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THE WORLD AS I FIND IT.

Where tears are never dried, And only wors at ide. may be so-I canno: know at the l dare not say, lot has had more glad than sad,

Tues tell of woman a nileshat person d ps in pouting lips, And death in dimpled + miles. may be so-I cannot know-Yat sure of this I am :

Whose love is not a sham. ber say that life's a bitter curs hist hearts are made to ache, And health a vast mistake. t may be as-I cannot know-But let t em talk their fill ; I to my life and love my wife

That Voice.

A day in June, 1802, and one of the t early summer days the world ever d-a cloudless sky, golden bright sune soft, fragrant air, joyously sweet

On the laws in front of the elegant man-- a game somewhat resembling payed a quarter of a century or more this way?" in "Follow, follow" the players, ead of beckening to each other, becken a group of metallic balls, around which in a carcle, and he or she who proves extended to him." have most magnetic force the balls folw with a rush, while the remainder of players rush as wildly in their efforts are the place left vacant by the fly-

heler skelter, knocking against each her with a pleasant ringing sound, after fair-headed maiden, whose little at in suppers all gleaming with silrans gold, flash in the sunshine beneath er bine satin Turkish trouserlets as she nngs lightly over the greensward amid esquartely modulated laughter-no e shous loudly in this refined twentieth

in the back gurden, on a green cloveret grass-plat, stands a broad, deep basof newly washed, snowy white linen, ed a hinging-out machine, planted firmly the middle of the plat, is industriously ing and lowering its wooden arms, ong the various pieces in its wonder constructed hands, and hanging them the rout no ciothes-pins lise, which lowig revolving around it, and to which

maker is minking the beautiful white hat stands just outside the door; in the kuthen the rook is indolently rocking e and tro in a low rocking-chair, watchme the "magic-rolling pin" roll out the names against the wall in one corner near the proper degree of brilliancy and mirror-

of Leon Fishback, Esq., and Leon Fishback imself is a tall, handsome, energetic. sesive man of one and thirty-a bachet, who gives a home to his widowed sister and her your half-orphaned children, and a return is taken care of by her, with the stance of the old house-keeper-to tell he math, with a great deal of assistance our the old house-keeper-as well as any

cople with grown-up single daughtars-Fishback, Sex., (whose ashes in 8 th drawing-room), intimated to him, every way that the shrinking sensitive-

e the beautiful June day when his young sts merrily called, "Follow-follow-follow et," to their highly polished admirers on e closely shaven laws.

Then came to visit his sister an old thou friend, Laura Beardsley by name. who had been residing in a far distant te, but with whom the sister had kept up a warm correspondence ever since they each was put hely hailed with loud acclaaline as "Mistress of Arts."

'I do not," replies Mr. Fishback, with Miss Laura makes two interrogation

points of her silken eyebrews, opens her mouth to speak, thinks better of it, closes Mexico. ber red lips firmly, and turns to the window France. again as the Follow-follow-follows-me-ers step playing and gather in group, with

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their eyes fixed upon a small aerial car, gayly decorated with flags, which is gently swaying between heaven and earth, as it slowly descends toward the lawn. In a few moments it touches the ground, and

don't Why, he only started a few days do?"

rival just after breakfast this morning, when it was shouted by the telephone at the station below.

"Oh! that's nothing. We expect to be away before many years are past,"

"May I not be in the immediate vicini-ty when that news is shouted!" says the ady, with ar involuntary movement of doctor, and saye he her prettr white hands towards her pretty rose-tipped ears, for I should expect to be you."

Edison is at this moment perfecting an in. one dollar for telling me to go home and take a sweat. sages in a moderately loud voice, which increases in volume as it is carried forward, until it reaches the most distant point it is and I'll bear it in mind." intended to reach, thus maintaining an buds, faint musical murmurs of even toxe all along the route. How glerious all these Edisenian inventions are!" he continued, with a glow of euthusiasm," an I what humdrum times our ancestors must have had without them! Why, they are pin in an inch the wheel might come off." on the laws in Iridack, Esq., a party of the very life of the age. There's the phonographe are playing "Follow, follow, arg people are playing "Follow, follow, arg people are playing to the very life of the age. There's the phonographe are playing the property of the very life of the age. There's the phonographe are playing the property of the very life of the age. There's the phonographe are playing the property of the very life of the age. There's the phonographe are playing the property of the very life of the age. There's the phonographe are playing th ire looking bored. I cannot expect you their mothers and grandmothers tell to take as much interest in these scientific an old game called "Puss in the corn- subjects as I. Is not Reginald coming

"He is not, "answers Miss Laura, demure totally ignoring all other welcoming hands quarter.

new!" quotes Mr. Fishback, as he peeps over the shoulders of his fair guest at the have heard that story very, very often, blackberrying together some ten years ago; and f rgive me again, but, upon my word, I cannot help asking you, impelied as I am by some mysterious power. Why have you never married?"

have remained unmarried because I vowed suspended from their neck, creep and steal these stilling cars, and turning out just in time to swallow a cup of tea, and off to the convinced that I was the first and only ness. If detected, their greasy and slip- lecture."

you are!"

