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VOL. XXXIII. MIFFLINTOWN, JUNIATA COUNTY, PENNA., WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 6, 1879. H. T. HELMBOLD'S THE OLD BARN. village have lost my way. I am drenched to the skin, and my horse is too weary to go the lamp, but to my surprise could not A Terrible Disaster A Kaffir Marriage. I constitute my well-beloved mother, the discover it, while a strange flapping The wedding was at a kraal about two Rickety, old and crazy, Empress Eugenie, my sole legatee, she Recently the passenger train south noise made me aware that I was not miles from the camp. Shall I ever forget farther through these miry roads, and see-Shingleless, lacking some doors being charged with attending to the following a light here, I have ventured to crave a on the Keokuk division was lifting it- alone, Bad in the upper story. shelter for him and myself, for the remain- self right off the rails. She was run- Now I am not exactly a coward, but that drive, as we jolted over stones and ing legacies: I leave 200,000 francs to my cousin, Wanting boards in the floors, der of the night. I assure you that you ning so fast the noise of the wheels was it would be vain for me to deny that I of holes, the mules all the time going at full "shaved" ant-hills, and bumped in and out Prince J. N. Murat. Beams s'r ug thick with cobwels. I leave 100,000 francs to M. le Baron rattling along about two hundred yards felt somewhat uneasy. Ghosts I did gallop, till we really expected that the cart Ridgepole yellow and gray. "Sir," Elsie resumed, simply, "the doors of Raymond farm have never been closed to the weary wayfarer. Enter, and a ser-vant will care for vour horse." and a ser-Corvisart, in acknowledgement of his de-Hanging in helpless innocence COMPOUND votion to the weary wayfarer. Enter, and a ser-Over the mows of hay. I leave 100,000 francs to Mile, de Larjump. Suddenly the train stopped. best character for honesty. How the winds turned around st-The stranger bowed again, and passed Away out between stations, no cattle "Who comes?" I cried in the native a ridge of ground, we came upon a com-her silently, as she held back the broad leaf on the track, no water tank in sight, dialect. the wedding party; and, on surmounting Winds of a stormy day tached to my mother. Scattering the fragrant hav-seed of the door. What was it that, at the nothing apparently to stop for. She No answer pany all in "full fig," practicing one of their Whisking the straws away ; sight of that tall muffled form, caused her my old tutor. dances. The men wore large plumes of black feathers, which covered their heads pulled up so close to an orchard that I recollected having removed from Streaming in at the crannies. heart to beat so wildly ? She put up the Spreading the clover smell, bar that secured the door and then preceded her guest to the apartment she had left. FLUID EXTRACT Changing the dark old granary fence with a gun in his hand and a cou- very much in my way, and determined carried sticks, which they waved and branher guest to the apartment she had left. Into a flowery dell. oldest friends. She stirred the smouldering embers, and ple of bold, bad dogs, looking deceit- not to be robbed with impunity, I dished in a very warlike manner. They Oh, how I loved the shadows, threw on fresh wood, which caught the fully pleasant tagging along at his heels, struck right and left. fames that soon leaged cheerily up the broad chimney. Leaving the stranger, cow-ering over the blaze, she went and called That clung to the silent roof Day dreams wove with the quiet, granting and shouting, and at last fell into a kind of procession, which moved on to-ward the kraal dancing all the way. Every a life pension of 2500 frances each to Many a glittering woof ; the gardener to take charge of the horse alarmed, not at the determined neutral. The secret was out. that was neighing impatiently at the outer ity of the farmer, but at the sudden. Through the open window a number I climbed to the highest rafters. Madame Thierry and to Uhlmann. now and then some warrior, more than usually excited, would burst from the ranks, I desire that all my other servants be ders, careful as usual, sat up to wait for And watched the swa lows at play, stoppage of the train. They knew of night birds, owls, bats and many and bound with a high stepping action, never deprived of their situations. Admired the knots in the boarding. BUCHU. When she came back she busied herself, And rolled in the billows of hay, something serious had happened. others unknown to temperate climes, several yards in advance. He would then 1 desire to leave to Prince N. Charles past one o'clock the whistle blew. The old silently, in preparing refreshment for the resently the fireman came walking had come in search of food. The oil stop, and with queer antics and strange Bonaparte, to the Duke de Bassano and to man waltzed up to the room and knocked. Palace of King couldn't match t, down alongside the track, looking care- smelling very powerfully had attracted gyrations, would go through the motions of M. Rouher three of the most beautiful The Vatican loses its charm. custing curious glances at her as she moved When placed in my memory's ba'ance, fully, as though he had dropped his their notice. killing his antagonists, continuing them souvenirs that my testamentary executors tled. Dress yourself and come down." about. Thrill after thrill shot through Beside the old gray barn. amidst the plaudits of his companions till shall indicate. Elsie's frame, as she met those bright, diamong ring out of the cab window. Their first proceeding was to snuff iamong ring out of the cab window. Their first proceeding was to snuff "What is it?" asked the first passen-out the light with their wings, after only to be succeeded by an excited rival, to M. Strode and to Monsignor Goddard, "Y strange glances. She had begun to feel al-And I'd ra her scent the clover. most frightened at his singular manner, Piled in the barn's roomy mows. ger. "What is the matter?" asked the se- the savory liquid. which one and all rushed to banquet on eager to equal if not to outdo him. The three souvenirs that my testamentary ex- me you were." Than sit in the breath of the highlands when he suddenly addressed her : Poured from the Appen ne brows. two sisters of the bride, elegantly attired in ecutors shall designate among the articles "Madam," he said, pointing to the row "What has happened?" asked the that I struck wildly in every direction, accompanied this jovial crew, shricking and I leave to M. F. Pietri my pin pointed cond passenger. of little shoes, and the overflowing basket of toys, "I see that lonely as is this house, PHARMACEUTICAL. nor did I rest until every bird was racing about as if possessed. The father of with a stone (cat's eye), and to M. Corvithird passenger. it is not desolate. Human flowers, that the bride was there, too, distinguishable from the other "braves" by the extra length minat a medallion containing the portraits REUNITED. "What broke ?" asked the fourth pas- forcibly expelled. brighten so many homes, bloom here. You have little children, beautiful and loving, senger. 1 lay down again to get what slumber of his tail of feathers, which hung from the of my father and mother; to Madame "Why did we stop?" asked the fifth I could, but when, next day, the ques-top of his head and reached all down his Lebreton my enameled watch, ornamented on the train. and doubtless a good husband. Pardon On a wild October mght, Elsie Raymond me, madam," he added, observing Elsie's passenger.

