

## BY SARAH P. PRITCHARD.

"I tell you, Susan Swing," said Captain Rose, "there ain't a man that lives between the Two Horns as would let his boy not bigger than your'n go out in a boat to-day. Don't you do it. "Tain't no kind of weather for that slip of a lad to go foolin' with them big fel- running. lows as sweeps around old Duil Head. Why, look yourself, woman. You can see them

As Captain Rose spoke he pointed with his

"And no dory in the harbor," he continued, could weather Bright Head (pointing toward the headland at the left), not if Captain Hezekiah himself was a rowin' of it. You'd better take them row-locks out and hide the oars if he won't mind without you doin' it."

"I can't bear to do it," said Mrs. Swing. "Richard will be so disappointed. He set his lobster pots yesterday, and he hasn't slept any all night in his eagerness to go out early -and haul them. Don't you see, Captain Rose, it's Saturday, and two whole coaches full of summer boarders came last night to the Bright Head Honse, and he can get a big price for his lobsters to day. My poor Dick has worked so hard making the lobster pots himself, and it seems like cutting off the boy's reward to say 'you shan't go' to him."

"S'pose you do feel weakish 'bout it, Susan; but you don't want that ere boat to be picked up adrift and no boy in it, do ye?"

"You know I don't, Captain Rose," she said. "If I hadn't loved him do you think I'd get up before daylight to see the lad off."

"Hush," said the Captain. "Here he comes, and he's fastening his straw hat to his buttons." He sees there is wind enough ahead."

It was a morning in June and the sun was not yet risen, but the glory of his coming was in the east and on the sea.

As he came down the pier, the oars on this shoulder, and securing his straw hat by a pots. I believe I'll put about." string to his jacket, the old Captain said :

her this agony.

look yourself, woman. You can see them more'n four miles away dashing and lashing "Richard. "You must keep a good look out for me. I've got my ranges right and can fetch "Meanwhile, the news got abroad that Captain the lebeter and the customs officers on me. I've got my ranges right and can fetch "Sou must keep a good look out for the lebeter and loving sympathy in for her the patient and loving sympathy the lebeter and the customs officers on man, even if he has been voting for fifty years of all men, and should strengthen, not weaken, the lebeter and the customs officers on ians of our political independence from the Richard. "You must keep a good look out for Meanwhile, the news got abroad that Captain the lobster grounds every time."

"Is it far?" questioned his mother shudder-

boatman of Dell Haven.

The wind grew stronger and stronger, and work with.

the waves every moment increased in size. Even Richard glanced sideways more than once with ill-concealed anxiety as the long billows came tumbling on, and just then getting a glimpse of his mother's face beheld it so blanched with terror of the sea that it seemed "They're coming for us, n boat just ontside the harbor." with him.

"Dick," she gasped as his oar missed stroke a wall of water shutting out the land. and sent the spray over the boat, "Dick. I'm afraid to go on.

about a mile from shore and was midway be- tion for life. tween the two headlands familiarly spoken of

not fully felt the danger.

tions. Dolly ran, saying to every one she met: In the limited space to which this commu- 2. The South is forbidden to divide, and of people as consumers, we would at once have Just as the boat got well into the foil of "They'll be saved! They'll be saved! They saved the waves the sun arose, shedding such bril- child got up to the belfry stair, and couldn't the most objectionable features: lance on the waters that Mrs. Swing, who sat utter a word. She could only smile and bow 1. The law necessitates an entire new regis-

"See any boat ahead, mother ?" questioned dared not take it off lest never to find it again. voter. and the burden of fear grew lighter.

