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Bejoicing to escape the busy mills,

A hamiet nestles in a quiet valley,

Through the dense cloud that hangs o'er Cin-

Above the lucid waters of Moose Pond.

Where leaps a brook o'er bed of shining

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hills.

Agents.---den & Co. 1y29 faces. Of friends familiar and to memory dear,

Whose words of kind enconragement still linger, Like chime of bells within the listening

car. see the little children running races,

Or coasting down the snow-crusted hills, Inconsciously for future life preparing, When it comes laden with its cares and ills.

Sen memory needs a home wherein to nestle, A board round which loved faces may draw near,

A hearth at which our pleasant friends and neighbors,

May gather oft our daily life to cheer.

Ind such 1 find in that dear little hamlet, A magnet to which all my thoughts incline, A golden mile-stone whence loves chain doth measure.

Lifes devious highway o'er the sands of time

leaven's mercy guard each object of affection,

that spot the home of my bushel of Baldwin apples, to make us wel fond heart. would not miss one pang that makes it come.

'Betsey,' sez Mr. Brown to me, (my proper name is Elizabeth, but Mr. Brown allers call me Betsy,) 'what do you say to going up to Uncle John Miller's Thanksgiving ?-

Now, ye see, John Miller was Azariah TANCE; one dollar fifty-cents at the end of Brown's uncle on his mother's side; a poor boy in the fust place, but he got as rich as Crocus manufacturin' shoes, and as natural consequences, he was prouder than Jupiter. The Brown tribe thought everything of him because he lived in a big house, and was a Justice of the Peace and chorus. His parlor was fixed equal to Queen Victoria's sitting-room, they said; carpeted all over with a tapestry Brussells three ply carpets ; and ornamented with pictures of Rafels, and Mondonnas, and landscapes, and I don't know what ! John Miller was the big-bug among the Browns and Millers.

'Well,' sez I, 'Azariah, I'd like to go well enuff, but I'm afraid it would be proyerous Where towers the sugged brow of bold Mt. to intrude on 'em at such a time without an invite. You know Josh's wife holds her head and shoulders above common folks.' 'There's no need of her doing that!' sez Azariah, 'she's tall as a hay pole natrally, without any stretching.' 'I know that,' sez I, 'but then her mind is

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ning and scraping.

er into the entry.

Hemmed in by walls of thickly wooded histed up a good many feet above the common level, and if she ain't any better than we are, she thinks she is, and that amounts to just the same thing."

Nonsense; Poll Molly is made out of just the same flesh and blood as the rest of usonly they do say that her great-grandfather was a nigger; and she had a fourth cousin, of 'em; and by your leave I'll just walk er's father was a nigger, and ----' from many a casement beam the pleasant whose wife's husband was put in the State Prison for stealin' two hens off from a neighbor's roost ! Now there never was a relation of mine in jail even, and my father and mother was both white !'

> over it? You know that's a fact that your uncle John takes a drop too much from the water bottle occasionally, and according to my way of thinking it's about as bad to drink as to steal hens !'

'Fulge ! Bets Brown,' sez Azariah, tartly, 'that's pothing ! All gentlemen drink ! It's right down fashionable !'

I seed that Azariah was a little touched, so I didn't stop to argue with him; but I say here-that if getting drunk is fashionable, I don't keer about any of my folks being in the fashion. That's all. It was settled that we should go to Greens-

ville to thanksgiving, whether or not, for Azariah is as obstinate as a white pine stump, and if his mind once gets sot, it ain't

a party. There was men with their heads no use trying to alter it. put on wrong side a top, and eye-brows grow-We were to kerry our darter Sally, and a

some of your own relationables !'

Azariah. 'I want to see some of the won- the Rock of Gibralter !' ders of their big village, and if I can get 'You have no idea how worked up them body else. boarded for nothin' while I'm about it, it Millers was! They was ashamed of me, by As soon as Joshua could get breath to do? She was old and lame, and her granddon't make no difference to me whether I'm the way they sniggled. Mrs. Miller was speak, he explained things in a terrible son, on whom she depended to drive her cow welcome or not !'

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Well, after a considerable spell of streak- iah didn't keer a particle, but turned round, wonldn't be pacified no way; his temper With blessings and thanks, the old lady ing it on the cars behind the locofoco, we ar- and bowed to the company. rived at the dye-pot, and such a slew of fel- "Why don't you introduce me to some of history of the Millers from the oldest to the stop here. Money was wanted to get artilers asked me to ride in their carriages you yer friends, Uncle Joshua ?' says he, 'I should youngest. He didn't spare a single particu- cles from the apothecary. 'I have money never seed. Mighty porlite in them, I tho't ; like to make their acquaintance. Sally, too, lar, arter he'd got his tongue a going ; and that my mother gave me to buy a pair of but Azariah told them as he was used to I calkulate on her catching a beau before a mortified critter than Josh was you never boots with, but I can do without them for a walking, he would tramp for it! For my we clear out from here.

for there was a considerable snow on the in' up her hands. I do believe the man is go. My husband was determined to clear to that, but here is a pair of heavy boots ground, and it was full half a mile to Josh's crazytic! he has ruinted my nervous system out, and Sally and I had to do as he said.--- that I bought Henry, who can't wear them. ouse, one of the dye-pot men said.

Howsumever, we got there at last; and world couldn't have prefixed me more !' a tremendous fine place it was too! Big as Dover Town Hall, and the meetin' house on my sympathy to her-don't I beg of you.- day was on foot for home. When I go to as they were, and has worn them up to this top of that! Then there was the slightest Azariah is only glad to see you, and he's got another Thanksgiving without an invite, time. of fur belowing, all over it that you ever a queer way of showing it. We won't be no you'll know it. bearn tell of! It beat Noah's ark and trouble at all. You've got company. I seed Herod's palace all to nothing. Azariah, he one of your cousins at the door, and if there's stepped up to the front door, and rung the more of 'em here, and your bed is full, we

top to toe, as if somebody was dead or mar- us a comfortable or so. A starched up dandified nigger cum to been a lizard, and says she-

'My gracious !' says Azariah, 'some of Poll Miller's folks is here, as sure as you live !' sight of you ! 'Your card, sir ?' says the darkey, grin-

spit it out.

