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matters connected with the church

often compel him to stay out late

in consultation with the other dea-

cons, and upon these occasions the

spiritual condition of the benighted

heathen is discussed in the back room

a while. Mr. Bowers is a discreet

James read in the paper that an

whisky poker to be played with the effort.

Elmira men had devised a gaine of

truly good and barmless "authors"

cards; so he purchased a pack and took

them along to the next conference on

propagation of the faith among the

Esquimaux, held in Deacon Magrud-

er's back room, on Saturday evening.

Deacon. Sliderback and Deacon

Magruder held an argument about the

amount of saving grace an Esquimaux

could absorb, which was interrupted

by James Bowers making some flip-

pant remark about bear's grease, and

making it more interesting. He knew

plained to them the relative value of

pairs, two pairs, and so on. The

deacons seemed to catch on very

readily, and agreed to play for cider to

James dealt the hands, and explained

table constituted the "widow" hand

and that the man holding the age had

the privilege of exchanging his hand

passing the privilege to the next.

Deacon Sliderback held the age, and

being known in the community as the

sustained his reputation by picking up

the "widow" Deacon Magruder drew

"Evangeline" to fill from the hand

that Deacon Sliderback discarded, and

laid down the "Marble Faun," which

was snapped up by Bowers to pair

with. The House of Seven Gables."

They drew around twice, when Deacon

Sliderback knocked and they all stood

their hands and showed it down

Deacon Magruder held a Longfellow

full on Dickens Deacon Sliderback ex-

bibited two pairs of Cooper up, and

James had three Hawtherns, giving

Deacon Sliderback a point for for the

lowest hand. The game went along

all right until each of the deacons had

points first would be stuck for the

the bottom card, taking a sly glance at

around the cards, and Deacon Magru-

tecture," which Deacon Sliderback

"What have you got?" said Deacon

"George Elliot," replied James, showing down "Pendennis," "Vanity Fair,"

"I've got a Hugo straight," remark-

ed Deacon Magruder, laying down

"Les Miserables," "L'Homme Qui Rit,"

"Ninety-three," "Toilers of the sea,

and "Napoleon the Little," "and I

"Hold on," chipped in Deacon Sli-

"Yes that's what I call it. What

"Well, I've got a Ruskin flush," re-

marked Descon Sliderback exultingly,

derback, "I can beat hat, You say

"Daniel Deronda," and "Romola,"

guess that's the boss hand out."

it's a straight, don't you?"

have you got!"

"Stones of Venice."

"Two small pairs. 'Thackery' and them.

eagerly picked up.

Magruder te Bowers.

drinks. It was Deacon Sliderback's

being agreed that the man getting five teachers.

who cut the "Stones of Venice" for raise it.

it as he did so. The deacon tossed of the art.

friend of the widows and fatherless, he books.

for the "widow," or knocking and

make the game interesting.

dull and unfolded some ideas about repulsive to live children.

that the five cards turned down on they began business with.

young man.

Democrat.

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submitted for the old fashioned brim- puffing hard for wind, while James

of Magruder, s grocery. James Bowers Republican contains the following

a wordly young man, but a very on- article, It is in reply to the inquiry

They are lazy.

teachers are doing.

their own business.

much trouble.

They neglect details.

They have no eye to order.

They are easily discouraged.

They do not try to improve.

They talk politics too much.

They fail to have new ideas.

They are not polite enough,

They use poor judgment.

tional papers tell them.

art that requires study.

tertaining and a lively companion, why certain teachers do not succeed

ENSUCCESSFUL TEACHERS.

Reasons Why Public Instructors Fall is

Their Sphere.

A recent number of the Lansing

They hope to get along without

They fail to know what the world

They do not find out what the other

They have too much outside business

They philosophize on everything bu

They fail to use such as they have

They are penny wise and pound

They have become dry, stale and

They think inferior work does just

They think most things take too

They fail to practice what the educa-

They selv on the little stock of good

They do not study the children.

They know so much the, will have

They are trying to get into som

They are rusty and without ambition

They keep away from their pupils.

They attend no teachers' meetings.

They do not seek for inspiration by

They do not see that the profession

They drop the school when it is ou

They underrate the business.

knows a little about the studies.

good at every point.

be a better teacher.

down from the dark ages.

They think any one can teach

They over-estimate themselves.

They under-estimate the pupils.

They think the school was made for

They do not take common sense

They fail to manage with tact.

