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make the following extracts :

The cool strong will, energy for self ser. mind. their hearts, as Aristotle says, are very near derstanding.' Nor is it better when the flat, retrousse, and upturned or celestial slow resolution, dullness of feelings. their brains; their most prominent mental forehead is bowed with one strong arch noses. The natural types to which they The motor hand, which is especially the men of average hight eminent for intellect turity." were of that size."

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symbol bo seen of a certain dullness, inac. especially masculine forms. tivity, slowness, and, in a word, corporealrapidity, and mental power."



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of it will often indicate the feminine mind. human skull approaches the features of character; and a turn up nose with wide hazel."

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manliness of stature, and a strongly-built augura badly for the intellect; but pecu- dicate. frame, large-boned and sincwy. And, in liarly it does so when the forehead becomes One division of noses includes all that palm large, thick, and hard; the fingers the confederate of the Blue Lodge."

which many great and wonderful men eral dimensions are good, and provided the and flatter and more snub they are, the ture. hollows between the elevations be not top more certainly do they indicate feebleness. The sensitive is the proper feminine Corpulency, though it may be associated deep, (for all such deep hollows bear the and meanness of intellect, and of a mind hand. It is never very large, and is often with a great variety of understandings, is imbress of feebleness, symbolizing vacuity in which had temper more than good judg- rather below the module in its length, and rarely found with intellectual activity, with within.) It is of the well-formed forcheads ment will have sway. It is not quite so all its textures are delicate ; the thumb is a fervent disposition, or an carnest, ener. of this kind that Lavater says, 'Always with women. In them the whole organi- small and delicate. The fingers are divigetic will. It most commonly indicates consider as the sign of a clear and sound zation, in its gradual development, di- ded in soft and oval forms, with fullquietude and slowness of mind; a mind understanding and of a good complexion, verges less than that of men does from rounded tips. Mea with such hands are which may be very genial, and gentie, and every forehead which presents in profile the almost similar form which they both generally distinguished by feeling, by fangood-humored, as being sluggish alike in two proportioned arches, of which the have in early childhood. The retention, ey, and by wit, more than by intellectual passion and in action, but which will never lower advances." Such arches are the therefore, of the little child-like nose im acuteness and strength of will. he self-wasting is intellectual production or symbols of acuteness of observation, of plies no such grave defect in the woman's thoughtfulness, and the habit of reflection, mind. If her head be well-formed, such a and the rarest of all the forms, is that

Hy, so is there in leanness, as such, rather those in whose undulating surfaces there associated with good features. If they are the symbol of a costain lightness, activity, are two chief lateral elevations, two well- not, they add much to the expression of the palm is a little longer than broad, never marked frontal prominences. These insignificance or even of conreeness. In the mental leanness, the body is com- strengthen that expression of analytic Large noses in men are generally good single large lines. The fingers are fine, monly slim and elastic, and the slender power already assigned to the broad ex. signs ; especially they add emphasis to the slender, and rather elongated ; their joints

Physiognomy of the Ruman Form. in the child's head, and in it are beautiful adds, 'a striking contract between the color nature ; light blue, and, much more, grey exulted at the introduction of club law in We find a long article in the Quarterly and may be hopeful; they are consistent of the hair and the color of the eyebrews eyes, in the hardy and active. Greenish the senate chamber, who blockaded the Review on this subject, from which we with mere prottiness in women; but, as inspires me with distrust.' Natural loss eyes have, generally, the same meaning as symbols of the adult mind, they indicate, of the hair in men often indicates a richly the grey. Lavater says they are, 'in some ward bound, who have risted in every class Stature, elc .-- In stature, the extremes at the best, one that is child-like and fee- productive power of mind. Its abundance sort, a distinctive sign of sizacity and and degree of arime for a long period .-of both inrgeness and smallness are al- bly developed. When the surface of the and persistence late in life betray poverty courage.' Hazel eyes are the more usual It staggers belief that the party of Atchiways associated with defactive mental skull is not thus smooth, we must distin-power. Excess above the mean stature guish between inequalities which are anmay lead one to expect a proportionate ular and abrupt and those which are curved snub nose in either sex commonly indicate called, is almost always associated with band of assassing to make way with one

smartness of wit and dextrous intelligence.

