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"HE IS A FREEMAN WHOM THE TRUTH MAKES FREE, AND ALL ARE SLAVES BESIDE,"

EBENSBURG, PA., FRIDAY, APRIL 25, 1879.

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Much More in Quantity and Variety than is usually kept in stores of the kind. It is everywhere conceded, by those

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UALITY, VARIETY and EXTENT y any other stock in the neighborhood, and as we shall from time to time aid new fea-tures and new lines of goods— shall always buy in farge quantities and ai-

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NEXT DOOR TO P. O.

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NEXT DOOR TO P. O.,

ELFTH STREET, - ALTOONA, PA.

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1324 Eleventh Avenue. een 10th & 11th Sts , Altoona, Pa.,

inwhere, and hoping for a corvinu-rose of the same, the subscriber re-vices ererybody to call and examine prices before buying at any other F. P. CUNFER, Model Grovery, Altoona, Pa.

That John O'Connell, at Cumbria at must present their claims or be forever debarred. The country has and Bridget, his from confing in on this fund.

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VOLUME XIII.

Established a Big Store GEO. HUNTLEY HAS NOW ON HAND THE

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Hardware! Stoves, Tinware,

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COCK, PARLOR AND HEATING STOVES of various styles and patterns; Builders' Hardware of every description and of best quality; CARPENTERS' TOOLS!

of all kinds and the best in the market. Also, a large stock of FABLE AND POCKET CUTLERY. Glassware, Queensware, Silver-Plated Ware, Wood and Willow Ware, Wall Pa-per, Trunks and Valises, Revolvers, An-vils, Vises, Horse Shoes, Bar Iron, Eatl Rod, Horse Nalls, Carriage Bolts, Riv-els, Mill Saws, Grindstones, Steel Shov-el Plow Moulds, Road Scoops;

Mowing Machines, Horse Hay Rakes, Horse Hay Forks, Rope and Pulleys, Corn Cultivators, and a full line of Harv-esting Tools. Also, a large assertment of Table, Floor and Stair Oil Cloths.

Carriage Oil Cloth,

68 Having had nearly trunker years expected the bed. Fran Friedow case in the sale of goods in my line. I am enabled to supply my customers with the very best in the market. Give me a liberal share of your patronage, then, and be sonvinced that the best is diways the cheapest, and that it never pays to buy an inferior article simply because the price is low, as it is an indispatable last that such goods are always the dearest in the end.

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GEO. HUNTLEY. Ebensburg, April 11, 1879.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE. $B^{\rm Y}$ virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Cambria county, there will be exposed to pullic sale, at the Court House in Ebensburg, on SATURDAY, APRIL 26th, 1879, At I octors, r. w., all the right, title and interest of James A. Smith, late of Gallitzin borough, decoased, of, in and to a Piece on Paucet or Levo situated in the said borough of Gallitzin, adjoining land of Penna & Rail Road, James M.C. iskey, and others, containing 3 Acres and 51 Perches, with a two-story Piecke Rouse and Stable there on creeted.

Terms of Sale. One-third the purchase moncy to be paid on communication of sale, and the residue in two equal annual payments, with interest, to be secured by bond and mortgage.

JOHN A. SMITH,

[4-11.-31.] Executor of James A. SMITH, dec'd.

A UDITOR'S NOTICE, J. S. Stray-Common Pleas of Cambria County; No. 57, December Term, 1878. Fead. Expon.
And now. April 2d, 1878. on motion of Johnston & Scanian, the Court appointed Joseph McDomaid, Esq., au Auditor to report distribution of the money in the hundred the Sheriff arising from the sale of defendant's real estate. By the Court. In personnee of the above appointment, the Auditor will sit at the Court House in Ebensburg, on Turustaav, the Sth day of May, 1879, at 1 o'clock, P. M., when and where parties interested may attend if they think proper.

JOSEPH McDONALD, Auditor.
Ebensburg, April 11, 1879.—18.

y nr. Martin Woodley.—In the Court of Pleas of Cambrin County; No. 102, March And now, 2d April (1839, Joseph McDonald, Esq. appointed Auditor to distribute timels in the hands of the Sherilf arising from the sale of detendant's real estate on above stated writ. In making distribution, to hear evidence and allow detendant such creatits as may be duly process. By the Court. In pursuance of the above appointment, the Auditor will sit at the Court House, in Edonsburg, on Traspay, the 6th day of May, 1879, at 1 o'clock, r. s., when and where parties inferested play at tend if they think proper.

JUSSEPH Mc190NALD, Auditor, Ebensburg, April 1, 1879-26.

