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Yes, you pass it along, whether you believe it or not. You don't believe the one-sided whisper against another's character, but will use your influence to bear up the false report, and pass it on the current. Strange creatures are mankind. How many benevolent deeds have been chilled by the shrug of a shoulder! How many individuals have been shunned by a gentle, mysterious hint! How many chaste bosoms have been torn with grief at a single nod! How many graves have been dug by false report! Yet you will keep it above the water by a wag of your tongue, when you might sink it forever. Destroy the passion for tale-telling, we pray. Lisp not a word that may in jure the character of another. Be determined to listen to no story that is repeated to the great injury of an other, and, as far as you are concerned, the slander will die. But tell it once, and it may go as on the wing of the wind, increasing with each breath, till it has circulated everywhere, and has brought to the grave one who might have been a blessing YSELE

BY ESTHER BERNE.

THERE it stands, a truly funny title to be sure. But then how could I help it, I should like to know? People, even the least selfish and the most enduring, must sometimes speak and write of themselves. And though I lay claim to neither of the above qualities in any great degree, yet must I also write of myself.

And what about myself? I possess ed neither riches nor poverty; therefore, I had what Agur prayed for. I was not handsome, but on the contrary decidedly plain. At the time I write of I was quite young-a mere child, in fact—and lived with two maiden aunts in the country.

There is nothing wonderful in all that, neither is their anything wonderful in my history. I was not a prodigy, according to my aunts' ideas, for I could neither sew nor knit well. I hated both occupations, and I hate them now as cordially as I hated them then. But then I was not ruled with a rod of iron. It was lucky I was not, else I should have rebelled speedily. At stated times each day, I was at liberty to wander at my own 'sweet will.' And sweet indeed it was to race unseen down those long, green lanes, and to rest under the shadow of some tumble-down wall.

I was neither a quiet child nor a very active one. Rut I was wonderfully reserved and disliked companionship. The air castles that I built were sufficient companions for me. If there was a childish longing that possessed of travelling. I constantly dreamed of and thirsted to see the lands that my aunts talked of. Therefore the turned toward me. greatest pleasure of my life was to examine and re-examine the curiosities me ?" asked the stranger, coolly. in an old cabinet that stood in what I jestingly called the library. These curiosities came mostly from distant lands, and a great part of them had been collected and brought home by my father, who had been a sea captain.

There were some presented by other travellers to my aunts, which I prized very much. A portion of a cedar of Lebanon from the Mount of Olives, and apiece of the ruins of ancient Carthage interested me more than all the rest. Those had been presented by Captain Dana, a gentleman who was under everlasting obligations to my aunts, at least according to their statements, for some favor or favors received a long time ago. In my secret heart, I envied Captain Dana, for having stood in such sacred places. would have given ten of the best years of my life to have stood where he had stood, and seen what he had seen.

I had long ago drawn his portrait in my mind. I fancied him a tall weather-beaten man, with slightly grey hair, and a frank, good-natured face. All sailors, I thought, are good-natured. And in general I had quite a reverence for those who "go down to the sea in ships," a reverence that had grown with my growth. And this is not strange, when it is remembered that my father was a sea captain.

I was racing down the long, secluded lane, that led to our house, one day, when suddenly, to my extreme dismay. I encountered in a turn of the road. a gentleman on horseback. I was entirely unprepared for any such apparition, and stood for a minute with my had turned and was speeding swiftly he was alive." down to my favorite hiding-place amongst the alder bushes.

the gentleman could be. It was no in his eyes rose constantly in my mind. one that lived in our vicinity, or that I had ever seen before. It was not Captain Dana, I was very sure of that. So I finally concluded that it was some one come on business, who would go away very soon. Although I watched long from my hiding-place, I saw no one leave the house. What should I do? I was getting more and more hungry every minute, and it was most dinner time. Go in I must, and meet this man, and see him stare ludicrously at me. Well, no matter, I would make the best of it.

I crept up stairs to my own little room, smoothed my hair, and then crept softly down again, not into the parlor, but into the library as I called it, but which was in fact a mere lumber-room for all the old books and old things in the house. I softly opened the door and went in, and lo! there stood the stranger with his face turned from me, coolly overhauling the things in the little cabinet. The bit of cedar I had so much prized was carelessly handled as if it was a mere plaything. I could not bear to see something almost sacred treated so lightly. Still less to think that my father and Captain Dana had collected these things with so much toil and trouble, to be touched by strange hands.

I went softly up to the intruder, and still unnoticed watched him indignantly. I longed to push him away fiercely but did not dare to. He dropped something, stooped to pick it up, and observed me.

