

OUR SATURDAY NIGHT SUPPER SERIES

A DEPT FOR MENTAL DYSPEPSIA, AND A CURE FOR HYPOCHONDRIA, HYPOCHONDRIA, OR ANY COMPLAINT OF A HYPOCHONDRIAC.

ODDS AND ENDS WHICH THE FUNNY FELLOWS HAVE LET FALL, GATHERED UP BY OUR SERIES EDITOR.

From "Punch."

BENEATH ONE'S NOTICE.—Advertisements on the pavement.

ANOTHER DEFENDER FOR THE CHURCH.—In the list in the Times of the principal guests at the banquet given at Liverpool to the American Minister, occurs the name of "Major-General Ardenhouse Jones." The question has been asked whether he attended as the representative of the Church Militant?

A GREAT DISTINCTION.—An article in one of the Reviews is headed, "On Ancient Cave Men." Which of the nations of antiquity could boast of its Adulterates?

PURIFICATION FOR PRELATES.—There is a person who may not perhaps be quite so ascetic as she is painted. What is (there to prevent the Pope from giving Ritualists gone over to Rome a dispensation to remain ostensibly in the English Church, and there act the part of decoy-ducks in regard to geese? You may be tolerably certain that he has in fact, done no such thing; but, my Lords Bishops, would it not be well to make assurance that that point doubly sure by immediately taking all practicable measures in the several dioceses over which you preside for making a clean sweep of Ritualist defilers?

POSSIBLE PUBLICATIONS.

Wiped at Sea. A Romantic Novel, by the Author of "Washed Ashore."

The Bachelor Inland. A Narrative, by the Author of "The Family Pen."

Crushing a Cuckoo. A Sensational Novel, by the writer of "Breaking in a Butterfly."

The Discovered Match. A Domestic Tale, by the Author of "The Lost Link."

Banjo and You. A Nigger Novel, by the Writer of "Bones and I."

BY OUR ASTROLOGER.

The Planet favorable to Ritualists.—Vesta.

THE IRISH CHURCH.

The Dean of Drogheda wrote to the Times to deny that the Irish Deans had got a bit too much money from the Irish Church. His Reverence for to say that.

The Dean of Fern is a Vegetarian.

The Dean of Tuam hasn't got anything that he calls "Meam," as it's all Tuam.

The Dean of Elphin lives like a Fairy.

The Dean of Connor is a strict e-Connorist.

But of all deans give us, at all events, Sardines, when one may fairly say, On no miss pas.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.—Mr. Beales has recognized the Spanish Revolution, which is very much gratified. He is, however, less satisfied with Vesuvius, and means to call the attention of the Reform League to the conduct of that mountain, and possibly to propose a vote of censure on the eruption.

RIDDLE ON RITUALISM.

Ritualists burn incense. Why? To perfume a church that's High.

Well—but rather, I suppose, To lead devils by the nose.

"The Act of Union."—Getting married.

"From Fun."

HARDICANTE. The name of my hero, Naughty young man is this Hardicante, Never his passion is tamed unto zero.

No one his tongue can persuade to be mute. All his spare money is spent in defending Actions which maidens unfortunate bring, Hearts are too easily broken—the mending is, as we know, quite a different thing.

Oh! such a delicate fancy has Hardy— This is the playful for Hardicante— Never was known such an amorous card, he Plays his cards better than playing the dice.

Just as the fishes jumped up at Arion, When he played tunes on the back of a fish, Maidens our Hardicante have their eyes on; Hardicante answers playfully, "Fish!"

Strangest of whims in this world, I assure you, Runs in the middle of Hardicante, "Virtuous maidens, I cannot endure you," Frequently boast this unmanly brute, "If you are famous, oh, woo you I'm game to, Newspaper fame is the thing that'll suit, Pilefours, poisonous, pests are the same to Yours very faithfully, Hardicante."

