CURRENT CUMMEN

— There is a town in Pennsylvania which lately evolved one of the most remarkable juries on record. This jury, trying school di-rectors accused of extortion from teachers, rendered a verdict acquiting the accused and sentencing them to be reprimanded by the court. The only inference is that they are to be riprimanded for being not guilty. This jury should be carefully preserved in alcohol and deposited for the benefit of future admiring ages in the Smithsonian in stitution. - Baltimore American.

- Our recent history strongly emphasizes the demand that the laws as to the acceptance of aliens be amended—that more severe and certain measures of restriction be adopted, and that the policy of the steamship companies in raking the slums of Europe for emigrants be discouraged. The government need be hampered in this matter by no consideration that we absolutely need more people. Good and useful new citizens we want. But we have no need for more beggars, push cart peddlers or illiterate and wholly unskilled cheap labor. There is positive danger in next year's threatened million. - New York World, Dem.

- Let it be understood that the route to political preferment was by way of the bench, and ambitious politicians would seek judicial positions, and, having secured them, would cater to the party from which they hoped political offices. There is nothing in the entire range of judicial duties that schools a man for success in politics. And the only element of a judge's avail-ability as a candidate for a high executive position is his lack of record. That is why Mr. Quay took Pennypacker as an offering to the insurgents. And that is why a New York judge has been talked of as a Democratic Presidential candidate. - Washington Post, Ind. Rep.

TWINKLINGS

- It is significant that few women's hats seem to be designed for a level head.-Puck.

- "Pa, what do they mean by 'the flower of the family?'" "A blooming nuisance, usually !"-

- When politics makes strange bedfellows, both of them lose lots of sleep for fear the other will get up first .- Puck.

- ' Was his marriage a success?" "I should say it was. He has tried New York, Oklahoma and England, and his marriage still holds."-Brooklyn Life.

- "Don't you think it would be a good idea to denounce the trusts?" "What's the use?" said Senator Sorghum. "The public wouldn't be-lieve a word of it, and some of the trusts might take it in earnest and be annoyed."- Washington Star. -- The Master-"Well, Pat, did

you plant those carnations from London wide apart as I told you?" Pat-"Faith, and I did, sorr. I put half of 'em in your honor's garden, and t'other half in me own!"-Ally Sloper.

- "What I want," said the coy maid of more or less uncertain years, "is a hat that will suit my complexion." "Oh," exclaimed the milliner, with sudden inspiration: "I have a hand-painted hat in the window that I'm sure will be just what you want." - Chattanooga News.

KENTUCKY GRAND JURY

Closed Its Investigation Without Returning Additional Indictments.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. Jackson, Ky., July 25.—The grand jury adjourned this afternoon without returning any additional indictments.
The foreman stated that just as the jury was about to take a yote on one of the feud cases, ex-Senator Alex.
Hargus rushed into the jury room and demanded that Riley Colleron, who had testified against the alleged assassins of Town Marshal Thomas Cockrill, he indicted for reviews and that rill, be indicted for perjury, and that this interruption caused the jury to close its investigation.

RABUN GAP RAILROAD.

Work of Construction Begun in Tennessee and North Carolina.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. KNOXVILLE, TENN., July 25 .- W. H. Wells, chief engineer of construction of the Southern railway, to-day stated that work had begun thirty miles south of this city on the construction of the Rabun Gap extension of the Southern to the Georgia line, and that in North Carolina a new company has been chartered which is building toward the Tennessee line the Walhalla branch of the Southern to connect with the Rabun Gap line. The new branch will be 200 miles long and will give less than a one per cent, grade to tide water.

FIRE AT NASHVILLE.

Commercial Hotel Badly Damaged-Al the Guests Were Rescued, By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NASHVILLE, TENN., July 25 .- The Commercial Hotel was badly damaged by fire at an early hour this morning. All of the guests were rescued.

FIGHT WITH MOONSHINERS.

Two Mes Were Shot and Killed-Two Arrests Were Made.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star BRISTOL, TENN., July 25 .- In a fight between officers and a party of alleged moonshiners in Wise county, Virginia, moonshiners in Wise county, Virginia, near the Kentucky border, last night, James H. King, chief of police of the mining town of Stonega, Va., was shot and killed. Gordon Gilley, a member of King's party, shot and killed one of the alleged moonshiners. The name of Gilley's victim is not known. The officers succeeded in capturing two of the party and placed them in jail.

