Editor Has Cold Bedfellow

We fell asleep in a chair at Grand Junction last Wednesday night on our way home from Memphis, and let our train leave us, says an eastern exchange. The hotel clerk told us to go upstairs and take the room on the right of the hall with the lamp burning low. He said he was crowded and we would have to double up with a man. We went up and pulled off our things and went to bed without waking our bedfellow, who was sleeping sound with the sheet over his head to keep off the muskeeters.

Before we fell into the arms of Morpheus we seen a young lady and a young gentleman come in and set down by the winder. At first they talked so low we couldn't hear what they sed. Finally, we heard the little miss say, "Wallie, ain't you ashamed to try to kiss me right here where we are setting up with a dead person?" We felt curious. We slowly reached over and touched the nose of the man we was in bed with, and seen at a glance that he was dead alright. We riz up instantly, and it was a race to a finish 'twixt us three fer the bottom of the steps. It is useless to say we wus fust past the post by two lengths. We didn't skeer that couple any wuser than the corpse skeered us.

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The following are cash prices quoted on Thursday of each week by our dealers:

Flour, per sack	1 30
Bran, per ton	29 00
Middlings, per ton	34 00
Chop, wheat, per ton	32 00
Chop, oats, per ton	31 50
Butter, (Country) per roll	50
Butter Fat (net)	27
Eggs, case count, per dozen	23
Hens, per pound	11 to 12½
Geese, per pound	09
Turkeys, per pound	16
Ducks, per pound Pekin	10
Ducks, Indian Runner	9
Pork, dressed	11
Pork, live weight	8.75
Veal, per pound, for shipping	9½

Just the Thing for Diarrhoea

"About two years ago I had a severe attack of diarrhoea which lasted over a week," writes W C Jones, Buford, N D. "I became so weak I could not stand upright. A druggist recommended Chamberlains colic cholera and diarrhoea remedy. The first dose relieved me and within two days I was as well as ever." Many druggists recommend this remedy because they know that it is reliable. Obtainable everywhere.

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Wood wanted on subscription at this office.

A PHANTOM BATTLE.

Midnight Conflict In the Sky Seen by Dutch Soldiers In 1515.

There are old men and women still living who tell wonderful tales of the "signs and portents" that were seen in the heavens just before the outbreak of our own war between the states and again just before the end of the conflict.

There were the two blood-red clouds which came together in the southern heaven the night before Lincoln was nominated, which the scientists explained by the arbitrary assumption that the color was the reflection of some distant fire, and there were the clasped hands across the face of the moon in April, 1865.

But these heavenly symbols are trivial when compared with the "phantom battle" that was witnessed by five soldiers of the guard at Utrecht in the early part of 1515.

The men had not been drinking, and when they were interviewed separately they all told essentially the same story. That which they saw in the midnight heavens was a great battle between an army advancing from the north, and one rushing from out upon it from the south. At first the northern hosts were beaten back, but they rallied and pursued their victors, overtaking them and putting them to rout. Then the panorama faded, leaving only a bloody sky, which was later swallowed in the black of the heavens.

The following year the Netherlands passed to the control of Spain, and for more than a century the struggle for freedom lasted. At the beginning the northern army was certainly beaten, but in 1648 the independence of the Dutch republic was recognized. Meanwhile William of Orange had crossed swords with the Duke of Alva, and a more sanguinary conflict even than that in the sky took place.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

The Crossbow.

As a weapon of war the crossbow lasted on in Europe all through the middle ages. Even so late as the Napoleonic invasion of Russia it was in use by the Cossacks. The crossbow was a most formidable instrument of destruction, comparing most favorably with the old fashioned musket. It was with the bow that the English won their celebrated victory over the French in the Hundred Years' war. Its timber shafts often pierced the armor of the "mailed chivalry" and made the British yeoman more than a match for the French knight.

The Larger Shave.

Shaving is a much more comprehensive business with the Japanese than with us. Jukichi Inouye in his "Home Life In Tokyo" says that "Japanese barbers shave not only the lips, cheeks and chin and the borders of the hair, but they also pass their razors over the whole face, not sparing the forehead, the eyelids between the eyelashes and the eyebrows, the cheek bones, the nose and the ear lobes, and unless their victim objects they will insert a small narrow razor into his nostrils and ears and twirl it rapidly round with great dexterity."

The Bow on the Hat.

In the old days when men were much in the open air and hats were an expensive article of attire, they used to tie a cord round the crown and let the ends fall on the left side so that it could be grasped if a gust threatened to carry off their headgear. The reason the cords fell on the left side was that the left hand was more often free than the right hand. Later on the ends came to be tied in a bow, and later still they became useless, but the bow has remained, and it will probably remain till the event of the next deluge.

The Most Important Thing.

Commander Peary, at one of the numerous Washington dinners following his triumphant return from the pole, got the better of a senator in a war of wits.

"What is the good of your discovery?" the senator said. "I'll wager that you didn't find a single important thing at the north pole."

"Oh, yes, I did," said the explorer. "I found one very, very important thing."

"Humph! What was that?" the senator grumbled.

"The way back home again," was the reply.

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