Poetry.

MISSING.

Missing! missing the record said But whether living, or whether dead, No one knew, no one could tell; They saw him with his sword in hand, They heard him give the stern command To "Forward! charge!"

Of waves that break along the beech They dashed into the deadly breach, Their bayonets like a wave of steel! Undaunted by the battle shock-Enclouded in the cannon smoke, They still press on for woe or weal.

Right up into the cannon's breath— Right up into the jaws of death, They hewed their way with steel and lead Till when the tide of battle turned, And up the east the round moon burned To look upon a sea of dead.

The tide of battle may have swept Him o'er the ditch-a prisoner, kept Alive and guarded by the foe, He may be wounded-suff'ring pain, Uncared for, on the dreary plain; Wounded? Or missing? Dead? Ah no!

If dead, he died a patriot's death; If dead, he used his latest breath To urge the shattered column on-The latest motion of his hand To steady on his wavering band To battle till the day was won. O God! how long is our suspense? But great, O God! our recompense For all this sorrow, blood, and woe! To battle on through Life and Death Till Victory crowns us, o'er the foe?

Select Cale.

PROFESSOR AND PUPIL

BY LESLIE WALTER.

" A lady to see you, Sir!"

"Presently, James. No: that won't do-I'll go down at once."

stiff boots, and as I viciously thrust my feet into these last, wondered why fate had made me a phybelieve, yet compelled to distress and torment innowith mental equilibrium, continually disturbed by contact with unpleasant persons and disagreeable associations-I had abused my profession, and steadily practised it for twenty years. Perhaps my recent vacation abroad had revived or strengthened his words of wisdom. the old discontent, and made me more than usually unwilling to return to the old routine. It was with but indifferent grace, I fear, that I creaked down

ces. I opened this suddenly and, strangely deliver- turnished by the demonstrator of anatomy. ed missive with a sinking heart.

for the best wishes of a dying man." pressing the tears that trembled on her long eye- ed bitter sarcasms on her unwomanly strength of he's a very near relation of mine. He once propo- you blush." "The fact is, husband, I was born to lashes. I remembered the rosy, fair-headed twins mind. One last hope he had; he declared that she sed to marry my sister Kate!"

which his rapt and solitary labors doomed her, and heard, or mind comprehended the consequence. reach the border of it? To say, in proper phrase,

innocent hands to mine.

I well knew how stern must be my guardianship, gies, and nerve her sunken spirits. were protection sufficient for her youth and girlish no tie of kindred or affection to bind her to any queathed me.

not far from my own, in the care of a kind, elderly more carefully prepared than any there. Her prowoman, was immediately engaged, and a suitable fessors were delighted with the promise she showed, Reluctantly I exchanged my comfortable dressing attendant provided for the young lady, who went they forgot her feminine capacity, and praised her gown and slippers for a black coat and a pair of under my charge to attend the lectures at the insti- kindly and encouragingly. All but one stern critic, tution with which I was connected, and, regardless | whose dark countenance glowered more darkly over of wind or weather, was daily visible in her chosen her little "notes" -restored in silent scorn, or with Ease-loving and indolent by instinct, yet seat in a dark corner, a little apart from the stu- a word of dry comment-in proportion as they were obliged to be prompt and active at all hours of the dents, who respected her claim to the place, and fuller and more complete, and whose anger was inday and night; naturally tender-hearted, I verily left her undisturbed in its possession. Hour after consistently fierce, as she advanced rapidly and unhour she sat, patient and silent as a statue, her derstandingly in his favorite science. I used mencent people, and assist at scenes of suffering and beautiful pale face shaded by her mourning veil, tally to compare him to the Mephistopheles of pain; theoretically philosophical and serene, but fixed in faithful and earnest attention-her mind so "Faust," as he stood before his pupils, with his absorbed, her heart so given to her weary task, that dark eyes relentlessly fixed on one drooping form in your mind; having made it up, stick to it. the lecturer, unconsciously to himself, addressed the dim background, shrinking from the lightning his sentences to the drooping, black-robed figure, of his look, while he gazed as handsome, as cruel, that shrank from all eyes but his, and hung upon as pitiless in the pride of intellect and will.

