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FARMING and Suddenly the dying man arose. He NEPOTISM. to be a beautiful young lady, some twennow but the work of a moment. The As we continued our journey, the consition you have taken in favor of reform Gardening ty years of age. tottered along the floor. With those Nepotism is already condemned by first shot, fortunately, stretched out the and reconciliation, and therefore of the versation gradually changing from one IMPLEMENTS, Senorita Paula, as I subsequently aschief, the second one took effect on the white fingers, whose nails are blue with listory, and justly; for it is obviously a election of Greeley and Brown. Very thing to another. Senorita Paula sudone nearest to him, and by the time the the death chill he threw open the vaform of self-seeking, hostile to purity of certained her name to be, was indeed one fáithfully yours, F. W. BIRD. denly brought it back to the point where third one was sent on its mission, there | lise. He showed the military coat, of those rare beauties seldom met with To the Hon. Charles government, and strangely out of place Sumner. except in romantic works of fictionarose one simultaneous yell of dismay, rimmed with silver, an old parchmen in a republic. Nothing for self, but all "We are coming upon a dangerous BOSTON, Aug. 30, 1872.-Dear Sir: 1 stitution. Even if indiscreet in charactall, graceful, with a profusion of long, a piece of cloth that looked like the for country and mankind, should be the and the astonished robbers began to All to be distributed among part of the road," she said ; "are you have been honored by your communicablack hair-soft, clear, melting dark eyes ter and impolitic in object, it was not rule of our President: If the promptings wreck of a battle-flag. scatter in every direction. I had no tion of August 24, inviting me in the still resolved to defend yourself if asunconstitional. But in seizing war now--features as perfect as ever came from of his inner nature fall, then must he SHAREHOLDERS disposition to follow them, however; "Look ye, priest, this faded coat i re without the authority of Congresssailed ?" name of the Liberal Republicans of Masthe hands of the sculptor, and with an feel the irresistible obligation of his po-"With your permission, Senorita !" another minute they might rally and spotted with my blood !" he cried, as sachusetts to speak in Faneuil hall. It in upholding the usurper Baez, that he sition. As he does, so will others do animation the most fascinating, varying AS A MAJORITY MAY DETERMINE, "I do not think it advisable;" shereturn upon me; and springing forward. old memories seemed stirring at his is with inexpressible pain and regret might sell his country—in menacing the black republic, and then paying the lobin expression with every changing and, therefore, must his example be such. I grasped the bridle of a freed mustang, head. "This is the last coat I wore that I feel constrained to decline this plied ; "but still, if such is your intenmood of the intellectual possessor. A as to elevate the public service. Nothat a meeting to be held in the city of New York, and vaulted into the saddle. One more when I planted the stars on Ticonderotion, I think it no more than right that flattering opportunity. byist to promote the contrivance, the ing in Washington's career has shone glance at ther bewitching dark eyes you should give me a chance to take a glance around me showed me the Sega. That bullet-hole was pierced in the I had confidently hoped, on returning President did what no other President showed me that she was one who was On the 25th day of November, 1872. with more constant light than his refusal norita Paula upon the body of the chief. fight at Quebec; now I am a-let me home, to meet my fellow-citizens in that part in my defense, since my risk of danever did before, and what, for the sake naturally of a social disposition; and as to confer office on his relations. Even and some of the scattered cowards venerable forum, so dear 'to us all, and of Republican institutions, should be reger will be as great as yours." whisper in your ear." at the time it arrested attention, not onwe rattled away from the gloomy town, The hour and place of meeting will be given through the public press, at least TEN DAYS in advance, thus affording ample time for all to be present in person or by proxy. The 'Read and Forsont Property,' with the Cash Fund, is divided into "And have you really the nerve, after bringing their weapons to bear upon to speak once more on great questions "Now, help me, priest," he said, in a buked by the American people. It was I took the liberty of opening a conversaly at home, but abroad, finding praise in all, to defend yourself?" I inquired. involving the welfare of our country .-the knowledge of these proceedings that me. voice growing suddenly tremulous, England. Of this there is a striking iltion, changed essentially my relations to the " If I had the means, Senor." But recurring symptoms of a painful "Adios Senorita and Senores," said lustration. The Register of the Times. " help me put on this coat of blue and "They tell me," said I, "that the "I have two pistols," said I; "if you character warn me against any such at-I bitterly, "he laughs best who laughs | silver. For you see," and a ghastly auestion. nublished at London in 1795, in an artiroute between here and Mexico is a very will accept of one of them, it is at your tempt. My physician advises me that I PERSONAL MISREPRESENTATIONS. last. smile came over his face, " there is no cle entitled, "Interesting and Authentic dangerous one to travel," must not, for the present, make any service." I allude with hesitation to personal 350,000 Documents Respecting the United States The next moment I was dashing one to wipe the cold drops from my "You are very kind, Senor-but can I "There is little to fear," she replied,public effort, and he prescribes rest. of America," records this homage: "The away down the road, the half-rallied brow; no wife, no child-I must meet misrepresentations on the matter. It has with a sweet smile and in a melodious fire it?" Valued friends, familiar with my condeath alone; but I will meet him as I been said that I promised originally to execution of the office of Chief Magistone, "except from the professional rob-"With ease, Senorita," and producing robbers pouring after me a volley, but dition, unite with the excellent physisupport the treaty. This is a mistake. 