ENQUIRER. ADBRAITTE TII

Humorous Department.

A WELL-SELECTED JURY .- Down in an extremely rural district of Arkan-

sas an old man was arrested for steal-From the Youth's Companion. ing a hog. The proof was positive, and the court was surprised when the plea of not guilty was introduced. The lawyer for the defence, a man March, 1898, which were very busy well-known for his trickery rather months in the cable office at Santiago, than his ability, seemed particularly where I had been for four years. In desirous of selecting a jury that would the early part of 1895 we seldom not show partiality in its decision. handled more than 30 message a day, The prosecuting attorney, a young but after the insurrection began the and experienced man, agreed to every number rose to 90 and a 100 daily, juryman selected by the defense, and increasing a little every month. the judge, although he might have stepped over the bounds of judicial goes under the sea first to Kingcourtesy, said nothing. The argu-ments were concluded, leaving in the thence to St. Croix, and from there to minds of the people no doubt as to Parmaribo and Pernambuco in Brazil. the verdict, for one of the witnesses, a Cables from Pernambuco cross the man whose word one could not dis- South Atlantic to St. Vincent, Cape I do not speak for him." pute, swore that he saw the defendant Verde islands; and from St. Vincent when he stole the animal. The jury other cables extend to Maderia, thence

retired, and, after a few moments, re-turned with a verdict of not guilty, in There is also a less direct cable from exact opposition to the charge of the Pernambuco to the St. Louis in Senecourt. When the court adjourned, the judge islands and Cadiz.

approached the lawyer for the defense and remarked : "Look here, my friend, I never rin Merode, a young Spaniard, who

heard of such a verdict. I cannot, as an impartial disseminator of justice, We thought that a 100 messages daily allow so flagrant an outrage to be made work enough, but over 800 passperpetrated on this community. That ed the day after the Maine was blown man is as guilty as Judas, but if you up in Havana harbor. Four more opwill tell me the secret of the acquittal, I'll allow the verdict to pass."

"You see, judge, some of the jurymen were rather young and some rather old."

"Yes, but what does that signify ?" "It signifies that I run in the old pressure would moderate. man's 12 sons on the jury."-Little Rock Gazette.

WHY THE PARSON LEFT KEN-TUCKY.—A good many years ago, when a certain place in Texas was a very small town, quite a number of prominent citizens went out on a hunt-Blanco cipher to Sagasta; reams of ing expedition. One night, when they bombast from the Cuban corresponwere all gathered around the camp fire, one of the party suggested that each man should give the time and reason for his leaving his native state and coming to Texas, whereupon each one in turn told his experience. Judge Blank had killed a man in self-defense, in Arkansas; General Soandso had forged another man's signature to a check; while another came to Texas on account of his having two wives. The only man who did not make any disclosures was a sanctimonious looking old man, who, although a professional gambler, was usually called the "Parson.

"Well Parson, why did you leave Kentucky ?"

"I don't care to say anything about it. Besides it was only a trifle. None of you would believe anyhow."

"Out with it! Did you shoot anybody ?" "No, gentleman, I did not. Since

I am also an honest man, employed here to do a certain duty, which I will not betray.

The Story Teller.

WHY I LEFT SANTIAGO.

"You will not help me, then? Very well, I shall examine your tapes by force.

"It is not my business to fight for Spain," said I. "I have no force to resist you, but I will not help you." I was the only American operator in eastern Cuba in February and "Thanks. That's all I ask. Just you sit quiet."

"Do you think you can read our tapes ?" I asked, incredulously.

three years." "But where did you get your cipher

key ?"

The cable from Santiago to Spain in Havana, three months ago. Your crusher, about five miles from town, tape bobbins for the current week are "Look for yourself," I said. "But was to near him to stop. The whistle

my fellow operator here is a Spaniard.

"Senor Merode," I said in Spanish, "these gentlemen wish to see the record tapes."

Merode had stood listening, making out what we said with difficulty. terday, sent to the senate the nomina-tion of J. W. Dunnovant to be post-"Nunca !" (Never !) he exclaimed, ex- master at Chester.....It is undergal, Africa, and thence to the Canary

Beside myself, there was but one think, of destroying the tapes. He was a plucky fellow. But the Cuban seized him by the colar before he could other operator in Santiago office, Laumachete.

