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LONDON LIQUORS.

A Picture of Intemperance in the British Capital.

But the liquors consumed in London by the lower classes are probably the most execrable and vile that the inge-

tem, breaking down and destroying

every pulsation towards anything good.

The gin-well, their gin is the very

Nasby in the Teleda Blade.

The New Love and the Old.

There, speak in whispers; fold me to thy heart.

Dear love, for I have roamed a weary, weary

Bid my vague terrors with thy kiss depart!

O. I have been among the dead to day.

And, like a pligrim to some martyr's shrine.

Awed with the memories that crowd my brain,

Fearing my voice, I woo the charm of thine;

Tell me then beyond toward again.

Not among graves, but letters, old and dim,

Yellow and precious, have I to ched the past. Reverent and prayerful as we chan; the hymn

Reading dear names on faded leaves that here
Were worn with foldings tremulous and fond,
These drowned in plashing of a tender tear,
Or with death's tremble pointing 'the beyond

And, love, there came a flutter of white wings,

And hands, whose clasp was magic long ago.
Came soft before me, till I yearned to press.
Mad kisses on their whiteness; then the woe.
The sting of death, the chill of nothingness!

One was afar, where golden sands made dim
The shining steps of the poor trickster. fime;
And one was lost. Ah! bitter grief for h m
Who wrecked his manhood in the d pths of

crime!

Another, beautiful as morning's beam
Flushing the Orient, lay meekly down
Among the delsies, dreaming love's glad dream;
And one sweet saint now wears a starry crown.

And thus there stole delicious odors still

Eighs from the lips emulpotent to will and win rich tribute to the very last;

From out those relics of the charmed past,

But death, or change, had been among my flowers,
And all their bloom had faded, so that I
Yield my sad thoughts to the compelling I owers
Of the bright soul I worship till I die.
Nay, never doubt me. for, by love's divise
And fearful past, I know my future thine.

OBSERVATIONS,

Oh, see the young girl,

In beauty rare, Sans kink, Sans curl-

And hear the young man

At the plane there, Hard as he can-

A young mother stands Oppressed with care, With slipper in hands, Banging her heir.

The temperance people will be heard from later. They will want to know what disposition the Garfield family propose making of the prime rum, whiskey and wine which is pouring into the White House under the very eyes of Mrs. Hayes's celebrated portrait.

"This is the most protracted funeral I ever at-tended."—Roscoe Conkling.

The man who went to see the board fence retired when he heard the fence rail and saw the plank walk.—Boston Transcript.

The Herald came out yesterday with the big headline, "Thank God!" and we thought at first that General Butler must be dead.—Boston Post.

"Jimmy" Hope, the bank burglar, has been arrested. His "front name" is appropriate to his profession, and it is to be hoped that "Hope for a season bids the world farewell."—Commercial Bulletin.

A minister preaches on the question, "What is the Sabbath?" Around here the Sabbath is the day when you lie in bed longer in the morning, and wrestle with your collar button until it is too late to go to church.—Lowell Citizen.

Jilted for a rhyme: A young lady bearing the ar-istocratic cognomen of Jardine, recently deserted her lover, because in an impassioned sonnet he made her name rhyme with "sardine."—Puck.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Florida is territorially much larger than New York. New York has 47,000 square miles and Florida 59,000.

Of Florida towns the census of Lake City is 1,379; Lavilla, 1,618; Jackson-ville, 7,648; Pensacola, 6,846; Tallahas-see, 2,494; Fernandina, 2,562, and Palat-

Further figures of the Alabama census show that Eufaula has 3,836 people; Union Springs, 1,162; Greenville, 2,471;

True Enough,

propriety, or they are brutally misrepresented.

STEALING A REPUTATION.

Would you trust one dishquest enough to steal the reputation of another, to make for you anything, especially your physic, not knowing of what

it may be compounded? How to tell the genuine

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white wrapper having a large red Z in the centre and the signature of J. H. Zeilin & Co. on the

side. All others are injurious and worthless imi-

tations. Don't tamper with them, however plaus ibly recommended. Health and life are too pre

BECAUSE it adds to personal beauty by restor-ing color and lustre to faded or gray hair, and is beneficial to the scalp, is why Parker's Pair Bal-sam is such a popular dressing.

cious to endanger.

Banging his air!

a stir of snowy robes from out the deep.

Of uter silence, as I read the things
I smiled to trace before I learned to weep;

among the aisles where saints their shadows

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acme, the absolute summit of vileness. There is a quarret in every gill of it, a

wife-beating in every pint, and a mur-der in every quart. A smell of a glass of it nearly drave me to criminal reckessness. And yet they all drink it, and especially the women. The most disgusting sight the world can produce is a London gin dricking woman standing at a bar waiting feverishly for her "dram," with unkempt hair, a small but intensely dirty shawl, with stockingless feet, and shoes down at the heel, with eyes rheum and watery, that twinkle with gin light out from the obscurityof gin swelled flesh, with a face on which the scoreling fingers of a deprav-ed appetite have set red lines, as ineffaceable as though they had been placed there by red hot iron, every one of which is the unavailing protest of a long outraged stomach. There she stands, a blotch upon the face of nature and a satire upon womanhood. It is difficult to realize that this bloated mass was once a fair young girl and had a mother who loved her, and it is equally difficult to comprehend how any power, even that of nature, could ever make use of it. But the elements

are kindly to man. When they have done their work, sweet flowers may grow out of this putridity.

