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Or all of the feathers that one could put on it; Never sat with the choir nor sang the wrong note; Expressed no desire to lecture or vote. For the poor soul was deaf as a post-also

damh dumb. You might have called forever, and she wouldn't have come. And the's dead.

-Jeannette la Flamboy in Outlook. THE OLD GENEFAL'S SCHEME.

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Too Mercilos to Try. "A good many wars ago the Co-manche Indians use to harry and annoy the people of T xas by predatory incursions, pretty much, I fancy, as the Scottish highlanders did their brethren who dwelt in less mountainous regions," srid Colonel Alf Mason of the Lone Star State. "The Comanches, too, had stly the same purpose in view that mated the adherents of Rob Roythe lifting of cattle-and it would be hard to say which made the greatest

Dark was the house and cheerless, And fast fell the ra-: from without; And fast fell the rath from without; My heart was chilled by the morning, And besieged by many a doubt, And I said: "There is no good in trying. The old year is dying, dying. Many hearts that were glad Are weary and sad, And the world is filled with the sighing."

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The good man came in whistling, Though the rain fell fast without He cheered my heart with his joy song,

drinkers in Detroit then.

And scattered my every doubt. And he said: "We'll just keep on trying. A new year will spring from the dying. Many hearts shall be glad

SONGS FROM SIGHING

That now are so sad, And songs shall grow out of the sighing." -E. H. Chase in Homemaker. THE TWO DOCTORS.

They do not do so now, but in bygone times some of the medical students and sick man for two weeks. young practicing physicians of Detroit the city.

In those times there were two young doctors, just out of their teens, who drawing quick breaths. Not a sound was them with a great deal of time on their head and of physical makeup, and either alarm of them could drink any other man in

whispered one to the other. Detroit drunk on cherry whisky and

head. And there were not a few sturdy own safety and at no little risk of their railroad station and express office at Port

Nevertheless, while the young physicians appeared to be sailing straight for the rock of Grog, they put in a great deal of time, much of it stolen from the sion to which they were courageously devoted. One of them, it may be men-A STUPID ATTEMPT tioned incidentary, advanced in the er days to a very high position in the medical department of the United States medical department of the United States derly assisted to a seat. Dr. X was bearmy, and the other became one of the foremost physicians of the city. One night the two determined upon

> The other understood, and without hes-itation proceeded to reinter the corpse store and half a dozen citizens. Next day to steal the corpse of a ruan who had died of a peculiar disease, which was the talk of the little town at the time, and and hide the tools in the adjoining they looted the station at Claremont and which threw medical circles into sharp rands and Labels of the Famous Jesse and in some instances furious discus-Moore Whisky Imitated by a Seattle sion. When they sauntered from their Importer, Who is Now Under Arrest. favorite boozing place, they were pretty

well filled with cherry whisky, and the hour was past 11 o'clock. Their cronies came away with them, as that was the The recent arrest in Seattle, Wash., of customary hour for retiring unless it Aaron Jaffe by a United States internal happened to be a holiday occasion, when revenue officer for wholesaling liquor with- "We Won't Go Home Till Morning" was out a license has disclosed one of he most sung, a song, by the way, which imparts daring and dangerous frauds that has been a flavor of the wine of the immortals to perpetrated against the government, and good average whisky-which in its turn against one of the most reputable and pop- cheerfully and heartily reciprocates the ar whisky firms in the United States. compliment, by causing the song to thrill Numerous complaints have reached Moore, the soul like the war hymn of triumdead faint alone.

He promised to visit her next day, and he kept his promise. And feeling inter-ested in the case he kept on coming when shawes on the work of the outlaws. Bill Cook is to be shot on sight—if possible. Earlier in the evening they had made Jesse Moore whisky, that a counterfeit ar-ticle was being largely sold in Washington. The labels, boules and wrappers were each so exact an imitation of the genuine as to reachly deceive the owners of the original brand. The contents were, however, as might be expected, not even an imitation but of so vile a character as to be ready detected by any one who is familiar wit the high quality of the Jesse Moore whisky. when she was quite well, until finally Interest the series of the ser old .- Detroit News.

Sejourning at the Capital.