'My card !' scz Azariah ; 'who's he? I big that I know of ! Yer great grand fath- on the look out for matter of derision. want to see uncle Josh Miller, and the rest

'A goshed low set !' sez the nigger, looking at us kind of impudent, and stepped furth- to keep the air from her, and offer their smelling bottles.

'Say that again, you darned black imp!' 'Throw some water in her face, and un- was Jemson, met him as he was passing .--Well, well, Azariah,' scz 1, 'don't brag sez Azariah, 'and I'll knock you into the lace her stays,' sez I, crying to get nigh The opportunity was one not to be lost by middle of next week in no time, if you are enough to do something. Law! before I Jemson. 'Hallo !' he exclaimed, 'what's the some of Poll's relationables! Give way !' and with that Azariah strammed right down me by the arm, pushed me out of the room, you fodder her on ? Boys, if you want to You are not afraid of ridicule, you must not by him, and clean into the parlor. I followed him, and Sally walked in my tracks.--the door and locked it. I was capitvated.-My sakes! sich a grand place as that par-My sakes! sich a grand place as that part a cap, and the scund didn't seem to go thro' safely in the inclosure, and then putting up his appearance, what a round of upplause, knot whats, and lunges, of all kinds of dia- After a while I got tired of hoping around for the bars, came and entered the school with grams, fixed up fit to kill in red velvet and nothing, and so I sot down on something nice the rest of us. After school, in the aftershiny black hair cloth ! Terrible, onaccount- and soft as a new feather bcd. I felt pretty noon, he let out the cow and drove her off, made my knees knock together to behold it ! bye, I began to grow sleepy, and singular weeks he went through the same task.

what it was I couldn't tell.

and sure enuff, so I had, and froze in !

ry and mortified like and sez he :

BETSEY BROWN'S THANKSGIVING. | cars -- 'they're a stuck up set, if they are haired one's my darter, Sally Jane, the belle Joshua by his understanding, and pulled This scholar sconer learned that the of Brownville; sot more fellers' hearts a and hauled and thrashed him about for as wounded boy was the grandson of a poor Nobody keers whether they do or not,' scz thumpin' than could stand between here and much as fifteen minutes, afore he could con- widow, whose sole support consisted in sellvince 'em that it was hisself and not some ing the milch of a fine cow of which she

took dreadfully sudden with a cough, and shamed way, and doxologized to us and dox- to the pasture, was on his back helpless.

wasn't sartin of their being mates. Azar- very sorry for the mistake. But as Azariah ar, 'I can drive your cow.'

seed. He tried to hush Azariah up, and per- while."

intirely ! An apparatus from the other For my part I'd have been willing to have If you would only buy these, giving us what forgot that he's a church member. We lod- they cost, we should get along nicely. 'Don't take on so, Polly,' says I, offering ged in the tavern that night and the next The scholar bought the boots, as clumsy

## REAL HERCISM. A STORY FOR THE BOYS.

bell. The house was all lighted up from won't mind sleeping on the floor. Only give I shall never forget a lesson which I received when quite a young lad at the Academy Poll shook herself clear of me as if I had in B. Among my school fellows were Hartly and Jemson, they were somewhat older, and to Jemson I looked up as a sort of lead-He was not at heart malicious, but he had a he made himself feared by the bad habit of 'Law sakes !' says I, 'you needn't be so turning things into ridicule, and being ever

> Hartly was a new scholar, and little was known of him among the boys. One moruand a dozen crinolings gathered round her ing as we were on the way to school, he was near field. A group of boys, among whom

could say another word, Josh Miller ketched price of milk? I say, Jonathan what do not hide out of sight behind the black-board. into a little poke hole of a place, and shut see the latest Paris style, look at those boots I pum - Iled and hollowed, but nobody took sant smile, and driving the cow to the field no notice of me; and the door was tight as took down the bars of a rail-fence, saw her,

enuff I popped off to sleep. I don't know The boys of B. Academy were nearly all how long I'd slept—not a great while, I the sons of wealthy parents, and some of sy boots on Hartley's feet seemed a prouder There was an orbit crowd of tolks in the guess-when I was waked up by somebody's them, among whom was Jemson, were dun-room-it appeared the milliners was having guess-when I was waked up by somebody's them, among whom was Jemson, were dun-ornament than a crown would have been on opening the door, with a light in his hands. ces enough to look down with a sort of dis-bis head. The medal was bestowed on him It was Josh Miller. He looked kinder sor- dain upon a scholar who had to drive a cow. amid general acclamation. "Come, come, Betsy, git up and come out. ingly often renewed. He once, on a plea before I conclude, he was heartily ashamed I'm sorry I served you so, but my dander that he did not like the odor of the barn, re- of his ill-natured raillery, and after we were He gave me his hand to 'sist me up, but fused to sit next to Hartley. Occasionally dismissed, he went with tears of manly selflawful goodness! you might as well have he would inquire after the cow's health, rebuke in his eyes, and tendered his hand to stirred Lake Superior out of its foundations! pronouncing the 'ke'ow of the manner of Hartley, making a handsome apology for his some country people. I'd got into a mess of some kind, though

was the owner. Alas I what could she now

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Azariah is selfish. Loves his money, the Josh kept settin' his feet together, as if he ologized to the company, and said he was 'Never mind, good woman,' said the schol-

was teched; and he up and told the whole accepted his offer. But his kindness did not

part, I should a good deal rather have rid. Merciful Heavens !' cried Josh's wife, lift- suade him to stay all night, but it was no 'O no,' said the old lady, 'I can't consent

Well, when it was discovered by other boys of the Academy that our scholar was in the habit of driving a cow, he was assailed every day with laughter and ridiculc .--His cowhide boots in particular were made a matter of mirth. But he kept on cheerfully and bravely, day after day, never shunning observation, driving the widow's cow and wearing his thick boots, contented in the thought that he was doing right ; caring not for all the jeers and sneers that could be uttered. He never undertook to explain why he drove a cow, for he was not inclined to make a vaunt of his charitable motives, and furthermore, in his heart he had no sympathy with the fulse pride that could look down with ridicule on any use-

ful employment. It was fly a mere accident that his course of kindness and self-deseen driving a cow along the road toward a nial was yesterday discovered by his teach-And now. ladies and gentlemen, I appeal to you, was there not true heroism in this

be afraid of praise. Come forth, come forth, Hartly waving his hand to us with a plea- Master Edward James Hartly, and let us see your bonest face.