improved the tone of the institution, perfect as we home, I used to wish him safe among those shades the long stair-case, and entered my visitor's pre- every sentence to make it fit for her ears, the stu- I was more than usually reminded of this resemdents paid her a quiet and respectful deference, blance, one day during his lecture, as I waiteu The little ante-room where she waited was as which I had not hoped to see. It was so plainly accompany Emily home. The janitor had just handark and chilly as a November morning could make evident that the poor young creature was pursuing ded him a note from the L-street hospital, where it; and coming from the light and warmth of my a painful and distasteful task, that the chivalrous he often attended, which he passed to me, with cheerful study, up stairs, seemed so dismal that I sentiment in all her associates was aroused to look of open triumph. "Dear Allen," I read, "a bies is quite enough to make the poor thing throw did not wonder that the lady shivered and trembled lighten it as much as possible, and for their gentle case of compound fracture has just come in-very as she came forward to meet me. She was of a forbearance I rendered them thanks both silent and interesting-may have to amputate-bring your slender and elegant figure, dressed in deep mourn- spoken. Since they refrained from all other to- class." "It will be a good opportunity for Miss ing: her face so shaded by her black veil that I kens of interest, I could not wonder that their Halier's debut," he said coldly to me, as he went up could only distinguish that the features were pale glances sometimes wandered to the dark niche to his rooms in the college building, for his case of and regular, as she silently handed me a letter, and lighted by her pale beauty, and lingered long on instruments, and, selecting a dozen of his most adawaited an answer. Setting a chair for her before the glossy sweep of her chestnut bair, the shining vanced students, we set forth in procession. the slowly kindling blaze in the grate, I went to length of her lashes, the fine arch of her brows, the the window to read it. The superscription was in clear pallor of her cheek, the sweet curve of her the well-known hand of my old triend and fellow- lip, and the deep soft lustre of her beautiful brown | Seventy-Five Thousand Tons of Human student, Robert Haller, whom I had not seen for eyes; or that they preferred the surreptitious study half-a-dozen years, closely confined as we were, by of the fair picture thus formed to the contemplation

The latter authority was Emily's peculiar terror, the following interesting results:-"Dear Hay," it said, "before you return to and not entirely without cause; though, unlike the America I shall be gone; our old family complaint, rest of the faculty, he was both young and hand- our State if their dead bodies were laid in one conconsumption, a little aggravated, I think, by over- some, and perhaps even better fitted for his position tinuous line. work, will prevent my confiding a great charge to than they. The heir of an old name and an ancesyou, in person, as I hoped to do. It relates to my tral wealth, he had used both only to further his would count thirty-nine thousand cords. only surviving daughter, who will hand you this, pursuit of the scientific studies for which he had a If laid in a wall twenty-five feet thick and thirty and explain my wishes more fully. You remember natural taste and love. Endowed with wonderful feet high it would be over one and one-fourth mile the twins, and the 'peculiar views,' as you termed native abilities, improved by the best Continental in length. them, that I always entertained in regard to their education, he was eagerly secured as a prize by the life feet thick and ten feet high the pile would height of the heavy rain, we saw an old farmer education and future. That women may become first institution to which he offered his services; reach across the State. good physicians I do not doubt, and I intended to and returning to it, in various ways, the large salary And if laid upon the ground, they would cover ing boisterously. Thinking he had met with some prove my theory by leaving one of them as my suc- he received, squandered his own private fortune in every foot of soil in Jefferson County. cessor in practice. Edith was perhaps my favorite, the dissipated and prodigal habits he had acquired a child of wonderful ability and promise, but she in Paris and Germany. But while his brain was been spilled in Dixie's soil—enough to turn every said he, "don't it rain nice!—Jerusalem, won't cause they fell short of even the diminutive stature was taken from me; and I was compelled to sub- clear, and his wit keen in the desk, while his repu- spindle in Lowel, and if the tears were added to the the corn snap!—great Jove, how the 'taters 'll of four feet ten inches French.' stitute Emily, a very sweet and intelligent girl, less tation attracted scores of students of the best class. talented and self-reliant than her sister, but who and his voluntary services and valuable scientific and the unavailing sighs would fill every ocean sail. whip and laughing as the aqueous flood descended. fully understands my wishes, and is prepared to and literary gifts to the college continued so greatly carry them out. To her I have left my valuable to further its advancement, his associate professors, lions of wounded and maimed for life must be library, the accumulation of a life-time, and my mostly gray-beard practitioners, were content to brought into account in summing up the grand tolarge and complicated practice—I have no other bear with the faults and follies of youth, in considfortune to give her. In the scientific studies and eration of the superior talent and skill that twice And the end is not yet.

