with a terrible clatter, leav- | He had typhoid fever, and a very

THE CANNONS MOUTH, mounted and walked feebly up "They said it was a forced march. I took his horse round to the barn.

l packed with soldiers on geon come over and see him. Between looked more as if they were going to wasn't one of our own men instead of rather, as if the place be my horse as a hostage?" was there, and I made up my mind "I'll see about that when you get found. marched up to the officer "What hostage do you require in to-

'We're 'pressing all the horses and sure.' wagons we find along the road," he "What do you mean by 'pressing

They can march faster." respectable to call it 'pressin

going to a man who colored boys to bring the captain's what I want to know. their knapsacks on the wagon, and it looked straight into my eyes. I lower-down the line was soon loaded, and one of the ne ed them to his sours.

Just then an officer came along with not forget your kindness." wore a straight sword instead of

wagon, "you'd better not try togo any of," he said, "but it is a very poor re-"I can go on, general. It's only in-baratelle.

where you are." He speke, so | pay for what I had done for him. that I thought he was going to head off. I wished have the shrewdness to guess where the captain had the courage to answer | it is. the sick man sitting on his my eyes. Then he mounted his horse horse looking after them, to take care and rode away without once looking coming straight down on him, and within a short time been ing regiments, and no one was near able. He niust know I wouldn't like with my hands. but the captain and me.

What are you going to do?" I ask some little trinket for me to remember

yard, the bern the kitchen, were t

He thought a moment, and then

turn for so much kindness—a mere

eaked, surprise

"To keep for the safe return of those thing rattle far down the road. It whittling business. The stocks of sounded like emptying a barrel of many of the stores would not bring \$5 stones into another barrel. Then an at antion, and the merchant sits l'other rattle, mingled with a constant | Ma Turk in his bazant what to do. Hed his full booming. All the morning the Jas goods and with his legs crossed the I could distinctly hear the loud-reports counter, and his goods hang on tr of cannon and of muskets all fired at wall or are piled within easy reach of ing a cloud of dust behind them, then case it was Occasionally when troops toping back and forth; new guns were and the whole of the front of this is The News Office may was all quiet for an hour, I heard would come into the neighborhood, I every moment thrusting out their agily open. The floor is raised about two The News Office may was all quiet for an hour, I heard would come into the neighborhood, I every moment thrusting out their agily open. The floor is raised about two and to the north, to their camp and ask to have a surofficers shouting gibberish at them, the prices. quickly up, and I the surgeons and my nursing we got which they must have been Indian or la had time to see what they him through the crisis. I nursed him Chinese to understand. Then more

They didn't march like sold valescent, and it was very nice to south, tired dusty, grimed, some esides their muskets. They that I began to feel sorry that he came up on to the veranda.

being nothing but a detestable Yan- "Come away from here at ill, looking out and watching them, One day while I was sitting on the going to make a stand behind th sill, looking out and watching them, One day while I was sitting on the looking out and watching them, I saw a young officer ride into the veranda beside him sewing, he said: works. You are directly in range. Be wires. By moving these up and down "Miss Molly, are you still holding quick! the fire is liable to open at any he adds and subtracts quite as quickly "Don't you think you could let me a few things. One took a lamp, anand they got down off their horses and take him when I get well, if I should other a pitcher, another a photograp the barn. I thought at once promise to go and find your horses, album. It seemed as if everybody

down the walk to the gate; I stayed Gatarrhal Deafness and Hay Fever. "The hostage." girl standing before him, looking as if 'You haven't anything to leave.

Besides, I've done very little I'm except his revolver, and I was sure he obnoxious. I made up my mind that wouldn't leave that. It wasn't appro- he should tell me what I had houted read the above carefully.

aid, stubbornly.

stav here till the battle is over."

ed at the frowning forts anx iously, then back at me. "You must know?" "You'll find it," he added, "if you ! . Well, then, Molly dear, I left you seems to be greatly on the With that he gave my hand a pressuddenness of the discovery. Merci- sudden loss of many of our

stupidity! The blood rushed in a tar- ident Hendricks, Gen. John rent to my cheeks; I covered my fake A. Logan, Sec'y Daniel P of my hands from my burning cheek was setting on the fence with my occupied, looking into bureau draw- islied about the hostage, we won't stay

"And now, sweetheart" taking one RHEUMATISM. which I suffered extreme pain. I called a doctor, who pronounced it science rheumatism. My right man could find to hide any. As he spoke there was an explosion and my joints, were so stiff that there was be As he spoke there was an explosion action in them. About six weeks ago I began Rheumatic Syrup and Plasters remedies of great taking Hibbard's Rheumatic Syrup with marvelous merit.

