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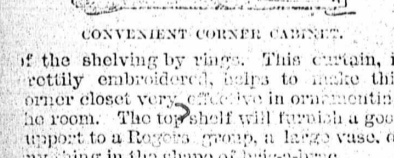
A Word of Advice to Young Ladies About Their Correspondence.

A habit very common with a number of our thoughtless young ladies, who do a great many things...

These young letter-writers, however, generally get a fit reward for their thoughtlessness or their culpability in the end.

And when the writer has recovered from her folly, or forgotten about her ill-omened letter, in all probability still extant...

A Corner Cabinet. The cabinet represented in our illustration needs but little explanation.



CONVENIENT CORNER CABINET.

if the shelving by rings. This cabinet, if neatly embroidered, suits to make this corner closet very attractive in ornamenting the room.

He Was Not An Agent. "Get out of my house instantly or I shall be compelled to eject you," said the proprietor to a man he found prowling about the premises.

He Wanted the Jury Woke Up. Lawyer—If the court please I would like to have the jury woke up again.

ALL truly wise thoughts have been thought already thousands of times; but to make them truly ours, we must think them over again honestly till they take root in our personal experience.



CAUGHT BY THE TIDE.

A Story for Children in Words of One Syllable.

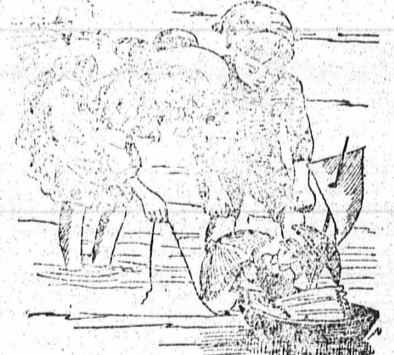


GUY AND KATE. Trist went out on the beach with their young maid, Jane.

Jack, and Guy had his boat; he did not care at all for dolls, but he thought it would be good fun to give them a sail.

Down she threw her book and her work, and ran the way she last saw them go.

Now I must go back and tell you what Guy and Kate had done.



small boat sail well; they went at the back of it and did not think how far it led them on.

When they found the waves came up to their knees they came more in to shore, but he waves came too, till they found the sea was right up to the edge of the cliffs, and they could not get out of its way.

"Oh, Kate, what shall we do?" said Guy. "And now the clouds are so black I think we shall have a storm, and that will make the waves rough!"

The tears came to his large blue eyes; Kate gave him a kiss and put her arms round his neck, whilst she said: "Don't let us cry; for that will only make the waves rougher."

He took them first to his own house, and made his wife dry their things and give them some food; then he took them back to their own home.

When Mr. and Mrs. Trist heard what Guy and Kate had gone through, they were, at first, too glad to know they were safe to think much of Jane; she would of course come back by-and-by.

But night came on, and still she did not come. Some one found her work and her book on the beach, and this made Mrs. Trist fear she must have come to some harm.

Then strange to say Jack came Jane herself, and told how when she found Guy and Kate were lost she did not like to come home, and now she made up her mind to run off; and then how she had gone up from the beach, and on and on for miles, till she came to a house where she got some food and rest; but that there, on the next day, she had been ill, and got so much worse that it was thought she would die.

James Watt. The Inventor of the Steam Engine—His Boyhood Days—Always Studious and Industrious.

In a small cottage at Greenock, near Glasgow, in Scotland, there was living, about a century and a half ago, a very bright but delicate boy.

"See what he is doing," was the father's reply, "before you say he is wasting his time."

The neighbor looked down at James, who was seated on the hearth. He was not amusing himself with playthings, but was very busy drawing triangles and curves and other mathematical lines.

Not far away from his own home lived an aunt of James, with whom he often staid. One day the aunt found him in the kitchen studying her tea-kettle.

When he was fifteen years old young Watt was known in his neighborhood as a prodigy of learning for his age.

But the triumph of his life, bringing with it world-wide renown and ample wealth, came at last. Just a hundred years ago Watt set up his first complete steam-engine in London.

James Watt lived to a happy and prosperous old age, crowned with honors and revered by all his countrymen.

"A good rule is, when you see limb interfering with another, out with it, whatever the time of year. When the sap is in full flow wounds will heal over quickest."

A Pennsylvania farmer last year sold over six thousand dollars' worth of potatoes from twelve acres.

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Gone where the Woodbine Twineth. Rats are smart; but "ROUGH ON RATS" beats them.

HEN LICE.

"Rough on Lice" is a complete preventive and destroyer of Hen Lice.

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For Potato Bugs, Insects on Vines, Shrubs, Trees, 1 pound or half the contents of a \$1.00 box of "Rough on Eggs" Agricultural Size.

Winter Shelter for Sheep. We ought to have good shelter provided by the time winter comes, if we can provide such shelter.

An amusing contemporary informs its readers that a man at the East End calls himself, on his card, "Temperance Bootmaker."

Professor Bascomb—it is exercised that we need. We are too effeminate as a people. We ride when we ought to walk.

THIS PAPER...

TO ADVERTISE and meet with success requires a knowledge of the value of newspapers and a correctly displayed ad.

SALESMEN WANTED.

We are in want of a few more good men to canvass for the sale of choice varieties of fancy stock.

THE BUILDERS' PORTFOLIOS.

The people who create build should inquire into the work of the builders and they find one of the best BUILDERS' PORTFOLIOS.

At the meeting of the republican county central committee held at the court house Saturday afternoon a number of vacancies caused by removal from the city, etc., were filled.

The committee as it now stands is composed of the following members: At large—George W. Crane.

First ward—H. C. Safford, W. E. Brubaker, M. R. Mitchell.

Second ward—A. W. Fowkes, Joseph Heslop, Fred. Stonestreet, H. C. Lindsey, John Carter.

Third ward—J. N. Strickler, David Woodall, L. J. Webb, A. B. McCabe.

Fourth ward—L. T. Gage, J. O. Collins, George W. Smith, W. I. Jamison, John S. Price.

Fifth ward—E. B. Lull, E. B. Chesney. Topeka township—F. R. Foster, W. S. Curry, G. E. Flanders.

Tecumseh township—H. D. Rice. Monmouth township—Phillip Lux, A. A. Disney.

Auburn township—Peter Fleck. Williamsport township—Snyder Tice. Dover township—Carl Snyder, L. L. Martin.

Mission township—Thomas Buckman. Rossville township—E. T. James. Silver Lake township—J. E. Guild. Menoken township—G. W. Ward. Soldier township—M. W. Overton, C. P. Bolnar, T. C. Wilkerson.

Embry Royster and John Roy are charged by Sol. Wallace with pounding him over the head, at a colored dance in Tennesseetown. A warrant for their arrest has been issued from Justice Chesney's court.

The first session of the M. E. camp-meeting at Gardeld park, was held Tuesday evening at 8:00. Rev. C. H. St. John gave an expository address on the 51st Psalm, and was followed by Mrs. St. John in a few eloquent remarks.