regret to say that I have found her exceedingly de- fined and gentlemanly to distress her delicacy or in- who has been negligent or careless in the matter. ficient in the requisite nerve and coolness, and that sult her womanhood by misuse of his professional But when tens of thousands are cut down in one her extreme self-distrust and feminine weakness and privilege, he found himself repressed and confined day by the procurement of designing demagogues timidity, are serious obstacles in the way of her within limits that mocked his idea of scientific in- we shout 'hallelujah,' and can hardly contain oursuccess; after years of careful training and prepa- struction, and irritably chafed and rebelled at the selves for joy, while we thank Heaven for the huthis reason I have resolved to send her to you, to his lecture room was an outrage upon his sense of was about three feet in depth. The idiot sprang of defiance. Their gay Sunday dresses were soon in shreef ever in the left of the idiot sprang of defiance. Their gay Sunday dresses were soon in shreef ever in the idiot sprang of defiance. Their gay Sunday dresses were soon in shreef ever in the idiot sprang of defiance. Their gay Sunday dresses were soon in shreef ever in the idiot sprang of defiance. Their gay Sunday dresses were soon in shreef ever in the idiot sprang of the idi be placed in the medical school with which you are womanly propriety; her youth and beauty made that we set ourselves to work at once to fill up the gentleman you last married assured me he only gave connected, and complete the entire course under the anomaly greater. He was accustomed to inveigh decimated ranks for another feast of carnage." your care. The ordeal-which I can see she dreads bitterly, to his friends, against this invasion of his -will be a severe and painful one, no doubt, but privileges; and to threaten desperately to throw up salutary and even necessary to fit her for the stern his office, and leave her shrinking ears to be assailed duties of her profession; and I do not fear that, by the course expositions of old Doctor Jewsbury, knowing my wishes, she will shrink from fulfilling or the bald facts of professor Page. He waited girl, and I'm sure she dresses as neat as I do, and them, at whatever cost to herself. The fruits of only for a final test. Cold and shivering she forced my labor and toil, my cares and studies for years, herself to examine and study the fragmentary ' premust not be lost for want of a son to sit in my seat, parations' he exhibited at his lectures, and standing to inherit my name, and pursue my beloved profes- before him pale and patient, listened to the explainsion, when death compels me to relinquish it. I ations he was compelled to give, bearing in uncomintrust to you, therefore, as a sacred charge, the plaining meckness the reproach expressed in every A very small officer struck an old grenadier my dear," answered the father; "what leads you care of my daughter's education under your auspi- line of his proud face, the impatient fire of his dark of his company for a supposed fault. The grenaces, and have full faith in your honorable regard eyes, the scorn of his fine lip, the contempt of his dier gravely took of his cap, and holding it over the replied the young idea, smartly, "I read the other clear voice. Fixed in her sad habit of self-com- officer by the tip, said, "Sir, if you were not my day of a sailor going to sleep in his watch." I laid down this singular epistle in utter dismay mand, she came away from these interviews white officer I would extinguish you." and perplexity of spirit, and irresolutely turned to and silent, to sink into fainting and crying as I the passive figure before me, still and pale as mar- conjectured, when she was safely at home; while A person asked Patrick Maguire if he knew Mr. ble, evidently exercising great self-control in re- Allen looked after her savagely and long, and vent- Tim Duffy—"Know him!" answered he; "why when they take it into their heads to do so.

