

WHY HE WANTED THE MONEY.

The Horrers of a Homestade Saircut

Why, no," said Mr. Peck, the grocer, in a surprised tone, in reply to Benny Blookumper's request, "I haven't any work I can give you just now. How is you are saking for semething to do? well dressed boy like you does not often ask for an odd job."

"Oh, sir," replied Benny, "if you but knew how anxious I am to earn a quarter you would surely give me a few er-

rands to perform."
"You can't be hungry, can you?"
"Oh, no, sir. I have had my namal number of meals so far today."

Do you want to give it to a widow or to a blind man?" No. sir. I do not now recall any

such poor unfortunates. you want to put it in the mission

"No, sir. My parents provide me with money for that purpose."
"You want to go to the minstrel show,

"You have not yet guessed my need of the money, sir."
"Then what in the world do you want

"Oh, sir," replied the distressed boy, 'my mother said she would cut my hair

after supper tonight, and I am extremely anxions to let the barber perform the work before that time."

"My poor boy," replied the grocer, deeply moved, "come right in. I'll give

you a quarter's worth of errandate run." Which he did. - William Henry Siviter in Harper's Bazar.

How He Managed.

A young man living in Detroit started rent a flat, but at every place advertised he was met by the question, "How many children?" As soon as he answered he was told that he could not have the flat, as children were consid-

Tired out he approached the last on

"How many in the family?" asked the

"Two-just two," was the ready an-

The landlord was much pleased and at once drew up a lease, and the next day the family moved in, and were snugly settled when the angry landlord came tearing up the stairs.

What-what is this, sir? You have cheated and deceived me. You told me there were only two in the family." "See, and I told you the truth-

family of two children."
"But you didn't say children." 'And you didn't ask me. What constitutes a family, I should like to know, if it isn't the children. You should be

more explicit in your questions, my The landlord raved and fumed, but it was too late, and it made him more angry to know that he had set the trap he fell into with his own hands.-Detroit Free Prest.

A Prisoner.

Briggs—I got myself in a horrible predicament at my boarding house the other day. I put on my bath robe and started down two flights of stairs to the bathroom, and do you know I had to stay there most all day? •

Griggs-Why, you weren't overcome

Mrs. Hawkins is a kind hearted woman, and would not deliberately hurt any one's feelings, but the other day a moment of absentmindedness betrayed her into a sad blupder.

"Yes, Mrs. Hawkins," said young Mr. Brumley, "I was very ill. They were afraid of my losing my mind." "Oh, and did you, Mr. Brumley?" asked Mrs. Hawkins with cordial inter-est.—Youth's Companion.

At a Five o'Clock Tea Mou Ettie Kette-Mr. Sippi, how many mps will you have in your tea? Mr. Sippi—I should like two, please. Miss Ettis Ketts—Mr. Jackpot, how

Mr. Jackpot (absentmindelly) - Fill stant.—Harvard Lampson.

Different with 21m.

"Yes," said the landlady, after a fruitless search for her guest's all cumbrella, "I thought it had been stolen, and now I am satisfied that it was."

"You may be entisfied," replied the next dryly, "but I'm blest if I am."-Boston Transcript.

No Use for It.



Dealer-New, here's a cigar you will like, I smale this cigar myself. Bayer - You do? Show me something eise. - Harper's Westly.

marry yet available to inthe moment ings of the British clergy: "Breach of Ergont—The governor has promised to promise. 14: cruelly to animals, 18; bank-target over all, wanter when I marry.

Else wee, but a means will cut mine drankerment, 11; amonth, 100; various were engaged in removing a peculiar

Josephine's Old Home.

Further efforts are being made to preserve historic Maimaison, once the rest copyright, which has just been pro-dence of the Empress Josephine, from cisimedias between Italy and the United falling into the hands of some Nine States, between President Harrison and teenth century vandal, who would prob King Humbert, may not throw the plasably demolish it is order to raise "jerry ter cast industry on both sides the Atbuilt' suburtum villas on its site. The lantic into economical spasms. But the old palace is in a rather bad condition, current year has developed, and that the being destitute of furniture, tapestry coming year promises still further to and proper ornamentation. The two develop, an almost alarming fecundity one on the courtyard and the among the sculptors of Italy in the way ther on the garden-are in a tolerably of sketches, molds and casts intended to nord condition, as well as the windows, "disfigure and present" everything aircases and ceilings.

isircases and ceilings.
The rooms might easily be rearranged tion. Malmaison park has already been cut up for building lots, and several and impossible phases of the career of

Maimaison had no occupants of note until Napoleon returned there for a few days before his last exile.