sat beside her solitary fireside in deep emotion, "we who are lonely wanderers up thought-in thought that, truth to tell, was and down the world are wont to notice, tinctured by sadness. It was not often that with somewhat of jealousy, the tokens of do-SPECIFIC REMEDY FOR ALL she sat thus, for she was the most cheerful and busy of little women, the best of sisters and aunts, and the kindest of neighbors. This swer, and Elsie, conquering her emotion, being the case, she found little leisure for DISEASES thought or solitary musings, for, in some

ways provided for her.

gray homestead had been left desolate when

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had that morning been married. The old ADDER & KIDNEYS

behility. Loss of Memory, Indisposi-te Erertion or Business, Shortness of in Troubled with Thoughts of Disease, asso Vision, Palm in the Back, Chest, Red, Bush of Blood to the Head, Pale onemes and Der Skin , and Dry Skin. mance, and My Skill. hese symptoms are allowed to go on, heaenily Epileptic Fits and Con-tas follow. When the constitution as affected it requires the aid of an the wall.

tim of a fatal accident, and his widow, maing medicine to strengthen and spike system-which

"Helmbold's Buchu" and exacted from her a promise that she would devote her life to them. The girl

undertaken.

him.

burden of her responsibilities and care.

But she thought differently. She felt

care to project across the sunny path !--

legacy of her dead parents. But to him

they were nothing, save for her sake, and

feared, forever. When her lover found

After a time a letter came to the parish tion.

elergyman to tell that he was safe, and

about to sail for a foreign land, and from

that hour, for all those twenty years, no

carefully gathered together every little me-

Year after year rolled on. Elsie spun

and she learned to find solace in the affec-

who had known him.

