

teet, some one sobbing violently, and some

one talking very hurriedly ; and when he

reflected upon Colonel C.'s singular move-

ments and the peculiar expression of his

countenance, he became alarm d, and de-

termined to go up and see what was trans-

dle of the floor, down upon one knee, with

Colonel could sufficiently control his feel-

ings, he told Mr. B. that he had never

Moses responded : "Bress God, Massa C.,

his arms around the Colonel's waist, and

When he reached the head of the stairs,

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al, as well as the meraruban of the ground rad, 'stent for the improvement.

special attent

sently invited to examine the Stock. Country Standarpers can be accounted at Now marring dawns : the land in sight, ery low rstem 1. L. Cararr of Second & Market Sis Phila. Apgl 19, 1851.--tf. LIGHTNING RODA subscriber has constructed a LIGHTP. Only the orphans do not stir. L NING ROD on true Philosophical primei-tes, by which buildings supplied with them are. They reached their house this starcy night! Of all this bustling train : and early preficitly secure against descriction by They will cart our again? The connection and maintim of the The vector's block proved kind to them, And ended all their para al, as well as the program withing a more perwould have visitors, Moses' prayers would Old Moses is still living, and doing well. te conductor than any heretotore in use. Measures have been taken to scence Letters to dreams they cried, "The bright more Persons desirous of securing their lives and Home ! is here, my hunther reperty from destruction by hightning, can have Angel death has been our triend tors put up to their buildings in the most We come! dear Father! Mother !!? erfect and substantial manner, by applying ei-ter personally or by letter, to the undersigned, t the following prices: for 40.6, with a good other plated point \$10,00 A Select Cale. or 10 ft. with goold plated point, plati-12.50 no trp. 12.50 rod twenty cents for every additional foot over From the Methodox Protestant T. S. MACKEY.
Milton, Sept. 6, 1851.—19. OLD MOSES. Mr. B. was a merchant in Baltimore, corrigible, I sell him. This keeps them in TO COUNTRY MERCHANTS. and did a very heavy business, especially 20 per cent saved. in grain. One morning, as he was passing Country Merchants Buying over the vessels that lay at the wharf with BOOTS&SHOES their various commodities for sale, he step- third time I knew I must sell him ; or eve- Such a disguace !" cau save 20 per cent by ped upon the deck of one, at the stern of calling on which he saw a negro man sitting, whose foculy regardless of all my orders. WM. I. KING. dejected countenance gave sure indication of distress, and he accosted him with :

"Down on the Eastin Shoah." "Is he a good master ? Does he treat vou well ?? massa in the world," muscular strength. "Where is your master ?" "Yander he is, jis comin to de warf." As Mr. B. started for the shore, he heard Moses give a heavy sigh, followed by a as Colonel C. did. He introduced himself, and said : gro man yonder on board the schooner." Colonel C, replied that he did. "What do you ask for him !"

> "How old is he?" "About thirty." "Is he healthy ?" ague.¹⁴

bress you too, massa. Moses neber forgit dationers; it make me tink about Joseph

"O yes; Massa Willum good; no better in de Egypt." And after Moses had pour-ed a few blessings on Colonel C., and bid-"Stand up and let me look at you." And ding him a warm adieu, and requesting him Moses stood up and presented a robust to give his love and larewell to his mistress, frame; and as Mr. B. stripped up his the children and all the servants, he followsleeve, his arm gave evidence of unusual ed Mr. B. to the store, to enter upon the

piring.

functions of his new office. The return of the schooner brought to Moses his wife and children.

Early the next spring, as Mr. B. was one day standing at the store door, he saw deep groan. Moses was not at all pleased a man leap upon the whart from the deck with the present phase of affairs. The was of a vessel and walk hurriedly towards the strongly impressed with the idea that Mr. store. He soon recognized him as Colonel B. was a trader and intended to buy him, C. They exchanged salutations, and, to and it was this that made him so unwilling the Colonel's inquiry after Moses, Mr. B. to communicate to Mr. B. the desired information. Mr. B. reached the wharf just grain, and invited him to walk up and see him. Soon Mr. B.'s attention was arrested by a very confused noise above. He lis-

"I understand you wish to sell that ne-"I expect to get seven hundred dollars."

