SING ME A SONG.

Not the A strang, searce and, forest come. To easy the propert of the weight and conver-ling at you did, which the world your June. While proposed with at efficient places. And the performent descent was in the air.

Sing me a song: avone Mittle air That you need to sing in the long are. When you were rounger, but not more talt. And we know manght of the borden of ones. Sing sweet and soft and low.

Sing me a song, then we'll say good night. We'll my good night with a tear and a sigh, To sur, own June time, when the world was bright

With summer our or soft starlight. We'll say good night and goodby, goodby. -George F. Breunan in Brooklyn Farla.

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A WILD NIGHT.

An engineers' party of one of the big mines in Sonora, Mexico, were going into Nogsles, A. T., to spend a few days and rest from the hard labor they had put in hers of the room filled with dark, impenduring several weeks. They rode north all day and scarcely exchanged a word between one another, but as they got toward their destination it began to face to the wall and went to sleep in an grow dark, and then an argument arose. Some wanted to push on and get into the United States, which was still about 15 miles sway, and others wanted to go into camp just where they were and move on again early in the morning.

Both plans met opposition from a few and then one member of the party said he know where there was a house at which they could stop. He had never might as well say that I began to feel stopped there, but he had seen the place from a distance and had been told that it was a sort of tayern. The plan seemed a good one, and all were willing to go off took hold of and kept ready for any | the fire was burning brightly. the road and find comfort for the night. | emergency. Then the man who knew of the place

began to describe the location exactly. All listened attentively, and when he had finished one member of the party, Fred Browster by name, said: "Boys, I ain't in it. You fellows go to your hotel. but I'll ride all the way to Nogales by the moonlight, and the water in the basin through such a terrible struggle. I sat myself before I go there."

Why, what's the matter?" all asked at once. "Well, I can't tell you in a few words

but I have been there once, and I will never go there again unless I am carried."

All became excited at once and wantod to know all about it, and at the same clothes. time they made up their minds to go to the place. But they did not like to leave Fred on the road and urged him to come along. They said there was no danger with such a crowd, and they were all well armed and good fighters. "But you can't fight with what you

find there," said Fred.

more curions, but they told. Fred to there. hurry up and give his reasons, as they would have to be moving along in a min- | looked over the desert for miles on one

"Well, fellows, Tll tell you," said Fred by."

A change came over the crowd in an instant, and all called loudly to Fred, ing to happer I saw two enormous panwho had started off on his horse, to come back.

hlank spaces was the shining brant craci- massi of me right their but the I was looking about the rooms and stir of What was to be done with me we ring the fire, which was necessary be now a most important question to me. cause the place is high and the nights The old once did not seem as if they are cold.

bed. Oh, how cold the sheets were. It Ir bitten before the old ones could stop made me feel as if I was getting into a them. Then one of the boldent of the coffin. But it did not make much differ- cubs made a rush for my throat, but I ence, and I was soon dowing off, but I was too tired to go to sleep at once.

"As I lay there it seemed to me I saw a pink flame come from the candle and rise up toward the celling, where it disappeared. Then another came, and they kept coming, but I thought I must be very fathroed and worn out, and that they were the result of my imagination. Then some animal seemed to rush across the fireplace. but when I looked all I saw was a pile of red embers and the coretrable shadows. I listened, but as no sound struck my sar I thought I had better give myself a rest and turned my though it looked like certain death. instant.

"I may have slept several hours, and it may have been only a few minutes, but I suddenly came to my senses and found the room filled with a peculiar red glare that seemed to come from e? erywhere at once. Then I heard strange sounds, as if there were people in the rooms. But I couldn't see any, and I very queer and reached for my revolvers, but found that I had left them in my

"The silence was unbroken for a long time, and then I heard one of the most uncerthly yells that ever struck my cars. It seemed just outside of my door, so I got up and proped out. But all was quiet, and the fountain was splashing in not feel the least bit as if I had been was sparkling cheerfully. It did not seem as if there was anything wrong, but I determined to nek the landlord about it and went across the court to find him. It was very cold and as I called to him my teeth chattered dreadfully. No answer came to my dall, to I went back to my room and put on more

"Then I walked all over the house, but as I did not know where the landlord's room was of course I couldn't find him.

"I had reached the front hall where I entered the building and was debating nobody had entered it for 100 years. I der who missed that time? what to do when that uncarthly how? reached my ears again. This time it was just in front of the door, and I opened it This remark made the others only as quick as I could so as to see what was

"But it was the same as before of side, and you the other the view was broken by the mountains, which came hesitatingly, "but the fact is, the place is to within a short distance of the house. haunted, and I won't go there; so good. Seeing nothing, I stepped Gataide, my knife in my hand, and looked around.

