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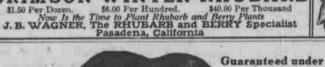
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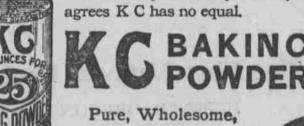
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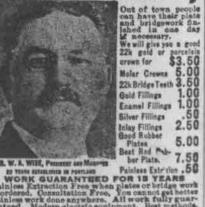


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flew away, And visions of happiness danced o'er his mind. He dreamed of his home, of his dear

native bowers, And pleasures that waited on life's merry morn; While Memory stood sidewise, half

covered with flowers, And restored every rose, but secreted its thorn.

Then Fancy her magical pinions spread wide. And bade the young dreamer in ec-

stacy rise: Now far, far behind him the green waters glide, And the cot of his forefathers bless-

es his eyes. The jessamine clambers in flowers o'er the thatch.

her nest in the wall; All trembling with transport, he raises the latch, And the voices of loved ones reply to

And the swallow chirps sweet from

his call. delight; His cheek is impearled with a moth-

And the lips of the boy in a love-kiss unite With the lips of the maid whom his bosom holds dear.

er's warm tear;

The heart of the sleeper beats high in his breast; Joy quickens his pulses-all hard-

ships seem o'er, a munmur of happiness steals through his rest: for no more."

what is that flame which now bursts on his eye? Ah, what is that sound which now larms on his ear?

Tis the lightning's red gleam, painting hell on the sky! 'Tis the crashing of thunders, the groan of the sphere!

He springs from his hammock—he flies to the deck! Amazement confronts him with im-

ages dire; Wild winds and mad waves drive the vessel a wreck-The masts fly in splinters—the shrouds are on fire!

Like mountains the billows tremena ously swell; In vain the lost wretch calls on Mercy to save;

Unseen hands of spirits are ringing And the Death-angel flaps his broad until, as his proud master explained, PLUME wings o'er the wave!

O sailor-boy, woe to thy dream of de-In darkness dissolves the gay frostwork of bliss.

Where, now, is the picture that Fancy touched bright-Thy parents' fond pressure, and love's honeyed kiss?

9 sailor-boy, sailor-boy, never again Shall home, love, or kindred thy wishes repay! Unblessed and unhonored, down deep

Full many a fathom, thy frame shall decay.

No tomb shall e'er plead to remen. brance for thee, Or redeem form or frame from the merciless surge;

But the white foam of waves shall thy winding-sheet be, And winds, in the midnight of winter, thy dirge!

a bed of green sea-flowers thy limbs shall be laid: Around thy white bones the red coral shall grow;

thy fair yellow locks, threads of amber be made; And every part suit to thy mansion below.

Days, months, years, and ages shall circle away. And still the vast waters above thee

shall roll; Earth loses thy pattern for ever and O sailor-boy, sailor-boy, peace to thy

-William Dimond.

The old darky had driven his fare to

the hotel and was now demanding a dollar for his service. "What!" protested the passenger, "a dollar for that distance? Why, it isn't

half a mile as the crow flies." "Dat's true, boss," returned Sambo, with an appealing smile, "but ye see, suh, dat old crow he ain't got free wives an' ten chilluns to suppoht, not to mention de keep fo' de hoss."-Har-5.00 per's Wekly.

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The frigate pelican, or man-of-war bird, is usually met with by travelers in the tropics. Although when stripped of its feathers it is hardly larger than a pigeon, yet no man can touch at the same time the tips of its extended wings. The long wing bones are exceedingly light, and the whole apparatus of air cells is extremely developed, so that its real weight is very trifling. It flies at a great height above the water, and from that elevation pounces down on fish, especially preferring the poor, persecuted flying fish for its prey. According to some authors, the name of man-of-war bird was given to it because its appearance was said to foretell the coming of a ship, probably because the frigate pelican and real frigates are equally adverse to storms, and both like to come into harbor if the weather threatens.

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At the Riding School. "Mount your horse on the left side." "Why? What difference can that

"It's the rule."

night."

"But why should it be the rule?" "Because in the past horsemen wore swords. They wore them on the left Tribune. hip; hence had they mounted on the right side the sword would have got in the way. So they mounted on the left, and we still mount on the left. Horses are accustomed to it, and if you try to get up from the right you "O God! thou hast blessed me; I ask are liable to be kicked."-Philadelphia Bulletin.

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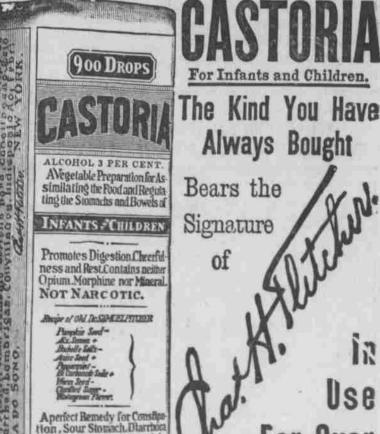
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