Washington during the days of the inauguration was the Mecca of street arabs from all over the country, more espezially of course of those who reside in the east. Many of them still remain in ington and cannot bring themselves to sheeting, hung on sticks pressed into the leave it. I accosted one of them the other day. His clothes were in a very dilapi-

BILL COOK'S BAND OF OUTLAWS. The face of a corpse protruding from

the grave, every frightful feature ex- Bas Made a Record of Which Even the James Boys Might Be Proud. Mary shrieked and fell in a dead faint. The misdeeds of the notorious Dalton William's knees smote together, and his gang, wiped out at Coffeyville, dwindle

hair arose in abject fright. Another in- into littleness when con ured with the stant and his legs, which were growing criminal exploits of the Cook gauge too weak to support him, would have has been terrorizing the Indian Territory. given way and brought him to the This new band of outlaws, under the leadarship of Bill Cook, has bounced into no-

seclipse of his senses sounding like the yelp of a pursuing fiend, galvanized him down the road like the shadow of a scud-

ling cloud. Scrambling over the fence, for a cross cut to his home, his coattails were gripped from behind by the stout sliver of a rail, and thinking that the fiend had him he fainted dead away and ung there for an hour. Recovering his enses later, he staggered to the house and to bed, where he remained a very

The shriek paralyzed the young docwere in the habit of stealing bodies for dissection from the cemeteries adjoining hastily out of the grave. One of them seized the dark lantern and closed the slide, and then both of them stood silent,

such a horrible sight as they saw

posed in the light of the dark lantern!

ground, but Mary's shriek, in the total

were partners in a practice which left heard. It was a place remote from houses, and they were satisfied that even hands. Both of them were strong of such a piercing shriek would convey no "It must have come from the road,"

"Let us search," was the brief reply. The body of the girl was found, and places almost amounted to a panie. Twice still retain his sea legs and his cool the young physicians, regardless of their within a month the gang cleaned out the

> lives in case of discovery, set at work to bring the girl out of her deathlike swoon. Gibson, robbed an express train at Mar-shall and held up two carloads of passenbring the girl out of her deathlike swoon. It was no easy task to allay her fears. They did everything that men could do They did everything that men could do to reassure the frightened girl, and grad-15 soldiers. The highwaymen waited till ually she became self possessed and the guard galloped a mile in advance to begged to be taken home. She was too explore a gully. Then the robbers cleaned weak to walk. The team was brought out the agents. derly assisted to a seat. Dr. X was beside her, and reaching down the dark lan-

road, he said, "Leave it." making a sally upon a certain cemetery,

> woods. He said afterward that he made a party of five heavily armed drummers a better job at fashioning the mound who traveled together for mutual protect than the sexton had. At any rate, it was never known that the grave had been the same town a week later and robbed never known that the grave had been the Denton bank of \$2,900.

consultation case, he had gravely in-formed her, and he gave her the particu-lars of the case, shrewdly avoiding any inquiry as to what caused her to be tretched in the widdh of the read in a stretched in the middle of the road in a and chain and \$70.

one day, on quitting the house, Mary went with him in a carriage after whose rolling wheels a gay wedding party

this city for financial and other reasons and in some cases because they like Wash-charged with robbery, but by some mys-

HOW IT MAY HAPPEN.

One of the best Schools for Boys on this "Jeminy crickets, she's got the rickets," whispered one beau to another in the com-pany of a very pretty girl. Truly she was "Jeminy crickets, she's got the rickets," very beautiful, but there was a twitching

ry beautiful, but there was a twitching out the nerves of the face which showed anges? Grocer-Well, we have baseballs. " No," said the other, "its neu-

suffering. "No," said the other, "its neu-ralgia and she's a martyr to it." St. Jacobs Oil was suggested as the world-renowned cure for it. Did she try it? Yes and was cured by it and-married "one of the fel-lows" afterward. The use of the great remedy for pain will not bring about a mar-riage but in its cure of pain it will bring CATARRH CANNOT BE CURED With LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cam reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blo or constitutional disease, and in order to cury you must take internal remedies. Hall's of tarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts direct on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's tarth Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the biod and mucous surfaces. Hall's Ca tarth Cure is not a quack medicine. It was pre-scribed by one of the best physicians in thi country for years, and is a regular prescription It is composed of the best tonics known, com bined with the best blood purifiers, acting di rectly on the mucous surfaces. The perfec combination of the two ingredients is what pro duces such wonderful results in curing catarth Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Sold by druggists: price, 75 cents. riage, but in its cure of pain it will bring about conditions of health to make life more enjoyable. No man or woman ought to marry who is a sufferer from chronic pains. We should not wed woe to win only wretchedness.

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Signs of Spring.

