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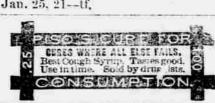
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HER LETTER.

A RELIC OF THE "HURON."

We walked at night the wreck strewn-We walked and watched the dying With eager eyes and ready hand We sought to find some sea-tossed form.

And as we walked, the guard and I, The tide crept out, till broad and gray The shingled sand shown smooth and dry, Beneath our fitful lantern's ray.

On either side and everywhere Lay hmp and broken bits of wreck, Of clothing, ropes, of wooden-ware-All kinds of things one finds on deck.

From out this scattered wreckage waste I stopped and picked a little note; A dainty monogram was traced Above the lines the owner wrote:

'My darling;" but it gave no name, As if he only of mankind Lo such sweet title had a claim : The words were coined her love to bind.

Twas written full and crossed again, All interfined with after thought; Twas spotted o'er with salter stain Than e'en the sea could yet have

'My darling;" there a fold was pressed The words just here were fainter yet, As though 'twere bore upon his breast, A prize and sacred amulet.

Anon, she wrote her hopes and fears, Of fickle fortune s smile or frown, Of home-like joys in coming years, When they were wed and "settled nown.

Her loving letter to its end, And little ureamed the waves would float Her writing to a stranger's hand. omewhere to-night a girlish face

Is raised to God m mute despair :

And so this unknown maiden wrote

omewhere a woman prays for grace And strength of soul her load to bear. Her hopes he buried in the sand,

Wante this tells of the love that's lost, This sea stame t letter in my hand. OLD YEAR CELEBRITIES. - No. 4.

Rossetti. the Painter-Post. [For The Commonwealth.]

The reaper with the scythe and nour glass was busy last year in the liel of letters to an extent that pre vents even the high thinking from ever trusting to his indulgence Within one month Longfellow, Fmrson, and Darwin fell under hi trokes. But they were sheaves ripe for the harvest. They had given the world their best and maturest, and and lived to be rewarded by all that fame and serenity of age could coner. But it was not so with Dante Gabriel Rossetti. With him life seemed prematurely cut off He was taken in his prime and in the plenitude of his powers. There is something melancholy and suggestive in the fact that his death took place on Orders by mail promptly filled. Easter Sunday. On this day of joy and resurrection there was taken from the world one of the greatest poets of his age; there went out, while hope was looking on, the light of splendid gifts that gave promise of much more of the finest art of the

> or the weired magnetism of his mit precision and independence of the 4 art and literature. Few more inter music then selves, they beard him its remarkable outcrops.

The painter comes to the aid of chief representatives. the poet, and he gives us ideas as images, and subtle conceptions as tangible existence. It is, in truth. apainting in verse, presenting beauty to the mind's eye and the music of rythm to the ear. What can be more beautiful than this damez 1 Honorable Thomas J. Jarvis, Govdressed in a flowing white robe on Commissioners - Chairman, Aaron Pres- which she wore a delicate white rose, lilies in her hand, as she leand out

She scarce could see the sun?

from the gold bar of Heaven,

Out of the circling charm : Until her bosom must have made The bar she leaned on warm. And the lilies lay as if asleep

Along her bended arm."

episode in the drama of his secluded general and brief. life. The beauty of his chosen part-

'This is her picture as she was: It seems a thing to wonder on, As the mine image in the glass Should tarry waen myself am gone. gaze untu she seems to stir,-

Until mine eyes almost aver That now, even now, the mute lips part To breathe the words of the sweet heart-And yet the earth is over her."

