A MODERN CINDERELLA.

There is a Western Matrimonial Story a Pretty Article Has Adjusted.

In your poetry Annie O'Donnellan a modern Cinderella. A good many people are inclined to believe that she is the most unfortunate [illegible] who ever sought to repair [illegible] and [illegible] Mrs. O'Donnellan, she [illegible] the possession of love. The mystery of the case was caused by the contradictory evidence of the mother. For [illegible] Annie to wed, the idea that she was not [illegible] and that she [illegible] Mrs. Pepper of Richland, but when [illegible] the Pepper home [illegible] [illegible] all her own [illegible].

They have [illegible] the possibility of the child coming into a great [illegible] and [illegible] seem that there was some [illegible] for this [illegible] for [illegible] to [illegible] to get rid of her or their wards in [illegible] and [illegible] about her belonging to a good English family [illegible].

At all events, the [illegible] Mrs. O'Donnellan, who is a [illegible] woman, [illegible] the child [illegible] and [illegible] for her. It was [illegible] that the [illegible] paid to her [illegible] [illegible] employment. Some [illegible] to [illegible] her little earnings to [illegible] and she was left to a [illegible] [illegible] early [illegible] and [illegible] [illegible].

Mrs. Pepper [illegible] that she had [illegible] Annie for a [illegible] and an [illegible] office, [illegible] Mr. O'Donnellan [illegible] the girl was ill [illegible] [illegible] "Annie is [illegible] and has to be a hospital."

Mrs. Pepper thought the child [illegible] [illegible], but her father [illegible] [illegible] away from her, and Annie was on the street and [illegible] the evening and [illegible] the last [illegible] [illegible] go back.

The mystery about her case has [illegible] great interest, and inquiries will be made to ascertain if the [illegible] [illegible] in England.—New Brunswick Herald.

FRIGHTENED TO DEATH.

Terrible Death of a Young Girl Caused by a Boy on the Little Blue River.

A pall hangs over the home of John Powell, who resides by the little hamlet of Pleasant Plain, N. J., about 12 miles from this city, by reason of the suddenly death of Mary Powell, the bright 12-year-old daughter. The death was the result of a practical joke played by her brother, which could not end in any other manner than a fatality.

The children were playing about the house in the evening when Mary had brought herself a new doll dressed and laid in the coffin. The idea of a quiet and timid disposition and did not enjoy a trip to the museum of Hoodlum. Finally succeeded by her brother, who was one of Annie's very her brother appeared, and the thought occurred to him that now was an opportunity to give Mary a fright. He stealthily slipped off the chairs and quietly closed the outer door so Mary could not get in. When the girl realized that she was alone in the dark, she screamed in terror. To increase her fright, the boy gave vent to a series of sounds that made the little girl nearly frantic.

The boy listened to his sister's cries until her screams grew fainter and finally ceased entirely, when he became alarmed.

His alarm increased when he called the girl by name and received no reply, and he was terrified when he opened the door and found his sister lying on the floor.

Receiving no reply to his questions, he rushed in search of his mother, who was horrified to find her daughter was dead. A physician was summoned, who gave it as his opinion that the little girl's death was the result of a spasm produced by fright. The boy, who was the cause of his sister's death, lies in bed, tossing about and moaning, and refuses to be comforted.—New Brunswick Special.

Gives His Home to the Poor.

A dispatch from Waverly, Ia., says: To the indigent people of Bremer county the proposal of a journey from the hills to the "poorhouse" will henceforth be robbed of many of its terrors, for, through the generosity of Mr. Abraham Allmaier, those who are so unfortunate as to become public charges will dwell in marble halls. Mr. Allmaier today dropped into the county auditor's office while the board of supervisors was in session and pleasantly surprised that body by presenting it with a deed of his palatial residence that overlooks the city from the west, and which, with the beautiful park surrounding it, is valued at $20,000. The sole condition of the transfer is that the county should be well contented as a home for poor people, and the donor takes it upon himself to see to the comfort of the unfortunate [illegible] in his castle.

"Log Rolling" Legally Defined.

The supreme bench yesterday [illegible] "rolling a log" was defined by the Illinois court [illegible] Lewis W. Vandeventer [illegible] letter written by the latter was produced, in which she told her husband it be needed his "log rolled" she would do it. The question was raised as to the meaning of "rolling a log." Judge Zeisler [illegible] for the defense, said it was a slang term, meaning to get money in an easy manner without actual exertion. The court sustained the definition of "log rolling."—Bloomington (Ill.) Bulletin.

Forgot His Trousers.

A man 70 years old, or thereabout, in his work in Lewiston had occasion to go to Portland and to report himself as a witness before the deposition, in behalf of his employer. This is the unvarnished story. Now Mr. Miller is a Methodist, who believes in preaching in the world for good people, and when anyone says he was seen to go to be seen [illegible] by the judge of the supreme court.—Lewiston Journal.

Bad Luck Pursued.

Miss Sarah Bernhardt's theatre in Paris was burned down. It is now said that recently Bernhardt has repeatedly sent to be sold to a certain [illegible] without getting the expected money, amounting to about 7 francs. This [illegible] [illegible] 7 francs. The [illegible] [illegible] that any possible [illegible] [illegible] the supernatural. [illegible] the theatre at [illegible] by [illegible] school. The charge [illegible] [illegible] The [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]