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FOUNDED ON FACT.

UBED SLOW was one of your real Vermonters. He measured exactly six feet seven without his cowhides, and there was no one but allowed him to be the clumsiest and stoutest fellow the town of N. afforded. Obed was considered the very cream of the parish. He boasted of three titles, viz:-Justice of the peace, Capt. of Militia, (termed by the vulgar the hedge fence,) and hog reave. Moreover, he was proprietor of as he said, the best farm in the town; and every young lady assented that all that seemed lacking for his comfort. was a partner of his honors.

Cipt. Obed, as he was called, had lingered to the age of forty in single blessedness, without the idea of matrimony once entering his cranim. But one Sunday, that little rogue of a Cupid showcred upon him a volley of arrows as he cast his eyes upon the buxom form of Deacon Patch's daughter Dolly, who was sitting in the singer's seat. The same heart that had laid forty years squeezed up in the breast of Capt. Slow, beat about like the pendulum of a clock. Every one observed that Obed did not fall asleep more than once during the forenoon services, and when he returned home from meeting, his head hung down like a mushroom at noon day.

The bountiful person of Dölly Patch, was now continually uppermost in Obed's thoughts, and now he proceeded straight away to consult his mother on the affair. Obed, with a brave heart, declared to her the whole tale of his love, and incapability of managing such 'smooth affairs.' 'Oh lud, Obed,' said the old lady, taking a pinch of snuff, 'oh lud, dear, dew spunk right up; there's a beginning in every thing.' Obed thought exactly so; for it is said, that he was seen about ten in the evening, wallowing through the snow across the lots, towards Deacon Patch's house. When Obed arrived at the door, his courage began to fail him, and he was on the -very point of turning back, when his mother's words flashed across his mind, and he with almost desperate courage gave one loud rap on the door with his huge and half frozen fist, which was answered by the sharp bark of the old house dog and Deacon Patch's double bass voice, with a 'Get out Pup! walk in.' After a few thumps of feet against the door way, the sharp and frosty visage of Obed Slow was seen to peer from out a bear skin cap, and great coat of snuff colored cloth. Captain Slow, after doffing his apparel and giving the Deacon two or three hearty shakings of the hand, and making Dolly oncof his military bows, in which he displayed to perfection a tigure 3, very moderately helped himself to a seat in Mrs. Patch's arm chair. Fortunately for Obed, the Deacon had just taken his last quart of cider, and drawn on his red night cap, to follow Mrs. Patch, who had just retired, and, after bidding Dolly to take good keer of the fire,' withdrew, leaving the Captain and Dolly by themselves. Now this Dolly was a 'real creature' for a joke: she, at this very time, had a lover to whom she expected soon to be married; and now she had a fine opportunity to play a joke on the Captain; therefore she concluded to be as fond of him as possible. Soon the clock told 11, and Obed began to think it high time to have matters operating, as he felt rather drowsy. But he could not think of a single word that would apply to his case. Dolly sat looking into the fire, seemingly very much embarrassed, but slily laughing at the Captain's difficulty. Captain Slow at length thought this was the time to ' do or die'; and he attempted to speak. but his heart seemed to fly up in his throat and stop his utterance. 'Ahem-ahem. Miss Dolly-you must sverceive---- 'and here Obed stuck fast,-- 'That i's a very cool night,' said Dolly with a pretended shiver, and a most bewitching grin .-These proceedings were far from pleasing the l'aptain, but he felt relieved at least of a thousand pounds. . I declare how this cre fire smokes,' obser ved dolly. Oh that's cause you are so harnsum, Dolly-they say a beauty draws smoke. said Obed, who now tho't he had done wonders. But it happened that the smoke was on the Captain's side of the fireplace. Dolly could hardly keep from laughing, as she rose and came in front of Obed to regulate the fire. As soon as she approached near enough, th Captain with a bold heart, seized her by the arm and drew her into his capacious lap .-Blush not, gentle reader, but consider that these events occurred in the days of our grandfathers, when such things were common even in parties, to say nothing of courtship. Dolly sat as mute as a kitten, with the exception of a little squirming at first, The Captain was in extacies at his good fortune, but after a half hour he almost repented his forwardness .-Now this Dolly was quite a sizeable girl, weighiug at least two hundred: she knew it too, and had not the remotest idea of altering her position. Obed bore her weight as patiently at first as he could, but soon he began to experience sundry prickling sensations in his legs. To ask her to rise, would be perhaps, to sacrifice what he considered his dear bought advantage ; -on the other hand to let her remain he could not. The heat of the fire, added to his exhaustell spirits, soon brought Morpheus (a great favorite of Obed) to his assistance, and the hand which had so lately clasped Dolly's arm dropped helpless by his side. The mischievous Dolly now carefully freed herself from him, and replaced on his knees in her stead, a large churn filled with butter-milk, and betook herself to bed as fast as possible, laughing well at the joke she had played on the captain. In the mean while, the sleeping Obed was dreaming at the rate of at least 'ten knots an hour.' He thought his legs were screwed into a blacksmith's vice, and all his efforts to disengage himself were fruitless. At length, as the pain increased, Obed gave one desperate leap, and oversetting the churn and its contents, found himself astride the old house dog in the other corner, who set up such a hideous 'yelping as caused the Deacon to bellow out ' fire' and murder' most lustily. Just as Obed found his feet and had fairly opened his eyes, he beheld the forms of the Deacon and his consort, clad in their night el. The bill was rejected by the Senate, but the reply to a toast drank to his health and happiness, at clothes, emerging from their sleeping apart- House still insisted that five pecks should make a a dinner lately given him in Philadelphia, expressed ment, the former armed with his walking cane, bushel; and appointed a committee and abused the and the latter with her broom, drawn up in bat- Senate because that body would not come into their "le array. But Obed. like a wise military man. measure

