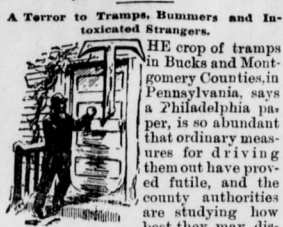


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SOMETHING to be studied—a shirt front. A PIN is like a man. It is useless when it loses its head.

UNIQUE SOBERING DEVICE.



A Terror to Tramps, Bummers and Intoxicated Strangers. HE crop of tramps in Bucks and Montgomery Counties, in Pennsylvania, says a Philadelphia paper, is so abundant that ordinary measures for driving them out have proved futile.

LETTERS FROM THE CORNERS.

NECK OR NOTHING HALL, R. EDITOR: When that ossifier sed he was a goin to take Willam Henry to the ca'boos, I jest rung my hars, an ses I: "O, good Mr. Ossifier, he didn't mean utthin rong; he's only a bit excited from watchin' the show; but he's not; he'll let you out in ten minutes."

Butler and Randall.

A group of Congressmen were discussing Mr. Randall's prospects for complete recovery the other day in one of the cloak-rooms of the House, when the conversation turned upon the recent "conversion" of the Pennsylvania statesman and his formal reception by baptism into the membership of a certain church here.

THE TURTLE BETTER AS I GROWS OLD.

Like wine and whisky, the turtle improves with age. One of the delicacies at a recent dinner at Windsor Castle was a turtle which had reached the advanced age of 100 years.



Said Sarah to Mary: "Pray, tell me, dear cousin, what can be the matter? A few months ago you were fairer and fatter. Now your cheeks, once so rosy, are marked with lead, your thin, trembling hands are as useless as tallo; your nerves are unstrung, your temper is shaken, and you act and appear like a woman forsaken."

HANDSOME COIFFURES FOR THE SEASON.



No. 1. Princess Headdress—The front is a turn-over toupee, the back formed with new spiral wreath. No. 2. Cover-All Poudre—Described in the Queen, Jan. 18, page 96. No. 3. The Spiral Headdress—The front is a Bebe toupee, or may be worn with wavel bandeaux.

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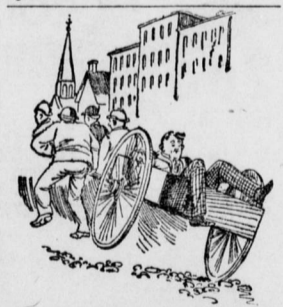
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Three Bucks County Sobering-Machine.

A three or four sturdy burghers at the shafts he was given a ride over the rough streets that was enough to shake every drop of liquor out of him and make him a soberer and wiser man.



Every country on the globe has its own special curse. Wild beasts are the curse of India. They destroy on an average about twenty-five thousand persons a year, most of whom are killed by the bite or the leg of snakes.

Some Needed Inventions.

A TENNIS racket that can be used for a snowshoe. A kind of bean that will make either tea, coffee or chocolate. A bad cold that can be cured by any of the thousand cures which will be recommended.

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