"Very ; he never had any sickness in his life except one or two spells of the he was startled by seeing Moses in the mid-

"Is he hearty ?" "Yes, sir; he will cat as much as any talking most rapidly, while the Colonel

man ought, and it will do him as much stood weeping audibly. So soon as the good? "Is he a good hand ?" "Yes, sir, he is the best hand on my been able to free himself from the influplace. He is steady, honest and industri- ence of Moses' prayers, and that during the

ous. He has been my foreman for the last past year he and his wife and all his chilten years, and a more trusty megro I never dren had been converted to Ged. knew." "Why do you wish to sell him?"

might be available at any moment I might tink about Joseph in de Ezypt again." want him, I built his quarter within a hun- The Colonel then stated to Mr. B, that dred yards of my own house; and I have his object in coming to Baltimore was to never rung the bell at any time in the night buy Moses and his family back again. But or morning, that his horn did not answer Mr. B. assured him that that was out of the in five minutes after. But two years ago question, for he could not part with him;

he got religion, and commenced what he and he intended to manumit Moses and his quarters every night and morning; and five years of age. when he began his prayer, it was impossi- Moses was not far wrong in his referble to tell when he would stop, especially ence to Joseph. For when Joseph was if (as he termed it) he got happy. Then sold into Egypt, God overraled it to his he would sing and pray and hallon for an good, and he obtained blessings that were

hour or two together, that you might hear for beyond his expectationer so with Mohim a mile off. And he would pray for sex. Joseph eventually proved the indume and my wife and children, and all my ment of saving the lives of those who sold broth is and sisters and their children, and him. Moses proved the instrument in our whole family connection to the third God's hands of saving the man's soul who generation; and sometimes, when we sold him,

From the Paumum Readd, Oct. 16. about he gwine to have all these commo. DESTRUCTION OF A WHALE-SHIP BY lois immediately descended into the fore-SPERM WHALE. castle, and there, to his horror, discovered Sinking of the Ship-Loss of Two Boats that the monster had struck the ship about

and Miraculous Escape of the Crew. We have just received the following thril-

two feet from the keel, abreast the formast,

knocking a great hole entirely through her

bottom, through which the water roared and

rushed imperuonaly ! Springing to the deck

he ordered the mate to cut away the an-

ling account of the destruction of the whaleship Ann Alexander, Captain John S. Deblois, of New Bedford, by a large sperm chors and get the cables overboard, to keep whale, from the lips of the captain himself the ship from sinking, as she had a large who arrived in this city from Paita, on Sunquantity of pig iron on board. In doing day last, in the schooner Providence. A this, the mate succeeded in relieving only similar circumstance has never been known one anchor and cable clear, the other having to occur but once in the whole history of

been fastened around the foremast. The whale-fishing, and that was the destruction ship was then sicking rapidly The Captain of the ship Essex, some twenty or twentywent to the cabin, where he found three five years ago, and which many of our reafeet of water ; he, however, succeeded in ders fully remember. We proceed to the natrative as furnished us by Captain Deblois. procuring a chronometer, sextant and chart. Reaching the decks, he ordered the boats to and which is fully authenticated by nine of be cleared away, and to get water and prothe crew in a protest under the seal of the tened, and heard an unusual shulling of U.S. Consul, Alex. Roden, Jr., at Paita.

visions, as the ship was keeling over. He again descended to the cabia, but the water The Ship Ann Alexander, Capt. S. Deblois was rushing in so rapidly that he could stilled from New Bedford, Mass., June 1st. procure nothing. He came upon deck, 1850, for a cruise in the South Pacific for ordered all hands into the boats, and was sperm whale. Having taken about 500 barthe last himself to leave the ship, which rels of oil in the Atlantic, the ship prohe did by throwing himself into the seacooled on her voyage to the Pacific .-and swimming to the nearest boat ! The Nothing of nausual interest occurred ontil ship was on her beams-ends, her topgallant when passing Cape Horn, one of the men, yards under water. They then pushed off named Jackson Walker, of Newport, N. H. some distance from the ship, expecting her was lost overboard in a storm. Reaching to sink in a very short time. Upon an exthe Pacific, she came up the coast and stopamination of the stores they had been able ped at Valdivia, Coast of Chili, for fresh to save, he discovered that they had only provisions, and on the 31st of March last twelve quarts of water, and not a monthful she called at Paits, for the purpose of shipof provisions of any kind ! The boats conping a man. The vessel proceeded on her tained eleven men each, were leaky, and vuyage to the South Pacific.

