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Select Poetry.

SEEDTIME AND HARVEST.

Beneath a dark November sky. With the cold rain falling drearily. And the bleak wind moaning and shricking by The seed o'er the land is cast; And in gravelike forrows the grain doth lie, Till the weary months are past.

In curling mist, and frosty air, And weeping skies it lieth there; Or buried in the snow, or bare To every wind that blows; And night's deep darkness, like despair, Hangs o'er it while it grows.

It grows in spite of cloud and blast, And sullen rain descending fast, And snow wreaths thickly o'er it cast, And thunderous, darkening skies ; The very tempests roaring past Strengthen it as it lies. Anon a kindler season shines.

And warmth and light, the spring's soft signs, With many a beauteous blossom twines The breast of icy Earth— And the grain, in delicate emerald lines, Springs up a faery birth.

Then sunny months, in swift career, Bring up the lusty ripened ear ; And the golden harvest-time draws near, And the reaper whets his scythe ; Till, on a day, the rich sheaves rear Their shapes on the landscape blithe

Sown in the cold, dark, desolate days; Reaped in the sunshine's mellow blaze; Thus in the dim and wondrous ways Of fate are the deeds of men; Sorrows and trial, defeats and delays

Like storms that soften the grain, Must test the heart's aspiring claim; But every just and noble aim Shall pass the ordeal clear of blame, And in the appointed hour Bring forth its fruit of wealth or fame, Of knowledge, wisdom, power.

Sow, though in days of gloom, the seeds Of manful toil and generous deeds, Of stern self-sacrifice, that heeds Little the world's behest : Cast out the lying thought that pleads "Enough, now take thy rest."

In the winds of Scorn, the storms of Hate, In the darkness of hope deferred full late, Through days when the word shows desolate, Must sleep the good deeds thou hast done; Faithfully labor, patiently wait, Thy work shall see the sun.

That which was sown in the wintry air, Shall blossom and ripen when skies are fair. Though thine should be many an anxious care Ere the barvest is gathered in-Be stout to toil, and steady to bear-The heart that is true shall win.

Select Tale.

DEAF SMITH,

About two years after the Texan revolution a difficulty occurred between the new government and a portion of the people, which threatened the most serious consequen- to seek an advantage, and too brave to fear civil war. Briefly, the cause was this: The need the aid of a second." constitution had fixed the city of Austin as the permanent capitol, where the public archives were to be kept, with the reservation, however, of a power in the President to order their temporary removal in case of danger from the inroads of a foreign enemy, or the force of a sudden insurrection.

Conceiving that the exceptional emergency had arrived, as the Camanches frequently committed ravages within sight of the capital Houston, who resided at Washington, on the For persons living in FEVER and AGUE detriets, it will be found invaluable as a preventive. Half of a wine-glass full taken night and morning, rendering the system much less subject to the unhealthy influence of the atmosto be, pro tempore, the seat of government.

It is impossible to describe the stormy excitement which the promulgation of this fiat 1860 WINTER ARRANGEMENT. 1860 the measures would be a death blow to their kill him, I think it will tempt the President determined at once to take the necessary

steps to avert the danger, by opposing the execution of Houston's mandate. They called a mass meeting of citizens and farmers of the circumjacent country, who were all more or less interested in the question; and after many fiery speeches against the asserted tyranny of the administration, it was unanimously resolved to prevent the removal of the archives by open and armed resistance .until the peril passed by. The commander of this force was one Col. Morton, who had 3 06 achieved considerable renown in the war of independence, and had still more recently Class Toket,
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from the notoriety of his character for repose touching the archieves, as soon as he earned who was the leader of the opposition. Morton, on his part, whose vanity fully equalled his personal prowess, encouraged and justified the prevailing opinions of his feeling prevalent throughout Texas at that boastful threats. He swore that if the President did succeed in removing the records by the march of an overpowering force, he would then himself bunt him down like a wolf, and meeting; and so great was the popular

plied in a note of laconic brevity:

"If the people of Austin do not send the archives, I shall certainly come and take flood of burning glory; and then the two them, and if Colonel Morton can kill me, he mortal antagonists, armed with long, ponwelcome to my ear-cap.