Should she allow the shadow of her

so dear to her by ties of blood-the sacred tions of thankfulness.

at one of the halting places in her life. Her Just the at the dist the second of the halting places in her life. Her Just the dist of what might have been. Just then the gardener came stamping in young sister Sophia, the last of her charges, at the kitchen door and showed himself, shaking the water from his garments. Elsie turned to the stranger. her smiling face went from it, at least so "Your meal is prepared," she said ; to get to a window Elsie thought. True, she had a tribe of "when you have partaken, the servant will fireman anything : small nephews and nieces staying with her, show you to your room." while their mother, Elsie's sister Mary, and her husband accompanied the bridal party on their tour, but they had long been asleep her bed, but not to sleep. Through the and there was no token of their presence in long hours, until the late autumn dawn, she "Broke a scene hanner."

the somewhat prim-looking room, except a tossed restlessly upon her couch, thinking great basket of playthings in a corner, and a row of shoes, headed by Willie's "new why his image mingled so continually with a row of shoes, neared by baby Elsie's tiny boots," and closed by baby Elsie's tiny her vision of the past. The next morning, when the breakfast

mestic happiness that are denied to us."

answered quietly

He was silent, as if waiting for an an-

"There are children here, but not mine

a faint sigh struggled up from her heart ;

hour was passed, the stranger spoke of his Etsie's father had died suddenly, the vic- departure. "Before I go, madam," he said, "I ought

overwhelmed by the sad and terrible be- to inform you who I am, that you may, at into the ground, and then ran on ahead

an open window.

A Telephonic Pot-Fourri.

"What done it?" asked the eighth The telephone has kicked up a big row "Broke a spring hanger," gravely in the bosom of two families already, and one of these relations, work enough was al- 1 have neither husband nor children ;" and replied the fireman, and passed on, and that harmless-appearing instrument is the all the questioning passengers drew their heads back and closed their win-dows, and with great gravity was re-peated the fireman's statement to the other passengers who had not been able to get to a window in time to ask the his "bower of love" with his place of business that he might spend his leisure moments in saying sweet things to his newlyequired more valuable fraction. By one of those singular coincidents which fate

often throws in the path of unfortunate humans of all classes, there happened to beunknown to the young man-on the same

We all supposed that when a spring

tion of sleeping arose, I strongly ob- back. As this interesting company pro- with my cipher in diamonds; to M. M. "What's up?" asked the sixth pas- jected to pass the night in a place with ceeded, they were met by women in pairs, Conneau, Espinasse, Bizot, J. N. Murat, all dressed (?) alike in the same charming A. Fleury, P. de Bourgoing and S. Corvisimplicity, who ran to meet them, screaming sart, my arms and uniforms, except the send you off, and off you go ! You climb at the top of their voices and making a most last that I may have worn, and that I leave out of this room new before I kick the

peculiar tremulous shrill noise, which re- to my mother minded me more of "neighing" than any-I leave to M. D'Entraigues a pin mounted thing else. These fell into the ranks, as did a large company of young girls and children, who all rushed to meet the pro-I beg of my mother to be so kind as to cession, yelling as loud as they could and distribute to the persons who during my appearing to be mad with excitement. The lifetime have manifested attachment toward whole body then advanced at a majestic me some jewels or objects of less value sort of pace, all taking one step forward at which may remind them of me the same moment, raising their shields, 1 leave to Madame la Countess Clary my giving a stamp and a yell, and so on till giving a scamp and a yer, and so on the they got to a sort of parade ground in front of the kraal, where they drew up in line Duc de Huescar, my cousin, my Spanish of the kraal, where they drew up in line swords. (Signed) two or three deep and continued the stamping and shouting, waving of arms, positioning and all the other manœuvers, accom- hand.

circuit another family the husband being notes in a minor key. I have ascertained memory or my great date and an internet as ist, meditatively. The circuit another family the husband being that this tune is the same which is used by I beg her to remember that, so long as ist, meditatively.

the proprietor of a front name the same as that of the newly-wedded man. And the fact of the two members of their stations wrounded by a whole beyy of sisters and cause will have representatives. The duties the duties the traveler broke out sympathizing friends, knelt on a mat facing the dancers and held a shield and a knife in cease with my life. At my death the task "O

