Strength for To-Day.

Strength for to-day is all that we need As there never will be a to-morrow: For to-morrow will prove but another to-day, With its measure of joy and sorrow.

Then why forcast the trials of life, With such sad and grave persistence; And watch and wait for a crowd of ills That as yet have no existence?

Strength for to-day-what a precious boon For the earnest souls who labor! For the willing hands that minister To the needy friend or neighbor,

Strength for to-day—that the weary hearts
In the battle for right may quail not;
And the eyes bedimmed with bitter tears In their seach for light may fail not.

Strength for to-day on the down.hill track, For the travellers near the valley:

That up, far up on the other side

Ere long they may safely rally.

Strength for to-day, that our precious youth May happily shun temptation, And build from the rise to the set of the sun On a strong and sure foundation.

Strength for to-day, in a house and home To practice forbearance sweetly; To scatter kind words and loving deeds, Still trusting in God completely.

Strength for to-day is all that we need, As there never will be a to-morrow; For to-morrow will prove but antoher to-day With its measure of joy and sorrow.

## Diterature.

## SAVED BY STRATEGEM

er Currie, English commissioner at the up-country station at Hutta-bagh, in Norinfantry. While the party were quietly to the front of the veranda.

soldiers, swaggering along the road, had tected Ismail. come into violent contact with a native boy who was running past; and one of them, enraged at the collision, had felled the poor lad to the ground, and was un- without least chance of suspicion! Why, clasping his own belt, with the evident intention of beating him unmercifully. "Serve the young whelp right," shouted the colonel, rubbing his hands; that's

just what they all want " The other officer, Major Armstrongpopularly called Major Strongarm-was a the ground twelve feet below, to dart across the garden, to vault over the high stockade beyond, was the work of a moother instant he had raised the fallen boy tenderly from the ground, while saying to the foremost soldier, in the low, compressed tone of a man who means what he says:

"Be off with you!" "And who the deuce are you, shoving yer nose in where you ain't wanted?' roared the infuriated ruffian, to whose eyes the major's plain evening dress bore

The sentence was never finished. At the sound of that last insolent defiance. Armstrong's sorely tried patience gave way altogether, and the strong right hand take their attention from him." which had hewed its way through a whole squadron of Sikh cavalry fell like a sledge hammer upon his opponent's face, were left who kept up an unceasing firing. goods by rubbing them with the yolk of don, says fencin' is healthy exercise for dashing him to the ground as if he had striking the boat again and again. All at an egg before washing them. been blown from the mouth of a gun.

name, and no mistake." At the name of the dark river, keel upward. heels; and Armstrong, without even look-ing at his prostrate antagonist, proceeded old friend, we must just die hard, for warm bath with cold cloths on their heads. to examine the injuries of the boy. The there's no hope left." latter was sorely bruised in many places, The first few hours of the night passed nose instead of your mouth, especially on afraid you don't know your lesson very and the blood was trickling freely over quietly, and the exhausted defenders, ut-