I never shall forget that look of confused wonder that rested on me for an me more than any other, it was that instant, and the smile that immediatefollowed. I liked that smile, and it was a young, handsome face that was

"Well, little girl, how do you like

I was amazed and indignant at this speech, and at the self-possession displayed. The smile and the face were quite forgotten, and I spoke quite the truth when I said, "I do not like you at all, and I wish-"

"Wish what, oddity?"

"That you wouldn't throw those things about so," said I, growing more fearless every minute. "They are curiosities that father and Captain Dana brought home."

"Cantain Dana! is he a friend of

vours ?" "No, I never saw him, but he knew my father, and he knows my aunts, and I can imagine just how he looks." "How do you think he looks?" asked the stranger, with an expression that puzzled me.

Unconsciously I was drawn into quite a conversation, and enlarged with some warmth on the supposed cheerful appearance of Captain Dana. I had got so far, when the stranger burst into a loud laugh, but seeing that I was much annoyed, he stopped short

"I beg your pardon, child, but your description of the old gentleman was so amusing."

Again was my childish heart almos won by that beautiful smile, and the fresh, handsome face. I was just a little sorry when dinner was announce ed, even though I had been very hungry before. I sat down in my usual seat at table, and watched the hand some stranger, as he took his place with the air of an old friend.

"Alice, dear," said Aunt Elizabeth suddenly, "this is Captain Dans, the bonnet swinging in my hand, gazing friend you have often heard us speak earnestly at it. The next moment I about; he sailed with your father when

Was this indeed Captain Dana?— tranced. You saw that a light within was chining through the well of flesh.

What a mistake I had made! Visions Dear old lady! My heart went out to

Then I had a chance to wonder who of the ludicrous figure I must have cut her at once; her beauty attracted me However, it could not be helped. I to her. Instantly her face was radiwas about to escape from the room ant. Thought and feeling were stirred. after dinner, but was recalled by my aunts. Captain Dana was obliged to go away immediately and I must say to bid him good-by.

I stood looking gloomily from the window, hearing only a confused murmur of voices in the room.

"Goob-by, Alice," said Captain Dana, as he joined me at the window. That was quite a bitter but wholesome pill of yours about notliking me. I am sorry you don't, for I like you. I shan't forget that old gentleman.-By the way," said he, suddenly, as he reached the door, "do you like curios-

"Yes, very much, indeed," I answer-

The next moment I caught a glimpse of that handsome face, as Captain Dana rode slowly down the lane, and then he was out out of sight .-That face and the smile lived in my memory for years.

(CONCLUDED NEXT WEEK.)

[For the Express.] LITTLE EMMA'S GONE.

BY M. B.

O tell me not that Emma's dead-She is not lost to me, Her gentle voice is round me spread Though her I cannot see.

Her little hand was in mine own-How oft I feel its thrill; Though to Heaven she has gone, Forever there to dwell.

Her little hand so sweet and fair.

I held it when she died : As with an agonizing care, I knelt me by her cradle side. I felt its quivering and its clasp,

I heard her gentle moan;

And then I felt her last, last grasp, That weakened in mine own. Ne'er has that moan been mute, Or that love lost to me;

Her voice comes to me like a lute, From lips I connot see. And thou sweet cherub, gentle dove,

From storms forever flown; Thou hast left a mother's love. Never more to return. O, death is not forgetfulnes

It is not utter loss; Our dear ones do not love us less When they the Jordon cross.

And oh, when the cares of life are o'er, May angels near me stand ; And lead me to a lovelier shore To clasp anew, that little hand.

The Dear Old Grandmother.

BY T. S. ARTHUR.

"Isn't she beautiful?" I heard a ladv say. Following the direction of her eyes, I saw that she was looking toward a very old woman, and a young girl. One was sitting; the other stood talking to her. "Which, the old lady, or the bloom

ng maiden?" was questioned back. "I meant the beauty of sweet seven

"Yes, Grace is beautiful: but in my eyes, not half so beautiful as her dear old grandmother," said the person first "You don't call old Mother Nelson

andsome, surely?"
"She is a handsome old woman." "Oh! handsome for an old woman

"No. I mean a handsome woman

ou mean."

The other smiled, and I began look ng more closely at the person about whom these remarks were made. She was quite aged, four-score at least.— Her countenance was wrinkled, her eyes dull with the film of years; her skin no longer fair and ruddy, but faded and time-worn; yet you could not look into her face and at once withdraw your eyes, for there was come-thing there that held them half en-

d. You saw that a light with

even more than did the maiden's beau-Her mind was clear, her observation acute, her charity warm. As we conversed, the changer of her counten-ance were a study. I had never seen anything like it in a person of her advanced years. Her companion, a charming young girl, hovered about her all the time, lingering upon her words, and proudly enjoying the admiration extorted by her dear old grandmother from almost every one.

