A Clever Thief.

Two young men, according to a Paris paper, were recently seated in front of a cafe on the Boulevarde, when one of them named Lucein W., informed his friend that he had just come into possesion of 5,000 francs, adding that the 5,000 francs in bank notes, were safely locked up in a drawer in his room, and he should not then trouble himself with business. He had a sum of fifty france in his pocket, with which he proposed that he and his friend should go to Asniers and enjoy themselves with boating, dining, a ball etc., and not return until two o'clock in the

At the table close to them was a welldressed man, who, although apparently absorbed in the perusel of his journal, did not lose a word of the conversation. He was an accomplished thief, named R., alias "The Aspic," who had but recently returned from a tour in the provinces, which he had found necessary to make in order to withdraw himself from the observation of the police. The bait of 5,000 francs was too tempting for him to resist, and he immediately resolved to obtain possession

Having noticed that Lucian W., had placed his hat on a stool at a short distance from him, the Aspic adroitly substituted his own for it, and after paying for what he had taken, walked out. He knew that the 5,000 francs were deposited in a drawer in the young man's room, and the address of the room he hoped to find by means of the name at the bottom of the hat. Seeing the hatter's address he went to his shop and told him that he had on deaving a restaurant, taken a bat that did - not belong to him, and which he was anxious to return to the owner, if the hatter happened to know the address of the customer.

The information was readily obtained, and in a very short time after the thief had paid his visit to the apartment of Lucien W., and gained possession of the money. About an hour after the young man came to the hatter's also, and was informed of what had occurred, but, not thinking of any danger for his money, he merely bought a hat, and with his friend proceeded to Asniers.

On his return home at night he discovered his loss. Information was immediately lodged with the police, and, from the description of the man given by the hatter, he was, on the following day, arrested while on a party of pleasure, which he had also devised with some friends, to the river side. In his pockets were found the 5,000 francs, minus 400 francs, which he had expended.

The Habit of Kissing Children.

When any person of either sex, or of any condition, sees a small child walking or running about in charge of a nurse, he (or she, generally she,) counts it his privitege to kiss the child, if he happens to be pleased with its appearance. Even if he is not pleased, he feels well-nigh obliged, should be be polite, to caress the "dear little thing," because he conceives it to be a sort of duty which contemporaries owe to the rising generation. It is singular how this custom of greeting small children, under all circumstances, should have grown up. Entire strangers to the family, not less than its friends, seem to think this kissing imperative. A good-looking nicelydressed child cannot be seen in a hotel, on the promenade, or in any of the parks, without incurring the habitual embrace from a number of men and women of high and low degree. That it is an impertimence, to say the least cannot be denied; that it is a habit which many parents deplore, and try in vain to correct, is widely known. It is most undesirable, nor is it safe, this wholesale, indiscriminate kissing. Imagine how children themselves must suffer. It is one of their wrongs that has not been sufficienty insisted on. It is not improbable that they have often been made ill by running the gauntlet of Tom, Dick and Harry, or Jane, Mary and Sarab. The custom is more established here than in any other country, and it is time it should be discontinued. Nobody has any right to kiss a child unless invited to do so by its parents, and this should be understood.

Singular Aceldent.

Levi Wagenseller, of Philadelphia, while eating dinner, let his false teeth slip part way down his throat. A physician told him to drink a glass of gin, which might make the teeth and their rubber plate pass into the stomach, where they would remain until dissolved; but they only went a little further down and lodged immovable, in such a way as to prevent anything passing into the stomach. He lived seven weeks without food, and died of starvation.

Rewarding a Heroine.

A young lady named Quinn, living near Capa, found a broken rail on the line of the Chicago and Lake Huron Railroad. She promptly "flagged" an approaching mail train, and probably thereby prevented a terrible disaster. The receiver of the road gave her a 1,000 miles ticket as a reward.

DOOR HOUSE ACCOUNT.

found of the Directors of the Poor an House of Employment for the county of Perry, of the Recenture and Expen-ditures for the year ending December 31st, 1878.

