Jack's Jolly Joke.

- "Oh, I am a jolly old tar," he said, "And I've got my sea legs.on; And they call me Jack as they slap my back, Though I was christened John.
- " I walk with a lurch on the solid earth
- Though when I am on the sea. Not a single skip is made by the ship. That isn't as well by me. "Oh, yes! it's funny as such fun goes;
  But I don't laugh, 'Haw, haw!"
  As much as you old land lubbers do,
- That's right !-give me your paw. " And you want to know why I walk straight On the ship, and not on shore? It's because on the ship I'm o'er each trip,
- "And you want to know how I got my name!" And he gave his trouvers a hitch, "We don't go far for the name Jack Tar; It comes from the vessel's pitch
- And that was the gruff old sailor's joke, Which he made as he luffed aboard, And which steaded his jog and sweetened hi

grog When the wind through the rigging roared. -Earl Marble in Texas Siftings.

### Honest Old Toad.

Oh, a queer little chap is the honest old tead-A funsy old fellow is he, living under a stone by the side of the road, Neath the shade of the old willow tree. He is dressed all in brown from his toes to h

crown,
Save his vest, that is silvery white,
He takes a long map in the heat of the day
And walks in the cool, dewy night. "Reup, youp!" says the frog From his home in the bog, But the toad he says never a word. -The Presbyterian.

## THE GLADSTONE OF TO-DAY.

How the "Grand Old Man" Impress New Yorker.

A New Yorker thus describes his first glimpse of Gladstone: "On a raw aftermoon late in October I was standing on a the costers of the west of Ireland, moved street corner in the little village of Saltney, a suburb of Chester, with several hundred This or Lady That dilating on the woes of men, women and children, all of whom were looking up the long avenue that led to the city. The houses were decorated with bunting, and across the street hung a banner. " Welcome to Saltney." A shout suddenly went up from the crowd as a carriage with a single horse appeared at the end of the avenue.

" The top of the carriage was thrown tack, and in the back seat, alone, sat Gladstone, who had come to this place to perform the 'neighborly duty' of opening a free library for workingmen. his has in his hand, the venerable statesman was bowing and smiling to every one. The first thing that struck me was the keen, quick glance of his eye, which seemed to take in everything. As he stepped from the carriage I was surprised to see how erect he stood, with what vigor he walked to the committee rooms.

"When Mr. Gladstone rose to speak, his frame, which is almost massive, seemed to defy the inclemency of the place. When he commenced speaking he grasped the lapels of his coat in an awkward manner, and hegitated more than you would expect in such a veteran of parliamentary debate But as he grew more earnest, all appearance of awkwardness passed away, there him before." was no delay for choice of words, and the peculiar way of drawing back the corners of his mouth just before beginning to speak, as if he were trying to get a purchase upon the sentence he was commencing. Whenever he made a humorous point the smile would linger on his face but for a moment. He spoke with intense, almost fierce character, and his mistrees put great reliduring the hour and a half that he talked there was no sign of breaking in his voice, which was remarkably clear for a man of I suppose?" his age."

# Hints as to Advertising.

If you have goods to sell advertise the fact. If any advertising canvasser wants of him. He was a tall, rather handsome to advertise your business in a fancy frame man, with, in spite of a threadbare coat at a depot pay him 200 per cent. more than and an appearance of poverty, a certain it is worth, and let him put it there. When air of distinction about him. His mana man has three quarters of a second in ners, too, were refined and high-bred. The which to catch a train, he invariably stops to read denot advertisements, and your card the room was so dignified, and at the same might take his eye. Patronize every can- time so pathetic, that the good lady's heart vasser that shows you an advertising tablet, quite melted toward him. She saw at once card, directory, dictionary or even an advertising Bible, if one is offered. But don't think of advertising in a well-established, ing lived for years on other people's labor, legitimate newspaper. Your advertisement would find its way into all the thrifty to live by his own. households of the region where the farmer. the mechanic, the tradesman and others live, and into the homes of the wealthy and zefined—all of whom need articles and have the money with which to buy them; and in the quiet of the evening, after the news to call on you. I assure you that nothing of the day had been digested, it would be but your reputation for kindness to the read and pondered upon, and the next day people would come down to your store and pasronize you, and keep coming in increasing numbers, and you might have to hire must expect, Mrs. Truccle, occasionally to an extra clerk or two, move into a larger block and more favorable location and do a ling to you for assistance. big business; but, of course, it would be more expensive. - New Haven Register.