A UDITOR'S NOTICE. Having been appointed and for by the Court of Common Jensburg of Passing May 6th, 2579, at 2 o'clock, M. when and where they ninet present their laims or be beever debarred from coming to on

Discusburg, April 9, 1879, 33r. Andrews.

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ALVIN EVANS, Andrer.

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Having been appointed. A string tresh are A DITOR'S NOTICE,—In the matsignee of Chartes Johnston.

Having been appointed Auditor respect distribution of the moneys in the hands of said Assignee,
as shown by his axid assount, notice is hereby given
that I will attend to the duties of my appointment,
at my office in Ebensburg, on Friday, May 3th, 1872,
at 2 o'clock, P. M., when and where all parties interested may attend if they see proper,

F. A. SHOEMAKER, Auditor,
Ebensburg, April II, 1879.—I.

A UDITOR'S NOTICE. Having been

A GERMAN DETECTIVE'S STORY.

of a Well-connected man named Friedow. patient whimpered like a woman. Her villa stood outside the gates of a "How was the fellow dressed?" I small town, and the lost property con- cried, breathlessly, together with a little coin. Her habit as far as I can recall. was to keep all papers of importance, as "Could you identify him again? well as money, in a chest of drawers besituated on the first floor and had but seem to match the clothing, and yet, one window, which looked out upon the now I think of it, I seem to see only an yard. Her confidential friends had often ordinary brow, nose and mouth. I fans advised Frau Friedow to keep her gold ev it was the set of the head on the at least in some safer place, but she had shoulders which looked remarkable,c., &c., that can be found in any one establish always resisted such counsel, and put no Artizans and such folk usually look ment to Pennsylvania. His stock comprises faith in banks or bankers. As to the otherwise. That is all I can say, But ever molest her, unless her trusty dog you?"

> laying hold of what they wanted. On the night of the 7th of May the him?" poor lady was suddenly awakened about The doctor looked at me in amazetwelve o'clock. Her room was illumi- ment. "I think he went toward Ems." nated. Before her bed stood a small, be replied, and a hatchet in his right.

Carriage Oil Cloth,

PAPER AND OIL CLOTH WINDOW SHABING AND SHADE FIXTURES; Laverroot ASHTON SALT, the best in the world for Patry and Table use; Laverroot ROCK SALT, the cheapest and best for leading Lave Stock; LAND PLASTER; Weil and Charges PUMPS, of the best quality; PERKINS PATENT SAFETY LAMIS, which cannot be exploided; Cantonica's WAGONS and CARTS; the largest stock of MILK CROUKS of all shapen and sizes and of experior ware ever of all shapen and sizes and of experior ware ever of all shapen and sizes and of experior ware ever of all shapen and sizes and of experior ware ever of all shapen and sizes and of experior ware ever of all shapen and sizes and of experior ware ever of all shapen and sizes and of experior ware ever of all shapen and sizes and of experior ware ever of all shapen and sizes and of experior ware ever of all shapen and sizes and of experior ware ever of the stream of the were busy in the background breaking to gain the confidence of this damsel, self sufficiently to begin thinking about The popular antiputhy to the enforced the smothered yelling of a dog was heard once. articles. In fact, anything I haven't get or can't get at short notice is not worth busing, and what I do dier for ede may always be refied on as grass.

They threw themselves upon a "He wore a blue cases is or sarry, while they will invariable be ladder without, and descended to the hose." ladder without, and descended to the hose?"

> The man-servant roused up the neigh- had already rowed over, and then seems spring. bors, but all pursuit, then or later, by ed right gay, and jumped into the boat

trates, my second visit was naturally handkerchief under his arm. where for any special indications which taking him over ?" what I found was desperately little. - pfennings. Like those who had gone before me, 1 concluded that the robbery had, at any

upon the high road or street upon which his track now,

make one dismiss all thoughts connected purpose, I was baffled and wholly at mixed up in this affair?" with the second term in the list, There remained the friends and rela- hint at all to follow,

the widow greeted me with eyes full of rolled almost to my feet,

fess it is so, and confide in me."

And has nothing more struck you Fran Friedow's connections, and an ocabout those men you saw in your room casional visitor at her house. He was a than you have already mentioned? One continual guest at this place of enterremembers things on due consideration tainment. I brought the doctor here made not the least resistance, but sat fooled into believing that Fourth of Jufore. Dld you notice no peculiarity thily considering my game. My discomabout any of the scoundrels; in the fiture was great when he flatly refused you have under your arm?" I inquired. the fence and knock a complete horns voice, for instance, the way of standing. to identify Herr Bottcher and his patient the hands of him who held the axe? - as one and the same person. They might Had he on a ring? Did he look rough, be confessed; but then—they when a man is suddenly discovered in tighter than ever. Cries of "git out!"

