# THE EVENING STAR.

SATURDAY.....April 20, 1878.


### *Weather Indications To-day.*

OFFICE OF CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER, Washington, April 20, 1878.

For the middle states and New England southeast southerly winds, warmer partly cloudy weather, and numerous areas wkin stationary or falling barometer.

## LOCAL NEWS.

### Amusements, &c., To-night.

*National Theater.*—"Villars Dragoons" and last act of "The Chimes of Normandy."

*Theater Comique.*—Varieties.

### Condensed Locals.

J. Shillington sends Frank Leslie's *Popular Monthly* for May.

A marriage license has been issued to Chas. Hill and Sarah Lane.

From J. C. Parker we have the New York papers in advance of the mails.

Street lamps will be lighted to-night at 7:05 p.m., and extinguished at 12:20 a.m.

Prof. Widdows has arranged an Easter chimes programme to be played to-morrow morning, commencing at 10:15 o'clock.

Towson & Co. are selling goods at very low prices. See advertisement.

A successful temperance meeting was held last night at Bethlehem Baptist Church, Hillsdale, which was attended by many ladies and gentlemen from the city. Addresses were made by Messrs. Guy, Wines, J. C. Lathrop, Judge Fernold, Mr. Bailey and Mr. Hunter.

The languid feeling incident to spring is easiest dispelled by vigorous exercise at the Gymnasium. Clubs are still trumps at this institution. Reduced rates are given to as small a number as five.

At a reception at the Riggs House to-night by the officers of the Association for the Advancement of Women, Miss Mary F. Eastman, the secretary, will read an interesting paper.

On the 31st ult. the daughter of Mrs. Alice R. Stotsenberg died of scarlet fever in this city, and the remains of the little one were taken to Wilmington, Del., and the other child, a boy of seven years, took the disease there and has since been very ill, but is now out of danger.

A pleasant way to spend Easter Monday evening will be to attend the annual ball of the West End Hibernian Society, advertised in another column.

A party of tramps boarded a train on the R., F. & P. Railroad at Quantico last week and rode to Richmond' being too numerous to be forcibly put off.

The Circuit and Equity Courts were each in session to-day hearing motions.

THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY met last night at Association hall, with Mr. Wm. Saunders in the chair and Mr. J. T. C. Clark as secretary. The names of the following persons were presented for membership, and they were elected:—Joseph Bradley, Anthony Buehly, Wm. S. Roose, Henry Beard, B. D. Hyam, S. H. Kauffmann, Jos. L. Savage, John Keyworth, Richd Smith, B. H. Trueworthy, Thomas Somerville, Robt Leitch, Geo. W. Cochran, M. V. B. Bogan, Michael Dulin, James A. Watt and John J. Riley. The committee on nominations of officers reported in favor of the following, and they were elected:—John A. Baker president; John Saul, Thomas W. Fowler and Edward Cammack, vice presidents; Charles A. Ball, recording secretary; D. S. Curtis, corresponding secretary; and J. T. C. Clark, treasurer, with the following executive committee:—John Saul, David L. Saunders, George Glorious, Michael Esch and John G. Judd. The secretary was authorized to procure suitable stationery and blank books for the use of the society. The second Wednesday of each month was designated for the regular monthly meetings of the society. Messrs. Wm. Saunders, Mathias Hagerty and Jas. K. Kerr were chosen as a finance committee. Mr. Wm. Saunders was called upon to entertain the members present with his views on the subject of horticulture, which he proceeded to do. There are many ways, he said, of keeping up the interest of the subject of horticulture; one popular way was by frequent exhibitions of flowers and other products of their skill. Exhibitions are, as a general rule, overdone, and apt to result in disaster rather than the promotion of the objects sought to be attained. They are sometimes based on too large ideas, and are burdensome to members. This should be guarded against. The bringing together of the members, with their fruits, flowers and new discoveries, in an unostentatious way, and discussing together and exchanging views would be productive of good results. Science is the discovery of nature's laws, and the tracing of this subject through the fairy realms of flowers is an occupation essentially elevating to man or woman. This is a wide field, and open to every mind. There should be no distinction between the scientific and practical mind; both are wanting in this work. He saw no reason why a society of this kind should not prove a success in this District. Mr. John Saul followed in similar words of encouragement. He thought their weekly meetings would prove valuable to all. He desired to be a hard worker, and to assist in imparting and receiving knowledge. The chair, after thanking the society for the compliment of electing him, suggested that the encouragement of a lady membership would help the cause. Their interest in flowers and shrubbery is proverbial. Mr. Clark said he knew of many ladies very much devoted to this subject, anxious to become members. Mr. Saul remarked that the ladies are the best customers gardeners have, and the most liberal in the purchase of flowers generally. The committee on hall was instructed to secure Association hall for their regular meetings.

