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Lines.

t steful lover of poetry to read the blowing his without exclusion; "How beaut.ful!

My sonithy acceed image home.
My sondaght dreams are all of thee;
For niture then in silence steeps,
And silence brooks o'er land not see;
Oh, in that still, mysterious hour,
Haw out from wasing dreams I stort,
To find thee but a laney flower,
Thou cherisi ed idol of my heart.
Then hast each thought and dream of mine—
Have I in turn one thought of thine?

Forever thine my dreams will be, White'er may be my fortunes here, I sek not love-I claim from thee Only one boon, a gentle tear;
Many c'er blest visions from above
Play brightly 'cound thy happy heart,
And may the beams of passes and love
Ne'er from the glowing roul deport, F-rewell? my dreams -re attli with thee, Hast then one tender thought of me?

My joys like summer birds may fly, My hopes like summer blooms deport, But there's one flower that cannot sie, Thy holy memory in my heart; No dows that one flower's cup may fill No sunlight to its leaves be given, But it will live and flourish still, As de thices we a tung of heaven. My souly sets there, woosked, unsought,

Hast thou for my one gentle thought Forewell! forewall my for all from de-Between or local, blue rivers form, And forests ware and plains rates.

And forests ware and plains rates.

And manatus in the sublight place;

The wind that is a this again try tree.

Is not the whild that is cather on mine.

The star beams drining on the race.

Are not the blane that is, most use,
But memori's spell is with my yet— The bitter that thou and I

May shed whene'er by arguish bowed, Exhaled into the mountaile sty. May meet and mingle in the cloud;

Far, far apert must live and more, Our souls when God shall act them free, Can m egle in the world of leve. S.y-would it be a joy to thee !

# Miscellancous.

### From Bullou's History of Coba. THE STORY OF MARTI, THE SMUGGLER.

One of the most successful villians whose story will be written in history, is a man fore him, and then said : named Marti, as well known in Cuba as the person of the Governor General himself. Formerly he was notorious as a sunggler and half-pirate on the coast of the island, being a during and accomplished leader of reckiess men. At one time he bore the fitle of King of the Isle of Pines, where was his principle rendezvous, and from whence he despatched his vessels, small, fleet crafts,

to operate in the neighboring waters.

When Tacon landed on the island, and became Governor General, he found the the impatient reply of Tacon. revenue laws in a said condition, as well as the internal regulations on the sland; and with a spirit of mingled justice and op, ression, he determined to do something to the way of reform." The Spanish marine sent out to regulate the maritime metters of the island, lay in port, the officers parsing their time on shore, or in giving ball- and dances on the decks of their vessels. Tacon saw that one of the first moves for him to make was to suppress the snuggling upon the coast at all hazards; and to this end he set himself directly to work. The maritime force at his command was at once detailed upon this service, and they coasted night and day, but without the least success against the smugglers. In vain were all the vigilance and netivity of Tacon and his agents-they accomplished nothing.

At last, finding that all his expeditions against them failed, partly from the advoitpartly from the want of pilots among the shouls and rocks that they frequented, a large and tempting reward was effered to comrades and act in this espacity in behalf of the government. At the same time, a double sum, most princely in amount, was offered for the person of one Marti, dead or alive who are the person of one Marti, dead or the lawless rovers who thus defeed the conalive, who was known to be the leader of no effect, and the government officers were at a loss how to proceed in the matter,

some three or four months subsequent to | ward from the Governor-General, who, wellthe rewards as referred to, when two senti- cal had fulfilled his agreement and betrayed the upper stratum of Florida, rests on one nels were pacing backward and forward be- those comrades who were too faithful to be vast net ork of irregular arches of stapenpalace, just opposite the grand plaza. A Marti before him

cloak was watching them from behind the part of our agreement," said the Governorstatue of Ferdinand, near the fountain, and, General, "I am now prepared to comply after observing that the two soldiers acting with the articles on my part. In this packas sentinels paced their brief walk so as to age you will find a free and unconditional tion are too numerous to mention; most of meet each other, and then turn their backs pardon for all your past offences against them afford line mill sites. as they separated, leaving a brief moment the laws. And here is an order on the in the interval when the eyes of both were treasury for-"

paced on undisturbed.