hight coming on, they were obliged to On the 20th of August last, she reached bail them all night to keep them from sinkwhat is well known to all whaters as the doe I way up hea, I neber forget you in Off-Shore-Ground, in lat. 5 deg. 50 mm. "Because he disobeyed my orders. As my prayers; I ollers put de ole massa side South, Ion, 102 deg, West. In the morning I said, he is my foreman; and that he denew one. Bress God dis make Moses of that day, at about 9 o'clock, whiles were but the Captain, their intention being to cut discovered in the neighborhood, and about mon, the same day, they succeeded in naking fast one. Two boats had gone after he whales-the larboard and starboard, the ormer commanded by the first mate, and the latter commanded by Captain Deblois .--terms family prayer-that is, prayer in his wife at forty, and his children at thirty- The whale which they had struck, was harsooned by the lathoard boat. After running ourse time, the whale turned upon the boat,

> and roshing at it with tremendous violence, lifted open its enormous jaws, and taking the boat in, netually crushed it into fingments as small as a common-sized chair !--Captain Deblois immediately pulled for the scene of the disaster with the starboard boat and succeeded against all expectations, in escuing the whole of the crew of the boat boats and left her. -aine in number !

enjoyment of the whole company. The present occupies a confortable house of his starboard boat, consisting of the captain, the first mate, and the crew of the both boats. joy of discerning a ship in the distance - pings.

Death's Ferryman.

BY MISS ALICE CART.

Bnatman, thrice, I've call'd thee o'er, Waiting on life's solemn shore, Tracing in the silver sand, Letters till thy boat should land

Drifting out alone with thee, Towards the clime I cannot see, Read to me the strange device Graven on thy wand of ice.

Pash the curls of golden hue From the eyes of starlit dew, And behold me where I stand, Beckoning thy boat to land.

Where the river mist so pale, Trembles like a bridal veil, O'er you lonely drooping tree, One that loves me waits for me.

Bear, sweet boatman, heat my call ! Last year, with the leaflet's fall, Resting her pale hand in mine, Crossed she in that boat of thine ?

When the corn shall cense to grow, And the rye-field's silver flow At the reaper's feet is laid, Crossing, spake the lovely maid.

Dearest love, another year, Thou shalt meet this boatman here--The white fingers of despair Playing with his golden hair.

From this silver sanded shore, Beckon him to row thee o'er; Where you solemu shadows be, I shall wait thee-come and see.

There ! the white sails float and flow, One in heaven and one below; And I hear a low voice cry, Ferryman of Death am 1.

THE "RAPPINGS" EXPOSED.

A Mr. Vose, of Boston, has published a description of the manner in which what are

Next day, at daylight, they returned to called the "Spirit Rappings," are produced. the ship, no one during to venture on board. He asserts that these mysterious sounds are produced by electricity It is his practice to away the mast, and fearful that the moment place his hands flat upon the table, and then that the masts were cut away the ship strongly will that the sounds shall be produwould go down. With a single hatchet, the ced, on which the raps are distinctly heard Captain went on board, cut away the mast, in the order and the number he desires. He when the ship righted. The boats then says that, during the operation, the electricame up, and the men, by the sole aid of city can be plainly felt escaping from the spade, cut away the chain cable from ends of the fingers.

around the foremast, which got the ship The faculty of producing these sounds is nearly on her keel. The men then tied confined, according to Mr. Vose, to compararopes round their badies, got into the sea, tively few persons, not one out of twenty and cut a hole through the decks to get out possessing it. He regards the practice as provisions. They could procure nothing exceedingly permicions to health. The whole but about five gallons of vinegar and tweaty | nervous system is violently excited; the orpounds of wet bread. The ship threatened gans, glands and tissues sympathize; and, to sink, and they deemed it imprudent to in a short time, the person becomes thin, remain by her longer, so they set sail in pale nervous and consumptive looking. In the young the constitution may be shattered On the 22d of August, at about five for life. It is courting ill-health, if not re-