In the little boat again and again had Rich- oath, as may be satisfactory to the registrar," her this in fullest measure. Especially should annexation feeling and an annexation moveright hand in the direction of one of the two headlands between which Dell Haven lay. we'll fetch it," dipping his oars for a full stroke he was forced to give up the attempt. Noth- registrar may register whom he pleases and any series of events in which she had part. and then letting the boat slide up to the sum- ing could be done but keep off and face the refuse whom he pleases, and there is no ap- On these two propositions we stand. They reasons." mit of a rolling wave, a trick he had caught boiling sea. Very few words were spoken. peal from his decision. Even the South Caro- do not need argnment-for they are self-evifrom Capt. Hezekiah Danforth, the master Mrs. Swing kept bailing as fast as possible, lina law allows an appeal in such case.

denly Richard shouted:

"They're coming for us, mother. I see a the vacancy from the "same political party as

"Courage mother," Dick said.

as the horns. Dull Head was surrounded by the eastward, and hidden from sight by Bright persons to execute this law! an even acumulating mass of breakers, and Head, steared the tug Good Heart. Never 5. We now come to the main provision in carry him through orderly or steadfast ways of the public. foams, and all the four miles that lay between the two points were rolling miles of billows. In the boat out at sea that the boat out at sea that the county and State officers for any voting, is provides and the previous manual. Twee was steam applied with more generous hand. Twas the that the majority of the judges of elections for sissippi, for example, there are 13,000 illiterfuel, and Good Heart bore away with cordial may, if they think it expedient so to do, rail off at voters.

and he gave direction to steam outside.

than our Northern friends possibly can be.

restoration of the Union in which she more 100,000,000 to buy our products. The senti-

facing it, was dazzled and well nigh failed to see in time a gill net into which the boat was she did at last. Captain Rose's eye was on the speck. He nothing of the personal inconvenience to each problem-the appalling import of which is understood even where it is not confessed-should

who cannot prove by "such testimony, under that political party which is pledged to give United States? There was a time when an aspirations, but it was based upon economical

Dr. Sproule, Tory, said: "We want neither dent. But there is a question we should like annexation to the United States nor separawith only the shell of a horseshorse crab to 3. The judges may all belong to the same to address to the editors of the North, and to tion from the mother country. We want party. In case the two Republican judges are have an answer written under each man's neither imperial federation nor commercial At length came a wave like a small hill, up are not on hand at the opening of the polls, sense of his responsibility as an editor, that union. We want only to be left alone, and which the boat rode gallantly, and then sud- the registrar can fill their places with men of we may record it in these columns. Here it is then the péople of Canada will prove, as they his party. The old law required him to fill -prefaced by a statement: have proved, that the confederation has been a

There is not a State in the South in which great success and that Canada is a prosperous a serious division of the whites would not give country."

the absent judge or judges." a serious division of the whites would not give the negroes the balance of power. Not a State to him his mother was no longer in the boat eyes. She stopped bailing for a moment to to read and write, as the amendment provid- in which an unscrupulous minority of the look towards the shore. All she could see was ing for this was voted down by the House. whites could not by easy corruption of the illit-While the original bill was intended to dis- erate, or by the easy misleading of the ignorfranchise voters who were unable to read, yet ant negroes, capture the State government. Every rise and fall of the oar was a prayer; the judges under the law as it now stands. Whatever happens, the negro franchise will Dick glanced backward. He had pulled every dip of the poor old crab shell was a peti- may be wholly illiterate, and besides that, they run in racial currents. Let the best happen me all the gas-pipe and soda water fountains may be deaf, dumb, and blind, and yet be and the negro could not within this generation that I want, and I will defend New York and Out from Cromwell Harbor, seven miles to "suitable persons," in fact, the mast desirable acquire enough education, or even information, other seaboard cities, and the defences will be

Bright Head caught the sea on its precipitous had its Captain stood watching the sea with the new law to which I wish to direct special into either or both political parties. His vote "What would he do with the gas-pipe and sides, sending it backward in fountains of more generous hand. Never was steam ap- attention. Among other things, it provides would be in any event lumped and congested the soda water fountains ?"

