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God's Acre.

I like that ancient Saxon phrase, which calls The burial-ground God's Acre! It is just; It consecrates each grave within its walls, And breathes a benison o'er the sleeping dust.

God's Acre! Yes, that blessed name imparts Comfort to those, who in the grave have sown The seed that they had garnered in their hearts, Their bread of life, alas! no more their own.

Into its furrows shall we all be cast, In the sure faith, that we shall rise again At the great harvest, when the archangel's blast Shall winnow, like a fan, the chaff and grain.

Then shall the good stand in immortal bloom, In the fair gardens of that second birth; And each bright blossom, mingle its perfume With that of flowers, which never bloomed or earth.

With thy rude plowshare, Death, turn up the sod.

heard calling.

And spread the furrow for the seed we sow : This is the field and Acre of our God! This is the place where human harvests grow !

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the platform from where she stood.

haps because his shoulders grew out in a dren. misshappen bunch) dodged a larger boy had noticed the accident.

tossed some distance by the front of the dren," where one of the women-held some future day we will discover the

surface crackled pleasantly under her feet gardens of the palace, she noticed on a forth a stream of spiritual benefits and Government House, Ottawa. as she took the longest way to the cow mulberry leaf a tiny worm spinning its blessings that has invigorated the most barn, a small shed apart from the other cocoon. Curiosity led her to watch the barren wastes of humanity and re-anibuildings, mounted on four tall stone movements of the little creature until it mated men who were dead in trespass and posts and looking like a Shanghai rooster, had finished winding itself in its fine silk- sins.

that held the door in place, and, once in-side, she could not resist the fascination of the golden meal and the clean, shining corn that filled the great chests and lay beaped like solid gold in a large bin. Then she played awhile, and then climbed delicate texture that no one else could their beneficent influence, and monu-Belle River, in the Province of Ontario, shall to the rafters above her head, where hung copy, and all the world must look with ments of their gracious effects are being be and the same is hereby declared to be an Out to the rafters above her head, where hung bunches of red and yellow ears of corn, of admiration whenever she passed by. So erected wherever they are proclaimed. In Windsor, to take effect from the 1st of May, inwhich she gathered some and ran back to she learned the manner of winding off Italy the Bible has entered Rome and ex-stant.

the house, just as her mother's voice was the silk and weaving it, and studied their pelled the temporal power of the Pope, ways, and how to rear them, that she and is circulating encouragingly. Spain

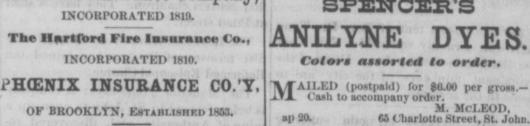
The corn, as she said, "popped beauti- might have a supply constantly on hand. is gradually opening her gates to the re- Welland Canal Enlargement. fully, as if it was doing its best," and she At last she unfolded her knowledge to the ception of the gospel. From India the soon had a heap of great fat, white curly Emperor, who was overjoyed at finding accounts are very cheering. Even the soon had a heap of great fat, white curry hot only employment for his workmen, which she filled the horn to overflowing, but amusement for himself, and so important was the discovery that the exportion portant was the discovery that the exportion of have an immense influence all the arrival of the Eastern and Western mails, on

She was using her bright eyes to their utmost capacity—seeing many queer peoutmost capacity—seeing many queer peo-ple and things—much that she wondered at, but could not understand. At last her attention was attracted by some little her attention was attracted by some little newsboys, ragged and dirty, each with a bundle of papers to sell under his arm, who were playing a game of "tag,"-who were playing a game of "tag,"-

chasing each other around another train made to hold one more red apple or juicy ment how many persons in all parts of their cargo of life and light among the Tenders will not be chasing each other around another train of cars that stood on the opposite side of the platform from where she stood the platform from where she stood. Patty became quite interested in the game and laughed aloud, clapping her hands gleefully as one of their number they called "Bunch"-(she thought permatron of St. Mary's Hospital for chil- way, and every necktie that is worn is rate of about eleven millions annually; tendering declines entering into contract for the works at the rates stated in the offer submitted.

It came after a lew days, and told of the creatures are fed with the leaves of the do not amount to more than five millions that do not amount to more than five millions that do not amount to more than five millions that do not amount to more than five millions that do not amount to more than five millions that do not amount to more than five millions that do not amount to more than five millions that do not amount to more than five millions that do not amount to more than five millions the down of the do who lay in waiting for him; when, turn-safe arrival, the day before Christmas, of mulberry tree cut in small pieces, and are per annum, more than half the yearly in-turned to the respective contractors whose Tening quickly to dart in front of the engine, the welcome basket, and of the pleasure so voracious that they require to be fed crease of the world's population is unpro- ders are not accepted. For the due fulfilment of the contract, satisfaction is the second sec he feil, just as the huge bulk started, with angry snorts and puffs of fire and smoke, and snores to leave the letter went on to say: "Poor the letter went on the bulk sum of the contract, of which the sum sent bulk sum of the contract. and seemed to leap, as it were, on the little Bunch still lingers in great pain, spin two thousand feet in one cocoon, and tural knowledge. These facts call for in- in with the Tender will be considered a part. Ninety per cent. only of the progress estimates a set of the period on a set of the per rail, he lay quite still, unconscious of the great horror that drew near him, and though is his constant, and though is his constant, he lay quite still, unconscious of the will be released. The beautiful here for the this is so delicate that the same number of cord here and the constant of the work. The same number of cord here are a stached the actual it not would will be released. The beautiful it not would will be released the actual it not would will be released the actual it not would will be released. great horror that drew near him, and which was reflected in the faces of all who night; for his last word before he sleeps useful work for the many who must earn every language and disseminated in every become securities for the carrying out of these is, 'Don't take it away,'- and it lays on their daily bread, and that we should at land; until every homestead on earth conditions, as well as the due performance of the works embraced in the contract. The few standing near rushed shouting to the engineer a warning. But it was too late! The poor little fellow was toosed some distance by the front of the





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