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Miscellaneous. AUGUST RUN.

Before introducing a new brand of Cigars, I propose to run off my present stock of 5c. Cigars at 6 FOR 25c.

This will give smokers a rare opportunity, as it is well known that Perry's 5c. Cigars are the best in the market, and they can be getting on him not only get the best smoke for the money, but have an extra one thrown in.

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M. L. HARNETT, Clerk, late of Planners' Hotel, 16-17.

Bearing Upon Hair. [Nonsense Book.] There was a young fellow named Biddle Who tried to compose a great riddle; But for his pains he was made to rue, And injured his head So he parted his hair in the middle.

There was a young girl in Montclair, Whose brains seemed to run to rust hair; So she said "I'll be hanged if I don't wear it banded." This hair-brained young girl in Montclair.

There was a young woman who tried In vain to be some fellow's bride; But she hit on a plan To make her hair do as she pleased. So she parted her hair on the side.

OBSERVATIONS. The weather in England has been going very much against the grain. We never could see anything of Lydia Thompson's stage dress to object to.

To Mr. Corbin—Jew unto others as you would have others Jew unto you. The man who gets the maddest at a newspaper job on himself, is the same who goes round showing the paper to everybody he meets when the job is on some other fellow.

Two heads with but a single thought, Two hearts that beat as one, Two pairs of lips in suspended hold— Two little smacks—yum—yum.

"Charles, aren't you going to bid good-by to your sisters?" "If they loved me less, mamma, if their affection were less sincere and unconventional, But I must positively put my foot down once for all. I cannot be troubled."

When in the course of summing up one of the fiery orators he came to deal with one particular defendant. The defendant made a sign to his wife, and jumping up he shouted to his wife, who was in court. "Char, go—your'd better go—they're going to flay me now."

It is said that a young man at Saratoga who seemed deep in love, last summer, with a young lady of golden tresses, this season brushed brown hair of the lapel of his coat. This doesn't indicate fickleness so much as activity in the hair trade.

Three girls of the Methodist persuasion having met together, concluded to pray for the welfare of their lovers; but the first one had not gone very far along in her petition when she discovered that they were all engaged to the same man. The religious exercises were at once terminated.

A natural thermometer, Doctor—Bathes with great care and don't fail to test the bath with the thermometer. Nurse—Sure, please wud of be after doin' wid a thermometer? If the baby (bless him) comes out blue, sure, the wuther's too cold; and if the baby (bless him) comes out red, sure, the wather's too hot. Go away wid yer thermometer, doctor, dear!

FASTING FORTY DAYS. A READING CHRISTIANITY HELD SELF TO DEATH.

Refusing to Take Any Food Whatever, the Physicians Are Obligated to Resect the Body in Order to Save the Life. Special to the Philadelphia Times.

READING, August 5.—The strange fasting of Miss Sarah Root, aged twenty-eight years, of No. 314 South Sixth street, in this city, is attracting unusual attention, not only among the medical fraternity, but among the citizens in general. She is a tall young lady, with dark hair and dark eyes, and of excellent character. Her father and sister are respectable dress-makers, serving some of the best people of Reading. A few years ago Miss Root was an acknowledged belle. She dressed in exceedingly good taste, and always made a very fashionable appearance. Suddenly she became very devout and pious. Her attendance at Rev. Dr. Schmucker's St. James's Lutheran congregation was almost constant. She became deeply interested in Sunday school affairs, and up to last 4th of July was in good health. She then discontinued eating and commenced a long period of fasting.

From July 4 to 11 she ate but a few berries. The rest she fasted, and instead of food she drank water. On the 14th of July Dr. F. B. Schmucker was called in. Miss Root turned her back and said she was not in need of his professional attention. She persistently refused to take nourishment, and throughout all the hot spell she drank no water at all. Finally she was threatened that food would be administered to her by force. She was growing pale, thin and emaciated. Her former rosy cheeks had faded, her sparkling eyes were dim and she became moody, thoughtful and silent. She became frightened at the doctor's threat, and taking an ordinary cracker she held it under the hydrant and thoroughly washed it. On the 15th of July she ate that cracker, but took no other nourishment.