your closet, where I was looking for your Suddenly the robbers ran behind a rock or fish line to play horse with, and it talks some such obstacle, which hid them for a

crank, and a voice—a somewhat shrill After an unavailing search, the officer or-young voice, the voice of Teresa, sister of dered his men to dismount beside a clump

de of a hundred rare woods, in the or inclined to doubt me, jealous one, you the ground. The clump of scorched trees aughty, and disagreeable (I am just naugh. ty enough to be pleased when you tell me score of Indians, he intrenched himself her beauty, so much admired by others, and fought the band off until help arrived. hittle Teresa)-but, my Leon, try, oh! try, are stalwart miners, each armed with two

> "That"-something or otherdestroyed it long ago," as he angrily four or five bowie knives, and there is per-snatched it from the hand of the small fect good feeling as the stage rolls along.

discoverer.

away for the first time in her life "If ever you go prowling round my room again," continued Mr. Fishback—adthe moment he took her siener hand in his and bade her welcome to his home. And like her welcome to his home. And while he flung the tell-tale out of the win-dow, where it broke into a dozen pieces as "If it's a b'er we'll have some fun," the marrineat without, in the deep plea-dow, where it broke into a dozen pieces as dow, where it broke into a dozen pieces as dow, where it broke into a dozen pieces as it touched the ground with a shrill ear-library, as the fair-haired girl comes flying across the garden, pursued by the tinking back-action self acting spanking machine back-action self acting spanking machine back-action self acting spanking machine

Laura starts from her seat with a blush, id, haning from the window, cutrests, Cax then the following from the window, cutrests, ized, started on the double quick for the inches tall, with black eyes and hair, clean inches tall, with black eyes a

But she did, and, what's more, she mar-Shar Teresa—that is, when Teresa was ried him a month after. And please leave your shooters and climb down may staten;"

—oh, the marvelous progress toward per
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> has neve once said to him, "Tha -Three girls to one boy are born in -There are 3 000 miles of canals in

Tight as a Candle Mould. I s'pose you have heard of Doctor Amesbury, hain't you?

a handsome young fellow leaps out, the doctor over to Simpkin's shop buying and is greeted with many exclamations of greecies. It was awfully cold. I felt a Well then I'll tell you. One day I met

Says he, "Friend S., the best thing you can do is to go straight home, and soak your feet and take a sweat, 'cause if you don't you might have a fever."

Says I, "Doctor, I was just thinking a able to hear news from a hundred miles a beaver it's no matter. The next morning my head was as clear as a bell, and I was well again.

Weil, a day or two afterwards I met the "Neighbor S., I have a small bill against

I looked at him, and says I; "A bill?" and says he

"Yes, a bill for advice, you know, at Simpkin's shop, the other day.' What do you think he charged? why.

Well, doctor," says I (because I would not appear small, you know) "it's all right, Well, a few days after, the doctor was passing by my door in his chaise, and somehow or other one of the wheels got a little

loose: so says I: "Doctor, if you don't drive that lynch-

Says he: "Thank you," and he drove in the pin. When I met him again I presented him the bill. "Ha.lo! what on earth is this?" "Why, that's for advice." "Advice! for what?" says he.

ly "he is still holding Bel a's hand, and I have just charged you a dollar and a

cents. "That's all you owe me," says L

Human Trees in India The scientific manner in which the native robbers in India prepare for their raids shows a thorough knowledge of the dan gers of their catting, and the best guards against them. When their dusky bodies A blush rises to her cheek, but she looks up in his calmly, and replies: "I don't rethe blackberry episodes, and I with a single weapon, a keen edged knife and bushels of cold apples, whizzing tons in while their n zor bladed knife dexterously "afr. Fishbacs, you forget my old friend severs the wrist of any detaining hand. morously on from incident to incident, and Teresa, the sister of the girl to whom your But the most ingenious device to escape presently began to discuss the new books brother Reginald is now making love on the capture is that shown by the Bacel rob- and the new articles in the magazines, "Good heavens! Laura, how mistaken these robbers are pursued by mounted denly the train stopped, evidently not at a I never knew you to find any-not taken upon one of those open plains asked to know the reason of the delay.

The conductor replied that there was some "Laura, how blind you were! I sought only shelter in sight being the black- derangement of the locomotive; and Chahar society only to be near you. I declare, ened trunks or leafless branches of small pin said, quietly, "This is bad business for upon my word and honor, I lingered by trees that have perished in the flames. her side for hours in the hope that you For men so skilled in posturing this is morrow morning, and whose sermon is not would join us for a moment or two during shelter enough. Quickly divesting them the time, and when you did, in that moment or two was concentrated the joy of scatter them, with their plunder, in small "Oh, you layned know nothing about it." the whole day. You were so proud, so preserved, I did not dare to approach you save through your friend; and—"

scatter them, with their plunder, in small burns and their round shields, so that they have the appearance of lumps of earth, and attract no attention. This accomplished, they "this one is likely to be unwritten." It "And you did not bury yourself in se- snatch up a few sticks, throw their body was past midnight when the train reached clusion for two years after she jilted you into a contorted position, and stand or the city. "Good night," cried the hearty and married Frank Huntington? she asks, as he pauses.

