The breeches of promise, young man, are the ones you haven't paid for yet. A rather free-spoken young lady up-

town is called electricity because she

shocks so many people. A Wheeling editor's library has been swept away by the flood, leaving only a volume of water.

A Manchester (N. H.) man found ninety-nine shoe nails in a chicken's gizzard. The result of frequent "shooing" probably.

As a rule, everything eatable at table should be eaten with spoon or fork. Stewed prunes, however, may be taken with a pruning knife.

The folks who saw his shadow on the window curtain thought he was in a paroxysm of delirium. But he was merely putting on his overcoat.

A Boston car conductor never says "Hurry up!" It would be contrary to culture, His elegant phrase is: "Exercise a little celerity, if you please."

"Do you want the ring 14 or 18 carat?" said the jeweller to a customer. "Oh, I don't carat all. This is the third woman I've married, and I ain't very particular.

They do say that the photograph of a Colorado senator got mixed into a pack of cards in use at a game in Washington and wasn't noticed for eight hands, everybody playing it for the Jack of spades.

A San Francisco man was recently found dead with a bottle of water clutched in his nerveless, hand. He had probably in a thoughtless moment taken a swallow of it and the shock proved too much for

Stock for English melodrama: One healthy villain who puts up a job on the hero, packs the jury, and sends him to the penitentiary for indefinite period. One heroine who scorns villain's matrimonial offersand sticks to hero who has put his foot in it. One comic cockney in a red vest. One comic policeman A pasteboard bridge, some snow. . Where am I Me brain reels!" - "Leave me, sir! loathe you!" "Naught remains now but to beg!" "Merciful heavens!" "Hi! "Yum-yum?" Mix these well. Keep vice ahead until the last act and Nettie turned to him with a little gasp, then give virtue a chance. The design of | too bewildered and taken aback to speak, the play is to show how the villains would while Jenny and Mrs. Clare pressed not have been foiled except for their own foolishness.

SCENES IN TANGIERS.

Strange Sights in the Stree's of the

Morocco Capital. Just low the hotel and outside the gate of the city is the soko or marketplace. On Sundays and Thursdays it is tilled with a motley crowd, who bring game, meat, eggs, fowl, and other provisions from the surrounding country. It is here that Gibraltar obtains its sup- a little brusquely, for he hated to think

Here you see the genuine Bedouin Wild and dirty as he is, he is clean when compared with the horridlooking men from the Riff coast, descend- value of her gift was nothing; in her new ants of the old pirates. They are wild state she could afford that and more. But and untamed, and fiercer than wild ani- these had been a sort of fetish to the Nora mals. They do not even cover their heads, of the old days. She who would cheer-Their heads are closely shaved after leav. fully strip herself of every other possesing a lock by which they fervently be- sion lent these only with extreme reluctlieve that Mohammed will pull them up ance. It had always seemed to hurt her to heaven. The Jews are very numerous, | to see them glittering on Cristine's white They are known by their peculiar dresses. neck and arms, as, at the time of the They cringe to the dust and put up with Nettleton balls, they not unfrequently every insult so as to remain in Tan- did, for Miss Singleton admired the pretty

is infernal. At least five thousand tongues knew in his heart that, if Nora had been are at work. You can hardly force your Arthur Beaupre's wife, she would have way through the crowd. Once on the worn her mother's pearls at her own bridal, outskirts you are lost in great herds of and parted with them only at her cattle and strings of loaded donkeys from | daughter's; but now what did another Brrbary. These little creatures carry link with the old life matter? wonderful loads. They look small by the "There is a note too," Nettie said. side of the camels. These animals, re- flushing with pleasure as she read the few lieved of their loads, are lying down in a lines Nora had enclosed to give fresh circle with their fore-legs tied together. value to her present. "Oh, read it, Near them are numbers of goatskin tents, Vance; is it not kind?" filthy in the extreme, and only high It was, the young man thought, as enough to sit under. The confusion is kind as it was brief-a last glimpse of the terrible. Some of the men are banging old Nora, who was to be merged in Lady on drums, and others are playing the de Gretton so soon-alittle praise of Vance,

mob of water-carriers. Tattered rags lover's. fluttered over their naked legs. They fought fiercely for precedence in filling girl cried enthusiastically. "She has their water skins. Women whose faces given the one thing that was wanting to were covered with the exception of an eye, make me quite content. No, no, do not crouched ou the ground near by, selling be absurd, sir. I did not me in the pearls, bread. The magnificent Moor in flowing of course, but a word of kindness from white robe and spotless turban, strutted your own home. majestically by, not deigning to cast his | "Nora was always kind and thoughtful with men sitting cross-legged. Above, old playfellow's pain. "Poer Nora, I awaiting the answer to their modest desperately struggling female figure. below, around, and beneath there was wish we in turn could do something for summons, "After all, you know, I had "Vance, come! I canuot hold her any dirt of every description. Fortunately her!' for us, the viler smells had been tempered "Who knows? Perhaps we may," by recent rains. In summer the stench is Nettie said, with a sagacious nod.

