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dwelt a maid,

dest way-

mer's day;

with the morn.

form.

farmer,

his charmer,

loved her dear girl,

mond, my pearl."

happy and free,

Queen Bec.

jokingly say,

look sad,

with tears

looked grave.

he learn it.

on the sward,

face of Maud.

in a whirl,

ing girl."

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He'd been down to the fields to see the hay

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Went out, and then met "Old Ben's" hon

Ben's" friendly palm,-

brightest of scenes,

with him roam.

old Ben's heart.

could bring,

some day,

good bye;

I send-

the end.

Ben knew.

noble heart.

don't know,

tells me so,

on the floor,

"he's dead.

I was poor,

from his door.

such a way.

ed my name."

that, I swear

his breast,

grass where he lay,

He left me for one, a wife too was she,

But he loved her, and hated, yes hated poor

With my child in my arms, he drove us

mother a start,

And mother would sit with eyes on his

Where sorrow had left its indelible trace,

A sigh that welled up from his great,

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Freemasons' Hall, London, by the English

Church Union, to protest against the encroachment on the liberties of the Church of England by the civil power which has

The ex Queen of Naples, who is a great horsewoman, is again spending the hunt-CHATHAM, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1877 ing season in Northamptonshire, having returned to her old quarters near Towcester, where she and her husband have a select stud of fourteen "good uns to go." There was some talk of Her Majesty's sister, the 'Mid the green hills of Bathurst, there once Empress of Austria, going over to Easton Neston, but it is unlikely that Her Im-My story is of her, in the valley it's laid perial Majesty will put in an appearance Her fresh, glowing beauty, and sweet, mo-

in the Shires this season. Her life seemed to pass like a bright sum-This was Maud, our pet, with her fairy-like Who danced with the twilight, and sang He'd kiss her gold curls, and call Maud With blessing she'd murmur, "my dia-In their little white cottage, they lived

would be disbanded. As though 'twere a hive, and Mand the As he kissed her sweet face, he would "Some time you'll get married, and go far See life in the city, and forget poor old They are covered with a rich, variegated Though 'twas said in a joke, his face would And the sweet look of love would allay all for tenting purposes, and a bayonet joint As she pillowed her head on his great heav-

It is stated in the naval intelligence of the London Times that there is every probability of a new Inflexible being constructed to carry two or more of the monster guns which it is proposed to build in emulation of the 100 ton guns with which the Duillo and the Dondolo will be armed by the Italian Government. There has been some talk about placing one 100 ton gun in each of the turrets of the Inflexible, instead of two 81 ton guns, for which she was originally designed; but, if such a change was ever intended by the constructive department of the Admirality, it would now appear to have been abandoned as im-

In Birmingham, since the passing of the

Yet she still must love Rolland; and away the Act passed for the surpression of babyfarming, no such revelation of infant mor-Sometime you'll get married, and go tality has been made as that officially reported to the guardians of St. George's, See sights in the city and forget poor old Hanover-square. The ladies of the Con-Were the words that re-echoed in poor vent of St. Vincent de Paul, Carlisle street, Westminster, keep an orphanage, And the thought made the tears from his and of 489 infants under a year old admitted into it between June, 1859, and last Time on its march at last brought the day November, 402 have died, 10 remain, and And Rolland and Maud went together 77 have been removed. At the end of August last the Local Government Board Poor Ben found his thoughts no comfort sent Mr. Ballard to inspect the institution For the nest now was broken, and the and he reported that of 53 infants received bird on the wing, A letter,—yes one, "I'm happy," it said, since June, 1875, 44 had died in the house and one after removal from it, and of the 'Be sure that white Bunny is cared for eight survivors five remained in the estab-And don't forget Rover, my companion in lishment. The cause of this terrible destruction of life seems to have been that And father don't worry, I'll come back the charitable women who managed the Kiss mother! God bless her! (Now that institution had undertaken a task for which they had neither proper conveni-And Rolland is laughing there,) kiss her ences nor sufficient means of procuring what the children needed. The children To all my dear schoolmates, my best love were taken in from distressed families, had Your own darling Maud,"-and that was already suffered deprivations, and careful wet-nursing was required in many cases

The rector of Landulph, Cornwall, is at variance with his parishioners, and from time to time has annoyed them by instituting suits. One action was for the price of a surplice, a second for washing the surplice, others for rent of glebe-land, and Caused the knitting to fall and gave another for a fee for erecting a tombstone. It was proved in the course of trial that he Why, father, you grieve, for why, I had put a notice on the church-door, calling the tenants "land beggars." The judge remarked that it was no wonder he 'Hush! What's that! pshaw! it's only the had raised a hornet's nest about himself, and non-suited him because the Agricul-Trying to pelter its way through the pane, tural Holdings Act required twelve months What, again, why it's Rover, scratching notice to tenants, and he had given only six. The fee for erecting a tombstone was That's strange, for I thought him asleep disallowed, because neither contract nor 'Tis open! and Rover leaps in with a bark,