I'll see that no one molests you again." Six months have come and gone, and Mr. Currie's hospitable house presents a very different spectacle. The pretty garden is trampled into dust and mire, and den is trampled into dust and mire and den into dust and mire and den into dust and mire and den into dust and the blood vessels are full and throbbing, may be relieved by indeed a wonderful influence in purify-door den in the darkness, the door den in the darkness are full and throbbing, may be relieved by indeed a wonderful influence in purify-door den in the darkness, the door den in the darkness are full and throbbing, may be relieved by indeed a wonderful influence in purify-door den in the darkness are full and throbbing. The darkness are full and throbbing are full and throbbing are full and thro thick among the fragments of the half through a loop-hole. "I hear them creep been demonstrated that when not so loopholed walls peer the muzzles of ready fiery arrow flying past." rifles, showing how steady the besieged "It's worse than that," said the major, less enemies whose dark, fierce faces and glittering weapons are visible amid the buckets to flood the thatch—there's not a half-ruined building and matted thickets moment to lose!" all around. The Sepoy mutiny of 1857 is "1'll go and see to it myself!" cried blazing sky high over Northern India, and Col. Ayres is blockaded in Hutta-Bagh, Col. Ayres is blockaded in Hutta-Bagh, already become fatally manifest. The Col. Ayres is blockaded in Hutta-Bagh, already become fatally manifest. The Col. Ayres is blockaded in Hutta-Bagh, already become fatally manifest. The Col. Ayres is blockaded in Hutta-Bagh, already become fatally manifest. The Col. Ayres is blockaded in Hutta-Bagh, already become fatally manifest. The Col. Ayres is blockaded in Hutta-Bagh, already become fatally manifest. The Col. Ayres is blockaded in Hutta-Bagh, already become fatally manifest. The Col. Ayres is blockaded in Hutta-Bagh, already become fatally manifest. The Col. Ayres is blockaded in Hutta-Bagh, already become fatally manifest. The Col. Ayres is blockaded in Hutta-Bagh, already become fatally manifest. The Col. Ayres is blockaded in Hutta-Bagh, already become fatally manifest. The Col. Ayres is blockaded in Hutta-Bagh, already become fatally manifest. The Col. Ayres is blockaded in Hutta-Bagh, already become fatally manifest. The Col. Ayres is blockaded in Hutta-Bagh, already become fatally manifest. The Col. Ayres is blockaded in Hutta-Bagh, already become fatally manifest. The Col. Ayres is blockaded in Hutta-Bagh, already become fatally manifest. The Col. Ayres is blockaded in Hutta-Bagh, already become fatally manifest. The Col. Ayres is blockaded in Hutta-Bagh, already become fatally manifest. The Col. Ayres is blockaded in Hutta-Bagh, already become fatally manifest. The Col. Ayres is blockaded in Hutta-Bagh, already become fatally manifest. The Col. Ayres is blockaded in Hutta-Bagh, already become fatally manifest. The Col. Ayres is blockaded in Hutta-Bagh, already become fatally manifest. The Col. Ayres is blockaded in Hutta-Bagh, already become fatally manifest. The Col. Ayres is blockaded in Hutta-Bagh, already become fatally manifest. The Col. Ayres is blockaded in Hutta-Bagh, already become fatally manifest. The Col. Ayres is blockaded in Hutta-Bagh, already become fatally man with a certainty of a hideous death for house was an old one, dry as tinder from himself and every man of the few who are the prolonged heat, and as fast as the

and cut our way through or die for it !" growled the old colonel, with a grim that was not her own. "I must not fall pity yez, an' so Oi do. Poor, sufferin' an medicine. Just think of it—you can smile on his iron face, for, with all his into their hands alive." harshness and injustice, Col. Ayres was "grit" to the backbone. "We musn't emng intently, for he thought-although say anything to them about it, though," he could scarcely believe his ears—that he added he, with a side glance at Mr. Cur. had suddenly caught a faint sound of disrie, who, standing in the further corner, it again, and this time there could be no gale, is engaged in her good old work, was anxiously watching the thin, worn doubt, for several of the others had caught face of his sleeping wife.

low startled them both, and the next moment Ismail (the "major's boy," as every terror and confusion visable among the one now called him) burst into the room, enemy showed that they, too, were at no with a glow of unwonted excitement on loss to guess its meaning. Then high his dark face.

"Sahib!" cried he, "there is hope for broke a charging line of glittering bayous yet? A detachment of English are nets and ruddy English faces, sweeping coming up on the other bank of the river, away the cowardly murderers as the sun if we can send word to them as they pass, chases the morning mist.

we are saved !"

"I heard the Sepoys say so while I was tween himself and the Sepoys, that they lying hid among the bushes yonder," an-

swered the lad. "Among the bushes yonder?" roared the colonel, facing around. "Have you really been in the midst of those cut throat villains listening to what they said.

