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Poetry.

CONVALESCENT.

Emerald with moss and purple with heather, Gleams the broad moor to the red setting sun; Love, let us sit 'midst the blossoms together,

Sweet, oh how sweet is the breath of the clover, Breeze-borne from meadow-lands over the moor; Sweeter, yet sweeter, the blossoms that cover

The turf at our feet, and the hedge roses o'er. Sweet is the face, thy chestnut curls under, My bonny brown wife, and sweet are those eyes,

Bids love's sweet memories wake and arise. Waking, arising, they clothe thee with beauty, My leal little wife, thy nobly done duty

Thin have thy cheeks grown, my wild little blos-And weary the eyes that watched my sick bed; I cannot thank thee, true wife of my bosom, God thank thee, God bless thee, oh darling,

But I can love thee, all truly, for ever, In health, and in sickness, as thou lovest me ; And keep me fast by thee, till life's rapid river Has passed through death's straits to eternity's

Till that time comes, be it shorter or longer,

Thou know'st, and I know, our love will grow And heart cling to heart, even closer than now.

Come, the broad moor, lately purple with heather Dons sombre grey for the night parted sun; We will go home, our day labour is done.

Select Tale.

IRISH BULLS.

Why the Irish, of all people, should be distinguished for bull-making, or why there should exist amongst the natives of Ireland such an innate and irresistible propensity to blunder, it is difficult to conjecture or decide. Mr. and Miss Edgeworth, in their inquiry into the etymology of Irish Bulls, endeavor to account for it thus: "That the English, not being the mother-tongue of the natives of Ireland, to them it is a foreign language, and, consequently, it is scarcely within the limits of probability that they should avoid making blunders both in speaking and writing." However this may be, an Irish bull is a thing more easily conceived than defined. Perhaps, did we search for its precedent among the long list of bold tropes and figures handed down to us from the old Greek writers and orators, the nearest approach we could find to it would be under the title of perpetrated by a coroner in the County Limer-Catachresis,—a catachresis being the "boldest ick this spring. Being asked how he could acof any trope, necessity makes it borrow and count for the fearful mortality last winter, he employ an expression or term contrary to the replied: "I do not know; there are a great thing it means to express." This certainly con- many people dying this year who never died veys a just idea of what an Irish bull is or before

original; they occurred within our own personal the knives and forks upon the dinner-table in knowledge, and were never before published. the same awkward fashion, her master observed The rest we have selected from a variety of that she had placed them all left-handed. "Ah, sources, and have been careful always to distin- true indeed, sir," said she, "and so I have. guish between blunders and bulls, -a distinction Would you be pleased to help me turn the which is often neglected. Even Mr. and Miss table ?" difference in more instances than that of the of Irish obliquity and blundering phraseology, had almost subsisted on nothing else, was nearrenowned Paddy Blake, who perpetrated what and then shall have done. It is contained in ly sure to prove fatal. "You can surely take formerly, only a stone tent, as a temple was with a pin stuck in the following text: "Sec- strange around him; but still liberty is sweet, of life and thought. Events with which we are strange around him; but still liberty is sweet, all familiar put England, for more than two cenan English gentleman speaking in praise of the nished by an inn-keeper, for the regaling of cer- "Aye," gasped the poor man, "take a gill fine echo of Killarney, which repeats the sound tain free and independent (?) voters during the and break my oath? Moses Felton shall never forty times, Pat promptly replied: "Faith, sir, time of a contested election in Meath. Some hear that brandy and rum ever killed me! If beginning, that we love one another." She beginning, that we love one another. "She beginning, that we love one another." She beginning, that we love one another." She beginning that we love one another." that's nothing at all to the fine echo in my forty years ago, Sir Mark Somerville sent orders the want of it can kill me then let me die. But father's garden in Galway, for if you say to it, to the proprietor of the hotel in Trim to board I won't die; I'll live till Moses Felton shall ' How do you do, Paddy Blake?' it will imme- and lodge all that should vote for him. For eat his words. diately make answer, 'Pretty well, I thank you, this he afterwards received the following, which He did live. An iron will conquered the

One of the richest specimens of a real Irish House, County Meath. The copy to which we For one month he could not walk without help. bull which has ever fallen under our notice was are indebted for this was found among the pa- But he had help-joyful help. Mary helped perpetrated by the clever and witty, but blun- pers of the late Very Reverend Archdeacon him dering Irish knight, Sir Richard Steele, when O'Connell, Vicar-General of the diocese of inviting a certain English nobleman to visit him. Meath. It ran as follows :-"If, sir," said he, "you ever come within a mile of my house, I hope you will stop there!" Another by the same gentleman is well worth To eating 16 freeholders above stairs for Sir plied: "I cannot tell, if it is not the effect of climate. I fancy, if an Englishman was born 2 guineas every bed, and not more than four in in Ireland he would just make as many."

