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BREVITIES.

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Gen. Grant gets about 1,000 letters a day now.

Laporte, the French glove maker. employs 12,000 hands, in all helio're

An English and Chinese dictionary is publishing in London. I A I C.

The mate of a Red River steamer caused a mutiny recently by calling his ditt hands Congressmen.

"I hate to hear people talk behind one's back," as the thief said when the policeman cried "stop thief." "Too many cooks spoil the broth."

Alas! far too many do so, and the whole What is the difference between a J.B. Kimbell.
hungry man and a glutton? One longs

to eat, and the other eats too long. "His pill-grimage is over," as the druggist's widow said when she ordered

Those nervous folks who are annoyed by everything that approaches them annoy everybody they approach.

an epitaph for his tombstone.

A drunkard upon hearing that the earth was round, said he thought that

THE DAME COUNTY It is said that the reason why the Russian Government is so slow about. building telegraphs is that it is averse to "elevating the Poles."

A schoolmistress has been arrested in Brooklyn, for beating a little girl, aged eight, so severely that she died in convulsions a few hours afterward.

A good instance of absence of mind was that of an editor quoting from a rival paper one of his own articles, and heading it "Wretched attempt at DRY GO:009, QROCERIES,

The manufacture of wooden-soled diti Provisions and Contra boots and shoes is one of the latest Boston novelties. It is claimed that they will last much longer, are imper- FAMILY GROCER as much as leather.

"Immodest words admit of no defense. WEST SIDE OF EAST TEMPLE STREET. A lack of modesty is a want of sense." 'Avoid vulgarity, profanity despise, To swear is neither brave, polite nor wise."

A submarine diver, employed on the Seine, went down when drunk, and, not making the expected signals, another was sent down after him, who Lake City. found him calmly sleeping on the bed of the river.

A girl, presenting herself at a house where "no Irish need apply," in answer to the question where she came from, said: "Shure couldn't you persave to the question where she came from the question where the question where the question where she came from the question where the question w by me accint that it's Frinch I am?"

A coxcomb, talking of the transmigra-tion of souls, said: "In Moses' time, I have no doubt I was the golden calf." "Very likely," replied a lady; "time has robbed you of nothing but the gilding."

Crockford, on retiring from the man-agement of the club in St. James street, London, where gambling was carried on openly for many years, and large sums lost nightly, gave a farewell dinner to his patrons, at which he took the opportunity of expatiating on the good use he had made of the wealth which he had accumulated at their expense. He told them that he considered it as a trust. "Often had he fed the hungry" (his suppers, free to the habitues, were unexceptionable); "many were the naked whom he had clothed;" then he paused for an instant, and Lord Alvanley finished the sentence for him, "And the rich he had sent empty away.

A foreign letter says: "There is a spice of humor in the satisfaction which the Russian Government has lately given an aggrieved Prussian. The book-keep- SURGEON AND PHYSICIAN, er of a mercantile house in Thorn was arrested last July in the Russian town of Rieszawa, by the burgomaster of that place, on a perfectly unfounded charge of an intention to smuggle. Although twenty-four hours. His principal, of course, complained of this most unjustifiable treatment, and has lately received an official communication that the hourse. the book-keeper succeeded in establish- PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON gomaster has also been imprisoned prison in which he had shut up the unhappy book-keeper.

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"Twenty,or at most, thirty minutes," replied the doctor, pausing: "but why do you ask?"

'Oh, because last night I saw a man hanging for two mortal hours, and he "You did," exclaimed the doctor; "I haven't heard a word of this yet. Where

did he hang?"

mous expression, and passed on.

"He was hanging around an ale-shop on Pearl-street," replied the wag. The doctor gave utterance to some-thing that sounded very like a blasphe-

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