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INDEPENDENCE.

Ye depend on one another For each comfort ye onjoy ; There is naught the heart can foster That the heart may not destroy. To every mind that ponders, To every heart that feels, There is not a day but something This hidden truth reveals ; Thus, thus throughout creation, The links of life had birth ; Ye speak of independence, There is no such thing on earth. The seed of friendship blooms not-

No leaf can it impart Until it finds a we come In some congenial heart The light of love can warm not Till found some kindred shripe. And then its springs im nortal. And shows itself divine. Thus, thus throughout creation The links of life had birth . Ye speak of independence. There is no such thing on earth.

## The Buried Secret.

before he died. Laura, the eldest, was seventeen, while the other two. Maggie and Tommov, were of the respectives ages of

thirteen and nine. For thirty years Jasper Flint had been a very strange and excited. What is the matter, my poor Laura? complished even at this rate. Frequently a seam is struck in blasting which stops the work in that heading altogether, on account dealer in second-hand clothing, and al-though very penarious and trickery, and What is the matter, my poor Laura? a seam is struck in blasting which stops the What has happened?" he exclaimed, pant-work in that heading altogether, on account driving an extensive trade in cast-off gar- ing. very poor, so that Laura, from the age of me !" twelve, had been a perfect little family drudge.

miser his disposition and habits, it was wonder- lover's hands. ful that he ever thought of it at all.

The wife he married was twenty years nd refined woman, and could not adapt are thousands, too?" herself to his miserly manner of thinking and acting. She died, as we have said, in mistake i" demanded Laura, excitedly. ten years after this ill-assorted marriage,

A careful investigation into the old eich-in rady money—scarcely more than enough to defray the funeral expenses; and what rendered matters still worse was, his stock in trade worse was, his stock to matter ut it up. He went out with it, and proved berselt, in every respect, equal to

their best furniture at half the original cost to pay off the heavy expenses attending her first sickness, and now they occupy three rooms in the fourth story of a third-rate tenement house. And what makes matters still worse, Charley has become discour-aged at his lot, and has lately taken to

"This Mrs. Fulsome told me in confi-dence, with the tears standing in her eyes, and she furthermore assured me that she very much feared he would lose his situa-tion three shifts of eight hours each. The very much feared he would lose his situacentral shaft is fifty feet deep. tion in consequence of it. Charley Fulsome, when he was married, was strictly headings; at right angles to these are eleven

temperate, and looked forward to the cross headings, none of which have yet future with as much hope and confidence been extended their entire length. They as you are; and yet, in little more than two average seven feet high and ten feet wide, vears, all his prospects in life have been and are situated about twenty feet apart. blighted through the united and ill-advised Near the main shaft, however, where more judgment of the thoughtless couple ..." And with these clever arguments Laura they are larger. Three acres have thus light and space are required for working, would effectually silence her importunate been undermined, or one-third of the lover for the time being.

Now it was a great puzzle to everybody headings until each one has been carried whole. It is not intended to enlarge the how old Jasper Flint, with his penurious habits, could have died and left his chil-will be widened and made higher, so that dren so destitute. Some suggested that he the whole excavation will resemble an immust have hidden or buried his money, and mense cave, the roof being supported by every part of the house, cellar, and back- the rocky pillars which now form the sides yard were carefully examined, but with-out its resulting in any such discovery. of the headings. The thickness of the rock forming the roof will then be about ten

One day Fred Allston was surprised by feet, varying according to the character of Old Jasper Fint had been stricken with the appearance of Tommy at the office, the rock, whereas it is now from fifteen to paralyis, and was now lying at the point bearing a brief and startling message from From his troubled expression it his darling Laura. It contained just these was evident that he most earnestly desired words, and they were very suggestive for slowly, owing to the hardness of the rock to communicate something to his children they were first she had ever written him : of which the reef is composed. The rate "DEAR FRED : Come to me quick.