was doubled around the state house. Chosen sentinels were stationed along the road leading to the capitol, the military paraded the streets from morning till night, and a select caucus held permanent sessions in the city hall. In short, everything betokened a com-

One day, while matters were in this pre-carious condition, the caucus at the city hall was surprised by the appearance of a stranger whose mode of entering was as extraordinary as his looks and dress. He did not knock at the closed door—he did not seek admission there at all; but climbing unseen a small bushy topped live cak, which grew beside the wall, he lesped without sound or warning through a lofty window. He was clothed altogether in buckskin, carried a long and very heavy rifle in his hand, were at the botwas surprised by the appearance of a stranger

tom of his left suspender a large bowie knife, and had in his leathern belt a couple of pistols half the length of his gun. He was tall, straight as an arrow, active as a panther.

The heirs of heroic courage were all considered peers—the class of inferiors embracing none but cowards.

Presently two rifles exploded with simul-Itall, straight as an arrow, active as a panther in his motions, with dark complexion, and luxuriant jetty hair, with a severe, iron like countenance, that seemed never to have known a smile, and eyes of intense vivid black, wild and rolling, and niercing as the latest the second terms of the latest terms

black, wild and rolling, and piercing as the point of a dagger. His strange advent inspired a thrill of involuntary fear, and many present anconsciously grashed the headless.

"Who are you, that thus presumes to in-trude among gentlemen without invitation?" demanded Col. Morton, ferociously essaying to cow down the stranger with his eye.

The latter returned his stare with com-

tors could not imagine.
"Who are you? Speak! or I will cut an answer out of your heart!" shouted Morton. hilt of his monstrous knife.

The fiery colonel then drew his dagger, and ample compensation by an eye quick and far was in the act of advancing upon him, when seeing as an eagle's, and a smell as keen and several caught and held him back, remon-incredible as that of the raven. He could "Let bim alone, Morton, for God's sake .-

Do you not perceive that he is crazy?"

At that moment Judge Webb, a man of most respectful manner. "My good friend, I presume you have made

The stranger did not appear to comprehend alone, and generally obtained the information desired. He never could be persuaded to rigid features relaxed, and moving to a table in the centre of the hall, where there were materials and implements for writing, he seized a pen and traced one line: "I am or gaze with an unwavering look of melan-

question : "Dear sir, will you be so obliging He was a genuine son of nature, a grown up as to inform us what is your business with child of the woods and prairie which he wor-

the usual terse brevity of his style : FELLOW CITIZENS :-Though in error, and

you three more days to decide whether you in all the great thoroughfares of men, will surrender the public archives. At the wherever there was flattery or fawning, base end of that time you will please let me know | cunning or craven fear, there was Deaf Smith SAN HOUSTON. your decision. After the reading, the man waited a few seconds, as if for a reply, and then turned to leave the hall, when Colonel Morton inter-

posed, and sternly beckened him to the

your service !"

The stranger rejoined: "I am too generous ces-even the bloodshed and horrors of a any on the part of others; therefore I never

Morton penned : "name your terms." The stranger traced without a moment's besitation : "Time, sunset this evening : place, the left bank of the Colorado, opposite Austin; weapons, rifles, and distance a hundred yards. Do not fail to be in time !" He then took three steps across the floor and disappeared through the window, as he had entered.

"What!" exclaimed Judge Webb, "Is it possible, Colonel Morton, that you intend to fight that man? He is a mute, if not a posi tive maniac. Such a meeting, I fear, will sadly tarnish your laurels."

"You are mistaken," replied Morton, with a smile; "that mute is a hero, whose fame stands in the record of a dozen battles, and raised in Austin. The keepers of hotels, at least half as many bloody duels. Besides, boarding houses, groceries and faro-banks he is the favorite emissary and bosom friend were thunderstruck, maddened to frenzy; for of Houston. If I have the good fortune to of Houston. If I have the good fortune to prosperity in business; and accordingly they to retract his vow against venturing any more on the field of honor."