said to be almost unbearable. This morning we were awakened early Vance laugh. by a great noise. We heard cries, shouts, "My dear Nettie," he said with his most woman who opened the gate civilly in- while his eyes turned eagerly to her, he and beating of drums, the firing of guns, superior air, "do you really imagine that formed them that Cliff Cottage was not on restrained the woman's desperate struggles and the steady tramp of animals, biped Mrs. Vance Singleton could render Lady and quadruped. These were the thous- de Gretton any service? That would to their home in Fez, Morocco, and the lion!" great desert of Sahara. - There is, how-New York Sun.

. . . A Warning. Some weeks ago a Halifax Methodist minister married a soldier to a young girl in that city without the necessary license having first been obtained. The understanding was that one would be procured next day in order to meet the requirements of the law. The rascal has since endeavoured to throw the girl off, taking set her free. advantage of the fact that the marriage been fined \$200 for his part in the loose transaction. If the punishment will have the tendency of making other minimportant duties vested in them by virtue of their office much good will come out of the exemplary punishment. The on them without taking any pains whatever to enquire fully, or at all into the circumstances of the case,

his promotion, Bishop Wilberforce said : cent heads. purse for it."

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Love's Questioning.

BY R CROOKENDEN. If from my furtive eye should spring The mute confersion of a lo k: And to my cheek his glances bring (Like timid bid on doubtful wing) The ready blush Love ne'er mistook-Then, should his eye a truant prove, And, wanton, reek another's love.

Would scorn then weigh my eyelids down?
And all my pleasant dreams be flown? Ah Lo! His presence yet my heart would fill With throbbings I could never still, And tell-tale brushes glow apace. and drive the stoic from my face.

Could I forget and coldly frown?

And Should be whisper in mine ear A secret both our hearts had known. Which, like the vale when Summer's near, Or joy's involuntary tear. And all too full for silence grown ; And should be then Love's suken chain With ruthless hand throw off again Could I in anger breathe his name? Or bight with bitter spire his fame?

Or glory in his loss or shame? His truant beart I'd strive to reach With wiles tau only I ove can teach; I'd lure him with each tender race holds a place.

cchide But O! how cruel This trusting hea so fond and true; His blindness, apatny and pride Still take him farther from my side. Wed be it so. Ingrate adicu! But could'st thou sound before we part The deep recesses of this heart, Oh, what would'st thou not give to share The treasures that he hidden there!

Will naught thy wiiful heart ensnare? Then go! Go, blinged go, and rever more Shall Love present so rich a store, But thou gost wound me, cruel Fate-I must not love, yet cannot hate.

CHAPTER XVII.—(CONTINUED.) "Nora has sent you her most prized possession," said Vance abruptly, as forward to examine the costly gift.

"But ought I to take them, Vance, she asked shyly—"jewels like these? "My dear, she is weighed down with iewels. Nora has more than she will ever wear or care for.'

"But her mother's jewels-rurely she must prize them !" the girl said, in a tone almost of distress. "If they had been any other jewels!"

"My dear Nettie, she could not give you Lord de Gretton's presents ; these are her own," the young man answered the state to which his step-sister must have been brought before this last sacrifice was made.

Nora had always been generous-the jewels sincerely and what she admired or The noise and din in the market-place covet she seldom failed to obtain. Vance

khutah, which is infinitely worse than the 'a fervent wish for his happiness, a promise of future friendship-that was all; but it On passing through two gates we came brought the tears to Nettie's honest eyes to a fountain. It was surrounded by a and an uncomfortable dimness to her

"How sweet she is, Vance!" the little

ever, a dense resident population .- Cor. up innocently into the handsome face. "Why, Vance, what a singularly a propos! quotation! The mouse did-free the lion, you know, when the lion was caught in |

> The saucy little creature certainly had the best of the argument, as Vance was forced, with a grim smile, to admit. But allegory in his thoughts, and remembered strange ignorance of a matter of general prone head; the black hair fell back from had overtaken the man and killed him, that from the toils in which Nora had

was not a legal one. The minister has the altar, and left them in her mother's his lordship and her ladyship to-day." charge when the young pair started on their brief honeymoon-trip. It was a very brief one-an elysian week across isters more careful how they perform the the silver Solent, and then back to hard here to-day.'

