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He then directed my eye, and with that table I stood there looking at them, speechless with terror. Presently the Doctor saw his opportunity, and with three quick and powerful blows he fractured the unfortunate wretch's skull. The body dropped limp and motionless in the landlord's

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The Doctor then raised the dead man by the shoulders while John Stanley carried the feet. We went through the long hall, through the dining room, where we

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the good before my eyes. I had heard, indeed, that the old man had led us into a trap, while we all slivered, especially the young lady (who happened to be sitting next to me), and the two widows, who exclaimed with one accord, "Oh, my stars! what a villainous trick!" But now I saw—"yes, through this very room," repeated the old man, who seemed to be much pleased with the effect of his tale. "and out of that door, which opens into a large hall, which is the entrance to the castle, looked, where we laid him down. The landlord then took up three barrels from the floor, and disclosed a deep, dark looking well, a few feet below the mouth of which he placed the body of the poor fellow, filling up not quite half of it. The well

"I had scarcely finished speaking when I felt a drowsiness steal over me. I again sought my bed, and soon I was in a sound sleep. When I awoke the next day, all care or thought of the murder was gone. But it was not so long. The night of my arrival at the west end of the island, I could not resist the temptation to go out and satisfy myself of the fact of detection.

was an unusually large one, as indeed it must have been, for upon the slathey the bodies and the old man dropped his voice when he said, "the death of a man is the death of two men. Though far advanced in decomposition, almost no stench arose from the body, but a very peculiar chemical odor, which I had noticed when the hole was made, was very strong and peculiar." While I was recovering from the shock that this sight occasioned, the Doctor remarked:

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An irresistible influence, and one that I had never felt until then, seemed to bid me seek New York. I went. In the very first year my success was incredible. My money made, and I was mentioned as a man certain to rise.

"But almost a year was gone, and on the eve save one before St. Valentine's Day I felt the same impulse that had first led me to New York. I was urged to return for a day, there were no signs here, then, but I had plenty of money, and I procured horses and a carriage. I arrived home on St. Valentine's Eve.

"It was pleasant—the reminder of old times. I was a little out of the way, for I had come up to bed in

for the snail was not, yet enough to hold it fast. I took it out of the water, and took from a chest of drawers a box, I stood in a corner of the apartment, a large box. Out of this he emptied on the three boards a quantity of white, highly pungent powder. I was so white, I thought that I had noticed what the handkerchief was, and the boards that covered the wall's mouth, and in spite of the horrors of the occasion, it was impossible for me to avoid asking what it was for.

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"We leave said he, their bodies here till the flesh is entirely rotted off, and then we throw their skeletons into the old stable room where I had always slept, though in reality it was less than a year since I had lain there last."

"I was used to the impure news, and so, without waiting to reason with myself, I immediately arose and dressed. Procuring a horse from the stable, I rode straight to the inn, and found that the old John Stanley was the only person still about. After the usual greeting, I told him I was come to look at the well. He made no objections, but taking up a light, he accompanied me to the well, and, passing the boards, and held the light for me to see. There was nothing there save the dark holes of the well and the new empty

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seeing I don't know what is my face, suddenly withdrew. I sat looking at the wall, and I thought how well the old proverb 'Truth lies hidden at the bottom of the valley' might be proved in this case.

"I was so much excited here I cannot tell, but presently the clock struck the hour of four. That single sound, ringing out so long in the dreary, solemn silence of the night, seeming to bring up, as it were, the dead, and to have been conversed over the dead man's gold, the horrors of that scene. I remember, oh, how distinctly, the position in which I had stood then. And to as I looked, it

ing. There, that's your share. And remember, if you betray us now, you will be punished as severely as we will punish you. I turned my back to my father's house, many strange and wild fancies passed through my mind of the secret I had just witnessed, and of what was to be my future course. For strange was my mission, I knew only too well to my brother's craft. Indeed, I believed that they had spoken the truth, in saying that I became as guilty as they by accepting the money. At last we reached home, and, after having put up the horses, I turned to bed.

