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## OVER THE RIVER

Over the river they beckon to me. Loved ones who have crossed to the fur

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The glesm of their sunny robes I see, But their voices are lost in the rushing tide None return from those quiet shores Who cross with the boatman cold and pale.

We hear a dip of the oar. And reach a gleam of the sail. And lo! they have passed from our year

bearts ; They cross the stream and are gone for ay We may not sunder the veil apart That hides from our vision the gates of day

We only know their barks no more Sail with us o'er life's troubled sea ; Yet somewhere I know on the unseen shore They watch and beckon and wait for me.

And I sit and think when the sunset's rold. Is flushing river and hill and shore, I shall one day stand by the waters cold And list for a sound of the bostman's car.

I shall watch for a gleam of the sunny sail. I shall hear the boat as it pears the strand I shall pass from sight with the boatman pale To the better shore of the spirit land.

I shall know the loved who have gone before And joyfully sweet will the meeting be, When over the river, the peaceful river The augel of death shall carry me.

## The Coffee Pot.

Last year I was invited, with two of my studio companions, Arrigo Cohic and Pedrino Borgnioli, to pass a few days at a country house in the heart of Normandy. The weather, which at the time of our de-

parture promised to be superb, changed and so much rain fell that the roads which we passed were like the bed We sank in mud up to our of a torrent. knees, the soles of our boots were clogged with a thick coating of clay and mud, the weight of which retarded our steps so much that we did not arrive at our destination until an hour after sunset.

We were harrassed, and our host, seems it I had known her for twenty years. the efforts that we had to make in order to repress our yawns and to keep our eyes open, had us shown each to our chamber of my head. It had not ceased to play, as soon as supper was over.

My chamber was vast; I felt, as I entered it, as it were a shudder of fever, for it seemed to me that I was entering a new world. Indeed, you might have beheved yourself in the days of the Regency, to see what I wanted, for raising her hand toward above the panels by Boucher, representing the dial of the clock, she said: the four seasons, the furniture overloaded with rocialle ornaments in the worst taste, will see, my dear Theodore.' and the heavily carved looking-glass frames. Nothing had been disturbed. The toilet table, covered with combs, brushes and powder boxes, seemed to have been in use by my name, and we continued to talk. eddies, which hurry them down and across an hour ago. Two or three dresses of At last, when the appointed hour struck, as if they were in the cataracts of their an hour ago. Two or three dresses of changing colors, a fan covered with silver the silvery voice vibrated once more in the own Nile; crashing through the thick spangles, lay carelessly on the poinshed oak chamber and said:

door, and to my great astonishment a tortoise-shell snuff-box, open on the chimney piece, was full of fresh tobacco. will be the result." I did not notice these things until the "No matter," replied Angela in a pouting servant, atter placing the candlestick on tone.

the table, had wished me good night, and,

certo, and on the other a stag hunt with huntsmen, and the musiciana, who, until then, had not made any gestures, bowed he had not made any gestures. the head in token of attention. The mace-window-panes; Arrigo and our host played tro raised his wand, and lively dance music draughts; I took out my sketch-book and eight months old, and in the next scat back Apache, and he used them after the most sounded from one end of the room. The began to draw.

first dance was a minuet. But the rapid notes of the score harmonized badiy with those grave courtesies, and so after a few minutes each of the couples began to pirou-ette like a Dutch top. The silk dresses of

the women, crumpled in the giddy maze of the dance, gave forth an odd sound, like the sound of whirring pigeons' wings. The wind filing them from beneath puffed them out so that they looked like swinging bells. The bows of the fiddlers passed so rapid-the come port which had finished his game and was watching ine draw.

ly over the strings that electric sparks flew to be a coffee-pot was in reality the sweet out. The fingers of the flute players moved up and down like quicksilver: the cheeks "By all the sairts in Paradise! is she up and down like quicksilver; the cheeks

of the huntsmen were swollen out like dead or shve?" I cried in a trembing balloons, and all that formed a deluge of voice, as if my life depended on his answer dead or alive?" I cried in a trembling "She died two years ago from infiamna notes and trills so harried, and of ascending and descending gamut so complicated, tion of the lungs, caught coming home from a ball. so inconceivable, that the very demonst "Alas," I replied, painfully. could not have followed such a measure for two munutes. It was pitiful to see all Aud, restraining a tear that was ready

the efforts of those dancers to catch the time. They bounded and whirled round to fall I closed my sketch book. I felt that there was no longer any happiness on you named this baby yet ?" and purouetted until the sweat poured down earth for me.