INTERMENT OF

POPE'S REMAINS

Sundown Last Evening the Most Solemn of All Obsequies Took Place.

AT THE SHRINE OF ST. PETER

The Body Sprinkled With Holy Water Absolution Given and the Foot of Leo Kissed for the Last Time. The Coffins Sealed.

By Cable to the Morning Star. Rome, July 25.—The body of Pope Leo was interred in St. Peters' tonight. The strike of the hammer which resounded through the immense dome of the cathedral announced to the earnest gathering in the nave that Leo XIII had been laid to rest. At sundown the most important and most solemn of all the obsequies took place. The front doors of the Basilica were closed and the vast church, except for a row of lights at the shrine of St. Peter, the candles about the bier, and those persons who had quietly and with the utmost reverence gathered there, appeared de-

About 1,000 persons had received invitations to attend the ceremonies The cardinals, who met earlier in the Vatican, entered the chapel, the choir waiting there for the arrival of the procession, Cardinal Oreglis, the carmelengo, holding the keys of com

Through special permission a repre sentative of the Associated Press was allowed to enter the Chapel of the Sacrament before the remains of the dead Pontiff were removed. Cardinal Rampolla, as arch priest of

the Basilica, was waiting outside the gates, in violet robes, surrounded by the chapter of the cathedral, which was led by Monsignor Ceppetelli, who conducted the service. Drs. Lapponi and Mazzoni directed the work of the removal of the bier, which was executed by eight sediari, or Pope's car riers, attired in their brilliant red bro cade costumes. They at first tried to raise the bler, but finding it too heavy they slowly slid it on to a low can with noiseless wheels.

Then, to the strains of the "Mizerie, which wailed through the loft church and preceded by a glittering cross held aloft, the procession, carrying candles and torches, slowly left the chapel and went up the church, passing the bronze statue and beyond the shrine of St. Peter. Those gathered fell to their knees.

After slow progress around the church the sad cortege arrived at the phapel choir, the bier being so carried that the dead Pope entered head first, ccording to the ceremonial, the chapel from semi-obscurity flashing into the brilliancy of the suddenly turned on electric light. Here al those who had received invitations were stopped, remaining in the main part of the Basilica behind a double line of the Swiss guards in their pecu-liar yellow, red and black uniforms, and armed with halberds and serpentine swords.

Within the chapel was Count Camil o Pecci, a nephew of the Pope, wearing the red uniform of a general of the Noble Guard. In the chapel the music changed to notes of joy and triumph and "In paradisium" rang out with telling effect. From the outside the five bells of St. Peter's rang their accustomed salute to the coming night, ningling harmoniously with the music

The scene in the chapel was most re-markably effective. The bier bearing the body was raised by Cardinal Oreglia. It was placed in the centre backed by an altar with a beautiful mage of the Madonna, before which were burning four immense candles in

Around the two sides of the chapel n the choir seats, were thirty-six cardinals, all wearing violet robes except Cardinals Gotti and Pierrotti, who wore the white mantles of their orders; Cardinal Martinelli, in black, as an Augustinian and Cardinal Vives y Tuto in Franciscan brown.

The body was sprinkled with holy water, absolution was given and the foot of Leo XIII was kissed for the last time by Major Domo Caginiano, Master of the Chamber Bisleti, and Count Camillo.

The major domo then covered the venerable features and hands with a white silk veil, bordered with gold, Over this the prefect of ceremonies spread a larger silk veil, which covered the whole person. Fire was lighted in a brazier and blown by bellows, the sparks rising almost to the ceiling while Mgr. Bartolini read for twenty minutes the oratio brevis, eulogizing the dead Pontiff, and Notary Poponi, 86 ways old read out the burish re-36 years old, read out the burial record, a service which he performed upon the occasion of the deaths of Pope Gregory XVI and Pope Pius IX.
The monsignors of the Basilica,
aided by the Noble Guard, then laid

all that was mortal of Leo XIII in a cypress coffin lined with red satin and bearing on the cover an inlaid cross, the entire Sacred College and Prince Colma rising to their feet as a last ribute and sign of respect tribute and sign of respect.

