DOWN AMONG THE DEAD MEN.

It is a strange business, this diving. The danger fascinates some, but the peril is never for a moment lost sight of. I put on the helmet for the first time more than ten years ago, and yet I never resume it without a feeling that it may be the last time I shall ever go down. Of course one has more confidence after a while, but there is something in being shut up in an armor, weighed down with a hundred pounds, and knowing that a little leak in your life-pipe is your death, that no diver can ever get rid of. And I do not know that I should care to banish the feeling, for the sight of the clear, blue sky, the genial sun, and the face of a fellow man, after long hours among the fishes, makes you feel like one who has suddenly been drawn away from the grasp of death. I have had some narrow escapes while pursuing my strange profession; every diver has, or has been unusually lucky to escape them.

I think the most dangerous place I ever got into was going down to examine the propeller Comet, sunk off Toledo. In working about her bottom, I got my air pipe coiled over a large sliver from the staved hold, and could not reach it with my hands. Every time I sprang up to remove the hose my tender would give me the "slack" of the line, thus letting me fall back again. He did not understand his duties, and did not know what my signals on the life-line meant. It was two hours and a half before I was relieved, and there was not a moment that I was not looking to see the hose cut by the ragged wood. It's a strange feeling you have down there. You go walking over a vessel, clambering up her sides, peering here and there, and the feeling that you are alone makes you nervous and uneasy.

Sometime a vessels sinks down so fairly that she stands up on the bottom and as neat as if she rode on the surface. Then you can go down into the cabin, up the shrouds, walk all over her, just as easy as a sailor could if she were still dashing away before the breeze. Only it seems so quiet, so tomb like; there are no waves down there—only a swaying back and forth of the water and a sawing of the ship. You hear nothing from above. The great fishes will come swimming about rubbing their noses against your glass, and staring with a wondering look into your eyes. The very stillness sometimes gives life a chill. You hear just a moaning, wailing sound, like the last notes of an organ, and you cannot help but think of dead men floating over and around you.

I have been down especially to rescue the bodies of those drowned. About four years ago the propeller Buckeye, belonging to the Northren Transportation Company, went down in the river St. Lawrence, in seventy-eight feet of water, and it was known that a woman and child were asleep in their stateroom at the time of her sinking. The father begged of me and offered me a good deal of money to take out the corpses, and though I dreaded the work, I at last consented. I had been all over the wreck two or three times, and knew just where the stateroom was. The door was fast-locked, and I waited a good while before bursting it open.

Of course a dead person couldn't harm you, but even in broad day, on shore, with people around you, don't you know that the sight and presence of a dead person brings up solemn thoughts and nervous feelings? I new how they would look, how they were floating around the room, and if the father hadn't been looking so wretched above, there was no money to tempt me in there. But at last I got a crowbar from forward, and, not letting myself think, gave the light door a blow that stove it in. The water came rushing out, the vessel just then lurched over towards my side, and out they came; the woman first, her eyes wide open and hair trailing behind, and in her left hand she held the hand of the child. I knew how they would look, but I screamed out, and jumped back. Her face was fearfully distorted, showing how hard death had been met, and the eyes looked through the green waters at me in a way that made my flesh creep. The child had died easily, its little white face giving no sign of terror.

A diver does not like to go down more than a hundred and twenty feet; at that depth the pressure is painful, and there is danger of internal injury. I can stay down for five or six hours at a time, at a hundred and fifteen or twenty feet, and do a good deal of hard work. In the waters of Lake Huron the diver can see thirty or forty feet away, but the other lakes will screen a vessel not ten feet from you.

Up here, you seldom think of accident or death, but a hundred feet of water over your head would set you to thinking. A little stoppage of the air pump, a leak in your hose, a careless action on the part of your tender, and the weight of a mountain would press the life out of you before you could make a move. And you may "foul" your pipe or line yourself, and in your hose bring on what you dread. I often get my hose round a stair or rail, and though I am not called cowardly, and generally release it without much trouble, the bare idea of what a slender thing holds back the clutch of death from my throat, makes a cold sweat start from every pore.—*Detroit Advertiser.*

HOUSEHOLD SECRETS.

