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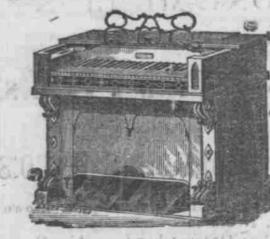
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stopped to admire its gentle undulations; port; oh, Mr. Allen, say it will. It has its great flower garden of forest trees, rich in every color and hue, its silver threads winding their way to the water threads winding their way to the water the way to the water threads winding their way to the water the way to the water then it was Jemmy's turn to be sentry, and I would take his place, but I was too the water then it was Jemmy's turn to be sentry, and I would take his place, but I was too the water the white House the way to the way to the water the white House the way to the wa autumn light which lay like a golden "To bring you nearer the kingdom," awake, if I had a gun at my head, but I comrade's baggage and die for the good mantle over them all. But this after- said the minister. noon he seemed oppressed by the beauty "Or, don't tell me that, I can't bear it. too late."

pictures. Photographs or Ambrotypes. hardly knew he was calling the name, off one little second; he way so young. perish forever, but as if he felt sorry for call at A. & M. Stafford's Rooms above until it came back to him with such an and not strong, that boy of mine! why, his poor, sinful, broken hearted child. the Post Office. We are prepared to do empty, mocking sound, from the hardless he was as tall as I, and only eighteen! and would take him to be with him and my glory; I have found him. I have the best of work in the shortest possible echo; "almost"-Mr. Allen thought, and now they shot him because he was my Savior, in a better better life." made him. time, and on as reasonable terms as any startling himself by the seeming impiety found asleep when doing sentinel duty." A great sob burst from Mr.) Owen's no great, kind Father over us all." slowly, as if endevoring to find out the 'Amen!"

He knew they had been there since the Where is Bennie now ?"

39 Varieties, with Patent Basso Tenuto or sterner doctrines of religion, while Mr. face. He recognized the power of the heart like the President's could refuse person receiving the next highest numbers. questioned and doubted. The key-stone childlike in its innocent, clinging affect. The next morning they reached New of Mr. Owen's theology was the sover- ion; how could this be reconciled with York, and the conductor found suitable eignty of God: - "Shall not the Judge of the stern, strong head-the head to the company for Blossom, and hurried her on and each shall continue in office until all earth do right?" This was the man common observers outlined the character to Washington. Every minute now his successor is elested and qualified. upon whom God had now laid his hands of the man? 'God have mercy on you; might be a year in her brother's life. the trial brought no murmur, no rebel- times heated, he exclaimed, almost in- Blossom reached the capital and was the duration of their respective terms of lion against the mighty Soverign, the voluntarily. taining a full description of style, and testimonials of the Northern army. They had country, when it needed it. P tence of our instruments—can be seen at this Orace marched to battle to strains of the old rather, than keep it at the plow. and sanctuary from the day that Crom- and God keep you, God has kept him, well and his soldiers chanted them on I hink, Mr. Allen!' and the farmer re-Marston Moor, All down the aisles of peated these last words slowly, as if, in Time came tramping to the music armed spite of his head, his heart doubted them. men, bearing on their shields the two Like the apple of his eye. Mr. Owen, words, Liberty and Equality. They trem- doubted it not? ble on Mr. Owen's lips with his parting | Blossom had sat near them listening blessing to his boy. ) Would he remem with blanched cheek. She had not shed

There, by a table, with his arms fold- from him, was all she said, ed and laid heavily upon it, sat Mr.

girl, sat between them. Mr. Owen rose to welcom him; so did child. fro, looking at the blazin wood.

glimmered from his dull eyes a spark of when he fell sick, I did all 1 could for the life of a child like that, thus Abrathe old controversial fire-'you don't him. He was not strong, when he was ham Lincoln thinks the life for the pre-It was in the early part of October, suppose that I have held on to that anch- ordered back into the ranks and the day clous to be lost. Go back, or wait until 1863, that the Rev. Mr. Allen started to or when the skies were cloudless, and before that night, I carried all his lug- to-morrow; Bennie will need change walk to Farmer Owen's over the hills. the little waves just rocked my bark, to gage, beside my own, on our march. after he has so bravely faced death, he He had to cross two low spurs of the let go of it now-now, when the great Toward night we went in on double shall go with you." I all great Toward night we went in on double shall go with you." Green Mountains, and as he climbed to waves and billows are going over me, do the top of the second the rich valley of you? I've planted it firm, and it don't feel very heavy, everybody else was tired and who shall doubt that God heard and the Otter Creek lay spread on before yield; no it don't yield, but the strain is him. At any other sime he would have terrible. God send it may carry me into him an arm, now and then, he would "wo days after this injerview.