INJURY TO EYES OF SCHOOL CHILDREN AND TEACHERS.—The Board of Health met evening, and the health officer presented a letter stating that two-thirds of the pupils and teachers in the west room of the public school building at the corner of 14th and N streets are complaining of inflammation of the eyes, with more or less pain, two of the children being absent on that account. He had been told by an oculist that their eyes had received very serious if not permanent injury. In view of the importance of the subject, he recommends immediate remedy or the vacation of the room. The light and ventilation are both very defective, and he thought that the District Commissioners should be asked to authorize a sufficient expenditure to correct these evils, either by changing the direction of seats and desks or other methods. Many other of the school buildings are in a bad condition, but not so bad as this. Mr. Marbury said that this was a most important subject, and he moved that the letter be forwarded to the District Commissioners at once. Mr. Warden expressed doubts as to whether the board had jurisdiction of the subject. Dr. Cox suggested a reference to the health officer to make a thorough examination. Dr. Verdi said that there could be no question as to the authority of the board over the matter, and urged prompt action. After some further discussion Mr. Marbury moved that the sanitary committee take charge of the subject with the health officer and make a thorough investigation; and the motion was adopted.

AT THE ANNUAL CONCLAVE of Washington Commandery, No. 1, Knights Templars last night, it was decided to make a pilgrimage to Richmond, Va., starting on the evening of May 20th, spending two days in that city. It was voted to attend divine service in the evening of Ascension day, (May 30th,) at the church of the Ascension, in compliance with a invitation from Bishop Pinckney. Officers were chosen for the ensuing year as follows: Eminent commander, Robert Boyd; generalissimo, William J. Stephenson; captain-general, Wm. G. Moore; senior warden, W. G. Brock; junior warden, A. M. Tubman; treasurer, John Keyworth; recorder, Warren H. Orcutt; warden, Wm. G. Henderson; trustee, E. F. Shafhirt; prelate, Daniel McFarland.

WM. T. LEE, THE EX-POLICEMAN, who was arrested yesterday by Officer Edelin on the charge of stealing a watch from W. E. Thorne, who lives near Uniontown, was brought up from jail to the Police Court. He pleaded not guilty. Mr. Thorne testified that he lives in Prince George's county. Lee came to his house some time ago, and when he left the watch and chain had also left. The theft having occurred in Maryland, the court thought this court had no jurisdiction over it, and advised that a postponement of the hearing be made until Wednesday next. Mr. Coyle said he had several cases of forgery against Lee, which he would file on that day.

CASSIMERES! CASSIMERES!—Cloths for men, boys and children, about 300 pieces, splendid assortment, prices ranging from 37 to $1.50; bleached cotton, good as Fruit of the Loom, 8; New York Mills sheeting, the widest and very best quality made, at a special low price; white honey-comb quilts, 50; large size pure white bridal quilts, $1.50; (beautiful wool) spring dress goods, 15. Carter's, 711 Market Space.—*Advt.*

POLICY PLAYERS.—The Alexandria *Gazette* says:—It is reported that a number of the lottery and policy dealers who have been driven out of Washington have announced their intention to open business at Jackson City, the Virginia end of the Long bridge. As the law here is very strict and as severe as in Washington, these gentlemen had better make some other change of quarters.

THE CATTLE MARKET.—At Queenstown drove yard market yesterday 125 head of cattle were sold from $4.50 to $5.62; 600 sheep and lambs; 200 head shipped to Baltimore, 355 sold to butchers. Old sheep, clipped, from 4 to 5 cents, lambs from 6 to 9 cents per pound; 50 head left over. Cows and calves sold from $20 to $40. Market dull.

THE POTOMAC FERRY COMPANY having about finished their boats, will have them running between Washington and Alexandria to-morrow, (Easter Sunday,) every half hour. They are quite handsome.

