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## The Wallz.

To music's sweet measure in couples they whirl, Tattooing the floor as they circle and curl; The toes of the ladies go tippity-tip, The heels of the gentlemen rippity-rip.

All making a Babel of noise by their jumps; All maxing a base of mose by their jump Like hoppity, skippity, thumpp.ty-thumps; Cost-skirts against dresses go flippity-flap, Then huggity, tuggity, rubbity-rap! Thus mated together, strange murmurs arise,

ardant of music, of whispers and sighs ; For masculine fingers, with nervous unrest, Quite close to the hearts of the maidens are prest. Imperial waltz! from the land of the Rh ne, In public embraces thy voteries meet, Fastastical nymph of the muse-tipping feet.

To thee the swift graces of motion belong, Terschor an queen of the fiddle and song; For bountiful bosoms and liberal hands Are ready and willing to meet thy demands.

No marvel it is that conventional rules r off their reserve in our fashion-led schools Where men are seen hanging, with faces of hair. To female balloons all inflated with air. Ah! well may the moralist trumpet his calls

For speedy reform of the dancing at balls, Where over-exertion, like pressure of steam, Endanger the button and threaten the seam. When cracking of hoops and collision of knees, Are varied by sighing reports of a squeeze, All forming, together, a ludicrous sound, Like a snappity, rappity, hobbity round!

Away they go, whirling, in twitter and twirl, The stranger's embrace round the innocent girl, Se close that she feels his hot breath on her checks, Where the semblance of roses her purity speaks.

On faster and d zaily faster they fly, With a marmaring tone and a tremulous sigh, Till down upon seats they both staggering fail, Quite drank with a waltz at a temperance bull.

## At Home.

The rain is sobbing on the woftl; The house is dark, the hearth is cold; And stretching drear and ashy gray, Beyond the cedars, lies the bay.

My neighbor at his window stands His youngest baby in his hands; The others seek his tender kiss. And one sweet woman crowns his bliss.

Hook upon the rainy wild; There is no fire upon my hearth, And none to love me on the earth. -Bayard Taylor.

## Three Fighting Deacons.

The Cleveland Plaindealer is responsible for the following:

In a small neighborhood in Genura county live three deacons. The first is a Methodist, the second a Presbyterian, and the third a Baptist. All live quite a distance from their respective meeting houses, and as the traveling is excessively bad at meetings in the red school house in the neighborhood. The question then arose waich denomination should hold the first meeting. The Method st claimed tae privilege of opening the ball. The Presbyterian demaned it. The Baptist insisted upon it. Here was a " fix."

They wrangled over the matter until the ning, which happened to be Friday last, and on that evening at early candle-light the schoolhouse was crowded with Methodists, Presbyterians, Baptists, and several

world's people.

The Presbyterian commenced reading a catechism. The Baptist, at the same time, immers'on. The Methodist, at the same time, struck up an old fahioued hymn, shouting it forth at the top of his lungs, The effect was ladierous. It apparently struck the mixed congregation so, for they all commenced laughing. The Baptist was wheezy. He sank exhausted into his seat, while the Presbyterian and Methodist continued. All at once the ludicrousness of ground. the scene struck the Baptist, and he indulged in a protracted horse laugh. This displeased the Presbyterian, and forgetting himself, he dealt the Baptist a stunning blow under the right ear. The Methodist threw his hymn book down and rushed to the Baptist's rescue. He arrived just in time to receive Presbyterian's iron first between his eyes. The Baptist and Methodist rallied, and together attacked the Presbyterian, but he was too much for them. The scene that ensued beggars description. Chairs were overturned. Window-glass was broken. Woman shricked, gret among the religious people of Geauga. We merely relate the facts. The matter

OREGON PACIFIC UNIVERSITY .- Professor Marsh is still in New York urging the claims of the Pacific University upon the notice of the benevolent. He now lacks but \$6,000 of the sum necessary for his purpose, and a good part of that is already pledged. Ezra Fletcher, who recently \$1,000 towards the Professor's fund .-

PRICES AT VICTORIA .- From the Trade report of Victoria, V. I., we learn that Flour is worth \$6 37½ and \$6 75 according to quality and brand. Bacon 17 and 18c for prime, and 16c for ordinary qualities. California and Eastern Butter is selling at 374c .- Advertiser.

