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Ladies' Elegant Front Embroidered Bat-
trigians, per pair, 10c
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per pair, 10c
Handsome Colored Embroidered Hose,
Seamless, 15c
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Silk Ties, Embroidered, 15c
Lace Ties, 5c

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2-Button Gloves, 15c
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Skirt Braids, 4c
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THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 8, 1880.

THE PRESIDENCY.

C. A. DANA'S REVIEW OF THE FIELD.

The Third Term Dogma and its Advocates—
Why Grant is the Best Candidate—
Strength and Weakness of the
Several Candidates.

WIT, HUMOR AND MISCELLANY.

Pregnant Paragraphs for Public Perusal—
Quaint Freaks of a Great Actress—
Fanciful Journalism—
Sensational Office.

Me. Dana on the Presidential Candidates.

From an Interview with Mr. C. A. Dana in the
Graphic.
"The Democratic party," he said, "is
the only one which at all represents or at-
tempts to maintain the spirit and traditions
which led to the establishment of our
democratic republic. The government
was founded a very abolition of govern-
ment. The leading idea was to carry on
affairs with the least possible governmen-
tal interference. The Republican party
has constantly strengthened and central-
ized the federal authority, in violation of
all the principles upon which the union
was established. So long as slavery was
in question, or its extension or restriction
was an issue, it was a vital matter, and I
was a Republican. When that was out of
the way, and we could go back to the fun-
damental development of the democratic-
republican system, the Democratic party
seemed to me to be on the right side. There
I have substantially stood since the war
was completed and reconstruction done
with."

"And about the candidates?"
"I am against Grant, because he is,
above everything else, the representative
of the centralizing policy of the Republi-
can party, and because I regard it as es-
sentially dangerous for any man to be
more than twice president."
"You used to be a great friend of Mr.
Conkling?"
"That is very true. He is a man of
warm blood, and has qualities that
warmly attract his friends. But I parted
with him in a political sense when he be-
came devoted to Grant's wrong-headed
and corrupt administration. Besides, as
a candidate for president, he is impossible
for any, and he is the author of the elec-
toral commission and is the most zealous
of third-termers. That is enough."
"Blaine, Sherman, Washburne, Edmunds,
—I should oppose them for the same rea-
sons. Every one of them would, in a par-
ty emergency, support Gen. Grant for a
third term."
"And on the Democratic side?"
"Tilden—There are three questions
which come up in connection with his pos-
sible nomination. First: Can he be elect-
ed? Do the people and the majority of the
or as having been personally interested
in the cipher despatch business? If any
considerable portion of either or both po-
litical parties believe him to have been
wrongly a party to that affair, that will be
a serious consideration. Secondly:
Are there in the Democratic party ele-
ments so hostile to him, either in New
York state or elsewhere, as to make his
election impossible were he nominated?
Thirdly: Is his state of health and phys-
ical vigor such that he could or could not
stand the canvass and the subsequent toil
and exhaustion which necessarily attend
the office?"
"That's non-committal."
"Should Tilden be nominated and his
election be the only means of crushing
the third term dogma. I should undoubtedly
support him. But should there be a third
candidate, a man who would stand a
greater chance of defeating a third term,
I might support him in preference."
"The man who would stand a greater
chance with the electoral commission. It
would be stultification and suicide on the
part of the Democratic party to take up
either of them."
"How will Hendricks do?"
"No, he is too small a pattern. He is a
very respectable, conservative man;
would make a first-rate vestryman. He
hasn't breadth, courage or force enough
to fill Andrew Jackson's place."
"Whom would the Sen be likely to
favor?"
"The most available man against Grant
would probably be John M. Palmer, of
Illinois. He has been twice governor of
Illinois, and his war experience as a semi-
official administrative officer, and general
showed satisfactory executive qualities.
That he has never been in Congress is not
to his disadvantage."
"Against any other man than Grant,
Gen. Hancock would be a very strong can-
didate. He has a clear record, especially
on the relations of the military to the civil
power. There is nothing more admirable
in all our history than the declarations put
forth by him when in command of the de-
partment of Louisiana after the war. Any
statesman might be proud of them. They
say he is not a politician, but men who are
not at all politicians are fit for office. But
it is not desirable to run one military man
against another as a candidate. If the Re-
publicans should nominate Blaine or
Washburne, Hancock would be available."
"Judge Davis would be a fair candidate,
and would attract conservative Republi-
can votes. It does not, however, seem
probable that the Democrats will take him
up. He has few immediate personal
friends, and hardly a personal or political
party behind him."
"In some respects Judge Stephen J.
Field would be an available man. That
he is on the supreme court bench should
not necessarily be against him. The diffi-
culty would be that he is thought to be
too friendly to the Pacific railroads. That
fact is rather creditable to him personally.
If he were a friend of the plunderers about
Harrisburg, he might have the delegation.
But then nobody would want to have
him."

