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Woodsteck, Jap. 1st., 1858.

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[Written for the Carleton Sentinel.] FRIENDSHIP.

Lines written to a Friend. There is a Gem more precious far, Than rubies, or than diamonds are : There is a Star that shines more bright, When darker grows the dismal night, Than all the glowing orbs of night. There is a sun whose brilliant ray, Can never know a clouded day : There is a mild-a ceaseless flame. No floods can quench-it glows the same, Few feel its warmth, who know its name. There is a Stream whose gentle flow, No parching droughts, or change can know, It cheers the heart in deepest woe. There is a Bond whose circling power, Unites the noblest hearts each hour, The brightest-loveliest human dower. There is a bright-a golden Chain, Whose links no power can rend in twaine. There is a Heart, and O! how blessed The one by whom that Heart's possessed; Its changeless kindness unto all will flow, It ne'er forsakes a friend, nor scorns a foe, In cold Adversity's dark hour of woe. There is a polished nobleness of Soul, There is a glorious Gift divine, That down from Heaven to earth can shine Its wreaths of light true hearts enshrine. There is a power,-may it for thee, Last through all time-eternity; There is a tie within the Heart, Known to no mortal power or art, That time and space can never part.

There is a friend, whose power and grace, And boundless wisdom, rules all space, For friends who breathed the latest breath, And rose triumphant over Death ! That Gem, that Star, -that Sun and Flame to Shine. Stream, Bond and Chain, Heart, Soul, Gift, Power divine, And Tie, are Friendship's-may that Friend be Thine.

Canterbury, Oct. 17th, 1859

Select Tale.

ISHMAEL.

(Concluded from our last.)

Five years had elapsed, when Henry received a letter from Pennygoes, in which he was requested be exchanged for property nearer Boston. For full par- to meet the writer at a certain hotel in Baltimore; ticulars apply, enclosing stamp, to JOHN STILES, 18 -day and hour were designated. Wondering not the flames of Gehenna. State-street, Boston. To three or four families a little as to the reason of the summons, he obeyed

one; and as he was seated in the reading-room. The day came at last; he had stretched out his arm suggested for consideration whether a man ought near the time appointed for the meeting, behold, Matthew Fullham, his father's brother, enteredthe gentleman whose sentiments as his guardian neither physical force nor energy of mind may save had so little coincided with his own. "Are you here, too, to meet Pennygoes?" said

"Yes; and do you know him?" "I have reason to-it was he who ruined your strongest in New York?" father, and nearly ruined me." "He?-Pennygoes?-I thought the name was

but this man was in fact nearly the sole owner. jobbing size, 16 by 22 inches. For press or particulars daughter—it was too late then for advice—it was too late then for advi Presently Pennygoes appeared, and took them to

Plain, Mass. Fall Term begins Sept. 7; Winter Term,
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A. HARVEY, Principal, Needham, Mass.

A. HARVEY, Principal, Needham, Mass. you lay the loss of a good deal of money; justly, in one sense, though I didn't secure a copper to myself. The crash fell on my head as well as yours; and if it had been otherwise, the law gave you no hold on me. Therefore you had every reason to give up the case as desperate. What if I am ready Mr. Matthew Fulham's eyes sparkled.

"But, gentlemen, I don't mean any such thing -I mean to pay the whole-every single cent of

Pennygoes, after utterring this, strode about the not at bottom a bad-hearted person." to the inspection of the whole world. Finally he curious. stopped in front of the elder Fullham. "What I "Our country here has the fullest kind of an dred thousand, not a cent more or less!"

Where's the man can say more than that?'

heaven knows, now it has come, it sets me crazy!" interest!" Mr. Fulham senior cast a side glance at Henry, "Never mind, though, I'll pay it yet! Let's ing stateliness.

