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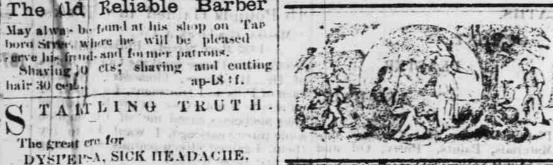
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The adverse tide is swift and strong, wim fast, swim fast, until at last Thou sing to her thy dying song!

and count the acts that you have done, One self-denying act, one word

Then you may count that day well spent 0.0 But if through all the livelong day

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Coming out upon the terrace where they stood alone together in the June nandsome, noble-looking couple they mistress had chosen Mr. Hollis for her future husband when so many attrachonor of her hand.

As I approached, Mr. Hollis was say

"To-morrow is our wedding day, LIQUORS Now offer to his old friends and patrons

My lady looked at this mement, he cheeks all aglow, her eyes shining with happiness. Hearing my step she said in her gentle way :

"What is it Jenny?" "A strange woman has present herself it the kitchen door, madam. She asked for you and will not be denied. She does not live in these parts. I think;

and I left her on the kichen step!" My mistress looked in the direction indicated and beheld a drooping forlorn figure slowly advancing from the

with a startled ery : "Mrs. Hawkins!"

The woman came nearer and paused on the upper step, looking curiously home again-so glad." about her.

be troublin' any like you. But what cottage while she lingared within. could I do with him beggin' and plead

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"No more now-I cannot listen." said she in a whisper. "If you have him. any errand for me come again by and

The woman sighed heavily. "Let me give you this note, ma'am

-It's from him, and I'll trouble you no more. You'll read it, an' do all is ever sold American atches at the lowest prices. Solid silver spoons, forks &c., asks, ma'am?" she added, quite plaintively, as she thrust a bit of crumpled contained were Deane Hollis's farepaper in my lady's hand.

ma'ma don't do it."

There was desperation in her voice and looks--perhaps even menanceas she turned and made her way with difficulty down the path.

Mr. Hollis naturally made some in-

JANUARY 9 1880 on and a bit of paper-the same the form. woman had given her-elenched in her . "Where are you going?" I said, hok-

> Her face wore a sadder expression than I had ever seen upon it before. "Jenny," she said, turning in her

Cottage?" ""Yes. ma'am." you to take me there. I wish to set out My lady screamed out at the sight

"But it is a long distance, madam; if you must go, shall I not order the me-at least until I have been given

any one else in the house, Jenny. The Come with me to Holme's Cottage, de servants would think strange of it, - come. God knows I do not wish to You, I am sure, are discrect and faith- keep any secrets from you; not one

We left the house by a side door, and drove to Holmes Cottage. ocking it and taking the key with was We were met on the threshold by Presently we reached Holme's Cot- the same for lorn looking woman who tage. It was a long low building in the had brought the more. She burst ou out skirts of the village, at some dis- sobbing in her factance from any other dwelling. Since my knowledge of the house began it had breathed his last soon after you wen been occupied by the poor class of away last night, O's madam, won't

"Some one I wish to see is here! she said quietly. "Remain outside, know." Jenny, I shall not be long away."

heard a glad cry within, then a burst of The secret of Edith's visit of the pre- The wonterful natural capabilitie

his face white and convulsed in the fall desperately in love with Edith, tha it home. Many doubtless, which may

went in at vonder door ?

away, when a few agitated words came last. I see a see a see through the open window :

my precious darling, my wife! You while this was on him had really fan- Irish potatoes, hops; peas, melons were not so cruel as to forsake me cied that E lith was his wite, and spoke strawberries, cranberries, apples ntterly be a series of her. In his rumbling way, as such.

of those it uttered.

ment, I had the presence of mind to grasp his arm and drag him further to his heart. away from that house.

"What brings you here?" I sternly I who needs to be forgiven!" demanded. "Why have you followed

· I did not follow you; I am no spy it was chance that brought me in this direction to-night, Nav, not chance." he added, with sudden vehemence." but the providence of God," "Then before I could say a word in

reply, he had freed himself from inv grasp and was striding down the shad ow-haunted street. Ten minutes later my mistress came

out, She drew a deep breath as she She charged color and drew back clasped my arm, and I telt her trem- why NORTH CAROLINA SHOULD SEEK must be brought to light, and give to

"Come, Jenny, let us get away from

Silver ware, plated ware, tea sets, pitch- in' and frettin' himself ill? I hadn't breakfast, and the mystical stir of the bridal preparations was going on in al feeling and distrust fostered by edu- of our citizens as they may register in "Hush!" My mistress drew her the house, one of the servant brought cation and training are potent instru- this office at the price and on the terms strange visitor hurriedly down the in a large package. She cut the cords and out fell a heap of letters-the She was very pale and trembled pure, dainty letters she had written from time to time to her lover-and But despite the machinations of dethe books and keepsakes she had given signing men, a lively interest and on- fee. A party wishing to sell land

catch her breath. Then she looked at me with a bewildered air.

The package and a brief note it My lady did not cry or faint. Fling-

ing my note away, she clasped both ble. What-what-does he mean?"

quiry as to the strange visitor, but at had been at Holme's Cottage the night sources. While it is true that Agricul-

lady's bell summened me to her cham. with a smothered sob of jiv. 'Oh heaven?' she said. Come Jeu- calamity, yet with the small margit I found her sitting with her w: aps my, we have another mission to per- in profits realized by her farmers, what

> at her wonderingly. Come and see. Heaven grant that we be not too late.