1 trate has been attended through a term fortunately not touching their mark. met him in battle, without fear." bers, and they seldom harm any one who one of my revolvers, I explained to her clan knew nothing of the treaty, and had no of four years with a circumstance which. While he stood arraying himself in makes no resistance." They would doubtless have followed In submitting most reluctantly to the manner in which it was to be used. uspicion of it until several months after to an admiring world, requires no comthese admonitions. I cannot renounce "And this, you say, will shoot some me in hot pursuit, but, for the whole that worm-eaten coat of blue and sil-SHARES! "It seems strange to me," I rejoined, mentary. A native citizen of the United the protocol, and some time after the ver, the good preacher spoke to him of the privilege of communicating with that you Mexicans should take such half a dozen times?" some dread they had of my still undisnegotiations were completed; and then States, transferred from private life to "I think it safe to calculate that five faith in Jesus. Yes, of that great faith charged weapon. As it was, I escaped. my fellow-citizens, and therefore, hand things as a matter of course, and deem my simple promise was that it should that station, has not, during so long a charges out of the six will explode, Seand entered the town of Puebla in tri- | which pierces the clouds of human guilt, you a copy of what, with the blessing which are elaborately embellished, sold at ONE DOLLAR EACH, and are numbered and regis-tered from 1 to 850,000, inclusive, in the style of United States Bonds, to guard against loss or resistance a very impolite way of treatterm, appointed, a single relation to any have from me "the most careful and umph, where, it is needless to add, a and rolls them back from the face of of health, I hoped to say. In the House ing the knights of the road, instead of norita." candid consideration ;" and such I gave office of emolument or honor." [Vol. IV. narration of my exploit made me a hero of Representatives undelivered speeches "A very formidable weapon, indeed! boldly asserting your rights, and abating it most sincerely. At first my opposi-God. p. 121. By such confession an admiring she replied; "and with such I can al- and a lion for the time. Here I sold are sometimes ordered to be printed. the evil by a manly spirit of resistance. "Faith !" echoed the strange man tion was reserved and without allusion world looked on. Something would I You may follow this precedent with For myselt, I must consider it the most most fancy we are safe. You have an my captured mustang and trappings to the President. It was only when the do; something, I trust, the American who stood there erect, with the death-Special Attention mine, or do with it as you please. strange business was fully disclosed in cowardly of proceedings, for any respectother, you say, like this?" for enough to indemnify me for what I light in his eye. "Faith ! can it give people will do at the coming election. to is called to the fact that this is not a "Gift En-terprise," "Charity Concert," nor any mere scheme for disposing of tickets, but an absolute bona fide and peremptory Meanwhile, accept my best wishes, and I produced it. had disposed of in the way of presents, able party to set out prepared to quietly, official documents, communicated in me back my honor? Look, ye priest, secure this beautiful praise yet again for "What a beautiful invention!" she and the next day saw me an inside pasbelieve me, dear sir, very faithfully confidence to the senate, and it was still humbly gratify the cupidity of the laour country. there. over the waves, sits George CHARLES SUMMER. observed, reaching over and taking it yours, drones and unprepared to treat them senger in the same dilligencia en route pressed, that I felt impelled to a sterner Washington, telling to his comrades To the Hon. Francis Bird, Chairman, GIFT-TAKING from my hand. Then extending he SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY to their just deserts." esistance. Especially was I constrained for Mexico, where I arrived in safety, the pleasnt story of the eight years war And development of which is given in circulars, and the exact truth of which is given in circulars, and the exact truth of which every sugariber is earnesity requested to verify for himself, to which end the undersigned will afford all rea-sonable facilities. It has been proposed that the property and cash fund should be divided into ands, one of the revolvers in each, she £c., &c. when I found how the neople of Havti "Every traveler, Senor," she replied, without further event worthy of note. Like nepotism, the taking of gifts by a -there, in his royal hall, sits George of continued: "Armed like this, one might [The subjoined is the address referred suffered. It so happened that I had re. What became of the robbers and their should, before setting out, count the public servant is condemned