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 ntle analy ppithet of Coward," retorted
anninz, ina toa an I with an accompanying rimson hus. " You may brand me with what
pithet you pleas:" ly; " you have my answer, and I shall not
equart from it. ceentered the apatinent, accompanied by
Danvers himself, and savetal other oticers. Mr. Harcourt," sail one, atvancing towards Mr. Danvers, for yoar condact towatds him ist evening; to grant him the satisfaction gentleman.
My answer," replied Edward, with digity, " has been already given. I have no
ther to return. I will' not apologise to Mr. Danvers, because I conceive $n n$ apology is
tue to him, nor will I put that life in coapsition with his, which is not my own to trille ith, nor needlessly to endanger."
re of the imputation which must be drawn tom such a refusal, and must be prepared to relinzuish the association of gentlemen.
am prepared for every consequence," said Edward; ' 'that I am in reality no cow-
ard, I trust I shall soon have an opportunity of proving to your satisfaction ; in the meantime you are at liberty to honour me with your notice or not, as you may feel disposed; but of this be assured, I fear no contempt like bat of my own, and dread no disgrace but hat of my own, and dread no disgrace but Mr. Danvers," continued he, directing his
natiat, and courage. All was orderly confu-
sian-all was tearfully inspiring. One side of the city, in partieular, seemed irpregna* be : to this the General and his staff now ap-
proached. A party had several times attempt
 constintly repulsed with great slanghter, and at this moment their deader having tallen, the
men were retreating is confusion-Edward's aen were retreating in eonfusion-Edward's
eyes flashed with impatience--he caught the Getacrab's hand.- Yes," esclained he, "the
tue is come. Go; and the blessing of Heaven be with you!"" Edward pressed the hand ho grasped to his lips - " If I fall," sadd be,
6o t il my father I fall with tonor, and inebedience to this commands," He sprang from fed thein asain to the rampart hed thetn again to the rampart.
A more iban moital daring
A mote than moital daring secmed now on his sword-his character and honour ; and on his sword-bus character and honour ; and $r d$ itself to his followers. In defiance of the unceasing fire that was oponed upon thein, in the eacmy cadeavoured to throw them down, and tinally succeeded in his attempts, and finally succeeded in beaching the
summit. He paused for a monent to recover breath, and then cheering his taen, who presa desperate struggle ensuisd. Couspicuous by the eaemy, who with a giant afasp seized hita hat extrication , himes if with aloust ine wall mat extricatin: thuseis with almost incredabte
activity, he rushed again before his gallant party, and covered withs the blood of himself and otuers, succecded in cutuing his way to the
inher wall. A breach was now effected:
shont from the Einclish proclaimed the advan. stout from the Eaglish prociaimed the advasThe firing of the ivench was as as its height and again a furims rencontre took place. A strong paty fowever was hew within the
wails, and the ctamours of then, of trumpets, and of buslex, shook the air
"forward !", exclaimed Eitwar?, cuer"teo Gically, how sangune of succes, ami to pong-
ef feaning for his unen; but at this imstant the encmy suddenly facci tount ; a hambred
sords were tovilis. at oncec of him, and be
 raboar aucceded in witharatwing it from the
thron; ; then consigning it to some sulaias, wtht orders to bear it to a place of safety, he
hasten d back t. complete what Edward had so nobly begun. In a short time the British Were masters of the city, and it only remained
to secure their victory by the necessary regulations, to attend to the $w$ ants of the wounded, and to dispose of the slait
Edward, however, though woundest, was still alive ; imenediate surgical assistance was joint care he was cont syed to one of the best heuses in the city. It was late in the day before General Maitland was able to leave his
professional duties; he then repaired to the ppartment in which he had been placed, where his surprise was equalled only by his pleasuri
at findin? Danvers by his side, assiduously and even tenderly attending to all his neces sities. It was Đanvers, indeed, who struck admiration of that of Edward, had long secretly wished to be reconciled to him. It was
Danvers who had fought by his side, and who, in all probability, had preserved him from death.
The party which Edward had so gallantly headed, belonged to the fourteenth, and hence Danvers became a spectator of the whole scene He readily comprehended his intent in thus hazarding his person, and inwardly exclaim-ing-" I shall be equally his murderer if he falls in battle, as if I had killed him with
my own hand!" he had flown to his assistanmy own hand!" he had flown to his assistan-
ce , and had defended him with a bravery scarcely inferior to that exhibited by Edward himself.
The General heard with unfeigned pleasure that the wounds of Edward, though dangerous, were not mortal ; he was perrectly sensible, but being forbidded to speak, he could only acknowledge his congratulations by an expressive smile, and a look, which being directed to Danvers, fully explained his meaning.
A good constitution, aided by the happiness which glowed in his breast, soon restored him to comparative health. Danvers never left him but when compelled by daty, and a friendship of more than common warmth sprang up in both their aftachment
with the utmost satisfaction and approval, and on the hrst day that Edward was able the arm of Daavers, whe carefully watched verystep he took, be pointed to them, and ins addrensed a group of officers who stood ronad hin :- Hehold the
Fectitude of priacipte, -contemplate thage and prosit by in! Bratipte, contemplate it and and decds like theins speak more than volu, nes. I am no orator, and I know no phrase hat wail express bay mieaning so well ay

## SISCELLANLOUS.

As spring approaches tuels are becotring cyuent at the south. Two or three couples eis have stoon up iately to tere shot at. Seven years ago there were 1126 distile 20,000 busiecs of wheat from Hotterdata, Thmprited at batimoie week before last. Kick kortis bank, Boston, em cated 328,006 from that mstitation. H10 and the remaimuter be tent to this trienise The bans will recover atil but sobers.

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In Atross townshij, Ohio, twa hundtel atid y Barry, manager of the Tifmont Thentre, has sech presented with a service of plate, as a mark of respect
The Levgslature of Michigan has parsed en of $5,000,000$.
tany Wright D'Arustant is tecturiag
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weath expuse at the affaits of the Conumonconceta secmis to be retten a punk at of labulities $\mathrm{i}, 510,60.1$ 19-- to pay whictio they have a iot of memosandun rhecks and gre worthices.

There is man in kngland who is now liv.

e stock of tlour in this couvtry at the T.achit time, is estimated at about 300 , (atal There is a gitl in Baltimore, aged about , with $\$ 15,000$, wants to get narried dreadully - so she says in the papers.
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Audubon will complete his great work on the "Beasts and Dirds of America"-in April or May.
Totte Berry is entitied 'Love' by Lady Chat pers. The following note from the fair auth oress to her puinter, which tres teat birnuen atiout in fashiouable

## Considerable atuusemenh-

- Dear Sir-How comes it that I have had prools of Love from you since lest Satur ienev. Yours, \&ic.,


## UHE TRANEOBUPT.

QLEBEE, WLDNESDAY, 2sib VEB., IS 34


We owe an apology to our subscribers fo the non-appearance of the Transcrupt yesterday, which was occasioned by the day pre vous being observed as a holiday

No American mail was receved this mom
ing.
The Upper Canada papers do not confirm the reports of the capture of Brockville by the rebels under Mackenzie, and it is generally
discredited. There is, however, no dont that the insurgents are collecting their forces on the frontier, and meditate an attack on some qquarter.
Andrew Stuart, Esq., Agent for the Quebec Constitutional Association, left this on Sunderstand that he will go home in the unMarch Liverpool packet.

