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BY FRANCIS S. SMITH.

'Tis midnight—no sound breaks the quiet  
That reigns 'round the house, save a groan  
That comes from the depth of his bosom  
As he sits by the fire alone.  
Alone with his terrible secret,  
Alone in his bitter despair,  
Alone with the sharp gad of conscience  
To stifle his half-muttered prayer.

Respected, looked up to, and courted  
By all who had known him in youth,  
As a pattern of virtue and goodness,  
The real type of honor and truth.  
But what of the dreadful tomorrow,  
When the mask from his white face is torn,  
And he dies from his friends and his kindred,  
The object of hatred and scorn?

"To-morrow! to-morrow!" he mutters,  
And writhes like a man on the rack,  
"To-morrow in shame I'll be flying,  
With the hounds of the law on my track!  
Perhaps to be caught and convicted,  
While my wife broken-hearted and pale,  
Stands near me and hears the judge utter  
The sentence that dooms me to jail."

"Oh should I escape what awaits me?  
A broken and sin-blinded life—  
Not a friend in the cold world to greet me,  
No pure home, no children, no wife!  
A conscience that still will pursue me,  
And goad me wherever I fly,  
Oh, mountains fall over and crush me!  
Oh, pitying Christ, let me die!"

"I've swindled the widow and orphan,  
I've stolen the laborer's mite,  
I've foully betrayed all who trusted,  
And I fly like a thief in the night.  
I lie in wait for once soles,  
To lighten my depth of despair,  
The grave is the only hope left me,  
But can I find rest even there?"

—A Funny Bill from an Artist.

I came across a copy of a funny old bill  
from a painter, sent to a noble lord, a pro-  
fessed connoisseur and large collector of  
pictures. I give the items verbatim for the  
amusement of your readers from the copy,  
which reads more like a comic effusion than  
a poor man's claim for artistic work:—

To filling up the chink in the Red Sea,  
and repairing the damages of Pharaoh's  
host.

To cleaning six of the Apostles, and add-  
ing an entirely new Judas Iscariot.

To a pair of new hands for Daniel in the  
lion's den, and a set of teeth for the lioness.

To an alteration in the belief, mending  
the ten commandments, and making a new  
Lord's Prayer.

To new varnishing Moses' rod.  
To repairing Nebuchadnezzar's beard.  
To mending the pitcher of Rebecca.

To a pair of ears for Balaam, and making  
a new tongue for the ass.

To renewing the picture of Samson in the  
character of a fox-hunter, and substituting  
a whip for the fire-bran.

To a new broom and bonnet for the  
Witch of Eder.

To sheet-anchor, a jury-mast, and a  
long boat for Noah's ark.

To painting twenty-one new steps to  
Jacob's ladder.

To mending the pillow stone.  
To adding some Scotch cattle to Pha-  
roah's lean kine.

To making a new head for Holofernes and  
cleaning Judith's hand.

To give a blush to the cheeks of Eve on  
presenting the apple to Adam.

To painting Jabez in the character of a  
huntsman taking a flying leap from the walls  
of Jericho.

To planting a new city in the land of  
Nol.

To painting a shoulder of mutton and a  
shin of beef in the mouths of two of the  
ravens feeding Elijah.

To an exact representation of Noah in the  
character of a general reviewing his troops,  
preparatory to their march, with the dove  
dressed as an aide-de-camp.

To painting Noah dressed in an admiral's  
uniform.

To painting Samson making a present of  
his jaw-bone to the proprietors of the  
British museum.

To making the Congress of America, as  
in 1784, and the tower of Babel companion  
prints.

To repairing Solomon's nose and making  
a new nail to his middle finger.—G. G. in  
Land and Water.

## Household Hints.

**WOOD FLOORS**—One quarter of a pound  
of yellow beeswax, melted and poured  
into one quart turpentine. Let it stand  
three hours. Apply with a woollen rag;  
rub with a woollen cloth vigorously to  
polish.

**RICE WAFFLES**—One and a half pints  
of boiled rice, one and a half pints of flour,  
half a teacup of sour milk, half a teacup of  
sweet milk, one teaspoonful of soda, three  
eggs, butter the size of a walnut and salt  
to taste. By adding to the above recipe an  
extra half cupful of milk the batter be-  
comes the proper consistency for rice pan-  
cakes.

**SARATOGA CORN CAKE**—Four eggs, half-  
pound of sugar, quarter pound of butter,  
one quart of milk, half-ounce of soda, salt,  
one pound of corn meal, one pound of flour,  
one ounce of cream tartar. Beat well to-  
gether, the eggs and sugar; melt the  
butter and add the milk, with the soda dis-  
solved in it, and salt. Stir thoroughly and  
add more corn meal and flour, with the  
cream tartar well mixed in it. Bake in a  
moderate oven, and eat hot with butter.

**POTATO SALAD**—Slice very thinly six  
cold potatoes; chop very fine one small  
onion, or cut it in rings; boil two eggs  
hard, and when cool rub the yolks  
smooth with two or three tablespoonfuls  
of salt, a little pepper, and a sprinkling of  
mustard; beat the whites of the eggs, and  
add the potato and onion; stir in one  
tablespoonful of strong vinegar—more if  
vinegar is liked. Turn the dressing over  
the salad, and serve for lunch, dinner or  
tea.

