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of an old

VOLUME I.

ist the simple prayers to God ascending

oft their silvery pinion float above you,

trifles make the poor brain dizzy,

many errands call you to and fro.

our hours pass, unheeded all the glories

No time to spare for poetry or art.

But only time for training little fingers,

id teaching youthful spirits to be true;

ith art alone to fill her, watching you.

he artist's visions, rich with dazzling cha

eet are the troubles of the happy hours,

or even in weariness your soul is blest,

nd rich contentment all your being dowers

That yours is not a hushed and empty nest

TYRAWLEY.

play cricket, and dress himself.

look at them.

cannot be more than two-and-thirty.

gray eyes and black hair. And the nicest

critic of feminine appearance might be

efore starting on this expedition, he

at anything except her face.

possibly impugn.

-Margaret E. Sangster.

et, I think you'd rather keep the babies,

You know not with what tamine wor

is tangled and its cross-roads meet

in two hund other's Work. was evident t woman o'er your children bendin under their ve leave a good-night kiss on rosy lips,-'Is there no cation with he

coastguard man. Tre slumber veil them in its soft eclipse, 'Why, ye see, sir, we have sent to Bilford tor Manby's rockets, but she , do you dream that seraphs love you metimes smooth the pathway for you must break up before they come. 'How far is it to Bilford?

'Better than seven mile, your honor. 'If we could get a rope to them, we might save the crew. 'Everyone of them, your honor; but

d tired, the whole long day so busy, it ain't possible.' h or weep, at thes you hardly know, 'I think a man might swim out.' 'The first wave would dash him to

pieces against the cliff. all garments stitching, weaving fairy stories 'What depth of water below?' and binding wounds, and bearing little cares, 'The cliff goes down like a wall, forty

fathom, at least. 'The deeper the better. What dis-Of that great world beyond the nursery tance to the water? 'Good fifty feet.'

*Well, I have dived off the main yard hoolmate's pen has written words of the Chesapeake. Now listen to me. Have you got some light, strong rope?'
'As much as you like.' Her poems sing themselves into the heart; Another's brush has magic; you have duty;

chest, and do you take care to pay it out think, 'said he hesitating, 'that he fast enough as I draw upon it,' "You won't draw much after the first plunge; it will be the same thing as olunge; it will be the same thing as which the captain joined; but it is to be well, we shall see. There's no time feared that Miss Constance stamped her suicide, every bit.

to lose; lend me a knife. And in an instant he whipped off hi hat, boots and pea-jacket; then with the Miss Mellish, who was sitting on his eit their heads grow heavy on your arm. knife he cut off its sleeves and passed right. have the poet's fair, enchanted may-bes, the rope through them, that it might

> The eyes of the old boatman brightened. There was evidently a method in his madness. 'You are a very good swimmer, I suppose, sir?'
> 'I have dived through the surf at

Nukuheva a few times. 'I never knew a white man that could

Tyrawley smiled. 'But whatever you do,' he said, 'mind and let' me have plenty of rope. Now out of the way, my friends, and let me have a clean start.'

He walked slowly to the edge of the A large party is assembled to celebrate cliff, looked over to see how much the the feast of St. Partridge at Ravelstoke rock shelved outward; then returned Hall, an old country house about two looked to see that there was plenty of miles distant from the northwest corner rope for him to carry out, then took a of Devon. The various branches of Eng- short run, and leaped as if from the lish society are very fairly represented by spring-board of a plunging-bath. He its component parts. There are two touched the water full five-and-twenty peers, three members of the lower house, feet from the edge of the cliff. Down some guardsmen, some undergraduates, into its dark depth he went, like a pluma clergyman, and a lieutenant in the met, but soon to rise again. As he navy. But our hero is not a representa- reached the surface he saw the crest of tive man; yet he belongs to a class which, a mighty wave a few yards in front called into existence by the accumulated him-the wave that he has been tole wealth of the nineteenth century, is ever was to dash him lifeless against the cliff. But now his old experience of the Frederick Tyrawley has fought in Pacific stands him in good stead. For more than one state of South America, two moments he draws breath, then, ere and has wandered for more than two it reaches him he dives below its center. years from isle to isle of the Pacific. A | The water dashes against the cliffs, but invsterious reputation hovers round him. the swimmer rises far beyond it. A He is supposed to have done many things, faint cheer rises from the shore as they but no one is very clear what they are; feel him draw upon the rope. The and it is not likely that much informa- waves follow in succession, and he dives tion on the point will be obtained from again and again, rising like an otter to him, for he seldom talks much, and take breath, making very steadily onnever speaks of himself. His present ward, though more below the water than mission appears to be to kill partridges, above it.