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the use of coal tar as a means of render-

and refreshing to the taste, and acts Ram and mint sauce are to be had in gently yet promptly on the Kidneys, Liver 22 Bowels, cleanses the systhe riztaurants now. Of course they call it land, but your teeth will discover the tem ei ect ally, dispels colds, head-aches and fevers and cures habitual difference. Sandy, green and indigestible looking strawberries also begin to constipation. Syrup of Figs is the only remedy of its kind ever proappear, and the oyster is beginning to chuckle.-Brooklyn Eagle.

Twenty years ago an agricultural estate in Essex, England, extending over 555 acres, was purchased for \$105,000, and \$25,000 was subsequently expended in buildings and improvements. It was recently sold at auction for \$24,750.

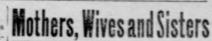
An inebriated young man entered a Chestnut street decorating shop yesterday and solemnly requested to be meanured for a pair of trousers from one of the fancy wall papers displayed in the window.-Philadelphia Record.

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AXLE

tern to his companion, who stood in the the station and relieved them of their valuables. In Okmulgee they robbed the

The station at Gilson's and three stores During the drive to Mary's home, as were robbed and the mail sacks pillaged. Dr. X subsequently informed his com- They rode into the Bull Creek coal camp panion, he told some of the most in-genious lies on record. It was quite by appeared in Inola, but seeing about 100 accident that they discovered her in the cowboys there for a roundup they sheered road as they were driving home after a over to Buckner, where they robbed the consultation case, he had gravely in- station and the stores. Jack Doughty,

The whole country has at last been

CRAFTY KITTIE ADAMS. Probably the Most Successful Thief In Chi-

cago, Which Is Saying a Good Deal. pitched old slippers, amid the laughter of the young and the benedictions of the geld extanded executive elemency to Kittie Adams, one of the most notorious thieves in Chicago, and the doors of the prison flew open. The ground on which the governor granted the pardon is said to

e been the statement that the woman was dying of consumption. Since regaining her liberty the Adams woman has apparently recovered her health, says the Chicago Herald, and has

terious influence has always escaped pun-

Contraction and

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KITTIE ADAMS.

The amount of

officers after nightfall.

Into her hands as if by magic.

A Lad Who Would Murder For Fun.

A lad employed as a pony driver at the

Trowel Moor colliery at Stapleford has

been sentenced to six weeks' hard labor

for willfully damaging an endless wire

rope used for the purpose of bringing

tubs of coal up an incline. The strands

of the colliery had to be suspended for

For six years Kittle Adams has plied he trade of thief with great success in

lime salts from the mortar. Two methods of using the tar are named-viz, in to the air, or it may be made to flame up before using, this being appropriate to surfaces which have to be covered up.

gors near McKenzles. They held up and took \$5,300 from the five Cherokee dis-this being suitable for surfaces exposed

They held up the railroad depot and K. and T. road. At the same time they lined 14 persons who happened to be in

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mess, the sturdy freeoters of Scoula or the copper hued enizens of the American plains. The Texans of course resented to the ntmost this conduct of the redskins, and many a brave paid the death penalty for trying to get away with horses or cows that did not belong to him.

"Many a poor settler, too, in trying to save his little homestead, fell a victim to the barbarous foe. Some unusually cruel raids, in which a number of white women and little children were butchered, about the year 1859, in Williamson county, not far from the state capital, caused the resentment of the people to rise to a boiling pitch, and vengeance was sworn against the whole tribe of marauding red demons. The affair was so ruthless in its atrocity that it came very near being the cause of a whole sale slaughter of the Indians, which

could have scarcely been justified. "The proposition came from one of the noted frontiersmen and Indian fighters of that day, who has long since crossed over the river, General Henderson. The old man advanced it coolly and could with difficulty be persuaded to abandon it. It was to invite, under the guise of pretended friendship and reconciliation, all the Comanches that could be assembled in a great scope of surrounding country to a big barbecue, where there was to be eating and drinking galore and a general smoking of the pipe of peace. It was to be a grand feast, especially in the roast beef part of the menu, said beef to be artistically dressed with poison enough to kill every son of a gun of an Indian that partook of it. Well, they wouldn't let the old general carry out his scheme, and he got very hot over it and to the day of his death cursed the sentimental fools that interfered with his plans for reducing the Comanche census.

THE BUSINESS MAN'S LUNCH.

Har, work and Indigestion go Hand in Hand.