Macomber, and then, after a steady to that. erators were needed, and we called to glance at me, he stepped to the draw-Havana for help; but no notice was taken of our appeal, and rather than

company's business undone, we slaved night and day, always hoping the One day we sent 13,742 words in over 1,100 despatches, yet we were two hours "back" at midnight, with Havana fuming at us over the land table here."

wire, and still hurrying messages through the Cienfuegos cable. There were Spanish government cipher messages from Sagasta to Blanco, and ment amused me :

"Oh, this is a dandy siphon of yours, isn't it !" What ails your mouse mill ?" Monday night, after an illness of sevdents of the Imparcial and Correo for like the teeth of an old dull buck-saw."

officers at Havana; and then the bank-Merode still lay on the floor. The mains were buried at Beaver Creek Cuban stood watching us both ; if Me-Baptist church yesterday after funeral To add to our vexations, the "mouse mill" of the siphon recorder gave trourode stirred, he shook his machete at services by Rev. J. S. Croxton. him. Thus, fully an hour passed; it Mr. Wm. Thompson and family, of ble constantly, and the clockwork that carries the record tape broke down every day or two. Now a Spaniard is utterly without native ingenuity. found what he sought. Merode was a tolerably good operator,

and all such tasks fell on me.

bit of mechanism, which assists the Havana. faint electric impulses that come great "That's

Miscellancous Beading.

IN COUNTIES ADJOINING.

lished by Exchanges.

Mr. Giles Corkill is home from Fur- er, says were just ahead, and just beman......Miss Louise Ratchford, of fore she reached the house she was

Yorkville, is visiting Miss Sallie White. Mrs. J. W. Humbert, of York-literally to pieces on her feet. Her pes?" I asked, incredulously. "Sure. I was a cable operator M. V. Patterson.....Joe Wright, a husband, Coleman Etters, and family. colored boy on Mr. J. W. Dunnovant's On last Sunday evening, Mr. place, was killed by the vestibule train Thompson Wright met with the mison the Seaboard, Saturday morning. "That's a matter that was arranged He was herding cows near the rock lightning. He had gone to Sunday Havana three months ago. Your crusher, about five miles from town, school at Oak Grove church, and had his mule in a 'neighbors's stable near and seemed to be asleep on the track. by. When Sunday school was over When the train ran around a curve it

there was a cloud so near up that they concluded not to start out till it was was blown and he rose up just before over. During the rain the stable was struck near one corner and the mule instantly killed. It was a good small mule and the loss is quite heavy on the train struck him. Coroner Shannon held an inquest and a verdict was rendered in accordance with the facts mule and the loss is quite heavy on stated above......The president, yes-Mr. Wright, especially just at this very large rattlesnake near his home citedly, "and made a jump for the big stood here that the Catawba Spinning on Monday. It measured 4 feet and table drawer, with some notion, I mill has passed into the hands of Chas. 3 inches, and the rattles were broken

Reformer, June 23: In Lincoln coun-

ty, near Orleans, on Tuesday evening

open the drawer, flung him violently and are rated away up among the pleted. We learn that they have backward on the floor, and drew his numerous millions. It is probable that more floor space in the new mill than others nearer home are interested ; but they had in the old. This gives them iamson, of Gastonia, and Mr. R. R. King, of Danville, Va., were married