their foreheads over their eyes, and carried away their paint and patches. But it was Easter Pilgrins at the Jordan. all in vain, the orchestra was always three

purpose. Although no details are given of

the external parts of the ceremony, a lively man.

or four notes in advance. The clock struck 1; they stopped. I then saw something which had escaped my one river of Palestine, found at last its fit son." notice-a woman who was not dancing. She was seated on a low chair in the chim-

hey corner, and did not seem to take the least part in the world in what was going on around her. "That's business. Here's the cash and by the seene which now takes place at the the boy is named Jefferson, arter me. on around her.

bathing of the pilgrims at Easter. Their Lemme kiss him about four times." Never, even in a dream, had anything approach to the spot is by night. Above so perfect presented itself to my eyes; a is the bright Paschal moon, before them lated, and at the next station he left the moves a bright flare of torches, on each train with his mother. The old man was cendre, long eyelashes and blue eyes, so side huge watchfires break the darkness of tickled half to death over the matter until

clear and transparent that I saw her soul through them as distinctly as a stone in a cessive descents of the road. The sun "Did you pay her anything to name "Did you pay her anything to name that brook. And I feit that if ever I came to love anybody it would be her. I jumped the cavalcade reaches the banks of the "Yes-twenty dollars. He's a clipper, love anybody it would be her. I jumped the cavalcade reaches the banks of the

out of bed, from which I had not yet dared to stir, and went toward her, conducted by some instruct in me which I could not agnus castors with rapid eddies, and of a explain. I found myself at her knees, one turbid, yellow color, like the Tiber at woman who had him takes care of him for two dollars a week !" her hands in mine, talking with her as Rome, and, about as broad. They dismount,

The earliest scene of the immersion was for short. I've got two \$10 gold

and set to work to perform their bath; "N-0-8!

"Fact." But a strange prodigy, while speaking to her, I marked the music with a movement amongst the thickets ; some plunging in The old man's jaws fell, his eyes renaked; most, however, with white dresses, and, although it was for me the height of which they bring with them, and which, happinesss to talk with such a beautiful having been so used, are kept for their exclamation:

woman, my feet were burning to dance winding sheets. Most of the bathers keep with her. Still, I did not dare to make within the shelter of the bank, where the within the shelter of the bank, where the the proposition. It seems she understood water is about four feet in depth, though I know they were right! Conductor!" Apaches, knowing that there were three with a bottom of very deep mud. The "Yes."

e dial of the clock, she said: "When the needle shall be there, we Coptic pilgrims are curiously distinguished from the rest by the boldness with which my neck, and step on me a thousand times they dart into the main current, striking and then throw the mangled wreck into of the old fashion, and with Remington

the water after their fashion alternately I know not how it happened, but I was with their two arms and playing with the in this world !" in no way surprised to hear myself called brughs of the jungle which on the eastern

bank of the stream intercept their progress, "Angela, you may dance with the gen and recrossing the river higher up, where they can wade, assisted by long poles which tleman, if you please; but you know what

She passed her ivory arm around my

On the Bay City train Michigan, the hand encounter was a very ugly customer approved Apache methods. While he

was an old man who couldn't sit still until he had said : "That's a baby you have there, isn't it?" "Yes, sir." "About a year old, isn't he?" "About a year old, isn't he?" him, and whose exploit is immortalised on the walls of the Minnehaha, is a police-

A Mangled Wreck.

ld yet ! "Isn't, eh ? Well, I'm the father of nine children, but it's been so long since I've of the civil war, and remained in it conseen a baby that I've forgotten how they tinnously for sixteen years. For the larger ught to look. Is he a girl ?"

'No, sir; he's a boy.' "Just me, agin. I never can tell one from t'other. Is he purty healthy ?" "Oh, yes." "Squad much nights?"

"Never squalls at all." "Don't, eh ? That's the kind of a young

Fodder Up.

"No. sir.'

"Yes, sir."

"Haven't, eh! Say ?"

"Don't, ch ? That's the kind of a young 'un I like to see around. My Samuel did were detailed to pursue the Indians and nothing but howl for the first two years, punish them if possible. It was in the Sarah was allus sick. Moses fell out of the heat of summer when they started out, and cradle and broke his arm, and something or they soon got on the trail, other allus ailed every one of the lot. Have

New Mexico.