"Great heavens! how preposterous! as fe, they quickly pick up their spoil and chair met the preacher it asked about that

But, as he is about to swear, enter a procession of small nephews and nieces and reresting account of these marvelous mimattendant friends, the leader of which car- ics: "Before the English had become used is hed that sermon just as the sun rose. ries and odd-looking box.

to those managures a very ludicrous inci"See, uncle!" the bright-eyed little feldent occurred. An officer, with a party of
again for another week of the same kind. to those manusuvres a very ludicrous inci- And the next morning probably he was off moment, and when the soldiers came up With this he begins to turn the metall the men had mysteriously disappeared. Bella-whilom friend of Laura Beardsley of scorched and withered trees, and the day being very hot, he took off his helmet and vords you long to hear into this magi- of a Baeel, who burst into a scream of

In the heavy stage coach, as we roll out mand, on the plains last summer, by a

prove ugly customers in a row.

The seventh man might do some shooting on a prach, but he hopes there will be time to pick a fight the other advances and no pinch. In the crowd are ten revolvers, says: graph!" said Mr. Fishback, "I thought I two derringers, three repeating rides and iscoverer.

It is tacitly understood that the army captain is to assume command in case the
his letter. The one who stays out shakes

> It is 10 o'clock in the morning. The windows are down and the passengers are smoking and talking, and seeking for comfortable positions. The coach has just reached the top of a hill, when every horse

him!" whispered one of the desperadoes.

"Gents, I'm sorry to disturb you, but I've got to make a raise this morning.

-A high red cypress tree gave its see the procession begin to move!" Let's see? The captain was to lead us, cleared up.

and we were to be cool and fire to kill. But the captain was growing white around the mouth, and nobody had a weapon in The rats were not going to tight. One of the miners opened the door and de scended, and the other six humbly followed. The seven were drawn up in line across

"Now, William, you remove the weapons from the coach and then search these

the last man had been plundered the gen- had set his eyes on. teel Dick Turpin kindly observed:

ever robbed, and if times weren't so blasted hard, I would make each of you a present of \$10. Now, then, climb back to your places and the coach will go on."
The crowd "clumb," and the vehicle re-

umed its journey. Not a weapon or a time-piece or a dollar had been saved Seven well-armed men had been cleaned out by two and not a shot fired or a wound Each man took his seat without a word. Mile after mile was passed in si- and cookies were taken away by invisible lence, and finally the seventh man, the one hands; their bread either rose out of sight who might fight on a pinch, but didn't,

"Can't some of you gentlemen think of a few remarks which would be apropos to the occasion?

No one could, and the silence was re

Dr. Chapte as a Worker.

Like Theodore Parker, Chapin undoubt "Why, for driving in your wheel pin, and I have just charged you a dollar and a it could not be overtasked. Parker came "Well," says he, "the difference between work at fifty. Chapin seemed made for your bill and mine is just twenty-five infinite endurance, but he was shaken at "Well, I'll bear it in mind," says he.

But the doctor is as tight as a candle Albany Railroad station in the early evenmoid, and I guess he is liable to bear it in ing of a winter day. He was snatching a pery bodies assist them in clucing capture, only the fully initiated know. But he made it all a joke, and his swift tongue flew habers. It often happens that a band of with sharp and just discrimination. Sud-Englishmen, and, unable to reach the station. The night was cold and stormy.

is only one man, but the other mentioned in the heading stands around to give ad-

knees and nose against the hard wood.

The other steps back, follows the advice, out with no successful results, and by this time his smile has faded, his dispepsia behis tones as he turns and asks: "Is this blasted old post-office closed for

"Oh, no sir. I guess you will get in if particularly Frank Huntington, fades into two of the others are desperadoes, who the other insignificance beside that of your own have killed their men. Three of the others rule he puts his shoulder to the door, his feet alip back, and he comes down in a graceful heap to be laughed at by all the boys. When he gets up he feels as if he could lick any seven men but before he has

Mighty curious about that door, Ah! I see-opens this way. You might have pushed all day and not got in."

the penalty of their thoughtlessness in ex terminating their forests. Two thousand years ago these lands were celebrated for their wonderful productiveness, and were "It it's a robber gin me the fust pop at said to be the most beautiful in the world. in 1800 Homboldt visited Venezuela, and ume every year; the cause clearly traced to the falling of a great number of trees which grew on the surrounding mountains In Hungary periodical droughts are universally attributed to the annihilation of forests. In Cairo, Lower Egypt, a great -oh, the marvelous progress toward perfect womanhood in this wonderful twentieth century!—although they have been man and wife for some twenty years, she has neve once said to him, "That voice!" here, one at a time!" many years ago, rain fell but seidom—only once in three or four years—but since the him remarks. Then every eye turned to him remarks. Then every eye turned to him of trees have been set or planted, and open window. It was a trap. The rats thirty to forty rainy days in every year. were caught, and would they fight? When New England and the heavily tim-

Close by Market Street now Broadway Close by Market Street now Broadway lived and prospered a baker, the first man street in the dinner hour, passed a let of that ever baked New Year cakes—in fact, bricklayers smoking their pipes, and he the inventor of them. The name of our heard one of the men say: "Your brother Reginald," says Miss furry, so says I, "My head feels a little hoars, and my tongue was rather furry, so says I, "My head feels a little hoars, and while the robber held his shooter on the line, he coolly observed to his partner:

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"Your William your remove the was not be a partner to do but walk along in a black coat and carry a walking stick in my hand, and get round had head, and had no respect for a lct of brass." any one or anything that was not Dutch.