"You know the man, then. asked twenty voices together. "Deaf Smith," answered Morton coolly. "Why, no, that cannot be. Deaf Smith

was slain at San Jacinto," remarked Judge "There, again, your honor is mistaken, said Morton. The story of Smith's death was a mere fiction, got up by Houston to To that end they organized a company of four save the life of his favorite from the sworn vengeance of certain Texans, on whose con-

> yourself!" exclaimed Webb. "Deaf Smith was never known to miss his mark. He has often brought down ravens in their most rapid flight, and killed Camanches and Mexicans at a distance of two hundred and fifty

"Say no more," answered Colonel Morton, venge, as well as courage, it was thought that in tones of deep determination; "the thing President Houston would renounce his purise settled. I have already agreed to meet him. There can be no disgrace in falling before such a shot, and if I succeed, my triumph will confer the greater glory !" Such was the general habit of thought and

Towards evening a vast crowd assembled

meeting; and so great was the popular recklessness as to affairs of this sort, that numerous and considerable sums were warecreation. He even wrote to the hero of gered on the result. At length the red orb San Jacinto to that effect. The latter re- of the summer sun touched the curved rim of of the summer sun touched the curved rim of the western horizon, covering it all with crimson and gold, and filling the air with a derous rifles, took their stations back to back, On the reception of this answer the guard and at a preconcerted signal-the waving of a white handkerchief-walked slowly steadily off in opposite directions, counting their steps until each had measured lifty .-They both completed the given number about the same instant, and then wheeled, each to aim and fire when he choose. As the dis-tance was great, both paused for some seconds-long enough for the beholders to flash their eyes from one to the other, and mark the striking contrast betwixt them. The face of Col. Morton was calm and smiling,

men, appeared in Austin, and without further

opposition removed the state papers. The hero of the foregoing anecdote was one of the most extraordinary men known in an early period, and continued to reside there pound interest, and laid his long bony fingers on his lip, as a sign—but of what the inspectors could not imagine.

Until his death, which happened some two years ago; but though he had many warm personal friends, no one could ever ascertain personal friends, no one could ever ascertain personal friends. either the land of his birth, or a single gleam | To come to the earth and the reason inquire answer out of your heart!" shouted Morton, of his previous biography. He could write almost distracted with rage by the cool successing gaze of the other, who now removed sidering his situation; and although he was his fingers from his lips and laid it on the denied the exquisite pleasure and priceless advantages of hearing, nature had given him discover objects moving miles away in the far off prairie, when others could percieve nothing but earth and sky; and the rangers That made him a villain, of all men the worst. wild career, and finally, about two years used to declare that he could catch the scent shrewd intellect and courteous manners, step-ped forward and addressed the intruder in a distance as a buzzard could distinguish the odor of a dead carcass.

It was those qualities that fitted him so a mistake in the house. This is a private meeting, where none but members are adinvaluable services to Houston's army during the war of independence. He always went deaf!" He then held it up before the spec-tators, as a sort of natural apology for his want of politeness.

choly moon. When not employed as a spy or guide, he subsisted by hunting, being often absent on solitary excursions for weeks Judge Webb took the paper, and wrote a and even months together in the wilderness. the present meeting?"

The other responded by delivering a letter inscribed on the back "To the citizens of Austin." They broke the seal and read it aloud. It was from Houston, and showed Wherever there was land or water, barren.—

Wherever there was land or water, barren. shipped with a sort of Pagan adoration .-Wherever there was land or water, barren Desperate Battle between the Moors mountains or tangled brakes of wild waving cane, there was Deaf Smith's home, there he deceived by the acts of traitors, I will give was happy; but in the streets of great cities, an alien and an exile.