Concentrated thought, continued in, robs the stomach of necessary blood, and this is also true of hard physical labor.

also true of hard physical labor. When a five horse-pewer engine is made to do ten horse-power work something is going to break. Very often the hard-worked man coming from the field or the office will "bolt" his food in a few min-utes which will take hours to digest. Then too, many foods are about as useful in the stomach as a keg of nails would be in a fire under a boiler. The ill-used stomach refuses to do its work without the proper stimulus which it gets from the blood and nerves. The nerves are weak and "ready nerves. The nerves are weak and "ready to break," because they do not get the nourishment they require from the blood, finally the ill-used brain is morbidly wide awake when the overworked man at-tempts to find rest in bed. The application of common sense in the treatment of the stomach and the whole

system brings to the busy man the full en-joyment of life and healthy digestion when he takes Dr. Pierce's Fleasant Pellets to relieve a billious stomach or after a too hearty meal, and Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery to purify, enrich and vitalize the blood. The "Pellets" are tiny sugar-coated pills made of highly concensugar-coated pills made of highly concen-trated vegetable ingredients which relieve the stomach of all offending matters easily and thoroughly. They need only be taken for a short time to cure the biliousness, constipation and slothfulness, or torpor, of the liver; then the "Medical Discovery" should be taken in teaspoonful doses to in-crease the blood and enrich it. It has a combine affect upon the living membrane The Royal Leads All. Royal Leads All. Royal Leads All. The Royal Baking Powder is the pur-strengthening them for all time. The whole system feels the effect of the pure blood coursing through the body and the nerves are vitalized and strengthened, not deadened, or put to sleep, as the so-called fairs, wherever exhibited in competition with others.

drug store in the country.

even Jesse Moore & Co. and Moore, Hant & Co. may accept with some small degree of satisfaction, and the fact that the Jesse Moore whiskies have become immensely popular and are steadily superseding all other brands of whisky on this Coast as well as throughout the Eastern States, was doubtless the strongest incentive to Jaffe to embark in an illicit and fraudulent manu-

Fowever, in a type-written letter prepared by Jaffe and mailed without signature to inquor dealers in Washington, he openly claimed that the whisky was spurious, but

embark in an illicit and fraudulent manufacture. Selling liquor at wholesale without a li-

cense is a serious offense against the United States internal revenue laws, and Jaffe will States internal revenue laws, and Jalle will doubtless, as he should, upon conviction receive a severe penalty for his wrongdoing. Infringement of a copyright is also a seri-ous off-nee, with severe penalties. Alto-gether, it would seem that this inditator of an excellent article has involved himself to an extent which will necessitate his pro-longed retirement from the whisky busi-ness.

When arrested and confronted with the

without, however, implicating his partners in the fraud, whose identity is yet in doubt. The facts will doubtless come out on the trial. As the evidence against Jaffe is cu ulative and abundant, there is no doubt of his conviction.

This is the most daring attempt yet made to imitate the Jesse Moore whisky, but the to initiate the Jesse Moore whisky, but the manufacturers may find some satisfaction in the fact that the culprit is suppressed Moore, Hunt & Co. will vigorously push the prosecution of Jaffe for fraud in coun-terfeiting their trade-mark and labels.

Carnot and Jean Carries.

of our mest skillful men of art, and he of a certain newcomer in the field. is not yet decorated." Forthwith M. Carnot detached from the buttonhole of one of the officers of the military house-

of Honor and placed it himself on the way in the dark. breast of Jean Carries. The next day, n The Officiel, the artist was named a low of the road, which the bounds of the chevalier of the order.-London Figaro.

Once Senator Stanford was traveling The train had stopped at a small town, and the senator was leisurely strolling back and forth on the platform at the lepot. A baggageman was unloading trunks, and in doing so carelessly pitched one onto the platform, and it burst open. The senator looked at it and remarked, "Well, that's a shame." The baggageman impudently asked, "Do you own this trunk?" The answer came quickly, "No, young man but I own this road. "-Horseman.