HAVE WE A "REVENUE TARIFF ?"

Every min in any degree familiar

ideas and have not increased it.

They never visit the parents.

They complain too much.

scholars but not in themselves.

thing more about their art.

teachers in the place.

thing else.

four points and James only two, it studying the methods of the best

James picked up the "widow" and come before their pupils next day.

remaining down town. Important deck over the floor.

takes part in these discussions once in The answer is:

NO 10.

when the neighbors came in, Deacon Magruder was sitting on the floor with whisky Peker. With his back against a petato sack. Deacon Sliderback was doubled up in a bushel The Exciting Declaration Made by Robert C. Schenck. bsaket, with his arms hanging outside, Descon Sliderback has a pious aver- and his legs pointing up toward the On one occasion on the floor of the sion to cards, which he looks upon as salt codfish hanging from the rafters, House, Joshua R. Giddings of Ohio free pass to whatever place may be and both were glaring savagely and

A REMINISCENCE.

was assailed in the bitterest fashion by a member of the friends of slavery, and stone factory, but he likes to play stone factory, but he likes to play and counter choking with laughter, after sending them away from the District of dissipation in the bosom of his family having gathered up the "authors" Columbia, then, of course, within the when he can't find a good excuse for cards and scattered a genuine poker slave dominion. After abuse of this sort had been heaped upon him for some days, he at last rose to a personal explanation and, demanded the floor. At once from the Southern members there came cries of "Don't hear him don't hear him ! We object ! we ob-Schenck, broad-shouldered, squareheaded and powerful, rose in his seat and commanded silence by the intensity

"I have no personal interest in the matter, Mr. Speaker, nor knowledge of the matters alleged; but when the honorable gentleman, my colleague, who has been so violently and gravely assailed, desires to make a personal explanation, he should be permitted to do so. Under such circumstances, sir, no

gentleman would object." Again, however, there came from different parts of the chamber cries of The Corvallis Gazette is very urgent which they naturally do not like, and 'I object! I object!" and egain in its appeal to the citizens of Benton, which can be nothing to them but a Schenck, with renewed emphasis said : Linn, Lane, Polk and Marion coun-"I repeat, Mr. Speaker that under the circumstances no gentleman would

and pertinacity Mr. Giddings was alvery much desire to see the work of only yesterday I was reading a book lowed to make his explanation. When improving the entrance to the bay by the authoress of "John Halifax, cussion as to who Schenck referred to when he said that no gentleman would consistently urge our patrons to sub- her visits to the East London Hospiobject, and Jacob Thompson of Missis- scribe to this fund. However, we tal for children, and she tells how sippi, who was afterward Secretary of would urge all to consider the im- the nurse said that numbers of chilimpression, which was general in the House, that he meant Slide h of Louis-

Schenck; "I did not even know that is important that a liberal appro- constitutional corruption, so weakly he was in the House."

They forget the art of teaching is an "Are you willing to make that explanation public ?" asked Thompson. They can see the weak points in their de so with pleasure." The next day on in a legitimate way should be brought saved by surgery they are too weak They are stingy toward themselves the floor Mr. Slidell, in accordance to hear in the presentation of the to undergo an operation, and her re-They read no educational papers or if the gentleman from Ohio referred to him when he said that no gentleman They think they cannot learn any

"No, certainly not, sir," replied o enck; "I did not even know that the gentleman from Louisiana was in the They do not determine to be the best House."

They began with a small stock o that the member from Louisiana was in the House would he have made They follow the same method with that remark ?'

"That," replied Schenck, "is a hypothetical question, and I will not be questioned in that fashion." Still the Southren member went o

floor, against the almost violent efforts use of which a person can stand which his friend, Governor Vance of Ohio, made to restrain him, and said deal, and he passed the pack to James, is as high as the teachers themselves "It is evident that what the member from Louisiana desires to know is to whom I referred when I said yesterday hundreds of miles around him he

They do not study the great masters explanation of my colleague. Lest der stood pat and knocked, while and never think of it again until they there be any further doubt upon this subject, I will say here and new that I meant and referred to the drunken member from Alabama, Felix G. Mc-

> As may well be imagined, this dec laration created the wildest excitement in the House. McConnell, one of the most violent of the Democrat and pro-They neglect to think of the pupils slaver men then in Washington, rushed down the aisle shaking his nist at Schenck, and for a moment it was be the guide, but hug a formalism handed lieved that a personal encounter could not be avoided. With great difficulty They do not study over the lessons. order was at last restored, an the or-They do not travel, etc., and all to dinary business of the House for a time resumed. Just before adjournment, however, Garret Davis came They are not in real earnest to teach, over where Mr. Schenck was quietly so that "to-morrow finds them further

seated, and said "Have you a pistol, Schenck ?" "No," replied the latter, "I never carried one in my life."