Rev. J. Roberts. Sirricking cats were whirling over our results. Since then I have left off the use of crutches went all over the house from attic to heads. I almost wished one of them days I often forget it and walk without any aid. To

matism and all Blood Dis-

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THE FATAL KISS. o'clock that mornin! we was all in the he'd as much right to be proud as the peaceful scene, an' not a-thinkin' not --Limeas a tertifizer.

Par turned the cellar stoop for the he took on more'n common at the sprawlin' on the ground. Par turned the cellar stoop for the ne took on more n common at the sprawtin on the ground, side steps, an' Sis throwed down court house; an' they do say that . (I'm mighty tough an' strong ef I an increase during the year of 441,. The wood of apple trees when burned. Henry Cabell was balancin' hisself this time, an'of course knowed nothin' Then I hollered murder three times on the porch rail whittlin', an' I seen bout the new neighbers but what we an' run back to our house.

par's eyes twinkle as they looked that writ.

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AT HARMAN'S. (I think them's the verbatim words.) lookin' 'em over.

Then I whirled the dasher roun', wern't no more.

an' says she:

O no, indeed, ma!" cried she, "an' firs' O! when I started to run it kissed me

ARICK. MARBLEHEAD Cabell," says I. "Land knows you've taller candle to the sun by 'em. nough; it's no wonder he wants to get | block when Henry driv roun' with a | know."

o'er: leave me to solitude, mar, an' let

jes' step over to Mis' Cabell's an' see et roun! meeker'n a canderdate roun predomernatin' importance." E-STEMS and smokers' materials, dered by the court to be sold, because nothin to her), an' we was all miser bridal tower. it was covered by so many mor gages able together.

mannered young man; saveastic, mebtain side, like a flery serpent glidin
in its hole.

ith two owls arblinkin at one dows. It fenced in the big plantation give me a cold an eluminy kiss.

'nother, an' "good night" writerbove. an' altered things eroun' till, of the ole I shricked an' scratched an' give it milch cows in the United States on cent, and it is in considerable quantum.

On. Them sin't like common owls, what judge could a rose from under the a bitin' kiss back an' then I planked it Jan. 1st, 1888, as 14.856,414, and on tities in the straw of cereals and the cherry tree in the garden, he'd thought one blow an' a kick that laid it a 1st of January, 1889, as 15,298,625, Sis was at school in Richmond all that orcount.

ANDOVER N. V. way, but I give him a warnin', an' She was studyin' hard to graduate, was Sis, with her hair flyin' roun' her on' did. Kamied off all the prizes an' face like a oriole; an' save she, 'fore'

sis opened one letter.

"A card of acceptance from the cense as me; but a child wouldn't a limit the fatal one as give the kiss, fur I we less than one-tenth of one per cent. the application of lime to the bark Office and Residence, Crandall Dwelling, tury old magazine," says she, "an" gone on the way he did the day Sisgot b'leeve I've kilt somebody, a-lyin' laws, mar!" as she read the nex' one, home from school, with her diplomer outcu the road. Wher's the lantern?" smaller than at the preceding return." "May Meverill will be merried the framed in a case wide as the pianny We went back quink, an' who These figures are hard facts, and our insect and fangus attacks, and also

(I think them's the verbatim words.) lookin' 'em over.

Said Henry Cabell, when Sis hed Well, it commenced from that day. Henry seen me comin' long in that cow or cows helped to reduce the avcoal ashes and lime as far out as the er, Miss Irene," an' I seen him read airy, fairy suthin' 'nother; an' the he mistook it was Sis.

that fool thing over twice an' laff a colonel let on like she was a queen, Ef one kiss was fatal, two couldn't the country. The man, up at West year. The climate seems to have no that fool thing over twice an' laff a colonel let on like she was a queen, little to hisself as he handed it back. with his chivalous manners. Sis has hurt nohow, so he jes' played ghost field, who made 500 pounds of butter influence on such peach trees. If not scase in Californy if ghosts is a-takin' she was sweet as pie to all but Henry. Well, I laffed, as I would ef it hed each year for three years in succession allowed to overbear, such trees seem

Him she were perlite to, an' she o' been the governer hisself; an' Sis— from his Devon cow, certainly did not to be as healthy and vigorous as were wern't no more.