stairs that led to the Governor's suite of revert to the government, with all the right ficient for one hundredth part of the experiments, with a confidence that evinced and title to the fishery." apartments, with a confidence that evinced and title to the fishery." a perfect knowledge of the place. A second Tacon was pleased at the idea of a sathe stairs; but, assuming an air of authori- revert to the government, and also at the lute and passed forward, as though there ered by the promised reward. The singuwas not the most distant question of his lar proposition of the imaggler was duly right so to do; and thus avoiding all sus- considered and acceded to, and Marti was picion in the guard's mind, he holdly en- declared in legal form to possess, for the fatered the Governor's reception room was ture, the sole right to fish in the neighborchallenged, and closed the door behind him. bood of the city, or to sell the article in any The Louisville Journal says: "We dely any In a large easy chair sat the commander-in- form, and he at once assumed the rights es, chief, busily engaged in writing, but alone, that the order goaranteed to him. Having be exposed in an open vessel to the atmost tall rim, and run in a southerly direction of Montegumes. It only went out about terr An expression of undisguised sasisfaction in his roving life learned all the best teh passed across the weatherbeaten counted ing grounds, be furnished the city bounti-nance of the new corner at this state of af- fully with the article, and reaped yearly an The mineral springs invariably emerge from the Rio Grande, is an immense table-land, to wipe the perspiration from his face. The be was the richest man on the island. Ac-

> hour !" he asked, sternly, while he regard- ever since been rigidly enforced. ed the stranger carnestly. "One who has information of value for the Governor General. You are Tacon, I

his keen eyes upon the intruder-

"I am. What would you with me? or, rather, how did you pass my guard unchal-

"Of that anon. Excellency you have offered a handsome reward for information concerning the rovers of the gulf! "Ha! yes. What of them !" said Tacon,

with undisguised interest. continued the new comer, "otherwise I may

condemn and sperifica myself." "You have naught to fear on that head. The offer of reward for evidence against

tion upon the subject," replied Tacon.

the commander.

in his mind the purpose of all this precau-

" Even if Iwere a leader among the rovers myself!"

The Governor hesitated a moment, canvassing in a single glance the subject be-

his followers, you shall be rewarded as our It is probably made of this paper, rolled

free pardon." have ventured here."

"And you are-" Marti l'

or alive, is now before you!"

brace of pistols that lay within reach of his ma .- N. Y. Jour. Com. right hand; but it was only for a single moment, when he again assumed entire control, and said :

"I shall keep my promise, sir, provided the Commander; and thus the night scene tion?

On the following day, one of the mening out into the gulf stream. Marti, the ernment. These rewards were freely pro- and faithfully did he guide the ship, on the care and eyes of those whom they con. the shears and bays of the coast for nearly cerned; but even this seemed to produce a month, revealing every secret haunt of advocating temperance, when a little hoy inthe revers, exposing their most valuable de- quired, 'Did you ever get drank and fail inpots and well-selected rendezvous; and ma- to the river?' Why no, my child, she re-It was a dark, cloudy night in Havana, by a smuggling staft was taken and deplied, with some astonishment, 'how came stroyed. The amount of money and proper you to think of such a thing?' Because my \*Tacon governed Cuba jour years, from 1834 to ty thus secured was very great; and Marti grandfather, did, and that was what made returned with the ship to claim his re- him a cold water man."