At first it was comparatively stale, but by hard riding they hoped to reach the murderers and surprise them before they suspected that they would be followed.

It soon became evident, however, that the as its form. "Sposen you call him arter me ? My Apaches themselves were traveling with fust name is Jefferson, and they Jeff me

ved he was the terror of southwestern

in the Jordan. That rushing river, the here for him if you want to call him Jeffertheir head. "I'll do it !" premptly replied the wo this country. The soldiers went mile after mile over the weary wastes of the sindhills, sometimes traveling for long hours under the vertical rays of the sun without The baby was duly kissed and congratu

water, and with no vegetation about but the monstrous drearings of sage brush and stead of the very crooked one it had pregreasewood. At the end of the third day viously. their rations were almost exhausted, but the trail was Lecoming fresher, and this encouraged them. The next day they rode until evening

without water, and when they did come to a little spring, the horses, which were it eagerly muddying it in such a way as to make it distasteful to the thirsty soldiers. On the fifth day the trail became exceed-

ingly fresh, in the afternoon they reached the mouth of Alamosa Canyon, 285 miles nained fixed on the ceiling for a minute, southwest of Santa Fe. They entered the and then he fell back in his seat with the canyon cautiously, and could bear the Indians, who had by this time given up the "Chaw me ! Everybody has called me idea of pursuit, shouting ahead. The or four hundred of their tribe but a short distance away, felt entirely safe.

The soldiers were armed with carbines some swamp, for I won't be no more good pistols; which might go off once, or six times at once, or not at all-it depended upon chance. Detailing three of the men to hold the horses, Morris placed the rest in Indian tile, with himself at the head and followed noiselessly. At a turn in the He gave the hackmen at the Union depot

a stand off, brushed the boot-blacks right canyon he came upon Winnemuc and thirand left, and shouldered his sixty pounds teen braves, and with a yell the soldiers they can wade, assisted by long poles which they have cut from the opposite thickets. It is remarkable, considering the mixed assemblage of men and women in such a scene, that there is so ittle appearance of scene, that there is so ittle appe of baggage and started up Jefferson avenue himself somewhat from the rest, and was running up the mountain in a diagonal direction, turning every now and then to

A Wonderful River.

turning the beam with nearly 250 pounds of bone and muscle-and in a hand to The Mississippi is a wonderful river, says Mr. Banvard, and, although I have traveled through the four quarters of the globe, I have never seen its compeer. The conductor flashed his lantern in his face, raveled through the four quarters of the globe, I have never seen its comperer. The Nile, so famous in history, is insignificant in comparison. The Mississippi is sui gen-eris. Its restless current is constantly but no person seemed to belong to him. dead.

" Long Jun Morris," the man who killed making changes in its hydrographical feat- He was sent and clean, but thin and wasted ures. The working of the currents and by old age or privation. All sorts of in 1609. their changes are unobserved by the ordinary traveler who ploughs his way over the tur-withered face, but the main thing just then man in Santa Fe now. He went into the United States service at the breaking out bid surface on a swiftly moving steamer. was to get him awake and on his feet, and All are hidden from him. It requires a out of the car.

and are induced from its banks to rightly out of the cal. "I say, old man," yelled the conductor in a seven-league voice, "get out of this; moving waters. Thus I attentively stud-do ye hear? This is Detroit. If you've portion of this time he has been in the bor der service. Morris is a good-natured handsome fellow, over six feet in height ied during the fifteen years I was trading got any friends they'll be looking for tories. in flatboats among the Indians and settlers you." and very powerfully built. In 1878 he was Sergeant of the Eighth Cavalry, sta-tioned in this Territory. One day news came that a Mexican herder had been killalong its banks in my early life.

He opened his eyes so wide and sudden One of the most striking peculiarities of that the brakeman and the conductor and the river is the uniformity of its meanders, the curious passenger fell back on each all kinds. or bends. Some of these are so uniform other in a heap, but only his lips moved : "Where's Gracie ?" and regular that they have the appearance

of having been described by the sweep of "Who?" asked the conductor, recovera compass, and consequently the course of a stream is very sinuous. The bends are consequently doubling on themselves and consequently doubling on the consequently doubling on the consequence and consequenc

forming what are called "cut-offs, and the river is traveling about in the alluvium, after changing its bed many times, as well said the curious passenger. "Suppose you help him to his feet." ferming what are called "cut-offs," and there?"