in which the whole company joined, spoke the general approbation of his conduct. The able nice it all was; I declare, it actually considerable indignant for a spell; but byme none of us knew where. And every day for handkerchiefs. The old men wiped the gathering moisture from the corners of their

The sneers and jeers of Jemson were accord- Let me tell you a good thing of Jemson past ill-manners. 'Think no more of it, old With admirable good nature did Hartley fellow,' said Hartley, flet us all go and have bear all these silly attempts to wound and a ramble in the woods before we break up annoy him. I do not remember that he was for the vacation.' The boys, one and all, folever once betrayed into a look or a word of lowed Jemson's example, and then we set forth with huzzas into the woods. What a happy day it was. Boys and girls never despise another who may be more plainly clad than yourself.---There is many a noble heart under a wellpatched garment. Whenever you are tempted to look scornfully upon one in a poor or plain dress, think of Edward James Hartley, The boys laughed, and Hartley, not in the the brave boy and his gold medal .- [S. S.

Poll screamed and fell down on the sofa,

'You impudent huzzy! Let go of me and corporate the premises ! I can't indure the er in matters of opinion as well as of sport. This, ye see, kinder riled me, and I had to foolish ambition of being thought witty, and

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To pine that we e'en for a while must looking girl, for a red-headed one; and it ain't pockets. They had rings on their fingers,

A THOUGHT ON SELF-RELIENCE. The oak and crochit things out of thread. She's pacholy, and other kind of cool flummery; that stands alone to contend with the tem- quite eddiket, too; can read, and write, and and when they flourished their hankerchez pest's blasts, only takes deeper roots and cipher, and say the multiplication table you'd thought there was an army of essence stands the firmer for ensuing conflicts, while without a mistake. She was nigh about pedlers let loose somewhere.

the forest tree when the woodman's axe has tickled to death when she found out that she poiled its surroundings, sways and bends was bound to her uncle Josh's. Young folks caravan of monkeys or a muskrat's den! ad trembles and perchance is uprooted. is allers sot up with the prospect of gradwit is with men. Those who are trained ing.

selfreliance are ready to go out and con- 'Lawful goodness, mother,' sez she; I ing-house wouldn't have held a dozen of the sternest conflicts of life; while shall have to dress in my go to meeting pop- them, no how. men who have always leaned for support lin and my gold bosom pin, every day !' on those around them, are unprepared to 'Yes, wus than that,' sez I; 'I'm gwine to had to a carried 'em into the ark ? Poor man! candle was already down, and in the height breast the storms of adversity that arise. buy a yaller and green silk gownd; and a The beastnesses would a had to drownded of it Azariah and Sally Jane, hearing the that's all !' The men who stand boldly for the defence gray Rug-man cloak; and a black velvet two and two, each after his kind, as sure as outcry, came rushing at the sound, and the of the truth, in the midst of the flood of er- bounet, with n oyster feather on top! I'm rats, for he couldn't have got six of them transportation from the lighted room to utter least mortified, replied : 'Never fear ; if ev- Advocate. mrs that surround them, are not the gentle determined you shall look as well as John women into his vessel to have saved himself darkness had such a powerful effort upon er I should rise to be a milkman, I'll give men of lily fingers who have been rocked in Miller's Claribel Josepher and Selmy Ewre- from juggernaut !'

up of luxory, but they are men whom neces- when I set out.'

acoutend, under the scorching rays of the and bought twenty doilars worth of finery land! I'd as leave to undertake to hug a Josh had broken his watch chain in three towns were present. Prizes were awarded ing blue eyes, the bird-like voice—the truth. Nu, with the stern realities of life with all for Sally; and then I got a neck handker- cider hogshead as one of them feminines! places, and smashed the cistern of his watch, by the principal of our academy, and both ful, affectionate, large-hearted, pious child ! is vicissitudes. "It is good for man that he chief for Azariah, and a coral ring for my- Josh Miller and his wife stood nigh the besides burst out the sleeves of his bran new Hartley and Jemson received a credible num- How could she be given up? Between this tears the yoke in his youth."

BOYS OUT AT NIGHTS. The practice of al- I ain't to be sneeaed at !

lawing boys to spend their evenings in the We had Mrs. Huckaback, the milliner, at place on this mortal spear before, nor since! flinders and knocked the stone out of her there was one prize, cousisting of a gold his darling's bedside, and wept bitter tears. threet is one of the most ruinous, dangerous our house for a week, fixin' things; and I Josh growed red and green, by turns; and bosom pin. She was so mad about her mis- medal, which was rarely awarded, not so He strove to say, but could not, 'Thy will be and mischievous things possible. Nothing declare if in that time she did'nt tell me Poll looked as sour as a four year old but- fortin' that I did't say a word about mine; much on account of its great cost, as because doue !' It was a conflict between grace and mspeedily marks their course downward.- more about the neighbors than ever I heard termilk cheese !

They acquire under the cover of night, an or mistrusted afore! Mrs. Huckaback's an The Misses Miller bristled up like two sit- forget about it, and afore I knowed it I was bestowal proper. It was the prize of HERO- enced. His sorbs disturbed the child who Thealthy state of mind, vulgar and profane awful news budget. Azariah says that tin hens, and made off from us as if they out among the company, never thinking at 18M. The last boy who received one, was had been lying apparently unconscious. hagnage, criminal sentiments, and a lawless thore warn't the leastest need of the Atlan- 'spected we had got the small pox, or some all about my gownd skirt! Everybody put young Manners, who three years before, res- She opened her eyes and looked distressed. ad riotous bearing. Indeed, it is in the street tic paragraph under the sea, for if folks other confection.

after nightfall that the boys generally ac- would just tell their secret to Mrs. Hucka- 'How do you do, uncle Josh? I am glad giggling, and that brought me to my senses, cipal then said that with the permission of 'What, my darling,' answered her father, quire the education of the bad and the ca- back, she'd swim clear across the ocean to to see you !' sez Azariah, marching up with Poll, who had got about half back to con- the company, he would relate a short story. striving for composure. Macity for becoming rowdy, dissolute, crim- tell 'em to the Britishers! Azariah is a his carpet bag in hand, his valise in tother, sciousness, gave another scream and fainted 'Not long since, some of the scholars were ital men. Parents, do you believe it ? Will professor of religion, but I'm sorry to say and umbrill under his arm.