LANCASTER-Ledger, June 22.er himself and took out the rolls of Mrs. Sarah Ann Dunn, widow of the in the Presbyterian church in Gastolate John Dunn, died at the home of nia on yesterday and immediately left desert our posts and leave the tape. company's business undone, we slaved "This will be a somewhat long and her son-in-law, Mr. M. C. Gardner, in for their future home, Danville. GASTON-Gazette, June 23 tedious business," he remarked, be-ginning to unroll one of them. "You might help me if you would; but at least oblige me by turning up the least oblige me by turning up the lamp a little and placing it on the ed 375 bushels of wheat last week from Rev. A. S. Lyons, of Monmouth col-14 acres on his farm. This is an aver- lege, Ill.; Rev. R. G. White, of Grif-"Thanks," he went on, when I had age of only 27 bushels per acre, 12 fith, and Rev. J. C. Galloway, of Gascomplied, and began rapidly unrolling bushels less per acre than he made on tonia. All his friends-and they are the tape through his fingers. He read the same land a few years ago...... numbered among all faiths-will be well and fast, and his running com- Mr. Samuel E. Cauthen, son of Mr. pleased at the honor which has come John M. Cauthen, of Heath Spring, to the polished, scholarly and devoted pastor of the Associate Reformed died at his home, near Heath Spring, Presbyterian church at Gastonia. We "Say, friend, your record here looks eral weeks of typhoid fever. He was are sure that Erskine never bestowed about 24 years of age and was married an honor more richly deserved or one less than a year ago to Miss Lula Over- that will be more worthily and grace-I sat back and quietly looked on. cash. His wife survives him. His re- fully borne. Mr. John Whitesides, the bicycle enthusiast, was in town yesterday perfecting arrangements for the biggest sort of a time in King's Mountain on Saturday, July 2. The seemed much more than an hour, in- Cedar Creek, had a narrow escape attractions will be bicycle races and deed, before our American visitor from drowning last Sunday. They tournament and baseball. Fine riders were on their way to preaching at will be introduced from Charlotte, "Ah !" he exclaimed at last. "Here New Hope and were crossing at a Rock Hill, Yorkville, Clover, Blackswe are! So the Vizcaya and Oquendo ford on Camp creek, when their buggy burg, Gastonia, and Shelby. There left Puerto Rico for St. Vincent last overturned by reason of a washout in will be five races and three prizes in Anything like clockwork I can Sunday. Good ! Blanco is informed the ford and they were all thrown into each race. The prizes are promised to the creek. Wm. Cox was horseback be the handsomest ever given in ama works the siphon pen is a very delicate St. Vincent, too, instead of coming to just behind them, and he plunged in teur races. The tournament will be and rescued two of the children while at 10 a. m. in front of the hotel. Base-"That's all I wanted to know," he Mrs. Thompson struggled out with ball at 3 p. m. Reduced rates on raildistances through the cable to move continued, turning to me. "Sorry to the third. Mr. Thompson was caught road, big speeches, big dinner, and the ink point of the recorder to and leave your tapes in such a mess, but I under the buggy and could not extrireally cannot stop to roll them up cate himself until Mr. Cox raised it dance of caution, Sheriff Love remov-I suppose I had taken the record again; for I must be well out to sea off of him. It was a narrow escape ed the would be rapists, Sid Boyd and

you want to know so bad, 1'll tell you. I left Kentucky because I did not build a church. Deep silence fell on the group. Such excuse for coming to Texas had evidently an unexplained mystery at the bottom of it. The "parson" was called on to furnish more light. "Well, gentlemen, you see a congre-gation raised \$3,000 and turned it over to met build the church, and I didn't most lonesome place, particularly at outside the house, had proved more this county for the past 10 years, and his father's home, right after the storm, night; but a Spanish sentinel was sup- nimble than they had thought him. posed to pass the door every three He had worked himself loose, and become a citizen of the state in 1896, swept down the stream at a terrific was enrolled as a citizen upon subscrib- rate by the swollen waters. Mr. Rob-The Cuban turned instantly, killed ing to the prescribed oath on an order inson had the presence of mind to door to beg a cigarette. So when the lieutenant with a swing of his of Judge Townsend in exparte pro- catch hold of an overhanging limb and pull himself to the shore. Then, with the assistance of Mr. Lineberber, he ceedings in the court yesterday.... Married, by Magistrate Burns, at his rescued his drowning horse, but was home, last Sunday afternoon, Mr. Per-ry Robertson and Miss Addie Hunter, compelled to leave the buggy to its both of this place. Mr. J. J. Funfate. The next morning it was found out and grasped me by the arm. "Help me out," he said. "Help me out," he said. It would be difficult for anyone to son, Mr. P. L. Funderburk, last Tuesoutfit near Cherryville fell into Depuresist the appeal of a fellowcountry. day, of consumption. He was 68 years ty Collector Loftin's hands Tuesday man at such a time. While the sol. of age, a member of the Baptist church night. There was nothing on hand another neighbor and borrowed a doz-young fellow, in a white duck suit and man at such a time. While the sol-diers rushed in trampling and falling for 40 years, and a good citizen. For but spent beer and the garrison was due course of time she hatched out a a step behind him was a typical Cuban over the slain men and Merode, I pull- 15 or 20 years he was a deacon at absent. Mr. Loftin received a letter dozen chickens. The Yankee was again puzzled; he could return the ban but how was he to return the into our battery-room. In this back bushels of oats from a two-horse farm, season had prevented the proprietors room was a window looking out on Four hundred and twenty bushels was from being at home when he called. Misses Cook and Janie Smith, of York county, are visiting their aunt, JOURNAL AND STATE. I HAVE recently taken the agency for the COLUMBIA STATE, in addition to the NEW YORK JOURNAL, and will be pleased to furnish the public with ei-ther at 20 cents per week-6 STATES or 7 JOURNALS. Single copies of the JOURNAL may be had at 3 cents for the daily and 7 cents for the Sunday editions. Single copies of the STATE, 5 cents. OLIVER E. GRIST. Mrs. T. L. Clinton. CHEROKEE-Gaffney Ledger, June

