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A VETERAN'S VALUABLE ADDITION TO WAR LITERATURE.

How an Odd Signal Agreed Upon by Brothers, Who Were on Opposite Sides, Was Finally Used-A Mystery the Old Soldier Didn't Try to Explain.

As the reporter was rapidly hurrying past the door of a saloon he was met by an old soldier, who suggestively tipped

"If you will tell me a story," remarked the reporter, accepting the tip, "I'll pay for the potations. I have a thirst for a story; you have a thirst for a drink. Let us exchange."

The veteran was quick to respond, as the parched soil responds to the grateful rain, and, opening the door, he bowed the reporter in and escorted him to a table in a quiet corner, where presently the potables were served.

"I don't think I could have earned what I am now so greatly and gratefully enjoying," said the veteran, with a glowing cheek, as he set down his glass, after a long swallow, "had it not been that today I met an old comrade from Kentucky, a state, you will remember, which had soldiers in both armies, and good soldiers, I may add. This man, who is now a merchant and comes to New York to buy goods every year, was in the Federal army, and he had a nephew in the same regiment with himself and another in the Confederate army. The young chaps were brothers, and they were mighty fond of each other, but they were fonder of their principles or patriotism or politics, or whatever you may call it, so they agreed to disagree, and each one go to the side he thought was the right side.

"It was a sad parting, for they had been closer together than most brothers, and before they separated they fixed up a kind of signal to identify themselves by, so that if one was wounded and left on the field he could notify the other if it happened they were on the opposite sides in that particular fight. It was a boyish kind of a lottery chance of one in a million, but it suited them, and that's all they cared for. The signal arrangement was to be a light chain with a note fastened to it, and the whole thing was to be fastened to the bullet and dropped into the old muskets they had in those days. This was to be fired at random up into the air to fall among the soldiers of the opposite side to be picked up as it might and taken to the man whose address was in the note, along with other instructions to be followed out by the brother who might be in condition to do it. You can see how childish and almost impossible it was, but there was just that chance in it that made it attractive to the boys, and they told each other goodby and went their ways, the one to the north, the other to the south, each bearing with him his chain and note of identification attached to the bit of lead that some day might bear on its wings the message of death.'

The veteran was becoming poetic and pathetic, and the reporter suggested a refilling of the glasses, and the suggestion met with immediate and pleased

"For the first two years," continued the veteran, "the boys hadn't any cocasion to use their signals, for they had gone through unscathed, and, besides, they were serving in sections of the country widely separated, but in 1863, in the fall, they were with the armies fighting through Tennessee, though they bad lost track of each other except in a general way.

'Just what they knew of each other's whereabouts I don't know, but one night in November there was a skirmish somewhere in the neighborhood of Knexville, in which 500 or 600 men on a side were engaged, without result, and both sides had settled down for the night to wait and fight it out by daylight. There were a lot of wounded men, and dead ones, too, for that matter, scattered through the woods, where most of the fighting had been. There was a cornfield about a quarter of a mile wide separating the woods, and there had been some scrapping in this open ground, though most of the fighting had been done from cover, as these small skirmish line fights generally are.

"I was corporal of the guard that night, and by 6 o'clock there was only an occasional shot, as if each side was quitting reluctantly and by inches. I am not positive, but it seems to me that I heard the last two shots before stillness settled over all. What the details of the romance, or the tragedy, or whatever you want to call it, are I don't know. I know, though, that during the night we had re-enforcements, and when we began to cautiously peep around, as soon as the day began to break, we discovered that the enemy had by some hock or crook taken alarm and departed in the night, leaving their dead on the field, and among them, when we sent out our burying party, we found one of those boys with a bullet through his lung and another, bearing a chain and a note, buried in his brain. On our side we found the other nephew with both legs broken by a ball and a bullet through his heart, with a chain and note attached to it.'

The reporter threw up his hands in amazement, not to say doubt.

"I don't try to explain it," the veteran hastened to say apologetically. know it is hard to explain. 'It is even hard to believe, but what is a man to do or to say when he sees such things with his own eyes?"-New York Sun.

In the Louvre, at Paris, there is an interesting old vase of Etruscan manufacture, whose age is computed at about 2,500 years. It is interesting as bearing a group of children in relief who are engaged in blowing soap bubbles from pipes.

At Lofoten fisheries last year final returns were 38,600,000 codfish, 11,000 hectoliters of liver, 42,000 hectoliters of fish roe and 12,800 heotoliters of medicinal steam refined sod liver oil.

HALLUCINATIONS.

SOME OF THE CURIOUS EXAMPLES RECORDED IN HISTORY.

The Lives of Many Great Men Have Been Influenced by Visions-Frequently They Have Been Prophetic; at Other Times They Have Caused Tragedies.

The importance of the part played by dominant hallucinations in the history of the world can scarcely be overrated. Julius Cæsar, Napoleon Bonaparte, Socrates, Luther, Ignatius Loyola, are but a few of the great men whose lives were intimately entwined with ruling delusions. In these cases the illusions seem to have been persistent and not to have been produced by any voluntary effort on the part of the seer. On the other hand, Talma could walk on to the stage and after staring at the brilliant and applauding audience for a few seconds would see nothing but rows of grinning skeletons. In this he seems to have forestalled Herr Roentgen, for the skeletons were in the exact positions of the members of the audience and changed their postures with every variation of their positions. It was to this grisly "house" that the great actor delivered some of his grandest histrionic efforts.

