THURSDAY, JAN. 27, 1876.

The Republicans of Maine have exponent of Democratic principles, chosen their delegates to the national the matter is eminently worthy of the convention and instructed them to go attention of the hundreds of thousfor Blaine for President.

perverted party tastes and instincts Democratic constituents. misrepresents Blaine and defends Jeff Davis and the rebel Congress and Andersonville etc. The Press is as true January 17, 1876, Mr. Hitchcock askas it can be to rebel democracy.

U. S. Senator Christiancy has introduced a bill in the Senate to bestow the right of suffrage upon the women of Utah. If to the women of Utah. why not give the same privilege to the women of other States and Territories.

In the amnesty debate in the House Mr. Blaine came out grand and triumphant, and the Republicans remained master of the situation. The disfranchised rebels, Jeff Davls included, and thirty-six, otherwise disposed of, may clothe themselves with all the privileges of citizenship by subscribing to a prescribed oath.

Congressmen Tucker, of Virginia, the other day in refering to the rebel General, Robert E. Lee, said that Lee was "one of the noblest Americans who ever trod this, soil. He sleeps in death, and no dishonors can ever by implication or expression be thrown on the honorable grave that the representation from that district will not rise here and repel." In other words Tucker is there to defend traitors and talk treason whenever any Republican member shall dare to say or hint even, that traitors were not good citizens or that treason is not honorable and commendable.

Through the intercession of Dr. Miller, of the Omaha Herald, Dodge, the murderer, who was sentenced to death for killing a man in this State, is to have a new trial, when his sen-

ions of the Supreme Judges, just and eminently proper in the matter.

It is said to have been the Rev. Tibbles who was the tool of the Omablame so much as the racally preachthree dollars for the ungentlemanly him, but it appears that Tibbles, or the Bee did not only betray the Bishop into a talk about the third term, but misrepresented the conversation that occurred.

printed, miserably edited, starved, sickly, hungry little 7x9 sheet gotten idea of Dante's Inferno and Milton's and yielded at the rate of about \$47, out occasionally at Lincoln. It makes hell. bold assertions, destitute, utterly, of reason or truth, as the above clipping would indicate, and has earned the unenviable reputation, among its few

The present Democratic Congress traitors and apologizing for treason.

Those ex-confederate fellows have got office now and they are going to from Mr. Hendricks' speech, in order monstrous thievish paws as deep into know his record. Mr. Halstead was has agreed to have a special meeting as to life and business. All this is her education. The cake weighed the treasury as possible. The opportunities for making a raise by plun- be carried on;" but the Indiana statesdering the exchequer of the country man's suggestions were pacific, while They did this because it was urged From the city and along the river utmost care in transportation; but they may truly surmise will be very limited and they are determined to make the most of it. A Democratic not want anybody to go the war. We official is the happlest of mortals; think his record will prove satisfacto- them. 50,000 freedmen, former slaves Stowe's orange grove is on the river Another man in the compartment shows, not, however, for the honor or the ry to the South .- Inter-Ocean. opportunity afforded to do good, but for the opportunity he has of helping himself to the public money and of "Stanton! The name is one that covering up the iniquities of his party will grow. We have not always been United States Court, at Fort Smith, ed with a flourishing young grove of travel a kind of cosmopolitan air

The following is an extract from a figure that rises above the smoke and speech by Hon. Ben Hill Congress- dust, the strong embodiment of the proposes a thorough investigation of owner. man from Georgia. It was one of his national will, is that of Stanton," campaign speeches last fall to tickle

ned or not, is to be fought in 1876. and the years immediately succeeding, Can it be successfully fought with the the colossal figure that rises above the ballot? If we fail at the ballot-box in perty meanness of spiteful contem-1876, by reason of force, a startling poraries is that of Grant!" - Interquestion will present itself to the Ocean, American people." "If we must have war; if we cannot preserve the constitution and constitutional gov- buildings how in process of compleernment by the ballot; and if folly tion at Philadelphia with those of mill. and wickedness, if inordinate love of former European exhibitions shows power, shall decree that America must that, our product's we occupy a larger totally lost, halling from San Francissave her constitution by blood, let it area of ground that has ever yet been