He was a regular attendant at the old Dutch whereupon the curate turned quietly church, but, nevertheless, in fear of being around, and the following conversat bewitched. His wife, Maritje, was economidered to hold his hands above his head, and whateveer plunder was taken from his and his ginger-tread babies were always How much do you get a week? Says I, "Doctor, I was just thinking a sweat would do me good, and now I guess 1'll do it." So I went home and drank a cup of tansy tea, and if I didn't sweat like telescope, a diamond ring, a gold badge a beaver it's no matter. The next morning a wintever plunder was taken from his singler-tread babies were always made in in itation of his children. It was "Twenty-seven shillings?"

New Year Eve, 1655, and Bass was in his shop dealing out cakes for small pieces of money, called war, um. He had taken an some with me for a week and see what my minutes. Not a man had a word to say extra glass of rum in honor of St. Nicho-

"I want a dozen New-Years cookies,"

"Vell, den, you needn't sheak so loud," replied Paas. "Duyvel! I ain't teaf, den," "I want a dozen," screamed the old wo-man, "and here is only twelve." "Yell, den,und what de duyvel is dwylf but a dozen?" sa'd the baker.

"I tell you I want one more!"

From this time on our baker's wife and himself were made miserable. Their money or sank into the earth; their famous brick oven was torn down, and poor Baas pelted with his own bricks; Maritje became deaf; Bass was black and bive from head to toe: and such a life as he led was purgatory. Thrice the old woman appeared, and thrice was she sent to "de duyval." And at last in his agony, Bass bethought himself of St. Nicholaus, who advised him, on hearing of

his troubles, when he counted a dozen to count thirteen. "Py St. Johannes de Dooper, put St. Nicnolaus is a great plockhead!" thought Baas; and while he was thus thinking St. Nick had vanished, and in his stead was the old woman. "She repeated her demand for "one more," and Baas, remembering St. Nicholsus, acceded to her demand, when she exclaimed, "The spell is broken, and henceforward a dozen is thirteen, and thirteen is a dozen." And taking a cooky with an effizy of the good saint on it, she made Bass swear that ever afterward twelve should be thirteen, as a type of the thirteen mighty States that should arise

out of the ruins of the government of Vad-It is well known how terribly St. Nicholaus revenged himselt upon those who set themselves up against the toms of their ancestors, and refused the homage to him to whose good offices is was owing that this his favorite city hat surpassed all the others in beautiful dam

from the city of Detroit, two aged German farmers, both bachelors, Anthony Miller, one of the two, being reported quite wealthy. The name of the other could not be remembered, but was a sort of On the night mentioned (April 21, 1878) dmission. They proceeded to rob the premises, but the occupants attempted to resist, and in doing so were overpowered by the five. Miller was threatened with death if he did not disgorge his treasure. This he would not or could not do, and was brutally shot dead on the spot. His companion, who could scarcely speak Enwhen the five men turned their attention to him he was speechless with horror. They asked him where the money was. He heard at any great distance from the man from Genoa, believing the game was house. After a few applications the gag on the square, chipped \$100; the "ace" was removed and he was asked again to man "saw him," and "raised" another tell. No answer came. The poor man's \$100; the dealer "saw" that and "raised" lips were burned again and again with the coals held to them, while his head was immovable in the strong hands of the robbers. W. ether they then left of their own office of the hotel for \$500, which was at finally said to the lawyer: "You consented accord or were trighened away by the once brought to him. At length a "show" approach of some one was not remem ec, but the dead man and his almost life- did not want to impress their victim you push hard enough. I presume the less companion were left to the mercy of the idea that they were playing him falsely, only the man with the queens produced his hand. No sooner was this done than

The First Wagon

early in the morning, so that they can go up by the first wagon out, but who has been disappointed a hundred times in re-ceiving them before noon, made another order the other day, and said to the gro

"Will these groceries go right up?" "On, yes, unless the wagon breaks down, or the horse is taken sick." "Will they be at the house

"They certainly will, unless something happens to one of the clerks, or we have to turn out on an alarm of fire, or there is a "All right, though I baven't the least

Noon came and the groceries had not

"Did the wagon break down?" "No."

"Have a fire here, or anything happen o a clerk?"

"I'd like to be a pars in, and have now!

"Where are you going?" he asked.

"What is the matter with him?"

The man hesitated. "Oh, but you promised to accompany me wherever I went," argued the curate. "And where be you going next?" asked the bricklayer.

"To see a poor family huddled in one oom, with the father dead of scarlet fever in it, and themselves all down with it; and, after that, to see another parishioner ill with typhus. And to-morrow there will be a

let off. Twenty-seven shillings would be poor pay for that kind of work, and he promised he would never speak against the parsons again.

