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A Fine Hearse which will be supplied when wanted.

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ATTENTION. To Cash Buyers of General Merchandise.

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Auction Sale Every Saturday of all kinds of General Merchandise.

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A JUST RETRIBUTION.

It's whispered in the churches. It's shouted on the street. It's queried at the races.

JERYLL AND HYDE.

Harry Munzer Sane and Insane.

CHICAGO, July 24.—A weird and startling scene was enacted in Judge Gary's court this morning which brings strong confirmation in its similarity to show that the "Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" is much more than the fanciful creation of a novelist delighting in the odd and bizarre.

Munzer is about 27 years old and has been of exceptional habits. His face is not unhandsome and his features bear a decidedly innocent but intelligent expression.

For four years he had acted as entry clerk for Edson Keith, and his manipulation of figures was considered something wonderful.

Mother's Style vs. Father's.

He looked very pale, tired and dejected as he drew himself on the lounge in the dark corner of the room.

"Mom, I'm so sick," he sighed with a suppressed groan. "My poor boy! What ails you?"

Andy's father came in at this point and spoiled the boy's prospects of a feast of good things.

Munzer was startled at the command. He looked up wildly, then fell back in his chair, half exhausted.

America at Paris.

Opinions widely differ as to the merits of the American exhibit in the Paris Exposition.

"As an American," said one young man, "I was simply ashamed of my country. It would have been vastly better to have made no attempt to show our wares than to make the beggarly show we have.

"In what particular is it weak? In every particular almost. In the first place there is nothing of it. It ought to be about ten times bigger than it is.

THE REMARKABLE CURES.

which have been effected by Hood's Sarsaparilla are sufficient proof that this medicine does possess peculiar curative power.

A Living Curiosity.

A printer may have a bank and quoin, and not be worth a cent; have small caps, with neither wife or child.

"That was a pretty hard story to swallow," said the cellar as the upper part of the house fell into it.

The act of swinging furnishes an exception to the rule that kicking operates against a man's getting along in the world.

The Oldest Man in the World.

The oldest man in the civilized world is living at Berez, Hungary. His name is Nagy Ferenz. He was born one year before Napoleon Bonaparte, and is, therefore, one hundred and twenty-one years of age.

He Was Just Paralyzed.

Many are the absurd transactions which take place in banks, some of them showing an over-cautiousness in the care of money, and others, like the following, an amusing ignorance of its value.

"I want all that ar paper calls for," replied the negro. "What! You don't want \$10,000 in cash?"

Onions vs. Whiskey.

From time immemorial whiskey has been considered the sovereign remedy for snake bite; and we all remember what a trump card it was during our prohibition campaigns in this city.

Severe Storm in Sampson.

Mr. A. J. Johnson, writing the Star from Taylor's Bridge, Sampson county, says the heaviest rain ever known in that section commenced at 6:30 a. m., on the 25th inst., and continued until 9 p. m.

Hit or Miss.

What the Road to Knowledge needs is more switches.

The man who is nearly always wrong does the most crowing when he happens to be right.

Every man has his role in life, especially the man who tries to ride the bucking mule at a circus.

Heavy Rains in Virginia.

PETERSBURG, Va., July 31.—Another serious freshet is threatened. A dispatch from Farmville says that the river there is now three feet higher than it was during the freshet in June.

The New Discovery.

You have heard your friends and neighbors talking about it. You may yourself be one of the many who know from personal experience just how good a thing it is.

Still After Mary's Lamb.

Mary had a little lamb, its fleece was white as snow; it strayed away one summer day, where lambs should never go.

Preparing for a Southern Tour.

Mr. Arthur L. Butt and Mr. Chas. Cresswell are arranging to start out on an extended Southern tour with Butt's panoramas.

CONSUMPTION SURELY CURED.

To the Editor.—Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for the above named disease.

Neuralgic Persons.

And those troubled with nervousness resulting from care or overwork will be relieved by taking Brown's Iron Bitters.