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OUR OWN.

If I had known in the mornin? How wearily all the day The words unkind Would tr. uble my mind, I said when I went away, I had been m re careful, dariing, Nor given you heedless p in: But we ver "our own" With look and tone We may never take back again

For though in the quiet evening I may give you the kiss of peace, Yet it might be That never for me The pain at the heart should cease ! How many go forth in the morning That never come home at night And hearts have been broken By harsh words spoken, That sorrow can ne'er set right,

We have preful thought for the stranger, An 1 emiles for the sometime quest. I'ut oft for "our owa" The bitter tone, Though we love "our own" the best, ah ! lips, with curse impatient ! Ah! brow, with that look of scorn ! Twere a cruel fate Were the night too late

A Heroine in Rags.

To undo the work of the morn

Jacqueline Dubois was not French, though her name would seem to indi- -a slight girl? "What is Jac. Dubois cate that such was the case. She was an American working-girl of mixed companions. parentage, her father being of French extraction and her mother a true-born could save the child's life but a sacrifice, American

she had neither beauty nor education knows, from a pure heart-was made. to assist her to gain a livelihood; hence Her slender foot was placed firmly beshe was obliged to toil daily in an im- fore the ponderous wheel, then she mense factory, along with at least a grasped the spokes and pushed with all hundred other unfortunate girls and her strength to change its course. It

The factory was rattling and buzzing away in the midst of one of the busiest parts of a great city. It had been line's foot out of all shape. there for years, and its tall, grimy brick walls stood like a specter amid the busy marts of trade which surrounded it.

The office of this factory was upon the ground floor, easy of access and a chasing each other down her cheeks, model of ease, clegance and comfort. The owner was very robust, fat in opulence; a prominent member of an uptown church; a man whose name was frequently seen in the uaily papers heading some subscription for the support of foreign missions with a liberal It was a good advertisement. He liked it; it paid well.

This good man's factory room, where his hundred female slaves toiled through the week to fatten his already adipose purse, did not possess a seat, except the few boxes the girls had begged from the store-room to receive their weary

As they neared the crossing quite a How can I help loving you, knowing as crowd met them, surging both ways. I do what you did to-day?" A few of the girls stopped on the corner "Oh, I couldn't help that." to ogle a party of mechanics, who sat "No, indeed, a heroic action is the with tin pails between their blue-overfirst impulse of a brave heart." alled legs, eating the cold bite, which Knock! Knock! nature craved. "See who it is, George." Three girls attempted to cross the "And your answer is-" street. One of them was Jac. Dubois.

"I love you !" Coming toward them from the other In a few moments George returned, of stock exchange, publishing, retail, side was a nurse and child, about four years old. As the nurse endeavors to to Jac. pull the little one along it stumbles and "Read it to me, George," she said, as falls, the little woman relaxes her hold upon the little white hand and springs determined to endure the excruciating the date of the establishment of one of He says: forward to avoid the approach of an expain without a cry. press wagon.

The child knows not its danger, bu CITY, May 5, 1877. Miss DUBOIS :- Enclosed I send you my check for \$1,000. This is but an in-stalment of what I intend you shall the bystanders see it. The nurse and several women scream, but no one tries to save it. The burly driver strives in have. My daughter's life is dearer to vain to check the restive horses. Almost me than all my wealth. This you premiraculously they step over the little creature lying so helplessly there without even abraiding the skin. But see! acquaintance; but I cannot hesitate an instant in giving you a substantial token of my obligation. My dear girl, a thankful father blesses you. the lovely little head with its clustering curls is directly in the course of the heavily tired wheel. No one can BYRON LAFLIN. grasp the infant and no one stirs. What "George, all this for me?" queried an instant, what terrible suspense,

the bewildered girl, eyeing the check. when the frightened bystanders expect to hear in an instant the cracking bones "I'll give It to father so he can pay off of the child's head. the mortgage. George, I am glad I did Stay ! One hand does strive to grasp

"I know you are, dear. Jac., we will the infant and fails. What can she do "What for, George?" she asked padoing "" springs into the brains of her thetically.

"You will now be amply provided Readily the girl saw that nothing for.' and the sacrifice-which came, God "No, George, not wholly provided

for unless I have you to share it."

Shopping on the Sea.

People after a long sea-voyage are turned from its former track just suffiits revolution it pushed poor Jacque-The child was quickly picked up by one of the bystanders and brushed of quell its sobs, while her own tears were country.