in keeping with the southern slave driver's style before the rebellion, were of space had been reached. The Parendorsed by Hill's constituents and he is Exhibition of 1855 went a few acres of lives lost with them amounted to was sent to Congress, and since he has been there his similar speeches and braggart style should be apongly to braggart style should be enough to and covered only twenty-four acres. north and south. The party that elects a man to Congress because he elects a man to Congress because he covered fifty acres, and now the Uniwill be bein responsible before the all-sixty acres.-Inter-Ocean.

country. If such doctrine were peculiar to Hill it would not be a matter worthy of notice, but when his Dem- Gleaned from our Exchanges and cratic constituents honor him to the extent of their ability as a faithful ands who struggled and suffered to save the country from the treason of The Falls City Press, true to its the Democratic leader, Hill, and his

> In the Senate of the United State, ed and, by unanimous consent obtain- pany of Lockport, put up 259,000 cans ed leave to bring in the following bill; of fruit during the past season. which was read twice, referred to the Committee on Public Lands, and ordered to be printed:

To confirm certain school indemnity selections of public lands by the State of Nebraka.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States America in Congress assembled, made by the State of Nebraska as in- ese. demnity for tracts in sections sixteen are for lands which, under the act of March sixth, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, can only be disposed of under the homestead and pre-emption laws, and to which no other legal objection exists, be, and the same are hereby, confirmed; and title shall be transferred to the State as in other cases of such selections.

## Andersonville.

Since the discussion in the House over the amnesty bill the rebel hell of to, and during the debate Hill, of Georgia, with hot words defended Andersonville and its keeping. Andersonville a few years ago was investigated by a Congressional committee of Democrats and Republicans, and made a unanimous report, from which the following is an extract:

The subsequent history of Andersonville has startled and shocked the world with a tale of horror, of woe and tence will probably be commuted to a death, before unknown to civilization. be hanged for the murder of Sarah term of imprisonment.-Lone Tree No pen can describe, no painter can Jones. sketch, no imagination comprehend The above is not only false but it is its fearful and unutterable iniquity. an ungentlemanly reflection upon the It would seem as if the consecrated usko county, Ind., died on the 18th madness of earth and hell had found inst. supreme court, and a vindictive mean its final lodgment in the breasts of pre-judgment upon what the Govern- of those who inaugurated the rebellor will do. There were, in the opin- ion and controlled the policy of the attempting to start his fire with coal seven pounds heavier and St. Louis the prison at Andersonville had been burned from his body. legal grounds for granting a new trial selected for the most terrible human to Dodge, and no one, by inuendo or sacrifice the world has ever seen. Inotherwise has any reason for presum- to its narrow walls were crowded 35,- (Texas) Commercial, committed sui- superior quality is reported at all ing that our Executive will not act 000 enlisted men, many of them eide on the 18th inst., by shooting points. The estimated packing at all the bravest and the best, the most devoted and heroic of those grand arm-

weary months here they suffered maddened, were murdered, and died. ha Bee in betraying Bishop Haven Here they lingered, unsheltered from into an interview regarding the third the burning rays of a tropical sun by \$500. A respectable young girl asked fooling with a pistol supposed to be term question. The Bee is not to day and drenching and deadly dews by his assistance in getting a respectable unloaded, and pointing it at another which we live. The more I see of From Ayr it is two miles and a half night, in every stage of mental and physical disease, hungered, emaciaer who would sell himself out-espected, starving, maddened; festering her by sending her to a bawdy house; shoot you." The bullet entered the ially in so small a piece of business. with unhealed wounds; gnawed by and she then very properly informed boy's brain just above the left eye. The Bee probably paid him two or the ravages of scurvy and gangrene; the officials of his conduct. with swollen limb and distorted visjob. Bishop Haven is not one of the had no power to extirpate; exposed age; covered with vermin which they kind to be ashamed of his opinions, to the flooding rains which drove them, if truly presented as expressed by drowning, from the miserable holes in which, like swine they burrowed: parched with thirst and mad with hunger; racked with pain or prostrated with the weakness of dissolusoiled with the very excrement from but a few months. which their weakness would not per-

