Busby of Trenton celebrated his "iron wedding" one day last week and he invited about one hundred and twenty guests to the wedding. Of course each person felt compelled to bring a present of some kind, and each did. When Mr. and Mrs. Smith came they handed Busby a pair of flat-irons. All hands laughed at the coincidence, and there was even greater merriment when the Browns arrived with two pairs of flat-irons. But when Mr. and Mrs. Robinson came in with another pair of flat irons the laughter became pair of flat irons the laughter became perfectly convulsive. There was, however, something less amusing about it when the Thompsons arrived with four flat irons wrapped in brown paper. And Busby's face actually looked grave when the three Johnson girls were ushered into the parlor carrying a flat iron spiece. Each one of the succeeding sixty guests brought flat irons, and there was no break in the continuance until old Mr. Curby came continuance until old Mr. Curby came from Philadelphia with a cast iron cow bell. Now Busby has no earthly use for a cow bell, and at any other time he would have treated such a present with scorn. But now he is actually grateful to Mr. Curby, and he was about to embrace him when the Walsinghams came in with the new kind of double pointed fiat iron with wooden handle. And all the rest of the guests brought the same articles except Mr. Rugby, and he had with him a patent stand for holding flat irons. Bushy got madder and madder every minute, and by the time the company had all arrived he was nearcompany had all arrived he was nearly insance with rage, and he went up to bed leaving his wife to entertain the guests. In the morning they counted up the spoils and found they had 213 flat irons, one stand, and a cow bell. And now the Busbys have cut the Smiths and Browns and Jacksons and Thompsons and the rest entirely, for they are convinced that there was a preconcerted design to play a trick preconcerted design to play a trick upon them. The fact, however, is that the hardware store in the place had an overstock of flat irons and sold them at an absurdly low figure, and Busby's friends went for the cheapest thing they could find, as people always do on such occasions. Busby thinks he will not celebrate his "silver wedding"

Please stop my—What? Times are hard, money is scarce, business is dull, retrenchment is a duty—please stop my—Whisky? Oh, no; times are not hard enough for that. But there is something else that costs me a large amount every year which I wish to save. Please stop my—tobacco, cigars save. Please stop my—tobacco, cigars and snuff? No, no, not those; but I must retrench somewhere. Please stop must retrench somewhere. Please stop my—ribbons, jewels, ornaments and trinkets? Not at all; pride must be fostered, if times are ever so hard; but I believe I can see a way to effect quite a saving in another direction please stop my—tea, coffee, and needless and unhealthy luxuries? No, no, not those; I must think of something else. Ah! I have it now. My paper costs \$2 a year; I must save that. costs \$2 a year; I must save that. Please stop my paper! That will carry me through the panic easily. I believe it retronchment and economy, especially in brains .- Baptist Watchman.

An inebriate got into a car in Boston, and became so annoying to the passengers that it was proposed to eject him; but a kind-hearted reverend doctor interposed for him, and soothed him into good behavior for the remainder of the journey. Before leaving, however, he scowled upon the occupants of the car, and muttered some words of contempt, but shook hands warmly with the doctor, and said: "Good-day, my friend. I see you know what it is to be drunk."

A few days ago a hungry party sat down at the well-spread supper table of a Sound steamer, upon which one of the dishes contained a trout of moderate size. A serious looking individual drew this dish toward him, saying, apologetically, "This is fast day with me." His next neighbor, an Irish gentleman, immediately inserted his fork into the fish and transferred it to his own plate, remarking, "Sir, do you suppose nobody has a sowl to be saved but yourself?"

A literal-minded youngster was picked up by a visitor of the family, who, dandling him on his knee, said:
"I wish I had this little boy; I think
there's money in him." To which
promptly responded the child: "I
know there is, for I swallowed a cent when I was at grandma's the other day.

A man in the Philadelphia insane asylum imagines himself a woman. He dresses himself in female attire and parts his hair in the middle. Dur-ing the day he associates with the females and does sewing and embroide-ry of the finest kind. He has been reserved for the Centennial.

A professor who stated that one can-not taste in the dark, as nature intends us to see our food, was nearly floored by a pupil who asked, "How about a blind man's dinner?" But recovered himself by answering: "Nature, sir, has provided him with eye-teeth."

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ON AND AFTER Monday, February 2

| STATIONS.  | Northward. |                                      |                      | Southward  |      |                                 |
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| Pittsburgh<br>W PenJune<br>Kittanning<br>R. B'k June<br>Brady Bend<br>Parker<br>Emlenton<br>Scrubgrass<br>Franklin | 00         | 6:00<br>6:43<br>7:05<br>8:12<br>9:05 | 8:55                 | P III<br>10:05<br>8:30<br>7:45<br>6:20<br>6:00<br>5:20<br>4:48<br>3:52<br>3:05 | 3:00 | PI                              |
| Eagle Rock 8:  |            |                                      | 3:26<br>4:15         | 12:12<br>11:45<br>10:57<br>9:23<br>7:45  |      | 7:3<br>7:3<br>6:6<br>6:0<br>5:2 |
| Rouseville<br>Titusville<br>Corry<br>Mayville<br>Buffalo   |            | 10:05<br>11:10                       | 3:50<br>5:10<br>7:00 | 1:52<br>12:53<br>11:15<br>9:47<br>6:05   |      |                                 |

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Wall's accommodation No 4, 5.50 p m;
Wall's accommodation No 2, 2.110 p m;
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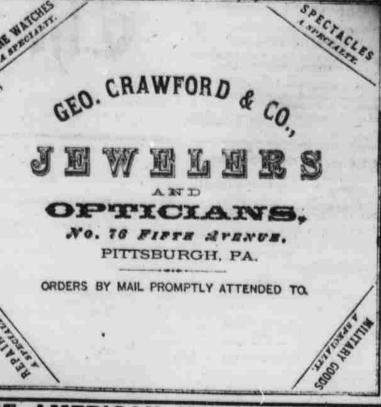
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