"LAURA." When he arrived she met him at the tion of about 1,500 cubic yards. It is imdoor, and he noticed that her max ner was possible to tell when the whole will be ac-

driving an extensive trade in case of gal. ments, he professed to be very poor—al-ways crying up poverty to the last. He had never employed servant or housekeep-have just made a strange discovery, and have just made a strange discovery. er, for the ostensible reason that he was have sent for you post-haste to enlighten any previous year; 24,000 cubic yards of

once inside she went directly, and without ber of blasts made each night now averages Everybedy said that old Jasper was a inser. He was near fifty years of age be-He was near fifty years of age be- and drew out a carefully-preserved pack- on scows and dumped in the deep water to fore he ever thought of marrying; and with age of papers, and placed them in her the south of the reef. Part of it was also

wildered astonishment, and then exclaimed ounger than humself; but he starved and excitedly, "Good heavens, Laura, what oroke her heart by his meanness in ten does this mean? They are government years' time. She was a delicate, sensitive, bonds. Where did you get them? There "Are you sure of that ? Can there be no

"No mistake in the world, my darling!

western part of his kingdom.

think. The blooc-hounds continued to ings in this private recess from mankind.

thirty feet in thickness. The work of tunneling proceeds very Sawney Beane, where, to their great surprise, they beheld the legs, arms, thighs, hands, and feet of men, women, and chil-dren hung up like dried beef, and some at which it is now going on is from 500 to 600 feet a month, representing an excavalimbs lying in pickle, a great mass of money, gold and silver watches, rings, swords,

rock were removed, 43,000 blasts made, She led the way into the house, and and 57,066 drills sharpened. The numed in multitudes to see this cursed tribe,

A Horrible Recital.

of trial, had their hands and legs cut off, by which amputation they bled in some Sawney Beane was norn about eight or nine miles eastward of the city of Edinhours to death, and this torture being justburgh, of parents who went hedging and ly inflicted upon them in sight of the wife, ditching for their daily bread, and who daughters, and grandchildren. The latter brought up this their bloody-minded child were then burned in three separate fires, leaving three pretty children with a fair prospect of starving after her. They are genuine government securities. But where in the name of all that is won-his disposition to idleness not permitting

relating the matter to the prover to the prove to the p aged at his lot, and has lately taken to \$140,000, and a large part of the \$200,000 city, they immediately sent to the king mountain on the main line of the Central and a gentleman in a short brown velvet in person thither, being desirous of seeing of an animal coming down out of the tim-the apprehending of this villain, who, for ber and making its way over the top of the "With me I find at present more than I really can attend to," said he. "You see so many years, had been the pest of the snow toward the river. It looked like a 1 have paid more attention to the business ple goodness; ignorance, oppression, cannot priests,

armed, set out on horse-back with the king, who had several blood-hounds with him, that one could walk over the top without a representative. It takes steady experiand went with the man to the woods breaking through. Captain Vincent Yore, where he was attacked, but found no sign of St. Louis, a man well-known in steamof any habitation all over it. They then boat circles both in St. Louis and Pitts-

going along the shore, they passed by the cave of Sawney Beane without taking any notice of it as a place of habitation, and combined, went into his little office any notice of it as a place of habitation, man combined, went into his little office of habitation, until some of the blood. and brought out a beautiful breech loading hounds running into it and setting up a most hideous barking, howing and yelp-ing, the king and his attendants came back and looked into it. Seeing nothing but darkness, they did not know what to never dreamed he was in earnest.

yelp. Torches were sent for and a great he had gone down one of the steps, and many men ventured into it; though there bringing out a rat terrier dog of the light were several intricate turnings and wind- woolly Scotch pattern, said : "Here, you'll want a dog when you go

yet they at last came to the apartments of bear hunting."

Captain Yore turned back, picked up the dog, and putting it under the flap of his coat, started down toward the bear. The grizzly had by this time got out far enough to be plainly seen, as he made his owner. He has been to Rome, Florence, way across the narrow valley. He looked Milan, Berlin, and Paris studying art. He pistols, and a great quantity of clothes, both linen and woolen, which they had taken from those they murdered. All these they seized, and took what human flesh they found there and buried it. They also brought out Sawney Bean and his in western North America. Travelers ou canvas, and he thinks there is a better also brought out Sawney Bean and his murderous family, which, besides hunself, consisted of his wife, eight sons, six the ultiform at later and the specimen that is caged on antive place, where he is shortly to return. daughters, eight cen grandsons and fourteen granddaughters, begotten in incest. They a foot like the "fifteenth amendment," and crayon artists. One has been for some were all pinioned and carried to Edinburgh.

