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ORIGINAL POETRY. Written for the Dicking Meter THE ILLS OF LIFE.

tere is the grand concentrate Existence darkling ill.; and like un(alling streams, hey pour their floods sigon us to on pir Iwar Our carth-born hopes and smilles. Like occan's In all their multitude, they dash Life's bark messant, and to rade extremos, nor fal Inducing fearent final wrechined loss And wrocks there have been and this occan's wa That like the besom of despatch, has a The lineamonts of song and happings From the 'reft heart, and left but traces and Of what was once enjoyed. Oa! 'has thought To dry up our unhallowed give --that alt In this e'er shoquered life, we must wife those. Who are but spectres of their former selves, And scarce bear recognition ; who alast Have drank full deep of sorran's rop, and tasked The weary heart beyond its strongth, with sighs And smathered grief. Life is a separation, Where joys are buried, prem durely, smit By the rude fronts of cold A foresity ; And as in mourning, min, the late-passessed 1. seen to circuit the and burial place, Iner dulous that what is part is last, And yet despairing as to what may dome, To fill the vacuum in his bleeding breast,

But man's complainings proyable darkon'd And tao ins wrecked estate is positive Against ins wisdom ; for kind fleaven has ne' Intentionally made man what he is; But rather cought his good. If il's have come, They were not w neth-designed 1 but its-sacagers Invitting to enjoyments-rational And pure,-and though the base of cartlely good, They were intended as an antidote, Inducing Heaven born wishes - giving wings Fo bear the soul in exploration wise, Where all is ficaling balm: where negtar'd streams Flow healingly through groves of H-avenly bling ; Where joys are stable—for beyond the blight

the tablet of my light, on God, pursuing the course ab will suggest, to awelcome sponsore shell I be all Y. Por there is a strang in which radie to the tomb, may be regard. 6, ever seeking to harlikis envenomed shalt, ever ready to stylke the Land blow, ever beat destruction of our species ; ho paw-

and Omninotence can retard His morevent his approach, turn aside his or.

or screen me from his attacks. HE, corfler of your paper. then this fell destroyer drew near the most grand and beauti al cite upon which the sun world amounts to about 8,000,000 tons, he nearer, more expeditious, more safe, more ferro P. Shaffner must he a tremendance man witch is worth, new and old, \$30 per ton, healthy, and more certain, because neither to maintain its perpendicularity under such a Thomas & Campbell geance to the full, cried, " It is enough ! stay and nets, clear of interest, insorance de. 10 drouts nor ice, which uffect trade and travel superincombent mass of official signifies : now thine hand." The proof for no sooner prit cent., or \$24,000,000, per sonnen. The on the Onio river and in higher latitudes, can Margaren-In Worcester, Massachusetts, J. Lemay, Talkot II. Seller heard, than disarmed of power, he obeyed the appropriation to the British Nasy, during the suspend the travel and trade on this R of Road on Thorsday, October 9th, Tat. P. SEAFF. of society and is seen depicted upon the counten sites of my fellow.mm ? Why this sad. ness-these tears ? Douth das been here, and with iron grasp has torn away the ornament of his family, the youth of promise, the weeping group, clad in the habiliments of mourning, as with slow and measured pace they mar, h in the direction of the village church yard ? They go to deposite a father, a brother, a sister, or perhaps that dearest of all earthly friends, a mother, in the narrow house appointed for all living. I see the loved, the hon wed statesman, anon whose brow proud fame had placed the laurel wreath; sink, suddenly as the lightning's flish, under