When Mrs. Manning was at the Old Bailey, Hardy was instantly struck with her charms, "Hardy lady," he wrote to her daily, "Hardy is longing to rush to your arms!" Wicked old Winsor he thought was ill-treated, Talked of her quite in a cavalier way, Longed near to Madeline Smith to be seated, Asked Mrs. Borradaile out to the play.

Rachel he spoke of in language ecstatic, Threatened to tweak the Commissioner's nose, Placed himself daily in posture dramatic, Close to his darling at Madame Tussard's, Basset of men and of lovers unfeeling, Hardicante, you are at it again, See him in lower-like attitude kneeling, Lowly to Queen Isabella of Spain!

A HACKNEYED EXPRESSION.—One free and independent voter of Hackney met another free and independent voter the other day, and said, "I say, Homer—I don't know whether he's the author of Homer's Iliad or of Homer's silly address—a run or 'up." Replied the other, "Oh, Homer's odd-is-he!" So they parted.

TERRIBLY HYBRID CATTLE.—We read in a contemporary that "canary birds bred in Germany are now hawked about the streets of Southampton for sale." Must we regard this as a canard, or as a specimen of that bird supposed to be extinct, the do-do?

A WORD OF ADVICE TO LORD MAYOR.—During the short period you will be in India encourage native industry—it is not absurd that in London alone there should be hundreds of thout-an shoemakers?

HARD TO CHACK.—A correspondent informs us that in consequence of the extreme drought, Ground Beets considerably increased last summer. After some difficulty we find that he means cracks in the earth.

HOW TO MAKE A HEAVY BAG.—Keep your mouth shut when dogs are working, and take our word for it—nothing will escape you.

A CONFESSION DEVOTELY TO BE WISHED.—A sink of Iniquity.

A REVUE CITY.—Paris.

BLACK-BURN POT CALLING JAPAN DIRTY!—The missions in Japan and China are having rather an unpleasant time of it. In the former, decrees have been issued laying the Christian religion under a formal interdiction. The placards describe Christians as "the devilish sect." One might almost fancy that the Japanese had got hold of some of the posters of the Conservative party at Blackburn.

ADDRESS HIM UP.—That Munchohausen gone mad, George Francis Train, has taken recently to signing his letters—"George Francis Train, Civis Americus Smm." Well! taking him at his own quotation, we don't think the "Smm" amounts to much.

SHADE OF GEORGE ROBINS!—What next and next? The latest on dit is to the effect that an eminent electrician has compelled that most useful and hard-worked servant, the electric fluid, to do his "bidding"—at an auction-room.

THE HORSE GRANTS VS SCOTLAND YARD.—It requires a tolerably smart fellow to "go for a soldier"—a smarter still to go for a policeman if you want one found under twenty minutes.

HYPERION TO A SATYRE.—The Juggler of the nightingale vs. the Cau-can of the music-hall.

FOUNDED ON FACT.—Illustration of the proverb "Money makes the man."—A statue cut in brass.

From Sunday Sources.—To get out of debt, pay up. To keep out, pay down.

A clergyman recently married a couple, and the pair had scarcely left the church when a rich banker rushed in, and, having heard the facts, expressed his disgust that his daughter should have married "that fellow." The banker had but just left, when in rushed a wealthy broker, who, on hearing the facts, expressed his disgust at his son's marrying "that girl." An even thing all round.

"I don't know anything about your 'Tycoon,'" said an old Illinoisian to a man who was discoursing on Japan; "but when you come to the ragoon you'll find me at home!"

The following is a description of "A Nice Young Man":—Attends evening parties, and hands the mullus around.

Smiles if he burns his fingers with the kettle.

Plays the flute.

Parts his hair in the middle.

Takes an umbrella with him to an evening party.

Has a secret passion for green.

Writes acrostics and contributes to ladies' albums.

Curis his whiskers.

Is the "Hon. Sec." to the "Ladies' Benevolent Mangle Distribution Society."