I had often heard the words "grow ing old gracefully," but never so fully comprehended their meaning as now. Here was one who had begun to grow old gracefully, many, many years be-fore. Ere the first gray hair had laid its almost imperceptible line of silver among her dark brown tresses, she must have begun the work of growing old after this better fashion. Had her life been an easy one, that she wore a mein so placid now? When others were bearing the burden and heat of the day, was she at rest, and in cool retreats? Had she no fierce life-battles? No sharp conflicts with the great enemy of souls, that she bore so few disfiguring scare? Had the dear old grandmother found a pleasanter way in the world than her sister pilgrims?

No-nothing of this. Like the rest, she has come up through great tribu-lations. She had bent under heavy burdens, toiled up rugged steeps, and wept through long nights, that seem-ed as if they would never pass away. Like others, she had endured tempta-tion, and sorrow, and pain. But, all the while, she was making life a succession of victories. Patience, endurance, long-suffering, kindness, lovethese were the virtues that made her life beautiful; and her countenance, as years advanced, became more and more a mirror of her life.

Is not that home blessed which has in it a dear old grandmother like this? Yea, and thrice blessed. She is an angel in the house, a living evangel. I can scarcely conceive it possible for a youth, coming in daily contact with one like this, ever to be led entirely astray from paths of virtue. Her image must go with him out into the tempting world; and her lessons of truth, and loving affection, weave around him a panoply of defence.

What a pure and holy mission is yours, dear old grandmothers, of the right spirit! Ye are the world's golden wheat sheaves fully ripe in every grain, and waiting for the harvest! And ye are beautiful to look upon. with a beauty all your own !

How many who read this are putting on daily, as the eye dims, and the cheek fades, that interior beauty, which growing brighter and lovelier as years advance, shines at last thro' the transparent exterior, giving to the countenance a more than earthly attraction? Is not the question worth something beyond a passing thought?
Are you a grandmother already? If so, I pray you be one of the right sort. You are fifty; or, it may be, fifty-five. At seventy, or fourscore will you be a 'dear old grandmother?' Ask yourself the question. Don't turn away, but look the querry right in the face. If you have already become selfish and querulous; if the noise of children at play disturbs you; if you have no patience with, or sym-pathy for the little ones, your case affords but little promise; I fear you will not grow more attractive as you grow older. The dear old grandmother, whom everybody loves, is the product of different elements from these. She is full of loving patience; of quiet self-forgetfulness, and the sweet charities of life. It is love that begets love. The dear old grandmother has a place in her large heart for every one—her large heart so full of human love, that self-love cannot find a nook or corner untenanted; and so skulks about the entrance. but is forever denied admittance. So, loving all, she is beloved of all, and thus wears life's highest blessing as a crown. Godey's Ladies B'E

-A Tankee proposed to build an establishment which you drive a sheep in at one end, and have it come out at the four-quarters of mutton, a telt hat a pair of drawers, a leather apron. and a quarto dictionary.

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Friday, May 21, 1858.

### AGENTS.

The following named gentlemen are authorized to receive and receipt subscriptions for the "Express."

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### Terrible Bail Bord Accident. LAFAYETTE, May 15.

The Express train from Indianapolis on the Lafayette and Indianapo lis rail road, due at this place at two o'clock Friday night, met with a severe accident at Potato'creek, a small srteam about eighteen miles below Lafayette. The bridge across this stream, some sixty feet long, gave way on the engine striking it, precipitating the train into the waters of the creek, making a complete wreck of the entire train.

The engineer, Jacob Bitinger, was cut nearly in two, beside many other brnises; he evidently never knew what hurt him.

The fireman, Pat Malony, was badly cut about the head. His body was lost in the creek, under water, and only discovered since daylight.

The conductor, James Irwin, was sitting in the forward passenger car at the time. One of the timbers of the bridge passed up through the floor and struck him on the head, a splinter penetrating the brain. He lived about an hour, giving utter- blown down. ance to continued moaning. He was probably insensable until death relieved him from his suffering. Irwin has been in the employ of the Company for some time, and was highly esteemed by all who knew him. The officers of the Company regarded him as one of their most faithful employees.

The baggage master, Perry Homan, brakeman Wm. Severson, and the train boy, Joseph Irwin, were slightly bruised, but they are all able to continue on duty, We are gratified to announce that none of the passengers were injured.

### UTAH.

St. Louis, May 17. Utah is unofficial, but a private letter, ing houses were unrooted. Three received by Col. Rich, at the Fort, cars standing on the track were universally credited at Leavenworth The amount of the damages at in a gentlemanly and confecus manthat Gov. Cumming entered Salt Galesburg is estimated at \$40,000 .-Lake City on the 1st of April, and army was in readiness for immediate action in case of emergency.

