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POET'S CORNER.

SPECIMEN OF ALLITERATION. specimen of alliteration extant. Whoever er musquitoes in a natural state, are thus sword—rather a rough plush jacket the has at any time attempted to indite an acros- treacherous. Alas! that a non-resistant's and those twitching, hairy, spindle legs tic merely, is aware of the embarrassment faith cannot conquer their selfish disposi- why, decidedly they look better in a m of being confined to particular initials. It tions. What would a patience-keeping lature copy. He whizzed his long, glean of another Dean Swift .- [N. Y. American.

SIEGE OF BELGRADE. "An Austrian army awfully arrayed, Boldly by battery besieged Belgrade; Cossack commanders cannonading come,-

Dealing destruction's devastating doom; Every endeavor, engineers essay,

How honors heaven, heroic hardihood! Infuriate, indiscriminate in ill, Kinsmen kill kinsmen—kinsmen kindred

Labor low levels loftiest longest linesmurd'rous mines;

Suwarrow stops such sanguinary sounds. Truce to the Turkey—triumph to thy train! I stretched myself from corner to corner of the text: "seek and ye shall find," was throned, and a whirlwind of passion, folly was addressed were less friendly to the fa-Vanish vain victory; vanish victory vain!

Xerxes, Ximenes, Xanthus Xaviere! Yield ye youths! ye veomen your yell! Zano's, Zarpater's, Zoriaster's zeal,

THE LONELY HEART. O sad and lonely is the heart That nothing has to love; Which has no kindness to impart— Sees nothing to approve.

The morning and the sunset sky, So glorious to behold, When it assumes the brilliancy, Surpassing molten gold—

Seems but the dark and dreary pall, Thrown o'er the lov'd and true, It sees no beauty there, though all Is changeable and new.

The blessed flowers now bloom around, Distill their sweet perfume; The sorrowing heart is ever found As cheerless as the tomb.

Earth cannot fill the vacant place-For grief there is no balm; Life is a cheerless void of space, Of terror and alarm.

MISCELLANY.

From the Cincinnatti Atlas. A SHORT STORY OF A LONG NIGHT indeed! you leather-cheeked, parchment- with nothing visible but his two legs pro- ing from any portion of my political asso- or evil, for a series of years to come. sumptive steamboat," groaned I, as I flung would share this sport with me." Ten o'- and eyes, and with head erect, as if recon- my profound gratitude. There are circum- important aspect in which the renewal of

It was an August night, hot as the black liars." hole of Calcutta, and not a star gleamed At last a thought struck me. It come although he sold scores of them daily for great State has been in some respects pethrough the heavy gloom. It was a night like a plank to a swimmer in his agony. the balance of the session, the fact was kept culiar. They sustained me by their conto gasp a gulp for a mouthful of air, so op- It was executed at once. I felt in the dark a secret from the original, while the mem- fidence and support, at a most interesting the circumstances, it is nevertheless true, pressive was the sultriness; above all it for the table, lifted it up and arranged it on bers enjoyed the joke occasioned by this crises in my political career. I have been was a night of Musquitoes. Do those im- the bed above the pillow, threw the sheet caricature." pudent and officious thieves, see, I wonder over the table, tucked it carefully down by their eyes or their noses, the darkest behind and on two sides, put on my pan- One of Gen. Mc Connell's Toasts.—Mr. it effective, and their support was at one night they seem to like the best, to do taloons and boots, got upon the bed, put McConnel, the eccentric member of Contime withheld from me, and conferred upon their deeds of darkness in; certainly, on my head under the table, tucked down the gress from Alabama—and despite the abuse another, when I received that of their pothis night which was utterly black, they sheet under my arms, and fairly laughed of the Federal press—one of the most litical brethren of the Union. Why should the principles they labored to establish. Amount of the public debt on had all turned out, from the old, slow, de- aloud at my triumph.—"Ay! sing away warm hearted, generous and brave men in I not embrace an occasion so opportune, liberate buzzer—who chooses long a good beauties! oh, beautiful little pets, how I the country, gave a toast at the 8th of Jan- and possibly the last that may occur, to place to settle on—to the rash, shrill trem- would like to oblige you!" I even tanta- uary celebration, at Washington, as fol- assure them that neither then, nor at any bler, who darts at the first bare spot. Did lized them, as an old lady of my acquaint- lows: you ever notice the various shades of sound ance used to do, put out my hand a little "By Gen. Mc Connel, of Alabama, (pre- political life, have I ever, for a moment, are degrees of refinement in their modes of It was hopeless, despairing to keep up approach. A vulgar brute of a musquitoe the unequal fight. I gave in. I cried not a boot or the head through a hat, if neces- myself up, skin, flesh and bones, to the following; sary; while a well-bred one buzzes softly, tormentors-I dashed away the table, and If you was a dog, and I was a hog wheelsallaround & around you, skims over threw my face, arms, chest, wholly open to A rootin' away in the yard; the cheek, makes a little flourish towards their kind applications. Why not? why If the old man should say, drive that hog the eye, coquets with the tip of the nose, not? Surely they are nature's surgeons. and just as you think he is gone, drives his Ever kind nature! How necessary in hot dart home in your upper lip. Ah! how weather to let blood; again, how healthy is sharp. Slap, and he is off; (like a pick- friction-how it circulates the fluids of "Have you any onions?" said a gentle-

