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An Immense Time in the Sanctum. A day or two ago, while seated in the
editorral departuent of our establishment, posting books, pondering over debts due us
by delinquents, and showering left-lunded blessings on the credit system, our reveries were suddenly broken in upon by the en-
rance of a subscriber who has taken the trance of a subscriber who has taken theh
Standard for seven years, during which time he paid on account 0 dollars, ditto cents. "Holloa." thought we, "herer's a
mistake, as the following conversation
proves:
Subscriber-Mr. Printer, I believe I have taken your paper about-let me see
-ah, yes, about soven years; and nal that time, too, I have lived off the Portage
Road; how you have lived, I do not know, but precious little of my monoeg have you
fingered. However, make me outa receipt now, and here's your monoy.
[Subscriber deposits $\$ 14$ on the table
which the editor grasps nervously, fo which the editor grasps nervously, for
fear the subsoriber's mind will clange, fear the subscriber's mind will chang
and then fillsout a reecipt. Exit sul)
scriber.] and
scriber.].]
As might
As might naturally bo supposed, the up into sunshine 14 per cent. Another rap at the door-",
"Come in""
[Tall countryman enters.]
Countryman -Well, Mr. Newspaperman, how d'ye do? 'Been taking your pa-
per a dingnation while, and it is a long per a dingation wine,
time since $I$ paid anything. Wouldn't be without it no how-as your list of market
prices saves me fifty dollars a year. Re-
ally too bad that I hyvn't attended to it ally too bad that I havn't
sooner. How much is it?
Editor-(running his eye over the news,
paper,)-"Oh, here it is-two and one's paper,)-"Oh, here it is-two and one
thre, and two are five - ten dollars. [Countryman deposits half a saw-horse,
takes his receipt, bids editor an affectakes his receipt, bids editor an Another rap! What,
omer! As I live it is!
(Euter Irish subscriber from the Moun-
Irishman-How are yees? Bad luuk o meeself, but its owing this paper for a
ong time I am, and sure a long time 1 am, and sure a good wan it is

- sorra a betther, barrin' thim from the
ould country. Fwhat am I endne yees? (Editor refers to book.)
Editor-
ive dollars.


## Irishman deposits a yellow coin bearing the iupression of the American "aigle,"

 pookketesston "raysait" he calls for, andis off.] Sanctum becomes pleasant; everything in it wears a brilliant hue- even the rat-
tling of the sleet against the window panes ding of the sleet against the window panes
ns a charming musieal sound. By Jove has a charming musieal sound. By Jove!
nother knock! "Walk in!" May I be shot if it isn't $\Delta$.; another fourteen dollar debtor. Oh , it cannot be possible that he is going to pay. Yes he is! By the beard
of the Prophet he jerketh his call-skin! of the Prophet he jerketh his calf-skin!
G. -Well, old fellow, you have dunned me pretty often, but of course I couldn't begin to blame you for it. I determined
to put it out of your power to dun me again for a while, when Captain West made this payment. Let me see, fourteen dollars I
Editor (rubbing his hands with glee)Exactly, which pays up to the 12th of next
April.
G.-Here's fifteen dollars-just credit
me a dollar advance. (Exit subscriber.) Editor (solus)-A weight transferred from your conscience to your pocket.
Editor proceeds to enter a credit,
sings, "Oh thus may it ever-"", when
the song is cut short by the entrance of
the song is cut short by
$a$ German patron.]
German Subscriber-Vell, we gates,
Mr. Brinder, heh? Owe you for ter ba-
pers, heh, how much? Can't reat moch
minself, put mine clilterns say
minself, put mine chilterns say tor musht
haf ter baper, and I gues if tey musht haf him, ter olt man musht bay, heh ? (Ger-
man subscriber, who is something of a wag, man subscriber, who is something of a wag,
cluckles and gives the editor a dig in the ibs.)
Editor-Squire, your bill is only five dollars.
German Subscriber-Five dollar: tat ish
behint, and five ioll makes den.
German subscriber pulls out an old stook-
ing, and counts down out of it twenty
ing, and counts down out of it twenty
bright half dollars. Editor's eyes di-
late, he becone
late, he becomes exceedingly nervous,
and slows symptoms of fying of tho
and shows symptoms of
handle! Exit patron.]
The sky is clouded, but it never looked
orrors of a long winter are forgotten, Tho
urrors of a long winter are forgotten, and
acordeon in the bookstore underneatl
ble noise, is now making passable music.
In the exuberance of his spirits he could
y. (A heavy step is heard on the stairs.)