From the California Farmer.

The disposition of many persons to pry into the privacy of domestic life is, unfortunately, very common, and is always dishonorable. The appetite for such knowledge is to be regarded as morbid, and the indulgence of it disgraceful. A family has a sacred right to privacy. In guarding the delicate relations of the household, secrecy becomes a virtue.—Even if by chance the private affairs of a household are laid open to a stranger, honor would require him to turn from them; and if a knowledge of them were forced upon him, they should be locked in a sacred silence. A double obligation af silence and secrecy rests upon one who is a guest in a family. The turpitude of a betrayal of family history by a visitor is far greater than a theft would be. It is a thing so scandalous that it should degrade a person, and put him out of society. To betaay the secrets of the household is not only an odious immorality, but it is a sin and a shame to be on good terms with those who are known to commit such outrages. They put themselves out of the pale of decent society. They should be treated as moral outlaws.

Those hungry-eyed wretches who sit in the unsuspicious circle of parents and children, treasuring their words, spying their weaknesses, misinterpreting the liberties of the household, and then ran from house to house with their shameless news, are worse than poisoners of wells or burners of houses. They poison the faith of man in man. Make no terms with such people. Talebearers have no rights. They are the common enemies of good men. Hunt, harry and hound them out of society. They are the worst pests, save one, and that is the listener to the tale-bearer.

There could be no tattling if there were no one to hear. It takes an ear and a tongue to make a scandal. Greedy listening is as dishonorable as nimble tattling. The ear is the open market where the tongue sells its ill-gotten wares.—Some there are who will not repeat again what they hear, but are willing to listen to it. They will not trade in contraband goods, but they will buy enough of the smuggler for family use. These respectable listeners are the patrons of tattlers. It is the ready market that keeps tale-bearing brisk. It is a shame to listen to ill of your neighbhr. Christian benevolence demands that you do not love ill news. A clean heart and a true honor rejoice in kindly things. It should be a pain and sorrow to know of anything that degrades your neighbor in your eyes, even if he is your enemy; and how much more if he is your friend?

The Scripture says: "Thou shalt not go up and down as a tale-bearer among the people." "A tale-bearer revealeth secrets; but he that is of a faithful (honorable) spirit concealeth the matter."—"The words of the tale-bearer are as wounds that go down into the innermost parts of the belly." The Hebrews thought that the affections had their seat in the bowels; and by this phrase, "go down into the innermost parts of the belly," they signify how sharp and exasperating to the deepest feeling of our nature are the cruel offices of a common tattler.

"Where no wood is the fire goeth out; so, where there is no tale-bearing, the strife ceaseth. Commend us to that religion which makes a man humane with his tongue and honorable with his ear.

It cost twelve thousand dollars a year more to run the White House under Grant than Johnson or Lincoln, several of Grant's pets and relatives being employed simply to wait on each other.

THE SIAMES TWINS.

Chang and Eng Bunker, the Siamese Twins, returned from Europe in the City of Antwerp, which arrived on Sunday. They deny that they left America for the purpose of being separated, and say that the rumor to that effect was merely a sensation of Barnum's. The link which binds them seems to have shrunken of late, and they are more closely joined than before. They say that they are now determined to settle down for the remainder of their lives in Mount Airy, North Carolina, their old home, in which they spent thirty years as Southern planters. In the evening, Mr. Newell, father of Gen. Grant. Jr., and Miss Jennet Swan, a fair young sister of the celebrated giantess called upon the twins, who were highly delighted to see them. Messrs. Bunker inquired after the physical condition of their old friend, the petite General, and were informed that he was in excellent health and spirits, and would pay them a visit on the following morning. Chang and Eng Bunker are now over 58 years of age. Chang has a family of nine, and Eng of eight. They are easy and unembarrassed in their manners, and appear to bear lightly the weight of increasing years. Their hair is thin and of an iron gray hue, and their faces are shrunken and wrinkled, but there is a fire in their eyes which shows that the lamp of life may burn cheerly yet for many long and happy years.