### Amusements.

*National Theater.*—The Hess English Opera company closes its engagement this evening with "Villar's Dragoons" and the last act of "The Chimes of Normandy." This will be the first presentation in this city of the former opera. Next week Fanny Davenport will appear in a variety of excellent plays, commencing Monday evening with "Pique."

*Theater Comique.*—The programme here this evening promises to be very mirthful and enjoyable.

*Schuetzen Park.*—If the weather is favorable there will be a sacred concert at the Schuetzen park to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

*Curtis Hall, Georgetown.*—Next Monday evening a grand concert and exhibition for the benefit of the Mount Pleasant Sabbath school will be given here, under the management of Mr. F. A. Wilson, assisted by some of the finest talent of Washington and Georgetown.

*Sheldon's Hall.*—Mrs. Loui M. Kerns will give spiritual manifestations here to-morrow evening. The ballot test and other spiritual phenomena will be given in full gas light.

*Monday Evening next* the Hutchinson family will, at the Sixth Presbyterian church, give their last concert in this city previous to their visit to Philadelphia.

*Pound Party.*—The ladies of the Dorcas society, connected with the Benevolent society, of Georgetown, give a pound party Monday night at Seminary building, Georgetown, for the aged poor.

### The Trial of Mechlin.

Yesterday, in the Criminal Court, the trial of Joel R. Poinsett Mechlin, charged with five assaults on his daughters, was continued in the Criminal Court (Judge Wylie) after our report closed, and Mr. Coyle continued his argument for the government, and was followed by Mr. Taggart, for the defence, up to 3 o'clock.

This morning there was another large audience present. Mr. Taggart resumed his argument, and concluded about 11 o'clock, in the course of his remarks referring in no very complimentary terms to "meddlesome neighbors," on whom he charged all the trouble.

Assistant District Wells briefly went over the circumstances of each case and claimed that the government had made out a case under each of the informations. He closed at noon.

The court instructed the jury that they should return a verdict on each of the informations, remarking that the question was as to whether the punishment was reasonable or unreasonable.

After remaining out for two hours, the jury was sent for and came in at 2.15 o'clock, and having answered the call of their names, the foreman, Mr. Daw, answered that they had not agreed upon a verdict. The court instructed them when they reached a verdict to seal it up, and adjourned until Monday.

A PSYCHOMETRICAL DIFFICLTY AND PROSPECTIVE DIVORCE SUIT.—George Baggott is a printer, and resides on 9th, between H and I streets. He is an industrious and well-disposed man, and his wife, to do her part towards making the pot boil, keeps furnished rooms for rent. Among her customers of late there have been some queer people, of the free-love and spiritualistic persuasion, who, as Baggott alleges, have made a convert of his wife. Having, he says, borne with their "tricks that are vain" to his heart's content, and feeling convinced that his wife would be a better woman without such spirits, he ordered them to leave, and went so far as to set the traps of one Dr. H. R. Rogers and his side partner (Mrs. R. F. Berry), the former, according to his card, a "psychometrist and healer of diseases of mind and body, medical electrician and somnambulistic diagnosis," and the latter, "trance medium somnambulist and psychometrist," out of doors, and requested them to discontinue their visits to his house. This occurred several weeks ago, and since that time he states that he has seen his wife in company with Dr. Rodgers on the street, and has seen and watched them go to his office on I street, between 12th and 13th streets, where they would stay an unreasonable time together. He warned his wife against this, and her excuse was that he was treating her for a nervousness by his process of laying on of hands. This was by no means satisfatory to Mr. Baggott, and he forbid her having any further acquaintance with him, but has kept an eye on them. Last night about 10 o'clock cries of murder and police from Baggott's house aroused the neighborhood, and Officer Duvall hastening to the premises found a group of persons standing in front. He entered and found Dr. Lawrence and Mrs. Lawrence, also inmates of the house, in great excitement on the lower floor. They urged him up stairs to the scene of trouble, and in the third story he found Mr. Baggott pummelling Dr. Rodgers with a chair at the entrance of his room. Taking both combatants along he locked them in separate cells on the charge of disorderly conduct, neither being inclined to charge the other with assault. They did not relish the locking up process, and through the kindness of bystanders sent for their friends. Pap Jones, the veteran printer, known among the typos as the good Samaritan and widows' friend, in company with Mrs. Baggott, visited the station near midnight and arranged for a collateral for her husband, who was outspoken to the reporters about his difficulties. Rodgers, who was in a cell near by listening to Baggott's narration, appeared very restless, and would call out:—"Mr. Reporter, let me tell you my side of this story." Baggott appeared quite excited, and declared his intention of taking immediate steps to get a separation from his wife; charging improper intimacy with Rodgers. Through the entreaties of the latter a gentleman volunteered to go to the lodgings of Mrs. R. F. Berry, his partner, and acquaint her of his situation. It was about midnight when this psychometric diagnosist arrived. She is a hard featured, chunky woman, about 40 years old, and did not waste many of her crisp words as she laid out the collateral—$5—for disorderly conduct and $20 for carrying a pistol. Dr. Lawrence busied himself in behalf of his spiritual friend. Dr. Rodgers and all left the station with a notion to be in the Police Court this morning. They were not there this morning, and all the collaterals were forfeited.

