From the Sentinel, Cherokee, Kansas. Mrs. A. J. Ausmeus has resided in the vicinity of Cherokee, Kansas, for a number of years and is much esteemed by a wide circle of friends who will rejoice to learn that after many years of suffering she has finally been restored to health. Wishing to learn the particulars of Mrs. Ausmeus' won-derful cure, a reporter called at her resi-dence and asked for an interview. Mrs. Ausmeus talked freely of her case and made no objections to stating the facts for publi-cation. She said:

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"I have been sorely afflicted with stomach trouble for upward of fifteen years. The suffering I endured during that time is beyond description. I was taken with a dull pain in the back which never left me. I had to be very careful in my diet as my stomach would stand only certain kinds of food. For fifteen years I could not eat fruit of any kind. I was treated by a number of of any kind. I was treated by a number of the best physicians in the county without receiving any permanent benefit. Last fall while looking over an Illinois newspaper my attention was attracted to an account my attention was attracted to an account of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I was so impressed with the statement of a cure these pills had effected that I made up my mind to give them a trial. I accordingly purchased a box and began their use, and they helped me from the first. When I had taken three boxes my health was fully restored and there has been no return of the stored and there has been no return of the

disease or any of its symptoms.
"The pain in my back has left me entirely I can eat fruit or anything else I I feel better than I have for fifteen years. I can cheerfully recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, for they accomplished what a number of physicians failed to do." Mrs. J. F. Morrison, wife of Mr. Fred Morrison, the ice dealer, of Cherokee, Kan-

sas, when questioned by a reporter as to the cause of her restoration to health, said: the cause of her restoration to health, said:

"For more than three years I was a sufferer from stomach trouble. I had no appetite for anything and became so weak and emaciated that I could not attend to my household duties. I was treated by the ablest physicians in Cherokee, but received little or no benefit. A neighbor seeing that the doctors had failed to do me any good advised me to try Pink Pills. You know that when you are sick all of your friends know of some sure cure remedy which they insist upon you taking. I had little faith in any medicine, but I finally consented to give the pills a trial. So I sent to Boyer & give the pills a trial. So I sent to Boyer & Graves' drug store and got a box of the Pink Pills and began to take them. I took two boxes without feeling much improve-ment and was about to discontinue their ment and was about to discontinue their use when Fred urged me to try another box. I did so and before half of the third box was taken I felt so much better that I became greatly encouraged and kept on taking the pills according to directions. When I got the fourth box of Pink Pills my health was completely restored, and I feel better today and weigh more than I have for a number of years. I keep a box of Pink Pills in the house and would not be without them. The trouble with most people who them. The trouble with most people who use Pink Pills without receiving any benefit is because they do not give them a fair test, but abandon them because they do not get immediate relief."

Mrs. Mary Jones, wife of Wm. Jones, the blacksmith, a resident of Cherokee, Kansas, for twenty years was a sufferer from a severe pain in the head and nervous prostra-tion. She noticed an advertisement of Pink Pills in the Cherokee Sentinel and con-cluded to give them a trial. The result was that one box of Pink Pills restored her to

complete health. Mrs. Jones is enthusiastic in her praise of Pink Pills.

Mrs. Meda Walker, of Cherokee, Kansas, has probably suffered more with neuralgia than any other woman of her age in the state. In an interview with a reporter she

Ever since I can remember I have been a great sufferer from neuralgia. About three years ago the disease seemed to grow worse. The pain in my head became almost unbearable. I had some decayed teeth extracted, thinking that perhaps they had ag-gravated the malday, but no relief resulted. I was treated by the best physicians, among them a faith cure doctor, but none of them could do anything for me except give temporary relief.

orary relief.

"About a year ago I saw an advertisement of Pink Pills in the Cherokee Sentinel, and thinking they might help me I sent for a box. As soon as I began taking them I commenced to improve, and when I had used two boxes all symptoms of neuralgia had left me. That was about ten months ago and I have not felt a touch of the maindy since. My cure was certainly due to Pink Pills alone, and I regard them as a blessing to mankind."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills contain, in a

condensed form, all the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves. They are also a specific for troubles peculiar to females, such as suppressions, irregularities and all forms of weakness. They build up the blood and restore the glow of health to pale and sallow cheeks. In men they effect a radical cure in all cases arising from mental worry, overwork or excesses of whatever nature. Pink Pills are sold in boxes (never in loose bulk) at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50, and may be had of all druggists, or direct by mail from Dr. Williams' Medicine Company. Schenectady, N. Y.

The Perverse Parent "How did you get along when you

told your father of our engage-ment?" asked the timid young man. Oh, dear!" she answered, "it was dreadful. I'm so ashamed of papa." ·Was he unfavorable?"