"Well, you had better carry one shewing down "Modern Painters," with our present tariff and its operation day," said Davis, "for McConnell is "Deucalion." "Crown of Wild Olives," knows that it is weighted with an swearing he will shoot you on sight." "Seven Lamps of Architecture," and omalies at once absurd and frandulent. "Still, I haven't got a pistol, and Many articles upon the list are pro- don't know where to get one," replied

take countless millions of dillars and "Take mine, take mine," said Davis nually out of the pockets of American quietly, at the same time handing his heaviest rain is south; from the west, consumers for the sele benetit of favor- friend a pistol. For some days after days later he met McConnell as he By way of example, rice is subject | was walking down the eastern steps of at present to a duty of 85 per cent, the Capitol. The Alabamian was Diamonds pay only 10 per cent. Now, standing quietly on the portico, but will anybody tell us how the country | made no demonstration as Schenck

A Frehchman has leased a large American copper mines are so well tract of waste country in the south of "I wasn't going to say anything, "protected" against competition that Algeria, and proposes turning it into a by Gen. Neat Dow, while on a lectur-Deacon Magruder, about that card you our manufacturers are compelled to lien and panther preserve. Old horses, ing tour in the west. At Chicago he dropped under the table; but when a pay more for the crude article than it mules, and asses that have seen the

> before their door two posts, upon the Roman magistrates.

> > When the father is wealthy matri-

From he Salem Statesman,) TAGEINA BAY

From parties recently returned from Yaquina Bay we learn that the work on the breakwater, by the government employees, is progressing satisfactorily, and that there can hardly be a doubt of the ultimate success of the enterprise. Enough has aiready developed to establish the feasibility of the plan, and of latthe work has been pushed forward with vigor and commendable energy. The great need at this juncture is funds with which to continue the ject !" A scene of almost riotous con- work. The appropriation will be exfusion followed, and in the midst of it hausted by the last of this month and there can be no appropriation by is it really an injury to induce chil-Congress till next spring, and this of his manner and the vehemence with being the long session it may not be jury, with heartless prejudice and made before the last of June next, so callous obstinacy, to leave them exthat it will be late in the coming summer before work can be resumed The delay is much regretted by the of drink? It seems to me that if we friends of the bay, and some are can succeed in saving them from strongly urging the citizens of the that, we may laugh to seen the ricentral part of the valley to raise a diculous notion that we do them fund by private subscription for the purpose of continuing the work. up that which they do not need,

ties to come forward and subscribe. Our attention has been called to this contains some damning evidence of As a result of Mr. Schenck's courage condition of things, and while we the awful consequence of drink, and go on, we do not feel that we can Gentleman," in which she describes portance of the enterprise, and if so dren from the district, full of drink circumstanced as to be able to con- and ignorance, are brought there with tribute without serious embarrass- cancer, hip-disease, and disease of the "That is a mistake," replied Mr. ment, it would not be amiss; but it bones, with rickets and all kinds of priation should te made by Congress, from the constitution which they and to this end all the influence with- have inherited from vicious parents "Certainly," was the reply ; "I will in the power of the people to use that although they could only be case before Congress. We understand mark upon it is this: "For such that our delegation in Congress are children and in such places death itwould object to Mr. Giddings' explana- all committed in favor of this work, self seems to be a better thing than and it is the people's duty to give all life." Even more than that, we find possible support. It is no longer a poor little, hapless children, whom question of doubt concerning the God meant to live and be happy, dybuilding of a railroad from Corvallis ing in this Christian England, in this Still Slidell questioned him, saying : to the bay, and since this is assured year, by something which bears a "If the gentleman from Ohio knew he importance of the bay assumes grotesque and horrible resemblance reat proportious.