thought it more expedient to make a glorious retreat, than to stand the chance of battle, and pher of a Lord keeper of the seventeenth century suiting the action to the thought, he was off have been deemed applicable as a description as fast as his legs could carry him, nor did he of the present Lord Chancellor: "Withal, he stop to look behind, until at the door of his own was most industrious, and that not by fits, but mansion.

Suffice it to say, this was Capt. Obed Slow's more burden than he did, when he first entered

sage grew somewhat longer, and he kept his further with so little food, and less rest. Indus- capabilites than any of the finer breeds that room for a week or two, his misfortune did not try was his recreation; for certain he had not a have been introduced into Scotland, and there- the of professed love. Her example may be break his heart. He retained his farm and ti- drop of lazy blood in his veius. He filled up fore the few anecdotes that I have to relate tles to the day of his death, thanking his lucky every hour of the day and a good part of the shall be confined to them. stars that 'twas not fate to have the trouble night with the despatch of some public and neand expense of a wife. Dolly Patch was mar- cessary-business. And though, as a counsellor ried to her first lover just six weeks from the of state, and both as a peer and speaker in eventful night, the transactions of which are parliament, he had many diversions, yet not

above recorded.

making a good deal of talk in London.

sinia, where they picked up much of that in- home, he returned to hear the causes in Chance- on the morning they are gone long before formation which has been worked up so well ry, which he could not despatch in the morning, night. This strong attachment to the place by Capt Bond, in his life of Bruce, found the or if he did attend to council in Whitehall, he of their nativity is much more predominant town in a state of extraordinary excitement came back towards evening, and followed his in our aboriginalbre ed, than in any of the paper completely written over. What's this we in consequence of a recent arrival in those employment in Chancery till eight at night other kinds with which I am acquainted. parts of a celebrated magician from the centre and later."