What ever did you do that for ?" "I did it for Sahib Armstrong's sake," "I did it for Sahib Armstrong's sake," river really is? Its magnitude, its solemn replied the boy, proudly, "because he ity, the awful depth, the rushing waters, was good to me."

how can we communicate with them?" by nature, abashed by her grandeur, silenced by the exhibition of her powers. asked Mrs. Currie, who, awakened by the Imagine the scene. A yellow hued stream,

"I will carry them word myself."

veteran might well have shrink.

will slip out of the house, and make a dark, massive and irregular. dash into the enemy's lines, as if I were The light of day is dimmed, the place is deserting from you to them; and you full of loud, hoarse roars, the air is chilled, can tell your people to fire a shot or two and the river, lashed into foaming fury, steal away and slip across the river."

of blank cartridges from the marksmen stern rebuke.

and telling them it was our doing."

thern India, had gone out upon the ver- attacked them then, all would have been wind in darkened places, sink into insiganda with his wife and his two guests- over at one blow; but hour passed after nificance when compared to this of the Col. Ayres and Maj. Armstrong of the—th infantry. While the party were quietly hour, and there was no sign of an assault At length, as afternoon gave place to evening, a movement began to show itself conversing a sudden clamor of angry in the enemy's lines. Their curls of voices from the road below drew them all smoke, rising above the tree showed that the evening meal was in preparation, and gia.

The cause of the disturbance was visi- several figures, with pitchers in their That warm borax water will remove hands, were seen going towards the river, dandruff, ble at once. Two half-drunken English among whom the colonel's keen eye de-"By George!" cried the old soldier,

slapping his knees exultingly, "that boy's bitter butter. worth his weight in gold! There's his way down to the river right open to him, supper time will break up a cold, he's a born general—nothing less!" Every eye within the walls was now turned anxiously upon the distant group fearing to see at any moment some movement which would show that the trick was detected. How did Ismail mean to accomplish his purpose? Would he plunge boldly into the river without any disguise or had he some further strategem in prehuge, brawny, silent man, whose forte lay paration? No one could say. Suddenly, in acting rather than talking. To leap to as Ismail stooped to plunge his light wooden dipper into the water, it slipped from

his hands and went floating away down stream. A cry of dismay, a loud laugh from the Sepoys, and then the boy was vent morning headaches and lassitude. ment to the athletic major; and in an- seen running franctically along the bank, and trying in vain to clutch the vessel as it floated past. "What on earth is he up to?" grunted forted by frequent sponging off with soda the colonel, completely mystified.

> the reeds, and he's making right for it. Well done, my brave boy!' But at that moment a yell of rage from the Sepoys told that the trick was discov- salt water. ered. Luckily those on the bank had

would soon have been disposed of; but him alone. no token of his being an officer; "jist the alarm instantly brought up a crowd of like hall around the boat and its gallant "Let us fire a volley and make a show

of sallying out," said the colonel; it'll eggs froth rapidly. rattle of musketry did indeed recall most to the scalp of sage tea. of Ismail's assailants, but at least a dozen once the colonel dashed his glass to the

gusts of smoke he had seen the boat turn from the stove over them. rie from above. "You deserve your suddenly over, and go whirling away down "major" the other soldier took to his "There's an end of the poor lad," mut- it in tepid water and wash with it. heels; and Armstrong, without even look- tered the veteran, brokenly. "God bless

cept the sentries themselves, caught a After which cover with soft flannels. "You're a brave lad, and you'll make a which seemed to argue some movement and glycerine should be kept by those tain they were right, and lost no time in washing.