| H. P. LIGHTNER, Treas | urer. |
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| The state of the s | |
| Receipts. | |
| To amount on hands at settlement. Amount received from County Treas. C. Minich for clovernerd. John Minich for hogs. Samuel Clay Willis Sundy Bejamin kitter for hay H. P. Lightner, for hauling. J. B. Stum, in part for support of child. | \$ 105 44 5410 00 29 77 27 15 14 94 2 49 7 00 6 00 35 60 |
| county, for amputation of leet, nursing, &cof A. Singleton | 93 08 |
| Gutshall Joseph Newcomer, hauling Joseph Smith, pasture J. D. Cree, per W. A. sponsier, nay G. W. Lightner cloverseed. | 7 50 6 00 1 00 |
| Insans Assign, and conveying to | 147 32 3 15 |
| and from the same. W. R. Cisna, on indenture of Title Miler. Abraham Bear, rent for two years | 31 00 2 00 |
| J. W. Gutshall, for goods of Mrs. Gutshall. George H. Shu naker, 2 calves. Sundry persons for turnips. Samuel shunnaker, hauting. Miles Shumaker for pigs. Jacob Rickard, Ksq. fines collected. Samuel sigler for pigs. John Hemperly, trustee of M. Peters, for support of same. | 6 50 8 00 97 75 55 33 3 00 |
| John Hemperly, frustee of M. Peters, for support of same A. Varnes, (inmate) deceased. James M. McCure, fildes. Dr. B. P. Hooke, hay. Jacob Minich, grass. A. Evans, bauling Wm. Schoar, of Billiman estate for Kate | 30 00 1 00 48 30 6 02 3 00 2 50 |
| Bilman, Juniata county. George A. Waggoner, error at lass settlement | 38 50 1 60 |
| Total receipts | \$6183 84 |
| Expenditures. | |
| Out door support | \$1067 15 |
| Medical Attendance to Out Door Poor | 4 |
| Dr. J. W. Deckard, attending grand- | 5.50 |

