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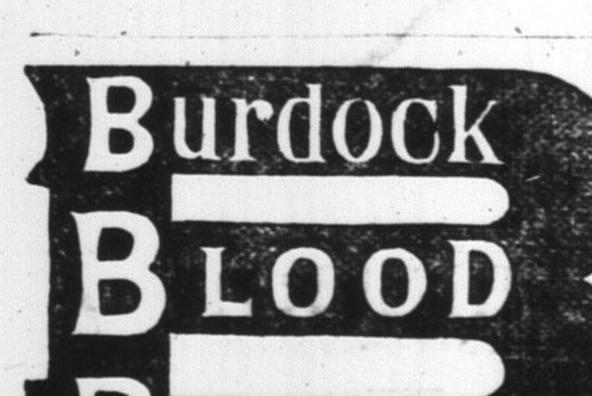
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Germany's future Emperor, published in book is filled up with the usual quota of WHE SUPPLY OF CONSUMED Harper's last August, no magazine paper fine engraved and colored plates, music, has appeared so important as Dr. Moritz and varied designs besides the tollowing from the nutriment in the blood derived hasty steps, and his late acquaintance good word for Iss, I reckon." Busch's biographical sketch of Kaiser Wil- creditable poems and stories: 'Poem,' from food. The man is a lunatic who with another stalwart fellow appeared helm in the present number. The Em- selected. 'Cousin Robert's Portrait,' by peror's position, in his long conflict with Emily Read. 'Miss Hetty's Roses,' by Ion uses whiskey, strychnine, or opium to "Dere's no time ter lose, Mas'r. 'Violets,' for Memorial Day, goad him to preform a work in hand whar you is," and in a moment he by the author of thing, but increase the consumption of spell me when I wants him; fer y 'Speculation,' a tissue. In Wheeler's Elixir of Phos- feet musn't touch de groun,;" and away paper on Washington Territory, west of James Knox Polk.' 'Speak Gently,' by source of nerve force as found in our This was a familiar mode of

May, by Mrs. S. L. Oberholtzer.

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AMERICAN NEWSPAPARS IN 1884. - From the edition of Messrs. Geo. P. Rowell Co's American Newespaper Directory, now in press, it appears that the newspaper and periodicals of all kinds at present issued in the United States and Canada reachen a grand total of 13 402. This is a net gain of precisely 1,600 during the last twelve months, and exhibits an increase of 5,618 scripts from Nature," as original in form as over the total number published just ten they are in conception, are from the pen of years since. The increase in 1874 over the a young English poet, Rossetti's friend and total increased from 1,138 to 1,254; the The following notes of a speech recently weeklies from 9,092 to 10,028; and the delivered in Dublin are not without inter companied with two brilliant landscape monthlies from 1,091 to 1,499. The great- est. Speaking on the much-vexed est increase is in the Western States. II land question, the speaker said: A French newspaper - the Journal des linois, for instance, now shows 1,009 papers | country is overrun by absentee landlords. Missouri issues 604 instead of the 523 report | ed from the tub on which he was standing. The total number of papers in New Yrok | yet. State is 1 523, against 1,399 in 1883. Canada has shared in the general increase.

Consumption Cured.

remedy for the speedy and permanent cure throat and lung affections, also a positive a Mr. George William Curtis makes the feels it his duty to make it known to his suffering ngton Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

