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"What's the matter?" I inquired.

"I've been thinking again. I tell you, my boy, it doesn't pay an old man to think. If he can remember without thinking he's all right, but when he gets to comparing the present with the past he's in a bad way, and he's sure to get downhearted."

"California?"

"Yes. Can't help it. I will be thinking of the days of '49, spite of all I can do. Here I am, getting on toward three score years and ten, and I've only got enough money to procure the necessities of life. And who is thankful for that? Who is grateful for roast beef and potatoes when he has an appetite for terrapin and champagne? And yet once I had more money than I could have spent during my whole life."

"How was that?"

"In 1851 I was prospecting in California, and struck it rich. My partner and I located a claim that had millions in it, apparently. We didn't have capital enough to work it, and so we went up to 'Frisco to find a purchaser. We found him too. His name was Moore, and he was a well known character on the coast. He had made a couple of millions working a mine he had bought for $500. Well, we convinced him we had a good thing, and he gave us $200,000 in gold coin for it. I was afraid to deposit my share anywhere, so I loaded it in flour bags on a cart and drove down to San Jose. In the hills back of the town was a cave I had discovered a year before. It was so situated that it couldn't be discovered except by accident.

"I buried the money in a corner of the cave and went gleefully back to San Jose. As soon as I got into town a party of Mexican bandits captured me and informed me that if I didn't conduct them to my buried treasure I was a dead man. Life was sweet to me at that time, and I didn't hesitate. They dug up my $100,000, gave me $200 to keep me from want and rode off to the southward. I never saw any of them again for ten years, when I met one of the band in Los Angeles. We had a friendly conversation, in the course of which I asked him how he and his companions knew that I possessed the treasure.

"'You couldn't have seen me carry it to the cave,' I said, 'for if you had there would have been no need of taking me prisoner.'

"'No,' he replied, 'it was your hands.'

"'My hands?'

"'Yes. I was in a saloon where you were taking a drink, and I saw your hands were tarnished.'"—Chicago Post.

Women Lobbyists.

Women lobbyists? They are few and far between. The imaginative observer about the Capitol will tell you that ex-Speaker Reed moved the ladies' reception room from its old quarters next the ways and means committee to a corner of statuary hall, because in the former place—a dark corridor inclosed for the purpose—the female lobbyists were so thick and bold as to bring scandal upon congress. But this is not true. Women of all sorts congregated in the old room, as they do now when congress is in session, in statuary hall, it is true, but they are not lobbyists.

They are women of all sorts—innocent young girls, mature matrons, coquettes, designing dowagers, congressmen's wives, daughters, friends, sweethearts. A majority of them are poor creatures with claims on other poor creatures, looking for congressional help in their search for government situations. Probably there are not more than two or three professional women lobbyists in town. The woman as a lobbyist is a failure in Washington in this day and generation.—Washington Cor. Augusta Chronicle.

Origin of the Clearing House.

A correspondent asks: "When and where did she 'clearing house' originate?"

In 1775 the bankers of London rented a house in Lombard street and fitted it with tables and desks for the use of their clerks, as a place where bills, notes, drafts and other commercial paper might be exchanged without the trouble of personal visits of employes to all the metropolitan banks. Transfer tickets were used, and by means of this simple plan transactions involving many millions were settled without a penny changing hands. The Bank of England and every other important bank in London are members of the Clearing House association. The first clearing house in the United States was established by the associated banks of New York in 1853.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

The Treatment of Dandruff.

Dr. Edward Clarke states that he has had good results in persistent dandruff from the following treatment: The scalp should first be thoroughly washed with soap and hot water, and then thoroughly dried with a warm and soft cloth. There should then be rubbed into the scalp a glycerine of tannin, of the strength of ten to thirty grains to the ounce. Very obstinate cases will require the higher strength of tannin. This process should be repeated twice a week at first, once a week afterward. If tannin fails, as it will in some cases, then resort is had to resorcin. After the formation of dandruff has ceased the head should be rubbed daily with olive oil, containing to the ounce ten grains of carbolic acid and a dram of oil of cinnamon.—Lancet.

A Circus Hand.

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Jerry—It does?

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