custom was proved. The rector had commenced charging fees because he said he While the cry of an infant is heard in the believed "Dizzy would make another leap in the dark, and disestablish the English 'Father!" That voice! both start in accord, Church as Gladstone had the Irish Church "My darling she's fainted—why, mother, it's Maud." at twenty years' purchase, when every shilling of the revenue would then be worth a pound to him." The judge told the rec. The story was told, while Ben sat like stone, tor that if all clergymen were like him disestablishment would soon come, and the But why should he care, wasn't Maud safe sooner the better. And where is he now, Ben presently said, One of the most curious stowaway cases The tears softly fell as she murmured-

that ever came to light has just been disclosed during some legal proceedings at Newcastle-on-Tyne. In December, 1873, the ship Mileta left Rio Janeiro for Blyth, England, and after the pilot left her, a man appeared unexpectedly on the deck, who turned out to be a Blyth sea captain named Nelson. He shot a man in Rio who had boarded his vessel for plunder, and during an adjournment of the inquiry into the matter he had quietly stowed himself away in the Mileta just before she weighed anchor. Capt. Nelson was added to the ship's crew, and was obliged to do ordinary sailor's work for his food, receiving for thirty-six days no wages. After that, a sailor having left the ship at St. Thomas, he was regularly taken on and was discharged on the ship reaching New York. After the vessel arrived in England, in making up her accounts, the owners brought suit against the captain for \$100 for carrying and feeding Nelson, "as a passenger." The Court held that it was the captain's duty to have made some arrangement with Nelson as a passenger.

Great Britain.

In great Variety and at Prices in keeping total debt of the Indian Government in owners received a verdict for \$75. The has increased by a little more than £1,-

'Till I found him, yes found him, on the Gold, Silver and Plated Articles, He was dying, on his bosom I saw the cruel SUITABLE FOR PRESENTS for either But he knew me, and died, as he whisper-D. G. SMITH, Chatham, LADIES OR CENTLEMEN. Agent for Miramichi, etc. "I forgive him," cried Ben, "if he did

> GENTS' JEWELRY, FINE MEERSCHAUM PIPES, MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

with the Times. ISAAC HARRIS, Chatham, Dec. 7th, 1876.

ought to have done.

Increasing disquietude is represented to prevail in Cape Colony respecting the disturbances on the Kaffir frontier. The Colonial Government has sent Mr. Eustace on a mission to negotiate with Krell, a Kaffir chief, who has encroached on British territory; but the chief for four days refused to receive the English representative, and had surrounded himself with 5,000 armed warriors. Mr. Eustace met with a complete rebuff, and was unable to obtain from the chief any assurance that the boundaries

would be respected or that his armed force ence, and the rest about eighteen feet. damask silk fringe around the edges, ornamented at the top with gilt balls, and lined with finished cloth. The handles, which are of lancewood, are armed with spikes on each stick renders the whole more por-

Like a poor, tired bird that had just found A stranger, an artist, -that you'd know at Sograceful, so calm, so handsome and brave, The young folks adored him, the old folks To make a short cut he turned in the lane, When he first beheld Rolland the artist of

He was painting, and heard not "Old Ben' Free Libraries Act, the authorities have One glance at the picture, 'twas the sweet expended nearly £100,000 upon their Libraries and Art Gallery. The penny Hey day! Rolland started as from a whip rate, which is all that the Act sanctions Your pardon I beg, for looking over your to be applied to these purposes, yields about £5,500 per annum. They have be-But the sketch for a moment set my head gun at their own risk the erection of a new For it's the image of Maud, my own darl. Art Gallery, which will cost £13,000. As a proof of the success which has attended their exertions to foster refined tastes in the community, it would appear that nearly 300,000 persons visited their Art Collec-A soft hand was stretched out in "Old tion last year, which is just one-third of To the little white cottage they walked the total number of visitors to the South Kensington Museum in the same period. This proportion, when estimated according Far better had Ben let a wolf in his door, As not long after this he was cut to the to the extent and character of the surround. ing population in each instance, is favour-But anon, I'll relate, for the courtship beable to Birmingham. Statistics of the same sort equally interesting might be ad-Our Maud was in love-theartist, the man, duced in reference to Liverpool, Manches-He told her of life-to her beyond dreams With his arms round her waist, pictured ter, Bradford, Nottingham, and other industrial centres. Though to her what was brighter than

Says the London Daily News :- Since A year had elapsed, the letters were few. Maud was in foreign parts was all that to restore them.

She was grand, I was simple, she was rich, But a duel shortly followed, Ah! I walked To his child I'm a father, and your son is With the babe in his arms, and Maud on Evermore all was happy in that haven of Within the last ten years £20,000,000 in and that he really was such until he became

round numbers have been added to the regularly engaged at St. Thomas. The

India and in England, while the revenue strange feature of the case is that a man who works without wages should have to pay for his maintenance, while the moment he receives remuneration for his work he A great meeting has been held at the is also entitled to his board.

The firm of umbrella-makers in Glasgow have lately filled an order for forty enormous sun-shades, which are to be sent as presents to African chiefs. Three of these parasols-or palanquins, as they are also called-are about thirty feet in circumfer-