they mark, as prolongations of the fore- thumb is slender, well-formed, and only of the world. It is useful, again, in the

manliness of character; the falling short or undulating. Generally, the more the the predominance of the material sensuous eyes of a yellowish cast bordering on man; the party that breaks open the Uni-Especially, this symbolism of great stat- the bratal in angularity of surface, the obvious nostrils is an open declaration (so Hands-Elemental hands are such as

ure is well exemplified among women .- more does it indicate a degradation of the far as nose can make one) of an empty betray a certain approximation at once to and inflated mind; of a mind in which the hand of the little child and to the paw in a city which is governed by law, and vice, cholesic temperament, dominant intel- Certain foreheads are smooth, feature- there is but the spurious imitation of that of the most man-like brutes. They are which is devoted to the peacoful pursuits leat, and large grasp of mind, are rarely less, with one uniform arched surface from strength and loftier pride which the wide distinguished by the metacarpal part (that of inbustry and art. That party is desi found in women without a correspondent the orbits upwards. Such a shape always nostrils in a well-formed nose might in- is, of the hand without the fingers and the

contrast with these, the majority of little narrower as it ascends. It is no better au- are, in proportion to the face, too small, short, thick, and squared at their ends; the men are so far effeminate that they are gui. gury when a forehead, of whatever size, i. e., all such as are decidedly less than thumb stumpy and often turned back ; the ded by their feelings more than by their is all flat - ' complete perpendicularity one third of the length of the face, or less nails short, strong, and hard. Such hands intellicets; they pass in the world as warm. from the hair to the cychrows is,' as Lav. long than the forchead is deep. The va. symbolize a rough, unfinished mind, a hearted, or hot-headed, impuisive men ; stersays, "the sign of a total want of un- risties of these are numerous in the snub, mind lowly developed, obtuse intelligence,

feature may be courage, or self-conceit, or overhanging the face : 'Such foreheads,' he are generally referable are either the little male hand, is characterized partly by its devotion to a single object, or a hasty tem- says, 'belong to feeble and contracted noses of children, or the flat, broad noses great size, partly by its strength of bone per; but they are much less often than minds, and which will never attain to ma- of negroes; and it is consistent with this and muscle, and its strong projecting joints that in men of civilized races all such and sinews. Such a hand symbolizes or an iron will. There are, however, nu- There are forcheads in which the chief noses indicate defective intellectual power ; strength of will, and aptaess for strong susmerous remarkable exceptions to this rule, elevations of the undulating surface are on and do so with a certainty of symbolism tained efforts of mind. The thumb, -as, for instance, Aristotle himself and the median line-most marked, therefore, which nothing but excellence in the form which is in all hands the most significant, Napoleon ; and Lord Clarendon, after in the very profile. These elevations de- of the head, as in the case of Socrates, can because the most casentially human, memmentioning that Chillingworth was of fit cidedly exalt the expression of objective neutralize. They tell of an unfinished ber, is especially so in these; its large tle stature,' adds that 'it was an age in force of intellect in a forehead whose gen- intellectual development; and the lower size always symbolizing an energetic na-

The psychical hand, the most beautiful Another variety of forsheads includes But even in women such noses need to be proportion to the whole stature. It should measure in its length just one module ; much furrowed or folded, but marked with

Missouri river, and carried out the right of search on every suspected steamer up ted States mail, and that meditates the destruction of the States themselves-it staggers belief, we say, that such a party should have the temerity to run a ticket rous of making conquests all round-of having its minious in power in St. Louis. thumb) being both long and broad; the and of making our municipal government

No. 4.

Disappearance of Slavery from Missouri. Slavery will never be formally abolished in Missouri, Emancipation, either iminte law, in this State,

But yet slavery will soon coase to exist in Missouri. The fiat is irreversible. It will not be abolished. It will disappear. It will melt away, as the snows of the winter. It is going now; and once started it will gather increased acceleration, like a stone rolling down a mountain side.