of Africa, somewhere in the vicinity of the

Mountains of the Moon. It was universally said, and generally believed, that this charac- Mytens, when he painted "The Spinster Queen of the ewes went back to her native place, and ter possessed and exercised the power of show- Elizabeth," the vain, fantastical, wrinkled and veaned on a wild hill called Crawmill Craig. ing to any visitor who chose to comply with old, was charged by her Majesty, on his allegi- On certain day about the beginning of July his terms, any person, dead or living, whom ance, to be careful not to put any shadows in following, the shepherd went and brough the said visitor pleased to name. The English her face. The obsequious painter obeyed, and home his ewe and lamb-took the fieece from travellors, after abundant inquiries and some got largess. It would appear that Sir Thomas the vew, and kept the lamb for one of his stock. scruples, repaired to his residence, paid their Lawrence had received a like injunction; for the The lamb lived and throve, and never offered respects, and were admitted to his Sanctum .- last portrait of his illustrious patron is repre- to leave home, but when three years of age, They found themselves in the presence of a sented with a face that might suit a rision and about to have her first lamb she vanished; very handsome young Moor, with a very long king in Macbeth, whilst his royal-dandy wig is and the morning after the Crawmel shepherd, black beard, a crimson craftan, a snew white tur- corporeally visible, and the most prominent in going his rounds found her with a new-yeanban eighteen inches high, blue trowsers and feature of the elegant composition. The re- ed lamb on the very gair of the Crawnel Craig, yellow slippers, sitting cross legged on a Tur- nowned Lord Chesterfield happened to have a where she was lambed herself. She remained key carpet, three feet square with a cherry very large head. He was sitting to a tyro for there till the first week of July, the time when stalk in his mouth, a cup of coffice at his left el- his picture. Few noblemen possessed a finer bow a diamond hefted dagger at his girdle, and understanding or a more refined taste than his in his right hand a large volume, clasped with lor lship; but vanity predominated over his this custom she continued annually with the brazen clasps. On hearing their errand, he judgment in this affair of limning. "Mr. arose and kindled some spices on a sort of Gusto," said his lordship, "is it not rather length her lambs, when they came of age, besmall altar in the middle of the room. He then strange, and indeed worthy your notice, that gan the same practice, and the shepherd was "All's well that ends well." walked round and round the altar for half an all but the very few celebrated portrait painters obliged to dispose of the whole breed. hour or so; muttering words to them unintelli- should have drawn their figures with preternatu-

LORD BROUGHAM .- The words of a biogra-From the New England Farmer. ANECDOTES OF SHEEP. BY THE ETTRICK SHEPHERD. The sheep has scarcely any marked cha-

racter save that of natural affection, of which every day did conclude its work, as if he were it possessess a very great share. It is othernot to live till to-morrow. No camel did bear wise a stupid, indifferent animal, having few wants and fewer expedients. The old black 'First and last Courtship,' and although his vi- to sit in the seat or Lord Keeper, or travelled faced, or forest breed, have far more powerfu

I have heard of sheep returning from Yorkshire to the Highlands. This is certain, that when one, or a few sheep, get away from the rest of their acquaintances, they return home- as required to be represented with remarkable one of the works in Chancery was diminished. ward with great eagerness and perseverance. passion, he privily brought in the urn and bones He would not excuse himself a day for any, the I have lived beside a drove road the better part of his dead son; whereby he so excited his own The following humbug story is said to be most lawful pretence; he would not impart of my life, and many stragglers have I seen passion, and was moved to deliver himself with himself to the star chamber or parliament, when bending their steps northward in the spring of that efficacy both in words and gesture, that he Lord Prudhoe and Major Felix being at it sat, before he had spent two hours or more the year. A shepherd rarely sees these jour- filled the whole theatre with unfeigned lamenta. Cairo last autumn, on their return from Abys- among the pleaders. After a short repast at nevers twice. If he sees them, and stops them tions and tears.

sheep from another in Crawnel, about ten PORTRAIT PAINTING IN ENGLAND .- Daniel miles distant. In the spring following, one she was brought a lamb herself, and then she came home with hers of her own accord; and greatest punctuality as long as she lived. At

But with regard to their natural affection,

THE RULING PASSION-Female beauty is dear in every situation, in sickness, and even in death. Mrs. B-t, daughter of the late Dean S. was a very lovely woman-she was worn out with a long and painful illness. While in her last faintings, her attendants were rubbing her forehead with Hungary water, she begged them to desist, for it would make her hair grey !

