A SUBLIME SACRIFICE.

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HOW CHRIST PURCHASED OUR DE-LIVERANCE ON CALVARY. Dr. Talmage Delivers an Interesting Dis course on Paul's Bold Challenge

"Who Is He That Condemn. eth?"-Ohrist Our Interces sor at the Throne of God.

BROOKLYN, Aug. 13 .- Rev. Dr. Talmage today chose for his subject "A Bold Challenge," the text being Romans vili. 34: "Who is he that our sins forgiven and forgotten and condemneth? It is Christ that died. sunken into the depths of the sea. When a sin is pardoned, it is gone-it yea, rather that is risen again, who is even at the right hand of God, who is gone out of the books, it is gone out also maketh intercession for us." of the memory, it is gone out of existence. "Their sins and their in-

"This is the last sermon I shall ever preach," said Christmas Evans on the 13th of June, 1838. Three days atterward he expired. I do not know what his text was, but I know that no man could choose a better theme-though he knew it was the last time he should ever preach-than the subject found in this text.

Paul flung this challenge of the text to the feet of all ecclesiastical and civil authority. He feared neither swords nor lions, earth nor hell. Diocletian slew uncounted thousands under his administration, and the world has been full of persecution; but all the persecutors of the world could not affright Paul. Was it because he was physically strong? Oh, no, I suppose he was very much weakened by exposure and maltreatment. Was it because he was lacking in sensitiveness? No: you find the most delicate shades of feeling playing in and out his letters and ser. mons. Some of his -communications burst into tears. What was it that lifted Paul into this triumphant mood? The thought of a Saviour dead, a Saviour risen, a Saviour exalted, a Saviour interceding.

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All the world has sung the praise of Princess Alice. One child having died of a contagious disease-she was in archy of our king! Hail! Jesus, hail! the room where another was dying, and the court physician said to her. "You must not breathe the breath of this child 'or you yourself will die." But seeing the child mourning because grave would have been dark and disof the death of her brother the mother mal /as the conciergerie during the stooped down and in sympathy kissed reign of terror, where the carts come the little one, caught the disease and up only to take the victims out of the nerished. All the world sang the scaffold. I do not wonder that the heroism and the self sacrifice of Prin-cess Alice, but I have to tell you that body to resist the dissolution of death. The grave is the darkest, deepest. when our race was dying the Lord Jesus stooped down and gave us the ghastliest chasm that was ever opened kiss of his everlasting love and per- if there be no light from the resurrecshed that we might live. "It is Christ tion throne streaming into it, but

bring up to us the sins of our past life? life with that hand without physical are outside?" Then I my, What have we to do with those ob-solete things? You know how hard it in full play has the mightiest of all house into the glorious sunlight of is for a wrecker to bring up anything that is lost near the shore of the sea, but suppose something be lost halt symbol of strength and power and It was in the last days of the reign be fetched up. "Now," says God, "your sins I have cast into the depths of darkness, and launched from the

iquities will I remember ro more."

THE TRAGEDY THAT SAVES.

From other tragedies men have

come away exhausted and nervous and

triumphant thought!

way between Liverpool and New honor. Hiram sat at the right hand of terror, the year 1793. Hundreds York. It cannot be found, it cannot of Solomon. Then we have the term, and thousands had perished under the of the sea." Mid-Atlantic! All the Marshal Ney was Napoleon's right the Jacobin club. The last group of machinery ever fashioned in foundries hand man, and now you have the sufferers had had their locks shorn by

10,000 years, cannot bring up one of God. THE HERO OF THE UNIVERSE.

heaven. He has a right to sit there. But while they were going toward the The hero of the universe! Count his scaffold there was an outcry in the wounds; two in the feet two in the street, and then the shock of firearms, hands, one in the side-five wounds. Oh, you have counted wrong. These are not half the wounds. Look at the severer wounds in the temples; each thorn an excruciation.