Conductors are experts in helping people from liquor shops.

Indicates the second se suspicion grew that Winnemuc was at cutting off its extent of fourteen miles. Coat coilar and stood him up, but he sank The pursuit was a hard one, The State afterward set men to work to as indeed all pursuits of the kind are in cut off Walker's bend into Tunica bend, less. Just then a depot hand come in: down the next moment lump and motion- town of Pirot to: \$1,000,000. thus reducing apparently the length of

"The baggagemaster wants to know what you're goin' to do with that mite of a the river sixteen miles or more, a total in the two cut-offs of about thirty miles, deal box over there. He don't want any which entirely changed the hydrography of that kind left over, and there ain't no of the stream and gave it this form indirection on it but "Gracie ""-

"That's her ?" said the old man, and he stood up feebly. "Take me there. We're water. This also brought the mouth of Red river

some ten miles lower down than its origi- me; a long, long journey, but it den't seem \$205,000 clear cash from her duchy of nal position in the bend. When these as if I knew the way right clear." "cut-offs" occur, the channels of the old They took him into the depot and hid

river, or rather the opening of the old river him on one of the benches and put his old into the new, closes, or, as the people call it, "grows up," and in a few years the old fretted for his "lettle Gracie—his pet," river is shut completely out of sight and forms a lake back in the forests. These she was resting, was asleep, and must not

lakes or "old rivers" are traceable all along be disturbed. the lower river. This "growing up" is another peculiarity of the Mississippi and kept saying to himself; "and grandpa's would not be noticed by an ordinary trav-baby mustn't get tired. It's a long way, a be unveiled July 22, the anniversary dergoing this process was pointed out and The little "box" with Gracie written

the philosophy explained to him. The explanation is this: When a bend breaks through an eddy is formed directly breaks through an eddy is formed directly breaks through an eddy is formed directly the breaks through an eddy is formed directly through under the point of the "old river."

sand bar, in a short time, the alluvium, the answer he made was a feeble held in suspension by the waters, is preci-pitated, when immediately the young cot-" Thank'ee; call me at sunrise.

tonwood trees begin to grow. Every year a new line of trees makes its appearance and so on year after year and shuts the old light shone into the dreary room he was up river out from view. The rows of cottonand away-gone on his long journey. woods in their growth are so exceedingly Only the worn-out body was there, and

uniform and regular that they have the yesterday it was laid away with "little Gracie" in the stranger's lot at Mount and \$1,800,000 for free primary educaappearance of having been set out by human hands to ornament a park or pleasure gar- Elliot, alone, unknown, yet possibly in as tion charged through them, firing right and den. The different growths, year after "sure a hope of a glorious ressurrection"

ounces, or twenty-five times its own

through the Atlantic cables is from 7,000

-France spends \$110,000,000 annu-

ally to maintain her military system

-A magnet weighing two ounces sustains a weight of three pounds two

Monumental Clay. When one of the Detroit trains came in at midnight, a few nights ago, an old man

a colored population of 38,998. -Beer drinking is said to be decreas ing in England.

-The Sultan of the Sooloo Islands 18

NEWS IN RRIFF.

-Under the new census Indiana has

-The Suez Canal is again open.

-The Hudson river was discovered

Welcome that ill that comes alone. -All Europe has 81,540 miles of railway.

-Hibernia is the Latin name for Ireland.

-Io wa has 400 butter and cheese fac-

-Spurgeon has 5,284 members in his church. -Cotton Mather wrote 382 works of

-Patti has the bronchitis. She also has \$500,000.

-Melikoff has accepted the Premier-

-2,000 French troups are occupying Biserta, in Tunis.

-Detroit collects \$300,000 annually

-There are 15,000 families in Ala-

-Bulgaria wants Servia to buy the

-Queen Victoria's gold and plate is valued at \$15,000,000.

-Some of the sheep-raisers of Australia own over 500,000 head of sheep. -Three or four ounces of oil can be extracted from one hundred pounds of

-Queen Victoria received last year

Lancaster. -A dealer in Vermont has an order

from the West for 2.000,000 pounds of maple sugar. -Millais, the English painter, has

commissions for portraits amounting to \$200,000.

-A new puzzle is to find the letter "M" three times on the legal tender silver dollar.

of his death.

-The records of immigration at New York shows 60,000 arrivals during the month of April.