work and homely duties. A round of country engagements lay words, and left the young pair staring . "Vance!" Nettie's voice broke in upon fact is that many ministers are entirely before them, and then that grand debut blankly each in the face of the other. To the young man's trance of horror. While too carelessin regard to the way they per- in town which was to make or mar Vance each the shock was great; to Vance it he stood staring, trying vainly to underform their marriage ceremonies. They Singleton's fortune, and which, in either brought a sharp and stinging pain. The stand, she had poured brandy from a appear to act as though they did not feel case, was to be the signal for breaking the thought that his little sister Nora, his pet flask, and in her quiet helpful fashion, had any responsibility, rested upon them news to the Bruces. On this they were playmate and loyal friend, was so near at done her best to call the wandering spirit both agreed; Nora's wedding would be hand, and yet so immeasurably distant, back. "Vance, come here! What does marriages might be averted if they did over and Lord de Gretton's haughty dis- brought him down from his happy cloud- this mean ?" but faithfully, and deliberately their part pleasure a thing of small account. Once land into a disenchanted region of uncomof the work, instead of hastily going they knew Nettie, Captain and Mrs. Bruce fortable fact. over the service for any persons calling were sure to like her, the bridegroom "I wish I had seen her!" Nettie said, stained lace round the pretty wrists, to well, she would be horrified, of course; glance wistfully up at the green belt of blood. but he could not mould his life anew to trees and the pretty white cottage, on "Wash them, Vance," She turned please Cristine. So they planned the which tho sunlight fell dazzlingly. "Shall away her head, not able to endure the course of events, hopefully and cheerfully I ever see her, Vance ?"

so terrible a celebrity was soon to attach. de Gretton's wife; and yet --- The sort of blind stupor, finding as yet no finally overthrown.

great. a hall of any decent size or shape, and on before them, and they were burdened Nettie, who, on the strength of her only with the ulsters, travelling wraps, growing popularity, was getting a little and hand-bags which even the wisest of proud, was very much disposed to pooh- women will deem necessary. hand of Providence most surely led.

outskirts of the town, up the green fern- before the day is out. clad hills, and through the lovely over- Nettie laughed, and drew her straps a amid the slippery boulders, sailed on the brightlyoddest and most unexpected fashion.

"Sorry!"-the pretty girlish face, to is very disappointing." which the fresh morning breeze gave back "It is indeed," the woman said sympaall the dainty coral tints the gaslight stole thetically. "Little Polly-my grandchild her answer. "Vance, I wish we could train goes at six." stop here for a month-and we must go, "At six a.m. precisely," Vance said

lie on your back in the shade and dreamily that's all." only I don't believe the English language finished, with her quaint little shrug. supplies 'soonest' with a rhyme. We have laid in a large stock of fresh air and sunshine; we have seen all :hat is to be

"That I deny," Nettie broke in energetically. "There is one sight I have set my heart on seeing, Vance; and your laziness shall not stand in my way.

Vance groaned in spirit at the words. and looked with meek deprecation into his pretty tyrant's face, though all the time he knew the look was utterly wasted. If Nettie had a fault, of which fact he elt by no means sure, it was that she, so | fearfully energetic, had so little appreciation of the dolce far niente, which was the truest joy of her husband's life.

"Troubler of my tranquility," he said. with a deep sigh, "what is there you still wish to see?

"That," Nettie said, concisely; and she pointed with her forefinger up to the terraced height above, where a small pretty house gleamed marble white against the framing darkness of the trees. "My dear girl"-with great relief Vance dropped back in his place, nestling the back of his head comfortably in his open palms-"an Englishman's house is his castle. I cannot take it by storm and run the risk of being arrested as a trespasser, even to satisfy your laudable interest in your neighbours' affairs."

"Have you quite done ?" Nettie asked not, you foolish boy ?"

"But this not a castle, but a cottage," Vance pleaded forlornly.

that in the guide-book, Vance; so you see voice.

it must be true." was evidently useless. He resigned him-

no business to tyrannise and triumph over longer !" Nettie gasped; and in another

(over you like that." Poor Nettie! It was well she made her slipped gently to the ground. The words, seriously spoken, made little apology when she did, for, after For the moment the young fellow

view that day. "But I understand from the guide-book | Suddenly those struggles ceased, the ands who had filled the "soko" returning indeed be a case of the mouse and the that it was always open to tourists," per- head Iropped back on his shoulder, the "Exactly so," Nettie agreed, looking look; and her husband could not repress sudden was the change from violent an unmerciful grin.

cumstances, you see---" "I suppose that Mr. Dalmayne has re- have fallen.

and engrossing interest. "Mr. Dalmayne, the white ghastly face. It was Nora!