Keeps a cat, and a regular account of his daily expenses.

Carries a pin-cushion and acidulated drops about him, and is never unprovided with a scent-bottle for fear of accidents.

Gets out in the rain to fetch a cab—Doesn't smoke.

Has his hair and handkerchief full of scents, and it's a pity the same cannot be said of his head.

Holds a skein of silk with exemplary patience—turns over leaves of music with great digital skill—reads novels in a clear, secretary-like voice all-toss—flips moderate—takes the high and allegro—notes poetry penseroso—turns ladies' errands prestissimo—and makes himself generally useful.

When a poor fellow is about to be burned by the savages his existence is at stake.

Why is a spendthrift's purse like a thunder-bolt? Because it is continually lightning.

Sir, you are just like the motion of a dog's tail. "How so?" "Because you are a wag."

When are gloves unsalable? When they are kept on hand.

The late Queen of Spain should change her name from Isabella to Was-a-bell-a.

An Indian chief, in a telegraph office in Montana, being told that the operator was talking with a white brother two thousand miles distant, gave it as his opinion that that was the "longest talk" he had ever witnessed.

Elliot Smith was a good-natural auctioneer at Cambridge, England, whose body exceeded in dimensions the proper corporation standard. On him a Trinity wag wrote the following line:—

"If such be grass, as some folks say, Then Elliot Smith's a load of hay."

A clergyman called on a poor parishioner, whom he found bitterly lamenting the loss of an only son, a boy four or five years old. In the hope of consoling the afflicted woman he remarked to her that "one so young cannot have committed any very grievous sin; and that, no doubt, the child had gone to heaven." "Ah, sir," said the simple-hearted creature, "but Tommy was so shy—and they are all strangers there."

A country paper wants to know if a man with wooden legs can be considered a foot-passenger.

If a man is murdered by his workmen, should the coroner render a verdict of killed by his own hands?

A respectable gentleman don't like to have a heavy charge levelled against him—especially if it is in a gun.

An indignant orator at a public meeting, in refuting an opponent, thundered:—"Mr. chairman, I scorn the allegation, and I defy the alligator!"

A FISKY STREET.—Horse radish.

An American farmer says:—"We raise four hundred bushels of potatoes to the acre here, which would be a big thing if we didn't also raise insects enough to eat 'em all up."

No wonder grave-yards yawn, when there are so many sleepers there.

How is the Paris surgeon who has been engaged to cleave Chang from Eng going to get around the Scripture, "Whom God has joined together let no man put asunder"?

To RENOVATE AN OLD HAT—Take it to an evening party and leave early.

FOR SALE, OR EXCHANGE FOR CITY PROPERTY.—Beautiful Country seat, containing fifty-acre, situated on the river Delaware, below Dover. There is a large well-stocked garden, tennis house, and all necessary outbuildings. Price \$10,000. Apply to J. DOBINS, 117 N. 2nd St.

FOR RENT. PREMISES, No. 809 CHESTNUT ST., FOR STORE OR OFFICE.

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A REVUE CITY.—Paris.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

WRIGHT'S ALICATED GLYCEBRIN. Tablet of solidified glycerin tends to preserve the skin from dryness and wrinkles, imparts a wonderful degree of softness and elasticity to the complexion, and whiteness to the skin; is an excellent dentifrice, cleanses the teeth, and is a tonic to the mouth and gums; imparts sweetness to the breath, and renders the teeth beautifully white. For sale by all druggists. B. & G. W. ALIGHT, No. 59 CHESTNUT Street.

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PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD COMPANY. TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT, PHILADELPHIA, NOV. 2, 1868. NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a Semi-Annual Dividend of FIVE PER CENT, on the capital stock of the Company, clear of National and State taxes, payable in cash, on and after November 30, 1868.

Blank Powers of Attorney for collecting Dividends can be obtained at the Office of the Company, No. 225 N. THIRD Street.