"They're coming," said Major Arm-

destroyed stockade. The windows of the ing forword, though I can't yet see them." treated they breed a host of fungous him into the mysteries of fractions. Said house are blocked up, and through the the colonel, suddenly. "It looked like a "What the deuce was that?" exclaimed germs which poison the milk.

garrison stands at bay against the count- in a low voice. "The rascals are shooting which a cup of strong coffee should be

Day was just breaking when two men one corner of the building, and a crushing wakes." held whispered counsels in one of the discharge was poured upon all who attempted to extinguish it, while the tri-

said Maj. Armstrong; "but even upon "It's all over with us, old fellow," said necessities of life. I have not had but cated mule and pistol to pay the same. half rations the food will be out in four the colonel, grasping his old comrade's hand; "but at least we have done our have done our characteristic and we have done our characteristic and the food will be out in four the colonel, grasping his old comrade's are so straitened that I have only had a

"And then we'll just go right at them, "Give me one of your pistols," whisper- times during the entire season." ed Mrs. Currie to her husband, in a voice

At that moment Major Armstrong was seen to start and bend forward as if listtant firing. In another instant he heard it likewise, and a gleam of hope once At that moment a loud cheer from be- more lighted up their haggard faces and bloodshot eyes. Louder and nearer came the welcome sound, while the sudden

above all the din rose the well known "Hurrah!" and through the smoke clouds

"That boy's worth his weight in gold," said Colonel Ayers, as a few hours later, "How do you know?" asked the major he listened to Ismail's account of how he had dived under the boat and kept it be-

might think him drowned.

The Grand Canon.

SIX THOUSAND FEET FROM THE LIGHT OF DAY. What words are to be used, unaided by pencil or brush, when one seeks to describe what the canon of the Colorado was good to me."

"But if the troops are beyond the river can not speak of them. Man is dwarfed

(madam) said the Hindoo boy, quietly; browed monsters glaring down upon you and upon the river. Look up again, and "But how can you possibly do it?" now gaze for 6,000 feet into the air toward cried Mr. Currie, thunderstruck by the the heavens, and you can still see roughconfident tone in which this mere child ened rocks, all outlined against the sky, spoke of a task from which the hardest over a mile in height away, throwing up pinnacles and towers, and domes and iso-

after me with blank cartridge, as I go. leaps madly along its course. Here are Then the Sepoys will receive me kindly, shadows that Rembrandt would have rink, is the latest new word added to and I'll tell them that you are all dying gloried in; here Dore might have copied the English language. of thirst, and that they need wait only nature and added to his fame. Here is the one day more to be sure of you, so that road to Dante's combre halls. One stands they won't care to make another attack. within the very bowels of the earth, with Then, when they have no suspicion, and all light and brightness lost to view. He had arrested. "I am afraid you are think I'm quite one of themselves, I'll sees the work of ages, the result of a trying to cell me," replied the prisoner. mighty power. The earth is cleft in twain; "But are you quite sure the Sepoys will it is as though a mountain, tall and strong, diphtheria with perfect success. I bebelieve you?" asked Major Armstrong, had been havled by some sharpened sword. Six thousand feet of stony depth! lieve it will cure diphtheria in every "They'll believe this, anyhow," replied Six thousand feet beneath the light of case, if used according to directions. the boy, deliberately making a deep gash day! There are no pleasant smiles of MRS. REUBEN BAKER, Riversdale. in his bare shoulder, and staining his nature to be seen. No flowers grow, no white frock with the blood, as he glided from the room, followed by the major.

shrubs appear, no birds are visable. Dark and a little curious that a few sticks and a little dirt will stop the water

The plan was soon explained to the men below, and a moment later Ismail's most uncouth shapes, and the river runs made for the purpose, but even solder dark figure was seen darting like an ar. out of blackness to us, and into darkness can't keep water out of a nail hole in row across the open space in front of the building, followed by a quick discharge with its prison, a wayward child held in at the loopholes. The sound of firing From the tops of the cliffs which form Vivian?" "No: she made the propodrew the attention of the Sepoys, several the Colorado's canon the river winding at sal before I had a chance to say any

height into the depths below. Drop a "I can scarcely see for the bushes," stone and the splash it would make upon immediately, and I accepted." said colonel Ayres; "but he seems to be striking the water could not be seen. showing them the wound on his shoulder Even the noise the river makes it not audible, and the stream seem to flow At that moment an exultant yell from noiselessly along its dark and rugged the enemy came pealing through the still course. Turning from gaze into the canon, air.