NOTICE!—Notice is hereby given therefore, independent on the grown, therefore, independent of the grown and grown and freed of the grown and grown as they disappeared. The third down as they disappeared the grown and friend the grown and this grown as the Lord careful from the grown and this grown as the Lord careful from the grown and this grown as the Lord careful from the grown and this grown as the Lord careful from the grown and this grown as the Lord careful from the grown and this grown as the lord of this sort, we use the long of this sort, we use this grown as the Lord careful from the grown and this grown as the Lord careful from the

wounded hands, and in particular upon | wardly under the supervision of the town | GIRLS WHO GROW UP TO BE MEN. hurts inflicted by glass. By degrees I police and generally regarded by the I was standing in our office, behind acquired the, to me, very interesting public as a shabby individual.

my desk, when our chief entered the fact that some three weeks since, when

"Perhaps. His face made an impresside her bed. Her sleeping room was sion on me, rather; because it did not

and her faithful Frederick, who was her -1 believe your complaining patient her little property, could not protect concerning which I have come down yond, perhaps, delaying the thieves in you give me any idea as to what became ence here is necessary," of the man after you were done with

thin man, with a lantern in his left hand I lost no time in going the same direction. An old tree, which forked at the In a rough, disguised voice he threat- top, and carried a bell in that division, ened to knock out her brains if she so stood on a height near the shore. Here much as ventured to atter a sound,— those who wanted to be ferried over the The unfortunate frau was already voice- river must stop and ring for the boatless from alarm. This speech could man, whose house stood in a sheltered scarcely make her more quiet, but she nook at hand. I shirked preliminaries, could use her eyes, and did so for the and made at once for the dwelling,next few seconds while her visitors re- Here I found a gigantic person, who despeaker were black hose, a blue blouse man, and the customary rower, when, bit and a mask; and that two more men as now, her father was absent. I sought open her chest of drawers. In the farthest back division, covered over by think, not long since," I said. "He agent?" stockings, yarn and flax, lay a round tin was in great haste, being on his way to case, in which she kept her movable. Holland, in order to escape serving here

GROCERIES, TOBACCO AND SEGARS, without. The thieves had found what "Yes, yes," she replied; "a young features. He first drew in his face as if Having got the clothes. Susan Johnson bravado in this composure; it was rath- how such changes test the moral courage they wanted, however, and sprang with man in great baste did surely go over a wishing to look astonished, and then he added to the accessories of heroism two er the calmness of resignation. At the of these! how they destroy the physic

open. They threw themselves upon a "He wore a blue blouse and black difference, After a second or two, dur- hair-pins and pearl-powder and store stood up, and for the last time she em- we are too well acquainted with such ladder without, and descended to the hose?"

We are too well acquainted with such ladder without, and descended to the hose?"

cried for "Help, help!" with all her "Very probably. Two others, I sup-"You may scream as long as you like, now," he numbered, turning away and following the others from the room.

This was how it was, One man the early dawning, I be following the others from the room.