Sitting with his face landward Richard had lived in the steam and the steam and in the precinct with the registrar of such precinct, ate white voters and 145,000 illiterate black and compressed air for propeling the dynamite

Now the lad could not repress a shudder as speed till Bright Head was won and weathered. a cost to be approved by the Board of County Now, here is the question-asked in frater- the soda water fountains. Zalinski, who is a he said: "I don't believe I could find the bouys "I see it!" should the Captain, "though Commissioners, and to be paid for by the nal spirit and entitled to a frank and friendly methodical man, has the situation of every in such a sea, and nobody could haul in the how it's lived to get there, more'n I know," county, a space or enclosure with an opening answer. Is there a State in the North in which soda water fountain and gas-pipe manufactory at one end or side for the entrance of the if, as in Mlssissippi, 181,000 negro voters, of marked out on the map of New York city. The

Oh, do! O Richard, there comes an awful Richard's attention was so divided between voter, and an opening at the other side for his which 145,000 are unable to read or write, dynamite gun is certainly a success. It can one!" and Mrs. Swing slipped down from her the billows and the land and the friendly boat, exit, as a polling place. \* \* \* \* Only were to day settled, to white people would be throw a dynamite shell with safety, and when seat into the bottom of the boat and hid her and Mrs. Swing was so intent on bailing, that one voter shall be allowed to enter such poll- or could be divided under any pretense or by such a shell explodes upon a ship's deck, its efneither of them saw the tug until it was upon ing place at one time, and no one except the any power! Is there a Northern State in fect will be terrible. The gun already has judges of elections shall be allowed to speak to which although, as in Mississippi, there were a good range, but I look to its having a "Hold on until we pick you up." It seemed as if a voice from heaven had place casting his vote, which shall be put in host of black illiterates could capture and there are two or three unexploded dynamite spoken. Even bluff old Captain Rose up in the the proper box or boxes by said voter, or by maintain the control of affairs under any pretext or by any power? Could this be done in Bay now, thrown by Zalinski's gun before he I believe that North Carolinians are re- Indiana, or in Ohio, and especially could it be discovered how to fire the shells by electricity. The shock of the call, the sight of the black, markably honest, but it is safe to say that done if, as in Mississippi, the hideous and It was the theory that the shell, upon striking aptain Rose. "If there was only a tug in sight to help throbbing tug, friendly as they seemed, yet there is at least one dishonest man in every siekening pages of the carpet-bag era, by show-the water, would be exploded by concussion, came near swamping the boat, for Richard let precinct, and by virtue of this law a single ing what these people did do appalling sug-but the plan did not work. Now the shell is it turn, and the last strength he had was put dishonest man by stuffing the ballot box can gestions of what they would do when the explded in a very simple manner. There is a whites were divided ? little electrical apparatus on the head of the into the woman if she didn't take any naturally," was cast off, and even then he had no power to I have found no State in this Union, except I lowa has about the voting population of shell, which, when wet by water, explodes it. scolded Captain Danforth, "or shut her and make it fast. It was Mrs. Swing who tried to South Carolina and Louisiana, which allows Georgia, say 320,000. If 130,000 of these vot- So that if the shell strikes the water, in a obey the commands that came but could not. the voter to touch the ballot box, and we would ers were negroes, of whom 100,000 were illit- second it is exploded. The shell, in many Finally the tug's boat was lowered. It was do better to imitate other methods than theirs. erate (to say no worse,) is there any sane man cases, would thus explode beneath a ship: I could have brought down them oars in half no easy task to get to leeward and board the The ballot-box ought to be kept as sacred as who believes or any fair man who will assert, although it would be exploded by concussion that the white people of Iowa would not so if it should first strike the ship."

DEFENDING OUR SEA COAST. N. Y. Tribune.

make us rich, and instead of having 5,000,000

Edgar, a leading Ontario Liberal, said:

"Are we to believe that the customs officers on

Lieutenant Zalinski, who invented the dynamite gun, and who is a genius, says: "Give to establish political convictions that would ready in surprisingly short time in the opinion

shells could be stored in the iron cylinders of

"He's a fine lad, Dick is, and well worth the saving.

"Good-morning, Captain Rose," called out Richard. "Good for lobsters, do you think?" "Better for lobsters than 'tis for boys," ejaculated the Captain, removing his broad brown hands from his pocket and laying one of them on the lad's shoulder as soon as the latter came within touching distance. "I say, Dick Swing, that you are not going out in that cockle-shell of your'n this morning," he announced.

"I certainly am, Captain Rose," returned the boy. "It's a little rough, but like as not the wind will come right around before I get half way to the ledge, and I should think you would know better than to scare my little mother here half to death. "See mother," he said, gayly, "I have an extra oar and one thole pin, yes, two of them, in case a row-lock gives way, and I've got a lot of extra courage about me that I can't 'exactly show you unless you come with me."

