

A BRIGHT SCHEMER.

Trials and Tribulations of a Professional Real-Estate Broker.

A professional real-estate "boomer" while riding on horseback through the pine woods of Arkansas, came upon a peculiar-looking fellow sitting under a tree, deeply interested in a sort of diagram, which, with a short stick, he was drawing in the sand.

"How are you?" said the boomer, dismounting.

"Ain't complainin'," the fellow replied, contemplating a fresh mark which he made in the sand.

"You seem to be laying off a town there."

"No, I ain't a doin' that, nuther."

"Must be some sort of land scheme you've got on hand."

"No, it ain't that, nuther."

"I was in hopes so. You see my business—"

"No, I didn't see your bizness, nuther."

"Wait a minute. I say my business is to go into a neighborhood and immediately bring up the value of land by stimulating a spirit of speculation. Say, for instance, that you've got one hundred acres that you'd like to sell but for which you have not found a market. I see you secretly and enter into an arrangement with you. Shortly afterwards I meet you at the crossroads where you are sitting with a number of fellows. I meet you as if for the first time, fall into conversation, gradually come down to land matters and after awhile ask you who owns a certain tract. You do. I would like to buy it. You regard the matter carelessly, just as I observe you are admirably fitted to do, and, without giving me any satisfaction, get up and go off. Then I take out a sort of map and after looking over it for some time, mumble something about a new railroad, as if I don't care about any body hearing me, and after showing considerable anxiety concerning you, ask where you have gone, and start out to look for you. I fail to find you and come back to the place where the fellows are sitting. Finally I explain all about the new railroad, and I speak of you as a most fortunate fellow, for the new depot is going to be located on your land. I start out to look for you again, and while I am gone you come back. By this time those fellows have formed a sort of syndicate to cheat you out of your place. The leader begins to ask about your land, all the time keeping a sharp look-out to see if I am coming back, and the first thing you know you've sold your place for ten times as much as it is worth. After that, of course, you give me a certain per cent. of the money." See.

The diagram-maker sprang to his feet, knocked the boomer down and kicked him; and then, as he was trying to get up, knocked him senseless. When the boomer came to, he raised up and said:

"Will you let me go now?"

The peculiar-looking fellow glanced up from the diagram, upon which he had resumed work, and replied:

"Reckon you'd better."

The boomer got up, and, after brushing the sand off his clothes, said:

"Would you mind telling a stranger who is unacquainted with the social customs of the community, why you thumped me around that way?"

"No, wouldn't mind. You see, a fellow with the same game come through here about a month ago, and I was one of the fools that was roped into buyin' a old sedge field that ain't worth ten cents."

"Thank you for your information. I do not want to be inquisitive, but will you tell me what sort of a map that is you are working on so intently?"

"I am tryin' to see if I ken make a map showin' how a railroad ken git round a express swamp, over a bayou, over a sand mountain, through another swamp and then get to the old field that a possul of us fellers bought. Stranger, I reckon you'd better moosey along, now."—Arkansas Traveler.

Heavy Responsibility.

"Have you got any family?" asked Mac Anderson, a San Antonio lawyer, of a colored man whom he was appointed by the court to defend, the latter being charged with having stolen a horse.

"Ise got no family yit. I looks to you for dat."

"Look to me to supply you with a family?" exclaimed the astounded advocate.

"I looks to you an' de jury, boss, I does for a fae."

"What kind of stuff is that you are talkin'?"

"Hit's just what I says. Miss Matlidy Snowball says if I only gets one year in de penitentiary she'll wait fur me, but if I gets moah, den she is gwine ter marry de very first niggah what comes along. So yer sees, boss, what a 'sponsibility dar am tustin' on yer."—Texas Sittings.

Doubtful Accommodation.

Browne's employer was calling his attention to the sales of another traveling man, and intimating that he ought to try to do as well.

"I tell you what it is," said Browne, "it's all in the territory a man has to travel. Now any fool can sell goods in that territory."

"Well," replied the merchant, thoughtfully, "I think I will start you out on that route next month."—Merchant Traveler.

—Maryland Ducky—How d'y boss? How many melons you raised this year? Gardener—About 900, I guess, Pete. How many have you raised? Ducky—Forty-two, sah (aside)—ober yo' fence!

