MISCELLANEOUS.

The Potato and the Onion.

The potato once went on a mash,
And sought an onion bed;
"That's pie for me," observed the squash,
As all the beets turned red.
"Go way!" the onion, weeping, cried;
"Your love I cannot be;
The pumpkin be your lawful bride;
You cantaloupe with me!"

But onward still the tuber came,
And laid down at her feet;
"You cauliflower by any name,
And I will smell as wheat;
And I am too an early rose,
And you I've come to see;
So do not turnip your lovely nose,
But spinachat with me!"

"I do not carrot all to wed;
So go, sir, if you please!"
The modest onion meekly said,
"And lettus, pray, have peas!"
Go, think that you have never seen
Myself or smelled my sigh!
Too long a maiden I have been
For favors in your rye!"

"Ah, spare a cuss!" the tuber prayed;
My cherryshed bride you'll be!
You are the only weeping maid
That's currant now with me!"
And as the wily tuber spoke
He caught her by surprise,
And, giving her an artichoke,
Devoured her with his eyes!

—*Unknown.*

A "Rural" Racket.

In these days of dudes and Democratic economy, when only the pure in appearance is false, it is not strange, perhaps, that schemers are active. One of the latest rackets by which the lovers of the lucre seek to beguile it from the pockets of city merchants has come to light.

The fact that it is only the most delicately flavored, perfectly colored and sweetest scented butter offered for sale by commission merchants that is looked upon suspiciously by purchasers is well known. It is also well known that butter with these qualifications generally turns out to be no butter at all, but unadulterated oleomargarine. So universally has this rule come to be accepted that retail buyers only purchase butter with which some fault can be found. It was accordingly a happy smile that rested upon the face of a retail buyer. Saturday when a dust-begrimed citizen, evidently from the rural districts, halted his team in front of his store and alighting started in with three or four big crocks.

"There comes some genuine butter," said he.

The farmer's price was paid without a murmur, and the butter found to be perfect. Half an hour later a neighboring merchant rushed in and told how a dealer across the way had been taken in by a bogus farmer, who was nothing more or less than a sharp city schemer who drove out into the country a mile or two, and then back again with a dozen jars of oleomargarine, which the aforesaid merchant had eagerly purchased for genuine country butter.

The first mentioned merchant said not a word, but ten minutes later applied the test to the stuff he had purchased, and found it to be genuine, unadulterated oleomargarine. One of his clerks tells the story on him, which is certainly a good one.

Two-Cent Postage.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 18.—A circular was issued to-day from office of the Third Assistant Postmaster General officially notifying postmasters throughout the United States of a reduction in postage rates to take effect the 1st of October, and directing them to make preparations for it. Postmasters are notified it is desirable to have as small a stock of present three-cent postage stamps and stamped envelopes as possible when the reduction of rates goes into effect and they are accordingly directed to limit their requisitions for stamps and envelopes of this denomination to such quantities as upon careful estimate they may deem sufficient to last until the 1st of October. They are also instructed to take all available means without incurring any expense to call public attention to the coming reduction, so that purchasers may not accumulate an unnecessary supply of three-cent stamps and envelopes. The circular also directs that, as no arrangements have yet been made for the redemption of three-cent stamps and envelopes in the hands of postmasters or for exchange by postmasters of those stamps and envelopes in the hands of private holders, until further notice postmasters will not make exchanges for the public nor return to the department the stock that remains on their hands after October 1. Postmasters are, however notified that as two and three-cent stamps and envelopes of the present issue will continue to be valid after that date they must be accepted in payment of postage when offered in proper amounts and that three-cent stamps can be used in combination with other denominations on letters requiring more than one rate postage, and on parcels of third and fourth class matter.

The circular also announces that the Department will be ready to issue two-cent stamps, new design, the 15th of September, but these stamps and envelopes must not be placed on sale or used by postmasters before October 1. Also that no three-cent stamp will be issued after September 14 unless the requisition therefore is accompanied by a statement that they are needed for immediate use, and that the full supply called for will become exhausted by October 1, and further that no three-cent stamped envelopes will be issued after the 31st of August unless requisition for them is accompanied by a similar statement. The circular further instructs postmasters as to the design for the new two-cent and four-cent stamps and stamped envelopes, and notifies them that the prices of envelopes (exclusive of postage) will remain the same as at present; that no change will be made in postage-due stamps, and that rates on drop letters will remain the same as at present.

