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"That is enough, sir; I know the way after that; God reward you." And he went on hastily by the way pointed out to him, and artived at the square of the cathedral. He crossed it, passed by the remains of the extinguished bon-fire, at which he had assisted the day before; the bakehouse of the Crotches half demolished, and still guarded by soldiers, and finally, reaching the convent of the capuchins, and looking at the door of the church, there are would go now, unless necessity redictions and makes bonfire. And immediately experienced and finally, reaching the convent of the capuchins, and looking at the door of the church, he said to himself, sighing, "The friar gave me model action was targets," when he table not it. wish. If we did not obey orders, we would be worse of than you. Be patient.

As he spoke, the two operatives twisted the pegg; Renzo plunged like a skirtish horse upon the bit, and cried. Patience, indeed."

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tumult continues, then ?" asked be

quired it."

"The tumult continues, then ?" asked he with eagerness.

"One must have been on the spot, to know if it were so," said Renzo.

"But do you not come from Milan ?!"

"I come from Liesate," replied the youth, who, in the meanwhile had prepared his an-awer. He had, indeed, come from that place, as ha had passed through it. He had learned its name from a traveller who had mentioned its name from a traveller who had mentioned it, as the first village on his road to Gorgon-rola.

"Oh!" said his interrogator, "I wish you had come from Milan. But patience—and did you hear nothing from Milan at Liscate?"

"It is very possible that others knew something," replied our mountaineer; "but I have heard nothing."

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"How far is it from this to the Adda i" said Renzo to the bost, in a low careless tone, as he set before him something to eat.

"To the Adda? to cross the river?"

"That is—yes—to the Adda"

"Would you cross the bridge of Cassano, or the ferry of Canonica?"

"Where are they?—I ask simply from curiosity."

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"Ah! I name them because they are the
piaces chosen by honest people, who are wilipg to give an account of themselves."

"That is right. And how far are they!"

"It must be about six miles."

"Six miles! I did not know that," said be
"Bat," resuming an air of indifference, "if one
wished to shorten the distance, are there not
other places where one might cross!"

"Certainty," replied the host, looking at him
with an expression of malignant curiosity,
which restrained Renz.) from any further enquiry. He drew the dish towards him, and
looking at the decenter the best had put on the

the twinking of an eye, gentlemen, bakers, porchasers, bread, counters, benches. loaves, bage, flour, all topsy-tury,"

"And the musketeers I'

"The musketeers had the vicar's house to guard. One can't sing and carry the cross too. It was done in the twinkling of an eye, I say. Plunder, plunder; every thing was carried off. And then they proposed the amusement of yesterday, to burn what remained in the square, and make a bonfire. And immediately they began, the rassals to drag every thing out of the house, when one among them—
[Iness what fine proposal he made!"

"What!" to gather everything in the shop in

ble idea."
"Assuredly not," said one of the auditors.
"Assuredly not,," repeated the others in
chorus.
"And," continued the merchant, "it had

ohorus.

"And," continued the merchant, "it had been in preparation a long white. There was a league, you know t,"

"A league!"

"A league!?

"A league. Cabals instigated by the Navarrese, by that cardinal of France, you know, who has a balt barbarous name, and who every day offers some new effront to the crown of Spain. But he aims chiefly at Milan, because he knows, the knows, that the strength of the king lies there."

"Indeed!"

"Would you have a proof of it? Those whe made the most noise were atrangers; people who were never seen before in Milan. I have forgotten, after all, to tell you something I beard; one of these had been caught in an ion—

"When this chord, was teached, were Percentage."

SALE OF PROTESTANT RELICS.

Philadelphia Standard 1 The Philadelphia and New York secular papers contain quite full accounts of the recent sale of Moody and Sankey "relica" in this city. The Press devotes three-fourths of a column to a report of the sale. We hear so much of censure from our "sep arated brethren" about Catholic devotion to relies that we think a condensation of the Press report worthy of a place on the Siandard's editorial page. The Press re-morter says.

The danger of a war between England and China seems now to be averted, but it would be a singular thing and put an entirely new face on affairs if such a struggle should be entered upon and England be worsted in it. The possibility of such a calamity dawned in a vague way upon the intellect of the London Spectator a year or soago, when that very speculative journal gave a picture of the vast resources of China, the hardinood of its soldiers, their frugal military menege and general ability, and ended all by showing that, should the Celestial Empire adopt the Prussin system, it could put \$0,000,000 of men into the field, with whose it might possibly be able to overrun and subjugate Western Europe. Such a Mongolian incursion is far enough ayay, we are in the habit of thinking; but as strange things as this have happened before. That the Goths should ever overrun Rome would never have been believed in Cæsar's time, yet Alaric came at last; the Cossacks were once no dread to the empires southeast of the Urals, yet there they are now steadily advancing, and are destined to work wonderful changes in all the polity of that vast region upon which Eugland has laid its stern hand. It would be strange indeed, but not impossible, for China to wake from its lethargy at last, and even in the death throes of its immemorial civilization, to sweep over the West.

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