The inanimate form of our poor heroine was laid upon the broad flagging of the

"Brave girl! Who is she?" said a benevolent oid gentleman, who had

already surmising what change her ab- melons and mangoes in abundance. sence from the factory would occasion That is what the merchants offered in her particular work, and hoping to us. Now how did we buy them? step into her place.

"Jac. Dubois? Oh, Heaven! is it the same that it would be if we had 000. Jac?" cried one of the young carpen- been standing at the upper window of ters, his pail being flung from him into an ordinary two-storied house, and the the street, and he bending down and boatmen on the ground, and there was seance recently held an interview with or else attempted to strike him. Samp- when turned on the water, they seemed I understand looking intently into the young girl's such a clamour of voices of men and what purported to be the spirit er son, however, was too quick for him. to fathom the ocean; yet, I believe now face, "You know her, then?" questioned prices, that it was quite deafening at ing result: the old gentleman. first. "Yes, sir, I do?" But when trade had fairly begun, it have immediate rttention. You ought certainly it was a novel way of going to take her to the nearest surgeon." "She shall have it, sir. I will do so, nanas. We look about until we find a Ed"-to workman-"get a carriage for man who has fine ripe ones, attract his attention, as you would that of a horse-

nothing but calomel, and frequent London Firms blood-letting. Every disease and acci-Some very curious and interesting statistics have been furnished on the dent was 'a dispensation of Divine subject of mercantile and other firms Providence;' and nobody but the rich days ago and ordered his paper stopped, engaged in business in the city of Lon- could ever get one hundred miles from because he differed with the editor in home. You're an improvement, bad as his views of subsoiling fence-rails. The don. It appears that in the beginning of the present year there existed in the you are. Good-night! I must be off, as editor conceded the man's right to stop city no fewer than 11,440 firms engag-ed in the wholesale business, exclusive of Venus." editor conceded the man's right to stop his paper, and remarked, coolly, as he looked over his list.

Tragedy at Sea.

bearing in his hand a lotter addressed and small industrial trades, etc. The Captain Higbee, of the schooner wholesale businesses include banking, financial, insurance, and other firms, Speedwell, of Somer's Point, N. J., reshe closed her eyes and set her teeth, Incredible as the statement may seem, cently narrated a terrible sea tragedy.

the existing firms goes back to a period "We left Charleston, December 17, before 1600. The original principals of leaded with phosphate rocks-a terrible this firm were contemporaries of Shak- bad cargo to carry in rough weather. speare and Bacon, and it is strange, in- We were bound for Baltimore and had deed, that though England has witnes- provisions for a short voyage. Up to sed two revolutions since the the foun- Dec. 30, we had light, pleasant winds,

dation of the firm, its stability and con- but on the night of the 30th a hurricane served by the sacrifice of all your future dation of the firm, its stability and con-prospects, and weeks and months of tinuance have not been affected. The burst upon us. We were then about firm in question is that of Martin & Co., established in 1555, or upwards of 320 years ago. Two other firms—those of gave us a chance to clear up our decks the happy father of twins, and con-at the sea. Who are you?" pain. I will call soon and make your firm in question is that of Martin & Co., twenty miles off Cape Hatteras. The Messrs. Child & Co., and Messrs. Gos- we found our gaffs gone, our sails split, gratulated him on his success so late in lings & Sharpe-were established be- our boat stove and everything washed fore 1650. The Bank of England com- from the deck that the water could get menced business in 1694, having been a purchase on. We made the best sail preceded by some years by Messrs. we could, but our progress was slow.

the Hudson's Bay Company. Of mer- thought that our provisions might run chants, Messrs. Baring Bros. & Co., short. All hands were put on short alforget what I said a few moments ago." were founded in 1763, and of wine mer- lowance, but what we had left lasted us chants, the firm of Hedges & Butle was only five days. The last mouthful was

> housemen appear to be of a somewhat feeling very weak, and, to make it later date, none being as yet quite a worse, a northwest gale took us on the that he had a narrow escape from death. century old. In the publishing world very next day, starting the upper deck

