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TIVER, KIDNEYS,

Tis a mystery! for few Are so mated—are so true, Each unto each other as we-Parted by crucl Destiny, Yes, the walls are builded high-We are sundered, you and I.

Never ours shall be the bliss Of fond touch or tender kiss-Never ours the happy years In which to share joys and tears-Sadly will the days pass by— We are parted, you and I.

Had we journeyed side by side And marked the ebbing of the tide Traced upon Life's shifting sands, We had but closer clasped our hands And journeyed on :- 'twas not to be! Fate has sundered you and me.

Can it, Darling, can it be sin For me to dream what might have be-To gaze into the fire, and see Fond visions of the "ne'er to be?".
To let a tear steal from my eye
Because we're parted, you and I?

Pray, oh pray, Dear One, that time Will us chasten and rasign To bear this dreaded, dark eclipse, This sundering of loving lips-For, blessed hope ! we know "on high" We'll ne'er be parted, you and I!

A STRANGE STORY.

A strange story, even for New York city, comes over the wire. A year ago there died in a miserable attic on Bleecker street, a half clad half starved and half cracy, an old man who for twenty-five years had the question, and I have just read been a beggar. For years he had that in New Jersey attention has been estranged from his family, been called to our agitation of the and he was buried by charity. His name was James Henry Pain, and he was a grand nephed of Robert ALL OFER THE STATE! Treat Pain, who signed the Declaration of American Independence. He had been well bred and educated. At the end of a year from his death, Mr. Charles Chickering, the piano manufacturer, whose acquaintance Pain sought years ago, a prisoner be confined in a State throught his love of music, came last Wednesday into the Surrogate Analysis of the water, terms and Court of New York, and told on all communications will be prompt- oath the following story:

WHAT THE GREEN BUNDLE CON-

The little old green bundle remained hidden in the safe gathering dust and forgotten for years. After the old man's death Mr. Chickering remembered the package, and took it out of its place one RICHMOND & DANVILLE RAILROAD. day to see if it contained anything worth keeping. "I had supposed it contained nothing more than some old musical papers" continued he, "and carelessly untied the string. Tearing open one corner I eaught sight of a roll of bank bills. It seemed to me in the hasty glimpse I caught that they must, amount to the handkerchief together quickly and took the next train for Boston to see Robert Treat Pain, whom I thought was the nearest living relative. He said that there were nearer heirs at law than he, and he named the Claggetts. On the 1st of March, in the presence of Sumner and Charlie Claggett, and my 4 35 pm 1 00 am 3 03 am attorney, we opened the packet. " 402 am Gold and silver dollars, bank notes by the thousand, certificates, of stock and script rolled out upon the table. The little old green handkerchief for nearly twenty years had closely guarded treasures amounting to over \$400,00. About \$14,000 has become outlawed. The 111 00 p m 111 23 a m \$40,000 which the certificates rep-

> "The remainder of the property is worth its full face value. There is more property which is not yet col-

> resented has been paid up to me as

administrator by the Metropolitan

years before he died. I was brought South. It is the old South coming into communication with him out pure, resplendant gold from the furnace of affliction, developing its was captured by twenty-two Federwas an expert musical critic and same old brain and brawn, muscle al soldiers in disguise, on April 12, this poor old miser had at his and pluck. Mr. Herbert is right. tongue's end a wealth of inexhaus- Southern character had splendid tible information, But though I qualities in the past, but the South had heard that he was popularly had much to learn, and it learned supposed to have money hidden it in theschool of affliction. away, I never really knew anything 1 12 80 am about it. One day he came into 1 9 55 pm | my office with a bundle in his hand. 11 28 pm This is the bundle," pointing to the package beside him. "It was about a foot long and six or eight inches wide. It was wrapped up in Tuesday afternoon Lud Cornish, a an ordinary brown paper and tied a dissolute fellow, called at the with an ordinary string. On the house of John Green a farmer, and outside was carefully bound an old proposed marriage to the latter's green handkerchief. He asked if daughter- Lula, aged 18. She rehe could leave it in my possession fused him and he shot her dead. and I answered 'yes.' I told him I Miss Green's mother hearing the would put it in my safe. He ob- pistol shot and the girl's screams. jected to this and asked me if I ran to the room and Cornish turned Sleeper between Atlanta and New York.
New Orleans and Washington via Danhad a private safe at home which the pistol on her, shooting her in work.

We work the hand the tried to fire again. none of my employes ever opened, the hand. He tried to fire again, On trains 52 and 53-Pullman Buffet I said 'yes,' again, and he carelessly but the pistol's mainspring broke, tween Richmond and Greensboro, and Greensboro and Goldsboro.

I took the bundle and locked it a large posse, upon whom he fired, up, scarcely ever giving the matter he was finally captured and jailed. a thought since, years afterward, I

TO ABOLISH HANGING The Commission will Report in Favor of Electricity.