We must now turn to the ship. The Such as he is, however, he is an object waves have made a clean breach over of interest to the feminine portion of the her bows. The crew are crowded party at Ravelstoke Hall; for he is rich upon the stern. They hold on to the and handsome, as well as mysterious, and | bulwarks and await the end, for no boat can live in such a sea. Suddenly she is There are blondes and brunettes, and hailed from the water. "Ship, ahoy! pretty, brown-haired, brown-eyed girls, shouts a loud, clear voice, which makes who hover between the two orders, and itself heard above the storm. "Throw combine the most dangerous character- me a rope or a buoy!" The life-buoy istics of both, who can wear both blue was still hanging in its accustomed and pink, and who look prettier in the place by the mainmast. The captain one color than they do in the other; but almost mechanically takes it down, and who always command your suffrage in with well-directed aim throws it within favor of that they are wearing when you a yard or two of the swimmer. In a moment it is under his arms, and in half And there is Constance Baynton, with

a minute he is on board. "Come on board, sir?" he says to the captain, pulling one of his wet curls prodefied to state what she had worn, half fessionally. The captain appeared to be an hour after; for no one can ever look regarding him as a visitor from the lower world; so, turning to the crew, he lifted up the rope he had brought from Yet Constance is three-and-twenty, and still unmarried. Alas, what cowards the shore. Then for the first time the men are. The fact is that Constance is object of his mission flashed upon their very clever; but as Mrs. Mellish (the minds, and a desperate cheer broke forth from all hands, instantly re-echoed from widow) says, 'not clever enough to believe. She stated as her opinion to her | board; then a second, and the communi- | cooks. Footman, butler, housekeeper friends, that she didn't believe he ever cation is complete. But no time is to be coachman and grooms were all cooks. corn would be scattered on the ground in had done or ever would do anything lost, for the stern shows signs of break- Among those more professionally so the pen, and the sows would slowly rise worth doing; but that he plumed himself on a cheap reputation, which, as all were While the captain is planning a sort of Sienna, and another from Viterbo, who conceivable attitudes they would yawn, ignorant of its foundation, no one could chair in which she might be moved, was employed for the special purpose of opening their long jaws much as an alli-There is reason to believe that in this steadies himself with the right by the "docce picante" of Florence. He had son indiscreetly coming to play in the stance Miss Constance was not as con- upper rope, and walks along the lower also a German cook for dressing the liv- river. Then, getting on their feet, they scientious as usual, but that she really as if he had been a dancer. He is the ers of turkeys, and the rest were all would slowly feed up and down the pen. entertained a higher opinion of the gen- first on shore, for no sailor would leave French. Mr. Rogerson had a messenger tleman than she chose to confess. He till the lady was safe. But they soon constantly traveling between Brittany begin to pick corn, and may be, in his certainly was not afraid of her, and had follow, and in five minutes the ship is and London to bring him the eggs of a

theory of the general worthlessness of her is left. sh gentlemen of the nineteenth The day lingered on, after the usual stoke has just arrived with blankets. tween his meals, and was wholly ab- would slowly feed toward the turkey, fashion of wet days in September in full Him Tyrawley avoids; and, thinking he sorbed in devising means to indulge his country-houses. There was a little can be of no further use, he betakes him- appetite. In the course of nine years he dancing after dinner: but all retired self across the country once more, and found his table dreadfully abridged by Slowly and cautiously she would draw early in hopes of a finer day on the mor- by the aid of the friendly elm regains his the ruin of his fortune, and he was vergchamber without observation.