Dr. Schmucker undertook to convince her that it was her religious duty to eat, and not kill herself, that instead of it being her religious duty to fast, she was slowly committing the great crime of suicide. She paid no attention to this. Basin after basin of water was used in bathing her, and finally she would fill a basin with pure water and wash her hands; then she would empty it, get another basin full and again wash her hands. She would continue this washing for a half hour. She has been in bed for several days, hours on her knees, reading the Bible and praying. She had a desire to fast forty days and forty nights, "the same as Christ did in the wilderness," she said. All efforts of mother and sisters failed to induce her to eat and drink. Finally Dr. Schmucker says he stopped calling on her, because he could do nothing for her. Dr. Martin Luther was next called in. Miss Root was very weak, but still able to abstain from food. She persistently refused to eat and drink, and her people thought she was dying. It was finally resolved to resort to force in the matter, and a spoon was inserted in her mouth, between her teeth. Nothing could be done because she would not swallow. When her nostrils were held shut she breathed through the interstices of her teeth, but would not swallow. Finally Dr. Luther inserted a silver tube through her nostrils and injected gravel and sand into the gullet and thence to the stomach. Only a small quantity was injected. The membranous lining of the stomach was greatly inflamed, and too much food administered would have killed her instantly.

The young woman is now being kept alive by forcing food through her nostrils into her stomach. She is laboring under a religious hallucination, and fears that she cannot fast any longer. She is said to be quite intelligent, and she has no fears, saying that she guesses it will end all right. To-day she made no resistance to the tube being inserted in her nose, but she persistently refused to take any food or water.

Peaceful-Like Tidings from the Cape. LONDON, August 7.—Advices from Cape Town to July 22, received by way of Madras, say several Zulu chiefs have submitted to Sir Garnet Wolseley at St. Paul's. His report that he assured them that they will henceforth be governed and protected by the British government. Gen. Crealock and Col. Wood and Buller will return to England. Another detachment of marines has re-embarked for home. A strong force is to advance on Ulundi immediately. Gen. Wolseley having promised the chiefs that he would be there by August 10th, a detachment of friendly natives and irregulars, and probably also some of the King's troops, will advance simultaneously on the King's new kraal.

SOUTH CAROLINA NEWS. "J. D. A." a correspondent of the Edgefield Advertiser, says that broomseed if allowed to grow will kill out nut grass.

A saw fish measuring 18 feet from tip to tip of tail and weighing 608 pounds has been caught in Charleston harbor.

The Democratic party of York county, through its representatives, will assemble at Yorkville on Tuesday, August 19th, at 11 a. m., to nominate a candidate to fill the vacancy in the legislative delegation of the county, caused by the resignation of Chas. M. Green.

Walterboro letter to the Charleston News and Courier: A negro man named Edward Warren was killed on Saturday near Smoke's Cross-Roads in this county by Mr. Francis Folk. Warren was in the corn house of Mr. Chas. Smylie, and when discovered refused to yield the three barrels of powder found in his possession. Coroner J. K. Risher empaneled a jury, who returned a verdict of "justifiable homicide."

Chester Reporter: Messrs. George W. Gage and A. G. Brice marched in from their mountain meanderings on Tuesday of last week. In their peregrinations they drank sulphur water at Cleveland Springs, slept on Mount Mitchell, "did" Asheville, interviewed Bishop Wightman and Senator Vance, occupied Cassa's Head, chatted "lengthily" with Judge Pressly, walked 30 miles, ate their "peck of dirt" and came in on Chester by the left flank—all within 20 days.

A Slow Train. Harpers. We are frequently indebted to our friend Colonel Yard, of the Monmouth Democrat, for interesting illustrations of the character of the peculiar people who live in New Jersey. He sends us this:

"The Hon. G. T. — tells a good story of a slow railroad in the western part of the State. He says he went there gunning, and came to a short line of road on which was running a single car, the forward end of which was partitioned off for baggage."

He took his gun in the car with him and put him under the seat. Presently the conductor came along and insisted that the dog should go into the baggage room, which, after some altercation, he did so; but the baggage-master demanded a fee of fifty cents, which was denounced as a "swindle," a "put-up job," between the conductor and the baggage-master, and that sooner than pay it he would tie the dog to the train and let him "work his way."