We all supposed that when a spring having a similarity of sound when called hanger broke, it just tore the engine all tended to help mix matters up. Things to pieces, stood it on end and rammed at went along nicely for a few days and the control of the dancers and held a shield and a knife in the dancers and held a shield and a knife young couple had held some very interestoverwhelmed by the sad and terrible be-reavement, soon followed him. With her dying breath she commended her youngest children to the commended her youngest. The average children to the care of their older sister, and exacted from her a promise that she and exacted from her a promise that she was evidently the highest mode for Kaffir affection white satin lining, just the tone. (Signed) NAPCLEON. The 26th of February, 1579, at Chisel-the boys nailed it right down to the counter, "N-Not M-Much, Sir!" tight as wax. Pretty soon, whoo-oo-oo hurst. boat whistled up the river, the old man grabbed his hat, yanked it off at the top I nominate Messrs. Rouher and F. Pietri Henry Hutchings, small, weak and ex-4-5 pounds of codfish amounted to at 371 ceedingly nervous, was a pitful object as he executors of my will. (By F. Pietri, I mean Franceschini and sailed away with the fringed edges of the lining fluttering out of the top of his tile, and he never knew a thing about it He had been arrested for something, but Pietri.) when a passenger is told that the spring hanger broke, he has an impression that it will take every last dollar there is on the train to set the old thing up until he came back to the office and his The Deaf Man and the Druggist. eyes fell on the top of his new hat, nailed down to the counter with four-ten-penny The other day a gentlemanly appearing mails." like that before in fifteen years, and he ears, as His Honor called her to the bench, individual entered one of our prominent The traveler paused here and looked out

Was He Very Mad ?

"Were you ever at McGregor, Iowa !" asked the commercial traveler.

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"No," we said, "we have never be there

"Well," the citizen of the world replied, turning the seat in front of us that we might pile our feet upon it, "you want to go there just to meet one of the famous hotel keepers of Iowa. Old Flanders, All nat, who has always shown herself so at- the boys know him ; everybody stops with I leave 100,000 francs to M. A. Filou, for his guests you ever saw. Give him au him. Most particular man about caring order and you can go to sleep without a I leave 100,000 francs to M. L. N. Con- tremor; he'll attend to it. Never had a neau; 100,000 francs to M. N. Espinasse; man at his house miss a boat or a train. 100,000 francs to Captain A. Bizot, my Attends to all the calls himself. Well, one day last summer ther was a young fellow I desire that my dear mother shall pay a traveling out of Chicago for a notions house pension for life of 10,000 france to Prince stopped with the old man and told him I. L. Bonaparte; a life pension of 5000 that he wanted to go up the river that

> the boat and help his guest off. About half-"Turn out," says he, "boat's just whis-

> Well, the fellow sung out that he wasn't

"Yes you are," said Flanders, "you told

"Yes, I know," says the traveler, "but I've changed my mind, and won't go up till morning.

"By thunder," roared the old man,

"you'll go up now." "No, I tell you," said the young chappy, "I'm going to wait till morning, and go up

"By heavens," yelled the excited land lord, "you are going up to night by boat! I've sat up half the night to call you, and door in on you!

Well, there was no help for it. The with a fine pearl, round in form, which was young fellow grumbled and dressed and wondered what manner of man the landlord was. Got his traps together and came out and they hustled down to the landing just as the boat was about ready to back out. Sure as fate, if she wasn't going down instead of up. The young fellow opened his mouth to protest, but hefore he could say a word, the old man had him by the collar.

"Not a word," he roared; you said you NAPCLEON. wanted to go on the boat and, by thunder, The whole of this is written by my own on the boat you go !"

And he waltzed him up the plank, panying themselves by a song, which con- I have no need to recommend my mothe chucked his bag and duster after him sisted in the perpetual reiteration of three to neglect nothing in order to defend the and down the river he went. But he's the notes in a minor key. I have ascertained memory of my great uncle and of my father. best old man in the world," added the tour-

"Was he very mad ?"

at guessing.

ported ?

"What do you take me for ?" was the than the kind they use in England-and

"Why, that's old ---- " said they, he's as nearly equal. Each pushed me to about

were much prettier than the eld ones, and if it interferes with it at all. I do not know

The traveler looked at us.

"Young man," he said, "T'll tell you

But we had some misgivings, and

wouldn't promise, the traveler was obsti-

upon to make. We can only guess at their

general nature, and we are never very good

Hanlan,-Return of the Victorious Canadian

He is a thoroughly good man, one of the

Did he try to copy your style as was

Yes, I suppose so, at least he tried the

long slide which I use - eight inches longer

something of a chop in it after all, But he

Well, I hardly like to talk about that.