by history. England, bewailing, in his idiotic voice ported the bill acknowledging their inalmost count himself safe against a host to in Senator Sumner's letter, and which cost of his journey, and as of course it is eautiful accomplice I never learned, No honest nature can uphold it.. How the loss of his colonies. And here I-I You say this is fired in this manner? was to have been delivered at Fancuil natural he should value his life highly, but the lesson taught me on that journey ependence and establishing diplomatic well did our late Gen. Thomas, so admit -who was the first to raise the flag of she proceeded, cocking one of the weaprelations between the two countries, hall last week.] it seems to me but natural that he should I have never forgotten; and during the able in character, rebuke this abuse freedom, the first to strike the blow ons as she spoke, and pointing it towards assuring that equality which had been FELLOW CITIZENS: It is on the invi-2,457 Prizes pay a certain sum for positive safety, when he replied to an offer of \$100,000, remainder of my stay in that country against the king-heream I, dying like the road. violated. Not unmoved could I witness tation of the State Committee of Liberal rather than put that life in jeopardy .as I am told, "let me go to my men !"no pretty woman ever had the honor of "Have a care, Senorita, or you will a dog !" For instance, in traveling from Vera Republicans that I have the honor of ad-If not a form of bribery, it is kindred in being my business confident, or of getdischarge it." "The awe stricken preacher started Cruz to Mexico, if he will first reckon dressing you. I shall speak directly on nature, and this has long been recog-But this matter must be decided by the Shar holders themselves. ting possession of my trusty and unfail-The words were scarcely uttered, when back from the dying man while-throb the issue before us. If I am frank and nized, from the Bible down to our day that so much is the fare by the diligening revolvers. plain, it will be only according to my her finger passed the trigger, and one -throb-throb-beat the death-watch cia, and that so much will be required for According to the latter it is destructive; of the barrels was exploded with a sharp We are, by special permission, allowed to re-for to the following gentlemen, whose names are in themselves a sufficient guarantee that the most serupulous care will be exercised in conducting the affairs of the sale. They have also co ted to act as an entertainment on the way, and so much in the shattered wall. nature, and the requirement of duty a "The king by judgment established the THE RIGHT ARM ; report. A minute after and while I was this time. But nothing can I say that for the contingency you speak of, he will 'Hush! silence along the lines there! land, but he that receiveth gifts overthen have the exact cost between the gently chiding her, we heard a loud s not prompted by a desire to serve my throweth it." [Proverbs, chap. xxxix, he muttered, in that wild, absent tone, quick tramp of horses and several sharp, two points; and if he will look at the The Patriot and the Traitor, country, and, especially, to promote that v. 4.] Here again is the example of whole as the sum total of his journey, he rapid exclamations. The next moment as though speaking to the dead; "siera of good will when the assent of all lence along the lines! Hark you Mont-Washington brightly lighting the true Sixty years ago a terrible storm shook will not seem to be robbed by any one our conveyance was stopped suddenly, shall be assured to the equal rights of Republican pathway. The same Presigomery, we will meet there in victory Advisory Board: the city of London. At the dead of the and we saw ourselves surrounded by all. party more than another." dent who would not appoint a relation or in death ! Hist ! silence, my men, some eight or ten mounted men, one of night, when the storm was at its high-THE TWO CANDIDATES. would not take a gift even when out of "That," I replied, "may be, I believe not a whisper, as you move up those H. CLAY PRESTON, New York City. whom, in a loud voice, exclaimed : est, an aged minister, living near the At the approaching Presidential elecis, the Mexican mode of doing husiness, office, His example was in harmony ZENAS C. PRIEST, Utica, N. Y. GEO. FRANK GOULEY; St. Louis, Mo. steep rocks! Now on, my boys, now on! "Yield you prisor.ers or die!" suburbs of the city, was aroused by an with the lesson of colonial days. As long ion the people are to choose between but does not tally with the preconceived Men of the wilderness, we will gain the "Quick, Senorita !" said I extending earnest cry for help. Looking from his wo candidates. By the operation of ou ago as April 20, 1703, Queen Anne, in a idea of us foreign ers." ORRIN WELCH, Syracuse, N. Y. THOMAS J. CORSON, Trenton, N. J. town. Now up with the banner of the my hand; " quick ! in Heaven's name ! window, he beheld a rude man, clad in communication to Lord Combury, Gov-"But every one," replied the fair speaker, "should conform to the customs electoral system and the superad ded dic stars; up with the flag of freedom tho' give me one of those weapons ! for not F. L. STOWELL, Olean, N. Y. the coarse attire of the sweeper of the tation of national conventions, the choice ernor of New Jersey, laid down the fol-Gen. M. N. WISEWELL, N. Y. City, the night is dark, and the snow falis! our time for decisive action !" public streets. In a few moments, is practically limited to President Grant owing rule : that neither the Governor, DANIEL SICKLES, N. Y. City.
DANIEL SICKLES, N. Y. City.
