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"Captain Hancock's Salute. "Hancock's saluting match" is well told by a former Sergeant in the regular army, who is now a resident of

late war were familiar. The ex-Sergeant's story is as follows :

"I was stationed before the war," he began, "at Fort Leavenworth, and was on detached duty as orderly at the headquarters of Gen. A. J. Smith. that post, being a Captain in the stant attendance about headquarters, was noted among the private soldiers. ing, came along the road in front of military salute. He paid no more at- of inestimable value. The palanquin hastening to Pizarro, informed him carefully guarded. required, to return my salute when command.

er words, when Gen. Smith, who, it sion entered the great square, larger the city, as, rushing from the avenues of Pizarro rallied once more at the house and had overheard our con- in Spain, they opened to the right concealed, they poured into the plaza, square of Caxamalca. versation, poked his head out of the and left for the royal retinue to pass. horse and foot, each in his own dark window above us, and peremptorily Everything was conducted with ad-window above us, and peremptorily Everything was conducted with ad-column, and threw themselves into Northerly Town in the World. and the resumption act in 1875, a great people and the matter the political affairs of a great Governcried out, "Orderly!" "Yes, sir" "You mirable order. The monarch was the midst of the Indian crowd. The will pace that-the sentinel's-beat permitted to traverse the plaza in si- latter, taken by surprise, stunned by and Captain Hancock will keep his and of his people had entered the thunder from the surrounding buildplace, Atahuallpa halted, and turning ings, and blinded by the smoke which position and return the salute "

"And there," said the soldier, "I round with an inquiring look, de- rolled in sulpherous volumes along was kept by 'Old A. J.' pacing the manded, 'Where are the strangers?' the square, were seized with a panic. to stand there and return my salute. chaplain, and afterwards bishop of bles end commoners-all were tram-



Fatal Visit of the Inca to PI- you speak, he must be crazy to talk of the Spaniards, as the shades of even- Extract from a Speech by Carl To lead battalions of brave men zarro and his Followers in the giving away countries which do not ing grew deeper, felt afraid that the City of Caxamalca. belong to him. For my faith, he con- royal prize might, after all, elude

It was not long before sunset when tinued, 'I will not change it. Your them; and some of the cavaliers Frankfort, Ky. The story illustrates the van of the royal procession en- own God, as you say, was put to death made a desperate attempt to end the a trait of Hancock's character with tered the gates of the city. First by the very men whom he created. affray by at once taking Atahuallpa's which many private soldiers in the came some hundreds of the menials, But mine,' he concluded, pointing to life. But Pizarro, who was nearest employed to clear the path from his deity-then, alas! sinking in glory his person, called out with stentorian every obstacle, and singing songs of behind the mountains-'my god still voice : 'Let no one, who values his

triumph as they came, 'which in our lives in the heavens and looks down life, strike at the Inca;' and, stretchears,' says one of the conquerors, on his children.' ing out his arm to shield him, receiv-'sounded like the songs of hell!' Then He then demanded of Valverde by ed a wound on the hand from one of followed other bodies of different what authority he had said these his own men-the only wound re-Gen. Hancock was also stationed at ranks, and dressed in different liver- things. The friar pointed to the book ceived by a Spaniard in the action. ies. Some wore a showy stuff ; check- which he held as his authority. Ata- The struggle now became fiercer Sixth United States Infantry, under ered white and red, like the squares huallpa, taking it, turned over the than ever. It recled more and more, Harney. My duty required my con- of a chess-board; others were clad in pages a moment, then, as the insult and at length several of the pobles pure white, bearing hammers or he had received, probably flashed who supported it having been slain, and generally I loitered in the little maces of silver or copper: and the across his mind, he threw it down it was over:urned, and the Indian yard in front of the building used by guards, together with those in imme- with vehemence, and exclaimed : prince would have come with violence Gen. Smith, which was directly upon diate attendance on the prince, were Tell your comrades that they shall to the ground, had not his fall been every one that, had the Democratic columns, is also familiar with the . A powerful battery had just been the street. Army officers frequently distinguished by a rich azure livery give me an account of their doings in broken by the efforts of Pizarro and policy been then adopted, the war complex interests which in official prepared, and the officer in charge passed by, and Gen. Hancock, who and a profusion of gay ornaments, my land. I will not go from here till some other of the cavaliers, who while the large pendants attached to they have made me full satisfaction caught him in their arms. The imfor his arrogant and tyrannical bear. the ears indicated the Peruvian noble. for all the wrongs they have commit- perial borla was instantly snatched Elevated high above his vassals ted.' from his temples by a soldier named