A Buffalo (N. Y.) telegram says: The report of the Capital Punish-ment Commission will be presented to the Legislature on Tuesday next. Mr. Elbridge T. Gerry, who has been in Europe for some time, cabled his coadjutors that in case he could not return in time to confer with them they should make a preliminary report and ask for further time. Dr. Southwick of this city. another member of the commission left for Albany yesterday to meet ber. Before his departure Dr. Southwick was asked what the result of the Commission's labors would be. He replied :

"The weight of opinions expressed in the replies received by the Commission in the circular sent out to prominent lawyers, judges and others in the State, asking their views on the subject, is against hanging and in favor of electricity. The report, therefore, will be in favor of the adoption of some electrical apparatus for executions. That is the end toward which I have been working for six years, and if the report of our Commission does not culminate in the passage of a bill abolishing hanging I shall begin to think that I have been working in vain. I have noticed that the bill introduced in our Legislature last year was copied in Paris and a similar one has been introduced by a Frenchman in the Legislative body of France. Germany has taken up matter. I wish that the Empire State would take the initiative step toward a broad luminary. The only argument that can be brought in favor of hanging is that it is of deterrent effect, but I maintain that a painless death would have just the same influence upon society if it were accomplished in secret. Let prison be removed from life pain lessly and secretly, without the hurrah and sensation that attends a

Southern States.

hanging."

The revelation of the immense undeveloped mineral resources of the Southern States, which is now being made, gives assurance of the sleep declares that sleep is preventide of industrial activity that is ted by an excess of blood in the per cent. profit, don't believe it. soon to stir the pulses of this por- brain, and proposes as a remedy to tion of the country, and transform pump the blood back from the

its character. The fact is beginning to be man- breathing, for which directions are ifested that mineral products of given as follows: in the tide, but the final result will substantially, follows any sudden ments. be an adjustment to a solid and pro- and extreme emotion. So violent gressive line of steady growth and a disturbance of the system, howdevelopment .- [Chicago Mining ever, is not advised for the purpose

What the South has Learned. [Mobile (Ala.) Register.]

Congressman Herbert, of Alabama, at the dinner of the Merchants' Association in Boston recently, ob-"I knew James Henry Pain for served that there is really no new

A Young Girl Shot Dead for Refusing to Marry.

SPRINGFIELD, KY., Jan. 27 .-Sleepers—Montgomery and Washington, Aiken and Washington via Danville. On trains 52 and 53 Pullman Sleeper between Richmond and Slee

rupted me and asked me if that package was all right. I said 'yes' pas into the room in an upward dipackage was all right. I said 'yes' pas into the room in an upward dipackage was all right. I said 'yes' pas into the room in an upward dipackage was all right. I said 'yes' pas into the room in an upward dipackage was all right. I said 'yes' pas into the room in an upward dipackage was all right. I said 'yes' pas into the room in an upward dipackage was all right. I said 'yes' pas into the room in an upward dipackage was all right. I said 'yes' pas into the room in an upward dipackage was all right. I said 'yes' pas into the room in an upward dipackage was all right. I said 'yes' pas into the room in an upward dipackage was all right. I said 'yes' pas into the room in an upward dipackage was all right. I said 'yes' pas into the room in an upward dipackage was all right. I said 'yes' pas into the room in an upward dipackage was all right. I said 'yes' pas into the room in an upward dipackage was all right. I said 'yes' pas into the room in an upward dipackage was all right. I said 'yes' pas into the room in an upward dipackage was all right. I said 'yes' pas into the room in an upward dipackage was all right. I said 'yes' pas into the room in an upward dipackage was all right. I said 'yes' pas into the room in an upward dipackage was all right. I said 'yes' pas into the room in an upward dipackage was all right. I said 'yes' pas into the room in an upward dipackage was all right. I said 'yes' pas into the room in an upward dipackage was all right. I said 'yes' pas into the room in an upward dipackage was all right. I said 'yes' pas into the room in an upward dipackage was all right. I said 'yes' pas into the room in an upward dipackage was all right. I said 'yes' pas into the room in an upward dipackage was all right. I said 'yes' pas into the room in an upward dipackage was all right. I said 'yes' pas into the room in an upward dipackage was all right. I said 'yes' pas into the room in an upward dipackage was al creating any draughtr

HE ATE HIS RIVAL'S HEART. The Terrible Revenge Obtained by a Jealous Husband.