—Wilsonia Magnetic Appliances are the most wonderful invention of the present day. Each appliance is, in itself, a never failing fountain of magnetic force, which when worn on the person that is sick, seems to cnange the quality of the blood, and to supply to the nerves the tone and strength lost by disease. See advertisement on another page.

THE DANGER OF OVER-EXERTION.

A Stalwart man Becomes Weaker Than a Child and Then Recovers his Former Strength.

(*Waterloo, N. Y, Observer.*)

In these days of rowing giants and atheletic heroes, fine physical develope ment is more observed than ever before since the time of the Athenian games. A man who shows the elements of physical power is looked up to far more than in the days of our ancestors possibly because there are fewer specimens of well developed manhood than then. An emissary of this paper met a magnificent specimen of physical power a few days since in the person of Dr. A. W. McNames, of Waterloo. His muscles, which showed unusual developement, were as hard as wood. At his request the writer sought to pinch him in the arms or legs, but found it wholly impossible. A realization of what is meant by an iron man was fully made manifest.

"Have you always been so stalwart as this?" inquired the news gather.

"Not by any means," was the reply. "When a young man I was always strong and active and felt that I could accomplish anything. This feeling so took possession of me on one occasion that I attempted to lift a box which four men found it impossible to move. I succeeded in placing it on the wagon, but in two minutes from that time I was unconscious and remained so for hours and when I recovered consciousness I vomited a large quantity of blood. From that day I began to grow weak and sickly. I believed that I had suffered some internal injury and experienced a general debility, which seemed similar to the effects produced by malaria. My back was very weak. I had no appetite, and at times loathed food. My lips were parched and cracked. My head felt as though it were entirely open at the top and it pained me on the sides intensely. In six weeks' time I had fallen away from 208 pounds to less than 170. I was in a most wretched condition. I was completely discouraged."

"What did the doctors say about you?"

"Almost everything. I consulted no less than six different physicians. They all treated me and none did me any good. At that time I was suffering intensely. I could not sit upright but was obliged to sit in a cramped, uneasy position. I was compeled to urinate every five minutes and I passed over three quarts every day. I was not living I was existing

One night (how well I remember it!) my wife had put the children all in bed when the feeling came over me that I should live but a short time. My wife and I talked matters all over and I gave the minutest directions as to what she should do after I was gone. I was not in a flighty condition by any means for the doctor, on leaving town the day following, bade me good bye, saying he never expected to see me again, for I was sufferihg with Bright's disease of the kidneys in its last stages. Within the next few days more than twenty friends came to bid me good bye. Among number was Dr. John L. Clark. He asked me what I had used in the way of medicines. I told him He then recommended a remedy of which I had heard much, but about which I was very skeptical. If faith were an element of power it certainly was lacking in my case."

"And so you did not try it?"

"On the contrary, I did try it and to my surprise it seemed to go just to the spot. Indeed it was the most palatable thing I had taken into my mouth for months. I relished it."

"And did it cure you?"

"Do I look as If it did?"

"Yes, indeed. What was it?"

"Warner's Safe Cure."

"A proprietary medicine!"

"Of course. What of that? I suppose I once had as great a prejudice against advertised medicines as any one could have. When I was studying medicine at Ann Arbor, Michigan, I used to vow with the rest of the class that we would fight all such remedies at all times. When a man comes down to the last hour, however, and bids his wife and friends good bye, such bigoted prejudices as these all vanish, I can asure you and any remedy that can cure is gladly welcomed."

"And how have you been since then?"

"As well—or better, than before."

"Do you still exert your strength?"

"Certainly. But I do not *over*-exert, as formerly. My strength is increasing every day, and my health is number one. I know that my life was saved by Warner's Safe Cure, and I believe it is the best medicine that was ever compounded by any chemist or physician. I am willing the doctors should sneer at me for such a statement if they choose, but I have proven its truth, and am prepared to stand by it."