Messrs. Longmans have done business and causing us to spring a leak. Three continuously since 1720, while Mr. days after that, the men having been

upwards of 200 years ago. The eleven by laboring at the pumps, three of them, the coast of Monterey. years from 1866 to 1877 proved very dis- David Barrett, George Seaman and Walnaturally eager for fresh fruit. A lady astrous to newly established firms in ter Sampson, all colored, gave out. passenger on board one of the the city. In the former year about 600 That left the mate, James L. Somers, between San Franciose and the lower halted before him. cient to avoid the infant's head; but in Pacific mail steamships, informs us how new firms established themselves, of the cook, Sylvester Herbert, one sailor, coast, carrying freight and passengers. her desire was gratified while the ves- which in 1877 only 317 remained. Of George Hicks, and myself, four men, to sel was at anchor five miles off the little nearly 650 firms established in 1872, manage the vessel. We four are all latter were on board the boat at the Mexican coast town of Mazatlan. The about 400 have suspended, but since white. We were fast becoming exhaust- time I write; my recollection alone renatives came on in boats, bringing that period greater stability has prevail- ed.

by the frightened nurse, who tried to tempting supplies of the produce of the ed. The numbers of newly-established "On January 30, we had all been ab- seventeen, or thereabouts, and a man ed robber." firms have also largely increased. In solutely without food for seven days. of forty. I remember the man of forty "Poor girl," sighed the old man, "I Here were huge clusters of bananas 1873 these firms numbered 753; in 1874 We had plenty of water, because it very distinctly, and I may say vindict- fear she is as crazy as ever. My son, I plucked freshly from the tall trees 702; in 1875, 864; while in 1876, no rained nearly every day. We had chew- ively, for he threatened to kick me into suppose, is bringing her home?" which we could see quite plainly on fewer than 1,044 new firms were es- ing tobacco, but no spirits of any kind, the sea if I didn't mind my business; the land,-of the most exquisite flavor; tablished. It seems that by far the George Seaman was the first of the col- and as for the girl of seventeen, I re- reporter said: "You do not understand pineapples, such as can only be rip- greater part of the increase consists of ored men to give out. After he had member her because she was in compa- this, so I will tell you the story. ened under a warm, mellow, tropical small firms in the commission trade and been without food for four or five days ny with this man, and wore mourning, "This young girl is crazy; she has yu will find that yu have got to do it just approached, attempting at the same sun; limes of pleasant acidity, sugges- agents of manufacturers from the pro- he became crazy. On the morning of and was altogether very pretty and intime to chafe some life into her hands. tive of cool lemonade; oranges, too vinces and abroad. This increase in the 30th the three colored men were in teresting. "Only Jac. Dubois," answered one of large to hold comfortably in your hand, the commission and agency business for the forecastle together. There were no Do not misunderstaad me; she was a fine young man, who met his death isn't no better than a sedhiz powder;

her former companions, who was unless it be a large one, and cocoanuts, American and European manufactur- white men there. I was afterwards not pretty in the sense that other girls eighteen months ago at the hands of but if he laws to listen while yu sing ers is strongly borne out by British im-ports. The total imports in 1871 Seaman declared that he would kill ted, chatty; on the contrary, she was not bright, anima-of the girl hired the outlaw to commit mellow and not soft. But don't marry is. Now how did we buy them? The distance between us was about the total amount had risen to £376,000, the total amount had risen to £376,000, the three had a pistol, as I afterwards the same that it would be if we had the user the upper wind had risen to £376,000, the three had a pistol, as I afterwards the total amount had risen to £376,000, the three had a pistol, as I afterwards the three had a pistol her three her three had a pistol her three her thre

attack on Sampson. He did not fire at Her black eyes had a far-away look, as lover and the man who took his life, 6. It is one of the most tuffest things

A New Way to Retain Subscribers been away for a year." An indignant subscriber to a New "That's a long while," I said. "I Jersey paper went into the office a few suppose you are glad to get back."

She did not reply to this, but, sweep-"Are you rich ?" "No, on the contrary, I am poor." "What could you do with a thousand dollars ?" she asked.

kick me into the sea.

next, and then we landed.

looked over his list: "Do you know Jim Sowders, down at Hardscrabble ?"

"Very well," said the man. "Well, he stopped his paper last week because I thought a farmer was a blamed fool who didn't know that timothy was a good thing to graft on hackleberry bushes, and he died in less than four hours."

"Lord ! is that so?" said the aston ished Granger.

"Yes; and you know old George Erickson, down on Eagle Creek?" "Well, I've heard of him."

life. He fell dead within twenty min- thundered, "and don't dare speak to her utes. There's lots of similar cases, but again." it don't matter, I'll just cross your name off, though you don't look strong,

and there's a bad color on your nose. "See here, Mr. Editor !" said the subscriber, looking somewhat alarmed, "I nor the woman again that day or the

believe I'll just keep on another year, because I always did like your paper; and, come to think about it, you're a young man, and some allowance orter be made;" and he departed, satisfied smiled and said:

How She Lost Her Reason.