so that it was past two before he thought | ited in a cottage, with a strong recom- ruined, a friend gave him a guinea to of going to bed. He always slept with mendation that she should go to sleep keep him from starving; but a short great jaws, a sudden jumping of the forehis window open, and as he threw up immediately, was soon carried off in time after he was found dressing and the sash, a fierce gust of wind blew out triumph by Mr. Ravelstoke to the Hall, ortolon for himself. A few days later he his candles, and blew down the looking- and welcomed by Lady Grace at half- died by his own hands. past three in the morning. There were 'Pleasant, by Jove!' he soliloquized. very few of the guests who slept undis-'I wonder whether it's smashed-un- turbed that night. The unusual noise lucky to break a looking-glass-I'm in the house aroused everybody, and hanged if I know where the matches are; many excursions were made in unfinnever mind; I can find my way to bed ished costume to endeavor to ascertain

in the dark. What a night!' as a flash what was going on. of lightning illuminated the room for a moment, and he bent out of the window. Breakfast that morning was a desultory meal. People finished and talked 'The wind must be about nor nor-west. about the wreck, and began again. It Cheerful for anything coming up to Bris- seemed quite impossible to obtain anytol from the southward. I wonder what thing like an accurate account of what rm is like on this coast. I have a had taken place. At last the captain apgreat mind to go and see. I shall never peared, and although almost over-be able to get that hall door open with- whelmed by the multiplicity of quesout waking the what a nuisance! tions, nevertheless, between the inter- creased by what it can take away from the ay, capital lea! I'll go by the vals of broiled ham and coffee, he man- wretchedness of others.

aged to elucidate matters a little.

Then came the question: 'Who is it red the renainder of his evening who swam to the vessel?' Tyrawley ss (for he had been writing in his had only been at Ravelstoke a few days. dressing-grown) for a flamel shirt and and was a stranger in the neighborhood. trousers, whilst a short pea-jacket and None of the servants had reached the glazed hat completed his array. His coast till it was all over, so there had room was on the first floor, and he had in- been no one to recognize him.

'I scarcely saw him,' said the captain, tended to drop fom the window-sill; but the branch of a elm came so near that | 'but he was a dark, tallish man, with a he found it unnecessary; as, springing to great deal of beard. it, he was on he ground, like a cat, in 'Was he a gent. 'Was he a gentleman?' asked Miss

an instant. He soon found his way across the country, like a bird,' to the ing a deep interest in the whole affair. 'Well, d'ye see, miss, I can't exactly of the eff. The sea for miles say, for he hadn't much on; but if he But a flash o lightning discovered a isn't, he'd make a good one—that I'll go roup of figure, about a quarter of a bail for. He's the coolest hand I ever distant; and he distinguished saw. Stay! now I think of it, I shouldn't shouts in the increase of the storm. | wonder if he was a naval man, for he He was soon amongst them, and he pulled his forelock, half-laughing like, found that all eyes were turned on a and said "Come"on board, sir," to me, vessel which halstruck on a rock with- when we pulled him up.

FREDERICTON, N. B., SATURDAY, APRIL 26, 1879.

At this moment-half-past ten A. M.-Mr. Tyrawley walked into the breakfast

'Now here's a gentleman, captain, Mr. Tyrawley, who has been all over the tures. I'll be bound he never saw any- the pig is more intelligent than any road, never faltering, but constantly horse-flesh, which can be procured at oneworld, and met with some strange adventhing to equal the affair last night.' 'You'd a nearish thing of it, captain?'

inquired Tyrawley, speaking very slow- ization. ly. His manner and appearance quite disarmed any suspicion the captain might have had of his identity.

'Five minutes more, sir, and Davy Jones' locker would have held us all. Begging your pardon, miss,' apologizing to Constance. The captain had already repeated the

story a reasonable number of times, and was anxious to finish his breakfast So Miss Constance gave it all for the benefit of Mr. Tyrawley, dressed in her own in my garden, eating lettuce and early glowing periods.

her recital, but took a third egg. 'Well, Mr. Tyrawley,' said she last, what do you think of the man who swam out to the wreck?"

ly hope he won't catch cold.'

pretty little foot under the table. Tyrawley turned, and began to talk to

left opened, and Lady Grace Ravelstoke entered with the lady passenger. The lady heard him speak-and there are some voices which a woman never forgets—and the dangerous journey over its side, and scrambled through. The razor-back sow. She will always eat other rope had not passed in silence. She laid her hand upon his arm, and

said. 'Oh, sir, how can I thank you?' Tyrawley rose, as in duty bound, saying, 'Do not speak of it. I did not know, when I came off, that I was to have the held in the jaws of a hundred-pound dog old; and any other sow in turn will eat of justice, honor and noble deeds will be pleasure of assisting you.' But the astonishment of the captain

was beautiful to behold. 'Why, you don't mean to say,-Well I never ;—dash my wig,—well I'm—Here, shake hands, sir, will you?' And he stretched across the table a brawny hand, not much smaller than a shoulder

The grip with which Tyrawley met his seemed to do more to convince him of his identity than the lady's recognition of their preserver. The day was as wet as the preceding.