Saturday, June 25, 1898.

A Prompt Response.

OUR recent effort to save money for on last week, a MIS. Effers was struck and instantly killed by lightning. Close to her home was a sick neighbor whom she went over to see, taking with her one or two of her children. The children, our informant J.B. Walk-er, says were just ahead, and just be-fore she reached the house she were

Lambert & Lowman, of Detroit

instantly killed. Her shoes were torn literally to pieces on her feet. Her death is a sad bereavement to her husband, Coleman Etters, and family. Thompson Wright met with the mis-fortune to have his mule killed by lightning. He had gone to Sunday

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GOING NORTH.	No 10.	No 60.
Leave Chester	645 a m	8 45 a m
Leave Lowrysville	7 08 a m	9 20 a m
Leave McConnellsville	7 21 a m	9 52 a m
Leave Guthriesville	729 a m	10 09 a m
Leave Yorkville	749 a m	11 00 a m
Leave Clover	8 16 a m	11 48 a m
Leave Gastonia	8 46 a m	1 20 pm
Leave Lincolnton	9 38 a m	2 40 pm
Leave Newton	10 25 a m	4 00 pm
Leave Hickory	11 20 a.m.	6 15 pm
Arrive Lenoir	12 16 a m	8 00 pm
GOING SOUTH.	No. 9.	No 61.
Leave Lenoir	3 15 pm	5 30 a m
Leave Hickory	4 15 pm	7 20 a m
		9 00 a.m
Leave Newton	510 pm	900 am
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Trains Nos. 9 and 10 are first class, and

Summary of the News That Is Being Pub

CHESTER-The Lantern, June 21:

to me to build the church, and I didn't build the church. That's all."

A story of close management is told about a Yankee who lately settled I reckon, you hain't got no old hen nor nothin' you'll lend me for a few around till an amused weise credeined weeks, have you, neighbor ?" "I will lend you one with pleasure," replied the gentleman, picking out the very finest one in the coop. The Yankee Merode and I faced round with a jump. took the hen home, and then went to There stood a rather tall, good-looking hen, but how was he to return the eggs? Another idea. He would keep In an

didn't cost me a cent, nuther."

Only three nights ago he came home you want here?" I exclaimed, in much soberer than you are, but in at- Spanish. tempting to blow out a candle his breath took fire and he exploded— laughed. "You are an American; blew up-so his friends in three days anybody could tell that by your Spanhave not been able to scrape enough ish. Oh, I know about you. Speak of him together to hold a wake over." English."

"An' do you mane to tell me that he burst up ?" said Tim.

"Indeed I do, upon my honor."

Tim said he would take the pledge at once, and he did so in the following form : "I swear never to blow out a and Oquendo, still at Puerto Rico candle while I am drunk again."

10 In arguing a point before a judge moment, and queried : "Colonel Folk, posed to know anything about." do you think that is law?" The colonel gracefully bowed, and replied : "Candor compels me to say that I do not, but I did not know how it would strike your honor." The judge deliberated a few moments, and gravely said : "That may not be contempt of court, but it is a close shave."

you prefer, you can leave with it."

'Aha, senors ! Buenos noches !"

fro on the tape.