CHAPTER XVIII.

The woman closed the gate with the not, could not be !

In his reply to the congratulations of enough knowing nothing of the storm- The young man shook his head; his self; she has been driven mad! Oh, several English Temperance societies on cloud gathering darkly over their inno- honest bright young eyes were dark with Heaven help us all!

It was the regatta week, the annual young pair however, had not much time clue to the maze of horror in which his awakening of the slumberous little place, for moody thought; they were to leave mind was lost. and the run on amusements of any kind Stoke Vernon by the early morning train, | Meantime, with a long gasping breath, was-for Stoke Vernon-tremendously and travel straight to Glasgow, where their Nora opened her eyes. They rested on

not, of course, possess a theatre, or even Sydney Vansittart's name, had been sent glance. and here! And I---

pooh the engagement. But her husband's As fate would have it, Vance grumbled popularity was still in the clouds, she had a little at these superfluities when she set a vecant week, and, even could be have them out overnight; but Nettie laughingly spared the pound, he could not spare the appealed to the landlady, with whom she practice, so he asserted his rights as lord was at the moment settling all accounts, and master to a zept the manager's offer, to say if she had one article too many, and Nettie, with only the mute protest of and the good woman promptly assured an exquisitely comical grimace, gave in, her she had not, adding with that superior and followed him whither the guiding smile which most men know only too well and dread-

The work was easy in that easy-going "Gentlemen never understand these place, and, as they had much time at things, mum. I dare say Mr. Vansittart their disposal, they wandered through the will be glad enough you took your wraps

arched lanes, lounged on the broad red little tighter as she looked over her sands, hunted for madrepores and sea- shoulder at her lord; the meekness of his anemones in the clear cool green pools aspect disarmed her, and she only said

summer sea, and, as Nettie said, renewed 'Oh, you must not think him a tyrant the enchantment of the honeymoon in the Mrs. Stubbs! He hardly ever grumbles; do you, Vance? But when I left so many ghastly horror, on the man's mind. "Are you sorry we came ?" Vance asked things out, I thought that maid, or dresser, her, with a half laugh, one morning, being with whom I made a half-engagement so very sure what the answer would be. would have been here to carry them. It

away, lighted all over with the energy of you know-might help; but I think the

with a laugh. "My dear Mrs. Stubbs, "Ah, well," he said philosphically-it you do not suppose I really mind those is very easy to be philosophical when you things! I claim my privilege to grun.ble, watch the gray spiral smoke of your cigar | "And, as I weakly told her what train float up in curling clouds to the far perfect | we start by, I have no doubt that Hesba

blue of a Devonshire sky-"ah, well, all Greer will meet us at the station, and things must end, the brightest the soonest! congratulate herself on the fact that we I should say that was a poetical quotation, have done all her work for her," Nettie And so the matter dropped, passing

from their thoughts as a thing of small account then, to be recalled with strange and startling significance afterwards. The next day, as fair and bright an

and Nettie early astir. Indeed a strange to foot, but made no effort to escape, der the doctor's personal observation are every young woman who ever expects to they had more than an hour to spare. Nettie said, with comic dismay. "We betrayed her.

Vance was nothing loath; so, softly letting themselves on they walked down the irregular II: over the hills

and so down to The wind blew Cacross the open sea : but hearted as any child, while her husband him on frantically. followed more soberly and more slowly, as became his condition.

much as she did, and followed the springy little smile. "For pity's sake waste no improper handling (If the bones are not or for seamstresses of any kind will at serenely. "Because, if so, you had better figure with admiring eyes, until it disap- time!" dust your coat, which is covered with red peared round a projecting point of the The walk to the station was a short one; case. The child refuses to nurse and that, too, by persons well qualified for the sand, and come up the hill with me. An cliff-line, where the boulders were thick- but it seemed to stretch on and on for ever. convulsions follow. A physician arrives, duties required. Let a good plain cook

get a nasty fall !" Vance cried, in sudden little town was emptying fast of the ings, convulsions and other symptoms con- quence is that really good plain cooks fear ; but the warning words had hardly visitors drawn thither by the regatta, and tinue until death ensues. This is said to are always in demand, always wanted and "Exactly. It is Cliff Cottage, the left his lips, when they were terribly Vance dreaded every moment, that he be no fancy sketch, but an every day oc- can always demand good situations and marine residence of our county member, answered by a wild despairing cry and an | would encounter sume chance theatrical currence. Mr. Dalmayne, and one of the show- agonized "Vance, Vance, Vance, for pity's sake acquaintance who would insist on pausing The custom of "bouncing" on the arms sewers are all the time crowded by too places of the neighborhood. I read all come quickly, !" in Nettie's clear shrill to bid him "good-bye." And beside that or lap for the supposed purpose of quiet- much competition. Cookery ought to be