She hedn't been home no time 'fore folks seemed to take the heft o' the But 'twern't no use, fur the hollerin' before he found out how much butter to be as healthy and vigorous as were the peach trees planted here 50 to 70.

But 'twern't no use, fur the hollerin' before he found out how much butter vears are. Ashes are not as shear fur the butter hed come, an' thought | She hedn't been home no time 'fore | roun' to me. That evening 'twas gettin' sorter whole business'bout her an' Henry on tween lights, when Sis went to the milkin' gap over by the old Injin be a fine thing to make such a grand an' Tobey Kurtz from our barn, where thing to make such a grand an Tobey Kurtz from our parn, where worth of butter from every cow in his inin' they was feedin', an' a purty sight we worth of butter from every cow in his In some parts of Pennsylvania, no-I hed jes' doubled the yaller dork- land," an' all such talk, I mistrusted all was. chickens to the black bantam's (knowing how highty-tighty Sis was) We went back to our house, an' it an' counted thirteen turkeys as fur a neighbor to come nigh the house. was some time before Henry got fixed he was offered a good round price for farmers have found it profitable to

sis a-runnin', her face whiter 'n a team an' asked Sis to go with him to Sis' high flyin' ways was gone. She son, refused to sell. His value on the the acre, about every fifth year. The sperrit's an' her eyes shinin' like stars, the big meetin' at Trinklin Spring blushed ernough in one night for the "O mar! I've seen a ghost slidin' up Sis' new laylac silk come from the helt on to her like he were brimful o' the average dairy cow would bring in and insects are deterred, and young "O mar! I've seen a ghost shain up sis new laylag she come from the grainst the fence rail, an' I've had a town dressmaker's a-Sadurdy, an' the fatal kisses an' ready to bestow any the spring. Because prices of butter stock grows better on the pastures "Nonsense!" said I, you ain't seen room in a phayton then in our carry. The ole colonel looked powerful and cheese are low there is all the and hay. When thus applied broad-

as par said, fur me'n him got to church they were pinions o' peace a-hoverin', which bring down the average yield mineral ingredients of the soil, and however, a This is a fine contra tong, my dear cian to publish to the world that the other manures should be used in condashin' looking couple they was madame, to a most unpleasant condi-"Then 'twern't no soul but Henry Nothin' on that church green helt a tion of affairs." Isetty Green was nigh the kerridge trary is the general natur o' love, you

"Besides," says I, when I seen flourish, an' says she to Myra Brown: Mis' Cabell come over the nex' Pride goeth before destruction," should continue to be used. Good she looked cut erbout Henry, "he's go- "Sis sets up there like she had a deed goin' away to morrer, an' he knows o' trust on them horses an' the driver." high caste an a tiptop lady, she's got says the Preacher, but there is very judgment, in connection with some "She do," says Myra, "but I reckon as fine feelin's as any woman I ever little pride in the cows or this counched chemical knowledge, is therefore nec-

"Pooh!" said I, "you smelt nothin' dot pink caliker 'gainst her face, as but Henry's cigar; an any lips would she and Henry passed to the church be clammy with the night air comin' door.

white face yell showed out like polica furred; an' she an' Sis hed a real nice cows do not consider them as profitation of lime will stop it and prevent thinkin' wouldn't it be better to order ble, or likely to be profitable. the supper all ready. I'd a-cried too. shoulder to Henry an' kep' it turned. | U've got a mighty tender heart, par an' things went on worse an' worse says, when I am't a thinkin' bout

Henry says he believes in ghosts.

