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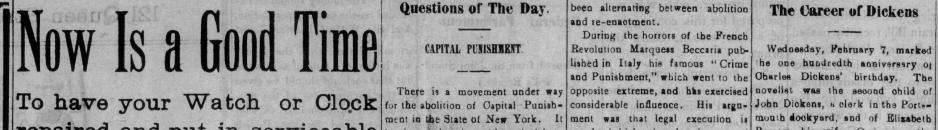
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been alternating between abolition The Career of Dickens and re-enactment. During the horrors of the French Revolution Marquess Beccaria pub-

Wednesday, February 7, marked the one hundredth anniversary of lished in Italy his famous "Crime and Punishment," which went to the Obarles Dickens' birthday. The There is a movement under way opposite extreme, and has exercised novelist was the second child of

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mouth dockyard, and of Elizabeth ment in the State of New York. It ment was that legal execution is ing societies for many decades, and the French revolutionary regime, is obronic insolvency of his Mica wher-

argument may be legitimaley advan- under normal conditions an upproved like father, the early education of ced for and against its accomplish- assumption); that life imprisonment Charles, a sickly and precocious boy, We also repair Barometers, ment. It may be advocated, on the is more feared than death, and that was shamefully pegleoted, and at grounds of policy or expediency, and in the perfect State the death penalty twelve he was placed in his cousin's

this locality is unnecessary to safety. Jeremy blacking factory to earn six shillings week, pasting labels on boxes. milder methods would serve the ends Bentham showed that capital pun-When freed from this "servitude" one line of argument extensively ventive of great crimes, and Sir he entered, after three years' school-

used by the abolitionists Samuel Romilly pertinently asked : If ing, an attorney's office as clerk, but, not be availed of by academic or imprisonment for life is more terrible determining o better bimself, he legislative debaters who are intelli- and the State can inflict it, why may used all his leisure hours following gent believers in Christianity. Capi it not inflict death, which is declared a course of reading at the British less terrible? We may add that the Museum and in mastering shortal punishment is not necessarily unchristian, barbaric or unjust, and has perfect State has not yet appeared on hand. Becoming subsequently a sound philosophic and theological the map of nations. a moroing paper, he

warrant

The net results are that the death learned to take down speeches more In the primitive revelation God penalty has been abolished in Italy, rapidly and accurately than any one aid : "Whoso sheddeth man's blood Holland, Portugal and Roumania ; else, while his work and experience his blood shall be shed," and in the bas been abolished and reenacted in as a news gatherer trained and de-Sinaitic code He enjoined the death Switzerland and France, and else- veloped in Dickens those powers of and last historical novel, has a penalty for certain offences. The where prevails. The homicides in observation and character-drawing strength and consistency of plat ermission granted for divorce "be- Italy in 1905 were 105 per million, as for which be became so remarkable. that is other stories lack cause of the hardness of your hearts " compared with 27 per million in Great Attwenty he published his first The big sales of his books brought. He has rescioded, but the principle Britain and Ireland, where capital book, entitled "Sketches by Boz." a of capital punishment He has not re- punishment obtains in practice as well collection of articles he had conscinded either by direct revelation or as theory. The French government, tributed to the Monthly Magazine but his eagerness to provide gen-rby His Church. On the contrary, frightened by its Apaches, has re- and the Evening Chronicle. The onely for his large family made tim St. Paul, inculcating obedience to cently resumed the enforcement of same year marked Dickens' marriage try the experiment of giving public civil authority, declared : "If thou do the death penalty, and a congress of with Catherine Hogarth, one-and readings from his own books. "Da that which is evil, fear: for he (the German jurists has been considering seemingly the wrong one-of the not do it," advised Forster, his civic ruler) beareth not the sword in the propriety of extending its scope. numerous daughters of a newspaper chosen biographer, "it's infra dig." Thus in almost all civilized countries man, for husband and wife separated Dickens nevertheless began his minister: an upon him capital punishment has always pre- some twenty years later, after she readings, and they proved so popular venger to execute wrath vailed, or, after temporary disuse, had borne him ten children. The and remunerative that much time (Rom. xiii, 14) The Church, which has seen millions it has been found expedient to resume year 1836 was also made memorable and energy during the last ten of her children sufier death unjustly, it. Hence we can rightly appraise by the appearance of the "Pickwick years of his life was given to the has been striving for nineteen cen- the information and intelligence of Papers," which, like many of Dick- platform, though "Great Expectauries to soften and extinguish in a those who pronounce it barbaric and ens' stories, was published in monthly tions " and " Our Mutual Friend's housand ways "man's inhumanity to uncivilized. The punitive code which numbers. In these sketches he found were added to his works, The man." but she has never intimated has been enacted by the most highly bimself, and never lost the hold on reader was " a whole tragio, comic, that Ospital Punishment as such developed and well ordered States to his readers that "Pickwick" gave heroic thestre visible performing comes under this category. Essential suppress the barbarism of its lawless bim. Successful stories like "Oliver under one fat," is Oarlyle's tribute to the notion of punishment is the elements should be, when justly ap- Twist," " Nicholas Nickleby," and to Dickens' success in interpreting