ANOTHER FAILURE OF A POLICY PROSECUTION.—In the case of George Dyer and John Matthews, two colored men, convicted of selling policy tickets, Mr. A. B. Williams appeared in the Criminal Court yesterday and made a motion in arrest of judgment, and, after argument, Judge Wylie said it was clearly a faulty information and could not stand. This policy playing was much to be condemned, but men must be tried legally. He sustained the motion and discharged the prisoners.

NO EGG-ROLLING ON THE CAPITOL GROUNDS. By an act of Congress approved April 29th, 1876, it is made the "duty of the Capitol police hereafter to prevent any portion of the Capitol grounds and terraces from being used as playgrounds or otherwise, so far as may be necessary to protect the public property, turf and grass from destruction or injury." This law was passed to prevent the practice which had grown up in previous years of children rolling Easter eggs on the Capitol grounds and terraces.

BOAT RACING.—The Baltimore *Sun* of today says:—The Analostan Boat Club, of Washington, have accepted the challenge of the Undine Rowing Club, of Baltimore, for a match race on the Patapsco river. It is expected that the contest will come off early in June, and offers will be made to induce the Ariel and L'Hirondelle Clubs, of Baltimore, to enter into a general regatta. The Undine will row in a paper shell built by Waters & Son, of Troy, N. Y., weighing 85 pounds.

JUDGMENT FOR THE DISTRICT.—To-day in the Circuit Court, the case of L. G. Dawson against the District of Columbia was submitted, and judgment entered for defendant. Dawson, it will be remembered, was clerk of the Police Court, and left on leave of absence but did not return. Subsequently, he entered suit for the August salary. The court held he had performed no service, and gave judgment for defendant.

ANOTHER MISSING MAN.—Clinton Gardner, a young man 23 years of age, son of Dr. Jacob Gardner, of Falls Church, Va., and an employe of the Baltimore and Potomac railroad company, has been missing since last Wednesday. On Tuesday he was paid his salary, and he was last seen in company with a stranger Wednesday morning, in an avenue restaurant.

WILL OPEN MONDAY MORNING, 100 pieces of new styles of spring dress goods, at 25 cents. Will open on Monday, 100 pieces of choice styles of new spring dress goods; large stock of new styles of parasols, from $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2, $2.50, $3, etc.; Androscoggin L yard wide bleached cotton, 7½ cents. Towson's. See new advertisement in another column.

CHICKEN THIEVES.—At an early hour this morning the premises of Mr. W. H. Hollidge, P street, between 4th and 5th, were invaded by three negro thieves who got off with eight hens and a rooster. Mr. G. L. Milton residing near by, pursued them some distance, but could not overtake them.

BUILDING PERMITS issued by Inspector Entwisle: Odd Fellows' hall, 8th street southeast, make a three story addition and general repairs; $5,000. Wm. C. Tolman, construct a two story brick dwelling, East Capitol, between 9th and 10th streets northeast; $2,600.

CASE SETTLED.—To-day the trustees of the North Capitol (M. E.) church, of which Rev. Hrrry Boggs is pastor, settled the judgment recently obtained against them by Mr. Richard Sutton, amounting to nearly $1,000.