headquarters. As required by army came the Inca Atahuallpa, borne on The friar, greatly scandalized by Estete, and the unbappy monarch, regulation, I drew myself up in pro- a sedan or open litter, on which was the insult offered to the sacred vol- strongly secured, was removed to a per position and made the customary a sort of throne-made of massive gold ume, stayed only to pick it up, and neighboring building, where he was

tention to me or my salute than if I was lined with the richly colored of what had been done, exclaiming at All attempts at resistance now had not been there at all, and went plumes of tropical birds, and studded the same time : "Do you not see ceased. The fate of the Inca soon on his way. Later in the day he re- with shinning plates of gold and sil- that while we stand here wasting our spread over town and country. The turned, and as he passed by, feeling ver. Round his neck was suspended breath in talking to this dog, full of charm which might have held the somewhat nettled at his treatment of a collar of emeralds, of uncommon pride as he is, the fields are filling Peruvians together was dissolved. me before, I didn't salute him. He size and brilliancy. His short hair with Indians? Set on at once ; I ab- Every man thought only of his own had passed me a few steps when he was decorated with golden ornaments, solve you.' Pizarro saw that the hour safety. Even the soldiery encamped turned and said, in a savage way, and the imperial borla encircled his had come. He waved a white scarf on the adjacent fields took the alarm, "Orderly, do you know your duty?" temples. The bearing of the Inca in the air, the appointed signal. The and, learning the fatal tidings, were "I think I know it," I replied. "Then was sedate and dignified; and from fatal gun was fired from the fortress, seen flying in every direction before sir, why didn't you salute me as 1 his lofty station he looked down on Then springing into the square, the their pursuers, who in the heat of passed ?" I told him I didn't tender the multitude below with an air of Spanish captain and his followers triumph showed no touch of mercy. and entitled to no respect, and almost just measure of firmness and modera- submit to a second application of the the salute because he failed, as duty composure, like one accustomed to shouted the old war-cry of St. Jago At length night, more pitiful than immediately afterward found itself tion in the pursuit of great objects "invisible fire." One shock was sufand at them!' It was answered by man, threw her friendly mantle over compelled to admit that for the peace and resistance to evil influences. I ficient, for, he declared, all the stars

he first came by. We had some oth- As the leading files of the proces- the battle-cry of every Spaniard in the fugitives, and the scattered troops of the country and as a basis for fu- cannot impress it too strongly on your of the heavens were visible to him- at seems, was in the second story of the says an old chronicler, than any square of the great halls in which they were sound of the trumpet in the bloody al amendments had to be maintained. difference than that between the He would visit the office and look