sleepless; but there is one tragedy that soothes and calms and saves. Calvary If a hero comes back from battle and he takes off his hat or rolls up his was the stage on which it was enacted. sleeve and shows you the scar of the curtain of the night falling at midwound gotten at Ball's Bluff or at noon was the drop scene, the thunder South Mountain, you stand in admirafalling rocks the orchestra, angels tion at his heroism and patriotism. the galleries and devils in the pit but if Christ should make conspicious spectators, the tragedy a crucithe five wounds gotten on Calvaryfixion. "It is Christ that died." Oh that Waterloo of all the ages-be would display only a small part of his wounds. Wounded all over, let him If you go through the picture galleries of Versailles, you will find a great change there. I said to a friend sit at the right hand of God. He has a right to sit there. By the request who had been through those galleries, of God the Father and the unanimous Are they as they were before the suffrage of all heaven let him sit there. In the grand review, when the re-French war?" and I was told there was a great change there: that all that deemed pass by in cohorts of splendor multitude of pictures which repre-sented Napoleonic triumphs had been they will look at him and shout. "Vic-

taken away, and in the frames were The oldest inhabitants of heaven other pictures' representative of Gernever saw a grander day than the one manic success and victory. Oh, that when Christ took his place on the all the scenes of sataric triumph in right hand of God. Hosaana! With our world might be blotted out, and lips of clay I may not appropriately that the whole world might be a picutter it, but let the marty's under the ture gallery representing the triumph-ant Jesus! Down with the monarchy altar throw the cry to the elders bebefore the throne- and they of transgression! Up with the moncan toss it to the choir on the sea of glass until all Heaven shall lift But I must give you the second it some on point of scepter, and cause of Paul's exhilaration. If Christ some on string of harp, and some on had staid in that grave, we never the tip of the green branches. Hosanwould have gotten out of it. The Hosanna.

> A fourth cause of Paul's exhilara tion: After a clergyman had preach ed a sermon in regard to the glories of heaven and the splendors of th scene an aged woman said. "If all that is to go on in heaven, I don't know what will become of my poor head." Oh, my friends, there will b so many things going out in heaven have sometimes wondered if the Lord

> > PAUL IN PHISON.

"He is a right hand man." Lafayette French guillitine. France groaned was Washington's right hand man; with the tyrannies of Robespierre and Marshal Ney was Napoleon's right the Jacobin club. The last group of meaning of Paul when he speaks of Monchotte, the prison barber, so that doors of eternal death, working for Christ, who is at the right hand of the neck might be bare to the keen

knife of the guillotine.

That means he is the first guest of and then the cry: "Robespierre has fallen!' Down with the Jacobins! Let France be free!" But the armed soldiers rode in upon these rescuers, so that the poor wretches in the carts

were taken on to the scaffold and horribly died. But that very night these monsters of persecution were seized, and Robe-

pierre perished under the very gillotine that he had reared for . others, all France clapping their hands with joy as his head rolled into the executioner's basket. Then the axes of the excited populace were heard pounding against the gates of the prison, and the poor prisoners walked out free. My friends, sin is the worst of all Robedierres. It is the tyrant of tyrants. It has built a prison house for our soul. It plots our death, It has shorn us for the sacrifice; but,

blessed be God, this morning we hear the axes of God's gracious deliverance pounding against the door of our Deliverance has come.

breaks through all the wards of the Revolution! Revolution! prison. Where sin abounded grace does much more abound, that whereas sin reigned unto death even so grace may eign unto eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord." Glorious truth! A Saviour dead; a Saviour risen; a Saviour exalted; a Saviour interced-

Capital on May 21st, last, the following

esolution was adopted: Resolved. That a committee of five

be appointed by the chairman of the secting to communicate with the Alumni of the South Carolina College in every county of the State, calling upon them to arganize associations as the "South Carolina College Alumni Association of -

poor wretches were placed in the carts the best interes and driven off toward the scaffold: Carolina College. the best interests of the South That the committee be also quested to prepare and issue an ad-

ing upon them to rally to the support of the South Carolina College, and to give it the encouragement and support it so richly deserves.

3. That the committee shall formucounty in the State, this committee to report at the June meeting of the

Association. Agreeably to resolution No. 2, the whole State in behalf of the South of the college course. Carolina College.

The committee deem it unnecessary ato rehearse the history of the College or to make a display of its rich fruitage in the influences it has organized and the manhood it has trained. This appears in striking colors in La Borde's pages, as well as in the annals of the commonwealth.