ROBT. S. BRUNS, Charleston, S. C. of the country he visits." Now, now,' shrieked the death-stricken "Nay," she replied, putting the weapwhile the rain came down in torrents. and Horace Greeley, so that no preferleutenant Governor, Commander-in-"And do you then go prepared for this man, cowering there in his blue uniform ons behind her, "you will he too hasty ! and the storm growled above, the ence for another can be made effective. chief, or President of the council, "do | influenced by my opposition? Equally highway robbery? and have you no fear | Let them suppose wa yield-let them with his clinched hands moving in the preacher, leaning on the arm of the Preferring Horace Greeley, I have no receive any gift or present from the Asopen the door." in thus journeying by yourself? air-' now, now ! One blow, and Quebee embly or other on any account or in any scavenger, threaded his way through esitation in assigning the reasons which "Oh, no! it will then be too late." "Well, Senor, what am I to do? is ours !" ead me to this conclusion. Believing manner whatsoever, upon pain of our the dark suburbs. And look. His eyes grow glassy that the present incumbent unfit for the am, as you perceive, an unprotected lady As I spoke, the door was suddenly highest displeasure, and being recalled That very day a strange old man had thrown open, and three or four swarthy, who, for certain reasons, am required to With that word on his lips, he stands great office to which he aspires for a secfrom your government." This rule is as fallen speechless in front of the scavenmake the journey between Percts and | heavily-bearded men presented themgood for our day as for that in which it Liberal Inducements Ofger's rude home. The good hearted there-ah. what a hideous picture of ond time, and not doubting that a vote the capital twice or thrice a year, and selves to my view. street sweeper had taken him on his despair, erect, livid, ghastly ! There for for him would be regarded as the sancwas ordained by royal authority. There fered to Agents and "Back, Senorita, for the love of God I" you certainly could not expect me to tion of abuses and pretensions unrepubis another instance which should not be own bed-he had not spoken once-and a moment, and then he falls! He is Canvassers. prepare to resist an armed band. As to I cried, grasping at her arm. lican in character, I early eaw the difforgotten. It is that of Lord Wellesley, dend! Ah! look at that proud form, he was dying. "Hold ! she exclaimed, instantly pre fear, I will not deny I have my share of ficulty of taking any part for his re-electhe accomplished brother of the Duke of This was the story of the rough man. thrown cold and stiff upon the damp that; but, so far, I have never met with senting one of my own revolvers to my tion. Long ago I declared that, while Wellington: A word so common as that And now, thro' dark alleys, among floor. In the glassy eye there linger any rough treatment, and of course I head. "Resistance is useless !-- you are SPECIAL TERMS MADE WITH recognizing party as an essential agency miserable tenements, that seems to topeven yet horrible energy, a sublimity of of Smiles on Self-help, records that while trust to the saints that my fortune will our prisoner !" and convenience, I could not allow it to governor general of India, he positively CLUBS. ple down upon their heads, into the "Good God!" exclaimed I, perfectly despair. ever be as propitious." constrain my conscience against what refused a present of £100,000 from the diloneliest and dreariest suburbs they For full particulars, shares, references, Who is the strange man, dving here "And have you really been robbed on astounded. "Our prisoner did you say? seemed the requirements of public good. rectors of the East India company on the scriptive circulars, illuminated views, &c., &c. pass-that white haired minister and alone in this garret, this man who, in your journey back and forth?" I in- Is it possible that one so fair and lovely Regarding always substance rather than conquest of Mysore, and here the terms his guide at last, in a narrow court, and all his crime, still treasured up his blue JOHN A. LEFFERTS, as yourself is in any manner connected form, I have been indifferent to the name of his refusal are important. "Is is not uired up a flight of stairs that creaked be- uniform and faded flag? General Manager, 603 Froudway, NY "I think I have paid my share to the | with these banditti?" by which I might be called. Nor was I necessary for me to allude to the inde-"It is even so, Senor," she replied, Who is this thing of terrible remorse Box 3459. JOHN W. SIMONS, Segretary, neath their tread, and then into the adrones for my transit through their suppressed by the way in which the canpendence of my character, and the pro. Greeley, each of controlling importance; death room. with one of her most bewitching smiles. didate was urged. Supporters, while adper dignity attaching to my office.-Other | one looking directly to purity and offi-This man, whose memories link some country," she laughed. JOHN C. SMITH, Treasurer, N. Y. Merchants Exchange, 50 and 52 PINE It was, in truth, a miserable place. thing of heaven and more of hell? "And you expect to continue a repe With this I quietly stepped back, and mitting his failure, and even the abuses reasons besides these important considtition of the same for the rest of your one quick, searching glance put me in A glimmering light stood on a broken Let us look at that parchment and and pretensions so notorious in his civil | erations lead me to decline this testimo- | or to the peace and welfare of our counstreet. HAug. h 1872-int possession of the whole state of affairs. chair. There were the rough walls, that flag! ---ife, commended his re-election as neces. ny, which is not suitable to me. I think life?" try.