English mother, the one romance of Haller's studious and toilesome life. No wonder she drooped self in the dissecting room!' and here indignation some brook, will set off all its principal roots in that and faded, through the lonely and cold existence to happily made him speechless, and no human ear direction. And how does it know it will be able to

had called away her daughter, leaving only one Poor Emily weuld not have dared to return the that the water attracts the roots in that direction, sweet comforter, her image in beauty of form and dislike, but she stood in fearful dread of her stern is to invent a new and very remarkable art of atcharacter, to cheer the father's heart. Poor moth- professor, his contempt wounded her cruelly, his traction. An attraction that pulls at roots in the erless child! doomed in her divine duty of love to a disdain embittered and poisened her existence. Re- ground, and turns them at the point of starting, is hard fate for one so delicate and fair, I seemed to monstrances on my part were useless, his conduct a something created to account for the fact in quessee the protecting guardian argel, trembling, hover passed the bounds of cold politeness; his tion, which is even more difficult than the fact itself. near, as the letter, that was to inaugurate this new words were studiously civil: to preceptions less sen- Mr. Madison, for example, had an aqueduct of logs try, a secret oath-bound clan for the purpose of reand painful trial in her life, passed from the girl's sitive, an instinct less delicate than hers, the vary- which, in reaching his house, passed a tree specially ing keen and subtle shafts of looks and tones would fond of water, at a considerable distance from it .-None knew better than I the diagreeables—to have been lost in the outward courtesy of his man- Abreast of the tree there was an auger hole in the use no harsher word-of such an undertaking. The ner, but she drooped daily under the burden of im. log that had been filled with a plug of soft wood. school was the best and most celebrated of its kind plied reproach, the last irial of a life already cruel Exactly thitherward the tree sent off a long stretch -the students were, as a class, refined and gentle- and hard. Her white cheek grew thinner, her eyes of roots, which preed their way through the plug, manly; the professors men of distinguished reputa- were larger and brighter in their hollow orbits, her choking up the passage, and were found there drinktion, and, with one exception, of unblemished challips more sad and submissive, her step was slower, ing like so many animals. Was it then the soft racter; but all, in the proposed association, how her little hands had wasted and worn away. But wood plug that attracted these roots? It certainly milian. unsuited to this delicate girl! I myself, as a bach- for her perfectly healthy organization, her long ha- should be, on the attraction principle, for the water elor, unfortunately neither gray nor bald, and not bit of endurance, her elastic youth and strength, I was just as near at other points as here. It is said yet quite beyond the pale of matrimonial projects, should have feared much; but it had taken many that a strawberry planted in sand, with good earth a with no female relative or official in my establish- weeks to bring about this alteration-not many little ways off, will turn its runners all in the latment, en garcon, could not take the friendless more would set her free, and I would send her down ter direction, and if the good earth be too far off to child under my own protection, without doing her to the sea-side, or into the country, where a change be reached, the plant will make no effort on that an irreparable injury in the eyes of the world; and of air and scene would restore her exhausted ener- side more than on the other-which is equivalent to being put up for their accommodation.

of her sorrow, the garb of her recent mourning, a gentle obstinacy impossible to overcome. With graduates its action by its possibilities, beauty. With a deep sense of solemnity, HEAVEN thing living, she labored to fulfil the wishes of the knows! with awe and apprehension unspeakable, beloved dead, and resented all weariness or weakness I took the orphan's trembling hand in mine, and in the work as insults to his memory. From my assumed the charge that my dead friend had be- window I could see the little lamp shine steadily in hers through many a wakeful night, till it paled A lodging in a comfortable and respectable house | before the morning star, and she came to the class when Emily, all unnerved and trembling after this Her presence and influence sensibly modified and exciting exercise, hung upon my arm, as we walked

A writer in the Jefferson County (New York) Uthe claims of our profession, to widely distant pla- of the chemist's retorts, and the frightful drawings nion, has made some calculations relative to the

If they were placed in coffins and corded they

flood, it would turn the machinery of the continent; grow!" We left the old man still cracking his The one half has not yet been told. The mil- Woonsocket Patriot.