"That's no name for it. When I talked to him about our living on love in a cottage on \$7 a week, I couldn't make him listen to reason

On Time.

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A Sections Case.

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Electrical Witchcraft.

In 1745 Dr. Watson stretched a wire across the Thames and sent an electric shock through it from one observer to another. He was accused of witcheraft and had much reading as follows: trouble in praving his lanocence.

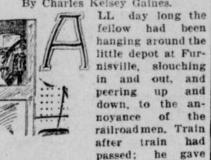
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THRO' A MOUNTAIN.

By Charles Kelsey Gaines.



each an uneasy stare and turned away. "Where's my special?" they heard him mutter.

At last the poor creature approached the ticket window.

"My special--" he began, nervously. "What's that? Aw! Get out. What

are you talking about?" His cadaverous shrunken face twitched with excitement. "You lie," he cried with sudden violence. "I've been called and I must go. . There's a special engine chartered for me. It's

overdue."

The ticket agent broke into a laughthe loud, coarse laugh of a rustic. It resounded through the little empty station, and attracted the attention of the baggage-master and two or three truckmen who were standing outside, waiting for the south-bound freight. It struck them all as a huge joke, nothing more; and they gathered in a circle about the poor, demented creature, guying him ruthlessly. The rural temperament is sympathetic only in certain cases, and this did not appeal to them. They regarded it as a sort of free circus, with the madman for a clown. Their victim was soon hounded to absolute frenzy, and raved inco-

"Beelzebub has called me," he yelled. "You are all liars. He has sent me a special engine and I must go to-night.' So they flung him out on the snow under the frosty starlight. "Hustle now," called the agent after him. "You have no business here. Clear out, or we'll run you in." He swung his lantern for emphasis.

"Beelzebub will keep his word," he panted hoarsely. "He always does. You are liars-liars." "Drunk or crazy, I don't know

which," commented the baggageman. "Both, maybe."

"Better keep an eye on him, Webb," replied the agent. "He's pretty bad and may hurt somebody if he has another fit.'

But just then the 9:30 freight rolled in, and Webb was busy for a time with the switches. The engineer and fireman left the train on the siding to wait for the north-bound express, and entered the depot. They listened with amusement to jokes about the mad crank, until mention was made of the 'special." Then a shade of apprehension passed over the engine driver's

rugged face. "Reckon I better had a look at ole No. 33," he exclaimed. "Won't do to take no chances with these funny fel-

He moved toward the door. At that moment the prolonged shriek of a loco-



WAVING HIS ARMS.

motive jarred and shuddered on the night air. He sprang out on the track with a wild yell. The cars were still motionless on the siding, looming in a dusky row broken by dark gaps of shadow; but with a heartshaking rumble, a fierce hissing of steam, and a rain of sparks, the heavy engine burched out on the main line, and plunged like a huge black demon down the grade.

The engineer stood between the rails with a face of clay. The fireman agent sprang to the telegraph. The rest stood limp and helpless.

We had just passed Red Rock Station. Everybody in the car was sleepy; most of us were through passengers, and we had been traveling for many hours. I had roused a little when a very pretty girl-I noticed that her hair and eyes were jet black-came on board at New Memphis, and asked if the place beside me was engaged; but soon relapsed into drowsiness. Neither made any attempt at conversa-

We were sitting near the front of the car. Fastened upon the end wall, directly before me, was a framed placard. posted there by the railroad company.

"Notice-In case of accident pull the handle of this valve up as far as it will

This valve must never be interfered with except in tases of danger, and any person meddling with it except in accordance with the above instructions is liable for misdemeanor.

'ISIDORE PAYNE, "General Superintendent." Close by was a metal lever of pecu-

liar shape, connected, doubtless, with a system of air brakes,

This placard somehow arrested my attention. I read it again and again, idly, without much heed to the meaning. I even caught myself reciting it aloud in a sing-song tone. As I dozed, it sometimes seemed to leave its position and hover in the air near my face. It was positively annoying. I shut my eyes to get rid of it, but saw it just as plainly.

I was still in this unpleasant, dreamy condition, when I felt a light touch on my arm. It thrilled me like an electrie shock. I sprang to my feet, and without knowing why, without any clear idea whatever, rushed forward and shoved up that lever.

The train came to a sudden stop with a grinding jar. The startled passengers leaped from their seats. A brakeman caught me by the collar, while the angry conductor pushed through the aisle toward me.

"What's the meaning of this?" he shouted. I stood dazed; I had not a word to

say. "Are you an idiot?" he continued, roughly. "What do you mean? Don't you know that it's a criminal offense to stop a train in that way, you young jack-a-napes?"