Henry hastened, and, to do him justice, so did him from falling, till he tottered to a seat. his uncle, to beg the scrupulous debtor to dismiss tion cancelled. Pennygoes would listen to no representations. In

whatever was due his uncle, "Will you, indeed? that would be great." "I will this very day; and so, as I'm your sonin-law, and have Ellen, who is worth more than all the gold in Baltimore, you will consider yourself

is for me where money's to be made fastest."

safe keeping!

desolate and areary. At the same time, the lenses either. Think the sum over-figure out the answer "There was a plague whereby many as they composing the walls concentrated the sun's heat - if you can. What are you worth at this present sneezed dyed sodeynly, wereof it grew into a custhat flood which bore life and joy to all the rest of time-a couple of hundred thousand?" the world-end poured it in fierce and blasting in- "Probably five times that." was the man's heart scorched and wilted, and there sum, and I'll calculate mine." to fragments. The man, unconscious of his former know.

The man was Henry Fulham. He had become a for him to have been thrown into the embrace of every principal carries with it an interest. the grim image which of old used to glow amidst As for "Ishmael" himself, there are not a few When a sow with a litter of pigs crossed the high-

wishing to emigrate and purchase together, this offers a it. He put up at the hotel named—a third-rate Her only hope was of what the world calls ruin. compos. Perhaps they are right; yet it may be too far-he had coped with millionaires, and sank to pronounce upon his neighbor's sanity, unless he down in despairing consciousness that, in this arena, is sure of his own. a man from the fate of nerveless impotence. "Oh, Ellen!" he exclaimed one morning, after

not anxious to keep up such an intimacy as would disgust, but by his own fireside, within the sacred light cannot penetrate, and they will not be disgust, but by his own fireside, within the sacred light cannot penetrate, and they will not be disgust, but by his own fireside, within the sacred light cannot penetrate, and they will not be disgust, but by his own fireside, within the sacred light cannot penetrate, and they will not be disgust, but by his own fireside, within the sacred light cannot penetrate, and they will not be disgust, but by his own fireside, within the sacred light cannot penetrate, and they will not be disgust, but by his own fireside, within the sacred light cannot penetrate, and they will not be disgust, but by his own fireside, within the sacred light cannot penetrate, and they will not be disgust, but by his own fireside, within the sacred light cannot penetrate, and they will not be disgust, but by his own fireside, within the sacred light cannot penetrate, and they will not be disgust, but by his own fireside, within the sacred light cannot penetrate, and they will not be disgust, but by his own fireside, within the sacred light cannot penetrate, and they will not be disgust, but by his own fireside, within the sacred light cannot penetrate, and they will not be disgust, but by his own fireside, within the sacred light cannot penetrate, and they will not be disgust, but by his own fireside, within the sacred light cannot penetrate, and they will not be disgust, but by his own fireside, within the sacred light cannot penetrate, and they will not be disgust, but by his own fireside, within the sacred light cannot penetrate, and they will not be disgust, but by his own fireside, within the sacred light cannot penetrate and they will not be disgust, and they will not be disgust, and they will not be disgust.

thousand dollars to my credit!' He seized his hat and rushed out. Ellen sought | things shall tell us about them. her chamber and wept bitter tears.

lars which came so opportunely (or disastrously) matter, the bankers communicated to Fulham a at the time for the somewhat free language in which

owed you was fifteen thousand dollars." Then assortment of queer folks, but this old codger, Penturning to Henry, he said, "My debt to you, or nygoes, tops the lot. When the doctor told him it what's the same thing, to your father, was eighty- was certain death if he stayed longer, he only anfive thousand dollars—yes, altogether, a round one swered, 'Interest at six per cent. never stops, and and that wrairbs are visible to them. hundred thousand dollars, not a cent more or less. I won't.' So, on he kept, amidst cholera, fever, How them figures have stood up day and night and everything else. Since being driven his bed before my eyes, as if they were chalked out in fire! he in the first place proceeds to get my brains all Ore hundred thousand! one hundred thousand! up in a snarl by making me calculate interest in was always a ding-donging in my ears. One hun- every sort of way, till at length he became satisfied that one hundred and thirty-eight thousand dollars Again he paced the room, as if lost in old con- covered his debt to H. B. Fulham. After that, instead of dying in peace, he must needs be anxious "I've worked some, these fifteen years. Yes, to have a clear five thousand dollars left, to be apgentlemen!" he continued, with animation, "and plied in building a church at the mines, by some though it is I that says it, -if to my industry there parson or other, whom he had bluffed off a few had been jined the learnin' and education that some weeks before, and who, it appears. had in return has, and wastes in unprofitableness, I needn't have his sins a most thorough dressing. Allowing for been all of fifteen years making a hundred thousand our commissions, doctor's fees, &c., it was found dollars .- But there's business on hand ;- here, Mr. he would not have the amount he wanted, unless another set for you, to the tune of eighty-five thou- ing upon life, instead of fixing himself to ge out. gloomy birds premonised Cicero of his approaching sand. So the job's done-clean off my hands, and he calls for an undertaker, and not only that, but death. from the day of the smash down to this hour, the mutter, Pay up-pay up! Principal and (his into the fire. thought never never once entered my brain; and voice always rises here into spasmodic emphasis) and The occult science of omens pronounced the put-

