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The Last Redoubt.

Keceleyo's slope still felt The cannon's bolts and the rifles' peil; For a last redoubt up the hill remained, By the Russ yet held, by the Turk not gained.

THE WRONG UMBRELLA.

The laxity of public morals in the matter of umbrellas is truly awful, but retribution will sometimes overtake him who plots against his neighbors parachute. Let me tell how it overtook me.

Pa woke up and asked me what were my views on tramways. His composition was a fine crusty conservatism, and he disliked innovations.

thing into the black abyss below. There was a splash. I felt a sardonic joy. He had brought his umbrella for fear of rain. Well, it might do its duty in the waterbuck.

Facts About Fires.

The following practical and scientific observation on the quenching of fires quickly and with the least loss to insurance companies is communicated to the Portland (Me.) Press by an old fireman: One gallon of water at the bottom of a fire will do more to quench it than ten gallons at the top.

A Wonderful Clock.

The Reading (Pa.) Eagle says: In Mengel's building is now on exhibition in all probability the most wonderful clock in the world. It was built by Stephen D. Engle, a watchmaker, at Hazleton.

FARM, GARDEN AND HOUSEHOLD.

Recipes. TAPIOCA SOUP.—Soak a little tapioca in water and set on the back of the stove to simmer slowly; when it looks clear, pour over it the brown broth seasoned as before. Boil up once and serve.

Items of Interest.

Eighteen thousand men are engaged in the express business. All the girls are becoming vegetarians. They wear turn-up hats.