When the body had been carefully put in the coffin it was entirely con-

cealed with the red velvet covering, which before had been on the bier. When all had been arranged, the supreme prayer was said and the last benediction given, all present join-ing. Half suppressed sobs were heard

The sad duties of sealing the coffins were softened and soothed by the sweetness of the singing choir and the prayers of the clergy. When the last supreme momen came the heavy coffins, weighing in all 1,322 pounds, were rolled out of the chapel, preceded by mace bearers, singing as they went and fol-lowed by all the cardinals, among whom the bowed figure of Oreglia, the strong, the upright Vannutelli brothers, the white-haired

All of the guests were rescued.

The fire is supposed to have started from a lighted cigarette or pipe that was left in a coat belonging to a waiter.

The damage is estimated at \$7,000 and is fully covered by insurance.

The building was occupied atternately during the war by Confederate and Federal troops and at one time was the headquarters of General Davis, who killed General "Bull" Nelson in Lousian to the same suitable tomb in the Resilice of St.

Thus was Pope Leo XIII consigned to his ong rest.
Color and life were given to the whole scene by gendarmes and Pala-tine and Noble Guards. The last named have never left the remains since the Pope died. were the ladies of the aristocracy and

the family of the Pope.

The diplomatic body was also pres ent as were many men of the Italian aristocracy led by Prince Madismo, who claims descent from Quinto's Fabius Maximus, in his uniform as papal postmaster general. General Decharette, the oldest veteran of the papal army who fought as commander of the Zouaves against the Italians in 1870, was also among those who at-

It is estimated that eighty thousand people passed the catafaique since Thursday morning. The last funeral mass in St. Peter's was celebrated this morning in the chapel of the choir by Mgr. Panicy, canon of the Vatican Basilica. At the same time funeral masses were celebrated in most of the churches of Rome.

The most imposing ceremony to-day was the reception by the Sacred Col-lege, in the hall of the consistory, of the whole diplomatic body accredited to the Vatican. All the diplomatic wore gorgeous uniforms and the car-dinals had on their magnificent violet robes and were seated in huge armchairs, according to right of prece-dence. The Portuguese ambassador, M. Martins d'Antas, dean of the diplo-matic corps, was at the head of the He advanced and delivered an address in French, expressing the sorrow of all the Powers at the death of Pope Leo, who had acquired the uni-

versal esteem of the world. Cardinal Oreglia, dean of the col-Italian. He thanked the diplomats in the name of the Sacred College for the part all the governments had taken in this mourning of the Church. He eu-logized Pope Leo and his work during his long pontificate and ended with expressing the hope that God would suggest to the Sacred College a worthy ssor to Leo XIII.

When the time came to take the isherman's ring from Pope Leo's finger, it developed another was found in its place. This did not surprise any one, as, generally, the Pontiff does ornament than an unused seal. At the first meeting of the congregation of cardinals after the Pope's death, when the famous ring should have been broken, this cermony was omit-ted and it was put on record that the ring, for the moment, could not be

The fisherman's ring is known to have been lost twice before. So far it has not been discovered, but the Vatican authorities assure the Associated Press that the ring will undoubtedly be found.

On two other occasions the ring was taken from the papacy by force. In 1797 the French republicans, invading the papal states, despoiled Pius VI of all his valuables, and among them of the fisherman's ring. It was returned the next day, as it had no intrinsic value. When Pius VII was kidnapped in the middle of the night and was made to give up this ring, the Pope gave it up after breaking it in two pieces, which were kept in Paris until returned to Rome by

Mgr. Farabulini, the famous Latin scholar, being unable to accept the task of writing the Oratio Brevis, (or Latin eulogy upon the late Pontiff, congregation of cardinals to-day selected Father de Angelis, a Jesuit, to undertake that duty.

Sea Serpents Brenthe Air. Like all other serpents, the sea serpents, though permanently inhabiting the sea, are air breathers. The lateral flattening of their tails greatly helps them to swim in any direction, and it specially enables them to rise rapidly to the surface of the water to breathe. That they may do this the more easily and securely their nostrils are placed at the very end of the muzzle and are furnished with valves. which secure them from being entered by the water in which they live. Unlike other snakes, they cast their

skins in small pieces. Their eyes are not adapted to see well out of water. and thus they cannot when in the air take a good aim to bite. They feed on small fishes, which they paralyze by means of their poison, and thus they have nothing to fear from the spines of the fishes they eat.

