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WATCHES, WATCHES, WATCHES.

: IN :
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Our Scrap Book.

Bismark's most novel birthday present was a wooden devil, life size, in 17th century costume. The devil was carved in Italy about two hundred years ago, with the most painstaking skill of the carver of that time. It is worth \$3,500, and was brought for Bismark by a German merchant living in Italy.

Artificial coffee is manufactured on an extensive scale in Germany. It is made from linseed meal, roasted to a dark color and mixed with some glutinous substance before being passed through machines, which turn out the compound in the shape of a real coffee bean. When the false bean is well mixed with the genuine product only an expert can detect the difference.

A new kind of church entertainment for raking in the shekels is in vogue in the West. It is called an orange grove festival. It is thus described in The Cincinnati Times-Star:—"You see there are no real oranges or real orange trees. The oranges are made of yellow cotton. You pay so much to pick one, and then when you open it you find some article inside. It may be valuable and it may be not. You take your chance on them, you know, and the uncertainty of what you are going to get is one of the great features."

In one of the upper counties of Michigan, says the Detroit Free Press, a woman with one child was snubbed by a woman with seven children. The one-child woman, we mean—took her little dear to Wisconsin, exposed him to the whooping cough, and then returned and pushed him through the line fence. The seven children now whoop, yell, cough and kick, and the mother says she had rather been struck by lightning.

TALL CHIMNEYS.

Industry is beginning to surpass commemorative art in the height of the structures which it erects. Obelisks and other public monuments give place to factory chimneys, as commanding objects in the vicinity of towns and cities. Even the Eiffel Tower is to be regarded as an industrial monument.

Not long ago there was completed at Fall River, Massachusetts, a chimney which is one of the highest in the world. It is more than three hundred feet in height, and about thirty feet in diameter at the base.

A still higher chimney is now in construction for the foundry at Halsbrucke, near Freiburg, Germany, in the centre of a lead and iron mining region.

This chimney which is intended to carry to the higher regions of the atmosphere poisonous and destructive gases, as well as smoke, will be almost four hundred and thirty feet high, or almost half as high as the Eiffel Tower at Paris.

Moreover, as this chimney stands on a height of ground which is more than two hundred feet above the surrounding country, it will not only be a very commanding object, but will, it is believed, carry the poisonous gases engendered in the process of smelting to such a height that they can do no injury to the region roundabout.

A QUEER SUPERSTITION.

A freak of nonsense not noticeable in a little child becomes decidedly queer in a grown up girl—especially if it makes her run after a man. A sample of the small absurdities that people half believe long after they know better was witnessed the other day by a reporter of the Philadelphia Inquirer.

Two young women were sauntering along Eighth Street, when they became separated by the crowd, and a tall man passed rapidly between them. One of the girls immediately started after him. She didn't like to run, but his long strides were fast taking him beyond her reach. "Mister!" she called, but mister didn't hear her.

Then she broke into that peculiar gait which passes for running among her sex, and catching him by the arm, breathlessly said:

"Oh mister! let me go around you, won't you?"

And without waiting for permission she went around in front of him to his other side. Then she smiled.

"That's all," she said. "Thank you." "But it isn't all," said the man; why did you want to go around me?"

"Why, you see, you went between my friend and me, and that's a disappointment, you know. So I ran after you and went around you, so that it is now just as if you didn't go between us."

For The Advance.

A Bibulous Gander.

When journeying in the backwoods of Canada in the year 18—nearly forty years ago, I "put up" at a country tavern for the night, in the township of—. Saw nothing of the landlord that evening. In the morning when I went into the barroom to pay my bill, found him sitting on a chair outside the bar, looking as tho' he had been under the "influence" quite recently.

No customers to attend to, and the door being open, two or three dogs had entered. Presently in stalked an OLD WHITE GANDER,

gave a hiss at one dog, and a "pick" at another, as if to say "Get out of this, a barroom is no place for dogs," then walked along. "Guid morning," said the landlord. "Hao yo had yer bitters?" The gander gave a "nod in the affirmative," appeared to be quite a "character," and "at home."

My curiosity was excited. Does he drink? I asked. "I guess he does," replied "mine host." But will he drink whiskey? I queried. "Indeed he wull," said the landlord, "and when he's had a muckle dram he's vera cross, and will watch a sleigh like a dog and let naething come near it," then after a pause, slowly added: "But he has better sense than myself; he will drink nae mair than his quantatee." Well, well I'm a "born teetotaler," but if I ever had the faintest desire to see any living thing thake its "bitters," it was to see that gander "drink."

W. P., Winnipeg.

Care of Foals.

The season has now come when the complaints of mortality among the young foals will again be heard. Last season was the worst for many years in this section of the country. That there are causes for these epidemics is generally allowed, and in most of the cases it is not hard to define. In a general way, with the mare running quietly in the yard, not overtired, there is not often trouble, neither is it the case when the mare is worked moderately and moderately fed, but when mares are kept in idleness and fully fed, trouble multiplies fast. The difficulty is caused by the blood being heated. The foal should be carefully watched after birth to see that it has its passages all right. Should it be costive great care in the treatment is required, as very little over-dosing will kill it outright. In this case try injections of warm watter with a little oil added, or pass a little lard up the rectum with the finger; a dose of sweet or castor oil is the softest. Should costiveness be anticipated give a dose of raw linseed oil to the mare before foaling. In a case of scours also try mild remedies; a dose of sweet oil will help allay any irritation, and often stop an attack of this kind.—Farmer's Advocate.

A Sad Mystery Solved.

In June last, Mr. Geo. J. Stephens, youngest son of our esteemed townsman, Mr. A. M. Stephens, disappeared from his camp in Galbraith Township, where he was out with a prospecting party in this newly discovered gold region. Search was made for him but in vain, and fears were entertained that some ill had befallen him. His father went up as soon as he heard of the disappearance, but was unable to unravel the mystery. Later in the season, a gentleman from Manito-

ba reported having seen the missing man in that province a short time previous, and as Mr. Stephens had several times allowed long periods to elapse between his communications with his friends, a hope was aroused that he was still living. But this spring brought other news. A week ago Mr. W. B. Stephens received a telegram from Thessalon that a body supposed to be that of his brother had been found within a mile of the camp he so mysteriously left in June last. Identification by friends proved them to be the remains of the missing man, and they were forwarded to this place for burial, which took place on Tuesday last. —[Owen Sound Times.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Four white men and forty-seven blacks were lost by the wreck of the schooner Eliza Mary on the coast of the New Hebrides, many of the victims being tomahawked by the savages.

THE MARKETS, FLESHERTON.

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Flour	...	85 00 to 5 00
Fall Wheat	...	85 to 85
Spring Wheat	...	85 00 85
Barley	...	0 35 0 40
Oats	...	0 30 0 30
Poas	...	2 53 0 58
Butter	...	0 12 0 14
Eggs, fresh	...	0 9 0 9
Potatos bush	...	0 25 25
Pork	...	5 50 5 50
Hay per ton	...	5 00 5 00
Hides	...	3 50 3 50
Sheepskins	...	0 50 1 00
Geese	...	0 08 0 08
Turkeys	...	0 12 0 12
Chickens per pair	...	0 40 0 40
Ducks per pr.	...	0 70 0 70
Wool	...	0 18 0 20

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