-as you will see any time, if you are be- merely to have the delight of-of-of-(what ed. I wonder if that tarnal fool didn't mean qualified for the successful discharge of any occasional aberration, and a confirmed de- vertile valley, covered with clover and blood you can so well spare. By the way | One o'clock-two o'clock-three o'clock I set it down among pious frauds, that -and I remember no more. Probably saying of compassionate ministers, and fainted from loss of blood; and the Cosmaiden-aunts, that if you will let a mus- sacks left me only when they had robbed ney is poor, a man with nothing but money quitoe have a full meal, he will draw away the slain.



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that they grow suspicious; and expecting with a sort of "I know what I'm about

out buttons. The hose are striped and world, Bob, has bunged up your eyes so; I mon with their brethren of the other States known that, amid prevailing preference of had spent FORTY MILLIONS per annum. the feathers, those soft downy feathers on the matter, you are swelled all out of shape; rests upon our country in consequence of distinguished son, there was a portion of travelling in every State, carrying about For fame, for fortune—fighting furious fray. the head—but I forget. The fellows who have you been fighting in the night? I re- the result of the election in 1840. ably are the Captains, and let common sol- John! is that you," I answered. "I thought cision to reinstate you in the position which they had early imbibed, and zeal- and long pillars—the long ones being set

We had been riding all day, and were ve- a Humbug!" Men march 'mid mounds, 'mid moles, 'mid ry tired, and very sore, and very hot, and Now noisy noxious numbers notice naught fortable; and so, after taking a warm bath, batter saw Prudence Feastall at meeting, that our republican institutions are desti- satisfactory to have them unite with the sumed her empire. A deceived, abused, I went to bed. My companion was wiser; and she kind a slided off. He went closer ned to be perpetuated.

Poor patriots; partly purchased, partly pressed;
Ouite qualking; quickly, quarter quest:

The took no bath, and and left on his coating of dust. I heard the clock stricke uine of his elbow. She resolved she would,

We ought never to despair of the repubing of dust. I heard the clock stricke uine of his elbow. She resolved she would,