SELLING OUT .- The Hudson's Bay Company at Vancouver, are disposing of the balance of their stock of merchandise preparatory to a final removal of their entire point in the British possessions.-Ib.

Mexico.-California exchanges state that a report came from Mexico by the Golden Age that Miramon had declared war against the United States, but the rumor is not generally accredited .- Ib.

If you want to kiss a pretty girl, why kiss her-if you can. If a pretty girl wants to kiss you-why let her, like a

The number of streets sweeps in Londo is over 500. Their earnings and pickings are about \$15,000 a year

## The Oregon Argus

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OREGON CITY, OREGON, JUNE 2, 1860.

Thrilling Incident of Border Life.

The old settlers of Kentucky are familiar A contributor to the Atlantic Monthly A paris correspondent of the New

hunting and fishing being their chief and so Hepry set off alone, and after much sufan expedition was gotten up under Gen. Wayne to cha-ti e them. Henry joined

The keen judgment of Capt. Wells did ville, having no intimation as to the future comrades to capture an Indian, in order at the other-to death. that through him the plans of the Indians might be discovered. They accordingly set out across the country, crossing St. Mathis time of year, they concluded to hold smoke. Hitching their horses, the gallant little band left two of their party to guard being one of them, crept along in the direction of the smoke, which they found to be on an elevated piece of open ground, suron an elevated piece of open ground, sur- In July the carnage had reached its hight. those pretty costly "nothings" which ruin hal from the President the company rise,

ing venison over the fire. our gallant rangers discovered a fallen tree end heads had been taken off, and now the roofs cover so many families, and whose they prefer it, brandy, after which you take and each vowed he would hold a meeting at the red schoolhouse the very next every next e ered, retraced their steps, and going around got the fallen tree (the top of which was pierre and the Committee were afraid to floating with the brilliant tide of life that but I have known them to be as delightful covered with leaves,) between them and leave a man alive. He daily expected his ebbs and flows on the Bouvelare des Ital. as the most congenial could desire.

the enemy.

They then stole along as lightly and noislessly as panthers, until they reached the point desired. Here their plan was each his man, leaving the third, who was count of it, after his return to America: swifter than an Indian on foot, to give chase to and capture the remaining Indian. Miller was to shoot the one on the right, and his comrade the one on the left.

Before the smoke had cleared away, the reserve, one McLelland, was far in the dihim with the swiftness of a roebuck, and he set off at the top of his speed. McCleler, a distance of twenty feet, where he sank his knife. In the meantime Henry and his curely. He appeared sullen, and refused and the destroying angel passed by it." to answer any question asked him. He was then washed, to rid him of his coat had taken a white man instead of an In- Woolfolk's plantation,-a vicious fellow-

The party returned to their horses, and died in Whitinsville, Mass., left a legacy of began at once to retrace their steps toward walked up to her as she was working in the camp at Greenville. On the journey the field, and deliberately plunged a knife the prisoner continued moody and silent, into her breast. He then fied to the until Henry, recollecting that he had a woods and after giving several other nebrother with the Indians, and thinking this might possibly be him, he approached and groes to understand that their turn would called him by his Indian name, when he come next, and after them two white men answered with seeming surprise, when the living near by. He was pursued and cap-Christopher Miller. He had been in the gle, and taken back to the plantation, middle when the fatal messengers of death where a consultation was held on his case. had overtaken his associates, and by this The highly respectable gentlemen who comtrifling circumstance was saved to answer posed the council concluded that the severturned to Greenville with his captors, de-termined to remain; and afterwards ren-upon the desperado who had taken life for a military point of view. establishment to Victoria, or some other turned to Greenville with his captors, dedered the white settlers the most important so trivial a cause, as a warning to other aid in their future contest with the wily vicious negroes. It was therefore detereventful and well spent life, and to enjoy the reputation of his name.

who have lived and died since the creation would find room to stand in a space much less in extent than the State of California.

handsome than good.