Bathrooms, or good conveniences for that they are often entirely lacking, and color to stockings. that a daily or semi-weekly "all over" bath is something undreamed of by many soreligious duty of keeping the whole body clean does not occur to them, and the neg-

of the pioneer, have its possibilities for bathing. If all can not command a special room with its ample tubs, showers, douches, and convenient supplies of hot and cold wa-

of water and a sponge. the kitchen, with a sliding or hinged win-dow opening near the cook-stove, thus sc-Then, with the addition of a bath-tub, or water to the drain, pegs for hanging towels pocket. and sponges, and a bracket for holding and that better than all soaps, a вопраbottle of ammonia-it is a bathroom good

enough for a king. A very good shower bath can be had by suspending a watering-pot from a strong hook in the ceiling, the bather to regulate the showering by means of a string attached to the spout. It will be found al-

He Took the Pot.

knecking him senseless. Then he went after the man who held the four aces, and in tones of thunder inquired:

"What have you got? Show up!"
"O.h, O.h," replied he, "I ain't got othing; "I was only bluffing; that's othing;

With that the Genoese picked up al the money on the table and

sudden Checking of Perspiration

A Boston merchant, in 'lending a hand

on board one of his ships on a windy day, found himself at the end of an hour and a

half pretty well exhausted and perspiring yo idea you will get them up there before freely. He sat down to rest, and engaging reached the house. At one o'clock the found he was unable to do so without as-gentleman entered the store and asked: sistance. He was taken home and put to "Horse taken sick, or anybody drop about with the aid of a crutch. Less ex-

"I will tell you," placidly replied the grocer. "You hadn't been gone ten minutes when I was drawn on a jury, and just to their children, at the age of three or four of Pennsylvania land and the great drawthe right-hand door, and the two revolvers hold by a second robber were seen at the open window. It was a trap. The rats were caught, and would they fight?

When New England and the heavily timbered Sistes of the Union were first settled and and the great draw-based clerk and the tresult is now that the country has from an I was going out my head clerk and the importance of the was to be married at ten o'clock. We sell No. 1. goods—try to fill all orders promptly—keep prices at the bered Sistes of the Union were first settled all orders promptly—keep prices at the continued the first robber, "and I want to continued the first robber, and once in a while we have to discovered the second robber were seen at the the result is now that the country has from an I was going out my head clerk and in the result is now that the country has from an I was going out my head clerk and just and sell a big hill too quickly atter exercise, and the importance of the work and of the heavily timbered Sistes of the Union were first settled all orders promptly—keep prices at the lowest notch, and once in a while we have the wind, or of sitting at an open window the remaining exposed to the work, or play, or of remaining and and the great draw-based clerk and the importance of the land and the great draw-based clerk and the importance of the land and the great draw-based clerk and the importance of the land and the great draw-based clerk and the importance of the land and the great draw-based clerk and the importance of the land and the great draw-based clerk and the land and the great draw-based clerk and the land and the second clerk and the land and the great draw-based clerk and the land and the land and the second clerk and the land and the land and the land and the land and land and the land and the land and the land and land and the land and the land and the

the blue vitriol in an iron pot free from grease, with enough soft water to imnerse the goods wi hout crowding them. Bring the water to a scalding heat, skim it, wring the goods out of warm water, and out them wet into the liquor. They must emsic at a scalding heat half an hour, and are then taken out and rinsed in soft water. The logwood extract is then dissolved in ufficient water to cover the goods, which are put in and kept at a scalding heat for alf an hour, being frequently stirred. They are then taken out and well rinsed in

n clear water with half a tea cup full of summit of Roan Mountain in North aking soda dis-olved in it. Old faded Carolina. woolen dresses should be ripped and thoroughly dusted before dyeing; then pressed before quite dry on the wrong side, making the folds as they were when new. Gray, state or stone color, for cotton of wooten, is made as follows : For two pounds of goods take a quarter of a pound of the chespest black ten to be found. This has enough logwood in it. Steep in an iron kettle, with the tea in a bag, and then boil, squeezing the leaves dry; add one teaspoonful of copperas. Put in the goods. For light gray or drab leave the goods in a

short ume; for darker colors leave longer. Rinse in clear warm water. Woot long bathing, ought to be found in every farm- boiled and sired often, becomes brown in house; and yet it is an unpleasant fact this dye. This dye gives the fashionable Purple pink may be produced by boiling

There was a certain Vermont farmer this year at Vicksturg, New Orleans, named Brown, who owned a large sheep Louisville and Charleston. ter, all can have at least the seclusion of a closet, to which it is easy to carry a basin ton and consulted his brother in less who ton and consulted his brother-in-law, who the fiscal year ending June 3 , 188). business and had money to spare, agreed to lend the farmer such sums as he required, curing warmth in winter and bringing the "hot and cold water" within arm's reach. assented to this, the mortgree was duly

Time went on and the farmer paid in. terest promptly, the same passing through the hands of one John Smith, who was a man of mark in the farmer's neighborhood and had accordingly been deputed by the Boston lawyer to receive the interest and which he proposes to make a trip to

At length, however, farmer Brown, finding little market for his wool and having invested in certain worthless outlying farms, again feil into difficulties, and this time sought the advice and assistance of his neighbor, Smith, who, after tooking over the matter, agreed to advance Brown certain sums and take security, by mort. th a country last year. The increase gage of the farmer's carts, wagons, horses, ep-shears and other personal property, the farm itself being already mortgaged to

office and each spoke for himself, the law- \$300; in Berlin, Hamburg, and Bre-

long to me."
"Not much!" said Smith. "I have "Not much!" said Smith. "I have a increased during the past ten years mortgage later than yours, on the personal 1,694,000 acres, that in wheat has deproperty, and if that isn't enough to cover creased 591,000. my debt i shall grab the farm too. My equity is superior to yours. Isn't that so' Squire?"