What il est possibel? The streak has
been so good that this must be a call on
(Door opens.
Jerusalem! If he pays the millenium from the final trumpet.
$J$-Well, my hearty, I have just suc-
eeded in collecting some old accounts, and
as I owe you considerable of a bill, thought I could do no better than let y have a trifle on account.
Editor (strongly impressed with the in the language of Dummy Allen,
Happy to meet-happy to purt-and always hap
py to meet again.,
J. deposits two X's on the table, sees the
entry made, and leaves.]
entry made, and leaves.]
Editor has reached a stat
liss, and whistles Dolly Day, with variations, when the sanctum door again opens, Whig-Believe I a prominent enters. Whig-Believe I owe you Locofoco prin-
ers a small bill for advertising. Don like the principles you advocate, but I would just as soon do business with one much the lather; besides, I know you have y; and, in short, I know what's what. Editor-Good. Your bill is $\$ 9$.
Whig pays, hands over a new advertisement, and leaves.]
Another knock. "Walk in!
(Enter, a lean, long, lank, cadaverous
black, with white neck eloth. Editor misakes him for a preacher, and bows deferntially.)
Stranger-I am the Travelling Agent for Doctor Julius 0 . Killemoff's Universal Regeneratng Depurative Resurrection Sy-
rup, which I wish to advertise in your
per.
[Editor lights a cigar, cocks his legs up on
the table, and feels very independent.]
the table, and feels very independent.]
Editor-We don't advertise quack me-
dicines at this establishment unless paid
or in advance.
Travelling $A_{\text {gent-Excuse me, but this }}$
is no quack medicine, but one highly re-
commended by the faculty. What are
Editor-Twenty dollars.
Agent does not appear to be a bit taken
aback, as is usual on such oceasions, but
Agent-Here's five, and five are ten, and
en are-
Scene suddenly changes; editorial room and
self at home fade away; Editor finds bim-
Wif; wife shaking him.]
Wife-It's six o'elook. Ain't you go-
g to market
Editor (slig
dition seize the market. Didn't I tell you
last night I had no market money?
ditor turns over and tries to continu
the dream, but the charm is broken, th
spell is gone, and all that remains
uneasy doze, which is interrupted by
Junior of the family bestriding hio
Junior of the family bestriding him for
a horse, and clutching his hair for the
a horse, and clutching his hair for
bridle rein.]
(Scene changes to breakfast table.)
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Wife-I should like to know what
Ede dreaming about this morning.
Editor-Why?
Wife-Because when I awoke yout, you
ntinued grumbling in unintelligible lan
guage. The on!y thing I could under cand, was, "it's an infernal shame you didn't wait until
buy paper."
t, rushes gives a ghastly grin, seizes his
office, and - works off the outside [Hollidaysburg Standard.

Chinamen vs. Africans.
One of the remarkable features of the
present day consists in the emigration
present day consists in the emigration of
Chinese to America in search of employnent. The 'Celestials' are not above work They have heard of this goodly land, wher gold and food abound, and are quitting the Middle Kingdom, by thousands, to seek San Francisco is full of them. This fact has been well known for a considerable period. But we confess to some surprise n irruption in Cuba, where they taking the place of negroes. compete with that of African slaves?" Simply because it is cheaper. The Chinaman works for very low wages, and ask no one to take care of him. He feel himself. He will not be a slave, or treat od as one. His first lesson in Cuba is that and that he himself is not a negro. Hi his current expenditure next to nothinghis current expenditure next to nothing. Besides, he is ingenious, active, industrious,
which the blacks are not. It is thus he can underbid slave labor, while at the same ne he enriches himself and his employer Do you say "all this is curions, but what way. If the Chinese operative can roo out the African in Cuba, why not in Car-
olina? China, which contains onc-third of the human race, can easily spare enough of her people to do the rough work of all the Southern States; and nothing is more ertain than that Slavery will perish just so soon as it is found to be pecuniarily un-
profitable, except perhaps the other fact profitable, except perhaps the other fact
hat it will not perish a moment sooner. To the advent of these Asiastic compelitors, or some event like it, will the AfChina ise their emancipation. Whether problem of the destiny of the black race in this country, no one can yet tell. But wore unlikely tl
Every American citizen must regard the xtinction of human bondage in this Re public as a consummation certain to oceur at some period and by some agency; and hothing which seems calculated to affect port ean be regarded otherwise than with profound interest.-Rochester ( $\mathcal{N}$. York)

