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BY THE AUTHOR OF "LEEDLE YAROOB STRAUSS." Der schiltren dhey vas poot in ped,

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I dakes mine pipe der mantel off
Und by der fireside pright
I dbinks aboudt vhen I vas young-Off moder, who vas tead, Und how at nightt—like I do Hans— She tucked me oup in ped.

I mindt me off mine fader, too, Und how he yoost to say.

"Poor poy, you haf a hardt oldt row
To hoe, und leedle blay!"

I find me oudt dot id vas drue

Vot mine oldt fader said, Vhile smoodhing down mine flaxen hair Und tucking me in ped.

Der oldt folks! Id vas like a dhream To shpeak off dhem like dot. Gretchen und I vas "oldt fo.ks" now, Und haf two schiltren got. Ve lofes dhem more as nefer vas, Each leedle curly head, Und efery nighdt ve dakes dhem oup Und tucks dhem in dheir ped.

But dhen somedimes ven I feel; plue, Und all dings lones me seem, I vish I vas dot poy again Und dis vas all a dhream. I vant to kiss mine moder vonce Und vhen mine braser vas said

To haf mine fader dake me up
Und tuck me in mine ped.

—Harper's Magazine. BEAUTIES OF POLYGAMY.

A Striking Illustration of the Celestial Order of Marriage.

Salt Lake Anti-Polygamy Standard. The following was related by the wife of a noted United States explorer to a Gentile lady of this city, who will youch for its genuineness: "While traveling in Southern Utah we came to a small settlement, where we were de-tained for a day or two by inclement weather. We found shelter in the humble but neat and hospitable home of a monogamist saint, whose family hated polygamy and through whose influence we were permitted a glance at some of the beastliness that characterizes the peculiar institution. Only a short distance from the dwelling of my friendly entertainers there stood a miserable adobe hut, I could not conscientiously call it a house, where lived a saint with three wives, all of whom had families. My hostess made some neighborly errand an excuse for paying them a visit, and permitted me to accompany her; tween the three women who were liv-

ing with and had borne children to the "The first and second women were sisters. The latter had been a widow with one child when she married her sister's husband. When this child had grown to be about 16 years old her stepfather had also married her, but after a few months she left and was sealed to another man as plural wife, by whom she had two children. Then he died and she returned to her first husband, bringing her children with her, the eldest of whom at the time I am speaking of was a girl 15 years old, and my informant stated for a fact that the old wretch had thoughts of marrying her too. When we entered the hut the scene that met my eyes totally beggars description. Imagine one low, smoky, filthy room serving as living room and sleeping apartment for three women and their offspring; some of the latter almost grown up, the majority, however, being little children. I could never have dreamed of such dirt, rags, and squalor existing in a Christian country. I had seen nothing equal to it even among the Digger Indians; in fact, the latter were quite civilized in compari-

"The girl of whom my hostess had spoken as a probable bride of her grand-father was sitting in a corner sobbing and crying. Upon inquiring the cause of her distress, we were told quite frankly that her grandfather had given her a severe castigation for speaking disrespectfully about polygamy and de-claring that she would never become the wife of her mother's and grandmother's husband. When we left I could not restrain my indignation, and I said: 'What a lovely religion that is, to make such beasts out of human creatures!"

"'It is not religion, but the lack of it, that makes them beasts,' quietly rejoined my hostess, and you will find many cases as bad as this one if you travel far in Utah."

"But the sequel is still more horrible. About a year afterward we had occasion to pass through that particular settlement again, and for a day were the guests of our former hostess. She told me that the young girl was really sealed to her grandfather, being literally forced into it by her own mother and grandmother under circumstances so repeating them even to one of my own sex. Even in that polygamic community theexcitement was so great that talk was had of lynching the degraded trio-the man and the two elder women—but the feeling soon passed over, and was eventually forgotten or only remembered as an episode of this peculiar reli-

Yankee Versatility.

The Graphic. The Englishman seldom changes his business or profession. The representative American is a natural jack-at-all trades—sowing and planting, perhaps, to-day, teaching school next week, next year practicing law. He will undertake anything, offer himself for anything, backed by an extending school of the school backed by an astounding confidence in self, and trusting in his good genius, luck. I have in California seen a young man of twenty-seven, brought up to no trade or profession, superintending the building of a magnificent road over these Alps of America, the Sierra Ne-vada. He directed the operations of surveyors and bridge builders, as well a patch here or adds one there until he movement. makes a rough fit.

enon occurs daily.