The steamer Lucas, from the Missouri river, arrived here last night. She brings no further particulars from Utah than was telegraphed yes terday. Gen. Smith had not reached Leav-

enworth when the Lucas left. The Kickapoo correspondent of the Repulican says the bandits in the neighborhood of Fort Scott, Kansas, number 250, commanded by the no torious Capt. Montgomery, and thoroughly armed and mounted on fleet troops, and swear they will not be

Upwards of one hundred and fifty familes have been robbed and driven

into Missouri. Three hundred troops, composing the first detachment of the Seventh Intantry, left Jefferson Barracks yesterday for Leavenworth. Gen'l Harney arrived at Leavenworth on the 12th. Secretary Hartnett left for Utah on the 13th.

At Cloverport, Ky., last week the rise in the Ohio caused a portion of the bank to cave in, which disclosed three Indian graves, filled with bones, tomahawks, beads, &c.

On Friday last the Southern part of our county was visited by a severe hall storm, which did considerable damage to the young fruit garden vegetables, &c.

The Okaw has been higher, the first of this week, than ever known.

Golconda Herald.

We have just received the first and second Nos. of the Golconda Herald. published by Jas. D. Moury, former publisher of the Express. It is a neat ort of the entire reading portion of Pope county. We feel sure that he will receive an enormous support; and knowing that Pope county is one of the richest in Southern Illinois, the success of his "important enterprise," is a "sure thing." "Good morning," Jim,—here's our 📆 , and may success follow you on the 'stream of time' as well as on the Ohio River.

The Storm in Illinois.

CARS BLOWN OFF THE TRACK. HOUSES UNROOFED.

Steamboats blown to pieces!

On Thursday evening last, a storm f great violence passed over certain portions of Illinois. It covered a large extent of territory, and everywhere its track is marked with great damage to property. It seems to have crossed the Mississippi, near Oquawka and to have extended eastward, at least as far as McLean county. In the West, there was much hail accompanying the wind, and everywhere a great fall of rain. At Lexington, on the line of the St. Louis, Alton & Chicago Road, the storm was terrific. Nearly every ouse in the village was unropfed or

The following letter gives some account of the damage at Lexington:

LEXINGTON, May 13. Messrs. Editors:-This evening about 6 o'clock we were visited by a severe storm, anecompanied by the most fearful thunder and lightning ev er experienced here. The storm lasted about twenty minutes, and after it ney having a large over-charge on had, to all appearances, cleared up, it was succeeded by the most terrific wind ever known in this section of the State. The rain fell in torrents, and nearly every house in this place was unroofed, and a number of them were

The passenger train from St. Louis by which I send this, was blown from the track and cars tipped over, but, with the exception of a few slight flesh wounds, the passengers were uninjured. Before the train capsized all the car windows, on the windward side, were blown out, the engineer and fireman were both blown from the engine, and a brakeman was also blown off one of the cars.

Great damage was also done by the tornado at the junction of Peoria and Oquawka roads, with the St. Louis, Alton and Chicago rail-roads. Bothtation-houses were unroofed, five or ix empty freight cars were blown off the track, dwelling houses were un- cious fairness, and report as soon as roofed, moved bodily twenty or thirty feet, or entirely demolished.

GALESBURG, ILL.—The storm was severe along the Chicage, Burling-important to ascertain how far Hockton & Quincy Rail Road. At Galesburg it was terrible. The engine house of the Railroad Company and A dispatch dated Leavenworth, two churches just completed, were May 14th, states that the news from blown down, and a number of dwell-read, sworn to by the subordinates corroberates the statement, and it is blown off and turned upside down. No lives lost.

OQUAWKA, ILL.—Two steam mills were rhined at Oquawka and ten to their holding office under him. houses unroofed, besides other damages done. Damages estimated at from \$10,000 to \$15,000. So far as ascertained, no lives, were lost.

two story dwelling house was rendered a complete ruin; a portion of Mr. Babcock's dwelling was blown down Nearly all the out-houses in the vil- If it was discovered that Hockney lage were upset. The wind carried had profited in the least by corrupt large boxes, lumber, barrels, &c., in to the air as if they were paper. A practices, no man would be more large church was moved from its ready to dismiss the Doorkeeper horses. They dety the United States foundation about a foot. The storm than he. raged hardest between 6 & 7 o'clock.

MENDOTA, ILL.-Here the storm. was also furious, and while in progress, the railroad engine house caught fire and was consumed, together with the locomotive Rocket.

### Severe Hail Storm.

RICHMOND, VA. May 16. -A disastrous hail storm occurred in Chesterfield county last evening. The hailstones were as large as eggs, and completely destroyed vegetation. The ground was strewn with leaves and branches from trees, and an immense amount of glass was broken. In some places the hail was from two to three feet in depth. The storm was unprecedented.

The train from Petersburg, last evening, came in contact with a tree that had fallen across the truck. The

### Late News.

WASHINGTON, May 17. House.—The House proceeded to he consideration of a resolution from little sheet, and well deserves the sup-the Committee on Accounts, proposing the dismissal of Mr. Hockney, the Door-keeper of the House, for alleged official misconduct.

