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uch as Tea, Coffee, Sugars, Molasses, Syr ps, Spices, Dried Peaches, Dried Apples ish, Hominy, Crackers, Rice and Pear Barley; Soaps, Candles; TOBACCO and IGARS; Paint, Whitewash, Scrub, Horse, Shoe, Dusting, Varnish, Stove, Clothes and Tooth Brushes, all kinds and sizes; Bed Cords and Manilla Ropes, and many other icles at the lowest rates for CASH. 13 House Spouting made, pain od and put at low rates for cash. A liberal discount ale to country dealers buying Tinware GEO. HUNTLEY Ebensburg, Feb. 28, 1867.-tf.

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EBENSBURG

O Bob Jones, Esq., having just been converted to Darwin's theory, indulges in the following melancholy reflections:

I'm an ass, and an ape, and a frog;
I am something of cat and of dog;
I am something of snake, And of gander and drake,

I am ornithological; oh, I'm a rooster, you see, And a little pee wee,

I'm a tiger, I am, and a lion, With a strong disposition to fly on Any species of prey.

Any time, night or day;

Of my ancestors I'm a fit scion.

There's, besides, a good de il of me bat, I'm a rabbit and fox Such as dwell in the rocks. And my ancestors all were like that.

I'm a beaver, a coon, and a hare, And a catamount, panther and bear;
I'm a big buffalo,
I'm an elk and a doe—

I'm a pig, and a sheep, and a cow, Where they went I don't know,

m a perpoise -- without any scale --I'm a dolphin and trout, I'm a perch, out and out,

When it happened, ditto;

I'm a serpent (that thought I most dread,) I'm a black-nake and big copperhead; I'm a great rattlesnake, And a hiss I can make. Like my ancestors long ago dead.

I'm a worm-I'm a grub and a snail, Such as crawl over hill and through dale; I'm a moth and a miller --I'm a big catterpiller, And my ancestors dwelt in a rail.

I'm a squirrel, and poultry and game. I am everything that you could name --Such as pheasant and duck And my ancestors were all that same.

I'm a mere lump of flesh and of bones. I have sprung from the earth and the stones: And among them I'll lie And decay, when I die --And, alas! that's the end of poor Jones.

CHAINED TO A ROCK. A Brother's Terrible Revenge.

Before gold mines, oil wells and diamond fields had developed their attractions and practicalties for the adventurous spirits of this country, the fur trade of the farther Northwest enlisted the energies of numerous speculative characters, among who, from having been playmates in boybood and inseparable friends at college, became patners in a scheme of Indian trading for the richer spoils of the hunt. Both were or hans-the nearest living retered upon the corjoint adventure in the mainder of their lives; but, as already him the letter." ...ld. they had no social exigencies to call ness for their new occupation, they stayed on and on indefinitely. Once a year, how-

of the friends at the head waters of the partner had died on his way through the lips. Missouri was graced by the presence of | Rocky Mountains, and in proof of his asan amateur "huntress," who, when the sertion delivered the letters. time came for her return home, was relucans only, the sick man pined until his or a cup of water to slake his thirst." partner's return with an unusually large dividend and an account of the young lady's arrival in St. Louis gave him energy to one hearing that her lover was going to a the little girl I had whipped in the country of the origin of newspapers given by De youngster, and listen." Then there was a combat and conquer the fever of which he ball with another girl, made a bargain school. She gave me her heart and all Saint Foix. was a victim. Thenceforth the friends with the hackman by which she drove the wealth of woman's affection it contrapped and traded as before for several the coach in his stead, and in place of tained, and I-I gave her my very soul. months, at which time a midwinter letter taking the happy pair to their destination How happy I was only a true lover, a pair of boots? Two boots. from the city to the elder of the men al- she took them several miles out of the who feels the glorious influence of a gifted most killed him with the dreadful news city. Then inducing them on some pre- woman's power, can know.

STOCK IMMENSE. - PRICES LOW.

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

WILLIAM KITTELL, Attorney and a great sea monster in bronze threw up strong jets of flashing water, while all neither the cavaliers thin beots nor his companion's kid slippers were particularly well fitted—they found shelter in a farm-house, where, finding a priest and the mutality of their misadventures inspiring love, they worked on shares. Market price paid for wool.

T. M. JONES & SONS.

Ebensburg, Feb. 24, 1872-tf.