the issuing of these placards announcing satisfied with the manner in which the rasfore the main entrance to the Governor's tempted to treachery themselves, summoned dous ungentude, through which innumerable

placed to guard, seemed to calculate upon gladly receive. As to the sum of money their subterraneous courses. Those that are ceedingly delicate manœuvre, and required a proposition. Retain the money; and, in small trouble and little expense. great care and dexterity to effect it; but at place of it guarantee to me the right to fish. In view of the gloomy prospect of having last it was admittly done, and the stranger in the neighborhood of the city, and de- railroads or plank roads to any great exting himself behind one of the pillars in the cept my agents. This will richly repay me, which thinks it wise to clear out these sub-inner court of the palace. The sentinels and I will erect a public market of stone at terraneous passages, connecting them by ca-The figure which had thus stealthily ef- ment to the city, and which, at the expira- of the rivers. fected an entrance, now sought the broad tion of a specified number of years, shall

guard post was to be passed at the head of purb fish market, which should eventually amount of service. ty, the stranger offered a cold military sa. idea of saving the large sum of money covfairs, as he coolly east off his cloak and immense profit, until, at the close of the pe- the bottoms and margins of bays, rivers and broken towards the Gila and Rio Grande by torsed it over his arm, and then proceeded riod for which the monopoly was granted, water courses. Athigh water mark on the detached sierras. Almost all the streams Governor, looking up with surprise, fixed cording to the agreement, the fine market and its privilege reverted to the government "Who enters here, unannounced, at this at the time specified, and the monopoly has

Marti, now possessed of immense wealth, could invest it to insure a handsome and sure return. The idea struck him that if ricals in Havana, on some such conditions ill-gotten wealth. He obtained the monopoly on condition he should erect one of the largest and finest theatres in the world, ith undisguised interest. which he did, locating the same just outters of this thermical spring are so viol.

Excellency, I must speak with caution, side the city walls. With the conditions of as to eject very small british publics. the monopoly the writer is not conversant.

Gunrownen - Bawane : -- Our readers the scape graces, also youch afes a pardon may have heard the story of the Yankee marine animalence? And that it took them the Sierra Blanca bounting up to the south, er's real, until she disappeared in the disto the informant. You may speak on shoomaker, who purchased of a pedlar half apwords of one hundred thousand years to when he noticed at a little distance, an ob- taken; and then turning to the rock from without fear for yourself, even though a bushel of shoe pegs, all neatly shar, secondich it! It will require a good deaf ject that induced him to examine further, whence she had started, he saw, much to without fear for yourseif, even though a bushel of shoe pegs, all neatly sharyou may be one of the very confederation
pened at one end, and warranted to be the
start!

While require a good dear jet to make As he approached, he found it to be a kind his surprise and pleasure, what he supposed
we faithful Bullast acquiesce in this doctrine, of citadel, around which lay the rules of a to be the leg of a buck, while the body was
or convince other philosophers that nitre, city more than a mile in length. It was entirely cancelled by a justing store. The for the discovery of Mari.—Captain Marti, spection to be nothing but pine. Not excise surplus, are nic, carbon, iron, and multime located on a gentle decivity and sloped to temptation was too great to be "taken in and done for "after that discovery and the line of the streets. He flugg pinted from his horse, which has " We do, and will gladly make good the fashion, and being constitutionally tond of promise of researd for any and all informa. whitting, he went at them with his jack knife, and sharpening the other end of each "First, Excellency, do you give your peg, resold to the pedlar on his next trip knightly word that you grant a free pardon for cats! The celestials, whose initiative to me, if I reveal all that you require to faculties have always been nororious, have know, even the most secret hiding places improved their recent opportunities of intercourse with the Yankee barbarians by learn-"I piedge you my word of honor," said ing a lesson or two out of their book, and e commander.

