

Miscellaneous

The Three Wishes

There was once a wise Emperor who made a law that to every stranger who came to his court a fried fish should be served. The servants were directed to take notice if, when the stranger had eaten the fish to the bone on one side, he turned it over and began on the other side. If he did, he was to be immediately seized, and on the third day thereafter he was to be put to death. But, by a great stretch of imperial clemency, the culprit was permitted to utter one wish each day, which the Emperor pledged himself to grant, provided it was not to spare his life. Many had already perished in consequence of this edict, when one day a count and his young son presented themselves at court. The fish was served as usual; and when the count had removed all the flesh from one side, he turned it over, and the Emperor, who was about to command the other, when he was suddenly seized and thrown into prison, and was told of his approaching doom. Sorrow-stricken, the count's young son besought the Emperor to allow him to die in the room of his father, a favor which the monarch was pleased to accord him. The count was accordingly released from prison, and his son was thrown into his cell in his stead.

As soon as this had been done, the young man said to his father—"You know, father, I have the right to make three demands before I die; go and tell the Emperor to send me his daughter and a priest to marry us."

The first demand was not much to the Emperor's taste; nevertheless he felt bound to keep his word, and he therefore complied with the request, to which the princess had no kind of objection. This occurred in times when kings kept their treasures in a cave, or in a tower set apart for the purpose, and on the second day of his imprisonment the young man demanded the king's treasures.

If his first demand was a bold one, the second was not less so; still an Emperor's word is sacred, and having made the promise he was forced to keep it; and the treasures of gold and silver and jewels were placed at the prisoner's disposal. On getting possession of them, he distributed them profusely among the courtiers, and soon he made a host of friends by his liberality.

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"Very good," replied the Emperor, "your demand is not natural, and it springs from a good heart. Let the first chamberlain be seized," he continued, turning to his guards.

"I see you've seized the chamberlain," said the steward; "I did not see anything—it was the steward."

"Let the steward be seized, then," said the king.

But the steward protested with tears in his eyes that he had not witnessed anything of what had been reported, and said it was the butler. The butler declared that he had seen nothing of the matter, and that it must have been one of the valets. But they protested that they were utterly ignorant of what had been charged against them. In short it turned out that nobody could be found who had seen the count commit the offence, upon which the princess said:

"I appeal to you, my father, as to another Solomon. If anybody else of the offence committed, the count cannot be guilty, and my husband is innocent."

The Emperor frowned, and forthwith the courtiers began to murmur—and then he smiled, and immediately their visages became radiant.

"Let it be," said his majesty—"Let him live, though I have put many to death for a lighter offence than his. But if he is not hung—he is married;—Justice has been done."

A Lesson of Trust. Some time ago a boy was discovered in Claiborne street, evidently bright and intelligent, but sick. A man who had the feeling of kindness strongly developed, went to ask what he was doing there.

"Waiting for God to come for me," said he.

"What do you mean?" said the gentleman, touched by the pathetic tone of the answer and the condition of the boy, in whose face he gazed and whose face he saw the evidence of fever.

"God sent for mother, and father, and little brother," said he, "and took them away to His home up in the sky; and mother told me when she was sick that God would take care of me, and I have no home, nobody to give me anything, and so I came out here, and have been looking up so long in the sky for God to come and take care of me as mother said He would. He will come, won't He? Mother never told me a lie."

CONCERT BLOCK

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REGULATOR STORE.

A WORD TO MY OLD FRIENDS and the community generally. Not being a friend to long and windy advertisements and large expenditures to the printer, I herewith submit a condensed statement of facts at a small cost, with the understanding that the surplus capital will be better employed in reducing the price of Goods to my customers.

My stock is full and complete to supply all the wants of my old customers and many new ones, both in the Retail and Job Trade for the approaching cold weather. Having

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at 50c per yard. Narganett Jeans 75c for winter wear at 40c. Good yard-wide Brown Sheetings at 25c. Prints 18 to 25 cents per yard.

CHOICE DRESS GOODS

from 25 to 45 per yard, quality equal to those prices six years ago. Dress Goods at lower prices as well as an splendid assortment of fine goods at less prices than can be bought in the State—Among them may be found

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Ladies' Cloth for Cloakings at various prices, including Washington Mills.

Water Proof Union Beaver,

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My Boots, Shoes, and Carpet Stock,

down stairs was never more full and complete, or at greater inducements to the purchaser. Bargains may be found at this

REGULATOR

In Hats, Caps, Gloves and Mittens;

also, in BED, & HORSE BLANKETS.

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E. GOFF, Corning, Jan. 1, 1866.