This he said looking out to sea, for he did not feel like looking either at his mother or Captain Rose.

"Dick," said Mrs. Swing, approaching the pier's edge, as the owner of the little boat proceeded to bestow his lunch basket and extras under the bow.

"Well, mother," returned Richard, look ing up.

"I wish you would not go," she said, her tones full of beseeching.

"Why, mother? Do you want my seven new lobster pots to be carried off to sea?" he "How could you have the heart to asked. ask me? If this wind keeps on blowing I shall lose them every one.'

"That's true," ejaculated Captain Rose. "I never thought of that. It's just right, this wind is, to drag them off, but you never can haul them in alone. You'll be sure to be dragged overboard."

"No, I shan't. Come along with me if you on the sea. want to help," laughed Richard.

"Humph! I should sink that craft before we got out of 'harbor," said the Captain; "though if I wasn't so heavy I would go." Captain Rose weighed a trifle less than three hundred pounds, and had left the sea after years of faithful service.

Not another person was in sight,

"I'll tell you what I'll do," said the Captain. "If you insist on going, I'll stop on my way up and ask Captain Danforth to look out for you, and if he thinks you're getting into trouble to sail after you.'

"Thank you, Captain."

"Dick," said his mother, "can't you let the lobster pots go !"

"Couldn't possibly." smiled the boy. "Could you have the heart to ask me." Will you cast me off !" he called a second later.

"Wait a minute," exclaimed Mrs. Swing. "Fetch your boat close up. I want to speak to you, Dick."

The boat received the necessary impetus, and touched the side of the pier. Mrs. Swing had seated herself on the topmost layer of logs forming the wharf, and leaned over as though church and climbed the belfry stairs.

face from the coming wave.

Richard gave a mighty pull at the oars to them, and a hailing voice shouted: keep the boat head on, and it rode that wave in safety only to meet new ones, into whose depths the tiny shell rolled to be completely hidden from the sight of two men who were standing out on the Dell Haven pier.

One was Hezekiah Danforth, the other was Captain Rose.

them," groaned Captain Rose.

the boy up somewheres."

"I told her, but I declare when I was young about ?"

"It acts like it, John, but it will get swamped had been saved. just as sure as guns if-no, it's going on. There

again!" among the bystanders, and willing hearts went heard her father offer.-New York Graphic.

forth from the land. "Every second tells. It's a race for life?" called out Captain Danforth. "Jim you'd better get in. You're strong ; if one of us tuckers out you can take hold."

All ready lay the boat, a dark green surf boat, a boat that could stand heavy seas, and the two men and boy who had nobly volunteered were not long in starting off.

"Success to you. Fetch 'em back alive?" called out Captain Rose.

All at once the pier at Dell Haven seemed thronged with people. The news had spread that Mrs. Swing and Richard were out alone

As they watched the dim, dark spark now rising upon the swelling waters and as quickly vanishing from sight, not one of the little throng but knew the danger of the tiny boat. With breathless eagerness they watched the surf boat as its two rowers stood at the oar urging it onward.

some of remarks heard as they passed on.

As for Captain Rose he went panting up the hill into the town, climbed into the belfry of Dell Haven church, as far up as he could go, and watched through a spy glass the progress ing helpers so far behind.

and he said to himself:

through here and keep sharp watch? No, you out providing the safeguards which even that dered unnecessary to protect "our brethren in speak French when we want to. Well, let us run-you can go quicker'n I can," and the Cap- celebrated law throws around the ballot-box. tain scribbled a message on the back of an envelope, and giving it her bade her make haste sway in North Carolina, after twenty years of to the telegraph office. "You tell Johnny boasting-and I admit generally the justice Blake it's to save a life and it must go ahead of the boast, that our elections were fair, free of everything." into the telegraph office flushed and eager cried out: "Mr. Blake, here, send this quick. Richard Swing and his mother are going to drown The operator took the old envelope and read:

belfry of the church, ejaculated "Thank God!" the judges at the request of the voter. as he saw the tug come to.