## NEWS NOTES.

D. Banks McKenzie is now stationed in  
charge of the Baptist Church, at Salt Lake  
City, Utah.

Refreshment and drinking houses in War-  
saw have to close at five p. m. Proprietors  
neglecting this order receive twenty-five  
lashes.

David Wray, an employe of the Great  
Western Railway at Toronto, has been ar-  
rested on a charge of bigamy. His last  
venture was made in Toronto about six  
weeks ago.

Mr. Oliver King, formerly pianist to H.  
R. H. the Princess Louise, who is now in  
New York, has written an air of a Canadian  
national anthem, composed by Mr. W. J.  
Topley, of Montreal.

**IMPORTATION OF POTATOES**—Says the  
New York "Commercial Bulletin": Eleven  
hundred and twenty-seven tons of potatoes  
were brought over from Scotland by the  
steamship "Furnessia," of the Anchor  
Line, which arrived recently. The large  
proportion of potatoes on the New York  
market now are of foreign production.  
Scotch potatoes are selling for \$2½ cents  
per bushel, whereas those of American  
growth are fetching \$1.08 per bushel.

"It does not matter what we say, but  
let us all say the same thing." Lord Mel-  
bourne's remark should have been heeded  
by the American census officials. The  
manufacturers' division of the census has  
figured out 65,000,000 more pounds of  
flour than the agricultural division re-  
ported of wheat grown. The manufac-  
turers' division has had to cut down its  
results accordingly, and as the report  
plaintively says, "the effect is to shake  
confidence in many of the returns of the  
census bureau," which, since the publica-  
tion of the figures relating to the growth  
of population in the Southern States,  
would be as difficult a thing as it would be  
to shake public confidence in Dr. Tache's  
figures concerning Quebec. Where there  
is no confidence it is a hard matter to  
shake it.

The rarest of all gems is this in the  
diamond, which follows this ruby. Not in  
its turn allows precedence to the chryso-  
bery—popularly known as the cat's eye.  
The true stone comes from Ceylon, though  
Pliny knew of something similar under the  
name of zinnampis, found in the bed of  
the Euphrates. Can we wonder, when we  
look at one of these singular productions of  
nature, with its silver streak in the centre  
and observe, as we move it over so slightly,  
the magic rays of varying light that  
illuminate its surface, that it was an object  
of profound reverence to the ancients?  
The possessor was supposed never to grow  
poorer, but always to increase his sub-  
stance. The largest known is now in the  
possession of Mr. Bryce Wright the well-  
known mineralogist. It is recorded in the  
annals of Ceylon, and known to history as  
the finest in the world. Two stars of  
lesser magnitude shine by its side, and we  
are informed that three such stones are not  
known to exist elsewhere in the wide world.  
—London Graphic.

Some say Guitau is insane. Does this  
extract from his latest appeal to the people  
of the United States look like it:—"My  
mail comes to the jail now. A wife friend  
wishing to see me in person or write to me  
can do so. Anyone having sent me an im-  
portant letter and received no answer can  
write again and I will see it is answered.  
No notice will be given to anonymous  
letters except to put them in the waste  
basket. All checks should be certified,  
then I shall know they are good. Auto-  
graphs 25c; photographs, cabinet size,  
my autograph on it, \$1, mailed to any ad-  
dress. This photograph is from a new sit-  
ting. I own the negative and copyright.  
No photograph is genuine without my auto-  
graph on it. They will be supplied to  
the trade only by me for \$9 per hundred.  
This is the only way of getting money to  
pay my counsel to argue my case in banc.  
If I give my autograph away and make an  
appeal I get nothing. The negative will be  
a great improvement in every way on the  
sitting of July 2, taken by Bell. My hair  
is parted and my beard off, and I look ten  
years younger. It is an historical picture,  
and anyone can get it by sending me the  
price and in no other way.

It will be news to most people that  
ordinary gas will pass through stone work,  
and that the human breath can be sent  
through a brick wall so strongly as to de-  
fect a candle on the other side. At the  
New York Academy of Sciences lately,  
Prof. Doremus demonstrated the truth of  
these things. He had before him a piece  
of sandstone, rectangular, 4½ inches in  
thickness. Placing against this a tube, he  
passed gas from one of the street pipes  
against the brick. After waiting a few  
minutes he put a light against the other  
face of the sandstone and immediately a  
small flame sprang up, showing that the  
gas had gone through the sub-a-ee. He  
then took a mass of brickwork, made of  
best Philadelphia brick. Against one face  
of this he put the tube, and at the back of  
it a candle. As he blew through the tube  
the light was plainly deflected. Very little  
pressure, he said, was enough to send the  
air or gas through. Sewage gas penetrates  
substances with just as much or greater  
ease. A water trap is perfectly useless  
unless there be a ventilating pipe with it;  
then the water will check the gas, and the  
latter will naturally seek its easiest way out.  
The walls of hospitals, Dr. Doremus says,  
become saturated with disease, and the  
only way to cure them is to adopt the  
Hebraic plan and leave not one stone  
standing upon another. He had found  
chlorine gas the best disinfectant for such  
purposes. He had once generated three  
tons of this gas in a ward of Bellevue Hos-  
pital, where pneumonia was constantly occur-  
ring through the saturation of the walls  
with poison, and there had been a marked  
improvement since. The chlorine treat-  
ment, he says, should be resorted to every  
few months in such places.