"That's the story of being short of water, for a guinea!" said the major; it was a very good idea of his. If it is a story of being short of and west, while in the distance are tall was a very good idea of his. If it only trees and rocks and bare brown hills. One delays their attack two days longer there and be time for help to arrive yet."

questions why the canon was made and be ciety," were the first words she said to how—whether worn by the river or form her husband. "What for?" Slowly and wearily the long hours of ed by volcanic action. But whatever the that fearful day wore on. The heat was cause, it is a strange freak of nature, Dinner was over at last, and Mr. Walt- so terrific that even the native soldiers of rivalling, with its grandeurs, all other the garrison could barely hold their own sights, inviting comparsions but challengagainst it, and the handful of Englishmen ing competition. All other canons of the

> Things worth Remembering. That a bag of hot sand relieves neural-

> That salt should be eaten with nuts to aid digestion.

That a hot strong lemonade taken at your position frequently. That rusty flatirons should be rubbed

over with beeswax and lard. That fried onions should be boiled firs in milk to be mild and odorless. That a little soda water will relieve sick only 35 cents. headache caused by indigestion.

That a cup of strong coffee will remove the odor of onions from the breath. That boiled cabbage is much sweeter when the water is changed in boiling. That tough meat is made tender by laying a few minutes in vinegar water. That well ventilated bedrooms will pre-That a cup of hot water drank before

"I see!" cried Major Armstrong tri- That mustard water is excellent for That consumptive night sweats may be the system. arrested by sponging the body nightly in

That one in a faint should be laid flat on left their pieces behind, or poor Ismail his back; then loosen his clothes and let have you got a rooster?" Miss Jinkes their armed comrades, whose bullets fell vinegar barrel. It sours easily and gives

That to beat the whites of eggs quickly adda pinch of salt. Salt cools, and cold bet I can bring one that can whip him." That the hair may be kept from falling But in this he was mistaken. The first out after illness by a frequent application

That white spots upon varnished furni-"Well done, major!" shouted Mr. Cur- floor with a frightful oath. Between two ture will disappear if you hold a hot plate That bran water is good for a rough last fall."

complexion, Put a handful in a rag, dip That teething children may be relieved

his swarthy face: but the little hero still opium. But a little after midnight, the That pulverized camphor and lard stirdid his best to stand erect, and to keep quick ears of the two veteran officers—the red to a salve is excellent for croup or frankly acknowledged; "but I know 2 00 P. M.—From Fredericton for St. John. down every sign of the pain which he only watchers in the whole garrison, ex- colds applied to the throat, chest and nose. my father. faint stirring in the surrounding thicket, That a mixture of rain water, cologne

soldier some day," said the major to him, on the part of the enemy. Listening in who are troubled with roughness of the in Hindoostanee. "Come with me, and tently for a few moments, they felt cer- skin. Apply to the face or hands after table Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure say awakening their men. The scanty stores That a nervous headache, when the anything they have ever used." It has

the bodies of men and horses are lying strong, straining his eyes into the gloom some minutes in boiling water as it has That milk pans should be immersed and all disorders of the system.

That warm mustard water should be given one who has accidentally swallowed given giv poison. This will cause vomiting, after "Why," said the teacher, "if your sunday morning.

The present distress in financial matters antly. is felt in all the walks of life. The other day an Irish woman visited one of the A rather singular incident occurred dericton, and at Gibson by branch line, for all who lacks the necessaries of life.

ed, the fire had already got a firm hold of ed dhrop av nothin' to dhrink for three the 'squire. The river was dragged, the sympathetically replied. "I know you squire fined him \$50 and costs for "No fear of the water running, short," umphant yells of the human tigers below told that they felt sure of their prey.