HARPER'S MAGAZINE for May will con beauty-is apparent from a glance at its clude the sixty-eighth volume of that now sellers do this people will look upon the Howard Pyle, author and artist. will lead Inter-Ocean the number with a frontispiece and tw English novelist, the most piquant of other charming full-page pictures illustrat American historians, the most popular of ing 'A May-Day Idyl of the Olden Time 'a American story-writers, an expert ophthal- quaint. old-fashioned love-story, told mic surgeon, the most thoughtful of South- letters. The fine art feature will be another ern authors, an Oxford professor, an officer of the 'great pictures' engraved by Closson -this time Titian's 'Belle.' The heroes of the number are the Emperor William. careful study by Bismarck's biographer Dr. Busch, and Dr. Schliemann, of whom Prof. Mahaffy writes; there are fine por traits of both, as well as of President Mon- headache and giddiness. roe, Rufus King, and Henry Clay, in con nection with Col. Higginson's paper on The Era of Good Feeling,' as he calls! the a description o the holy city of Kairwan latter, both as regards the thoroughness in Tunis, by A F. Jacassy, one of the first of its action, is THOMAS' ECLECTRIC OIL. his own paper; and the second of the I a widely popular external and internal papers on the Fraser to the Columbia its publishers liable to fine and impriso region, by Ernest Ingersoll; Mr. Rideing ment. Would the Inter Ocean prefer t also presents a study of the Bank of Eng. prohibitory law ?- Spectator. land, which will interest every business! man, as well as those who like to read of ward specific for lame back, soreness and | foreign parts.' The serials by Wm. Black | contraction of the muscles, and every and E. P. Roe will present more of the variety of sore or hurt; a prompt source | delightful illustrations by Abbey, Dielman, poems of a new kind, 'Transcripts from non-illustrated articles will be a thoughtful | yard's Pectoral Balsalm.

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when he feels too week to go through it splashed in beside him. phates and Calisava we have the only they went up the obscure path. 'The Fallen Waldren in food.

THE SCOTT ACT EPIDEMIC.-A correspondent inquires if it may be anticipated far before they met two or three col that some a dititional medical men will The greatest medicial wonder of the required at Ingersoll and Woodstock i cident to the demand that the operations of the Scott Act is likely to make upon the time and energies of the present staff there If the illnesses that have been so prevalent in Halton find their way to Oxford, it ma be supposed that the medical faculty in t town spoken of would be totally inadequate cents per box For sale by J. H. Mc- to grapple with them. - London Free Press

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If it is true that 'prohibition causes more liquor-drinking and more drunken ness," as those favoring the saloon declare why don't the liquor men come out for pro It would seem to be just the thing they are after. Until the liquor venerable, but never aged, periodical. assertion as decidedly gauzy .-- Chicago

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BAD CASE OF STARVATION

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> The cattle drovers of the Western States of 'The propose to give Chicago the go-by, and take

IT IS NATURAL.

It is natural for some people to living, too greasy food, indigestion from of the hill that sloped to the str inactive liver, is the frequent cause. Then there were confused sounds, The remedy, above, all others is Bur of the dogs and of men's voices, w dock Blood Bitters. It is highly cur ative for all billiary complaints, and far

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Says the Montreal Witness: The lumpermen up the Ottawa valley are lighting bon fires over the decision of t may council, which makes all stream public. The effect of this decisiis to declare that all streams are public for the purposes of floating down timber. and that no one can deprive the public in of the right to do so. It goes even further than this, and declares that when any one, by any artificial contrivance, makes a stream, before so small as to be useless for these purposes, useful

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He was about to push his way up the wharter hide well as a fox. If I gits

without stimulants, which supply no- "Now get on my back. Jake dar will

motion to Graham, for he had carried thus by the hour over the m tain passes of Asia. They had not be women with a basket of clothes. "Dat's right," said Graham's conveyance; "wash away right smart dunno nothin'. Ye see," he conti

"dis yer is Sunday, and we'se not

fields, an de women folks can help

and Graham thought that the old s stition of a Sabbath had served They soon left the path and ente some heavy timber, through an or of which he saw the negro quarters and plantation dwellings in the distance. At last they stopped before an immense tree. Some brush was 1 aside, revealing an aperture which Graham was directed to crawl.

down," said his sable friend. "An' ob corn meal. Luck fer yer. Do onesome like, and come out. gwine to look arter yer;" and the o Graham was left alone.

From a small aperture above his h pencil of sunlight traversed the g to which his eyes soon grew accusto and he saw a rude seat and the nentioned. By extending lightly through the opening by w ie had entered, he found the seat r omfortable; and the coarse fare abrosial to his ravenous appetite. ced, he began to enjoy the advent lis place of concealment was so xpected and ingenious that it gave sense of security. He had ever h reat love for trees, and now it se s if one had opened its very heart

