

The Chatham Record.

When Clover Blooms,
When clover blooms in the meadows,
And the happy south winds blow,

Do not that I shall not waken;
I shall know, my love, it is you;
I shall feel the fall grass shaken,

O love, the years have parted,
The long, long years, our way;
You have gone with the merry laughter,

THE ONLOOKER.

Miss Danvers, fat, forty and comely,
Captain McArthur, five-and-twenty and pes-

Scene: A conservatory of a ballroom.
Miss Danvers—Yes, this is our waltz.
I don't dance, fortunately for you.

Captain McArthur—I have something
to tell you, Miss Danvers. I
think I would rather you did not look

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single sheets of white paper of the
stiffness of very heavy writing paper

She Saw Lafayette.
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Cobbler—Miss Summit says you left
rather abruptly last night.

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cubic feet in London.

don't know which of you has been in
the wrong, and I don't much care.

Captain McArthur—It seems to me
I have been making rather a fool of
myself. I don't know why you should

Miss Danvers—Go back to her,
George. You will never repent it.
Eat a little humble pie. It will be

Captain McArthur—I don't know
any way of thanking you—unless—
there is Mary alone! I think if you

Miss Danvers (alone)—What an old
idiot I shall look to be sure, if any
one finds me sitting in this draughty

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Strange Freak of a Storm.

A strange occurrence, illustrating
the force of storms, has been report-
ed. The Peoria (Ill.) Transcript con-

A Novel Mining Outfit.
Henry Spencer, a Colorado miner,
is fitting out a small naphtha launch

Tallest of the Bees.
According to an investigation con-
ducted under the auspices of the In-

If Lion Pulls and Horse Pulls.
If a lion and a strong horse were
to pull in opposite directions, the

CHILDREN'S COLUMN.

When skies are blue
And threaded through
With skeins of sunlight spangles,

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FRACTIONAL NOTES.

The Government Gained Millions
By Their Issue.

A Large Number Have Been
Lost or Destroyed.

The fractional currency of the
United States, says the New York
Herald, was the most profitable form

The total amount of the currency
emitted, including reissues, was \$368,-
729,075.51. The total amount re-

There was redeemed last year
exactly \$2,958 worth of this profitable
currency, and so accurately are the

Fractional currency was a feature of
our money from August 1, 1862, when
the first issue was authorized, until

A curious fact about the presenta-
tion of fractional notes for redemp-
tion is the large proportion that ap-

Hand Organ Monkeys.
"Most of the monkeys that travel
with shows and organ grinders come

A Honeycomb Epistle.
"These biscuits are not like moth-
er's," he said, as they sat at the break-

Never Heard of It.
Boreton—Just take this along, will
you, old man, and look it over at your

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The Influence of Trifles.

"Yes," said a well-known pulpit
orator, "trifles change the course of a
man's life, and there's no telling what

"I was given a seat in a room in a
school on Twelfth street, but hadn't
been there but a few minutes when

"Here is an interesting colony of
insects," said an entomologist who was
showing a Star wren or over his country

"They are wheel bugs. They grow
to large prodigious insect as big as
the end of your thumb. Caterpillars

Soon after the Northern Pacific Rail-
road had been completed west of Bis-
marck, some Indians climbed on a

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Your Voice.

I thought I heard the chiming
Of a wondrous melody,
That angels, filled with gladness,

It swept my soul with fragrance,
And in eagerness I bent
To catch the faintest tinkle,

It is a beautiful thing to sympathize
with poor people; but the rich often
need it most.

Justice O'Halloran—Have you any
children, Mrs. Kelly? Mrs. Kelly—
I have two livin' an' wan married.

It is a severe strain on the angelic
qualities of woman when she has to
use her wings to dust the furniture.

Director—What do you think of the
new board of directors? Shareholder—
Half capable of nothing and the rest

Hills—Who is that awkward looking
chown over there against the wall?
Hull—That's Griggs, the author of

Francis—Elsie is just daft about
bride-bride isn't she? Adèle—Yes, in-
deed, I heard this morning that she

"Look here, Stangers, I don't be-
lieve you can look in honest man in
the face." "Well, I won't deny it un-

Teacher—Now, remember, that in
order to become a proficient student
you must have patience, Miss Flippins

Reuben—If I were a dog I'd rather
be a black one than a white one.
Mamma—Why, Reuben? Reuben—