"No matter how heinous in the sight of the originals. This is seen in a portion of the law my offences may have been, still the return cargo of the ship Eagle, which you will pardon me under the King's seal." recently arrived from San Francisco. In "I will, if you reveal truly and to any what particular disguise the component parts good purpose," snawered Tacon, weighing were sent out, we cannot learn; but the that the Chinamen are always shrewd enough to prosper by the side of the 'cutest Yankee in the land of their adoption. We have before us a specimen of gunpowder tea, said to be a fair sample of 60 tons, which arrived from San Francisco in the ship Eagle. "Even then, be you whom you may, if to "order." There is not the least smell or you are able and will honestly pilot our taste of tea about it, but in appearance it is ships, and reveal the secrets of Marti and the most complete imitation we ever saw. proffer sets forth, and yourself receive a in mud; but in weight, color, peculiar to the thape of the leaf, and everything else "Excellency, I know your character well but the flower, it cannot be distinguished enough to trust you, or else I should not from the genuine article. Even the little hits of broken stones seen in good samples "Speak, then: my time is precious," was of gunpower tex are imitated to the life apparently all from the same material.you have offered the largest reward, dead ration could hardly be discovered; and it said he, " now God bless you have may be well for dealers in this vicinity to keep a lookout as to the disposal of this invotce. Meanwhile the San Francisco ope-The Governor-General drew back in as- rators who have thus returned as our oats est. touishment and cast his eyes towards a for the fine shoe pegs can have their diplo-

Poor Prospe T .- An itinerant preacher the two .- Washington Star. recently travelied among the northwestern counties in this State. He was mounted on you are fathful, though the laws call loud- an animal whose appearance betokened ter, the officer of the watch entered, and which the querist sat, that he walked a-

"Who might you be, if it is a fair ques-

never ketch him with that horse."

SUBTERRANEOUS RIVERS IN FLORIDA. A writer in the Ploridian dournal says

rivers, creeks, and mineral waters, in silent la, Warcissa, Crystal, Homosassa; Chesionitska, and Silver Spring, are the principal rivers. The creeks of this denomina-

They are, too, partly or wholly navigable for the smaller class of steam and sail turned away from the entrance they were "Excellency, excuse me. The pardon I vessels throughout the entire distance of

my own expense, which shall be an orna- hal cuttings with the open or navigable parts

They are numerous, and can be made efbuild ruil and plank roads to effect the same

some justances either magnesian or acrid. The great basin between the Colorado and years ago, when the last ladian of the trice phere: its taste then becomes insipid, in into the Colorado. Newport, Suvanee, and Orange Creek.

he could obtain the monopoly of the theat- none surpasses in their sanatory virtues that the country from the Colorado to the Rio connected with the service of the United at Fort Brook, on the Ocklawaha river .- Grande, between the Gila and San Juan, is States. as he had done that of the right to fish off This valuable medicinal caldron, this Beth- full of rained habitations and cities, most "One evening, a short time before sunits shores, he could still further increase his esdan boiling pool, like every other earthly of which are on the table-land. Although set, as he was crossing one of the prairies, good, is attended with its concomitant evil. he had frequently met with crambling mas- which were at that time unsettled and un-It spouts up in, and is surrounded by a wet, see of masonry and numberless specimens of enlineted, he approached a large bluff, near spongy swamp. The ebullitions of the was antique pottery, such as have been noticed whose base a rock projected several feet in ters of this thermical spring are so violent in the immigrant trail south of the Gila, it a horizontal direction, leading a vacant space

Architects. - Severnah Journal.

THE Brogan AND THE CONGRESSMAN -On Friday last a lady beggar gained admittance to the returns of the Capitol, notwithstanding the watchfulness of the officers. who assiduously endeavored to keep mendicauts from annoying persons engaged in goverument duties. Among other persons whom she approached for aid, was a member of Congress, whom she did not know as such, to whom she told a pitcous tale of distress. She was, she said, five hundred miles away from home, without the means to get there -ber husband was sick, her children in want, etc. "Indeed, madam," replied the tunity,) a I am in a worse predicament. I am nine handred miles away from home, havn't a red cent, and expect every moment to be arrested for board, and may be onlined is prison, on account of difficulties quarried and well built. All the south end The partier had determined to pursue the same politic course. Within four feet confined in prison, on account of difficulties orable wiped away a tear, as others fell trickhad nothing to eat for a week. I feel like hanging negels, I cm in such distressed eir. by the heat. cum-tances" Her heart was melted. She drew out her purse, and, having compassion on the post fellow, took from the well filled "pocket companion," a sliver half dollar, "Abl said he, " may God bless you, madam !-This piece of money will save my life, and I will soon pay you the amount, with inter-The lady went on her way begging, and the me after went on his way laughing, each, however, under very different feelings as to the amu-ing matter-he feeling quite

