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**THE RAT THAT RENOUNCED
THE WORLD.**
The told,
In a legend old,
How a certain rat, grown tired of strife
And the care that beset his rat-like life,
Wishing to meditate at his ease,
Took up his abode in a Holland cheese.

He found
This great round
Gave shelter, and plenty to eat,
And by diligent use of his teeth and his
feet
He soon had a hermitage quite to his mind—
Its walls and its floor with good victuals
lined.

This rat
Soon grew fat,
And he said to himself, "God bless His
corn!"
My body now would be only skin and bone
If I hadn't turned hermit. I really must
renounce the world's fat better way."

To his chagrin
On their knees,
Came some representatives from the rats,
Saying, "Ratopolis is besieged by the
cats."
We are going for aid to a foreign land;
Old neighbor, do lend us a helping hand.

"We see out
Without
A dollar to pay the needed expense.
Do give us a shilling or at least a few cents;
We'll be very grateful, we'll surely repay;
If we live to return, on the next New
Year's Day."

The rat
said that
He no longer had interest in worldly affairs;
But for the sake of old friendship his two
longest prayers
Were at their disposal. What could he
do?
He gave them his blessing, and closed
his door.

"Oh! she's fast
Of course
And the world is to them a great Holland
cheese—
When their friends are distressed and in
sorry plight,
Do they give only blessings, then close the
door tight?"

"Gumba," said the man, after ex-
amining the animal, "that horse has
the gastralgia symptoms. You'd
better pain his neck with turpentine,
and put a fly-blisters on his
nose."
Gumba followed these directions,
and the next morning the horse's
neck was raw from the raw bones to
the shoulder, and he had on his
nose a swelling as large as the
horns of a rhinoceros.

A Swampville Pedagogue.
A gentleman from Swampville
was telling how many different oc-
cupations he had attempted.
Among others he had tried school
teaching.

"How long did you teach?" asked
a bystander.
"Wa'al, I didn't teach long—
that is, I only went to teach."
"Did you hire out?"
"Wa'al I didn't hire out; I only
went to hire out."

"Why did you give up?"
"Wa'al, I give it up for some rea-
son or other. You see, I traveled
in a district, and inquired for the
Trustees. Somebody said Mr.
Snickles was the man I wanted to
see. So I found Mr. Snickles, nam-
ed, and asked what he thought about
lettin' me try my luck with the big
boys and unruly girls in the dis-
trict. He wanted to know if I really
considered myself capable; and I
told him I wouldn't mind his asking
me a few questions in 'rithmetic
and jography, or showing my hand-
writing. He said no, never mind;
he could tell a good teacher by his
gait. 'Let me see you walk off a
little ways,' says he, 'and I can tell
his well.' I heard you examined,"
says he. He sat in the door as he
spoke, and I thought he looked a
little skittish. But I was consid-
erably frustrated, and didn't mind
much; so I turned about and walked
on as smart as I knowed how. He
said he'd tell when to stop; so I
kept on till I thought I'd gone far
enough; then I expected suthing
was to pay, and I looked round.
Wa'al the door was shut, and Snickles
was gone?"

The Leaned Umbrella.
Young Blifkins, son of old Blif
Miss the Banker—he of the Dolly
Yarden pants and vest—was recent-
ly caught in a shower, and took
refuge under the portico of a dwell-
ing on Beacon Street. A very at-
tractive young lady—pretty maid-
en—who sat by the open window,
seeing his situation, sent out a
servant to him with an umbrella.
Blifkins went away in ecstasy, and,
on the following day, having at-
tached himself to the most elaborate
and stunning array of starch and
jewels, he took the umbrella, which
was an old one, and laid it away
with his treasures as a souvenir;
and then he went forth and pur-
chased an affair to replace it of the
most beautiful and costly kind.
Thus equipped, he called upon the
lady to return the flattering loan.
She admitted him to her presence,
and received the umbrella without
apparently noticing the exchange;
and it was not until she had listened
with becoming gravity to his high-
ly dramatic acknowledgments that
she truth beamed upon her. She
saw that he labored under the en-
chanting impression that she had
been smitten by his appearance.

"Wa'al," said Blifkins, in sweet,
poetic mood, "you've tenderly ac-
knowledged me—aye, it touched me
deeply—tidid—poor fellow."
"Indeed, sir," replied the maiden,
with charming naivete, "there was
no need of this gratitude on your
part. As you stood beneath our
portico you obstructed my view of
a gentleman at an opposite window
who had been observing me, and I
sent the umbrella as the readiest
means to get rid of your unwelcome
presence."

Blifkins went home and broke up
the old umbrella, and consigned its
fractured fragments to the ash-barrel.

BUFFALO HUNTING.—The Law-
rence Home Journal says: It is
estimated that there are about two
thousand buffalo hunters now pur-
suing game in Western Kansas,
and that they average bringing
down about fifteen buffalo daily.
One man near Dodge City killed
100 in a day. The hides and meat
bringing him in the handsome sum
of \$300. At Dodge City the same
are worth 1 1/2 to 2 cents a pound.
and the hides from \$1.50 to \$2.50 a
piece. Notwithstanding the im-
mense business which is being done,
there seem to be no diminution in
their number, and trains are fre-
quently stopped by them.

The Swiss Times gives a melan-
choly statement as to the condition
of the poor in the Canton of Berne,
which has been compiled from the
reports of the Statistical Society
and data furnished by six local
physicians. At the end of last year,
out of a total population of 506,475,
there were 1,512 idiots and cretins,
and 1,392 persons suffering from
mental aberration, of whom, by the

way, scarcely a third could be re-
ceived into the asylums. These
figures show that in the canton the
ratio of idiots and insane to the
population is as 1 to 180, while in
England the proportion is 1 to 300.

TWELVE of the twenty-five vacan-
cies which will exist in the
United States Senate on the 4th of
March, 1873, have thus far been
provided for New Hampshire has
replaced Mr. Patterson by Mr. Wad-
leigh; Vermont has re-elected Mr.
Morris; Connecticut has done the
same with Mr. Ferry; Mr. Dennis
will represent Maryland instead of
Mr. Vickers; Mr. Merrimon will
succeed Mr. Post as Senator from
North Carolina, and Mr. Patterson
Mr. Sawyer from South Carolina;
Mr. Cherry is Garret Davis' suc-
cessor from Kentucky. Ohio and In-
diana have re-elected their present
members, Messrs. Sherman and
Norton; and Mr. Harlan, of Iowa,
gives way to Mr. Allison. Massa-
chusetts, New York, Pennsylvania,
Georgia, Alabama, Florida, Louisi-
ana, Arkansas, Illinois, Wisconsin,
Missouri, Kansas, and Nevada
have yet to elect their Senators.
The opposition candidates are sure
to be elected in Georgia and Mis-
souri, while Alabama and Louisi-
ana are in such a disturbed condi-
tion that it is difficult to predict
the action of their Legislatures. The
other States will, without doubt, re-
turn Republicans.

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