COMBS, in gilt, coral, silver, jet, shell, rainbow, blue and pearl, received at Prigg's jewelry store, No. 457 Pennsylvania avenue, near 4½ street.—*Advt.*

BURY'S PIPSISSEWA cures gravel, dropsical swellings, ulceration of kidneys, &c. Sold by druggist.

THE CITY PAPER—The *Sunday Sun.*—*Advt.*

### The Pestilential Nature of Advanced Thought.

*Editor of Star:*—In yesterday's paper, under the heading of "Sensible Talk," you quote approvingly an article from the New York *Evening Post* charging the whole Beecher-Tilton imbroglio upon the supposed advanced ideas of all the parties upon the woman question. Surely our faithful EVENING STAR, given to illumine the darkness of the night, does not mean to accept and endorse such a monstrous theory. From the beginning of recorded history there was never a clearer illustration of the weakening effects of the subjection of women than Mrs. Elizabeth R. Tilton. Yielding wholly to the authority and influence of her divinely-appointed lord, her husband, and her spiritual guide, her pastor, she sways between these two *keepers of her soul and conscience* in the most charmingly feminine and subjective manner. Not one of the trio has given any evidence that a woman's soul and conscience, mind and body, belong to herself, and that she is responsible for them to God alone. While all the world has been called to sit in judgment upon the personal relations of those "high contracting parties," (I quote a morning paper,) a gatherer of social statistics reports that within the year of those alleged sins, *four hundred* ministers of the gospel were convicted of seducing members of their flock. Who supposes that these men held "advanced views" in regard to the elevation or emancipation of women? Their wives in many cases trembled at the sound of their orthodox husbands' footsteps. Subjection and cruelty for the wife, subjection and caresses for the mistress, but everywhere and always for the woman, subjection to an irresponsible master.

Heaven speed the day of freedom, light and purity for all women? Then only can a noble manhood be ushered in, for slavery degrades the master even more than the slave.

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WASHINGTON FISH MARKET, April 20, 1878. Sold by R. A. Golden & Bro., Fish Agents.—2,000 shad, from $17 to $25 per 100; 60,000 herring from $6 to $8 per 1,000.

LITTLE NECK CLAMS, fresh and sweet, received this morning from New York, at Losekam & Weaver's.—*Advt.*

### THE COURTS.

POLICE COURT—*Judge Snell.*

To-day, Henry R. Rodgers forfeited collateral in two cases—one for disorderly conduct, $5, and $20 for carrying a loaded pistol. Henry Fletcher, John Ross and William Dorsey were sent down to the chain-gang as vagrants. Benjamin Warden was fined $10 for defacing private property. Mrs. Mary Burke, maintaining a nuisance on Ohio avenue; ordered to be abated. George Baggott, forfeited collateral. John Cady, larceny of a pair of pantaloons; $10 or thirty days. James Collins, a boy, assault on Mary Nairn, a little girl, by throwing a stone, striking her on the head and inflicting a serious wound; $20 or thirty days in jail. Nancy Gray, assault on Mary Gray; $3. Thomas J. Bickster was dismissed from the charge of falsely obtaining a mule from Samuel Lloyd. Martin Lloyd, assault on Joseph Vessels; $1. Charles Delaco, petit larceny of seven silver half dollars from an old lady; restoration of the money ordered and $10 fine, or thirty days in jail.

THE PARIS EXPOSITION.—The French Cabinet have settled the arrangements for opening the Paris Exhibition on the 1st of May. The demonstration will be of the most imposing character, including an extensive display of the military. In view of the decision of the German Emperor to exclude from the fine art section of the Exhibition any picture recalling the events of the war of 1870, the French government has determined to exclude any French pictures commemorating the war.

TWO EXECUTIONS YESTERDAY.—Sam Steenburg was hanged at Fonda, New York, yesterday, for the murder of Parker at Amsterdam in November last. A large crowd witnessed the execution. He died easy. The body was cut down in 23 minutes. Robert McEvoy, who killed Major J. J. Gregg at Graniteville, S. C., April 20, 1876, was hanged at Aiken, S. C., yesterday.

OVER A THOUSAND FAILURES A MONTH.—Dun, Barlow & Co. report that for the three months ending March 31, 1878, the number of failures in the United States was 3,355, with liabilities estimated at $82,078,000. During the same period last year the failures numbered 2,859, and the liabilities amounted to $54,538,000.