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telegraph came. Mr. Owen had read it "We will hope with his Heavenly Billy too, will neigh to me from his stall, all purposes connected with the general

large parish, there was not one upon thing she is sort of stunned, it seems to he reached down to lift her in, wondered whom the minister relied as he did upon me; she makes no wail. Poor mother! at the sweet, tear-stained face that was this strong, sturdy farmer. Many and if my heart was not broken it would al- upturned toward the dim lantern he many an hour he had walked by his side most kill me to see her so. Bennie was held in his hand. when he was upturning the brown earth. her idol. I told her often, God had said. A few questions and ready answers shall be organized by holding a school and had discoursed upon topics which "Though shall have no other gods before told him all, and no father could have meeting of the legal voters of said see would have sounded harsh and repulsive me." cared more tenderly for his only child, district on the first monday of March to common ears, but which were fraught Mr. Allen looked in astonishment at than he, for our little Blossom. with deep and vital interest to them. the bowed man as he came and stood be- She was on her way to Washington Mr. Owen was a direct descendant of the fore him. These few hours had done to ask President Lincoln for her broth- retary, and proceed to elect by ballo Puritaus, and every drop of his blood the work of years. The sinewy frame er's life. She had stolen away, leaving three school directors for such subdi

was tinged with as strong and true a was tottering, the eyes were dimmed, only a note to tell her father where, and trick Of those so elected, the person "blue" as if he himself had landed in and the sudden sorrow had written its why, she had gone. - She had brought receiving the highest number of woten the Mayflower. He took naturally to the elf in deep wrinkles all over his manly Bennie's letter with her no good kind shall hold his office for three years, the Allen versed in all the modern lore, great kind heart, simple and almost to be melted by it. on so heavily; and Mr. Allen felt that if He is trying you in a furnace seven And so in an incredibly short time

which to live and die. He knew that said, 'when I am a man, to think I never one element in this war was Puritan, used this great right arm'-and he held AN ILLUSTRATED CATALOGUE, con- Sons of the Round-heads filled up the it out so proudly before me-for my rapks of the Northern army. They had country, when it needed it. Palsy it, tunes that had lingered in the nursery 'Go, Bennie, then go, my boy,' I said,

ber them, and would they comfort and a tear today, and the terror in her face Where there is affliction in a house it. She had occupied herself mechanic child, it was a time of special danger. the minister is at home. Mr. Allen en- ally in the household cares, which her Thousands of lives might have been lost directors of any subdistrict so elected tered without knocking, and made his mother's condition devolved entirely upon for his culpable negligance. way to the large, old-fashioned kitchen here: Now she answered a gentle tap at in which he was sure of finding the fam- the kitchen door, opening it to receive vely, what poor Bennie was so tired, sir,

chair by the fire, and Blossom, a young his trembling fingers, and held it towards he was too tired. Mr. Allen, with the helplessness of a What is this you say, child I come days after their election, shall take an

one that was held out toward him, and I shall be in eternity. At first, it seem- the pale, anxious face toward his. How directors are authorized to admini King of Saints," faltered out the man. thought, father, it might have been on now simply and straight forward, and precinct clerk to fill such vacaces we

had always spoken before. Mr. Allen nearly betraying it, to die for neglect of his pen wrote a few hasty inner, w when he heard it, almost felt as if he had duty !-- oh, father, I wonder the very rang his bell. dealthim a blow, thought does not kill me. But I shall Blosom heard this order green: Sexu "Thank God! He has not, then not disgrace you. I am going to write remember are made and the state of the sta forsaken you, and from the depths of you all about it, and, when I am gone. The President then turned to the girl