They made signal, and were soon answered, In cases of persons of strong will, no table and in a short time they were reached by is needed to produce the sounds. Such, by the good ship Nantucket, of Nantucket, a little practice, can throw electricity from Mass., Capt Gibbs, who took them all on the body in any direction they pleased, and board, clothed and fed them, and extended whenever the expelled electricity meets a to them in every way the greatest possible hard substance, the noise follows. By the exercise of the same power, according to hospitality. On the succeding day, Captain Gibbs Mr. Vose, tables, chairs and other articles of went to the wreek of the ill-fated Ann Alex- furniture may be made to move. Some perander, for the purpose of trying to procure sons have this latter faculty, who cannot prosomething from her, but as the sea was duce the sounds, and vice versa. It is not rough, and the attempt considered danger- always the fingers that produce the sounds, ous, he abandoned the project. The Nan- when in contact with a table. Mr. Vose demaket then set sail for Paira, where she clares that he has frequently performed the prived on the 15th of September, and experiment with his chin. where she lauded Captain Deblois and his Some time ago it was said, by a medical ien. Captain Deblois was kindly and host gentleman who had investigated the subject, pitably received and entertained at Polta, that the rappings were produced by snapping by Captain Bathurst, an English gentleman certain bones in the knee joint. It is quite residing there, and subsequently took paspossible that, in some instances, the sounds sage on board the schooner Providence, may have been produced in this manner, or Captain Starbuck, for this port, arrived here the knew joint, which was felt to more, on Sanday last, the 12th instant. might have been the point of departure for At Paits, Captain Deblois entered his nonthe electricity. The explanation does not, test at the U.S. Consulate, which was an- in any sense, invalidate this. Mr. Vose has artixed at his opinion, by personal experience, seamen, on board at the time of the diswhich is always more trustworthy than observation. He bears the reputation, moretwice so narrowly escaped. He then order- crew having shipped on hoard other ves- over, of an intelligent and veracious man. We have always believed that, sooner or later a rational explanation would be discovared, not only for these sounds, but for the moving of chairs, tables and other articles at the will of the "medium." The tricks of Ir you would make a good speech, be on jugglers are frequently more wonderful, but the opposition. There is a charm about as we understand how they are produced, we are not astonished : whereas, in this case, abase that no other species of elonuence ! the spectacle has been exhibited of thoucan even approach. Till Byron took to sands becoming dupes to female imposters, and inspected her cargo, and after these, boats, and it was determined to pursue the us praised the Duke of Grafton, instead of and believing that departed spirits would hold communication with this world by so clude a medium as knocking. We trust, now that the absurdity is exposed, to hearno more of the "Rochester Rappings,"

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"Hey ! my man, what is the matter with you this morning 24

ing at Mr. B., replied-"Ab, massa, I'se in great trouble." . What about ??

"Kase i'se locht op here to be sold." children ["What for ? What have you been doing ? Have you been stealing ! or did you run away? or what !"

"No, no, massa, none o'dat ; it's becase I State." didn't mind de audez."

"What kind of orders ?" "Well, massa stranger, I tell you. Mass Jars."

Willum werry strick man, and werry nice

got mesel, and got too high." "It is for getting drunk then, is it ?" "O no, sab, not dat nother."

"You are the strangest negro I have "Well, Moses, I have bought you." seen for a week. I can get no satisfaction from you. If you would not like to be [ME subscriber respectfully informs his friends | pitched overhoard, you had better tell me he replied-

what you did." "Piease, massa, don't frow de poor flict-Massa f Is I gwine to Georgy ?" ed nieger in de wata."

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to pray ?" "O yes, sah, he ict me pray easy ; but I hollers too loud."

your prayer?"

sition." "And do you suppose your master will really sell you for that ?" men in de world couldn't help me now : kase when Mass Willum say one ting, he

no do anoder." "What is your name ?" "Moses, sah." "What is your master's name ?"

sometimes be nearly dayinght before I could go to sleep; for it appeared to me that 1 could hear Moses pray for three hours after of those tears ?" he had finished. I here it as long as I "Oh such disgr could, and then forbid his praying so loud any more. Moses promised obedience, but

to whip, but whenever a negro proves inbetter subjection, and is less trouble than whipping, I pardoned Moses twice for disobelience in praying so loud, but the

ry negro on the farm would soon he per-"You spoke of Mozes' quarter ; 1 cuppose from that he has a family." "Yes, he has a woman and three chil-

dren-or wife, I suppose he calls her now. The negro litted up his eyes, and look- for soon after he got religion, he asked me if they might be matried, and I presume they ware."