Hypocrisy assumes a virtue if she has it not. and carries the dagger of hatred under the man. salutary to others, though her pretensions to piety are wickedness in His eyes, who trieth the heart and reins.

When Polus, the actor, was to play such a part

King George 3d having purchased a horse. the dealer put into his hands a large sheet of said his majesty. "The pedigree of the horse, A shepherd in Blackhouse bought a few sire, which you bought," was the answer, "Take it back." said the king, laughing; "it will do very well for the next horse you sell."

> A negro wench one day having received a reprimand from her master for some slight offence was so much irritated, that she went directly out, kneeled down, and made the following prayer .- 'O good massa lord! come. come take me right out dis world dis bery minit-if you can no yourself, send de debil er any body else!

RECEIPTS.

How to make Poetry .- Take your fingers and count them, then reduce your line to the quantity required, always taking care that the words which sound like each other be las. The dish may be formed of sense or folly, point or dullness, according to your means, but a slight sprinkling of Ohs and Ahs, with a shake or two from a pot of metaphors or similies, is in. dispensable. Be careful that the rhyme is good.

How to make a pun.-First, lay a trap for it.

gible; and having at length drawn three lines rally large heads? Now, sir, you are a rising the instances that might be mentioned are with- and when you see your opportunity, pounce of chalk about the altar, and placed himself up- artist, and I would advise you as a friend, if out number, stupid and actionless creatures as upon it immediately; garnish it with a few

Seer, and he was ready to gratify them in all way, and design your heads rather too small of short sheep, it is rarely abandoned to itself ently can. A trap may be set in many ways, their desires. There were in the old days than too large." Young Mr. Gusto bore his in that hapless and helpless state. Some one The trap enigmatical thus-Why is a person whole schools of magicians in Europe, who wits about him, and instead of giving the pro- always attaches itself to it, and by bleating beating his wife like a ladies' tailor ? - Because who could do nothing in this line without the portions of the head of an ox, substituted the calls it back from the precipice, the lake, the he is a man milling her, (milliner;) Do you intervention of a pure Scer-to wit, a Maiden's size of that of a full grown calf. "If wise men pool, and all dangers whatever.

eye. This African belonged to the same frater- and connisseurs play the fool on these occanity-he made them understand that nothing sions, said Gainsborough, "it may be asked of ture with regard to these animals, which is, of Algiers was conveyed to Naples, the Polaces, could be done until a virgin eye was placed at critic declaimers, how is the portrait painter, if that the more inhospitable the land is on which on board which he was, outsailed ail the veshis disposal. He hade them to go out in the he wish to live, to live and be honest?"-[Listreets of Caine and fetch up any child they brary of the Fine Arts.

fancied, under ten years of age. They did so:

What do you see? Illalla Resoul Allah? What lawn at Clapham, and all singing God save the process somewhere else-it is done by putting do you see? All the white smoke curled up King.' "These things," said Hoppner, in re- the skin of the dead lamb upon the living one,

cries the magician. 'He has three,' answered

Madras. The Magician signed, and the boy irm patriot, a brave soldier, a valuable citizen, again answered, "I see a red haired Frank, and an honest man .- Worcester Yeoman. with a short red jacket, and white trowsers; he is standing by the sea shore, and behind him there is a black man in a turban, holding a beautiful horse richly caparisoned.' 'God in heaven,' cried Felix. 'Nay,' the boy resumed, but one arm!' Upon this the Major swooned away-his brother lost an arm in the campaign of Ava! Verbnm non Amplius.

