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A Young Merchant's Idea.

Some years ago a young man, now a prosperous wholesale merchant on Front street, started in business. He had plenty of money, and laid in a stock of goods as fine as any of his neighbors. While trade poured into their places, it seemed to fight shy of him. Dust lay upon the doorsteps and clerks stood about idle.

After a month of business depression, the young man got an idea. He hired a number of drays, loaded them up at the front, and put his clerks to work getting goods down from the shelves, which were packed in cases and loaded into the vehicles. Other drays drove up and discharged their contents, which were carried inside. The same goods were being handled over time and time again, but there was an air of business about all this, and after a few days customers began to come. Then the drays carried only goods which were sold. The merchant prospered, and it is a leader in the city at the present time.—Philadelphia, North America.

Give Black a Fair.

A physician recently advised a woman who had been wearing black for a number of years, and who was not in good health, to dress in lighter colors. He illustrated his meaning by telling her to cover two plants, one with black, and the other with light colored cloth, and after a while to observe the difference in their appearance. The plant covered with the black cloth would be pale and stony, while the other was flourishing in green. There has been a prevailing idea that for a street dress outline is as good taste as black. Undoubtedly the more quiet and unobtrusive a street costume is the better it suits the refined taste, but there are quiet, pretty shades of brown, tan and gray and other shades of blue than the darkest, which, in summer particularly, make a better walking or street dress than dark colors, as the dust does not show so quickly on them, also these colors not only look cooler, but one really feels cooler in them.

Honolulu Schools.

Honolulu has good schools and churches, a college, a public library, street cars, electric lights, good markets and commercial houses, a well-managed telephonic system, a railroad, daily

newspapers, beautiful sea-bathing and a beautiful climate, as well as its refined and agreeable society. It has also a fine harbor, chiefly formed by the coral reef which surrounds most of the western side of Honolulu, on whose southern side Honolulu is situated. The northwestern coast of Oahu is fringed by a range of steep mountains. These "catch the moisture" and send down their streams to water the fertile plain which makes the larger part of the island a garden where all the fruits and plants of semi-tropical climes can easily be made to grow.—From "A Glimpse of the Hawaiian Islands," by Alice Walbridge Galick, in the May number of the Review of Reviews.

About eleven months ago an Italian was sentenced to one year's imprisonment in the Nevada state penitentiary for a burglary. He was an exemplary prisoner and his good behavior earned him one month's commutation. The warden was to spend the other five months of the Italian's term in the penitentiary, but he would be discharged; but life within the prison walls was preferable to being turned adrift in a cold world. The warden told him he would have to go. Then the prisoner adopted new tactics. He raised the point that he did not have to accept the month's rebate on his sentence unless he pleased so. He did not desire to accept it, and therefore would not be put out until the expiration of the full twelve months. This raised an entirely new question, and the deputy warden was dispatched to lay the case before the governor. The governor instructed the warden to allow the Italian to remain until he could get a discharge from the attorney general.

Editor Moore, of Lexington, Ky., who is in jail, proposes to continue the publication of his journal from his prison. There are advantages about this system. The editor will always be "in". He will not be bothered by creditors, and he cannot be assaulted by indignant individuals who conceive themselves to be slandered. Being already in jail, he cannot successfully be threatened with imprisonment for libel. He will have no objection to pay and he will not be disturbed by callers who want to "get down over the exchange." Altogether Mr. Moore should be comparatively happy, and he



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ought to turn out good work. John Bunyan made a hit with the "Pilgrim's Progress," written in jail, and a Kentucky editor has numerous advantages over an English cobbler.

Out in Trigg County, Ky., where everybody loves a good horse, there is a strong local feeling against the increasing importation of ponies and brones from the far West. These little creatures are esteemed by Kentuckians degenerate stock, bred, indeed, by accident of birth and by hard conditions to a certain remarkable endurance, and a capacity to go long without food and water, but nevertheless not specially fitted for the needs of Kentucky, and especially undesirable in a region where horse-breeding is a high science.

The radical is an important—indeed, a necessary—factor in national advancement. The name representing doers of deeds both great and good, which are emblematic upon the banner of progress, belong not to men of the conservative class. The reformer is the true civilizer, and with a few exceptions, the reformer is a radical. It is the radical who requires that men shall do their own thinking, and that the world shall be controlled by its citizens.—The Tourney.

Mrs. Dawnrosey of Brooklyn, hired three young men at \$1 each to trash her recumbent spouse. In addition to performing the service they took the liberty to relieve Mr. Dawnrosey of \$40 in change, and now the wife is prosecuting them for highway robbery.

One of the meanest things a man can be guilty of is, that after a merchant or publisher has carried him on his books for a long time and befriended him in various ways, is to go and spend his money where he has any with some one else.—E. X.

At the time of the great strike at Homestead in 1892, the Democrats were open-eyed and open-mouthed. It is strange they have lost all sympathy with people who have been starved into illness by Democratic acts in 1894.

Some people buy Fruit Trees of any agent that comes along, then kick themselves afterwards because the trees die. One great trouble is the trees are exposed to the sun and wind to long before the purchaser gets them, then not knowing just how to care for them they die after they are set out. Now if you want to overcome this difficulty and get satisfaction, patronize home trade and call on GREEN, WOOD & SON, Manistique, Mich.

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Struck by lightning. Last night a house occupied by McLean in Riverside was struck by lightning and set on fire.

Bicycle Meeting. The Manistiquette Bicycle Club will meet at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow.

The Little Troop. The above entitled company opened with a program in this city Saturday.

Miss Barry. A young woman from the city of Detroit is visiting in this city.

Cal. Lumberjack. Van's Harbor, Cal. Lumberjack, will be in the city for a few days.

The young man whose 30 days absence from home for the Sturgeon River drive, will all be back this week.

Last week, Sol Spindler had the misfortune to get his hand hurt by his wife working with the drilling machine.

In the army it was noticed that the smallest man carried the heaviest baggage.

One of the Eagle Hotel landladies and evidently disreputable thought "Knock and it shall be opened unto thee."

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The person who pulled the staple out of my stable door and carried away some carpenter's tools, inkstand and if some tools are returned at once no questions will be asked.

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