Tem Paine\_Bow he Escaped.

own summons; but he was overlooked. He lens, attired in such handsome clothes, with

"The floor in which I was lodged was on the ground floor, and one of a long range of rooms under a gallery, and the The sharp crack of two rifles was heard, door opened outward and flat against the and the fated red men lay lifeless on the wall, so that, when it was opened, the inside of the door appeared outward, and the contrary when it was shut. I had three rection of the remaining Indian who fellow prisoners with me-Joseph Van was doomed to be captured. The Indian Huile, of Bruges, Michel and Robin Basobserved him as he came bounding towards tini, of Louvain. When persons by scores were to be taken out of prison for the gilloland was rapidly coming up with the retreating Indian, when coming to a bend in those who performed that office had a prithe river, the latter saw he must be over- vate mark by which they knew what rooms taken, and leaged off the bank into the riv- to go to and what number to take. We, up to his middle in the mud. McClelland as I have said, were four, and the door of made a leap after him, and sunk down in our room was marked, unobserved by us. Men yelled. We have no wish to make like manner, when the Indian drew nis with that number in chalk; but it hapfun of an affair which caused profound reknife and McLelland his tomahawk. A pened, if happened is a proper word, that parley ensued and the Indian threw down the mark was put on when the door was companion came up, the two were rescued open and flat against the wall, and thereby from the mud, and the prisoner bound se- came on the inside when we shut it at night.

becoming offended at a black woman.

with the name of Captain Christopher Mil- has taken pains to take up a number of cu- Orleans Picayune says that that city is a ally interested in knowing the minute of a ler. He was one of those bold and daunt- rous accidents and incidents in the career hell, where ten thousand cheeks are galled dinner at the White House, and all wish less spirits to whom we are indebted for the of Thomas Paine, the apostle of Liberty with tears, ten thousand lips are fevered to know how such affairs are conducted by rescue of the State from the dominion of and also of Unbelief. Here is an account with hunger, ten thousand hearts are rack- the (for the time being) head of the gov- the subject; the bold and bloodthirsty savage. History of how he got into a Parisian prison during ed by the accidents of life—there is no erament, we copy from the recent letters of has recorded many of his heroic deeds and the Reign of Terror, in 1793, and how by Torquemapahalf so cruel as life! Ten "Occasional" to the Philadelphia Press the melancholy privations; but one of the most a simple and lucky accident he was over- thousand tonges curse the parents that following description: thrilling and mysterious incidents in his looked and escaped the guillotine: "After damned them to existence, knowing no proeventful life had never met our eyes until some weeks of retired and listless life in vision for their accursed exist nee was made we found it in Finley's Autobiography; company with two Englishmen of liberal -ten thousand minds screem in agonyand, as many of our readers may never republican sentiments, and in the hight of which is barely not a madness yell-"down, have seen it, we will give a short account the Reign of Terror, a file of armed men down," to the demon of suicide that whiscame to arrest Paine. This was in Decem- pers in the ear the sweets of the unawaken-Christopher Miller and his brother Hen- ber, and by order of Robespierre. On his ing sleep to which, by the crackling charry were taken prisoners by the Indians way to the Luxembourge, he stopped at coal and the gurgling, rippling stream, when they were quite young, and remained Barlow's and left with him the first part of the wretched are rocked. Fair as it seems with them until they had learned many of the customs of those wild inhabitants of the "Age of Reason," finished the day be in the spring sun with its towers and domes, forest. They were expert hunters, and had fore. The Americans in Paris applied to and peaked roofs, and arches, and columns, learned to love the savage freedom of their the Convention for Paine's release, offering its white houses and its green trees, 'tis captors. They were adopted into an Indi-themselves as security for his good conduct hell. Judge not by appearances if you find the President, Miss Lane, Mrs. Judge an family, and it seemed they were indeed during his stay in France. They rounded would avoid the