It is said that Lord Campbell was often overbearing and irritable. A lawyer who had long struggled against the chief justice's criticisms finally folded up his brief and remarked, "I will retire, my lord, and uo longer trespass on your lordship's impatience.

deadened, or put to sleep, as the so-called celery compounds and nerve mixtures do -but refreshed and fed on the food they need for health. If you suffer from indi-gestion, dyspepsia, nervousness, and any of the ills which come from impure blood and disordered stomach, you can cure yoursel/ with Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery which can be obtained at any dens the country. Mairs, wherever exhibited in competition with others. The judge of awards on baking pow-der at the late Chicago Fair, Prof. H. W. Wiley, writes that the impertiment claims of other companies that they re-evered the highest award for strength and prity are false; that no such awards by the light of the dark lantern. They were given them.

chained that the whisky was spin-bus, out that the labels and bottles were so success fully imitated as to deceive even Jesse Moore & Co. or their agents, and in this single claim he was correct. It has been said that "poor things are never imitated," which is a truism that even Jesse Moore & Co. and Moore, Hunt & Co. may accent with some small degree Both sezed their spades then and went

ing.

to work with a will at either end of the grave, space being taken at one end to reached the over box. The top of this was taken off and laid aside. In a little

The grave was pretty close to the

road, but they didn't mind that. The

while the cover of the coffin was unscrewed, and in the haste of the moment it was thrown out of the grave. It struck the width of sheeting next the road and threw it down.

The corpse was a very heavy one, and it took the united efforts of both the doctors to raise it in the narrow space of the grave. They managed to stand it up at

the end of the grave and then concluded when arrested and confronted with the evidence of his crine, Jaffe broke down and made a full confession of his own guilt, of them lift from below and the other from the top. To this end one of them proceeded to climb out of the grave, but just at that moment their blood was

frozen in their veins by a piercing shriek. On the night chosen by the young doc tors for their raid on the cemetery R. William Green, a suburban beau, whose characteristics were of the hue of his

name, and whose courage was utterly disproportioned to his tall, gaunt frame, was returning homeward in company

with Mary S-, as beautiful a country girl as ever tripped over the daisies and

The death of Jean Carries, the sculp as bright and intelligent as she was beautor, recalls an anecdote in which he and tiful. People often wondered then how the late President Carnot were the prin- a beauty of such manifest superiority of cipal actors. The artist's busts and character could see anything attractive figures at the Champ de Mars excited the in a fellow like Bill Green, but from this admiration of all, and they were de- coign of time the riddle is easily readservedly classed in the first rank. M. beaus were very scarce in the township Carnot, when on his visit to the salon, of H--- in those days, and hence a girl noticed an old man, who seemed much had no choice. It was said that they moved on seeing him, standing before were affianced, but this was not true. the works of art of the sculptor. Some Something in Mary's conduct had held one said to the president, after pointing William back from declaring himself. out the artist: "Here is need for repara- although she readily allowed his atten-

tion, M. le President. Carries is one tion and refused the proffers of escort That night the couple had been to a party, and the shortest and indeed the only way to their respective homes was hold in the place of a cross of the chev- by the cemetery road, unless it might be alier a cross of an officer of the Legion across the rough fields, an impracticable

As the twain approached the dark holcemetery touched, Mary naturally drew closer to her tall escort, and the touch of

Stanford's Retort.

through California in his private car. | timidity and pop the question. But William was a bit of a coward, as already in timated, and the chill hour of midnight, together with the contiguity of the grave-yard, was not to his liking. His heart went pit-a-pat, not for the adored object at his side, but because of certain noises which the wind made among the bushes in the cemetery, and he also fancied there

through the shapely head of Mary at the time, the lady has since said that she knew from William's actions that he wanted to propose, and she frankly admits that he would have been accepted on the spot, since she entertained the idea that she would have been aban-

as they walked rapidly along.

dated state and looked as th igh a gen-Chicago. the breeze would give them wings. A battered old derby was carelessly pulled is by all odds the eleverest and most dan-over his eyes. His face was evidently guiltless of the charge of ever having

been washed. afford room for both to work. In this me. "Well, yer see, boss, I am, with "How'd I git heah?" he repeated after way the muscular young fellows soon two of my chummies, all de way from instances some mysterious influen Chicago. Gee whiz, but waren't it cold! a list of the more expert thieves of which We cum in a box car and had a dicky time, Yer see we didn't wanter starve, so we up an got a lot o' grub, an we Vie Palmer, Rosa Holland, Minnie Wilwasn't out on de road a hundred miles befo' dose chummies of mine got up an bergan to scrap. My pig, but weren't it roe, Minnle Dee, Mollie Haywood, Fangreat! De fight ended when I took a nie Wilson, Lillie Vale, Nora Keating. hand, but in de scrap all de grub had been kicked outer de car, an we had to

cum to Washington widout any. My, but wasn't we cold and hungry! Yer see dis black eye? Dat's de scrap.' "But how are you going to get back to your home?"

"See yer, young feller, you's pumped me enough, see! I ain't green ef I do look Oirish, see! Put your blinkers on an follow me, an I'll show yer how I git home."-Washington News,

Men's New Hats.