"I wow, and I, too, am deprived of even the

make a livin', but yerself, poyr crather,

That good old woman, Florence Nightin. cents. and at sixty-five is busting about as lively as ever to raise funds to provide assistance woman who tried to wean her husband for sick and wounded British soldiers in from the dramshop by employing her

cowld and whoite-livered world."



FUN, FACT AND FANCY.

Five Minutes Light Reading for Everybody.

Blind people cannot be carpenters,

"Listen, sahib," answered Ismail. "I lated peaks, chipped and scarred, and because they never saw. The best Cough Medicine we know of is Allen's Lung Balsam. See advt. "Rinkurating," meaning to skate in a

> "Come along with me and have a fine time," remarked a policeman to a man I have used Minard's Liniment for

It is a little curious that a few sticks

"Ah! George, did you propose to of whom ran forward to meet him. In their base is like a strand of gold. But it another instant he was in the midst of needs strong nerve to look from the great "She did? what did she say?" "She proposed that I leave the house

> "If a man wants to own the earth, what does woman want?" inquired Mr. Gray of his better half after a family matinee a few days ago. "Well, my

"You must join the cremation so-"I've bought such a lovely vase to hold your ashes. You have no idea how it will set off the mantelpiece."

Thirteen is an unlucky number. It is for this reason that when a shopkeeper halves a 25-cent piece he invariably gives you 12 cents. The shopkeeper is unselfish, and as somebody must run the risk of bad luck, he freely takes it him-

waiting for a job. "If I save me \$4,000 I must lay up \$200 a year for twenty years, or I can put away \$20 a year for Winter Arrangement '85 we have been appointed Agents Fredericton, May 18, 1883 That milk which stands too long makes two hundred years-now, which shall I

Johnson's Anodyne Liniment is richly That it rests you in sewing to change worth \$10 a bottle in certain cases. For instance, in cases of diphtheria, croup and asthma when the sufferer is almost dead for want of breath and something

"Your age?" asked the judge. 35 your honor, replied the woman. Judge -"But you were 35 the last time you ed at Moncton were here, three years ago." She-"And does your Honor think I'm the woman to say one thing one day and another thing another?"

When the blood is loaded with impumeals will relieve nauseau and dyspepsia. rities, and moves sluggishly in the veins, That a fever patient is cooled and coman alternative is needed, as this condition of the vital fluid cannot last long without serious results. There is nothumphantly, "there's a boat yonder among cleansing the hands after handling odorous ing better than Ayer's Sarsaparilla to purify the blood, and impart energy to

Little boy to lady teacher during a Sunday-school lesson: "Miss Jinkes, "You must not ask such questions. That cold tea should be saved for your There are several roosters at our house.' Boy: "Well, you bring one of 'em down back of the fair grounds and I'll "I see," remarked farmer Hoedown

at Hackensack, to his wife the other day as he was reading his morning That you can take out spots from wash paper, "that Professor Foilem of Longirls. Now that's just what I told Mil indy and Mary Jane when we was a layin' that thousand rod worm fence Commencing

"Now, Johnnie," said the teacher, "if your father borrows \$100 and promises to pay \$10 a week, how much will he owe in seven weeks?" "One solution, woodstock, and all points North and mises to pay \$10 a week, how much will he owe in seven weeks?" "One That you should breath through your hundred dollars," said Johnnie. "I'm 3 30 P. M.—From Water Street, St. John—Exnot know my lesson very well." Johnnie

Mr. George Tolen, Druggist, Graven- 7 20 A. M.- From Gibson, for Woodstock and hurst, Ont., writes: "My customers who have used Northrop & Lyman's Vegethat it has done them more good than

Tim's teacher was trying to initiate 11 50 A. M., at Fredericton from St. John. she: "If a thing is divided into eight mamma were to cut a pie into eight A train arrives at St. John from the West pieces what part would your piece be?" West Sunday night. "The smallest !" shouted Tim triumphon Sunday nights."