This, again, reminds us of that well-known is to me £22 15s. instance of wounded Irish pride related of the porter of a Dublin grocer, who was brought, by which was lost on the head of watching them Bryan stopped. his master, before a magistrate on a charge of all night is to me £5 5s 0d. stealing chocolate, to which he could scarcely For breakfast on tay in the morning for every plead "not guilty." On being asked to whom one of them and as many more as they brought words you spoke to me a year ago?" he sold it, the pride of Patrick was exceedingly To raw whiskey and punch without talking wounded. "To whom did I sell it?" cried of pipes tobacco as well as for porter and as Pat. "Now, do you think I was so mane as well as for breaking a pot above stairs and other to take it to sell?" "Pray, then, sir," said glasses and delf for the first day and night I the J. P., "what did you do with it?" "Do am not sure but for the three days and a half wid it? Well, then, since you must know, I be very exact it is in all or theriabouts as near took it home, and me and my ould 'oman made as I can guess and not to be too particular is to tay of it."

The next Irishman who comes under our notice is married, but not very happily. Having head of them by my brother had a Wote is to entered into holy bonds at the early age of nine- me £2 13s 1d. For a womit and nurse for happiest of the happy. teen, he discovers that it is much easier to get poor Tom Kernan in the middle of the night the ceremony performed than afterwards to main- when he was not expected is to me ten hogs. tain an establishment. Repenting him that he I don't talk of the piper or for keeping him had procured a wife without the means of supporting her, he declares that he never will marry so young again if he lives to be the age of Me-

The next sight we get into the cares and troubles that married life is heir to is through the mild remonstrance of a Hibernian Paterfamilias, who declares to his wife that he really wishes the children could be kept in the nursery while he is at home, "although," he considerately adds, "I would not object to their noise by Bryan himself who and I prays for your sucif they would only keep quiet."

We shall now proceed to Dublin, where

We wonder was this lady any relation to the poor Irishman who offered his only old saucepan Our work for the day, like the bees' task, is done. for sale; his children gathering round him in-

The next bull that occurs to me was uttered That looking through mine with innocent wonder, by a poor woman, who, in all the pride and glory jug. of her maternal heart, was declaring to a kindhearted listener, that since the world was a world go to Ohio. Before he set out he visited his at Barcelona, Spain. It consisted of a caldron old-fashioned saw, working their way through a Dropping love jewels, white pearls, on thy brow; there never was such a clever boy as her Bill-Has hallowed affection, and strengthened its vow he had just made two chairs and a fiddle out she would not go. of his own head, and had plenty of wood left

> A similar mechanical genius had that Irish carpenter in America, who, in sending in his little account to a farmer for whom he had been working, informed him that it was "for hanging him now, but he will soon leave me-he cannot of Invention," A. D. 1663. two barn-doors and himself, seven hours, one

an Irish bull, which he pronounces to be the tomb. He had bis bat on and his jug in his the first application of the steam engine. Though dark locks may whiten, and comely best he ever met with. "I hate that woman," hand. "Ah, Moses, how are ye?" he gasped, said a gentleman, looking at a person who had for he could not speak plainly. been his nurse, "I hate her, for when I was a child, she changed me at nurse." This was indeed a perplexing assertion; but we have a cold, stern expression he said in a strongly similar instance recorded in the autobiography emphasized tone: Love, hand in hand, like two children together, of an Irishman, who gravely informs us that