From March 4th, 1789, to June 30th, this ruthless destroyer. The embassador of the Cross, the legate of Heaven, upon the altar of whose soul burned the hallowed fire

e far the perishing, the benighted--up. ar the persuasive accents of whose lips thepsands had so often bung with rapture, while Pacific, of 2500 miles in length, at \$15,000 flourish; and what is most remarkable, the with glawing eloquence he pointed the " road per mile; and thus erect a highway for the security of her mitural situation and the into Heaven, to Gud"-scized with relentless commerce and communion of the family of ternal trade and travel in a time of war, would grasp and carried to the " land of silence." nations, which should be reckoned in all mitigate to her most of its evils and calami-Oh what an enemy ! To rauk, or excellence, coming time one of the greatest enterprises ties. or worth, he pays no regard. The pitcous that ever blessed the race,

graans of the widow, the sight and sobs of In 1842, there were produced in the U. lides, and behold its political effect, in comentthe mother, or the lears of the helpless or. States, 100,000,000 bashels of wheat and ing the Union by the indissoluble bonds of trade all died on the 4th of July. pan, affect not his heart. He is deaf to all 140,000,000 bashels of Indian core; which, and travel, imagination's utmost stretch could Mike Walsh, in his last "Subterranean," H. Jamison, from Virginia, committed sub-ontreaty. He is never satisfied. He destroys at \$1 per bashel for the former, and 25 cents hardly realize a measure which is more fraught remarks, that an eminent Locofico, helling cide this morning at the Merebants' Hotel.

Hemphis Bail Road. Mn. Eptron 2 I are that many of this news-fibers of the country are copying into their olumnas "Scrips of Corious Information," rom the New York Gagatte, While reading Man Hennax : Releigh and Poststerille, and in fact the whole State, is disply, dreply interested in the contemplated Rail Road from Memphis to South Caroling. It is our dety from the New York Grzette. While reading the interesting modley of facts they embrace. I conceived the idea, that a few semper of more specific and solier information. If press bring about its construction by all pointitumareleonne visitor. Welcome, or more specific and solier information, if pre- bring about its construction by all pointitu-m, however, he is ever in swift pur. pred with unimpenchable fidelity to truth, uonal means. Look on the map of the Uniwight make a solutary impression on the ted Soutes, and you will see at once. 1st, it public mind. Here, then, Mr. E liter, nor a will be in iron bond between the south west. f. w irems of such information, which I have are States and Southern States. 2nd, it will collected with some care, and for which I divert all the travel from the southern and would humb'y solicit an admission into some southwestern States and Terry, which now The mercantile shipping of the civilized through North Caroline; for, the route will

Almighty mandate. Unwelcame is he, be. current year, is \$33,620,200! Is not this a route. 3rd, it will attract, yea, face capital san, E.q., Attorney and Counsellor at Law, T. Avery of Burke, Thomas A. Cause the determined enemy of our race sober fact? that the annual expense of one to continue the R il R ad from Raleigh of Louisville, Ky., Post Grand II. Priest and Iredell, Dr. John A. Mebane of Gree t had t the proof : what means that glaim nation's navy exceeds the net profit of all the through Fayetteville to South Carolina. 4th, Grand Patriarch of that State, a Grand Re. P. P. Lawrence of Elgecomb, Jones and anguish that so often steals o'er the tace shipping owned by the civilized world ? it will give middle and western North Caroli presentative to the Grand Lalge of the U.S. Hoyt of Washington, and Dr. P.J. Hill of The war-debts of the European nations na the command of the Charleston, Wilming-amount to \$10,000,000,000. It would re- ion and Fayetteville markets, in addition to Junior Editor of the 'Covenant.' of Baltiquire the labor of four millions of men, at the Virginia markets, which we now have, more, Ex.Editor of 'The Free Mason,' of \$150 per annum for each man, to pay the 5th, it will render us independent in case of Lautsville, Corresponding and Recording interest of this sum at 6 per cent. To pay war; for no enemy can cut off our supplies Secretary and Librarian of the Kentucky stay of declining age. What means that the principal, it would be necessary to lovy a of sugar, coffee, mulusses, froits, &c. from Historical Society, Recording Secretary o