Still I was dumb. I felt like a drunken man, who unexpectedly finds himself in the grip of justice charged with a motiveless murder, remembering the act but wholly unable to comprehend it. Then something happened; again I felt the light touch on my shoulder.

As that soft touch thrilled me, the front of the car, the car before it, the whole train, seemed to melt into mist. I saw them in a shadowy outline, but they did not impede my view. Beyond, stretching on through the starlit snowfields, lay the dark line of the track, which, at the distance of about two miles, swung out of sight behind a rocky hill. Out of sight, but not out of my sight; for as I gazed the hill also seemed to resolve itself into haze, and I looked right through it. And there, swiftly rounding the curve-"An engine is coming!" I shouted. "It is running wild. In half a minute it will

be in sight!" "You're drunk," cried the brakeman, 'or crazy," and he shook me. The girl's hand slid from my shoulder; the vision vanished.

But she caught the conductor's arm. "The man is right," she cried.
'Don't you see? Be quick."

The conductor started as if stung and his face whitened.

"My God," he ejaculated. In another instant he was standing in the snow by the track straining his eyes up the line, and we were beside him. The conductor ran toward the en-

"Unshackle her, Hank," he shouted. "Pull your throttle full open, Dave, and let her drive."

Almost as he spoke the big locomotive gave a titanic gasp and heave of sudden effort; her mighty drivers un and slipped, then caught the rail and she started with a bound like a race horse pricked by the spur.

"Now jump-for yer life, Davequick."

Dave swung himself off without haste; a moment later he came toward us, shaking the loose snow out of his clothing.

'll do the trick right enough, but it's her last run." He gazed sorrowfully down the track, as if after a departing friend. "She'll be makin' nigh sixty an hour afore they git together," he added, reflectively. "She's about a minute an' a half left, and she's a thurerbred." The passengers were now streaming

out of the cars and thronging around us. We ran a little way out into the field for a clearer view. The approaching engine was now plainly visible, lighted by a trailing pennant of fire as it thundered on to meet its foe, lurching and plunging in its headlong charge until it almost leaped from the rails.

"Merciful heavens!" cried the girl beside me. "There's a man in the

"Then he's a gone goose, lady," commented the engineer.

It was even so. The doomed wretch leaned far out from the cab, waving his arms in frenzy, uttering a shrick of exultation so keen and vibrant that it cleft its way to our ears through all the distance and the uproar that lay between.

"Stark mad," growled Dave, "and started to run, but stopped short. The the best machine on the line gone to eternal smash to head him off. She wen't be with her weight in scrap

And while he spoke the contending engines, now speeding to the onset like black armored knights, hurtled together with all the terrific momentum of their tons of rushing steel. There was a thunderous crash as of a distant avalanche, a hoarse roar of escaping steam-and in an instant a billowy cloud, that rose and spread until it seemed a mountain of gray vapor, enveloped all.

"She's done for," murmured the en-

"And "he man " cried the girl. The madman had kept his appoint-

And the girl-the black-eyed,ravonhaired girt who exerted so strange an influence over men on that memorable night? What became of her?

My wife bends over me, and again 1 feel that thrilling touch upon my shoulder. "I don't seem to exert any influence at all over you now," she protests. "You haven't so much as spoken to me for a whole hour."-Pittsburg Dispatch.

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"Thank you, colonel," said the tramp, "I reckon you knows how a fellow feels who has no education. and has to dead-beat his way through the world."-Texas Siftings.

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Resources of Genius

The plantation melodist of the "Uncle Tom's Cabin" combination rushed into the little room where the manager was acting in the double character of property man and sheet-"It's ole Thirty-three, an' she's iron thunder purveyor. His voice a-comin'," he remarked. "Ninety-nine trembled and his face looked almost pale through its burnt cork.

"Mr. Oleman," he said, "one of the Topsys is sick and can't go on." "Tell Miss Pingle," exclaimed the manager in a ringing voice and without a moment's hesitation, "to black

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A certain Mr. Davies, who began life as a sawyer and carpenter, and whose honesty and industry carried him on to wealth as a railway contractor, sunk all his money in boring for coal, no coal being found. Then he called large meeting of his miners, and told them that he had spent the carnings of his life in the speculation and would have to abandon it. Holding up a half-crown, he declared that that was all he had left of forty thousand pounds, which he had sunk in the mine. A fellow called out: "And we'll have that, too." "And so you shall!" cried Davies, and threw the coin among them. This bit of desperation so delighted the men that they straightway determined to go to work again, wages or no wages. In a few days they found excellent coal, and plenty of it, and Davies was again a rich man .- Argonaut.

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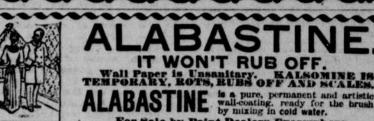
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