> discovering that he was only his uncle." petrated a most perfect bull. In a review of ous, noble and kind; but I hate you now, for In 1789 William Smyington made a voyage Tennyson's Enoch Arden, the following sen- you are a perfect devil incarnate. Look at tence occurs relative to the self-denial of Enoch, that woman. She is my sister-she might now who keeps his existence a secret from his wife, live with me in comfort, only she will not do it whom he finds married again and happy. "He while you are alive; when you die she will at New York. died, but not until he died, did he mention to come to me. Thus do I pray that God will those around him who he was!" Now, who soon give her joys to my keeping. Now, Dan- gated a boat by a steam engine on the Delashould ever expect, on looking over John Bull's iel, I do sincerely hope that the first intelli- ware great representative, to meet with such a genu- gence that reaches me from my native place In 1784 Robert Fulton first began to apply ine Irishism as that? We can only account for after I have reached my new home, may be his attention to steam. it by supposing it was perpetrated by an Irish- that you are dead. We believe that a number of them are employed upon the staff of that august publi-

Not to be outdone, however, by its monster contemporary, an Irish paper announces, not many weeks since, the death of a poor deaf man called Gaff. He had been run over by a locomotive, and, adds the paper, "he received a similar injury this time last year."

Another excellent bull of the same kind was

A good one is related also of a poor Irish from the house Many of the following samples we give as servant-maid who was left-handed. Placing

16th April, 1826.

My Bill

after supper is to me £2 15s 9d. To 6 beds in one room and 4 in a nother at

any bed at any time cheap enough God knows

as near as I can guess is to me £4 12s 0d.

49 freeholders for Sir Marks at 13d for every for life."

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£110 18 7 you may say £111 0 0 so your Honour Sir Marks send me this eleven hundred cess always in Trim and no more at present. | fellow,

Daniel Bryan's Oath.

Daniel Bryan had been a lawyer of eminence, who, whilst soliciting charity, declared she was but had fallen, through intoxication, to beggary, formed a toy which exhibited some of the pow- Campagna, near Rome, where the extensive the mother of six small children and a sick hus- and a dying condition. Bryan had married in ers of steam, and was moved by its power. he, "sure I wouldn't be afther partin' wid it if ality; for those he would have associated with was kindled beneath the caldron, and the house what is true of this branch of industry is true it wasn't to get some money to buy something would not drink with him. All alone in office was shaken with the efforts of the steam ascend- of nearly every other. For example, so common even his very life seemed the offspring of the power of steam recorded.

" you are fading away and disease is upon you. Why should you live with such a brute?"

"Hush, Moses, speak not," answered the wife, keeping back her tears, "I will not leave was in the Marquis of Worcester's "History from the well being a rope tied around a certain live much longer."

At that moment Daniel entered the apart- engine in England. Horace Walpole records in his Walpoliana ment. He looked like a wanderer from the

> The visitor looked at him for a few moments in silence. Then, as his features assumed a

"Daniel Bryan, I have been your best friend he "ran away early in life from his father, on but one. My sister is an angel, though matched with a demon. I have loved you Daniel, It is only a few months since the Times per- as I never loved man before; you were gener- on it.

"Stop, Moses, I can reform yet."

"You cannot. It is beyond your power. You have had inducements enough to reform half the sinners of creation, and you are lower Atlantic was the Savannah, in the month of as you can, for the moment that sees you thus, Hunt's Merchants' Magazine. shall not find me among the mourners."

Bryan's eyes flashed, and he drew himself proudly up. "Go," he said in a tone of the old sarcasm, "go to Ohio, and I'll send you news. Go, sir! and watch the post. I will

"You shall, I swear it!" With these words, Daniel Bryan hurled the jug into the fire-place, and while yet a thousand fragments were lying over the floor he strode

Mary sank fainting to the floor. Moses bore her to a bed, and having called in a neighbor, he hurried away, for the stage was waiting. For a mouth Daniel hovered over the brink of the grave, but he did not die.

"One gill of brandy will save you," said the doctor, who saw that the abrupt removal of

he got framed, and it still hangs in Somerville messenger death sent-Daniel Bryan lived.

A year passed away and Moses Felton re-

"I do, Daniel." now and forever ?"

"Yes, with all my heart." "Then I am in part repaid." "And what must be the remainder of the

payment?" asked Moses.

