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'I hear the immense chorus over all the world of the return to joy.'
Towards Democracy 1884.

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EARTH'S VOICES.

1. The first part of the document discusses the importance of maintaining accurate records of all transactions and activities. It emphasizes that proper record-keeping is essential for transparency and accountability, particularly in financial reporting and auditing. The text notes that incomplete or inaccurate records can lead to significant errors and legal complications.

2. The second part of the document outlines the various methods and tools used for data collection and analysis. It mentions the use of spreadsheets, databases, and specialized software to ensure that data is organized and accessible. The importance of data integrity and security is also highlighted, as well as the need for regular backups and updates to the systems used.

3. The third part of the document focuses on the process of data analysis and interpretation. It describes how raw data is processed and analyzed to identify trends, patterns, and anomalies. The text discusses the use of statistical methods and data visualization techniques to present the information in a clear and understandable manner. It also mentions the importance of cross-verifying data from multiple sources to ensure accuracy.

4. The fourth part of the document discusses the challenges and limitations of data analysis. It notes that data can be incomplete, inconsistent, or biased, which can affect the results of the analysis. The text also mentions the need for skilled personnel to interpret the data correctly and avoid common pitfalls. The importance of ongoing monitoring and evaluation of the data analysis process is also discussed.

5. The fifth part of the document concludes by summarizing the key points and emphasizing the overall importance of a robust data management and analysis system. It states that such a system is crucial for making informed decisions and achieving organizational goals. The text also mentions the need for continuous improvement and adaptation to changing requirements and technologies.

EARTH'S VOICES.

I. HYMN OF THE FORESTS.

These are the harps which the winds play,
A myriad tones in one vast sound
That the earth hearkens night and day—
A ceaseless music swaying round
The whole wide world, each voiceful tree
Echoing the wave-chants of the sea.

For even as inland waves that moan
But break not 'midst the unflowing green
Our trees are: and when tempests groan
And howl our frantic boughs between,
Our tumult is as when the deep
Struggles with winds that o'er it sweep.

'Neath bitter northern skies we stand,
Silent amidst the unmelting snows,
Gaunt warders of the desolate land:
Silent, save when the keen wind blows
The drifting wreaths about our feet,
Then moan we mournful music sweet.

Earth's Voices.

Or in vast ancient woods of beech
 Far south we make Spring's dearest home
 The haunt of myriad songsters, each
 A living flow'r made free to roam
 From bough to bough, and thence we send
 A forest-music without end.

'Neath tropic suns and ceaseless glow
 With orient splendours we are filled :
 'Midst Austral solitudes we grow,
 Where seldom human voice has thrilled :
 And ever and where'er we rise
 We chant our ancient harmonies.

For aye the sea sings loud and long
 In strange and solemn mystery
 A wonderful transmitted song—
 The echo of all history—
 This song o'er all earth's lands we sing
 While round the circling seasons swing.

II. THE HYMN OF RIVERS.

Through all the wide lands of the earth
 We journey onward to the sea :
 Swift from the hills that give us birth
 In melting snows we race in mirth
 Down through green meadows joyously,
 Through wood and dale and desert lands,
 Where bridges span our floods with bands
 And cities foul our many strands.