Then his hosts and defenders into d him exceedingly. By reason of ence in New England and his broad, he was not familiar with gro, especially his Southern to heir innocent guile and prepost gious belief amused him. He niled and wondered at their fa Linkum," whom he then reis a long-headed, uncouth We olitician, who had done not a nischief by interfering with the "It is ever so with all kinds of stition and sentimental belief," 1 loquized. "Some conception mind is emobodied, or some obj dealized and magnified until the o is lost sight of, and men come t ship a mere fancy of their own. some mind, stronger and more in ative than the average, gives sha

form to this confused image; there grows in time a belief, a th or rather a mythology. To think the this Lincoln, whom I've seen in tudes anything but divine, and t broad, coarse stories, -to think tha should be a demigod, antitype venerated liebrew! In truth it one to suspect, according to an that Moses was a money-making and his effort to lead his people to

Graham lived to see the day when h acknowledged that the poor negro he most remote plantations had a tr conception of the grand proportion Lincoln's character at that time the majority of his most cultivate

His abstract speculations were spe ily brought to a close by the nearer b ing of hounds as they surmounted to eminence over which lay his trail. came the hunt, with its echoes r and falling with the wind or th bilious, being often a result of peculiar equalities of the ground, until it burst cretion of bile by the liver in due quan bilious temperant, which with high deep-mouthed and hearse over the bro gradually approached until there wa pause, caused undoubtedly by a collo washerwomen. It did not last long; and then, to Graham's dis The Governor-General will visit Mani- the threatening sounds were rene He soon gave up all hope, and felt he had merely to congratulate him place, he could not be torn by the

> refuge must be near the bed of stream, from which his pursuers w ceking on either side his diverg trail. This fact relieved him at or and quietly he listened to the soun ying away as they had come. As the sun rose higher the ray of light sloped downward until it peared; and in the profound gloom quiet he fell asleep. He was awake by hearing a voice call " Mas'r." Looking down he saw that the br ad been removed, and that the ope

vas partially obstructed by a gobl like head with little horns rising all or " Mas'r," said the apparition, "Au sheba sends you this, and sez de Lor

"Thanks for Aunt Sheba, and you too whatever you are ' cried Graha and to gratify his curiosity he spra down on his knees and peered out time to see a little negro girl replaci he brush, while what he had mista or horns was evidently the child's m ner of wearing her hair. He then ga his attention to the material portion Aunt Sheba's offering, and found a ru sort of platter, or low basket, made corn husks, and in this another ju milk, corn bread, and a delicious broil chicken done to that turn of perfect of which only the colored aunties of t

"Well," ejaculated Graham. "From this day I'm an abolitionist, a Repu can of the blackest dye." A little la he added. " Any race that can produ a woman capable of such cookery as th has a future before it." Indeed, the whole affair was take

such an agreeable turn that he was After another long sleep in the at noon he was much refreshed, and ea to rejoin his command. But Issac or Iss, as his associates called him. negro who had befriended him in first instance, came and explained the whole country was full of Confe

"We'se all lookin' out for yer, Mas'r," continued; "you won't want for nothin'. An' we won't kep yer in dis Don't try ter come out. I'm lookin' t'oder way while I'se a talkin'. Mean niggers an' 'Federates may be spyin'

aroun', but I reckon not; I'se laid in de woods all day, a watchin' " Now I tell yer what 'tis, Mas'r, I'se made up my mine to put out ob heah. He I'se gwine ter jine de Linkum men fust chance I gits. An' if ye'll wait an' trus' me, I'll take yer slick and clean; fer I know dis yer country and ebery hole

" Indeed I will. If you wish, I'll take you into my own service, and pay you good wages." " Done, by golly; and when dey cotch us, dey'll cotch a weasel asleep,'

"But haven't you a wife and chil-"O, yah. I'se got a wife, an' I'se got lot obchillen somewhar in de'Fed'racy; at I'll come wid you uns bime by, an'

edder up all I can fine. " I'se 'll come 'long in de shank ob de ev'nin', Mas'r, and guv yer a shakedown n my cabin, an' I'll watch while yer sleeps. Den I'll bring yer back heah aefo' light in de mawnin'.' The presence of Confederate forces

equired these precautions for several avs, and Iss won Graham's whole heart ais unwearied patience and vigilance. but the young man soon prevailed on the faithful fellow to sleep nights while e watched; for after the long inaction of the day he was almost wild for exercise. Cautious Iss would have been nearly crazed with anxiety had he known of the reconnoissances in which his charge indulged while he slept. Graham succeeded in making himself fully master of the disposition of the Rebel and he found himself within a heart of forces in the vicinity, and eventually learned that the greater part of them "Dar's room enough in dar ter sit had been withdrawn. When he had communicated this intelligence to Iss, they