"Never mind, though, I in pay it yet. Let's One night Henry Fulham sat in his parlor, absee how much it comes to. At six per cent., that's let's hack to a very remote period. A slice of this sixth and the south of the second of this sixth and the second of the second of this sixth and the second of the second of the second of this sixth and the second of the second of this sixth and the second of I'm rugged—I'll last a good while yet—there'll be at the door, and presently a visitor was ushered in lord. I'm rugged—I il last a good in light the light and features, haggard, light then it will be increasing— —a man of bent form, and features, haggard, light the light then it will be increasing— —a man of bent form, and features, haggard, light the light the light then it will be increasing— —a man of bent form, and features, haggard, light the light then it will be increasing— —a man of bent form, and features, haggard, light then it will be increasing— —a man of bent form, and features, haggard, light then it will be increasing— —a man of bent form, and features, haggard, light then it will be increasing— —a man of bent form, and features, haggard, light then it will be increasing— —a man of bent form, and features, haggard, light then it will be increasing— —a man of bent form, and features, haggard, light then it will be increasing— —a man of bent form, and features, haggard, light then it will be increasing— —a man of bent form, and features in the light then it will be increasing— —a man of bent form, and features in the light then it will be increasing— —a man of bent form, and features in the light then it will be increasing— —a man of bent form, and features in the light then it will be increasing— —a man of bent form, and features in the light then it will be increasing— —a man of bent form, and features in the light then it will be increasing— —a man of bent form, and features in the light then it will be increasing— —a man of bent form, and features in the light then it will be increasing— —a man of bent form, and features in the light then it will be increasing— —a man of bent form, and features in the light then it will be increasing— —a man of bent form, and features in the light the light then it will be increasing— —a man of bent form in the light the

after death to pay you a visit. Henry Fulham! I never omitted.

I would do. The plan was not so had, yet a miser- born, that herrayed our Saviour Christ." As he opened the door to pass cut, they heard able fool I showed myself in the performance. You | Sneezing has been considered a good omen from

stop growing, if you only laid it by on a shelf for to make the other mistake, surely the madness of tion of the fire thief, was the man he had fashioned Nebuchadnezzar when he eat the grass isn't a par- of clay. The Rubbites tell us that not very long allel to this. Now, Fulham, I have some doubts after the creation, the Lord ordained every human In days when wonders were common on the earth, about you. Don't talk of your greater sense, and being should sneeze but once, and that the soul a man was known to exist around whom walls of all that, for I saw in you long ago that sort of should leave the body at the moment of sternutacrystal reared themselves, till at length they closed syunk which the devil very well knows how to tion, but that the decree was revoked through the in an arch over his head. This glassy dwelling make a handle of when he wants to hoist a man supplications of the patriarch Jacob. When the was of quite another sort from that which fairy into crookedness and folly. Besides, even in my King of Mesopotamia sneezes the auspicious event kindness erected for the benefit of the great-nosed trying to do right towards you, I've put temptation is celebrated throughout his realm with banquet, prince: though it did not exclude the perception of in your way. Remember, all this money is not dance and song, and every demonstration of joy. external objects, the rays of light in their passage yours-it is borrowed capital, and the interest runs We have the following account of the customs of were stripped of all color :- nature was made arid, on at a greater rate than six per cent., or seven saving "God bless you' when any one sneezes :