Humors of the Day.
No matter how prosperous their business
may be, traders and land-makers always
have a riddle guessed by a father im-
possible to be guessed by any other mem-
ber of the family? Because it is his find-
ing out.
A Chicago man has a woman's tooth
graffed into his jaw, and now every time
he passes a millinery store that tooth fairly
aches to drag him up to the window.
Anna: "How I did love pets before I
was married. I always had a monkey."
Arthur: "And what have you now?"
Anna: "You."
"Are you the mail carrier?" she asked
of the Hibernian postman. "Faith, an'
do you think of a female carrier?" he
asked, as he looked toward the sky with
his nose.

When a Boston girl is presented with a
bouquet, she says, "Oh, how deliciously
sweet! its fragrance impregnates the en-
tire atmosphere of the room." A down-
East girl simply says, "It smells scrupulous-
—thanks, Terben."
Considerate mother (to her governess):
"Miss Smith, don't let Alfred and Jen-
nie sit down on the damp grass, for they
should catch cold. When they are tired
you can sit down and take them on your
lap."
There is a young lady in Keokuk, Iowa,
who is six feet four inches tall, and she is
engaged to be married. The man who won
her did it in these words:
"Thy beauty set my soul aglow:
I'd wed thee right or wrong;
My friends but little here below,
But wants that little long."

A lady hearing the remark that the
storm signal was set, inquired what was
meant, and being told that the signal de-
partment at Washington now watches the
weather and telegraphs in advance all
over the country, replied, "Now isn't that
convenient for washerwomen?"
Nancy sternly reproaches Nana for having
jilted him. With no less gentleness Nana
answers, "I would not jilt you, mon ami!
You know I am already engaged to Paul,
Jean, Charles, Alphonse and Henri!"
"We could crowd a little," insisted the
aspirant, humbly.
A man very much in debt being reprim-
anded by his friends for his disgraceful
situation, and the necessity of a debtor be-
ing urged by them in very strong expres-
sions: "Ah, that may be the case," said
he, "with a person who thinks of
paying."
"Necessity knows no law," said a mem-
ber of the bar one day at dinner. "Are
you a necessity?" asked his four-year-old
daughter. "Well, I can't say. Why do
you ask?" replied the father. "Cause,
Mr. Spear says that you know nothing
about law," was the innocent reply.
"How do you like the new minister?"
asked a lady of her little girl. "Oh, he
is splendid. I like him ever so much bet-
ter than I did the other one." "Why?"
asked her mother. "Well, said the child,
trying to think of a good reason, he has a
better complexion."

Dr. Johnson had a habit of eating very
fast, and using his fingers in place of his
fork. One day the critic was dining with
a company, when a young would-be wit
replied, "Doctor, you remind me of
Nebuchadnezzar." "Nebuchadnezzar?"
replied the doctor, his mouth full of vic-
tims. "Ah, yes. That's because I'm eat-
ing with brutes."

