around this cold day in a summer duster; I am sorry I forgot my coat; saw it on the boarding house-

keeper's son—just fits him.
April 21. Saw the President; did not know me; glad he did not; asked him if he had an old suit of clothes he could give me; told me to call again; I won't do it for him or for any other man. What shall I do? Ah! I have it, to morrow I will write to a friend in New York and have him send me his pass on the railroad, and I think I will go home. I think Washington a very unhealthy place Will you send me the pass? I have

concluded not to call again upon the President. Yours truly,

ELIJAH POGRAM. THE broad gauge railroad tracks of England have nearly all been taken up. So few remain that the London Shippi List says that "the battle of the gauges is house inlaid with hard wood. The ten- and Brunel, the genius of the North has rieties of wood letters. All the bright whistle and dome being heavily silver-plated. The locomotive left for the West on Thesia.

also to be comed to the manufacture can be itself on the 25th of April, and on the 8th inst. it was four feet eight inches high, growing from three to four inches a day

persons, as one proved recently, who picked a gold watch out of the pocket of the English Chief of Police at Hong Kong.

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