

IN THE BOUGH

The marble was pure and white. Though only a block at the quarry, it was brought to the mill, and with its own weight, looked farther than all the rest, and saw in the hard, rough stone. The forest stands the same on one.

CAUGHT IN HIS OWN TRAP.

"Confound the boy! what does he mean? Don't he think I'm a father to him? He thinks I'm going to give him my money."

"Yes, uncle Jerry, I mean to give him my money. I'm going to give him my money. I'm going to give him my money."

"Ab, you are here, are you?" growled the uncle, looking up with a dagger-like eye.

"Jack Kendall was three-and-twenty, somewhat taller than his uncle, but with the same curly hair, and a handsome, good natured, generous, affectionate fellow, and he loved his uncle Jerry with his whole soul."

"Yes, uncle, I am here," he replied, taking a chair, "and I know you are glad to see me."

"Bless me, you are yet young and very beautiful!"

"But you are not old, and you are beautiful. Now this won't do. Scandal will reach you. I am—am not so old myself, but the shaft of scandal might reach me, too."

"You did?" uttered Susan, looking up reprovingly, and with a look of indignation.

"It is hardly fair to say that, uncle, seeing that I made all the advances myself."

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FAIRFIELD COUNTY ITEMS.

ROWAYTON. The donation intended for the Pastor, Mr. Rouse, to have been given at the Baptist Church on Wednesday evening last...

WILTON. The city's upper reservoir is finished and water let on. The Goosing Club have renewed their winter meetings but not under as favorable auspices as heretofore.

A "auction festival" will take place in the lecture room of the Congregational church, Tuesday night. All who attend are expected to bring a pound or yard of something which will be disposed of at auction.

The annual meeting of the Society, Friday, and were attended by the following ladies and gentlemen: The Rev. Mr. Adams, Adams & Cable, Mrs. E. H. Nash, Jr., calculated to hold, with the packing, one thousand tons of ice.

One more aged resident, Mr. Gershom Guyer of Greens Farms, has passed away. The event occurred on Tuesday last week and the funeral on Thursday.

The gentleman who has earned for himself the title of I. J. C. (Indefatigable Local Item Corrector) by the publication of articles in emphasizing his statements has himself been "taken in and done for" at last.

STAMFORD. The selectmen will promptly in establishing the work house ordered by the recent town meeting. The building formerly used as a planing mill on Park street, has been fitted up, with due regard for adaptability as well as economy.

On Friday last, Mr. Samuel C. Brown, a long illness, passed away. The few men in Stamford better known than Mr. Brown, was his twenty-five years of business life brought him in contact with all classes of our citizens.

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WESTPORT. In all probability we shall not soon again be visited with a period of extreme cold weather and icy conditions like those of 1875, when the supply of coal in turn gave out at the very time it was most needed.

Superintendent Jelliffe will begin this week to transport to the various rivers in the State the young salmon fry—500,000—the hatching of which has been entrusted to him, and which he has succeeded so well in accomplishing.

An organ concert was held in the new St. John's church on Wednesday evening. Sanford and Black were the organists.

George A. Loomis, Jr., of Stratford, was seriously injured in his hand when the accidental discharge of a pistol.

The remainder of Barnum's show goods will be sold at private sale on Saturday, Dec. 19th, 1875.

REDDING. A large barn, cow house, and some small buildings belonging to Mrs. Gershom Hill was burned on Sunday night.

DANBURY. Dr. Hart lectured on "The Arguments of '40'." Perhaps no more interesting or judicious and successful treatment of Catarrh than which I called a "severe cold in the head," had increased its severity year by year.

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CAN CATARRH BE CURED? No one is more aware than Dr. Rowe of the impression among many that Catarrh cannot be cured.

General practitioners do not understand the treatment of the disease. Skillful though they may be in the general practice of medicine, yet in this branch of the practice their inability is manifest, and for the best of all reasons, they have not the opportunity of seeing the patient specially in this branch of the profession, he can see most positively, that Catarrh is as curable as any other disease.

As an evidence of his skill Dr. Rowe submits testimonials below from persons that he too well knows in Norwalk to require further comment necessary, more than to say that his treatment of Catarrh is entirely original with himself and differs entirely from anything used before for the same purpose, inasmuch as by it the medicines are conveyed directly to the parts affected, which has never before been accomplished.

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