Jou see your children at home of nights, that he don't always confine himself to the He deposited the things on the carpet, and of his close quarters under Sally Jane and on horseback rode by on his way to mill.and see that that home is pleasant and pro- truth. Just a day before he was to start grabbed Josh's little white hand in an Old Azariah, and he began to twist and holler. The horse took fright and threw the boy. in- agitation, for he feared delirium was comfor Greensville, Azariah sent a letter to tell Fellow's grasp. fitable?

Josh's folks that he was a coming, but he 'How's your health? 'Can't you answer The folks in the parlor quit Sally to help and confined to his bed some weeks. Of the

"Well Charley, what have you been learn- was too late to get it in the mail, and so he a fellow? I've come to pay you a little vis- Joshua. Seeing Josh's legs with patent leath- scholars who had unintentionally caused you?" ing to day ?" "Oh, rheumatics, gran'ma; took and put it in his pocket and concluded it of a week or two; and I've brung a bush- er boot and gilt button terminations stick- the disaster, none followed to learn the fate an tell you such a dodge ! If I was to to carry it with him. If'd be sure he'd get el of Baldwin apples to kinder help along ing of her closet door, they naturally supfor our boards while we're here ! Bets and posed that a thief had secreted himself in however, who had witnessed the accident M you under a glass receiver, and exhaust there safe, he said. the air, all your wrinkles would come out as 'Like as not they won't like to see us!' Sally Jane has got 'em there in their satch- the cupboard, and that them feet and legs from a distance, who not only went to make lars. What then, darling l'

moth as gran'pa's cauliflower wig." sez I-when we'd got fairly set down in the cls ! This elderly lady is my wife-the red belonged to him. and so they grabbed poor enquiries, but stayed to render services. Because, papa, I thought-may be-your

ing all around their mouths. They had on stri ped trowserloons and yeller waistcoats, and Sally, if I do say it, is a remarkably well big flashing watch seals hanging out of their every girl that's got so much ingenuity as and patent leather boots with gilt buttons. she bas. She can knit, and sew, and spin, Then how they were scented with colone and

There was an orful crowd of folks in the

A pity she warn't allers as obedient.

was awe-struck, as it were.

Land of gooduess! the room smelt like a As for wimmin, they had the biggest crinolines on the alobe. Parson Grimes's meet-

'Good Lord !' sez I to myself, 'what if Noah him over. Down he went, down I went, the

'Heavens and earth !' screamed Joshua, if you ain't sot down in a tub of ice cream! angry retaliation. (Good !) I stopped a minit to think of it, and mad

'I suppose, Hartley,' said Jemson, one day enuff I was! I give one spring, and crack 'your daddy means to make a milkman of went the skirt of my dress, and I went, or should gone into the arms of Joshua Miller, you ?'

'Why not ?' asked Hartley.

if I hadn't hit him so sudden as to knock 'O, nothing ; only don't leave too much water in the cans after you rinse them-

'em that they both stumbled and fell. We good measure and good milk too.'

the cradle of indulgence and caressed in the ky to boot! It takes me to regulate things In old times when I used to be courted, it was all down as low as a chronometer in The day after this conversation, there was A little daughter, ten years old, lay on her used to be the fashion for the fellers to hug dog days. I got up first and run for a light. a public examination, at which a number of death-bed. It was hard parting with the sty has called from the shade of retirement, 'Well, the next day I went up to Dover, the girls at apple bees and huskings; but Sakes alive, it was a terrible catesplasm !- ladies and gentlemen from the neighboring pet of household. The golden hair, the lovself. Thinks I, if I ain't quite so rich as middle of the room when we come iu; and broadcloth coat, and crushed into nothing a ber; for, in respect to scholarship, these two child and her father there had always exist. Josh's folks, I guess I'll let them know that you ort to have seen 'em! Such a change valerable pair of gold-bowed spectacles. Sal- were about equal. After the ceremony of ed not a relationship merely, but love of as passed over their phesiologist never took 1y Jane had stove her shell hair comb all to distribution, the principal remarked that congenial natures. He fell on his knees by and not saying anything about it made me the instances were rare which rendered its nature, such as he had never before experi-

their handkerchiefs to their mouth, to stop cued a blind girl from drowning. The prin\_ Papa, dear papa,' she said at length.

dead away. By this time Josh had got tired flying a kite in the street just as a poor boy how much do I cost you every year ?' 'Murder ! thieves ! robbers, help ! help ! juring him so sadly that he was carried home, ing on.

THE DYING CHILD'S REQUEST.

'Papa,' she asked, in a faint broken tones,

'Hush, dear, be quiet,' he replied in great

But please papa, how much do I cost

To soothe her, he replied though with a

Well, dearest, perhaps two hundred dol-

future. Naught remained but the mission the bosom of the world the awful fact, which of love, and a thrill of gratitude, that in it the 'Professor' has concisely stated, that we he and his beloved were co-workers. live on a globe which has a 'crust of fossils 'I will, my precious child,' he replied, kis. and heart of fire.' "

sing her brow with solemn tenderness.

'Yes, he added after a pause, 'I will do it every year, as long as I live ! And thus my Lilian shall yet speak, and draw hundreds and thousands after her to heaven.' The child's very soul beamed forth in a

long loving smile-gaze into her father's eyes. and still gazing she fell asleep. Waking in a few moments, she spoke in a loud clear voice, and with a look of ecstacy.