Miscellaneous Items.
An Evansville (Ind.) printer keeps his
wood type in a series of bags, hung on nails
against the wall.
The Saturday Review thinks that novel
writers derive more advantages from badly
constructed willow lawns.
The strong, clear writer seldom sends his
printer to the italic case. He puts out his
piece and allows it to speak for itself.
Charles Dickens's dictionary of London
has been so successful that he is now pre-
paring a dictionary of the Thames.
The Lawrence (Kansas) Journal claims
that the Kansas state law library can hard-
ly be equalled in the United States.
A second edition, with a number of ad-
ditional poems, is announced of the "Col-
lected writings of Gregory Orbianni," the
poet of the Caucasus.
During the last four years the Parlia-
mentary library of Greece has been increas-
ing from 6,000 to 60,000 volumes and is now
a model of what such a selection should be.
A young Glasgow clergyman is said to
be nearly ready to astonish the world with
a series of sketches of "Scenes from Scotch
Clerical Life."
An illustrated history of universal liter-
ature is being issued in the Czech lan-
guage, edited by Vaclav Petru, of Pilsen,
in Bohemia. The first volume deals with
Chinese and Sanskrit literature.
Don Manuel Larrainzar is publishing
at Mexico a study, in five volumes, on the
"History of America," its ruins and
antiquities, and on the origin of its inhabi-
tants. The work is in Spanish.
A Maine man, who didn't care three
shakes of a lamb's tail for the newspapers,
rode four men on his back through a fierce
storm to get a copy of a weekly that spoke
of him as a prominent citizen.
Bancroft, the historian, is such a pains-
taking writer, so carefully polishing his
sentences after they are in type, that the
correction of his proofs is more expensive
than the original cost of composition.
The forty-ninth of the poet Camoens
will be celebrated this year by two new
translations of his immortal work, and also
by five new Portuguese editions of the
"Lusiad."
Josh Billings receives \$100 a week for
half a column in a New York story paper,
and has published his books with rare
thrift. The profit on his "Albionist"
has been \$25,000.
Samuel Smiles has received from the
king of Italy a valuable decoration as a
mark of royal appreciation of his book,
"Self-Help," translated, has been sold in
Italy to the number of fifty thousand
copies.
Gerald Massey, whose name has been
silent for many years, will shortly publish
the first volume of an important prose
work, "Myths and Mysteries Interpreted

office are so disgusting that it is strange
that gentlemen will so demean themselves.
There is a story told of a man who was
promised the first vacancy in the postoffice
department. One day, while lazily saun-
tering near the river, he saw a dead man
dragged ashore. He looked at the face
and recognized a clerk whom he had
known in the postoffice. He ran all the
way to the department, rushed into the
presence of the postmaster general and de-
manded his appointment. "I only prom-
ised a place when there was a vacancy,"
said the postmaster general.
"There is one," said the excited indi-
vidual, "I saw the dead body of John
Jones dragged out of the river."
Slowly the postmaster general enunci-
ated the following words: "You are too
late. One hour ago the place was given
to the man who saw John Jones when he
fell into the river."

Paris Newspaper Men.
Parisian journalists, says a British jour-
nalist, are a peculiar race of men who
write what they think, and when they
think little write nonsense. They have no
fear of editors before their eyes, for they
maintain their dignity in accepting no
editorial corrections. Address all their
articles. When a Frenchman finds that
he is "getting too big" for his particular
journal, and is making its columns crack
by the excessive exuberance of the matter
which he puts into them, he starts off and
founds a new daily paper of his own. He
can always find an accommodating capiti-
alist ready to lend him money in return
for the social prestige which the proprie-
torship of a newspaper confers. The bargain
between the pair is summarily this:
"You hand over the funds and I will
supply talent; you content yourself
with being showman of our firm, and I
will do the hard hitting. For the rest, your
position as the owner of our journal will
be a grand one, for you will get play orders
for nothing, and be able to vent your
animus against any enemies you may have
in stinging little paragraphs, which I will
touch up for you." There are about forty-
five daily newspapers in Paris, and they
have mostly been started by the demands
of impetuous journalists who concluded
some such treaty as the above with men of
capital—mostly bankers, merchants, or re-
tired tradesmen. It generally happens,
after a time, that the journalist and his
financial patron quarrel; the news-
paper is put up for sale, and the journalist
having become rich in his turn, buys out
the capitalist and devotes the remainder of
his literary career to abusing him.