tax of at least TEN D ALLARS on every inhabi. Texus, Louisiano, and Florida, nor our trade the Board of Missions of the Methodist Epistant of the globe! Another fact, rendering through the great Mediterranean sea, the Mis- copal Church, South, Captain of the 1st Comthis more impressive, may be found in the "scrap of curious information," that no heather nations are in arrears for the burche-ries they have perpetrated on the human race. Mississippi routes, will be the great throughout the Union, including Mississippi routes, will be the great throughout the Union, including heathen nations are in arrears for the butches, will be, midway between the Arlantic and of the former place. ries they have perpetrated on the human mee. Mississippi routes, will be the great through Papers throughout the Union, including

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ate. It is t

I walked out at noon -H was

They pay cash down for all that is done for fare of travel and intercourse. the devil under their kinds. Christian na. In fine, my heart as a North Carolinian tions alone "go on tick" for that kind of ser. leaps within me when I contemplate what a new era of prosperity will hurst apon our State, if this Momphis R and should be con-1844, our Government expended on the War structed. Our State, by nature inaccessible Department \$663,435,851. The interest of to a foreign eneniv by land and water, will be this sum, at 6 per cent., would build Whit. at last the most desirable spot on the globe. ney's great Rail Road from the Lakes to the In war or peace her trade and travel would

> But when we take a loftier view of this sixty-six. Adams, Jefferson, and Monroe,

own citizens.

citizens to this all important subject.

apon a squeeze of the hand. With

s entirely equivalent to a declaration

An exchange says :

Squeezing the Hand.

" It is but lately that we understood the

his is very surprising indeed. We must

hold of a lady's hand like hat pointoes ;

breach of promise ! We would not give a

usty nail for one of your cold formal shakes

of the hand. Every person who extends one

or two fingers for your touch, (as if he were

"HENRY."

The Am forth Crne Bey Dr. Lowin

And I was glad I sat me down at even - it was autumn : And I was sud took place following of I laid me down nt night-it was wlater ene, via : Duncan Ca Add I slept. Thomas N. Campoon of Marriage Notice Extraordinary. p Vun Vieck of Sal The following must extraordinary marriag Vice Presidents ; William otice we copy from the Bultimore "Coves Weston & Gales, Secritary an nt,' an organ of the Old Fellows. Palia. And the following g Board of Manag Brown, Chas, Dewey, Gen. S. F. Patterson of Willie

> A Terrible Event -- Wo have heard of a most terrible and districting occu

Dallas county. The facts, as day have c to us, are as follows : It appears that Bethel Holmes, a plant

orged, us is supposed, by jealousy or iosanity, he shut her on I immediately afterwards killed himself.

states, as a singular coincidence in regard to This most terrible trage ty occurred on Satthe several Presidents of the United States, urday, the 20th ult. The following is an exthat Jefferson was burn just eight years after tract of a letter dated the 31st : his prodecessor Adams ; Madison eight years "We have just heard that Holmes is dead. after his predecessor Jefferson; Monroe eight They had just risen from the dinger table. years after Madison, and John Quincy Adams Holmes asked Mrs. McKean to walk into the eight years after Monroe. Another curious parlor. The family heard the fact is, that Adams was just sixty-six years pistol, and while opening the door heard as old when he retired ; Jefferson was sixty six ; other. There my Holmes on the floor a Madison was sixty-six; Monroe was sixty- strongling. Mrs McKean was sitting in th six; and John Quincy Adams, had he been meking chair dead. He shot her right thro elected to a second term, would have been the heart."