The Kansas Pacine Railway is the "You have heard of a Widow Friedow novel readers of her kind are apt to be, the unhappy man were a prayer for Grand Trunk Railroad from Kansas for the unhappy man were a prayer for Grand Trunk Railroad from Kansas Pacine Railway is the "You have heard of a Widow Friedow novel readers of her kind are apt to be, the unhappy man were a prayer for Grand Trunk Railroad from Kansas for the unhappy man were a prayer for Grand Trunk Railroad from Kansas for the unhappy man were a prayer for Grand Trunk Railroad from Kansas for the unhappy man were a prayer for Grand Trunk Railroad from Kansas for the unhappy man were a prayer for Grand Trunk Railroad from Kansas for the unhappy man were a prayer for Grand Trunk Railroad from Kansas for the unhappy man were a prayer for Grand Trunk Railroad from Kansas for the unhappy man were a prayer for Grand Trunk Railroad from Kansas for the unhappy man were a prayer for Grand Trunk Railroad from Kansas for the unhappy man were a prayer for Grand Trunk Railroad from Kansas for the unhappy man were a prayer for Grand Trunk Railroad from Kansas for the unhappy man were a prayer for Grand Trunk Railroad from Kansas for the unhappy man were a prayer for Grand Trunk Railroad from Kansas for the unhappy man were a prayer for Grand Trunk Railroad from Kansas for the unhappy man were a prayer for Grand Trunk Railroad from Kansas for the unhappy man were a prayer for Grand Trunk Railroad from Kansas for the unhappy man were a prayer for Grand Trunk Railroad from Kansas for the unhappy man were a prayer for Grand Trunk Railroad from Kansas for the unhappy man were a prayer for Grand Trunk Railroad from Kansas for the unhappy man were a prayer for Grand Trunk Railroad from Kansas for the unhappy man were a prayer for Grand Trunk Railroad from Kansas for the unhapp Frederick appeared at this instant, there came a second, and asked anxious- up the thief. I have got on the right the centre of anything in particular. She the remains of her husband in his coffin. Rocky Mountains. It is 114 miles the having been awakened by the noise.— It have got on the right having been awakened by the noise.— It have got on the right having been awakened by the noise.— It have got on the right having been awakened by the noise.— It have got on the right having been awakened by the noise.— It have got on the right having been awakened by the noise.— It have got on the right having been awakened by the noise.— It have got on the right track. You, I know, are related to her, and kissing his lips and arranging the went on an Ohio river boat, with two cities and concerned in the property she possesses as a probable heir. I have got on the right track. You, I know, are related to her, and kissing his lips and arranging the went on an Ohio river boat, with two cities and concerned in the property she possesses as a probable heir. I have got on the right track. You, I know, are related to her, and kissing his lips and arranging the was beyond he seemed content enough, and concerned in the centre of anything in particular. She went on an Ohio river boat, with two cities and concerned in the centre of anything in particular. She went on an Ohio river boat, with two cities and concerned in the centre of anything in particular. She went on an Ohio river boat, with two cities and followed. The third, your friend was beyond he seemed content enough, and concerned in the centre of anything in particular. She went on an Ohio river boat, with two cities and concerned in the centre of anything in particular. She went on an Ohio river boat, with two cities and concerned in the centre of anything in particular. She went on an Ohio river boat, with two cities and concerned in the centre of anything in particular. She went on an Ohio river boat, with two cities and concerned in the centre of anything in particular. She went on an Ohio river boat, with two cities and concerned in the centre of anything in particular. amost choked by a cord twisted round first who had wanted me that day. He straight in the eyes. They sparkled like been born a man. This piratical and my little baby."

the most pleasant of all rail routes to San his neck fastening him to his kennel.— asked me particularly about the two I those of an angry cat making ready to heroic kind of career met with no obsta-

friends privately or by the police publicly, had been in vain. Not the least "Ah! One of the three carried a tin I should have loved to seize him by all. She was on a particular afternoon, on the barren ground, and as the train dented. The Kauses Pacific Homestead clue had hitherto been obtained as to the house-breakers.

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Let be had bitherto been obtained as to box 2" I said slipping a coin into my the throat then and there, shouting, "In the house-breakers, hand the name of the law." To this day I world after she had conquered it, and the widow was in charge.

Let be had bitherto been obtained as to box 2" I said slipping a coin into my the throat then and there, shouting, "In the house-breakers, hand the name of the law." To this day I world after she had conquered it, and the widow was in charge. This was how the matter stood when "I never noticed," answered the girl, wonder how I restrained myself, but I watching the deck hands tumble some that broken-hearted woman turned up to about this country, and can be obtained I arrived at T-, When I had pri- "But I saw that the third man carried a did. vately communicated with the magis- round bundle or parcel wrapped in a red

paid to Frau Friedow. I sought every- "Did he give you a good reward for help me bring the criminal to justice, was, and, when the roustabout disturbed might put me on the right track, but "Nothing more than all the world-ten heritance,

"With his right hand ?"

"Why not?"

But I had soon to cry "lost!" It was was fast. bors, servants, friends or relations,— neighborhood for days. I made friends come back will answer as well." fault as much as though I never had a "Do you know him?"

theless. I made her describe and closely one evening, and sat down near a well-horrible tint and expression now. particularize them all to me. I took up lighted bowling-alley, in which about "Can he do so?" yard on Second street. The woman half a dozen imaginary scents: I can ten gentleman were busy at a game.— "Certainly. He saw the man, dressed came to the front door dressed to go out, half a dozen imaginary scents; I ran ten gentleman were busy at a game, various directions. I worked, in fact, little attention to the players, but leaned robbery was effected." result was simply nothing, nothing, defeat I had sustained and the small es- asked, breathlessly," nothing. I never before had been so ut- timation in which I should be held, for "His name is-Ebbing-1 think," I lay down and began to chew away as if terly puzzled and hopelessly at fault. sake of it, by my colleagues and chief at answered, at haphazard. On the fourth day of my residence at home, feeling altogether extremely out Γ——, I went again to the villa, where of humor. Suddenly an ill-thrown ball this.

expectation. "Frau Friedow," I said, "A miss, a miss!" shouted several here at times."

ss it is so, and confide in me."

sees the game at his gun's end. I was about a quarter of an hour when a trap dashed up to the door. Bottcher sprang the bovine half closed her eyes and left dashed up to the door. Bottcher sprang the thoughts run ahead to fly time. As "I assure you I have not even a shadowy thought such as you describe," she
replied in a much disappointed tone.
And has nothing more struck you

The first method on the alert that second. I lost no time
in finding out all Herr Bottcher's antecedents, He was a merchant, one of
and the respired to the cow wouldn't go, and as the woman
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Taking off ore's shoes in the lower half to which have been often overlooked be- next evening, and set him to work steal. like one enchanted.