Prince Engene de Beauharnais looked after the property during his lifetime, but in 1826 his heirs sold it to a Swedish banker. In 1841 Queen Marin Christina of Spain bought it and sold it in 1881 for £44,600 to the Emperor Napoleon III, who made a present of it to the state. adobe farmers on the west of town, shot Under the third republic Malmaison into a band of geese. A white gander has been neglected and allowed to lapse was struck and had one wing broken. mas seen negrecoo and now into its present deplorable condition. It was sold to private persons and now him to his boys, who doctored his wing, awaits other owners.—London Teleawaits other owners.-London Tele-

Dogs Testifying in Court. "Hold up your right hand and be days ago a band of wild geese flying over sworn," said Squire Tyrrell, addressing the premises and making their usual flatter attracted the attention of the decinnati. The dog had been summoned as a witness, and in compliance with the magistrate's demand Hector held up his right forepaw and commenced barking.

startling effect with the band flying past.

right forepaw and commenced barking.
The case was one in which Dr. Buck oved to the court that Hector and the band and shoot down until it landed me, another large dog, belonged to m. The two had strayed away, and him. The two had strayed away, and the meeting was demonstrative to an ex-August Schmelt, a saloon keeper, got citing degree. Their gabbling, quack-possession of them and would not give ing and amusing antics afforded as much possession of them and would not give them back to the owner.

Dr. Buck had taught the animals certain tricks, one of which was to imitate a witness giving testimony, and he gave the magistrate a list of questions.

"Where's your master?" asked the court of Rector. The dog went to the rear part of the room and picked out Dr. Buck from a large crowd of specia-

The same question was saked of Dane, and he went through the same perform-

"Where's Dane?" was asked of Hector. The dog looked at Dane and barked, "Where's Hector?" was asked of Dane. The latter looked at Hector and barked. The two mastiffs were given to Dr. Buoz.—Cor. Philadelphia Record.

Hermits are generally supposed to be hely men who spend their lives far from in his vitals is not stated. the madding crowd, occupying themselves in works of prayer and meditaother pious tenant of the Thebaid.
While supposed to be leading a contemplative life he was going about the country stealing like a gypsy. His depredations having been brought to the notice of the proper authorities, the sdarmes were sent out after Jean, and he was captured at St. Paul. The gyres were promptly placed upon his wrists, and he was marched between notice of the Chicago customs officials and stern faced men to the prison of the other day. George W. Shelden & two stern faced men to the prison of the other day. George W. Sheeten & Prades, where he will remain in real Co. sent \$15,000 in gold to the collector seclusion from the world for a consid-to pay duties. The sum was in equal erable period.—Paris Cor. London Tele-smounts, made up of \$5, \$10 and \$20

Region in His Own Collin. footed up all right taken at its face.

The late Earl of Essex was buried in a value, and it was sent over to the sub-

coffin of oak designed twelve years ago by the deceased nobleman himself, who was a prominent member of the Funeral Reform association. It had what it would be subrm association. It had what is would have to be made up before a recalled "open trellis work" around it and ceipt would be issued. Examination was filled with choice herbs and ever- proved that the coin had been abraded greens. There have been many people to that extent—nearly 15 per cent.—Bos-of recent years, some of them prominent of recent years, some of them prominent ton Globe.

In other ways, who have had their cofBuried Under Seventy Tons of Cont. ins made to order long before the appreach of death. Maybe the originator life in a strange manner at the Wellman of the fashion was Lord Nelson, who Iron and Steel works. The company used to keep standing upright in the have an appliance for loading coal into cabin of the Victory a coffin that an admirer had presented to him one birthday top of a 400-ton pile of coal, and when anniversary, and in this coffin his lord-the chute was opened he was sucked into annaversary, and in this coffin his lord-ship's remains were at last put to rest.— Philadelphia Bulletin. ered him over. Twenty men worked for

The Pussing of Parties.

No party remains virtuous more than twenty years. That also is in the nature extinct. -Philadelphia Times. of things. Supremacy is demoralizing. The Democrate now take the govern-ment by order of the popular vote, and they will keep it so long as they are true who were confident of the success of to their trust-no longer. When they their ticket. A Sixth ward man rolled become derelial some other party, no natter by what name it may be called, will issue an order of eviction. The country is forever safe in the hands of delphin Press. the people. It is never safe for any pro-longed period in the bands of any party. —New York Herald.

Crimes Among the English Change. Labouchers recently printed in Truth Ethel-De you think we ought to the following as a record of a year's doand is only thirteen years old.