WIND AND WEATHER.

club of the American Institute, Mr. A. to interrogate him, and at last, entirely J. DeVoc, of Hackensack, N. J., sent out of all patience, Schenck took the the following ten short rules by the of three in Glasgow gets up in the neath his own vine or fig tree in any part of the Northern Hemisphere (north of latitude fifteen) and for the morning; and that England may that no gentleman would object to the form an accurate opinion how the tle child of four at Huddersfield sees wind and weather are progressing.

suddenly there is a storm forming in the same way, drinks the spirits south of you. When the temperature rises

3. The wind always blows from a

where a storm is forming. a region where a storm is in progress toward a region of fair weather. 5. Camulus clouds always move

a region where a storm is forming. 6. When cirrus clouds are moving a drunkard's child in England is berapidy from the north or northwest here will be rain in less than twenty-

When cirrus clouds are moving rapidly from the south or southwest there will be a cold rain storm on the the world is standing treat for drinks;

around a storm, and when it blows erous and treat each other, why not from the north the heaviest rain is select some other place besides the east of you; from the south, the heav- liquor shop? Suppose, as you go by iest rain is west; from the east, the the post office, you remarks: "I say the heaviest rain is north of you.

9. The wind never blows unless thousand miles of you.

occurs a storm is forming within one thousand miles north or northwest of

What do New Hampshire people think of the following statement made made the unwarrantable statement knife all round." well as in Maine." The fact is that in come in and be bitten for ten cents a any of the large towns and in many of lion and panther shooting, not to speak shire and Vermont, it is as easy to a man to invite all his friends in to persons who have taken out licenses as tress, by giving them "something to retailers of intoxicating liquors, and drink at my expense ?"-The Union. the estate a comfortable hotel, with a salers. And yet men go tramping over the land and across the sea, telling people that no liquor is sold in A kind of portable chaffing dish, Maine. Do you suppose that 786 per-upon which perfumes were burnt, was sons in Maine have taken Uncle Sam's prohibition. All Christians should

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The late Cardinal Wiseman said, "Give me the children of England, and in twenty years England shall be Catholic." I say, "Give us the children of England, and in twenty years England shall not only be temperate, but"-and the words seem to open a vista of progress and prosperity such as we can hardly conceive -" England shall not only be temperate, but shall be a nation of total abstainers." Well, now I ask you, posed without defence to all the terrible temptations and enormous evils

any harm by inducing them to give

source of peril and ruin. Almost every book one takes up to unconscious suicide. At the very beginning of this year, amidst the very sound of the blessed Christian At a recent meeting of the Farmers' bells, amidst the rejokings with which the new year was introduced by Christian people, one little child night, takes the whisky which its mother has been drinking, drinks, and is found lying dead in its bed in not be behind Scotland, another litthat its mother has bought some 1. When the temperature falls spirits to welcome friends, gets up and is found dead in the morning.

Now, let us ask whether there can suddenly there is a storm forming be anything worse than all this neglect and accident and cruelty and egion of fair weather toward a region disease and death? Yes; there is something worse than all this-there is 4. Cirrus clouds always move from sin. Disease and accident and cruelty and death may maim and torture the body; murder and suicide may from a region of fair weather, toward end the life, but sin blasts and corrupts the soul, and many and many ing trained up deliberately in the four hours, no matter how cold it may habits of sin .- Canon Farrar

STANDING TREAT. One of the most foolish customs in other things are not bought in this 8. The wind blows in a circle way. Boys, if you want to be genmy dear fellow, come in and take some stamps ?" These stamps will rain or snow is falling within one cost you no more than drinks all round. Or go to the haberdasher's 10. Whenever a heavy white frost and say: "Boys, come in and take a box of collars." Walk up to a grocer's free and generous, and say: "What kind of coffee will you have?" Why not treat to groceries by the pound as well as liquors by the glass? Or take your comrades to a cutler's and say: I'll stand a good pocket-

bite, would it be a sensible thing for homes into hells of trouble and dis-

WE cannot see how the evil of the rum shops and drunkenness is to be come forward, and in this conflict take sides, either for temperance or

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THAT SUIT FOR TWENTY FIVE DOLLARS." MR. FARMER, -- WHO HAS 'BEEN THERE' BEsuggested a game of authors. The FORE -- WELL, I AM JUST LOOKING AROUND. I two deacons readily assented, and, after foolish. GUESS I DON'T CARE MUCH ABOUT THEM ANYHOW. I SEE MY NEIGHBOR JONES COT A NEW dull and unfolded some ideas about received the game dull and unfolded some dull an SUIT LAST WEEK FOR TWENTY DOLLARS JUST AS the deacons were wholly ignorant of as well as good work. GOOD AS THESE, SO I CUESS I WILL LOOK AROUND the national game of draw, and he ex-