Half an hour after breakfast, Mr. Tyrawley lounged into the back drawingroom. There sat Miss Constance Bayn ton, and, by the singular coincidence which favors lovers or historians, she sat

Now Constance had decided that she would compliment Mr. Tymwley on his gallant conduct.

She had, in fact, arranged a neat uiet, cold, formal, appropriate form of words, in which she would give her views expression And how do you think she delivered the said, Oh, Mr. Tyra

If a woman's pride is a shield to thee. oh man, as well as to her, against the arrows of love, remember that if ever she throws it away-after she has compelled you to acknowledge its value-you are both left utterly defenceless.

Frederick Tyrawley capitulated once. They are to be married this month. And if Mr. Tyrawley does not, at some future time, achieve a reputation which no mystery can cloud, it will not be Mrs. Tyrawley's fault.

An Epicure's Fate. Mr. Rogerson, the son of a gentleman of large fortune in England, after receivabroad to make the grand tour. In this many turkeys that way, and it was well head, and all the while swallowing, he drew short of 1,500 miles, a distance as great as ourney young Rogerson attended to nothing but the various modes of cook- not taste them any other way. The ery and the methods of eating and drink- razor-backs were turned into a large ing luxuriously. Before his return his father died, when he entered into the possession of a very large fortune. He was now able to look over his notes of epicurism and to discover where the most exthe shore. Then a strong cable is at- quisite dishes and best cooks were to be Tyrawley lifts her upon his left arm, dressing one particular dish only—the gator does his when he sees a young pereven dared to contradict her favorite clear; five minutes more and no trace of certain sort of plover near St. Malo, and give voice to a cheerful gobble or two. a single dinner, consisting of two dishes A long, lean, wiry sow would look at Ravelstoke Hall has been arous d by the news of the wreck, and Mr. Ravel-guineas. He counted the minutes be- with the pleasure of anticipation. She ing fast to poverty. When he had spent Tyrawley had some letters to write, The lady whom Tyrawley had depos- a fortune of \$750,000 and was totally

Words of Wisdom.

Cheerful ss is the daughter of employ-Wisdom prepares for the worst, but folly leaves the worst for the day when it comes. Harmony and good will toward men nust be the basis of every political estab-

In order to dispose our hearts in devotion, the active life is to be preferred to the

Great vices are the proper objects of ou detestation --- smaller faults of our pity; but affection appears to be the only true source

of the ridiculous...

The very heart and root of sin is an independent and selfish spirit. We erect th idol self, and not only wish others to wor ship it, but we worship it ourselves. Universal love is a glove without finger

which fits all hands alike, and none closel but true affection is like a glove with fingers, which fits one hand only, and fits close

city last year.

SOMETHING ABOUT PIGS.

of their Intelli-leanliness A Farmer's High Or I breed pigs on a large scale, and I boldly affirm from my experience that

and possessed of more delicate organ-I once bought thirty-six young pigs,

bly. Being a novice in the business of handling pigs, I thought this quietude was the result of their being well fed. What they were really doing was reflecting on their confinement, and devising a way to get out of their pen. At any rate, they got out. I searched for the missing thirty-six, and found them But with the help of all the men Tyrawley made no observation upon on the ranch I could not drive them back into the pen: they seemed to have forgotten where and how they got out. Around the pen they ran, but not one offered to get in. My men were yielding to exhaustion, and I was nearly wild with rage. Declaring that those pigs should go into their pen the same way they came out, I went to the house and loosened a huge half-blood Newfoundland dog that had an inform dislike for horseback, accompanied by my dog, I twelve public schools and one academy, hogs. "Put those pigs in their pen, and would gather them up by setting the costing \$21,000, with 400 pupils. The Semi-One rose flush on the early bluedon't you dare to bite one of them." Fred, the dog, looked first at me and the pond, swim to the log, plunge under of 180, for which they pay annually \$2,800. jump at one small specimen, took him the dog dared not follow. down. Standing over the prostrate pig, The courage of a sow with young in title of an organization which was founded As he was speaking, the door on his the dog growled savagely, and every now her nest is something wonderful. No and then he gave him a severe shaking. | wild animal that walks on Kansas soil When, by my command, the pig was re- can drive her from them. She will die leased it ran to a corner of the pen, leap- in defense of her pigs, and the wolf ed to the third board, turned slightly on doesn't live that can get the better of a would have scampered around that pen own. Her own she never eats. The for a week, and not one would have re- pigs of any other sow she considers letunnel under the fence and invade my certainty reign everywhere until the with wild grunts of alarm, they rushed friendly family relations are resumed. hole in the pen. Once, and only once, had a pig eaten by one of them. the big dog went over the fence to punish a small pig that had been uncommonly exasperating. The knowledge then and there absorbed by him lasted rest his forepaws op the fence, to look Toad takes off his Coat and Pants."