around him. He looked upon it with God is too wise; He knows a hundred God be thanked.' interrupted Mr. and a crowd gathered at the Mill Dopet eyes misty from tears. There was a dull, such souls as mine are not worth one of Owen reverently," I knew Bennie was to welcome them back, and farmer heavy weight upon his heart a weight my Bennie's. I can suffer if I am to not the boy to sleep carelessly at his post. Owen's tall head towered above them which even the long, fervent prayer he had uttered so unceasingly since noon but Bennie! Bennie! I have sat here all short reprieve, given to me by circumfailed to move. Between him and that day, since the news came, wondering, stances, 'time to write to you,' our good as the holies blessing he could pronounce landscape, we might almost say, between wondering; he was so good a son."- Colonel says. Forgive him, father, he upon his child: 'Just and true are all him and the mercy seat, there moved a and Mr. Owen's voice grew almost inar- only does his duty; he would gladly save Thy ways, thou King of Saints.' slight, tall boy, with a laughing blue eye, ticulate in its emotion- such a dear, pre- me, if he could, and don't lay my death That night Daisy and Brindle and Be clustering brown hair, and lips always clous noble boy! I thought, when I gave up against Jemmy. The poor boy is came lowing home from pasture for has just oponed, on Main street, between 1st and Znd, ready with a merry word. To-day, there him to his country, that not a father in broken hearted, and does nothing but they heard a well-known available to the beard a well-known available to the broken hearted, and does nothing but they heard a well-known available to the broken hearted, and does nothing but they heard a well-known available to the broken hearted, and does nothing but they heard a well-known available to the broken hearted. was Bennie, nuting under the bare, braw. all the broad land made so precious a beg and entreat them to let him die in them at the gate; and Bennie, as the

Also, Confectionaries, Canned Fruit, Dried his lines into the little brooks, that came my grief is a sin. Mr. Allen, the dear least to think of mother and their grate brown eyes catches through the fruit, Spices of all kinds. Tea, Coffee, Sugar babling down from the steep mountain boy only slept a minute, just one little Blossom. Comfort, them, father Tell the still evening air, his Puritan father. Tobacco, Potatoes sweet Potatoes and overything side, driving his cows along the norrow minute, at his post; I know that was all, them I die as a brave boy should, and voice as he repeats to his happy mot foot-path; standing with Blossoms under for Bennie never hozed over duty. How that when the war is over, they will not these jubilant words; Fear not I will the bright maple, and shoughting with prompt and reliable he was!" and Mr. be ashamed of me as they must be now, bring thy seed from the East, and gathpride and joy as she wreathed her pretty Owen's eye wandered out over the God help me, it is very hard to bear, or thee from the West; I will say to the face in the gay leaves. North give, and to the South keep not "Oh, Bennie! Bennie!" Mr. Allen wondering look. "I know he only fell dear to, not at all, as if he wished me to back! bring my sons from far, and my

in the West. Give us a call. Examine of the words-"almost as if there were Mr. Owen repeated these words very heart. 'Amen!' he said solemnly

ble of taking care of his own affairs un- not mean holy," he said, correcting him- forgive your poor Benuie."

Mr. Allen beckoned to an Irashman Mr Allen tell me that. Oh, Bennie! glided out, and down the foot-path led to precincts of the territory, shall be rea who was passing, and asked him to take Bennie!" the road by the mill. She seemed rath- garded as subdistricts, and be subject to care of them. The man came with an The mether raising herself as she er flying than walking, turning her head the management and control of logal dis awed look upon his face, as if even there heard his name called, and, turning. neither to the right nor to the left; star- rectors as hereinafter provided; but nother he stood in the presence of a great sor- said with a smile: "Don't call so loud, ting out, as the full moon stretched ing contained in this chapter shall be so father. Bennie is not far off; he will queer, fantastic shapes all around her, construed as to give to the precinct board Mr. Allen walked on slowly toward soon come." looking only now and then, to Heaven, of education, or to local directors in aubthe house. He had known Mr. Owen "God laid his hand on them both," and folding her hands as if in prayer. districts, jurisdiction over any territory in

harried at once to the White House. stern old faith were indeed a rich one in "I should be ashamed. father !" he President had just seated himself presence of the chairman and secretary to his morning task, or overlooking and signing important papers, when, without cast and folded hands, stood before him bright and early this morning?"