A VIGOROUS KICK International Copyright to Stalp. it is to be hoped that the interna

President Harrison Asked to Have F.

Federal Interference.

OLYMPIA, Jan. 24.—The following ispatch was today sent to President everything which ought and which ought Harrison and Secretary Foster by Tur-

minister plenipotentiary to Bolivia. Special haste was made by the senate, ter, intended to represent all the possible which went into executive session, the small houses with gardens now exist on the property.

Columbus. No artist appears to have dealt with Columbus in his cradle, or the place was purchased in Septem with Columbus at the marriage altar, ber, 1798, by Josephine, for £6,400—paid but Signer Macachani contributes an require@ents of the candidate Haste but Signer Macachani contributes an require@ents of the candidate Haste but Signer Macachani contributes an require@ents of the candidate Haste but Signer Macachani contributes an require@ents of the candidate Haste but Signer Macachani contributes an require@ents of the candidate Haste but Signer Macachani contributes an require@ents of the candidate Haste but Signer Macachani contributes an alarming image of an angel whisking was made in confirming the appointartly out of the military allowance of off to heaven the soul of the dying navi- ment due to the fact that had it been ber husband, then General Bonaparte.

When First Consul Napoleon spent his leisure hours at Malmaison, and in the early days of the First Empire, the place was for Josephine what the Petit Trainon was for Marie Antoinette—an agree of the New World. Nine at least of these works of art are intended, as our Roman correspondent income on was for Marie Antoinette—an agree formed us, to decorate the Capitol at the Press dispatches of that date able change from palatial spiendor. Af-washington. It is to be hoped no time said: 'Mr. Grant will qualify at once ter the death of Josephine, in May, 1814. will be lost by the artistic and sethetic and proceed to Bollvia, by way of Engmembers of the senate and the house in land, where some matters involving preparing to receive this worshipful emithe three governments must be settled gration with the whole force, if necesas soon as possible." " sary, of marines and artillery at the dis-

The telegram goes on to tell how Grant, instead of going to Bolivis, is at fame. Olympia, and deplores the unuscal For the Pottland postoffice C. W. to investigate the charges made by spectacle of a diplomatic minister of Roby, former incumbent, Charles Assemblyman Bretz of Alameda, enatorial contest.

posal of the federal government,-New

Love at First Sight.

Last winter D. W. Little, one of the

the boys wherever they went, eat from

their hands, and even poke his head into

their pockets for corn or wheat. A few

clatter attracted the attention of the do-mesticated garder, which gave an out-

A fine white goose was seen to

fun for the boys who witnessed the meet-

ing as they could have found at a circus.

The new arrival refuses to leave, but

will fly over the fence when the two are

approached by the boys, and then fly

sside. - Biggs (Cal.) Argus.

back to its mate when the boys step

The Lutest Hypnotic Yara.

ite hospital, Paris, casts all its prede-

cessors into the shade. Dr. Luys, it appears, has been making experiments in

relation to what he calls the "exteriori-

Dr. Luys next undertook to transfer

The Loss in Gold Cein.

an hour to move the coal pile, but when

Bordley's body was recovered life was

Some very funny election bets are now

being paid here by good Republics

A remarkable example of the loss of

The latest hynotic yarn from the Char-

York Sun.

The dispatch closes: looked upon as a model chief executive of the nation, and have it in your le tor. power to stop such seandalous proceedings. Will you do it and mye the republicans in this state from total disruption?"

speculation as to His Successor. Washington, Jan. 24.—Speculation is already rife over the succession to Justice Lamar on the supreme bench. The particular person who will be chosen is not considered so much as the place. in the yard at the side of the pet, and the question whether Harrison will make a nomination to fill the vacancy or leave the matter for President-elect Cleveland's action. It is certain in condition remains practically unchangview of the attitude of certain demo. ed," said Dr. Johnson' who left the pacratic senators toward the nomination tient at noon. "Blaine passed a restful of McComas, to be judge of the court night, sleeping the greater part of the of the District of Columbia, that a time, and apparently lost no strength, nomination by Harrison would be an neither has he regained any. Blaine is tagonized to the end of the session, much of the time in a state of unconand defeated if possible. In view of sciousness." A relative of the family that fact, it is probable the who was at the bedside during the docand when it was swallowed she went into a deadly swoon. How the drinker felt with another person's sensibilities in his citals is not deadly swoon. Some sensibilities in his citals is not deadly swoon.

Gone With County Funds.

DANVILLE, Ill., Jan. 24.-Augustu eensibility from the woman to her phocaused the trouble.