The 'Squire hemmed and bawed and "Never!" said the lawyer. "That makes do difference," interrupted

"Jes' so, jes' so!" said the 'Squire, mighty simple. You jest consented as this Boston man's attorney to Brown's making a mortgage to you,' "But what of it," cried the lawyer.

"He couldn't give any binding assent to make his mortgage better than mine.' "Perhaps not in law," said the 'Squire, "but in equity, in equity, my dear sir; we go by equity here in Vermont."

Recently, in a business transaction be tween two citizens, in New York, oce of them deeded the other 300 acres of land in Pennsylvania, and the other day the buyer entered the seller's office. Pennsylvania to see the land I got from

some cuaiosity about it. "It is a swindle, sir-a barefa dle!" exclaimed the other "Is that possible! Didn't you find the

"Yes, sir, but it is nothing but "A hilt? Is it real solid hill." "It is as solid a hill as can be made "Any et ances for any part of it to slide

"Seems to be solid on its pins does it?"

BRIEFS

-The brain of a man exceeds twice that of any other animal. -The average weight of a skeleton

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Is about fourteen pounds. -The French of New Crieans are a third of the whole pepulation. -The Territorial debt of Montana is only a little over \$26,000.

-The average weight of an adult man 1 140 pound six ounces. -Eighteen 'ariff acts have been passed since 1861.

-The skelet in measures one inch less than the height of a living man. -Chevallear Kremer will be the new -The debt of Massachusetts is \$68 .-

-The comet of 1812 is ratidly approaching, and will soon make i self

visible. -The Territory of Alaska has about one inhabitant to every 1,000 square

-The total sum reccommended by

-Macon, Georgia, is to have a \$15,-

-- The Canadians propose to increase the duty on pork from \$2 to \$4 per bar-

Minnesoto has appropalated \$4500 in the last five years to encourage tree planting.

minutes. -The amount of rent due in New York every quarter is estimated at \$120,000,000 -From 1848 to Jan. 1, 1881, Califor-

-There are 66,000 schools can't of leges in India, with an attend anceol 900,000 boys and girls. -The Masonic fraternity, according

to the latest figures, has 45,500 members in Germany. -Chicago uses 57,412,000 gailous of water per day, or over 114 gations for each man, woman and entid.

-One hundred and fifty thousand acres of land in Mississippi have been

sold to a Scotch land company.

arge cotton factories will be built

petroleum, will have a \$15,000 monument erected to his memory at Titus -The gum on some letter envelopes is said to have seriously poisoned a

physician in Orange county, N. Y., a

few days ago. -An Indiana man has built a minia-New Orleans.

They are every age, from children of six to men and women of sixty. -The sum of \$145,000,000 was permanently invested in new railroads in

in mileage was 7,207. -There are only three ladies living whose husbands were Presidents of the

-In Germany, including the free cities, about eighty-five per cent, of eree. The parties met at the 'Squire's the population have incomes under

-The Canadian ladies are striving to get 100,000 signatures to their aldress to be presented to Q teen Victoria on her birthday, and attesting their continued loyalty. -The British Minister of Paris re-

tien and marketing, leaving 100,000 bushels at 75 cents a bushel for profit. -There are now 569 cities in the

works, involving 13,000 miles of pipe, 10,000 of which are of cast fron -Last year the State of North Caro lina produced 46,000,000 pounds of topacco, or nearly one pound for every man, woman and child in the country. -The registered tonage of the Brit-

United States supplied with water

sons of intemperate nabits. The p stations furnished lodgings to 120,084 men and women who had nowhere eis

to sleep. -In 1837 Chicago became a city, William B. Ogden being the first

or Napotean I, has recently gone mad from an excessive use of tobacco. M. Hoter has been a member of the Austrian Paritment for several years. A "rubber-headed tack" has been

procement with a rubber point.

say the world's a weare place, were please to a yaw like breath on glass

and so it has to-day. eyear that leve's a cruel jest ; heart is found above the ground

hal just and some are gravely wrong. and mean to do so still.

ks and plashing of fountains, delicatelineering violets and budding

of her merry companions.

er place without further trouble. the dairy the rosy-cheeked dairy-maid

us e for her pies, ready to stop its pendulike movement the moment the crust is smooth and thin enough; and a small ervant boy, with his hands in his pockets, a rad slow, whistling softly to himself as asking-brash is polishing thereon attain

other was taken care of by any sister. Still people, as people will-especially redthat he had never married. It was not for want of opportunity he had luce so-oh, no indeed!-for a dozen vely girls, naif a dozen more or less ng winows, and several ladies of cither class, had, since his coming into e property of his uncle and godfatuer,

ss of wananhood would allow, their peret willingness—nay, anxiety—to assume But Leon had walked calmly among en, dispensing hospitality, kind words and gracious smiles with the strictest imstiality, distinguishing none by the aginest preference, until a few weeks be-

atted at the callege door the day on which Mass Beardsley is a lovely woman of ght-sad-twenty summers, looking at ast five summers less, with an exceptiony sweet wite, an exceptionally ight smale, an exceptionally graceful risiback, the latherto apparently unimtainie bachelor, devoted himself since

dly head, and, looking at her compan- again!" says. "How much Bella is like her

"leact" asks Mr. Fishback. Why, don't you remember?" says the

pleasure and surprise.