Holmes left three children .- Tribe

Suicide -A guntleman of the name of

The pleasures here are the forbidden troe ; Of fruit permittions; sensualizing those Who, Evelike, danse partake; forbidden too They ope the carnal eye to mysteries. Of vanity and vice, that cloud the soul In base forgetfulness of Gol, and thirst The appetite with keenness for debauth. And shumeless prostitution of the powers That were bastowed for purposes of good. This fruit the opiste, distilling fomes That give fool slumber to the sout, and which Carry the mind into the land of desants. Where all the shadows of un hour are ranged Faithatic, on revolving rounds, to please And dully with the soul immortal, which, Besides has duly to her Gud, has claims, brough a Redeemer, that domand her car Through a Redeemer, that domand her care And special inquiry. And all mon dream Whe base their hope of happiness apon The vaponry pleasures that evasive flat 'Fore imagination's eye. What is the world But a vast confradiction 1 promising. With anaght in its possession to award! The world's insolvent? and the man who still the world's insolvent? and the man who still Will from upon its promises to pay. Is dusing on destruction's shelving brink (And it is well, if he be not awaked And it is well, if the be not awaked By the dread messenger, whose dreadful voice is the and agreety of our mined hopes. For time and vast etermity. And thus, If darking its prove the alarum bell, To 'rouse us to our proper consciousness, And teach us wisdom by its solemn tance. 'They are true friends, and should be valued such; And themes they cross dimension of the their even And though they come disguised, yol let their worth, As the blest deputies of Heaven, to wafa And to invite, inspire us with com EDWARD.

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Franklin, Mucon Co., Nov. 21st, 1815.

For the Highland Messenger. MR. EDITOR :- Returning from church ast Subbath, in soleon mood, contemp the sad breach that has been made i de et my acquintance siece my first y to this country, together with the repea leaths that have recently accurred in ounty, I entered my room, took up my p and hastily put the following ref scrious thoughts on paper. If you deem them worthy a place in your excellent paper they are at your service.

SERIOUS THOUGHTS. While the giddy and the gay are th and the individual who has not his heart he acquisition of would-while alighting thous ough on carth I Their plans me

But if the

the fairest objects, the brightest prospects .- for the latter, were worth \$135,500,000. "He loves a snining mark." My best friends, Fifteen per cent, elour of the interest of the to the Union.

those with whom Jused to walk to the house capital invested in lands, implements, hired of God, who used to rejsice with me in pros. and personal labor, is a liberal estimate of that our Rail Roads should be owned by our hard to take. If such grasping and insatiapect of future glory, have fallen by his hand, the profit accruing to the wheat and corn uwn citizons, that in case these happy results ble avarice can be called democracy, I would and those who yet survive with me must soon grower. Then the profit of this amount of should be effected, our trade and travel should like to know what, in the name of Heaven, or late fall in his cold embrace. The sentence grain would be \$20,325,000. The appro. not be subjected to the vexations and control they consider federalism." has been pronounced by the cternal Jchovah, printion to the arroy and navy, during the of other people. It may become evident, Rather green, that question, Mike ! A man "Dustition art, and unto dust must thou re, same year, was \$20,150,501. In other words that the better policy would have been for our who works steadily, lives productly, sleeps turn." But oh my soul I can no antidute to the army and navy ate up the whole harvest last Legislature to have authorized our Gav- contentedly, envice no mun, reads what is go. douth be found in all the universe of God ?- of wheat and corn throughout the Union ! Yes-thanks to heaven's high King-'tis Will not the hard working farmers think on the Raleigh and Gaston Road, to prevent the schools week-days, and takes them to church found ! " Life and immortality have been this fact ? brought to light (not by reason or human in. The government, though carrying on ex. secure the Rand to the State. The Legisla, voting just the way he thinks best for his genous, but) by the gaspel of the Son of tensive armories of its own, has recently cans ture might then have had in its power, by country, is pretty certain to be branded a He it is that shall conquer death and tracted with a private company in Cannecti. creating a stock and selling it out to the citi. Enderalist. It is not a bad name, however, helt, and gloriously triumph over every op. cut for the supply of 30,000 pistols, at \$6,50 cach; or \$195,000 worth of those worpons posing power. Ride on, Immanuel, in thy might ! Teach, oh teach the sons of men to so much in vogue with duelists and assassing. from five to seven hundred thousand dullars seck refuge in thy wounded side-for there The American Bible Society congratulates I to on receiving, the past year, \$166,652, may they rest secure. Salvation then, three o aggregate of all that has been given the Stood of Carist, is the antidote by heaven in provided, by God revealed to man, and by through the Union for the dissemination of the Word of Life at home and abroad. So i, rife with importance to us all individually and the Holy Spirit applied to the hearts of dying goes ; Christendom expends more in one year sinners. With this in mesussion, death shall be to unwelcome messenger. Ah no ! I'll s'aughter, than has been given to the promul. this article, written out in a great hurry ; but smile at his approach, joyously exchange, gation of the Gospel since Jesus Christ died " Come, welcome death, thou end of pain, I he cross ! E. B. amprepared for thee!" He it is that came

