

The Snowdrop.

From the winter, serene and cold, This beauty of the melting snow, In graceful sweetness doth enfold The charms to which thy heart doth glow.

PROFESSOR CADMUS.

Upon a very stylish street in a very stylish section of New York City stood the Flanders mansion. Its big mahogany door, deeply set between the heavy portals of brownstone, frowned down upon the avenue, as if it held itself aloof and apart from the heterogeneous crowd of humanity that drifted by, all day long.

IN THE 'L' ROAD JUNK SHOPS.

you could. If it is not a liberty, may I ask you where your address will be? "Where," echoed the tutor, as he glanced vacantly around him. "I've not decided where I'm going. I've no home, in a whisp'er, 'why I leave."

CUSTOMERS ARTICLES LEFT IN THE CARS BY PASSENGERS—NOT MANY CLAIMED.

The queerest looking junk shop in the country is located at No. 4 Front street, New York city. Everything from a bent hairpin to a pithic pocketbook can be seen there.

MARRIAGES IN TURKEY.

Although polygamy is the law of the land in Turkey—where a free bachelor may become enthralled to four wives, if he desires to throw himself away in that costly and reckless manner—still, it appears, the forces of betrothal and marriage are quite elaborate.

MICE IN A BARREL ORGAN.

Signor Giovanni Canio is an Italian gentleman with a turn for music, who some years ago had fared farwell to the figs, macaroni, and funocchio of his native Italy in Italy.

How they Converted a Noble Instrument into a Sausage Machine.

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An Astonished Bear.

A man named Ed. Wilson was brought into the Sisters' Hospital, Helen, M. T. from a camp in the timber beyond Gloster, to be treated for injuries received by falling from a tree which he had been chased by a wounded bear.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

—Cattle ranges in Montana are reported over-crowded. —The town of Palmetto, Mass., has celebrated her 200th birthday. —It is a rare of clear green that the Parisian florists now talk about.