The new hats for men have come out, and probably half the men of your acquaintance have appeared before you in heir spring hats, and you did not know anything at all about it. Why will men be so stupid about this thing? How many women of your acquaintance could be induced to buy a spring hat which no one on earth could tell from the one she sent to suffer imprisonment for more than had been wearing all winter?

Men may smile-and there are many en who read fashion articles-over this paragraph, but this time a woman is Chlcago, walk the streets nightly, and speaking whereof she knows, for she was not a day passes but a number of losses are invited to go with two other members of reported to the police which can be traced the feminine persuasion to buy a new directly to these women. The faces of many hat for a nice young man the other day. of them are far more familiar to pedes And in spite of all the woman could say trians in La Salle, Dearborn, Adams on the question he bought the new hat Washington, Monroe streets and Wabash and then began trying on alpine hats- avenue than are the uniforms of police they ought to be called so, if they are money and valuables stolen by the gang reaches an enormous sum annually, yet

While his attention was distracted, one year after year goes by without an attempt of the women placed his old hat conveni- at exterminating the gang. ently at hand, having the new one put Six years ago the Adams woman was into a box, and the unconscious victim exceptionally handsome. Dissipation has picked it up, put it on, surveyed himself dimined her beauty, but she is by no means complacently in the mirror and then turned and deliberately said, "Well, I her to take from the inside pocket of her think I have waited long enough for you victim's walstcoat his pocketbook, remov femininity awakened in William the degirls." Oh, you all know the tone. There the contents and replace the same without termination to take advantage of her is no need to explain further.-New York Cor. Chicago Herald. York Cor. Chicago Herald.

Good Deed of a College Senior Class.

The senior class of the Bowdoin college at a class meeting held Monday afternoon did a very philanthropic act. Mr. Hinkley, in an address to the students Sunday, urged the outgoing classes to were footsteps behind him. His repressed raise a fund for the purpose of aiding fears controlled his tongue, upon which some poor but ambitious boy to get a cola proposal of marriage hung suspended, although Mary pressed closer to his side legiate education. The class of 1893, acting upon his suggestion, have voted to of the rope were found to be deliberately raise the sum of \$150 annually for four cut in two places, and it was stated that years for this purpose. Some bright if the rope had parted the consequence As for the thoughts that were passing young boy will be chosen from the Good Will farm, East Fairfield, and given the loss of life. As it was the entire work sum of \$600 to help him through college. Of course it is expected that he will enter Bowdoin. This is an entirely new move on the sation of work was the sole motive of

part of classes there, but it is hoped that it will meet with approval and that succeeding classes will follow their example. —Portland (Me.) Argns. doned in the horrible place if she had re--Portland (Me.) Argus.

bitters.

Cheaper Than a Trip South.

In Sumter county the other night, at The clear juice, without sugar, of half a negro prayer meeting, an old man a lemon every morning for a week just named Arthur Croom was called upon now, when the system is more or less to pray. He knelt down with the condeclare himself and ask for her hand, but clogged from the winter's feeding, is, ac- gregation to pray, but failed to respond at that critical moment the disturbed cording to an authority, equal to a trip to the invitation, and another brother eyes of both were drawn to the cemetery south or a whole bottle of debilitating was called on. After prayer all arose but Arthur Croom. He was dead .suddenly stopped in a palsy of fear. And Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder. Alabama Cor. Richmond Times.

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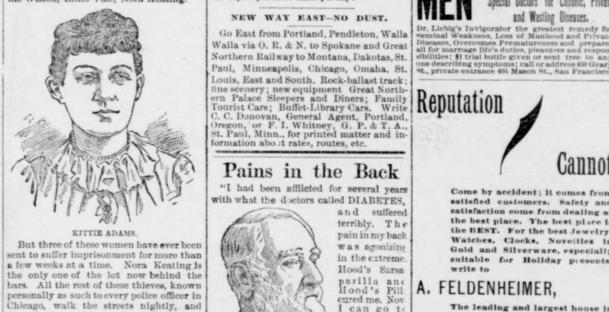
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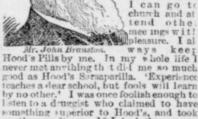
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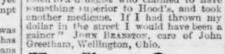
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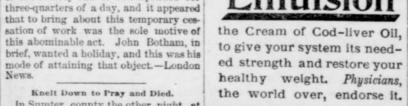


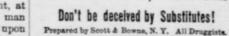






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