I should say that the two men are very

the same extent; and I think that a race

Is there any chance of your rowing

I don't know, there has been some talk

How about the race at Lachine f Did

Not for an instant. I believe that he

What is the radical difference between

That is very hard to explain. Perhaps

it is that I do not trouble myself to do the

work at any particular part of the stroke.

Long, light and clean is my motto. I get

as long a stroke as I can, and I row it out

equally all the way through. I do not pull

harder at the beginning than I do at the middle or at the end, but maintain an

equal strain throughout. It is a long,

In the race with Elliott who rowed the

I did. He rowed a long stroke, but 1

rowed a longer-longer, lighter and cleaner

Was Elliott exhausted after the race

No, not specially so. He was strong enough and rowed hard the whole way.

must have been because I rowed the faster.

How was it then you beat him so easily?

Well (with a light laugh), I guess it

teady sweep, without jerk.

-and I put more of them in.

most strokes a minute?

about it, but nothing definite is decided yet.

and so far as I know, is not likely to be

vet. I am ready to row him or any one else

Is he better than Courtney?

between them would be very close.

Courtney again ?

What do you think of Elliott?

nate and so we never heard and don't

what he said, word for word, if you'll

promise solemnly to put it in your paper.

"Broke a spring hammer. "Broke a sling hammer." "Broke a screen hanger." "Broke a string hammer." "Broke a sting ander."

"Broke a steam hammer." "Broke a swing hanger."

A Bad Scare,

senger. "What's broke loose?" asked the sev-

enth passenger.

passenger.

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able, Pa H. T. HELMBOLD.

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you see, and in trying to reach the next hornsoff."

SOLD EVERYWHERE

pointed man. Yet I have ever kept one could hesitate at no demand made in the hope bright and vigorous, the hope of relast feeble accents of her dving mother. turn to my native shores, and the scenes of She lifted the little unconscious babe from early happiness. the feeble arms that clasped it, and holding ,

the feeble arms that clasped it, and holding it close to her bosom, and looking upon the tearful faces of the little group gathered which your home is situated. I was an when a passenger is told that the spring many friends. My guardian had a daugh-

In an hour her mother had ceased to ter whom I loved, and who acknowledged is on the train to set the old thing up breathe, and Elsie's life-work had begun, that my love was returned. We were he-But it was not until the sad ceremonies of trothed, by the consent of her parents, and the funeral was over, and the little family our wedding day was very near, when had returned to the desolate home, that had returned to the desolate home, that Elsie fully comprehended all that she had First her father died a sudden and terrible

lands

death, then her mother drooped beneath During a residence in Peru, business None who have truly loved will fail to the blow and shortly followed, leaving to took me in the neighborhood of Saracomprehend the struggle that for the fol- Alice the care of the younger children, and yacu, and having several days of leisure lowing weeks went on in Elsie's soul. It exacting from her a promise that she would

before me, I determined to visit a local- ably taken aback at what she supposed was was no slight sacrifice that was demanded of Elsie; duty and love, her promise to the vided for. I would willingly have shared dead and her vows to the living, were the the heavy burdens that now fell upon Alice, considered celebrated. Nothing more attractive than the when he came to tea,

again.

antagonists that contested every inch of but she refused to bind me to her life of ground. John Francis loved Elsie full well toil and self-sacrifice. She laid her love enough to have aided her in her life task. and all her bright hopes upon the altar of He saw no reason in the duties she had un- duty, and I, appalled by the sacrifice and dertaken why she should not fulifil her vows, and in becoming his wife divide the "Elsic, I promised to return when your

that she had no right to allow his generosity task was ended! I am here! Have you hand, is lovely, the water limpid and answers, and was highly enjoying a repe- luck and get stuck on your bargain, you joinder. "Twenty-five cents I want." to lead him into such a sacrifice. He was young, and life lay bright and long before separation ?" that bathing was out of the question, the place being literally crowded with her remarks. He was soon rewarded by o' darkness, by shyin'a broad axe at me He had no need to ask, for Elsie lay sobbing in the arms opened to received her, Should she seek to lay upon his shoulders while the little ones looked on wonderingly eous aspect, which hang under the the usual manner of the ladies: the burden that weighed her down and and the old gardener to whom the secret decomed her to a life of life ? She could had been imparted the night previous,

endure and sacrifice much for the children, stood with clasped hands uttering ejaculawary and incantious. Scarcely a month passes without me when you return."