Worcester, Nov. 18th, 1845. wit only to deliver them who through fear of

denth were all their life time subject to bond-One Eyed Soldiers .- Dr. Durbin, in his ige, but to abolish death. My shrinking flesh, "Observations in the East," just published, then dread not the tomb--for mentions that in some parts of Egypt, to " There sweet be my rest 'till he hid me arise avoid the conscriptions of Mehemet Ali, the To hall him in troumph descending the skies." On jayous day ! His voice shall then be women have been in the habit for years back, heard throughout creation. The graves shall of maining their children so as to unfit them give up their dead ! The marble tomb shall for mildary service. The destroying of one rend! Death's empire shall tremble! His eye was a common operation. But the Pacha

of heaven, of God, surrounded by a shinin

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And tripungh o'er sorrow and

iron grasp be broken! The bodies of the has taken an effectual way to put a stop to the once cansumed by price, now by pow- this cruelty, by forming two regiments of one receiving from the bowers of Paradise eved soldiers. The evil is said to be already ir holy, happy, spotless, deathless, inhabl. much diminished.

at, drawn by the powerful magnet of love, Cattle in Pastures .- Sucers and oven may convoy of the heavenly best, shall approxibe pastured together; so also may heifers, more the portals of bliss-yea, enter in haly cows and yearlings, and large weaned calves. Harses are better by themselves .-- Bulls, if triumph the pearly gates of the New Jerusa. em, to go out no more ! Visions of glory ! not vicious, may run with oxen. It should Shall they ever be realized ? Yea, they shallever be an object with the grazier so to arrange hey will-For "I heard a great voice out of and lay out his pasture grounds to admit of aven mying write, blessed are the dead a change of food at least as often as once a at die ine th Lord, &c." Farewell deur formight, through the reason. Sheep should never be allowed to onter lands' inte is who have outstripped me and reached he havin of repose, while Lum yet tossed on near stock, but he provided with a anside elves;-they foul the grass, and by A fliw more storms and by thems n of my life, too, shall end 1 And, constant, trampling, greatly diminish the

> Virginia Senator — On Wednesday last the Legislature of Virginia elected Judge lasse S. Pennybacker (Loco) a Senator from that State, to supply the sacaney in the Unic ted States Senate which was socialized by the expiration of the term of service of the Hon William 3. Rives Virginia Senator .- On Wednesday last

with benefit to us as North Carolinians and two good offices, is now pushing for Register, corner of King and Society streets by and adds :

Texas, Oregon, and C difornia, please copy.