Mimickry In Caterpillars. A very large caterpillar stretched itself from the foliage of a tree which I was examining and startled me by its resemblance to a small snake. The first three segments behind the head were dilatable at the will of the insect and had on each side a large black puptllated spot, which resembled the eye of the snake. It was a poisonous or viperine species mimicked and not an innocuous snake. This was proved by the imitation of keeled scales on the crown, which was produced by the recumbent feet as the caterpillar threw itself backward. I carried off the caterpillar and alarmed every one in the village where I was then living to whom I showed it.-"Records of a Naturalist In the Amazon."

Two Tales of Truffled Turkeys. The Abbe Morelet was accustomed to say: "There needs be two to eat a truffled turkey. I never do otherwise. I have one today. We will be twothe turkey and myself."

The archbishop of Sanzai was another truffled turkey lover. His grand vicar had lost a turkey to him on a bet and delayed paying up because, as he alleged, "truffles were bad that

"Bah! Bah!" said the archbishop. "We will chance the truffles. This is a false report that has been circulated by the turkeys."-"The Pleasures of the Table," by G. H. Ellwanger.

Toilet of the Cat Cats, large and small, make the most careful toilet of any class of animals, excepting some of the opossums. The lions and tigers wash themselves in exactly the same manner as the cat, wetting the dark, rubberlike ball of the fore foot and inner toe and passing it over the face and behind the ears. The foot is thus at the same time a face sponge and brush, and the rough tongue combs the rest of the body.

Wavering. Nervous Old Lady (addressing officer on board a passenger steamer)-Oh, eaptain, I wish you'd go and speak to the man at the wheel. He keeps turning it first one way and then the other, and I'm sure he doesn't know his own mind.-London King.

Robert Fitzsimons, former chamsuitable tomb in the Basilica of St.

John Lateran, which was chosen by
the Pope himself as his final resting yesterday in San Francisco, Justice of the Peace Daniels performing the cer-emony. About thirty persons, inclu-ding several prominent local citizens, were present.

- Mr. B. F. Keith left yesterday to spend several days at Panacea Above the cardinal, behind a grating, Springs.

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Hannibal's life and fate were suremely great and sad. He was a patriot who had only the best interests of his country at heart. In the wars of Carthage against Rome he carried his armies across the strait of Gibraltar, over the Alps and into Italy to the very gates of Rome. For more than a score of years he remained there, supporting his forces upon the enemy and proving himself to be such a literal and lasting scourge that the Roman mothers would quiet "Exactly," he said. "These diagnostheir children with the sound of his ticians of yours mistake your case. dreaded name. Finally, when old in years and he was driven forth and

way unparalleled throughout the annals of ancient warfare. Yet in his old age he became a fugitive, wandering from one country to the other and finding no rest, owing to the vindictive persecutions of the Romans, who were then all powerful. At last, discovering no spot on earth open to him as a refuge, deserted by his former friends, his country enslaved and his once imperial native city in ruins, he gave way to despair and ended his life with poison. Crafty M. Blanc. Blanc, the founder of the Monte Carlo ambling resort, was well aware of the

defeated, he had made a record in its

The Fate of Hannibal.

desperate character of many of his rustomers. Knowing that they includad the scum and riffraff of the world, e took precautions against them. He never carried any money, which fact he announced so frequently and publicly that it was known everywhere along the Riviera that the millionaire Blanc never had a penny on his person. But he carried in a pocketbook s draft on red paper for several hundred thousand francs, payable to the indorsee. He feared kidnaning as much as robbery, and in case of abduction he intended to ransom himself with this draft. But the instructions at his office were not to cash a red draft with not wear it, the ring being less of an his signature unless a telegram was received from him ordering it to be

> Too Personal. "I want you to notify the paper man ot to leave this Social Recorder here n the future," said Mr. Lucky Strike to his life partner.

"Why?" inquired Mrs. Strike. "Why, they've got a story here about that young chump who is going to marry Laura and refer to him as her finance."