Rossetti belongs to that class of painters and poets who are pure ar lists, as distinguished from thinkers, prophets, and revealers of the secret aws of nature and ethics. He is to the artistic brotherhood what Keats Ridge. workers who love beauty for its own Some of the oldest mines are still cess of the railway and lumber mill. going into the woods and meadows and meadows and collecting insects and watching and collecting insects and watching sake and regard the expression of yielding handsome profits, and new The common roads have been gra- and collecting insects and watching this the true mission of art. I do not ores of good promise have been re- led and new ones made in a region birds, but that his mother thought ne

In a summary view of Rossetti it glish poetry, Rossetti came before would be difficult to say at what we the world as an entirely new singer, GENERAL DIRECTORY, wonder most, precocity of his youth "pouring out his first notes with the

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ernor of North Carolina:

And still she bowed herself and stooped tions. The sweep of the work in- to which this was the only gateway. veritable revolution, in the way of me an opportunity to observe many revolution, values have been enhanc- vou to a trip next summer to Cran- them occasional periods of rest. things connected with its resources ed, more in that time than in any berry and the top of the Roan, Very In 1860 Rossetti married at the and progress, of which, I am sure, century before. Many other ore beds respectfully, your odedient servant, from your well known interest in all of the same quality have been opened age of thirty-two; and this brief period of wedded bliss is the most matters of that sort, you will be in the neighborhoo l, and preparations pathe ic and the most melancholy gratified to have report, however are making to erect furnaces at these

ner to the nuptial game inspired covered, with a minute topographical in all directions about the terminus teacher, as related by herself, illusmany of his early works, both before survey, nearly 2,000 square miles in of this road, on both siles of the trates our point. She had charge of and after the marriage So delicate this State, laying mostly between Smoky Mountains and the Yellows, a school in a country town early in and Madonna like was she that he the Blue Ridge and Smoky ranges, and have climbed nearly up to the her career, and among her scholars made her his model for many of his from the French Broad and Swanna- top of the Roan. Not less than two was a boy about fourteen years old. most exquisite paintings. She, too, noa, to the Fork of New river, ex- million feet of cherry lumber have who cared very little about study open air. used pencil and brush with delicacy tending westward through Virginia been cut already, and it is sent to and showed no interest apparently of touch; and that little home was a and Tennessee into Kentucky. The market as rapidly as transportation in anything connected with the with the mental culture, for asthenkind of Edenic studio from which members of the several corps were can be furnished. One mill on Elk school. Day after day he failed in opia is most usually observed in went out beauty and richness of art gathered from all par's of the Union; river, near the Grandfather, has al- his lessons, and detentions after those who are lacking in physical deto gladden the hearts of the world. some of them had been on the Rocky ready manufactured 800,000 feet of school hours and notes to his widow. Rossetti loved his tender bride with Mountain surveys. The region was such cherry timber as the market of ed mother had no effect. One day all the fervor of his poetic soul, and thus brought under the observation the North have not known before. the teacher had sent him to his seat, received in turn woat the fullness of of men qualified to observe and com. Here are the forests which have been after a vain effort to get woman's heart can give. In the pare and judge; and the minute and described in the publications of the from him a correct answer woman's heart can give. In the pare and judge; and the minute and described in the publications of the from him a correct answer midst of such an air of inspiration authoricative information in regard survey for a dozen years, as the to questions in grammar, and, feeling with the will annexed, on the estate how nobly must Love have wrought to the wonderful and undeveloped finest on the continent, and the somewhat nettled, she watched his in rythm and color! But such ex resources of this part of the State, typical trees several times described, conduct. Having taken his seat, he

beath From this sudden shock his ment. Some of the most efficient ber, worth \$250 more than the price then betook himself to a close inservous and sensitive nature per- members of the Division were tempt- of a square mile of these magnificent spection of the insect. For fifteen aps never wholly recovered With 3d strongly to quit the service and forest lands a few years ago. The minutes or more the boy was thus er death life seemed bereit of all embark in some of the numerous owner of this mill recently offered occupied, heedless of surroundings. tope and purpose. At this untimely promising enterprises which solicit \$2,000 for the cherry timber on v and the expression of his face told lose of her days, he felt that his attention on every hand. The im- 500 acre tract near the foot of Grand- that it was more than idle curiosity ork, too, was over. With her he me liste purpose of the topographical father of which the owner was anx- that possessed his mind. uried his dreams, his love, and his work of this season was, of course, to lous to sell the fee simple a few A thought struck her, which she opes of fame. He placed in her furnish a basis for geological work years ago for \$200. offi. the only manuscript of all his equally minute which is to follow The mill near the top of the Roan nity that day. "Boys," said she, noems, yet unpublished. Fortune to next year, and after. So much in has manufacture 1 200,000 feet, and "What can you tell me about fles?" v for the world, Mr. Rossetti's per general. Five years ago I visited, has 7,000 trees still to cut, before and calling several of the brightest mission was obtained for their re- by request, the United States Coast being removed to another cove, a few by name, she asked them if they covery some years afterward. He Survey observers, who were carrying miles distant. Among these is one could tell her something of a fly's has a somet so fitting to the memory a triangulation through the Piedmont of four and a half diameter, the larg. constitution and habits. They had of his lost love that I cannot refrain on the summit of the South Moun- est yet measured by these old lum- very little to say about the insect. 'Competition is the Life of Trade.' rom quoting a part of it here: tains and the Brushy Mountains. bermen. Besides cherry, these mills They often caught one, but only for