and said, by his looks, "I tried that way: once, and believe me, it was not well."

would like to be the owner of these old fellow, you have done it; but he aprazor-backs, so I returned with a couple of teams and bought twenty-two of them-long of snout, long of leg, roachbacked, long tailed, heavy in the shoulders, high in the withers, light and low in the ham. Not to enlarge on the troubles and vexations those pigs caused me before I got home, I will simply say that I lost all standing in my church from what was overheard on that jour-

But I got the pigs home.

My wife had raised some eighty tur-

keys, and countless chickens ranged around my stacks, sheds and barns. used to select and point out with the index finger the gobblers we would eat yard, containing about an acre, and the process of building up meat on their open bonework began. The still hunt the skill displayed. A wagon load of scribed: A turkey would hop over the fence and In 1821 his remains were removed to Westminste exceeding comfort, spread his tail and She would not hurt a near to the bird, and nearer yet, until she was within three or four feet of him. Suddenly a long, active body would be launched through the air; a snapping of feet on the body of the gobbler, a firm grip of the jaws on leg, wing or breast a quick, powerful, upward jerk, and the gobbler that erst strutted in my yard was being converted into pork. the fowl took to wing. The sow gathered

I once saw a sow miss a turkey, and herself for a run, and, jumping high in the air, snapped at the flying bird. The flying turkey would be horrified to see permanent institution; yet they are of every sow he passed over rise up in the comparatively recent origin. Our an-

is not a fowl on the place. formed a circle, with their heads out, and 'nature.

were bravely grunting defiance. The wolf was running around them, snapping his jaws and doing all in his power to frighten a faint-hearted pig out of the cir-

about my pigs after that. Once I built a pen for 100 stock hogs by a deep pond of water. I ran the fence out into the pond to where the water was five feet deep; then I took logs and, chaining them together, deaf and dumb asylum and seventy-four It is lite's best and fairest part, stretched them between the ends of the fence. This made a pen with a big pond. in it, and the pigs could not get out unless they dived under the logs. I was raised in the belief that a pig could not swim. The hogs were driven to the pen, put in, and, as I had self-feeding self that I was rid of the personal care of 14,260, have twenty-eight public schools and those hogs until butchering time. The two mission schools, with 1,200 pupils, costresult was that they became such expert ing \$23,000. The Choctaws, numbering Thou wilt recall this pause of rest, divers that they were never in the pen. 16,000, have fifty-five schools and one They would swim out to the logs and academy, costing \$29,000, with 1,200 pupils. dive under. If I went to the pen on The Chicksaws, numbering 5,800, have To each one dawning and one dew dog on them, make them all jump into noles have five schools, with an attendance then at the pigs, and making a quick it and swim ashore into their pen. There

Afterward the thirty-six pigs would with an evil eye. Distrust, doubt, uninto their quarters. Soon it became nec- It is strange, but I have never seen a every hog within hearing run for that ters" to the pure Berkshires—and I never July.