It is a strange thing that just as the proslavery sentiment in Missouri was supposed to have reached its some-just after proslaveryism had inveded Kausas, in the riotous self sufficiency of determined propagandism-just after all other parties in the State had succambed to the dominancy of the party arrogating to be, par excellence, the pre-slavery party of the Statejust after the entire South had proclaimed their pride in Missouri as the bulwark and very citadel of the "Institution"-it is strange that at this very instant the fatal secret should leak out and be whispered through the land, that slavery is waning

in Missouri, and to be waning is to be dead. It is as if a warrior clutching victory in 'If,' says Carus, 'in corpolency the They are generally developed late, and are nose may express naivete, or, perhaps which is most unlike the elemental and the

We have no words to waste on the theoretic view of slavery. We are not epposed to slavery per sc. It is an instsitution useful to heathen races, whom it Christianizes and onlightens. It is useful to commoree and civilization, in furnishing i limbs all wear the expression of clear re- panded forcheads; they symbolize the indication of a well-formed head; but they are never prominent; their tips are rather with cotton, sugar and coffee, products that tined perception, and of quick and apt re- sharply discriminating, analyzing intellect. must not be too fleshy or too lean. If they long, taper, and delicately rounded; and sponse; with a sunsitive or cerebral con- They are much more frequently well are long (yet chort of being snont-like), they have fine nails of similar shape. The

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## The Anticipated Comet.

It is possible that some of our renders may have been alarmed at the statements which have been made, on the authority of M. Babinet, a French extant, to the effect that this globe of ours was to be pretty severely shaken by coming in confact with a comet next June. But we are happy to be able to announce, on very good authority, that no such calamity is likely to occur. The editor of the Boston Daily Advartiser has applied to Professor Pierce, of Cambridge, for information on the subject, and has received the following satisfactory reply from that distinguished mathematician :

HARVARD COLLEGS, March 24, 1857. My Dear Sir .-- What Babinet, who is an excellent popular lecturer, a good physieist, but no geometer or astronomer, may have written about a possible comet or colision with a comet-or what some unknown German may have done of the same kind-is wholly unknown to me. But mediate or gradual, will never be enacted neither of them, supposing the German to be of equal scientific position with Babinet, can have predicted in June any such collision ; for I am positive that there are not the data for such a computation, and Babinet is at least of too respectable abilities to involve himself in such an absurdity.

The only matter of prediction, relating to comets, which has recently come under my observation, consists of a series of sigaal failures committed by the English as tronomer Hind, which have been discussed with cutting severity by a German mathematician, and found to be utterly without oundation. This Hind is the man who was recently appointed to the control of the English Nautical Almanae, in opposition to the rival claims of Adams, whose name is so deservedly celebrated in connection with the discovery of Neptune.

BENJAMIN PIERCE. Yours, dee, M. Babinet himself, of the French Institute, in the course of some remarks which he has published concerning the comet which is expected by astronomera in the year 1858, says :

"With regard to one of the questions to which this question has given rise, I must protest against the idea that a comet possasses the power of imparting a perceptible mechanical shock. I can prove that the colli-ion of a swallow, intent on suicide, and flying with full force against a train of a hundred carriages, drawn by ten steam engines, would be a thousand times more dangerous for the train in question than would be the simultaneous shock of 

IMPORTANT IMPROVEMENT IN PRINTING PRESSES .- We learn from the Scientific American that Moses Y. Beach, Esq. of the New York Sun, has patented in Europe and this country an apparatus for printing both sides of a newspaper before it leaves the press. The paper is placed before the cylinder, and after an impression a double or twin set of fingers, which shut against each other, are so arranged as to grasp the back or tail end of the sheet before it leaves the printing cylinder, and after the first impression is taken. The sheet, thus held fast while the cylinder continues to revolve, is drawn in again for the second impression, and thus the feednor Slave. She would be better off either ing the sheet by hand the second time, or fifty per cent of the labor new required is saved, and, practically, the sheet is printed on both sides at once-two forms instead of one being placed upon the press.

expression. The mental leanness, in a ed undulating forms of the forehead. well proportioned body, indicates talent, or In another variety of forcheads the chief Roman, arched high and strong, they are very little hair. In their perfection psymore rarely, genius ; and, especially, deli- elevations of surface encompass the upper generally associated with a less developed chical hands can be seen in only the bloom eacy of feeling, refined intellectual power, borders of the orbits. These elevations forehead, and a larger hind, head; and and strength of life. Such rare hands are and a mobile but energetic will.

