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MRS. S. S. HOLLINGS has built a large addition to her house, and is now prepared to accommodate a number of permanent boarders, and all transient ones who may favor her with their patronage.

Office in Eureka Drug Store, 34 door above the bank, Tionesta, Pa.

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The San Francisco Town-Crier.

There is no one thing more characteristic of California than the San Francisco News-Letter; and the chief thing which has imparted its characteristic flavor to the News-Letter, and given it its peculiar reputation, is the Town-Crier.

Chinese are receiving instructions in Sunday Schools at Olympia.—Etc. So they are here. The instruction is given by the white pupils just outside the school house, and is commonly imparted with a brick.

The parents of the double baby, which recently died in Boston were insulted by an offer of six thousand dollars for the remains of their darling.

The Call says the world will go by us ere long, and our relics will not be worth the price of fire-wood.

The Princess Louise is put down as a scold, and she and her mother have had many a conflict.

The newest and sweetest thing in suicide is to go out to the sepulchre of your boy, who was slain by a tumbling edifice, and tinkle strychnine out of a clamshell.

A gentleman in the wholesale liquor line advertises that some persons have been circulating the falsehood that his whiskies contain foreign and unwholesome matter.

A correspondent says there is somewhere a law which punishes the children for the crimes of the father.

For the memory of the late John Ridd, of Illinois, we entertain the liveliest contempt.

The women teachers in our High Schools have had the superhuman audacity to petition for an increase of salary sufficient to make their remuneration equal to that of men performing the same labor.

Tea growing is now carried on in the various parts of the South with considerable success.

"We know a girl," says some one, so industrious, that when she has nothing else to do she sits and knits her brow.

The Rage For False Diamonds.

The badge of a Ring official is a diamond breast-pin—almost always false.

Artificial diamonds are made of a peculiar glass called strass.

The number of false gems in use is immense.

The Bret Harte style of woman is appearing in France it seems.

A novel scheme is proposed by the Milwaukee Volksfreund.

The Louisville Courier-Journal remarks: "The Pittsburgh Woman Suffrage Association informs the world that 'man is only an imperfectly shaped woman.'"

A New Yorker contemplates raising ostriches for the sake of their feathers.

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Curiosities of Memory.

John Kemble used to say that he could learn a whole number of the Morning Post in four days, and General Christie made a similar assertion; but is not known how far either of them verified this statement.

Robert Dillon could repeat in the morning six columns of a newspaper he had read over night.

During the repeal debates in the House of Commons, thirty-seven years ago, one of the members wrote out his speech, sent it to the newspapers, and repeated it to the house in the evening; it was found to be the same, verbatim, as that which he had written out.

John Fuller, a land agent in Norfolk, could remember every word of a sermon, and write it out correctly after going home; this was tested by comparing his written account with the clergyman's manuscript.

Scaliger could repeat a hundred verses or more after hearing them read a single time.

Seneca could repeat two thousand words on hearing them once.

Magliabecchi, who had a prodigious memory, was once put to a severe test.

A gentleman lent him a manuscript, which was read and returned.

The owner, some time afterward, pretending he had lost it, begged Magliabecchi to write out as much as he could remember; whereupon he wrote out the whole essay.

Cyrus, if some of the old historians are to be credited, could remember the name of every soldier in his whole army.

There was a Corsican boy who could rehearse forty thousand words, whether sense or nonsense, as they were dictated, and then repeat them in the reversed order, without making a single mistake.

A physician of Massachusetts, about half a century ago, could repeat the whole of "Paradise Lost" without mistake, although he had not read it for twenty years.

Euler, the great mathematician, when he became blind, could repeat the whole of Virgil's "Aeneid," and could remember the first line and the last line on every page of the particular edition which he had been accustomed to read before he became blind.

One kind of retentive memory may be considered as the result of sheer hard work, a determination toward one particular achievement, without reference either to cultivation or to memory on other subjects.

This is frequently shown by persons in humble life in regard to the Bible.

An old beggar man at Stirling, known as forty years ago as Blad Aleck, afforded an instance of this.

He knew the whole of the Bible by heart; inasmuch that, if a sentence were read to him he could name book, chapter, and verse; or, if the book, chapter and verse were named, he could give the exact words.

A gentleman, to test him, repeated a verse, purposely making one verbal inaccuracy; Aleck hesitated, named the place where the passage is to be found, but at the same time pointed out the verbal error.

The same gentleman asked him to repeat the ninth chapter of the book of Numbers.

Aleck almost instantly replied, "There is no such verse; that chapter has only eighty-nine verses."

The following dialogue on "sharp shooting" quietly took place between a Virginian and a Yankee picket:

"I say, can you fellows shoot?"