The orother happened to be alone when number of hours—a performance for which neither the cavaliers thin beots nor his companion's kid slippers were particularly well fitted—they found shelter in a farm-house, where, finding a priest and the mutality of their misadventures inspiring love, they were united in the holy bonds.

L. Attorney and the matality of the sweet, bright future that liberation of a scheme for retribution as pitiless as the offence had been. When due his frenzied feelings to the cooler des where, finding a priest and the mutality nuptials, of the sweet, bright future that a heroic courage.

his partner came in he explained the pal THE SCHOOL TEACHER'S STORY, tween the stern realities of life. I looked lor of his countenance by pretending a temporary faintness, and resumed his daily pursuits as though the message from home had been the most ordinary of enclosures.

the testator's name in blank. Then re- your own moral. able great advantage.

days in this style-the one wholly unsus two men finally reached the banks of the Ranche, on the north fork of the stream, whip him near the "Chimney Rock," and between paused to rest, and here, in a deep canyon, to say, walled by lofty rocks, and lonely in immemorial, gloomy solitude, the doomed on her slate!" man was persuaded to take a noonday

before he slept, the doomed traitor awoke sue. patiently for this aton me t. "At first," controlled at school, I do." relates a Western correspondent of the Philadelphia Press, rejeating the story, determined on bringing Joe Milroy to the ation. I will wait. "the bound wretch thought it was some mark. An opportunity was not long rough joke practicing upon his courage, wanting. I kept a sharp look out and and returned the glare of his partner's presently I saw Joe make a great funny IN His STOMACH -Florence, Italy, is for the living, in Chicago than in any other eyes with a ghastly smile; but when that picture, and throw the bit of paper on agitated over a very odd occurrence. Not place on this footstool. Here is a case of partner produced from his pocket the mid- which it was drawn, clear across the long ago there was at one of the theatres energy: During the great fire a civizen winter letter, and read it deliberately word room to some little boys. The urchins in that city a company of Chinese jugglers was blown three miles up into the air. by word to the hollow echoes of the gloomy began giggling and tittering forthwith. 1 One of them (Ling-Lark) was celebrated While shooting upward he got out his lead whom were two young men from St. Louis, canyon, the smile disappeared in a look of took my whip firmly in my hand, fixed for his tricks of swallowing a long sword pencil and wrote a note to his builder, who

other fate in store for his victim. la ive possessed by either was a sister to On the third day the ill fated man signed lashes. thither. Ascending the Missouri river to ment, by the terms of which he was made in the eyes till my blows ceased.

So, chained to this rock, suffering untold and sat down by Joe and said : turtures of hunger and thirst, and with the words of the letter ringing alternately in his I started in spite of myself. Those were their furs and divide and invest the profits; profaned the divine friendship, dwindled were the eyes of a weman, and upon one of these occasions the sister to a skeleton in his fetters, and on the ninth "I will never forget your ungentlemanty before mentioned persuaded her brother to day died in delirium torments. "The cruelty, never, never!" she said sternly take her back with him to the wilderness, avenger," concludes this striking story, as a man might have spoken. that she might observe for herself the "after burying his victim's emaciated I tried to reason with her, telling her I many wonders they had so often described. corpse in the sand, directed his journey to had done it for her own good, but she hit upon a good idea for "cutting out" Thus during the ensuing year the ranche St. Louis. There he gave out that his only shook her head and compressed her his more learned brethren, which he was

tant to leave, and doubly so because her became the dead man's heir. Two years bad made me a wiser man as well as a obtained his popularity by the very inno- greyhound; of course they met in the

BY J. MAURICE THOMPSON.

His treacherous friend must die; but in ging children at school. I will tell you. dying he must be compelled to endure ag- It makes them hate their teacher when onies as lingering as those he had inflicted. they ought to love him. Children are and while the self-appointed minister of little grown folks, if you will accept the entered me, and carried my memory back justice followed his usual avocation he expression, and like hig grown folks, they to the little log school-house in Pennsylplanned the revenge that should be worthy always remember, even if they forgive a vania? What tempted me to speak of blow. When I was a boy I happened to little Joe Milroy? Ah, who can tell? When the next stock of furs were packed get soundly thrashed at school pretty No sooner did I mention that little schoolfor transportation down the river, the often, and I do most frankly acknowledge house and some of its associations, than avenger made some excuse for a brief visit that I dislike to this day every teacher I saw the pallor chase the flush of love to Fort Benton, where he procured of a that ever whipped me. But I have a from my companion's face. lawyer the execution of a will, leaving story to tell from which you may draw