> A Perplexed Bridegroom-Obtaining a Room with an Unfortunate Omis-

portunity In due time the pair arrived in Cincinnati,

Morton wrote again; "Who will be your and repairing to the Spencer House, informed intent on perpetrating matrimony, and that nothing could athwart their purpose. Mr. facilitate their designs, and so well did be of them, but the man made a movement, and succeed, that in less than an hour "James" and "Jemime" were wedded as firmly as lay in the capacity of a clergyman to bind them. him a few paces; tossed him to a couple of

rformed, believing that all new-married possible, gave them a parlor and bedroom on the third floor, and bade them "good eve- on foot, who, however, got the worst of the on the third floor, and bade them "good eve-ning" about ten o'clock, not neglecting to fight, for the officer killed him with his sabre. wish them every possible bliss.

the rooms, and were left alone there for the night; the clerk thinking no more of them until two o'clock when sitting dozing in an easy chair behind the counter in the office, he was aroused by a voice, saying: "Look here, Mr. Clerk, oh, Mr. Clerk, I'd like to speak to you jist a minit, do now." Mr. Blum opened his eyes, and beheld his

rustic friend, batless and coatless, with a flushed face and disheveled bair, and such

generally disarranged attire as indicated that he had been undergoing some very violent exercise. "Well, sir, of what benefit can I be to

Why, why, I don't like to trouble you. and I don't know how you fellers does things in this big town ; but, but, but-"But what? my good friend," questioned the clerk, anxious to free the ruralist from confusion, each moment on the increase. "Why, why, you know we're married-

"Oh, yes, and I wish you all manner of good fortune, my fine fellow." "Wal, I 'spose you do ; but confound it if I can get the hang of things in this darned place. May be I'm green ; I guess I am o' that way; but by jingoes, you do funny here."

"Explain, if you please, my man. What do you wish to say." "Well, we don't care, Jemime and me, for a little while; but to roll round on the floor | that. But then, during those hours, I have all night is devilish hard, stranger, I'll swear

"Roll round on the floor, what do you mean? "Well, I 'spose it isn't what you call fashion in a big town; but by gumbo where we come from married peoples allers go to bud." in great surprise.

Why, how the devil could we go to bed when there weren't no bed to go to? That's an hour or so, the child was dead. The exwhat we want the worst sort." "My good fellow, there's a bed in your the rear of the parlor?"

"Did you give us mor'an one room, stran ger? By jingoes, I didn't know it. It's all want-all right, old feller, and so saying he ran up stairs, and before the clerk could feeble health, and it is possible that the ascend to the chamber the bucolicist was in weight of the animal upon its body may have bed, and replied to the knock on the door: "All right now; I've found it—Jemime and understand that when the child was found, me's satisfied. We don't want you; all right the dog was resting its head upon its body. all right. God bless you, old feller. All Providence Press, 9th inst. ght-fust-rate. God bless you; good night."
Mr. Blum went chuckling down to the office at the idea that the unfortunate ruralist had passed four hours in his parlor without even supposing there was a bed chamber at-

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Poetry.

Was proceeding to argue the 'points in the case."

Now a lawyer his Majesty never had seen, For to his dominion none ever had been, And he felt very anxious the reason to know Why none had been sent to the regions below. the west. He made his advent in Texas at Twas the fault of his agents his Majesty

> Well, the lawyer who rose with visage so Made out his opponent a consumate knave, And the Devil was really greatly amused

To hear the attorney so grossly abused. But soon as the speaker had come to a close, The counsel opposing then fiercely arose,
And he heaped such abuse on the head of the him dead. For this he was tried for morder

Thus they quarrelled, contended and argued since, was shot in a restaurant in Philadel-Twas hard to determine which of them was subsequent to the death of Heberton, lived wrong,
And concluded he'd heard quite enough of the

Old Nick turned away and soliloquized thus : "If all they have said of each other be true, the words, but he could not fail to understand desired. He never could be persuaded to The Devil has surely been robbed of his due; the mild and depreciatory manner. His sleep under the roof of a house or even to But I'm satisfied now, it's all very well these lawyers would ruin the morals of

> They have puzzled the Court with their vil lainous cavil, I'm free to confess they have puzzled the Devil;

agents are right to let lawyers alone,

If I had them they'd swindle me out of my

Miscellancous.

throne."

and Spaniards. The correspondence of the London Times gives the following account of the final battle between the Spaniards and Moors, fought on the 23d of March: I think I have already mentioned an attack made by a handful of five of them were bayoneted. In one of the villages, the possession of which was so sharply contested, a horrible conflict took place. The rush and cane built have been supported by the conflict took by the conflict too posed, and sternly beckened him to the table. The stranger obeyed and Morton Some days since a very rustic and inaristic wrote:

"You were brave enough to insult me by you brave enough now to give me satisfac tion?"