I have endeavored to make her my companion; and To Paul Allen, unaccustomed to restraint through- persons killed by the accidental breaking of a rail, dad,' says Pat, drawing his sleeve across his thirs- Mr. Smedley not only never was on a horse's back mounted, and was about departing with, when the I think you will find her well taught and skilled in out his prosperous and wayward life, the restriction or the sinking of a steamboat, and if two hundred ty mouth, "I wish I was an oysther." these respects. For some time past I have attemptions imposed by Emily's presence at his lectures are lost by any means, we are fairly horror strickted to associate her in practice with myself; but I were an intolerable annoyance. Too thoroughly re- en, and are ready to wreak vengeance on any one

that little girl. my dear," said a very injudicions seen before. parent. "But, ma, I like her; she is a good little has lots of toys." "I cannot help that my dear," rock, you may boldly dig to see its foundation but responded the foolish mother; "her father is only falsehood being built on the sand, if you proceed to pers for some time past among returned officers and a shoemaker, you know" "But I don't play with examine its foundations, you cause its fall.

saying that the plant has, in its life principle, an how keen my vigilance, that the breath of scandal | She studied incessantly, with feverish zeal and instinct of measurement. It does not measure the should not sully the fair character about to be ex- perseverance, but overtaxed her strength by night- ground and then compare the two: but it has an posed to so cruel a test. Not even the sacred shield reading and study, and resisted my objections with adaptive power by which, without comparison, it

Without an Enemy.

Heaven help the man who imagines he can dodge enemies by trying to please everybody. If such an individual ever succeeded, we would like to know it. Not that we believe in a man's going through nary reporter can work as quickly as the best short blister, and in some instances, deep into the flesh." the world trying to find beams to knock his head against; disputing every man's opinion, fighting, and elbowing and crowding all who differ with him. That again is another extreme. Other people have a right to their opinions-so have you; don't fall into the error of supposing they respect you less for maintaining it, or respect you more for turning three may be taken as a correct thing per man. your coat every day to match the colors of theirs. Wear your own colors, spite wind or weather, storm or shine. It costs the vacillating and irresolute ten times the trouble to wind and shuffle, and twist, than it does honest, manly independence to stand

'Wanted, expert needle women to make babies bodies !- Well, that beats me!' exclaimed Mrs. Partington, throwing down the newspaper in which, during the last fifteen minutes, she had been spelling out the advertisements, and peering indignantly over her spectacles across the breakfast-table at had thought it. The professors carefully revised from which his adventurous prototype had wandered Ike, who was busily occupied in excavating his fourth egg shell. 'Did ever any body hear the likes! I always said it was good as tellin' Natur' eyeless lise, and the water thrown up a number of likes! I always said it was good as tellin' Natur' eyeless lise, and the ringes of water gushed from below.—

| More that y day, June 21—he made an offer of his hand, and was accepted!—It so happened that, with singular likes! I always said it was good as tellin' Natur' she didn't know how to do her own work when they instructed steam rams and donkey-engines .-But this imposterous idea of making slop-work badown her tools and shop altogether. Mark my words, Ike-them sewing machines will be pressed into this 'ere new-fangled business ere long; and then all the emigratin' in the world won't be able to keep down the surplice poppylation.'

Not Time Enough.

A correspondent of a Nashville paper tells a story about a person who was going to Chattanooga on the railroad. When the train entered the tunnel number of men killed thus far in this war and gives thought he would avail himself of the opportunity years. This abundance, and the low price of grain, as, it is to be trusted, could have been possible in "There has been enough already slain to encircle sucked himself" the train dashed out into daying to passengers. He had no linen, and about as porting spirits on a large scale." much other clothes as the Apollo Belvidere-and The effect of war upon the phiisque of a nation, no chance to run .- New York Herald.

RURAL PHILOSOPHY .- On Monday last, in the seated in his waggon, snapping his whip and laughunusual good fortune, we stopped and asked him Thus, in 1826, out of 1,033,422 young men drafted Seventy-five thousand tons of human blood have the cause of his merriment. "Thunderation!" to serve in the army, 380,213 were sent back be-

We shudder at the news of the death of twenty in champagne," as one of the dishes served. "Be-

fast asleep by the roadside, when a pig found him and began licking his month. Sawney roared, Derby races that has ever appeared. "wha's kissing me noo? Ye see what it is to be weel liket amang the lasses!"