over's hands. Fred gazed at them for a moment in be-vildered astonishment, and then exclaimed Captain Yore went straight toward him. birds, fishes and animals. Then I have a municated to the passengers. They got closer and closer until they were only about the length of a train apart. Yore stopped, They like flowers, such as a bunch of the men, without process or any manner took out the little dog and set him down. three roses or daisies. The men always The terrier made for the bear at once, and, order useful tattooing as a rule, such as going behind him, bit him on the heel, their initials upon their arms or some The bear turned round to see what had fancy designs upon their breasts. The scratched him on the foot, and the minute Crucifixion is not uncommon among sailors, he turned Yore, who had been standing and many have the emblems of Freemotionless, watching the bear as it came masonry, Odd Fellowship, and other secret

A Tattooing Academy. "Andre Galliot, Artist in Tattoo Work,"

is upon the door of one of the houses in

Depau row, New York. A knock upon

the door is sufficient to get admittance,

remainder are young men, one of them a

time in the School of Art in the Cooper

body upon earth.

n for the animal i rode.

another good, long talk together."

and butter and eggs of course."

"Within an hour, I guess."

said I about to dismount.

renewed her apologies.

"I don't want better fare than that,"

## Pioneer Life Forty Years Ago.

### NEWS IN BRIEF.

Robert Dale Owen, says: "I have sojourned among the laborers of England; I States reaches 5,500,000 able-bodied -The military reserve of the United have visited amid their vineyards, the men.

peasantry of France; 1 nave dwelt for -The province of Quebec is sending years among the hardy mountaineers of numbers of laborers into the United

A body of about four hundred men, well gers thought it was anything else. The discussion of the passen. I intend before I leave to see it placed intended to the outsiness trample out that. I have witnessed pa-Our four great timber states are timber states are timber to the outsiness to the outsiness trample out that. I have witnessed pa-Our four great timber states are timber states are timber to the outsiness to the outsines to the outsines neath grievous wrongs; I have met with nesota.

and ng the nices of art in which color has a representative. It takes steady experi-ence to become an expert with the use of our needles and colors, and I, like others, man was not there-the spirit that can lift shortly.

have in my day been only a beginner, and up the brow with a noble confidence and -The Holyoke manufactory deliverwent through it, which led down to the burg, and in fact all along the river, was every person who got me to do little jobs also gave me a good chance for practice. The Holyoke manufactory deliver-seaside, when, the tide being out, and one of the passengers. The Holyoke manufactory deliver-also gave me a good chance for practice. them and the favorite of propitious fortune,

-The Moravians have sixty-five one felt-they felt-that there was a great churches in America, and about 150,000 gulf fixed, broad and impassable. Far other is it even in the lowllest cabin

han of very innited concerned, was all he of our frontier West. It is an equal you ermere, England, has fallen heir to meet there; an equal in political rights; one \$1,500,000. to whom honors and office, even the high-

-The foreign trade of the United est are as open as to yourself. You feel 5 ates has increased thirty per cent. that is an equal. The tone in which hos- since 1879. pitality is tendered to you, humble though

-The trotting horse St. Julien has neans and forms may be, reminds you of it. The conversation, running over the this season. made a profit of \$28,000 for his owner my instructions; three are females and the great subjects of the day, branching off

perhaps to questions of constitutional right France from December, 1848, to Sep--Louis Napoleon was the ruler of remainder are young men, one of them a Chinaman. Alt of my pupils have had of it. I have heard in many a backwoods -The territ

cabin, lighted only by the blazing log-heap, six times greater than that of the -The territory of China is nearly arguments on government, views of ma-tional policy, judgments of men and things

-The American Union telegraph that, for sound sense and practical shrewdness, would not disgrace any legislative company has contracted for two new Atlantic cables.