inches, or three modules, in circumference) opment of the sense of sight, and the cor- indicated by a straighter nose. The Jew- with simple clearness in knowledge and on the whole, augurs well for the mind responding psychical character. They ish or hawk-nose commonly signifies in will. that it belongs to; but, to make it cortainly are frequent in the clear-sighted observers shrewdness in worldly matters; it adds significant of good, many conditions must of nature; in good painters from the life; force to the meaning of the narrow conbe fulfilled. There are just as many, on in those generally whose organization is contrative forehead, symbolical of singlethe other hand, by which heads that are, especially fitted for occupation in the ness of object; and its usually narrow noswithin certain limits, below the average of world of light. The deep-set eyes, over- triis wear the unfailing sign of caution and size, may vindicate for themselves some- hung and guarded by the prominent brows, timidity. The Greek, straight nose 'indithing better than that 'small esteem for are as if that natural expression were cates refinement of character, love for the small heads' entertained by the older phys- fixed with which, transiently, we knit the fine arts and belle lettres, astuteness, craft, ingnomists, as well as by many of a later brows, and feel as if we drew back the and a preference for indirect rather than date. Form, it must always be remem- eyes when we would see clearly into any. direct action.' Perpendicular noses, that bered, is symbolical as well as size; and thing; and in this likeness they properly is, such as approach this form, suppose excellence of form may compensate for symbolize the mind that, with natural a mind capable of seting and suffering some defect of size, though no size can power and inclination, looks out into the with calmass and energy. A nose slightly compensate for error of form, or for that visible world. Their opposite is in that bifid at its end, attends and corroborates Benton thus: egg-like smoothness which, in comparison less depth of orbits, and less dominance of the indication of the analytic forchead .-head, without regard to shape, were al- these we the signs of verbal power, in so and is often seen in the cogitative or wide. in the Legislature he would have fought the adult's.

large heads when the chief development is characterized by elevations at their sides, in the forchead. If the large heads thus tending toward the cars. Some forcheads, well formed are often symbolical of genius, of whatever other shape or size, are, in their the small ones are as often symbolical of temporal regions, and just above them, naturally smaller brains ; and, among both Beetboven. mon and women, very considerable minds Hair .- Long, soft, and light hair, which daily life are certainly the most telling "The issue in this canvas is thus

perament, the whole body has a psychical head-as indeed are all the strongly mark- head, the intelligent, observant, and pro- moderately long. The skin of the whole stitution, and a psychical or sanguing tem- marked in the male than in the female

correspond with the prominent orbital they disclose strength of will and energy, found with nose but rare minds. They Heads -A large head (one which evi- margins of the keen-eyed animals and rather than intellectual power; they show indicate, Carus says, a peculiar purity and dently exceeds the average of twenty one birds; they indicate the degree of devel also the want of that refinement which is interior grandeur of feeling, combined speech.

one in which the forehead is defective .- the ear symbolizes a mind especially influ- spirit." Women with heads thus formed have as senced by sound. It is strongly marked in and sometimes highly colors it. cendency over man, notwithstanding their the heads of Liszt, Mendelssohn, and

have been often found acting in small heads is the more natural to women and chill features in the whole face.

On the other hand, heads that are alto-gether small, and have the forehead even hair symbolizes strength and firmness, in studied. In a clear pure white we see inless developed than the other regions, are whatever direction may be indicated by tuitively a mind that might be so describe again it the State? The day may come of an attack from Indiana they might be most commonly found in those who, for the rest of his organization. Generally, ed; a dirty or yellowish white makes us when loyalty to alavery may be treason to ready for action. The custom is one when loyalty to alavery may be treason to which might be advantageously changed. ets of the understanding and the reason, the signal of an analogous solidity or deli- that is too blue, like thet of a delicate selves at such a joncture, and forbid inquiare moved by every breath of wind, and easy of mind. Brown and black hair are child, is significant of an immature mind; ry and investigation ] are apt to give way to immoderate excite- chiefy seen in these of active character: one that is bloodshot, if it does not confine shuns inquiry and reputees investigation is seets, and from 600,000 to 700,000 pounds Speaker, Clerk and assistant Clerk of the ments of feeling, or to desires of every red and blond hair are oftener associated to intemperance or overwork, suggests a had cause.

Smoothness and simplicity are natural gularly good or singularly bad; and, he persons of deliente, refined, or effeminate noil of KERLAS with fraternal blood, who material !

ductive nature of the refined mind. If had is delicate, and, even in a man, has but governing class, as evidenced in Southern country.

So much for slavery, per se. But it is out of place in Missouri. We have enough slaves in Missouri to deter hundreds of thousands of free laborers from coming here. But we have not enough to do one tenth of the servile labor of the State. So Missouri languishes. She is neither Free

The War in St. Louis.