east I hope to be always prepared."

"And your fellow-travelers ?" said I ;

have you never seen any disposed to

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Miscellaneons. THE BEAUTIFUL DECOY.

resist these unlawful acts ?" "Once, Senor, an American and an FROM THE UNPUBLISHED CHRONICLE OF A TRAVELER. Englishman, who were in the same dili-It is well known to all in any degree gencia, with me, fired upon the robbers. amiliar with the history of Mexico, that

killing one and wounding two." "Aud did the robbers fire back ?" a regular system of highway robbery ex-Yes, but fled immediately and fortu ists in every section of that miserably nately injured none of our party." governed country; and that through a "As I should have expected," returned want of interference by the authorities, I. "You were not robbed on that octhis has grown up into such a regular

casion, I suppose ?" and formidable shape, that every travel-"We were not, Senor; but the two er must be prepared to put his life at hazforeigners subsequently paid dearly for ard at every stage, or be provided with a their resistance ; for in journeying back uitable contribution for los eaballeros del and forth, both were killed, sepacamino (the knights of the road.) who. in the event of finding you prepared and rately and at different times, near the same spot. You see there crosses by willing, will make their levy with a politeness only equaled by the smiling the side of the road, Senor ?" landlord when he receives your over-"I have observed them frequently, but here they seem to be much more charged fare for your last night's entertainment. Why such systematic boldnumerous," I replied, looking forth ness of robbery is allowed-if not with from the vehicle. connivance, at least with very rarely any "Each stands on the spot where interference of the government or state

some one has met a violent death, she authorities-is one of those mystical matrejoined; and as we go along, I will ters which among many others, so puzcall your attention to those which mark zles and perplexes the intelligent forthe places where the foreigners met eigners : but that such is the disagreeable theirs.' every traveler through that "Do you know," said I, "that I am country can now bear amply resolved to emulate their example, let

the consequences be what they may." Some years ago, having business which "Holy saints defend us!" she exfirst called me to the Capital of Mexico, claimed; you are not in earnest, Seand thence through the interior of the nor !" country to the northward, I met with " Seriously so, I assure you."

several thrilling adventures which I "You would only bring certain have recorded for the benefit of whomsodeath upon us.both." soever may take an interest therein. "Say, rather, I should lighten the omitting only the dates, they being non-

expenses of the journey—for you knighs essential to the interest of the narrations of the road understand retreat as well as advance—and you yourself have ac-The first of the series occurred on the knowledged that firm resistance put route between Vera Cruz and the city of them to flight for once."