AGRICULTURAL MATTERS

two periods named were \$366,252,173 These figures prove at a glance how in 1888, and \$366,226,376 in 1889, a necessary it is to supply lines in some When I throwed open the door ther decrease of \$25,797. In other words, shape to our common farm crops and

top, an's flower garden o' commence should be layin' ther', wrapped in his dairymen should face them squarely marerially aids the healthy growth of "Them's too many merrys fur me," ment bo'quets tied with white ribbin. long overcoat (one of them dudy Henry Cabell was to the depot that things they wear now), with the light side turned out, an' his mar's white the tree. The lime is slowly washed into the soil and gets to the feeding Incoming Steamers, returned and expensive city transfer that goes on in the world.

The Name Carrier of the train; but I veigh Cabel! Part of his mustache of the train; but I veigh Cabel! Part of his mustache of the train; but I veigh Cabel! Part of his mustache of the reduction of 71 cents per head on of the reduction of Par was readin, The News Carrier, give him a side glance, an' up he steps clawed out an' his face all bloody all the cows in the United States was ; In this respect, as authorized trie agents to 9 P. M.

| an' Sis took up ernother paper, an' an issue an utoday an in plant growth. In cold wet soils coming steamship from suropean pers and in the trees and in the trees and in plant growth. In cold wet soils coming steamship from suropean pers and in the trees and in the trees and in plant growth. In cold wet soils coming steamship from suropean pers and in the trees and in plant growth. In cold wet soils coming steamship from suropean pers and in the trees and in plant growth. In cold wet soils coming steamship from suropean pers and in plant growth. In cold wet soils coming steamship from suropean pers and in plant growth. In cold wet soils coming steamship from suropean pers and in plant growth. In cold wet soils coming steamship from suropean pers and in plant growth. In cold wet soils coming steamship from suropean pers and in plant growth. In cold wet soils coming steamship from suropean pers and in plant growth. In cold wet soils coming steamship from suropean pers and in plant growth. In cold wet soils coming steamship from suropean pers and in plant growth. In cold wet soils coming steamship from suropean pers and in plant growth. In cold wet soils coming steamship from suropean pers and in plant growth. In cold wet soils coming steamship from suropean pers and in plant growth. In cold wet soils coming steamship from suropean pers and in plant growth. In cold wet soils coming steamship from suropean pers and in plant growth. In cold wet soils coming steamship from suropean pers and in plant growth. In cold wet soils coming steamship from suropean pers and in plant growth. In cold wet soils coming steamship from suropean pers and in plant growth suropea Ays she:

"Mar, just listen at this item from a traveler."

"Bis' brown eyes was a sparklin', an' his head onto her bosom, an' says she, traveler."

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"When the did look powerful fine in her new tryin like her heart would break tryin like her heart would be a look tryin like her heart would be "During my sojourn in California I cloth travelin' dress and wide brim hat rolled erbove them yaller curls and sions." In the grave yard of one the priest pointed to a section beyond some I interduced Henry, an' Sis give in thet stooper a leetle longern'n nection of freshlv-slacked lime to the formal would not be direct tor of the stooper a leetle longern'n nection of freshlv-slacked lime to the formal would not be direct tor of the stooper a leetle longern'n nection of freshlv-slacked lime to the formal would not be direct tor of the stooper a leetle longern'n nection of freshlv-slacked lime to the formal would not be direct tor of the stooper a leetle longern'n nection of freshlv-slacked lime to the formal would not be direct tor of the stooper a leetle longern'n nection of freshlv-slacked lime to the formal would not be direct tor of the stooper a leetle longern'n nection of freshlv-slacked lime to the formal would not be direct tor of the stooper a leetle longern'n nection of freshlv-slacked lime to the formal would not be direct tor of the stooper a leetle longern'n nection of freshlv-slacked lime to the formal would not be direct. into the facilic, affording the greatest possible respiratory of routes and the tewest possible respiratory of routes and the tewest possible respiratory of routes and the tewest possible respiratory of the facility of routes and the facility of routes Fresh Roasted Deanuts each in turn kissed by a ghost before from Richmond to the Blue Ridge was caught in her own trap, an' glad per pound, and takes his pay in trade tunnel, an' she was jes' a little tired I was. I was.