"What will you take for her and the that had been the means of nearly breaking "If you want them for your own use, 1 It was a bill from the Printer for nise

will take seven hundred dollars, but I shall years subscription. not seil. Moses nor them, to go out of the "I wish them all for my own use, and

will give you the fourteen hundred dol-

most awful forehodings, said-

"Moses made a very low how, and every muscle of his face worked with emotion as

you may not be separated."

"Bress God for dat! And, Massa, kin 1 deed. Will your master not permit you go to meetin sometimes ?? "Yes, Moses, you can go to church three

times on Sabbath, and every night in the "And why did you halloo so loud in week; and you can pray as often as you

choose, and as loud as you choose, and as bout massa's rule ; den I holler it ole Sat- you to pray for me, my wife, and all my erenea to say 'all flesh is grass,' last Sau- sundown, they concluded to give up the

"O yes; no help for me now; all de rybody of the name of B. in the State of

"Massa name Colonel Willum C-"Where does he live 1"

would cry, and the children would erv, and it would set me almost frantic : shouts to his heart's content. and even after I had retired, it would A WIFE IN TROPHER.

own + and I conner

"Oh such disgrace [" "What disgues "" he soon transgressed ; and my rule is never supposing it addressed to myself. Certainly

looked more like Mrs. than Mr." "Is that all ? What have can there be a wile opening her husband's letters ?" "No harm in itself. But the contents --

"What has any one dared to write menletter unfit to be read by my wife 17

Other. If is conched in the most chaste language. But the contents 122

Here the wife huried her face in her and countrel and commenced sobling aloud barely time to escape his rengence, by when the husband eagerly caught up the

letter and commenced reading the cpistle his wife's heart.

YANKEE ICE IN EGYPT

Boston on the 24 August last, arrived at possibly ; and no somer had the order been Smith, third do. ; John Morgon, Carpenter Mr. B. and Colonel C. then went to B. Alexandria, Egypt, Oct. 1st, with a cargo given than they discovered the monster of James Riley, cooper; James McRoberts, man too, and elry body on de place got to store, drew up the writings, and closed the of Massachus-its ice-said to be the first the deep making toward them with his John Smith, William Smith, Henry Reid, Hinney's Reports. The third volume is ready mine bins; and I break trew de rule; but sale, after which they retorned to the ves- over barries to that put from any part of jaws widely extended. Fortmately the and Charles F. Booth, seamen. I didn't tend to break de rule, doe; I for- sel; and Mr. B. approaching the negro, the world. "All Alexandria and the region monster came up and passed them at a short

who sat with his eyes fixed upon the deck, round about," says the captain of the Stame distance. The boat then made her way to seemingly wrapped in meditation of the bont, effocked on board and around her, to the ship and they all got on board in see the trozen water." The Paela, the safety.

High Admiral, and all the distinguished offi- After reaching the ship a boat was des-

"No," said Mr. B. "I am a merchant her." The entire cargo was parchased by ship proceeded after the whale In a short ed in Orations are like oysters, the more d here in the city; yonder is my store, 1 the Government, and was all discharged and time she overtook him and a hance was they are cayenned the better they are

purchased your wife and children too, that | yessel's arrival.

tation that fall flesh is grass." The season pass her. After he had fairly passed they was Lent, and a few days after wards, he kept off to overtake and attack him again encountered Terence O'Collins, who appeared When the ship had reached within abovy "Kase de Sperit comes on me, and I gets long as you choose, and get as happy as to have something on his mind. "The top fitty rods of him, they discovered that the happy fore I knows it den; den I gone; you choose; and every time you pray, of the mornin' to your riverence," said whale had settled down deep below the can't trol mesef den ; den I knows nothing whether it be at home or in church, I want Terence, "did I fairly understand your riv- sorface of the water, and as at was near

tin hissef come, wid all de rules of de qui- children, and single handed, too ; for if day ?" "To be sure you did" replied the pursuit. you are a good man your prayers will do Bishop, "and you're a heretic if you doubt us no harm and we need them very much; it " "Oh ! not a bit do I doubt anything the nigh' heads on the larboard bow, with and if you wish to you may pray for eve-subole of the name of the another a less as hogs. In eleven days the people up cause where you find apples, you may res-Maryland. It will not injure them." While Mr. B. was dealing out these privileges to Moses, the negro's eyes danced in their sockets, and his full heart of a salad ?"-Sharpe's Magazine.