| | Dr. J. W. Deckard, attending grand- | |
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| ı | chi'd of John Folkroad. Dr. J. W. Bealor, attending John Peck. | 5 50 |
| | Dr. J. W. Bealor, attending John Peck, | 40.00 |
| | Dr. Harry Stiles attending John Har | 22 00 |
| П | Sr. and Mrs. Mottatt. Dr. Harry Stiles, attending John Hufford and H. Sheaffer. Dr. J. P. Shelbley, attending John | 26 00 |
| | Dr. J. P. Shelbley, attending John | 20 00 |
| | Bender. Dr. J. L. Brubaker attending Mrs. Geo. | 9 00 |
| | Dr. J. L. Brubaker, attending Mrs. Geo. | 3 00 |
| -1 | Dr. D. H. Sweeney, attending our-door | 3 60 |
| | poor | 22 00 |
| | Dr. Wm. R. Cisna, attending out door | |
| | Dr. T. G. Morris, attending out-door | 33 00 |
| - | pour atorris, attending out-door | 21 00 |
| 1 | Dr. A. W. Shelly, attending to Mahlon | 21.00 |
| П | Howard | 40.00 |
| | Dr. J. D. Schull, attenuing to Mrs. Jesse | 404 040 |
| 1 | | 12 00 |
| | Total | 8192 50 |
| 1 | | |
| -1 | Miscellaneous. | |
| -1 | S. P. Kern, issuing orders | \$ 50 |
| ١ | John Baskins | 50 |
| -1 | John Baskins E. A. Flickinger, auditing account G. W. Gehr J. F. Stouffer, | 6 00 |
| | G. W. Gehr. J. F. Stouffer. Moses Waggoner's estate, grinding. Irvin Chisholm issuing orders. S. R. Lightner, chestnut rails Frank Dout, wood G. W. Lightner, aring furnace. Mrs. H. P. Lightner, tailoring. H. J. Fry. wheat. B. M. Eby, drugs Jones Bro's & C., coal, fish and sait. George H. Shumaker, beef. | 6 00 |
| -1 | Moses Waggoner's estate, grinding | 11 63 |
| | Irvin Chisholm, issuing orders | 2 50 |
| -1 | S. R. Lightner, chestnut rails | 24 00 |
| - 1 | C W Lightner Grove frances | 38 10 |
| -1 | Men II P. Lightner rathering | 90 00 |
| -1 | H.J. Fry wheat | 05 00 |
| -1 | B. M. Kby, dynes | 5.70 |
| -1 | Jones Bro's & C., coal, fish and sait | 501 04 |
| - 1 | George H. Shumaker, beef | 93.71 |
| - 1 | C. M. Clemson, conveying P. Clouser | 2 40 |
| -1 | W. M. Sutch, issuing orders | 50 |
| -1 | George Waggener, making brooms | 9 50 |
| -1 | George D. Robinson, locust posts | 24 48 |
| 1 | George H. Shumaker, beef. C. M. Clemson, conveying P. Clouser W. M. Sutch, issuing orders. George Wageoner, making brooms. George D. Robinson, locust posts. George Ezkerd, conveying poor. Wm. Meck, shroad for Mrs. Ashwell | 1 10 |
| 1 | John Siglar, for plant | 18 00 |
| 1 | Wm Rhoads repairing shoes | 32 00 |
| | John Sigler, for plank, Wm. Rhoads, repairing shoes, A. Bear, repairing wagons | 12 00 |
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| George H. Shumaker, beef. C. M. Ulemson, conveying P. Clouser W. M. Sutch, issuing orders. George Wageoner, making brooms. George D. Kohinson, locust posts. George Eckerd, conveying poor Wm. Meck, shroad for Mrs. Ashwell John Sigler, for plank. Wm. Khoads, repairing shoes. A. Bear, repairing wagons. A. Fuhrman, wheat and grinding. A. Evans, coffins, carpentering, &c. J. C. Leonard, conveying kxra Clouser W. W. Farm worth, issuing orders. J. F. Wingert. S. H. Billman. G. C. Tharp, H. J. Fry, grinding. Wilson Guishall, smithing. John Minich, posts. Chas. Cooper, fultion. D. Bower, making post fence. Kuogh & Bro. coal. Andrew Loy, plank. Wm. Fridley, water back, &c. Wm. Feuicle, conveying L. & G. Dixon Joseph Newcomer, coffins, &c. John Kochenderfer's heirs, corn. D. Kistler, issuing orders. John Misich (time-burner), blasting limestone. Emanuel Carl, for steer. | 2 40 |
|---|----------------|
| W. M. Sutch, issuing orders | 50 |
| George Waggoner, making brooms | 9 50 |
| George Eckerd, conveying poor | 3 40 |
| Wm. Meck, shroud for Mrs. Ashwell | 1 10 |
| Wm Rhoads repairing shoes | 18 98 |
| A. Bear, repairing wagons | 12 00 |
| A. Fuhrman, wheat and grinding | 215 20 |
| J. C. Leonard, conveying Egra Clouser | 2 66 |
| W. W. Farm worth, issuing orders | 1 50 |
| J. F. Wingert, | 1 50 |
| G. C. Tharp, " " | 18 50 |
| H. J. Fry, grinding | 4 35 |
| John Minich, posts | 0.00 |
| Chas Cooper, tuition | 2 62 |
| D. Bower, making post fence | 25.75 25.98 |
| Andrew Loy, plank | 8 66 |
| Wm. Fridley, water back, &c | 11 20 |
| Joseph Newcomer, coffins &c. Dixon | 12 10 |
| John Kochenderfer's heirs, corn | 52 00 |
| D Kistler, issuing orders | 1 00 |
| limestone | 2 50 |
| Emanuel Carl, for steer. J. O. Cumbler, conveying Liddick fam- | 24 00 |
| o. O. Cumpler, conveying lagores tain- | |
| J. Crownover, conveying B. Conner and | 4 |
| J. Crownover, conveying B. Conner and enildren. Rheem & Bros., castings, &c | 1.82 |
| Geo. A. Gibson, repairs and tinning. | 34 00 |
| George W. Lightner, cattle | 113 24 |
| J.P. Crowleigh conveying P.L.Sprout | 2 40 |
| J. M. Bixler, wool | 13 28 |
| J. M. Bixier, wool Benjamin Rice, peaches J. Rickard, issuing orders | 4 10 1 50 |
| " saddling | 25 16 |
| John Heistland, conveying A. Mc- | 0.40 |
| Hanry Cooper Insurance policy | 7 60 |
| J. L. Ritter, steer | 37 00 |
| W. H. Gilfillen, conveying Quay family | 4 90 |
| H. Kell (collector), county tax | 2 79 |
| John P. Miller, smithing | 31 50 |
| John Groff conveying A. Varnes | 1 00 |
| James M. McClure, leather | 19 55 |
| S. Shumaker, postage stamps, &c | 19 25 |
| J. Mounts, eastrating stock | 1 90 |
| Joseph Rice, conveying poor | 2 80 |
| Sundry persons, miscellaneous bills | 12 62 |
| H. P. Lightner's teamster's expenses to | 1 2000 |
| Newport | 6 50 |
| Henjamin Riee, peaches. J. Rickard, issuing orders. Saddling John Heistland, conveying A. Mc Naughton Henry Cooper, insurance policy J. L. Ritter, steer. W. H. Gilnilen, conveying Quay family W. H. Hall, comforts. H. Kell (collector), county tax John P. Miller, smithing R. Rubendall, conveying A. Varnes. James M. McChure, leather. S. Shumaker, postage stamps, &c. P. R. H., freight. J. Mounts, castrating stock Joseph Rice, conveying poor Miller, & Baker, himber. Sundry persons, miscellaneous bills H. P. Lightner's teamster's expenses to New Bloombekt. | 0.40 |
| W. L. V. | #1055 A1 |
| Total | \$1955 01 |
| Merchandisc. | |
| J. B. Hartzell, tobacco Trimble, Britton & Co., groceries | \$ 66 62 |
| Trimble, Britton & Co., groceries | 209 66 |