The Sensation in France.

Paris, Jan. 24 .- The sensation in dicate the rights of France.

The Vote in Texas

AUSTIN, Tex., Jan. 24.-The senate and house balloted separately today for United States senator. The total vote of both houses was: Mills 143, Nugent pieces. The teller found that the coin

CINCINNATI, Jan. 24.-Thomas Ambrose voluntarily appeared in the United States court today, and surrenderet for trial on a charge brought in 1880. QHe was then clerk in the United States court, and was charged with making false entries in his books and James Bordley, of Chester, lost his. defrauding the government of a large sum. While the perjury case was on trial, he suddenly fied and was never arrested. He was today released on a bond of \$6000.

A Democrat from Kansas.

Toraka, Jan 24-John Martin, a was nominated by the populist cancus In the senate the vate was as follows:

for senator on the fourteenth ballot tonight. The election of Martin is asmartin 6, others scattering; no choice.

Sight ballot was the same. sured by a joint convention of the populist house and populist senators, as well as all the democrats; who will

Sliver Purchase Repeal. WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.-When the

senate finance committee met today, common consent to avoid a posibility of future trouble. McPherson asked pointedly what the majority of the committee proposed to do relative to the bill to repeal the silver purchase act, reported from the committee a week age. Sherman, who has the matter in charge, replied that it, Boyd 3, Ryan 2, remainder scattering and se an indocemenment he of future trouble.

The joint ballot was taken at noon without change.

Hermann Wise, the affable city treasurer of Asteria, intends to awaken the marriageable young people of that the marriageable young people of that the marriageable young people of that the marriageable and hell to John T. Stone, of Henderson, N. C., is the youngest editor and proprieter in the United States. He is the boss. "hus-ther" of the Henderson Daily Hustler. motion to do so would command the support of a majority. The committed did nothing of general interest de

Florence Items.

West, Jan. 20. The Danielson is loading with lumber at the Cushman mills.

The contract of H. M. Monte & Co. on the light-house work at Hec-eta Head will be completed within another week.

Lieutenant Francis R. Shunk, inspector of jetties, and A. J. Brownlie, constructing engineer of the light- of the house have almost unanh works near here this week.

the Portland councilman, and Mr. report is presented, Bretz will be igno-Jeffrey, of bituminous rock pavement bly expelled.

the government acting as manager in a Waite and John Finlay are pulling against Assembly Kerns of Los Angeagainst each other.

Henry Blackman, of Heppner, is the only avowed candidate for revenue col- session of the legislature, charged that

T. J. Black, of Halsey, is said to be lectorship of customs.

Judge MeArthur.

Bluine Mostly Unconscious.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24 .- "Blaine's president will not care to provoke tor's visit this morning said Blaine had a bitter controversy and will take no not spoken a word to members of the His conferences with his former chief action; but it can be said he will come family for more than a week. They adviser are likely to be prolonged, as to no determination upon the matter, share the belief of the physician that Mr. Cleveland announced that he ration of the human body, and it is asserted that he succeeded in transferring the sensibility of a hypnotized woman into a tumbler of water. When the water was touched the woman winced.

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The probabilities present condition, however, is not really within Justice Laman's old cir. the sick man can never recover, and might not come down again before the garded as critical, and there is no ap-prelension on the part of the family of who has held confidential relations immediate dissolution.

Hugh Dempsey's Accomplice.

France over British action in Egypt is the conspiracy to poison nonunion work. Senator Carlisle will be here increasing. The newspapers unani-workmen in Homestead, began today, tonight, and a most interesting conferformally opened.

West Virginia's Cheice.

state senate and house delegates today elected two United States senators. Faulkner was chosen to succeed himself, and ex-Senator Johnson N. Camber to fill the week to the senator of the second senator for the balance of the week. 9 and Currey 1. The result will be self, and ex-Senator Johnson N. Camofficially declared in joint session toden to fill the unexpired term of the
morrow.

Self; and ex-Senator Jointson 1.

Marder and Suicide.

PARKERSHURD, W. Va., Jan. 24.—

Interest of a serious quarrel, Nich-

Topoka's Bouble-Header.

ballot for United States senator, the Ohio. situation was very complicated. The populists and democrate had not even decided on a caucus neminee. The first ballot in the republican house resulted: Ady, rep., 62; four others scat-

democrat and a lawyer of Topeks, 14 candidates.

Sebraska Secuming Cantions. LINCOLN, Neb., Jan. 24.-In onter with, the legislature teday took two changed. ballots for United States senator. Each body tailoted in its own house by

were distributed among 16 candidates: next.