"Elsie, shall we ever part again ?" "Never," said Elsie, with her quiet simdiscontented with the untimely cares that she looked up in his face with the old contooping to fill a gourd of water. marriage with her must throw upon him. fiding glance that had greeted him a score

So Elsie and John Francis parted, as they of years before. Very quietly the middle-aged pair settled that no arguments nor prayers could change her purpose, that she had solemnly recorded her vow to the dead, and was fully pre-remarks, grasped him by the control of his nose came in contact with the rin of the purpose, that she had solemnly recorded her vow to the dead, and was fully pre-ther was fully prepared to perform it to the uttermost, even dearer far to them than any palace home, to the sacrifice of her dearest hopes and most cherished wishes, he disappeared from dim chambers, and all the green demesne to the sacrifice of her dearest hopes and most cherished wishes, he disappeared from dim chambers, and all the green demesne to the sacrifice of her dearest hopes and dim chambers, and all the green demesne to the sacrifice of her dearest hopes and dim chambers, and all the green demesne to the sacrifice of her dearest hopes and dim chambers, and all the green demesne to the sacrifice of her dearest hopes and then demanded an apology. As soon as John could eatch what little

the neighborhood without a farewell to any which had witnessed their early joys, and rians to a distance. I was most kindly received at the somewhat from his surprise, he said: their reunion after weary years of separa-

Mrs. Gamp and the Unruly Cow.

Mrs. Gamp complained of an unruly stay. tiding of John Francis had fallen on Elsic cow. A "horned critter" that hooks Raymond's cars. When she knew that he down fences and bars along Pawtucke was gone and would not return, she very avenue. She was a little censorious in mento of the happy season of her love, and the narration of her grievances to the squares are divided into rows of cells, matter was. locked them in the casket he had given her, authorities, who gave the old lady an

barn.

"that the case will go agin' me, 'cos l her farm laborers, and taught and nursed don't live in a fallacious residence with mission was full, and at first the good man leading a companion with a handkerher brothers and sisters, and in all things a man's head roof on it, but only in an fathers were puzzled how to dispose of me, when I myself proposed to sleep in church. This chapel, which is dedi-

drew a small beer-jug from her shiny at last they ceased to bleed at every touch, bag. "You will eggsense me," she

said, "if I try to compose my feelinks while habit made her duties light, and al- with a few smelling salts." By some most pleasant. The midnight hour had already passed soul applied the jug to her mouth inabsent minded mistake, the dear old

when Elste rose to retire. Her long, lonely stead of her nose, but it restored her. pass freely. vigil had made her timid and nervous, and "This critter," she observed, "with she could hardly repress a shrick of alarm, brass thimbles on her horns, will hook heard at the outer door, and resounded down anything. She hooked the pail

But Elsie's only thought was of a sum- a liberty pole, and I believe the pesky mons to some sick or dying bed, for in that quiet neighborhood, people were seldom abroad at night on less urgent errands; so, that she had a second interview with smiling at her causeless alarm and still trembling in spite of her bravery, she undid the beer-jug, with one eye shut and the

pose. Vain delusion.

the fastenings of the door, and threw it other open like the garish orb of eternal A tall man, wrapped in a long, dark that her body swayed under it. "I'l riding cloak, stood upon the threshold. By the light of the flaring candle Elste hooking cow, if I have to snatch 'em held, she could not distinguish his face. from the bald head of justice." held, she could not distinguish his lace. Iron the bat he in the jug and toddled She only saw the strange eager look of a then she let fall the jug and toddled pair of very bright eyes, as the stranger away, murmuring: "I believe it was bowed in answer to her salution. "I believe it was added a supply of oil, but somehow or bowed in answer to her salution. "Madam," he said, "I am benighted, as that cow that hooked my unberrill, and I'll have the law on her or knock her

other it had gone out.

hanger owns about the whole engine, e-gineer of a grocery store. His telephone that it is one of those things that can even swear at a brakeman and walk up to a baggageman and call him a "wood-his soul was absorbed, while his mind