A statement from Mr. Hockney was read, saying that some of the charges made by the Committee were incorrect in point of fact, and others greatly magnified, besides being ex parte. He asks a thorough investigation.

Mr. Stephens, of Ga., said Mr. Hockney had the right to be heard, and moved that his request be gran-

Mr. Kunkel, of Md., remarked that Mr. Hockney should be dismissed, if for no other reason, for gross and deliberate abuse in exceeding his anthority in the appointment of subordinates and increasing the expenses of the Folding Room from \$600 or \$800 to \$2000 or \$2500 per month

Mr. Spinner, of N. Y.' alluded to he fact that false entries had been made in the books of the Folding Room.

The statement for the month of April had been torn out and a new one made after Mr. Hockney discoved that a committee had entered into an investigation of the books.

The original statement had since been found, and admitted by Hockthe proper amount in money and

Mr. Kunhel, of Md., resumed, saying the statement read from Hockney was entirely untrue, and he caused to be read a letter from a messenger, addressed to the Speaker, in which the griter remarks he knew of no reason why he was discharged, unless it was his refusal to surrender a portion of his salary to Mr. Hockney.

Mr. Hughes, of Ind., Chairman of the Special Committee charged with investigating the conduct of the Door keeper, said that they would endeavor to act toward Hockney with judihe could have a proper hearing,

Mr. Seward, of Ga., said it was ney had been surrounked by designing men who have made a trap for his destruction, and he caused to be under Hockney, a statement saying that the latter always treated them ner, and they never paid or arranged to pay him any money as a condition

Mr. Stephens said the Committee on Accounts merely gave their opinion, instead of reporting the facts GALVA, ILL.—At this place a large and testimony. The House wanted all the tacts in the case, and there should be a thorough investigation. practices, no man would be more

The resolution to dismiss the Doorkeeper forthwith adopted .-Yeas, 141; navs, 34.

The motion prevailed to elect a Doorkeper to-morrow.

The Committeee on Judiciary were discharged from further considera-

A memorial from William Alexander asking an impeachment of Judge Watson, and several other memorials preferring charges are still pending in the Committeee.

Mr. Quitman asked to present a joint resolution, laying down a line of policy regarding the admission of new States.

The House refused to suspend the rules for the purpose of introducing the proposition.

quate to supply the Government with revenues, and is a source of emharrassment to the country, and instructing the Committee of Ways and Means to inquire into the expdiency of reporting a bill revising the tariff, substituting home for foreign relation, and specific for ad valorem duties, and so augmenting duties on articles which come in competition with American manufacturers and products, as will afford an increased protection to American industry and

The House refused to suspend the rules. 96 against 101.

On motion of Mr. Barksdale the resolution was adopted calling on the President, if not incompatible with public interests, to communi cate any information in his possession relative to the firing into, boarding and searching of vessels belonging to the U.S., by British ships of war on the coast of Cuba.

Adjourned.

SENATE.

The General Appropriation bill was taken up, and an active debate ensued on the amendment adding an appropriation to pay the reporters employed by Mr.Rives.

Mr. Seward submitted the follow-

Resolved, That the Committee on Foreign Relations be instructed to enquire whether any legislation is necessary to enable the President of the United States to protect American vessels against British aggression in the Gulf of Mexico or elsewhere, or to report by bill or otherwise.

The resolution, in cosequence of Mr. Mason's objection that the Senate has only newspaper information, as yet, was temporarily laid over.

Mr. Shields presented a memorial from the Legislature of Minnesota, asking the establishment of mail routes in that State.

Mr. Yulee called up the bill to a mend the several acts relating to the Patent Office. The bill was read, but the special hour having arrived, caused its postponement.

Mr. Douglas, of Ill., made an un successful attempt to get up the Tex as boundary bill.

Mr. Gwin gave notice that he would, on Thursday, call up the Pa cific Rail Road bill.

On motion of Lr. Hunter, of Va., the General Appropriation bill was taken up, and passed substantially as reported from the Finance Com-

The only matter of discussion that preceded its passage was relative to the amendment to pay the Globe Senate reporters 800\$ each, the usual extra compensation, which was finally agreed to. Mr. Pugh moved that the words, "to enable Ino. C. Rives," be stricken out, so that the provsion of the bill would be for the direct payment of the bill to the reporters. Messrs. Toombs, Brown, Shields, Johnson, of Ark., Stewart, Mason, and Fessenden, took part in the debate on the proposition which was finally agreed to. The discussion of an amendment report by Mr. Bayard, from the Judiciary Committee, to allow the Attourney General to employ two new officers called Assistant Counsel, in this office, at \$3,000 salary. Mr. Hunter spoke against it as an attempt to establish a higher order of clerks.—He also spoke in favor of apointing an Assistant Attorney General, if such an officer was really needed, but he could not sanction this new order of affairs. The amendment was lost, and the bill then passed.