TO BE EXPELLED

Populist Bretz, of the California Leg islature, Pound Guilty.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 24.—Republica house corps, viewed the government agreed to vote with the democrats for the expulsion of Bretz from the as Walter M. Lang has been appointed ly, but when the report of the investi-The rooms might easily be rearranged to the repatring which ought and winten ought in their old order and style. The vast in their old order and style. The vast porch, the dining room, will its figures of symphs, markle floor and fountain, the council chamber shaped, like a military tent, the library, the salon of the Empress Josephine, with the bedroom attacked, are in a fair state of preservation. The vast in their old order and style. The vast in their old order and style. The vast not to have happened to the discoverer of light parties and several time and secretary Foster by Turnout to have happened to the investing in the repatrior of light parties. On the 2dd day of last December, the gating committee comes up for discussion the gating committee comes up for discussion the gating committee comes up for discussion the democrats are to be journeed to the name of Frederick J. Grant, of Section the Name of Secretary Foster by Turnout to the investing in the will leave for his home in Portland can orators are prime and loaded for next Monday. From there he will go roasting the other party, and they will base their kick upon the testimony of Sam Bachrach of Oakland, chairman central committee, to the eff that the leaders of his party did not even inquire into the character of the man they chose to rep-According to a Portland paper the resent them in the halls of the legisla-following are a part of the list: ture. All that they desired or sought There is a lively scramble for the was the defeat of the republican party. United States marshalship. The lead- This is the programme that has been ers in it are John Myers, who once arranged by the republicans, and un-held the office; Henry Grady, of Pen-less there is a radical change of sentidieton; Eugene Forbes, a brother of ment between now and the time the

> The assembly committee appointed les reported today. Bretz duging the vote for United States senator in joint the vote of Kerns, pop, who voted for White had been bought, and that Mathe most prominent aspirant for col-lectorship of customs. For district attorney there are Dan tiator. The investigating committee Murphy, F. A. E. Starr, L. B. Cox and finds that Bretz' charges are false and unfounded, and recommends his exmittee consisted of three democrats fwo republicans and one populist. The latter concurred in the report, with the exception of the part declaring Breiz seat vacant. No action will be taken until the report is printed.

Ex-Secretary Bayard.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.- Regarding the nterview held yesterday between Mr. Cleveland and ex-Secretary Bayard at Lafewood, and the statement that he was likely to reappoint Mr. Bayard to his former position in the cabinet there is high authority for the statement that Mr. Cleveland practically decided to make this reappointment before inviting Mr. Cleveland to Lakewood

A reporter to night asked an ardent with him, whether Mr. Bayard sought Relieved of the Charge of Mapder- the office. Mr. Cleveland's friend said: SAN RAPARI, Cal., Jan. 24.—This "No, not any more than he did in merning Judge Angellotti, of the su- 1886. But there are excellent reasons by taking a bath, were you?

Briggs—No; but I accidentally spilled Galade, an anchorite of the Nineteenth that who he stuck a pin into the picture on the bath robe, and the contury, who has been arrested near the woman screamed. Not only this, but thing shrunk up so that I didn't dare venture out.—Clothier and Furnisher.

The control of the world. Jean didn't described the world. Jean didn't d on his cabinet. Cleveland, while in Privisheno, Jan. 25.-The trial of New York yesterday, finished up all Robert Beatty on the charge of being legal and private business for the week. an accomplice of Hugh Dempsey in so he could remain here and get to A jury was secured and the case was ence is likely to be held. There is no further doubt now as to Rayard's entering the cabinet. That seems to be CHARLESTON, W. Va., Jan. 34.—The a settled fact among the knowing pol

As the result of a serious quarrel, Nicholas Hans, aged 70, killed his wife. last Toruxa, Jan. 24.—When both the night and then blew his own head off house and the senate met at noen to at his home two miles from Marietta,

candidate and received the unan The populist house voted as follows:

Breidenthal, pop., 17; Coburn, 11; Doster, pop., 18; Martin, fusion-dem, 9;

No Change in Otympia.

he Change in Olympia. OLYMPIA, Jan. 24.-On the 27th

HELENA, Mont., Jan. 24.-In the LINCOLN, Netz., Jan. 24.—In order joint ballot for senator today the relation to be sure the statutes are compiled live strength of the candidates was un-

Branca N. D., Jan. 24.—The bal-lot for United States senator in joint session was without change.

city and as an indocemenment he of-fers to furnish a wedding and ball, to-CHRYZNER, Jan. 24.—Both houses first couple who will signify their intention to be married on March 18th,