tensity upon the solitary prisoner. And though "So much the worse; it makes the ciphering The leaves of the Bay tree put under the head he remained etoically impassive, visible effects were harder. How many widows and orphans could be were supposed to occasion pleasant dreams, which producing upon him. Even his outward form fed on that? Go to work, now and see how your never failed to be realized. Maidens in the North withered: but the nature of this fire is to pierce account will stand, when the balance is struck at of England, whose feet were impatient to trend the

was little doubt that it would ere long be consumed He ceased speaking, and the two sat in silence leaves, and place the book under their pillows, that to ashes. But lo! a mighty mass is falling from for a long time. What thoughts were passing they might dream of the men who were to be their

guardian angel in heaven; not so feels one faithful the merchant, said, "I am in a maze-I am bewil- to a singular piece of witchcraft. She would profriend who stands on earth ;-these hail the im- dered-confounded-the answer's too large. Don't cure a bird's heart, and the moment the clock struck pending struke with joy. They see in the fall of wait for my ciphering-I can't stay to finish it. twelve at night, she would pierce it with a number the crystal lonse,—though it may for a moment Look out for yourself. Pay your debts—pay your of pins. Her lover would be sure to pass a restless beat down the in-dweller himself to the dust, -the debts! every one of them, but especially the great night, especially if he had taken a heavy supper. signal of deliverance, of salvation from an unutter- debt-I don't mean Nature's-that settles itselfbut His-His!"

merchant and an adventurous one. Up to a certain Henry Fulham was induced to withdraw from a tell us that when the left ear tingles the breath of point, his enterprise had been as prosperous as his pursuit which, to him, was crowded with danger. slander is soiling out fair fame, if the right, some heart could desire; and nothing but insufficiency of If this decision has deprived trade of one of its one is speaking good of us. capital could stand in the way of complete success. columns, who that knows anything of the unosten- If the right eye itches without a cause, tears will His means were well chosen, provided only he had tatious and effective beneficence it has occasioned. shortly flow from it, if this sensation is experienced strength to give them effect. To be devoted to the can call it blameworthy?—who that has recognized in the other eye, we may expect soon to laugh. If acquisition of wealth is dangerous for any man; it what serene happiness attends the door of those the cheek burns, the interpreters of omens caution is thrice dangerous to one of a temperament and good deeds will call it unwise? Be this as it may, us to beware of the person who sits on the glowing character like his. Mammon, a pitiless god, relin- the change of life was an important event to Ful- side. The itching of the nose betokens toe appearquishes no suitably-prepared victim. If a man ham, if not to mankind; and pet, so far as human ance of a stranger, and if the lips itch we may hope enter that service under the impulse of an imperious eye can discover, it depended on so small a thing for a kiss.

persons who are ready to depose in Chancery-if way in sight of a traveller, it was accounted a Ellen recognized all the peril of his situation. occasion were-that he was unquestionably non lucky omen. - Charleston Courier.

SUPERSTITIONS.

As he read one letter, his countenance changed, be made to hear. As the sun is shining we may turity. That the coffee might be tended him

letter from one of their correspondents, a pologizing dire evils. It is related that there was a fearful labor of the plantation was in tending, picking. lantic coast "a wild, harum scarum fellow," had dicted the sedition of dictatorship of Pompey, and for preserves and sweet meats, and in raising vegedisplayed "business talent in California, and was before the massacre of the Misseunians, the dogs tables and poultry, and rearing sheep and horned room with arms akimbo, head thrown back, and An extract only from the lttter follows, the laws and before the battle of Hastings the dogs run horticulture, on a very large scale. Time was re-

these animals scent death before it smites a person, of soils, of simple cultu, and of plants and trees.

of the Owl was regarded a fatal pressage. "When Screech Owls crock upon the chimney tops, It's certain then you of a corse shall hear." among the omens of calamities:

"The jelous swan, agenst hys deth that singeth, And Edmund Spenser has the following distich on the venerable superstition: "The rueful strich still waiting on the beere.