"I was born and lived till manhood in en headed, flat backed, trunk liftin' wrestled with the problem of how much 7

lieve his cars. He hadn't heard anything name of his wife, Hattie, crowded in his didn't propose to in fifteen years to come, and he sank back on the railing for supso he grabbed the telephone and curtly ans- port. wered:

"Your wife charges you with assaulting "Shet your darned yawp! I haven't got o time to be foolin' with you now." and abandoning her, Henry. What have you to say ?" asked Justice Murray. no time to be foolin' with you now." Eldora, wife number one, was consider-"Not-much, sir," stuttered Henry. "You'd better say not much, sir,"

VOU.

Nothing more attractive than the neighbors can be conceived. It is, perhaps, as picturesque a spot as any on the globe-sllent, fresh, myster-John. The lady had been somewhat as-the source of the s ious and surrounded by a mass of trop- tonished at first, but thinking that her hus- didn't ical vegetation of the most magnificent hand was growing affectionate again, as in whelp. You didn't abanding me an' you character. The river which flows at days of yore, she began returning suitable didn't tell me that you on'y took me for

caimans and alligators of the most hid- hearing her shrick into the telephone-after an' nearly broke my skull i' eous aspect, which hang under the the usual manner of the ladies: "It d--didn't hit you." "Yes, love, and I am just dying for "No, but you'd wish it had, you blood-

some of those sweet kisses you promised thirsty affliction, you " He waited to hear no more; but snatch- an' I-I was on'y t-takin' it away w-

while I was there, a huge monster the location of the sender, tore out of the han'. I didn't m-mean"snapped up a beautiful girl, who was stooping to fill a sourd of water. John the junior, whom he found trying to

but that having been warned, during end, and without waiting for preliminary such a horrid creature anyhow." them to watch the banks and shout, a coal hod, bunged up both eyes and then

breath was left around loose, and recovered "I'll swear to it on this Bible."

"There must be some terrible mistake." mission, and invited to make the convent my home during the whole of my husband called first on Eldora whom they murder and he hung his head. found sitting in the hallway with a band-

The convent is a square building with box in her lap and weeping hysterically. As for trial, Henry," said His Honor. two wings. The principal reception soon as she was calmed and reassured, the chamber, which is also the refectory, wife of John senior was sought and found

used as entrepots, shop, cellar and forever, and that is the reason the company No, sir, not by a jug full." lost two subscribers, and a butcher sold two

It happened that on my arrival the pounds of lean beefsteak to a sad looking

A Valuable Heirloon

cated to the Virgin, is, though very A few days ago there died in the small, divided into a nave and two town of Vernon, Winneshiek county, chapels. The place was ventilated by Iowa, an aged farmer named Carpenter 1. I die in the Catholic Apostolic and means of four windows without glass who left a will bequeathing to his son Roman religion, in which I was born. or shutters, which enabled the air to an old chest that had been an heirloom 2. I desire that my body shall be placed

In a climate as hot as that of Peru, the son was surprised and incensed to when they shall both In a climate as hot as that of Peru, this did not, at first sight, appear any inconvenience. I therefore unrolled He so reported to the remaining mem-have, like him, dearly loved.

companion of my travels, and prepared him to make further investigations, country. It is for France that I would my bed. Having ridden a considerable which he did in taking the chest apart wish to de.

I retired to my couch in search of re- holes, were discovered. Tearing off ate memory which I shall cherish for her these cleats, the young man found that until my last moment.

they were hollow, and that the space and the partisans of the canse which I rep-

sitting, and found the place in total by the thoughtful parent. How long life. sitting, and found the place in total by the thoughtful parent. How long darkness. Now, I had carefully trim-med the lamp before lying down, and manner in that old chest is a mystery. Gueen ef England, toward all the royal

Groping my way, I strove to feel for too full puts out the fire.

drug stores and presented a prescription of the window, we asked : over the signature of a weil-known physician. The druggist immediately proceeded

directions. When he had finished he handed the minute package to the purchaser, with a pleasant-"Twenty-five cents, p case."

