Sensations of a Man Who Died.

A man in Hagerstown, Md., who was supposed to have died, but subsequently came to life, said in stating his experience: When I died I first felt a sinking, going sensation. I knew everything going on in the room, but I could not speak or move my lips. The next thing I remember was being in a dense darkness, seemingly in a tunnel, through which I was being pushed. There seemed to be two forms, one on each side, pushing me along through the tunnel, and I appeared to move as if I was nothing, touching nothing above or below. At last it appeared to get lighter, as though we were nearing the end of the passage. It grew brighter every moment, and then I seemed to observe two shining, beautiful forms on each side of me. I had a feeling of perfect pease and well-being, and heard, as though it were a part of the space I floated in, the most and delightful music.

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A SUNNY IDEA OF LIFE.—A good many people spend all their life hunting for a place in this world that they were never intended to fill. They never settled down to any thing with any sort of restful or contented feeling. What they are doing now is not by any means the work that is suited to their abilities. They have a sunny idea of a very noble life which they would like to reach, in which their powers would have free scope, and where they could make a very bright record. But in their present position they cannot do much of any thing, and there is little use to try. Their life is a humdrum and a prosy outline, and they can accomplish nothing really worthy and beautiful. So they go on, discontented with their own lot and sighing for another; and while they sigh the years glide away, and soon they will come to the end, to find that they have missed every opportunity of doing any thing worthy of a rational being on the passage to eternity. The truth is, one's vocation is never some far-off possibility. It is always the simple round of duties that the passing hour brings. No day is common-place if we only had eyes to see its splendor. There is no duty that comes to our hand but brings us the possibility of kingly service.

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On the 2d day of January, 1882, a business meeting of the Proprietors, Editors and Sifters of this paper was held in the editorial arena at No. 914 Congress avenue. The Proprietors, Editors and Sifters were all present. In other words, we were both in attendance. Colonel Knox was appointed a committee to draw up a select assortment of resolutions regarding a swearing-off platform. The colonel retired, and, after an absence of half an hour, returned accompained by the aroma of a coffee bean, and presented the following: *Resolved*, That we hereby swear off using any stimulating beverages, said swear-off to continue and to be in force for one year from date, with the following exceptions regarding time and place: 1. Solely and strictly as medicine. 2. When samples are sent to the office. 3. When laboring under a sense of discouragement. 4. When we receive a new subscriber. 5. When we feel that we actually need something. 6. On any special occasion.—*Texas Siftings.*

"When I publicly testified that I had been cured of a terrible skin humor by the Cuticura Remedies, I did so that others might be cured, and do not regret the time given to answering in quiries."—Hon. Wm. Taylor, Boston. Mr304w.

In well-regulated crockery stores the clerk is instructed to occasionally smash a painted dish, when the master bawls out: 'Charge Smith fifty dollars—cost of dish broken.' The awe struck customers pity Smith, and gladly pay any sort of price that may be asked.

Little Edith was terribly sleepy the other night. She began her customary prayer upon retiring, but when she got as far as 'Our Father,' her eyes closed and her head tumbled on to the pillow. 'I tan't tay it to-night,' she said, 'I'm too s'eepy. He knows the rest of it.'

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A member of a London club was standing on the club-house steps, when a gentleman came up to him and asked him if there was a gentleman with one eye named Walker in the club. 'I don't know,' was the answer; 'what was the name of his other eye?'

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There is rather a dearth at present of poems with disputed authorship. Isn't it about time that some fellow was writing something in the 'Knock me to sleep mother' line, and selling it to a country editor for ten cents and drinks.

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The Mysterious.

Here is a man with a light beaver overcoat on. He drives a white horse and a top buggy, and all of a sudden he stops in the middle of the street and looks fixedly at his horse. In two minutes fifty people line the curbstone.

'What's the matter?'

'Balky?'

A man steps up to seize the bridle and start the horse, but the driver shakes his head, and motions him away.

'I'll bet he's an ugly brute.'

'Of course he is. Look at that wicked eye of his!'