Personal Appearance of our Sa
Of the personal appearance of the Re deemer of mankind, people generally hav but the most vague conceptions, such as have their origin in the numerous painted
portraits passing as likenesses of that divine personage, who 'spake as man never spake.' He is thus deseribed by Lentulus, a ruler in Judea, in a letter addressed by reign of Tiberius Cæsar: "Conseript fathers. -There appeared in these our days, man of great virtue, named Jesus Christ, who is yet living amongst us, and of the truth, but his own discoiples call him the son of God. He raiseth the dead and cureth all manner of diseases. A man o
stature somewhat tall and comely, and in proportions of his body well shaped, and
his hands and arms delectable to behold,
the beholder may both love and hear. Hi hair is of a filbert, fuify ripe, to his ears, whence dowawards it is more orient of color, somewhat curling or waving about his
shoulders. In the midst of his head is a sean or. In the midst of his head is of the Nazarites. His forehead plain and delicate. His cheeks without spot or wrinkle, beautiful with a comely red; his nose hivk, of thactly formed. His beard great length, but forked. His look innocent and mature. His eyes grey, elear an quick. In reproving he is awful; in ad ing, very temperate, modest and wise. cannot be remembered that any have see him laugh, but many have seen him weep A being for his singular beauty surpassing children of men.'

The Presidency Electoral Vote. It has been virtually settled in Congres: at both South Carolina and California fractionser of Congress on their severto Carolina, and the spirit to Californi This increases the whole number of Memers to 234, and of Presidential Electors 296, making 149 necessary to a choice
-148 being a tie. The Electoral Vote each State, under the New Apportione of as compared with that of 1848 , will be as follows:
State
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Neine,
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w Hamps
Massachusetts,
Rhode Island,
Connecticut,
New York,
New Jersey,
Pennsylvanaa,
Delaware,
Maryland,
Virginia,
North Carolina
Georgia,
Ohio,
ndiana
Illinois
Yowa,
Wisconsin
Michizan,
Michigan,
Kentucky,
Missouri,
Alabama,
Louisiana,
Tennessee,
Tississippi,
Mrkansas,
California,
Total,
$\overline{290}$
We have marked in Italics the fifteen States that went for Taylor in ' 48 , giving
him 163 votes to 137 for Cass. The same him 163 votes to 137 for Cass. The same
States would now cast 191 votes, or 12 States would now cast 191 votes, or 12
more than a majority. Illinois and Missouri each gain two, Massachusetts, Peun-
sylvania, Wisconsin, Michigan, Mississippi, sylvania, Wisconsin, Michigan, Mississippi,
and Arkansas, gain one each; New Hamp and Arkansas, gain one each; New Hamp-
shire, Vermont, New York, North Carolina and South Carolina each lose one and Virginia loses two. The other States have as same number of Members and Elector
as and California is added to the number--N. Y. Tribune.
05 Wanted at this office a bull dog of ny color except pumpkin and-milk; of respectable size, snub nose, cropped ears,
abbreviated continuation, and bad disposition, who can come when called with a ras eef steak and will bite the man who spit thaceo juice on the stove, and steals the xchanges.
$0 \rightarrow$ One of the latest inventions is a nest gg made of porcelain. The eggx are made ducks, geese, \&c., and so natural are they, that the greatest connoisseur in the egg line must be deceived until he comes to
ineatest connoisseur in thogg crack them.

> Q Pa, how long does the Legislature
it? Three or four months, my son. Why, what a set of geese they must be; our geese only sit five weeks! Its getting late, my
son, I think you had better retire. ar The Hightstown (N. J.) Record, says,
that its "devil" has come into a fortune that its "devil" has come into a fortune
of $\$ 5,000$, and is about to give an oyster
supper to all the "devils" in the State. supher to all the "devils" in the State.
What a party there will be.