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"I had been a wild boy all my life, but I had never before committed any crime, and now, as I lay there, in the darkness, I thought of my crime, found myself in the time to come. Grim visions of fantastic shapes, and terrible, fearful shadows thronged around my bed. Turn which way I would, on my side or on my back, with my eyes to the wall or to the floor, I saw a pair of eyes stare at me, two imbedded bodies and the still, before me by the body of a man, with a shawl wrapped tightly around his head and shoulders. And as I looked, it grew slowly up and, in a muffled voice and with difficulty, it said: 'I have killed you.' I rushed from the room with such haste as to extinguish the candle. But by the time I had reached the bar, where John Stanley was, I had perfectly regained my senses. I saw that the man regarded the candle, and made him good night, remounted my horse and rode rapidly home."

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and now, as I lay there, in the darkness, I can see the faces of those who have passed the time unaided by me. Grim visions of fantastic shapes, and terrible, fearful shadows thronged around my bed. Turn which way I would, on my side or on my back, with eyes closed or shut, there came to me with my eyes open or shut, those two half-devised bodies and the still, white, unclayd face—all the more dreadful in its shapelessness—the face which I have never seen before, and which I can never allow to leave my eyes. And now and then would appear the limp corpse as it hung in the arms of John Stanley, and again and again would fall on my eyes lay the pitiful eye of the rosy

where John Stanley was, I laid helplessly, my eyes closed, my hands crossed, and regarded the candle, I bade him good night, remounted my horse and rode rapidly home.

"The years have gone by, one by one. I have never rest and the power that impelled me to come here every St. Valentine's Day. One by one my old friends have died or gone away. The doctor and the old landowner among the things that I have seen and felt, and the old woman's hands; but never have I missed the making, and years has the dead man failed to state the years of my life—always on less."

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white, unlined face—all the more dreadful in its eloquence—the face which I had never seen in the face of my mother. I had never seen it in my eyes. And now and then would appear the limp corpse as it hung in the arms of John Stanley, and again and again would fall on my eyes like a stone.

And then I felt the stifled air of the room become insupportable; I leaped from my bed and lighted the lamp. I threw open the window and leaned far out into the cold night. But it was no relief. Then I thought of the horror. Then I thought of the feeling that intolerable feeling—which the mind verges on insanity—that feeling of uncleanliness, of dirtiness, of

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"I married. I had two beautiful children, a son and a daughter. My wife died for me, for a man who was my worst enemy. She returned, and, as I loved her, I received her—again she betrayed me. My daughter grew up to be a beautiful girl, and I thought, and now she is in the prison-house with my opposition to her love. My son, who was in pride and delight, tried to poison me, in order to possess himself of my wealth.

THE IRON ERA.

SATURDAY, Feb. 3, 1872.

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

We regret to announce the decease of John J. Trowbridge, Esq., which took place at his late residence yesterday afternoon, after a long and painful illness. Mr. Trowbridge was well known to our citizens having been identified with the public interests of Randolph township for many years. He was a man of strong integrity of character and had the respect and confidence of all who knew him.

Free Methodist services will be held in Prospect Street Hall to-morrow as usual. Rev. J. T. James of New York will preach at half-past 10 o'clock A. M. Experience meeting at half-past 2 o'clock P. M. Mrs. Jane Dunning, Superintendent of Providence Mission, N. Y., will preach at half-past 7 o'clock P. M. Dr. J. J. J. of New York will be present at the meetings during next week.

At the first regular meeting of St. Mary's Total Abstinence and Benevolent Society of this place last Sunday evening, the following officers were elected: Jas. H. Bailey, Pres.; Chas. Burns, Vice Pres.; Patrick J. Maguire, Sec.; Rev. P. McGee, Treas.

The Constitution and By-Laws of this organization will be found in another column. It already numbers about sixty members.

At a recent meeting of the Y. M. C. A. of this town the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Warren Segur, Pres.; A. R. Perine, Vice Pres.; W. H. Thompson, Sec.; J. O. Bierworth, Treas. A regular meeting of the Association will be held next Tuesday evening at which it is desirable that every member, male and female, should be present. Committees will be appointed and other business of importance transacted. The members of the Board of Directors are requested to meet on Monday evening.

Last Friday's passing coal train set fire to the building belonging to Wm. S. Wright, at Franklin. The fire spread rapidly burning over about 6 acres and about 4 acres of Wm. Palmer's. With the assistance of some railroad hands the fire was subdued, saving most of the fences.