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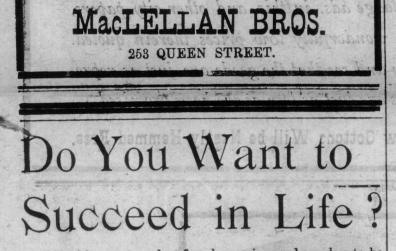
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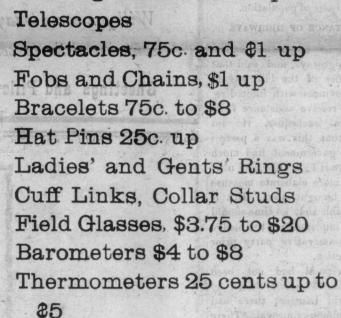
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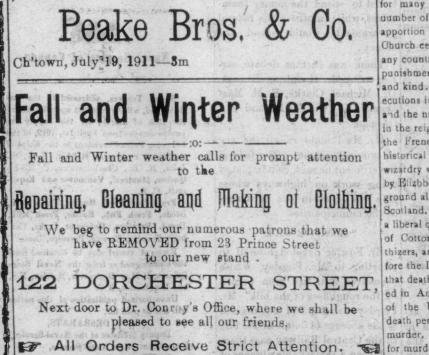
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But the abolitionists say, and quite rcumstances to kill its enemies on he field, a far less humane process ruly, even if the jails are no deterthan orderly execution, after fair trial rent, neither is the death penalty ike the "Christmas Carol" and the and ample time for repentance. How could it be? It has practically "Chimes." A desire to refresh his Again, if organized murder, dyna- ceased to exist. Pardon boards, immind again, however, carried him to miting, arson, etc., should develop to pressionable governors and lawyers taly in 1844. Though the novelist ons in a commonwealth, hungry for reputation or emolument large propor ttled at Genes and saw the chief surely the community has the right have virtually abolished it, thus neuities of the peninsula, be bore Engtralizing justice and sapping confi conceded to every individual to preland with him all the while, as dit dence in the courts which are it erve its own life by slaving its asmost British travelers of those days Besides inflicting an irre- fountains. We no longer expect to mediable wrong on the person slain, see a murderer executed unless cir deliberate murder, if inadequately cumstances of exceptional atrocity punished, endangers the lives of other attended the crime, and even then we itizens and the permanence or efficacy have no certainty. Meanwhile homiof civil authority. An efficent de- cide is frequent and on the increase weeks to a successor. Many of th rrent is mandatory, and if the death That capital punishment has no Pictures" Catholics, of course, wil enalty proves the only deterrent that proved a deterrent is attributable not find blurred or distorted, but, to is adequate, it must be conceded that to its nature, but to the inaction o Dickens, the volume shows consid any State which has a right to exist those who have allowed it to laps erable self restraist. Toon followed into nocuous desuetude. And bas a right to inflict it. a sojourn in Switzerland while should be noted that wherever lynch The question to be determined in "Dombey" was being written, though whether capital punishment is the law is prevalent legal executions are the exiled Londoner langed so for nly adequate deterrent; and on this rare, and also that lyinching is not city streets that he actually had to istory sheds some light. Assyrians, now confined to sectional lines. risit Geneva before he could go a It is a question of public and per gyptians, Greeks and Romans at the with his work, There the economy sonal safety, and too important t eight of their civilization inflicted it. value of Protestantism impressed permit mawkish sentimentality and and it was the labor of Christianity him forcibly, and the Calvinists' for many centuries to diminish the half-baked ethics to determine hatred of the Church seamed to him umber of its applications and rightly It is more imperative to reduce the the most number of violent deaths at the hands world." But as Dickons was of morderers than to save desperate Courch of England Christian, with criminals from receiving their just perhaps no very definite religious dues. History Jells us, indeed, that pinions sava a robust aversion. There were 72,000 ex- capital puhishment was often abused. and kind all the works and pomps of poper he reign of Henry VIII, and by its very excess became ineffit is not surprising that granting that were executed cient, but also that where it has been Swiss Catholics their rights seemed confined to deliberate murder and the reign of Elizabeth and during o him downright folly. the French Revolution are beyond equivalent offences, and applied to In 1850 "Divid Copperfield," an bese consistently and rigidly, such autobiographical story, which historical reckoning. Witcheralt and wizardry were made capital offences crimes have invariably decreased. It by Elizbbeth and James, and on this is to be hoped that the time may arbest book, was fini bed, and abon ground alone 4,000 were executed in rive when order can be maintained his time Household Words, a weekly New England contributed and crime suppressed without taking ournal, was started under Dickens' a liberal quota, owing to the influence the life of the criminal, but to abaneditorship, and gave place later

thizers, and it was only ten years be- should serve to hinder, not to hasten fore the Declaration of Independence the advent of that golden age .- M that death for witchcraft was abolish- Kenny, S. J., in America. ed in America. The Federal Laws of the United States confined the 'You're a cool sort of a cuss, Stip- his contributors."

of Cotton Mather and his sympa- don this method in the meantime

death penalty to treason, piracy and son, said Jerrocks. "Here's this note The an'isCatholie "Child's History murder. All the States enacted it of yours fell due last Friday, and as of England" added nothing to its re or murder or treason, or both, some your endorser I have had to pay it, but putation, for " the ohild," as Ches adding rape, arson, train-wrecking you seem to think it's funny. You terton well observes, "is the writer. and poisoning, but Wisconsin and don't appear to be worrying at all. and not the reader," while in "Bleak lowa have abolished it, and Maine, Oh, no, 1 said Stipson. What's the House," "Hard Times " and " Little Rhode Island and Colorado have use? I discounted that long ago.' 'Dorrit," novels written in the fifties,

America meanwhile was clamor. ing for another visit. All would be over egsip. Dickens corthat brought bim keep the wolves from the door mpressed by the changes of twenty. ther Jonathan's manners, published five years, and viewed with some orcern the new Outbolic Cathedral that was going up in New York. After his return to England Dickens, in spite of the remonstrances of obysicians, continued his readings. but early in 1870 left the platform ences of "Martin Chuzzlewit," for good, and refired to his home at tality to Mrs. Gamp and Mr. Pock- Drood," but he died suddenly of appoplexy on June 9 of the same It was during these years, too, year, and was baried in Westminster

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