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IT is said that Duluth is now ing all that Proctor Knott's magination several years ago prophesied it would be.

Snow fell a toot deep between Lynchburg and Clifton Forge, Virginia, May 23d, 1883. Those fond of chronicling notable occurrences may jot this down in their note books.

THE English have placed the bust of the American poet, Long-fellow, in Westminister Abbey be-tween the busts of Dryden and cormal reply by a friend as soon as the had selected one. Chaucer. They have the American bet and informed the had selected one. in ancient, but very honorable

company, and shares of

A TANSINGBURG firm has almost completed a paper steamboat for a Pittsburg company. Its length is have passes." twenty feet. It has seating capacity for twenty-five persons and a carrying capacity of three tons, The sheathing is a solid body of paper three eighths of an inch thick. A bullet from a revolver fired at

ENIGHTLY WEAPONS.

the surgeon of his reg-the ground. And hers in the back there way thing had bee tional Laine mail immediate associates of the he Mediteranean and had occasion acerned; and not only were there

captain hud the mistortane to get into trouble with a French military officer-o 'Colonel Toursel-well into trouble with a French military officer-o 'Colonel Toursel-well into the city and in Toulon as a five story of the had fought many duels; and had his two seconds, and the attacheof the museum came forth with the weapons in his arms.
As soon as five story of the trouble became known, the friends of Capt. Grey earnestly besought him to take himself out of the way mutil the 'thing' find blown over. 'For,'' said they, "the colonel will restainly oblighted for an an to whom the sword and pistol are the avery day play: things of a lifetime."
"But the Yankee skipper only shook his head, and promised that he would take good care of Number One. Within half an our after the will, and our after the weapon of your best and bravees has been wild take good care of Number One.

onel's came with a challenge, couch- them from the keeper-"was borne

who chanced to speak English, "you weapon; and, egro, the weapon of a will allow us to select the *localite*, gentleman. The noblest men, the bravest soldiers, had been prond to ons. We know one beautiful place, just beyond the northern gate, we Capt. Grey threw off hi

room."

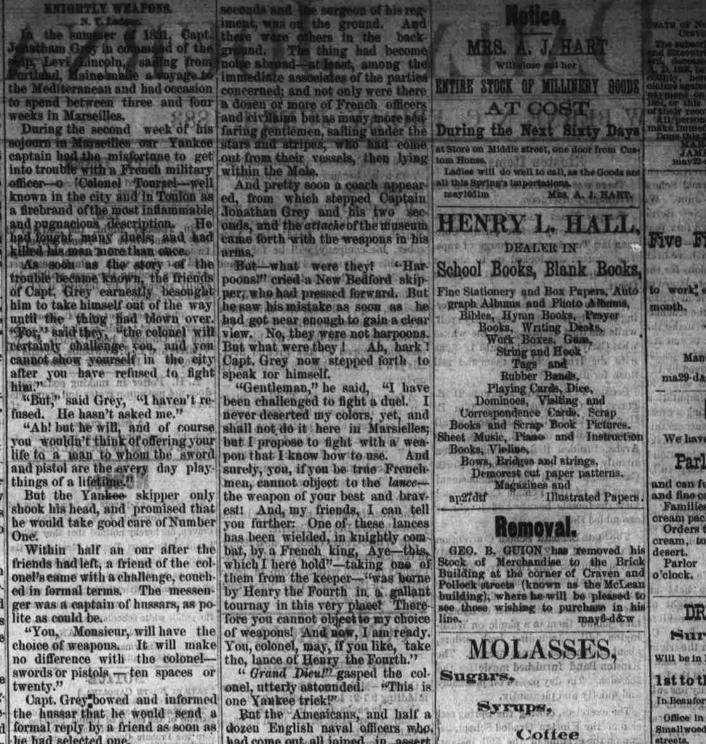
the hussar went away laughing at twelve inches in length, two or what he thought an excellent joke. three inches wide in its broadest

One. Within half an our after the friends had left, a friend of the col-which I here hold"—taking one of ed in formal terms. The messen ger was a captain of hussars, as po-lite as could be. "You, Monsieur, will have the choice of weapons. It will make no difference with the colonel. "The messen by Henry the Fourth in a gallant tournay in this very placet There-fore you cannot object to my choice of weapons! And now, I am ready. You, colonel, may, if you like, take the, lance of Henry the Fourth."