"Before I could realize what was gothere come from somewhere. They were standing on their-hind legs and growling ferocionaly. "A moment. later I was paralyzed with fear and then turned to the door side, so there was no way to open it. The idea of confronting the supernatural There may have been some string or will shake the nerves of the oldest plains other arrangement, but I did not know where to find it, so was at the mercy of him how glad they were that he had waited for the attack, but felt that it was mentioned the fact about the haunted certain death to me. The beasts were he had finished several commenced ... house, Not that they were afraid of the largest I over saw, and they were ask questions. But all were glad they the beak, wept no bitterly as to evoke a blow over the heart that I thought set-After supper had been disposed of and tied it, for it rolled over on the ground was no use to try to get out of it, so he most succeeded and could have done my sure cenough the elephant which apcomfortable spot on his blanket, where and I fell down, and before I could get whitewashed, and the clown made great he could look into the fire and see the to my feet the panther jumped on me. I fun out of rabbing himself against it wreaths of smoke curl upward until they | But in some strange way he jumped for | and bringing the white off on his clothes. my feet, and I got hold of his tail and It is easy to imagine how outraged the commenced gashing his hind legs with Siamese felt, and European residents "For several minutes the air seemed than I-understand? I didn't say any- in a whirt, and I was all mixed up with thing about it at the time, because you my antagonist, but unable to get in a and elephant were to die, and when the know a fellow don't like to speak of mich telling cut. We fought and rolled over elephant died at sea a few days afteron the ground until I was covered with "But I was caught out one evening wounds, but at last I now my chance "Suddenly I was grabbed from beaother very much, as I was too giad to bind with terrible force, and turning had left for dead had got up again and were about to make short work of me. "I had no show this time and calmly waited for the end to come. Both the panthers got hold of me and started for coming first appeared in the east, "judgthe mountains, dragging me over the ment day" would be namered in with the stones and logs as if I was a feather, and the speed they made seemed swift as and that when they "arose from the lightning. I had no ides of where I was going and didn't care, as I had no hope of escape and fully expected to be taken to the panthers' lair and devoured. "I was right about the place, because I was soon dragged to a sort of gorge Next Be Identified. lightning. I had no ides of where I was dead" they would be facing him where that had a cavern at one end. I wes taken to this place and laid on the ground, and both my enemies sat and compelled to advertise in the papers re-looked at me. looked at me. "Somehow I was not hurt very much "My rooms were large and furnished and was able to move easily. I made an vienment, which appeared in the person-in a substantial manner, but somehow steampt to sit up, but was promptly al column of the Unishgo Tribune, reads pushed back by the larger of the pan- as follows: whitewash on the walls was smooth, but there. Then both began to howl, and how walls was smooth, but there. Then both began to howl, and Morrow. Having enterinded all known relations of gray in color, as if from are, near by I could hear other howle that by World's fals, relatives in ferme must be from the or World's fals, relatives in ferme must be from the or World's fals, relatives in ferme must be from the or World's fals, relatives in ferme must be from the or World's fals, relatives in ferme must be from the or World's fals, relatives in ferme must be from the or World's fals, relatives in ferme must be from the or World's fals. The first began converted with the former plane converted of the first between the former plane converted of the first between the first betwee There were no pattern of only kind on proved to be those of only. The little

wanted to devour me nor let the outs do "It must have been about midnight it. But this the cube objected to and

cubs made a runh for my throad, but I to hop him away will my arm. "This around be anger the old pan-there, for they childed the young ones back to the cave and then took hold of me again and statistic somewhere. "They went fusion than before, and it rear not long, although it seemed ages to too, before, I was had down on the groups. I epoped pay sym and found that I was in frontief the door of the hotel. I looked again and saw that it was open, and that the pasthers were silting down and watching me cloudy. Buy the temptation was too great, and I had to saine the chance of escape, al

"I made a sudden jump and got inside the door and closed it after me as the two beasts throw their bear bodies against it

"I was now safe and commenced calling the landlord and wondered why he and not heard the fight. It was also evident that he had got up and opened the door. But to landlord came, and as it seemed to me I had looked in every at deaks, for pedestrians, vahicles. part of the house before I gave up finding him and went to my room, where everything was just as I had left it, exsaddle. But I had my knife, which I cept that the candle had gone out, but

"I wanted to wash my wounds, and as there was not much water in the pitcher on the stand I went out to the basin of the fountain. It was most refreshing to let the soft cold water fall half Mur before the wedding. over my bead, and in a short time I did down on one of the seats in the court for some time before going to bed, but the moonlight, flower trees and the splashing fountain were not long in producing a faeling of drowshoes, so that when laid down I was asleep to an instant. "When I awoke, it was late in the day.

and the sun was streaming in all around me. For several minutes I was durit founded and wondered how I got into the place where I was.