The early settler was Arabian in hospi--The Philadelphia mint has been tality. Houses of entertainment were inordered to coin \$10,000,000 monthly in frequent; the farmer was often compara- \$5 and \$10 pieces,

-San Francisco has newspapers tively isolated, and though scant of cash, he had usually enough, and to spare, of printed in ten foreign languages, inplain provision for man and beast. Thus, cluding Chinese.

as a general rule, the chance traveler found -The first bankrupt law enacted by welcome and shelter for himself and horse, an American Congress was in 1800; it if he knocked a any door which he chanced | was repealed in 1803.

to approach toward night-fail. Payment, -The activity of Mount Vesuvius only offered, was almost always de- increases. Lava flows abundantly on the side towards Naples. "What do I owe you!" I asked a farmer,

-To the census bureau from Idaho to whom I was indebted for a comfortable supper and breaktast, and plentiful provisand 450,000 head of cattle

"Well," he replied with a smile, "I On the 6th of August 1760, three hunhaven't time this morning to make out the dred of Frederick the Great's soldiers ni; but I'll tell you how you can pay it. died of sunstroke in one day. Promise me that if you ever come within

-Queen Victoria is having a lonely striking distance of this little place again, visit at Balmoral, whence cold weather you'll give me a call, so we can have has driven all but her household.

-Two hundred and fifty different The only hesitation seemed to be when kinds of tacks are manufactured from they feared the stranger might be dissatis- brass, copper, zinc, iron and steel. fied with such fare as they could offer. On

-The total value of the property ocone occasion I encountered a tempestuous cupied by the religious orders in Parts snow storm during a horseback journey to amounts in all to 116,500,000 frances. Indianapolis to attend an eighth of January

-The Furnish Diet has voted annual celebration, and espying a decent-looking, subsidy of 60.0 rubles for five years to double log-cabin, I resolved to seek shelter establish an Italian opera at Helsing-"Can I put up with you to-mght, mad- lors.

amef" I asked a patient looking woman, -Chicago has a sensible ordinance requiring the use of iron vessels for ashes, under a penalty of \$5 for every "Well," she said, hesitating, "it don't

man of very limited education, and knew

nearly that far myself, and am now teach-The station agent called him back when ing others the trade." "Have you pupils ?" "Ye I have at present fifteen under

stout and healthy, assisted her in her out manfully as a newsboy.

generally.

Laura was very pretty and neat and af- these same bonds." who chiefly employed her, declared that they could see their faces in their shirthosoms after they had passed through

the artistic ordeal of her polishing irons. in the way of flattery and compliments, but she conducted herself always with the strictest propriety whenever they were present, which soon won from them general respect and friendship. Her practical ittle head was too strong to be turned from the praiseworthy current of her purpose by

any man's flattery. But there was one young man who had insensibly won his way into her good graces-a clerk of twenty. Laura, with her practical eye, could

read his pure and unselfish nature at a glance, and she liked him; but she understood life better than he, and when he urged an early marriage she reasoned.

"You are just in the beginning of the struggle," she would say, and with talent and the good principles you possess to recommend you, you are sure to rise, if you do not rush blindly into responsibilities that are sure to cramp you in the future." To these arguments Fred Ailston would always reply : "Now, Laura, darling, this may appea

very rational to you, and might to me, if I i not feel that in your great anxiety for my future success, you are too apt to underrate my capability of coping with the world. Now, if we married, I should feel content, and struggle like a lion to piace you in that more exalted

salary is increased, or I get into a business 03 my own account; and I can psund out the France.

ciothes and do all the heavy work for you when I am alone at the office. You see, fashion, if I am not quite as wise and practical as yourself." To all of this Laura would shake her

young head gravely, and maintain her right to differ. "If everything was sure of being just a

you paint it, "she would answer, negatively, the venture might be safe enough, perhars. But I am endowed with a greater de gree of caution than you, and can form a cooler estimate of the after probabilities, in the event of my permitting you to blood he could claim back his vanished take this uncertain step. "Look, as an illustration, at Nancy Ful-

some. She is only a year older than I, murdered them in the dungeons of the cas-been married a trille over two years, and the with his own hand, and bathed in their has three habits the flort two beins and has three babies-the first two being twins, and hardly able to toddle alone. Instead of being able to assist Charley, as she did,

and well they might, for Charle's salary was a hundred and sixty pounds a year, and is no more now; but Nancy added Gloriette Island, in front of where the great nearly fifty to their income the first year, hospital now stands. but not a shilling since. What has been

the result?

matter more clearly than L. I was almost out a murder.

there was an ample provision for them

deal of annoyance from her genteel patrons in the way of flattery and compliments "As you say, he must have suffered in-

tense agony in the end." returned Fred, thoughtfully. "But now, dear Laura, you have grown so rich, you will hardly remember your promises to a poor fellow like

She looked at him reproachfully. "Can you think so meanly of me, dear darling Fred, after all the proofs of affection I have given you, you naughty, ungrateful boy ?" "Forgive me! forgive me, dearest Laura!