pretend here any attempt to decide cently opened. The Boston capital- most difficult, in order to reach the was wasting his time. The teacher,

now than ever. tivity in copper mining also. The

esting feats are left on record than with no less appreciation. And what But the greatest activity and enavidity and enthusiasm with which Rossetti actually did himself is per-terprise is shown in the search for an Assistant Policemen A. David, W D little Gabriel's infant mind took to haps surpassed by what he inspired exploration of the fine iron ores of the great master's. He was reading others to do. The man possessed un this Iron Mountain region, which rewith wonderful appreciation the im- equaled magnetizing properties that alizes the ancient description "Whose mortal works of Dante and Shakes. rendered active all the genius which stones are iron and out of whose hills peare by the time he could fairly lisp came under his influence. He had thou mayest dig brass." These are was he satisfied merly to read. At cundating thought in other minds; burg three years ago, and which the the age of five (I make extra demands he was always full of suggestion to analysis, published in the former before the first Sunday at 11 o'clock, A. on the credelity of my readers). his others, so that he was fitted in an State report, show to be equal to the M. Prayer Meeting every Wednesday precocious genius took a practical eminent degree to be the founder of best in the world. I have had to night. Sunday School on Sabbath morn- turn, and he wrote a kind of play in a new school of art I should hardly make a dozen special reports on these blank verse called "The Slave." It call new, however, the prerahaelite ores within a year past, and the contained two characters, and wa movement, of which Dante Rossetti region has been traversed by numeror a lake as it is, without any effort ported to Northern furnaces; and "The Plessed Damozel," written to improve on nature. The school preparations are making to erect Baptist-(colored.) George Norwood, at the age of eighteen, is a product itself, as such, may have soon come furnaces on the ground, where al-Pastor. Services every fourth Sunday of his youth that shows much of the to naught; but Rossetti has left his ready quite a village has sprung up. SIR:-In accordance with the ar- of the notable engineering exploits lions of invaling capital. which she work a deficate with the Board of of the country. The bed of the road, I do not know any son of North poor light.

Wood, John A. Morfleet, and M. slong her best and three white Agriculture I entered on the work for six miles is hewn out of a rugged Carolina who would enjoy more 2. Light along her back, and three white Agriculture, I entered on the work for six miles, is hewn out of a rugged Carolina who would enjoy more 2. Light should come from the of the United States Geological Sur tortuous canon, whose walls rise thoroughly than yourself. Governor, side, and not from the back or from

eluded a large and most interesting And the six months since the comsection of this State, and furnished pletion of it has effected a veritable

points also. The season's work of the Division | Lumber mills have been planted cessive joy was too intense to be which will be thus distinct even in- thirty-six inches in diameter and pushed the book impatiently aside, attorney, R. H. Smith, Jr., on or before other than short-lived, and after only cidentally throughout the continent, seventy feet to the first limb, and and espying a fly, caught it with a the 6th day of February, 1884, or this two years his wife was removed by will tell at once upon its develop- containing above 3,000 feet of lum- dexterous sweep of the hand and notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery.

