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THE POET JOHN G. SAXE.

Clouded Closing of His Life—Pathetic Details of Sombre Days.

IMPATIENT WAITING FOR DEATH.

Once the Nation's Wit and Humorist—The Thomas Hood of America—His Present Condition the Result of an Accident.

Edward Duffy in Brooklyn Magazine: In a large and luxuriously furnished apartment in a four-story brownstone house on State street, in the city of Albany, and almost within a stone's throw of the great capitol, sits, or walks, or reclines throughout the day a man of 70 years of age.

Up to the year 1875 John G. Saxe was a splendid and conspicuous specimen of virile manhood. He stood six feet two inches tall, proudly erect and muscular, with a large, round and finely poised head set upon broad and stalwart shoulders.

The beginning of the end was the poet's dreadful experience and remarkable escape from a revolting death in a western railway car during the spring of 1875, while on his return to Brooklyn at the conclusion of a lecture tour in the south.

Not so, the poet's nervous system had received a shock, from which it never rallied. He began to experience a greater degree of bodily and mental fatigue than had been usual with him.

The old poet is now much changed in form and feature, being merely a shadow of his former self. During the first three years of his residence in Albany he spent some hours each pleasant day in strolling about the beautiful park near by, or tranquilly sitting there in a shady arbor, watching the children at their play.

In 1881, on his first coming to Albany, the eminent physicians whom his family consulted in his behalf, predicted that he would not survive for two years longer.

membrane of past services. For some years he has not read the daily papers, and evinces little or no interest in current events.

Indeed, he reads comparatively little of any kind now—occasionally a page or two maybe of one of his favorite prose authors, that mainly consist of Hawthorne, Dickens and Thackeray, judiciously selecting therefrom matter of cheerful tone and subject.

His thoughts often revert to his irreparable loss of wife and children, and of each tenderly and regretfully, and manifesting a keen interest in the proper care of their graves—ever dwelling on the domestic afflictions which have broken his heart and enveloped his once brilliant intellect in a brooding and incurable melancholy.

The Wall Paper Business. Joe Howard in Boston Globe: September 23 will open the "pool year," in the wall paper trade.

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"MY SON!"

Abridged from La Figaro, in New Orleans Times-Democrat.

A bivouac in Tonkin. A squadron of Chasseurs d'Afrique, the advance guard of the expeditionary column, has halted at the approach of night.

In his room hangs a small portrait of Thomas Hood, which was given him by the English humorist's son, and to which he attaches a more than ordinary value.

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tone that he intended to insult me, and as I was not a coward, I jumped at him, although he was stronger than me. In the evening I asked my parents—at least those I called papa and mamma—what that word meant which I had not understood.

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