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We ought never to despair of the repubing of dust. They have had a taste of Fedeaspiration, so indicative of perfect comfort, as Jonathan felt all overish, and said he liked are in the ascendant; then, reason was defeel assured, not because those to whom it how grossly Mr. Van Buren was misrepthe fresh bed, and in a moment was asleep. purty good readin. Prudence hinted that and madness, swept through the land The vorite of the State, or less sensible of his They now know that instead of forty mil-I suppose I had just slept long enough to "ask and ye shall receive," was better: deceived votary, like the wanderer in the claims upon the respect and confidence of lions per annum having been spent by Mr. Why wish we warfare? Wherefore wel- allow the musquitoe, that stood guard on Jonathan thought so too, but this axing desert, led by the mirage, pressed on to his countrymen, but altogether owing to Van Buren, but little more than half that the bed-post, to see that I was quiet, and was a puzzler. A fellow was apt to get grasp the delusive representation. The so- the considerations growing out of the con- sum was spent by him in his administrawoke up his gang, when a noise like the voice into a snarling, which warn't no fun. Pru- ber second thought will reedem us from test of 1840, which they deemed impera- tion. They know that when Mr. Van of many waters and a sensation, like that dence guessed strawberries and cream were such errors, and place the American chartive. I cannot, I am confident, add any- Buren left the helm of his country, that And all attracting—arms against appeal." reposing on a nest of ants, awoke me. I slick. Jonathan thought they warn't so acter and popular suffrage in the high po- thing to the masterly and eloquent descrip- noble ship which he knew so well how to am not a coward, but this time I was fright- slick as Pru's lips. "Now don't" said sition to which they are justly entitled. tion which you have given of that national conduct, the public debt was but a little ened. Its name was Legion. The mus- Pru, and she guv Jonathan's arm an invol- Your firm and inflexible adherence to struggle. Neither am I unmindful of the more than eight millions, and that in two quitoes were upon me; through sheet, and untary hug. He was a leetle started, but republican principles demands our admi- bias which the relation in which I stood short years afterwards it had swelled to clothes, and night cap, they pounced away thought his farm wanted some female help ration, and fully entitles you to the warm towards it, is calculated to exercise upon mors than TWENTY-SEVEN MILLIONS at me, as if they were shooting at a mark. to look arter the house. Pru "May-be you support of every democrat and friend of my opinion of its character. Yet I cannot, of dollars. They know, too, that these Madness! I started to my feet in the dark. would'nt"—and Jonathan shuck all over, his country; and in so doing he feels the I think, deceive myself in believing that expenditures were appropriated, and this I whisked the sheet round at the invisible and Prudence replied, "if you be coming assurance that he is advancing and sustain- the justice of the censure which you have public debt swelled, by a Federal Clay foe. But the instant my tired arm fell by that game, you'd better tell feyther." ing those principles which directed a Jef- pronounced upon those extraordinary Whig Congress-Mr. Clay himself being my side, whizz!—there they came again, That's jist what I wan't," said Johnathan, erson, a Madison and a Jackson. on nose, eyes, ears, mouth, every where. and in three weeks Jonathan and Prudence Be pleased to accept the assurance of a vast majority of the American people. And, worst of all, my chum snored on were my "old man," and "my old woman." our high regard. without cessation. "You dirty, dusty, tanned, tough-hided son of sleep," growled I, "wish you were a sweet, thin-skinned, used to enter the House booted and spurpink, little baby: then would these most red, with whip in hand, a few moments after delicate tasted fellows nibble you a bit." it had come to order, desirous of attracting Gentlemen: I have had the honor to re- upon that subject The extra session, fol which there can be a subject to the extra session, fol which there can be a subject to the extra session, for the extra session that the extra session the extra session the extra session that the extra session the extra session the extra session that the extra session the extra session that the extra session the extra session that the extra session the extra session the extra session that the extra session the extra session that the extra session the extra session that the extra session the extra session the extra session that the extra session the extra session that the extra session the extra session that the extra session that the extra session the extra session the extra session that the extra session the extra session that the extra session the extra session that the extra sessi Whisk went the sheet again, and over went the attention of the members, by his loud ceive your obliging letter, communicating lowing immediately upon its heels, una chair; whisk on the other side—and crack salutation of some of his favored friends, to the proceedings of a State democratic mass masked those object too clearly to admit went the pitcher, wash bowl, tumbler, all. the fact of his presence. In the winter he meeting, held at Harrisburg on the 17th of their being again obscured or misrepre-But the musquitoes cared not; they only was envolved in a lion skin surtout, and inst., at which my name was, with entire sented. An opportunity—and it is earnestly flew faster, buzzed louder, bit harder. on entering the hall his face was nearly bu- unanimity, presented to the democratic party to be hoped that both parties will concur Another whisk, and the sheet boxed my ried in a fur cap. He would sometimes of Pennsylvania, as their candidate for the in endeavouring to make it a fair onefriends ears, purposely, I confess, who a- stop short in the middle aisle, and if he presidency. woke startled, asked, 'what's that?' What's found any one up he did not care to listen I cannot refrain from saying that I have people of the United States to make a choice that you eighth sleeper, it's a musquitoe," to, he would abruptly turn on his heel received your communication with feelings between two opposing systems for the ad-