leopard's jaws, if you'd Roosevelt, James Buchanan, Jr., and the off their petition with a phrase of the pris- shun the serpent's poison, if you'd escape rest of the household. After being duly almost only employment. Finally, Henry ouer's—"Ah, citizens, do not give the the pestilence and loathesome stench of the presented to them, you wait the arrival of began, when about twenty-lour to think of leagued despots of Europe the pleasure of scalary markly dead yoult. For the almost only employment. Finally, Henry out a first the pleasure of sculptured marble dead-vault. For the Mr. Buchanan, Jr., quietly informs you returning to the white settlements; and he seeing Thomas Paine in irous." The Con- leopard's pretty spots cover the most cruel that you are to escort to the dinner such a mentioned his thought to Christopher, but vention, careless of the opinion of the and blood-thirsty nature in the forest, the lady, whom he now introduces to you, and "leagued despots," replied that Paine was gaudy, pictured, braided twine has most the lady in your company is presented to fering and privation he reached Kentucky, an Englishman. He was closely confined envenomed fangs, the carved Parian marble another gentleman, who is to be her comwhere he lived for several years; when, in and all communication with the outer world hides festering corpses. Paris the gay is panion during the feast. The hour having 1794, the Indians becoming troublesome, cut off. The news reached these unfortu- Paris the hell. All depends on who holds drawing-room, where they are dazzled with nates, penned up like sheep waiting for the the kaleidescope. If Fortune holds the the gorgeons display of plate and gas-light, this expedition and set out with it. On butcher, only when the doors opened to adthe march. Gen. Wayne in order to avoid mit a new fournes, or batch of victims as the Paris the brilliant. If Missay holds it this expedition and set out with it. On the march, Gen. Wayne, in order to avoid mit a new fournee, or batch of victims, as 'tis Paris the brilliant. If Misery holds it, in white gloves, which is the march, Gen. Wayne, in order to avoid mit a new fournee, or batch of victims, as 'tis Paris the brilliant. If Misery holds it, lend to the guests. the possibility of an ambuscade, ordered the French pleasantly called them. They 'tis Paris the hell-a hell whose torments Capt. Wells to select four rangers to keep knew then that the Revolution had made are embittered ten-fold by the horrid con- head of the table, but on the side, exactly another stride forward, and had trodden trast formed between the excess of levity. midway, Miss Lane acting as his vis a vis. not fail to detect in Henry Miller the very these down as it moved on. Paine saw The agony of Tantalus is superadded to You find your name beautifully written on man for such an expedition, and he was act them all-Rosin, Hebert, Momoro, Chauthe anguish of Prometheus: the merciless a card laid upon the plate, before the sent cordingly selected. During the march, Henry found little to do, no Indians being the march, Henry found little to do, no Indians being the cooking is generally French Henry found little to do, no Indians being vile, mingled together, the very men he had tear the insides with crooked beaks, and cooking, the wines costly and rare—and cursed in the garden of St. Dennis-passed the sparkling wave grazes the longing lips you will soon have an opportunity of hearintentions of the subtle foe, determined to send out Captain Wells and his daring tern, entering at one side and gliding out comrades to capture an Indian, in order at the other to death on disappointment and despair! "Tis a He has a fund of smill talk for the ladies, A few days later came Danton, Camille great sight to see the throng of carriages a variety of old-fast ioned anecdotes, and Desmoulins, and the few who remained of and horses roll down the avenue and around as he is by no means sparing of the juice of ry's and proceeding to the Auglaize, they the moderate party. He was standing the lake; 'tis enlivening to observe the gasturned up the river for several miles, when near the wicket when they were brought light streaming from the cafes and restaurthe keen eyes of the rangers discovered in. Danton embraced him. "What you ants, and the active waiters with their dehave done for the happiness and liberty of licious drinks and viands, hurrying to and the ladies, occasionally taking wine with them, while the other three, Henry Miller your country I have in vain tried to do for fro; we all admire the crowded passages them. You never ask the President to