-A thousand workingmen are wanta rug over hum near morning, and asked this eddy a sand bar forms and on this him what train he was waiting for, but all ed in Iewa this spring. It is a good State to work into.

to 8,000 miles per second.

-Employment is given by the rail-We're going a long journey, Gracie and me." He was called at sunrise by a voice that ways of Great Britain and Ireland to about 500,000 persons. -The velocity of the electric waves none may refuse, and when a flood of rosy

1 confess. 1 began to trem undressed myselt promptly, went to bed, and in order to have done with my foolish "Prestissimo!" cried the voice. And we began to valse. The bosom of fears, I soon closed my eyes and turned the young girl touched mine, her velvet my face toward the wall. But it was im-possible for me to remain in this position; life had I experienced such emotion; my the bed began to move beneath me like a nerves quivered like springs of steel, my the bed began to move benear in violently wave, my eyelids were drawn violently blood flowed in my veins like torrents of hava, and I heard my heart beat as if a the one immersion which will suffice for hava, and I heard my heart beat as if a ack. I was obliged to turn and see. The blazing fire cast a red reflection in watch were ticking in my ear. Still this

the apartment, so that the figures on the tapestry and of the smoky portraits which flood of meffable joy and I could have hung on the walls could be easily distin- remained always as 1 was, and remarkably hung on the wans could be easily distingtion of the wans and the wans could be easily distingtion of the wans and the wans and the wans and the want of the want o

faces and white-powdered hair, holding a rose in their hair. Suddenly the fire became strangely active, a bleared light illuminated the chamber; and I saw clearly what I had taken for vain paintings was a reality, for the eyes of those framed beings began to the eyes of those framed beings began to the eyes of those framen orige organ to move and to sparkle in a strange manner; their lips opened and closed like the lips of people speaking. But I heard nothing but the tick-tack of the clock and the whistling of the wind. An insuperable terror seized of the wind, and an end my terth chait "'Yes" she replied, winny her brow

the curtains.

As soon as Angela saw it, she rose pre

"Yes," she replied, wiping her brow me, my hair stood on end, my teeth chat tered, my body was bathed in a cold sweat. with her handkerchief, "but while we have The clock struck 11. The vibration of been dancing they have all sat down; there

the last stroke sang long in the air, and when it died away entire \* \* \* Ohl no! I dare not say what happened; no will take you on my knees."

not I date not say what impleted, no one would be eve me. I should be taken for a madman. The candles lighted of themselves, the bellows, without any visi-ble being touching them, began to blow the fire, ratting like an asthmetic old man, while the tongs stirred the billets of wood I know not how long we remained in that and the shovel gathered up the ashes. Then a coffee pot bounded from the table position, for my senses were all absorbed in the contemplation of this mysterious and fan-tastic creature. I had no longer any idea oa which it had been placed, and went hobbling along toward the fire brands. A of time or place; the real world no longer few minutes afterward the arm-chains be existed for me, and all the bonds which gan to move, and, agitating their twisted bound me to it were broken ; my soul, dis feet in a surprising manner, came and ranged themselves around the fire. engaged from its earthly prison, was float-ing in vague infinity. I understood that

ing in vague infinity. I understood that which no man can understand; the thoughts I did not know what to think of what I saw, but what remained for me to see was of Angela were revealed to me without her still more extraordinary. One of the portraits—the oldest of all, needing to speak, for her soul shone throug her body like a lump of alabaster, and th

that of a fat, chubby, grey-bearded man, rays from her breast pierced mine. The lark sang, a pale light played amon resembling remarkably the idea I had to myself of Sir John Falstaff, pushed his head out of the frame with a grimace, and after having with great effort, forced his shoulders and his fair, round beily between after a few steps she screamed and fell. the narrow gilded border, he jumped down

My blood freezes at the mere thought; I "avily. He had no sooner taken breath lhan he found nothing but the coffee-pot broken drew from the pocket of his doublet a wonderfully small key; he blew on it to see that the hole was clear, and then applied it been the sport of some diabolical delusion, to all the frames, one after the other; and all the frames becare enlarged, so as to allow the figures which they contained to

tapestry were, on one side an Italian con-

character pervades in a singular form the whole transaction. The families who have come on their single mule or camel now bathe together with the utmost gravity, the father receiving from the mother the infant, which has been brought to receive the mother mule or the mother the infant, which has been brought to receive the same." "Just come in from Lansing," he ob-

same." "Have a bill?"