We were on board the steamer Ventu-Bentley's ancestors published works without food four days, and weakened ra, which afterwards went to pieces off great age. His hair was perfectly white

The Ventura was a fine-looking bent and tottering. steamer, and well manned, and plied "What is it ?" said the old man as we "A note from your granddaughter. I do not remember how many of the answered my friend, the reporter. "What does she say ?"

"She offers Jean La Rus, the murdercalls two persons-a young girl of er. \$1,000 to kill Vasquer, the renown-

Yes," and then turning to me the

a year. To begin with she had a lover,

and seems only to

Dear girls, are you in search of a husband i ing the deck with her eyes, said quickly : That is a pumper and you are not requested te say "Yes" out aloud, but are expekted tew throw yure eyes down

onto the earth as tho you was looking for a pin, and reply tew the interrogatory with a kind of draulin sigh. The note I had found came into my Not tew press so tender a theme until

my mind like a flash, and for a moment I could not speak. Was the girl going it bekums a thorn in the flesh, we will to offer me money to take a human life? presume (tew avoid argument) that you As I did not answer at once, she re- are on the lookout for something in the male line. Let me give yu sum small cated the question, and I said : "I could do a good deal with a thou- chunks ov advice how to spot your future husband :sand dollars, but I refuse-"

1. The man who is jellous ov every The girl gave a suspicious glance little attenshun which you get from over the deck, and, turning, I saw two black eyes glaring at me, and the next some other fellow yu will find after yu moment the tall, black-whiskered com- are married to him he luvs himself more panion of the girl strode toward us. than he duz yu, and what yu mistook for solissitude yu will discover has "What do you here?" he said sharp-

changed to indifference. Jellosy isn't a heart diseze it is a liver

komplaint. "I am the guardian of this girl," he 2. A mustash is not indispensable; It is only a little more hair, and is much

like moss and other excressences-often And here is where he threatened to doz the best on sile that won't raise anything else. Don't forget that those I left the deck at once, more perplexthings which you admire in a fellow ed that ever, and I saw neither the man before marriage you will probably dislike in a husband after, and a mustash will get to be very week diet after a

At the wharf I met a reporter of one long time. of the city papers, and I showed him 3. If husbands could be took on trial the note without hesitation, and he

as Irish cooks are, two thirds ov them would probably be returned; but there "I understand it. Come with me." don't seem to be enny law for this Half an hour later we entered a yard Therefore, girls, yu will see that after which led to a low, rambling house, on the veranda of which was a man of yu git a man yu have got tew keep him, even if yu loz on him. Consequently, if yu have got enny kold vitties in the likewise his beard, and his form was house, try him on them once in a while during scouring season, and if he swallers them well and sez he will take sum more, he iz a man who, when blue

Monday cums, will wash well. 4. Don't marry a pheller who is alwus tellin how his mother doz things. It is two hard to ween a yung one.

5. If a young man can beat yu playng on a plannor and kant hear a fish horn playing on the street without turning a summerset on account of the musick that is in him. I say to leave him; he might answer to tend baby,

and if yu set him hoeing out the garden lies in musick (and not too hefty at that)

Hoares, Thomson, Hankey & Co., and On January 18, I was startled with the

established in 1667. The firms of ware- eaten on January 23. The men were

and retused longer to support them. These girls worked from seven o'clock in the morning until six at night forhow much? Not enough to buy food proper for their sustenance, not enough to keep blood in their veins and strength in their muscles. It is the bitter truth, as many know too well. that the majority of these workers receive only from two to three dollars per week, or less than fifty cents per day. Then, hanging over them like a Damo-

clean sword, is the docking system which eats into their wages like a hungry rat into the malt. These hardworking souls have made the opulent proprietor, who now can scarcely spare an hour a day to business, as his time is entirely taken up by drives, clubs, public gatherings and other pleasures.

