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WEEKLY BUDGET.
 YOUNG FOLKS.
 FUNNY FOLKS.
 SOUTH LONDON PRESS.
 PICTORIAL NEWS.
 SCRAPS.



RED LION COURT, FLEET STREET,

LONDON, March 5th 1886

Dear Sir,

I am very sorry that I have
 not managed to get Treasure Island
 measured off till today, but hope
 that ~~it~~ ^{my delay} has not inconvenienced you
 The page of Young Folks is smaller
 now than it was when your story
 appeared, so that a column then
 means ^{about} a column and a ^{fifth} quarter
 as it is now -

All stories then were set in "minion"
 now continued stories all set in

"Brevier" — As far as I can find out
 from our former composition,
 one column and a quarter ^{brevier} would
 be the equivalent of one column
 in the old size of page —

Perhaps this detail is of little
 consequence to you —

As France Island appeared
 it was about 55 columns in
 length —

If it were appearing in Young
 Folks Paper now it would
 occupy 69 columns of brevier.

Mr Bowcher would be very
 grateful if you could refer him
 to any books for costume &c.
 for "Kidnapped"

Yours truly
 George J. Heatherton