turning to the ranche, he proposed that I taught school once myself. It was detest?" she asked almost fiercely. instead of going down the river for their down in a rural district of Pennsylvania. the river Platte empties into the Missouri, pretty, brown-eyed girl, just as smart and ing from his vision forever and take the furs up the former stream to clever as she could be and withal mis-Fort Laramie, where they could establish chievous as a mouse. Her name was- cruelly. "I can never marry the man a kind of entrepot of their business to prob | well, they called her Joe-Joe Milroy. | who beat me. My heart burns within me The idea seemed so plausible to the able, living on a little forty acre farm. younger man that he approved it without | Joe was one of the most unruly girls I von!" hesitation, and started immediately with ever saw. You couldn't keep her out of What I said I cannot now remember the projector on the overland journey, ac- mischief. I hated to whip her, she was I plead wildly, despairingly groveling IX, and Nancy XII, and if they didn't companied only by a pack mule bearing getting so much like a woman in size, there at her feet. provisions for the way. Traveling many and I didn't like to expel her from school, for she always knew her lessons by heart. picious of the other's dark purpose-the O, she had the quickest mind I ever saw But, sir, she kept the whole school un-

Julesburg and Fort Laramie. Here they lam her for it," the urchin would be sure blow I gave her, I would gladly bear it if all the girls grow-grain silks

"Joe Milroy made such a funny picter

and neck, to a great rock. while before him, with eyes after with rage, stood just the same as the other children — aration under such vastly different circum. the brother who Lad waited so long and That's what I say. I want my child stances, that fatal evening Sometimes I and the core are left, and Phoenix like she

death's despair. He confessed all and my eyes sternly on Jue, and walked up to and then pulling it out again. At one of lived at the top of a six story building, asked to be shot, but the brother had an- her. She saw I meant something, and these representations there happened to be and as he passed the builder's residence on her pretty, roguish face grow pallid in a a young Florentine of the name of Cipri his way down he threw the note in at the "Coolly encamping by the rock, he sat second. I did not say a word, but raised ani, who, on leaving the theatre with a window. The consequence was, on his down to see his partner starve to death. my whip and gave her about ten severe few friends, manifested his opinion that arrival home on a litter, he los no he build-

the elder of the two-and there were con the deed b queathing all his property to the "Oh, sir, oh!" she cried at first, then, casy as the drinking of a tumbler of water. day he was selling goods. sequently no domestic ties to keep them injured girl, and the brother attached a closing her lips until they pressed into Cipriani and his friends went as usual to Another case of energy is illustrated as back from the wilds or limit their absence fictitious name as witness of the instru- each other, she looked me almost fiercely the restaurant to have supper, and after follows: I entered a barber's shop, took

the appointed trading grounds, they ens executor of his partner's estate. He then After that I had no more trouble in my conversation fell on the Chinese Ling. my heels. In less than two seconds I felt wrote letters saying he had fallen very ili school. All went on well to the end. Lack. Cipriani took up a fork, put it in a queer feeling on my feet, and holsting true, all absorbed energy of success, and of fever on the plains, and if he did not Joe knew all her lessons, but was quiet his month, down in his throat, when the my head I saw a fellow with a kettle and from the first month prospered beyond all recover these letters would be delivered by and reserved. The last day came, and I fork slipped from his hand. His friends brush daubing the soles of my boots their expectation, and resped profits pro his beloved partner. All this the infuria- gave the children a "treat" of candy and got terribly frightened, attempted to pull Says I, "What in the name of stewed portionate to early wealth. In little more ted brother compelled the man to do, and raisins. When Joe's share was given her it out again, but all was in vain. The custard pie are you doing?" He sald he than-two years, indeed, the brotherly firm then quietly awaited the end. Day by day she pushed it aside and would not taste voung man was immediately carried to was pasting up a circus bill. Says I, "I'll were rich enough to have gone back to the partner grew weaker, and the brother it. I knew by this that she was brooding the hospital Santa Maria, and there he paste you in the snoot." He left. This civilization and lived at ease all the re- gloaned over his misery, often reading to over her late chastisement. I wanted to still lies, and eats and drinks with the fork is energy part friendly with all my pupils so I went in his stomach. The crowd before the

