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A Murderer on Oratory.

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Is it Her Own.

A special policeman, at the recent exhibition at the New York artists for the benefit of their fellows in Chicago, tells the following story:

When Miss Ream began to model the bust of Mr. Cooper, there was such a rush of people to see her work that we found it necessary to obtain the constant attendance of a policeman, who was instructed to see that the crowd kept moving, so that everybody could get a sight of her. Of course you know all about her good looks, her bewitching curls, and so forth, so that the attraction was twofold--to see the lady and to see the sculptress.

Well, anxious to know how this moving on plan worked--whether it was comfortable to be in the tide or not--and perhaps a little bit curious to hear the criticisms of the crowd, I pocketed my badge of office the other day and joined it. I found myself immediately behind two ladies who as we approached more nearly opposite Miss Ream, at her work, launched immediately into criticism. Nor did they seem to care who overheard them; so, I couldn't help but hear, even if I didn't want to.

"But I told you already that I did. 'It isn't hers,'" said the taller of the two.

"Oh, I think it is," said the other. "Not an inch of it," returned the first, with emphasis.

"Tauder," said I to myself, "Can't people believe even their own eyes? Here is Vivian modeling right before them and they won't believe in it. Masebrat prejudice. So much for newspaper talk. It's a shame, so it is."

"The more I look at it the more I'm satisfied it isn't hers," repeated the lady again.

Now I couldn't stand any more, so I said to the lady, somewhat hotly: "I beg your pardon, madam, but it is her's."

"Indeed, sir?" "Yes, madam, I have watched her put it up myself."

"Oh, you have seen her put it up?" "Yes, madam, from the very stick. From the first hour which Mr. Cooper sat for her, I have watched her build it up piece by piece, until it is as you see it now--her own work, all her own."

"Oh, sir," said the lady, smiling; nay, positively grinning in my face. "Oh, sir, you must have misunderstood me; I never thought of doubting that the model was her own, certainly not. Anybody can see that that is hers. We were not talking of her bust at all."

"Of what then madam may I ask?" "Of her back hair, sir."

BUSINESS IN ALASKA. Although the settlement of Alaska proceeds slowly, yet we may infer that it is progressing steadily and surely, since we are informed that on the island of Unalaska there are already nine commercial and business houses.

This island is the headquarters for all the fishing and whaling expeditions bound for Plover Bay, Bistol Bay, Behring Sea, and the Arctic Ocean, as vessels can be there refitted, obtain supplies, and procure excellent fresh water in abundance.

In further refutation of the unfounded impression that Alaska is a bitterly cold region, we learn that the ice crop of the past season was extremely meagre, and not sufficient to meet the wants of the Pacific Coast.

A dashing young foreigner, who called himself Count Hamburger lately wooed and won a New York lady, whose mother paid his wedding bills, running up into the tall hundreds, because a draft on some great expectation in the old country which he was waiting for didn't arrive in time.

Finally things were missing from the house, which only he had access to. Moneys intrusted to him were confiscated, until his enraged mother-in-law had him arrested and locked up, convinced that instead of Count Hamburger, he was a no-account humbugger.

The large manufacturing corporations in Lawrence, Mass., have changed their basis of wages, and each employe will hereafter be paid for his work by the hour instead of the day, receiving pay for each hour and part of an hour of labor. It will be at the option of the employe as to the number of hours he shall work. This is intended to settle the question of "short time" between the corporations and the men.

A gentleman was describing to Douglass Jerrold the story of his courtship and marriage--how his wife had been brought up in a convent and was on the point of taking the veil when his presence burst upon her enraptured sight, and she accepted him as her husband. Jerrold listened to the end of the story, and then quietly remarked: "She simply thought you better than sun."

A new building is erecting in Hartford for the Women's Christian Association of that city. It is intended as a home where young women may be provided with wholesome food and comfortable and pleasant lodgings at such prices as may be within their means.

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To be an Editor.

Carlton, in his editorial poem, tells of an old farmer who made his way into his sanctum with a runt of a boy, who being good for nothing else, the farmer thought would do for an editor.

The poet tells the story: The editor sat in his sanctum, and looked the old man in the eye. Then glanced at the grinning young hopeful and mournfully made this reply:

"Is your son a small unbound edition of Moses and Solomon both?" "Can he compass his spirit with meekness, and strangle a natural oath?"

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"Can he do an hour's work in a minute, and live on sixpence a week?" "Can he courteously talk to an equal and browbeat an impudent dunc?"

"Can he keep things in apple-pie order and do half a dozen at once?" "Can he Press all the springs of knowledge, with quick and reliable touch?"

"And be sure that he knows how much to know, and how to not know too much?" "Does he know how to stir up his virtue, and put a check rein on his pride?"

"Can he carry a gentleman's manners within a rhinoceros' hide?" "Can he know all, and do all' and be all, with cheerfulness, courage and vim?"

If so, we can perhaps, be making an editor out of him. The farmer stood curiously listening, while wonder his visage o'erspread.

And he said, "Jim, guess we'll be going; he's probably out of his head."