victs accompanied us on the march- mander of the army of the Cumber- lustrations drawn from life. The es as our camp-followers, and I had land. A story is told of the Sena- subject of the tariff was under conmany convict servants appointed to tor when he ran for his first office, sideration the other day and Mr. wait on me. One was a man, a that of Attorney-General of the Morrill had a good deal to say about nice, gray-haired old fellow, who, "Old North State." There were the "commercial necessities of the suspicious of his wife, killed his many suiters for the hand of Miss country." Then Senator Beck rival, cut the heart from the body, Hattie Exum, the belle of the Roa- took it up, and he also talked about cooked it, told his wife it was a noke Valley. The Senator was the "commercial necessities of the sheep's heart, ate it with her and then a Whig, one of the true blues country." Then it was Vance's

sent out are not quite so bad as were defeated. The Whigs and was a country fair down in my this. They are the habitual crim- Democrats who recognized in him State," said the Senator, "and inals of France who are to be dis- one of the most-popular young men among other stock entered for pre-patched, male and female, after the in the State vied with each other in miums was the or nariest looking manner of their kind to perpetuate giving him their support. When hog you ever saw. It had a back a population near Australian shores, the returns were counted Mr. Ran-like a razor, legs like an antelope, the most iniquitous the world has som was elected by an almost unan-ever known. It is not so very long imous vote and the accomplished there was not an ounce of superflu-back that I went on board a French daughter of Roanoke became the ous flesh on the animal, and the transport in the port of Melbourne, wife of North Carolina's favorite committee on award, as well as the bound from Havre to Noumea. son. Sixty young women were among Mrs. Ransom is one of the most the beast was entered for. Of the passengers, under the charge of highly educatek ladies in the South. course the committee passed it by,

that the French and German rule Carolina. should not be further extended in the South Seas, the islands of which are our natural heritage.

Sleep as a Mechanical Operation.

A writer on the philosophy of brain by a peculiar method of

wonderful variety and extent are | Having assumed the usual posscattered over a large portion of the ture of sleep, the person is to inhale Southern States, as they are, in slowly and steadily long breaths, fact, throughout the whole of our devoting the whole attention to coal, iron, oil and gas in me boun- of ordinary breating, although not tiful supply and excellent quality sufficient to disturb the circulation are being discovered in many local- by working the lungs to the utmost pose to filch young men of money ities where natural advantages give capacity. In support of this theory gained by hard labor, and before additional value. The rapid move-reference is made to the feeling of entering into any speculation which ment of investing capital in this direction and the substantial charac- lungs will a lethe air they will hold of the many means at your com- "How do you know?" "Crape on ter of the improvements shows that the advance, in a majority of cases, will be permanent. Possibly, as in the rapid occupation of any new the rapid occupation of any new field, there may be some fluctuations in the tide but the finel result will be permanent.

here sought, but a steady and gradual diversion of the blood from the brain to the lungs and body .- New York Tribune.

A Veteran Locomotive.

One of the oldest locomotives now in active service is the "General" of the Western and Atlantic Rail and with which they attempted to escape from Big Shanty, up the Western and Atlantic Railroad, and and burn the bridges on the line between that point and Chattanooga. Death of Prof. Willoughby Reade. pected some fool or other would The "General was also directly under fire of the Federal batteries in tain. June 27, 1864. She carried back to Marietta after its termina-

Acknowledging its Error.

A good way to ventilate a room posed in the case of the American personages must become "mummi met him in the street, and we were talking about Von Bulow, the pianist, who had recently arrived in the country. Suddenly he intertake a room posed in the case of the American personages must become "musmui fishing schooner, Howard Holbrook, and the balance of the \$400 deposition as pecial chamber in the rock, and so their coffins are placed by her awards restored. This rupted me and asked me if that cut to fit it, A current of air will makes the sixth fishing case in where water falls constantly upon

A Southern Dame.

Under the head of Some Southern women who are leaders in Wash-No worse hell can be imagined Times says: The wife of Senator than a convict village in New Caledonia. One cannot even suggest in markable woman. She was Miss print the enormities which take Hattie Exum, of an old family of of the Senate, and seldom attends & place there. During the native wealth and influence on the Roa- meeting of the committee on finance war in 1878 I was with the French noke river, where they still live. of which he is a member, without troops and we had our quarters at | She is also a near relative of Gener- | illuminating the discussions on the convict depots, says a writer. Con- al George H. Thomas, the com- tariff and the surplus with a few ilthen slew her. A modern Titus of the "Tar State." It was noised turn, and he said he had something about that Miss Hattie would not to say about the "commercial ne-These recidivistes who are to be accept his proffer of marriage if he tessities of the country." "There