In this den-yes, den :- that is the right word. What better name for a place where young girls are taught that their time is almost worthless, and learn the usefulness of honest effort. In this den Jacqueline Dubois labored.

to a fault, and frequently divided the scanty luncheon she had provided with a fellow-worker less fortunate than herself. Thus she made friends and thus she made enemies, for the envious and small-souled cannot call generosity

friend. Some few girls there, who were dressed much better than their position should indicate, thus making their means of procuring their finery equivocal looked down upon her and sneeringly remarked :

That Jac. Dubois is terribly stuck up for as homely a girl as she is." But blessed is a plain, honest face to

a girl in these circumstances, as it keeps her from temptations and mise-

Jac. Dubois, as they called her, had a larger soul and a more intrepid spirit than all the envious lot put together. It was a bright, sunshiny day in May almost the first bright day we had experienced. It cheered the hearts of the girls and incited them to renewed efforts. Jac. Dubois had worked hard all the forenoon, but she was not tired, she was happy. Her face sparkled with vivacity and her mouth wreathed itself her narrow escape. in many smiles. She had been singing, as she worked, singing snatches of Mission School melody, which harmonized strangely with the whirl of the machin-

The reason she was so happy was because her mind was so filled with the image of a young and handsome man. She had met George Dunham a few evenings before at a friend's. He was a young carpenter, and a hard working is holding her hand. man. They had since been walking together, and he had asked her if he might linger near the factory after working hours and walk with her

homeward. It was two long miles from the factory to Jac.'s home; but the poor have to live where the rent is cheap, and many will only let George Dunham provide a have a greater distance than this to home for you, you will never want Northern and Western Europe, these walk after their day's work.

It was the hour of noon. Jac. had eaten her luncheon and made known do you say this out of pity? The doctor her determination of going down on says I am never to use my foot. What the street to get a breath of fresh air. would you do with a one-legged wife ?" Several girls offered to accompany her, and the poor, suffering girl essayed a of skin upon flags. so that quite a number were in the laugh, which only ended in a sob of party that strolled down the sunny anguish.

street to a busy thoroughfare below. "Yes, indeed, Jac., I do want you. the United States.

"She is a noble girl," said the old gencar driver, and call out, "Bananatleman, looking down at her. "Who is here;" and he answers in a queer Mexi she-where does she live? I should like can fashion : to call upon her."

"Ba-nan-a, yes." "Jacqueline Dubois, No. 920 Spring "How much ?" street. Will you help me put her into "One bunch-fifteen cent." "You send them up."

the carriage?' Various offers were made to put the Then he puts his fruit in a light maimed girl into the vehicle. It was wicker basket, or twine bag, to the hanriage rolled away to obtain medical aid and throws one end of the rope to us. for the sufferer. If we are skilful enough we may catch The spectators dispersed, the girls returning to complete their day's work. It the first time, out probably not, for the bound to hide facts, or to give

She was a very earnest worker, and nurse, who was kneeling in a doorway wonderfully adept, consequently she still brushing the particles of dust from was one of those who received three the child's dress. He had only seen the fell overboard when reaching for the too much dignity for comfort." dollars per week. She was generous crippled girl and beheld her heroic ac-

tion from a distance. "My good woman, who is this-What! Agnes-Gracie!" "Oh, Mr. Laflin, you won't discharge me, will you? The baby is safe and sound, and I'll buy her a new frock. I

sidewalk. She had fainted.

couldn't help it, sir-indeed, indeed, in____? "Papa, papa !" Mr. Lafin took his baby in his arms, leave, as prices diminish rapidly in pro- proper man, and all that, just for an and kissing her dear little face, turned portion to the time for making sales.

from the nurse without a word and gazed in the direction of the rapidly disappearing vehicle, until the large

tears gathered in his eyes rolled down his checks. "Noble girl! noble girl! her foot for my child's life! But she shall not suffer usually slept on their day-couches,

f money can repair the damage." Byron Laffin was very rich. "Jacqueline Dubois, No. 920 Spring ving of the heads and feet of animals at treet.

The old gentleman put it down in his note-book as he called a carriage to take the careless nurse and his only, his darling child Gracie, to their magnificent home. As he pressed her to his bosom her life seemed doubly dear as he thought of the recent danger and

Jaqueline Dubois lies in the only bed room on the first floor of her humble home. The injured foot has been properly cared for, but the physician gave little encouragement to her ever walk-

ing upon it again without the aid of a crutch. By her side is the young and pleasantfaced carpenter, George Dunham. He

Roman remains. But from the period "George, where is mother ?" when their Asiatic dominion increased "Gone to have your father come the Romans borrowed fashions from the home from his work."