"There was one little thing I may not H the medico turned rusty, like this, a crime he is sure to commit some piece were again resorted to without effect, might not. have told before," she replied slowly. - it seemed to me atterly useless to bring of felly. I had reckoned upon this, and and then the woman watched at the

Signed offers himself as a candishase offers, ashed to the decision above offers, ashed to the decision above offers, ashed to the decision and the first necessary of the first necess

up and down the garden.

ure or likelihood of such.

He nodded. stant he knew not how to compose his girl,

good sir ?"

he gasped angrily.

calmly. "I only mean that you must where in the neighborhood, but there haunt many in their dreams.

But—what is it you want of me?"

footprints had been traced, but there was nothing remarkable about their ap- with the doctor, no doubt he had hidden and whose eyes glistened with heavenly depearance, and they had been lost at once the spoils in some hedge. I was upon game had run his head right into my about life than half the people who write at length drove up close to the barrel. Hight as the hawyer began confession, -1

One thing sectord alone certain amid a grievous disappointment to me, Be- "Don't trouble," I said quietly, "By be men,—Philadelphia Times, the maze of perplexity; the housebreak- youd Ems the clue was nowhere to be and by will do for me. I shall be in ers must be sought from among neigh- followed. I labored in vain in this T -- for another week. When you Now the neighbor theory, upon investigation, seemed utterly futile, and one porters, waiters—and walked many a couple of days," he exclaimed. "But glance at old Frederick was enough to weary mile in the hot sun, but all to no stay, one question! Is Dr. Miding North America who isn't afraid of cows

THAT AWFUL COW.

yard on Second street. The woman

eat, and being tired she raised her end,

she had got home from a long visit to

a side window and called upon the cow

but the cow didn't. Then the woman

"By sight only," tions in the habit of visiting at the villa. Nine days had gone by since I had "He will help me to identify the crim- in the world and no other job on hand. The widow had not the faintest suspicome to T-. I turned into a beer inal," I said, coolly looking full again Wednesday forenoon a stray cow, percion of foul play in any of these; never- garden in the neighborhood of the town into my companion's face, which took a haps from the country for a taste of bailed left on the barrel,

hither and thither. I telegraphed in My seat was rather in the shade, I paid like a laborer, the morning after the but seeing the cow she uttered a scream in the sweat of my brow; but, alas! the my head upon my hand and reviewed the "Who was this ruffian?" Bottcher in the yard for the cow to damage or

"I don't know him," was the reply to Europe. The woman next appeared at "I daresay," said I, "he only comes to "git out." A dogimight have "got," "it seems to me hardly possible that you voices together, while one cried, "Why. I arose now, broke off our conversa- threw a rag at the cow and called for are utterly without suspicion in every Bottcher, is your hand not even yet requirer. There must surely be some covered? You are not complaining of one or other on whom your mind has it still?"

There is your hand not even yet read the dog didn't come and the and departed, baving shaken Bottcher rag didn't scare. Then the woman by the hand. I went stealthilly to his shook a pillow at the cow and peremption. one or other on whom your mind has it still?"

by the hand. I went stealthily to his shook a pillow at the cow and peremptors, but fixed, if it were but for a second. Con- I felt like a huntsman in a forest who house and waited. I had been there but to rocks of Judea. A chimney was formed the partner of your love stands in the half.

> "Are those Frau Friedow's papers into the back yard to throw clubs over "Yes, they are," he replied. I made the coachman take us where I the next banged the blinds on the next

FULFILLING HER MARRIAGE VOW.

