

A SHATTERED IDOL.

Each week I saw him take an X And put it in a letter And mail it, and for that I own I liked him all the better.

THE POWER OF THE PRESS.

How It Might Be the Highest Terrestrial Illustration of Omnipotence. Colonel Pat Doman, the celebrated correspondent, speaking on the subject of editors of newspapers to a Philadelphia News man, said:

We speak of England, France, Germany, Russia and the United States as "the great powers," but among all the powers of earth the press stands first and greatest.

His Heart Bowed Down.

He nestled me as I came out of the postoffice on Broadway and wanted to know whether the Broadway cable was the only one now at work.

He Was Too Slow.

He reached out as if he would catch hold of her, but she eluded his grasp. Again he made an equally feeble attempt, and again she eluded him.

An Eye-Clopper.

In traveling you can easily guard against the dread of getting cinders in your eye by carrying with you a tiny box of flaxseed.

Dog Reputations.

Uncle George—Your dog isn't so smart as Tommy's, is he? Little Johnny—Yes, he's just as smart, but I isn't so good a liar as Tommy.—Good News.

An "inch of rain" means a gallon of water spread over a surface of nearly two square feet or a fall of about 100 tons upon an acre.

The lamp used by Epictetus, the philosopher, sold for 3,000 drachmas soon after his death, in the year 161 A. D.

JACKETS FOR OUR SAILORS.

They Are Made by Sewing Women in the Employ of the Navy Department. The natty uniforms of the sailors and marines of the United States navy are made by a corps of women employed by the quartermaster of the Brooklyn navy yard.

The applicant must present her name to the civil service board. Her application must be signed by at least two reputable persons. Not only must she come well recommended as a seamstress, but the condition of the workshop is carefully considered.

Once appointed, the applicant visits the tailor shops of the navy yard, where she receives a bundle of goods to be made up into garments. The government furnishes all the trimmings and thread.

The garments are for the enlisted men only, as the officer supplies his own wardrobe. The uniforms are issued at the navy yard by the quartermaster.—New York Sun.

THE CABLE CAR MAN.

He Claims That He Faces Dangers Which Almost Unnerve Him.

When the railroad men left the cable car at the head of the Milwaukee avenue viaduct, the gripman threw the lever forward with an emphatic "zip" and said: "Those locomotive engineers think they are the only men with nerve who ride on rails.

Original.

John Hookham Frere was a scholar and a man of much literary ability, but one of those whose work, for some reason, finds a very slight hearing.

Unique Advertising.

A tale is told of Robert Bonner and of his belief in advertising. One day he engaged a whole page of a newspaper and repeated a two line advertisement upon it over and over again.

Highest Fountain Jet.

The wonder of the New England states, an oddity of which mention is, for some unknown reason, seldom made in print, is the monster fountain jet at the Home of Destitute Women and Children, near Bennington, Vt.

Every Woman

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TALE OF TWO BABIES.

St. Murphy.

There is in one of the departments in Washington an old maid whom I call St. Murphy, not because she is so saintlike in appearance, for my saint has a jolly face, and in that woman, whose hair is sprinkled with gray and upon whose cheeks the roses of youth have ceased to bloom, I see a beauty that leaves nothing to be desired.

She comes into the dining room accompanied by a little girl and boy. My woman's eye soon detects something a little out of the usual. The children look too young to be hers, so I make inquiries and find that they are hers by adoption.

All this I saw in a moment, and I then tried to look beyond this interesting mother and her natural boy to that wonderful baby that never cried and to his proud parent. I could not see them, however, because the restless little head hid them from me, but every now and then there came to my ear the hush of one voice, followed by the proud tone of the other.

At last the train stopped with one of those backing, bumping motions with which we are all familiar. Then the terrified scream of the thoroughly aroused baby made the nervous mother hasten to leave the car as quickly as possible.

Beware of Fresh Olives.

How a California Planter Amuses Himself at the Expense of Innocent Travelers. Eastern visitors in California are always much interested in the olive plantations which, in recent years, have become a feature of the most southerly counties of the state.

A few miles south of San Diego, where the railroad makes a junction with a small one track road leading into Mexico, a large planter has taken advantage of this delusion for his own amusement.

Chicken on the Shell.

In a certain rather pretentious but cheap priced restaurant I witnessed a scene which, though funny enough to the outside onlooker, could not but have been extremely mortifying to the proprietor.

AYER'S Cherry Pectoral

So says Mr. T. M. Reed, a highly-respected Merchant of Middletown, Ill., of a Young Man who was supposed to be in Consumption. "One of my customers, some years ago, had a son who had all the symptoms of consumption.

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"One of my customers, some years ago, had a son who had all the symptoms of consumption. The usual medicines afforded him no relief, and he steadily failed until he was unable to leave his bed. His mother applied to me for some remedy and I recommended Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

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