Morton is not much of a politician. mit them to escape; eaten by the His efforts to keep the south in a gnawing worms which their own muddle, and by so doing to keep con- wounds had engendered; with no bed trol of the south, bear too strong a but the earth; no covering save the clouded sky : these men, these heroes, What is worse than all the rest, his born in the image of God, thus crouchcharacter as a man is blacker than ing and writhing in their terrible tor- has been discovered which is said to night, and by not a few is he looked ture and calculating barbarity, stand be the richest probably of any ever upon as the chiefest demogogue of his forth in history as a monument of the discovered in this country. It has surpassing horrors of Andersonuille We clip the above from a miserably as it shall be seen and read in all fu-

Mr. Hendricks, of Indiana, is in a very good position now. The wheel has at last rolled round and brought real obstruction to Pinchback's adhim on top. Therefore, while Mor- mission to the Senate at present is the decent readers at Lincoln, of being rison is hanging his head over his war question whether there is a de jure white mulbery trees have been plant-seven, half an hour before daylight, government in Louisiana. Until ed now huga spreading shades. The we were almost to Glasgow by suntrifling interest he manifested in sub- government in Louisiana. Until ed, now huge spreading shades. The we were almost to Glasgow by sunduing the rebellion, Hendricks points this question is settled by the comproudly to his speech at Shelbyville mittee on Privileges and Floritant and the little stone belifrey proudly to his speech at Shelbyville mittee on Privileges and Elections, rounded with orange, lemon, fig, ban- was a young man who was conveying has been in session about two months, in 1863, and smiles triumphantly. "I Pinchback will not succeed in obtainance, and other tropical and semi-tropant and other tropical and semi-tropant and other tropical and semi-tropant and other tropical and semi-tropant." would not say go where I was not Kellogg appoint a new man, the lat- Bay, the principal, and almost only, Ayrshire is to be married next week, going myself." Southern papers are ter would stand in no better position business street, extends for a mile or the wedding having been delayed by requested to copy this stirring sentence than Pinchback.

spend time and wind in justifying said that politic statesman, "as I prolong the session and run their that the people in that section may not the only man who had made sugthe Cincinnati man's plans were that there are 20,000 citizens of the south is the great orange producing the servant in charge seemed pro-

Says the Cineinnati Commercial:

That's right! We love to record he found writing this: "Grant! The

been done. The London Exhibition of co or sailing from that port was forty-Such extreme utterances, precisely 1851-the Great Exhibition, as it was two, viz: Three steamers, fourteen called - occupied twenty acres of ships, ten barks, three brigs, eleven ground, and it was thought the limit schooners and one sloop, besides one

GENERAL NEWS.

Telegraphic Reports.

A street car moved by condensed air pressure has been successfully tried

Prairie du Chien has an artesian well 717 feet deep which throws up 30,000 barrels of water a day.

The statue of Burns will be erected in Central Park, New York, this year during the Centennial festivities.

The Niagara Fruit Preserving Com

Twelve grocers were held in bail in Essex Market Police Court, N. Y., on the 12th inst., for selling adulterated On and after the first of February

Centennial grounds without a pass.

which are suspended in the General business part of the city and destroy-

opted resolutions declaring that it has | 000. the power to remove its President pro

loser to an enormous amount. At Pittsburg, Pa., on the 18th, John

with the intention of committing bur- sults. Andersonville is frequently referred glary, cut the main artery of one of his arms and bled to death.

At Leavenworth, on the 17th, Wm Craig was arrested on charge of murdering George Palmer five years ago, at Ellsworth, Kas. Craig had but term in the Kansas penitentiary for the the last five days, which denote a horse stealing.