Herald gives the following particulars of a peculiar and ingeniously-executed su cide, heretofore briefly reported as h wing occurred at Chelsea, Mass.: "Two days ago a farmer named Pillsbury had occasion to go to Newburyport, and he left his son, Stephen M., 36 years of age, in charge of the farm. When Mr. Pillsbury returned, about noon, Monday, he looked in vain for his son. Mr. Pillsbury approached the barn, unlocked the door, and in a moment thereafter a horrible sight, met his gaze. On the floor was the body of his son, with the head almost completely severed from head almost completely severed from the body. The instrument of death was a perfectly executed guillotine, which WINE STIFF FELT HATS, the ingenious suicide had probably spent a month in manufacturing. The machine consisted of two perpendicular pieces of joist about two feet apart, and reaching from the floor to the roof of the barn. About six feet from the floor had been adjusted in a piece of wood a large, sharp axe, so that it moved up and down in a groove. This axe was held in its place by a water pot filled with water, attached to a lever, which in turn was made to support the axe. A hole had been made in the water pot, so that when sufficient water had leaked from it to overcome the leverage above, the axe would fall. When all arrange-

body by a small piece of flesh.' Strong and Well--The Latest News

ments had been made the young man

got upon his knees, and, putting his

head through an aperture made at the

bottom, calmly awaited death. He had

from Mr. Seymour. Correspondence of Richmond Dispatch, WASHINGTON, April 20.-When Senator Kernan was at Utica, his home, recently, he saw Governor Seymour every day. The Governor requested him to discourage every proposition he heard anything you want except to tell people you are in bad health, when you are but before going she made me acquaint- elastic tread, and with your eyes as ed with the relationship existing be- bright as when you were a young man." Mr. Seymour could not deny but that he is well and active. Senator John-ston chairman of the Senate agricultur. BOY'S SUITS, to-day urging action to prevent the spread of the cattle disease. At the bottom of the letter, in the bold, manly hand of one who is hand of one who is perfectly well, he wrote a complimentary notice of the Senator's address delivered last fall before the Virginia State agricultural society. I heard Major John W. Daniel to-day ask the most sagacious Democrat in the House who he was for for President, and he replied: "I am for Seymour, because I believe he can certainly win. The fact is that if New York presents him at Cincinnati he will go through almost by acclamation, and then he cannot decline.'

A Lesson to a "Lady-Killer,"

Newark (N. J.) Advertiser. A sensational story is told of a young "lady-killer," of New York, and his humiliating experience in attempting to form the acquaintance of a young lady residing in Elm street, in this city. The names of both parties are suppressed son. But the worst of my story is yet to come.

the young lady, who is, of course, attractive, was intently reading in the for obvious reasons. The story is that cars at the Jersey City depot on Friday afternoon, when a note was dropped into her lap by an employe, who instantly disappeared. In her excitement she put it into her pocket without reading, and on reaching home told her father of the occurrence and gave him the note, which proved to be a request for her address to be sent to the care of a South William street merchant. A consultation ensued, resulting in a letter written by the young lady's uncle "Henry" and copied by her, favoring his friendship and appointing a meeting in Military Park. She accordingly met him there and he was unexpectedly conducted to her home and introduced to the family circle, which was assembled in full force, and after an embarrassing

> promises not to do so again. Denis Kearney in the House of Correction.

> reprimand was allowed to depart with

SAN FRANCISCO, April 19.-In the Police Court this morning the prosecuting attorney asked for the commitrevolting that delicacy forbids me from | ment of Denis Kearney. The latter was not present at the time, but a few minutes later appeared with his counsel, who asked for delay, to enable him to make application to the Supreme Court for a writ of habeas corpus. The court denied the request as unusual and low. In a few minutes he was removed to a hack and driven to the House of Correction, where, after going through the hands of a barber and donning convict's garb, he was placed in a cell. As Kearney left the court room he asked the judge if the commitment contained any reference to the provision of the new constitution fixing eight hours as a day's labor. The judge replied that the superintendent of the House of Correction would see that he had sufficient work to do, and not too much. His counsel will apply for a writ of habeas corpus, but it is not expected to avail the prisoner anything.

Fort Johnson, Judge Cantwell delivered a lecture as the finance and supply departments; in Wilmington, Tuesday night. The for his forces, one hundred miles from the nearest settlement, required the hat Fort Johnson, named after Gen. haggage train of a small army. In va- Gabriel Johnson, was built in 1745, and rious kinds of skilled labor he found his | since then it had witnessed the passing tools. His was the executive capacity to use them. This man was not the Proprietary, the Colonial, the State, "brought up." He came up. His education embraced merely the three R's. new facts in our early history were "readin', 'ritin' and 'rithmetic." That mentioned, among them one not genended at 15. Then he grapples with the erally known, namely, that it was Corworld. A few months in the village nelius Harnett who marched at the store, a few more at a trade, which is head of a body of armed men, numabandoned half-learned, a voyage or bering nearly six hundred, to Brunstwo at sea. Arrived in some frontier wick, and demanded of Gov. Tryon in town he seeks, not the vocation for person that Pennington, who had been which he may be specially fitted, but appointed stampmaster in the place of looks for whatever there may be to de. James Houston, should be delivered Let there be an opening to fill and he up. This account, taken from Gov. does not ask himself whether his is the Tryon's letter-book in the executive exact mould to fill it. No. He rushes office, at Raleigh, clearly shows that in and where he doesn't fit he trims off | Harnett was the master spirit in the

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