

AT THE GATE.

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Early heads and trailing faces.
Sweeping by the living day.

Hunting Myths on Christmas Eve

BY W. B. COBBETT.

Mrs. Bigelow's work for the day was done, the last crumb brushed up, the supper dishes reposed in their places with a respectful shine upon them.

There was not a more self-willed man in the county than Josiah Bigelow.
You might as well try to move a star fence," the neighbors said, when he "made up his mind," which he often did.

LOOK INSIDE YOUR WATCH.

Extraordinary Facts in Connection With the Timepiece of Everyday Use.

Open your watch and look at the little wheels, springs and screws, each an indispensable part of the whole.

A CHRISTMAS SHIP.

A ship from which to unload a cargo of presents on Christmas Day is an excellent entertainment, not only in a private house, but at a gathering in a village school-room.

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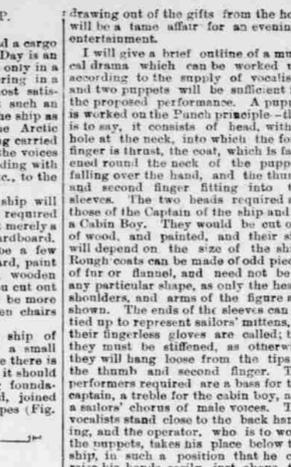
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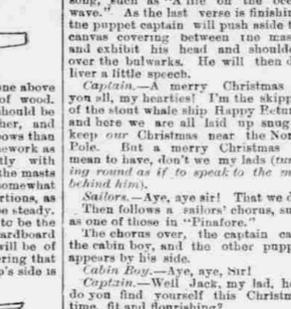
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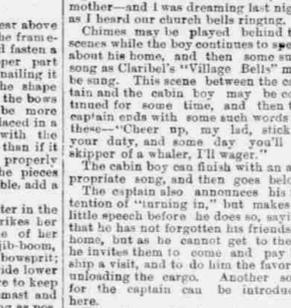
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Next fix these foundations one above the other by upright pieces of wood.



is to be seen which would appear above the water.



When the captain has disappeared, the operator below slides of the canvas so as to open the hold, and prepares to look on the various articles of education of women.

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MRS. SADI-CARNOI, wife of the President of France, is a woman of rare accomplishments and taste.

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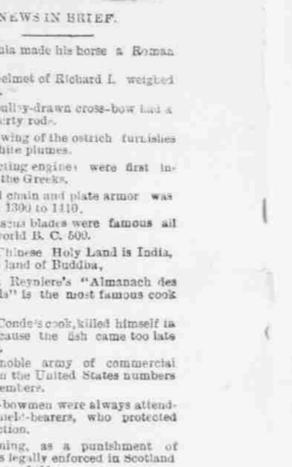
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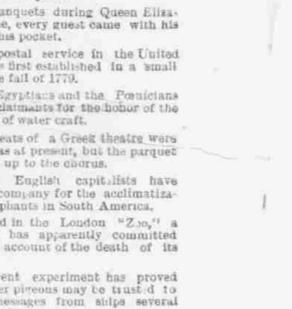
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Every Dog Has His Day.

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Miss Phayre—Oh, no! I only wear the coat dog with this gown.—Puck