Mexico. 'In the regular diligencia run-"But there were numbers opposed to ning between the places just mentioned I had taken passage, and had passed them, Senor, and you are only one." through the city of Jalapa, and entered "But fortunately I have a couple o revolvers, which in two good hands, the gloomy town of Perote, without amount to some ten or a dozen shots. meeting with any unusual incident. and my friends have repeatedly told though continually warned to be on my me I am not a bad marksman." guard against the dangers of the road.-At Perote, where we halted for a relay "Ah! Santa Maria! you will think better of this, Senor ?-the very idea of and some refreshments, all my fellowpassengers took leave of me, very solesistance terrifies me." emnly assuring me that, if assailed by "But not the idea of robbery?"

the ladroncs, or robbers, it would be "Because I have never met with viomuch better for me to take matters quilence.' etly, and suffer myself to be genteely We continued to converse in a simi-

plundered, than to run the risk of havlar strain for some time longer-my ing my throat cut for assistance, as I had fair companion gradually changing the somewhat boldly proclaimed it was my subject, and seeming much interested intention of doing. I thanked them for in myself. I learned that her family heir advice, and replied that I would ame was Valerde, that she was unmartake the matter into serious consideraried, that her father and brother were officers in the army, and so forth and so

At Perote, I repeat, all who had been on.; and in return I gave her my name, my companions from Vera Cruz took stated something of my history business leave of me, this being the end of their and prospects, and altogether became journey in that direction ; but there was more communicative than I would adone new passenger here to go forward, vise any friend to be with any stranger whom, to my agreeable surprise, I found

"Who knows ?" she replied. "At The robbers, some eight or ten in num- there the solitary garret window, with ber, and all well armed, were collected the rain beating through the rags and flag-it was a blue banner, gleaning around me, part of them mounted, and straw, which stuffed the broken panes the others standing on their feet, hold--and there, amid a heap of cold ashes

CARLISLE, PA., THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1872.

ing their mustangs by the bridle. Lookthe small valise which it seems the ing upon my case as a desperate one, so stranger had with him. far as being plundered was concerned, I In one corner, on the coarse straw o still retained my presence of mind, and did not wholly despair. True, I had the ragged bed lay the dying man. He was half dressed-his legs were concealbeen outwitted and disarmed, and now ed by military boots. stood singly between numbers, but the The aged preacher drew near and idea of vielding tamely to this outrage looked upon him. " And as he lookedwas repugnant to my very nature, and I throb-throb-you might hear the resolved to put the least favorable oppor-

death watch ticking in the shattered tunity for defense and retaliation to the valt. It was the form of a strong man, "Will you accept this purse?" said I grown old with care more than age. producing one that held several gold There was a face that you might look coins, and handing it to the chief of the upon once, and yet wear in your mem-

adrones. "Thank you, Senor! you are very kind ! he said, as he took it in his hand, and look on the face. with a polite bow, and chinked the noney

strongest test.

third.

and conversation ?"

ing the other.

to pick it up.

vrinkle between the brows-long locks "This diamond pin may prove of dark hair, sprinkled with gray—lips ceptable to your friend," I added, as I ceptable to your friend," I added, as I firmly set, yet quivering as though they quietly removed it from the bosom of had a life separate from the life of the my shirt, and handed it to the gentleman-and then, two large eyes, vivid,

nan on the left, who received it in the burning unnatural in their steady same polite manner. "This diamond glare. ring I trust you will retain as a keep-Ah, there was something so terrible in that face-something so full of unutsake !" I continued, drawing the jewe

from my finger, and presenting it to a terable loneliness, unspeakable despair. that the aged minister started back in "I beg your pardon, Senores," I pursued, glancing at the Senorita Paula, horror.

who, with my pistols still in her posses-But look, those strong arms are clutchsion, was quietly standing within the ing at the vacant air—the death sweat dilligencia, regarding the whole prostarts in drops upon the cold brow—the eeding with one of her sweetest spilles. man is dying.