A writer in the Sailor's Magazine cie payments was almost ripe to be ment. for half an hour and salute Captain lence, and not a Spaniard was to be the report of artillery and muskets, gives the following account of the pe- plucked, the Democratic party in its Moreover it must not be forgotten the telegraph, touched one of the ter Hancock every time you pass him, seen. When some five or six thous- the echoes of which reverberated like culiarities of the town of Hammer- national convention of 1876 thought that this Government is no longer the minals of the machine. As he felt fest : Hammerfest is the most north- it a smart thing to declare that the simple machinery it was in the ear- no sensation, he laid his hand on the erly town in the world. It has a pop- very act passed for bringing specie ly days of the Republic. The bucolic other terminal. A sudden vell and a ulation of 2,057. There are many Lap- payments was an impediment in its age of America is over. The inter- backward jump was the result. landers and Finlanders in the town. way and must be repealed. And who ests the Government has to deal with The man told his companions in an beat for half an hour, saluting Han- At this moment Fray Vicente de They knew not whither to fly for pro- The principal business is in codliver is there to deny now that had the act are no longer those of a small number awe-struck tone, that he had been cock every time I passed, and he had Valverde, a Dominican friar, Pizarro's tection from the coming ruin. No- oil and fish, and the odor from the oil been repealed under the pressure of of agricultural communities, with bitten by the genii of the machinemakes it very disagreeable. Rein- all the inflation elements in the here and there a commercial town. The Englishman attempted to explain deer and goats abound here, while country, the confusion of our finan- They are the interests of nearly fifty the operation, but his Juzco, came forward with his hrev- pled down under the fierce charge of ocrat who stood by listening to the lary, or, as other accounts say, a Bible the cavalry, who dealt their blows there are but six horses in town. I cial policy necessarily ensuing would millions of people spread over an im- disturb, in the least, the Persian's conversation, "is your candidate for in one hand, and a crucifix in the right and left, without sparing , while don't know whether it is because of have prolonged the evils of an irre- mence surface, with occupations, pur credulity. the next President. He is good other, and approaching the Inca, told their swords flashing through the enough and a nice man among offi- him that he came by order of his com- thick gloom, carried dismay into the nights, but any disconsolate, childless we were then suffering? I need not ty and great magnitude; large cities cers, but he hasn't any use for the mander to expound to him the doc- hearts of the wretched natives, who season here. The sun sets here No- how incapable the Democratic party known here in the carly days, and all vember 18, and does not rise again un- proved itself to understand and ap. these producing aspirations and intil January 28. Children go to school preciste not only the immediate re- terests so pushing, powerful and comwith lanterns for about six weeks. In quirements of the times but facts that plicated in their nature, and so conthe summer the sun does not set from had been virtually accomplished, and stantly appealing to the Government wasn't long in permitting fifteen or the first of June till the 22d of July. how its greatest efforts were directed rightfully or wrongfully, that the re- twenty people to know that he had There is no chance for hotel keepers to the end of obstructing things that quirements of statesmanship demand- been afflicted with the toothache to make any money on candles, as had become inevitable, and which it ed in this age are far different from every minute since seven o'clock the they do in Germany and France. I afterwards found itself compelled to those which sufficed a century ago. had my photograph taken by the admit as good. midnight sun. You get demoralized Country Housewives. And now in this year of 1880, when here. Mrs. K. has already. She sits the war issues are fairly behind us; Western Rural. up till one and two o'clock, knitting when by its conciliatory spirit and its Our women on the farms often have socks, waiting for night to come. On strict observance of constitutional entirely more to endure than their Here I am, a great, big six footer, able the 27th of June the Laplanders strength can bear. In her willingness principles the Government has reto perform her whole duty as a house- haven't got the grit to stand one brought many children into town to moved all the elements of discord have them baptized or confirmed. wife, woman frequently has no concepbetween the two actions which it was Reindeer you can see, fifty at a time, in its own power to remove; when, tion of the wear and tear of her stength on the side of hills, and goats by the and health until both are wrecked. aided by a wise and successful finanhundred. On June 23(called here St. Her work is never done, and from cial policy, general prosperity is again morning, until night she labors with Han's day, or midsummer day,) they blessing the land, and when the peokindled bonfires on the side of the the steadiness that make her unconple look above all things for enlightmountains around the town, and had scious of the flight of the moments, ened practical statesmanship that a jolly time. The weather is