The Senate went into an executive sessation, and subsequently ad-

### WAR WATH SPAIN.

The London papers are alive with rumors of a threatened war between Mr. Morris, of Pa., asked leave to the United States and Spain. engine and cars were damaged, but offer a resolution setting forth that Shouldn't wonder if there was some-This fills the column the passengers escaped unhart. The existing tariff was found inade, thing in them, and the existing tariff was found inade.

HOW HE WON ME.

Twas not by cunning trick, love, Of thine, nor subtile art, But by thy gentle words, love, You won my doring heart;

By smiles and thoughtful cares, love, Heart-casing sympathy, That all my life I've sought, love, And only found in thee.

Looked softly on my soul, And drew me up to thee, love, As the magnet to the pole. For years before we met, love,

By soul that from thine eyes, love,

I'd not unlocked my heart; Though many loudly rapped, love, I bade them all depart:

But, when you tapping came, love, The sound so sweetly rung, That ere I was aware, love, Apart the portal swung.

Tis no use to repine, love, No use to more and moan-The monarch of my heart, love, You reign upon its throne.

WOMAN.

When Eve brought wo to all mankind Old Adam called her wo-man: But when she woo'd with love so fond, He then pronounced it woo-man. But now with folly and with pride Their husbands' pockets trimming, The ladies are so fall of whims That people call them whim-men.

Geo. W. Lynn, the Daguerrian rtist, stays with us a few days long-

Go to Shepherd's if you want He's got Cider, and landies too, that can't be beat.

Sr. Louis, May 17 .-The Republican received dispatches late last night, stating that the express reached Leavenworth on the 13th, from Camp Scott April 10th, bringing later intelligence.

The Mormons had laid down their arms.—Govenor Cumming, on an invitation from Brigham Young, entered Salt Lake City without an escort. Many of the Mermons had gone to the southern part of the Territory.--The women and children were preparing to follow.

CLAYTON-BULWER TREATY.-It is gratifying to see that Congress is about dissolving the "entangling alliance" between ourselves and Great Britain, which the Clayton-Bulwer treaty got us into. That treaty out of the way, this sountry can apply the "Monroe doctrine" to Central America by repelling all attempts at European colonization there, while can make what terms it pleases fo

MINNESOTA A STATE IN THE UNION. -Both houses have agreed to admit Minnesota under the Constitution presented from the Territory to Congress. She is now a State in the

NEVER BEEN IN MANY ENGAGE-MENTS.—Every married man should et his wife have the management of the home department, and give her, as secretary, the control of the different bureaus. Don't let her have any thing to do with the war department.

Then how is she to bring the infan ry up to the breast works, we should ike to know, in ease of an "attack of measels?" It is evident the writer of the above has never been in many "engagements."—N. Haven Register.

### Attention!

There will be a meeting of the "Sullivan Dragoons" to morrow at 3 o clock P.M., for the purpose of electing officers.

The difference between a carriage horse and a carriage wheel is this-one goes best when tired, and the other don't

-CHARMS.-A fortune of twenty thousand pounds.

A woman's heart is like a fid dle; it requires a "bow" to play upon

Why is twice ten like twice

Because twice ten is twenty, and

twice eleven is twentytwo. So your mother is very poor She is that? She used to keep a peanut stand once, but she took a coun

terfeit one dollar bill and failed.

The institution of the Sabbath. whether regarded as of human policy or divine ordinance, is one of the most beautiful and blessed inherit. ances of man. It has a divinity in its adaptation to the material necessities of our race -as a day of rest, in wihch to refresh and recreate the wearied energies of the body—but the higher divinity lies in the divorce it brings to the spirit from the pursuit and care of temporal and corrupting thing, leading it to a clearer and nearer contemplation of God, its relations to the immaterial, and its destiny beyond this fleeting life. Its periodical frepnency grasps the soul in firm bond, and hemming it around with associations in unison with its acknowledged sacredness, has done more to discipline the mind, and purify the heart of society, than all the problems of proud and shifting philosophy.

Like the subline lessons of Christ, the Sabbath contains the profoundest proofs of its origin in the wisdom and goodness of God, in its common acceptance by enlightened men, and the fulness of satisfaction it gives to his soul-and-body longings. Between nations and races who observe, and those who do not observe the Sah bath, there is drawn a line, on the opposite borders of which, alike, rest the evidences of its beauty and beneficence. On the Sabbath-side are civilization, intelligence, industry, art, science, peace, and prosperityman elevated truly and nobly in the image of God. On the other side are barbarism, ignorance, superstition, war, and misery-man degrading the image of God.