George Morris, a colored man, a New Orleans, has been sentenced to

Samuel Hayes, treasurer of Kosci-

himself through the head. Jno. L. Kohler who keeps an Intelles that carried the flag of their country to final victory. For long and ligence office at St. Louis, was recent- for the whole season amounting to ly convicted of being a "procurer," or | 750,000. trafficker in female virtue, and fined

> Henry Rische, a young cigar mak- thrown from his wagon and killed. er recently committed suicide in St. Louis. He was addicted to drunk-

Jno. R. Hemacker committed suicide at Anna, Ohio, on the 18th. The reason was the loss of his wife, by

Fred. Warren, a carpenter in St.

through his heart. Within twenty or thirty miles of Fort Laramie a gold and silver mine been named the "centennial" mine. ture time, realizing, in the studied Some specimens of the ores were retorments of their prison-house, the cently assayed at the Denver mint 000 in gold and \$270.00 in silver per

A Washington dispatch says the

to establish the Territory of Oklahama. Northern men and capital.

the subject.

York Mining Company. boiler of a steam mill exploded, killing Wm. Kennedy, S. Goss, H. Cor-

Near Springfield, Ill., on the 18th

entertains and declares such treason ted States presents the largest area of Mich., recently, killed Joseph Ballon my attention was called, of four hun-sovereigns-most remarkable for the and I. Fleming.

per day when it starts up the second 000. He has refused \$75,000 for his zation in Europe. This Marjory

190,000 per year. Safe burglars chloroformed treasurer of Jefferson county, Montana, and helped themselves to \$10,-000 in greenbacks.

The legislature of Kentucky last week elected J. B. Beck to the U. S. Senate.

Jno. Carrigan was killed by the cars near Morristown Ind., on the

ous servant of the house; but a prom- doubtedly true. In the early planted I of England, under whom the kingvisitors will not be admitted to the inent physician has decided that their groves I notice the same mistake as in doms were united in the year 1603. strange illness was caused by eating other fruit growing-too close plant- And in the veins of every sovereign Twelve thousand dollars' worth of diseased pork. Other persons in the ing. Trees ten or twelve years old, of England since Elizabeth, including dried fish are every month sent from city have recently been seriously ill, the tops are a solid mass, excluding the present admired Victoria, has That the selections of school lands San Francisco to China by the Chin- their smptoms being similar to those the sun from the ground. Later flowed the blood of Walter and Mar-

A despatch from Sacramento, Cal., the Episcopal seminary at Como for subject. But let this suffice. says that a land-grab scheme has been its refusal to admit the government act, being the strongest step yet taken in the state's dealing with the church

A letter from Havana states that on ban Republic.

The Cincinnati Price Current ha revised returns from a large number just been released from a four years of porking points, received within material change in the apparent falling off in the numbers indicated in the report published Dec. 30. Interfor points show a probable falling off the entire season amounting to 5,500,-000 hogs. The six leading cities are now 370,000 behind the same date last year. Cincinnati weights are about the same as last year, Chicago about George Sheeter at Delphos Ohio, eighteen pounds heavier. Louisville Confederate Government, and that oil had his clothing entirely twenty-five pounds heavier. Interior points west of Indiana show a large J. P. Moore, editor of the Dallas, increase in the weight of hogs and points, including the six cities, indicate a possible falling off in numbers