> Blossom. Bennie ? Who is Bennie # la svot My brother, sir. They are going to

shoot him for sleeping at his post.'
'Oh yes,' and Mr. Lincoln ran his eye had been so very still no one had noticed ber. It was a fatal sleep. You see,

'So my father said,' said Blossom grafrom a neighbor's hand a letter. 'It is and Jemmy so weak. He did the work shall be held, and in such case, shall of two, sir, and it was Jemmy's night. Twas like a message from the dead. not his, but Jemmy was too tired, and Owen. His wife was in a small rocking- Mr. Owen could not break the seal for Bennie never thought about himself that lie places in such subdistricts need to be the seal for Bennie never thought about himself that

the deep, stentorian tones in which he ly; but to be shot down like a dog for! He read it carfully; then taking up to Louiside to be Continued.

this deep truble you can still say, . 'The you may tell my comrades. I can't now. and said . Go home, my child, and tell A Prize Tale written for the NY Observer Maker of acil doeth well'. You know. I promised Jemmy Carr's that father of yours, who could approve "Yes yes,"-and for an instant there mother, I would look after her boy, and his country's sentence, even when it would

did not know it until-well until it was act so complainingly. Then Bennie and

## NEW SCHOOL LAW.

As he came near Farmer Owen's true meaning: "Twenty four hours, the To-night in the early twilight I shall sec. 1. Each and every precinct in house, he saw his oxen yoked to the plow. telegraph said -only twenty four hours. see the cows all coming home from pas- any organized county in the territory ture Daisy, and Brindle and Bet old shall compose but one scagol district for in the field, gone to the house and forgotten them, and no one had dared to put them up. He was a man fully capa
in the field, gone to the house and forgotten them, and no one had dared to put them up. He was a man fully capa
in the field, gone to the house and forgotten them, and no one had dared to merciful, and Bennie was so good—I do never—never come.—God bless you all:

all put poses connected with the interests of education in the precipct, and back stoop waiting for me—but I shall be subject to the management and never—never come.—God bless you all: several school districts and fractions der any circumstances, never having been self sharply; "there is no one holy-no, Late that night the door of the "back parts thereof, which now are or line; not one - but Jesus died for sinners, stoop? apened softly and a little figure hereafter be established in the severa for many years, and he knew him well. said Mr. Owen, pointing to her, without Two hours later, the same girl stood the precinct included within the limits Indeed, there was a peculiar band of sym- making any direct reply. She has not at the Mill Depot, watching the coming of any city or incorporated village with pathy between the two men. In all his been justly herself since. It is a merciful of the night train, and the conductor, as the territory annexed thereto for school

> ELECTION OF LICAL DIRECTORS. 2. All unorganized subdistricts who, when assembled, shall organize by the appointment of a chairman and seco and the person receiving the next highest numbe shall hold the office for one years In case two of more persons to elected have received an equal number of mores, office shall be determined by lot, in the of the meeting; and annually thereafter in the same mauner, on the first Monday one word of anouncement, the door soft- in March, there shall be elected in each ly opened, and Blossom, with eyes down subdistrict of the proper precinct, one school director for the term of three Well, my child, he said in his pleas- years; and the minutes of the proceedant, cherry tones, what do you whant so be signed by the chairman and secretary, Bennie's life, pleas, sir, faltered out and delivered to the directors who shall have been elected as aforesaid, to be recorded by the clerk of the records of the subdistrict, and the said clerk of the subdistrict shall forth with cortify to the precinct clerk, the names of the local direcover the papers before him. I remem- tors so elected, specifying the term for which each was elected. If the directors of any subdistrict so elected. If the shall deem it expedient, they may designate the specific hour of the day on which the annual election for such subdistrict cause five days notice thereof in writing to be posted up in three of the most gub-

§. 3 The said directors within first here. I don't understand, and the Find oath or affirmation to apport the con-Blossom; but the wife did not notice The minister opened it, and, obedient man caught eagerly, as ever, at what stitution of the United States and the Physicians Prescriptions Compounded with the him-she sat still, rocking herself to and to a motion from the father, read as seemed to be a justification of an offense; organic law of this territory, and faith-Blossom went to him; he put his hand fully and importially to discharge the du Mr. Allen put a hand in the brawny | "Dear Father: When this reaches you tenderly on her shoulder and turned up tigs of their effices, which said outli to laid the other on Mr. Owen's great ed awful to me; but I have thought about tall he seemed and he was President of each other. But in case a vagar This Machine will do all kinds of work equal to he high priced Machines, and is the only practical and reliable Cheap Sewing Machine in the world.

The Machine will do all kinds of work equal to he high priced Machines, and is the only practical and rule are all thy ways, thou There was something strange in his the battle field, for my courty, and that, handed Mr. Lincoln Bennie's letter to ten days after being informed there it. voice—a thin, womanly sound, so unlike when I felt, it would be fighting glorious read. The board entry sound, so unlike when I felt, it would be fighting glorious.