and after walking about for half an hour, selec- HOPPNER .- Every one who knew Hoppner the border of Mid Lothian, and of all the sheep

on end. What do you see? Allah bismilla! one piece as large as life-all scated upon our another lamb to her. I have described the without a child .- London Court Journal.

faster and faster. Presently the lad said: lating the circumstance to his friend and crony, the eye immediately acknowledges the rela-Bismilla! I see a horse-a horseman-I see the, critic-poet Gifford, "these things, and be tionship, and after the skin has warmed on it, two horsemen-I see three horsemen-I see hanged to you scriblers! are part and parcel of so as to give it something of the smell of her four-I see five or six-I see seven horsemen, the delectables of portrait painting."-[Library] own progeny, and it has sucked two or three and the seventh is a Sultan." 'Has he a flag?' of the Fine Arts.

are beneath it; be it Frank. Moor, Turk, or In- ber, 1773. He was then but a boy-was an the one that was really her own. dian, Prince or Beggar, living and breathing, apprentice to a rope maker, in Boston. He But this is not what I wanted to explain; it leyrand. One has been already attributed to Frank, with a huge brown wig. a nutmeg grater Captain Slater went on board the brig with which she never quitted for a moment, except long have exposed his life, by trusting to the profile, spindle shanks, buckled shoes, and a five others-two of them brought the tea upon to chase the dog, which she would not suffer to support of such a pair of legs."-Tri-color. gold snuff box! Lord Prudhoe now named deck-two broke the chests and threw them walk near me. I often, out of curiosity, led Archdeacon Wrangham, and the Arab boy overboard-and Capt. Slater, with one other, them in to the side of the kitchen fire by this he is reading on the book ; his eyes are bright cargo was emptied into the harbor, and they and gleaming; his teeth white; he is the happiest returned to the wharf and dispersed. This is ting it. looking Frank I ever beheld !" Maj. F. now the account of that memorable event, as given named a brother of his, who is in the cavalry of by Capt. Slater. He afterwards served five the East India company, in the presidency of vears as a soldier in the revolution. He was a

right beside the flame, desired them to seek a you wish to obtain patronage, to err the other they are. When one loses its sight in a flock grins; and serve it up as often as you convenitake ?

> they feed, the greater their kindness and atten- sels which accompanied her. "Indeed, "tion to their young. I once herded two years but you know there was no wonder in that, for on a wild and bare farm, called Willenslee; on the was sure to carry the Day.

ted an Arab boy, not apparently above eight, must recollect that he was of the genus irrita- I ever saw, these, were the kindest and most lowed of laying the trap, and when once the whom they found playing at marbles. They ble. A wealthy stock broker drove up to his affectionate to their young. I was often deeply bribed him with a few half pence, and took him door, and two carriages emptied into his hall affected at scenes which I witnessed there. with them to the studio of the African Roger in Charles street a gentlemen and lady, with five We had one very hard winter, so that our Bacon. The child was much frightened at the sons and seven daughters, all samples of pa and sheep grew lean in the spring, and the thwartersmoke, and the smell, and the smell, and the ma, as well-fed and as city bred and comely a ill, (a sort of paralytic affection) came among yourself tall, and have a good head of hair or chatter, and the muttering; but by and by he family as any within the sound of Bow-bell. them, and carried off a number. Often have I a handsome wig, wear a plaited shirt, a black sucked his sugar candy, and recovered his tran- "Well, Mister Painter," said he, "here we are seen these poor victims when fallen down to velvet vest, a large gold chain, and a military quility, and the Magician made himseat himself -a baker's dozen, how much will you demand rise no more, even when unable to lift their surtout. You must call yourself Captain, and under a window-the only one that had not for painting the whole lot of us-prompt pay- heads from the ground, holding up the leg, to swear you are descended from an ould Irish been darkened-and poured about a toble spoon ment for discount?" "Why, replied the as- invite the starving lamb to the miserable pit- family. This plan we have known to be parfull of some black liquid into his hollow of the tonished painter, who might be likened to a tance that the udder still could supply. I had ticularly taking among the rich old widows of boy's right hand, and bade him hold his hand superannuated elephant-" Why, Sir, that will never seen aught more painfully affecting. steady and keep his eye fixed upon the surface depend upon the dimensions, style, composition, It is well known that it is a custom with wound in the arm thrown with remarkable efof the liquid, and then resuming his old station and"-"Oh! that is settled," quoth the enligh- shepherds, when a lamb dies, if the mother fect, and have seen the result greatly accelerated by the brazier, sung out for several minutes tened broker, "we are all to be touched off in have sufficiency of milk, to bring her in and put by the invention of a rich old uncle, a baronet,