Scarcely waiting for her bonnet and chair as I entered, "do you know a shawl, she hurried me from the house place in the village called Holme's Presently we reached a handsome mansion- Mr. Hollis's country sea' A carriage stood before the door, an "Good. Get your bonnet; I wish some one was just stepping into it:

and rushed forward excitedly a chance to explain! You have mis I do not wish this visit known to judged me; it is a terrible mistake We all entered the carriage together

"My son is dead." she cried. "He you come in an' look at him. I'm sure it would please him could be but

We entered the poor little room and with proper encouragement. She entered without knocking and stood beside the couch on which the THE ADVANTAGES PRESENTED closed the door. The next instant I dead man lay."

vieus night was soon told. This rash and resources of our State are bu Suddenly Mr. Hollis confronted me, impetuous man had allowed himself to little understood abroad, or appreciated summer, in spite of the difference and in the future form an important par "Tell me," he said in a husky whisper the utter impossibility of his ever hop- in our economy, are now among th was it Edith, my promised wife, that ing to win a return of his affections

I could not speak, but my looks an- a prey to consumption, he prayed to to the successful cultivation of corn be taken to the vicinity of my ladies wheat, oats, tye, barley, buckwheat He dropped my hand and turned home, that he might be near her at loice, cotton, hemp. flax, jute, silk, to

He had had more or less delirium for corn, millet, lucerne, clover, orchard "Edith, I knew you would come! some days previous of his death, and timothy and herds grass, sweet an

It was a man's voice, but Mr. Hollis 'I could not despise his love Dean', prunes, quinces and figs. It is no seemed to hear a simple word only I pitied him so," my lady said, her known that in the long list of valua beautiful eyes full of tears. "Do not "Wife!" he echoed, in a hollow tone, blame me for seeking to hide the eccording to Prof. Kerr, embraces Wife! Good God! And to morrow truth; it was for his sake. It seemed about 150 kinds) is gold, silver, copper was to have been our wedding day!" cruel to expose his weakness. Will platinum, iron, lead, antimony, sulphur In spite of my terror and bewilder - you forgive? The Tar To The Water

SHOULD NORTH CAROLIN SEEK IMMIGRATION?

Presented by the North arolina Board of Agriculture L. L. Polk, Commissioner.

FOREIGN IMMIGRATION.

While we would gladly welcome the tion of the world to which she is so justly entitled. here quickly. I shall be glad to reach good people of the North and Northwest to our State, yet for obvious rea-She looked so miserable and dispiri- sons, a well directed effort would se-"Forgive me for comin'," she said, in ted that I had not the courage to tell cure in Europe a larger reward. The a low, broken voice. It ain't right to her what had occurred outside the masses of the Northern people are requires the Board to institute such prejudiced against us, and time alone lineasures as its in jud ment may induce Next morning while she was at can remove it. The animosities en- immigration, and empowers and augendered by the war, and the section thorizes the Board to sell such lands ments in the skilful hands of politicians fixed by the owner. The Act allows old ones grave. An old woman is and wicked, ambitious men, to keep the Board two and one-half per cent alive the estrangement.

quiry has been awakened throughout I saw her stagger turn pale and many of the Northern States in relation

When she learned that Mr. Hollis will have to be obtained from foreign er.

under their rental system, must nov contend with American competition. it nevertheless becomes a question of grave moment, when from their earnings they must spend such a vast amount for bread. Add to this stra'r on their energies and resources, the act that ir, all the departments of trade and industry America is fast becomne a formidable competiter, and w can readily comprehend the causes o consternation, if not alarm, that agi mes all classes and interests among er people. Indeed so great is the lepression in her industries, and espec ially in agriculture, that Parliament recently appointed a commission to visit this country, (and various other igents are here now) to investigate our facilities and ability for enlarging and strengthening that competitino When they see dai'y in their marke' our bread stuffs and fresh meats, to say nothing of our manufactured products selling for less than they can produc hem, they are naturally anxious and ineasy, and they are looking to the inoccionied lands of our country for relief from the threatened evils which hey feel await them. Thousands ar already coming to our shores, and th umbers would be greatly augmented

is therefore not necessarily a nations

NORTH CAROLINA. anknown. It is not known how admir When he realized that he must die ably adapted is our soil and climate bacco, peanuts, sorghum cane, broom penches; grapes, cherries, apricote ble minerals found in our State (which diamond, corundum, plumbago, hema He echoed the word and caught her tite, manganese, mica, magatite, asbes tos, kaolin, fire clays, soapstones, etc. "Forgive you! oh, my darling, it is etc. It is not known that of all the gold deposited in our Mints and Assay offices from their organization up to the 30th of June, 1877, found east of \$21.164.290.49 about one half, or \$10,-370,492.18, was found in North Caro

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only ancient animal that ever is fre It is better to do the idlest this the world than to sit idle for hal the public property, and matrix in

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you sit down at set of sun,

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EDITH'S LOVER.

twilight, I remember thinking what a made, and how well it was that my tive young gentlemen aspired to the

Idith! To morrow! I can scarcely realze it. Ah, how proud and glad I

her accent and dress are both peculiar. Good gracious, there she comes now. toga township, Wilson county, adjoining

rear of the house.

the heart to refuse his prayer, and-" fans, opera glasses, spectacles and eye

with excitement.

by when I am alone."

"Yes. yes. Now go-go at once!" "I will. But don't disapp'int him,

in shame and confusion, as I half ex- manufactures are her chief strength Wales, Holland and Switzerland. We -To build a house, to rais; About 10 o'clock that night my pected, she sprang towards the door and power, and that a failure in crops are also arranging for cheap rates of to write a book and to have a

the subject, and soon afterwards went there, instead of sinking to the floor of England, and that commerce and tries, especially in England, Scotland,