A runaway couple having been married at Gretna Green, Vulcan demanded five guineas for his ser- ered over it, he fell forward into the water, which other again, accompanying their blows with screams you a guinea .- "True," said the smith, "but he was an Irishman, and I have married him six times SMART LITTLE GIRL.—You must not play with he is a customer, you know; but you I have never miles a day for six consecutive days. He walks fought long and well, until Miss Union seized Miss

TRUTH AND ERROR.—Truth being founded on a

As every thread of gold is valuable, so is every minute of time.

The Empress Josephine, Napoleon's first wife, is

An American paper says, we have paid France \$11,000,000 for silks the past year. This is paying rather dear for street sweeping!

The Columbus Journal says, we have good evidence for asserting that there is now being organized not only in this city, but throughout the coun-

000 for seducing a married lady. It is stated that President Lincoln has said !

would be happy to receive a Minister from Maxi-A lady was playing with a favorite magpie the other day in Hartford, which had been accustomed

to receive its daily bite from her mouth, when, perched on her shoulder it dropped upon her tongue thing they came in contact with, more penetrating an immense green fat caterpillar. ugees in St. Louis. An immense wooden barrack is made no indention like a bullet, but burnt their

in Paris, who lifts up a cask of wine with his teeth vitriol sprinkled over them. The appearance of with a man seated upon it playing the fiddle.

hand reporter, but by using the two hands the rapidity is increased immensely. tollowing statistics of the state of polygamy among derived from its eye-sight, announced an approachthe Mormons; Husbands with seven or more wives, ing marriage between Mr. Chaplin, a well known 387; husbands with five wives, 730; husbands with member of the fashionable world, and Lady Flofour wives. 11,000; husbands with more than one rence Paget, the youngest daughter of the Marquis

A New York despatch of the 15th says that Mexican advices state that the progress of the French Army in subjugating Mexico has recently been interrupted by severe reverses. A large force of Mexicans have cut off all supplies from Acapulco, which is occupied by French troops, and the seige its ground. Take what time you please to make up of that city has been raised; it was believed that sporting tour with his friends, Sir. F. Johnston and the French would be obliged to surrender in consequence of want of food. The Mexicans harrass the French troops in the city night and day by incessant firing from their batteries.

On the line of the Atlantic and Great Western railway, near Wooster, Ohio, the embankment end fail to hear of them. The action he took upon this track lately disappeared in a most mysterious manner. Upon an examination it was found that about little flame in the smoke of last year's report, for ala hundred feet of the road had sunk, and was con- most immediately-that is, at the Marchioness of tinuing to sink, while into the cavity formed, black Abercorn's ball to the Princess of Wales, on Tues-

An exceedingly distressing event occurred at cotemporary announced this apprount a lashionable Scarborough, on Sunday morning last—the sudden On reading it, as the story goes, Lord Hastings, Tuesday. They repaired to Scarborough to spend her, and was informed that he was a few hours too the honeymoon, and were residing, at the time of late! Preparations for the approaching marriage thy awoke at about his usual hour, and found his sorts of amusement-at the review, at the Eaton

nificent appearance of the crops in all the agricul- passed between the lady and the suitor who had tural districts of Russia has caused a fall of prices | made up his mind too late. At the opera on Friday and total darkness, said person asked a stranger in the markets of the country. The stocks are so night the "betrothed" were seen for the last time how long it would be going through. Stranger was large, both in the warehouses and in the hands of together, apparently in the state of beatitude which the growers, that Russia is guaranteed from famine mutual proximity under such circumstances should a bit of a wag, and replied "two hours." Person even should there be bad crops for two or three produce. But in the meantime an under plot, such to don a clean shirt, and about the time he had permit the exportation on unexceptionably favora- but few of our families of distinction, had been light, exposing his person to the astonished gaze of months, that Russia may now compete in that artisome hundred pairs of male and female eyes belong- cle with Hamburg. The idea is entertained of ex- Paget drove to Messrs. Marshall and Snellgrove's,

> as described by an eminent physiologist, is worthy of serious consideration :- "Dr. Bell says if the curse of war be long entailed upon an nation, the physical energies of the people may suffer by the succeeding generation will fall short of its former youth drafted for the army after the general peace.