At Columbus Ind., Wm. Libin was

## LETTER FROM FLORIDA.

Correspondence Nebraska Advertiser. JACKSONVILLE, Jan. 13. This is the commercial metropolis hair; filthy with smoke and mud; death, to whom he had been married of Florida, and is really the only ception of a few favored points, her Outside the door on one side is a sign thrifty live place I have seen in the acquired advantages will not compare board indicating that the cottage is State, or in the South. The city is Louis suicided by sending a pistol ball | beautifully located on the St. Johns river, distant about twenty miles from its mouth, commanding the entrance gate of more than one-half the trade and travel of the State. The name is Letter from Professor W. E. Wilson. in honor of Gen. Jackson. Population over 15,000. Streets are wide and regularly laid off. The forest of live oak in which the city was located remains as nature planted, except where caused only by want of time to write cut out for residences and other build- any of the letters that from time to ing improvements. Many of the time have been sketched in my mind. trees are in the middle of the streets, Yesterday I visited the land of Burns, some in the middle of the side-walks, and while the scenes and events of the and others on the edges, as in other day are fresh in my mind I will note many additional oaks, China and Starting from Edinburg at half past bank of the Doon, is the old Alloway ing a vote of the Senate. Should Gov | ical fruits, flowers, vines and shrubs. | tion. The daughter of an Earl in more along the bay, or river, and is a a course of measles the noble lady had The House committee on Territories perfect young New York Broadway, yet to bring up in order to complete to consider the bill of Mr. Franklin owing, largely, to the presence of three hundred pounds, and was very

plethorie with gore. Mr. Hendricks United States in that country among region, for which Florida of late has foundly impressed with the importthe Indians, with no law to protect become so noted. Harriet Beecher ance and dignity of his mission. of Indians, and 40,000 civilized Indiabout twenty miles south of the city. I took for an American, judging by "Whare the hunters found the murdered ans; that there is no punishment for It is called "Mandarin," and is a cozy, his appearance and manner. Accostcrime and that disorder reigns. Chartidy retreat, nestled among some ing him, he proved to be an Englishges of enormous expenditures at the stately live oaks-a cottage surround- man who had acquired by extensive "Near the thorn about the well, of this way of thinking, but looking are made, and said to be as high as orange trees and blooming flowers— which seems to be in a greater or less and the window through which Tam back now over the war, the colossal \$400,000 a year, and the committee a fitting evening of life retreat for its degree natural to our countrymen. looked into the kirk and

The result of sweet orange culture an hour, being well acquainted with H. C. Kibbee, the defaulting min- in Eastern Florida, carefully, intelli- Russia and Turkey, and able to give the ears and revive and arouse the these frank confessions of great men. ing secretary at San Francisco was gently, and successfully prosecuted, a very intelligent account of them. peculiar politics of his rebel constite. Who knows but what Halstead, found dead in his bed on the 20th, is simply wonderful, and to me exshould be live ten years longer, may having shot himself through the ceedingly interesting. I have seen Glasgow, I was obliged to wait half The great final struggle to settle the name is one that will grow. We have heart. Later reports places the trees eight years old, twenty to twen- an hour. This gave me time to see question whether constitutional liber- not always been of this way of think- amount of his defalcation at about ty-five feet high, yielding from one what is most interesting in the place ty on this continent shall be contin- ing, but looking back over the war \$110,000, mostly falling on the New thousand to three thousand oranges -the old Abbey Church, founded in in a single year. It is a matter of the year 1163 by Walter, the ancestor shady spot, as innocent of witches At La Grange Ind., on the 20th the surprise how a tree that size, can pro- of the Stuart line of kings. Of course duce, obtain sufficient nourishment, the present building, which is still or even stand up under such number used as a parish church, is of modern and weight of fruit. The fruit grows erection but stands upon the original A comparison of the Expositon Kennedy & Price were owners of the in dense masses of clusters, in instances almost obscuring the foliage, and old stones inscribed in English, in all stages of perfection, from the could read with difficulty. One bears merely formed to ripe fruit. Like the date 1502. Adjoining the church our "hopper" raid, can only be be- is a much older chapel called the lieved by those who see. Orange Sounding Aisle. The guide showed trees come into bearing earlier, grow me in and then shut the door with a more rapid, and are more prolific than bang which rung through the buildour apple trees. They seem to require ing in prolonged and commingling but little, if any, repose, and fruit reg- echoes. It is a small building with a ularly each year. Trees are trans- very high roof, and contains the tomb planted from the nursery to the grove of Marjory Bruce Stewart, wife of the damn him and his party in the esti- The great Parls Exhibition held dur- Miss Dona Herndon, aged 25 years, which time they are about the size of nasty. -orchard-at three years old, at founder and mother of the Stuart dymation of all honest patriotic citizens ing the last empire had assigned to it was burned to death by a coal oil an apple tree at same age. At three It may be worth while to introduce

near the coast or lakes.