But now there is no longer the obstacle in the way, will you not be merciful enough to end this long suspense, and name happy day ?" "It is now the middle of November." said Laura, archly. "Let us say at Christ-

mas." "You are a darling angel !" cried Fred. rapturously, and they were married at the

appointed time. -Who was Bluebeard,

Bluebeard was the Sieur Gilles de Retr, social position for which you are so of Brittany, a great feudal lord, who posjust the same, if you choose to, till my teenth and beginning of the fifteenth centuries, and was besides a marshal of hundred yards into their subterranean hab-

my darling, I can calculate in my own a hand of iron and a sword of fire.

impaired both by all sorts of indulgence.

scorpion whip that is always sure to follow Instead of growing penitent, he only became more bloody and relentless. Seduced by a wicked and cunning alchemist to believe that by bathing in human

health, beauty, and spirits, he entrapped children and young person of both sexes.

-The annual crop of flax seed in result? "Why they were obliged to give up this country is estimated at 3,000,000. The man, who was the first that ever of Ohi came off alive after falling into their hands, chair.

with resolute, server respect, equal to the equivocal situation. She put out a small signboard, and took in washing and ironing. Maggie, who was

stout and healthy, assisted her in her lalors; and Tommy, at her suggestion, though he was but nine years old, haunched out namfully as a newsboy. With all bands thus occurried the mis-with an matter nore clearly than I. I was almost sure that such important-looking docn-ments could not be worthless paper." With all bands thus occurried the mis-with an matter nore clearly than I. I was almost out a murder. They never frequented any market for any market for with they save the grave the carried it to with an matter nore clearly than I. I was almost sure that such important-looking docn-ments could not be worthless paper." "No, my sweet Laura, you were right out manifully as a newsboy. With all hands thus occupied, the mis-confortably than they had ever done while their father was alive. They were able to supply themselves with more wholesome food, and in sufficient quantity to appease and to appear better and more well-to-do

moments. "There is no better paper in the country to day, or in the world, than the country to day, or in the world, than of some they had killed into the sea, which these same bonds." and your into a on his four legs when the dog bit him once doctors, who bought some of my tools and buttered dish; break a dozen eggs over the more, and Yore let him have it again, miss and had a little practice in tattooing.

fable and this secure) her plenty of work of the lightest and most desirable description, and the young clerks and gentlemen of beholdera. Persons who went about their lawful occupations fell often into the hands of these merciless cannibals and easily prepared and really delicious dish is He started on a trot toward Yore, who now know them hereafter if they came before

eisure, who chiefly employed her, declar-the they could see their faces in their the meelves independent. She was subject, of course, to a good feal of annoyance from her genteel patrons teal of annoyance from her genteel patrons nor write, in any way make himself under-stood. Poor father! he must have suf-fered terribly, not to be able to reveal his secret to his children. But he was very secret to his children. But he was very odd, and when well would admit no one into his confidence." "Madame," sald I, "I thought you said into his confidence." "Madame," sald I, "I thought you said into his confidence." "Madame," sald I, "I thought you said pieces; piace into a moderately hot over into his confidence." "Madame," sald I, "I thought you said pieces; piace into a moderately hot over into his confidence." "Madame," sald I, "I thought you said pieces; piace into a moderately hot over into his confidence." "Madame," sald I, "I thought you said pieces; piace into a moderately hot over into his confidence." "Madame," sald I, "I thought you said pieces; piace into a moderately hot over into his confidence." "Madame," sald I, "I thought you said pieces; piace into a moderately hot over into his confidence." "Madame," sald I, "I thought you said pieces; piace into a moderately hot over into his confidence." "Madame," sald I, "I thought you said pon bare circumstances, besides several into do injury when located on the back. I "Madame," sald I, "I thought you said pon bare circumstances, besides several into do injury when located on the back. I "Madame," sald I, "I thought you said these are prairie-fowls," pointing to three or tour that hung against the wait." innocent inn-keepers, who were also exe-cuted for no other reason than that persons the preparation. Three eggs, half a cup

