

he spoke for both, "Wye, man, just come ower an' see. We hev a machine up in Luce where they

(BY "STATIST")

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The good doctor told her father in all secret how kind his neighbour was to give him a home and an eagle without charging him any difference.

AN EASTERN LEGEND.

The learned Rajah, Kalaichidra, has on an old fable about a king and a mendicant from the Persian of Tarkizab-ti-shura.

One day, with an army of soldiers, he went to the hunt, angels, and his dignity above all human beings. He had a hundred his palace fancies for every virtue. Her name was a beautiful girl, and her father, king on her forehead—her eyes were so that they shamed those of the antelope's hair, so long as to reach her feet, seemed as if they were the eyes of a lioness. Her house was immensely high, with a window radiant as the gate of heaven, in which, the princess sat, she was like the rising sun.

One day, a man came to the king, and named: her looks pierced his heart as arrows. This was known to all; it was a subject of conversation every day. The king of the baggy eye, he rescued the king the sovereign, her father, upon which

manely called his prime visitor, and asked: "Is there any more to be said? I am in need of your counsel."

The visitor kissed the ground, and replied: "I have said all that the beauty of the earth and of the throne! Should the head of the nation be so easily swayed from his position? The people would stigmatize your generosity as weakness."

"But, to the matter, the visitor invited the king to his own house, and, with due respect, said: "Your union with that darling object whom you are burning to distraction would be a disgrace to the king's house. It is a point name, a slur, a disgrace as any time."

"But, my friend," the king replied, "I am intelligent, I am a man of sense, I am a man of action, look at his wooden cap, and begone!"

"The king," the visitor said, "is not to be won by the inhabitants of the water, they are there to witness his strange act."

"One of them," the visitor said, "is a man of sense, and he will tell you the truth."

"What is your water, and what will you say to the king?"

"He replied: "I will throw out all the water, and I will leave the king to his own device."

"Upon this, having consulted among themselves, they went down to the bottom of the sea, and there they found a man of sense, and he said: "The king is a man of sense, and he will tell you the truth."

"For," they said, "should he perceive, he will accomplish his intent."

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NOTES FROM-CASTLESIDE

day evening, the Frosterley
the popular cantata, entitled
F. Root) to a large congre-
gation. The audience was a
one and the cantata was
conducted by Rev. C. F. Jace.

Dr. J. Raine presided at the ceremony, which was accompanied by four members of the band, Messrs G. Harrises, J. Light, and R. Rutter, on instruction. Tow Law, took tenor solo; Auckland, contralto solo; Eastgate, baritone solo. The Hughes and Teasdale were exactly as said of Mr Moor of the boys' solos were also very well sung in good form and evincing training. The service presents brief but thorough throughout. In surprise, the service was extended for the occasion. Great credit was given for the efficiency of their high-class performances and for giving the public a

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Terrace, 29th ult., the wife of
of a daughter.
31st ult., the wife of William
26th ult., the wife of Arthur
26th ult., the wife of George
Cottage, 27th ult., the wife of

MARRIAGES.
 Mayor Office, 23th ult., Ralph
 Taylor, to Annie Hains. Langley
 ult., N. Foster to M. Jeffrey, both
 ult., J. Whitehead to J. Worth
 to both Biggen Colliery.—30th ult.,
 Cooper, both of Leadgate.—Same
 ult. to B. Hornsby, both of
 ult., M. Reay to F. E. Woodley.
 —Same day, J. C. Furness, to
 of Dipton.—1st inst, J. C. Car
 cines, both of Dipton.
 Primitive Methodist Chapel, 1st
 M. Johnson, John Knowles, of
 South Carolina Reay, of Annfield

Matthew's Church, by the Rev. n, assisted by Rev. M. K. Sharp, Robinson, and Rev. J. H. Robinson, daughter of the late John Noble ngham.

Edmund's Church, 30th ult., by the Rev. J. H. Robinson, rapier, Ferryhill, to Annie Fen- y.

St. Michael's Church, 21st ult., by the Rev. Canon Gray, George ntford, to E. Brown Parkin, of ring.

South Africa.—At the Commemora- h Church, 3rd ult., by Rev. H. Annie, daughter of the late John on, Consett, to Martin Henry, chard Coombe, late of St. Austell.

—At the Register Office, 21st ult., of Hargill Hill, to Elizabeth Ann

EATH.
 Race Row, 2nd inst., in her 51st
 below wife of Ambrose Grey.
 on Sunday at 10 a.m. at Bedford
 Throo o'clock. Friends, please
 mation.
 -25th ult., aged 13 years and 3
 the dearly beloved daughter of
 Mary Vasey. Interred on Friday
 ult. at Cemetery.
 ult., Adamson Robinson, late
 per.
 -aged 5 years, Sarah, daughter
 merrell.
 -24th ult., Christopher, husband
 Reed.
 House, 29th ult., aged 76, James
 -1, Cowen Street, 29th inst.

Grange Terrace, 25th ult., aged 60, of Anthony Keil.
Way House, 28th ult., aged 68, of Frances Forster.
25th ult., aged 59, Jane, wife of 30th ult., aged 52 (accidentally railway). William, husband of Front Street, last inst., aged 1 year Annie, daughter of James R., and ult., aged 76, Bridges, widow of the Old Hall, near Durham, 23rd ult. of Dr P. Stewart.
29th ult., aged 44, Mary Letitia, of the 58, suddenly Robert

th, aged 73, Alice, widow, of the
ker.
his son-in-law, Joseph Gibson, 36th
Joseph Elliott.
Street, 27th ult., aged 46, John
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America—5th ult., aged 31,
Thomas, second son of John
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