just after mowing and keep quiet. The ef- dream a lobster, just put into a pot to boil; States out of twenty-six went for the same to my entire respect. I have therefore employed; and we have cherished the befect is beautiful, when these sweet creathe water grew warm, warmer, very warm old coon she stood like Zeke Smith's bush-never ceased to cherish, in common with lief, that it is only by an inflexible obsertures are not disturbed. The exultant rap- -hot, hotter, absolutely insufferable-and el of sweet potatoes, pre-eminently con- the friends of our cause throughout the Uni- vance of the exalted principles which preture with which a hungry, large bodied, I awoke to a sense of suffocation, drenched spicuous, all in a pile by herself. long tounged fellow come whizzing on- in perspiration, actually stewed in my close the delicious, luxurious die away tone, in little tent, under the table.- I dashed up which he just dips his little feet and inserts the sheet for a mouthful of free air for my be afther tipping us a little bit of a sang timents of sincere respect for their adher- ing details to which you allude in your his proboscis—the satisfactory last quaver panting lungs. I lifted the sheet; yea, I this cowld morning? exclaimed a son of ence to democratic principles under cir- communication, can it be pretended that with which if he finds the spot to his taste, lifted the sheet, yea! verily, I opened the the Emerald Isle to a negro, a co-laborer cumstances the most adverse, and admirather could be any expectation of success he settles fairly down to his work; and fi- gate and threw down the portcullis for the in the division of wood. tion of the unfaltering spirit with which for such efforts, unless founded upon the plump, full-pored and bloated, he bids scores, by hundreds. Mim-m-m-m-me-

pocket, with your watch in his fob) and life. Again! oh the bounty of this benevo- tleman the other day to a remarkable green you hear him chuckling politely in the lent nature—what pleasure amid pain. I looking sucker. ask, is it not worth being bit? Is it not Most musquitoes are gentlemen in dress: worth-fully worth-any number of bites,

icure, and likes to dilute the rich draught.) I was in the presence of the Big Mantion I always found the bites the largest, reddest of the Musquitos; the huge, first type, and whites, most irritable, where these pretty | gigantic primeval ancestor of the race. visitors staid longest, doubtless this is be- Bless us! what an eye! a kind of brigh cause they are so badly treated by men, horny eye, that winked at one awfully a knock, fly offat the earliest opportunity. look; what a most peculiarly long, har The following is probably the most perfect | Certainly it is an interesting inquiry wheth- sharp, polished nose, how very like a small is worthy of the indefatigable perseverance society to do for their tempers? wings like a gong, deafeningly. He p But this is is digression into the meta- a great paw on my shoulder; and I awo physics and ethics of musquitoes, while I to catch the last clang of the breakfast pea

Well: it is the easier to observe them. But he in reply.—"You to be sure, Bob, are a honor to yourself and advantage to the however, so well known that, without at trick was too contemptible, no falsehood

Randolph's Personal Appearance. "He zens, JAS. S. SNOWDEN, President. he turned over, and puffed on. "Good night of him in that uncouth and ludicrous figure have been deputed to convey to me, com- affect the interests of the country, for good "How he blows and puffs like a con- face dog. If you had a clean skin, you truding out below, with his mouth nose ciates, could not fail, at any time, to excite his seat, to dispose of to the members, and My relations with the democracy of your

in a full concert of musquitoes? If you way, heard their faint, twittering noise, as faced with a spirited song on the battle of doubted their disposition to do me ample feel curious on this point and are an ama- they settled and pulled it away. Oh! it was the Sth,' which was received with enthusi- justice? Although they dissented from my der political institutions which are founded of experimenting is to go to a meadow, I slept. Horror! I seemed to be, in my the campaign of 1840: When nineteen actuated by motives which were entitled ment of which neither force nor fraud was astic delight)—The State of Alabama, in nomination I felt assured that they were upon reason and virtue, in the establish-

'Golly, massa, I can't sing!"

A love-sick swain, to ascertain the mind takes hold any where, biting the toe thro' quarter, not half, not any thing. I gave of his 'lady love,' closes a letter with the

Would you worry or bite very hard?

"No, I haint," was the reply, and the

A Poor Man.—The philosopher Frazer says that "though a man without mois still poorer."

POLITICAL. We find the following correspondence those of the great body of their political The Public Expenditures of Mr. Van Butween the State committee of Pennsylva-

HARRISBURG, Jan. 20, 1844.