"Why didn't yon dun a little common sense forth in holding it up to the wind until a line vitiate the entire election of any precinct.

the time it takes Jim to fetch 'em. I say, Good Heart, which held its breath, bracing it- the Ark of the Covenant. 'Kiah Danforth, ain't that boat trying to put self against the waves almost as a thing of life" There is no provision made here for exam- unite as to hold control of their affairs and re-

"Give 'em a signal! Give 'em three!" and iana prescribes this much. Under our new is nothing else to do, I never in all my life saw the steam whistle blew three shricks that went law the voter can put in ten as easily as one a considerable minority of their number, by a time when there wasn't a sail in sight. . . , over the bay and up the harbor and over against ballot, and then the judges can throw out the deluding the ignorant and bribing the corrupt age, who kept furnished rooms at 301 Fulton The boat's gone! No! There it comes up the meeting house steeple, until old Captain whole box. We have made no provision to of the negroes, hold the reins of government? street, died yesterday at her home. Her death Rose fell down on his knees to utter the first sift the ballots so as to reduce their number Would they not rather, in Iowa or Vermont, is ascribed to her obstinacy, and the physicians Suddenly a cry for helping hand was raised prayer of thankfulness his little Dolly had ever to the number of names on the poll list. Even do as we do-hold the intelligence and prop- who endeavored to attend her refuse to issue

THE NEW ELECTION LAW.

Pearson, published in the Asheville Citizen of direct challenge to the national government to patiently, earnestly, in conscience and honor, sick woman for some reason tore up the pregotten up by the Democrats of the last Legis izen likes to see Federal Supervisors around lem? lature, to make a Republican victory in this the ballot box, unless it be absolutely neces-State impossible. Mr. Pearson says:

zen voicing the sentiments of the fair-minded ference, and I -trust that no judges in this Legislators from the West, contributed to the part of the State will "deem it expedient to defeat of the harsher provisions of the Payne carry out the provisions of this section." Election bill; but enough of the original bill 6. Finally, instead of judges to execute a remains to make it a very bad and a very dan- certain law and to count and proclaim the regerous law.

boat will never live till they get there," were nothing," have not read it or have not under- same." original Senate bill.

Danforth, alhough doing his utmost could not Arkansas, and I do not hesitate to say that linians.

to do its kindly office. Richard and his mother ining the tickets, and no requirements as to main so united, in all despite? Would any their size, shape and thickness. Even Louis- political ambition, or could any external force, so divide the whites as to make it possible for

South Carolina provides for this.

The new law further provides for separating equal hand, lead the ignorant to enlighten- coroner. the State elections from the Federal elections ment, win the doubting to confidence, the dis- When first taken ill Dr. Smith of 200 West

sary to prevent fraud or violence. We should mitted. The timely and earnest protest of the Citi- deprecate rather than invite Federal inter-

sult, judges are appointed with the power to tion favoring unrestricted reciprocity with the rolled over, and died. The law as enacted differs from the bill as choose the method of election for the people, United States, is now nearing a close. Just Mrs. Julian once owned considerable propintroduced about as a grain of poison differs without reference to the wishes of the people, two weeks since it began and a division was erty in Hooperstown, Ill., and is said to have from an ounce of poison, the grain may kill, and then instead of recording the verdict of taken on the 20th inst. It will not seriously friends in Grant county, Indiana. She has a while the ounce would nauseate the system and the people these judges have power to reverse diminish the government's majority, but it has daughter, 18 years of age, whose whereabouts be rejected. The smaller is often the dead- that verdict. "Said board shall have power put them on the defensive. The debate has are unknown. "It's down the harbor now. They're catch- lier dose. Except the Citizen the press has and authority to judicially pass upon all the attracted the most remarkable attention in the ing it. It's an awful wind for June. Do you maintained an ominous silence on this subject. facts relative to the election and judicially de- country. On that day Bichard, one of the think they're gaining on 'em? That mite of a Those that say that "The new law amounts to termine and declare the true result of the French Canadian feaders, spoke. After stating the position, he said:

stood it. The House has simply thrown a Instead of recording a historical fact they "In the presence of these facts, I say that it mask of velvet over the ugly features of the can make history to suit themselves. So that, is in the power of no mortal man to say to-day instead of a "government of the people, by the what the expansion of trade with the United judge and jury were engaged in hearing the I have made it a point to read the law care- people and for the people," we are to have a States would be if these obnoxious restrictions, case of Joseph B. Long against William H. fully and to compare it with the election laws government by irresponsible commissioners, which have imbedded it, were removed. There and William F. Thomas-an ordinary action of of the mere speck in the distance and the toil of Maine, Massachusetts, Connecticut, New arbitrary registrars and infallible returning is on this vast globe no country where all assumption-which has been on trial nearly a Jersey, Maryland, South Carolina, Georgia, boards. I hardly think that this will consist classes of the community are enjoying so plen- week. Attorney James S. Harlan, a son of After a few minutes he realized that Captain Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Texas and with the temper and genius of North Carothe United States.

reach the periled ones in time to save them our law as it now stands, is less Democratic This law, if rigidly enforced, may cause the Colonel Amyot held that reciprocity could gaged in examining D. R. Thomas, a son of one and more dangerous that the laws of any of Republican party to dwindle away as in South consistently be advocated by a protectionist. of the defendants, who was a witness for his "The boy is doing well, but he can't hold the above-named States, except that of South Carolina, or it may so shock the sense of jus- He was very severe on England. "Let any father. He questioned young Thomas about a out, I must do it." Captain Rose's little Carolina, from which in part it has been copied tice and fair play of our white men of the one," he exclaimed, "quote to me one single conversation they had had before the opening daughter had followed her father into the verbatim-in some respects it is worse than West as to insure the speedy repeal of the law treaty by which England has taken the least of court, in which the witness was supposed to the South Carolina law, embodying as it does, or else the repeal of our very singular system care of Canada. It's all very well to say that have made certain admissions relative to the

## SHE COURTED DEATH.

Chicago Mail.

Mrs. Martha Julian, a widow, 42 years of erty together, administer affairs with just and a death certificate. They have notified the

by holding them at such distance apart as the affected into friendship-and, putting aside Lake street was called in, and prescribed for a The following opinion of Hon. Richmond judges of election may designate. This is a the minor considerations of politics, work out cold and fever. After he had departed the tion of the bowels. The medicine was procured And these questisns are respectfully sub- but the woman refused to take it and sent for Dr. Piper. He, on examining the women, said that she was seriously ill, and hearing of her conduct toward his predecessors advised. that she be taken to the county hospital. He wrote a note to the authorities there and left it with the woman to be presented on her arrival there. When he left she tore up the note

## THIRSTING FOR BLOOD.

A LAWYER AND A WITNESS WORK THEMSELVES INTO FIGHTING MOOD.

In Jubge Clifford's court this morning the Court, represented the plaintiff, and was en-

"See here, Dolly," he said, "can you look some of the worst features of that law, with- of our county government, which is now ren- we enjoy our laws and our liberties, that we peyment of money. Thomas denied that he

CANADA'S GREAT TRADE DEBATE. LIBERAL ORATORS DEMAND UNRESTRICTED RECIPRO CITY WITH US. The great trade debate in Ottawa, on mo-

the 17th inst., will be read with interest. It look after its own elections, and I regret it under the guidance of God as he maketh it scription and sent for Dr. Van Buren, of 15 is a calm expose of that infernal machinery, exceedingly, because no good, fair-minded cit- manifest, this enthralling and surpassing prob- North May street. He prescribed for inflama-

to speak confidentially to her son.

"Dick," said his mother, "hold fast! I'm coming," and into the boat she dropped before either Captain Rose on the dock or Captain Richard in the boat had knowledge of her intention.

"What under the sun, mother," cried the boy, "do you mean ?"

"I'm going with you, Dick, to keep you from falling overboard when you haul in," and she seated herself in the stern, calling back as the tide floated the boat out, "We depend on you, Captain Rose, to send after us if weif it gets too rough," she gasped, with a dash and it's to save them." of spray in her face.

"Ay, ay !" cried the Captain, and he took off his hat and swung it, he scarcely knew why.