and their bodies privately buried in ob-scure places to prevent a discovery. After several had been executed, and no one beat the whites to a stiff froth, add to the made any confession at the gallows, but well-beaten yolks and constarch; stir all stretched him as he was almost at the end in London that has not come under my most any day in our barn-yard; but it's all total sugar crop of the state as 237,000 made any contession at the gallows, but declared they were innocent of the crime for which they died, this rigorous way of proceeding was given up, and the find-ing out of the murderers left wholly to

brown but not burn; cook about seven and clubbed together and bought the rule God Sawney Beane, with his wife, children, minutes; fold, turn on a hot dish, and for Captain Yore, and the captain laid

on foot. As for horsemen, two were the most they would ever set on, and then To make a Parmesan Omelet; beat up with such caution that an anabuscade was three eggs with pepper and salt to taste,

with such caution that an analysende was haid to secure them, ride which way they haid to secure them, ride which way they would, provided one or both made their escape from the first assailants. Thus, those whose misfortune soever it was to fall into the onelet pan; as soon as it is melted pour in the eggs, and, holdidg the handle of they means of a flat spoon. The social position for which you are so well fitted. You can go right on well fitted. You can go right on which you are so in the social for the

At the battles of Antietam and South

Gifted in youth with physical strength and beauty, and an enormous fortune, he and darkness. The number of people they was reckoned that in the twenty-five years when too late, with a center and bloated body, he found himself lashed by the scorpion whip that is always sure to follow

ters they had washed their manus in the rearranty milded by his brothers and a private women and wrapped in separate papers by eggs and chuckens, with the product of bosom friend and supporter. The chief soldier. They carried him across the and children. The discovery of the canniba's was thus the discovery of the canniba's was thus

and children. The discovery of the canniba's was thus made: A man and his wife, who was be-hund him on the same horse, coming one evening from a fair and falling into an ambuscade of these merciless wretches, they fell upon them in a most furnous man-ner; the man, to save himself as well as he could, fought bravely with his sword and could, fought bravely with his sword and could. fought bravely with his sword and could. fought bravely with his sword and could. fought bravely with his sword and country a long and toilsome distance, every to she house of a Maryland Union farmer. The neame the ubiquitous Yankee surgeon and made hasty preparations to amputate the aling member. The farmer vehement-ing the and mode hasty preparations to amputate the aling member. The farmer vehement-ing the aling member. The surgeon could, fought bravely with his sword and could. fought bravely with his sword and could fought bravely with his sword and children and young person of both sexes, murdered them in the dungeons of the cas-ner; the man, to save himself as well as he ile with his own hand, and bathed in their warm blood. It was believed that more than a hundred

It was believed that more than a hundred were thus murdered. After years of impunity the matter be-After years of impunity the matter be, indicate the female cannibals forthwith cut her the determined old farmer dispatched his slatternly at that, although she was as trim and neat a girl as you could see anywhere before she was married. "The first year of their marriage they hed their heads as high as anybody; and well they might, for Charle's salary was a hundred and sixty pounds a year,"

their way through a solitary wood, and so retired to their den. The man, who was the first that ever in the subsequently became Governor

they they will be just as and in ten, our snow and almost disappeared from our tisce. I do not know where she got the soggy and indigestible; in sight. He tumbled and rolled and waltzed they saw the picture would have one made "Have you bread and butter and ten?" I be now about 15,000,000 gollons. The

Italian Oranges.

innocent inn-keepers, who were also exe-cuted for no other reason than that persons who had been thus lost were known to have lain in their houses, and were supposed to have heen robbed and murdered by them

right.

A Female Hermit.