Ion. Martin Van Buren: should speak of their dress. The coat is and to hear my friend say, who was thak- that meeting.

principles which characterized your ad- cise of opinion, I crused them to be in- Federal Whig humbuggers of 1840. ministration, and that of your predecessor formed that, as far as my individual feel- But that day of deception, thank Heavparticularly cross, and every way uncom- YANKEE Courtship.—Jonathan Bum- will give assurance to the friends of liberty ings were concerned, it would be entirely en, has passed away, and reason has re-

LINDENWALD, January 29, 1844.

honored and cheered by their good will, when it was not in their power to render

for any public station. all his poison, (which they say he pours into the wound, only because he is an ep- sciousness of life. It seemed to me, that rize cause there is danger of gitting mad. Nobody should let his angry passion been ascertained that the wishes of his rize cause there is danger of gitting mad. Nobody should let his angry passion been ascertained that the wishes of his more immediate friends were not (for rea- from the use of which every friend to free most valuable grain.—Dumfries Courier

Whole No. 151. sons, however, not detracting from the merits of their favorite) in accordance with brethren in other States. I should not, and Mr. Van Buren in the Harrisburg my own feelings, were I to pass over in silence the fact, that but for this surrender

However difficult it may then have been Very truly your friends and fellow citi- to define with requisite certainly the political objects for which our opponents waged the contest of 1840, there can now aswill, therefore, now be presented for the ficially given, viz: roared I, "Oh, is that all? They never and go out. The reporter of the Intelli- of no ordinary character. An expression ministration of their government, the influbite me." And with a faint "good night," gencer, in the winter of 1820, took a sketch of opinion so imposing as that which you ence of one which will in all probability

myself frenzied, utterly spent and tired out, clock, eleven o'clock struck; the watch- noitering. It was one of the best likenes- stances, however attending this, which seem the contest of which you have spoken with into a chair, by the window and listened man cried "all's well and a pleasant ntght," ses ever hit off. He had a vast number of to deserve a more particular notice at my so much emphasis, and in so patriotic a spirit, may well be regarded.

Singular as it may seem to those who Amount of outstanding approthat a condemnation by the people of the United States, of many of the means to which our opponents had recourse in that Amount of the public debt on canvass, is not less important to the permanent welfare of our country and its political institutions, than the overthow of While the effects of the success of the latter were in a measure limited and temporary, the employment of the former struck at the very foundation upon which our political edifice was based.

on, towards to unconquerable and (as the vailed at the period of its formation, that fullest experience has proved) the unpur- our government can be upheld. Without Sign of a Singer.—And Cuff, will ye chasable democracy of Pennsylvania, sen- more particularly noticing the humiliat-

government must turn with mortification and disgust?

You do not therefore, gentlemen, in my judgment, over-estimate the importance which the proceedings of 1840 are destined to give to those of 1844. Considerations will be brought into view by that connexion, of greater magnitude than any which have ever been involved in our political comflicts, and compared with which all personal and party interests dwindle into insignificance.

I am, gentlemen, very respectfull,y Your friend and obedient servant, M. VAN BUREN. Hon. James Ross Snowden, President.

ren compared with those of his Whig Successors-Public Debt.

There was no theme upon which the Fedof his pretensions to promote the general eral Whig deceivers of 1840 were more harmony, the proceedings for which I am eloquent than on that of the Public Expen-DEAR SIR: With this letter you will re- offering my grateful acknowledgements ditures. There was Ogle, who made a eive a copy of the proceedings of a dem- could not now have taken place. Nor seven days' speech in Congress upon the stable mass meeting, held at the seat of will it, I hope, be thought amiss in any extravagance of Mr. Van Buren's white pair ment of Pennsylvania on the 17th quarter, if I avail myself of the occasion to palace—its costly furniture—its collam, which we have the honor to forward show that this commendable desire to pro- spoons, -and its foreign servants. There n compliance with a resolution adopted at mote unanimity among common friends was the central Whig committee at Washa changeable velvet of green and red, with- ing me by the arm, "why, what in the The democracy of Pennsylvania, in com- extent, been acted by myself. It is well a document asserting that Mr. Van Buren spotted grey, turning up at the toes; and and your nose, and cheeks; why, what's are anxious to wipe away the stain which the democracy of Pennsylvania for her There were Coon agents, thick as locusts, wear feathers never bite. They are prob- member hearing a noise." "Ah! my dear It will be a glorious reversal of that de- well be proud, who avowed a preference, expenditures of different years, with short diers do the fighting, and get the knocks. it was a musquito." Ha! ha! ha! laughed which you filled with such distinguished ously cherished. for myself. It is not, down against Mr. Van Buren. In short, no regular Pickwick: but I am not quite such country; and a return to those republican tempting to interfere with their free exer- too gross, no forgery too infamous for the