Mr. Singleton did not see; but protest all that encumbered him and fly to his But fortune favored—no, Vance never from birth, by proper instructions to the cial reform in this direction would rise up self to his fate, which was not a very hard a thousand agonizing possibilities flashed verently and humbly he acknowledged should be taken that the child has a soft would confer a great blessing on the one, after all, for, though the sun was through his mind, a thousand scenes of that Heaven helped him in his desperate feather pillow to lay its head upon when world. warm, the paths were exquitely shady, horror rose before him, but not one need. He met no one. And Nora walk- asleep, during nursing, or when carried in and vistas of grien beauty opened on |-oh, merciful Heaven, not one, so ed beside him withan automatic obedience the arms or lap. This is probably the terrible, as that which met his sight!

"You are good-tempered," Nettie said, Upon the very verge of the sea, perched haughty glance at us. The streets for others," Vance said, with a sigh, his with an affectionate and remorseful on a slippery rock which every instant swarmed with children in various cos- own happiness making him in some dim squeeze of the gray-clad arm, as the hand- threatened to dislodge her, stood Nettie, tumes. The small shops were packed fashion comprehend the sharpness of his some young pair stood at the lodge gate, with both arms flung round a slender and

second Vance stood beside her, and she

all, the triumph was not hers. The thought only of his brave wife's peril, and with unconsciously savage force.

sisted poor Nettie, with a very crestfallen body lay an inert weight in his arms. So muscular action to complete repose that "Quite right, madam; but, in the cir- it nearly overbalanced him, and, but for Nettie's prompt movement, he would

turned home?" Vance interposed, think- "The poor creature has fainted; she ing it time to come to the poor baffled ex- tried to kill herself! Oh, Vance, who is

"Oh, no, sir !" the woman said, with a Nettie's terrified whisper thrilled him the smile soon faded, for he carried on the surprised look, as though he had shown like an electric shock. He lifted the

even ceased to struggle Death alone could is still in Italy; but did you not know that "Nora!" Vance said blankly; and he he has rented the cottage to Lord de could say no more. For the moment his The next day Nettie were her pearls at | Gretton for his honeymoon? We expect senses deserted him, and he thought he had indeed gone mad. The whole thing seemed so wildly incredible. Nora, the Wade. The photograph was a striking evident enough, however, that the great courted, flattered bride of yesterday, "Lord de Gretton and his lady will be Nora, Lady de Gretton, this desperate fugitive, this would-be suicide! It could

spots on the soft velvet skirt, to the proudly thought; and as for Cristine- pausing at the brow of the steep hill to the small cold hands, which were red with

terrible sight. "She has tried to kill herpain. Still it was hard to give up all She broke down in a passion of hister Bishop Simpson, in opening the Meth- Cardinal Manning is a practical man, cue the lad, but were unable to reach "He was thankful every day that he was | The end of August found them finishing thought of seeing Nora; nothing seemed ical tears, a brief storm that cleared the odist Episcopal Temperance Conference, and moreover a strong believer in the himonaccount of the thinness of the ice, and

next engagement was made; their lug- the white stern face that bent above her, The queer irregularly-built town did gage, duly labelled with Mr. and Mrs. wildly at first, then with a recognizing contains an article of such general interest suppose that the mountains of Abyssinia

> She raised her head from Nettie's lap article relates to the prevalent infant and that again with the Lebanon, the and looked round her, then at her dress, and then, oh, Heaven, the wordless horror etc., which has heretofore proved ex- the Alps. So that it is not very farof her look, the maddened gleam of the tremely fatal, the number of deaths in fetched to say that there is an almost condark dilating eyes !- she threw out her this country alone reaching an annual to- tinuous line of elevation, whether marked arms and would have broke into the weird | tal of twenty-five thousand. The technical | by plateaus or sierras, or isolated peaks,

she said authoritatively. "We are here health between Drs. Verdi, Bliss, and object of his expedition, Mr. Johnston to save you-Vance and I." But Nora struggled pitifully to break cases of this malady came under Dr. Harti- whether Kilimanjaro belonged to Europe from the strong kind clasp.

one hand upon her lips.