The raven was also supposed to feel the shadow Matthew Fulham, are certificates of deposit for he could be buried for fifty dollars. What do you of coming calamity. The croak of this bird porfifteen thousand; and here, Henry B. Fulham, is think? With as much alacrity as if he were enter-tendded death. It is stated that one of those

makes the fellow fetch a whole lot of coffins, so that | Crows were also accounted prophetical birds Pennygoes received the acknowledgments of the he may choose among them. The chaffering that When flying in flocks they were watched by the gratified creditors with great complacency. "I have followed you never knew the like of. One by one Roman with trembling, for if they passed on the been passing," said he, after an interval, "with the coffins were lifted up on his bed, and he inspect- right hand they boded good, if on the left evil. The the good people for a reprobate: but haven't I ed each most critically. Very 'cure the old man flight of a crow over a house three times in succespaid up the last penny? I have been strictly just. showed himself at drixing a bargain;—but that sion, with a croak each time, was sure to be folundertaker !- I tell what; to see the ghastly man- lowed by a death in the family. An old writer was "It is true, sir," observed Mr. Matthew Fulham, ner in which his lantern-jaws worked; to hear him so profoundly convinced of the prophetical powers "that you have acted in a splendid manner; but, expatiate on the merits of his wares, inform us of this lover of corn, that he expresses the belief in posting up accounts strictly, it is usual to take how good this one would be to keep out the water, "that God sheweth his prevy counsayle to crowes." into consideration the—the—inshort, the interest " and how that one would last long enough to receive Several of the superstitions of the olden time "The interest!" repeated Pennygoes, vacantly, a second tenant, fairly made my flesh creep, After have been preserved by salt. The spilling of this the interest!—sure enough! It is the fact—it is all, they could not agree. The undertaker's lowest, indispensable substance has turned many a ruddy the interest! Where have been my even for the most rickety pine-box he had, was one cheek pale, and instantly silenced the most gleethoughts this whole time? I, a man in business all hundred and fifty dollars. Pennygoes sent him off, some laughter. If by an unlucky accident any one my life—never to have called to mind this! For declaring doggedly that he would wait till a overturns the salt-celler, the eye of an evil doom fifteen years! Why, 'tis the greatest wonder ever cargo of coffins arrived and brought down the is thought to be fixed upon him. And the person market. He at once paid the preacher the five towards whom the salt fall is all supposed to be The poor man laughed wildly—" Ha! ha! if I thousand, and seems contented to run his chance of about to suffer some mischance, but this may be ain't a curiosity! Look here! You, Matthew getting buried. He has not talked much since averted by having wine poured on the lap, or by Fulham, and you, youngster!—will you believe it! then; yet every once in a while we can hear him flinging some of the spilt salt over the left shoulder

The crisis was past. To the astonishment and unlucky occurence. Throwing an old shoe after signifying his decided impression that the speaker chagrin of many veterans of the exchange, the firm the bridegroom and bride on leaving their respecmust have been quite out of his wits this long time. of Fulham survived and stood forth in evershadow- tive houses, was supposed to secure for the couple

see how much it comes to. At six per cent., that so hundred and see how much it comes to. At six per cent., that so hundred and six thousand; fifteen times six is how much? sorbed in meditation. He was alone, for his wife back to a very remote period. A slice of this eighty-eight dollars; a cubic yard, six millions that the relation is a company to the property of six thousand; fifteen times six is now much; six millions that the eight had gone out—he had not cared to learn wither—charmed cake placed beneath the pillow was supeight hundred and seventy-six dollars. The quantity Whe-ew!—whe-ew! Bless my me, and I was but it was to meet other like-minded members of posed to bring before the inner eyes of the fair of gold, now in existance is estimated to be three thinking the whole time of nothing but it was to meet other like-minded members of posed to bring before the inner eyes of the fair of gold, now in existance is estimated to be three thinking the whole time of nothing but that line thinking the whole time of nothing but that line the door and presently a visitor was ushered in lord. It while not the door and presently a visitor was ushered in lord.