"What's the matter, Joe !" She looked up with great calm eyes

brother chanced to have a sickness which afterwards the brother was shot by Indi- richer one, Nor was I unknown to fame cent expedient of collecting information, middle of the log, and of course there was prevented his departure with herself and ans, and before he died he confessed what In a certain city whither I had gone to and then circulating news sheets among not room for them to pass, neither could his partner on the usual annual business he had done. Some hunters visited the deliver a course of lectures to a young his patients, for their special delectation they go back. The hight was a dangerous trip to the city. The trip must be made, place and dug up the skeleton, around the men's society, I got acquainted with a and amusement. But inasmuch as the one for the greyhound, and to the water however, and it would be her only oppor- neck of which still was the chain by which young weman, Josephine Milroy by name, seasons were not always sickly, and he at the bottom he was extremely averse. tunity of going for a year; so, with what the man when living had been fastened to whose father was a millionaire. With found he had plenty of time on his hands, The Newfoundland could have taken the fortitude was available under the circum- the fatal rock. The spot is still pointed this young lady I fell desperately in love. he was encouraged by his success to de- leap in safety, but evidently did not want stances, she bade the invalid a loving out to travelers, and the tale told of how Oh, sir, she was finely, superbly, really vote his attention more exclusively to the to. Here was a fix! The little dog sat good by, and went homeward in the care the brother day after day a of the younger member of the firm. Left the presence of his wretched prisoner, but ful, and the finest singer I have heard in public at large with news; and accordingly straight up in the air, and howled. The to himself, or with the company of Indi- would not give him so much as a crumb, private. Her conversational powers were in 1631 he succeeded in obtaining for Newfoundland stood intent, his faces charming, and with all this she was ten- bimself and family the sole privilege of solemn with inward workings. Presently der and womanly.

that it was his lifelong friend who had and drove back, leaving the unfortunates- took a stroll together in the park of the them better. the lady in a low-necked muslin ball dress city. We sat down on the grassy brink It costs more to avenge wrongs than to frantic gambols of delight, and the New-It was another friend who wrote, and -exposed to a rain in the midst of a lonely of a miniature lake, in the centre of which the words were few, but to the point .- wood. After wandering in the mud for a a great sea monster in bronze threw up

into the soft, dark eyes of the glorious woman beside me, and down over the full, round, queenly form, all, all mine, and my You ask me why I am opposed to flog- heart swelled with pride and thankfulness. Truly I was blessed beyond the fract the following bits of absurdity: common let of man.

What demon wandering over the earth

"Are you that school teacher, that miserable wretch whose memory I love to

I saw my dreadful doom at once. market, this time they should go overland The school was a small one, and the fell at her feet and plead as only an elotogether on horseback to Fort Kearney, scholars were mostly under twelve years quent, despairing man can plead, when intercept the boats with their stock where of age. One, however, was thirteen, a the wild, sweet dream of his love is pass. I addressed her as Miss Ho. Says ske, in

"No, sir," she said firmly, almost Her parents were poor but highly respect whenever I think of those shameful blows name, and if I had thirty-one children, I

It was all useless She was as cold

as she had been warm and relentless We parted forever. And now, sir, it seems to me that of all the acts of my life Platte, down which they followed the ruly. A little boy would throw paper there is but one I would wish to blot out, quantity of grain raised in Illinois; and overland trail to a place called Bernard's | wads across the floor, and of course I'd and that is the act I once thought so just | before we stopped chatting I found out "Joe Milroy throws 'em and ye don't hot dagger through the heart for every people in that section well bred and to buy it would give me back the pure love of From St. Louisto Chicago the road runs her glorious womanhood.

What was I to do? Matters got worse past, there are many things in the simple a flat pan cake, with great big fields called sleep from which the waking was to be and worse. Finally I went to Mr. Mil- but bitter story of my love that appears prairies. These fields are so large that more terrible than the most guilty dream. roy, and kindly but frankly told him all strange. The father of Josie Milroy was sunrise is used for a red fence on the other Drugged by liquor which the other had about the way things were going on, and one of the fortunate men whom the dis- side. The farmers drive their cows home given him, in seeming convivial banter, asked him what course I had better pur- covery of oil had made suddenly rich. with locomotives in the west and for this to find himself sceure'y chained, hand foot, "Whip her, sir," said he emphatically, successful speculator. His daughter and a cow-catcher ahead of it. Well, I went back to my school fully proof that my hope has reasonable found. con light for all Christendom to steer by.