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DRY GOODS, GROCERIES,

READY-MADE CLOTHING, HATS, CAPS, BOOTS & SHOES, FURNISHING GOODS, EARTHEN, STONE, AND GLASS WARE,

READY PAY ONLY! No trouble to Show Goods.

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FLOUR, PORK, HAMS, AND GROCERIES.

FRESH BEEF, MUTTON, BUTTER, &c.

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FIFTY PER CENT. LOWER THAN THIRTY DAYS AGO.

Stoves & Tin Ware FOR THE MILLION.

Messrs. ROBERTS & KELSEY

STOVE AND TIN WARE BUSINESS,

TIN WARE MADE TO ORDER.

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WE have reduced the price of Flour \$1 per barrel, Feed and meal 50 cents per owl, and shall sell FOR CASH ONLY.

Stoves! Stoves!!

AND HARDWARE!

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NAILS, SPIKES, CROWBARS, X CUT, MILL HAND AND BUCK SAWS, BUTTS, STRAP HINGES, CARPENTER'S TOOLS, PUMPS, AXES, AUGERS, BITTS,

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WOOD SCREWS, CARRIAGE BOLTS, BURRS, SKELINS, WASHERS, PIPE BOXES, AXLE-TREES, ELLIP-TIC

SPRINGS, HORSE SHOES HOOP, BAR, & BAND IRON, GRINDSTONE HANGINGS, CORN POPPERS, &c.

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They are an agreeable and wholesome appetizer, without any of the injurious effects which are sure to follow the use of stimulating "Bitter" and all-purging medicines. By their purifying, strengthening and invigorating power they are sure to keep the digestive organs in a healthy condition, thus preventing Coerciveness, Diarrhoea or Dysentery.

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See that my Signature is on the face of the box before purchasing. Beware of spurious imitations.

W. D. TERRELL, Wholesale Agent, Corning, N. Y. Sold by all Druggists.

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STRENGTH TO THE WEAK! YOUTH TO THE AGED!

This preparation is unequalled as a Regenerator and Restorer of wasted or inert functions.

Persons who, by imprudence, have lost their natural vigor, will find a speedy and permanent cure in the BIOKRENE.

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GOOD BARGAIN,

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THE UNDERSIGNED having purchased the well known Woollen Factory of Messrs. E. & B. Bowen on the Gowanus River, two miles east of Knoxville, takes this method of informing the inhabitants of Tioga and adjoining counties that he will manufacture wool by the yard or on shares to suit customers, into

ROLL CARDS and Cloth Dressing, which will be done in the neatest possible manner, having added one new Roll Machine, will enable him to dispatch and accommodate people from a distance. He would further say that he has carried on the business in manufacturing wool for 15 years in Bradford and adjoining counties for the past twenty years; he therefore can warrant all work and satisfy his customers, using nothing in manufacturing but genuine wool.

SELLING OFF AT REDUCED PRICES.

LARGE AND CHOICE STOCK

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS,

TOBACCO, SEGARS, STONE & WOOD

E. REMINGTON & SONS, Manufacturers

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Parties desiring to avail themselves of the late improvements in pistols, and those of superior workmanship and form, will find all combined in the new Remingtons Revolvers. They contain the latest cuts and description of our Arms, will be furnished upon application.

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FOUTZ'S Horse and Cattle Powders.

This preparation, long and favorably known, will thoroughly reinvigorate broken-down and long-continued horses, by strengthening and cleansing the stomach and intestinal system.

It is a sure preventive of all diseases incident to this animal, such as LUNG FEVER, GLANDERS, YELLO W, BRUISES, COUGHS, DISTEMPERS, COLIC, RHEUMATISM, LOSS OF APPETITE, AND ALL OTHER AFFECTIONS OF THE DIGESTIVE SYSTEM.

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To keepers of Cows this preparation is invaluable. It increases the quantity and improves the quality of the milk, and has been proven by actual experiment to increase the quantity of milk and to make the butter firm and sweet, and to give the milk a rich and delicious flavor. It gives them an appetit, loses their fat, and makes them thrive much faster.

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ROLL CARDS and Cloth Dressing,

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THE ONLY KNOWN REMEDY FOR DIABETES.

IRRITATION OF THE NECK OF THE BLADDER, INFLAMMATION OF THE KIDNEYS, CATARRH OF THE BLADDER, STRANGURY OR PAINFUL URINATING.

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Are you troubled with that distressing pain in the small of the back and through the legs? A teaspoonful a day of Helmholt's Buchu will relieve you.

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These ingredients are known as the most valuable Diuretics afforded.

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