-ah! breathed I out, in that long continued and plunged her arm right around his'n. guidance of reason and virtue; now, these suggestion had not been an adopted, was, I ral Whig rule; and they have learned, too, scenes, will now, at least, be recognised by | in the Congress and voting for nearly every bill. It is in vain for Federalism to lay all the blame on Tyler—they passed

the laws-Tyler signed them. We will now lay before our readers a document, furnished by a Whig Secretary

which there can be no dispute. Here it is: By a document, (No. 185 of the House of Representatives) reported by the Secretary of the Treasury to the Clerk of the House of Representatives Jan. 19, 1843, the following items of information are of-

Amount of appropriations from the 4th of March, 1839, by the last Democratic Congress during two years, \$42,178,720 Amount of appropriations from 4th March 1S41, to March

3d., 1843, Whig Congress during two years, Amount of outstanding appropriations on the 4th of March

1841, the end of Mr. Van Buren's administration, 26.977,911 priations on the 4th of

March, 1843, the end of the Whig Congressional administration.

the 4th day of March, 1841, at the end of Mr. Van Bu-

the 4th day of March, 1843, at the end of the Whig Con-

gressional administration, 27,395,261 Thus, it will be seen, by the showing of the Coons themselves, that they have in two years increased the public debt over NINETEEN MILLIONS of dollars, and increased the public expenditure during the same period, to the enormous sum of FIFTY-FIVE MILLIONS of dollars; being an increase of the expenditure of Mr. Van Buren of TWELVE MILLIONS NINE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THREE THOUSAND five hundred and sixteen dollars. This is Federal Whig economy—this is the party which promised to carry on the government with 13 million per annum .- State Register.

STEAM PLOUGHS ON LOCHAR MOSS .they have from time to time struggled with assumption that the popular voice was not | On Monday last, Mr. Curtis, the eminent 'Can't sing! and what is yer leg stuck in domestic dissensions. I cannot, therefore, "under the guidance of reason and virtue," engineer, invited about twenty of his friends farewell, like a tipsy alderman, are une- em-eh-eh-eh; shrill, bass, alto, treble, tenor, the middle of yer fut for, like a bird's, if gentlemen, too highly appreciate an ex- or upon the supposition that the moral to witness the machinary connected with pression of confidence and favor, proceeding from so respectable a portion of them, grading appeals were made, might be corastonishing to see such an immense fabric on this, the last occasion on which my rupted by a resort to such practices? The astonishing to see such an immense fabric name can ever be presented to the country belief that the use of such means contribu- travel with the greatest facility over ground ted to the result of 1840, must have low- so soft that a man can scarcely stand upon Yet these are not the only considera- ered the character of our people in the es- it without sinking. Mr. Curtis, politely extions which give interest to the proceedings timation of mankind; and if so, much would plained the objects of the different parts of which you have transmitted to me. It is their respect for us be diminished, should the machine, and so far as an unprofessional known fully to all, and by no one more the coming canvass be so conducted as to person can judge, the principle of the concheerfully admitted than by myself, that establish the impression that the American struction seems sound, and we have no a large majority of our political friends in people are liable to be always thus impo- doubt that when completed, which will be Pennsylvania preferred that the honor to sed upon? Liability to occasional error is in a short time, it will fully answer the which those whom you represent have an infirmity from which no individual is purpose intended; and we may expect to now so cordially awarded to me, should be exempt. What right have we, then, to ex- see at no very distant period, that immense gentleman passed on. The sucker, after bestowed upon a justly distinguished citi- pect that communities should be infallible? tract of barren morrass—now only the rescratching his head for sometime, exclaim- zen of their own State-one admirably But there is a wide difference between an sort of curlews and sea-gulls-become a public duty, and possessing likewise, in an fect of character. Can we expect the peo- wheat. In fact, we regard this undertaking eminent degree, the confidence and good ple of this country to maintain the elevated as the commencement of a new era in agriwill of the democracy of the Union. It standing in the eyes of the world which culture, and if the man who makes two certainly becomes others better than my- they have hitherto enjoyed, if, after the blades of grass grow where only one grew self to comment on the propriety of his lapse of years, and the fullest opportunity before,' is to be regarded as his country's