BRIDGTON, FRIDAY, DEC. 7, 1860. SENSATION READING. We object to it. Fiction is an essential element of our literature. Like the longings of the soul, it has ideals, always as natural creased by the fact, that though the bear

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and call me by a name. I can't remem<sup>-</sup> mind—it is the poetry of the senses. The reason of said "E. B.'s" feloniously attemp-ber what it was, but it meant "beloved for mind is sure to become inactive, morbid, com-ted to take the life of him the said bear, ter season. Probably we may be expected, "sank to rest" weening o'er his home in the the father's sake!" She looked upwards; monplace, without some drafts upon the with a gun, loaded with a leaden bullet or to give, from time to time, mention of the valley, which he could not reach. Truly, a her eyes dreamy, her voice died in a whisper ideal. It is at once a pleasure and food to bullets, which the said "E. R." in his right big porkers. We commence this week with ad picture of Mountain death.-[Portland] 'Yes, yes, I come ! I come !' And the love- the imagination. We are and always have band then and there held. This little inci- one killed by A. B. Gee of this village, which Evening Courier. ly form lay untenanted of the lovlier spirit. been an advocate of fictitious reading, not as dent is the only important one in the "nov- weighed 530 1-4 lbs, one killed by Benjamin John Lee rose from his knees with a holy a whole, not to the exclusion of other read- el." We call it a failure; for if it is true, Dodge, Jr., which weighed 516 3-4 lbs-both John Lee rose from his knees with a holy a whole, not to the exclusion of other read-triumph on his face. 'Thank God,' said he,' 'I am richer by another treasure in heaven.' formation of a respectable literary taste, or

sers of California, in a ravine called the cannot dignify it by such names. The ideal We will bet you in the first place, fifty cents "The Devil's Canon :"

of Fiction, is in Fact. "The Geysers are situated in a ravine cal!ed, not inappropriately, "The devil's Can- ble, must be comparative. That is, must have admitting that bear had been no "stronger molested if they don't pay up for the adver- the night, and on going to the door was shot on,' which is a vast trench, a quarter of a some relation to or foundation in experience. in the arms'' than Ethan Spike said "Lid tising we have done for them. It may be dead. A woman gave birth to a child in ing morning, they found the indication in experience. in the arms'' than Ethan Spike said "Lid tising we have done for them. It may be dead. A woman gave birth to a child in ing morning, they found the indication in experience. In the arms'' than Ethan Spike said "Lid tising we have done for them. It may be dead. A woman gave birth to a child in ing morning, they found the shocks undiminished. This is the road near Poppingsville, Missouri, dur-shocks undiminished. This is the flight of her family. Families live transmired for several night. mile long, cut out of another large ravine We may imagine something horrible; we do Peabody" was, that you would have been exceedingly funny for them to send adver-ing the flight of her family. Families liv-transpired for several nights, and the provide several nights and the provide several nights and the provide ried by many of the lesser wonders in order shapes are in the earth—in our daily walks ces he had to merely step on your "bread tion and entirely forget it; but it is no fun notified to leave, and dad field to the interior solve the mystery. They did to reach the great steamboat spring, on the we have seen them. Our imagination has a basket," or close your "ogles," or get in his for the printer; and we very solemnly deright-hand wall of the canon. This is the foundation in truths, though it exaggerates "left" on your "probaces," or to planted "old clare that we shall do a little "advertising" spout whose loud wheezing we heard, nearly truths. So we imagine rare beauties, and Broadway" on your "fly-trap," or hit you on our own account if certain matters are The citizens of Westport had called on the associations as this was the tar a mile off, while descending into a larger ra- our fancy often paints pictures as holy and "straight from the shoulder" directly on the not satisfied. We refer to certain wenders of sheriff of Bates county to raise a force to mon erected—so spacious and mon erected e vine on horseback. Around it is a huge elevating as truth and beauty can be. It is "knob," or bring the "claret" from your medicine, publishers of books &c. pile of slags and frightful clinkers, over because we have seen in tangible, material "smeller," or just strike you foul "under the which rises the continual roar of escaping things some shape or design of such holi- belt" or get your head in "chancery!" Do steam from an orifice two feet in diameter, ness. Fiction in its correct sense, is not nec- you pretend to say that with all these chan- on, and we presume the usual number of and impulsations precisely like those of a esssary falsehood, counterfeit; because that ces you could "hold on" till that "angel men, women and children will hail it right huge engine hard at work. Each beat sends fiction which pleases the mind in its pure companion" could re-load the rifle and "fix" joyfully. With the ladies it is something the vapor up visibly fifteen to a hundred state, has its foundation in material truths him in season to save you from going to glo- comparatively new, and we are glad to see feet; but in the early morning, when the -only enlarged and improved upon.

air was cool, I saw a column five hundred Poetry is fictitious, and yet this would be You are evidently a humbug. In your feet high, and widened to cloud above, belch- a barren world without it. Some of the sub- eagurness to make yourself a hero, you have exercise, in all the out-of-door amusements ed from the strange boiler that relieves its limest truths that ever came to men have forgotten the province of the historian and wrath through the mountain side. Often, a been in the form of Fictition. Pilgrims Pro- done manifestly injustice to others. little after sunrise, too, a rainbow can be gress was fictitious. The purest and fresh- Seriously, let any person of common sense, seen on the steam cloud, spanning the whole est inspirations, come many times, from the just stop and think over what is every day community should encourage all such invig length of the awful trench with hues as if imagination. The teachings of Him Who thrust upon the public in the shape of gheap they were refracted in pure water drops, and spake as never man spake, were of the literature, and he will pretty surely come to they were refracted in pure water drops, and space as hever man space, nere of the very natural conclusion that it is, to a ART JOURNAL. No. IV of the last volume not in sulphurous vapors fresh from Hades. most imaginative character symbols of the very natural conclusion that it is, to a of this journal has reached us, and is as

and gases that lie along the floor, or issue ness of the Oriental World-sacred poetry. fiction, but entirely wanting in common skill rich as usual in good things. Now is your from the crevices of the canon, would over. Yes, Fiction, rightly considered, is simply of construction. We think it perfectly prop- time to subscribe again. It has some fine load your columns and repel your readers. the inevitable graspings of the spirit after er to allow young people to read fictitious engravings, the leading one of which is How a chemist would revel in noxious and truths not yet in men's creeds, perhaps. It works; but they should have distinctions "Grand pa's prodigies." Last year, subscriptions mephitic vapors that puff or whistle out of is powerful, corrective-essential. But what pointed out, so that they may judge for them- bers were entitled to a copy of the picture the leached, hot walls ! Here he would turn we have chosen to call "sensation reading" selves what will and what will not be val- "Shakspeare and his friends." This year up a patch of brown, crumbly soil, and find is fictitious, but lacking in all that makes uable. But above all let the effort of every- the engraving is to be "Falstaff Mustering up a patch of brown, crumbly soil, and find is fictitious, but lacking in all that makes uable. But above all let the effort of every-a clay that looks like blue vitral, nearly fictitious reading desirable or allowable. It body be directed against this mass of flash under a shelving lodge is a brisk, bubbling lacks the probability of truth, and the false- composition so entirely beneath the respect to gubscribe as good if not better than ever. pool, overhung with verdigris incrusting; a hood in it is not skillful enough to please. of a reading public.