The conductor assented, and the dog was hitched to the rear of the train; but the conductor began to get uneasy, making frequent trips to the engineer, begging him to increase the speed of the train, and back again to watch the effect upon the dog. The latter began to show signs of fatigue, but after a while caught his "second wind," and was keeping along as before. The conductor then ordered the engineer to heave all the coal into the furnace and stir up the fire, which being done, the speed was perceptibly increased.

The conductor again went to the rear of the train, and there the dog, comfortably trotting along under the car and licking the grease from one of the axle boxes.

Good News from Our Orphans. Monthly statement of the Oxford Orphan Asylum. During the month (July) there has been a revival of religion in the Methodist church. The orphans attended the meetings and three of the larger girls joined that church. Interesting services were also held at the asylum by ministers of the various denominations and many of the children seemed deeply concerned.

Work on the hospital is progressing rapidly, and we hope soon to have it completed. There are one hundred and thirty-four children here and not a case of sickness.

Three of the teachers now connected with the institution came here as children, and completed their education at Greensboro, Marlboro and St. Mary's.

We wish to extend the orphan work by educating as many as possible for teachers.

Several very bright boys here now ought to receive collegiate education; they might, with proper advantages, be an honor to the State and a credit to any generous persons who would defray their expenses at school.

Persons in cash and kind have not been as large as we had hoped.

Hayes' Record Bill. In recording the death of Mrs. Linna P. Woodman of that place, the Pearisburg Virginian says: "She was a daughter of William Watts, who was killed by the falling of a tree six years ago near Chapman's spring, on the road from this place to Walker's creek; and his son William Watts, and a brother of the deceased, was killed in a similar manner, near the same spot, some thirty-five years afterwards. Mrs. Woodman was sixty-four years of age, and was in excellent health at the time of her death. She had charge of this hotel in 1852 when the United States troops invaded this county, and it was at her house where Lieut. Col. Rutherford B. Hayes, now President of the United States, boarded, and left one morning very suddenly, on learning that the Confederate States forces were approaching, without paying his hotel bill, and which remains unpaid to this day."

Something New in Cotton Culture. Asheville (S. C.) Medium. It has always been claimed that cotton will not grow when transplanted, but from the result of an experiment, which we have made in a small way, the old notion will not hold good and cotton will grow when transplanted. On the 31st of June, a stalk of cotton was brought to this office from the country and placed on exhibition for two days, when it was topped and planted in a little rich earth near our office, and has now grown into a vigorous stalk. When planted it had two blooms on it and thirteen shapes. These all fell off, but others are putting out, and the stalk will no doubt produce fruit. If transplanting succeeded in this case would it not be practicable upon a much larger scale, and could not the whole cotton crop be in this way improved—the yield increased and the fibre made finer.

OUR GREAT CLOSING SALE OF SUMMER FABRICS BEGINS TO-DAY.

Our celebrated Job Counter appears before the public, and upon it we place all broken lots and odd sizes to be closed out at a heavy sacrifice. Our stock of all wool Summer Suits, ranging from \$2.50, \$3.25 and \$4 will be closed without reserve at \$2. Our \$3.50, \$4.25, \$4.75, \$4.25 and \$4.50 Cassimere Pants in unlimited variety and beautiful in design of style and character of texture, are clearing out at one uniform price, \$4.

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Periodicals. HARPER'S WEEKLY. 1879. ILLUSTRATED.

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P. S.—Always on hand a fine line of Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods, Straw Hats formerly sold at \$1.50 we sell now at \$1.00. Gents' Gaze Underclothes for 25c. July 4.

Miscellaneous. Groceries. FOR SALE. The Bourgeois and Minion type on which this paper was lately printed, it was made by the old Johnson type foundry, of Philadelphia, and was not discarded because no longer fit for use, but only because it became necessary to use a different style of type. It will do good service for several years to come. It will be sold in lots to suit purchasers, and in lots of 50 to 1,000 lbs. of without cost. Address THE OBSERVER, Charlotte, N. C.

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