In America this sort of being exists, but it is herded somewhere out of sight. It does not stand at the bars in the best streets to offend the eyes of decent people. But it is everywhere here. It is in Strand and on Piccadilly and Regent streets. The average Englishman of the lower and even the middle classes dearly love to booze. Drunkenness is not the result either of conviviality or desperation, as it is in other countries. It is the one thing longed for and set deliberately about. And while I am about it I may say that alcoholization is not confined to the lower order by any means. Everybody
drinks. The tradesman who can afford it has claret at his table, and during the day his "drains" of brandy are
very frequent. The gentry and nobility drink more costly wines and brandy,
but liquor is everywhere. Nothing is
done without the accompanying drink;
it is universal and in all places. The
climate prevents the injury that would
visit the same man in America, but it
hurts. If the English could only live
as temperately as the Americans they while I am about it I may say that alas temperately as the Americans they would be the greatest race of people on

North Carolina as a Catton State.

Wilmington Star. The development and growth of the cotton interest in North Carolina is not to be overlooked. A little while ago—only a few years—the crop was but little more than 100,000 bales. In 1879 it had grown to 389,576. The probability is the crop of 1880 overeded, this and is the crop of 1880 exceeded this and more than 400,000 bales were produced. With the increase of the cotton crop

Further ngures of the Arabama census show that Eufaula has 3,836 people; Union Springs, 1,162; Greenville, 2,471; Tallassee, 1,182; Opelika, 3,245; Auburn, 1,161; Girard, 2,224; Mobile, 29,182; Montgomery, 16,713, and Tuscaloosa, 2,017.

Gath says that the banking firm of Grant & Ward, in which Gen. Grant has an interest, divided \$700,000 profits last year. The genius of this house is a young man named Ward, not much over 30 years of age, who is a san-inlaw of a former cashier of the Marine bank.

Many persons iron towels, fold them, and place them away before they are thoroughy dry. This is an error, and sometimes leads to results not expected. In this damp condition there is mould which forms on them called "oidium," one variety of which causes a skin-disease known as ringworm.

Sixty-five years ago, a gentleman cut a riding whip from a tree, near Geneva, and, after using it for some time, he stuck it in the ground near the line between Williamson and Marian, on the tween Williamson and Marian, on the reason for not expecting the crop of North Carolina to reach some time in a riding whip from a tree, near Geneva, and, after using it for some time, he stuck it in the ground near the line between Williamson and Marian, on the farm of a Mr. Russell. The tree is a species of the balm of gilead, and now measures 11½ feet in hight and 16 feet in circumference.

The New Jersey State prison, September, 1880, contained \$39, convicts. The Maine State prison had 190, its average being 200. New Jersey has less than double the population of Maine, and more than four times as many prisoners. New Jersey licenses the liquor traffic; Maine has Prohibition.

The total number of horses in the world is estimated at \$8,000,000, of which Austria-Hungary possesses 3,486,000; France, 3,000,000; Russia. 21,470,000; Germany, 3,352,000; Great Britian, 2,250,000; Turkey, 1,000,000; United States, 9,540,000; the Argentine Republic, 4,000,000; Canada, 2,625,000; Uraguay, 1,600,000.

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There are no less than twenty-five different Methodist bodies now in the world. The total membership is put down at 4,650,183. When it is remebered that John Wesley, a great and wise man, who founded Methodism, died in 1791, its growth is not only phenomenal, but is the most extraordinary fact in Christianity during the last three hundred years. One hundred years ago there were \$5,000 Methodists in the whole world. Now behold the millions! sive factories in Philadelphia turning out pearl shell buttons and ornaments, which are retailed at fabulously low prices. The pearl shells are collected When Gen. Garfield recovers it is to on the southwestern coast of California be hoped that he will never see some and brought to Santa Barbara in fruit

of the published reports of what has been said and done in his sick chamber. Some of the "anecdotes" and "incidents" reported by Swaim, Rockwell and Crump, if they ever come to his knowledge, will make him wish he had died. The public are of course inter-In our endeavors to preserve health it is, of the utmost importance that we keep the secretory system in perfect condition. The well known remedy Kidney Wort has specific action on the kidneys, liver and bowels. Use it instead of dosing with vile bitters or drastic pills. It is purely vegetable and is prompt but mild in action. It is prepared in both dry and liquid form and sold by druggists everywhere.—Reading Eagle. died. The public are, of course, interested in everything that occurs around the President's bedside, but it cannot be that some of the ridiculous remarks attributed to him were ever uttered. The people who report them are either lacking in good taste and the sense of

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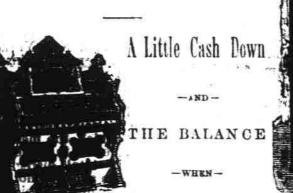
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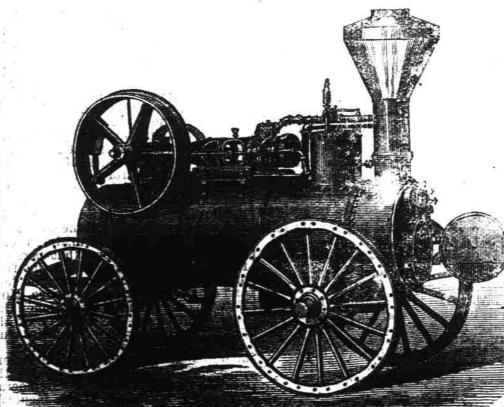
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