times, she accepts and nourishes it as her own

ever after. Whether it is from joy at this the boy. 'Tis well,' says the other, 'now halt!' Captain Slater .- Died in Worcester, on the apparent reanimation of her young one, or a and with that he laid his stick right across the 13th inst. Captain Peter Slater, in the 72d year little doubt remaining on her mind that she would fire, and, standing up addressed the travellers of his age. Captain Slater was one of those fain dispel, I cannot decide, but for a number in these words; "Name your name-be it of persons who disguised themselves and threw of days, she shows far more bleating, and caresthose that are upon the earth, or of those that the tea overboard in Boston harbor, in Decem- sing, over this one, than she did formely over

or resolved into the dust of Adam 3000 years attended the meeting of citizens of Boston at was that such sheep as thus lose their lambs him-whether proceeding from the real mint, ago-speak and this boy shall behold and des- the old South Church, in the afternoon, where must be driven to a house with dogs, so that the or only coined by counterfeiters, does not apcribe.' The first name was Win. Shakespeare. the question was agitated, relative to the land- lamb may be put to them; for they will only pear. When he took the oath to Louis Philip The Magician made three reverences towards ing of the tea, and some communications were take it in a dark confined place. But here, in the First, he is said to have exclaimed-"It is the window, waved his wand nine times and made to Rotch, the consignee of the cargoes. Willenslee, I never need to drive home a sheep the thirteenth; may it prove the last!" sung out something beyond their intrepretation His master, apprehensive that something by force, with dogs, or in any other way than The late Bailli de la Farrette, for many and at length called out. 'Boy what do you be, would take place relative to the cargoes of tea the following :- I found every ewe, of course, years Envoy from the Grand Duke of Baden, hold? 'The Sultan alone remains,' said the then in the harbor, took Peter home and shut standing hanging her head over her dead lamb, was his constant butt; he was remarkable for child, and beside him I see a pale faced Frank him up in his chamber. He escaped from the and having a piece of twine with me for the the slenderness of his inferior extremities, -but not dressed like these Franks-with large window, went to a Blacksmith's shop, where purpose, I tied that to the lamb's neck or toes, which seemed hardly capables of performing eyes, a pointed beard, a tall hat, roses on his he found a man disguised, who told Petter to and trailing it along, the ewe followed me into their functions, although the other parts of his shoes, and a short mantle!" The other asked tie a handkerchief round his frock, to black his any house or fold that I choose to lead her. person were equally emaciated. Talleyrand for Francis Arouet de Voltaire, and the boy im- face with charcoal and follow him-the com- Any of them would have followed me in that cited him as the most courageous man of his mediately described a lean, old, yellow faced pany soon increased to about twenty persons. way for miles, her nose close on the lamb, acquaintance, because "no one clse would so

•There is another manifest provision of na-| The trap anecdotical thus-When the tyrant

pun is caught, it requires little care or ingenuity to make it available.

