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figure stayed, then vanished, leaving my old pictures.

The negroes fall down and worship brother and myself setting upright in bed him, and kiss his hands and feet, and conversing at the top of our voices. Our annoint him. He dresses shabbily some, father in the adjoining room was distimes, and at all times poorly. He rest turbed by the commotion and came in to fuses money publicly, but is said to have learn what was the matter. Being inmoney, and it was feared the charge of formed he hooted at the idea and said it ragrancy could not be sustained. At was more than an unusual nightmare his bidding women have left their hus. Notwithstanding, we did not sleep any bands and men their families to follow more that night, him. His familiarity with the scripture The next day we received a message is exceptional. He has told the people to the effect that S---- had become diz that he will go back to Heaven in a zy while s coping to drink from a spring , had staggered and fidlen, striking his head chariot of fire at an early date. upon a sharpstone, causing instant death. ELECTRICITY ON THE MARCH. My mother hastened to h is honce to sympathize with his bereaved parents, Northitk Landbourk and learned that the location and shape A company has been in existence for of the wound was identically the same : the operation of what is known as the I had seen in my dream, and also as Weems Electric Railway System, and it saw upon awaking. is now claimed to be perfect and ready The agreement we had made to refor inauguration. The invention consists turn after death occurred to me, and I of a Railroad track and cars, the cars to knew that S--- had kept his promise. be moved by an electric motor at a speed

"My man is too busy to come him brooks, kieses the dripping, mess covered, self, so please give me a marriage certifi- old oaken well buckets in a countless up with a basket of eggs and a bunch ente" said a chipper dame of not more host of happy homes? than thirty two years --- as men guess ages-as she stepped into Marriage week.

General Young saw an old fellow come of chickens for the hotel people, and ree

See these pieces of cracked ice, full of ognized an old trooper of his command. "Jake," he called out, "Jake Dorridge prismatic colors, clear as diamonds! Lieenso Clerk Bird's office one day last Listen to their fairy tinkle against the how are you?" "Why, laws a massy, gineral, how debrinning glass, that sweetest music in 1.9 I hain't seen ye sence the wah all the world to one half faint with thirst

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shortlived.

Certainly," said the polite clerk. He reached for a pile of papers, and looking Aud so, in the language of that grand at the calendar, remarked ; "ninth."

"Yes, you are, Uve only had five, and this is the sixth," said the woman to the elerk's surprise.

"Oh, I meant the day of the month." laughingly replied the clerk.

"This one is a darling, and Fil try and raise him," said the woman, "He's a clerk in a dry goods store, and he never sits down for fear he'll crease his pantaloons and make them bag at the knees. But I'll give him a lesson. I'm in awful

old man, Gough, I ask you, brothers all, "No, only the sixth," put in the fe- would you exchange that sparkling glass of water for alcohol, the drink of the "Then I'm wrong," replied the clerk . very devil himself?

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## PECULIARLY AFFLICTED.

hard luck with men. Soon as I get them fixed I lose them. No. I was such Joseph Oscar Johnson, of Macon, Ga., a nice man. He died with consumption. is queerly affected, and is condemned to When he died he had seven yards of laugh all his life. He is a paralytic, and porous plaster wrapped around him. one side is entirely useless. The stroke No. 2 was a very nice man. He worked came on him two months ago. He is a in Dapont's powder factory. Just my locomotive engineer. It was in the town luck. When he was blown up there was of Cinton, S. C. that the stroke came on not enough of him to make a hair locket. him. He was one day doing some work No. 3, was also a nice man. He followed on his engine and talking to some one the sea, and they tell me a whale swal- standing near. At the moment he relowed him up. No. 4 was a nice man, ceived the blow he was in the act of too. He was a book agent. Oh, he laughing, and, strange to say, the muscles could talk so sweet. I used to sit by the and nerves of the face that are brought hour and listen to him. He bought a most into play in the act of laughing are divorce out in lilinois and sent it to me, the ones most affected, and over these he No. 5 was a nice man. I worshiped that has no control whatever. He cannot follow. He got to be a politician and tell of his troubles and the doubts and stayed out late at the caucuses. He was fears that forment him without laughing. trying to get a contract to clean the He has a wife and five children, and streets; and dear knows they need it, when this affliction came upon him he don't they? Well, he died of enlargewent to his father-in law in Wilmington. ment of the head. Now, hurry up with and told him of his condition and of his that paper. No. 6 is such a nice fellow, inability to care further for his family. but he might change his mind." The recital of his parting with his wife

She took the paper and hurried up to was most pathetic and heartrending, yet the store, and when No. 6 came out he with tears in his eyes and a heart full of marched off to his doom. agony he was forced to laugh as though

incident. He dares not go to church lest ing her child laudanum or paregorie; it he be accused of making sport of the serreates an unnatural eraving for stimulants vices and requested to leave the church. which kills the mind or the child. Ac It is harmless and corre their pains. Morphine. Sold by W. M. Cohen, Wel-don, N. C.

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the length or the variety of our opportureal advance in family or individual is account for the fact that Americans are that will decide how much they will benofft us.

They chatted for a few minutes. "Do you come up here often, Jake? want my chickens 'n'nigs 'n' I likes to rest my eyes a lookin' at some o' these yer pooty gals." They are handsome, aren't they Jakel

" Deed they air." "Now, Jake," said General Young, aving his hand toward a group of thre coung ladies with whom he had been

charting, "tell me which of those three young ladies is the prettiest." "Aw, Gineral Young, they's all pooty,

"Twouldn't be good manners for me t say ary one was pootier'n tother." "But, Jake, it will give them a great

deal of pleasure to learn your opinion. They are great friends, and will not feel at all hurt by your decision. Now walk right up and pick out the best looking." After much solicitation Jake undertook the task. He walked up and peered closely at the laughing girls. About a hundred guests had gathered by this time to see the trial. Finally Jake turned. scratching his head. All three of the

coung ladies were broad sashes around their waists. "Gineral Young, they's all three so

pooty it is hard to make a choice, but still I am fo ced to say that the one with the yaller bellyband is a lettle the trim-

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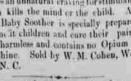
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