way !" she moaned restlessly. "Vance mining the cause or nature of a disease so present South African forms of life, they will hang me if I am found! Arthur fatal within the first month of infantile which have been driven in the course of is here, alive and well, and he-is dead existence. -murdered!"

steady purpose. She had divined already the extent and fatality of this disease, and ward of the several glacial epochs which that which was slowly dawning, in all its it is remarkable that nearly every physi- passed over Europe, and whether, in sternly; and the answer came with a noticed that there was always an overlap- its fauna and flora with those of the Alps, terrible promptitude that made his heart | ping of the occipital and parietal bones in | the Taurus, and the Himalayas. The stand still.

out her hands with a loathing gesture. 'His blood is upon me-the curse of Cain! Oh, Vance, for my father's sake, for yours, for all of our sakes, let me die! The sea! is better than the hangman!"

Vance, it may be false or true, this the history of his teaching. story ; but, truth or delusion, we must

save her, if there is yet time. you must obey us now. We are leaving matter of posture. When a child is laid for "love or money." It is just possible this place; you must travel with us. upon its back, with its head resting on a that love is the condition on which more Remember that one word such as you hard substance, such as his mother's arm, of them are obtained than money. Many have spoken here would kill your father. the yet unhardened bones overlay and a good love match, however, brings to

Do you understand me ?"

cannot stay here all that time; let us run down and have a farewell peep at the Vance," she said, with an authority her woman who had lost three-children from even the success and prosperity of the husband dare not dispute. "The things this same disease saved the fourth by fol- household as plain cooking. are there ; it will all seem natural. Do lowing directions as to the position in If girls or women understanding good

not waste an instant." "And you ?"

Nevertheless he enjoyed the expedition as travel with you," she said, with a ghastly and fretful perhaps, it only needs a little male help, for clerks, or for milliners,

Englishman may show his castle, may he est and the red sand was hardly to be seen. And on that morning, early as it was, the but the cause is not recognized, and all be advertised for, however, and the ex-"Take care you foolish child-you may streets were by no means deserted; the sorts of remedies are employed. Twitch- perience is quite different. The conse-

It hardly took him a second to lay down Nora's frenzy would break out again, against the disease ought to be observed than it is. If some great leader of a sowife's assistance, yet in that flash of time used that false and flippant phrase; re- mother and attendants, and especial care and popularize the business, he or she that saved her. They reached the station, reason why there are not more victims of mingled unobserved with the boisterous, trismus among the better class of people, chatting, laughing crowd that waited for among whom infants are not allowed to appear to have made much progress as the "cheap and nasty train," and almost lie upon the back in a narrow crib long yet in clerical circles. Commissions of before her husband dared expect her, enough for injurious effects, among whom inquiry are continually being appointed

Nettie joined him there. (TO BE CONTINUED.)

A TERRIBLE END.

Blooddhousds in Texas Missouri, from Texas, to the effect conclusion Dr. Hartigan states that the been made out against him, he has, after that Clifton-Wade, the man who investigations are yielding good results. unconditional submission to his diocesan, brutally murdered Robert Cummmings During the past year, even with the in- been suspended from his clerical office of the men, who called himself Wilson, whom it is fast becoming known and un- ance. Is it possible that a constitutional on suspicion. The other man escaped. derstood by mothers. Bloodhounds were put upon the track of the fugitive and were followed by the officers. When the officers came up to the hounds, not far from the town, they mangling his body in a most horrible man-

One of the officers had photographs of several criminals whem they were seeking likeness of the dead man, and the officers concluded that the corpse must be that of the Monroe county murderer. Wade was supposed to be somewhere in the south, and two months ago a man was arrested in Tennessee answering his desbring him back, but failed to identify him as the person wanted. Wade has killed several men, and was a terror to the neighborhood in which he lived.

P. T. Barnum's will, which has just been made, covers seven hundred pages. He will most likely advertise it as "the greatest will on earth."

a total abstainer. He was better in a week's engagement at Stoke Vernon, more improbable than friendship between atmosphere, and left brave Nettie free to Philadelphia, declared that through principle that example should always enhealth, lighter in head, and heavier in the small West-Country town to which a couple of strolling players and Lord think and act. Vance obeyed her, in a woman's suffrage, the rum traffic would be force precept, in temperance as well as in lord think and act. Vance obeyed her, in a woman's suffrage, the rum traffic would be

A WARNING TO MOTHERS.

Result in Convulsions and Death.