The above experience should be of great value to all who are suffering. It shows the deceptive nature of this terrible malady: that all symptoms are common to it and that there is but one way by which it can be absolutely avoided.

—When you fret and fume at the petty ills of life, remember that the wheels which go round without creaking last longest.

A sufferer from Rheumatism.

I limped about for years with a cane, and could not bend down without excruciating pain. Parker's Ginger Tonic effected an astonishing cure and keeps me well. It is infallible. M. Guilfoyle, Binghamton, N. Y.

—"What kind of a picture would you prefer?" inqaired a photographer of a young lady customer. "Well," was the reply, "I desire a handsome one." "The camera always tells the truth." was the reply.

Bad Case of St. Vitus Dance.

Minister, is the singular name of a town situated in Auglaize county, O. It is the residence of Mr. J. Brandewie, who writes: "Samaritan Nervine permanently cured my son of a bad case of St. Vitus Dance." $1.50.

—The belle and the hunter are alike in one thing—they both use powder before the ball, and the object of both is to bring down the game.

A Long Missing Heir Turns Up.

In 1867 Nathaniel Hayden, of Elizabeth township, Allegheny county, died, leaving quite a large estate. An executor was appointed, the affairs of the estate settled and a distribution of the proceeds made. Among the heirs was Elijah Hayden, a son of the decedent, who had gone away from home about 1840, and of whom very little had been heard in the mean time. His share of the estate, in absence of proof of his death remained in the executor. Some time time after the death of the elder Hayden. B. C. Christy, attorney for the estate, discovered that Elijah Hayden was in the mining districts of Montana, and notified him of his interest in the estate. No answer was ever received, and Mr. Hayden never laid claim to the money. About four years copies of the record of a court of Iowa were received here, setting forth that Elijah Hayden was dead, proving his marriage and the existence of heirs in that State, and asking that his share of the estate be forwarded to them. The executor, believing Hayden to be still alive refused to turn the money over. A few days since the lost heir greatly surprised his brother, who resides at Elizabeth, by walking in and announcing himself. He had not been seen for forty years, and had come to be a gray-haired man of seventy years of age, but his brother after a while recognized him. He laid claim to his portion of his father's estate, and came to the city, in company with his brother, and after satisfying the docket of the Orphans' Court received from the executor, his brother, $1,500, with interest from date of his father's death. He then left for his mining home in Montana to resume his search for gold.

More Honest than Careful.

The other morning a citizen who had been cautioned to send up some butter as he went down town or eat dry bread for dinner, stepped into a grocery and bought and paid for three pounds. The cash tendered was in the shape of a bill, and the citizen did not count the change until he had traveled several squares. Then he made a discovery.

'Why, I gave him a $1 bill and he has given me over $9,' he soliloquized. 'I could keep this money and he would be none the wiser, but I'm not that sort of a clothes-pin. I will at once return it.'

He was as good as his promise. Returning to the store with the money in his hand, he said:

'Lucky for you that I am an honest man. You gave me $9 too much in making change.'

'I guess not.'

'Well, I guess you did, and here it is. I want only what belongs to me.'

The grocer sullenly thanked him and the citizen went his way, but in an hour or so he made another discovery. He found the one dollar bill and missed the ten.

'It was a ten I gave him, and the change was right,' he gasped. 'I must go to him and explain.'

He started for the grocery, hung around for awhile and then stated his case.

'You are a vile swindler sir!' promptly replied the grocer.

'Oh, no; I'm not. I'm simply a victim of a too honest conscience.'

'You get out! I didn't like the cut of your phiz in the first place, and when you brought back the $9 I knew you had some sort of a game. Now, sir, you travel, or I'll call the police.'

'But I'm an honest man! I tell you there is a mistake here,' protested the buyer.

'You promenade! I'm on to all the little games, and you can't make a cent. Boy, call in a policeman.'

The citizen walked out and kicked lamp-posts and rubbed against baby carriages, and refused to recognize his best friends. He had not only paid over $3 per pound for butter, but he had beaten himself all around. He rushed to a lawyer to see what he could do, and the lawyer replied:

'Bide your time and pass a counterfeit twenty off on him—fee $5.'—*Detroit Free Press.*

Miseries of Mosquito Time.