# Don't Nag a Child.

Don's neg. A sound reproof will do far more good than a continual nagging for hours. I have heard children say: "I'd rather take a good sound whipping than a scolding, because it is sooner over.

There are hosts of honorable advertisers, the number of which is daily increasing, who would no more think of misrepresenting in their advertisement than they would in their own office or salesroom. It pays consumers to read the announcements of responsible and honorable firms for the sake of the business information they gain.

-To reach the people and to hold before them your name and business in honest advertisement pays. Promises not kept, or, to speak more plainly, dishonest advertisements, not only injure the advertiser's business, but also the paper that contains

The death took place, on the 14th inst., of Dr. Potts, headmaster of Fettes College, Edinburgh, who recently underwent an n, from the effects of which he d to recover

Monday for health, Tuesday for wealth. Wednesday the best day of all. Thursday for crosses, Friday for losses, attribuy no day at all.

es a great deal of trouble.

A stove pipe out at the elbows often

Assisted a Broken-Down Landlord.

A FASHIONABLE PHILANTHROPIST.

Mrs. Jane Maria Truccle was a most charitable lady. Out of the very considerable wealth which the late lamented Sam Truccle had left her she contrived to spare a good deal for what she considered deserving objects. Unfortunately, however, the you like?" direction of her charity was largely influ-enced by feelings other than those of pure me," said Mr. Burke in a broken voice, benevolence, and consequently, what she considered deserving objects were often Madame, I was brought up a gentleman hardly those that excited the sympathy of and so know none of the vulgar ways of the unbiased philanthropist.

liberal subscriber to every anti-Liberal | direction? undertaking, a bitter despiser of all parties 'low," and a profound and ecstatic adpurlieus of which she was delighted to

Her political ideas acted on her charitable feelings in this way. They made her very careless about the sorrows and miseries of the real poor, and very attentive to every cry of distress raised by the unhappy wealthy classes. Reports of destitution in the east of London, or of famine among her very listle; but when she heard Lord or of the rack renters and extortionists of ready to subscribe any amount to assist them in their cause.

meeting for the season of one of these ened experience of the world of rogues who committees—one for the protection of were very clever at passing themselves off Irish land owners and Mrs. Truccie was as gentlemen, and, in spite of her own and seased at her breakfast reading the annual report. In it her name was several times mentioned-and mentioned, too, in connection with those of two duchesses, one marchioness, three countesses and various other ladies of lesser title. As the widow read she could not help feeting, with a ences of character; it seemed like throwing benevolent glow on her face, that, after all, doubt on his truthfulness and honor. Still virtue is its own reward.

She had just finished the report, and was sitting reflecting how she could further in a hesitating way : show her devotion to so deserving a cause, when her meditations were uninterrupted by the advent of the butler. He brought full stop. her a gentleman's card. Astonished at such a very early visit, Mrs. Truccle hastily she meant, and came to her relief. took the card, and, putting on her specta-

cles, read the name on it.
"Mr. Eustace Burke," she said. "Who is this person, Soker? I never heard of

sudience listened spell-bound. He had a "He says he wants to see you en very have letters with me that will satisfy you He reported that a lady, dressed in great important business. "Indeed," said Mrs. Truccle. That's

very strange. What does he look like ?" "Oh, very genteel, ma'am. Looks like gentleman a little hit down in the world." The amiable Soker was a shrewd judge of

strangers and acquaintances. " Well, I'll see him. He s in the library,

"Yes, ma'am." When Mrs. Truccle entered the library

she found that Mr. Eustace Burke answered very well to her butler's description bow he gave Mrs. Truccle as she entered that he was just the sort of person she always pitied -the person who, after havis now reduced to the sad necessity of trying After a formal greeting, the stranger

spoke. "I trust, Mrs. Truccle," he said, " that you will forgive the liberty that I, a com-

plete stranger to you, have taken in daring unfortunate is to blame. If you will be benevolent and generous to those who have had disasters in the world's struggle, you have a miserable being like myself appeal-

Mr. Eustace Burke said this in such a nice, flattering way that Mrs. Truccle's already good opinion of him was considerably enhanced.

"I am always ready, sir," she said, "to assist, as far as my means allow, persons deserving my sympathy."

