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part of the contract, and asked the Devil house. He said he had about a quart. upon what terms he could be released. They offered to buy. He released to sell, God I will release you."

me something less fearfully wicked "

Devil, "and you go free." "No, answered the man, "that is to

horrible to think of. I will not commit anditions?

"the more," replied the Davil, "you

sition: I cannot kill my father, I will Abbeville, distant about 100 miles, to of December, January and Febuary self," not curse my God, but I can get drunk, say a word for his former slave. The there winter is a mockery. For seven and when I become sober all will be general took the stand, and his son months in the year, from April to October

Accordingly be got drunk, and when in this condition chanced to meet his father, who upbraided him, which so exited the ire of the drunken and half erazed man that he slew his father, cursed his God, then fell down dead, and the Devil had him without fail. Only a legend this particular case. But how true to the first regarding the liquor urse.-T. E. Richey, in Kentucky

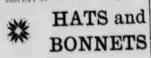


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Barnum's son, mijutant general of the degrees. In November the weather cods happiness of my child. the general himself, who had come from anyone can imagine. To call the months ashamed of you. Go look for it your will go away.

"What is your name?" of am General Barnum, sir. "Where do you reside?"

"In Abbeville sir." "How long have you known the defen-

"Sixty five years, sir." "What is his reputation?" "As good as any man's in this court

Wouldyou trust him?" with my life, my honor!"

The jury didn't leave their seats The scene "sorter touched me up."

"You and your father came 100 miles abound and couches of bamboo are in a clear this old negro?"

"Yes, and we would have comwas a boy, I'd rather sleep in Peter's eabin than in my own bed at home. I'd rather take a snack with Peter in those

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A rescue missionary was lecturing in a work for Christ if he was only willing. After the lecture a poor waman rushed up to him, and said, half indiguantly. the family. How can I find time to go

and speak to anyone about Christ?" "Does the unikman call at your house

arly in the morning? "Of course he does. "Does the baker follow him?"

"Why, yes, to be sure he does." "Does the burgher once or twice a week

"Yes," was the curt teply, and the and apparent vexation, flow away.

Two years after, the man of God spoke in the same place. After the service, a woman asked him.

"Do you know me?"

"Na." with you two years and, when you asked me whether the milkman, and baker and butcher visited me. But I went home to think and pray, and God helped me to do my duty. I now have to tell you

and arise from the dead, and Christ shall shine upon thee!"-Christian Work

Junior-So you didn't propose to her, after all?" Weed-"No, and I'm Hallies, Dr. A. S. thurnnot going to. When I got to her house I found her chasing a mouse with a

nia" "How did you do is?" "Pre. When she became Mrss, she climg to Castoria. tended I was sick, and the doctor left When she had Children, she gave them Camari medicine which Henry was to give me aug 1 ly. every half hour all night long."

Climate Of Manila. HOT TIMES THERE.

WELDON, N. C., THURSDAY, JULY 21, 1898.

That Torrid Region.

"I am wondering in these days, when tions were: For a certain number of body servant before the war who aped Unele Sam is about sending troops from years this man was to have all ins desires him in everything. Peter so loved his the Pacific coast to the Philippines, what gravified by his Satanic mojesty, at the master that he grew to talk like him. He the American boys will think of the and can't find it. He was ready to burst tuned from colored people. The major in Spain and all the qualities of breedexpiration of which time his out was to lives today, the heart of hospitality, the climate over there. With the possible lute tears at his mishap. soul of honor. One Sonday two white exception of some parts of interior India When the time agreed upon had ex men drave up to the door of his cabin and Arabia, I doubt if there is any hotter on with my work. pired this man was unwilling to fulfil his and asked if he had any liquor in the climate than that of Manila. The is lands reach within four degrees of the equator. The temperature is not so as he laid hold of my arm. The reply was: "It you will curse your but, just as his old master would have very high, but the humidity is. The most extreme care must constantly be tell Jane to find it for you," "No," said the man. "I cannot curse log drunk, they handed him a half dol exercised to keep one's physical condition. "Jane can't find it," said the Being whose nature is love. Give lar. Of course, like his master, he properly toned all summer long. The low, in a choking voice. declined the coin. The scoundrels went hottest days in the year are in May and "Then kill your father," replied the to town and swore out a complaint June, Fortunately a breeze usually that he was violating the dispensary springs up in the early evening, and that tempers the atmosphere so that one I happened to be in Greenville the can get some sleep if he is properly fixed but I was too busy embroidering a little where it falls; run home again, and if mobility have contributed. day the trial took place and saw a revela- for it, when midnight comes. The mean linen sacque I was making for him, and any one picks up the bag your warts will tion. Peter's sounsel was treneral temperature at the Philippines is 72 that seemed of more importance that the go away