Salmon eggs have been successfully transported They had not the remotest suspicion of the plot. from England to Australia, although the voyage oc-

cupied more than three months. It is said of Frank Smedley, the English novelist, Joseph (Mo.) Herald relates that on a recent Sabath who recently died, and who was so badly deformed a party of militia visited a church near Albany, in covered therein the information of "oysters cooked normal invalid condition, the whole bent of his Union girl promptly placed her steed at the service taste was in the direction of manly power, feats of of the men, and then pointed out a fine horse bephysical prowess, bold action and daring enterprise. longing to a secession lady friend, which a trooper

> John Miller, of Brunswick, Rensselaer County, and knocked her opponent flat on the ground, and New York, was recently drowned under peculiar then jumped upon her and pounded away at a tercircumstances. While at a spring on his farm, in rible rate. A spectator parted the Amazons, but company with an idiot son, adjusting the door cov-

> him from extricating himself. The News says, a man named Elson is now per- a circle, and seated themselves to enjoy the exhibiforming, at St. John, the task of walking sixty tion in regular prize-ring style. The combatants through part of the city, and to some place near Secesh by the throat when she fell to the ground the Nine Mile House, making 10 miles each way and gave up the battle, the parties were then duly in each trip, and resting about an hour between.

The Boston Traveller says there have been whissoldiers from the army, that the soldiers, in no inher father, I play with her; she ain't a shoema- "Papa," said a little boy to his papa the other mental officers that they are willing to entrench and beccasis; and this has so stimulated search for day, "are not sailors very, very small men?" "No await attacks. but that they will lead to no more them that the river almost from its confluence and in retaliation upon the enemy.

> a tog, chase a stream of lightning, through a crabapple orchard, swim up the Falls of Niagara, or set Lake Erie on fire with lucifer matches, as think of stopping two young people from getting married

commit other outrages at the West.

General Aches.

A WHOLE REGIMENT STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.—The to have a statue in Paris, on the square before the Chartanooga Gazette reports that during a terrific thunder storm near Rossville, Ga., on the 14th ult; the lightning prostrated nearly the whole of the 18th Missouri regiment. The account says .

"It struck a tall oak, about ninety feet high and thirty inches thick, on a high point of ground, and descended, splitting it from the heart, but throwing no splinters. At the base of the tree where a large number of soldiers had bivouacked, the fluid seemed to leave the tree and its roots and dart out in every direction in a great number of lurid jets, similar to Forty thousand Irishwomen are wandering out- those of a large mass of pig iron at a white heat casts in New York city, the mothers, sisters, and under the trip hammer, except, instead of flying in daughters of men who have been plied with drink sparks, they were in continuous streams. All this and carried off to fill up the broken ranks of the was the work of only an instant. Nearly the whole regiment was stunned and blinded. Many lay A London physician has been made to pay \$25,- shocked to insensibility. A whole six mule team, at the distance of twenty yards, were thrown down. Just at this juncture the discharge of the cloud seemed to strike in rapid succession at other places in the brigade, I have since learned, killing and wounding men and animals.

Those little jets running from the trunk of the column of electric fluid, something like the roots and fine rootlets of a large tree, penetrated everythan a bullet; and some of them were no larger There are said to be 10,000 contrabands and ref- than a knitting needle. In their punctures they way. Everything they touched-blankets, cloth-An exchange says that there is a man at a Circus ing, hair, skin, paper, &c., had the appearance of the vicinity generally was that of a large quantity A waterspout at Whampon recently drowned 200 of vitriol having burst and sprinkled in fine jets around. I examined one soldier's knapsack and contents. One little jet about the size of a buck-A novel and curious instrument has been inven- shot had entered it, penetrated twenty-six folds of ted by Mr. Bryois. It is for the purpose of taking his blanket, through his portfolio-through letters, short-hand notes with more than the usual rapidity. envelopes, quires of paper, daguerreotypes and the It consists of a series of levers worked by keys like brass clasp of the portfolio. Several men were a piano, and acting on a set of types which im- burned, and the appearance of the skin is like that press themselves on a slip of paper that is gradually of scalding water having run from the head to the unrolled. Working only with one finger, an ordi- heels, singeing hair, and burning the skin to a