"I know it, madam," replied Mr. Burke. but the assistance I want from you is not pecuniary assistance; I merely want your help to put me into a position where I can

earn my bread." "Indeed," said Mrs. Truccle, still more favorably impressed. "May I ask for a little information as to your antecedents round his wife—a most ladylike person,

and claims? Burke with a sigh, "although the subject and then the three of them settled the to me is a most painful one. I belong to terms on which Mr. Burke and his wife that meet unfortunate class of men, Irish were to become caretakers. A week or so landlords. I still nominally possess a con- later Mrs. Truccle, after sending all her siderable estate near Ballymulwacking, and superfluous jewels to her banker for safe I am cousin to Lord Grabmore of that keeping, left for Hastings, and the Burkes neighborhood, of whom, perhaps, you have

"Oh, yes," put in Mrs. Truccle quickly. I met him once at a Primrose League

meeting." "Ah," said Mr. Burke with satisfaction, then we are not quite such strangers after

tive were friends.

"At least acquaintances," said Mr. Burke. | world did not know of it. "But to resume, madam. Some years ago

of bread!" "Dreadful. dreadful!" exclaimed Mrs.

Truccie. "You may well say so, madam. We have neither bread to eat nor a roof to cover us. I tis in this fearful state that as a last resort have come to you to ask you to assist me to obtain a place where I can earn enough to keep body and soul together." And Mr. Burke, as he spoke, nearly sobbed with emotion.

"Mr. Burke, you may rely on me," cried Mrs. Truccie. "What sort of a place would

and yet it is what I should have expected earning a livelihood. The places I am The feelings which had most influence in capable of filling are only humble ones. I directing or misdirecting her charity were can think of one only. Many people of those she was pleased to entertain on poli- fashion-yourself probably among the numtics. To be sure, she knew nothing in the ber—will soon be leaving town. Caretakers world about politics. That, however, did will be wanted to look after the houses. Do not prevent-perhaps, indeed, it rather as- you think you could get any of the nobility sisted her, being a tremendous Tory. She or gentry of your acquaintance to accept was a Primrose dame of high degree, a the services of myself and wife in this

" Certainly, Mr. Burke, most certainly," and persons whom smart people consider said Mrs. Truccle. "As you guess, I'm "low," and a profound and eastatic adleaving town myself—for my house as mirer of that fashionable society about the Hastings and taking my servants with at all likely. But what can it be, I wonme. I usually get a policeman to live der? At any rate, I must go. Soker, here when I'm away, but I shall only be when is the next train to London? I want teb happy to have you and your wife in- to run up there for an hour or two."

> Mr. Eustage Burke overpowered the good over and over again that she had saved him and his poor wife from absolute star- Truccle arrived. But she was so eager to vation, and that he never could, should or know at once why she had been telegraphed last he rose to go.

It was only now that he was about to the money lenders and exploiters of Egypt, leave that it occurred to Mrs. Truccle that she was acting with hardly her usual pru-Ireland, she was quite overcome with sym. dence. In her charitable haste to help the pathy and sorrow for their troubles, and distinguished pauper she had quite forgotten to ask him for references to show that he was as distinguished as he said. It was the morning following the final She had heard a good deal in her lengthher butler's opinion to the contrary, Mr. Burke might not be the broken down aristocrat he seemed to be and said he was. Now, however, that she and he had, as it were, become acquainted, she felt rather embarrassed about asking him for refershe felt that it must be done. As, therefore, he moved toward the door, she said.

"But, Mr. Burke, perhaps you would be so kind-" And with this she came to a

"Oh, I understand, madam," he said, with a smile. "How stupid of ne, to be Mrs. Truccie. sure, not to have thought of it before! Of

He took a number of letters from his pocket, and, selecting two from among them handed them to Mrs. Tuccle. One was from Rev. Mr. Mortmain, vicar of Snobton, and Knight Almoner of the Primrose League. It ran as follows:

Curzon and Swaren Habitation, P. L., Snobton.

Rev. Mr. Mortmain, vicar of Snobton, and Knight Almoner of the Primrose League, is deeply grieved to learn how the perfidious policy of the murder league in Ireland has reduced Mr. Eustace Burke from afficence to poverty, and strongly recommends the case of this unfortunate scion of a noble house, ruined by the dishonesty and covetousness of the lower orders, to the benevolent consideration of the happier members of his own class.