How to make a Fortune.-You must make Cheltenham and Bath. We have known a

FISCHER, THE OBOE-PLAYER. - When Fisch er, the celebrated oboe-player, who was remarkable for the oddity of his manner, played concertos at the grand concerts given fifty years ago at the Rotunda in Dublin, a noble lord, who had been enraptured at the rare talent he displayed, gave him a pressing invitation to sup with him the following evening. adding, "You'll bring your oboe with you." Fischer, who was a little nettled at that sort of invitation, hastily replied, "My lord, my oboe never sups."

We have been anxious to see what jetd'esprit the late events would draw from Tal-

Connecticut measure-The House of Representa

tives of Connecticut, last spring, gravely passed a law that five pecks chould hereafter constitute a bush-

Liberality.-At a meeting of the friends of the American Tract Society, held on Tuesday evening, to consider the claims of that Institution upon their co-operation and aid four thousand dollars were subthis is an odd Frank-he has turned round scribed by twenty five individuals. There was one while you are speaking, and, by Allah ! he has subscription of \$ 1000, one of \$ 500, one of \$ 300, &c. New York Jour of Com.

> Mr. Luther Munro, cautions the public, through the Warren, (R. I) Star, against purchasing partridges at this season, as on the 1st inst. he bought one in that market, which had in its crop seven striped snakes, the largest eight and a half inches long.

Counsellor Sampson, in the course of an eloquent humself thus :- 'I might have risen to higher fortunes, and had I stooped as low as others did, I might have worn a coronet, and left, in dying, to my posterity, a success. high and sounding title to hereditary-infamy."

Editorial Dilemma.—During the dead sea made answer, and said, 'I perceive a tall grey stood with poles to push them under water. means, into the midst of servants and dogs, son, the Editor of a country paper being much haired Frank, with a black silk peticoat wal- Not a word was exchanged between the parties but the more the dangers multiplied around distressed for matter, ransacked every holeand king in a garden, with a little book in his hand, from the time they left Griffin's wharf till the the ewe, she clung the closer to her dead corner for intelligence, and after having, as he offspring, and thought of nothing but protec- thought, completed his task, set down to dinner

> Who has escaped the influenza? Those who familiar, alias "the Devil," demanding "more can say "No" to-day, may not be so fortunate copy."-"More copy!" said he; "why ! have to-morrow. It is spreading through the whole you put in the story of the tremendous mushcity, and though not dangerous, it is unpleasant. room found in Mr. Jones' field ?- "Yes, Sir." When one is sick, the best plan is to call in a physician; but those who are not in that humor, kled by a hedgehog ?"-"Yes, Sir." "And Mr. may read the following "Recipe" which we Smith's dreadful accident with his one horse copy from the Evening Journal.

> Recipe for a Cough .- Take of liquorice, antimonial wine, and paragoric, each one ounce "Yes, sir, it is all up; but there is still a line -dissolve the liqorice in a pint of warm water and boil it down to half a pint; when cold add the wine and paragoric-take one table spoon- da-ci-ous-ly took and threshed it out on the ful three or four times a day.

If the patient has pain in the bones, relief will

be found by taking a pint bowl of white balsam tea, on going to bed.

The above is offered, during the present influenza, by one who has tried it himself, and known it to be used by numbers with signal

with what appetite he might. In the middle of it he was interrupted by the entrance of his "And about Mr. Thompson's kitten being succhaise as he passed down Holbon Hill?"-

"Yes, sir." "About the men who stole the corn out of the stacks in the farm yard !"and a half wanting." " Then add," said he, with the utmost dignity, " that they most aupremises."

The spire of the Cathedral of Strasburg, is the highest steeple in Europe. Even the tallest Pyramid at Egypt is only a few feet higher .--It is composed of perforated red sand stone, and was 160 years building.

A runaway negro is advertised in Georgia, fir A white of whose eye is red.