They bite at night with great delight, and put most people in a nervous fright. Their bills they stick with poisonous prick in children's flesh and make them sick. On buzzing wing the insects sing, before inserting their wicked sting. Victims complain of cruel pain, and would rather not be bitten again. The pain to stop, apply one drop of Perry Davis's Pain Killer from the druggist's shop.

The Bee and the Boy.

See
The
Bee
Flee
Across the lea
To deck
The small boy's neck
With a lump
The size of a nozzle of a pump.
Hear the boy shout,
What is it all about?
Why, the bee has got in its work,
Or rather its dirk,
And the boy indulges not in laughter.
Hereafter
He will probably think it best
Not to shy a brick into a bee's nest.
—*Puck.*

Another life Saved.

—Mrs. Harriet Cummings, of Cincinnati, Ohio, writes:

Early last winter my daughter was attacked with a severe cold which settled on her lungs We tried several medicines, none of which seemed to do her any good, but she continued to get worse, and finally raised large amounts of blood from her lungs. We called in a family physician, but he failed to do her any good. We then called in a physician—a most skillful professor in one of our colleges—he said that she could not get well. At this time a friend who had been cured by Dr. Wm. Hall's Balsam for the Lungs, advised me to give a trial. We then got a bottle, and before she had used it all up she began to improve, and by the use of three bottles was entirely cured.

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—There is a hot water craze. Somebody has found out hot water has strange medicinal powers. The medical journals are talking about it, and everybody is drinking it. It has got itself into the good books of fashion. It is not unpleasant to take, and more than that it is asserted people actually become fond of it. It assists digestion and helps astonishingly in numerous other ways. It is to be taken before breakfast, at dinner and before going to bed. It is a gentle stimulent It it is recommended in cold and in warm weather.

Doctors and Churches.

The doctors of New York city, hundreds of whom have personally visited Speer's Vinewarys during the wine making season say his Port Grape Wine has proved to be pure, unadulterated, of a fine flavor and tonic properties and is unsurpassed for its restorative powers, and they prescribe it as a very superior wine. The principal churches in New York and Brooklyn use it for communion. For sale by D. H. Wuller.

—Some men are always spilling the gravy in their laps. No matter what they do, they act according to the well-known motto, whatever is wrong, is wrong.

I Know Whereof I Speak.

For I have used it extensively. I regard Parker's Ginger Tonic a most excellent for kidney, lung and stomach disorders. It invigorates without intoxicating J. Francir, Religo Philos. Journal, Chicago.

It is better to know something about the Bible if you propose to preach from it, and not take your text as one back country minister did, from "the Gospel according to Jonah," affect that foreign pronunciation which leads you to talk of "the Gospel John-a"

—What will cure the worst case of dyspepsia? What will insure a heavy appetite and increase digestion? What will cure general debility and give a new lease to life? What will dispel nervous depression and low spirits? What will restore exhausted mothers to full strength? What will strengthen nerves and muscles? What will enrich the blood? What will enable you to overcome weakness, wakefulness and lack of energy? What will prevent chills and fever and other effects of malarial poison? Brown's Iron Bitters. It is well to know this.

—An absent minded editor wrote a love-letter and an editorial at the same time. The love-letter he sent out to be set up in type by the printers, and a long editorial on the tariff to his girl. There were fun at both ends of the route.

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Most Wonderful.

Very seldom do we read of an actual case of recovery, where hope had altogether been lost, to equal that which was on Mondan investigated by a *Dispatch* reporter who had heard, in various quarters, persons talking to their friends of a cure, seemingly little short of miraculous, that had been performed. Wm. Lincoln Curts is the name of the young man in question. He is now employed at H. K. Porters & Co.'s Locomotive Works, Pittsburgh. His disease was chronic rheumatism. The enormous swelling and pain in the joints of his arm soon produced paralysis of his lift arm. He gradually grew worse, his ankles and knees were soon even worse than his arms, his cheek bones began to enlarge, spreading his face out of all resemblance to his former self. Two physicians pronounced him hopeless. Peruna cured him. Page 26 Dr. Hartman's "Ills of Life."