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"Some days since a very rustic and inaristic couple, residents of Kentucky, near the Tennessee line, concluded marriage to be their better destiny, and with this idea came using his revolver, was seized by an athletic to the Western Athens, desirous of sacrification?"

And Spaniards and Moors fought among them, struggling to throw each other into the flames. One young ensign, after unalterable determination, and when the place. The rush and cane built hovels were blazing, and Spaniards and Moors fought among them, struggling to throw each other into the flames. One young ensign, after using his revolver, was seized by an athletic to the Western Athens, desirous of sacrifications."

And Epiron.—The man that is expected to cing themselves to Hymen at the earliest op- but. His men rescued bim, grievously burnt, and nearly suffocated by the smoke. The Moors, when their ammunition was expended or their arms were broken, gathered stones clerk Andrew Blum that they were extremely from the ground and hurled them at their opponents. A foreign officer told me that be saw a tall, well mounted Moor ride delibe-Blum, so far from wishing to prevent their rately down, sabre in hand, upon ten or amiable immolation, made every effort to twelve Spanish skirmishers. He cut at one

his shake was only struck from his head. The Moor then seized him by the collar, dragged The clerk, after the ceremony had been men on foot, who appeared from among some brushwood, and forthwith cut off his head .people ought to be as well accommodated as A captain of cavalry, when riding along to A great many of the Moors were armed with The twain meekly followed the servant to English muskets and bayonets-old flint muskets, bearing the Tower mark. NEVER DO TOO MUCH AT A TIME. - Sir Ed-

ward Bulwer Lytton, in a lecture recently delivered, gave the following history of his literary babits : "Many persons, seeing me so much engaged in active life, and as much about the world as if I had never been a student, have said to me, "When do you get time to write all your books? How on earth do you contrive to do so much work?' I shall surprise you by the answer I make. The answer is this: "I contrive to do so much by never doing too much at a time. A man, to get through work well, must not overwork himself, or, if he do too much to-day, the reaction of fatigue will come, and he will be obliged to do little to morrow. Now, since I began really and earnestly to study, which was not till I had left college and was actually in the world, I may perhaps say I have gone through as large a course of general reading as most men of my time. I have traveled much, and I have seen much; I have mixed much in politics and the various business of life; and in addition to all this, I have published somewhere about sixty volumes, some upon subjects requiring much research .-And what time, do you think, as a general rule. I have devoted to study—to reading and writing? Not more than three hours a day; and, when Parliament is sitting, not always to keep from one to four days ahead of the given my whole attention to what 1 was about."

SINGULAR CAUSE OF DEATH .- An Infant's Breath Sucked by a Dog .- Benj. F. Thompson, a child of ten months, whose parents reside in the rear of Jefferson street, Smith's of the suburbs. Upon application, the "young "Havn't you been in bed ?" asked the clerk | Hill, was left asleep on the bed by his mother, while she made a call at the house of a neighbor. When she returned, after the lapse of planation of the cause of this sudden death is sought in the fact that two dogs belonging sleeping child, one of which, it is said, mounted until he was suffocated. The child was in to the best cider vinegar, I use no other kind induced a spasm that proved fatal. THE SECURL TO THE DIAMOND WEDDING .-

> is loud that the lady of the diamond wedding one week previously, making in the aggregate has come back again—that she found her six children in less than twelve months. is loud that the lady of the diamond wedding

A REAL PLUG UGLY .- In the eastern part of Obio there resides a man named Brown, now a justice of the peace and a very sensible man, by common consent, the ugliest indivi-dual in the West, being long, gaunt, sallow and awry, with a gait like a kangaroo. One day he was hunting, and on one of the moun-tain roads he met a man on foot and alone, the roads he met a man on foot and alone, who was longer, gaunter, by all odds than himself. He could give the squire fifty and beat him. Without saying a word. Brown raised his gun, and deliberately levelled it at the stranger. "Don't shoot," shouted the man, in alarm. "Stranger," replied Brown, "I said ten years ago that if ever I met a man reclient here. I men all the state him and years ago. glier than I was, I'd shoot him, and you are the first one I've seen." The stranger taking thought,
That none of these lawyers had never been caught,

a careful survey of his rival, replied: "Well, captain, if I look any worse than you do, shoot. I don't want to live and longer!"