The emancipationists and niggorites of with half a million more slaves, or with St. Louis are warring with words vehe- none at all. And as the slaves cannot be mently. The Democrat says that at the had, and the State must take a more posiconvention " Free labor was a potent spell. tive character than she has heretofore held, word, responded to whenever uttered, in a slavery is of its own accord yielding, and peal of cheers and stampings. It num, will rapidly disappear from the State .ers, carnestness, and unity are favorable The fertile fields, the vast forests and rich ficulty has been overcome. It has long rognostics, we may abide the result of mines of Missouri must be worked, and will been known that the center of the steel the election with the tranquility which the be. It is manifest deatiny. As the slaves face in the process of hardening is generknowledge of victory imparts." The Re- cannot be got here to develop the wealth ally much softer than the surrounding publican is hard down on the emancipa- that God intends shall be developed, free parts, and that this has been caused by ionists, and rings in the name of Col. white men will-and that is the end of the imperfect easting of the mass of metal. slavery.

" Does Benton countenance this course ? We shall publish such arguments, pro fnee perfectly hard, the body of the anvil is with the undulations of the well-made the sense of sight, in which the eyes look Such noses, large and broad pointed, are Did Benton advise the course of his pre- and con, on this subject as bear on the con- cast with a cavity of some size extending head, may be called the absolute negation large and prominent, gazing but not fixed, frequent in men with acute practical tended friends in the Legislature on this only of the slave system of Missouri .-of form. If proportionate largeness of and like the eyes of one listening. In knowledge of the world. The same bifd question? No, he does not. Had he been Facts that affect men's pockets will, after a portion of the metal at its center is disways characteristic of mental power, the much as they are a mark of the mind natregitation of the Emancipation question in cial and political opinions of men. If slav. Iroduction of a stream of water into the child's mind should have more power than urally directed to the world of sound and broad, indicating a mind that has strong Missouri. He will condemn just as em- ery is disappearing from Missouri, it is bepowers of thought and is given to close phatically the course of those who have cause it can make more money elsewhere; idly as ifs exterior, giving to it a sound and It speaks as well for small heads as for And, lastly, we see foreheads chiefly and serious meditation. With these sym. been instrumental in getting up the reand because Missouri can make more mon- equally hard surface. bols Lavater's dicta fall in : 'A nose whose cent Black Republican convention in this

ridge is broad, no matter whether straight or curved, always announces superior fac. all the negro philanthropy afloat in this or curved, always announces superior fac. Benton, we repeat, condemns this agitation; State .- St. Louis Intelligencer.

ultics. I have never been deceived in it, and if there be those who yet give heed but this form is very rare.' And again, to his counsels, the will join in the effort The thick, fleshy nose tells its own tale, States,"

Eyes,-The eyes in the physiognomy of before the people, thus :

kind. 'A great part of the misery of so-vity issues from these heads,' anys Carus. (Lavaler relates) characterizes a man sin-

67" In making anvils an important dif-To obviate this difficulty and to make the

from its bottom nearly to its face, by which

63" There is no doubt about the Virgiula volcano. It is on the great Backbone mountain in Pendleton county. On the SITTING IN CHURCH .- An American 1st day of January the reports caused by

PRINTERS IN PENNSYLVANIA .---- It is a singular fact that not only the two United 03 The Scientific American says - Every States Senators from Pennsylvania, and the The cause that pound of cochineal contains 70,000 in- State Supreme Judge, but the present We do not suppose the free are annually exported to Europe for sent- House, the Clerk of the Senate of Pennayi-

ther seat in the silp, and these that follow mucke insued from the orifices, and red hot awk card disturbance which occurs in our hundred feet above the mouth of the eraclearly defined. Shall we submit to be churches at home in the process of filing ter. The people in the vicinity are becomwith dominant frontal regions. Raphael, dron, will in a man betray a feminine or a Primacily the eyes symbolize the feel. Charles XH, and Frederick the Great are childlike character; and dark coarse hair ings rather than the intelligence or the will. childlike character; and dark coarse hair ings rather than the intelligence or the will. in a woman will reveal her hard and too In the colors of the eye, both the white of interest should arise between the State with the early settlers, the men sitting reverberating through the deep eaverns of the interest should arise between the State

talent. A frontal development always gives a small head superiority over a large this prominence of the fore-brain toward for a distance of twenty or thir. in may be at the risk of the peace of the whether gentler an or hady, takes the fur-The Democrat holdly puts the question fill up the remaining seats, preventing the stones were thrown up in the air several