"It is too bad," she moaned. "Father will lose a day, and you will lose a day, ter of beds. Examples of the Roman and I-oh, I can never walk again !" form of bed were still preserved in the "Never mind, dear, don't cry. If you days of Charlemagne. In the mean-

time, of course, in the barbaric life of while he has strength." forms generally being lost, it was an "Oh, George, are you in earnest-or advance in civilization when the bench became the bed, and people were fas-

tideous enough at last to feel above

A spiritual reporter at a private him with his pistol. He either drew it if trying to pierce the gray women calling their wares and the prices, that it was quite deafening at prices, that it was quite deafening at prices.

George Washington Interviewed.

no worse than we were."

then ?"

gently draw up the bag or basket, take once at Valley Forge, and----

toss it down in the boat quite carefully, when things look dark and desperate.

Now we may like some of the curious Light-Horse Lee a few months after-

Schools.'

people would stand."

anyway?"

out the fruit and put in the money, and

The Beds of Antiquity.

About the earliest data that we have

concerning beds are of Egyptian origin,

and they are very slight. Sir Gardiner

Wilkinson thinks that the Egyptians

which were long and straight, some

times with a back, sometimes with car-

the ends, made of bronze, of alabaster,

of gold and ivory, of inlaid wood and

richly cushioned. Where these were

Greek couch, judging from the bas-re-

their pillows, were merely hollows in

liefs on many vases, was of great ele-

conquests. Indeed beds which, with make yourself a king?"

necklaces which the women have to ward?"

lest the money should be lost.

I .- "But history-

example to our youth ?"

Don't you recollect how I swore at

man instantly. He fired three shots, she saw nothing external. Interneter .-. "You must be very much Seaman did not fire. I heard the shots. Probably you would like to know ing my friend by the arm, we took a by- garret -- handy for sickness-and thereshocked at coming back and finding so I went into the forecastle and found what business I had observing this girl path to the road. For several weeks following I heard fore, girls, it ain't a mistake that yu "Will you care for her? She should nave immediate rttention. You ought 'Aut when trade had harry organ, and nave immediate rttention. You ought 'Aut when trade had harry organ, and ertainly it was a novel way of going 'I went into the forecastic and huding so the went harry organ, and shocked at coming back and finding so the corruption in politics and busi-afraid of our lives. If the negroes had

of themselves, probably they would not only this, but very impressible. I.—"Why, I thought yours was the time of old-fashioned purity and honesty!" As I have attacked us. We had no pistols. That afternoon we cut a piece off of the fleshy part of the leg and broiled it on the state of the leg and the state of th

W .- "Old-fashioned fiddlesticks! Was the fire. What we did not want we put and I began to wonder, and think, and world. not Arnold a traitor? Didn't the Con- in a barrel with some salt, because we conjecture who she was, where she tinental lobbyists from the start try to did not want to run the risk of having came from, and whither she supplant me with General Artemus another man shot. The rest of the body was going. She was on the forward

Ward? Weren't one-tifth of the Yan- we afterwards buried with proper cere- deck in the morning, and at noon and mutiny arose on board of the brig 7. In digging down into this subject kees cowboys and skinners, robbing monies. I ate a piece as large as my at night, all the time looking at the Vineyard, then 10 miles off the Long Is- I find the digging goes harder the

where trade in slaves, black and white? as it was taken off the fire, and I cover- or at some creature of her own fancy the Captain and mate, and scuttled the form yu who not to take, for the reason successfully accomplished, and the car-dle of which a long rope is attached, Didn't people drive sharp bargains ed it on both sides with mustard, but floating in the air.

> "I don't think any of us were in our the distance is considerable, and it often becomes quite exciting to watch the at-tempts of purchasers to get their goods. One young lady of our party nearly fell overboard when reaching for the down and with altogether for the main and a demi-god. I was On the next day the Speedwell rescued us. The schooner went to the bottom, rope. But when it is once secured, we I .- "But you were found praying

probably, the night we left her." W .- "Well, lots of men will pray African Witthcraft and Canniba

sell. If so, we shall do well to wait till I .- "But isn't it better that we keep it is nearly time for the steamer to up your reputation as a very good and