Goethe, as might be expected, called up pleasanter and more peaceful visions. At will he would see a flower in the center of his visual field. He thus described it: "This flower does not for a moment preserve its form; it is generally decomposed, and from its interior are born other flowers with colored, or sometimes green, petals. These are not natural flowers, but fantastic, nevertheless regular, figures, such as the roses of sculp-

The capacity for thus producing at will a lovely object had, however, the disadvantage described by Abercrombie in his famous "Inquiry Concerning the Intellectual Powers," that they were not as a rule dismissible at pleasure. tot of four or five summers and the man, Blake, after studying a model seated in a chair, could continue seeing her clearly when the chair was empty. This must have been an economical way of hiring a subject by the hour and would be an acceptable talent in these days of highly by Sir Walter Scott of the man who knew that he was dying, and knew equally well that there was nothing whatever the matter with him, is perhaps too familiar to need more than passing mention. The black cat that own words, "no household cat, but a bubble of the elements which has no existence." This animal was as com- are right. plex in form as the seer's metaphor, for it would turn suddenly into a court usher, and the usher in his turn would become a skeleton. This man showed no symptoms of insanity and was fully aware of the unreality of what he saw, which must greatly have added to the that is used in Canada. "Feed your and twenty acres, reserving six acres for a persistent misery of his condition.

An old gentleman described by the late Dr. Elam had a power of conjuring up, often without voluntary effort, two robe, farm wagon, cart, set of haror more charming dancing girls, and the antics of these nymphs continued until sleep came to the rescue. The old fellow was of a particularly pieus and proper turn of mind, so that their gratuitous ballet was presumably wasted on him. Nicolai of Berlin, a very level headed savant, was troubled for two months with the vision of a corpse. The hallucination lasted as a rule exactly eight pay you to consult me before purchasing. minutes, and the body was apparently always steady at a uniform distance of

about ten feet from the observer. This trouble supervened suddenly cation. after a violent quarrel in which Nicolai had been engaged. Ultimately the corpse and all the poor man's other delusions were driven back to their own sphere by the presaic attacks of leeches on the temples. This treatment was also most effective in dispelling the visions of a certain clergyman in Hampshire late in the last century. He habitwally engaged in personal encounters with the devil, until the leeches drove the foul fiend out of his visual field. Dr. Bostock, the psychologist, saw the heads of his friends "in relief, like medallions." Curiously enough, he could never conjure up their bodies.

The great Napoleon was, as is generally known, invariably attended by a at the time, and it is said to have been first related by General Rapp, who, on visiting the monarch's tent at night, found Bonaparte excitedly pointing to a corner of the tent, crying: "Do you see that-my star? It is shining there very much regret putting costs on any of before you!" At the period of the reformation wrestling with the evil one in propria persona was by no means an s indulged in these combats. Mr. Locky tells us of the young monk who rushed up to Sts. Pachonius and Palæmon in the desert and told them excitedly of the beautiful woman who had tempted him in his cell and, "having worked her purpose," had vanished miraculously in the air, leaving him hair dead upon the ground. The story goes on to say that the young menk, with a wild shriek, broke away from his saintly listeners * * * and rushed across the desert till he arrived at the next village and there leaped into the open furnace of the public baths and

perished in the flames. Cazette was reported to have habitnally dreamed with his eyes open, so that at the dinner party when he sudmenly said that he saw Condorcet, who was one of the guests, in prison and taking peison to avoid the headsman's ware in various assortment. ax nobedy paid much attention. The event, however, happened within two March 10th as the undersigned intends years under the precise circumstances moving from the province. described. - London Standard.

The New Yorker of the present day is inclined to smile when he reads that on the Fourth of July, 1795, the parade of soldiers in that city numbered 900 day all unsettled accounts will be placed (\$2.00) within two months from this date. men. Their route was from the Battery | for collection. up Broadway to the new Presbyterian church, where the Declaration of Indeperdence was read by Edward Living.

The London Times has opened its colamps to the deliberation of a question which has agitated the public mind as not even the Greeco-Turkish war, the Queen's jubilee procession or even tyranny of the board of agriculture in issuing an order for the muzzling of all dogs have agitated it. It is the battle of the silk hat. The first shot fired in the new camp against religion took the form of a letter from correspondent who discreetly veiled his personality under the anonymous shelter of the signature "Gracchus" He suggested that the Diamond Jubilee shoulp be celebrated by abolishing the tall silk hat as an article of every-day consumption. Day by day since then columns of letters have been printed, not only by the Times, but by the other papers, which have taken the question up.

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> S. B. PATERSON, Publisher.

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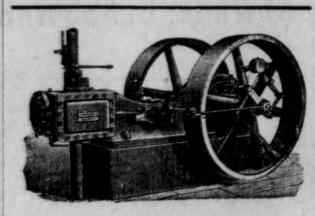
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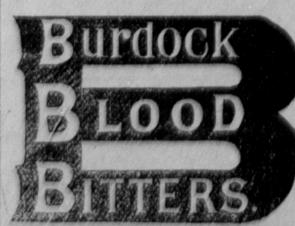
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