

OUR SATURDAY NIGHT SUPPER SERIES

A Diet for Mental Dyspepsias—A Salad for Small Salaries, AND A SALVE FOR BAD CUTS.

BY OUR SERIES EDITOR. NUMBER CCXII.

MORE ORNAMENTAL THAN USEFUL. Frank—"You're surely not going out this weather?" Dear Little Wife—"Why not, Frank? I've got my beautiful new waterproof and umbrella."

OUR "STAR" PORTRAIT GALLERY.



I-M. Anjac as "Barbe Bleue." He is not called "Barbe Bleue" because he is generally "blue" in spirits; he having seven wives, of course has no time to be blue.



Mrs. Scott-Siddons as "Rosalind." She is not called "Rosalind" because she is any relation to Jenny Lind, or any other member of the Lind family.



Mrs. John Drew as "Viola." He is called "Viola," not because she plays a Viola in, but because it would be a violation of the text to call her anything else.



Mr. E. Craig as "Powhatan." This gentleman is called Powhatan on account of his complexion being so Tan-ned, Powha being his Indian name.



Mr. Barton Hill as "Captain John Smith." He was both instrumental and vocal in settling Virginia, and had it not been for Pocahontas, Powhatan would have been instrumental in settling him.

Horrible Custom.—We have been credibly informed that during the season a large number of persons have been observed picking up flesh at the seaside.

A German wrote an obituary on the death of his wife, of which the following is a copy—"If mine wife had lived until next Friday she would have been dead about two weeks.

The following announcement lately appeared in a paper—"Edward Eden, painter, is requested to communicate with his brother when he will hear of something to his advantage—his wife is dead."

The Marquis de F.—is the duellist of France. He is so fond of fighting that, having dressed the other night that the Duke de— had trod on his toes, he sent him a challenge the very next morning.

"Is that marble?" inquired a gentleman, pointing to a bust of Kentucky's great statesman, the other day, in a store.

A witty saying was that of the French noble man who, on being rallied by the king on growing old, and asked where he would like to be buried, answered, "At your feet, sire."

A locomotive on a Western railroad has been adorned with the title "I still live." That is more than many of the passengers can say at the end of the journey.

Said a very old man—"Some folks always complain about the weather, but I am very thankful when I wake up in the morning to find any weather at all."

Lord Chesterfield once remarked that even Adam, the first man, knew the value of politeness, and allowed Eve to have the first bite of the apple.

"Mamma," said a promising youth of four or five summers, "if all people are made of dust, ain't colored men made of coal-dust?"

Bald headed men take a joke more easily, because they are not at the trouble of "getting it through their hair."

Why is the pen mightier than the sword?—Because it can draw money, while the other only draws blood.

A child, wanting to describe a snake, said it was "a thing all tail—clear up to the head!"

Young men anxious to get rid of their wild oats will do well to get a sewing-machine.

TENEMENT THAT IS NOT OCCUPIED HALF THE TIME.—The room for improvement.

THE SONG AN ESCAPED CONVICT WOULD SING.—"The last link is broken."

MOTTO FOR A FASHIONABLE YOUNG LADY.—"Never too late to bend."

The Most Steadfast Follower of our Fortunes.—Our creditors.

What makes the sunrise?—Why, the East, of course, stooped!

AN UNFORTUNATE ATTACHMENT.—That of the Siamese Twins.

Of what poet does the pleurisy remind you?—Akensted.

THE CHIEF OF THE MIST AUTHORITIES.—Lamb. What tune is a great favorite?—Fortune.

A Prevalent Lam.—Rhumatism. Outward Bound.—Books. Low People.—Dwarfs.

Dramatic Items:—Mr. Howard Paul will shortly play "Lady Macbeth" at Drury Lane Theatre, and will double the part with "Deceit."

common players of interludes. This act, which was intended to protect Sir R. Walpole from the ravage of the time, though it met with great opposition, was hurried through both houses, and received the royal assent on the 21st of June following.

Musical Items:—Madame Lucca, whose death was vaguely rumored some weeks ago, is reported to be just recovering. She is soon to reappear at the Italian Opera.

—Kossin's pet name, known by the name of the Count Pilet Will, at whose house it was first given, has been bought by M. Strakosch, who intends to have it performed simultaneously in the chief cities of Europe.

—Don Juan, one of M. Carvalho's restorations, has been revived by his successor at the Theatre Lyrique, but it is now being differently supported. Madlle Orgeni has appeared in La Traviata; but her nervousness was so great on the night of her debut that she was unable to do herself justice.

—The death of the Pope has been commemorated by the Abbe Lutz to prepare a theme for reciting sacred music from the state of degradation into which it has fallen in Italy.

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He died the same night at a quarter to eleven o'clock, amidst the tears and extreme regrets of all his friends.

His body, after being embalmed, was carried to the abbey of Cellieres, of which M. Mignot, his nephew, was then abbot. The body, when laid in the grave, was covered with two feet of quicklime.

He did not quit him for an instant throughout his illness. I owe also several particulars to my friend M—, who saw M. de Voltaire three or four times a day, and took care to have accurate information of all that happened during this sad time.

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Amount of losses during the year, adjusted but not due..... 600.00 Amount of losses reported to the Company, but not acted upon..... 13,478.00

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