"I must die an honest, unperjured man .-

That evening Mary Bryan was among the

"Oh! mamma, mamma," said a towthwearing!" "Been swearing, my child! in the belief that it will not fold its wings nor The gentleman who presided inquired: wife ning to sob), "I thed 'Old Dan Tucker!" land, and delivered its precious burden of more and thus have kept up with Martha?"

commit, but we shall find a greater satisfaction once over one grave. in resisting than in committing .- Mason.

binds together the volume of the week .- Long-

Condensed History of Steam. About 280 years B. C., Hero, of Alexandria,

his better days the sister of Moses Felton. - A. D. 540; Antheminus, an architect, ar- use of the reaping machine, the old sickle Week after week would the fallen man lie drunk ranged several caldrons of water, each covered on the floor, and not a day of real sobriety with the wide bottom of a leathern tube, which corn" is the only threshing machine known or marked his course. I doubt if such another rose to a narrow top, with pipes extended to believed in. The grain is cultivated and harcase was known. He was too low for convivi- the rafters of the adjoining building. A fire vested just as it was 5,000 years ago! and Mozart at the age of ten years is announced. and chamber, he still continued to drink, and ing the tubes. This is the first notice of the a tool with us as a circular saw is rarely to be

In early spring Moses Felton had a call to steamboat of 200 tons, with tolerable success, the shippards two men, one at each end of an sister. He offered to take her with him, but of boiling water, and a moveable wheel on each huge piece of ship-timber, accomplishing as much whips. One of the cabmen was killed. "But why stay here?" urged the brother, ble. A present, however, was made to Garay. in ten minutes. In some places can be found

at Newcastle on the Tyne.

In 1601. Newerman made the first steam Yankee boy would not be sent to one

steam engine in England.

idea of steam navigation.

plication in America. steamboat on the Saone. In 1785 two Americans published a work would if used for the same purpose.

in one, on the Forth and Clyde canal.

In 1802 this experiment was repeated. In 1789 John Fitch, of Connecticut, navi- true and in idol worship

In 1783 Oliver Evans, a native of Philadelphia, constructed a steam engine to travel on a

The first steam vessel that ever crossed the now than ever before. Go and die, sir, as soon June, 1810, from Charleston to Liverpool .-

an Arab sheikh now set up his camp; as David ship or amusement. built his palace on Mount Zion, so would a Turkbound themselves and theirs to drink no wine, Herod and the murder of John the Baptist. plant no tree, enter within no door, and their children have kept the oath; at every khan is still used, and the seed is still trodden into and violent passion, was desirous of entering in the walls of a prison for non-payment of £40. been estimated at about \$400,000. the ground by asses and kine; olives are sha- into a courtship on the spot; but the place not It may well be that liberty will now come to him ken from the boughs as directed by Isaiah, and being suitable for a formal declaration, the greating of trees is unchanged since the Edgeworth themselves have misapprehended the stimulants from a system that for long years the grafting of trees is unchanged since the exigency of the case suggested the following and that Barnickel will step out into a world exigency of the case suggested the following and that Barnickel will step out into a world exigency of the case suggested the following and that Barnickel will step out into a world exigency of the case suggested the following and that Barnickel will step out into a world exigency of the case suggested the following and that Barnickel will step out into a world exigency of the case suggested the following and that Barnickel will step out into a world exigency of the case suggested the following and that Barnickel will step out into a world exigency of the case suggested the following and that Barnickel will step out into a world exigency of the case suggested the following and that Barnickel will step out into a world exigency of the case suggested the following and that Barnickel will step out into a world exigency of the case suggested the following and that Barnickel will step out into a world exigency of the case suggested the following and that Barnickel will step out into a world exigency of the case suggested the following and that Barnickel will step out the case suggested the following and that Barnickel will step out the case suggested the following and that Barnickel will step out the case suggested the following and that Barnickel will step out the case suggested the following and that Barnickel will step out the case suggested the following and that Barnickel will step out the case suggested the following and that Barnickel will step out the case suggested the following and that Barnickel will step out the case suggested the following and that Barnickel will step out the case suggested the following and the case suggested the following are step out to the case suggested the following and the case suggested the following are step out to the case suggested the following are step days of Saul. The Syrian house is still, as plan: He politely handed her a Bible opened, which knows him not, to find relations, friends time work powerfully in our own country, and plan: He politely handed her a Bible opened, and everything greatly change our institutions and ways, both but a marble tent. What is seen now in Beth- ond Epistle of John fifth verse: and I beseech and from the sympathy of our common humanity all familiar put England, for more than two cenany may be taken as the exact likeness of the house of Lezerus where Mary listoned and house of Lazarus, where Mary listened and leper, where the precious box of ointment was returned it, pointing to the Second Epistle of broken, and whence Judas set out to betray his Ruth, verse tenth: "Then she fell on her face Master .- Dickens' All The Year Round.