laughed right out for gladness, exposing two rows of even clean ivories as any Afri-

A passage young lady in Maine, intican can boast, and his heart's response wer, mates that when she gets married, she shaking her from stem to stern ! She quiv-"Bress God, bress God, all de time, and means to take chloroform

The frightful disaster had been witnessed from the ship, and the waist-boat was called into readiness and sent to their relief --"Pray tell me my dear, what is the cause The distance from the ship was about six miles. As soon as the waist-beat arrived, the crews were divided, and it was determined to pursue the same while, and Why, I have opened one of your letters | make another attack upon them. Accord-

maly they separated and proceeded at some listance from each other, as is usual on such seessions, after the whals. In a short time hey came up to him, and prepared to give him battle. The waist-boat, commanded by the first mate, was in advance. As soon as the whale perceived the demonstration being made upon him, he turned his course, suddenly, and making a tremendous dash at his boat seized it with his wide-spread jaws and crushed it into atoms, allowing the men

throwing themselves into the ocean. Cant. Deblois again seeing the perilons

sondition of his men; at the risk of meeting the same fale. directed his boat to hasten to

their rescue, and in a short time succeeded thenticated by the following officers and in saving them all from a death little less horrible than that from which they had aster; the two officers and the rest of the

The burger Stambool, which sailed from (ed the boat to put for the ship as speedily as sels : Joseph K. Green, first mate ; James

cers of the Government, visited the barque, paiched for the oars of the demolished satire, no one ever noticed him. Had Juni-+Is you, massa? Where is I gwine, people of all degrees. She was literally whale with the ship. As soon as the boat "lamming' him, his letter would never have crowded while a block of nee remained in returned with the cars, sail was set, and the got beyond the newspaper they first appear-

want you to attend on the store ; and have stored ashare in forty-eight hours after the thrown into his head. The ship passed on relished. by him, and immediately after they discovcred that the whale was making for the

"ALL FLESH is GRASS,"-A Bishop, in a ship. As he came up near her, they hauled sermon to his parishioners repeated the quo- to the wind, and suffered the monster to pulmonary arrangements.

> Capt. Deblois was at this time standing in whale rushing towards her at the rate of | tant, 25 bears. Three were seen near town, fifteen knots ! In an instant, the monster within a mile of that town. struck the ship with tremendous violence,

ered under the violence of the shock, as if are ripe, the more they bluch

A NOTEL SIGHT - Two large, gracefully

To orrset trouble, always have a large proportioned, sprightly-looking deer-a doe stock of hope on hand. This was Macaw- and a buck-passed through Broadway yesber's plan. The very night he went to jail terday afternoon, attached in the usual style for debt, he sent to an architect to see what to a light wagon, containing two gentlemen. it would cost to decorate a house with hang. The buck bore his antlets aloft with true our gendens, bin case anythin should turn dignity, while his timed mate was the per up" that would warrant the outlay How sonification of meakness and gentleness .-much better was this than applying a razor They attracted much attention .-- New York to your jugular, or charcoal fumes to your Journal of Commerce.

DREAMS .- The dream of a closed fist, in-

THE PLACE FOR SPORT -The Minnesota indicates that you are about to ask a favor Democrat, at St. Paul's, says that region of from an "universal philanthropist " To see country is full of bears. They are as harm- apples in a dream betokens a wedding-bebut, if your riverence plazes, I wish 15 deaily blow should be appear, the ship in Benton county killed upwants of 100. A sonably expect to find pears. To dream of know whether in this Lent time I could not moving about five knots ; when working on band of Sieux Indians killed, in two days, in sonp indicates a row with your husband, in be after having a small piece is bafe by way the side of the ship, he discovered the the neighorhood of Rice Lake, 15 miles dis. which you may expect to get lathered.

> Tur most attentive man to business we ever knew, was he who once wrote on his Ginis are like peaches, the nearer they shap door. "Gone to bury my wife ; return in a half an hour."