which sheds a dismal brown casting over that prince of sensationalists, Baron Mun. the surrounding earth; a little way farther chausen could write, but it lacks just enough still, is a spring that looks like nure bet of two round the little way farther chausen could write, but it lacks just enough to be accessition of the Legislature at Augusta, promises a thousand, and to be accessition of the school of two round of the surrounding earth ; a little way farther chausen could write, but it lacks just enough sion of the Legislature at Augusta, promises last hibiday. In the morning we holiced is all over the country, placed in all on the apple is not still, is a spring that looks like pure hot of true genius, to make the lie interesting to be an exciting one, there being important to little folks bright and early wending the restaurants and hotels, and in the hands pears uncommonly

should have been equally pleased with it; but through this place tast wheat, that it there at Lovell last Friday night. They refers a present of these things appear. This Mr. them at Lovell last Friday night. They are foreign born — intolerable cut-throat Jews. They deserve to be lynched.—Pass toiled in vain, unfil nually urged by one indicate on its district and the poor for three nights be had dreamed that poor become an absolute autom one in a while, that life is not for three nights be had dreamed that poor foreign born.— intolerable cut-throat Jews. They deserve to be lynched.—Pass toiled in vain, unfil nually urged by one indicate on its district and the previous the beat dreamed that poor become an absolute autom one in a while, that life is not fore the Crawford ranges, they started in protection. The previous the intermediate on the crawford ranges is the previous the intermediate of the crawford ranges.

The improbability of this statement is in- 'em round.

voice, and with a look of ecstacy. O, papa, what a sweet sight! The gold. en gates were opened, and crowds of children came pouring out! O, such crowds! And they ran up to me, and began to kiss me

gives the following description of the Gey- biage immaginative, novel, fictitious; but we Mr. "E. B." you know us; we know you .- that.

you wasn't there ! Then we will go you bet-Imagination, to be legitimate and valua- ter on the proposition, that if you had been, gentlemen from abroad" that they will get a from Fort Scott, was aroused by a noise in his without his knowledge

ry "across lots ?"

ink; then we discover a rock of alum that We cannot account for that taste which matters to come before. Prominent among their way to the old school-house, and thought of every tooth-picking Yankee in the king-weighs two or three hundred pounds; then prompts our community to read certain- these-and perhaps the question of general how many times we had done the like-years dom. A restaurant with a good run of cusinterest-will be that of the removal of the ago-on the "first day," and there to find a tom will again a basin apparently of boiling soap Now, we do not undertake to say that no seat of government to Portland. We would miniature world, upon which this world of

the exercise of any moral excellence, we in this way. Three or four of them passed of the mountains. the exercise of any moral excellence, was in this way. Three or four of them passed of the mountains. should have been equally pleased with it; but through this place last week, and we saw toiled in vais, until finally urged by one influence on its disciple, and

THE DEVIL'S CANON IN CALIFORNIA. The of readers of flash literature of this day, that he had actually bragged on the fighting Cross of this village has killed one weigh- erations in Bourbon and Linn counties, Kan-Rev. T. Starr King, in the Boston Transcript, are to be really pitied. Men call this ver- quality of this particular animal. Now, ing 556 1-2 lbs-Pretty Comfort-able hog

We notify several "distinguished

SEATING. The skating season is coming it so generally adopted by them. This pastime has no equal for combined funs and Let everybody be careful about venturing upon the ice until it's thoroughly frozen, and there is little danger attending it. Every orating sports.

Subscriptions received at this office.

would lap it out this year for poor children-to remember me by.' With what delicate instinct had the dying child touched the springs of comfort! A beam of heavenly joy glanced into the father's heart, the bliss of one noble, loving spirit, was mingled with his life. Self was forgotten—the sorrow of parting, the lonely Now, if he had succeeded in coming some they don't want to carry back. They as that hot return as the had succeeded in coming some they don't want to carry back. They as that hot return as the had succeeded in coming some they don't want to carry back. They as that hot return as the had succeeded in coming some they don't want to carry back. They as that hot return any back that they are they had to be absent hunter.— your observation, keep it for the next morning, a large party of friends, but no tidings of the absent hunter.— your observation, keep it for the next morning, a large party of friends, bas occurred to you, divide it is observation will take the cloth on their return, if he ing his track until lost by a slight fall of circle. Don't shrug up your any "John Diamond "stroke of basiness, we should have been rather pleased with it. and recommended it to our friends; or if he had been able to mesmerize or frighten the said animal out of his every-day temper by word for it, the noise will so

for that point—some ten miles through the in proportion. There never snow - and reached the base of the moun-dark but that a happy hom thing for all to look forward

> A DELIGHTFUL LEGEND. There ing tradition connected with the which the temple of Solomon was It is said to have been occupient by two brothers, one of whom

THE KANSAS BORDER TROUBLES. Warsaw,

an enlarged understanding. But the class it the more unjust in this case, is the fact P. S. Since writing the above, Wm. W. abolitionists continued their murderous op- ble to bear the burden and be erations in Bourbon and Linn counties, Kan I will arise, take of my shois sas, hunting down and driving away all who with his, without his kn disapprove of their proceedings. The roads leading eastward from the territory are crowded with wagons filled with persons, male and female, escaping for their lives.— none; I will contribute to their A man named Bishop, residing four miles will arise, take of my shock, as those living within 25 or more miles of the line, were brought here for safe keeping.---protect the border. Forty muskets were sent the wonder and admiration of the munedietely. The citizens stand guard eve

ry night to prevent surprise. The citizens of Poppingsville and of all border towns also stand guard every night. A large meet-ing has been held here to take the border

oubles into consideration.' At the latest accounts Montgomery was still at or near Fort Scott, and defies the world to take him. It was thought he would eave on the approach of the forces under Generals Harney and Frost.