Hasty Marriages.

Too many men and women marry in haste, ing that I am a stranger? He returned the lane and its immediate neighbourhood only made in England, and are made soon, there will and repent at leisure. Boys andgirls, searcely book, pointing to the 13th verse of the Third three or four cases of cholera have taken place, be in the course of half a century something of acquainted with each other, rush into an en- Epistle of John: " Having many things to gagement for life, without considering whether write unto you, I would not write with pen and ception was observed in 1849, when the Hebrew between England and the United States. This turned to Vermont. He entered the court- they are ready to assume the duties and res- ink, but I trust shortly to come unto you and community only lost about one in 2000, as com- is almost the only country in the world which is house at Berlington, and Daniel Bryan was on ponsibilities of marriage, or whether they are speak face to face that our joy may be full." the floor, pleading for a young man who had adapted to make each other suitable partners From the above interview, a marriage took tians at Rotherhithe. Then, as now, the immubeen indicted for perjury. Felton started with for the long, and often weary, journey of life. place the ensuing week. his countrymen making so many bulls, he reeloquence poured from his lips. The case was of our young people never get any proper ingiven to the jury, and the youth was acquitted. struction in their duties. Who is to teach The successful council turned from the court- them? At school they learn all the sciences, room and met Moses Felton. They shook except how to live. Then parents, conscious To 18 horses and 5 mules about my yard all hands but did not speak. When they reached perhaps, of their own imperfections, rarely, if night at 13s every one of them and for a man a spot where none others could hear them, ever, instruct their children upon their most important duties. The clergy seldom preach had a carroty-haired clerk, that spent most of sumed; and, finally, the poorer members of the "Moses," he said, "do you remember the on such subjects; or, if they do, preach discourses of fine sentiment rather than plain common tion of a saffron-colored moustache, (similar to house relief not being allowed. sense. The consequence is, that our young the one Dickens ascribed to Fascination Fledge-"Will you now take them back—unsay them people are left to their instincts and passions—by.) and who asked the old man how he liked happy if these are not perverted. And they it. The deacon regarded him attentively for aminer vents its spite on General Miles, who has general treatment of horses. His plans are enfind, too late, perhaps, the young lady who was some time, with anxious solicitude apparent in in the following billingsgate :a charming partner at a ball, may make a very every feature of his benign countenance, and "We bid Miles an affectionate farewell! Go \$100,000 for a term of service as instructor in indifferent housekeeper, or that the gallant impressively said to him, "that if he lived long and never return—coward, inquisitor, torturer, this branch in the United States army. His and fascinating young gentleman who looked enough, was blessed by Providence, enjoyed you feel in your own person all the pain you Gen. Grant. and other distinguished command. and talked like a hero of romance, is poorly good health, slept well at night, had good luck have inflicted upon the defenceless! When you ers. By these means Dunbar was brought under me £79 15s 9d.

For shaving and crapping off the heads of the The oath that has bound me thus far was made qualified to get a living and perform his duties and no pull backs, he would look like Satan in and may they, loathing your vile flesh, leave it gotiated with his Government for the engageas the father of a family.

affection to the loved and the lost. It is not There is no sin we can be tempted to unfrequent to see twenty or thirty loosed at

Slander is more accumulative than a The Sabbath is the golden clasp which snowball. It is like a salad, which every one will season to his own taste, or the taste of those to whom he offers it.

Behind the Times.

On the great grain growing region of the still used, and the horse "that treadeth out the 000 found in Italy. Even in Leghorn, a compara-In 1543, June 17, Brasco de Garay tried a tively modern commercial city, can be seen in side of the ship. It was laid aside as impracti- in one day as would be done with a circular saw In 1650, the first railroad was constructed two hundred families sending to the same well for water to drink, or to use for cooking; the The first idea of a steam engine in England only machine they have for raising the water jar, which each person carries to the well. wells more than half a dozen times before he In 1718 patents were granted to Savary for would "rig up" some sort of a machine for raising the water, if he had no other tool than In 1764 James Watt made the first perfect jack-knife. Our American housewives are proverbially out of sorts if the family washing is nativity. Maine furnished the tallest men. In 1766 Jonathan Hulls first set forth the not got through with in a single day. In Italy it usually occupies four days! A couple of 177º Thomas Payne first proposed the ap- saplings serve to make the common plow of the plate country; it is quite as often used without any In 1781 Marquis Jouffray constructed a iron as with it. In either style it disturbs the soil about as much as our ordinary curry-comb

On Dancing.

