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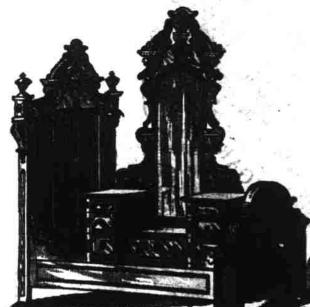
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H. T. BUTLER.

The Snoring Juror.

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History dees not inform us that this slumberer was the only one in the company. It is more than likely that, moved by that one touch of nature which makes the whole world kin, the sleepy fellow had comrades in the jury-box who joined him in his nap. But history gives no evidence that they snored. The one slumberer whose slumberer was the only one in the families of orphan children that need bread, that he could scarcely hope to find an office for Mormon. Morgan, however, added: "As I remember, you are a stout, hearty black man, raised to labor in the fields, and well skilled to labor in the fields, and well skilled to labor in the fields, and trained to industrious habits. If you are wanting work at fair wages, I whose slumber has made him a marked the schools of the court of the c Carpets, Oil Cloths and Mattings very low.

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Democrat and Hom of it. The evidence would have gone are not endangered." on just as if he and all the others had been awake. The lawyers would have thundered away with their eloquence, regardless whether they were harangufront of tobacco shops. It was the snore which did the business for this juryman, Snoring was a violation of decorum for which the court was not prepared. It proclaimed to all who were gathered in the court room that the sleeping beauty of a juror was not closely attending to anybody's business but his own, and that the business of his own, to which he was giving of his own, to which he was giving of braces and surgical appliances, and will be prepared to treat all kinds of Deformities and Chronic Diseases, such as Club Feet. Hip Diseases, Spinal Diseases, Paralysis, Piles, and Fistula, Catarrh, Private Diseases, Diseases of the Eyes, &c. For full particulars, address National Surgical Institute, Atlanta, Ga.

Di Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will cure a cough in one-half the time necessary of his own, to which he was giving cure a cough in one-half the time necessary earnest and undivided attention, was to cure it with any other medicine; and it that of taking bodily rest. The angry and possibly unjust judge ordered the juror to be punched, pinched and shaken, and so awakened from his untimely slumber. As soon as the poor fellow had awakened, rubbed his eyes

> The defendant refused to proceed with eleven jurors, and so the case had to be postponed. Should the cruel and unreasonable first-class botel, practice initiated by the St Louis a model house. practice initiated by the St Louis judge extensively prevail it will revolutionize jury trials and spoil the business of the professional juror. Few things can be more unwarrantable than to expect the average juryman to stay awake during the trial in which his only interest is the pittance which he receives for professing to give his time and thought to what is said. Of time he generally has plenty; of thought, exceedingly little. It is idle to ask him to sit bolt upright in an uncomfortable chair, and give as close heed as if he were really interested in the if he were really interested in the matter. The estimable persons who make a business of sitting on juries, just as some people go to funerals and others to hangings, and as the late Mrs Toodles went to auctions, are not paid for staying awake, but for sitting there and rendering verdicts. If it can be proved that they are "good and true" it is of no consequence how stu-pid or how tired they are. They may have been born tired; the probability is that they were. Like the Fat Boy of whom Dickens wrote, they must sleep whenever opportunity offers. It is likely that they will understand as much of what is going on if they are asleep as if they are awake. In one of our own courte there used to be an aged professional juryman (he is dead now) to whom his feliow jurors would say when they were to go out to meditate on the testimony to which they

with all speed out of that jury-box.

had nominally been listening: "Now, old daddy, wake up and come along." A a verdict. One of these words proved to be "plaintiff;" the other was "defendant." Let us hope that the verdict in which he joined was a just one Another juror declared that he thought "arson" meant poisoning, because it sounded like "arsenic." If the culprit who was tried by the jury of which this man was one, was visited with proper punishment for firing his store in order to get the insurance money, it was not because this juror understood his business. Such jurors as these might as well have slept all the time.

If the precedent set by the St Louis judge is to be considered an establish-

judge is to be considered an established one, it furnishes an admirable hint for those of our citizens who have an honest aversion to jury duty, but who henest aversion to jury duty, but who have no reasonable excuse for not serving. They cannot plead that they are deaf, dumb, or idiotic, or that

A queer case came before a French court a short time ago. A peasant had agreed to pay 500 francs for a cow, and had placed on a bench twenty twenty-fanc coins and a one hundred franc bill, when the cow made a snatch at the latter and swallowed it. The question arose, who was the rightful loser? and the judge decided that the buyer, who had held the cow by the halter when it devoured the bill, had not taken proper precautions and must pay over again. We suppose the only way to get the money out of that cow would be by the gilt-edge butter her

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fellow had awakened, rubbed his eyes Don't fail to procure Mrs Winslow's Sooth and looked around sufficiently to take ing Syrup for all diseases of teething in child in the situation, he was startled by ren. It relieves the child from pain, cures hearing himself fined ten dollars and wind colic, regulates the bowels, and, by summarily ordered to betake himself giving relief and health to the child, gives rest to the mother.

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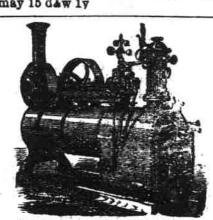


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