Probably, as Lord Byron says of prophe- conscious-strickened." cies, people note fulfillment of dreams and and forget the failures-pass over the nintynine baseless visions, but record the hundredth that happened to be verified.

Authors, artists, and musicians have car- being sick and wake on my legs, but of ried on their work in their dreams, sometimes with more success than in their waking hours. Tartini, an Italian composer, dreamed that he heard a fiend perform an give my soul to God, when it places Him to produce it when awake; but though his to take it—sure, no thanks to me, for I can't help it then, and my body to be buried "Devil's Sonato" is ranked among his finest productions, the poet declares that it was s inferior to the music of his dream, that h could have broken his instrument with vexation at his failure to reproduce that beau tiful melody. Condorcet and Franklin worked out elaborate calculations in their sleep, and remembered them in awaking. Lord Thurlow is said to have composed part of a Latin poem in a dream: and Sir J Herschell has left a verse which occurred to him in similar circumstances. Goetne re cords that his dreams often assisted him i his compositions. The Best Reference. 'Have you a recommendation?'

'Yes, sir.'

Robert had been seeking a situation fo almost a week, and now that he had met with something that promised success, he was as nervous as a boy can be. His hand went down into his jacket pocket-astrap. a handkerchief; but no recommendation. without success.

'Ah, there it is, I suppose; you have dropped it on the floor,' said the gentleman who was standing by, waiting, as a bit of paper fluttered to the floor.

'No, sir; that's only my pledge,' Robert answered, stooping to pick up the paper. 'Your pledge?'

'Yes, sir. My temperance pledge.' 'May I see it?'

Robert handed it to him, and continued his search for the missing paper, growing more nervous as the search proceeded. 'Never mind, my boy. I don't need any

further reference,' said the gentleman, ter reading the pledge. 'I am willing to trust a boy who puts his name to a promise like this. That boy is his own reference.'

One of the most eccentric old ladies Europe died the other day at her residence in the Stralauer Strasse, Berlin, where she had lived in all but absolute seclusion for nearly half a century, a solitary female servant having been the only human being with whom she had held any personal communication for more than thirty years. She was well off, and denied herself no luxury in the way of eating and drinking, but would never permit her apartments to be swept or her furniture to be 'Grey Review' cleansed, so that, upon entering her dwelling after her death, the police authorities found everything within them, except the kitchen utensils, covered with layers of venerable dust, from two to four inches thick. For many years she had wore no linen nor any other body garment but a man's dressing gown. It was her custom to wear a boot on one foot and a shoe on the other, and she never took off her gloves. day or night, except to change them for new ones when fairly worn out. She always passed the daylight hours in bed, rising late in the evening and occupying her nights with cooking sumptuous meals for herself and her companion, making a point of finishing her repast before dawn. She kept a great many dogs, cats and birds, and caused every new work on zoology to be purchased for her as soon as it came out. In this strange fashion she lived to the age of 82. Her whole property, with the exception of a handsome legacy to her faithful old servant, is left to a grandnice, to revert, after her decease, to an asylum for dogs.

A farmer of Chatham township, named Fredrick Bennet, started to chop wood in his bush on Wednesday morning, and not returning at the usual bour search was made by the neighbors, whe found him near the tree which he had partly chopped, in a kneeling posture, unconscious, with a large gash in the top of his head, and a portion of the brain protruding. The axe was found beside him. How the accident occurred is not known.

On Sunday last Rev. Gavin Lang, of Montreal, in a serman, dealt with the circumstances which led to the recent revision of Subscribe at Once. the Scriptures, and in conclusion said;-I, for one apprehend nothing that can be mischievous, hope for much that will be helpful and a means of grace, in the new light which the new version of the Bible is sure to cast upon the Divine message to man.

The piercing of the spherical tunnels of

An Astonished Editor.

A rural editor tells us of a wonderful surmortal combat, waiting for the other to Bishop Hall relates a curious story of a knock off the chip. His eyes are cast upcure effected by means of a dream; a cripple wards resting on the word fi-Hello! what's dreaming that he bathed in a certain well this? Great Ceasar! if it isn't a \$5 bill. We in Cornwall and he was restored to health. took it for some kind of chromo that had Stock of Blankets at Cost, Acting on his visionary prescription he re- come in the mail. But we see how it iscovered the use of his limbs. The bishop either our devil has been robbing a bank, attributes this dream to "a good angel." or some delinquent subscriber has been

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