"Yes; flying ship American Eagle— fastest of the Air Line. I heard of her ar-

"Thirty miles away!".

deaf for evermore. "Never fear, my dear-I mean Miss Beardsley. Such a misfortune as that shall never occur, though you should chance to be at the very side of the shouter.

"Ah! the old, old story that is ever new arrival, and then, suddenly rising and confronting her, he exclaims, "You must Laura-forgive my calling you so, but you used to permit it in the days we went

love of the man whose wife I became." "Laura, I have never loved another."

ow calls out as he approaches. "I found horse, was chasing a small body of Bueel this old phonograph on the top shelf of robbers, and was fast overtaking them. like everything."

"Yes, Leon, my own, I will grant hung it on a branch by which he was stand-your impassioned prayer, and breathe the ing. The branch turned out to be the leg can call them forth to bring back the suddenly became metamorphosed into men, smiles to your dear face, and and joy to and the whole party dispersed in different your dear heart. I do return the love you directions before the Englishmen could reo ardently avow, and I will marry you cover from their surprise, carrying with when mamma gives her consent. Until them the officer's helmet by way of trophy.' then no lips shall touch the hps made sacret by your aiss, no hand shall clasp the hand that wears your lovely diamond ring. But, oh, Leon dear, try to like Laura a of Leadville, are seven men. One is an little for my sake. I know she is all that army officer who has half a dozen scars to you say she is-affected, cold-hearted, prove his bravery. Cut off from his com-

to tolerate her, for, strange as it may ap- revolvers, and they look as if they would pear to you, disliking her as you de, I am quite fond of her. Good-night, beloved. Dream of your Tessa.'

without these glorious inventions!" mur- coach is attacked, and that all are to keep all over and keeps his eye out for the without these giorious inventions.

without these giorious inventions.

murmed Miss Laura, as she quietly fainted and fire to kill.

land to this bewitching woman has Leon away for the first time in her life.

cing on the flower bed." And as the obstinately turns and and speeds in the out, as he struck his forehead with his clinch-House direction, she draws back her ed hand, "She will never, never lo k at me and said:

As William obeyed every victim was or-

"You are the most decent lot of men I

plaintively suggested:

of a long lived race, but he died of oversixty, and he died at sixty-six. Some years ago, in the height of his prospering lectur-"bite" and a cup of coffee, and as the bell rang, they hurried to the train, Chapin carrying a lumbering bag and shawis, and ng and joking as they climbed into the car. He had been out all the week, starting early Monday morning, after It was tremendous work, as

"Oh, that was all right. I went

Keep bla eye Open. all open outwardly. This isn't for fear that a fire will occur and a rush ensue, but it is arranged that way to make a man mad. A man will go singing along the street, smil-ing all over, and bragging to himself how good natured he is, when he suddenly re mberes that he must mail a letter. He

the door a push. It is as solid as s rock, and his mementum generally carries his "Push!" yells the extra man,

The countries of Sardinia and Sicily, once the granaries of Italy, have suffered

sels, valorous young men, mincepies, oliekoeks, and New-Year cookies. Haman Frends, "Previous to the 21st of April, 1878, there lived at a town called Norris, Hamhouse was quite removed from other babi-tations and in rather a lonesome locality.

Their even a large laundry tub, with a piece of home to Vermont with the money in his glish, was thoroughly frightened at the position in which he found himsel, and sold in house-furnishing shops. tried to make them understand that he ha.l no knowledge of its whereabouts. They a private room in one of the hotels of Carthreatened him with all sorts of tortures if son City, which wound up in a decidedly he did not tell, but the desired answer peculiar manner. About 9 o'clock a well could not be given. The old man did not known citizen of Genoa was convivializing know himself. Then a consulation was with two professional sporting gentlemen held for a few moments. At the end of it at Winston's bar, when one of the latter they seemed decided upon a course and proposed a game of cards, which was acnow a scene of fiendish cruelty was enacted. The old man's hands were tied tightly soon in a five-dollar-limit game of poker. together, then his feet, and he was laid For a while the Genoese played in excelupon the floor. Red hot coals from the lent luck, when the proposition was made stove were brought forward. Again the to play without limit, which was also stove were brought forward. Again the to play without limit, which was also victim was asked to tell the secret of the lidden wealth. He could only cry out ing men had entered into a contract to the dealer took four queens, were held in contact with the fire, and his mouth gagged to prevent his cries being and the third received four aces.

"Then why didn't my groceries go

it is since so much of the land has been to disappoint some one. Your order will or door, or of pulling off any garment, even ment, sir, and I sincerely and honestly concleared up.

