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OLT-CAMP NO. 1710, M. W. OF A. Meets on the first and third Tuesday in each month...

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POSTOFFICE DIRECTORY. Arrival of Mails. P. E. & M. V. R. - FROM THE EAST...

HE WAS DESPERATE.

The Judge Wouldn't Commit Him, so He Brought the Court to Time. Magistrate Ladhner was seated in state behind the tall railing in his office...

"My name, judge," said he, "is Silas Elkinton. I've been drinking too much and eating too little. I'm all broken up and I haven't a cent..."

"You can have it to-morrow," was the reply. "The boat has gone up the river and I don't commit in the afternoon..."

Smash! Silas Elkinton's fist went through Magistrate Ladhner's doopane, price \$1.75, right under the awful constable's very nose.

"Now," said the visitor, "I'll bet you'll commit me." "You've thrown aces," the magistrate rejoined, red-hot. "I'll commit you for a year."

HIS FIRST FEE. But the Old Servant Beat the Doctor Out of the Precious \$2. "You can tell your hard luck stories until you are blue in the face, but I can beat them all."

"Well, I can. When I graduated from the medical college I knew it all, as is usual, and got out a nice gold sign on the front of the house, with M. D. after my name..."

"Not by several fees!" said the young surgeon of some practice. "Wait till you see a whole book full of fees get away, then begin to kick."

Two Instances of the Treachery of the Human Mind. A smart young cavalry officer was recently exercising his regiment upon the drill ground when the familiar words of command suddenly slipped from his mind...

A still more singular case is that of a well-known and esteemed merchant, whose memory so treacherously failed him one morning after leaving home that he was totally unable to locate his offices...

Origin of the Peach. It has never been clearly ascertained what was the original parent of the peach. It is, however, well known that the peach, the almond and the nectarine can be developed, the one from the other...

The present earl of Aberdeen, victor and governor general of Canada, is liable at any moment to be ousted from his seat in the house of lords and deprived of his peerage and estate by the reappearance of his elder brother...

Sir Humphrey Davy's safety Lamp. The smallest lamp is the miner's safety lamp, invented in 1815 by Sir Humphrey Davy. The frame of this is of iron and brass inclosed in wire gauze...

Ten Years Asteep. For more than ten years Miss Susan Friend of Prestonburg, Ky., has lain in a sleep or stupor that nothing can arouse her from. Ten years ago she fell and cut her hand on the stump of a sapling...

A Scotch minister is said to have re-buked his wife for sleeping during his sermon, in this fashion: "Susan," he exclaimed from the pulpit, "in a voice that awakened her, as it did all the other sleepers..."

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AN OLD SUITOR.

Passing Years Work Generally Many External Changes. Time, indeed works many changes. Yesterday a well-known resident said to his wife: "Oh, I forgot to tell you, my dear, that I invited a friend here to dinner to-day."

"But, who is it my dear?" The husband mentioned the name of the expected visitor and then went on reading the paper. But the wife seemed greatly agitated. She fussed around and went into the kitchen herself. The visitor arrived. He was a portly person, extremely large of girth and bald...

"You heard that he said he knew me when a girl, Frank?" "Yes." "Well, I have a confession to make." "What is it?" "We were engaged once." Instead of expressing any surprise he merely replied: "Pooch. What of it?"

Then he went on reading the paper, and she tried to see a certain resemblance in a slim, aristocratic young man to this modern Falstaff. Gifted with great imagination, she almost succeeded.

BANK NOTES IN HER BED. Last Days of a Great Beauty of Louis Philippe's Time. Mile. Humbert, a woman whose life was shrouded in much mystery for many years, has died in a veritable garret in the Rue des Martyrs, Paris, at the advanced age of 87.

In her district the old dame passed as a mendicant, owing to the shabbiness of her attire, and people, struck by her miserable appearance, sometimes spontaneously offered her alms in the streets. She never refused the money, but was in the habit, after receiving it, of telling her benefactors to keep away from the side of her dress in which she kept her purse...

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