N. Meloe, Wyebridge, Ontario, writes: "I
have sold large quantities of Dr. Thomas'
Electric Oil; it is used for colds, sore throat,
croup, &c., and, in fact, for every ailment
that it works like magic. It is a sure cure for
burns, wounds, and all the kind of things
to H. B. Cochran, druggist, 137 and 139
North Queen street, Lancaster."

When you are in pain you want prompt
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Statistics prove that twenty-two per cent
of the deaths in our larger cities are caused
by consumption, and when we reflect that
this terrible disease will yield to a
bottle of Loecher's Renowned Cough Syrup,
shall we condemn the sufferers for their negli-
gence, or pity them for their ignorance?

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office are so disgusting that it is strange
that gentlemen will so demean themselves.
There is a story told of a man who was
promised the first vacancy in the postoffice
department. One day, while lazily saun-
tering near the river, he saw a dead man
dragged ashore. He looked at the face
and recognized a clerk whom he had
known in the postoffice. He ran all the
way to the department, rushed into the
presence of the postmaster general and de-
manded his appointment. "I only prom-
ised a place when there was a vacancy,"
said the postmaster general.
"There is one," said the excited indi-
vidual, "I saw the dead body of John
Jones dragged out of the river."
Slowly the postmaster general enunci-
ated the following words: "You are too
late. One hour ago the place was given
to the man who saw John Jones when he
fell into the river."

Humors of the Day.
No matter how prosperous their business
may be, traders and land-makers always
have a riddle guessed by a father im-
possible to be guessed by any other mem-
ber of the family? Because it is his find-
ing out.
A Chicago man has a woman's tooth
graffed into his jaw, and now every time
he passes a millinery store that tooth fairly
aches to drag him up to the window.
Anna: "How I did love pets before I
was married. I always had a monkey."
Arthur: "And what have you now?"
Anna: "You."
"Are you the mail carrier?" she asked
of the Hibernian postman. "Faith, an'
do you think of a female carrier?" he
asked, as he looked toward the sky with
his nose.

When a Boston girl is presented with a
bouquet, she says, "Oh, how deliciously
sweet! its fragrance impregnates the en-
tire atmosphere of the room." A down-
East girl simply says, "It smells scrupulous-
—thanks, Terben."
Considerate mother (to her governess):
"Miss Smith, don't let Alfred and Jen-
nie sit down on the damp grass, for they
should catch cold. When they are tired
you can sit down and take them on your
lap."
There is a young lady in Keokuk, Iowa,
who is six feet four inches tall, and she is
engaged to be married. The man who won
her did it in these words:
"Thy beauty set my soul aglow:
I'd wed thee right or wrong;
My friends but little here below,
But wants that little long."

A lady hearing the remark that the
storm signal was set, inquired what was
meant, and being told that the signal de-
partment at Washington now watches the
weather and telegraphs in advance all
over the country, replied, "Now isn't that
convenient for washerwomen?"
Nancy sternly reproaches Nana for having
jilted him. With no less gentleness Nana
answers, "I would not jilt you, mon ami!
You know I am already engaged to Paul,
Jean, Charles, Alphonse and Henri!"
"We could crowd a little," insisted the
aspirant, humbly.
A man very much in debt being reprim-
anded by his friends for his disgraceful
situation, and the necessity of a debtor be-
ing urged by them in very strong expres-
sions: "Ah, that may be the case," said
he, "with a person who thinks of
paying."
"Necessity knows no law," said a mem-
ber of the bar one day at dinner. "Are
you a necessity?" asked his four-year-old
daughter. "Well, I can't say. Why do
you ask?" replied the father. "Cause,
Mr. Spear says that you know nothing
about law," was the innocent reply.
"How do you like the new minister?"
asked a lady of her little girl. "Oh, he
is splendid. I like him ever so much bet-
ter than I did the other one." "Why?"
asked her mother. "Well, said the child,
trying to think of a good reason, he has a
better complexion."

Dr. Johnson had a habit of eating very
fast, and using his fingers in place of his
fork. One day the critic was dining with
a company, when a young would-be