Throb! throb! throb! beats the death I must not forget this beautiful lady I watch in the shattered wall. have here," I went on, at the same time producing the article, a "very "Would you die in the faith of beautiful gold snuff-box-set, as you perceive, with diamonds-will your Christian ?" faltered the preacher, as he knelt there on the dark floor. ladyship honor me by accepting this as The white lips of the death-stricken

slight token of my regard for the man trembled, but made no sound. pleasure afforded me by your company Then, with the agony of death upon him, he rose to a sitting posture. For

the first time he rose to a sitting posture "You are a very gallant gentleman enor !" she laughed, taking the two For the first time he spoke:

revolvers in one fair hand and present-"Christian ?" he echoed, in that deep tone which thrilled the preacher to the heart, "will faith give me back my honor? Come with me-with me, far, I reached the box toward her-but my hand trembled a little--and just as the present was about to touch her finfar over the water. Ha! we are there! This is my native home. Yonder is the gers, it slipped and fell between us. "A thousand pardons, Senorita, for church in which I knelt in childhoodmy awkwardness," I said, as I stooped yonder, the green on which I sported when a boy. But another flag than

that waved when I was a child. And Now was the all-important moment listen, old man, were I to pass the -the moment of life and death. All street as I passed when but a child, the were in a measure off their guard, and babes in their cradles would raise their one quick, furtive glance showed me tiny hands and curse me. The graves that the girl still held my weapons in yonder church-yard would shrink. carelessly in one hand, with the other from my foot-steps, and yonder flag remaining extended for the prize. I lifted the box carefully, but as I raised my heart."

myself I gave a wild, startling yell, and That was an awful death-bed. Th as the Senorita started back, I, with the minister has watched the "last night." quickness of lightning, seized both with a hundred convicts in their cells weapons, and wrenched them from and yet never beheld a scene so terrible as this.

To wheel and commence firing was will, I doubt not, sustain you in the po of either sex in a strange country.

The old minister unrolled that faded sary to uphold the party with which I have been associated. But it is easy to see that a vote for such a candidate on with thirteen stars. ich a reason was "to do evil that good He unrolls that parchment. It is a might come," which is forbidden in pol-Colonel's commission in the Continental Army, addressed to Benedict Aritics as in morals. Two sources seemed nold!

And there, in that rude hut, while the death-watch throbbed like a heart, in the shattered wall-unknown, unwept, in all the bitterness of desolation. lay the corpse of that patriot and trai-

Bolunteer.

O, that our own true Washington had een there, to sever that good right arm from the corpse, and while the dis-

a gallant blow for freedom; yonder at Ticonderoga, Quebec, Champlain, and Saratoga-that arm yonder, beneath the snow white mountain, on the deep silence of the dead, first raised into sight the banner of the Stars.

It was during the renowned expedidon me if say that to me it was of petion through the wilderness to Quebec. culiar interest. For years I have sought that Arnold encamped for two or three to establish in the national government days beside the River of the Dead, near the great principles of the declaration of snow white mountain, which rose in independence, avowing always that when this was done nobody should surpass me ovely grandeur over all the other n generosity toward former rebels. Not mountains into the autumnal sky. A single soldier ascended the mountain only by the logic of my life, but by conwith the hope of beholding from its stant speeches, was I bound to welcome hose who placed themselves on th summit the rocks and spires of Quebec, glorious platform. The extent of this When he came down, Arnold took from obligation will appear before I close; and his breast, where, four days in privation now its performance harmonizes with and danger, he had carried it, a blue pposition to the prolonged misrule of banner gleaming with thirteen stars. He raised it into the light, and for the he present incumbent. first time the Continental Banner floated TWO REASONS IN FAVOR OF GREELEY.

over the solitudes of the Dead River. Evidently I am not at liberty to ab-This is a fact attested by history and stain from voting. In considering the reasons in favor of Horace Greeley, I corroborated by tradition.



with the one term principle, without which this reform is too much like a SUMNER TO HIS CONSTITUENTS. sham; and, secondly, that he represent residential Candidates Contrasted econciliation, not only between the two REASONS IN FAVOR OF MR. GREELEY sections, but between the two races, EXTRACT FROM MR. SUMNER'S SPEECH. which is essential to the repose of the country and the safeguard of equal rights. LIBERAL REPUBLICAN HEADQUAR-To these must be added that he does not TERS, No. 21 School street, Boston, Aug. represent those personal pretensions s 4, 1872.-My Dear Sir: I am directed utterly inconsistent with Republican by the Liberal Republican State Comgovernment which are now known as mittee to communicate to you a vote, of Grantism. In voting for Horace Greewhich the following is a copy : ley you will not sustain nepotism, you Voted, That the Chairman, in the will not sustain gift-taking rewarded by name of the Liberal Republican State official favor, and you will not lend

Committee, invite the Hon. Charles Sumner to address his constituents on public sanction to the San Domingo machina would strain a baptism of blood upon affairs in Faneuil Hall at the earliest day tion, with its unconstitutional usurpathat may suit his convenience. and its indignity to the Black Republic Allow me to add my earnest persona

wishes that you will be able to comply with the request. "The great soul of the Elsewhere I have considered these fully and I am not aware of any answer to world is just," and the sober second these undeniable facts. I shall only thought of the people of Massachusetts glance at them now.