When a young girl takes the affairs of I meantime was as busy as ever, but this world into her own hands, as most nection with the recent execution of room with a letter in his hand, and ad- the medico was riding home to break- it was little I discovered. Herr Bottcher young girls will do, and sets out on an Walter Watson at Highland, Indiana, dressed me with an invitation to under- fast after an early call, a strange man was certainly not in good repute amongst eventful career on her own book, there for the murder of Ezra Compton. The take the unraveling of a mystery which had suddenly appeared in the middle of his fellows. Nevertheless, I could hear is hardly ever any nonsense about it. She parties had quarreled about the charge more comfortable than the street cars had baffled the local police at T—. I the highway and had implored his help, of no particular difficulty in which he generally gets her ideas from a novel, or of a quarter dollar for some soap made of Damascus," as Mark Twain found consented and departed for the scene of He claimed of having fallen upon a heap had fallen of late, although I did learn | * whole lot of novels, which are forever by Compton, who was a storekeeper, them. In fact, we may glide over the the crime which had been committed, of broken glass, and held out his right that he had, three weeks since, made a around in the way of young girls, and The wife of Walson, to whom he had seas of prairie with scarce a jolt; we much limited, however, as to the time I hand to exhibit its condition. The doc- hasty journey. One little fact, however, organizes herself by the adoption of a been but a year married, endeavored to may settle down in a velvet cushion, bang was allowed for spending on the case, tor took out his pocket case of instru- seemed to be of great worth. Herr resolution that she is no ordinary kind of restrain him from the quarrel, but her our head out of the window and gaze at Two hundred and fifty-five thousand ments, and extracted five splinters from Bottcher these times slept badly, and human being. An accompanying resolumarks had been stolen from the widow the inflamed palm. While he did so the was wont to rise often by night and pace tion is that she ought to have been a execution Mrs. Watson visited the gover- and, without hyperbole, exclaim, all the man, and she begins to make up her nor, with her babe in her arms, and world's a farm! all the world's a flower I lay lurking for two entire nights mind that if she were a man she'd show made a strong personal appeal for mercy, garden! Traveling and sight seeing are under bushes in this same plat; but dur- them how things ought to be done; that but that official declined to interfere be- pleasant on a road like this. sisted chiefly in coupons and such value. "A blue blouse and black underclothes, ing all those weary hours whoever did men as they run are outrageously poor cause the sentence had been confirmed. On this journey you pass over lands come to this place, Herr Bottcher un- sticks, and that if there were one thor- by the supreme court. The faithful once known only to the red man, the fortunately did not, and in the garden I oughly determined man in this world- wife was a daily visitor to ber husband's buffalo and the prairie dog. Now poor could find no trace of any hidden treas- and no young girl ever believed there cell, and joined him in fervent prayers "Lo," like his companions-buffalo and was such the earth would not be allow- for forgiveness. During the last night prairie dog-have racated before the I fell into greater despair than before, ed to revolve another day in the same most of the time she sat on his knee, march of "the pale face" and efviliza-What could I do? Upon one side my old humdrum way it has revolved for breathing words of love and encourage- tion. And that figment of the imaginaabsolute certainty of having tracked my thousands of years, but it would be ment, or at his feet, caressing his hands. tion, "the Great American Desert," man : on the other, no earthly means of turned the other end up without any He was truly a penitent, and expressed where is it? We've been looking for it; bringing home his guilt. If I only had special preliminaries. You have seen himself as having made peace with God. have had our geography on our knee sufficient ground to demand a search that girl a great many times; she has As the time approached for the execution and carefully noted and compared it faith in banks or bankers. As to the otherwise, That is all I can say. But through the rascal's house, but I had been more or less in about every com- she was for a moment overcome, and with our latest maps by authority of U safe, she had averred that if robbers did what makes this matter interesting to not. One afternoon I was walking up munity on the face of the globe. She fell on her husband's neck in uncontrol- S. Survey, but that desert, "like the and down my room considering, when was in a little town in Kentucky the lable anguish, but suddenly she raised baseless fabric of a dream," doth not the post brought me a brief but concise other day, and at the time had more her flaxen head and assisted in arraying appear! The parallels of latitude and factorum and the only male person upon to be the principal in the late robbery, and decisive dispatch from my chief: than ordinary resolution, which, when him for his doom. She had contributed longitude run through and bound luxur-"Return immediately unless all mat- coupled with the ambition to be a man, a necktie and a pair of slippers, and put liant crops of corn, rye, barley, outs and her, an iron box would avail little be- here, "I replied, in a low voice, "Can ters are in train. Give up. Your pres- invariably leads to something desperate, them on him with a flerce determination wheat, and totally put to flight even the It is too bad that we cannot offer the that overmastered her agony. She comb- idea of a desert, This order was like a thunderclap in public anything very romantic in the ed his hair, and seeing all was ready. The opinion too commonly entertained my ears. My commanding officer was way of a name for this Kentucky young said she would go with him. All present that the cultivation of the ground meets plainly displeased at my long delay, girl, but romance must be sacrificed for remonstrated with her, in which the with scanty remuneration, compared Should I simply throw the cards down truth in all cases of fair dealing, and the minister joined. Her reply was a rebuke with other occupations, is altogether erand venture all on one trick this same truth is this young girl's name is Susan that few women would have ventured. reneous. It is true that agriculturists, evening, so as to be ready to depart to- Johnson. The story about her is also "I should not have expected this from a for labor, do not receive as high wages morrow, at furthest? I decided for the true. She had read novels for want of minister. When I was married I prom- as are sometimes paid to first-rate artisomething else to occupy her attention, ised to cleave to my husband for better zans, and particularly confidential electes Twelve gentlemen sat in the town as most young girls do, and the kind of or for worse. I promised this to a min- and accountants in large mercantile oom. My friend made one of literature she encountered was ably cal-to his great surprise. I sat down culated to fire the feminine heart with as far as God will let ms." On reach-But then, it should be remembered. that close to him and began to talk a little. the idea that everything is going wrong ingthegallows the pair soon to be sunder- while here and there a person receives a Presently our nearest neighbor stood up all over the world, and simply for want ed mounted the steps hand in hand, large salary for personal services, severand departed, to my great joy. I bent of one resolute character to grasp the They were seated side by side over the all hundred receive barely sufficient to over Bottcher now and whispered that universe by the coat collar and shake it fatal trap. She again took his hand and meet their personal expenses. We will mained with her. She saw that the clared berself the daughter of the ferry- I had a weighty matter to talk over with into proper shape and behavior. It oc- sobbed with her little head resting upon not institute any comparison as to what curred to the Kentucky young girl that his shoulder, while the minister made each class feels necessitated to expend "What may it be?" he inquired calm- it was her duty to perform this simple the closing prayer. act of heroism for the benefit of human Meanwhile the culprit sat in his chair, usages of society the orinary Libering "You believe I am here as a lottery kind. It was right in the line of her unmoved. A heart-broken wife was farmer, however, has been known to lay