## CITY ITEMS.

IT IS THE GENERAL OPINION that *Durang's Rheumatic Remedy* is the only known medicine that cures rheumatism permanently.

VERY IMPORTANT.—Congressmen, clergymen, lawyers, vocalists, and all those whose occupation requires an unusual exercise of the vocal organs, will find that Dr. S. D. Howe's *Arabian Milk Cure* for Consumption will effectually and instantaneously remove hoarseness and strengthen the voice. Sold by druggists.

THE KING OF FLOOR CLOTHS.—The new and artistic designs brought out this season in the patent *Linoleum* floor cloth will, no doubt, give this popular article an increased sale. It is the only floor covering made, combining in the highest degree the qualities essential to comfort, elegance and economy. On account of inferior imitations, see that "Walton's Patent *Linoleum*" is on the back of every yard. All carpet dealers keep it.

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TO LADIES AND GENTLEMEN.—We wish to call attention to A. Fischer's Chemical Scouring and Dyeing Establishment, No. 906 G street near 9th street. By promptly adopting the latest improvements, whether of American or European invention, he is enabled to do his work in a manner not to be equalled by those not possessing these facilities. His cleansing and dyeing Ladies' and Gent's suits are, in fact, the cheapest in the city on account of his superior work. N. B.—A specialty of his consists in removing spots from costly party dresses; 25 years' experience. His dry cleanser removes grease spots effectually from any article, and careful pressing gives them an appearance as if newly made. Kid Gloves cleaned; two pair for 25 cents.

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## NEW PUBLICATIONS.

Scribner for May (Edition 75,000).

Among the papers of special interest in the MAY SCRIBNER, the first number of a new volume, are:

"MERRY DAYS WITH BOW AND QUIVER," by Maurice Thompson.
"CAMPS AND TRAMPS ABOUT KTAADN."
"BOHEMIAN DAYS."
"MODJESKA," by Celia Thaxter.
"AN IMPOSSIBLE STORY," by Bayard Taylor.
"IN ARCANA SYLVARUM."
"BIRD ARCHITECTURE."
"THE FIRST BUTTERFLY."
"LITTLE ROSE AND THE HOUSE OF THE SNOWY RANGE."
"THE NEW YORK POST-OFFICE," ILLUSTRATED by Edward Eggleston.
"OUR PETS AND PROTECTORS."
"CONCERNING THE USE OF FAGOTS AT GENEVA."
"CAMPING OUT AT RUDDER GRANGE."
"A ROYAL MARRIAGE."
"THE SINGING TELEPHONE," &c., &c.
The Two AMERICAN SERIAL STORIES, "ROXY," by Edward Eggleston, and "HIS INHERITANCE," by Miss Trafton, are continued.

ARTISTS.

The MAY SCRIBNER has the most brilliant coterie of artists that has ever appeared in any one number of a popular magazine. Among these are F. E. CHURCH, S. R. GIFFORD, H. W. ROBBINS, L. DEFOREST, T. MORAN, WALTER FRANCIS BROWN, WILL H. LOW, FREDERICK DIELMAN, J. ALDEN WEIR, SHIRLAW, KELLY, REINHART, VANDERHOOF, BOLLES, SCHELL, WOOLF, HOPKINS and others.

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This number opens with a FRONTISPIECE, and a story, both by MARY HALLOCK FOOTE, followed by a funny ballad, "THE SILLY GOOSE," with a comical illustration, by F. S. Church; LUCY LARCOM and CELIA THAXTER have poems; and IRWIN RUSSELL has a most inimitably funny story, "SAM'S BIRTHDAY." "THE STORY OF MAY-DAY" is given in a very interesting article, and there is a moving account of how "THE PETERKINS ARE OBLIGED TO MOVE." "OLD SOUP" is a marvelous narrative, showing the courage, tenderness and intelligence of a great Elephant. "PARLOR BALLOONING," "THE LOST BALL," "THE KING AND THE HARD BREAD," are all good and novel papers. MISS ALCOTT'S serial, "UNDER THE LILACS," is continued. "DRIFTED INTO PORT" is concluded, to be followed next month by a new serial, "DAB KINSER, THE STORY OF A GROWING BOY."

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