How a Toad Undresses.

the rest of his life. He was willing to paper an amusing description of "How a over, and bark at the occupants of the says he has seen one do it, and a friend has a youthful convict, and his story was told pen, but when urged to go over he sulked, seen another do the same thing in the sam by the warden. When a boy just out of

I had a big crop of corn and oats, and toad on a hill of melons, and not wanting family disowned him. Believing him in- to be held at Moscow next year. One at prices were very low. Not being in im- him to leave, I hoed around him; he ap- nocent, the story kindled her enthusiasm, the city of Mexico, and one in Australia. mediate need of money, I determined to peared sluggish and not inclined to move, and an introduction was followed by There are said to be 2,000,000 or 3,000,preed pigs enough to eat my crop. In Presently I observed him pressing his el- promises to correspond. This she did in 1000 people in France who eat no bread, the course of my shooting prairie chick- bows against his sides, and rubbing down- spite of the remonstrances of her family and subsisting on chestnuts and vegetables. ens, I one day strayed on horseback some ward. He appeared so singular that I friends, and before his term of imprisonforty miles from home, and coming watched to see what he was up to. After a ment expired she had engaged to marry the I in it a lot, of few smart rubs his skin began to burst open I start arous ins war. Ithw, said 21, peared to be unconcerned, and kept on rubbing until he had worked all his skin into folds on his sides and hips; then grasping rested the embezzler on another indictment. one hind leg with both his hands, he hauled off cne leg of his pants the same as anybody would, then stripped the other hind leg in the same way. He then took this cast- largest island in the world, but, according to off cuticle forward between his fore legs into the Popular Science Monthly, this is recidedly

The Andre Monument.

occupied but a short time.

of the sows also began-turkeys and land at Tappan, N. Y., where Major John with an average width of 320 miles, a chickens the game they stalked. Though | Andre was executed October 2, 1780, and is | country about the size of the Austrian em, I was on the point of losing my mind, as having prepared to be placed on the same a pire, and, with the exception of the course In Mr. Tyrawley she affected to distached to the small rope and drawn on procured. He had no servants but men I looked on I could not help admiring stone, on the front of which will be in-

Here died, October 2, 1730, Major JOHN ANDRE, of the British Army, who, entering the American lines on a secret mission to Benedict Arnold, for the surrender of West Point, vas taken prisoner, tried and condemned as a spy His death. though according to the stern code of war, moved even his enemies to pity,

and both armies mourned the fate of one so young and so brave. Abbey. A hundred years after his execution

tizen of the states against which he fough placed this stone above the spot where he lay : Not to perpetuate the record of strife, But in token of those better sentiments Which have since united two nations. One in race, in language, and in religi With the earnest hope that this friendly

Will never be broken. ur Penrhyn Stanley, Dean of Westminster. [On the back.] erum et mentem mortalia tangunt. - Virgil, Eneid 1, 462. neutral ground, fied as he had lived,

Devoted to the service of his country." I On the right side. "He was more unfortunate than criminal An accomplished man and gallant officer.'

He died universally esteemed and universally regretted."

Summer Vacations.

Summer vacations have now become

air toward him and vainly snap her jaws cestors never thought of traveling beat his dangling legs. The gobbler who | youd the limits of their city, village or had made an escape of this kind would native valley, except when driven by spend hours in standing around, medita- their affairs or their predatory instincts. ting on the hard times it would be for What lay beyond the familiar circle of turkeys if razor-backed sows had wings. their daily lives was foreign to them, The happiness of the tender heart is in- The upshot of this stalking of my fowls and rather to be shunned than sought. was that I lost all I had, and to-day there | The traveler by choice was looked upon | frontier. as bold and foolhardy. Men and women Once I had a couple of sows, each of lived in narrow groves of their own, which raised me nine pigs, I let the lit- and had no desire to emerge into a larger it yourself. tle ones run out (it was a grasshopper space. But times are changed. The year, and they could hurt nothing.) Kan-modern facilities for intercourse-and sas was considerably pestered with wolves | communication have greatly enlarged No man has come to true greatness who has not felt in some degree that his life belongs to his race, and that what God gives him for mankind.

Sas was considerably pestered with wolves that year, and neighbors predicting our world. In one sense enlarged, in another belittled, for while our experience, through personal travel, looks and the reports of friends, has begin the reports of friends. used to think they were bucky, until one distant near and interwoven it with the day, while shooting prairie chickens, I associations of daily life, it has drained saw a wolf dancing around in the grass | away the sources of mystery which fed | in a very peculiar man er. I watched the imagination of our ancestors, and him from a distance, but could not com- compensated the littleness of their actual prehend his behavior. Sc. I walked to-ward him, and, by taking at intage of a ravine, was able to get within forty yards of the beast. Lying down behind they conceived it, was flat to us, in a bunch of blue-joint grass, I looked on. another sease, it is still flatter. Still, taking up his paper the following morn. the bid for his life, she conse The coyote had found my eighteen pigs, our new way is an improvement upon ing, and seeing his fine effort utterly \$600 as blood money. The h Eighteen hundred girls under twenty then some four months old, and wanted the old, for man needs variety of thought ruined by the intelligent compositor his hold of his expected visit years of age were married in New York one for dinner. The pigs, objecting, had and action to perfect his in electual making it read, a "battle-scared sol- him over to his relative

TIMELY TOPICS.