Singular Coincidences -- A colemporary

In this point of view, how important it is "Three such offices at a time would'nt be

ernor to hid a higher amount at the sale of log on regularly, sends his children to good ownership of farcign companies, and thus to Sundays, never wishing for office, and always zeus to indemnify herself, or nearly so, as if you have sense enough to understand it .-there can be no question that a capital of Tribune.

would be a most desirable investment for our and puppy in the manufacture of sausages. This latter suggestion, however, I merely throw out by the way. The main subject is Fifty Editors at Sapper .--- One of the most greeable incidents at the great Memphis collectively; and I trust all the Whig and Convention, was an editorial supper given on the means and instruments of human Democratic papers in our State will publish by the gentlemen of the press in Memphis without distinction of party, to the fraternity nevertholess, with my tais subject has been attending the convention. The room solect, one of much reflection. My object being to ed for this purpose was the Reading Room awaken the attention and wiser views of our of the Inquirer, where fifty editors, from all evening. The festive board did honor to the vania. boundless resources of the great sulley that A New Idea -How to Become owner of a We endorse the following-every word of had furnished the more substantial part of the House -- A Suciety has been incorporat

> strange constructions that are sometings put were spread out in rich profusioa. It is need it, by becoming a member of which, and more agreeable topics occupied the atten-tion of the brethren. They adjourned at sun-by instalments for what the rent of sur rise

Cruel -- A lady in Wisconset, Me., has working of the , I n is as follows :- " Having and of giving it a squeeze lest we should applied for a divorce, because her husband a piece of Land, an individual has burn her fingers. Very fine, truly !" Now it was our ancient custom to squeeze every hand keeps putting his cold feet against her after subscriber to the Society for one or me ve got in our clutches, especially a fair one. they go to bed at night. s it not wonder we have never been sued for

Jerroll says that old bachelors are like dry wood-when they do take flune they burn prodigiously ; it takes more fuel to start the lame, than it is worth after it is kindled.

The bustle is a crescent form-and the fraid he would catch some cutaneous distomrescent signifies to 'increase." O, that the er,) should go to school a while to Juhn Quincy Adams. He shakes you with a ven ladies would heed the injunction of the Apos cance and shakes your bady too, unless you the Pauls 'I pray you cast off the things which Id happen to be as thick as himsell. Well are behind, and to look to dose which are be re is nothing like it; it shows a good fore? sears at any rate, and we would rather a A fine days since, the Mayur of St.

coan would crush the very hones in our fin had the fitcenth addition to his family gers, and shake our shoulders out of jaint. He may truly rejoice in heing denon and the elteenth addition to his family stock.

itating himself from the window of his el ber, in the third story. Supposed to been deranged - Charleston News.

The Climan - At the conclusion of the American Revolution Dr. Emaklin, the Eng-Ish ambasador, and the French mi Vergeune, dining together at Versailles a toist from each was called for, and agreed to. The British minister began with-

George the 111, who, like the son in meridian, spreads a lastro throughout, and enlightens the whole world.

The French minister followed with-The illustrious Louis XVI, who, like the noon, slieds his mild and benignant rays on, and illumes the glube. Our American Franklin theo ga

Making "I twain one flesh" is supposed to George Washington, Commander of the mean, in modern parlance, the mixing of pig American army, who, like Joshin of pir, commanded the sun and morn to stand, still, nd they alwyed him s

> A National Convention for Abeli Capital Punishment has been recently hold in Philadelphia. The following are the nam of the officers.

President, Hon. GEORGE M. DALLAS; Vice Presidents, Harace Greely, of N.Y., R Jart E. Horner, of N. J., Daniel Neat, of Pa. J. parts of the south and west, and of all political E. Sundgrass, of M.L. Jacob Harsen, of N. erceds, assembled about ten o'clock in the Y., and William H. Jahnson, of Pomeri

feast, while the choicest luxaries of the earth Montreal, called the M atrest build to say that politics were forgotten. Other is cushed to build a house by means of a all cost him in ten years. The

> shares at \$500 each, paying a monthly subscription of two dollars and a hulf for eac share, for a period of nine or ten yrars, the end of which time he finds himself t owner of his house, having paid off the prin-cipal." This sort of Savings Bank has, it is said, been found to work well in Engl

Tenas Emigrants .- The Nutchi iele of the 22nd ultimo, says : f ae last month, between fifty shid a