"Not exactly. I come down from economy of resources, save it from the expense and danger of a future pilgrimage in after years. In about two hours the shores county to take the kinks out of our member. He was sailing in with a high head, and if I'd waited ten days longer, he'd are cleared; with the same quiet they re-mount their cancels and horses, and, before have been bossing the whole State. What d'ye think ?"

"I dunno."

the noon day heat has set in, are sgain en-camped on the upper rlain of Jericko. Once more they may be seen at the dead "He wouldn't speak to me when I first got there ! Think of that ! Up home of night; the drum again wakes them for their Lomeward march. The torches again there we rated him about No. 4, and sent him down to Lausing more because none of the rest of us could leave, and he wanted

go on before; behind follows the vast multitude, mounted, passing in profound silence over that silent plain ; so silent that think ?" but for the tinkling of the drum, its depart-"Rather mean." ure would hardly be perceptible.

That Wicked Blag.

Three or four years ago when there was a grip on the potato market there lived near an interior village in this state a farm or named Peters. He raised good crops paid his debts, and was down on rings of all sort. The price of potatoes kept gong up and up, and the old farmer grew un evening to see how the market stood, and all hough he never asid much it was evi-evening to see how the market stood, and all bott two it is one speeches, and I mashed all but one. The first day I got there he was sup-porting motions, and moving to amend and stike out, but I might soon let first, but the climax came. One evening the a grocery when a clizen entered with a mewspaper in his hand and said: ""Mat I'' erchaimed Peters, "another advance in 'taters?" "Yes, the Lord only knows what is to bursted." "Yes, the Lord only knows what is to bursted."

became of the poor it this point into poor it this point into a point of the poor it the p cipitately, made a sign of farewell, and Seized with terror, I sprang forward.

peach-blows on the market to-morrow, and bust that wicked ring all to pieces " "You bet he did! and if we hear any

send an arrow at the soldiers. His bow and knife were his only weapons. Morris picked him out and started

would not go off. The Indian, somewhat startled at the to cut me colder'n a wedge! What do you

"You bet! But I lowered his nose a We'd heard how he was prancing md and putting on airs and making of in Morris had dropped his useless pistol, seizaround and putting on airs and making out that he run our county, and a few of us

workmen themselves. The mysteries of At the sight of this, persuaded that I had been the sport of some diabolical delusion, I was so overpowered with fright that I fainted. When I became conscious again I was in my bed; Arrigo Cohic and Pedrino Borg-nioli were standing at the bead. As soon as I oreand my suce Arrigo cried! "You bet he did! and if we hear any thing more about his rising to explain his no place for him to return to. This is the place, eh?" Well, I'll folder up and take the time for setting them. Evergreens may be left until later, and will need more

Rest. "He seems to be much worse to-day," said the doctor, as he contemplated the pa-tient. "Did you keep him perfectly quiet, as I directe's nurse !" under the ordinary times pienty of cheap prhaps a little quass, from the staple food of the moujika, who, naturally abstinent weight. —Col. Thomas Scott, ex-president to be worth from \$20,000,000 to \$30,-000,000.

for about fifty yards, when Winnemuc wheeled and shot at arrow, which struck Morris in the neck. He dropped instant-ly, and the Indian, believing that his ar-row had done serious damage, drew his knife from his belt, and with a whoop, ran

There is in ordinary times plenty of cheap | weight.

wheeled and shot at arrow, which struck Morris in the neck. He dropped instant-ly, and the Indian, believing that his ar-row had done serious damage, drew his knife from his belt, and with a whoop, ran back to finish his work. It was an unfor-turate move. Morris had dropped as a ruse, and when Winnemuc came within a few feet of him he arose on his knees, aim-ed with his Remington pistol—and it would not go off. The Indian, somewhat startled at the

The Indian, somewhat startled at the sudden recovery, would have started back man in the back parlor gave a httle support, and there was some music in the third great, and, before he could do anything. Here was some music in the third story, and the cat got out upon the back

per, and there was some music in the third story, and the cat got out upon the back fence, and there was a baby born on the second floor front, and the little girl up the third pair died in the night, but he never

Dancing in a Cathedral.