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open. One was to abstain from'voting, and I confess that this was my first inclination. But it is not easy for me to be neutral, certainly where wrong doing is in question; nor is it my habit to shrink from responsibility. But the doubt that beset me was removed when I saw the Democratic party adopt the candidate opposed to President Grant, being an count of their victories, can be no preoriginal Republican already nominated by a Republican Convention, and at the same time accept the Republican plat-But the case against the present incumform on which he was nominated. An old party which had long stood out against the Republican cause now placed itself on a Republican platform, the best

zens but subsequently appointed the gift makers to office, thus using the Presidenever adopted, with a Republican candicy to pay off his own personal obligations. date, who was the most devoted candi-Please bear this in mind, and when some date ever nominated, thus completely apologist attempts to defend the taking accepting the results of the war and ofof gifts, let him know that he must go still further, and show that the Presidenfering the hand of reconciliation. At once the character of the contest changcy, with all its patronage, is a perquisite ed. This was no common event. Par to be employed for the private advantage of the incumbent

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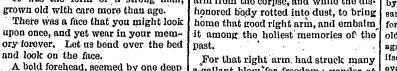
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Next in illustration of the prevailing aisrule is the Santo Domingo business, with its eccentricities of wrong doing, and this, too, is now in issue. At the thought of this unprecedented enormity. there wrong assumes such various forms. it is hard to be silent; but I shall be brief. The case is clear, and stands on documents which cannot be questioned. I keep within the line of moderate statement, when I say that from the beginning of government, nothing in our foreign relations has been so absolutely inlefensible. It will not do to call it simply a fault and an insolence; it was at elaborate contrivance, conceived in lust of territory, pursued in ignorance, maintained in open violation of the national constitution, pushed forward in similar find two, different in character, but of chief importance-first, that he repreviolation of international law in fundasents a reformed civil service, beginning mental principles, and crowned by intolerable indignity to the black republic, even to the extent of menacing hostilities and the sinking of its ships-all without the authority of Congress, and by Presidential prerogative alone. In this drama, the President, like a favorite actor, assumed every part. In negotiating the treaty, he was President : in declaring war, he was in Congress; in sending ships and men, he was comman-der in chief; and then, in employing private influence with Senators, to promote his scheme according to the promise in the protocol with Baez, signed it

his name by Orville E. Babconk, entitled therein, "aid-de-camp of his excellency General Ulysses S. Grant, President of tions, its violations of international law, the United States of America." he was lobbyist. That such things can be done by a President without indignant condemnation. loud and universal, shows a painful demoralization in the country. That their author can be presented for re-election to the Presidency, whose powers he has thus misused, shows dis-

heartening insensibility to public virtue. Here I remark that so long as the President confined himself to negotiation, he vas strictly within the line of the con



the wrong inflicted upon them. And has it come to this, that the President of the Great Republic Instead of carrying peace and good tidings to Africans commencing the experiment of self-government, should become to them an agent of terror? It is difficult to see how T could have done otherwise. Anxlous to excuse the anger toward me, it has been said that I opposed the treaty because Mr. Motley was unceremoniously removed from the mission at London; and here you will see the extent to which misrepresentation has gone. It so happens that Mr. Motley was removed on the day immediately following the rejection of the treaty. Evidently my opposition was not influenced by the removal, was the removal absurd is the story that I am now influenced by personal feelings. I am a public servant, trained to duty, and now, as always before, I have yielded

only to this irresistible mandate.' With me there is no alternative. The misconduct of the Bresident, so apparent in the Santo Domingo device, became more conspicuous in the light of illustrated facts, showing it to be a part of a prevailing misrule, which, for the sake of our country, should not be prolonged. As a patriot citizen, anxious for the na . tional welfare and renown, am I obliged to declare these convictions. I am now brought to those two chief measures to be advanced by the election of Horace ciency in the government, and the oth-