Founded in 1801 by Legislative act, on the ground that the establish ment of a college in the central bart

of the State, where all its youth may be educated, would highly promote the instruction, the good order, and the harmony of the whole community, it has pobly fulfilled its high mission. Save the historian of the college: "Has the college accomplished the great end for which it was established? Has it done its work in educating the people of Carolina? There can be but one response to these questions. Every part of the State, and the up-WEATHER GROE BULLETIN. country particularly, has derived from it an amount of benefit which cannot

Carolina has rivaled her most fovored The following is the weather crop sisters in virtue, intelligence, and puboulletin for the week ending Monday: The temperature for the past week college. If her Governors, her Senahas been about normal with the rain- tors and Representatives in Congress,

intrinsic worth and its peculiar adaptmeeting of the Alumni of the ablity to the demands of a policy in South Carolina College, held at the dispensable to the future honor and glory of South Carolina.

Placing the cause of the college far above the entanglement of faction or the antagonisms of party, the committee commend it and its large issues, not to its Alumni only, but to the entire community of a State, which, in its heart of hearts, touched by its lofty instincts, must aspire to that fraternal in each county of the State, to be known sentiment and that patriotic duty which make up South Carolina's crown of beauty in the past. May the old The carts came up to the prison, the "county." for the purpose of advancing college still have the fostering care of all South Carolinians, and may the patriotism of our people prompt them not to turn their backs upon their mother State by patronizing colleges dress to the people of the State, call- of other States, when the means of an ample liberal education are afforded at home.

In conclusion, the committee, in the discharge of their further duty in the premises, call upon the Alumni of the late a plan for securing beneficiary college, in every county in the State, scholarships to the College from every to organize Alumni Associations, to the end that they may advance the best interests of the college, and to create a fund for the benefit of such ambitious and aspiring young men as committee of five have the honor to may need the help of Beneficiary address themselves to the people of the Scholarships to obtain the advantage

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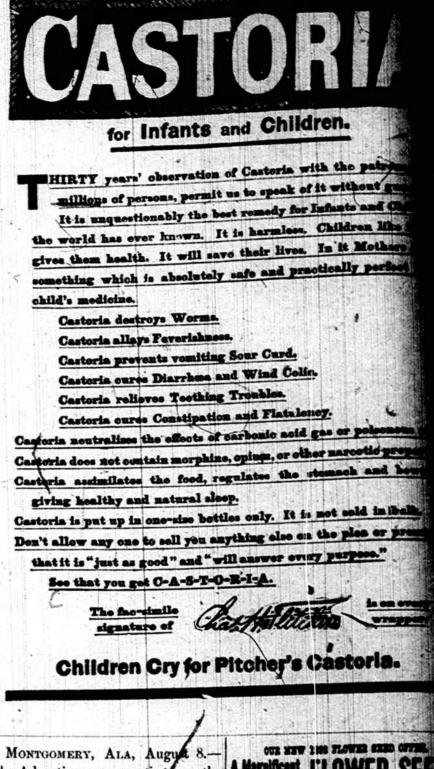
Committee of Alumni Association

THE YELLOW FEVER

Favorable Featu Pensacol

PENSACOLA, August 13 .- A very favorable feature in connection with the yellow fever situation occurred at 6 p. m. this evening. The State health officers gave official assurance to Mayor Chipley that the guard could be released which was stationed at the residence of Mr. Waite, and the family and friends confined in the house since the death of Mr. Waite, as after an investigation it was decided that he did not die of vellow fever. The guards are continued at the residence of Mr. Wood, father of little Ellen Wood, as the investigations in this case have not been completed. be estimated by dollars and cents. If

it be true, as I think it is, that South It is now nineteen day's since Capt since Mr. Waite and Ellen Wood were ounces of silver and an issue of coin lic spirit, much of it is due to her taken sick, and four days since they certificates worth something over fifty died. Had these three persons, or any cents on the dollar, and these certifione of them, died of yellow fever, cate payable in gold, and which issues fall in excess of the average which and her Judiciary, have shed a bright more new cases would have existed



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The Advertiser, commenting on the President's message, will say in the morning: "What then, is the cause of the evils which afflict the labor and commerce of the country? Want of confidence-a want of confidence in the ability of the Government to maintain a gold standard in the Northup died, more than ten day's face of a yearly purchase of 54,000,000

- dr. T

that died.