SEQUEL TO A TRACEDY.—Our readers will generally remember the Mercer and Heberton tragedy that occurred in Philadelphia many rears since. A man of some wealth and social position, named Heberton, had seduced Miss Mercer, a young woman of seventeen, and refused to repair the matter by marriage. A brother took vengeance into his own hands, and acquitted. Since that period he led a phia. The sister was married a few years unhappily with her husband, was drowned, and we find her death recorded in an exchange. The whole family have now passed

A Convention of Hebrew Christians, or converted Jews, was lately held in New York, when an Association was formed with the title "American Hebrew Christian Brotherhood." Its object is to propagate the Gospel among the Jews. It has already its new organ, the Israelite Indeed published in New York, with nearly one thousand subscribers. Among the converted Jews in this country are found one United States-Senator, about thirty Christian ministers, besides College professors, physicians, lawyers and prominent merchants. The number of Jews in this country is computed at one hundred and fifty thousand, and not twenty-five thousand as has been erroneously stated. Some of their prominent Rabbis are of the opinion that they will number one million a few years hence.

DETERMINED TO BE A MORMON.-A girl, of the recent band of Mormon emigrants, while at Albany, strayed from her people who went on without her. She is a handsome, intelli-gent girl of 18 years, from New York, where one of the missionaries had found her. She followed in the next train. On reaching her unalterable determination, and when the

As Entron.-The man that is expected to at the rest -to make his own character good. establish the reputation of his neighbors, and elect all candidates to office-to blow up everybody to suit everybody, and reform the and have the epitaph on his tombstone, "Here he lies at last." In short, he is a locomotive runner on the track of public notoriety-his lever is his pen-his boiler is filled with ink-bis tender is his scissorshis driving wheel is public opinion-whenever he explodes it is caused by the non-payment of subscriptions.

We often hear people say they don't read the advertisements in a newspaper. If they tell the truth, all we have to say is, they lose half the value of the paper thereby. There is nothing in any paper-not even the best conducted local column-that to truthfully reflects the business, character and population of the city or county as the advertisements in the newspapers. Show us a paper well filled with business advertisements, and we will show you a town prosperous in all its relations, surrounded by a community intelligent, enter-

CLEANING BONNETS .- Place the bonnet in a tub, and pour on boiling water; scrub each one carefully with brush and soap, then rinse in hot water; after which put two tablespoonfulla of oxalic acid in a basin, and pour a quart of boiling water-the stains will in stantly disappear-then rinse in clear water, and hang in the sun to dry.

To stiffen, take a quarter of a pound of isinglass, make it thin like common glue, brush the bonnets inside with the isinglass, then dry and press. The above will make enough to clean a

dozen bonnets .- [Le Bon Tom. ADAMS' EXPRESS made its first trip between Boston and New York twenty-one years ago last Friday. At first the expense was about five dollars per day. The daily expenses of this express company at the present time are more than five thousand dollars per day. Its agencies extend to all parts of the United States, and its messengers generally manage

The Pope has adopted a new system of advertising. A few days ago an advertisement was inserted in one of the Vienna papers, inviting young men of good health to apply for "an engagement" at a certain address in one men of good health" discover the advitiser to be the Pope, and the engagement a private

position in his army. TO MAKE GOOD VINEGAR .- Mr Editor .-As country housekeepers are frequently at Did you not see it in the chamber in to the family were left in the room with the a loss for good vinegar, I send you my receipe which I know to be excellent : Eight quarts the bed, placed its paws upon the little fel-low's shoulders, and then drew his breath pint of yeast. In four weeks it will be equal

for pickles. HOOSIER. Miami Co., Indiana, April 20, 1860.

ELIZABETH CULWICE, the wife of a laboring man living at Albrighton, near Shiffnal, England, gave birth to four fine children, three girls and a boy, three of whom, the boy and two girls, were alive. The woman was won't vouch for the accuracy of it, but rumor | confined with twins, just eleven months and