On Sunday about noon the building known as the Red House, belonging to Mr. S. S. Palmer at Franklin and used as a wagon maker's shop, took fire from the chimney but with great difficulty was saved with the help of the neighbors.

That oratorical genius Geo. Francis Train, supposed by many to be insane, will deliver his 800th lecture, (not a matter of mere conjecture,) in Morristown next Friday night. Many will hear him with great delight. George has a remarkable reputation for linguistic exaltation, and on any subject freely discourses from pulpit and theology down to women and yes. It promises to be a rich exhibition of oratorical skill and fine erudition. The lecture commences at half past seven and will probably continue till about eleven.

The following resolutions were adopted by Rockaway Div. S. of T. No. 134 in response to a notice given to the District of the death of Samuel M. Dunham, a member of the order, and a citizen of Rockaway:

Resolved: That the voice of God has been heard in this Division and has called one of our number from the labors of earth to Heaven, therefore, "Pass over, that while we live in humble submission to the will of Him whose right it is to reign, we recall with sincere gratitude the character and conduct of our deceased brother and with mournful pleasure bear testimony to the noble qualities of his heart, and the correctness of his life, and pledge the hope of meeting him in a better life.

Resolved: That we deeply sympathize with the bereaved and stricken family and counsel them to the God of all consolation, whose grace is sufficient for every time of need.

Resolved: That a copy of the above be sent to the family and the County papers.

FROM ROCKAWAY.

There has been quite an excitement in our town for two weeks past about a ghost. Those who have seen it say it is a female ghost. I can readily believe it to be of that persuasion, for we have no account, in the Bible, of female angels—they all seem to be of the masculine gender. However, the appearance has alarmed some of our inhabitants so much that they are afraid to venture out of doors after dark, and some will not go from one room to another without company. I do not believe in ghostesses, but I do think if there is such we ought to have a visitation. This ghost, which formerly lived here in the flesh, was greatly troubled by her neighbors, and now it is just and proper that they should suffer the consequences of the ill treatment they bestowed upon her, and in fact if I were one of them I would feel afraid that some one would pay me a visit that I should much more dread to see than a ghost.

Some of our people were much startled last Sunday evening by hearing the cries of a lady on the canal who thought to make a short cut in this direction, and who broke through the ice. She was rescued. "I do not know whether she caught a cold with her ducking or not.

One night not long since some person tried to enter the residence of Mr. Edward Thomas. Mrs. T. and another lady were the only persons present and they say that the individual had on a yellow coat. He did not succeed in getting in and what his intentions were it is impossible to say, and as there are several gentlemen in this town that wear yellow coats it is impossible to say which one of them it was.

A team belonging to Mr. J. Hance got away from their driver on Monday near Rev. J. Cullen's and ran through Port Oram at full speed, bringing up against the office of Oram, Hance & Co's lumber yard completely demolishing one side of it.

Mr. Wm. Anderson will open a news office and yankoo notion store in this place next week, when our citizens will be able

to get books and papers at very reasonable prices.

Business is rapidly increasing here. Our harbor has been compelled to employ an assistant, and Mr. Mundy has started a new boat and shoe store. If our friends in Dover don't hurry up and get the County Seat moved to their city they will find the people of Port Oram to contend with in the matter.

FROM HILBERTIA.

The Sunday School of Hilbertia received a gift from their Superintendent, Dr. Isaac, of the Minneapolis Series of Question Books, which have proven to be a valuable present. This book is a graded series suited to the younger as well as more advanced classes. It is divided into four grades, the fourth being the Bible class series or grade. Each grade is accompanied with a Teacher's Manual, which are of great value to the teacher. The series is composed of one hundred lessons on the life of Christ, beginning with the birth of John and concluding with the promise of the second coming of Christ. These lessons are full and complete. They are accompanied with a Gospel Treasury, and a map of the Holy Land, showing the travels of Christ and the places of his birth, ministry, death, and ascension. We believe they are what every Sunday School needs and can cheerfully recommend them. Our school has also been presented with a very valuable library, the gift of the superintendent and the friends and parents of the children. Our Superintendent and his family have spared no labor or pains to make the school one of the best and it will compare favorably for numbers, behavior and attention with any in the county. During the past year one hundred and fifty dollars have been spent for the benefit of the school, our superintendent and his family giving two-thirds of the whole amount. We consider ourselves highly favored in possessing such a superintendent, and earnestly pray that God will spare his life for many years, that he may engage in the work of teaching the youthful minds of our land to Christ.