"Oh, I see-a typographical error!" "Typographical error! Bah! Error of fact. I have been her finance for the last twenty years, and, judging from the prospects of the young man she insists is the only one she will ever marry, I will continue to act in that capacity for the next twenty. Stop the paper."-Philadelphia Times.

He really ought not to have gone into the Latin class that day. He was called up first and read as far as he had prepared. Then he skirmished on a little further. This is the way it

ly form advancing like a goddess in the sunlight. I sprang toward her, and she welcomed me. Her hair fell down upon her shoulders like the sunbeams on Olympus. Her eyes shone like two jewels of the sea. I-I threw my arms-my arms-about-about her -her neck-neck, and-and-that's as far as I got, professor."-Exchange.

Remarkable Lakes. On the Mangishlak peninsula, in the Caspian sea, there are five small lakes. One of them is covered with salt crystals strong enough to allow man and east to cross the lake on foot. Another s as round as any circle and of a love ly rose color. Its banks of salt crystal

form a setting white as the driven snow to the water, which not only shows all the colors from violet to rosy red, but from which rises a perfume of violets. Both the perfume and the color are the result of the presence of seaweeds. An Elaborate Reasoner. "You are base enough to confess that ou love her for her wealth!" "My dear sir," answered Count Fus-

shows my democratic breadth of ideas combined with consistent respect for "You should love her for herself." "My dear sir, beauty, intellect and efinement are mere accidents of birth, but money is an evidence of ancestral and possibly hereditary foresight and force of character."-Washington Star.

cads, "that is not baseness. That

"I notice in this morning's paper," said the new boarder, "an advertise-

ment about 'a good cotton duck. What's a cotton duck?" "Give it up," replied the star boarder. "Now, if it was an india rubber chicken Mrs. Starvem could tell us something about that."-Philadelphia

He Was Willin'. "You are granted a divorce," said the lawyer to a colored client, "but you'll have to give her altmony." "All right, suh," was the eager re ply. "She kin have Alimony of she wants him, but Lawd help him w'en

he gits her!"-Atlanta Constitution. The Superior Being. Little Boy-Well, that's the queerest hing I ever saw.

Mother-What is? Little Boy-I just saw our schoolteacher at the corner of the street a-laughin' just like other people. Contradictory.

"I asked," mouned Raoul, "have zis man a good standing in ze community? You say, 'Yes, he has been sitting on ze bench twenty years.' Oh, zis langvaige!"-Chicago Record-Herald.

RUSSIA AND JAPAN.

No Confirmation of Reports of Warlike Preparations Being Made.

PARIS. July 25.—The Associated Press learns that the dispatches received at the foreign office from Tokio and St. Petersburg, do not contain any conurmation of the reports published in London and Paris papers regarding war like preparations on the part of they continue to indicate, as they did ten days ago, that the relations between the two governments are still

Bids for the construction of a dry-dock at Norfolk were opened to-day at the Navy Department. The limit of cost fixed by Congress is \$1,200,000. John C. Rogers, New York, (\$910,-000) was the lowest bidder.

in Two Days.

COLOR IGNORANCE.

Animals Becoming Extiset.

Every century sees several species of animal becoming extinct. In the race for life the weak must yield to

the strong, and because they are per-

sistently sought for food or for feath-

ers not only individuals but whole fam-

lies cease to exist. The disappearance

of the great auk can be laid to the

nineteenth century. It became ex-

tinct on the American side of the At-

lantic about 1840 and in Europe about

1844. The South African quagga dis-

appeared about 1870 owing to the

slaughter by hide hunters. The twin

shelled tortoise of the Galapagos is-

lands became extinct in all probabili-

ty about 1875. The black emu of

South Australia was also exterminated

during the century, though it was

abundant in 1808. The great cormo-

rant was last seen alive about 1839,

and many other species of birds from

all parts of the world have likewise

been exterminated. In the Danish

West India islands, for example, out

of fourteen species catalogued in 1795

only six still exist, and a similar his-

tory can be told of many other locali-

Shelley Liked Bread.