time before I die. But the Boule Countries of ugh! that interest!—every minute. Goodness gaunt, and cadaverously pale. His staff, and the Europe for the bride, after she entered her chamush! that interest!—every minute. ugh! that interest!—every minute. Goodness gadar, and clutch the ber, to turn and fling her shoe among the crowd says Lola Montez, in her lecture on "Wits and table's edge or the back of a chair, scarcely saved gathered about the door. The person who table's edge or the back of a chair, scarcely saved gathered about the door. The person who sue- Women of Paris;" ceeded in getting it was sure to be married before "There is no country where the women are more "I would have died in California," said the many moons. These occasions were productive of fond of dress and finery than the United States. his uncle, to beg the scrupulous dector to dismiss and finery than the United States. figure "if I had been sure that I could have come much noisy jolity, and this simple sorcery was and history shows us that there is no such depragate to dismiss and history shows us that the dismission dismission depends a dismission depends and dismission depends a dismission depe

order to relieve his mind of at least a part of its give you a notion of something Isaw. Look at me day in the calendar, and there are many who still for dress and show does not end in a general decay, then as at a chost—indeed I am little more." then as at a ghost-indeed I am little more." believe that the fifth day in the week exerts a bane-effeminate morals, then the lessons of history and The young merchant obeyed the direction by ful influence, upon fresh resolves and new enter- the experience of all ages must go for naught. looking most intently. prises. The Finnis never began anything of impor-

rascality. I early made up my mind that, not to Mondays, His lordship specifies these evil Mon-"Not I!" he replied curtly. "The payment of aim at perfect righteousness, I could be by long day, and assigns a sufficient reason for regarding my debts is my business-not Ellen's. Square off odds better than the generality, if I only took one them as unlucky: "The first Monday in April your uncle though, and I'll then owe the whole to virtue, and stock to it. I chose justice. I did not which day Cain was born and his brother Abel one person, which will save bother in calculating. start to ask favors of other people-I did not cal- slaine; the second Monday in Angust, which day Good-bye to you. I'm off from here-I'm tired of culate to do favors myself. It would be enough, I Sodame and Gomorrah was destroyed; and the butchering, and I'm tired of Baltimore. That place thought, if I paid all I owed; and this I determined last Monday in December, which day Judas was

him mutter, "This want of book learning is a know about the interest-but that was not the time immemorial. Prometheus is laid to have been great misery! What an unrighteous fool, though, greatest piece of forgetfulness ;- I fergot one of the first to bless the sneezer. The person who utto have supposed that a debt, like an onion, would my creditors—the principal one. If I seemed crazy tered this joyous sound, and received the benedic-

tome that they that were present when any man sneezed should say, " God help you." within, and feed on what it finds there; already the day of judgement. You be calculating your elysian fields of matrimony, used to open the Bible. at the Book of Ruth, lay a sixpence between the

above, and threatens to shatter the glittering edifice through the mind of each, none but himself could husbands. When a girl's sweetheart incurred her displeasure, and she wished to punish the scurvy evil plight looks up in horror. Not so feels his Finally Pennygoes, turning his glassy eyes upon fellow with had dreams, the angry damsel resorted That our ears glow and tingle when anybody is

taking about us is a conceit that has come down from the ancients. Those learned in occult lure

pride and a passionate ambition, it had been better as a debtor's honest ignorance of the truth that In the days of ignorance the meeting of a weasel was believed to pressage some fearful calamity .-

> How Sugar and Coffee are Cultivated -Mr. Dana, in his "trip to Cuba," gives the following

interesting account of the change from coffee to sugar cultivation in that fertile island Coffee Plantations .- The change of coffee plan-Superstitions love darkness, and like the Trolls tations to sugar plantations-from the cafetal to a night of feverish stupor, "had I but an untouched of the old Norseman, if light fall upon them they the ingenio-has seriously affected the social, as it hundred thousand dollars, I could wrestle with the die instantly. They used to be very numerous and has the economic condition of Cuba. Coffee must powerful, but many of them lie in undistinguished grow under shade. Consequently the coffee estate In her heart, Ellen blessed God that he had it graves; others exist only in memory; others are was, in the first place, a plantation of tress and by objects of mirth and fun; while some few retain the hundred acres. Economy and taste led the A few minutes later his messenger brought him their power to make people afraid. These last planters, who were chiefly the French refugees "Yes; Cantoch & Co. was the name of the firm, the mail; for he had not gone to his counting-room, mentioned are more potent than we are willing to from St. Domingo, to select fruit trees, and trees being determined that the stroke which was destined admit. They exert their secret influence over the valuable for their wood, as well as pleasing for