Dr. Eadie, one of the best Biblical scholars of this age, says in his Cyclopedia:-

From a collection of all the passages in Scrip- without a stamp you know." In 1782 Ramsey propelled a boat by steam ture in reference to dancing, it may be inferred : That dancing was a religious act; both in

> That it was practised exclusively on joyful oceasions, such as national festivals or great

That it was performed on such occasions only noon at New York it is fifty-five minutes and That it was performed usually in the day-

time-in open air-in highways, fields, and cred use to purposes of amusement, were deem-

That there are no instances upon record in ish pasha now arrange his house; in every street the Bible of social dancing for amusement, ex- the old insolvent law, but Barnickel, believing may be seen the hairy children of Esau, squatting cept that of the "vain fellows," void of shame, on the ground, devouring a mess of lentils like alluded to by Michal; of the irreligious fami- cil, refused to file his schedule, and until he did marine permanent way or bridge from shore to that for which the rough hunter sold his birth- lies described by Job, which produced increas- so, the Insolvent Debtors' Court had no power shore. The supporting vessels are entirely inright; along ever; road plod the sons of Re- ed impiety and ended in destruction; and of the Registrar at the Court of Banksunter, as he of storm. Furthermore by means of a simple chab, whose fathers, one thousand years ago, Herodias, which terminated in the rash vow of officially visits Whitecross-st., from time to time appliance, messages may be sent from mid ocean

How to Court in Church.

A young gentleman, happening to set at and bowed herself to the ground and said unto

An Equivocal Compliment.

about six weeks!""

headed little urchin in a tone of mingled fright of songs, and then leading it with kisses and one verse more than the other, both having scenest of birds. Go!" and penitence, "Oh! mamma, I've been caresses, they loose its bonds over the grave, learned several thousand verses of Scripture.

"Yes sir," the blushing child replied;

dent, "that taught you this lesson?"

Items Foreign & Nocal.

Parisians, it is said, never whistle. The Astor House in New York rents for \$75

Empress Carlotta's trip to Europe has cost her

The discovery of a musical composition

and is about "used up." "Cantico" is the latest Philadelphiaism for

getting on a spree. Eight hundred soldiers died of cholera in one of the Prussian hospitals.

A man was fined fifteen pounds, in London, for "cracking" a woman's nose. tructive to German vineyards.

Stephen Whitney at 35 was worth \$10,000,00 and was then trying hard to get rich.

motives to the value of \$30,000,000. The first tea of this season's growth arrived at London on the 24th ult.-1,108,100. Staple products of Vermont-sugar and girls,

horses and sheep, butter and wool, school houses and men-but unfortunately no "policy."

ished at Athens. The total population in that

The fatal day when the suspension of the great house of Overend, Gurney & Co. ruined so many is still known in England as the "Did the minister put a stamp on you when Mechanics' Magazine.

you were married, Mary?" " A stamp, Charlie! What for, pray?" "Why. matches ain't legal

police are-etc. The difference of time between the extreme

forty-two seconds after 4, p. m., London.

that he had been hardly dealt with in the litiga-

A SIGNIFICANT CHOLERA FACT-It is a subnity was ascribed to certain observances and simperingly requests our opinion of her appear. to the quality of the food used, tainted provisions fancy to call it. - Pall Mall Gazette. ance, we are reminded of an old deacon who being proscribed, and all flesh meat being in-

meeting of the Liverpool Chamber of Commerce -London Free Press. what did you say?" "Oh! mamma," (begin- close its eyes until it has flown to the spirit "And could you not have learned one verse on Wedensday last week, Mr. Horsfall, M. P., complained bitterly of the irregularity and in- The Ottawas, a tribe of partially civilized In-"but I loved Martha and kept back on pur- India. He mentioned one instance in which is a thoroughly educated man, and is the leader "And was there any one of all the verses bales of cotton"; the orders received were to several other gentlemen, including the Rev. Mr. with five daughters."

General News.

THE THREE ATLANTIC CABLES .- Now that the third Atlantic cable is in working order, and the second one, we hope, being grappled for, it may be interesting to give particulars of the three cables. The cable of 1858 had for a conductor a copper strand of seven wires, six laid by around one; weight 107 lb. per nautical mile. The insulator was of gutta percha, laid on in A contemporary thinks Bismarck's object is three coverings; weight 261 lb. per nautical the Prussification of Germany.