epared to start for the Union lines on

e following night, which proved dark and stormy. Iss, prudent man, kept the secret of ing was hidden by brush again, and his flight from even his wife, and satisfied his marital compunctions by chuckng her under the chin and calling her honey" once or twice while she got supper for him. At eight in the evening ie summoned Graham from his hidingplace, and led him, with almost the unlarring instinct of some wild creature of the night, due north-east, the direction in which the Union forces were said to be at that time. It was a long desolate tramp, and the dawn found them drenchad and weary. But the glorious sun rose warm and bright, and in a hidden glade of the forest they dried their clothes, rested and refreshed themselves. After a long sleep in a dense thicket they were ready to resume their journey at nightfall. Iss proved an invaluable mide, for, concealing Graham, he would steal away, communicate with the regroes, and bring fresh provisions.

> there was a Union force not very far distant to the north of their line of march. Graham had good cause to wonder at the sort of freemasonry that existed among the negroes, and the facility with which they obtained and transmitted secret intelligence. Still more had he reason to bless their almost universal fidelity to the Union cause. Another negro joined them as a guide.

On the second night he learned that

and in the gray of the morning they approached the Union pickets. Graham deemed it wise to wait till they could advance openly and boldly; and by nine o'clock he was received with acclamations by his own regiment as one risen from the dead. After congratulations and brief explanations were over, his first task was to despatch the two brief letters mentioned, to his aunt and Hilland, in time to catch the daily mail that left their brigade commander, and made it clear

advanced position. Then he saw his to him that with a force of about two regiments he could strike a heavy blow against the Confederates whom he had been reconnoitring, and he offered to act as guide. His proposition was accepted, and the attacking forces started that very night. By forced marches they succeeded in surprising the Confederate encampment and in capturing a large number of prisoners. Iss also surprised his wife and Aunt Sheba even more profoundly, and before their exclamations ceased he had bundled them and their meagre belongings into a mule cart, with such of the "chillen" as had been left to them, and was following triumphantly in the wake of the victorious Union column; and

them company. The whole affair was regarded as one of the most brilliant episodes of the campaign; and Graham received much credit, not only in the official reports, but in the press. Indeed, the latter, although with no aid from the chief actor, obtained an outline of the whole story, from the rescue of his friend to his guidance of the successful expedition, and it was repeated with many variations and exaggerations. He cared little for these brief echoes of fame; but the letters of his aunt, Hilland, and even the old major, were valued indeed, while a note from the grateful wife became his

not a few of their sable companions kept

treasure of treasures. They had returned some time before to the St. John Cottage, and she had at last written him a letter "straight from her heart," on the quaint secretary in the library, as he had dreamed possible on the first evening of their acquaint-

-" No, dear," said a Brooklyn school teacher to an inquiring youthful mind, "a little caterpillar is not a kitten-

-" Yes." said Farmer Furrow, after

chasing a chicken clear round a ten acre lot and clutching only a handful of feathers, " the only sure thing in this -"Don't go too much on show, my son," remarked Mrs. Yeast to her boy.

· The drum-major of a band, to be sure, is very attractive, but he doesn't furnish any of the music." -It is very bad taste for a wife to growl at her husband for tracking mud

into the house, for what is home with. out its mudder? -The father of this country is said

first to have learned the pleasure of travelling on four wheels when he took a hack at the cherry tree. -"I beg a thousand pardons for comso late," "My dear sir," replied the lady graciously, "no pardons are

needed. You can never come too late." would be some of it left for supper.

the old song, you know, my dear, 'Cease, -One more unfortunate! Mamma (s widow of considerable personal attractions)-"I want to tell you something

Tommy. You saw that gentleman talk. ing to grandmamma in the other zo Well, he is going to be your many him

-When asked what she had for dinner, she replied, "cold tongue." And he judged, by her manner, that there -"Ah, it was a gale," said Mrs. Ramsbotham; "it shook our house by the seaside, and I couldn't help murmuring to myself, as I lay awake, the words of