Paul could find anything to rejoice at in the horrible death scene of Calvary? We weep at funerals; we are sympathetic when we see a stranger die; when a murderer steps upon the scaffold we pray for his departing spirit, and how could Paul-the great hearted Paul-find anything to be pleased with at the funeral of a God? Besides that, Christ had only recently died, and the sorrow was fr sh in the memory of the world, and how in the fresh memory of a Saviour's death could Paul be exultant?

It was because Paul saw in that death his own deliverance, and the deliverance of a race from still worse disaster. He saw the gap into which But, hark to the crash an earthquake! the race must plunge, and he saw the The soldiers fall back as though they bleeding hands of Christ close it. The glittering steel on the top of the ex-centioner's spear in his eight kindled flung by the arm of an angel. Come into a torch to light men heavenward. forth, O Jesus from the darkness into The persecutors saw over the cross five | the sunlight. Come forth and breathe words written in Hebrew, Greek and the perfume of Joseph's garden. Latin; but Paul saw over the cross of Christ only one word—"expiation!" he steps out of the excavation of the He heard in the dying groan of Christ his own groan of eternal torture taken and in the distance I see others comby another. Paul said to himself, "Had it not been that Christ volunteered in my behalf, those would have been my mauled hands and feet, my, gashed side, my crimson temples."

THE BURDEN OF CHRIST.

Men of great physical endurance have sometimes carried very heavy burdens-300 pounds, 400 pounds and they have still said, "My strength is not yet tested. Put on more weight." Bet after awhile they were compelled to out "Stop. I can carry no But the burden of Christ was illimitable. First, there was his own burden of hunger and thirst and be-reavement and a thousand outrages that have been heaped upon him, and on top of that burden were the sorrows of his poor old mother, and on top of those burdens the crimes of the ruffians who were executing him.

"Stop!" you .cry. "It is enough Christ can bear no more." And Christ says, "Roll on more burdens. Roll on me the sins of this entire nation, and after that roll on me the sins of the inted earth, and then roll on me the sins of the 4,000 years past, so far as those sins have been forgiven," And the angels of God, seeing the awful pressure, čry: "Stop! He can bear no more." And the blotd rushing to the nostrel and lip seems to cry out "Enough! He can endure no more" But Christ says, "Roll on a greater hurden Coll on the sins of the next 1,900 years, roll on me the sins of all the succeeding ages; roll on me the agonies of hell, ages on ages, the furances and the prison houses and the tortures." That is what the Bible means when it says, "He bore our sins and carried our sorrows.

"Now," says Paul, "I am free. That purchased my deliverance.

Christ staid in the tomb all Friday Can you tell me how tender hearted | night and all Saturday, all Saturday night and a part of Sunday morning. Perhaps Paul said He staid so long in the tomb that he wonder God dose not forget me down might fit it for us when we go there. He tarried two whole nights in the grave, so that he saw how important it was to have plenty of light, and he

has flooded it with his own glory broken men," says Paul, "per-haps God may forget me. And then I am so vile a sinner. It is early Sunday morning, and we start up to find the grave of Christ. We find the morning sun gilding the dew, and the shrubs are sweet as the foot crushes them. What a beautiful place to be buried in! Wonder they did not treat Christ as well when h was alive as they do now that he is

dead. Give the military salute to the soldiers who stand guarding the dead. were dead, and the stone at the doo Christ comes forth radiant, and cause before God. Where is he steps out of the excavation of the rock I look down into the excavation ing hand in hand and troop after troop, and I find it is a long proces-sion of the precious dead. Among great tribunal.

them are our own loved ones father mother, brother, sister, companion children, coming up out of the excavastepped out into the light, and I am bewildered, and I cannot understand the scene until I see Christ wave his hand over the advancing procession from the rock, and hear him cry, "I the resurrection and the life; he believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live." And then I notice that the long dirge of the world's woe suddenly stops at the archangelic shout of "Come forth!"

RESULTS OF THE RESURRECTION.

Oh, my triends, if Christ had no broken out of the grave you and would never come out of it! It would have been another case of Charlotte Corday attempting to slay a tyrant, slain. It would have been another case of John Brown attempting to free the slaves, himself hung It would have been death and Chris a grapple and death the victor. e black flag would have floated on all the graves and mausoleum of the dead, and hell would have conquered the forces of heaven and captured the ramparts of God, and satan would have come to coronation in the palaces of heaven, and it would have been devils on the throne and sons of God in the plea be?

for our advocate.