| W. H. Gilfillen, conveying Quay family W. H. Hall, comforts H. Kell (collector), county tax John P. Miller, smithing R. Rubendall, conveying, Jas. Radle John Groff, conveying A. Varnes James M. McClure, leather R. Shumaker, postage stamps, &c P. R. R., freight | 1 00 19 55 19 25 |
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| J. Mounts, eastrating stock. Joseph Rice, conveying poor. Minich & Baker, himber. Sundry persons, miscellaneous bills | 2 80 1 50 12 62 |
| H. P. Lightner's teamster's expenses to Newport. H. P. Lightner, traveling expenses to New Bloomfield | 41 49 6 50 |
| Total | \$1955 01 |
| Merchandisc. | |
| Geo Bernheisel, merchandise. J. W. Frank. hardware W. T. Kirk & Co., groceries. Isidor Schwartz, blouses and caps. A. S. Whitekettle, shoes. J. Leback & Co. P. Bosserman, boots and shoes James Burns, merchandise. | 20 56 36 10 122 16 20 93 28 76 15 48 77 25 14 05 6 15 6 00 |
| Total | 8935 43 |
| Printing. | |
| J. A. Magee J. A. Baker | \$ 54 25 52 00 52 00 |
| Total Physician's Salary. | \$158 25 |
| B. P. Hooke, M. D | \$100 09 |
| Abram Long, 17 months & extra days | \$166 27 48 65 |

Clerk's Salary

Stemard's Salary.

108 65

| Recaptl | utation. | | |
|--|------------|---------|--|
| Out-door support. Medical attendance to Miscellaneous. Merowandise Printing. | | 1.34 | \$1607 18 192 80 1955 16 935 43 168 25 |
| Printing Physicians' salary Directors' salary Cerk's salary Steward's salary | | W.M. | 100 00 313 57 48 50 500 00 |
| Total expenditures Total revenues | | | \$5876 01 6183 84 |
| Balance in hands of Outstanding checks | Treasus | er | \$307 33 (01 00 |
| Invoice of Six mules, 8 dows, 1 b sows, 10 hogs, 16 shotes, 1 | all, 4 fat | eatile | , # broud |
| Products Wheat, 751 bushels; ry bushels; corn in the es | o, 221 bi | ishels; | : clover- |

| bushels; corn in the ear, 1000 bushels; clover- seed, 10 bushels; Irish potatoes, 400 bushels; sweet potatoes, 15 bushels; turnips, 110 bushels |
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| Pork and Bref Slaughtered, Pork, 5.376 pounds; beef, 4.278 pounds; veal 491 pounds. |
| Clothing Made. Sixty-six dresses, 70 chemise, 44 aprons, 18 gowns, 28 skirts, 20 sucques, 25 female under |

| gowns, 28 skir bodies, 5 boni shirts, 70 pair sheets, 15 pillo | or stocking ow cases, 10 | R. 10 pat | ra of m | Ittens | 40 |
|---|-----------------------------|-----------|----------|--------|-------|
| Males | Number of | Immat | 04. | | 41 45 |
| Died during t | ho year—Mi | ites | 75 24 | 8 1 | 87 |

WE, the undersigned, Directors of the Poor of Perry county, present the foregoing account for the nscal year ending December 31st, 1878, as cor-rect as to the best of our knowledge and belief. SAMUEL SIGLER, B. F. BEALOR, JOHN D. STEWART, Directors.

WE, the Auditors of Perry county, Pa, having examined the accounts and vouchers of the Directors of the Poor and House of Employment of said county from January 1st, 1878, to January 1st, 1879, and also the accounts and vouchers of Henry P. Lightner, Esq. Treasurer of said institution for the same period, do hereby certify that we find a balance in hands of the Treasurer of Three hundred and seven dollars and thirty-three cents. Given under our hands the 39th day of Jap. uary, 1879.

S. P. CREE. WM. H. JACKSON, Auditors.

Resolved. That any physician hereafter attending any person receiving out-door support will be required to notify the nearest Director immediately after the first visit, and hereafter be governed by his directions. No compensation will be granted unless the above resolution is compiled with.

With.

By order of the Board.

J. L. HITTEH,

IClerk. Feb. 28, 1879.]

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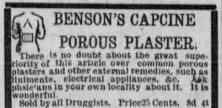
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All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment and those having claims will present them duly authenticated for settlement to JOHN A. SILKS, Administrator February 25, 1879-61