Dr. Thach has completed his home, and it is now occupied by Messrs. Vansyckle of Dover, and Timmy of Rockaway, to whom we give a cordial and hearty welcome. Mr. J. T. Strong, the school teacher of Upper Hilbertia has been playing "hooky" with his employers. By some means he managed to get in his possession some money belonging to the district which he absconded leaving his board bill unpaid. The school trustees have of him, he was on the cars bound for Newark. He was an excellent teacher, and a gentleman in appearance, but he loved the intoxicating bowl, hence he was dead to honesty and self respect.

Port Morris in Another Light.

Mr. Editor: Don't you think that your correspondent "J. D." vs "D. J." occasionally labors under D. T's, or something equally "devilish," in his constant tirade against innocent and good people? As a disinterested party I can testify that Patrick Clarke does not intend keeping a beer saloon at Port Morris, but on the contrary he bought the Grider property for a residence and to be near his work, as the Del. Lack & West R. R. Co. have seen fit to place him in an easy position on account of his misfortune in having a leg broken on the road. He intends by strict attention to his duties and by keeping a few boundaries to make an honest and respectable living. Mrs. Clarke is a high-minded, respectfully connected and honest woman, and I know she will not permit her or any other intoxicating liquor to be sold in her house. Then again, why this abuse of Messinger & King? They are simply there, keeping a regular and fully licensed inn or tavern, and if a few weak-minded men will persist in getting drunk, and in consequence expose themselves on the railroad track and attempt to obstruct the iron horse as he is passing to and fro, I should like to know why the odium is laid at their door? I have known these same two men working men, in whom J. D. is so much interested, to go three or four miles for a "we dhrap o' the crather" and get "stone blind drunk" before they even reached the door of M. & K. And for a place like Port Morris we do not know two men better qualified to keep a hotel than Messinger & King. We must give praise to whom praise is due, (which is a good motto for J. D.) I am a strong advocate of "least option"—no man feels a stronger interest in temperance than myself, but I do not see the point of J. D. in trying to damage the public interests of Port Morris; he should be armed with high authority from the Governor of the State with which to banish all these men from the works—those who have not stability enough to let the crithalone before they get hooked, then he might do something to benefit his friends.

A Great Nuisance.

Mr. Editor:—Your readers may imagine us giving vent to all the hard words necessary in giving expression to outraged feelings, and thereby save much valuable space. But we respectfully urge upon the mayor and common council the duty of enforcing the ordinance against exercising upon sidewalks and streets; and if the present law is not strong enough will not the Common Council, out of sheer pity, give the people one that is sufficiently strong and see that it is not hourly defied?

TAXPAYERS.

FROM ROCKAWAY.

You must not suppose because this little town is not incorporated that we are not up to the times. On the contrary we are up and doing, and the interests of the place is keenly looked after by many enterprising citizens. We have our amusements, concerts, lectures, &c., of an instructive and amusing character as well as many towns of larger growth. You know we were lately honored by the presence of Hon. Horace Greeley. Is not that a sign of our progress?

It was my good fortune to be present at the concert and exhibition last Saturday evening given under the auspices of the M. E. Sunday School for the benefit of the same. I must say it was a complete success; there was nothing dull or gloomy in the selection; it was a happy, pleasant and cheerful programme, and judiciously carried out under the management of Rev. A. Craig and Mr. R. Powell, who know so well how to get up an exhibition of this kind. The entertainment consisted of singing, recitations and dialogues.

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Cheaper than at any other Store
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Rubber Boots & Shoes,
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Also, a great variety of
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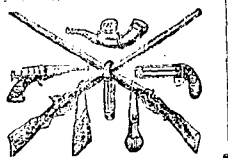
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RANGES,
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of all kinds and descriptions; also a large assort-
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A splendid assortment of
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