When the violets are blowing In the lea, And the blooms are lightly snowing From the tree; When the brooklets all meander, And sly Reynard scoops the gander. While he seems to raise her dande Awful-lee : Then I like to float In a boat Over the lake Beside the shore And list in the brake The donkey snore, And watch the billy. The capering billy, Absorb the lily And eat the can which rusts embellish, With a great deal of gusto and goatly relish

Dolce far Niente

Song of the Reaper. My grandfather was right little and old, And crooked and worn was he ;

But his toeth were good, and his heart was

And he swam the waves of a sea of gold. But he couldn't keep up with me Couldn't keep up with me.

Then hie I away to the golden plain We will crash and dash through gliste

And gather the wealth of earth and sun, And the world will eat when our work is do

My father he was bent and lean,

But a widespread hand had he ; And his fingers they were long and clean, And he swung his broadsword bright and

But he never could fight with me-me-me-Never could fight with me ! Then hie ! away where the sunlight sleeps, And the wide-floored earth a granary keeps ; We will capture its bushels, one by on And the world will cat when our work is done

The grain stalk bows his bristling head As I clatter and clash along, The stubble it bends beneath my tread, The stackers' yellow tent is spread, And the hills throw back my song-1

The hills throw back my song ! Then hie ! where the food of nations glows, And the yellow tide of the harvest flows, As we dash and crash and glide and run ; And the world will eat when our work is done - Will M. Carleton, in Harper's Weekly.

MY FRIEND HARRIS.

"There, Emily, I had nearly forgot ten it!" I exclaimed, as I arose from the breakfast-table. "I have invited an old friend to dine with us this even-Let us have those ducks which here yesterday, done in ookie's best style.

"George, you are the most incon-siderate man!" returned my wife, with a rebuking smile and shake of the head.

FOR THE LADIES. silks. . "Yon have been a great 'traveler, I understand?" Emily responded. "I may say I have been in every State in the Union, North and South, East and West." "I thought Europe was the conti-nent yon loved best to roam in?" "Been there too Africa and Asia

glimpse of the thousands on thousands of transformations that the natural ornament of the human skull has un-dergone at the bidding of taste and of

Such gross flattery was as displeasing Such gross flattery was as displeasing to me as to my wife, who replied: "Is it possible, sir, that not even among the Hottentots exists my equal?" "Madam, I assure you, not even there," returned Harris, with serious-there," there is a such as the serious of the ancient Greek Indies, as a solve of the Roman dames, was of an ex-

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said, with what was now to me a repul-

"Been there, too—Africa and Asia— but I have never met before so beauti-

ful a lady.

"Emily, dinner must be ready," I also of the Roman dames, was of an exinterposed, disgusted with the vanity treme simplicity; they parted the hair of my friend, whose intellect was truly on the top of the head and braided it in under a cloud, but whose eye visibly brightened at my suggestion. "I will see," said my wife, as she rose

Europe, but didn't await his answer, and commenced about you, and then gave him our address. He'll be here to-hight. Yon've heard me speak of Harsis?" "Yon've so many friends, George—" "A construction of the use in the heads of the way have a state in the weak heard in the heads of the way heard in the head of the way heard in the head of the way heard in the head of the heard in the head of the head of the heard in the head of thead

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AN EMIGRANT'S ROMANCE.

CENTRE REPORTER.

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CENTRE HALL, CENTRE CO., PA., THURSDAY, JUNE 23, 1881. NUMBER 24. might as well come over, go to Iowa, night" here. They had not made up

New Inventions and Discoveries. The present age may properly be characterized as the golden age of in-ventors and discoverers. So fully con-vinced is the commercial world of the

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that the investigator or inventor has not

Thousands of emigrants have landed there, some to remain only a few hours, other several days, and those that are friends over here saying that they are practicing lawyers. Of the 293 members of the 293 members of the 293 members of the long to wait for a golden havest if here are seventy-six members of the long to wait for a golden havest if here are based and the extenses of the states and the states of the several days, and those that are friends over here saying that they are practicing lawyers. The President and of into several sections, each of which is assigned, as far as possible, to arrivals the eard, but they do not make the dress. They make the news and sometimes the eard, but they do not make the dress. They was the news called out ov, r the plaiting about the neck and sometimes to gay. The works section of Parls. each member's ability is guaged by his rank as a lawyer. When the status of are without a telephone exchange. Prob-