state under Governor John Gary Evans, and then for weeks at a time along the no one but the poorest laborer goes out of doors, unless compelled to do so, between 8 in the morning and 4 in the afternoon. In Manila the whole popularises at 4 and 5 a. m. and gets the work of the day out of the way before 8 o'clock The houses are opened, servants clean up, merchants do their business and the would make it myself, I thought, and I school children are busy with their

teachers. Even the civil and military officers attend to most of their duties between 4 and 8 a. m. Then when old "Trust Peter? Why, I'd trust him Sol begins to shoot his drafts down upon the country more perpendicularly the whole population go into their houses of I stone and wood with heavy roofs of tiles net young Barnum and asked if he and a sort of asphaltum found in that received anything for his services 'Accept | country, and stay there until sundown by a fee from Peter? The said in amazement. | js a land of siestas. | Every one who can Why sir, I'd as soon think of charging sleeps there all day long, and slumber to there reduced to a science. Hammocks

overy home, hotel, club, and loading place. The servants are trained to keep or 10,000. Old Peter was a second their masters and mistresses comfertable father to me. He raised me. When I by bringing them iced drinks or a tray Take better care of your arrow next I was well, he played with me When of smoking material whenever they

I was ill be nursed me. When I awaken after a nap. All buildings are erected with the idea of keeping the heat out as much as possible. Business is suspended all day long, even the men-I'm afraid we Yankees don't under at the wharves quit work for six on could, and throwing himself on the floor stand the "nigger" question yet - New | seven hours when the sun is highest.

shake off their drowsiness. The mer-Awake then that Sleepest And the Your the streets suddenly start to line. The principal meal of the day is served at about 6 o'clock, and with the rich Spansaid that every Christian, however humble fights take place in the evening, the old or poor, or busy, could do some personal theatre is always crowded at night-especially Sunday nights,"

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HER SUPERIORITY.

woman, her face flushed with excitement so which more stress than men do upon our shooting his arrow again. But I water the waster the value of a pedigree?"

"They inherit it from Eve. I guess," "From Eve? I don't see what she had to boast of in that line."

nade out of clay, while Adam was, and "Well, I am the person who was vexed. I'll bet she never got through reminding

Skin Diseases.

that through my humble efforts five pursons have been led to the Saviour, and they are all consistent, working members of the church.

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Willie went crying downstairs, and I say to yourself: "When you awake take across the Atlantic to fill. heard him in the yard until my patience gave out. "Ellen," I heard him say, won't you make me an arrow! Here is a

"No, indeed; I have something else to do besides making arrows," said cook. I felt vexed at Ellen. She might have done it. If I were not so busy I

sewed on as before. Willie's heart was almost broken, but I was not in a moud to sympathize with him. The loss of an arrow seemed a very triffing thing to me

'you must stop crying." "I can't find my arrow, and nobody will make me one.

Come, sir, you must stop this crying. I won't have this note.

a quivering lip. "Well, crying won't find it. Cam-

lon't let me hear one word more of this.

for I felt none. I did not think of his "At sundown Manifa wakes up, There Before long he fell askeep. How instant is an opening of heavy board window by do out feelings change towards a child blinds and an exodus of people from their when we find it asleep Tenderness homes. Even the trees and shrubbery comes in place of sterner emotions: 1 laid soids my work, and taking Willie in chants open their heavy store doors, and my arms laid him on my bed. Another touched the pillow, and was echood in my heart. Poor child the lass of an arrow ish it is a cremonious affair. Thereafter avagreat thing to him. I wished then the whole population goes out for a walk. I had put away my work for a few minstrange place, that is, in a place where Evening calls are made upon friends and the grave and made him a new one. What is a littl time taken from my work to the happiness of my child? I wish I could und you will not have palsy. learn to think right at the right time Dear little fellow! I stood for nearly fice minutes over my sleeping child Mrs. Winslow's Southing Syrup has been When I turned away I and not resume five children to support, and I have to mothers for children, while teething, with my work; for I had no heart to work on work night and day to provide food for perfect success. It soothes the child, the little garment. I went down to the softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colle, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoes. It will relieve the poor little to a bush. So easily found! How much American Fuk Lore

"Why is it that women always lay so forgotten. In a few minutes he was could not forget it. I was serious for many hours afterwards, for the conscions idea from one of these papers, an I don't

-it wasn't much, but she wasn't

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Some of these cures, which were col-

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riding on booseback in the rain; (or a

another version runs, riding on a gray

horse | say: "Take these along," rub the

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wart and it will leave you.

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g will cure the unsatism.

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The skin of a black cut worn in one

Carry a potato in one's pecket to cure

Headache may be prevented by west

The skin of a snake worn around one

A sty may be cansl by rubbing it

Wear a red string or red bends around

Wear a string of gold beads around

Hold your hands above your head and

Never let a chicken die in your hands

UNDECIDED.

