Lancaster Entelligencer.

TUESDAY EVENING, DEC. 14, 1880.

" ONLY ASLEEP." "Only asleep"-what a calm, sweet repose! What she is dreaming of who on earth knows:

Waxen her fingers and marble her brow. Who from her slumber can waken her now "Only asleep," with her blue eyes closed tight, But they have opened in heaven's bright light;

Never with quick starting tears will they quiver, Weeping is ended across the "Dark River.". Lips so compressed, here their cooing is o'er.

Sweetly they sing on the tar "Golden Shore;" Pure little mouth that so often we've kissed, From morn until e'en how much you'll be Little hands foided and filled with fair flow-

Nothing you'll know of the toil that is ours; Beautiful feet that earth's dust never trod. Soon you'll be mouldering under the sod. Dear little shoulders, so fat and so fair,

White wings upon them are flying up there; Pulscless pure heart that never knew sin, Gladly the angels have welcomed you in. Oft will I seek thee, oh! seek thee in vain,

Ne'er will you brighten this dark world again: Eweetly you sleep with the earth for your bed. All that is left me -a tress from your head.

'Only asleep," yet what anguish is mine, Thank God, little angel, such ne'er can Sleep calmly, sleep in the dear Saviour's arm

Away from this world of grief and alarm. How peaceful her sleep! I'd not take her from And bring her back now, stack to heaven sh

been : But as every day o'er her absence I ween, God grant I may think she is only asleep.

NATURE'S LEVES. BY MANNIE M. HUMPHREY

For the INTELLIGENCES, Oh singing bird with lowly nest, And plumage brown and plain, The summer soon will pass away And yet thou knowest no pain. God eareth for us all," she says, "He gives us joy and love; I hear the singing of my mate

In the apple bough above," Beautiful cloud above the hill Hide not the shining cord Of silver lining bursting out And couldst thou but afford Of all the love thy bosom holds

One little ray for me? On heavenly cloud, 'twould be a path To lead my soul to thee! Thou happy brook with smiling face,

That tells of ceaseless joy, Well may thy laugh be low and sweet And life seem but a toy. All day thou art kissed by the sunlight's

And flash back ray for ray. And the nodding flowers upon thy face See love's reflections play.

Beautiful lily, fairest of flowers, What tales of love can'st tell? Does the sigh of the zephyr stir thy heart, And bow thy modest bell? Thy cup is home for the fairy sprite.

When the moon begins to wane, That softly sleeps in her fragrant nest Till moonlight comes again. Glorious Nature, earth's own queen,

Thine is a royal crown: And rare are the gems that with lavish hand In love thou scatterest down. But what are all to tear-dimmed eves When hearts no kindred know? Like Autumn leaves they tall unseen, And lie beneath the snow.

Entirely Inexcusable. New York Times.

As is generally known, Sir John Lubbock associates exclusively with ants. This is, of course, creditable to him. Long ago Solomon urged that large and influential class of his subjects, the sluggards, to cultivate the society of ants, and what is good for a sluggard is good for other peo-ple. If Sir John has by honest and honorable means obtained admission to the best circle of ant society, he is acting wisely to keep up such intimacies with leading ants as he may have formed. When, however, he proceeds to meddle with the social and private affairs of ants he takes an unpardonable liberty. He would not go into a fellow British baronet's house and dismiss his housekeeper or in other ways interfere with his domestic arrangements. Neither would be dream of crossing over to France and upsetting the republic and placing a king or an emperor on the throne. His sense of delicacy would prevent him from thus meddling with British baronets or neighboring nations, and he must know that a man is bound by the laws of politeness whether he associates with ants or human beings. Nevertheless, he has taken it upon himself, to meddle in the most inexcusable way in the private and public affairs of ants, and is so insensible of the indecency of his course that he has actually written a book describing his rude and lawless conduct and mentioning his and lawless conduct and mentioning his habit of eavesdropping in order to listen to the conversation of auts. This is simply shameful, and one wonders if Sir John has any human friends, and if so, how the could permit him to publish so disgraceful a book.

There really seems to be nothing which Sir John Lubbock does not consider himself at liberty to do in connection with ants He tells us that he has repeatedly broken into a royal ant palace and kidnapped the queen. This he had done merely in order to see what the ants would do without a queen. He found that after the first excitement following the discovery of their loss had subsided the ants established a republic. In every instance the republic proved successful, and the ants became warmly attached to it. They found that queens were an expensive luxury, and were in no sense nec-essary, and they soon evinced a hearty dislike of effete monarchical institutions. Sir John, however, would not let them enjoy their republic in peace. He placed foreign queens, kidnapped by him from distant ant communities, in the heart of his ant republics, and evidently hoped that their authority would be recognized. The republican ants, however, never failed to kill the invading queens, and so fierce was the republican spirit displayed by them that not a reactionary ant ventured to show any sympathy with the royal

What could be more atrocious than Sir John's conduct in this matter? Not only did he wantonly bring about revolutions in quiet and contented kingdoms, but he also tried to produce counter revolutions in orderly republics. What can he say in defense of his treatment of the innocent queens whom he first dethroned and kidaspped and afterward lured to a violent death by inducing them to act the part of pretenders? If the man can find any possible excuse for himself, the sooner he pro duces it the better it will be for his reputation among upright and honorable men

Sir John has also forcibly exiled republi can ants, apparently for no other crime than that of accepting republican institutions after he himself had forced them to do so. On several occasions he removed a colony of ants a long distance from their original home, and when they were demoralized by their calamity he suddenly unfurled the standard of royalty by placing a queen among them. In these circumstances the demoralized ants instantly accepted the royal pretender as a saviour of society, and implored her to rule them with were republican by conviction were led to accept monarchical institutions as the only alternative to anarchy. Were Sir John to go over to Paris and cre-

ate a state of anarchy which would lead

the frightened Frenchmen to revive the empire, he would know that he was guilty of violating international law and of meddling in matters which did not concern him. He does not seem to have the least idea that he is acting in an equally repre-hensible way toward confiding and helpless ants.

Sir John also tells us that the ants are habitual liars, and that one will not beieve another's word. He has often hid behind a currant bush and listened to an ant trying to convince his fellows that he had found a valuable dead beetle. So little confidence does an ant place in the veracity of another ant that in nine cases out of ten the reply to the information about the beetle would be "Oh, that's too thin," or like expressions of incredulity. Some-times the ant thus insulted would succeed in inducing another to follow him and see

if the dead beetle was a reality or a mere campaign story. The incredulous ant would need to be coaxed along, and his want of faith in his conductor would be plainly expressed by his careless and irresolute manner. Finally the pair would come within sight of the beetle; the incredulous ant would brighten up and re-mark, "Well I should smile," and would instantly rush to cut a good sized beetle steak and to take it home to his family. Very likely this is all true, but the ques tion is, ought Sir John, after being admitted to an ant hill, to abuse the hospitality of his hosts by telling stories reflecting on their veracity? What if the ants are so much in the habit of lying that no ant will believe another's word if unsupported by evidence? Is it the part of an honorable man to arrive at the knowledge of this fact by eavesdropping and then to publish it to the world? Sir John Lubbock ought to be heartily ashamed of himself, and if he had his deserts he would be invaded by swarms

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