

MAN'S MASTERPIECE

Through countless ages on the earth there wrought A race called man, which strove and hoped and dreamed; And those there were who sang, and those who gazed the lost redeemed.

"MY PRISONER, SIR!"

I had crossed the Allegheny Mountains from Cumberland to Brownsville in the stage. I had occupied a week in the passage, stopping at the several towns to perform the business of the agency with which I was intrusted.

AN OPERATION AVOIDED.

Mrs. Rosa Gaum Writes to Mrs. Pinkham About It. She Says: DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—I take pleasure in writing you a few lines to inform you of the good your Vegetable Compound has done me. I cannot thank you enough for what your medicine has done for me; it has, indeed, helped me wonderfully.

TRUMPET CALLS.

When the grapple visited this section, about seven years ago, Herman H. Ewiler, of 811 W. Main St., Jefferson, Mo., was one of the after-effects of the disease. He is a well-known contractor and builder, a hard worker, and his health began to fail alarmingly and that he lives today is almost a miracle.

OUR BOYS AND GIRLS

THIS IS THEIR DEPARTMENT OF THE PAPER. Grandpa says, don't play in the house; He cannot bear the noise. Mamma says, don't go out-of-doors; It's damp for little boys.

AMONG PEOPLE WHERE THE PRACTICE OF ECONOMY IS A NECESSITY...

Among people where the practice of economy is a necessity, the buying of soap is an important yearly item. The grocer who has an eye to larger profits, may not suggest Ivory Soap. He will recommend nothing else if he is conscientious.

IT FLOATS.

A WORD OF WARNING—There are many white soaps, each represented to be "just as good as the Ivory"; they ARE NOT, but like all counterfeits, lack the peculiarly remarkable qualities of the genuine. Ask for "Ivory" Soap and insist upon getting it.



Stories are told of some strange sales made by inch of candle. Not only ordinary articles comprising merchandise, but even the ships in which the merchandise was carried, were auctioned off by the candle.

Government's Old Gold Business. Hard times can be pretty well estimated by the amount of gold jewelry, old plate and trinkets, says Director of the Mint, Preston, presented to the government.

After I was induced to try CASCA-CATHARTIC, I will never be without them in the future. I feel better, my bowels are regular, and my head is clear.

THE BEST PLACE TO BUY Fine Singing Canaries, Mocking Birds, Parrots, etc. at low prices.

TO PUBLISHERS AND PRINTERS The Central Newspaper Union, Ltd. 614 CHESTNUT ST., Philadelphia, Furnishes Machine Composition.

Tea at \$148 per Pound.

One hundred and forty-three dollars a pound is what Ceylon tea of a certain kind brought at auction in London some time ago.

Three Stars Extra.

A notable fakir was selling silk strangled banners at the 15th street entrance to the Treasury Department the other afternoon.

A Good Roads Court.

A Maryland judge has decided that a town is liable for the expense of riding of wheels on sidewalks when the streets are impassable.

Right Way to Cut a Cable.

When the Havana cable was "cut" the men who performed the task did not sever the parts completely, but left strands incompletely severed.

How to Detect Chiro.

Coffee which is suspected of containing chiro may be sprinkled on the surface of a glass of clear water.

Took It as a Hint.

A story is told of Senator Vest making a political speech in Sedalia, Mo., some time ago, when he was greatly embarrassed to see nearly every man in the house take out his watch at the same time.

Beauty is Blood Deep.

Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Casca's Candy Cathartic cleans the blood.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.

To quit tobacco and smoke your life away, use Casca's Candy Cathartic.

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Who Loved Mamma?

"The sun had gone down, and it was dark in the sitting room. The wind whistled and blew through the key holes and under the door.

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