Soda Springs in the Desent .- " The ly for punishment, and even now you are in very bad keeping, the mere frame-work of under Mr. Paol, found at a point about fifty sometimes heautifully carved, and others ments as if askeep, he would then suddenly my power. To insure your faithfulness, what had once been a horse. Riding up to miles cast of Sun Felipe, in San Diego Co., you must remain at present under guard the door of a country inn, he inquired of a singular collection of fountains or springs to this spot, as be had seen antique pottery upon him. The game was growing desper-Saying which, he rang a silver bell by his the landlord the distance to the next town, of sola water, situated in a sandy plain or in every part of the country, from San Ju- atc, the panther shrank back a few feet and side, and issued a verbal order to the at- The host coming out was so foreibly struck depression of the surface of the desert. The an to the Gila. tendant who answered it. Immediately afwith the appearance of the annimal upon spring is in a mound of symmetrical shape. ('aptain Walker continued his journey, the moment of attack had now come, and overy of some practical utility."

deaths in Washington city.

From the San Francisco Herold. RUINED CITIES IN AMERICA

The great basin in the middle of our territory, bounded on the north by the Wabsatch Moontains and the settlement of the little before midnight a man wrapped in a "As you have faithfully performed your darkness, perpetually flow. Wakulia, Ocil-Mountains, skirting the right bank of the Rio Grande, on the south by the Gile, and on the west by the Sierra Nevada, is a region still almost unknown. Trappers and mountaineers have passed all around the inher rim, but none have ever crossed it, with the exception of Mr. Beale, who traversed on his recent trip its northern slope, and Capt. Joe Walker, the famous mountaineer, placed to guard, seemed to calculate upon gladly receive. As to the sum of money their subterfancous courses. Those that are who passed nearly through its centre in passing them unobserved. It was an explored propose to give me, let me make you not, can be made so, with comparatively the winter of 1850. But little, therefore, In view of the gloomy prospect of having exceedingly interesting, and fills the mind is known regarding it; but that little is with engerness to know more. From sprang lightly through the entrance, secre- clare the trade in fish contraband to all ex- tent in Florida during this generation, the Captain Walker we have gathered many parallel to it, and empties into the Colorado. MIGERAL SPRINGS OF FLORIDA. Juan follows exactly the same course as the stands, and there they established their do-The same writer says the number of Mineral and thermal springs is more than two thousand. Their principal solid ingredients are the sulphates of line, magnesia and solutions and the sulphates of line, magnesia and solutions and the sulphates of line, magnesia and solutions of the sulphates of line, and the sulphates of line and sulphates of line and solutions of the sulphates of line and solutions of t du, oxide of iron and some iodinet. Their ern part of the basin; while the Avenkaree, Quivers, or Pecos, in the wilderness of New da, oxide of iron and some louinet. Their ern part of the basic, which have the first part of the windernes of New volatile ingredients consists of sulpuretted a large river discovered by Mr. Beale, Green Mexico. Here, in deep caverns, they kept bydrogen, carbonic soid, and nitrogen gass. River, and the Rio Virgen, are all large alive, with reverential care the sacred fire. These gasse soon evaporate if the water streams, which drain the northern moun-

