

THE UNBROKEN HEART.

He was sitting at the window, and his little nose was fat. As he pressed his face to the window, his lips against the pane...

GARRISON IN A ROUND HOUSE.

"Smoky Hill was the end of the track at that time," said the old engineer, shifting his lame foot to an easy position. "We had built a round house at the work for three or four bunkers and a black bench. To protect ourselves against the Sioux we had lined, or vaulted, the house up to about five feet from the ground and filled in behind the lining with sand."

"When we had reached the station the Pawnees who were among the scouts recognized our captive at once as Bear Foot, a noted and very wicked man. When the Sioux came to himself and realized that he was a captive he became furious. He surged and strained at the bell rope, but it was all in vain, and finally he gave it up."

How his Knowledge Served Him. In a recent conversation with a reporter of the New York Sun, the Hon. Daniel S. Lamont, Secretary of War, remarked that he had learned telegraphy as a boy, and that it had often proved him in good stead. He then told the following story illustrating this usefulness:

Several years ago, after my father's death, I wanted to bring my mother to Washington. I was in McGrawville, my home town in Cortland County, and it was necessary for us to take a number of railroads in order to reach the main line by which we were to go to Washington. It was also necessary to change cars a number of times on these local roads, and in one or two instances the trains were late, so that I began to fear we could not make the connection."

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Two Hundred Feet of Fish. A few thousand years ago these must have been high water out in Wyoming. And that water must have been full of fish. Geologists have recently discovered immense hills and plains, a mile and a half above the level of the sea, made entirely out of the bodies of fishes turned to stone.

God expects every Christian to try to make the world better than he found it. Every one who can say, "The Lord is my Shepherd," may also say, "I shall not want."

THE forty-ninth Annual Statement of the Penn Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Philadelphia, appears in this issue of our paper. The exhibit shows that the business of 1896 was the best in the history of this old, established and solid company.

My Dear Grandpa. Food is served in one of the London restaurants on electrically heated plates, so that the guests can eat leisurely and still have the viands continue warm until the close of the meal.

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Business of the Company during 1896. Premiums and Annuities, Interest, Receipts, etc. Total Payments to Policy Holders since Organization: \$2,021,119.46.

My Dear Grandpa. Sad Story of Rosa Brown. Mary C. Tuttle, one of our girls who lives in Washington, D. C., writes about a wonderful cat named Rosa Brown, which was a pet of her mother.

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