"It was the same room in which I had laid down to sleep, but it looked and was lying on a pile of rubbiah. and everything around me was in the last stages of decay. I got up and want into the court, but the fountain was dry, and John, make a note of that-lautenaa nothing could be seen but orunabling St. o walls. There was no sign of vegetation, and the tress and flowers had vanished with the water. "I was in an awful sints of mind and

thought at first that I had alopt in that "Bianley explorin' expedition. room for years and years. But when I made my way to the outer door by climb- here it is. I wonder why one always ing over rubbish and fallen timbers and finds a thing in the last place one looked out the first thing I saw was the hunts for it? Bright Bey-I gu

with gern shaw and has been made

Man Mary Dyna of Tassacloum, Ale. Out icon writele at 2,475 degrase Pahrenbels, copper at 2,548 decreas gold at 2,000 degrees, allver at 2,285 when I blew out the candle and got into | ourannessed on my feet, which were bad- ingress, land at all degrees, and east tin at HE degrace.

"Klas the Printer" in the minor starting sign antibited at an other near the Brooklyn bridge. But it fail's an injunction, it is only a statement.

The printer's name is Elok. Constant Agency was the soil name of a track walker or the Delaware and

Hudson railroad who was struck and instantl? killed by an express train at Beekma, Nown, N. Y., a few days ago. As asknown man who was found unconscious in the streets of New York, romained suidensified in the Bellevue hospital for three days, when he was discovered to be a New York polisemin.

Austin Shelden, the Pike county, Pennsylvania hermit, lives about twenty wil-s from Milford in a care. He is sighty years old and has lived in the vame hals in the hills for more than half his life.

A novel tunnel is projected for the Nova at 84 Potenburg. It hoto be cylindrical in form, forty-three feet in diameter, and to have four foors, mars and telegraphic oubles respect Myely.

Mantlago Imabell, who was horn in the Philippene islands ninety-plice years ago, was married lately in Coalsneosless, Mexico, to a rich and good looking girl of aixteen, belonging to one of the first families of Minatitian. The tricky old lover was baptized a

When a horse is trotting a bit gait his foot move a little faster than a while in 1:79. As his body is moving at 2:30, and as much of its fast when in southet with the ground is stationary and is then ploked up and moved forward to take the next step, the feet must move as much faster than the body as to make the stop which is over twice as fast.

STUFF AND NONSENSE T

Four French sportemen fired simultanoonaly at a rubbit, but it econod: then they asked all torethers "I won-

Landlord, to guest-How do you like the handscape, sir? Guest-Spiendid. Best I ever new. Landlord-

Burgiar-Where do you keep your money? Biggsby-Er-it's is the pocket of my wife's dress. Burgiar, to pal-Come on, Pote, we slatt on no

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"I guess we won't go to that place tonight," said one member of the party, and all came to the same conclusion in a moment. Fred came back, and it was so as to get inside and escope the modthen agreed to camp where they were. sters. But herror! The door had blown But a strange silence had fallen over shut and the latch had caught on the inthe party at the mention of a ghost. man.

As the fire was being built and the the animals. work of fixing for the night proceeded . "There was nothing to do but fight, so with, all who came user to Fred told. I took a firmer grip on my knife and shosts. Oh no! But a place of that beside me in an instant. The largest kind could not be comfortable after it one made a jump for me, and I dealt it had such a name.

clouds of tobacco smoke were mingling and laid still. The other was frightened with the glare from the campfire, the form for minutes and hesitated about crowd revived a little and asked Fred attacking me, but I now had hope, with to tell the story of his experience in the only one to light. haunted building, but all the time every | . "How I finished the animal is more man was looking over his shoulder at than I can tell, as my memory is very frequent intervals. Still the story had dull on that point. But he made a rush to come, and as Fred had aroused the st me which I had to dodge, and I made curiosity of the crowd he knew there an attempt to get behind him. I had alproceeded at once when he had found a work right there, but my foot alipped, mingled with the stars. "It's only s couple of months ago."

commenced Fred, since I was at that my knife. place, and why I am here now is more things.

ever there on the desert and was about and plunged my knife in the animal's to make my bed on the horse blanket stomach and gave a downward rip. It when I saw the house from a distance did the work enough to let me get up and thought I might be able to get some and find the animal's heart with the sort of lodging there, so I went in that steel. direction. Before I got to the place I I looked at my two victims a mostruck a good, well marked road and ment and then started to awaken the wondered why I had never heard there landlord by pounding on the deor. was a road over that ways But I didn't get to the place, which, as I peared, I around saw that both of the animals new to be quite a large building, When I got up to it I found that it was a hotel and seemed to be in a prosperous condition.