No! no! no! When that stone was rolled from the door of Christ's grave. it was hurled with such a force that i crashed in all the grave doors of Christendom, and now the tomb is only a bower where God's children

take a siesta, an afternoon nap, to

has gone towards making up great deficiency of the month of July which ranged from one to three and

here in Antioch, and in the prison, and in the shipwreck. There are so for many years.

many sailors, so many wayfarers, Reports from all sections show o many-prisoners, so many heartnaterial advance in all crops and farmers are more hopeful than for

many weeks.

How I whipped those Christiansl With what vengence I mounted that IN THE PIEDMONT REGION. Cotton has improved decidedly, cavalry horse and dashed up to Damascus! Oh! it will take a mighty and growth has been rapid, espenially late cotton. If some sections cotton attorney to plead my cause and get is shedding rapidly, but as the plants me free." But just at that moment are heavily fruited some shedding there came in upon Paul's soul some-thing mightier than the surges that dashed his ship into Melita, swifter than the horse he role to Damascus. are heavily fruited, some shedding will not materially affect the crop. Some localities report that the plant

has not yet commenced to shed, and It was the swift and overwhelming with continued/ good weather willthought of Christ's intercession. make a splendid crop. A few scat-My friends, we must have an advo tered reports show that the continued cate. A poor lawyer is worse than no lawyer at all. We must have one who rains have slightly injured cotton, is able successfully to present our causing rust to make its appearance

and the lower leaves to drop off. Who is he? There is only one advo-Near the mountains the crop will cate in all the universe that can please our cause in the last judgment, that can plead our cause before God in the be short unless saved by a late frost. The plant generally is attaining a good sized stalk. Sometimes in earthly courts attorn-

Corn is reported as uniformly late eys have specialties, and one man sucbut doing well; in places young corn ceeds better in patent cases, another is the best in years; good stalk and in insurance cases, another in criminal cases, another in land cases, another earing well.

Turnip sowing has begun in earnest in will cases, and his success generally and a good crop, some coming np. Pea vines are exceptionally fine throughdepends upon his sticking to that specialty. I have to tell you that Christ can do many things, but it out this region. Tobacco in Pickens County look well. Sorghum and seems to me that his specialty is to sweet potatoes doing nicely. Fruit take the bad case of the sinner and generally good except 'apples and plead it before God until he gets etergrapes. Fodder pulling has com nal acquittal. Oh we must have him nenced, but has been retarded by rains. Work will be resumed as soon as weather permits. But what ples cambe make? Some

times an attorney in court will plead

the innocence of the prisoner. That IN THE MIDDLE BELT. would be inappropriate for us; we are all guilty! guilty! Unclean, unclean! Cotton is casting fruit in sections very much, more especially where Christ, our advocate, will not plead rain was heavy and continuous; it is our innocence. Sometimes the attor there also taking on rust. This apney in court tries to prove an alibi He says, "This prisoner was not at plies, however, only to limited areas. the scene. He was in some other The concensus of opinion seemes to be place at the time." Such a plea will that it has made a wonderful improvenot do in our case. The Lord found ment and has grown rapidly, is fruitas in all our sins and in the very place of our iniquity. It is impossible to ing heavily, and while the crop is not prove an alibi. Sometimes an attor- as large as last year, it will make ney will plead the insanity of the prisabout as much to the North and West oner and say he is irresponsible on of the belt. that account. That plea will never do Old cern will be cut of some, but

n our case. We sinned against light. not as much as was expected. It is against knowledge, against the distates nearly made and will run from a half of our own, consciences; we knew to a two-thirds crop. Young corn is what we were doing. What then shall doing well; on bottom lands it looks fine, the rains have caused it to ear CHRIST'S MARTYRDOM. out considerably. Corn (in stubble

and oat patch looks well. The plea for our eternal deliverance will be Christ's own martyrdom. He Nearly every farmer is putting in turnips. Some are up in Darlington will say: "Look at all these wounds. County, but look poor; those in Flor-By all these sufferings I demands the

point to the larger number of them as having been trained in her walls, and thereby fitted for their high positions." and one half inches below the average Assuming, now, as we have every right to assume, that this time honored

Institution has done its whole duty to South Carolina in its past of ninetytwo vears, the committee submit that, in the record of its achievements, the college furnishes a strong argument

in favor of its present support, and supplies the grounds of the appeal. But, fortunately for the South

Carolina College, it need not rest its case upon its past laurels-upon the ennobling part it has played in the history of the State.