W .- "Where's the sense of 'exam-Satan. The latter is the source of all one else was up, I was on deck. ready Mr. Johnson's house, they spent the hornets build on a tree evil and witchcraft. When a person to seize upon any new developements. night there, in the course of which one ples' that never existed? That reminds me that my friend Abe Lincoln says he is sick he is bewitched by some one, I had no idea of finding or seeing any of the party told Johnson of the crime School books. He says he was no semi- and the sorcerer or sorceress has to be thing of a startling nature, but 1 did they had committed, and of the money saint, and that it is a fact that the killed. The doctors point them out, find and see just this and nothing more. buried on the shore. Johnson immestories he used to tell in frontier bar- and they have to swallow poison to It was simply a thin strip of paper torn diately informed the authorities, and States was the first nation to force an rooms, when on the Illinois circuit, would disperse a convention of Sandayto the strychnine order, but these doc- interpreted, had this significance :

for republican simplicity preserved?" man sees the new moon over his right off his head. Do it and I'll give you a Search has been made from time to of Algiers, sailed from Algiers for W .-. "Hold there ! I never was one of shoulder, or his left, it is lucky or un- hundred dollars." your so-called republicans, I didn't mix lucky; but there it is unlucky if he sees not in use, mats replaced them, or low freely with the people. I was aristo- the new moon at all, and on the day of pallets made of palm-boughs, with a cratic and exclusive in my tastes, like the new moon nobody dare go out of his dered about it more than a little. I hand at the time of the mutiny now lives to the capital, he made show of wooden pillow hollowed out for the my people before me; drove my car- hut. The queen of witchcraft lives in could scarcely believe that it was the in Bridge Street, Brooklyn, and is enhead. What Egypt had, Assyria and the rest of the world had; and the Greek, whenever he could, improved Greek, whenever he could, improved upon other countries' notions; and the to live that life over again. I didn't gry she sends the plague and kills more But what did the compose the document about the equal- people. Those who have any connec- there a dark deed of blood contempla- of water. Soon after he returned with reciprocated salute, he spread all his

gance. The Romans, although receiv- I.-"But, General, you must own to men, and must be in a trance. The peo- matter, who was Marguret? ing so many of their customs and so some great qualities. Your refusal to ple are honest in their beliefs, but of much of their art from Greece, had very take advantages of your influence with course there is jugglery among them. the young woman came on deck, but giving up the task as hopeless, when on speeding his way with such velocity simple beds until after their eastern the army at the close of the war, and to Among many tribes cannabalism ex- she did not see it, nor did she see me, the fourth day, the iron grapple brought that it was impossible to overtake him.

W .- "All that's gratuitous assumpa slab of stone, have been found among tion of a lot of Fourth-of-July lawyers, who got up adulatory orations about me on those taken in war. I made inquito pave their own way to Congress. There was never the least show for me ries about this cannabalism; I wanted quickly forward, and, with a voice that however, was supplied by a solid layer States, never having been before floated conquered, and they developed a strong taste for luxury, especially in the mat-the last thing then that the States and men or men. They all agreed that wo-the last thing then that the States and men or men. They all agreed that wo-the last thing then that the States and men or men. They all agreed that wo-the last thing then that the States and men or men. They all agreed that wo-the last thing then that the States and men or men. They all agreed that wo-the last thing then that the States and men or men. They all agreed that wo-the last thing then that the States and men or men. They all agreed that wo-the last thing then that the States and men or men. They all agreed that wo-

I .- "Now, did vou ever tell a lie?" is perfectly terrible. They cover them-W .- "Of course I did, you idiot !- selves all over with war paint and with and paid for having them told, toowhile we 'fit' in the Revolution. Those fibs are military necessities."

I .- "What do you think of our age, ways keep in a particular house in every village. Then they have a dance, again : and when morning comes each man

W .- "It's an improvement on 1776. sleeping on bundles of straw or heaps More of bad and good dragged to light. cuts his hand in several places and lets Lord ! you'd be astonished did you real- the blood flow into a large wooden disb. -There are 8,000,000 dairy cows in ize the general ignorance of one hun- and they rub themselves with that dred years ago. Doctors prescribed 1000d and then go to war.

fully. A great many has tried it and I understood all now, and turned to

Everybody seems to look upon old maids I did not wish to meet them, so, tak- jist as they do upon dried herbs in the

Washington .- "Nonsense! You are not got into the quarrel and killed one that I was young, and, perhaps curious, the beautiful but unfortunate girl Mar- husband. The swop iz a good one; but

guret was dead. She had bribed a Mexican attendant table jist because his father iz. You

Discovery of Treasure.