The whole the whole of the land has been to disappoint some one. Your order will or door, or of pulling off any garment, even gratulate you on your good fortune."

1 be Small Pos.

"So you would like to be a parson?

The driver of the coach did not leave his seat and was not interfered with. When walked as ugly an old woman as ever he but his mates told him it was a fair of cr. and he was bound to accept it. So he re-luctantly followed the parson down an al-

"To see a sick parishioner," was the re-

At this the man drew back. His wife and bairns never have the small-pox, and he was afraid of taking it to them. "My wife and bairns had never had the small-pox," said the curate.

nger round."
Thereupon the bricklayer begged to be

called civilized people who pride them-goods, in soft water; then put in one ounce selves upon their neat habits. This really of alum. When dissolved, put in the lect of it is one of the numerous ways in Rinse in warm water. A tin pan is bes which busy, hard-working people abuse for this color; iron will brown it. Wooden Every villa, pretty country cottage and rubbing them at once, before they are first-class farm-house now has its well-sp-pointed bathroom, and so may the little three-cornered "shantie," or the log cabin Equity in Vermont.

Recently a game or power was played in

\$250. At this juncture of the game the Genoess, whose credit is Al, sent down to the of cards was called for, and as the sports the victim, presumably knowing what he was about, whipped out a revolver, and struck the dealer over the head with it,

in conversation, time passed faster than he was aware of. in attempting to rise, he sistance. He was taken home and put to bed, where he remained two years; and for a long time afterward could only hobble "Ye posure then this have in constitutions not so vigorous resuited in inflammation of the rock and dirt." lungs—'pneumonia'—ending in death in less in than a week, or causing tedious rheumatisms, to be a source of torture for a lifetime. Multitudes of lives would be "Seems to be solid on its process." sayed every year, and an incalculable

Dyeing and Coloring The economical house-keeper will often pare new goods for making up. Homenany respects to those that are purchased in stores, in which chespness of production is oft-n more thought of than permanence in wear. Every house-keeper, therefore, hould have within her head or her reach, in some manner, some simple methods of lyeing. Aniline dyes, now kept for sale at all the drug stores, will be found very useful and convenient, and every packet sold has printed upon the wrapper full directions for use. Every known shade of —R chard III, was killed at the bat-color may be made from these dyes, either the of Bosworth Field in the year 1485. by using them separately, or mingling receipts may be used with these: To dye 512 927, an increase of \$784,370 over a good black—for one pound of goods pro-cure one ounce of extract of logwood and one-half ounce of blue vitriol. Dissolve

soft water, then washed in strong soap rel. suds and rinsed; the last rinsing should be

one pound of cud bear, for five pounds of goods and let them simmer half an hour, stirring frequently to prevent clouding. vessels used in dving can be cleaned by

forward the same to him.

the Boston lawyer. But Brown still failed to prosper and at and Mrs. Lincoln. that his assets should be fairly divided be- the battle in the Transvasi recently tween the two mortgages, and Squire was a grand nephew of Joyce, a Justice of the Peace in the neighborhood, who was a member of the same church as Smith, was selected to act as ret-

to Smith's mortgage, didn't you?" Smith, "I did it for you!"

"I have just returned from a trip to "Ah! as I never saw it myself I have

"Yes, air:"

000 brick building for public set purpo es. all the appropriation bills is \$187,577,-

-Seven States are visible from the

-Senator Blaine is mentioned as owning \$60,000 in bonds of the State of Maine - Mr. Smart, the champion skater of England, has skated a mile in three

nta turned out in gold and silver \$2,-139,258,000.

-The city of London gives \$40,000,-600 every year toward the relief of distress, suffering and poverty.

ited the sacred shrines of Mecca last year is stated to have exceeded 200,000. -Col. Drake, the discaverer of

-There are between seven and eight hundred professional models in Paris, thirty-three of whom are Americans.

United States, Mrs. Polk, Mrs. Tyler length could pay interest neither to the lawyer nor to Smith. Then it was agreed the Sextleth Refles, who was killed in

gage on the farm, duly executed and recorded, and of course the farm must belong to me."

In Berlin, Hamburg, and Bremen, 14.6 per cent. have incomes from \$300 up to \$1,500.

—While the area of the same of the eral cultivation in Great Britain has

> ceives an annual salary of \$50,000; an Vienna, \$40,000; at Constantinople, \$40,000; at St. Petersburg, \$39,000; at Berlin, \$35,000; at Pekin, \$30,000; at Madrid even, \$27,000. -The Grandin Brothers of Dakot are said to have raised last year 137,-287 bushels of wheat. The odd 37,000 is said to have paid all cost of cuitiva-

ish empire now amounts to 7,533,492 tons contained in 36,935 vessels, manned by 337,624 seamen. During the past year 1.766 new vessels were bu and registered. -The New York City prisons opened their doors last year to 30 825 per-

Mayor. The population The United States census of 184) gave the population as 4,853, an increase of 683 in three years. -M. Andreas Hofer, the grandson of the Tyrolean patriot shot by order

body who has sat down in peace and risen in wrath knows that the head of a tack is not the end which needs im-