At Columbus, Ohio, recently, eight known as pure Bresham seed. The wind of love, jealousy, ambition, and persons of a prominent boarding seedling advocates claim superior crime," while the most momentous house, were suddenly and seriously health of tree, longer life and prolif- events of the present era were transtaken ill, and at first it was thought | icness. The opposition claim partic- piring about her and in her kingdom they had been poisoned by a malici- ularly, early bearing, which is un- -and James VI, who became James suffering from poison, and these too, planting is twenty to twenty-five feet jory Stewart, and of the indomitable A flood in Valparaiso inundated the have been traced to eating fresh pork. apart. The Florida sweet orange is old hero of Bannockburn.

perimented with in paper manufac- inburg. orus was elected President of the Cu- ery has been introduced to reduce the down a valley separated from the the renewed and new subscriptions to the Ledge

progressive demands of the age in is seldom seen,

nd make a great nation and people, suggested. with our extreme western borders.

FROM SCOTLAND.

Correspondence Nebraska Advertiser. BONNY DOON. My silence for a time has been delicately constructed, requiring the

He was an interesting companion for

dred trees-on four acres of ground- extent of its ramifications, and the

The Salt Lake Tribune says the On- yields the handsome annual income conspicuous places it has occupied tario will turn out three silver bricks to the owner, of from \$15,000 to \$20,- during the progress of modern civilimill. This will be equivalent to \$6,- grove. All this, however, is the re- daughter of King Robert Bruce, the 000, every twenty-four hours, or \$2, sult of care, attention, and peculiar hero who freed Scotland from the adaptation of soil and surroundings. English yoke, married Walter, the An intelligent and experienced culti- Steward of Scotland-whence the vator informs me that perhaps not name Stuart. When David II, son of one acre in a thousand in the State is Robert "the Bruce," died without an man's. adapted to successful orange culture. heir, the eldest son of Walter the The land must be high, dry, and Steward and Marjory Bruce inherited the throne under the name Robert II There is quite a difference of opin- | His successors in order were: Robert ion, I find, among cultivators, as be- III, James I, James II, James III, tween budding or grafting the sweet James IV, James V, Mary-the most orange on the sour or wild stock, fascinating, unhappy and wicked and sweet seedlings from what is woman, who reigned amidst "a whirl-

The fallure of Jno. R. Hoele, man- the leading variety in all the markets In the Abbey kirkyard is a monu-Land-Office, for the reason that they ed two lives and \$1,500,000 worth of ufacturer of book binder's tools, and of the world to-day. In addition, has ment to the memory of our great dealer in book binder's material, is the advantage of geographical posi-The United States Senate has adgreat cities where consumed, and by size statue in bronze. Paisley is the A special dispatch from Rome says cheap transportation-water. I could birthplace of another man of worldthe Italian Government has closed say much more on this interesting wide fame, bearing the same namethe illustrious Professor Wilson, au-Florida abounds in fibrous material thor of the Isle of Palms, and for a unearthed by which the state is the inspector. This is a most important for paper stock, particularly the dwarf long time a professor of English literor scrub palmetto. The supply of this ature in Edinburg university. A plant is unlimited-beyond all calcu- statue of his fine commanding figure Campbell, while breaking a window and will doubtless produce great re- lation-and has been successfully ex- stands in Princess street Garden, Ed-