horrible or of weariness, until she almost sinks well understands the questions it has The thermometer stands from four to from pure exhaustion. Of course to deal with to foster and develop five Reaumur. There is one hotel there are duties and irksome duties, that prosperity; now the Democratic here, and its management might easthat must be performed, but a little party knows nothing better to do than thought and consideration upon the ily be improved, although the landlato set aside all its statesmen of known dy is kind and obliging. We have part of the fathers. husbands, sons and settled opinions, political experiand brothers, will often make wom- and a small crowd went along to see fish and reindeer for breakfast, reinence and training, and to nominate en's work much lighter, and her heart the fun. The stranger walked up as deer and fish for dinner, and some for the Presidency a major-general of more cheerful. Men are more apt to bold as a lion, took a seat in the denmore fish and reindeer for supper. the regular army, a professional solprove a positive nuisance about the tal chair, and evinced no sign of craw-This place is in lat. 70: 40, long. 21:. dier, who has never been anything house. They are thoughtless about fishing until the dentist picked up else but that, and who from the very little things. They increase the the forceps and told him to get a good A MIGHTY QUEER LAKE .- Sponature and necessities of his profeslabors of the women without think- grip on the chair. Then he grew kane Falls, Washington Territory, sion has always stood aloof from the ing that they are doing it, in a thous- white in an instant, slid out of the claims to have a medical lake a mile management of political questions. and ways and in things which are tri- chair and seized his hat, and said : I shall certainly not attempt to deisfied even Ponce de Leon's search preciate the charater of General Hanval in themselves, but which make a considerable aggregate. for the fountain of youth. The water cock and the great services which he Men are very liable, 100, to neglect flunker in America, but I can't help looks like a mass of pig iron. It was however, that he must have had very pons to use. Yet they still continued is clear and of a dark color, and, be has rendered to the country. He is a to speak words of encouragement to it. I've lost the five dollars, and will visited by hundreds of people yester- incorrect notions of the Trinity, if, as to force back the cavaliers, clinging sides curing skin diseases of men gentleman of irreproachable private the women of their household. Even probably have the toothache right day. The gentleman who owns the Garcilasso states, the interpreter Fe- to their horses with dying grasp, and and beasts, lays out nervous troubles, character, which I shall be sorry to a horse loves to be encouraged. Men along for a weck, but I'll have to stand land on which it fell has been offered lipillo explained it by saying, that as one was cut down, another taking rheumatism, paralysis and similar see any effort made to discredit. As do better under praise and apprecia- it, and hope to be struck by lightning ailments. The water has not been a soldier he has shown signal bravery tion than under direct or indirect cen- or smashed up in the cars." anylized, but tasts of salt and borax, and skill in the handling of troops sure, and there is nothing that woman under difficult circumstances, and is as buoyant as the Dead Sca, and loves better than to be told that her his name is identified with some of faithful efforts to please are successful. Gen McDowell, commander of the tains is a species of jelly fish. The the war. For all this every good cit-Some men seem to regard it as a military department of the Pacific, lake has no visible outlet, and, al- izen will honor him. But the quesweakness to speak kind words-to has procured leave of absence from say that the dinner is excellent, that army headquarters for the sole purth ugh fed by several small streams, tion is not whether we shall honor a her home is very neat, that the wife pose of coming back to New York, never increases or decreases in size. deserving general. looks nicely in her new dress, that where he has long maintained his lestriking him to the heart with spears, darker, as he replied : 'I will be no the overwhelming ruin, like some In the slightest breeze the water The question is whether that deor by pushing their heads under water man's tributary! I am greater than forlorn mariner, who, tossed about in lashes into a foam which makes a serving general would be the kind of But it is not weakness-it is one of November. He wrote the other day to any prince upon earth. Your emper- his bark by the furious elements, sees superior soap, and almost anything a President the country needs, a the noblest virtues of manhood, and a friend asking to be advised of the or may be a great prince; I do not the lightning's flash, and hears the that can be cleused in the lake much President who can be depended upon analysis of the cause of the failure to day on which he must be in New MR. FRANK BUCKLAND, the natura- doubt it when I see that he has sent thunder bursting around him, with better than by the most powerful successfully to solve the problems of do so will very likely demonstrate that York for registration, saying he was statesmanship which are now before us; to preserve the good things boring the barbarous that the woman and meant to bring another voter SUBSCRIBE for the MAIL. already done and improve upon them. 'is his inferi-

