IN HIGH LATITUDES.

Where You Can Rend Late at Night Without Artificial Light.

I have, on the Limflord, in Denmark, latitude 57 degrees, read the newspaper in my bedroom at 10:30 p. m. without the aid of a candle. While I read the villagers played skittles in the alley under my window, and beyond the hoary chestnut trees of the garden, with clots of starlings on their bare & top boughs, the sky was still crimson of and gold in the west, with the long. woolly lines of vapor only just beginning to swathe the land like a blanket On the other side of the inn the traffic was as vigorous then as at noonday. Carriers' carts creaked up to the door, and dray loads of squeaking pigs made other music than the lark's. Double chalses, with cushions of red or green velvet and half a dozen happy villagers to each (the men all with great china bowled pipes in their mouths, swung lazily by, raising a dust, and the lowing of troubled cows and calves came as much from the road as from the illim-Itable meadow beyond attached to the historical old manor house (now a mere dairy farm), whose buildings were quite concealed by the tall trees that girdle them.

The inn damsels, sewing girls, kitchen maids, the daughters of the house and a friend or two had now set aside all the cares of the day and were rolling each other about on the dewy grass ing each other about on the dewy grass under the chestnut trees like so many lambkins, and the landlady with the immeasurable waist, who by day held all the maids leashed to their respective tasks with inflexible yet not unkind severity, stood in the doorway, with her fat beringed fingers in her yielding sides and disturbed the starlings periodically with her stentorian peals of laughter at the antics of her dependents. Yet at 5 o'clock the next morning, with her own rhadamanthine hand, she will pull the belirope that shall waken each lass, and by 6 the establishment will be again in a normal state of activity. As for the worthy landlord, he is haymaking until 11 p. m., and it will be odd if he is not up before his dame wakes every soul in the house with her call bell.-Cornhill Magazine,

A GOOD ACTOR.

How a Famous French Advocate Wor a Hopeless Murder Case.

Maitre Lachand, the famous advocate, was perhaps the greatest master of comedy in France, and not a few eminent actors envied him his marvel ous powers of mimicry. He was once employed to defend a murderer, against whom the facts were hopelessly clear.

When his pathetic appeals and his tears-which were always at call when be pleaded before a country jury-failed to touch his stolld audience, he resorted to the most impudent piece of Astoria, Ore. trickery. Thrusting his moistened white handkerchief into his pocket, he demanded if the jurors were men, if they had human hearts, if they could bring themselves to condemn a fellow man like the accused, whom he had credited with all sorts of chivalrous if not saintly merits.

His eloquence was not merely fruitless, but the jury responded to it at avenue, Astoria, Oregonfirst with uneasy shuffling, then with biting lips, and finally with loud and uncontrolled bursts of laughter. Lachand, while flinging about his hands, forehead, as if in agony of despair at the certain fate of the accused, he left upon his brow an enormous black mark like a crescent moon and drew two other black traces down his cheeks as he put his fingers to his eyes to dash away the tears.

Feigning high moral indignation at their conduct, he continued: "You are about to decide whether one of your fellow men shall be thrust by you out of the ranks of the living, and you choose such a moment for indulging in cruel and thoughtless laughter. Is this extravagant mirth a fitting mood in which to decide whether a man shall or shall not die?"

The argument actually told upon the Journal.

Ancient Dress Still Worn,

curious charitable foundations in the conduced by world. One of the burghers, Christobeard and the same cut of clothes and ment. cap as he himself used to wear; consequently the ancient pensioners are still to be seen wandering about the streets of Munsiedel in the costumes of the fifteenth century.

Imaginary.

"Father," said the little boy, "every now and then I hear you talking about somebody who was old enough to know better."

"Yes, my boy."

"What age is that, father?" And the old gentleman after some thought replied:

"My son, there isn't any such thing. It's like the golden age-purely mythological."

Knew the Gossip.

"Why do you keep such an inefficient servant as that and pay her such high wages?"

"My dear, she has been a maid in every family of prominence in our set." -Baltimore American.

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E. Hauke & Co.

pher Wanner, died in 1451 and left his In retiring from this firm, W. T. Scholhome for aged poor, He attached, how- field desires to thank the patrons for ever, the condition that every old man their generous patronage and bespeaks who was taken in should wear his for the new firm the same liberal treat-

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CALL FOR WARRANTS.

Notice is hereby given to all parties holding Clatsop county warrants endorsed prior to June 1, 1905, to present same to the county treasurer at his office, 559-565 Commercial St., for payment, interest ceases after this date.

(Signed), CHAS. A. HEILBORN, County Treasurer.

Dated Astoria, Oregon, this 26th day of March, 1906.



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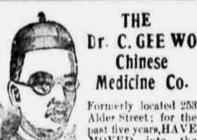
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