TOOTH PICKS. The New York Commercial ly, and blazed away at the co

thus tells where the most of those destructive little implements, (tooth picks,) which rections. The maniac coolly sur help to give Americans their reputation for scene, and again raised the guns poor teeth, are made. "A New Englander will produce a tooth pick with his kuife from almost everything except a bar of iron, but with all his invenre genius it has remained for the natives Chili to supply this tooth-picking nation with a large proportion of the instruments for gratifying their habit or necessity. The

d and decripid and the youth of both sexes of Chili are engaged in preparing those litthe orange sticks that one finds at every res-taurant and hotel in the city and country.

an hour. The sticks are then packed in bundles of a thousand each, and sent to this city; being imported expressly by a lady in

the other had none. On this sp a field of wheat. On the eve mutual astonishment, when, tween their respective shoets, arms full. Upon ground halls Alas, in these days, how me sooner steal their brother's whole add to it a single sheaf ! SHOOTING & CONGREGATION. In cisco, recently, as the congregatio Mary's Cathedral was dismissed ing service, a madman, with a de reled shot gun loaded with mile ba in each barrel-took a position on walk opposite the door of the ch as the people came forth took ain a scene of consternation that ensuinagined. The people scattered

was at that instant seized by a who also knocked the barrel of il elevation of his piece, so that a passed above the heads of his is tims. He was taken to the poly The where he explained that he was the instrument of the Almighty to he Romans," as he expressed it.

VENTILATION OF THE APPLE BO this we mean the boring of hele staves of the barrels that will cape of the moisture that is cons ing off from the newly-gathered hazard nothing in the statement half the fruit sent to this mark son, so far, has been materially this cause. The effect of confin on the apple is not apparent. ing-but as the surface dries begins to grow dull-looking, and skinned apple, in a day or two v the appearance of this steaming from confinement ures the sale of the fruit, but a AROOSTOOK FARMING. Mr. Henry A. Store, disappointment of the consume does not keep as he supposed it w son of Jacob Stone, Esq. of the Ocean Bank, coming home to Thanksgiving, has brought the variety of apples he CURTAILMENT OF BUSINESS. Times hears of large establi ing work which may not m to name. In Bridgport upward ployees are out of work : and in A 2000. Dunbars Hoop Skirt factory and in Ne is delighted with the country. We see no reason why he or any good farmer should tol has stopped work. The Plant Co., and the Southern Carriage ( Winstead, have had large South countermanded. The stoppage i mingham Iron and Steel Works is ed out on the roads. It is the most fertile blow to that village which bas ever experienced. The prosper many branches of business in orthern States will be prostrate potatoes, grass and other crops are coming winter.

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a small fountain of epsom salts ; not far off "story-papers" of this day.

suds; then iron springs, white, red and black body but Warren, Scott, Cooper, The Profess- not create uncalled for dissentions, nor assume later years is surely an improvement except sulphur springs; and soon a foul Stygian or, can write fiction-no such, thing; for we an interest in this question as simply one in growth. sluice, close to the wall, from which a steam know that, for instance, the New York Led. between the rival towns as such, but we do exhales that covers the overhanging earth ger has some very fine stories, full of human emphatically believe that it should be rewith a slimy deposite which as your clothes in ature and a valuable philosophic vein; but moved to Portland. Not because Augusta introduction in the base of the state of the if you touch it; it bites you as ravenously a certain quality of sensation newspaperdom has had it long enough, nor because Portland getting married. We do not doubt that they remarkably well filled, and the corn was as as aqua fortis. Whether the origin of the is simply foolish, pitifully small is a larger place, but just because there is think they are doing just the best thing they perfect as any grown this year in Essex can do; and we shouldn't wonder. We are contained wonder. We are the shouldn't wonder the shouldn't wonder. We are the shouldn't wonder the shouldn't wonder. We are the shouldn't wonder the shouldn't wonder the shouldn't wonder the shouldn't wonder. We are the shouldn't wonder the should the shouldn't wonder the should the sho entific gentlemen who have visited the ra- torted, and the object of the fiction lost or business consideration. And we believe the the hope that no particular paper will for herds and flocks; he has built his house, vinc. If it is volcanic, Satan's medicine worse than lost. So far from imagining cer- step will and ought to be taken to move it. cause them to dissolve. Go on, gentlemen. cleared his acres, gathered his first crop, and shop must not be very far below the line of tain characters real, we instinctively hope the Pluton Creck. they are not.

"After leaving the canon we tried a bath To him who really has an appreciative antly. The going was a compromise between al hogs killed since, which weighed any- ty cents an acre, and the value can be work-"After leaving the canon we trice a bath 10 him who rearry has an appropriative sleighing and wheeling, yet the roads and where from 400 to 500 lbs. We cannot bothheat to a bath-house an eighth of a mile dis-ries are a treat. There is something so lu-weather were both more favorable than usu-er ourselves about your little hogs. Send tant. It was refreshing, as a bath ought to dicrous in the "fine frenzy" of certain passa- al at this season of the year. The day was all such accounts of your "small fry" to some have supposed could not be grown, has be when the water is medicated with every ges. The "Three horsemen" of the "very very generally observed with the usual fession other papers where they would think produced 40, 50 and 60 bushels to the acre; kind of drug and vapor that separately is voluminous Mr. James" have ceased to be a tivities. Our neighboring towns it seems some other paper accounted serviceable to the human frame. formula for ridicule. We can pick out of did not forget it. One ablution in such a tide ought to save a our present periodical literature a thousand The dance at the "Bridgton House" was a

man from the possibility of rheumatism for just as good ones. "The day god looking out complete success. Chandler's band never ent, "Leah Lee" to our columns once more, man from the possibility of rheumanism for just as good ones. The day god totally due to any god totally due total the breathing of pure air, and the sight of many chivalric sons, and fair daughters of a fine gathering. The "internal arrange healthful bloom after two hours' rambling this literary Republic, daily subsisting up ments" were just what everybody expected after a long absence. We are always truly for grain, grazing, and other important items millions of bushels. At a low encoded with a long absence we are always truly for grain, grazing, and other important items millions of bushels. At a low encoded we are always truly for grain, grazing, and other important items corn crop of Illinois will amount a may always be so fortunate as to hear from Herald. nearthful bloom after two hours ramoning this interary nepublic, daily substitute of "nice" may always be so over the hot ashes and through the Tartare. on a diet of "moonlight and manslaughter" - "not bad to take" - any quantity of "nice" her occasionally. an streams. How delightful that so little which in point of nourishment is far infe- ties," accompanied with what the hungry of visible Nature is a laboratory in which rior to that of any nation under the sun.--- boy called contentment :-- "Butter on two we see her chemical processes raw ! The Three forms or styles or story-tolling are al plates and bread all over the table !" more wonderful chemistry is that which is ways pleasing and allowable; to be truth-