In the month of December, 1830, 2 for a husband. friend and foe? Didn't deacons every- two fingers only. It was handed to me water or at the distant hills or the sky, land coast. The mutineers murdered further 1 get. It is much easier tew inship. Part of the cargo consisted of there iz more of them.

that night I felt bad effects from it. I resolved that I would eat no more of it. Had this big, black-whiskered man the big black-whiskered man the big black-whiskered man the big black-whiskered man the big black whiskered man the big black whiskered man to the value of about \$40,000, the big black whiskered man the big black whiskered not been constantly by herside, I would property of Mr. Stephen Girard, of vice if I give it, and, therefore, I will right mind on January 30. I am pretty have questioned her at once on the Philadelphia, to whom the vessel was keep it, for I look upon advice as I do ful beauty the walls of a terrible mys- imals of New York and Brooklyn, on boy, who looks upon poverty az sassy tery. The first night I even dreamed which, at the time, lived a man named az a child looks upon wealth-who had about her. She was the last person on Johnson, the only inhabitant of the Is- rather sit down upon the curbstone in deck, and as I left her still bending land. The two boats contained the iront of the Fifth Avenue Hotel and eat Paul Du Chaillu, the well known over the railing looking at the foaming mutineers and their plunder found the a ham sandwich than go inside and run African explorer, tells the following sea, I went to my room, and, retiring, surf too heavy, and were in danger of in debt for his dinner and toothplekabout witchcraft and cannibalism in dreamed that she was the daughter of being swamped, so to lighten one of and who is a man with that sort of Africa: The great curse of that country the man who was constantly watching them, a large chest in which part of the pluck that mistakes a defeat for a victory is its superstitions, and it is very hard her, and that he was a murderer. I treasure was contained was thrown mi advise is to take him body and soul to get at the bottom facts about their re- dreamed more than this, a disconnected overboard. They then reached the -snare him at onst, for he is a stray ligious belief. They have two names story, altogether wild and improbable, beach and buried the remains of the trout, a breed very skarse in our waters. which represent our idea of God and and the next morning, long before any treasure in the sand. Proceeding to Take him, I say, and bild onco him as

repentance at this price. No woman

ever made this trade who didn't get

either a phool, a mean cuss or a clown

Yankce Cheek.

It is a curious fact that the United prove their innocence. The poison is from a memorandum-book and covered the mutineers were captured and tried, entrance through the closed straits of the root of a tree called bando, belonging with elaborate writing, which, when and two of them were condemned and the Dardanelles. In 1801 Commodore hanged on Kennedy's (now Bedloe's) Bainbridge, who had a secret message to convey to the Sultan from the Dey

time for this buried treasure, and a large Constantinople in the American trigate amount of it recovered. A son of George Washington. As he knew he This was a strange note, and I won- the Johnson who resided on Barren Is- would not be allowed to proceed up land when it blew very hard, and he blew strong up the channel, under But what did the note signify ? Was lest his anchor in about three fathoms cover of the smoke of his own and the tion with the spirit in the moon are wo- ted? And who was Jean, or, for that a drag to recover the anchor, and was canvas to the breeze. Before the Turks matter, who was Marguret? I still held the note in my hand as Tired and disheartened, he was about out of range of their cannon, and ists, but I think it is a sort of religious but, passing to the prow of the boat, she up a large square box so covered with When he cast anchor off the mouth of feast, as they do not kill psople pur-leaned over the railing and fastened her weeds and shell-fish as to be scarcely the Golden Horn, and displayed the posely except prisoners of war. As eyes on the gray hills in the distance. recognizable. On examination it proved stars and stripes great was the surprise I do not remember how I felt at that to be a sailor's chest bound with iron, and consternation. He was supposed among the Indians, they have no mercy among the Indians, they have no mercy moment; I only know that I stepped but wanting a lid. The loss of this, to be a pirate, as the flag of the United men were the best. Their war dance water. Then, like a flash, she turned Under this was a layer of black mold. Turkish authorities were informed the er eyes on me and said : "Afraid of the water? You do not which me could apparently the remains of clothes, vessel was from the New World. After which was easily cleared away. John- considerable delay, and threats of imselves all over with war pane with the clay that had been saturated with the decayed flesh and brains from the heads "I told her my name, but she did not "I told her my name, but she did not know me, it seems, I am afraid of noth- son then saw before him a chest nearly prisonment in the Seven Towers for

nammer and cluster had to be used to separate them. The gold was honey-combed and the surface rough and de-faced, the principal coins being \$20 pieces. The whole amount found was pages.

"No: do vou ?"

her eyes on me and said .

appear to comprehend my words; but, with her black eyes still upon me, spoke again: "Are you going far?" "To Los Angeles," I replied. "Do you live there?"

\$4,800. "Yes, when they will let me. I have

"JEAN : The way to kill him is to cut Island.

"MARGURET."