third pair died in the night, but he never moved. Bless your heart, he was the quietest man you ever saw!" "Quite right, quite right; did you give him the pills?" "My gracious! I forgot the pills, but I gave him all the powders—eight Seidletz powders, four Dover powders, and all the contries, wholly or partially civilized, but contries, wholly or partially civilized, but contries, wholly or partially civilized, but cover 22.0.0.000 feet in 1851

"I see. Was he delirions during the have any perceptible effect on their appe-tites. They are and drank like so many bankment, will be finished by August

night?" "Oh! wasn't he i But he harn't holiered much for two hours. He's been pretty quiet since he fell out of bed. Before that he was restless." "Of course, naturally. Any of his friends been to see him? titles. They ate and drank like so many Grandgosiers during the whole of the peri-do intervening between the translation of the Imperial remains to the fortress and the final act of inhumation; and the Pro-pos des Beuveurs was continuous, and as Rabelansian as the gendarme-infected at 1880. been to see him? 1880. -The total loss by fire in Chicago

during the year 1880 was \$1,136,816. The report of the fire marshal places the number of buildings in the city at 132,942.

-There were 6,800,000 bushels less Among the early Christians, as also the Among the early Christians, as also the Pagans, dancing is constituted a part of the religious ceremonies, and did not David dance before the Ark, and the daughters of Shiloh come out to dance in dances ? The practice of dancing in churches was looked

upon with favor in France until the twelth sent to a reporter a dressing case, emhe wants now is rest." And the doctor certified to the reliability teenth century, it forms part of the Easter sure at his account of some of her ex-

Sunday ceremonies at the Cathedral in Se-Sunday ceremonies at the Cathedral in Se-ville. Lady Louista Tenison, travelling in these parts, speaks of them as being most singular and quite peculiar to Selville. The singular and quite peculiar to Selville. The in the open space in front of the altar, five mentation for that year reached no less standing on each side opposite each other. | a sum than 114,000,000 francs.

standing on each side opposite each other. They begin a slow movement, singing hymns and keeping time with their casta-nets. A dignitary, disapproving of the cus-tom, tried to stop them; but this so en-raged the authorities that they suddenly shipped off the boys to Rome, so that the Pope might judge for himself. His hoh-mess saw nuthing argungit and continued.

ness saw nothing against it, and continued the privilege, allowing them to dance with rapidly increasing in San Francisco. -The consumption of oplum is ther heads covered, before the sacrament; and this is done to this day. income averaging \$75 a day from the traffic. The religious and secular press are calling attention to the matter.

-The death of Lord Beaconsfield

As a test of the personal concern which members of the Government have in land laws in Engiand, it is interesting to note the possessions of some of them. Mr. Gladstone is the proprietor of 7,000 acres; the Marquis of Hartington is heir to 200,000 acres; Earl Spencer owns 27,000; Earl Kimberley, 11,000; Lord Northbrook, 10,000; Mr. Dodson, 30,000; Lord Hunt-ley, 90,000; other members have lesser estates, and Mr. Bright is the only promi-nent man in the Cabinet who has no landed nossessions in few worth mentioning. The 

One bad pun can spoil a good joke. One patch of ice elevates men's soles. shower of rain will ruin a new One

One balky horse can rout a whole One squealing child will spoil an entire

One swallow of hot coffee breeds repentant tears?

One little word might make many man miserable. One over a dozen can make twelve di-

ners out nervous. One had boy can spoil a young man's Land Laws.

evening. One little flirt can make dozens of men As a test of the personal concern which uncomfortable.

One new bonnet will make a woman temporarily happy. One fit of indigestion causes wish he was an ostrich.

One pugnacious goat can charn

harming pastoral. One aching tooth will reduce a human one wife has been known to set

powders, four Dover powders, and all the quinne powders and the mixtures, three of 'em, and all but the pills." "Just so. Did you change the bandages on his head i" "It wasn't any use, He wouldn't keep

"It wasn't any use, He wouldn't keep bunn and in whiter. The generalized assistation of the Isar Alexander II. failed certainly to which are to be placed at the foot of

"There are ten or a dozen here all night mosphere would permit

playing cards and enjoying themselves. But he paid no attention to them." "I suppose not. Hasn't asked for any-thing, has he?" "Not for a long time. He's doing well,

isn't he, doctor?" "Yes, yes, as well as could be expected.

As near as I can judge he has been dead about twelve hours. You needn't continue the medicines. Just keep him quiet and don't let anybody talk to him. What

of the nurse and departed.

Only One

evening.