The Office will be opened at 8 A. M. and closed at 4 P. M. from Nov. 30 to Dec. 5, for the payment of Dividends, and after that date from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.

THOMAS T. FIRTH, Treasurer.

GIRARD FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, Office N. E. corner CHESTNUT and SEVENTH Streets, Nov. 10, 1868. DIVIDEND NO. 21.

The Directors of this Company declared a dividend on the 9th inst. of FIVE PER CENT, on the earnings of the last six months, and ordered it paid to the stockholders, without deduction for taxes, on and after this date. ALBERT S. GILBERT, Treasurer.

LIFE INSURANCE.

THE NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

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Chartered by Special Act of Congress, Approved July 25, 1868.

CASH CAPITAL, \$1,000,000

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Policies may be taken that will pay to the insured, after a certain number of years, either his or annual income of one-tenth the amount named in the policy.

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INSURANCE COMPANIES.

DELAWARE MUTUAL SAFETY INSURANCE COMPANY.

PHILADELPHIA, November 11, 1868.

The following statement of the affairs of the Company is published in conformity with a provision of its Charter:

PREMIUMS RECEIVED From November 1, 1867, to October 31, 1868, On Marine and Inland Risks, \$801,506 74 On Fire Risks, 145,205 06

Premiums on Policies not marked off Nov. 1, 1867, \$918,719 77

PREMIUMS MARKED OFF As earned from Nov. 1, 1867, to Oct. 31, 1868, On Marine and Inland Risks, \$740,605 77 On Fire Risks, 145,347 74

Interest during the same period—Salaries, etc., \$89,492 49

LOSSES, EXPENSES, ETC., During the year above, Marine and Inland Navigation, \$421,053 74

Fire Losses, 73,485 87 Return Premiums, 50,144 02

Reimbursements, 39,106 51 Agency Charges, Advertising, Printing, etc., 60,588 03

Taxes—United States, State and Municipal Taxes, 48,555 59 Expenses, 29,908 05

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ASSETS OF THE COMPANY

November 1, 1868.

\$250,000 U. S. 5 per cent. Loan, 10-40s, \$250,000 00

120,000 U. S. 6 per cent. Loan, 10-40s, 120,000 00

50,000 U. S. 6 per cent. Loan (for Pacific Railroad), 50,000 00

200,000 State of Pennsylvania 6 per cent. Loan, 200,000 00

125,000 City of Philadelphia 6 per cent. Loan (except from 50,000 State of New Jersey), 125,000 00

50,000 State of New Jersey 6 per cent. Loan, 50,000 00

20,000 Pennsylvania Railroad 1st Mortgage 6 per cent. Bonds, 20,000 00

25,000 Pennsylvania Railroad 2d Mortgage 6 per cent. Bonds, 25,000 00

25,000 Western Penna. Railroad Mortgage 6 per cent. Bonds, 25,000 00

30,000 State of Tennessee 5 per cent. Loan, 30,000 00

7,000 State of Tennessee 6 per cent. Loan, 7,000 00

15,000 German Loan Company, Principal and interest guaranteed by the City of Philadelphia, 15,000 00

10,000 Pennsylvania Railroad Company, 200 shares stock, 10,000 00

5,000 North Pennsylvania Railroad Company, 100 shares stock, 5,000 00

20,000 Philadelphia and Southern Mail Steamship Company, 20,000 00

207,000 Loans on Bond and Mortgage, first liens on City Properties, 207,000 00

\$1,108,000 Par Market value, \$1,130,325 25

Real Estate, \$1,093,000 00, 30,000 00

Bills Receivable for Insurance, 322,486 04

Balances due at Agencies—Premiums on Marine Policies, Accrued Interest, and other debts due the Company, 40,178 88

Stock and Bonds, \$356, Estimated value, 1,813 00

Cash in Bank, 119, 413 05

Cash in Drawer, 413 05

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