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the left, and the other to the window above, and four feet to the right. A ladder was passed to each, and securing their hooks, they reached up and hooked the ladders to the windows mentioned. To perform this feat requires very strong arms, as the ladders, though light, exert a powerful leverage when held out sideways. Of course it would be impossible to climb the ladders while in this inclined position, and here came another very difficult feat. Unhooking himself, and taking a firm hold on his ladder, each man

SWUNG OFF

from the sill where he stood, and in some degree represented a pendulum, the swing carrying him both the vertical, and then back again to a position whence the climb was easy. Owing to some accidental delays it required over seven minutes for them to reach the fifth floor.

THE CANVAS TUBE.

With their sealing ladders the fire men reached the fifth floor in eighty seconds, one man carrying a rope to which the tube was attached. In just forty seconds more, or an even two minutes, the tube was hauled up and fastened into the window. Four men caught the lower end and carried it out from the building so far as to give the whole line of the tube a uniform incline, and in five seconds more a man was sliding leisurely headforemost down the tube, occupying about eight seconds in the descent. At the end of three minutes from starting up seven men had been sent down, including one old, white-haired gentleman, who seemed to enjoy the fun. The tube was lowered to the fourth floor and further east, and more were lowered, including

ONE MAN IN FEMALE ATTIRE,

who created a great sensation, and three others who went down in a heap. In seven minutes the building had been sealed, the tube had been attached to three windows, on different floors, and not in line, and eighteen people had gone down. It may be here stated that a great secret in using the tube is to allow no part of it to hang vertically. Every foot of it should be on an incline, and this prevents any fall or strain on the canvass. The weight of a body will always supply sufficient curve or "sag" to the tube, and the rate of descent will be slow enough, no matter how large the tube. That used yesterday was 90 feet long, 10 feet in circumference, and had a slit at each story, which was kept closed by a strap passing through loops that alternated on the sides. These openings, Mr. Moir explained, were not intended to be used for entering the tube, but to take people out at the bottom, whenever the height was so small that only a few yards of the tube were in service. It is another unquestionable fact, too, that the safest way to descend is headforemost, as in that position foot heels cannot cut the canvass.

THE GRIP-SACK,

which consists of a broad, strong stretch of canvass, held by ten or twelve men on each side on which persons may leap from a third or fourth-story window without much danger or injury. A large number of men made the jump from the third story, and beyond a little shaking up suffered no inconvenience. The party in a dress and sun-bonnet created a great sensation as he stepped upon the window-sill, swung his hands a while, doubled up in a heap, and dropped into the bag. Of course he was unhurt. His foot provoked expressions of terror, followed by shouts of laughter. This was followed by some special feats on a single rope by the captain, one of which was the bringing down of a man on his shoulders. The whole exhibition was a great success, and won high praise from all who witnessed it. In case of any such disaster in future as that of the Southern Hotel, the company will be of immense service.

George Francis Train talks at the rate of 250 words a minute, and occasionally pauses for breath. These pauses seem to annoy him, and it is his habit to fill them by putting the question before the house, and calling for the yeas and nays. His auditors always like to make a noise, and an affirmative response follows as a matter of course, and then the lecturer, having regained his breath, proceeds with his remarks. An audience at Rochester on June 6 was betrayed by these tactics into a very unfortunate expression of opinion. He had been complaining that Christianity consigned to perdition such persons as Shakespeare, Byron, Franklin and Washington, who were not within the pale of church membership. "If I ever know a hereafter," he exclaimed, "I want to be where I can feel the wondrous influence of these great men, and I want to be able to grasp their extended hands, even if I have to go to hell to do it." "And, by the way," he added, gasping for breath, and apprehending the approach of a pause, "all those in favor of going to hell with me say 'aye.'" From all quarters of the house came mechanically the thundering response "aye!" Then they straightened themselves in their chairs, and reflected calmly on the pleasure trip to which they had prematurely committed themselves.

Last Sunday morning there passed through this city two foreign-looking objects, a man and a wife, each wheeling a wheelbarrow heavily laden with household goods. On inquiry it was learned that they had started from Ohio a year ago, and had traveled in that manner through Indiana, Illinois, Iowa and Missouri, and were on their way back to the starting point. During all their travels they had never slept in a house.—Rockport (Ind.) Journal.

This is the season at which the amazed washerwoman clutches a painful nest of fishbones in the soiled pantaloons of juvenile Americans.

VEGETINE.

HE SAYS IT IS TRUE.

SENeca FALLS, Nov. 9, 1876.
MR. H. R. STEVENS:
Dear Sir—As you are an entire stranger to me, I want you to know what VEGETINE has done for me. Only those who have been raised from death's door can fully value such a good medicine. Ever 25 years of age, three years ago I was taken sick with what the doctors called Lung fever. For weeks I was confined to my bed. I had tried different physicians, without any help. I resolved to rest. I was a great sufferer, finally I became entirely helpless. The last doctor told me there was no help; he said he might possibly save my life by extracting medicine in my veins and lungs. The consequence was that for several days I was in a very precarious condition. I could not consent to run the risk. About this time my son read your advertisement in our paper, a testimony of a person who had been very sick when about the same complaint, and was cured. My son went right away to the apothecary store and bought a bottle of VEGETINE. Before I had used the first bottle I found great relief; I could move myself in bed. After taking three bottles I was able to sit up and move about my room. I continued taking the Vegetine, and I was in a few weeks restored to my former health. The VEGETINE saved my life after the physicians said there was no help for me. I have had no doctor since. If I feel unwell I take a dose of VEGETINE, and I recommend it to my friends. Your Vegetine ought to be in every family. My doctor was surprised to see me in good health. He says VEGETINE is a good medicine. I tell him it cured me. He says, "It is true." I cannot feel too thankful.
Very gratefully yours,
MRS. A. M. MARINE COLGINS,
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Vegetine.

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ROCKPORT, March 31, 1875.
H. R. STEVENS:
Sir—Last fall my husband got me two bottles of your Vegetine to take for the Canker Humor, which I have had in my stomach for several years. I took it, and the result was very satisfactory. I have taken a good many remedies for the Canker Humor, and none seemed to help me but Vegetine. There is no doubt in my mind that every one suffering with Canker Humor can be cured by taking Vegetine. It gave me a good appetite, and I felt better in every respect.
Yours, with respect,
MRS. ELIZA ANN POOLE.

Vegetine.

NOTHING EQUAL TO IT.

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Dear Sir—I have been troubled with Scrofula, Canker and Liver Complaint for three years. Nothing ever did me any good until I commenced using the Vegetine. I am now getting along first rate, and still using the Vegetine. I consider there is nothing equal to it for such complaints. I can heartily recommend it to everybody.
Yours truly,
MRS. LIZZIE M. PACKARD,
No. 16, Lagrange St., South Salem, Mass.

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Feb 3

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Mar 22 J. P. McMASTER & CO.

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F. ELDER, Feb 20

TO OUR CUSTOMERS

WHO are indebted to us for PROVISIONS or PHOSPHATES, we would respectfully call attention, that your bills are due on or before the first of November. We are depending on you for payment AT ONCE, to enable us to meet obligations made to assist you, and which are due at that time.

In order for us, as well as you, to maintain our credit, it is necessary to meet our promises promptly.

Beaty, Bro. & Son.

Oct 12

Fruit Jars! Fruit Jars!

JUST received, a lot of Mason's celebrated Fruit Jars, with Boyd's porcelain lined covers.
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" quart sizes, \$2.25 per dozen.
May 24 J. P. McMASTER & CO

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