"Of course," said the Frenchman ing that the lance was a knightly

Capt. Grey threw off his coat and grasped a lance. The stout ashen All right. They were welcome to select the place. "Only," sug-gested Grey, "I shall want plenty keeper had carefully brightened, gave proof of its temper in its color. "Aha! Good! Very good!" And This head, of finest steel, was about

A bullet from a revolver fired at the sheathing from a distance of only four feet neither penetrated nor abraded it. MANHATTAN ISLAND, on which the city of New York stands, and Long Island, on which the city of Brooklyn rests, are now united by such mighty cables that the two





AT THE OTTY MADNET. the supplied with the very best from Read, Forn, Mintlyin and Beaungs that WHOLESAE GROCERS I have secured a new boller, and have a large force at work putting my Mill in order, TRUCK BOXES. and 'will be prepared to furnish the BEST' Fine Groceriest Fair Lealing LOWEST PRICES

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cities may be hereafter accounted is snicidal!" one. The completion of the great bridge was celebrated on the 24th instant with a degree of pomp and parade justified by the occasion. For years to come this bridge will be one of the great attractions of the great metropolis, a marvel of engineering skill of which she has

was the meeting last week at Niagara Falls, where the Fifth Virginia regiment of Confederates were the guests of the 28th New York regiment. At the battle of Cedar Mountain, the Virginians captured leading the way to the Museum of a flag of the New Yorkers in a desperate encounter and last week returned it to the original owners. dance, to whom he told his story, cans only laughed the louder; the A one legged Confederate Major at thesame time making known his English joined because they could A one legged Confederate Major handed back the flag to a one armed Union Colonel, with appropriate pacific and fraternal speeches on the past of give and take. The battle scarred veterans have seldom fought their battles o'er again under more pleasant circumstances.

A VIRCINIA newspaper editor has been cited to appear before a county court judge to answer for contempt of court. The editor accontempt of court. The editor ac-cused the judge of packing a grand jury and is now forced to defend himself, not before a jury, but be-fore the vary man he has accused. This matter of constructive con-Said he, in explanation: empt is always in danger of beming at gross injustice. The power of punishing for contempt of court by summary process should be confined to acts and words in the confined to acts and words in the presence of the court on the bench. A judge, who is falsely memory is falsely ing; but, on the contrary, they had reason to be thankful, for never be bore had there been such a rush to the museum. For several weeks invites is overy day, invites is townemen ing; but, on the contrary, they had reason to be thankful, for never ing; but, on the contrary, they had reason to be thankful, for never ing; but, on the contrary, they had is falsely ing; but, on the contrary, they had reason to be thankful, for never ing; but, on the out is to invites is townemen ing; but, on the is contrary is deter ing; but, on the out is townew in the museum. For several weeks invites is townemen in the following morning, height and early, Col. Tourzel, with two

such mighty cables that the two that man! Why-the very thought and let it fly. He threw with such

"Why, they would reject them at though it had been an arrow shot

"Welt, Ben., I want you to come with me. Pve got an idea." So away they went,—Capt. Grey Art and Antiquity; where he chanc-ed to have a dear friend in atten-Instead of being angry, the Ameri-

The next move was made by Capt. Ben, Blazo. He waited upon

"I cannot exactly name the weapons; but we give you this assurance: They are such as French gentleman from time immemorial, have been proud to wield." "A soldier's weapon?" queried

"Just you hold on a bit, if you please. Suppose I should select harpoons as the weapons?" "Why, they received a such precision that the beld it steadily is worth that

a right to be proud. ONE of the most noted re-unions of veteran soldiers that has occur-red since the eruel war was over was the meeting last week at Nie myself that I can handle a harpeon with any man that ever sailed out of a Yankee port." "I know yon can, Jack, but that won't do here. But if you could ring in the harpoon, you'd have him foul?" laugh more and more heartily; and, at length, in despair, he turned and left the ground, hurling back, as he went, the terrildy cutting remark that he would not associate him-self with "miserable tricksters!" But even that failed of its intent.

want. The keeper entered into not help it. And, as soon as the the plan with interest, and promis-colonel and his immediate friends the plan with interest, and promis-ed the captain that he should have what he wanted. "Only," said he, "I shall have to go with them, as they are in my custody, and I cannot properly let them go beyond my sight." So it was agreed that the keeper of the museum should act as one of Capt. Grey's seconds, and he would bring the weapons. Colonel and his immediate friends had gone, those of the Frenchmen who remained on the ground made it known that their sympathies were entirely with the Yankee cap-tain. Not only did they enjoy the fun of the huge joke, but they were rejoiced to see the quarrelsome, dual fighting colonel for ones in his life completely beaten. Col. Tourzel returned to town and remained there just four-and twenty

remained there just four and twenty hours. The morning of the follow-ing day saw him in the saddle, headed for Toulon. It had become too hot for him in marseilles. too hot for him in marseilles. And Captain Jonathan Grey was a hero. The story flew. It was one of the best things ever known. There had been a fear in the mind of the attache of the museum that the Directors might possibly find fault with him for letting the lances —especially the historic innce of Henry IV.—go out from the build-ing; but, on the contrary, they had reason to be thankful, for never be-bore had there been such a rush to the museum. For several weeks there came inudreds every day, anxions to see the knightly weapons of the Yankee captain's duel.