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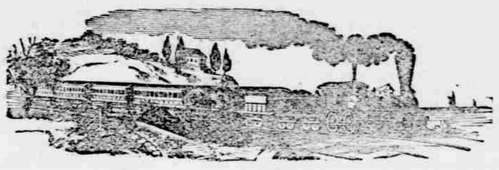

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GROCERIES OF EVERY VARIETY.
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☞ I desire to say to all who favor me with their patronage that I shall use my best ability to please them, and all orders shall meet with prompt attention. My facilities for doing business are as good as any house in Oregon, and I pledge myself to sell as Cheap as any House in good standing in the State. I will not be undersold by any one. Please give me a call and examine for yourselves. Thanking you for past favors,
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT

Of the State of Oregon for Clackamas County—Simon S. Markham, plff, vs. Henry Oliver and Elvira Oliver defts. Suit in equity to foreclose mortgage.

To Henry Oliver and Elvira Oliver defts:

In the name of the State of Oregon: You are required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in said court, in the above entitled cause, within ten days after the service of this Summons upon you, if served in Clackamas County, or twenty days if served in any other county in said State. And unless you appear and answer said complaint in said time, or on or before the first day of the term of said Court commencing next after the expiration of six weeks from the publication of this Summons, to-wit: On *The fourth Monday of October,* A. D. 1869, the Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint, namely: A judgment against you for the sum of three hundred and three dollars and thirty-three cents ($303.33 100) in U. S. gold coin, and interest thereon since 27th May, 1867, at ten per cent. per month, and for a decree foreclosing your equity of redemption in the property described in complaint, to-wit: Lot No. 4 in block No. 46, in the town of Oregon City, Clackamas county, Oregon, and for the costs and disbursements of this suit. By order of Hon. W. W. Upton, Judge. JOHNSON & McCOWN,
Sept. 17, 1869—45.6t. Pltff's Attorneys.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT

Of the State of Oregon for Clackamas County. Peter Paquet, plaintiff, *vs.* Nelson Allison, defendant.—Suit to foreclose Mortgage.

To Nelson Allison, Defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in said court, in the above entitled cause within ten days after the service of this summons upon you, if served in Clackamas county, or twenty days if served in any other county in said State. And unless you appear and answer said complaint in said time, or on or before the first day of the term of said court, commencing next after the expiration of six weeks from the publication of this summons, to wit: *On the fourth Monday in October,* A. D. 1869, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint, namely a judgment against you for the sum of $55 in United States gold or silver coin, and interest since May 6th, 1863, and for a decree foreclosing a mortgage on land described in complaint; also, for costs and disbursements.

By order of Hon. W. W. Upton, Judge.
JOHNSON & McCOWN.
44.6t. Attorneys for Plaintiff.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS'
NOTICE.

All persons who have heretofore purchased lots of Clackamas County, in what is known as the "County Addition to Oregon City," Clackamas County, Oregon, and who have not received deeds for the same, are hereby notified that the County is ready to make them DEEDS, UPON PRESENTATION OF THEIR BONDS for the same. This notice is also intended to apply to the successors to the right of Dr. John McLaughlin, to have seventy four lots reserved from the operation of said McLaughlin's conveyance to the county. The County is ready to convey the same upon proper selection and proof.

By order of the County Court.
44.4t] J. M. FRAZER, County Clerk.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

In the estate of JOHN FOSTER, deceased. Notice is hereby given that I, Isaac M. Foster, Administrator of the estate of the above named John Foster, deceased, have filed in the County Court of Clackamas County, State of Oregon, my final account in said estate, and asked for its approval, and that I be discharged from further liabilities as such Administrator, and that

Monday the 4th day of October, A. D. 1869, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., of said day, at the Court House in Oregon City, in Clackamas County, State of Oregon, has been appointed by the said County Court as the time and place for hearing and settling said account. At which said time and place, any person interested in said estate may appear and file exceptions in writing to said account, and contest the same.

ISAAC M. FOSTER, Administrator.
Sept. the 11th A. D. 1869—44.4t