The other was from the great Marquis of Gooseberry himself-or rather from his private Secretary. It ran as follows: SIR.—The Marquis of Gooseberry directs

me to return you the enclosed letter of recommendation, and to forward you a check for two guiness. Yours obediently,

"I can produce many others," said Mr. Burke, when Mrs. Truccle had finished reading these

"These are quite sufficient," replied Mrs. Truccle. "Where the Marquis of Goose berry sees good to assist, it does not become a humble person like myself to raise difficulties."

Mr. Eustace Burke bowed. " Now, madam," he said, "that you are satisfied with my bona fides, may I ask one elight concession from you?"

"Most certainly, Mr. Burke." "Madam," said Mr. Burke, with dignified humility, "I have fallen low, but my pride is still as high as ever. May I implore you, then, to spare it by keeping secret the fact that I am forced to earn s

livelihood in this menial way?" "Decidedly," replied Mrs. Truccle, with a generous air. "It is not my nature to trample on the fallen. No, Mr. Burke; I regres deeply that you are forced to earn your living, and I will not add to your humiliation by any act, or behavior, or word of mine.

The next day Mr. Eustace Burke brought Mrs. Truccle could not but confess to her-"Certainly, madam," answered Mr. self—and introduced her to Mrs. Truccle. were duly installed in charge of her town

Mrs. Truccie was happy and contented. She felt that she had really and truly done a good work. She had assisted a lady and gentleman who had been rich and were poor, who were well born and very smart. all. When I called at your door I little and who were nearly related to the neerknew that you and my distinguished rela- age. Only one thing detracted from her ive were friends."

satisfaction. That was her promise of among a number of women of queer charwell," said Mrs. Truccle, blushing a little secrecy. Mrs. Truccle was not one of those at the idea of being thought a friend of the who love to hide their light under a bushel. great Lord Grahmore. "Well, we're hardly When she did a good work she thought by the time she was brought into court the half its moral effect was lost if all the poor lady was so overcome that she could has to make the money first.

Still she kept her promise, difficult

my income from that estate was counted in though the task was. Once only did she her—that she and another person not in thousands; to-day I don't receive from it a in the slightest degree infringe it, and custody, by falsely representing thempenny. My wife, who once had her carriage then the temptation was enough to excuse selves to be Mr. and Mrs. Eustace Burks. and her footman, is now actually in want anybody, for whom did she meet but her had got themselves appointed caretakers caretaker's cousin, Lord Grahmore? She of Mrs. Truccie's town residence, and that met him at a Primrose League reunion at while there they did, by means of a forged

" By the way, Lord Grabmore, I me your cousin, Mr. Burke, lately." "What, Eustace ?" asked His Lordship.

" Yes, Mr. Eustace Burke." " In Paris?"

" No ; in London."

"What on earth was he doing in Lonpleased tone. Mrs Truccle went very red and hesi-

"Ah! I see," said Lord Grabmore. drily, and he at once changed the subject. He knows that his poor cousin is in be ashamed of himself—a rich man like remand, until he could collect his witness him to let his poor relative go a-begging."

Mrs. Truccle had been about a fortnight or so in Hastings when she received a telegram from her solicitor that startled her. It said: "Come to town at once. Want to see you on most important business."

"What can it mean?" Mrs. Truccie asked herself. "Can any of my investmenus have gone wrong? I hope not. Mr. trate.
Guiles is such a careful man that that isn't

The moment Mrs. Truccle reached town she drove over to her solicitor. Mr. Guiles kept on saying the same thing ever since I lady with fervent thanks He assured her was engaged in court, but he had left orders that he was to be sent for when Mrs. would forget her kindness to him. Then at for that she asked the managing clerk what was the matter.

" Well, madam, I don't know that anything is wrong," replied that gentleman with legal caution. "But may I ask who the caretakers are that you have in your house?"

" Mr. and Mrs. Eustace Burke," replied Mrs. Truccle, with a start. "They are cousins of Lord Grabmore's. Why do you want to know?

"Oh, cousins of Lord Grabmore's, are they!" said the clerk reflectively. " Perhaps there is nothing wrong, then, after all. It only seemed to us that they were behaving very queerly for caretakers." "What are they doing?" asked Mrs.