I knowed jes' how it happened. at the grocery store, is the man whose that are given annually a dressing of

herd of 30 cows one year, and when tably in the southeastern constice. some of them, at the end of the sea- sow from 40 to 100 bushels of lime to whole 18 years, an' Henry McVeigh cows in his herd was greater than grain is heavier, crops larger, worms

LIME AS A FERTILIZER. Then Mis' Cabell she turned cold to Sis an' looked reproachful like at me the luggage of she an' Mis Cabell gits on shingles and timber from rapid desamall quantities. Judge Tolliver's old estate was or though, land sakes, I hedn't done the half they talk erbout for the cay, and sake metals from being cor. The editor of the Mark Lane Ex-WEDICINES I much else), an' it was bought by Col. studyin' it ower or I was his as his he advises a more or it is freshly-perfect condition, it rap blos.

Published every Wednesday at one dollar I was churnin' to one side, where the Wash'ngton bower shades the sun, and in a first-class manner.

Date per year. Job Printing done on short notice the Wash'ngton bower shades the sun, and Sis was tracin' some piller shams, side down with versady's an' bey wing plantation of the per cent.; to becoo, 87 per cent.; per vines get excited an' par keeps me carm on 211. The estimated values at the shows 71 per cent, of lime.

of red clover has 84 per cent. of

the ashes of all woods have from

She was studyin' hard to graduate, was his, with her hair thyin' roun' her an' did. Kerried off all the prizes, an' face like a oriole; an' says she, 'fore I the value of cows decreased 71 cents especially to our apple orchards. C. W. O'DONNELL, M. D., age o' chicken powders fur you, long with 'em; an' mighty proud we long with 'em; an' mighty proud we long with 'em; an' mighty proud we long with 'em; an' bers is sufficient almost to offset this derided the practice of whitewashing Her par ain't noted to hev as much "Yes," says i, "right you liev; an shrinkage, leaving the aggregate valuation fruit trees, but it has been found that acre. We know of peach orchards

nothin' but Jersey white, that's missed all, so she excepted of Henry's invite. pleased. He rubbed his hands an' greater need of weeding out the cows cast, it seems to help dissolve other of receipts, and compel the statisti- thus aids the growth of crops. Hence average cow in the United States is nection, or some ingredients of the "Yes, colonel," says I, "but korn-deteriorating at the rate of 71 cents soil will be all used up and the crops She embraced Sis an' said: "Bless try, either in their breeders or their essary in the use of lime as a fertili-"But, mar," says Sis, a-shiverin', daughter fur his son."

She embraced Sis an' said: "Bless owners. The figures are evidence very sum of the spots in her you, my child; you are welcome to that the majority of those who keep nure heaps are heating, the applications of the spots in her white lace yell showed out like polks our hearts," as she kissed her on the furred: an' she an' Sis hed a real nice. loss of the volatile substances. For grass land the best method of apply Lime is one of the most common ing lime is in the shape of finely-She pearten'd up sometimes very Sis is all we've got. She'll have the elements in soils, and, to a greater or ground bone-dust. This supplies both gay, a drivin' with the young boardin', mill place an' the Hanna tract an' the less extent, enters into the composi- phosphoric acid and lime, and in a gey, a-drivin with the young ocurum big survey, an' I don't see as Henry tion of plants and domestic animals. condition which will not dissolve othan' singin' love duets. Then she'd go as much.

off in the sulks, an' be a-writin' poetry, as much.

out o' till I more'n suspicioned there was a don't think we harbored such a and therefore necessary to be eaten them. Gypsum, or land plaster /* As fur Henry, he got mighty pale. It is alka-phate of lime), is another useful form scornfuller'n a congressman; and next she went on, as a big tear rolled offen line in character and neutralizes acids of lime as manure, although chemists in soils and in foods. It is scrid and are not agreed as to how the plants I could come up with that Henry day. I hadn't no patience with Sis' Consultin' erbout the trossow, Sis corrosive, disintegrating waste and utilize this mineral. It certainly The way it all happened bout Sis sprised when Henry give out all at ticularize; he'd hev to give her cart offensive animal and vegetable mat greatly benefits clover and other lefinest line of Cigars, Tobacco and an' him was more n'a year back, when once that he was goin' travelin' west. blanche," or suthin'; but to my notion ter. It is antiseptic, preserving wood- guminous plants, even when used in

roded by exposure to the air. When press advises farmers to cut-off potato