"The landlord came out and took my horse, telling me to go into the front door, where I was met by his wife, who proved to be a kind, good natured lady and seemed anxious to do everything she could for me. They got me a very good supper, and we sat in the corridor talking about different things until it grow quite late.

"E.th were so good natured and pleasant that I hated to leave them, but when I said I wished to retire they led me across a large clean court with a fourtain playing in the center and trees and Howers blooming everywhere.

they looked very old fashioned, and the

two dead panthers, and a short distant off my horne, with his middle still on hunting. him. tied to a cactua.

"My mind was in a whirl, but I had no desire to skin the animals, so I got on my horse and went to Nogales as fast as young man. When I made a mistake I could, where I put in several deys doo yesterday he baid. Pray; mademtoring my wounds and getting my mind back into its natural state.

"I did not attempt to solve the mystery, as I felt sure the whole affair The rears, and know what I am talking supernatural, and the scoper I can for about " said the L C & D. R. railway get it the better I will feel."

Fred's story; and most of them had allowed their pipes to go out, but when had not passed a night in the old place the sympathy of the worthy magisand said they did not blame Fred fornot cisco Call.

Baddha Aveyged Himself.

A curious story is told of a white elsphant once shown in a circus at Bangkok. The circus belonged to an Englishman manied Wilson. He advertised bold- good and hard. Where do you exly in the sacred city of Bangkok that he had a real white elephant in his show. His tent was crowded to sufficiation, and peaced was show white. It had have feared that he would be lynched, but the Siamere loftily remarked that Buddha would avenge himself-that man ward and the proprietor was carried off by dysentery, as soon as he landed at Singapore, they were justified of faith ernitingly,-London Tit-Bits.

Why Buried With Read to the West.

All Christian nations, I believe, bury their dead with the head to the west. There is a "why" for this, just as there is for every other known custom. As far as I have been able to accertain after an exhaustive search of all the leading sufficities, our present custom in Durial modes originated in primitive times, when the people believed in corporeal resurrection. They had an files that insomuch as the star that heralded Christ's Lord's appearance in the same direction.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. McCaslin of Chienco are the first couple who have been bring identification papers. The adver-

teause after folk's fade to they stops "How do you like your new music

master?" "He is a very nice, polite simalle, why do you take so much pains to improve upon Beethover?"

"I have been on this road twenty guard to the passenger who som-The crowd had all been silent during plained of slow time. "Twenty years! What station did you get on st?" gashed the passenger.

> A vagrant, on being brought before trate, who kindly inquired: "Have you been out of work for a long time?" "Ever since my poor mother died;". "How old were you as the time?" "Eighteen months, your worship." Banks-I am sorry for you, old fel-

> low. It seems to have struck you pact to go this year to get rid of it?" pr-two in pork -This-ab-hit-shoot kit-shoo-len's hay fever, Raaka IVs eold!"

SEVENTS OF THE DAY.

The Denmark dikes have stood the storms of more than seven centuries. The superstition about the number thirteen has forced the manager of the Turin opera house to repumber stall 13 and make it 18A.

The Roman Catholis shursh has twenty-five churches in America composed almost endissively of colored persons, with a total of mayro communicants of about 131,490.

An elderly men arrived in Washing ton a few days ago where he had walked from York, Pa, on the advies of a dooter, who said that the walk would cure his rhoundless.

Parents of three sulidress in Wes county, Georgia, have not as put manual their offsyring, as they intend allow-ing them to make their own existing when they become old enough to abrose.

Where's the limber-tongued newsboy that wants a job at his calling in St. Petersburg or Moscow? Here are the names of some of the newspi that he would have to ary in these

remained in that perilons position for remained in cash periods partition for never hours, being finily matricated, when "unserthed" he was still allys owing to the fast that in all has bad boom of upser, b which he manuful to give unliched be-part by branching the fast the matter back of any backs



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