Truccie. "Well, in a few words, happening to pass your house yesterday, I observed with surprise that it seemed to be occupied as usual. All the blinds and curtains were up and the windows clean. I knocked at the door, and it was opened by a footman." " A footman!" exclaimed Mrs. Truccle

in amazement. "What was he like?" "A tall, rather distinguished-looking Mr. Burke, in a moment, perceived what man, with handsome features and dark

eyes. "Burke, as I'm a woman!" exclaimed

"Well, his answers-let him be what he course, you want references to prove to you may-were so unsatisfactory that when I im before."

that I am who I represent myself to be, reported them to Mr Guiles he sent one of candles. It is asserted that they did not our clerks to keep a look out on the place.

and that my sad story's true. I think I our clerks to keep a look out on the place.

actually exceed 500 candle power, so an stvie, drove up to the and the servant next door told him that tradespeople were continually calling. So, thinking the whole affair looked suspicious, Mr. Guiles this morning, without waiting at an angle of 20 degrees about 1,150 for instructions, asked the police to look into the affair."

"He was quite right," cried Mrs. Truccle. much excited. " And I'll go off this minute and have the Burkes arrested; they are evidently a couple of rascally swindlers!" "But, madam, Mr. Guiles told me to ask you to wait until he returned," said the but is greatly reduced, the loss amounting managing clerk.

" I'm quite able to take care of myself. herself little more than justice. Accordingly away the good lady drove to her house to bring the Burkes to book. When she reached it she found it as the

with rage, Mrs. Truccle jumped out of the cab and rushed up the steps. She rang the bell violently; there was no response. She rang it again; still there was no answer. She was about to pull it a third time, when a hand was placed on

her shoulder. She turned round indignantiv. "What do you mean, sir?" she said to the person who had taken the liberty. "I mean, ma'am," replied the fellow with mock deference, "that the old man has bolted. He got wind that we were on

his track, and cut his stick. It was mean of him to save his own skin and leave you." "Leave me!" exclaimed Mrs. Truccie. I don't understand you." "I mean, ma'am," said the man, "that but that you won't get the chance of doing

the same. I arrest you for obtaining from Mesers. Clinker & Co., bankers, possession of Mrs. Truccle's jewels by means of a forged letter. Mrs. Truccle stood dumbfounded for a

moment or two. "Do you know, sir," she then said.

that I myself am Mrs. Truccle?" "No, I don't," said the detective, " but I swindle a good many folks in that way. water, an' ye'll be upset : but if the wind in the game is up."

"But I am Mrs. Truccle!" cried the poor lady, desperately. "Now, there's no use making a disturbance. We know what we're about. Mrs. Truccle is at Hastings."

"But I came up from there this morning!" pleaded Mrs. Truccie. "All right," replied the detective. "You can tell the magistrate that, but, meanwhile, you must come along with me. "I shall be disgraced for life," sobbed

Mrs. Truccle. "Very likely-not to say imprisoned." replied the callous constable.

And before Mrs. Truccle knew what was happening she was hurried back to the cab she had just left and driven off to Grape street police court. There, in spite of all her remonstrances, she was placed in a cell trate could hear the charge against her, and

The detective stated the charge against cil Bluffs.

Lady Swaren's house, and had a short chat order, purporting to be written by Mrs. with him. Then all she said was this:

Truccle, induce Mesers. Clinker & Co., her bankers, to send her jewels to the house, where they made away with them.
The detective pledged himself to prove not only this charge, but quite a multisuda of others, nearly as grave. Among these latter were several bad cases of defrauding tradesmen and jewellers, by the prison don?" said His Lordship, in anything but driving to them in a carriage, and by representing herself to be Mrs. Trucole, and getting them to forward valuable goods to the house for approval, none of which goods were ever resurned. There were also charges of obtaining mon from numbers of public persons from the difficulties," thought Mrs. Truccle, "and I Marquis of Gooseberry down by means suppose he knows, too, that he has been of begging letters. In conclusion, the applying to me for assistance. He should detective asked the Magistrate for a day's and communicate with Mrs. Truccle, who he understood, was at present living at Hastings.

"Certainly, sergeant," replied the magis trate. "Remanded till to-morrow." "But, sir," oried Mrs. Truccie desperately, " I am Mrs. Truccle!

"What does she say?" asked the magis-"She says she is Mrs. Truccle, your wer-

ship," answered the detective.
"Is she quite right in her head?" asked. the magistrate. "I don't know, your worship," replied the detective dubiously. "But she has

arrested her "I think the doctor had perhaps better see her. " "But, sir, for goodness' sake

Mrs. Truccie.