ture. It is claimed the pulp has pe- From Palsley it is thirty-three miles culiar advantages. Already machin- south to Ayr. The railroad runs we are made to feel at the close of every year when natural condition of the raw materi- Firth of Clyde by a range of hills till al to a coarse pulp run off in thick at Irvine it reaches the coast. All erve. We select the best writers in the world with sheets and dried in the sun, thus con- the way to Ayr the coast is low and out regard to cost, for, once convinced that one audensing and securing greatly in mat- the scenery tame. The island of Arran another, the price is never permitted to be an obter of transportation. The cost of dis- lies off the coast a few miles, and a stacle in our way. integration is said to be not over three few high objects may be seen upon it dollars per ton. Thirty tons of raw from the railroad. It is surprising to Letter for the year 1876 superior to any precedmaterial, disintegrated, yields almost relate that here is latitude 56° northtwenty tons of pulp for the market. | the same as the north of Labrador, I have found great difference be- on the last day of December, when tween west and east Florida in almost all respects, in favor of the east. The climate, products, people and surthere o'clock—there should be not a graphical and historical sketches. roundings are all quite different. In sign of ice or frost, the fields quite addition are these advantages: cheap green with cattle and sheep grazing transportation, good prices, access to in them, and men plowing. In Ayr the markets of the world, and since I saw children running about the the markets of the world, and since the war abundance of cheap labor; streets with bare feet. That was less letters, of the happiness which the Ledger car ries into the families where it goes. All who wish and yet with all this, the region is probably not from preference, howevnot to be compared with the great er, but necessity; yet they did not west. Not one acre in a thousand is seem to suffer from the cold. This worth subduing. No soil, and with- season, I am told, is very unusual, out a fertile and endurable soil there and several weeks ago there was some can be no general population of any snow and freezing for a few days. It magnitude. The features I name is exceedingly wet, and on the west The party who sends us \$20 for a club of eight copopen inviting fields I confess, yet too coast especially. It rains about every A boy at Fort Wayne, Ind., was limited to satisfy the developing and day during this season, and the sun

place to work, when Kohler deceived boy, said "look out, I am going to our country at large, the more I am to the Burns cottage. It stands in convinced that the west, with its mil- the midst of a very pretty country lions of broad, easily subjugated, fer- near the "Bonny Doon," which realtile acres, at no distant day is destined by is unco bonny. In sight are the to be the seat of wealth, power, ad- fields in which he plowed, and where vancement, and all that constitute many of his happiest poems were

orida to-day, with her age, and in The cottage, one of a crooked row of many respects fortuitous surround- similar ones, is built of stone and ings and advantages, has less popula- clay, about eight feet high to the tion than Nebraska. With the ex- eves, and with a roof of thatch the birth-place of "the great Ayrshire poet," and on the other one with the disgraceful words-"A. Hunter, licensed to retail wines and spirits.' The house, though so deserted, is kept quite neat and clean. There are two appartments, each about twelve feet square. The kitchen in which the post was born has a stone floor, a curious looking fire place in one end, a window about a foot square in one side, another larger one in the opposite side which is a recent improvement a bed closet in one corner, and an old chest in another. The other room is

used for a trinket shop in which pic-A quarter of a mile further on the kirk. The roof is gone, but the walls over the front gable still shelters the old bell. In front is the tomb of Burns' father and sister. Upon the stone is a beautiful stanza full of solemn and tender pathos, composed by the gifted son. At the side of the church where all visitors pass over it is the grave of John Laughlan, "Sou- sons a ter Johnny." A little old guide, crippled with rheumatism, points out the places in the neighborhood mentioned by Burns, reciting in a very grandiloquent and amusing way the lines referring to each one. A tree he able at the expiration of the half-term.

Those wishing to take advantage of the

"Saw an uncosight!

Warlocks and witches in a dance,-A winnock-bunker in the east, Whare sat auld Nick in shape o' beast," A few rods further and down the

hill the Brig o' Doon, a simple stone arch, spans the stream. There is nothing ghostly or weird about either the church or bridge. It is a quiet, and goblins as any in the world. A very fine monument is erected

upon the bank above the bridge. In it are various relics—the Bible Burns at legal rates of interest. Will be in Browndown toward the bridge are prettily laid out and adorned with holly, yew, and other ornamental trees. In small house are very fine statues of Tam O'Shanter and Souter Johnny at their nappy. They are life-size, done in stone, and are admirable works of

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