—Religion and the sword have always been first cousins. It really seems as though men couldn't have religion without wanting to hurt somebody. Bishop Berkley said that when our Pilgrim Fathers landed on Plymouth Rock they first fell on their knees and then on the aborigines.

—Long prayers will not save a man who gives short weight.

—Funny! One of the hottest places on this hemisphere is Chili.

—There is one search that is never unsuccessful—namely the search for trouble.

—The man who drinks cannot conceal it from the world. His habit is red in his nose.

—A man does not fear being locked up for getting too full. He thinks his friends will bail him out.

—As to bangs, the difference is that the girl wears them before marriage and the man gets them after.

—Curls, it is said will soon be all the style. Women who have no hair will probably curl their noses.

—Two Star Route jurors have commenced building new houses.

Rev. Dr Kittredge, of Chicago, believes that in fifty years there will be 20,000,000 converts in China, Japan and Persia.

—A great reform has started in the West. A minister in Louisville has begun preaching against ball playing on the sabbath.

—If you don't want evil things said of you, don't do evil things. It is poor policy to grow feathers for your enemy's arrows.

—Mrs. Kate E. Sherwood, 1348 Marlborough street, Philadelphia, Pa., says: "I used Brown's Iron Bitters for weakness and highly recommend it."

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The noon train for Allegheny leaves Butler at 1:27 P. M. and arrives there at 3:26 P. M.

The evening train for Allegheny leaves at 5:50 P. M. and arrives there at 7:46 P. M.

The morning and evening trains make close connections at Callery Junction for all points west.

Trains going north leave Butler at 9:56 A. M. and 1:27, and 6:03 P. M., local time. The 9:56 A. M. train runs through without change of cars via the P. B. & B. R. R. to Sheffield Junction, and the 6:03 P. M. train to Clarion Junction.

Trains leave Allegheny City for Butler at 7:51 and 11:21 A. M. and 4:06 P. M., local time.

Sunday train going north leaves Butler at 9:56 A. M., and going south at 5:50 P. M.

Trains leave Zelienople for Allegheny at 6:40 and 9:10 A. M., and 12:46 and 5:26 P. M., and the 9:10, 12:46 and 5:26 trains make close connection at Callery with trains going north on the Foxburg division.

West Penn Time Table.

Trains leave Butler (Butler or Pittsburgh time.)

Market at 4:41 A. M., goes through to Allegheny, arriving at 9:01 A. M. This train, when on time, connects at Freeport Accommodation, which arrives at Allegheny at 7:55, city time.

Express at 7:16 A. M., connecting at Butler Junction, without change of cars, at 8.21 with Express west, arriving in Allegheny at at 9:31 A. M., and Express east arriving at Blairsville at 10:28 A. M., railroad time, where it makes close connection with Mail train east.

Mail at 2.41 P. M., connecting at Butler Junction without change of cars, with Express west, arriving in Allegheny at 5.01 P. M., and Express east arriving at Blairsville Intersection at 6.25 P. M., railroad time, which connects with Johnstown Accommodation and Philadelphia Express east.

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Passenger trains leave Hilliard at 7:25 a. m. and 2:30 p. m., arriving at Harrisville at 8:07 a. m. and 3:30 p. m., and at Greenville at 9:35 a. m. and 6:10 p. m.; a passenger train leaves Coaltown at 12:25 p. m. and arrives at Greenville at 3:15 p. m.

Trains leave Greenville at 7:00 a. m., 11:35 a. m. and 4:00 p. m., arriving at Coaltown at 10:15 a. m. and at Hilliards at 1;45 p. m. and 7;15 p. m. Train No. 7 which leaves Mercer at 9:24 a. m. and arrives at Hilliard at 12:15 p. m. will carry passengers between those two points only

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The several Courts of the county of Butler commence on the first Monday of March, June, September and December, and continue two weeks, or so long as necessary to dispose of the business. No causes are put down for trial or traverse jurors summoned for the first week of the several terms.

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