While adverting to these memories and treasuring them as a grand heritage, your committee prefer to base the claims of the college for popular support upon its present advantages as a school of education and training. and upon the peculiar conditions that now confront us in the State.

Your committee point to thorough appointments of the college for its needs as a State college; to its accomplished corps of Professors; its extensive apparatus for teaching; its ample library; its commodious buildings; its healthy locality; its central position - in the State-the peer in

these respects of any other college in the country Your committee further point to the sp cial advantage offered by the college to those students seeking a general education as distinguished

from special instruction-seeking a symmetrical mental and moral training as distinguished from technical learning. Challenging the claims of no other

institutions of learning in the State-State or Denominational-the South Carolina College addresses itself to the whole commonwealth as a central institution-non-political, non sectarian, utterly divested of all class re-

strictions, and adorned by beneficent provisions for the poor. But your committee have reserved

for the last what they deem the strongest argument in behalf of the duty of the citizenship of South Carolina to rally to the support of the State college at the Capital. This argument is based upon the advan- a drink. tages arising from the unification of our people in thought and in senti-

ment Your committee do not propose to situation in South Carolina, nor the

South Carolina. Never before in our contained croton oil. istory as Colony or State have our people been so unhappily divided. Never before has there existed so actual distrust. The committee feel that to cure,

ustre upon her name, the college will here. At 6 p. m. no new cases have been reported to the board of nealth. Surgeon Carter, who arrived here vesterday has been ordered to that place has reported two new cases of yellow fever there. This leaves Surgeon MacGruder as the only representative here of the national depart. ment, but Surgeons Murray and Hatton are expected to-morrow. There is much rejoicing over the decision o the Waite case.

Charleston on the Safe Side

CHARLESTON, S. C., August 13. The Charleston board of health today ordered quarantine againt Branswic Ga. The step is purely precautionary, and little uneasiness is felt either by the authorities or the people of the city. The health department announces that similar action is to be taken in regard to other cities in which yel low fever may be.

Many curious and interesting sights are seen on the Midway Plaisance. this street of all nations, the Mecca of all visitors to the Great World's Fair. at Chicago; but among all its exhibits the Panorama of the Swiss Alps" 18 doubtless the most highly artistic. To those whose good forune it has been to go "abroad." this panorama awakens old memories, and to the many who have been less fortunate this really grand painting is a revelation. It is a perfect representation of the famed Bernese Oberland, as it would appear in all the immensity of reality to a sight-seer in the midst of the Alps. The illusion is made perfect by the truthfulness of local color and by the vigorus and sincere painting of such artist as Burnand, Baud Boyy and Furet. This suberb canvas was painted in Paris, France, for the express purpose of exhibition at the World's Fair, and has received the well-deserved encomiums of all the leading French and American artists.

How They Treat Such Fellows Even

LAURENS, August 8 .- There are hings more potent than ancient eggs Last week a citizen arrived here and soon began to advertise that he wanted

Ostensibly he was peddling a small mechanical contrivance, but he was very soon suspected of being a Tillman spy. As he seemed painfully discuss the philosophy of the present thirsty, and expressed contempt for a town where a gentleman could not causes that have led to it. It is get a toddy, some of the boys came to enough to recognize the actual condi- his rescue. His thirst was quenched. tion-political and social-and to de- but he retired to private life for sev plore it as a serious bar to the good of eral days. The story is that the toddy

GREENVILLE, S. C., August 7-John G. Henson, a white man, came much acrimony of feeling, so much of here Friday and testified before the United States Commissioner in a revor enue case. He has been working

in the end must drain the trea every dollar of gold it posseses, besides draining the country of its gold supply. The message can but create a profound impression not only in this country, but in all countries of the world. It is a plea for sound, logical, common-sense finance upon which the Brunswick, as the State surgeon at countrypbut in all countries of the credit of the country is based, a plea for dear and contract of the country is based, a plea for overthrow of the mischievons doctrine SPECIAL OFFER! that alone the United States are strong enough against all the other civilized countries of the world to make a silver dollar, worth fifty cents. equal to a gold dollar. The endeavor is a task too great for this country.

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