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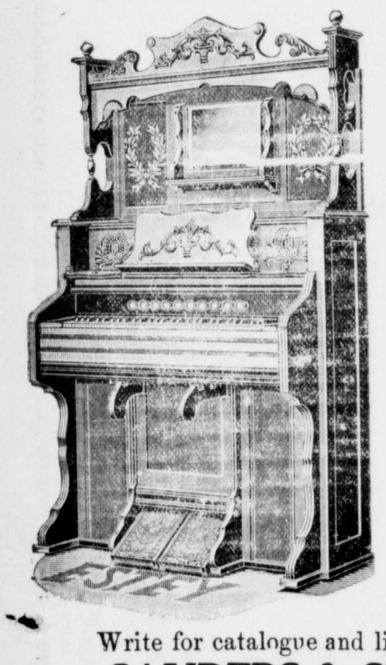

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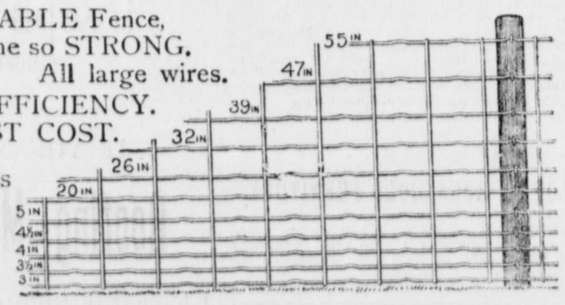

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Sacred to Thursday Night, Aug. 20, 1903.

BY WILLIAM A. POTTS.

Such a time on Thursday night,
Costumes were there that were a sight,
And when you take it all together,
No wonder we've had stormy weather.

In that crowd there was a nigger
Said he must do all *de bossen*,
When I asked him what your reason,
Then he said because I'm *Cosden*.

One little fellow looked quite funny,
Wanted to laugh and had to talk
When I asked him what'a your reason,
And he said "because I'm *Faulk*."

There was a couple plump and fat
Though *one* of them seemed rather lazy,
When some one cried "take off your hats,"
And there stood *Mr. and Mrs. Swayze*.

There was a fellow without much hair,
Nothing to part and less to comb;
But Goodman said he did not care
So you don't tell the folks at home.

The Gypsy Queen with dark brown skin,
I think she used some powder and pencil,
She surely was the real thing
And said her name was Annie Fenzel.

One little fellow seemed quite fresh,
I really though he had gone crazy,
I'd never took it for a rose
And hardly though it could be *Daisy*.

There were two girls I noticed that evening
That acted so well their different parts,
It seemed such a shame to cover their beauty,
And hide from our gaze *two* lovely young *Harts*

There was a young fellow who wore such poor clothes,
I said to myself that fellow's a miser,
I asked him the reason and what do you think,
He said (I am it) for I am the *Keyser*.

There was another so fat and so chunkey
I thought it a motar (some call it a gun),
I said to myself with that thing I'll not monkey,
But he said "I'm the harmless *Donelson*."

And she with the night dress and scanty apparrel,
I thought it a boy by the name of "Jim,"
But after taking him to wipe the floor up,
Found it none other than *Emise Zim*.

A big burly fellow with long linen duster,
I thought he'd escaped from Baltimore jail,
He looked as if he'd been out on a buster,
Been caught in a storm and captured a "*Gale*."

There was a young fellow who wore a blue wrapper,
He was a sight and looked like a fury,
But said he was happy and had a good time
Eating ice cream and filling up *Urie*.

There was a young girl great on deceiving
And thought she could act the different parts,
But concluded one was enough for the evening,
And said she'd be satisfied *Queen of Hearts*.

And the hotel clerk, why who would have thought it,
That he would come out and make such a spread,
But chockful of fun he let himself out,
And there'll be more to follow, so come again Fred.

The knight of the road I had almost forgotten,
With blisters and bruises and colic and cramp,
He had a good time that night, but was feeling
Much worse the next day for playing the "tramp."

And some were there I did not know,
That added much to make the show,
We hope next year they'll be in reach
To spend some time here at the Beach.

The hotel man who lit the lights
And has them burn some of the nights,
The women all around him cling,
And swear that Todd's the real "thing."

There's my friend "*Ned*," I'll not forget,
For I'm not quite done with him yet,
In mask he said he'd sure to be
If there in mask he did find me.