A LITTLE MORE BEFORE I BUY. MR. MERCHANT, WHO HAS ALSO BEEN THERE "WELL. MR. FARMER. THAT SUIT COST ME \$22. 50, BUT I KNOW YOU'DO A GOOD DEAL OF TRAD ING HERE, SO SEEING IT'S YOU I WILL LET YOU HAVE IT FOR TWENTY DOLLARS IF YOU WILL LET

ME DO THEM UP FOR YOU NOW MR. FARMER THINKS IT A GOOD TRADE, TAKES THE SUIT AND COES HOME TO TELL OF HIS CLOSE TRADING, HOW HE "JEWED 'EM DOWN."

MR. MERCHANT COES BACK TO HIS PARTNER AND TOGETHER THEY HAVE A GOOD LAUGH AND MR. MERCHANT SAYS, "I THOUGHT HE WAS GOING TO OFFERME ABOUT FIFTEEN FOR THE SUIT. SO'I RAISED HIM TEN BUT WE ARE FIVE DOLLARS AHEAD NOW. THEY ONLY COST \$11.50 ANYWAY. GOOD JOKE ON HIM. AINT IT? THESE FELLOWS MUST GET UP PRETTY EARLY TO GET THE BEST OF US. AND MR. MERCHANT WAS CORRECT.

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teeted by prohibitive duties which Schenck, "No you don't" said Deacon Magruder: "that's no better hand than my Hugo straight." "Hugo to thunder," responded Sliderback, getting excited; "I claim a ed monopolies that do not employ, all this Mr. Schenck went armed. Three flush, and that beats any straight in told, a hundred workingmen. the deck. Any fool knows that. "Don't call me a fool, Deacon Sliderback, I've played poker as much as you have, and I say your hand is only would be ruised if the poor man's rice passed him, and so the affair ended.

a straight." pudding was reduced to half its present "I sav it's a flush." "All right, then; mine's a flush, cost, and the rich man's brilliant solitaire made somewhat dearer ?" and it beats yours. because it is a pat, and you filled."

give in beaten."

ing, Deacon Sliderback?" said Magruder "That's about the size of it, I am pained to say, sir, and it grieves me that a professor of religion should-"

"You're a liar!" "You're another, you dunifoun led

which were exhibited public edicts. carried as an ensign of honor before

onial stocks may be quoted at par.

icenses for the fun of it?

Never write the word "finis" back- intemperance; there is no "alf-wa wards. For it will be "sin if" you de. ground. - Monitor Jounnal

The Persians swore by the sun; Then they clinched and fought all over the store, tapped over a gallon of the Scythians by the air and their molasses and wallowed around in the scimetars; the Greeks and Romansiby contents of an upset flour barrel, and I their gods.

member of the church stoops to such a is sold for in Europe after being carried end of their usefulness will be purchasthat "absolute prohibition now exists Suppose a man should keep a den thing to get out of setting up three from here across the Atlantic. Of ed and sent thither and these will act in New Hampshire and Vermont as of rattlesnakes, and allow men to glasses of cider in his own store, it is course scarcely a pound of copper is as a bait to lure into the preserve the time he was shown up. I won't men- imported here, and the Government wild animals of the surrounding countion it outside this time, though, if you consequently derives no revenue from try. Those who wish to indulge in the smaller ones in Me., New Hamp-The duty on fine laces is only 35 of such small game as lynxes, jackals, obtain liquor as it is in Massachusetts, be bitten at his expense? Is it "Do you mean to acouse me of cheatper cent.; the duty on a poor man's and tiger cats, will be supplied with where it is sold openly and regulated worth while to turn our friends into blanket is 100 per cent., making it the necessary outfit. Those who are by a license law. The United States brutes, maniacs, murderers, and their cost him just twice its market value for | bold can shoot at their game from the | District Attorney in Portland will tell the sake of a few radical millowners open, but for the nervous ambuscades you that there are in that state 694 in Rhode Island and Massachusetts, will be provided, from which shooting "Oh, you dry up, you old fraud!, who employ but a few hundred "hands," can be done without the least danger retailers of intoxicating liquors, and yelled Magruder. "Didn't I see you and grind these down to starvation of a counter attack. There will be on 92 who have licenses to sell as wholedeal the 'Stones of Venice' to yourself | point. off the bottom of the pack, and never said anything about ft?" The early sheriffs of London had