"Plaze, mum, I am a sooferin', me the rider, a negro, fell off and was will have to remain over at Grand Falls until still true to him, unless help come speed; flames were quenched in one place they broke out in another. When day dawnily.

will have to remain a solderin, me hoosband was kilt intoirely wid ther railbroke out in another. When day dawnand the contract of the flames were quenched in one place they broke out in another. When day dawnand the contract of the flames were quenched in one place they broke out in another. When day dawnand the contract of the flames were quenched in one place they broke out in another. When day dawnand the contract of the flames were quenched in one place they broke out in another. When day dawnand the contract of the flames were quenched in one place they broke out in another. When day dawnand the contract of the flames were quenched in one place they broke out in another. When day dawnand the contract of the flames were quenched in one place they broke out in another. When day dawnand the contract of the flames were quenched in one place they broke out in another. When day dawnand the contract of the flames were quenched in one place they broke out in another. When day dawnand the contract of the flames were quenched in one place they broke out in another. When day dawnand the contract of the flames were quenched in one place they broke out in another. When day dawnand the contract of the flames were quenched in one place they broke out in another. When day dawnand the contract of the flames were quenched in one place they broke out in another. When day dawnand the contract of the flames were quenched in one place they broke out in another. When day dawnand the contract of the flames were quenched in one place they broke out in another the contract of the flames were quenched in one place they broke out in another the contract of th road last summer, an' Oi haint had a bliss- shore and was taken possession of by N. T. GREATHEAD, negro's body found and on it a pistol. St. John, N. B., October 18, 1884 "Poor woman!" the lady of the house He had been dead three days but the now, and I, too, am deprived of even the carrying concealed weapons, and confis-

Mr. Peter Vermett, Hochelaga, P. C. chance to wear it to the theatre eight writes : Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil cured me of Rheumatism after I tried many "Och, begoria!" cried the beggar. "Oi medicines to no purpose. It is a good gel, here is a half a dollar to go to the relieve the twinges of rheumatism, or show this blissed noight. Oi kin wash an' the most painful attack of neuralgiahas to depind upon the charities av a you can check a cough, and heal bruised or broken skin, with a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, costing only 25

> A story is told of a shrewish Scotchbrother to act the part of a ghost, and frighten John on his way home. "Who are you?" said the guid man, as the apparition rose before him from behind a bush. "I am Auld Nick," was the reply. "Come awa', man," said John, nothing daunted. "Gie's a shake o your hand I am married tae a sister o

The pronunciation of "either" and 'neither" has been a bone of contention among the would-be purists for some time. Two drummers were disputing this question very hotly one night on the smoking car of the N. B. Railway. One insisted that "ither" and "nither" Elegant Gold suits of Jewellery, Fine Gold werec orrect. They argued pro and con, without either one being convinced, and finally agreed to leave it to the man in the next seat. They woke him up and stated the case. "Now, then, which is SILVERWARE right," asked one of the drummers, "nither or neither?" "Nayther," responded the Irishman.

A Plant of Rare Virtues. Is the common and well-known Burdock. It is one of the best blood puri-"They may not pass near enough to hear the firing, and we have no means of sending them word.' They may not pass near enough to hear the firing, and we have no means of sending them word.' This powder never varies. A marvel of purity strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and eannot be solid in competition with the multitude of low test, and rocks look angrily down; gaze up another thousand feet, another, and there are the same dark.

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## WARREN LELAND,

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of America, says that while a passenger from New York on board a ship going around Cape Horn, in the early days of emigration to California, he learned that one of the officers of

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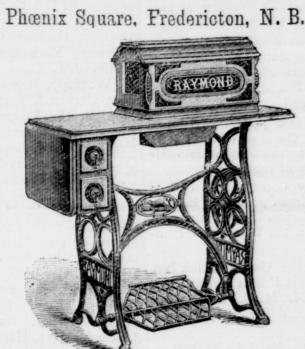
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