But low behold I was alone,
For there in mask he was not shone
But perched up high upon the stand,
Was hid away behind the "*Band*."

Last night in sleep I had a dream
That folks are not what they may seem,
But some through pride and some through fear,
Don't want to be what they appear.

The rich the poor would imitate,
The *small* would imitate the *great*.
But be content whate'er your lot,
Don't try to be what you are not.

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HE CAUGHT THE HOUSE.

A Yell of Applause at a Critical Point In a Play.

Edward Harrigan once said that the most trying moment in his theatrical career occurred in New Orleans soon after the civil war. He had gone south with his company and, yielding somewhat to popular request, put on "The Blue and the Gray." The play had been a success up north, but down south, with the air still full of the bitterness of the war, it was a dangerous experiment. Tony Hart was to represent the Confederate gray, so he hunted up a uniform of the Louisiana Tigers, and when he came marching on, young, stalwart, handsome, the typical soldier boy in the beloved uniform, the house, men and women, cheered and shouted and cried for all their heroes embodied in this boy. Harrigan, standing in the wings in his northern blue, waiting to go on, had just one thought —"They'll kill me!" Then he stepped out, the embodiment of the enemy, and a cold, dead silence fell upon the house. Not a hand moved for him. The audience was tense with emotion, and there was only an instant to act if the play was to be saved. Harrigan, big, kindly, good looking, came swiftly down to the front and stopped over the footlight gutter, leaning down to them. "For the love of heaven, won't you give the Yankee a hand?" he exclaimed. At once the house was caught and all the pent up feeling burst the right way. There was a yell of applause.

How the Sculptor Cellini Was Cured.

Benvenuto Cellini, when about to cast his famous statue of Perseus, now in the Loggia dei Lanzi at Florence, was taken with a sudden fever. In the midst of his suffering one of his workmen rushed into his sick chamber and exclaimed: "Oh, Benvenuto! Your statue is spoiled, and there is no hope whatever of saving it!" Cellini said that when he heard this he gave a howl and leaped from his bed. Dressing hastily, he rushed to his furnace and found his metal "caked." He ordered dry oak wood and fired the furnace fiercely, working in a rain that was falling, stirred the channels and saved his metal. He continues the story thus: "After all was over I turned to a plate of salad on a bench there and ate with a hearty appetite and drank together with the whole crew. Afterward I retired to my bed, healthy and happy, for it was two hours before morning, and slept as sweetly as if I had never felt a touch of illness." His overpowering idea of saving his statue not only drove the idea of illness from his mind, but also drove away the physical condition and left him well. It was a triumph of mind. —Success.

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Annual plants are those that you must sow every year. From seed to seed is only a year or less. Annual plants probably comprise half the flowering plants of the world. They quickly take advantage of the moving seasons, grow, blossom and die before they are caught by the blight of winter or by the parching dry season. They are shifty plants, now growing here, then absconding to other places. This very uncertainty and capriciousness make them worth the while. The staid perennials I want for the main and permanent effects in my garden, but I could no more do without annuals than I could do without the spices and the condiments of the table. They are flowers of a season; I like the flowers of a season.—Country Life In America.

Deaf and Dumb Teachers.

"I suppose a deaf and dumb asylum is the last place to which most persons who wish to learn a language would think of going," said the principal of one of those institutions. "Yet there are several educated foreigners who came here to take lessons in English.

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The Difference In Seasons.

"Br'er Williams," said Brother Dickey, "you all time talkin' 'bout wantin' ter go ter glory in a chariot er fire. How'd you like ter try it in de middle er August?"

"Br'er Dickey," replied Brother Williams, "w'en I made dem remarks we wuz deep in December en de white snow wuz all over de ground!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Rabid.

Noozey—I've heard a rumor that she is to be married.

Oldbache—Yes.

Noozey—Who's the lucky one?

Oldbache—Neither of them, if they only knew it.—Philadelphia Press.

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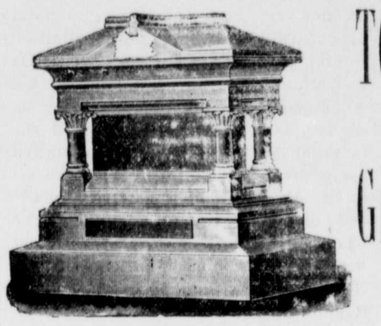

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