The outer coat was composed of 18 strands The Emperor of Austria is just 35 years old of charcoal iron wire, each strand made of seven wires, twisted six around one, laid equally around the core, which had been previously padded with a serving of tarred hemp: Breaking strain, three tons five cwt. Capable of bearing its own weight in a trifle less than five miles' depth of water. Length of cable, 2147 nautical miles. Two cabmen, in London, had a fight with In the cable of 1865 the conductor was a copper strand of seven wires, six laid around one; weight 300 lbs. per nautical mile. Embedded in Chatterton's compound. Insulation was effected with gutta percha and Chatterton's compound. The late Prusso-Austrian war was very des- Weight, 400 lbs. per nautical mile. The outer coat was 40 solid wires, drawn from Webster and Horsfall's homogeneous iron, each wire surrounded with tarred Manilla rope, and the New Castle, England, has manufactured loco- whole laid spirally around the core, which had previously been padded with a serving of tarred jute yarn. Breaking strain, seven tons 15 cwt. Capable of bearing its own weight in 11 miles depth of water. Length of cable, 2300 nautical miles. The present cable has for a conductor a copper strand of seven wires; six laid around one: weight, 300 lb. per nautical mile. Embed-Our army statistics show that men of foreign ded for solidity in Chatterton's compound. The birth were much shorter than those of American insulator is four lays of gutta percha laid on alternately with thinner lavers of Chatterton's Brick Pomeroy says he has a compositor in his compound; weight 400 lb. per nautical mile. office the friction of whose movements over the The outer coat is 10 solid wires drawn from type in his stick fuses them solid like stereotype Webster & Horsfall's homogeneous iron, and galvanized, each wire surrounded separately with The Greek census of 1864 has just been pub- five strands of white Manilla yarn, and the whole laid spirally around the core, which had previously been padded with a serving of tarred hemp. The breaking strain is eight tons two cwt., and is capable of bearing its own weight in 12 miles depth of water. This length of cable 2720, nautical miles, part of which is to be for completing the cable that parted last year:-

A NEW SYSTEM OF DEEP SEA TELEGRAPHY. -A paper recently read by Mr. Kaulbach be-A young man from the country, who paid a fore the Invention Institution in London desnew acquaintance in St. Louis \$50 on account cribed a new plan of laying deep-sea telegraphic of inability to open a snuff-box, has concluded it cables. The invention consists in the formation was a swindle and wants his money again. The of a permanent way or bridge beneath the surface of the ocean-and which may be extended to any distance—for the support and carrying trivances of a like sort, by means of which the three hours and fifty minutes. When it is high electric current is to be transmitted from shore to shore; the said permanent way being formed by a series of vessels of particular construction, TWENTY-FOUR YEARS IN PRISON FOR stationed-at distances-throughout the whole Costs.—A correspondent of the London Herald of the intended line of communication, sunk to tells an extraordinary story. He says: John an average depth of ten to fitteen fathoms, and Frederick Barnickel instituted a suit in the year firmly moored to the bed of the sea; these ves-The men who perverted dancing from a sa- 1842, in the Admiralty Court, in respect of a sels being so contrived that they can, within a vessel of which he was the owner, and being un- few minutes be brought to the surface, together successful, he was condemned to pay his oppo- with their respective burdens, whensoever it may nent's costs of the litigation; and not being able be required, for the purpose of shifting, clean-That no instances of dancing are found upon to do so, was arrested by an attachment issued sing, repairing, examining, or otherwise manipu-Things do not change in the East. As record in the Bible, in which the two sexes from the Admiralty Court and taken to the lating the said vessels, or the wires, lines, cables, Abraham pitched his tent in Bethel, so does united in the exercise, either as an act of wor- that prison, he was removed to Whiteeross-st., It is claimed that no loss of cable can take place, where he now is. It may be well asked, how and flaws or accidents can at once be detected. can this be? It appears that Barnickel's de- and the cable recovered at any point. The poaining creditor made him an insolvent, under sition of each vessel will be indicated by a small buoy attached thereto, and the former being stationed at equal distances apart, one continuous tion, and desiring to appeal to the Privy Coun- line of buoys will denote the track of the subto clear the prison, has, under the new law, no through any one of the buoys along any or all authority to adjudicate Barnickel's bankrupt, of the said wires, lines, cables, &c.. by any ship and there he remains. Barnickel's opponent, or ships lawfully privileged to use the same and who caused his arrest, has been dead some years, wishing to communicate with either of the conand so has the solicitor, and there is no person | tinents or islands wherewith the said permanent young men sit around the pan of parched corn, church in a pew adjoining one in which sat a whatever interested in his detention. Yet 24 way be connected, or with each other. The acdipping their morsel into the dish; Job's plow young lady for whom he conceived a sudden long and weary years, aye, the whole of manlong and weary years, aye, the whole of mannication between Cape Race and Cape Clear has hood's rrime, has this unhappy man spent with- nication between Cape Race and Cape Clear has

