A Nightmare.

In the swaling swirl of the soughful wind, as the gust goes gloori g by, I sit by the bole of a bournful birch, with a moan and a soulful sigh; the mellowing mists of the eve are low, and the frog in the dankful marsh chirps chirpingly and in the ghoulsome gloom, in a swivering voice and harsh:

O, where is the swing of the swoonful swish, And the voice of the flim flam fowl? Methinks it means from the murky mold, From the home of the hootful owl.

Now swivel me swift from the surging spring. I'm weary of wold and wind: the grewsome graik of the jabberwock comes jimmering to my mind; the feeble song of the spotsome frog comes solumnwise, sough ing slow, and again I hear by the bournful birch the vail of his wimpled weer:

O, where is the swing of the swoonful swish.

From the land of the springful sprole?

Must the blue nusts blur on the tinker's drale, And freight with their fraught my soul?

I dreamed, I dreamed of Amelie Rives, in the dim of the danksome dark, and methought I rode on a mounful main, in the prow of a pullful back; I wrought a rhyme as I roamed along, in the stream of the starful gloat; I awoke at dawn in the dimpled day, and above is the rhyme I wrote. - Lincoln Journal.

Search for Old Watches.

There are a great many funny things attending the rise of the "Jenkinses." I mean those people who have advanced in material wealth without adding a whit to their literary or social position. They are bragging of an ancestry they never had, and are at a loss to establish themselves as members of the old families. Just now there is a search for old gold watches, which will be paraded as family heirlooms, handed down by this or that distinguished Roundhead, or Mayflower pilgrim. The old Johnson watches, made on Church street, Liverpool, are among those most eagerly sought by the man who wants to trade money for lineage. Few of them are left, and in Baltimore an especial market has been established, and large sums are paid for them. Money is a great deal plentier than blue blood, and the exchange is willingly made by those who have lately acquired the shekels.—Watchmaker in Globe-Democrat.

The Pig Headed Passenger.

A correspondent wants to know why railway companies do not arrange to have all passengers go out at the front end and enter at the rear end of a car. He doesn't know the perversity of the average passenger, or he wouldn't ask this question. If a railway company should try to en-force such a rule it would meet with the pig headed opposition of nearly half the passengers in every car. Americans, in-dividually, are a bright people, but in a crowd they act as though they were not. -New York Tribune.

The Gothic Alphab t Going. Those who are obliged frequently to refer to German books are especially interested in the movement to introduce the Roman in place of the Gothic alpha Bet. Since 1856 the society which is agi-tating this matter has nearly doubled in numbers. On its lists are now over 4,436 names, including members of all professions, teachers, physicians, booksellers and merchants. In 1886, out of 6,913 books on artistic, scientific, mercantile and industrial subjects, 5,316 were printed with the Roman letters .- Science.

Doctors and Population.

In England the proper ratio of doctors to population is said to be one to 1,200, but by this rule there are 1,943 too many doctors in London, and while 600 die every year, 1,800 new ones are turned out. Competition is so great that in some parts of the city doctors will see a patient, prescribe and supply medicine for six-pence a visit.—New York Sun.

Owing to Circumstances.

A man "stops" at a hotel when he lodges for one night; he "stays" when he is well fixed; he "puts up" when he is given a sky purlor; he is a "guest of the when he does not pay.-New Orleans Times.

Wa ermelon Molasses,

A negro farmer in Dougherty county, Ga., has succeeded in making excellent symp from watermelons, and thus a new use is devised for the surplus crop.—Chi cago Herald.

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The floor is stained brown and a couple of India rugs half cover it. The furniture, while sparse, is substantial and every piece served a purpose. For instance, the three chairs are large, easy and luxurious; the Turkish couch, also cotton covered, is provided with a dull red pillow and a silver plush and leopard skin slumber robe that would stand any amount of rough usage for ten years at least. On an Oriental coffee table the smoker's articles were displayed and near by stood a blackened iron crane with a kettle on the hook. The only attempt at decoration was a small bamboo cabinet stained with walnut juice and containing a sugar basin, water bottle, can of alcohol and a couple of glasses and spoons. The writing stand on the center table was the size of a platter such as a turkey is served from, and the glue pot and ink bottles had the capacity of a pint measure.

The only books on the table were a dictionary and messengers' tariff guide. There was no cloth on the tables, no tidies on the chairs and no bric-a-brac to be broken or dusted. Stained glass panels filled the upper windows and delicate silk sash curtains the lower lights. The appointment of a den of this sort is worth about \$200, and is referred to as a hole in the wall where a bothered and tired man may escape the horrors of housecleaning, neighborly calls, piano solos, elecution and baby talk.—New York Letter.

Total Depravity of Youth.

A lad of 8 going into the police station the other night told a pitiable story, saying that his father so abused him that he had run away from his home in Rome. N. Y. The police pitied him, and after giving him a supper tucked him away comfortably in a bed. The next morning a man who lived only a few doors from the station wandered in and inquired for his son. He was told that only one child was there, a poor little fellow from New York state, who had been badly treated at home. He naturally felt for the child, and expressing a desire to see him he was escorted to the bed, when he recognized the sleeper as his missing son.

He angrily demanded an explanation Jakey forgot all about the cruel Rome father and trembled in anticipation of the reception awaiting him at home. When Sergeant Logan heard that he had been wasting pity and good victuals on the lad he felt a trifle queer, and did not regain his composure until the patter of a shingle accompanied by suppressed sobs and yells floated out of a house near by and fell like music on his ear.-Pittsburg Commercial Gazette.

He Wasn't Saying a Word.

The following correspondence was opened by a dispatch from a small town ten miles down the river from Akron, O.: New Portage, O., Aug 2.—Chief of Police. Akron, O. Unknown floater taken from river here today At morgue awaiting identification BOTZUM, Marshal

Arron, O. Aug 2 -- Marshal Botzum, New Pertage, O. Wire very briefly most character istic marks for identification KENDIG, Chief of Police

New Postage, O., Aug. 2. - Chief Kendig, Akron. Wore complete suit, excepting hat.

Borzen, Marshat.

Aggon, O., Aug. 2.—Marshal Botzam, New Portage, O., Was he also deaf and diemb? KENDIO, Chist. New Pourage, O., Aug. 2.—Chief Kendlg, Akton. He did not say BOTZUM, Marshel.

[Collect.]

-Chicago Times.

Against the Chinese.

Chief of Police Crowley, of San Francisco, who has been at the head of the police department for eighteen years. has filed a strong indictment against the Chinese of that city He says the Chinese there commit more crimes against the law in proportion to their number than any race or community, and the detection of the perpetrators of such crimes is more difficult than the detection of criminals of any other class, because Chinamen refuse to disclose the identity of their criminals. They have no regard for the obligations of an oach. and are becoming more vicious and immoral year by year. The chief favors the removal of the Chinese quarter .-Exchange.

Those Fast Boats. Mr. Leonard Franklin-You cameover on one of the record breakers, dien't

you? Mr. Thomas White-Yes, sir; seven days after we left Queenstown I was in my house in New York.

Mr. Leonard Franklin-Seven days! I thought you made the trip in less than

Mr. Thomas White-I'm counting the time I waited on the dock for my bag-

A Sociable Tramp. When Mrs. William Hall, of Greenfield, was doing her in ming work the other day she found that a tramp had slept on her best bed through the night without troubling to take off his boots. and had stolen a ring and a few trinkets before leaving. How he got into the house is not known, but it is thought he went in before the house was locked up in the evening.-Cor. Springfield Repub

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