"Remove her at once," said the trate. Mrs. Truccle was just being carried off screaming when Mr. Guiles rushed into court. Beaching his office, and finding that his client had gone alone to her house, he followed her. She had, however, by that time been arrested and taken off to Grape street. When after some difficulty, Mr.

Guiles discovered this, he followed post

haste to explain the blunder. Mrs. Truccie was liberated, of course, with many apologies; but her jewels, and the rogues who stole them, have been seen no more. It turned out that they were a pair of well-known charpers and begging letter writers, for whom the police had been on the lookout for some time. The real Eustace Burke, Mrs. Truccle has since been disgusted to discover, is a penniless drunkard, who, after spending all he possessed, now lives on a small pension which Lord Grahmore allows him on condition that he never comes to England -London Truth.

## Candle Power of Electric Light.

Questions as to the candle power of electric lights of the arc system have been raised in Berlin, as in this country. The lamps used in Unter den Lind-n are required to give a light of from 2.000 to 5.000 elaborate series of photom-tric tests were from which the candle power was measured. The naked light gave very little light in a horizontal direction (196 candles); cancles, and at an angle of 42 degrees 2.014 candles. From that point the candle power sinks rapidly, and at 60 degrees there is no light, but shadow. The average without globes is about 1,228 candles. When globes are used the intensity of the light is more evenly distributed at the different angles, to from 40 to 53 per cent., and even with the use of reflectors the loss by the globes thanks." cried Mrs. Truccle, thereby doing is 32 per cent. The ultimate result of the experiments is the estimate that the lamps, instead of being either of 5,000 or 2,000 candle power, give an average lighting power of 834 candles. Stated in a more undermanaging clerk had described. Foaming standable way, when the lights are 26 feet 8 inches above the pavement, the light necessary for reading is obtained at the height of a man's head, and at a distance of 53 fees .- Philadelphia Ledger.

# Scotch Church Moderators.

The new moderators for the Scottish Church assemblies have been nominated. and both are in their way well-known men. The Church of Scotland will have Rev. A. K. H. Boyd, D.D., LL D., who is perhaps more familiar to the reader of British literature for his articles signed " A. K. H. B." than for his cierical position. The Free Church moderator will be Rev. Dr. Brown, of Edinburgh, one of the ministers who "went out" at the disruption in 1843, the cove you call your husband has boited, Disruption," an historical account of the and who has written the "Annals of the troubles of those times.

# Easy as Swimmin'.

Bayville Visitor-I would like to get you to teach me to sail a boat. Boatman-Sail a boat? Why, it's easy as swimmin'. Jest grap the main sheet with one hand an' the tiller with the other. an' if a flaw strikes, ease up or bring 'er to, know that you have been passing yourself an' loose the halyards; look out for the off as her, and that you've contrived to gaff an' boom, or the hull thing 'll be in the You'd better come along quietly now that steady y'r all right, onless y'r too slow in. luffin' to; 'cause then y'll upsot sure. Jump right in an' try it; but, remember, whatever ye do, don't jihe.—New York

Flat Irony.

Weekly.

Shirt to Wrists-So you are in troubler again with the cuffs on? Wrists to Shirt-Well, you are wellironed.—N. Y. Sun.

Neatly Turned.

"The pudding is not very good." "Ah, but we can afford to ignore the oudding when we consider the same.

A young man of Warsaw ordered a dress on a certain day. Because of the failure of the tailor to send it he could not go, but suit from a tailor, who agreed to deliver it his rival went, proposed, and was acc and the plaintiff now wants damages.

-Money makes the man but the man -Omaha-ha's right out when ever CounSTANLEY'S S Most Graphic Le

DEATH, DISAS'

The Expedition Le

THE GEOGRAPH

Mr. Stanley hash To the Editor of the The Herald corre during our day's he

from the coast, has should write to you that I should be mo I know what subject gratifying to you, b pondent cannot sug perhaps consider th fair to expect me t your readers would

I find it then mos you sole to tell my should like to say t am in perfect healt of a Saturday even his week's work do his pocket, and glac Sabbath. Just about three ing in New England

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DEATH A Taking the same date in 1888, a year I listen, horror stru curviving officer of Banalaya, and am death and disaster death and disaster horrible forms of m bloated, disfigured a scene in the camp, i of poor Brasselos ba is simply sickening. miles west of this

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