> noble bay of Old Tampa, many chalybeate run through deep canons. The country is springs bubble up through the white sand. barren and desolate and entirely uninhabit-Many hundreds of sulphur springs gush up ed. But though now so bleak and forbid- American Army, was at all times remarkathrough the bottom and on the margin of ding, strewn all around may be seen the evi- ble, but on no occasion was the strength the Savance river. Those thermal springs dence that it was once peopled by a civil- and firmness of his nerves more thoroughly which have as yet acquired the greatest ce- ized and thickly settled population. They tested than on the following: looked about him, to see in what way he lebrity for carative qualities, are those at have long since disappeared, but their hand-Or all the thermal springs in Florida, greatness. Captain Walker assures us that through the State of Illinois, for purpoves was not until his last trip seroes that he ever between the lower edge and the surface of If broids be so thickly imbedded with saw a structure standing. On that occas the ground. As he neared the blaff, the mineralores, will it not clash with the theory of Professor Agassiz, who says that Flori- the Colorado into the wilderness, and had hind it, and bound across the prairie. He da was rule by the overlanding other encamped near the Little Red Biver, with watched her agile form, with a true hantgreat heat, which had evidently passed over hands and knews, with the, by no means conflagration, but must have been some fur- ad buckship by the leg, if possible, making nace-like blast of fire, similar to that issuing him a prisoner of war, or taking his life as from a volcano, as the stones were butnt— the forfeit of resistance. In a few moments some of them almost cindered, others glazed, he reached the spot. The tirid deer had the country, and the inhabitants must have prise was neutral. Here was a dilemma fallen before it. In the centre of the city from which he hardly knew how to extriwe refer to rose abruptly a rock twenty or cate bimself. Retreat was impossible, and, thirty feet high, upon the top of which stood in a pitched battle, the odds were despermember, (desiring to get rid of her impor- a portion of the walls of what had once been ately against him. But the last was the on-

> > ining the interesting spot. He traced many seemed hours, his gaze faltered not for an of the Streets and the outlines of the houses, instant, and with his eyes fixed up in those often as he had scentrius of this character, movable, while he could distinctly hear the any of the implements of the ancient people- affairs, upon his hands and knees with no Mexicans for grinding their corn. They for, the minutes which passed necessarily were made of Talit persons rock, and consecuted long. Attempth the eye of the panstrange at laving proved the best beggar of and ten inches wide, the one hollowed out, he was becoming unsteady. He had found concavity. They were the only articles that gan to wink and the latter took courage .kind were found. Strewn all around might off his guard, the panther now resorted to party engaged in the survey of public lands, be seen numerous fragments of crockery, strategy. Closing his eyes for several mepainted. This, however, was not peculiar open them, but only to find the same gaze

tapering like a sugar loaf, in the conter of and noticed several more ruins a little off his with his eyes steadily meeting those of the Marti was placed in confinement, with orders to render him comfortable until he was
information. He then inquired:

which is a hole, unfathomable,
route next day, but he could not stop to exinformation. On this side of the Colorado
look his antagonist out of countenance, he from some natural laboratory below. Some he has never seen any remains, except of slowly grasped his knile which he had hithof these mounds are six feet high, and cloth- the present races. The Indians have no tra- erto held between his teeth; and prepared "I am a follower of the Lord," he an- ed with a green and luxuriant cost of grass, dition relative to the ancient people once to spring to his feet at the first cases. A "I am a follower of the Lord, he and the state of the large and invested while others are shaped like an inverted book, and fringed by a growth of cane.—
The water is described as having the same with wonder upon these remains, but knew nothing of their origin. Captain Walker, while the panther of the water is described as having the same with wonder upon these remains, but knew nothing of their origin. Captain Walker, where we may remark, is a most intelligent as less to one side and it and dening gravel, gave when, we may remark, is a most intelligent as less to one side and it and dening gravel, gave when we may remark, is a most intelligent as less to one side and it and deal were shaped. A (eyeing the horse again,) there's one thing ordinarily sold by apothecaries, and was and close observer, far superior to the gen-prairies as though a legion of 8, ore hold sartin, if you step often on the road, you Il drunk with avidity by both men and ani- crafity of the trappers, and with a wonder- men at his beets. The C prain, thus somemals belonging to the party. When impregnated with acid of any kind, it product this basin, now so barron, was one a charmonic and at the same time perilons significantly. AN INTERENCE - A school-mistress was sed instant efferesseence, and in that form ing country, sustaining millions of people, tion, mounted his horse Grace, and passed p culturly refreshing as a drink. Some and that its present desolution has been on his way, perfectly satisfied with his exit has been brought in order to be chem wrought by the action of volcanic fires. The periodec in the explanation live backs, ally tested, with a view to make the dis- mill discovered proves that the accientrace once farmed ; the country as it now appears