"Wall, I reckon we can, some, Down in Mississippi we can knock a humble bee off a thistle blow at three hundred yards."

"Oh, that ain't nothing to the way we shoot up in Vermont. I belonged to a military company there with a hundred men in each company, and we went out for practice every week.

The captain draws us in single file and sets a barrel of elder rolling down hill, and each man takes his shot at the bung-hole as it turns up. It is afterward examined, and if there is a shot that didn't go into the bung-hole the member who missed it is expelled. I belonged to the company ten years, and there ain't been nobody expelled yet."

In one of the Ohio towns, a citizen had rendered himself obnoxious to the rest of the community, so he was placed in the hands of a vigilance committee which made this report: "We took the thief down to the river, made a hole in the ice and proceeded to duck him, but he slipped through our hands and hid under the ice. All our efforts to entice him out failed, and he has now retained his point of advantage some hours."

"What a traveler you have become!" exclaimed an Englishman on meeting a gentleman at Constantinople. "To tell you the truth," was the frank reply, "I am obliged to run about the world to keep ahead of my character. The moment it overtakes me I am ruined; but I don't care who knows me so long as I travel incognito."

The United States, it is said, will be a heavy purchaser at a sale of rare and valuable books to take place in London some time during the present month.

The books will be added to the Congressional Library, and Mr. Safford, Librarian, is now making a selection from the catalogue of books to be sold.

A local poet indicted a sonnet to his mistress entitled "I kiss her sub rosa." The compositor knew better than that, and set it up in printer's latin, "I kissed her sub rosa."

The jest that gives pain is no jest.

—A Presiding elder of the United Brethren Church, while preaching, was much annoyed by persons talking and laughing.

He paused, looked at the disturbers, and said: "I am always afraid to reprove those who misbehave in church. In the early part of my ministry I made a great mistake. As I was preaching, a young man who sat just before me was constantly laughing, talking and making uncouth grimaces. I paused and administered a severe rebuke. After the close of the service one of the official members came and said to me: "Brother—, you made a great mistake. That young man whom you reproved is an idiot." Since then I have always been afraid to reprove those who misbehave in church lest I should repeat that mistake, and reprove another idiot." During the rest of service, at least, there was good order.

A story is told of a certain man and his wife who were almost always quarreling. During their quarrels, their only child (a boy) was generally present, and, of course, heard many of his father's expressions. One day, when the boy had been doing something wrong, the mother, intending to chastise him, called him, and said, "Come here, sir, what did you do that for?" the boy, complacently folding his arms, and imitating his father's manner, said, "See here, madam! I don't wish to have any words with you!"

Two young princes, the sons of Archduke Charles of Austria, had a warm dispute in the presence of no less a person than that of the Emperor himself. Greatly excited, one said to the other, "You are greatest as in Vienna!" Highly offended at a quarrel in his presence, the Emperor interrupted them, saying, with indignation, "Come, come, young gentlemen, you forget that I am present."

A letter from Knob Noster, Mo., mentions a singular physical phenomenon occurring there. It says a continual rain has descended for two weeks from a cloudless sky, and confined to a space of only twenty feet in diameter. The phenomenon has been observed by many persons, and the writer asks for a scientific explanation.—St. Louis Democrat.

An Oshkosh hackman, the other evening, drove a young lady up to the wrong house. The mistake was not discovered until after she had cordially kissed a young gentleman who had come down to the gate to meet the new arrival.

A fellow, in an oblivious state, took up his lodging in the street. He awoke next morning, and, straightening himself up, looked on the ground on which he had made his couch, and said, "Well if I had a pick-axe I would make up my bed."

A wit being told that an old acquaintance was married, exclaimed, "I am glad to hear it." But reflecting a moment, he added, in a tone of compassion and forgiveness, "And yet I don't know why I should be, he never did me any harm."

A sexton being very familiar with a physician, was asked whether he had entered into partnership with him. "Oh yes," said he, "we've been together for some time; I always carry the doctor's work home when it is done."

"It is strange," muttered a young man, as he staggered home from a supper party, "how evil communications corrupt good manners. I have been surrounded by tumblers all evening, and now I am a tumbler myself."

The New York World abandons Tammany for a moment to say: "The three-foot railway tracks are likely to remain a peculiarly American institution, since it is evident that they can never make a narrow gauge abroad."

"Excuse this bit of sarcasm," said Smith to Jones, "but I must say that you are an infamous liar and scoundrel." "pardon this bit of irony," said Jones to Smith, as he knocked him over with a poker.

Jones says that he first met his wife in a storm, took her to the first ball in a storm, married her in a storm, lived his subsequent married life in a storm