> the trick played by the Chinese was as er putting shelves in his parlor, and next baving eaten and drank for an hour, the a seat, down went my head and up went hospital has been so great that police offi shops have printed on the soles of their cers have been stationed at the different boots "Pest no bills." doors to prevent the people breaking into the hospital. Such an extraordinary case medical class.

name-more than two hundred years ago body to celebrate it. not long in putting into execution, to his lay as a bridge over a deep ravine. From Well, I went away from that neighbor- own no small advantage, and the great the opposite ends of the log, at the same hood never to return. Fortune favored chagrin of his brother professionals. His moment, there started to cross it a big "The will was also proved and the girl me and I became wealthy. Ten years plan was an extremely simple one, for he Newfoundland dog and a little Italian publishing a newspaper called the Gizette he gave a nudge with his nose to the howl-A REAL ROMANCE. - A St. Louis fair I pressed my suit, never dreaming of de France. Such, at least, is the account ing greyhound as if to say, "Be still,

Never let your honest convictions be edges, and balancing himself carefully.

that his sister had become a maniac, and tence to get out she whipped up the horses | One evening my affianced bride and I | Whatever makes men happier makes like a flash. When they reached the op-

bear them. -False hood.

word !- When no one will take it.

Is it murder to drown your serrows, or do. kill time? There is a heroic innocence, as well as

"JOHA" AT CHICAGO.

NUMBER 13.

"John," the eccentric correspondent of the New York Sun, professes to write a letter from Chicago, from which we ex-

This Westward Ho country is getting hoed all over. It is the most prolific country I ever saw. Farly in the season as it is, the tables all have butter-cups on 'em. The Mississippi river has been ploughed by steamboats and it is full of currents. It is dangerous in St. Louis to name a baby Edward, because the eddies get into the Mississippi river.

They raise vast, incomprehensible, impregnable quantities of barley corn in this section, and 13-12 of the citizens get barley corned every Saturday night and Sunday morning fetches the rest of 'em.

On the cars, after leaving St Louis, I conversed with a female Westward Ho! accents sweet as the dving notes of a seas sick bull-frog, "Call me Miss Nancy."

Nancy is a lovely name, so romantic, so touchingly suggestive. I love that No, sir; no, never; I will never marry don't care a cent if they were all boys, I'd name 'em all Nancy. Like kings, I'd call 'em Nancy on eye, Nancy two eyes, Nancy come when I called 'em, I'd whale 'em.

Miss Nancy informed me she had the statistics. "Goodness gracious!" I exclaimed, "are they catching?" She said no; but she had the figures to show the and beneficial. O, if I could suffer a red that enough was raised to make all the

through the worst country for ducks eye Now that I look back coolly over the ever saw. It is one per cent flatter than He had become a great financier and a purpose every locomotive in the west has

hope that she will repent, but I have no is arising from her ashes to become a bea-There is more energy, more of that guahead, cast iron pluck, that turns moun-A QUEER CASE-A MAN WITH A FORK tains to level plains and rocks into temples

The citizens who shave at the barbers'

Another case of energy is, George Washington was never in Chicago, so they ever, they repaired to St. Louis to sell ears, this modern Promethens, who had no longer the eyes of a little girl. They has naturally excited great interest in the havn't got anyold frame building standing in the business part of the city just because it was Washington's headquarters. THE FIRST NEWSPAPER - An ingenia The Fourth of July was never celebraous physician of Paris-Renaudot by ted until 1830, because there wasn't any-

> ANECDOTE OF A Dog -A narrow log silence and seeming confabulation for a second or two. Immediately the big dog WISE AND OTHERWISE .- What makes spread his legs wide apart like a Colossus, bestriding the log on its extreme outer The little dog sprang through the opening posite shores the greyhound broke into foundland, after his more sedate fashion, Which is the ugliest hood ever worn? expressed great completency in his achievement-as he surely had a right to

Some one says that the lion and the lamb may lie down together in this world. When does a man have to keep his but when the lion gets up it will be hard work to find the lamb.