Of all the women in Dell Haven, from the the sea. To live beside it, to watch its every last long. mood delighted her, but to venture on it for pleasure she was never known to do.

treachery of the waters, but rather than to wire runs right down to the wharf." mar his wild delight in wind and waves this unselfish mother concealed as much as possi- the answer came back: ble her anxiety for him.

Richard was not selfish, and had he imagined what his mother was at that moment

small boat-woman and boy in it-off Dell Haeldest to the youngest, Mrs. Swing most feared ven three miles; going against the wind; can't ten years she had been writhing? Why change

A moment's peace she never knew when exclaiming; "It's done. Wait a minute, sis, the West for any further surrender of the can never feel. We are the minority section in country. But with the States it is not a ques- reigned for the time, though there is no telling Richard, her only son, was exposed to the and I'll tell you whether or not he gets it; rights of free men?

"Steam up; start at once; go myself. TIMOTHY TRUE."

After twenty years of absolute Democratic

and peaceable, after the enormous Democratic Dolly Rose did not need to be told twice. majorities in both branches of this very Gen-She ran every step of the way, and rushing eral Assembly, after carrying twenty-one out of twenty-seven so-called "negro counties" in the last election, after returning the Senator

"All right," said the operator, clicking away especially while they are producing such Demat his machine for a minute or two, and then ocratic results ? Why ask the white men of

The minutes went by. Ten has passed when for this measure, and I trust that all fair- capital, immigrants, development, and to hin- pered in the States, but under unrestricted re-

the East." RICHMOND PEARSON.

THE SOUTHERN QUESTION.

BY A PARTIAL STATEMENT OF THE CASE. Atlanta Constitution.

The public sentiment that will decide the who introduced this bill from a negro county formed in the North. An attempt is being war with us. They are too sensible a people am ready to step outside with you now, if you by about one thousand majority, what excuse made to hold the Democratic party responsible for that, they are attending to the development like," and he leaned forward as if about to leave can there be for the passage of a law more for the solid South, and to solidify the North and advancement of their own country and the witness-stand. Mr. Harlan also looked as severe and despotic in some respects than that by the argument that the South is solid be- they would find no interest in making war on though his "Southern blood" was crying out

Captain True, steam tug Good Heart, Crom- which South Carolina enacted when she was cause of resentment, estrangement, or the hope Canada. well Harbor: Steam out at once in search of throwing off the horrible shackles in which for of political domination.

that cover the whole matter:

No candid man can find an honest excuse sectional lines is political suicide. We need He did not deny that protection has pros-

minded men of both parties will unite in con- der the incoming of these, as any sectional di- ciprocity we would remain protected as we are dressed? demning it, and in arousing public sentiment vision must, is to hinder our own growth and now, and we would be associated with the against the enforcement at least in Western prosperity. We realize this perfectly. Hence States to protect ourselves against the rest of The operator did not stop to write it. "Run North Carolina, of those provisions which are we are more deeply interested in the wiping the world. It would be protection enlarged. side will you have that on?"

had made such admissions. go to the States. I have seen thousands and "Will you swear you did not state this to thousands of my fellow countrymen there, and I saw a population of French Canadians satisfied with their position. Many of them told "It only takes up time to reiterate the quesme they were happy, that they were making tion."

money; that they were respected." He ridiculed a statement that England could or would protect Canada in time of war.

"If we do not have war with the States," he

"I admit that their frontiers would be as Let us put on record here two propositions much exposed as ours in case of war, and that belligerent air of the two men. "We are not if we are unjustly attacked every Canadian 1. The South longs for a breaking up of sec- able to carry arms would be ready to man our this matter. Proceed with the case." tional alignment with an earnestness the North border to protect his home and defend his

Barber-How will you have your hair

Customer-Part it in the middle.

"Well, but there is a third hair; which

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me?" asked Lawyer Harlan. "Oh, he has so testified," said Judge Clifford.

"Well, sir," said the lawyer, glowing at the witness, "it's a good thing for you that you are in a court room.'

"I am not always in a court-room, sir," said next Presidential election is being rapidly said, "it is because the States do not want to Thomas, his face growing red with anger. "I

> "Hold on !" cried Judge Clifford, noting the going to adjourn court to give you time to settle

The lawyer and witness subsided and peace