ambition when she came to think about sobbing on his bosom, strong men sob- up more money-though receiving but The only obstacle in the way, that bed, but the man about to be hanged two hundred dollars a year-illan a "I am not, however. I have been sent she was not a man, was overcome by a seemed an uninterested spectator of the clerk in a city who is receiving six hunhere on detective business by the Prus- timely display of true genius and a suit absorbing scene of which he was the dred. We may not change these usages sian police office," Herr Bottcher took of masculine apparel, which, however central figure, For fully five minutes however we may oppose them. Each risking her life by calling for help, when military training loosed her tongue at this revelation significantly. On the in- contrary to the law, doth oft become a he sat there without the least percepti- class has its hardships, there's and SOLD AT BOTTOM PRICES! ground, while the third man still kept bows, and then went out to search for ately, and with "Good-bye, Walter," inclined to be dissatisfied with their some part of the universe that she could stepped back and fell back into the arms condition, think of all this before they "How does that concern me, pray, get a good grip on. Singularly ignorant of the good Christian ladies who were resolve to change their occupation.

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cle for a day or two, and the young girl east-bound train, accompanied by the most beautiful and fertile districts on this "And you will arrest me, I suppose ?" was beginning to feel that it was a ridi- wife. At Richland, a bleak station seven continent, the development of which, by culously simple thing to be a man after miles from Highland, it was deposited the sturdy agriculturists, is unprecesfreight about. It didn't for a moment the occupants of the passing train, most free by addressing S. J. Gilmore, Land "How can you talk so?" I exclaimed occur to her that there was a rat any- of whom had seen the hanging, will Commissioner, Salina, Kansas. ---

being, as you are, interested in the in- it, with all the recklessness of its kind "Greenings."- A youth living on years ago, in a Vermont town, a young it ran by direct line toward the young Bagg street, which must be in Detroit. lawyer-got drunk. The brethern said "With all the pleasure in life," he replied heartily. "I will do what I can. a dagger. It was not a moment for hesitation or heroism. A woman never and marked the barrel: "Greenings- but that they had their little faults, such rate, been accomplished by persons well acquainted with the locality, as entrance and we she jumps up on something and creams.

"Why not?

"Early to-morrow I will come up to does but one thing when she sees a rat: and we she jumps up on something and creams."

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"Not that I saw. I only know he is a driving sharp bargains, screwing the you to consult over the matter, and we she jumps up on something and creams. to the premises had been made by a small door in the yard, of the very exright or left I couldn't say now."