Vance Singleton glanced at his wife; thirty-eight pages, no less than two hun- of the more vigorous northern agencies; her face was deathly white, but full of dred authorities are quoted in reference to or whether it makes an extension southcian has a different theory. In making that case, will be found on its summit "Who is dead, Nora?" Vance asked post-mortem examinations Dr. Hartigan creatures or plants which will connect the head of the infant. He naturally as- lecturer explained at length the results "Lord de Gretton. Look !"-holding sociated the fact with the cause of death, obtained by previous explorers, and conand in pursuing his investigation he found | cluded by stating that the name Kilithat the same discovery had been made | manjaro did not mean Mountain of Greatsome thirty years previously by the cele- | ness, but the Mountain of Njaro-or the brated Dr. J. Marion Sims, then of Ala- Wicked Spirit-who is supposed by the bama. But Dr. Sim's views were not ac- natives to cause the biting cold, and to "She is mad," Nettie said, noticing the cepted by the profession, a fact which up inflict on them such ills as chilblains and abhorrence with which Vance drew back to his death was sensitive matter to him, frostbites. from this plain confession of her crime. for it was almost a solitary exception in

The main point which Dr. Hartigan establishes in his article is that the cure is which the child should be held.

In all the whirl and confusion of the chronic form of the disease, is said to be educated classes are concerned, would not moment, with Nora's hand held tightly the modern baby carriage. A child is be so great, but this is very far from bein her trimly within his arm, and his heart throbbing laid in this deep, narrow, coffin-like con- ing the case. Plain cooking is evidently buttoned ulster and close little velvet cap, in a mingled tumult of horror and pity at trivance, pillow crosswise. The body as considered "too common," or "too vul did not mind the chilliness, and revelled the contact, Vance glanced back still at well as the head sinks in the middle. gar," or too much of a mere drudgery to in the salt sea-breeze. Chatting gaily, the slender girl-figure bareheaded in the The child has no room to turn, and if it get its fair share of attention even among she ran on from stone to stone, as light- morning sunlight; but she only waved could it would be in imminent danger of those who are dependent on their daily "Go ; I will follow with the things, either side. Arriving home after its jolt- large city in Canada or the United States You forget Mrs. Vansittart's maid will ing and head-jarring expedition, panting to-day, an advertisement asking for fe-

terror was the other haunting fear that ing the baby is another evil. Precaution | made more fashionable and more popular too, they have the attention of well paid by bishops to investigate accusations of nurses and the benefit of frequent change | drunkenness brought against clergymen of position from the lavish manner in by members of their flocks. One of the

which they are fondled.

There is a general outcry in regard to the Government of Russia-which is represented almost exclusively by the Czar generous liquor imbibed by their prede--that it is entirely too despotic. There is a good deal of sympathy with the Nihilists because of this firmly establish by the bottle without apparently suffering ed despotism. Years ago one witty writer intimated that Russia despotism was parish was not more free in his libations and one of these was that of Clifton tempered merely by assassination. It is mass of the Russian people are yet too deficient in general intelligence to be pre- steady gait. The whole question is pared for any such system of representative government as prevails with us. It ette. is stated on good authority that no less than ninety per : nt. of the population of cription. The Sheriff of Monroe county Russia cannot either read or write. A left here with the necessary papers to more liberal system of government is cer- aged ten, while skating at a mill pond in tainly needed in that great empire, but it | Salem, Mass., ventured out too far on the must be inaugurated by a much more thin ice, near the lower sluice way, where liberal educational system. What a con- there is a powerful current, and fel trast there is between Prussia and Russia through. A Newfoundland dog, who had in regard to the educational facilities for followed the little fellow to the shore, at the people!

Robert Lincoln is looming up as a possi- allus de pussan ob de moas consequence. and diving quickly, brought the boy to ble presidental candidate. Well, he's the A 15 cent drunkard wants mo' room in the surface, dragging him thence to the son of his father and a good specimen of dis world dan de judge of de supreme shore. Some men in the vicinity who

KILIMANJARO.

The Snowy Mountains of I quaterial

Africa.