some good Sisters of St. Joseph. She reared and fitted each one of and when the premiums were award-They had been selected, as one her six sons for College. To-day ed, an old cracker with a quid of selects cattle, to be given as wives she has the proud motherly satis- cobacco as big as a rutabaga turnip to the good donduct prisoners of faction of seeing two of her "boys" in his cheek came to the headquar-Noumea. They were nearly all rising lawyers, one a prosperous ters and asked for the committee murderesses-of husband, lover or farmer, another with the Senator as on hogs. his private secretary and two at the "Did yourns see that ar hog o' One in a fit of passion had thrown University of North Carolina. Her mine,' he asked. 'I reckon young her baby out of the port-hole during only daughter, Esther, also received didn't, er youruns wouldn't a-give the voyage. Better perhaps that ed her rudimentary and preparatory him the go-by.' the infant should die innocent than instruction from her mother and "The chairman of the committee that it should grow up and be the has just completed her education at told the old man they had seen the mother of a family of criminals. some of the finest female institu- beast, and wondered what it was The recidivistes are to be allowed tions at the South and North. She there for. It was a cross between a to breed, but neither they nor their is skilled in languages and painting wild-boar and a race horse, and they children are ever to be allowed to and will make her entrance into couldn't conscientiously give it a return to France. Where will the society next season. Mrs. Ransom's premium as either. brood go but to the neighboring health is somewhat delicate. Gen- " 'I reckon youuns don't undershores of Australia? It is little eral Ransom's sister, Eugenie, stand the commercial necessities of wonder that we have made an out- married General William Butler, this ere region, gents,' replied the cry about this, and have demanded brother of the Senator from South old mon, 'er younns'ld a-seen the

Some Things to Disbelieve.

When a man advertises for partner, and wants a young man to put in a small investment of one hundred dollars, and promises him a realization of fifty or one hundred

When a man offers to give gold watches or jewelry worth fifty and one handred dollars for one dollar,

don't believe it. utmost to make every one else rich, "Balaam's animal spoke-can't and looks to other people's interest | von ?" more than his own, don't believe it.

When a man offers to give you a many thousands of dollars. I tied richly endowed country. Not only making the inhalations and exhala- thing of great value for something man a start in life," said old Hunks gold silver, copper, lead, mica, va- tions exactly the same length-the of less value-in other words, to as he kicked Jones out of the door, rions precious stones, but stores of length to be much greater than that give you something for nothing, "but lalen't consider my daughter don't believe it.

Many persons advertise on pur-

CHRISTIANS MASSACRED.

A Petty African Potentate Slaughters Converts in Great Numbers.

ganda has received letters from the band, who was suffering from ti. Catholic missionaries in Uganda, effects of the night before, "you Africa, in which is related the story cannot say 'No.' Learn to say of the massacre of native Christians. 'No,' John, and you will have The writers say that King Mounga fewer headaches. Can you let me recently discovered a servant study- have a little money, this morning?" ing a catechism, and, being greatly "No," said John, with apparent enraged, caused the massacre of 100 ease. negro converts. Most of the victims were burned alive. Mounga, the missionaries say, vows that he will destroy all the Christians in his two feet and six inches," was the

NORFOLK, VA., Jan. 26 .- Prof. J. Willoughby Reade, well-known the great battle of Kenesaw Moun- in this section for years as a reader and elocutionist, died this morning up a load of ammunition, and stay- at the residence of E. W. Moore, on ed there for the purpose of receiving Freemason street, where he has been the wounded and bringing them sick for several weeks. The deceassick for several weeks. The deceased was a native of London, England, tion. Some of the shells from the Federal batteries exploded all around her. She was also the last locomotive to leave Atlanta when Hood's tive to leave Atlanta when Hood's leaves a son and daughter, both of ted stock of army evacuated the city. The "Gen- whom were at his bedside. His reeral" is still in the service of the mains will be conveyed to Wythe-

Petrification of a King.

BOSTON, Jan. 27.—A Halifax is not yet officially buried, although special to the Herald says that a he has been dead a year. Accordnormal fine of \$25 would be im- ing to rigid Spanish etiquette royal

A NEW JOKE BY VANCE.

What he Had to Say on the "Commercial Nece sities of the Country."

[Wash, Cor. Chicago News.] Senator Vance is the story teller spectators wondered wkat on earth

good p'ints of that ar hog. The commercial necessities of this 'ere region, gents, is a hog as kin outrun a nigger, an' I've got the

FACETIÆ.

It is safe enough to say that earthquakes originate under the sea. No one can crawl under there to

A Boston woman has written a very brief letter to a member of When a man proposes to do his Congress. It reads as follows-

"I am willing to give a young a chromo to be thown into the bargain."

"Did you carry that prescription to old Mrs. Smith last night?" said the door this morning."

BEFORE TAKING LEAVE.

Her lips were like the leaves, he said, By autumn's crimson tinted: "Some people autumn leaves preserv By pressing them," she hinted. The meaning of this gentle hint The lover did discern; nd so he clasped her round the neck,

And glued his lips to bern.

"The great trouble with you, Rowe, January 12.—The Propa- John, is," said a lady to her hus-

> A browbeating counsel asked a witness how far he had been from a certain place. "Just four yards, reply. How came you to be so exact, my friend ?" Because I ex-

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