> liberate Italy, and to advance the industri- erful thing is female beauty!" al interests of France. After all, it is prob-

courage and no civil courage at all. Blanc, Cenis, Little Bernard, Iserau, &c. The valleys are narrow, much subject to sources of the country are so limited that for the young imagination. many of the Savoyards emigrate to France and other countries to seek a livelihood. the ends of an Allwise Providence. He rest punishment possible should be inflicted. The province is valuable to France only in

A COMMENTARY ON CASAR -Julius Cosavage. Most of his descendants still live mined to burn the man at the stake, which sar's letter, "I came, I saw, I conquered," in our midst and enjoy the fruits, of his was done in the presence of all the negroes has been admired for nearly two thousand spirit of the doomed negro never was wholly unneccessary. "I conquered" would ann the other was born "up stairs subdued. He died cursing his judges tell the whole story. But Julius had, no The Henry Clay statue inauguration took his last words being that he would "take doubt, a good deal of leasure when he wrote place April 12th, at Richmond. The cere-Every woman would rather be vengeance on them when they meet each the letter, and his style suffered in conse-monies were very imposing and the crowd the bottom of this ditch, fill it up, and it quence.

A Presidential Dinner.

As many of our readers may be person-

The hour is generally fixed at 6 o'clock P. M., the time when millions are taking their supper. You receive a card about the size of an ordinary playing card and if you are invited by the President, the di-

ally reads as follows: The President requests the honor of your company to dinner on Friday, April

6, at 6 o'clock P. M. An early answer is requested." If you go to the President's, you are expected to dress in your best cloths, and to wear white gloves. You are introduced

No man could count upon life for twenty- so many people's fertunes here; we are nev- return to the reception room, where they They were now far out of gunshot, and four hours. The tall, the wise, the rever- er tired gazing on the palatial houses, whose are served with coffee and liquers, or, if

LOVE OF WOMAN.-It is as natural for grave, and completely covered the encloascribed his escape to a severe attack of such brilliant bonnets, so healthy, so smil-men to love women as it is for sparks to fever, which kept him out of sight for a ing, so careless; such is Paris the brilliant. fly upward. We recollect of reading of a arose and commenced reading a tract on quickly arranged. It was agreed that Mil- time, and to a clerical error on the part of Naroleon III.—Theodore Parker writes king who had a son born to him. The asone of his comrades should shoot the distributing jailor. He wrote his acfrom Rome that just now the two promtrologers predicted that he would lose his inent nations of Europe are doing a great sight if he was permitted to see the light work-introducing a liberal scheme of before he had reached the age of ten years: commercial intercoarse. Really, Napole- on which account the king had him watched on the Little, as we used contemptuously and brought up in dark caverus. After to call him, seems to be the most states. the ten years were clapsed, he caused him manlike head in Europe, and is far wiser to be brought out, and showed him the than the other Napoleon, who broke wick- world, and placed before him many fine edly with the ideas of the age, and so prop. jewels and fair damsels-telling him the erly was set down on that little rock at the name of every thing, and that the damse's end of the world, to point the moral of were devils. Being asked what he liked tolerable health, his mental faculties being history and adorn its tale. I dislike much best, he replied, "The devils please me that Napoleon has done, but must con- more than all the rest." Then the king fess an honest admiration for his efforts to marvelled greatly, saying, "What a pow-

> ably true that his nation deserves no better nearly lost a finger by one of those exerurule than he gives it, and is not capable of ciating ills to which our flesh is heir; I feel more liberal institutions. Those Celtic compelled by a sense of duty to proclaim people have got equality; the old aristocra the following remedy. After suffering so tic regime is perished utterly; all depends much with the one aforesaid, I knew the tic regime is perished utterly; all dependent symptoms too well to be mistaken in regard on universal suffrage; liberty is something to them, and after a day and night of torthey care little about. A strange people ture, rose at two o'clock, and administered are the French-with so much military the following: Take half a gill of strong vineger, dissolve in it a tablespoonful or more of salaratus-heat as long as the flesh was then washed, to rid him of his coat of mud, when it was discovered that they had taken a white man instead of an Iu
> Woolfolk's plantation—a vision fellow.
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> Savoy.—This section of Sardinia, which has just been annexed to France, is of but rain return and a sure is contain.
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> Savoy.—This section of Sardinia, which has just been annexed to France, is of but rain return and a sure is contain. little importance as adding to the wealth writer prevented two in this way. To all of that country. It embraces an area of afflicted we say try it. This remedy must only 4270 square miles of exceedingly be applied in the first stages, as it is of no mountainous country, embracing Mounts avail after it is greatly swollen .- Rural New Yorker.

> It is from true fiction-from living the ravages of avalanches, and the soil poor, products of the creative imagination-chilyielding scarcely enough grain for the con- dren get their first ideas of the wonderful, sumption of the population, which numbers of a world out of nature, the supernatural two brothers immediately recognized each tured, by the aid of dogs, after a hard strug- about 600,000. Cattle raising is the prin- and divine. The pure fiction is the purest cipal occupation. The business and re-truth-the natural and necessary ailment

AVERAGE HIGHT OF THE HUMAN RACE .-M. Silverman has been pursuing certain in-vestigations and from them he arrives at a Douglas. Privately, Mr. Buchanan sent a conclusion that the average hight of the human race has remained unchanged since the Chaldean epoch, four thousand years terested in."

A householder in a Western village on that and several of the adjoining plan- years for its terseness. We think it rather in filling up his census schedule under the tations, all of whom seemed greatly terri- verbose. The words "I saw" are entirely column headed, "Where born," described It is estimated that all the people fied on viewing so awful a scene. The superfluous. Indeed we think "I came" one of his children as "born in the parlor,"

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The Union and the Constitution.