The Sabbath is not arbitrary nor conventional. The more intelligently it is observed, the more necessary harmonious and beautiful it appears; and its temporal economy, however. great, becomes secondary and insignificant contrasted with its spiritual good. Let any man, let any philosopher contemplate the obliteration of the Sabbath, and see what a picture society must soon present. Philosophy tried the experiment once, with one of the most intellectual and philosophical of nations, and the result of the trial taught the world that man cut loose from the Sabbath, is cut loose from God. Atheism, itself, denying God, has enlogised the institution of the Sabbath as the fruit of supreme wisdom. As members of a Christian community, we have all witnessed and felt the elevating influence of this Day of days, and can need no special argument to commend its reverent observation.

- On Monday night last the Okaw river, which has been on a bigh" for some weeks, succeeded in carrying off George Purvis' mill, at Nelson, in this county. The mill not wishing to "go it alone," floated down to the bridge, near by, and by using knock down arguments persnaded the bridge to accompany it on the road to ruin.

He was a wise man who cut a hole in his barn door for his big cat, and a lesser one for his kitten.

Farmer who had employed a green Emeralder, ordered him to give the mule some corn in the ear. On his returning, the farmer asked:

"Well, Pat, did you give the com?" To be sure I did." 'How did you give it? 'An' sure as yez tould me, in t

But how much did you give? Well, yez see, the crayther would-n't hould still, and kept switching his ears about so, I couldn't get above a

fist full in both ears.' 'Ain't it wicked to rob this chicken roost, Dick ? Dat's a great moral question, Sambo; we hain't go time to argue it now. Hand down

Ned and Tom were telling o Tom: 'Was you ever in Greece?'
No, but I fell into a thunderin' big

ver their travels; when Ned as tub of soap once, if you call that any thing." it spec

### lax Sale Notice.

a sale of lands for State and County Taxes, held at the door of the Court House in Moultrie County, Illinois on the 14th day of July 1856, I became the purchaser of the following Real Estate, to wit:

senesec 9 T 13 R 6 E cont'g 40 acres swsw"11 " " " " " " " nwne"17 " " " " " " nenwa au u u uuu

for the Taxes and costs assessd and due thereon for the year 1855, and that the time of redemption on the same will expire on the 14th day of July 1858.

April 2 1858

### Sheriff's Sale.

for eash in hand, to satisfy said execu-

Moultrie County Illinois. By J. G. KEARNEY, Deputy. May 14 x 3t

### Sheriff's Sale.

clerk of the circuit court of Moultre county, in the State of Illinois, in favor of Love & Kearney and against Nathan Abbott, I have levied upon the following described lands to wit: witofn witof sec. 11 town. 13 range 6 east, 40 acres as the preperty of the said Nathan Abbott, which I shall offer at public Sale, at the Court-house door in Sullivan, in said State, on the J2th day of June A. D. 1858 between the hour of 9 o'clock A, M, and sunset of said day, for each in hand, to satis fy said execution.

Moultrie County. By J. G. Kearney, Deputy. May 21st 1858. — 36 — 3w

### SheriM's. Sale. •

By virtue of an Execution, To medical delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Moultrie county in the State of Illinois, in favor of Love & Kearney and against Simpon Lynn I have levied upon the following described lands to wit: pt of sel of swi of sec. 22 town, 13 range 5 E containing 24 acres, as the property of the said Simeon Lynn which I shall offer at public sale, at the Court-house door in Sullivan, in said State, on the 12th day of June A, D, 1858, between the hour of 9 A. M. and sunset of said day, for each in hand, to satisfy said

of Moultrie county Illinois. ByJ. C KEAPNEY Dep'ty. May the 21st 135 t. 6 3t [\$4,00

clerk of the circuit court of Moultrie county, in the State of Illinois, in favor of Love & Kearney, and against William Hoagland, I have levied on the undivided interest of the said William Hongland, in the following des-

S pt ww do 28 do 15 " 5 do day of June A. D. 1858, between the hour of 9 o'clock A. M. and sunset of said day, for each in hand, to satisfy said execution.

E. C. BERRY Sheriff of Montrie County Illinois By J. G. KEARNEY, Deputy.

### Sheriff's sale.

BY virtue of an execution to me direct and delivered by the clerk of the county court of Shelby county, in the State of Illinois, in favor of Hugh & John Waldon, Adm'rs of Benjamin Waldon dec'd, and against Hiram Cox, I have levied upon the following described lands to wit: sel sec. 10 township 12 rauge 6 east containing 160 acres, more or less, as the property of the said Hiram Cox, which I shall offer at Public sale, at the Court-house door in Sullivan, in said State, on the 12th day of June A, D. 1858, between the hour of 9 o'clock A, M, and sunset of said day, for

May 21st 1858. — 36 — 3w WANT a fline lot of Bacon in exchange for Goods.-VADAKIN.