That is exactly what Susan Johnston did, they came. A sawdust wagon came and the driver jumped down and articles they had for sale, otc. But they small door in the yard, of the very existence of which many of the neighbors were unaware. The ladder made use of woman, in spite of her forty summers and must cabin she gave up her two pistols and the driver jumped down and articles they had for sale, etc. But they took her off the bale of took a long look at the barrel. He provers and the driver jumped down and the driver jumped down and took a long look at the barrel. He provers and the driver jumped down and took a long look at the barrel. He provers and the driver jumped down and took a long look at the barrel. He provers and the driver jumped down and took a long look at the barrel. He provers an urgent summons, and must bably reasoned that it had been deliverand been dragged out of a nook in which and her uncertainty upon minor points. Start from T before daybreak. Per-dagger and boy's clothes and concluded ed by a grocer, and he doubtless wonder-own to his sin of taking a glass too much it had long lain concealed. A pane of It was plain that the three ruffians for baps I may be even obliged to leave this glass had been smashed in the window better security had separated, and that evening. I owe a heavy sum of money. The concealed to leave this plain that the three ruffians for they were a temperature people because the world from any further ed why it had not been rolled into the for they were a temperature people because the world from any further ed why it had not been rolled into the for they were a temperature people because the world from any further ed why it had not been rolled into the for they were a temperature people because the world from any further ed why it had not been rolled into the for they were a temperature people because the world from any further ed why it had not been rolled into the for they were a temperature people because the world from any further ed why it had not been rolled into the for they were a temperature people because the world from any further ed why it had not been rolled into the for they were a temperature people because the world from any further ed why it had not been rolled into the for they were a temperature people because the world from any further ed why it had not been rolled into the for they were a temperature people because the world from any further ed why it had not been rolled into the foreign and the foreign of the bed-room to enable one of the as- the last comer was the leader in and the and must appear personally to my cred- home now and got out her ribbons and man drove off. In a quarter of an hour sinner finally went to the confession sailants to slip back the bolt. A few chief benefiter by the crime which had iter and demand further delay. I can-frizzes and has settle down to taiting he returned. "Greenings" were there found a large gathering of brethren and work again. She can read novels with yet, and he drove around the square, sisters, whose bowed heads rose and lasso; only one pull now, and the knot novels, because she has seen a rat. Her No one was in sight and he made a dash confess," began he, "that I never took advice to little girls is not to grow up to for the prize. He probably expected a ten per cent, for money, Six was the rather heavy lift, but when he felt the legal rate,) On this confession down weight of these cobblestones his surprise went a brother's head with a groun. must have been great. He gave one never turned a poor man from my door awful lurch, lifted the barrel about an who needed food or shelter. Hown inch, and as his fingers raked over the went another head, "I confess I never There probably isn't a woman in hoops he grouned in agony and leaped sold a skinnned milk cheese for a new into his wagon as if a dog had been one." Whereupon a sister shricked for and there is not a cow in North Amerireaching for his coat tail. At various mercy, But, concluded the sinner, "I times during the night vehicles were have got drunk, and am very sorry for heard halting and driving away, but it. Whereupon the meeting peaceably ea which would harm one hair of any woman's head if it had the best chance when day broke the "greenings" were dismissed. still there, though only two hoops were

A CITY OF CAVES, -Away out on the | Cultivating a beard. Texas frontier, and in the eastern margin of that vast desert expanse, the ble Liano Estacado, sixty miles north of the ton-harding in the heel. and hurried back. There wasn't a thing little town of Graham, says a letter to a St. Louis paper, there settled about a a year-old baby in your name. year ago a colony from Oregon consisting of nine families. The locality was "dropping in to see who's there."

Having a bad cold in the head and no ly to be had. The settlers, therefore, as handkerchief within hailing distance. Being asked what time it is when your the cold northers of winter were approaching, determined to build habitaproaching, determined to build habita-tions underground. They selected a index your ball goes over the sooner will the hill, in whose sides they excavated rooms, sun of resumption rise like a forty cent skyhalls, kitchens and sleeping apartments, rocket. by running a stovepipe up through the hill to the surface. The dwellings are City, and will be the capital of Baylor walk up stairs noiselessly, and just as the

ly had come, Then the woman went off. The first one hit the window and house, and the cow's horns stuck much The solution of the two fellows ran off down the falling out of the two fellows ran off down the falling out of the two fellows ran off down the falling out of the f

hay, found a gate open and entered a

A PRETTY EXPERIMENT. That con. mon air which we breathe is a substance having weight, can be shown by filling a A DESPERATE HUSBAND. A correglass goblet full, or partly full of water, spondent of the New Biconsfield Times and then placing over it a piece of firm | relates the following : paper or cardboard. If the hand is held firmly upon the paper, the glass may be turned bottom upward and the hand removed without any water being lost, sought her hiding place and tried by "four

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