The poet Shelley was very simple i

his tastes and found his chief pleasure

in long, solitary rambles. Bread be-

came his chief sustenance when his

regimen attained to that austerity

which afterward distinguished it. He

could have lived on bread alone with

"Do you know," he said one day to

friend, with much surprise, "that

Mr. G. does not like bread? Did you ever know a person who distinct

bread?" His friend explained to him

that Mr. G. probably had no objection

to bread in moderate quantity at a

proper time and with the usual ad-

juncts and was only unwilling to de-

your several pounds of dry bread at a

Shelley had no such objection; his

pockets were generally well stored

with bread. Sometimes he ate with

his bread the common raisins which

How to Sell Goods.

"You must know how to talk with a

customer so that she will buy,' is one

of the things the buyer says over and

over again in his lectures down in the

basement. Even when the girl is be-

hind the counter at work the buyer

will often step up and give her a hint.

For instance, he will give a new name

erything in a name. He came up to

me one day and said, 'Call that line of

goods the Marlborough,' and it was not

long before I had sold the entire stock.

The sweller a name is the better, of

course. Cumberland pins will sell much

better than plain pins even if they are

the same thing. French names are

much in vogue, too, and they are some-

times coined. Names taken from swell

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other thing, of course, which helps a

girl sell the goods is genuine knowl-

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edge of them."-Leslie's Monthly.

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to an old piece of goods. There is ev-

he bought at small grocers' shops.

out repining.

Matter Wholly Apart From

Color blindness was the topic under discussion. "They tell me I'm color blind," said the lawyer, "but I don't believe it. Often, I admit, I make mistakes in colors. I say that pink is red, I say that green is blue. But it is only the names of the colors I am off in. I am not, I insist, color blind." The oculist who was in the party nodded ap-

They take color ignorance for color blindness. Here they are as wrong as though they should say music ignorance was music blindness—as though, I mean, because you could not tell that certain struck note was 'E flat,' you were dead to all musical gradations. Some years ago, when the examination in colors of railroad men was inau-gurated, a howl west up over the amazing amount of color blindness in America, and many a good man lost his job unjustly. These men had been off in the names of colors, not in the colors themselves. They could in a day or two have been taught what they lacked. Many of them, it is likely, were not color blind. I say this because recently I heard of an examination of 800 railroad men that was conflucted in the proper way on an English line. About seventy of these men were a little off regarding color nomenclature, but not a single one of them was color blind."-Philadelphia Record.

Oriental Squatters. Most artists depicting the cast show men sitting crosslegged, tailor fashion. Easterners don't sit like that. Usually they stick their calves beneath them, att on their heels and with the soles of the feet pointed upward, a painful posture for an occidental. The Hindoo usually rests on his haunches, with his knees pyramid style and his chin on their level. Try that attitude ten minutes and see how you like it.

Traveling eastward, as soon as you touch Turkey you reach a district where sitting on the floor is the custom. You may then journey on for thousands of miles, also north and south. and the millions in that region are all floor squatters. When you arrive in China, however, then you are among other millions who sit on chairs. Go over to Japan, and then you get among squatters again. The question is, Why should the Chinese, among all the nations of the east, use chairs?

How Romans Took Their Food. The Romans reclined at their banquets on couches, all supporting themselves on one elbow and eating with their fingers from dishes placed in the center of the table. Each was supplied with a napkin, and knives were used, though it does not appear that every one was supplied with one. Nothing, it would seem, could be more fatiguing than to partake of a repast in such an awkward posture or less conducive to neatness, it being almost impossible to keep the hands clean even with water supplied by the slaves or to prevent the food and wine from falling on the clothing and the draperies of the couch. This manner of eating disappeared during the dark ages so far as the couch was concerned, but the peculiarlty of taking the food with fingers from a common dish continued afterward for more than 1,000 years.

The Mind During Sleep. "During sleep," says an authority on mental subjects, "the workings of the mind are under no control, and yet it seems to have a wonderful faculty of building up and arranging scenes and incidents. I remember once having a vivid dream of going into a house the furniture and inmates of which belonged to the middle ages. So clear was the dream that I had no difficulty in recalling it, and then as I went over each detail of dress, armor, jewelry, ornaments and other objects seen in my vision I realized that everything I had beheld was historically accurate—that is to say, the probably in a fraction of a second my mind had conjured up a scene to construct which, with the same faithfulness to detail, while awake would have taken me several

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