Sawhey bease, with ins wite, channel, and grand-children still pursued their barbarous actions with impunity, and, being somewhat numerous, they would attack four, five or six men together, if they are well mixed, and the pan and four five or six men together, if they are well mixed, and the pan and the a goat on the side of a mountain. She quite at her case when I explained to her college, at Northampton, Mass., of scemed quite at ease on her improvised that I lived in a heavily timbered part of whom 30 are seniors, 50 juniors, 72 courser, and was riding along at a fast the country, in which prairie-fowls were sophomores and 75 in the entering A full-grown orange tree yields from gait, but as soon as she saw she was ob-served she jumped off the goat and ran in consequence, they were valued as a rari-

> Presence of Mind. John Witkes was not a great general, but

neighborhood in the latter part of the four-teenth and beginning of the fifteenth een-turies, and was besides a marshal prance. This castle was his stronghold, and he a hand of iron and a sword of fire. Gifted in youth with physical strength and beauty, and an enormous fortune, he beauty, and an enormous fortune, he d kalled was not exactly known; but it strap, and packed for the gardens, and repacked for intercourse with white people as intercourse with was inter removed from the boxes in which it was placed in the gardens, and repacked for shipment by experienced female packers, after having been carefully assorted by Sutro and Dayton to sell a few dozen of the product of the poet Churchill (Charles), Wike's the poet churchille young girls. The box of oranges contains, young girls. The box of oranges contains, on an average, two hundred and twenty-uite sociable to the Indians, who wander that his friend's name was on it, but he had of the Union. has competied statistics in that direction, and treats them kindly not thought to speak of it. The King's showing that in 40 years there have being at the time with him. "Ah, Mr. Wilkes, I must arrest you in

hm.

ionid turn a stranger from the door on a night like this, but we ain't fixed to keep travelers. We hain't -Ninsteen persons are held in the We hain't Cook County Jail, Chicago, on the got no meat in the house."

charge of murder, of various degrees The snow was drifting right in my face, of alrocity.

first oil well was sunk nearly twenty-"No tea, but coffee, and plenty of bread one years ago. -Great Britain owns nearly nine

million square miles of the earth's surface. The United States own about "But he ain't at home," she objected, three millions.

-According to some statistics pub and there's nobody to take your critter." "Never mind. You expect him soon?" lished in a French journal there are 1,587,350 married men in France, and 1 567,080 married women. "All right! I can take care of my own

-The annual report of the Commisin the stable I found corn, fodder and sioner of Pensions shows that there prairie hay in abundance; and I had fed were on the 30th of June last 250,800 and curried my horse before he came back. persons on the pension rolls. When I returned to the house, my hostess -Reuben R. Springer, of Cincinnati,

newed her apologies. "I most wish I hadn't let you stay. I who contributed so liberally to the foundation of the Music Hall has just

"Oh, sir," said she, "would you eat a 1729,

And so it was. He made his appear- as 13,060,000 gallons. hogsheads, and the yield of molasses

ance in time for supper. The broiled prai-rie-fowl was done to a wish; the bread was 1880, as corrected, gives a total of 332,-A wood teamster named McCausland, the butter and eggs exceptionable. I have males, 174.829; native, 276,176; foreign

> -The richest men in Germany are the Rothschilds of Frankfort; Krupp. of Essen, and Bleichbloder, of Berlin and Prince Bismarck is also reckoned among the millionaires. The number

-The population of New York City,

-The Rev. Charles F. Pennev, of of the Union, has competied statistics messenger, with the warrant in hand, found Wilkes in his shamber; Churchilli been 53:56 patients received at the State insane Asylum, one-third of whom Insane Asylum, one-third of whom were suffering from the effects of

nabitual intoxication.

the King's name." "You have a warrant?" "Yes, here it is," "And you've got Charles Churchill's

name down also? "Yes."

his net before his very eyes.

THERE is not much danger when it "rains cats and dogs," but when it that would otherwise be wasted. grub. The Oregon Salmon Fisheries.

From the annual report of the "Tes." "Thompson, my dear fellow," said Oregon Board of Trade we learn Wilkes, turning to his companion, do you that the salmon catch of the past run around to Churchill's rooms and tell spring and summer has exceeded him what is coming. Tell him to be off anticipations, yielding 530,000 cases. for a few days, and I'll have it all right for in 1875 a catch of 231,500 cases was considered enormous; 1877 yielded 400,000 Churchill nodded to his friend, and at cases, and 1879 as many as 485,000 cases. once hurried out, the officer of the law httle This rapid increase shows the vast extent dreaming how the fish was slipping from and financial value of the Oregon salmon fisheries. Of the half million and more

cases packed this year, 211,522 cases were The butterfly never goes back on its sent to San Francisco, and 239,241 cases were shipped direct to Great Britain.



Spitz dogs, look out.