# The Culumbia Spu. 

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| ly, make it when it can be obtained in quantity, a desirable and highly ornamental wood. But it will not grow well upon a poor soil, or if it does it is into a dwarfed bush, rather than a full grown tree. Beneath the Locust tree, vegetation flourishes better than bencath any other tree with which we are acquainted. On some soils grass actually seems to grow better in quality and more in quantity beneath the shades of this tree, and if we mistake not, we have seen it recommended in some agricaltural publication to ses out Locust trees upon sterile spots, for the parpose of obtaining a green sward. <br> J: S. A. <br> New Oxford, Pa. |
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$\underset{\text { Positions Reverssed }}{\text { A wealthy old planter, }}$ A wealthy old planter, who used to
govera procinct in Alabama, in a recent
skirmish was taken prisoner, and at a late govern a precinct in Alabama, in a recent
skirmish wast taken rensoner, and at a kate
hour brought into camp, where a guard hour brought into camp, where a guard
was placed over him. The aristocratic
rebel, supposiing everything was all righit rebel, sapposing everything was all right
-that he was secure enongh any way a
a prisoner of war-as a committee of the a prisooer of war-as a committee of the
whole, resolved himself into sleep's dead slumber. Awakening aboat midnight th
find the moon shining fall in his face, he chanced to "inspect his guard,", when
horror of horrors! the soldier was a negro. And, worso than all. he recognized in
that towering form; slowly and steadily that towering form; slowly and'stemdity
walking a beath, one of his own sleves Humar nature could not stand that; the prisoner was earaged, furious, and swote
he would not. Addressing the giand, through clenched tecth, foamming at at the
mouth he yelled out : "Sambo !": "Well outh, he yelled out : "Samba "" "Welly,
assa." Send for the Colenel to come imediately. My own slivé can ge; no gentleman would submit to it." Laiughingly in his gleove the drwk facea That dignitary appeared, and presently After listening to the Southernersi im passioned harangue, which was full of in-
vectives, the colunel turndd to the negro
with, "Sum !" "Yes, Colonel." "You know this gentleman, do you'p" "Ob
course ; he's Massn B., and has big plan course ; he's Massa B., and has tig plan!
tation in Alabaun." "Well Sand just'take
care of him to-night!" and the "oficer care of him to-night!" and the "ofice
walked away. As the sentinel again paced
his beat, the grentleman from Alibabima his beat, the yeatleman from 'Alibaima
appealed to him in an argumesti. "Liss
ten, Saumbo!" "You hush dar ; F's done ten, Sambo!" "You hush dar; $\mathrm{I}^{\prime \prime}$ done
gone talkin to you now:. Hush rebel l" was the negroes emphatic commaidid,bring

 he sank back apon'a blanket, in hoyrtor
and shame that night, that he believed and shame that night, that he believed
humau bondage was. a divine, institution,
ordnincd of God ? Carionitias of the Bartion In digging at the city of Modenan, in
Italy and about about four miles aronid taly and about about four miles around
it, when the workmon aarrive at the the
depth of sixty feet they come to a bed of depth of sixty feet they come to a bed of
chalk, which they bore with and augur five feet deep. They then withdraw from
the pit beforo the augur is removods: and the pit beforo the augur is removod, and
upon its extraction the wntar burstatip through the aperture with great violence
aud quiokly fills this new mado well Which oontinues full, and is affected by
weither rains nor droughts. But: thet which is nost nor remarkabie is, Buat tht the deph of fourteen feet are foand rhe ero
mains of an ancient oity-paved. streets; houses, floors and differeut pieces of mio-
saic. Underneath is à soft, earth, mindo up chiefly of vegetable matter; mendiat tweaty-six feet deep large treeis.entiré,
such as walnut treos, with walnute' still on the estem, aud the leaves sad braciohes in a porfect state of preservation... At
twenty-eight feet deep a sof chak is
found, mixed with a vast quantityofshells found mised with a vast quantityof shellss
and this bed is eleven foet thick:
Under it teretables are found acina with Thirtoen Weys by Whath People Git 1st Eating too fast, and swallowing food imperfectiy masticated.
2d. Taking too much flaid during
menls meals. Driaking poisonons whiskey and
3d. other intoricating liquors.
4th. Keeping late hoo 4th. Keeping late hoars at nigh
and sleeping to late in the noraing. .:
5th. Wearing the clothes so tight 5th. Wearing the clothes so tight Oth. Wearing thin s she circulation. 7th. Nearingingin thoes. the take suficient ex-
ercise to keop the hands and foet wario. 8th Neglecting to wask tote body
sufficiently to keep the pores of the atio open. Exchanging the warm clothing
9th. Exche
worn in a very warm room daring the worn in a very warm room daring the
day for the night costumes and expoos ures incident to evening partios.
$\qquad$ Ts a vain and foolish passion for droes.
11 lh. Keeping up a coestant exoitetrounles. Employing cheap dootors,
swall
swawing quach noetrums for orvery inim ${ }^{13 t h}$ agi. Taking the menls at irregular sont a sword to Harry Gilemore, and two
ur threc of them are now enjoying the hospitalities of Colonel Wolley, in conso-
quence.
-A chemist in Liverpool, who sold
strychnine by mistake and killod a man was sued by the widow, añd