Beginning the new triangulation are cutting walnut, ash, birdseye sport, and did not think it worth from the same summits last October. maple, black birch (mahogany) and while to study so common an insect. | TAKE this method of informing my I traversed the same sections by the popular, and shipping north and same roads. The communities visit northwest. The walnut attains a discillation of the same sections by the popular, and shipping north and silently, but with kindling eves, lissuadden to the same sections by the popular, and shipping north and silently, but with kindling eves, lissuadden to the same sections by the popular, and shipping north and silently, but with kindling eves, lissuadden to the same sections by the popular, and shipping north and silently, but with kindling eves, lissuadden to the same sections by the popular, and shipping north and silently, but with kindling eves, lissuadden to the same sections by the popular, and shipping north and silently shipping north and shipping north and shipping north and silently shipping north and ad have in the interval gone forward ameter of eight feet (in one case tened to what his schoolmates hesitat. WOOD, where I am still doing all kinds as with a bound. There is a most nine); ash, six feet; maple, five; ingly said. He burst out with a de-and at as Low Figures as any Good notable improvement in fields, fences, birch, five; poplar, eight; and the scription of the head, eyes, wings Workman will do it. roads, houses, in agricultural imple- forests of these with chestnuts, eight and feet of the little creature, so full ments, methods and results. The and ten feet on the slopes and bench, and enthusiastic that the teacher wheat drill and thresher, the cotton es of the Smoky, strongly suggest was astonished and the whole school patch and commercial fertilizer, have the giant groves of Mariposa. Some struck with wonder. He told how climbed the flanks of the South of my scientific friends whom I have it walked and how it ate, and many Mountains and the Brushs, and are recently met in that region, confess- things which were entirely new to invading the foot hills of the Blue ed that they had discounted the rep his teacher. So that when he had and Shelly were in their day. As a But the most extensive changes in regard to the ores and the forests. You have given us a real lecture in painter, he is at the head of colorists; have occurred in the region beyond but now acknowledge that they have natural history, and you have learn as a poet, he belongs to the esthetic the Ridge, the terra incognita of the never seen them matched. But the ed it all yourself." school (I use the word with the idea State and the continent. The mica incidental improvement of the counit carried with it before we heard of industry is still prominent and pros- try is more important than the direct noon she had a long talk with the Oscar Wilde's gospel); a school of perous in Mitchell and Yancey, and immediate advantages of the ac- boy, and found that he was fond of

