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MISCELLANEOUS.

BORROWING A GRIDIRON.

ON PADDY MULLONEY'S ADVENTURES IN FRANCE.

It is well known there is nothing more humorous than a well told Irish story...

The writer begins by a reference to Chas. Mathew's ludicrous representation...

A certain old gentleman in the west of Ireland, whose love of the ridiculous quite equalled his taste for elation and fox hunting...

Well with that my heart began to grow light and when I saw my life was safe...

By my sowl, says I, I'm all right there's a house there, says I—and sure enough the was, and a parcel of men, women, and children eating their dinner round a table quite convenient.

ing eyes but the canopy of heaven and the wide ocean—the broad Atlantic—divil a thing was to be seen but the sea and sky, both of 'em mighty purty in themselves...

Whisht, whisht, Paddy, says the captain, don't be talkin' bad of any one, says he, you don't know how soon you may want a good word put in for yourself...

Hurra! says he, we're all right now; pull away, boys, says he, we're all right now; pull away, boys, says he, we're all right now...

Well with that my heart began to grow light and when I saw my life was safe, I began to grow twice hungrier nor ever...

An Angelic Housemaid.—A lady in the neighborhood of Chelmsford, a few days ago, received a letter from another lady...

Forensic Eloquence.—May it please the court and gentlemen of the jury: We shall attempt to prove, 1st, that my client's dog did not commit any depredations on the complainant's fence...

Making a Conquest.—Tom, said an impudent wag to a conceited fool, I know a beautiful creature who wishes to make your acquaintance...

taken from furriners, which they call so mighty plite, but I never minded that in regard of wantin' the gridiron, and so says I, I beg your pardon...

Well, sir, the devil a bit but they stared at me twice worse than ever, and faith I began to think that may be the Captain was wrong, and that it was not France at all...

Well, sir, the old chap began to mutter me, but the devil a bit of a gridiron he'd give me, and I began to think they were all negars...

Well, sir, the devil recieve the bit of it he'd give me—and with that he turned round and said something or other about a long tongs...

Some justification of Paddy's touching the French's entends.

One of the city missionaries of Boston, a few days since, witnessed a singular scene in that city.

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A lawyer once asked a Quaker if he could tell the difference between also and likewise.

yes," said the Quaker, "Erskine is a great lawyer, his talents are likewise admired by every one; you are a lawyer also but not likewise."

THE SUMMER BIRDS.

Sweet warblers of the sunny hours, For ever of the wing— I love them, as I love the flowers, The sunlight, and the spring...

In the green and quiet places, Where the golden sunlight falls, We sit with smiling faces, To let their silver rills, And when their happy anthems...

Amid the morning's fragrant dew— Amid the mist of even— They warble on as if they drew Their music down from Heaven...

Like shadowy spirits seen at eve, Among the turrets they glide; Where sweet pale forms, for which we grieve, Lie sleeping side by side...

For never can my soul forget The loved of other years; Their memories fill my spirit yet— I've kept them green with tears...

And often, when the mournful night Comes with a low, sweet tone, And sets a star on every height, And one beside the moon—

The birds! the birds of summer hours— They bring a gust of glee, To the child among the fragrant flowers— To the sailor on the sea.

In the stillness of the starlight hours, When I am with the dead, Oh! may they flitter 'round the flowers, That bloom o'er my bed...

Still never sang again.

ORIGIN OF THE CITY OF LONDON.

London is first mentioned as a Roman settlement, in the reign of Nero, A. D. 61, when it was the residence of a great many merchants and dealers.

About the year 886, London, which appears to have been almost totally destroyed and depopulated by the Danes...

In the year 1556, a manufactory of the finest sort of glasses, was established on Friars; and the fine flint glass, little inferior to that of Venice...

In the year 1579, Morgan Hubblethorn, a dyer, was sent to Persia, at the expense of the city of London, to learn the art of dyeing there...

Shortly before that period, the knowledge and wear of lawn and cambrics were introduced by the Dutch merchants...

About the fifth or sixth year of the reign of Elizabeth, the manufacture of pins was introduced; and in her eighth year the manufacture of needles was first taught.

Women's masks, muffs, fans, bodkins, and periwigs, were introduced from France about the time of the massacre in Paris 1572-1577.

The printing of prices currents was first adopted by John Day, of London, in 1644.

The banking business commenced in 1545 as appears from a rare pamphlet, entitled, "The mystery of the new fashioned go damms or bankers discovered."

In the year 1670, the wear of India muslin was introduced into London, and soon became prevalent.

The great increase of the population, and domestic traffic of the Metropolis, led to that useful establishment, the penny post—which was set up by Murray, an upholsterer in the year 1655.

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THE SUN AT MIDNIGHT.

A steamboat leaves Stockholm every week, and touches at Goflo, Hudikvalla, Hernösand, Umeå, and other points on the western coast of the Gulf of Bothnia...

The first notice of London as a place of commercial importance, occurs in the annals of Tacitus, who speaks of it as the noble emporium of his time...

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Why is a druukard nearly ready to sign the pledge like a skeptical Hindoo? Because he is doubtful whether to give up the worship of the Jug or not (Juggernaut).—Philadelphia Ledger.