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Our Homes in Winter. TO MAKE THEM BRIGHT—THE ART OF HOUSE DECORATION.

Many pleasant and suggestive papers have been written on the subject of house decoration, and the arts of design have been used to useful purpose in the cultivation of refined taste.

FOR SUNNY WINDOWS.

If your window is sunny there is no limit to the flowers you may have from Christmas until the wild ones come again.

HANGING POT.

Besides these boxes you may have one, two, or even three, hanging pots in every window, almost without reference to the sun.

live through almost any treatment; but study their peculiarities, and manifest a willingness to gratify them and they will grow without stint.

Extraordinary Duel.

Mr. Thomas Sheridan, in his life of Dean Swift, has recorded an account of a very singular character, who lived in the county of Tipperary.

Hearing of these daily exploits in Dublin they resolved like two knights-errant to go over in quest of adventures.

There happened to be at that time two gentlemen in London who valued themselves highly on their skill in fencing.

Under the shadow of these ferns you may see the delicate plants, both varieties of which are common in our woods.

How Paper Clothes are Made.

Wearers of paper collars may be interested in the reports on the manufacture of paper in Japan, which have lately been printed for the British Parliament.

An Editor's Troubles.

THE DEEP GRIM SILENCE OF THE FOURTH STORY. No one ever comes up into the rooms of the top story of a four story building set apart for the staff of a daily paper.

Yesterday morning I commenced an article entitled "The Unseen Influences of the Spirit World," an had got as far as to say that "Although we hear no voices, there is some subtle influence pervading the air."

Overriding the air about you all the time Peter Smith has called at this office to say that the unheard voices coming from the dead often swerve us from his isn't the man mentioned as having two wives the path marked out by the obstinate.

Here another man came in and wanted a notice of his new building. —spirits which refuse to yield to that new block on Michigan av., although Smith is directly charged by the police with a marble front and 120 feet deep.

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Not Appreciated.

A young gentleman anxious to learn to sing, went up into the garret one Sunday night about bedtime, and resolutely commenced his exercises with his psalm-book.

Fearful Case of Hydrophobia.

Among the prisoners in the Pennsylvania Western Penitentiary there is a young German suffering from that dreadful disease, hydrophobia. He is about twenty-eight years of age, and was a member of the Virginia cavalry.

Shortly after his incarceration he was seized with convulsions and consigned to the hospital. A few days ago, while sitting on the edge of a bath tub in the hospital department, a dog which had found its way into the chapel suddenly began to bark, which caused the man to fall into the bath tub in a terrible fit.

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You see the old man was trying to teach me to shoot blackbirds, and beasts that tore up the young corn and such things, so that I could be of some use about the farm, because I wasn't big enough to do much.

So I loaded her up that way, and it was an awful charge—I had sense enough to see that—and I started out. I leveled her on a good many birds, but every time I attempted to pull the trigger my heart failed me; I was afraid of her kick.

An action was decided in Philadelphia last week, by Judge Thayer, in favor of a husband who had been sued by a dry goods firm for the amount of a bill of goods run up by his wife.

A curious experiment was tried in Russia with some murderers. They were placed, without knowing it, in four beds where four persons had died of the cholera.

Tribute to the Memory of the Rt. Rev. Thomas F. Davis, by the Standing Committee of South Carolina.

The Standing Committee of the Diocese record with unfeigned sorrow, the death of the Rt. Rev. Thomas F. Davis, the beloved Bishop of the Diocese, who died on the 2nd of December in the sixty-eighth year of his age.

In him we mourn the loss of a wise and venerated Pastor of the Church, a large hearted Christian Bishop, a father and a friend of the Clergy.

Yet in our grief we recall with gratitude the enduring fruits of his Episcopate, in the midst of many bodily infirmities.

We recall the entire harmony which has existed between him in the confidential relations which the Standing Committee bears to the Bishop as his constitutional council of advice.

W. ALSTON PRINGLE, Sec'y. CHARLESTON, S. C., Dec. 11, 1871.

A Good one on Thurlow Weed.

Weed had about as much system in keeping his accounts (and his money) as Micawber. He was a little greater man though and had that grain of good sense which suggested to him the propriety of placing any specific sum of money which he didn't want spent at random in the hands of some financier friend.

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KNEW HIS FIST.—A ludicrous accident lately occurred on a Mississippi steamer which we relate as a warning to those who attempt to change the personal adornment which Nature has given them.

HOW A TIPLER REFORMED.—Eloping the comedian, tells a capital story of a wretched one of the London taverns who had sadly given to drink a party of his young men determined to reform him.

HISTORY IN ADVERTISING.—It is often seen that the history of a nation may be found in its newspapers.

DIED.—In New Orleans, Wednesday, Nov. 22, 1871, Hon. Oscar J. Dunn, Lieutenant-Governor of Louisiana.

In Chicago the other morning, a young man named Phoenix rose from the ashes of Briggs' house.

A sick man was told that his wife would probably marry again. "All right," said he, "for there will be one man to lament my death."

At a Louisville ball, a waggish youth took out the ham from the sandwiches and substituted slivers of soap therefor.

THE OLDEST TREE IN EUROPE.—The oldest tree on record in Europe is asserted to be the cypress of Somma in Lombardy, Italy.