Two STRINGS TO HER BEAU .- Toward the close of A Mormon missionary, Mr. Bertrand, gives the last season, rumor acting upon sources of information and less than four wives, 1,400-so that about of Anglesey. The gentleman is the proprietor of a large landed estate in Licolnshire, and is reputed to be very wealthy. The lady is one of the acknowledged beauties of the day, and indeed scarcely anyone would venture to assert that she has any supeperior in this respect. The rumor, however, to which I allude was suddenly denied "by authority," and Mr. Chaplin departed for India upon a the Earl of Listowel. In the meantime the very marked attentions paid at the last Ascot races by the young Marquis of Hastings to Lady Florence Paget became the theme of universal comment in fashionable circles, and Mr. Chaplin just at that moment returning to England, of course could not intimation would seem to prove that there was some

death of Mrs. Arthy, wife of Captain Arthy, whose though entirely incredulous of it, thought it high maiden name was Miss Winstanley. The parties time to act with decision, and hurrying off to the were married at Beverley only on the previous residence of the fair lady, laid his proposals before Mrs. Arthy's death, at one of the hotels of that proceeded in the usual manner, and the promessi watering place. On Sunday morning Captain Ar- sposi were seen together at all the fashionable renewly-married bride a corpse by his side. A coro- and Harrow cricket match at Lord's, at the Wimner's inquest was held on view of the body, the bledon rifle meeting, and, in fact, everywhere, Mr. same evening, and a verdict of death from natural Chaplin was where he had every right to be, by the side of his future bride; and it was remarked on se-A letter from St. Petersburg says :- "The mag- veral occasions that the very coldest recognitions

have fallen so considerably during the past few Chaplin handed his fiancee to her carriage. On Sain Oxford street, on the plea of "shopping," ordering that her brougham should wait. It did wait for some five or six hours! The establishment of Messrs. Marshall & Co. has a door in Vere street as well as in Oxford street. Lady Florence entered by that in Oxford street, and in the shop meeting, by loss of its finest population to such a degree that the appointment, a certain lady friend, she went out at over Square, and was there and then married to the standard stature, as was the case with the French Marquis of Hastings! You may imagine the ecclandre the affair has made, and the consternation it has produced in the families of the parties concerned. Of one feature in the case, I believe there is but little doubt. The lady had most effectually concealed her intentions from her own relations .-

FIGHT BETWEEN TWO GIRLS AT CHURCH .- The St. from reading, conversing, and the power of a vivid The Union girl prged the soldiers to go along; she A drunken Scotchman returning from a fair, fell imagination and a singular skill in reproducing the had voluntarily contributed her horse, and insisted descriptive facts he gathered from more physically- that the secesh horse should also do duty. At this favored people, he wrote the best account of the the rebel girl applied all sorts of opprobrious epithets to the Union girl, who in turn became angry they didn't stay parted, and were soon fighting each ers, despairing of putting an end to the row, formed cared for by their friends. The Herald says there is

no fiction about this. It actually occurred, NEW BRUNSWICK PEARLS .- A number of fine considerable numbers, have signified to their regi- pearls have recently been discovered in the Kennemurderous assaults upon strong entrenchments, ex- with the St. John to its source has been stripped of cept when required by extraordinary circumstances shell fish. Mr. Fellows, Foster's Corner, has a large collection of these pearls; and one of these, weighing twenty-seven grains, is certainly a beau-The editor of the Buffalonian says he would as tiful specimen. It is quite round, is without blemsoon try to go to sea on a shingle, make a ladder of ish, and can therefore be "set" without having its appearance injured in any way. It must be quite valuable. - Globe.

Sir Hugh Rose has issued an order to the army, in which he directs that the issue of rum The Indians continue to slaughter settlers and from canteens is for the future to be restricted to one dram only per man per day.