> ENGLAND LEFT BEHIND .- All the great and acquaintances all gone, and everything greatly change our institutions and ways, both ment unto thee, but that which we had in the ere he says farewell to his bar, and as his last great nation in which the bulk of the people the attachment against Barnickel to be vacated. power. This state of things has been broken up and is rapidly passing away. In almost every part of Europe the organization of society is far ject of remark that the Jewish inhabitants of political institutions are being quickly adjusted him: why have I seen grace in thine eyes see- the east end of London have escaped almost to their social wants. It appears by no means unscathed during the outbreak. In Petticoat improbable that, unless very great changes are and the cases of diarrhea have hardly exceed- the same sort of contrast between England and ed those of an odinary summer. A similar ex- the rest of Europe as there is at the present day pared with six in 1000 of the general popula- distinctively and especially the country of the tion of Whitechapel, and 29 in 1000 of the Chris- rich; and we are still very far from having discovered all that is implied in those few words: and, in particular, we are far as yet from underhabits inculcated by the Jewish faith. For ex- standing how closely they are connected with ample, the houses of all Jews undergo a thor- the general feebleness of our administration, and ough cleansing once a year, and every room is with that excessive intricacy in our institutions It is Scripturally asserted that "long hair is lime-washed at least as often; more than one and general want of tone in the management of a glory to a woman." Some look well with it family never occupy the same room (two or three many of our public affairs, which are what peoshort; but as a general thing, in the words of or more families semetimes occupy a single room ple really mean or ought to mean when they among the lower order of the surrounding popuspeak of English want of logic, want of "geist." a contemporary, "when a lady in short hair lation); considerable care is taken with respect or want of whatever else it may suit individual

Success in Life. - A man named Dunbar. benevolence of the rich, applications for Work- Railway, in this section, as a day labourer, has met with a singular stroke of good fortune. After leaving here he turned his attention to farriery in some part of the States, and practiced A REBEL OUTBURST .- The Richmond Ex- with a good deal of success in the shocing and been relieved from command at Fortress Monroe, tirely new, simple and effective. On application die, may your carrion be thrown to the dogs, the notice of the Prussian Minister, who has neto the unfastidious buzzard. You have polluted ment of his service in the Prussian army and in our air and soil too long. Go! Relieve us of a few months Dunbar will proceed to Berlin to SINGULAR CEREMONIAL.—Among the Seneca | BEAUTIFUL.—At a Sabbath School anniver- your insufferable presence. Relieve us of an of- enter upon his work for which of course the Indians when a maiden dies they imprison a sary in London, two little girls presented them
As we revere and love Jefferson Davis, so do most handsomely. Thus has the condition of a young bird until it first begins to try its power selves to receive the prize, one of whom recited we detest and contemn thee, hateful kite-ob- poor working man by a very simple and peculiar knowledge of the horse which happens not to be possessed by any one else been raised from com-VAGARIES OF THE TELEGRAPH.—At a parative obscurity to one of wealth and opulence.

> correctness with which telegraphic communi- dians, are erecting a university for the education cations were transmitted between England and of Indians in Kansas. Their chief, John Jones. orders were sent to India "to purchase 1,000 in the enterprise, and associated with him are

you have learned," again inquired the Presi- purchase "21,000 bales." Another message was Hutchinson, the government Indian agent for sent to a gentleman in India that "his wife the Ottawas. By a treaty consummated two or in England had presented him with a fine three years since, the Ottawas gave twenty "There was sir," she answered blushing daughter." the message received by the gen- thousand acres of land from the centre of their still more deeply: "In honor preferring one tleman was that "his wife had presented him reservation for the establishment of this univer-