rank as a hawyer. When the status of an incoming Senator is under discussion the remark is frequently heard: "He is a fine lawyer, and will make a good Senator," the general supposition being that because a main is a legal light he must, therefore, be "trimmed and burning" for a first-class stateman. Why the a people of this model remarks and by means and appliances wholly unknown to science at the close of the appendence of this model remarks and by means and appliances wholly unknown to science at the close of the appendence of this model remarks and by means and appliances wholly unknown to science at the close of the appendence of the model remarks and by means and appliances wholly unknown to science at the close of the appendence of the model remarks and the science at the close of the appendence of the science of Why the people of this model republic give such marked preference to the one Up to the date above indicated (1876) particular profession in selecting their legislators and rulers is a conundrum not a single investigator in the depart-ment of electric lighting had carried its

legislators and rulers is a conundrum not yet satisfactorily answered—unless it is because persons bred to the law naturally become expert wire-pullers, in the present Senate there is but one physician; in the House only four. bring the Senate down to a fine point, statistically, there are in that august body eight merchants, two planters, two

Voices of the Night. "It was late last night when you retir "Yes, papa," I stid, with a yawn Behind my fan, "for the horrid man He just talked on and on. The more I hinted the more he staved: I know you were wakeful, too, And I told him so; but he would not go And what could a poor girl do?'

"It was vory late when you retired !" "Yea, papa !" I frankly said, "For the man, you see, just talked to me, Though I yawned till my eyes were red ; And I went so far, when the clock struck twelve, As to count the strokes all through the stopid !- he just wouldn't see-And what could a poor girl do?

'It was worse than late when you retired !!? "Whal tell you, pa!" I cried, 'If I hinted once to the tiresome dunce "Twas a hundred times beside ! Why, I even said you'd been in bed For at least five hours I knew; But he tipped his chair, and still aat there---So what could a poor girl do ?"

"Well, the jeemses-goah! was you up all night !"

"Why, papa !" I humbly plead, "Don't thunder so ! there's a man below And he's sent you his card, and eaid tility and value of scientific research, That the reason why he stayed all night Was, that he wanted to see you, too, There are seventy-six members of the United States Senate, fifty-nine of whom has anything to offer which is new and For what could a poor girl do 2¹⁰

HUMOR OF THE DAY.

The retired theater star is always an ex-acting creature,-Boston Transcript. "Love lightens labor," as the man said when he saw his wife doing his work for him.

Sore financial distress—When you haven't got money enough to buy oint-ment for a wound.—New York News.

A canal differs from most things in one resport-it is always filled before it is opened.-Syracus: Evening Herald.

bankers, five capitalists, two inventors, five manufacturers, two teachers, twelve farmers, four physicians, one architect and builder, four editors, two ministers, one stone-cutter, one insurance agent,

AN EMIGRANT'S ROMANCE. might as well come over, go to lowa, and get a farm, too." "Were you the only ones to leave '"Were you the only ones to leave '"The only ones from Hussaby," he replied; "but a great many people are light" here. They had not made up their minds where to settle, but said '"there only ones from Hussaby," he replied; "but a great many people are light" here. They had not made up their minds where to settle, but said '"the only ones from Hussaby," he replied; "but a great many people are light" here. They had not made up their minds where to settle, but said '"the only ones from Hussaby," he replied; "but a great many people are light" here. They had not made up their minds where to settle, but said '''the only ones from Hussaby," he replied; "but a great many people are light" here. They had not made up their minds where to settle, but said '''the only ones from Hussaby," he replied; ''but a great many people are light" here. They had not made up their minds where to settle, but said '''the only ones from Hussaby," he replied; ''but a great many people are light" here. They had not made up their minds where to settle, but said '''the only ones from Hussaby," he replied; ''but a great many people are light" here. They had not made up their minds where to settle, but said '''the only ones from Hussaby," he cool.--New York Sun. Senators and Congressmen. There are seventy-six members of the United States Senate, fifty-nine of whom '''the senators and the second seventy-six members of the '''the set light" here. They had not made up the inter minds where to settle, but set second seventy-six members of the '''the set light" here. They had not made up the inter minds where to settle, but set second seventy-six members of the ''''the set light" here. They had set light" here. They had not made up the inter minds where to settle, but set second se

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you so extremely, and you will wonder would be considered eccentric. With the advent of the Second Em-