Burlington Free Press.

MEMORY IN THE BLIND.

A Letter of Peculiar Interest by a Writer Deprived of Sight.

As partial compensation, in the midst of his many discouragements, the sightless pupil possesses one vital advantage over his companions. His memory, accustomed to seize and assimilate definitions and miscellaneous information at a single hearing, acquires both a marvelous alertness and a phenomenal retentive capacity which enable him to master certain branches of study with singular ease and rapidity. Deprived of books and without any very ready and reliable method of making notes, he obtains a habit, often envied by the seeing, of appropriating instantaneously any thing addressed to his intellect through his hearing. Hence the proverbially good memory of the blind person. His mind is his memorandum book, always at hand and always open.

To the present writer, who never remembers having a lesson in any thing read over to him more than twice, nothing is more strange and more amusing than a room full of school children, with fingers crammed in their ears, buzzing over a lesson of three pages for the fifteenth time. Equally incomprehensible is it to see a man making a note of a single address, or a lady referring to a shopping-list. Such observations force one to the conclusion that the art of writing, invaluable as it is, has been disastrous to the human memory. People have grown to so rely on a piece of white paper covered with black scribbles, that if this be lost or misplaced, they are reduced almost to the condition of creatures without intellect.

So marked is the advantage of the blind in this respect as almost to atone for their extra difficulties in others; that is, the sightless pupil will acquire scientific and philosophical studies with a rapidity which will counterbalance the greater amount of time demanded by his less facile methods of writing out exercises in linguistic and ciphering in mathematical branches; so that in taking the regular course at academy or university, he will require, all in all, neither more time nor more labor than the average student.

Of not less value in after life is this extraordinarily trained and developed memory. It enables the blind to derive from lectures, conversation and general reading ten times the benefit of others, on whose minds a single mention of facts and thoughts makes little or no impression.

Thus the law of compensation is seen working in all things, making good on one hand, approximately at least, what is wanting on the other; not by the special mysterious interference of Providence or other power with natural conditions and processes, for the benefit of the individual, as many claim, but through the inevitable sequence of cause and effect, by which senses and faculties become, through unusual training, abnormally developed and their value radically enhanced.

—Century.

A PAVEMENT OF GOLD.

One of the Most Interesting Incidents of Grant's Great Western Trip.

The war had been over about two years when General Grant made his famous trip to the West. The only railroad reaching Denver at that time from the East was the Union Pacific, and such a thing as transportation by rail through the mountainous regions was unknown. When Grant was in Colorado he expressed a desire to see as much of the country as possible. The grandeur of the mountain scenery seemed to fascinate him. He was taken to the top of Pike's Peak, only a short distance from Denver, and was so much pleased with the trip that he expressed a willingness to take a longer one. Central City, the county-seat of Gilpin, was then the leading mining town of the State. It was distant eighty miles from Denver, and every mile of the road was through canyons and over mountains. Grant would go. The only means of transit was by stage, and the General was furnished with a special coach, his friends following in another. Relays of horses were provided at the end of every ten miles, but when the trip was tedious, and before it was half finished the General complained of the slow progress. At the top of a mountain the driver, being a little vexed, asked the General if he was really anxious for faster time over that kind of a road. Grant said he would like to get to Central some time. The driver said he would "let 'em go," and giving the lines a twist around the brake he braced himself with nothing in his hands but the whip. The coach went whirling and surging down the mountain faster than it was ever taken by four horses before. Grant's companions followed on as fast as they could, expecting to find him dead at the bottom of the mountain. He was not hurt, but wanted no more races down the mountain side. The arrival at Central was a great event for that little mountain city. The miners turned out to honor the General, and from every housetop hunting was displayed. Arrangements were made to entertain the party at the Teller House. The bankers of Gilpin County had met and decided that the General should walk over a pavement of pure gold. Enough gold bricks were in the different bank vaults to make a pavement two feet wide from the main entrance of the Teller House to the curbing where the stage would stop. It was put down on the morning of the day of his arrival, and when the door of the coach was opened the General stepped out on solid gold, and walked a distance of thirty feet on the most precious and costly pavement that was ever laid down for the feet of man to tread on.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

RELIGIOUS AND EDUCATIONAL.