This was the subject of a lecture de-

livered recently at the Royal Institution

by Mr. H. H. Johnston, who is about to head an expedition, under the auspices of the British Association and the Royal society, for the purpose of exploring the region of the Kilimanjaro and thoroughly exploring its flora and fauna. The mountain in question, which is 18,000 feet above the sea level, is the highest point of a chain stretching from Abyssinia, and continuing again until the lofty ranges in the neighborhood of Nyass Lake is reached. These on their part are connected across the Zambesi and Matabeleland, with chains of hills and high tablelands, which in their turn trend their How Incorrect Helding of Infants May way into the mountain ranges of Natal and southern Africa. With a little stretch It is not often that a medical journal of imagination, said the lecturer, we may as that contributed by Dr. J. F. Hartigan are slightly connected northward, by "Vance," she said horsely-"Vance! to the current issue of the American means of the Nubian and West Arabian Journal of the Medical Sciences. The hills, with the mountain mass of Sinai, malady known as spasms, nine-day fits, Caucausus, the Taurus, the Balkans, and wailing cry that woke the dangerous name trismus nascentium, will be remem- extending from the West Asiatic and midechoes once before; but Nettie placed bered by those who were interested in the European systems down the cast side of lively discussion which took place upon this Africa to the cape, and in this long line "Be silent, for your own sake and ours," disease in the meeting of the beard of Kilimanjaro comes nearly midway. One others. It was at this time that several went on to explain, was to determine gan's observation, and he became gradual- or the cape; whether this snowy mountain "No, no, let me die; it is the only ly impressed with the importance of deter- had intercepted and retained some of the time to the temperate regions of the In the article referred to, which covers south by the incursion across the Sahara

"Wanted, a Good Plain Cook."

New York papers complain that good "Listen, Nora! For your father's sake not in medicine, but that it is simply a plain cooks cannot now be obtained there press upon the base of the brain, causing the fortunate man in the case a very poor Nora's wild passion had exausted her spasms and death. By allowing the child cook. Why such an important branch of strength by this time. Only the un- to rest upon its side or on a soft pillow, female industry as plain cooking should natural glitter of the restless eyes told of no such trouble can result, and the child generally receive such very little atten-August morning as ever dawned upon this the fire that burned within. Sne bent remains unafflicted. In support of this, tion seems inexplicable. It ought to be sad and sin-stained earth found Vance her head, and stood trembling from head a large number of cases which came un a prominent part of the real education of restlessness possessed them both. When while Nettie, rapidly removing her own cited, and it is shown that a change of have charge of a household of her own; they had swallowed the milk and bread ulster, buttoned it over the tell-tale dress posture, unless the physician's aid was but, as a matter of fact, many young Mrs. Stul bs laid out in the little sitting which she could not touch without a sought too late, always resulted in cure. ladies whose education is "finished," and room, it was still only half past-four; shudder, placed the black velvet hat on More than this, and in sdirect proof of the who may have carried off high honors, the bare head, and tied a thick Shetland | theory, Dr. Hartigan tates that he has even in scientific subjects, know little "Your watch was wrong, Vance," veil across the face that must needs have produced spasms at will, simply by press- theoretically, absolutely nothing practicaling together the two bones mentioned. In ly about such a necessary matter "Take her to the station at once, one instance, it is stated that a German to the good health, the happiness, and

cookery could be easily procured the evil, Another fruitful cause, especially of the | so far as the neglect among wealthy and smothering from the raised pillow on industry. In Toronto or in any other already dislocated) to inaugurate the dis- once receive hundreds of responses, and good pay, whereas good clerks, and good

The temperance movement does not commissions was appointed the other day A table of 220 deaths accompanies the to inquire into no fewer than eleven A Missouri Murderer Torn to Pieces by article, showing that, contrary to the specific charges of drunkenness against theories of some physicians, the average the rector of a country parish, and hav-News has just reached Moberly, is the same in winter and summer. In ing reported that a prima-facie case had at Madison, Monroe county, last summer, crease in population, only thirty-four for two years. The punishment is not has been torn to pieces by bloodhounds. cases were reported by the coroner, a re- too severe considering the scandal caused The particulars are as follows: Two men duction of 37 per cent. from the previous by the spectacle of a pastor reeling about went into Waxahatchie, Ellis county, year and 46 per cent. less than the year his parish in a state of intoxication; but Tex., on the 18th inst., and offered horses | 1879. He naturally attributes this grati- | the frequency of these cases suggests the for sale. The officers suspected that the fying exhibit to his efforts to bring the probability of some especial cause for the horses had been stolen, and arrested one | matter to the notice of midwives, through | alarming increase of clerical intemperchange has taken place in the clergy of the present day, or that the wine they drink is of so inferior a quality that it effects their heads more readily than the cessors? Clergymen in former years were in the habit of drinking port wine any ill effects. Even the squire of the than the parson who dined with him, yet he seldom landed his guest beneath the table, or even sent him home with an unshrouded in mystery .- St. James' Gaz-

Presence of Mind in a Dog.

The Boston Journal says, Elmer Wier, once perceived the lad's danger, and ran to his assistance. The boy, in the mean An observant negro says: "De man time, had been drawn under the ice. The who takes up the moas sidewalk am not dog made a large space of open water, witnessed the accident attempted to res-