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First he took from the hand of an officer the half of a cocoanut

shell, from which when held aloft

next borrowed from the pantry.

The fakir poured into it a gallon of

water and held it on his outstretch-

ed left hand, placing the other

hand on his forchead. As the

crowd of officers and men stood

watching in wonderment the dish.

began to shrink in size until it en-

tirely disappeared. They still

stared as a brown object, like

a grain of sand, gradually grew

larger and assumed its normal di-

poured into it.

size

mensions and was found not to have spilled a drop of the water

Another performance of this

same fakir was still more amazing,

On first reaching the deck after

leaving the water he had untied a

large red cloth from the back of

his neck, where it had obviously

been stowed to keep it dry. This

he passed around the compa-

ny for inspection. It was

merely an ordinary cloth, of coarse texture. Spreading it flat upon

the deck, the fakir walked around

it several times, muttering in his

mroat and occasionally turning his

eyes upward. All eyes were glued

to the cloth, under which some-

thing was apparently growing in

Suddenly out hopped a grinning

and chattering monkey, which

danced all around the deck; it was

followed a minute later by an ugly

to flow from the deck.

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and look in the glass-you will see the effect-

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to think of tasting it.

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THE ENGINEER CRIED.

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"I was running along one afternoon prenty lively, when I approached a little village where the tracks cut to the street. I slacked up a little, but was still making good speed, when suddenly about twenty rods ahead a little girl, no more than three years old, tottled onto the track. You can't even imagine my feelings. There was no way to save her. It was impossible to stop, or even slack much, at that distance, as the train was heavy and the grade descending. In ten seconds it would have been all over, and after reversing and applying the brake, I shut my eyes. I didn't wan't to see any more

"As we slowed down my fireman stuck his head out of the cab window to see what I stopped for, when he should to me, "Jim, look here!" I looked, and there was a big, black Newfoundland dog holding the little girl in his mouth, leisurely walking toward the house where she evidently belonged. She was kicking and crying, so I knew she wasn't hurt, and the dog had saved her. My fireman thought it funny and kept laughing, but I cried like a woman. I just couldn't help it. I had a little girl of my own at home."---

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THE FAKIRS OF INDIA. The Most Expert Wonder Work- gling away from the cloth to the

ers in the World. feet of the astonished beholders. Once again somethingfar larger than The Indian fakir is the world's the others began to stir beneath the most wonderful illusionist. It is cloth of mystery. Soon a girl of easy to declare his feats are all about 14 years of age emerged humbug; it is easy to laugh at per- and stood smiling at all around sons who, having seen their per- her. While those sturdy Jack formances, regard him with Tars stood rubbing their eyes and awe and wonderment; yet it is a pinching themselves to make sure fact that no European juggler, il- that it was not a dream the fakir lusionist, scientist or other person clapped his hands and monkey. has successfully performed any of cobra and girl vanished into the the important feats accomplished air. Then quickly folding up the by Indian fakirs. This article does cloth into a bundle and without sonot attempt to show how the tricks licing money from officers or crew the fakir leaped into the sea, swimare done. It merely gives the ming away with easy and graceful opinion of those best acquainted strokes with the subject-experts in oc-As an explanation of these marvellous feats it is generally acceptcultism and hypnotism. ed that Indians, by long sojourns Understand, in the first place, and meditation alone in the Jungle that everything in a fakir's perforand by hereditary or some secret mance is illusionary. Any atpower, are enabled by merely tempt to photograph it results in forming pictures in their own failure. The plate reveals noth- minds to produce illusions in the minds of those who crowd about ing. You are simply made to see them expecting to see some wonthings which do not exist. derful feat. The pictures the fa-And what things! This is one kirs conjure up they mentally im-

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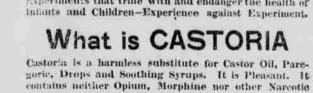
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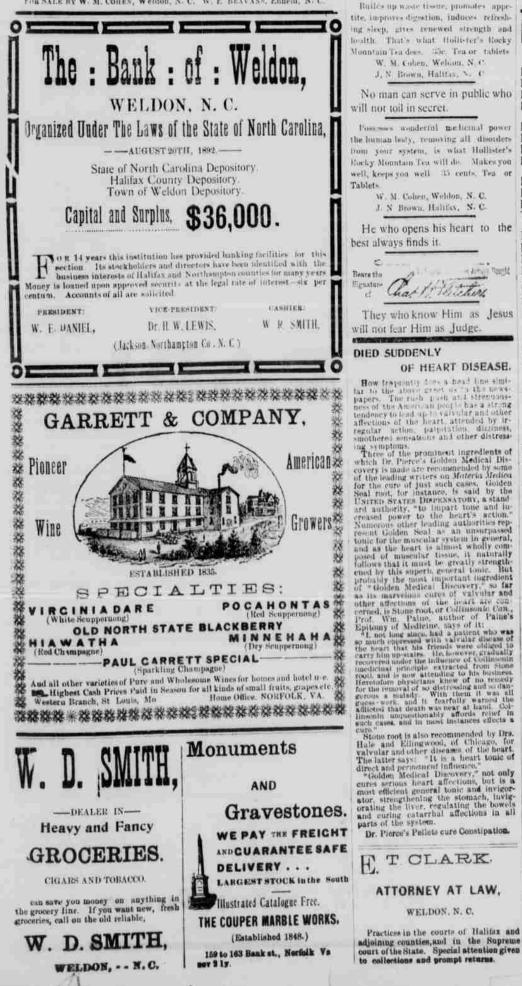


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Possesses wonderful meticinal power I wouldn't wear a false mustache upon my upper lip If one at all I'd grow my own, to be in fashion's tip the human body, removing all disorders rom your system, is what Hollister's I wouldn't wear a pin of brass pon my shirt bosom, no, Eacky Mountain Tea will do. Makes you I'd sport the gold with diamonds, real, off should 1 want to show.

I wouldn't scent myself with musk, that girls might think me sweet. I wouldn't, like some young men 'round, my washer-woman cheat; Because a young miss glanced at me I'd not imagine so, That she had fallen straight in love, or wished me for a beau

I wouldn't look to, -no, no, no, my mammy for support, Like many young gents that I know who here and there resort I'd be a man, and not a mouse, and go to work at once, states tagit I'd in my pockets have some cash, and make use of my sconce

> I wouldn't sport my mother's watch, to show off at a ball; wouldn't wear a great fob chain had I no watch at all; wouldn't run a great long bill, be it for what it may, Fore I showed out in broadcloth clothes I would my tailor pay.

wouldn't strike a woman, no, he's not a man who would, Or take advantage of old age, but aid such if I could; Yes, if I had been born a boy all insults I'd repel.

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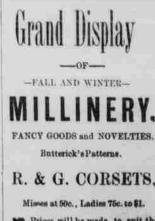
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