The so-called "Horse Communities" o Russia flourish in all cities where there are cle. The compact ring of sturdy little universities. Most of the poorer students, black porkers slowly moved down the who are free from prejudices, live upon other beast, more courageous, cleaner keeping up their war grunt. As they fifth the price of beef. It is the custom of passed me at about twenty five yards, I such students to board in parties of from rebuked the coyote with an ounce of No. five to twenty, and hence the name of 10 bird shot. He suddenly lost interest "Horse Communities." So many Nihilists and put them in a pen. For the first few in pork, and retired to the hills to hunt have been found in these communities that days they behaved themselves admira- jack rabbits. I never had any anxiety the horse-meat eaters are liable to prosecution by the government.

The Cherokees, with a population of 19,000, support two seminaries, male and common schools, having in all 3,000 pupils.
They annually expend for purposes of education \$79,000. The seminaries and asylums are in brick buildings, with three stories and a basement, and are quite handsome and commodious. They were erected at a cost of \$40,000 each. The Creeks number

The "Loyal Sons of America" is the n 1871, and now lays claim to ten thousand members in different parts of the Union. The members are all American-born boys or young men between sixteen and twenty-six years of age, and their professed object is to join the American youths together "by the golden band of fidelity and love." To quote their constitution, "what we desire to do is vealed the place, if the sudden and over- gitimate food, and she will eat them up to organize in every town and city in the whelming fright resulting from being to the time that they are three weeks country a lodge where the strict principles had not made this one betray the secret. her pigs. The sows regard each other carried out, and prepare ourselves for any position of trust we shall be called upon to fill." They have a constitution and bygarden, but when the dog was called, pigs are quick and active. Then the laws, and "wigwams" in New York, Brooklyn, Boston and other large cities. The first wigwam was established at Medusa, near essary only to stand on the hill and yell, boar eat young pigs, and I have had all Coxsackie, and the association intends to "Fred, Fred! Pigs, pigs!" to make kinds-from the blooded "wind-split- hold a grand encampment the next 4th of

A case in which a romantic girl played an important part is narrated in the Mis-A gentleman sends to an agricultural souri papers. She, with other ladies, were visiting the penitentiary at Jefferson City He | when she was struck with the appearance of college he had become implicated in the About the middle of July I found a embezzlement of trust funds, for which his convict. The day he was to be liberated and both parties and the entrance, ing consummation of their fondest hopes when a horrid old unromantic officer ar-

It has hitherto been the custom of geographers to give the palm to Borneo as the his mouth and swallowed it; then, by rais- an error. "A careful estimate, founded on ing and lowering his head, swallowing as the most recent maps, shows that New his head came down, he stripped off the skin | Guinea is considerably the larger, and m underneath until it came to his fore legs, for the future be accorded the first place and then grasping one of these with the op- In shape this island differs greatly from posite hand, by considerable pulling stripped | Borneo, being irregular and much extended off the skin; changing hands, he stripped in a north-northwest and a south-southeast when cold weather came. We enjoyed the other, and by a slight motion of the direction, so that its greatest length is little we ate them in anticipation, for we did it from the neck and swallowed the whole the whole width of Australia from Ade-The operation seemed an agreeable one and laide to Port Darwin, or of Europe from Mr. Cyrus W. Field has purchased the the central mass is about 706 miles long

The Health of Printers.

In the course of a lecture on the "Effects of Occupations upon Health," recently delivered at Leipsic by Dr. Heubner, he drew attention to the frequency of lead-poisoning among typefounders, compositors and press men. In Leipsic itself, the great metropolis of the German book trade, seventy-seven per cent. of all who are thus affected belong to the trades enumerated. Typefounders are poisoned by inhaling the fumes of the metal, while compositors and pressmen inhale minute particles of the same material. Fraught with still greater danger is, how-ever, the frequent practice of compositors of br nging their type-stained hands in contact with their lips or keeping eatables in com-posing-rooms, etc. The great preventives against all such chronic poisoning are cleanliness, both of person and in the work-room. and ample ventilation by the frequent opening of windows, etc. As regards lung diseases, too, printers compare tavorably with most other trades, the proportion o deaths from this cause being exceptionall large. The one safeguard against th danger also is ventilation, which, as we al know, is sadly neglected in printing-office generally by reason of the almost universa

" Editorial Ediflers." A lawyer keeps his own counsel.

dread of draughts.