—How curious it is that a man may seriously doubt if he is a Christian, but is very certain that he is a Baptist, or Presbyterian, or Methodist.

—Twenty years ago the gospel was not allowed to enter Spain; now there are between 10,000 and 12,000 adherents to the evangelical churches.

—According to the most reliable statistics 155 of 333 colleges pronounce by the Roman method, 144 by the English method, and 34 by the Continental.

—New York City is going to make the experiment of manual training in a dozen of its public schools, with the purpose of extending the system if it shall prove successful.

—God's treasury, where He keeps His children's gifts, will be like many a mother's store of relics of her children, full of things of no value to others, but precious in His eyes for the love's sake that was in them.—Fenton.

—The colored Baptists of Georgia will celebrate in June, 1888, the centenary of the founding of their first church, January 20, 1788, in that State. There are, as the result of the century's work, 1,400 colored Baptist churches, 500 ministers, 2,000 licentiates and 160,000 members.

—There are 205 communities of the Greek Church in Japan, with sixteen priests and 104 native preachers, and the number of Japanese converts to that religion is 12,500. The number of churches and prayer-houses is 148, and there are three children's schools, with a total of 150 pupils.—Indianapolis Journal.

—"I hope I has 'ligion, but I doan know," I hab hearn folks say, but I neber hearn er man say: "I hopes I has money, but I doan know." Dat sorter 'ligion dat yer hopes yer's got but doan know, ain't gwine ter do yer no mo' good den der money wat yer hopes yer's got but doan know.—Arkansas Traveler.

—Some Dartmouth boys 'most too smart to live! surprised President Bartlett at the senior rhetorical exercises in the chapel the other day when all the college students were assembled, with a jackass, which they had hitched to the pulpit. When President Bartlett came to the platform, he remarked: "I perceive some of you have lost your brother;" and then ordered the exercises to proceed, during which the donkey remained the guest of the occasion.

—Our highest thoughts do not reach what will be the level of our happiness hereafter. At first our over-lasting life will be like a summer's day, so calm and beautiful and long. But it will prove a day that will last on and on and on. And when no night comes, and when we do not weary, and all things keep brightening about us, as the eyes of our understanding open—then, little by little, we shall begin, in awe and wonder, to feel what it is to be immortal.

WIT AND WISDOM.

—Disorder in a drawing room is vulgar; in an antiquary's study, not; the black battle-stain on a soldier's face is not vulgar, but the dirty face of a housemaid is.—Ruskin.

—Only a Step.—Nature made the model man With perfect form, though nude; The tailor dressed the fellow up—The man was then a dude.—Waltchall Times.

—Wife (one day after marriage)—No, dear, don't give me any money; I might lose it. Same Wife (one year after marriage)—I took \$20 from your pocketbook last night, John.—N. Y. Sun.

—Mrs. O'Harrity—Now put in another quart. Grocer—Why didn't you ask for a half-gallon at first and have done with it? Mrs. O'Harrity—Och, bless yez soul! One quart is for meself and t'other is for Mrs. Casey.

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The Queen of Sweden has become insane.

THE LEADING FEATURES.

OF THE YOUTH'S COMPANION ANNOUNCEMENT FOR 1888 JUST PUBLISHED ARE ITS SIX ILLUSTRATED SERIAL STORIES, BY TROWBRIDGE, STEPHENS AND OTHERS, AND ITS TWO HUNDRED SHORT STORIES AND TALES OF ADVENTURE, ITS ARTICLES BY EMINENT WRITERS, INCLUDING THE BIBLE, ROMAN HISTORY, PROFESSOR TYNDALL, GEN. LORD WOLSELEY, LOUISA M. ALcott, GEN. GEORGE CROOK, AND ONE HUNDRED OTHER POPULAR AUTHORS. THE COMPANION HAS TWO MILLION READERS A WEEK. EVERY FAMILY SHOULD TAKE IT. BY SENDING COPIES TO FRIENDS NOW, WITH \$1.75, YOU WILL RECEIVE IT FREE TO JAN. 1, 1888, AND A FULL YEAR'S SUBSCRIPTION FROM THAT DATE.

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