In the Jan number of the Typographic Advertiser, we find the following beautiful article. We do not remember ever having seen an article of its length, so fully cover

Aaron Burr was suspected of a treasonable intent; and he became an object of scorn, contempt, and detestation. The malidictions of his countrymen followed him even till he became old, and best, and shrivelled; and the grave scarcely sufficed to shield him from the curse of the people.--A change has come over us. Men belch forth torrents of blasphemy and treason; mensions of the card are double, and generand they have their defenders! Others harl thunderbolts-puny-indeed-against the temple of the Union; and they find admirers! Contingencies are pitted against the perpetuity of our institution, till many sit down coldly to calculate their value .--God forgive them, and rectify their perverted conciences before they plunge into irremediable ruin! When fratricidal blood shall run down the gutters if our streets, and crimson our hill-sides-when riot and ravage and wee shall be upon our woman, and when trembling and horror shall abide in every home-then, at all events, will their eyes learn to see and their hearts to feel the desolations they have brought upon the fairest heritage that Heaven ever bestowed upon a nation; and they will be glad to slink from the miserable chaos they have creaced, into a worse than fellon's

The Union!-Can a sane man dare to estimate its value? If there be a single infelicity in it, is it strange? What earthly blessing do we posess that is absolutely perfect? Shall we cut our throat because a tooth aches-shall we divorce our wife because she has a mole on her arm-shall we kick our child out of doors because he lisps shall we kill our brother because his couvictions of duty are different from ours? No, no-no, no! The present spirit of political and moral intolerance is but a resurrection of a meck-checked, devil-eyed, personation of bigotry that centuries ago shed martyr blood because nobler intellects would not bow down to its own opinion-god, Let it be exercised. Let every true man awake from his supineness, and come to the rescue of the Constitution and the Union .-Let not a skeleton faction in any section of the land poison the well-spring of public sentiment. Else we perish.

BRODERICK'S GRAVE. -- On 'Mount Vernon,' a commanding eminence in Lone Mountain Cemetery, is situated the grave of Broderick. It is but a short distance from the principal entrance to the grounds on the eastern side. The grave is in the centre of a lot forty feet square, which has been designated by the Monument Committee as the size of the grounds in which the monument is to stand, the base of which is feet square, which was erected by the direction of Win. McKibben. Last Sunday, a number of ladies and geatlemen visited the sure with flowers of all kinds. Thus the memory of the lamented dead keeps fresh and green with those who claimed friendship and common humanity with the 'iron man' while living.

A VOTER FOR WASHINGTON .- One of our respected citizens, Dr. Earl Bill, auya the Sandusky Register, who is in his ninetieth year, voted at the recent election in Sandusky. He cast his first vote for George Washington for President. Dr. Bill was formerly a resident of Oneida county, State of New York, where he lived many years and is extensively known. Although so far advanced in life he enjoys but little impaired.

Can we realize that this Republic is no older than that? That there is one among us living and exercising the right of a free man who voted for our first President? What mighty advances and improvements have the United States made within the memory of that man, and how must be be affected when he contemplates them!

SLANDER JUSTIFYING MURDER .- Wm. H. Burkley was tried in King and Queen county, Va., lately, for shooting and killing Joseph Broach. A letter to the Richmond Enquirer says the charge was admitted and justified upon the plea that Broach had wilfully and muliciously slandered his daughter, a young lady still in her teens and at The court, after hearing the evidence, without argument from the counsel, discharged the prisoner, who is one of the most respectable citizens of the county. The trial created intense excitement, and when the verdiet was announced, the whole crowd of spectators rose to their feet and gave vent to the most hearty approbation,

The New York correspondent of the Mobile Register, a Democratic organ,

"Jefferson Davis, C. C. Clay, A. G. Brown, and other Southern Democrats, who make Seward's home a sort of headquarters, will tell you that Seward will make a better Southern President than any man, not of the South; that they will unperson to Mr. Seward with a list of names now holding office that the President is in-

OPEN VS. COVERED DRAINS .- Mr. Michi thus explains the reason why covered drains are so much more effectual than open ones: A deep open ditch will not drain the adoining soil, because, when the sides are, dry, the water rises up towards the surface. by capillary attraction, and thus heads back the water behind it. Put pipes into will then drain the adjoining soil."