Schurz, Delivered at Indian- against a fortified position or to win a apells.

Looking back to the year 1864, the regulate the finances of the country tive power had penetrated Persia. fourth year of the civil war, when the in such a way that the blessings of a Southern confederacy was near the to- sound currency may be permanently ness connected with the overland tal exhaustion of its resources, we find secured to us; to develop our com- telegraph, he was visited by a Persian' the Democratic party in national con- mercial opportunities; to organize noble. Having received a paralytic vention solemnly declaring that the the civil service in such a manner stroke in his left shoulder and arm. war was a failure and must be aban- that it may conduct the public busi- the nobleman came to inquire if the doned. A few months afterwards the ness upon sound business principles, Englishman's invisible fire (electricitriumph of our arms was decided, and is another; and in the latter case the ty)would not cure him. confederacy collapsed, the restoration brave spirit and ability which storms He had heard that there were magi-

and ruin.

compelled to admit it themselves.

When as measures of settlement on that field of civil action and duty,

ry, when the Republicans in Congress the handling of the political forces of Mournfully shaking his head, he had passed the resumption act in 1875, a great people and the handling of would depart without uttering a word.

An English gentleman discovered dashing manœuvre is one thing; to that the fame of electricity as a cura-

While tarrying at Shiraz, on busi-

of our Union was assured, and the hostile batteries and lays low invad- cians in England, who cured all dis-Democracy was forced to acknowl- ing hosts does not appear in the first eases by the aid of this fire. The edge that the war had been a success. ine of importance. When such diffi- Englishman, having moderated the The Democracy had proclaimed its cult civic duties are to be performed Persian's expectation by remarking despair of the Republic just at the we shall, as reasonable men, inquire that the statement was an exaggeratime when the triumph of the Repub whether the brilliant captain, who tion, accompanied him to the office of lic was ripe. It became evident to appears so glorious at the head of his the telegraph.

would have indeed become a failure station he would have to serve; readily consented to operate on the and the Union have gone to wreck whether his knowledge, training, 'ex- paralyzed arm. To the two poles of perience and mental habits fit him the battery a copper wire was attach-When slavery breathed its last and clearly to distinguish on the political ed, and as the extremity of each wire its abolition had become an evident field good from evil, not only in the a dampened sponge. The Persian logical necessity, requiring nothing abstract, but in the confusing multi- was then instructed to tightly grasp more than the form of law, the Dem- plicity and variety of forms in which one of the sponges in the paralyzed ocratic party declared that the aboli- things appear in reality ; whether he arm. Timidly complying, he was astion of slavery would be the run of will be sufficiently equipped to pene- tonished to feel no sensation.

the country and must by all means trate, restrain and baffle the wiles of "Wait a moment," said the Englishbe averted. Who is there to deny political intrigue and the conflicts of man, clapping the other sponge on now that the abolition of slavery was faction among the friends, which al- the man's shoulder. With a leap and an absolute necessity, and has turned ways surrounds the chief magistrate a yell, he bounded out of the room, out a blessing? The Democrats are of a great commonwealth; whether amid the uprogrious laughter of the he will show himself fitted to move officials.

All Shiraz was excited the next day, the thirteenth, fourteenth, and fif- where forces are handled and direct- at the shock the nobleman had reteenth amendments were passed, the ed not by a mere rule of command ceived. Though it effected a partial Democratic party declared them void and obedience, but by finding the cure, the frightened man refused to

Coming down to more recent histo- handling of troops in a campaign and with awe at the "fire" machines. Another Persian, whose curiosity

"Invisible Fire,"

conquered his fear, while examining

And that," said the veteran to a Demprivate soldier, unless he has chang- trines of his true faith, for which pur- now, for the first time, saw the horse ed his coat very much since I was in pose the Spaniards had come from a and rider in all their terrors. They great distance to his country. The made no resistance-as, indeed, they the army."

A Ball of Fire.

About midnight of Saturday, Cale-

Gleveland Leader.

friar then explained, as clearly as he had no weapons with which to make could, the mysterious doctrine of the it. Every avenue to escape was closed,

Trinity, and, ascending high in his for the entrance to the square was account, began with the creation of choked up with the dead bodies of donia, Marion county, was visited by man, thence passed to his fall, to his men who had perished in vain efforts a terrific thunder-storm, accompanied subsequent redemption by Jesus to fly; and such was the agony of the by hail and vivid lightning, flash fol- Christ, to the crucifix, and the ascen- survivors under the terrible pressure lowing flash in quick succession, sion, when the Saviour left the apostle of their assailants, that a large body There had been a political meeting Peter as his vicegerent upon earth. of Indians, by their convulsive strughere that evening, and the people This power had been transmitted to gles, burst through the wall of stone from the neighboring villages and the successors of the apostle, good and dried clay which formed part of surrounding country were detained by and wise men, who, under the title of the plaza! It fell, leaving an openthe storm. Suddenly the sky appear- poes, held authority over all powers ing of more than a hundred paces, ed as bright as noonday-in fact, fine and potentates on earth. One of the through which multitudes now found print could easily have been read. last of these popes had commissioned their way into the country, still hotly so great was the light, but strange to the Spanish emperor, the most mighty pursued by the cavalry, who, leaping say, the light was steady, not flash on monarch in the world, to conquer the rubbish, hung on the rear of the flash, as it would have been had the and convert the natives in this west- fugitives, striking them down in all light been caused by lightning. A ern hemisphere: and his General, directions.