presentation of that useful animal was found carved upon a piece of pottery.

Lieutement Benle status that on his first trip across the continent he discovered in midst of the wilderness north of the Gila. what appeared to be a strong fort, the walls of great thickness, built of stone. He traversed it and found it contained forty-two rooms. In the vicinity numerous bails of hard elay, from the size of a bullet to that a grape shot, were met with. What was singular about them was the fact that frequently ten or twelve were stuck together ike a number of builts run out of half a dozen connecting moulds, or like a whole baking of rolls. It is difficult to say what these were intended for. They were so hard, however, that the smaller ones could be discharged with a gun. And now it remains for the antiquary to explore this most interesting region in the very heart of our country, and to say who were the people that inparticulars regarding his celebrated trip, habited it. They may have been the anceswhich have never before been brought to Mexico, for they were known to have come tors of the Aztecs whom Curtes found in the Rio Colorado Chiquito, or Little Red sailed out from their northern homes direct River, runs entirely across it, about 100 sailed out from some more dealer than more ease their march wiles to the north of the Gila, and almost till they came across an eagle sitting upon. About 120 miles still further North, the San they tound where the city of Mexico now

### CAPTAIN MARTIN SCOTT.

The ecolness and daring of Captain Scott, who was considered the best shot in the

" While stationed at Green Bay, he was iwork still remains to attest their former called by the Government to make a tour

gular- heen loght to stand untied, leaving his pisby at right angels with each other. The tals in their habiters, and taking a large houses had all been built of stone, but had hunting kaife between his teeth, he combeen reduced to rains by the action of some menced crawling noiselessly along upon his the whole country. It was not an ordinary honorable, intention of seizing his unexpectas if melted. This appearance was visible changed into a ferocious panther, who had in every ruin he met with. A storm of fire already cronched, with glaring eyes, ready seemed to have swept over the whole face of to spring upon the coming prey. The suran immense building. The outline of the ly alternative. Knowing the power of the building was still distinct, although only the human eye over the brute part of creation, northern angle, with walls fifteen or eighteen he concluded to reconneitre the foe, and feet long, and ten feet high, were standing, give him an opportunity of commencing the These walls were constructed of stone, well attack, if he character so to do.

ling do an the cheeks of the " poor woman." to cinders, and to have sunk to a mere pile of the savage beast, and almost feeling his Indeed, my good lady," said he, "I have of rubbish. Eventhe rock on which it was warm and excited breath upon his chock, built appeared to have been partially fused the Captain, waited till he should turn his the heat. Captain Walker spent some time in exambut could find no other wall stanting. As of the panther, he remained anmoved, imhe had pover until this occasion discovered, beating of his own heart. In this state of Here he found a number of fundanilis, sind- other weapon except the knife between his lar to those used by the Pueblas and the teath, and within a few feet of his powerful sisted of two pieces of about two feet long ther became unsteady, and it was evident and the other convex like a roller to fill the more than his match in the Captain. He behad resisted the heat. No metals of any Finding that all would not do to throw Scott gathered for a spring. Scott believed that

During the mouth of July there were 184 near touch be undifferent in early days - claimed the electric of those be bauged, as They must have had sheep, too, for the re- carried, " a their excutor,"