sheathed in beauty. There is more violent ful; to lie so extravagantly as not be crediappeal to the senses in the column of steam ted at all, but to be called *clever* at the busi- day) promises to make the sleighing good appeal to the senses in the column of steam that roars through the crevice of clinkers, and mounts a hundred first to melt away; but there is greater power and more cun-what ought to be true, or what has a moral but there is greater power and more cun-but there is greater power an but there is greater power and more cun- what ought to be true, or what has a moral sport was commenced in good earnest. Last the bar-rooms. The worshippers call up not ning handling of the chemical forces in the tendency, an elevating and ennobling imag- night pretty much everybody was out, and the spirits of the departed, but the spirits the tree veins, to be arrested in the sub- ed which has no one of the recommendations the ice. It was decidedly a novel use of them, done against the lamp-posts and street cors ance of leaf and twig, and in the sorcery we consider it a duty to speak of it; and but probably not the last time they may be hers, as the devotees wend their way home. come on a pair of legs?' The expense attending the circle depends up. 'Wall, I done it, anyhow.' of tree trunk that will stand five hundred bination for themselves, test it by natural

years. In the Devil's Canon' we see nature reason, we should have no fears for them in analytic and critical, her works is mostly the future.

Another fall of snow this (Wednes-

death. In the flowers, and groves, and hill-sides lined with beauty, just outside the sul-phurous gorge, and in the blue air and noise-less light, we see Nature synthetic and crea-tire, wranniar, her soils in group are soils in a late number of a sen-stion paper, "E. B." tells of "An adventure less night, we see Nature synthetic and crea-tire, wranniar, her soils in group are soils in group are soils in group are soils in group and the bear astride of the function of the soils of the soils of the soil of the soil of the soils of the soils of the soil of the soils of the soils of the soil of the soils of the soils of the soil of the soils of tive, wrapping her acids in sweetness, vail- him-a big bear-an awful disagreeable Portland Transcript will lecture next week men is ever sorenty-

consume about twenty thousand

Lots of our young people in the vic- some of the first fruits of his Aroostook farm. to suppose it would. Prematan marry a wife or to lay the foundation

Jar Since writing our paragraph on Thanksgiving passed off very pleas-muly. The going was a compromise between equal to any in the land. People are misin-

The We welcome our valued correspond-winters are long, but not more severe than Department of the Illivois Centra nt, "Leah Lee" to our columns once more, here; and we have no doubt the Aroostook Company, estimates the wheat cre

Don't forget among the other "signs evening a crowd of lawyers had collected of the times," the one just put out by our around the open fire that blazed cheerfully on friend Woodbury. All kinds of teeth fixed the hearth in the bar-room, when a traveler entered, benumed with the cold; but not one

ensued : on the quality of the spirits.

To those of our readers who will see THE RECENT GALE ON THE LAKES. The De-To those of our readers who will see TIT RECENT GALE ON THE LAKES. The De-this number of the Reporter, Thursday, let troit Advertiser states that thirty Total and there? Some of us Chatham.

What a distance to

'Did you ever pass through hell, in any of your travels ?

You look like a traveler ?'

formed in regard to soil and climate.

Oh, you'll find them much the same as in

Three this place-the lawyers oil nearest the fire. Mr Churchill's barn, in Norridgewock, daught

was blown down during the lats gale.

ILLINOIS. Col. Foster, the head d The least twenty-five millions of dollar producers; being of wheat and com HAD HIM. During the sitting of a court than ten times the quantity project whole of New England. The The stock is estimated at one hundres o. dollars.

> Prince Napoleon's proposed up country appears to be fully desired will be accompanied by several ma ters, professors and artists.

> > MARRIAGES.

In Lovell, Nov. 29, Mr. Williss Miss Amelia Gordon, both o Dean H. Wiley to Miss Abb In Fryeburg, 29th hirley to Miss Emily ewis to Miss Susan Sh Shirley to Miss Lizza Woodwird, In Chatham, N H Nov. 24, Chandler to Miss Abby S. Briesen

DEATHS

In this town, 19th alt., Lilian B aughter of Newton P. and Sussil aged II days.

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### SACRED LOVE.

Who ever saw the earliest roses First open her sweet breast? Or, when the summer sun goes down, The first soft star in evening's crown Light up her gleaming crest!

Fondly we seek the dawning bloom On features wan and fair-The gazing eye no change can trace, But look away a little space, Then turn, and lo ! 'tis there.

But there's a sweeter flower than e'er Blushed on the rosy spray-A brighter star, a richer bloom, Than e'er did western Heavens illume At close of summer day.

'Tis love, the last, best gift of Heaven; Love, gentle, holy, pure, But tenderer than a dove's soft eye, The searching sun, the open sky, She never could endure.

Even human love will shrink from sight Here in the coarse, rude, earth ; How then should rash, intruding glance Break in upon her sacred trance Who boasts a Heavenly birth?

A SAILOR'S DESCRIPTION OF A DANCE,-"Havn't had any fun with the land lubbers till Thursday night at a dance. When I arrived in the cabin, I found them under headway of a Spanish Dance. Took my station in line with Suke Tucker-fell back and filled, then shot ahead two fathemshauled up on the starboard tack to let an-

the good sense of the applauders, which give prove their voices by wearing them on the breast, PRICE 18 3-4 CENTS. value to reputation.

be covered with a table cloth.

When minds are not in unison, the words of love itself are but the rattling of the chain that tells the victim that he is bound.

Never spank your children with a hand-

saw, or box their ears with a hatchet. It is apt to effect their brains. Cunning is only the mimic of discretion, and may pass upon weak men just as port-ness is often mistaken for wit, and gravity The solve articles are sold by 27,000 agents throughout the United States Cana-das and South America, at wholesale by all large Druggists in the principal cities. HERRICK & BRO. ness is often mistaken for wit, and gravity for wisdom.

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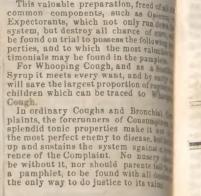
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