The Size of the Union.

It has been said that there is only one man who has a correct idea of the size of the United States, he is the man who drove a yoke of oxen, in 1850-51, from Maine to California.

However this may be, the newspaper remark that "few people realize the immensity of our territorial area," is true. There are in the Great West eleven Territories, two or three of which are twice or three times as large as all New England; and it is a small Territory that that is not at least ten times as large as Massachusetts. Colorado is thirteen times as large as Massachusetts, while Dakota and Arizona are half as large again as Colorado.

The eleven Territories, as accurately as can at present be ascertained, contained over one billion and a quarter of acres (1,030,385,919), exceeding by nearly two hundred thousand square miles the admitted territory of all the present aggregated States of the Union. The Territory of Alaska, containing 369,529,600 acres, is included in the number of acres started.

An old manuscript has recently been discovered in Western New York containing the following anecdote of the famous Indian Chief, Red Jacket, which is new: He was on a visit to a house in Canandaigua, and not arriving until after dinner, the girl was ordered to make preparations for him.

She, through carelessness, or thinking it would do well enough for an Indian, placed on the table a dish of meat that had been visited by the flies. Red Jacket advanced to the table, and seeing the insects busily engaged in the meat, took the dish and placed it on the sill of the door, stepped back, took his rifle, deliberately took aim and discharged the contents through the meat.

The report of the gun alarmed all in the house. They ran to inquire the cause. Red Jacket replied that he always killed his meat before he ate it. The joke had its desired effect.

A correspondent of the Boston Traveller records the following: "A bright little boy about four years of age, son of a clergyman, was at your correspondent's house one evening with his parents and I gave him a couple of five cent pieces. He hid them on the table, and putting his finger on one said: 'This one I am going to give to the heathen, and the other one I am going to keep myself.' He played with them a while, till one of them rolled away and he could not find it. 'Well,' said I, 'my lad, which one have you lost?' 'Oh,' said he, 'I have lost the one I was going to give to the heathen.'"

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How to Catch a Wife.

New York is really the city of deceptions. A man must not only look sharp as to his company, but he can hardly trust his own senses. The well-formed man he meets in the street may be indebted for his elegant proportions to the genius of his tailor, and the bells of beauty may be half padding.

A young man of quite elegant exterior passed at one of our fashionable watering places for a young man of wealth. He became greatly smitten with the daughter of a wealthy merchant, who besides what her father would leave her, had a handsome fortune in her own right. He referred to a well known gentleman in New York, who thought him rich, and who knew the amount of his income tax. He was accepted and married. It was found that he was a clerk in a dry goods house on quite an ordinary salary. He secured money enough to pay a good-sized income tax. His investment proved more lucrative than a Wall Street speculation, as it secured him a rich wife.

Several instances have been known in which parties have made a spurge at the Springs and elsewhere, and have got introductions to wealthy people, and returned to New York, hired a handsomely furnished house in a good location for a month or two; have received their stylish friends in style, married their daughters, and then retired to the back street with their really beloved. How many of such marriages have terminated will be ascertained by examining the records of courts in Indiana.--Boston Journal.

The editor of the Chicago Post tells this: "What would you do if mamma should die?" asked a lady with whom we have the honor of an intimate acquaintance, of a little three-year-old girl that we wouldn't take a hundred dollars for. "Well, mamma," was the melancholy response, "I s'pose I should have to spank myself!"

A landlord recently going round to collect his rent sent a servant ahead to prepare his tenants for the visit. On reaching the first house, and seeing his servant apparently endeavoring to gain admittance, he inquired, "What is the matter, John? Is the door bolted?" "I don't know, sir," replied John; "but the tenant evidently has."

Mother-in-law snasion is the favorite mode of reclaiming New Albany drunkards. If being led through the street by the ear, being well shaken up and violently seated in a chair by one's mother-in-law, won't bring a man to his sense of degradation, reformation is hardly to be hoped for.

A book publisher in Pesth, Hungary, was recently sentenced to nine months' imprisonment for forging a letter in the name of Charles Dickens, addressed to himself, and containing praises of a Hungarian translation of his works.

A falling star caught a Charleston burglar and held him until a policeman came. In the same city a large eagle was seen hovering over Broad street, and a pigeon perched itself unharmed on one of its pinions.

Block Island, R. I., has a Baptist church, organized in 1756, which has now about two hundred and sixty members. The Baptist is the only denomination represented on the island.

The Misses Tanner, residing in Lonoke, Prairie county, Arkansas, took the \$500 premium for the best bale of cotton raised in Arkansas, at the Fair, which was recently held at Little Rock.

A golden rule for a young lady is always to converse with her female friends as if a gentleman was one of the party, and with young men as if her female friends were present.

A Tennessee girl broke an arm on the eve of her wedding day, but pluckily went through the ceremony, with her arm in a sling, at the appointed hour.

A young man generally gives a look of his hair to his sweetheart before he marries her. After marriage she sometimes helps herself and don't use scissors.

"Ma, get down on your hands and knees a