"Ab," said the stranger, "preparing t

RED AND DARK HAIR.

Dark hair and complexion in races as

countrymen. He remarked that he was

well as in imiteriduals signify strongth

our neck and your nose cannot bleed.

the neck to stop the needleed.

Bere a hole in the wall the height

with a gold ring, a silver spoon, or one

hat crown will care the bradache

finger meistened with sailva.

ing in one's hat the ratiles of a rattle

Mother, mother," cried little Willie oming in upon me as I sat busily at "I am sorry, dear," I said, as

stick."

"Willie," I called out of the window,

"Go find something else to play with

"I can't find my arrow," he said, with

the neek to prevent the noveblood. on sigh came from him as his head the hole it will be cured of asthmadown every night beside your bedsufferer immediately. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. 25 conts a would a minute have saved, given at Be sure and ask for Mrs. Wins- the tight time. We learn too late and repeat when repentance does not avail The first notice I had of his being awake was his gratified exclumation at finding passerby atrily accosted as he made his his lost arrow beside him. His grief was preparation for irrigating a field.

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soing to his docum when he sailed out of "Poor Waggs! He was a most genial Santiago harbor. soul." "Yes, indeed he was The only thing be ever took seriously was the cold Which? - I bear that old Ballions is that carried him off."-Exchange. going abroad to stay all sommer. "What is the matter?" Is his health broken "I have used Chumberlain's Cough down, or does he want to get rid of his

ness of having done wrong, as well as know how I'll work. Mebbe I'll water

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"I am too busy, dear." I replied. "Gu dents can be from nearly every county in the State.

"Jane can't find it," said the little fellow, in a choking voice.

"Tell her to look again."

"Bis has looked all over. Won't year others."

"The tears were redling down his face, not her was the bag, not leads to the tears were redling down his face, but I was too busy embroidering a little linen sacque I was making for him, and that seemed of more importance that the happiness of my child.

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Rub the wart with seven pebbles wrap to the comrade was thoroughly characteristic of the brave and high toned soldier that has discovered an absolute that him difficult was the base of the same of the same of the same of the brave and high toned soldier that has discovered an absolute of the brave and high toned soldier that has discovered an absolute of the brave and high toned soldier that has discovered an absolute that has discovered an absolute of the brave and high toned soldier that has discovered an absolute of the brave and high toned soldier that has discovered an absolute of the brave and high toned soldier that has discovered an absolute of the brave and high toned soldier that has discovered an absolute of the brave and high toned soldier that has discovered an absolute of the brave and high toned soldier that has discovered an absolute of the brave and high toned soldier that has discovered an absolute of the brave and high toned soldier that has discovered an absolute of the brave and high toned soldier that has discovered means of the four tensors and to make the great merits and to m

but seemed of more importance that the appiness of my child.

"There, there! Don't be so foolish as or cry at the loss of an arrow, I am away, if the parcel is picked up the warr will be eminerally the one man in the shamed of you. Go look for it yourself."

There, there is provided the warr with seven publics, wrap the loss of an arrow, I am away, if the parcel is picked up the warr will be eminerally the one man in the shamed of you. Go look for it yourself, "If you see anyone asleep in a church of more importance that the provided consumption to the accurate discussed beyond any doubt. There will be no mixtake in sending—the mistake will be in mixtake in sending—the mixtake will be in mixtake in sending—the mixtake will be in mixtake in sending—the mixtake will be in mixtake in sending—the mixtake will be in mixtake in sending—the mixtake in sending—the mixtake will be in mixtake in sending—the mixtake will be in mixtake in sending—the mixtake will be in mixtak If you see anyone asleep in a church Spanish navy for the post he was sent

across the Atlantic to fiil.

When he eleverly avoided the scouting cruisers of our navy and slipped into Santiago barbor, it was neither link nor guesswork that guided him. He knew there have been supported by the santiago that the santiago barbor, it was neither link nor guesswork that guided him. He knew there have the santiago this article in the Boanoke News. where he was going, for he was moving over waters as familiar to him as the waters of Hampton Roads are to Schley. At Delphos, Kansas, lives a young It is an interesting cancidence that he man who gallantly procured his sweetserved in Cuban waters in command of the numberst Saura Lereia throughout a and then bury the chath under the caves great part of the war of 1869.78 and Rear Admiral Monterola, his of the house. If you tell no one and no that one finds out your theft your wart will brother officer, who was at that time it enmand of the Torondo, is at present Write on the stove with a piece of the part admiral of Havana. The chalk the number of your warts. When Tornada is the warship which pursued the number has burned off the stove your and took the Virginius prismer, an event which nearly plung dothe United States

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