"I-I don't, only I-I did-didn't assault "The man received the prescription, went down in his pockets, pulled out five know what remarks the old man feit called cents, laid it on the counter and started to

go out. "Say, there," said the druggist, "you've made a mistake ; twenty-five cents. assault me, you intolerable little

themselves sick over his trouble.

cents on the prescription anyway."

deaf as an adder. You are sold this time."

"Well, I don't care," replied the drug-

amputated. A new tail grew, and it was tralian in England ?

rist. "I've got his nickle and made three

A Canary Bird's New Plumage,

Baron Rothschild's Maximis.

Attend carefulty to details of your busi-

Dare to do right! Fear to do wrong!

Injure not another's reputation or busi

Join hands only with the virtuous!

Keep your mind from evil thoughts!

Hold integrity sacred!

"All right," was the reply, "five cents; there it is "That's only five cents," was the re-

"I tell you there it is-five cents-there best I ever met. He is much stronger than "N-no, Hat-Hattie, 1-I on'y---" it is," and the man walked toward the door. I am, but he does not use all his strength to

Then the druggist getting angry, came good purpose, from behind the counter and tapping the man on the shoulder, yelling: "My friend, the price is twenty-five

"An' it was m-my b-broad hatchet response; "I ain't no fool. There's your adopted the new kind of row-locks. He five cents on the counter! Five cents- tried to row a long stroke, but his style had ome fearful accident occurring, and ing the telephone he quickly investigated when you j-jerked it ou-out o' mthere it is.

One more attempt was made to explain is a good man. the difference between the cost and the Could you have beaten him by more price paid; but it was no use; the stranger than you did ! I myself should have run a great risk ascertain what the matter was at the other I don't know how I ever come up with epeating. "There's your five cents," left the store. know what I can do, of course, but it

Then the druggist, using words like con- would not be quite the right thing to talk found it, blockhead, nuisance, etc., re- teo much about it. Elliott is a good man, turned to the arms of a crowd of friends in as I said before. "I never had any cavalry at my disposal, the rear of the store, who were laughing

au' I-"Are you sure now that he struck you:

"Oh, d-dear m-me. Now she's agoin

to-to commit p-perjury, groaned Henry.

"You'll have to give \$500 bail to appear "H-how much," asked Henry.

"Five hundred dollars."

The owner of a canary bird has discovchamber, which is also the refectory, stands in the middle, while the side telephone, not able to understand what the telephone, not able to understand telephone, not able telephone, not able to understand telephone, not able telephone, not abl "Oh, dear, I can never get that," he ers. She passed down and out a deter- kind, this paragraph does not resommend rowed for all that he was worth, and that six of which are occupied by the monks and their friends while the others are banish the telephone from their families banish telephone from tel the loss of its tail, which puss completely What do they say of Trickett the Aus-

The Prince Imperial's With

wonderfully beautiful—far superior to the oldrone. The bird owner immediately took is the better man of the two, but it is very The text of the Prince Imperial's will the hint, and plucked out the feathers of difficult to say. Both are good men. has been produced for publication. It is written in French. The following is a the canary's head, the pugnacious little Trickett has lost a finger, I believe-had it thing pecking him furiously during the smashed off by a barrel of beer-but it translation: operation. The new feathers that came does not interfere much with his rowing,

Done at Camden Place, Chiselhurst, the 26th day of February, 1879.

following out his plan, the bard owner soon whether he will come here, or whether I This is my will : had his pet arrayed in plumage that was charming to behold. Unfortunately, the extra brilliancy of the new coat lasts only What is the radical difference between

a few weeks, and the objections of the bird your style and the English professional in the family. On opening the chest near that of my father, pending the time to frequent changes of his clothing are style? be transported to strongly put. He has none of the endurance of a fashionable woman.

my thin cotton mattress, the constant bers of the family, when they persuaded 3. My last thought will be for my

Be prompt in all things! Consider well, then decide positively 5. Let my private friends, my servants Endure trials patiently! Fight life's battle bravely, manfully Go not in the society of the vicious!

I might have slept ten minutes, when between the lid and the bottom of the resent be convinced that my acknowledge was awoke by a strange noise. I rose cleats had been filled with gold coins ments toward them will only end with my

> family, and toward the country where I Be not too prodigal : the kettle when have received, during eight years, so cor

Lie not for any consideration! Never try to appear what you are not ! Observe good manners ! dial a hospitality.