The crowd has now been increased by fifty, and several vehicles have stopped.

'Any body hurt?'

'No; balky horse.'

'Why doesn't some one whisper in his ear?'

Four men stepped out to give advice, but they are hastily motioned back, and a livery stable man in the crowd observes:

'If that horse don't kill two or three men here, I shall be much mistaken.'

Three minutes more and the crowd numbers two hundred. The man with the gray horse looks up and down the street, braces his feet, takes a firm grip on the lines, and softly says, 'Come Peter.' And Peter draws his head, dangles his ears and moves off as slowly ond softly as a river of grease.

'What was it?' calls a man who has run four blocks, and is puffing like a whale.

But there is no one to answer him, The crowd has dissolved like a handful of sugar in a barrel of water. It is very mysterious, and the crowd dosn't enjoy the climax at all.

THE WORLD'S EPILEPTIC INSTITUTE.

While passing through St. Joseph, Mo., and having heard a great deal about the World's Epileptic Institute located here, I concluded to pay the celebrated institution a short visit. We were met by Dr. Richmond, the proprietor, who has gained a reputation as broad as the land. He is a rather small, yet prepossessing man, of very affable and gentlemanly manners. He gave us a hearty welcome, and took great pains in showing us through his palatial and mammoth institution. It is a five story building, 200x180 feet, with basement, and contains over three hundred rooms, and can accommodate five hundred patients, and each and every room is furnished in the most elegant and lavish manner. But we will begin at the office, which is a large room furnished with rosewood furniture throughout. In the office are thousands of photographs of those who have been benefited by the Nervine. The walls are elegantly papered, and are profusely decorated with rich and costly pictures, relieved here and there by busts in stone and bronze of eminent men of this and other countries. In connection with the Institute is a mammoth printing house and bindery, occupying six or seven large rooms, and a score of presses are kept running night and day turning out work for the doctor. The office is one of the finest and most complete in the west, and he has the rooms decorated, carpeted and trimmed up with as much care and luxury as is his own private office. On the first floor of this mammoth building is the doctor's private office, the printing department, bindery, tank room, packing bottling and consultation rooms, barber shop, drug store, etc., all of which are fitted up regardless of expense. The second floor has the hotel office, dining, billiard and cooking rooms, many guest chambers and several parlors. The third and fourth floors are all rooms, all of which are furnished with Brussells carpets and the finest furniture. The billiard room has six tables, all of which are free to the guests of the house and their friends. The bath room is large and neat, and is also free to guests. The entire building is surrounded on the east and south by an elegant five acre park, in which are lovely trees, beds of rich and rare plants, gravel walks and drives, delicious arbors, and a most beautiful summer house. There are also a number of fountains that add wonderfully to the beauty of the park, which is truly one of the most lovely and attractive in the western country, and the Institute has no equal for luxury and comfort in the world. Everything is perfection, and the visitor is at once charmed with the entire place and its surroundings. An idea of the immensity of the doctor's business may be given when we say that of the day we visited the Institute he showed us to his express room, and we saw the expressman take goods labeled to the following places, to say nothing of hundreds of orders from all quarters of America; Lyons, France; Geneva, Switzerland; Madrid, Spain; Brussels, Belgium; Cape Town, Africa; Shanghai, China; Yokohama, Japan; Bombay, India; Melbourne, Australia. The doctor employs hundreds of men and women in his Institute in the several branches, aside from the immense force required to conduct the hotel. It is worth a visit, and Dr. Richmond extends to all a cordial invitation to come and see him. He and his wonderful medical discovery have given to St. Joseph a good name all over the habitable globe.—[Correspondence of the Chicago *Times*, Aug. 10, 1881.

During the ninth waltz, Oscar, pointing to his boots, remarked to Felicians: 'You can't say I have no polish.' 'No.' said she, 'but you shine at the wrong end.'

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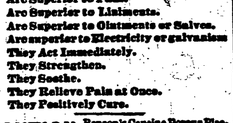
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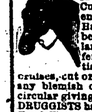
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