what claim ethics has upon art or ists who came to the Museum a year market with lumber. And with new however, wisely encouraged him in what art owes to ethies; but I do say ago to i quire for a mica mine, have and better roads have come new set- this pursuit, and asked him to bring that Rossetti has admirably fulfilled purchased the one recommended and tler, with other industries; also bet- beetles and butterflies and caterpilhis mission in the line he caose. His have introduce I superior mining ma- ter houses, and better an I more active lars to school, and tell what he knew paintings are pronounced worthy of chinery and methods, and find it one intelligent and profitable farming. about them. The boy was delighted his creative genus, and his somets, of the most profitable mines of the Within a few years past it has been by this unexpected turn of affairs, we know, are among the sweetest in region. And one of the oldest mines, found that the high plateau north of and in a few days the listless dunce near Burusville, is still yielding a ton the Black and the Grandfather, which was the marked boy of that school. Taking to the pen at the time when or more of marketable mica per until recently scarcely numbered Books on natural history were pro-Mr. Tennyson and Mrs. Browning month, worth about \$50,000 per an. wheat among its crops, is really one cured for him and a world of wonders were the most popular writers of En. num. This mine has made half a of the best regions of the State just opened to his appreciative eyes. He dozen fortunes and is more profitable as it has been found within a few read and studied and examined; he years that it can produce the fine soon understood the necessity of There is increased interest and ac | yellow tobacco along Granville and | knowing something of mathematics Caswell. By way of further illustrat. geography and grammar for the sucdle age. His father, himself a man new-fledged thrush in the woodland Elk Knob mine has been successful. ing the rarity as well as importance cessful carrying on of his favorite of letters and a poet of no mean chorus." If his listeners were few, ly opened and the mining engineer of the region and of study, and he made rapid progress order, early inspired the son with a they were certainly more select. If reports both the size and richness of the directions in which the new de. in his classes. In short, twenty years love for what is high and noble in they possessed no wide range of the ore as surpassing the promise of velopment is manifested, I give one later he was eminent as a naturalist, fact out of many. Near the base of and owed his success, as he never the Grandfather I passed a new and hesitated to acknowledge, to that large and co.nonolious dwelling into discerning teacher .- Winston Leadwhich a family immigrated from Vir- er. ginia had just moved within a week. The farm, one of the best in the region, had been purchased during the year at a very low price, payable in five In a certain printing office in this the lines of his mother tongue. Nor in unusual measure the power of fe- the ores which were carried to Pitts. years, without interest. And a crop city, there is a compositor who is of wild cranberries, of over two hun- deaf and dumb. In the same printthe Northern market. So that this power of evolving tremendous volunteer crop will easily pay the sneezes when the spirit tickles their purchase money before it falls due. noses. One of them is a little, short. It would be difficult to fin I the new chubby fellow, with a round, red probably suggested by his reading of was the originator and the ruling ous parties of geologists and experts country West, or in any other directions. The grandeur of his sneeze Hamlet. Early in his academic spirit, when its object was to go back and capitalists, and a great number tion, which can surpass this in wide is so utterly disproportionate to the Services at 3 o'clock, P. M. on the second career he studied the languages, or to the old and seek to pro luce again of sales and leases have been made open avenues to prosperity and forand fourth Sundays. Sunday School on which he mastered many: but with the simplicity of the early masters. and many new ore beds opened and tune for the enterprising. There are fellow printers refer to it as "wrongthis study was a strong bent to do The Pre-Raphaltite Brotherhood has hundreds of samples carried North broad areas of mountain land, wilder- font sneeze." The other is a tall, Episcopal—Rev. H. G. Hilton, Rector. something in art. We are told that no desire to "splash as no one splash for analysis. The Cranberry ore bell nesses yet untouched, with a soil raw-boned Yankee, who sneezes in Services ever first, second and third he was a careless and desultory en before," but sought realistic ef- has been opened on a larger scale, Sandays at 10% o'clock. A. M. Sanday with that of the Weither of the two compositors who student in whom his companions saw feets in art. It would paint a flower and many thousand tons of ore trans. State, would rank with that of the Neither of the two compositors who bottoms," and such forests as are sneeze works in the same alley with never seen east of the Blue Ridge. the compositor who is deaf and dumb, The sound of the steam whistle, of and the cases between them are so the locomotive and lumber mill, has arranged that he cannot see either of at It o'clock, A. M., and 7, P. M. Sun- day School on Sabbath morning. Invaded the summits of the Black, them. Nevertheless, when either of the day School on Sabbath morning. In this little poem he treats the most England, of whom we may regard sixty tons of ore raised per day; and the Grandfather and the Roan. The them sneezes he always jumps as mystical subject as a living reality. Mr. Swinburne and Mr. Morris the additional compressors are nearly completion of two or three more railcompleted, which will increase the road enterprises, already well mature his ear. Of course, he cannot hear product to 250 tons. The Diamond ed will bring the last of these magni- the noise. The question for the has been pushed across the vein 120 ficent "Southern Reserves" within scientists is: How does he know feet and has not touched the further wall. As you are aware, this enterprise has already involved an outlay of about \$1,000,000, and yet it is only in its first stage. The Cranberry narrow gauge Railway is itself on ligent direction of the indexing at th narrow gauge Railway is itself one ligent direction of the indowing mil- rules for the better care of the eyes

vey, August 15, and organized, un- almost vertically a thousand feet or the inspiring sight of a whole region the front. der the orders of the Director, the more from the bed of the Doe riv r of the State, hitherto, for the most 3. Do not read or study while suf-Appalachian Division, making Bris- This road has opened up one of part little better than the wilderness fering great bodily fatigue or during tol, Tennessee, the centre of opera- the richest sections of the continent, Daniel Boone left it, undergoing a recovery from illness.

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put into practice at the first opporturesentations of the geological reports finished she said: "Thank von!

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