Madrid, followed by more cipher to

Weyler at Barcelona from his brother

but when it came to rectifying faults

of the instrument, he was an infant,

ers quoting, selling and ordering!

minutes. These poor fellows were had run to the fort for aid.

down in the west. He went to a outside door opened behind us that machete, and was at once shot down neighbor and thus accosted him : "Wal, evening, I supposed the incomer was by a soldier who fired over the shoulder of his falling officer.

Macomber showed better judgment, A Spanish sentinel begging a cigarette does not speak in that tone, so

the following Sunday.

In an instant Merode was on his the hen until she laid a dozen eggs. This he did, and returned the hen and which our unexpected visitors laughed swung in an instant and decamped age of 42 bushels to the acre. eggs to their respective owners, re-marking as he did so, "Wal, I reckon "I must hav the Sanor Television and, without a word. I had time to get forward into the cable-room before 23: Yesterday afternoon Mr. Nathan I've got as fine a dozen of chickens as to distress himself concerning the Merode, who had regained his feet, Sanders and Miss Rosa Jenkins were struck a match and relighted the lamp. united in the holy bonds of matrimony you ever laid your eyes on, and they worthy sentinel, for that watchful soldier is now lying comfortably on Of the gruesome spectacle which the by the Rev. C. E. Robertson. The

light revealed I will not speak.

PAT'S PLEDGE.—"Tim, this won't mouth, and his hands are tied to his do; you must take warning from the feet." fate of your friend, O'Shaughnessy. "Well, who are you, and what do under arrest, pending an investigation, them smooth sailing on the sea of which showed that neither of us knew the following evening !

"Certainly," I replied. "What do you want here ?"

"The news."

"What news ?"

"Are the Spanish war-ships Vizcaya

Has the torpedo flotilla arrived there, or has it gone to St. Vincent, at Cape

de Verde ?" "It is contrary to the rules of the of the superior court, Colonel Folk, of the mountain circuit in North Caro-formation," I replied. "Besides, all cold. Bathers should enter the water cold. Bathers should enter the water Elbethel on Saturday, July 2nd, at 2 are in cipher, which I am not sup-"Don't let the cipher trouble you,"

key to their cipher all right. "As to who I am," he continued,

to the whereabouts of the Spanish tor- bear, cramps, should enter it when recruits for the army. He is at Lipspedo-boats and those cruisers would suffering from acidity of the stomach. The best time for bathers is either be-ed to meet any who desire to learn of

have with me? Busy Man-Not at Key West. Now you are an Ameri- in the forenoon. All who suffer from basket picnic at the new iron bridge all. It is not the book I object to. can, and a good patriot, I dare say. You can leave it, if you like—or if Will you not help us out ?" delicate constitutions should avoid bathing in the early morning.—Frank Saturday, July 2. "I'm a good patriot," said I. "And H. Vizetelly.

ceremony was performed at Pastor After the manner of Spanish justice, Robertson's residence in the presence both Merode and myself were put of a few friends and the contracting them smooth sailing on the sea of commandant at Santiago suspected vices next Saturday and Sunday at that I had planned it, and sent me Arrat church by Rev. W. T. Thompunder arrest to Havana, by steamer, son. The banks and the court house officials will close their places I expected to remain in Las Cabanas of business on the Fourth of July..... for the rest of my days, but was dis- Mr. W. A. Hass is the champion weavmissed without trial the second day er at the Gaffney Manufacturing Co. after arriving there, and left Havana He wove 14,446 yards of cloth in 14 along with a 180 other Americans on days, averaging 1,035 yards per day.Mr. John McKeown, of Wilkinsville, brought the first cotton bloom of the season to this office Tuesday.

BATHERS .- Never enter the water Company store at Cowpens was struck when overheated; rest a little first, by lightning last week......Camp it is in active or violent perspiration. estly requested to attend......Mrs. Never enter the water with a head- Dorcas Littlejohn, who lives near the ache ; never do so with a full stomach. old Union and Spartanburg lines on

he replied, laughing. "I have the Nothing can be more dangerous to the Thickety, was 92 years old yesterday. system than to contravene these rules, A family reunion was held in which a and many have lost their lives by neg- large number of her descendants took "my name's Macomber. I am the correspondent of the —..." He nam-ed an American journal. "News as

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