Not hard to take-Garden sauce. A pretty cornseat—A number Whoop skirts are much worn on the

Fair one, if you don't yant some fel- and led low to steal your heart you must steel A perpetual-motion watching machine

It is really amusing to examine the power if she would, as maps of the differ find on each one ir own road conveniently represented a direct "as the vengeance. For an hour and mor

bird flies," and all competing lines fused to be merciful, notwiths crooked as a ram's horn or bustreets of entreaties of the mass of men, The editor who wrote whit he in- wood on the gallows with the

dier."-Chicago Commercial Advertiser, off amid the acclamations

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The Morning Comes Before Slow-buds the pink dawn like a rose From out night's gay and cloudy she Softly and still it grows and grows,

Petal by petal, leaf by leaf, Each sleep-imprisoned creature brea Its dreamy fetters one by one And love awakes, and labor wa The morning comes befor

What is this message from the l So fairer far the light can be? f In hasts the risen sun to see;
Ah! check thy longing, restless heart,

Count the charmed moments as they run This morning hour before the sun. When once thy day shall burst to flower, When once the sun shall climb the sky

And busy hour by busy hour The urgent noontide draws anigh, When the long shadows creep abreast To dim the happy task half tone,

This morning hush before the sun. One fresh young hour is given by fate,

Be not impatient then, but wait! Clasp the sweet peace on earth and sky By midnight angels woven and spun,

Better than day its prophecy-The morning comes before the sun. -Susan Coolidge

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

A cawtious bird-The crow. It underwent a change. The cargo that was thrown overboa

It is always well to be prepared for fires whether we have them or not. If you have a fine toned piano keep it

free from dust to preserve its quality. The base ball season is fairly opened. Flies are already seen around our office. Scientists believe that the lightningrod principle was understood and applied

500 years B. C. Boston Corbett, who shot John Wilkes Booth, is represented to be extremely poor and out of employment.

So late as the reign of Henry VIII., not a cabbage, carrot, turnip or other

edible root was grown in England. According to the most recent calculations-those of Peterman-the population of the whole world is now 1,424,000,000. A Grand International Exposition is

Coffee and tea do not have the same effect on every one. Some they render wakeful, and to some they prove a gentle

anodyne. vented by the use of which the action c the pulse is actually measured and pho-

Picayune: Life is but a span. Marriage a double team. Youth wedded to old age is a tandem. A cross old bachelor is single and sulky.

There are 3,800 species of grasses, only about a dozen or fifteen of which are ranked among the cultivated or more righly nutritious kinds.

Saying that he "took it for a lark' was not held by the justice to be a sufficient plea in bar of judgment, in the case of a boy whole stole a pigeon.

The French peasantry are not yet tired of shuffling about in wooden shoes, and France produces about four million pair London to Constantinople. Its greatest carly. They are very economical and width is 410 miles; and, omitting the great keep the feet dry. The best are made peninsulas which form its two extremeties, of maple, and in provincial towns, ladies often wear them.

The men engaged in cleaning Monumental park, Cleveland, of the debris and rubbish, while taking down the sparwoven. The money was crumpled, good, and the half-dozen men quie "divided" and went into the task with renewed zeal, expecting to find a few more bills hidden away somewhere i the nests. Strange to say, they found lady's fine gold chain in another, and number of other curiosities of less v

An Extraordinary Scene.

Maronite in Turkey killed a Muss a hot-headed quarrel. After ly came forward last Februar his being sentenced to deal lowed the Constantinople co the Philadelphia Press thus the crime was proven accordi udicial forms, she obtaine Pasha, the governor of Syria the execution, and a day was hanging. In vain the notable and races, Musselmans and O pealed to the old woman to be upon her word depended th Maronite. They represented he did do the deed it mig self defence, that at any re not perfectly clear; that

mense crowd scaffold. Ther most extraordina -A mother with sveral marriageable told by the execut tives were ready to ent railway lines, and allow him to go free on t