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SELECT POETRY.

The Locomotive and the Snow-Flakes.

Armed with a giant's mighty strength— My feeblest nerves all brass; My sinews in their devious length, Strong iron muscles grasp.

looked at us, pointed to the boy, and then resumed his meditations. "Are there any monkeys in this house?" I asked the boy, "Up stairs," was his reply; and up stairs we went accordingly.

exceedingly dirty pitchers, cups, pots and pans. The inventory of furniture comprise the following articles: one large, dirty, pine table, and about a dozen (empty) monkey boxes.

THE POCKET BOOK.

Scene First—A young gent discovered surrounded by his friends, who are jesting with him regarding his intentions to a certain young lady.

lieve the whole story from beginning to end. Of a sudden the credit of the Lehoux became unbounded, and both mother and daughter improved it by purchasing all sorts of fine dresses, laces and jewels.

A DONKEY IN A BALL ROOM.

Mr. KENDALL, writing from Paris to the New Orleans Picayune, describes the following scene in a Paris ball room.

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WILL attend faithfully and promptly to all professional business, in Northumberland and Union counties. He is familiar with the German language.

A Sketch.

"HOME OF THE ORGAN GRINDERS AND THEIR MONKEYS."

A correspondent of the Home Journal is writing a series of sketches of visits to remarkable places in and about New York. The last number describes "The Home of the Organ Grinders and their Monkeys," a species of traveling musicians who issue from the Empire city, and travel over the whole extent of our country.

By the time we had completed our survey, a young man, with a sunny Italian countenance, entered, followed by a woman, who, with ourselves, quite filled up the room.

REMEDY FOR CONSUMPTION.—It will be recollected that several months ago we published an abstract of an article by Dr. STOKES in a New Orleans medical journal, relative to a new remedy for consumption.

AN UNREASONABLE PROPOSAL.

An Irish laborer, who was in the employment of an English gentleman, residing in Ireland, was on one occasion about going to a fair, held annually at a neighboring village, when his master endeavored to dissuade him from his design.

INDIANS STARVED TO DEATH.

The Minnesota Pioneer, says that a report has come from Lac qui Parle, that over forty Indians—men, women and children—were found dead to death, having eaten their dogs, moccasins, skin tents, and everything that could afford the least sustenance.

GINGER BEER.

FRIEND FRANK.—The following recipes for making excellent Ginger Beer, are recommended to Housekeepers for trial. If properly made it is a delightful beverage, especially in warm weather.

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