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THE KEY OF DEATH.

How a Merchant of Venice Disposed of Obnoxious Persons.

About 1600 a stranger named Tebaldo established himself as a merchant in Venice. He became enamored of the daughter of an ancient house, and asking her hand was rejected, the young lady already being affianced. Enraged, he set himself to plan revenge, and, being a skillful mechanic, he invented a formidable weapon. This was a large key, the handle of which could be turned easily. Being turned it discovered a spring, which, when pressed, sent out from the other end of the key a needle of such fineness that it entered the flesh and buried itself there, leaving no external trace. With this weapon Tebaldo waited at the church door till the maiden he loved passed in to her marriage. Then, unperceived, he sent the slender needle into the breast of the bridegroom, who, seized with a sharp pain from an unknown cause, fainted, was carried home, and soon died, his strange illness baffling the skill of the physicians. Again Tebaldo demanded the maiden's hand, and was again refused. In a few days both her parents died in a like mysterious manner. Suspicion was excited, and on examination of the bodies the small steel instrument was found in the flesh. There was universal terror; no one felt that his own life was secure. The young lady went into a convent during her mourning, and after a few months, Tebaldo begged to see and speak with her, hoping now to bend her to his will. She, with an instinctive horror of this man, who had from the first been displeasing to her, returned a decided negative, whereupon Tebaldo contrived to wound her through the grate. On returning to her room she felt a pain in her breast and discovered a single drop of blood. Surgeons were hastily summoned. Taught by the past, they cut into the wounded part, extracted the needle and saved her life. Tebaldo was suspected, his house was searched, the key discovered, and he perished on the gallows.

There is a tradition that duke Francis of Padua had a poisoned key of a similar character, which unlocked his private library. When he desired to rid himself of an obnoxious member of his household or suite he would send him to bring a certain volume from his book-case. As the key was turned in the lock, out shot a poisoned needle, stabbed the hand of the holder, and instantly shot back again. Examination of the hand revealed only a small, dark blue spot, but in a few moments the person grew strangely giddy, and would be found on the floor, apparently in a fit. In twenty-four hours he would be dead, and a verdict rendered—"apoplexy."

Ayer's Sarsaparilla, operating through the blood, eradicates the scrofulous taint.

Persons of foreign birth residing in this state who have not been naturalized should take out their naturalization papers with as little delay as possible in order to vote at the presidential election. The constitution of this state requires naturalization ninety days before election. Those desiring to become naturalized so as to vote on the 6th of November next, have only about one month to qualify; and then only on "second papers," if the U. S. naturalization law is strictly adhered to.—*Niftings.*

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A fisheries protective service will be instituted by the dominion government on the great lakes within the next three weeks. This step, it is said, has been rendered necessary, owing to the disregard of the regulations by American fishermen, who use in Canada waters a class of nets, the use of which is prohibited by the Fisheries department.

It is a waste of time to look back at one's own mistakes when there is so much more fun in watching the mistakes of other people.—*Hotel Mail.*

A Cannon To Shoot Twelve Miles.

"We are now," said the director of the Pittsburgh works, "making a cannon for the American Emenite company. It will be used to demonstrate the value of that new explosive. It is a smooth bore, three inches in diameter and 100 inches long, and will throw a 6-inch shell with eminite from ten to twelve miles.

"In ordinary rifled cannon the shell turns one and a quarter times in the length of the gun. This gives it a terrific torsional strain and necessitates a corresponding thickness and strength of the shell and a proportionate reduction of space for the explosives. In other words, the internal space for the explosives is reduced one-half to secure the necessary strength. Now the Emenite company proposes to avoid this trouble by returning to the old smooth-bore cannon, and at the same time to secure the necessary range by the increased power of their explosive. This new gun they expect to throw a dynamite shell as far as a rifled cannon."—*Pittsburgh Dispatch.*

Make a careful study of the tariff and of all other political questions and cast your vote for the man or men who will come the nearest to carrying out your ideas, regardless of the name of the party at the head of the ticket. Read, study, think and solve all political problems for yourself, and vote the dictates of your conscience, regardless of all traditions or associations; and you will be doing as near right as can be expected of poor humanity.—*The Craftsman.*

No hope should be without it to arrest disorders promptly, which, if not taken in season, often develop into serious diseases. Rev. James M. Collins, Pastor of the Church, Fairfield, Va., writes: "I have used Simmons' Liver Regulator for many years, having made it my only family medicine. My mother before me was very partial to it. It is a safe, good and reliable medicine for any disorder of the system and if used in time is a great preventive of sickness.

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A Milwaukee man who is noted for his timidity went to Chicago on business a few days since, and dinner time found him in front of a cheap restaurant on a side street. Being hungry he decided to chance it and entered. Upon seating himself at the table a big six-foot waiter ambled up to him, stuck out his lower jaw in a very rough way and said: "Wall cull, what's yer fodder?" The quiet Milwaukee man glanced hurriedly over his bill of fare and ordered beefsteak well done and a cup of coffee. Imagine the shock which his nerves sustained, as upon going to the dumb waiter the tough man yelled: "One burnt offering an' a muddy."—*Peck's Sun.*


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The boss rooster of the barn yard refers to the hens as the lay members of his congregation.—*Merchant Traveler.*

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