... & Co., have a hundred and thirty-eight safely take a look at some of these children of ig- gathered, avenues wide enough for wagons must be norance. Some of the old chroniclers of curious carried through the plantations, at frequent intervals. The plantation was, therefore, laid out like The howling of dogs is a hideous sound, and we a garden, with avenues and footpaths, all under The one hundred and thirty eight thousand dol- cannot wonder it was suggestive of great griefs. It the shade of the finest trees, and the spaces between is only less disagreeable than a woman's scream .- the avenues were groves of fruit trees and shade had been sent from California. To explain the It is placed by Shakespere among the portents, and trees, under which grew trimmed down to the has always regarded as the pressage of death and height of five or six feet, the coffee plant. The howling of dogs the night before Maximinus died. drying, and shelling the coffee, and gathering the it was couched. The writer, who had left the At- The dogs of Rome, by this melancholy cry, pre- fresh fruits of trees for use and for the market, and howled as they had never been heard to do before, cattle and horses. It was a beautiful and simple proudly, as if he were disposed to present his face of space compelling the omission of much that is about through the forests and fields, uttering the quired to perfect this garden—the Cubans call it paradise-of a cafetal; but when matured it was a If a dog howled in a neighborhood where any one cherished home. It required and admitted of no lay sick, it was considered the prognostic of death. extraordinary mechanical power, or of the applica-This superstition was grounded on the belief that tion of steam, or of science, beyond the knowledge

Change of Crops .- For twenty years and more The Owl occupied a place of honor and import- it has been forced upon the knowledge of the reance in the religions of Greece and Rome. Every luctant Cubans, that Brazil, the West India Island movement and note of this hideous and dismal crea- to the southward of Cuba, and the Spanish Man. ture were invested with significance. The screech can excel them in coffee raising. The successive disastrous hurricanes of 1843 and 1845, which destroved many and damaged most of the coffee estates, added to the colonial system of the mother Chancer mentions this hourse and horrible sound country, which did not give extraordinary protection to this product, are commonly said to have put an end to the coffee plantations. Probably, they only hastened a change which must at some time have come. But the same causes of soil and climate which made Cuba inferior in coffee growing. gave her a marked superiority in the cultivation of sugar. The damaged plantations were not restored as coffee estates, but were laid down to the sugar cane; and gradually, first in the western and northern parts, and daily extending easterly and southerly over the entire island, the exquisite cafe. tals have been prostrated and dismantled, the groves of shade and fruit trees cut down, the avenues and footpaths ploughed up, and the denuded land laid down to wastes of sugar-cane.

Sugar Cane .- The sugar-cane allows of no shade. Therefore the groves and avenues must fall. To make its culture profitable, it must be raised in the largest possible quantities that the extent of land will permit. To attempt the raising of fruit or of ornamental woods, is bad economy for the sugar planter. Most of the fruits especially the orange. which is the chief export, ripen in the midst of the sugar season, and no hands can be spared to attend to them. The sugar planter often buys the ruits. he needs for daily use and for making preserves rom the neighboring cafetals. The cane ripens but once a year. Between the time when enough of it is ripe to justify beginning to work the mill, and the time when the heat and rains spoil its qualities. all the sugar making of the year must be done. In Lonsiana, this period does not exceed eight weeks, In Cuba it is full four months. This gives Cuba a great advantage. Yet these four months are short enough; and during that time, the steam engine plies and the furnace fires barn night and day.

Gold.-A cubic inch of gold is worth one hundred and forty-six dollars; a cubic foot, two hunmass could be contained in a cube of twenty-three

ver of woman as this vanity. A hundred women have been right up to the dividing line—have looked Superstition has always set apart certain days as stumble over that block of vanity, where one falls Pennygoes would listen to no representations. In over into eternity: I have drawn myself back to good and other as evil Friday is the most ill-omened by any other cause. And if in the insane mania

> "Ever since I have been capable of observation, tance on Monday or Friday. Lord Burghly in a To prevent dough from souring, watch closely I have noticed in the world a wonderful deal of letter to his son, admonishes him against three and bake it as soon as it is light enough.