deafening roar was heard, continuing Francisco Pizarro, had now come to Meanwhile the fight, or rather masto become louder as the light became execute this important mission. The sacre, continued hot around the Inca, brighter. Gradually the roaring friar concluded with beseeching the whose person was the great object of changed to a hissing, sparkling sound. Peruvian monarch to receive him the assault. His faithful nobles, ral-It is needless to say the people were kindly; to abjure the errors of his lying about him, threw themselves in frightened, and upon running into the own faith, and embrace that of the the way of the assailants, and strove, street a ball seeming fire came moving Christians now proffered to him, the by tearing them from their sadles, or, through the air from the northwest. only one by which he could hope for at least, by offering their own bosoms The ball seemed to be at least twenty- salvation; and, furthermore, to ac- as a mark for their vengence, to five feet in diameter. As it neared knowledge himself a tributary of the shield their beloved master. It is the carth its heat could be plainly Emperor Charles the Fifth, who, in said by some authorities that they felt. The body struck the earth just that event, would aid and protect carried weapons concealed under their north of the village and buried over him as his loyal vassal. clothes. If so, it availed them little,

one-half of itself in the ground. Good Whether Atahuallpa possessed as it is not pretended that they used judges estimate the weight at three himself of every link in the curious them. But the most timid animal to five tons, but the heat is yet so chain of argument by which the will defend itself when at bay. That and a half long that would have satgreat that it is uncomfortable to go monk connected Pizarro with Saint they did not so in the present innearer than thirty or forty feet. It Peter, may be doubted. It is certain, stance, is proof that they had no weathe Christians believed in three Gods the place of his fallen comrade with a THE Indians on that beautiful sheet and one God, and that made four.' loyalty truly affecting.

of water, Lake Chicagon, in the Up But there it no doubt that he perfect- The Indian monarch, stunned and per Peninsula, have built a deer fence ly comprehended that the drift of the bewildered, saw his faithful subjects the only kind of animal life it susthem, darting about in their birch cawith poles.

\$300 for it.

some fifteen miles in length, and cap- discourse was to persuade him to re- falling round him without hardly lake, or rather the squaws capture supremacy of another.

ture deer by driving them into the sign his scepter and acknowledge the comprehending his situation. The litter on which he rode heaved to and The eyes of the Indian monarch fro, as the mighty press swayed backnoes, and either tiring the deer out, or flashed fire, and his dark brow grew wards and forwards; and he gazed on

list, recommends a goat being kept his subjects so far across the waters; the consciousness that he can do noth- chemicals. in all large stables, because it will and I am willing to hold him as a ing to avert his fate. At length, face fire and horses will follow its lead. brother. As for the pope of whom weary with the work of destruction,

## He was a Fallare. Detroit Free Press.

One day recently a traveler from the East walked into the Cass House with the gripsack in one hand and the other pressed to his jaw, and he previous evening. He couldn't eat, drink, nor stand still, and when some one asked him why he didn't go to a dentist, he replied :

"Because I haven't got the pluck! to knock down an ox, and yet I yank on this tooth! I've been down on the battle-line, in free fights, and out among the red-skins, but I'm a coward."

Some laughed, and some encouraged him, and he finally said :

"Well, I believe I'll try it, but I know what I am, and want something to push me on. I'll bet this five dollar bill against ten cents that I'll have the tooth pulled."

One of the guests made the wager

"It's just as I expected. I'm a great big calf on wheels, and the worst

THE Evening Post has the following : with him