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A NEW STORY.

Some years ago there was a well-known engineer, whose name is not given, for good and sufficient reasons, ran a passenger train on one of the most popular and most traveled roads that run out of Indianapolis.

When the train arrived at the usual place it struck a misplaced rail and was derailed. The engineer, closely followed by the fireman, jumped from the engine and ran into a cornfield and started up a man that lay concealed there.

A WONDERFUL GEM.

A. M. Stewart, one of the loggers of the great gravel deposits of the Sierra Nevada Mountains, California, has shown us a stone that is different from anything we have ever yet seen.

The lapidary tried to cut it, but made a poor job of it. He got off some of the rough outside shell, but was unable to make much impression upon the stone itself.

One of our citizens went to the cars this morning to see his wife off, and having two or three minutes before starting time, stepped around the corner instant.

Mrs. Pike and the friends with her looked at the body of the house. But Mr. Pike was not to be seen, and the cries grew louder and more peremptory.

Mr. Pike's appearance was the signal for the most terrific applause. The usually well behaved balcony and parquet were so tumultuous in their shouts that an individual in the gallery shouted: "Order in the pit!"

Mr. Pike looked at the house, turned pale, and said: "Ladies and gentlemen: You call me, and here I am; but I hardly know what to say."

Then he grew paler and more embarrassed, looked at his private box and around the house, and continued: "They say actions speak louder than words. Here—(throwing wide open his arms as if to comprehend the whole house)—here are mine, and to them I refer you."

A TEMPERATE CONGRESS.

The Washington correspondent of the Chicago Evening Journal writes: Time was when, perhaps, to have been a Congressman was to have been a drunkard. But those were days when forensic eloquence was introduced and supplemented by the whisky glass upon the member's desk.

SAMUEL N. PIKE.

Among the reminiscences of Samuel N. Pike, the recently deceased millionaire, the Cincinnati Gazette has the following:

When his first opera house was built he superintended himself its construction. He gave out no contracts save, we believe, for plastering; but he secured the completion of the building for a sum considerably less than in those days such work was usually done.

At the close of the fourth act there were confused calls for "Colson," "Pike," "Barras," "Brignoli," &c. Messieurs Colson, and Strakosch, and Junco came before the curtain and were greeted with applause.

INDIAN JUGGLERY.

Jugglery is another amusement of which all Oriental nations are extremely fond. So numerous and various are the facts practised by the performers in this line that "Indian Jugglery" is famous the world over, and their wonderful dexterity in all matters requiring unusual slight-of-hand has passed into a universal proverb.

A bronze basin of clear water, which we had the privilege of examining, was placed on a stand; and though, when we trust in our hands, there was found nothing but the water, in a little while a magnificent lotus or water lily sprang up therein, and lo! its huge blossoms, pink-hued and fragrant, were before us—mammoth flowers, eighteen inches in diameter!

The spectators were in ecstasy. Young and old even the natives, who had all seen the wonders before, clapped their hands with delight; only the magician himself was quite reticent. Presently he held up a piece of yellow tissue paper, perhaps six inches square, and after turning it round and round in various positions, he fermé it quite a natural-looking butterfly on his open palm, and so arranged two wax lights as to allow him to wave a fan rapidly between them without affecting the flame, and then by a more gentle motion over the insect, he torted it into apparent life.

First, it moved slowly toward the fan, as if testing its powers of locomotion, then tripped more lightly along the edge, and finally bore away, wheeling and dipping toward a vase of flowers that stood near, then floating away in very wantonness, and presently returning, lighting and coquetting among the dainty blossoms like a thing of life, the wings fairly quivering with excitement.

Just then a mate was supplied to the lonely excursionist by the same magic power that had given the first its life; and together the fairy tourists set forth on their travels. Round and round they wheeled and floated, but always within the charmed circle about the conjuror's head, sometimes kissing his cheeks and lips, together or singly lighting on the outspread fan or returning to flutter among the flowers, then flirting or coquetting with each other, putting their tiny heads together in mutual caresses, and shaking their gauzy wings with all the pretty airs and graces of live birds.

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and everything necessary to the complete stock of a first-class Grocery House, which they have opened out at their establishment on Elm St., first door north of M. E. Church.

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Jan. 9, 1873. GEO. W. BOVARD & CO.

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NOTIONS OF ALL KINDS.

A portion of the purchase of the public is respectfully solicited. M. MCKAY.

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Lawrence House, WM. LAWRENCE, PROPRIETOR. This house has just been opened to the public and the furniture and fixtures are all new. Guests will be well entertained at reasonable rates. Is situated on Elm St., opposite Superior Lumber Co. Store, 39-ly

Tionesta House, M. ITTEL, Proprietor, Elm St. Tionesta, Pa., at the mouth of the creek, Mr. Ittel has thoroughly renovated the Tionesta House, and re-furnished it completely. All who patronize him will be well entertained at reasonable rates. 29 ly

FOREST HOUSE, D. BLACK PROPRIETOR. Opposite Court House, Tionesta, Pa. Just opened. Everything new and clean and fresh. The best of liquors kept constantly on hand. A portion of the public patronage is respectfully solicited. 4-17-ly

Scott House, FAGENDUS, PA., E. A. Roberts, Proprietor. This hotel has been recently re-furnished and now offers superior accommodations to guests. 25-ly.

Dr. J. L. Acomb, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, who has had fifteen years' experience in a large and successful practice, will attend all Professional Calls. Office in his Drug and Grocery Store, located in Tidoute, near Tidoute House.

IN HIS STORE WILL BE FOUND A full assortment of Medicines, Liquors Tobacco, Cigars, Stationery, Glass, Paints, Oils, Cutlery, and fine Groceries, all of the best quality, and will be sold at reasonable prices.

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