One day the latter part of last week or the first of this, I lost something over six dollars, somewhere in, or a-bout Sullivan. There were three one dollar gold pieces, and one three dollar piece, and some few pieces of silver. Any person finding the same, and returning it to the undersigned in Sullivan, will be rewarded for honesty. ELIZA TIMMONS.

May 21st-36-1t

### Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of an Execution, To me directed and delivered, by the clerk of the county court of Moultrie county, in the State of Illinois, in favor of the people of the State of Illinois, and against Lewis Kennedy, I have levied upon the following described Land to wit: lot No 1 of the n e of sec. I township 12 range 5 cast, containing 80 acres more or less, as the property of the said Lewis Kenne-BY virtue of an Execution to me the property of the said Lewis Kennedirected and delivered, by the dy which I shall offer at Public Sale, for Cash, or to good customers clock A. M. and sunset of said day, for eash in hand, to satisfy said execution. E, C. Berry Sheriff of

Moultrie County Ill. May, 21st, 1859. -36-3w.

Administrator's. Notice.

DUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that on Monday, the 5th day of July next, I shall attend before the county court of Moultrie County, at Sullivan Illinois, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the said Estate of Johnson Collins. late of said county, dec'd; when and where all claimants are notified to attend, and present their claims in writing, against said Estate, for adjust ment. All persons indebted to said Estate, are also notified to make payment without delay, to the undersign

HARRISON THOMAS, Adm'r. May 19th, 1858-36-6w.

# Fara-Tenacres of wood land to trade for a riding horse.

Call at this Office.

# Livery Stable!

Takes pleasure in announcing to the citizen of Sullivan and vicinity, that he has opened large Livery Stable, in the building formerly occupied by Thomason & George, where he keeps constantly on hand a good supply of the very finest Horses and Buggics; and hopes b close attention to business, and reasonable charges, to merit a liberal patronage. Sullivan Ill, Feb. 26, '58. No. 25 ly

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AVING Just opened their Stock Consisting of MEDI DRUGS. CHEM-CINES,

DYE-ICALS, STUFFS AND PAINTS WINDOW CY TOILET GLASS, FAN SOAPS, PAT-AND SHAVING

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We have also, a Superior quality of BRANDIES ANDWY I IN IE S.

For Medicinal and Sacramental purposes, ONLY. Sullivan Ill., May 7, 58. -35-tf

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Any implement manufactured in the United States can be furnished to order.

Warehouse, West of R. R. Track, WEST URBANA, ILLINOIS.

May 7th, 1838. No 35 6m

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Physician & Surgeon Tenders his professional services the citizens of Whitley's Creek, and all needing medical aid.

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A. F. Spencer,
B. B. Novris,
G. Schingfield
G. Schingfiel A. Harper, "Spring Dr. M. N. Van-fleet, Sulliv E. E. Waggener, M. D., " J. Y. Hitt, "the Miss " Springfield "

And the Professors of the Missouri Medical College, St. Louis. March 5th '58. No. 26 ly

# Peoples'

Love & Kearney.

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Their stock consists of DR Y. GOODS of every quality,

Boots & Shoes,

HATS

# READY-MADE Clothing,

HARDWARE & QUEENSWARE.

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They invite the

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ALL SORTS OF

PURE LIQUORS:

FINE CHEWING TOBACCO!

AND EVEYTHING ELSE USUALLY KEPT D D.

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Call when you want fancy toilst articles, cap, letter, and FANCY note paper, & Envelops

to suit. West Side Public Square. May 14th No 36 ly. HITT & LEWIS.

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Presu arrival at J. E. Edens, Hats and Caps. Fancy caps for chil-Sept. 17, 1tf. mst received a full assortment

Smyser's 10,000 lbs Bacon wanted at the

Peter Smith,

Takes pleasure in announcing to his old friends, patrons, and the public generally,

### THATHE

STILL continues the CABINET MAKING BUSINESS at the Old

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> of Parlor Chamber and

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Kitchen furniture, on short

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Terms,

He hopes by selling furniture at lowest prices and close attention to business, to merit a liberal patronage.

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W. B. PORTER, AGENT at Sullivan Illinois. January 21 1858.

We have sold out our stock of we have sold out our stock of goods, and are now settling up our business. All those indebted to us, will do us a favor by calling on us and settling the same, as we owe for our goods and cannot pay unless you pay us. Our Books are at the old stand where one or both of us can be

found almost any day.

NABB & BROWN.

Dec. 31, No. 17 tf.

### Thunderation!

We wish our customers to come want their notes, as we are determin- Johnnal. ed to keep everything square, so that none may grumble. This is so. P. B. KNIGHT & Co. Feb. 19, 1858. No 24 tf

### Farm for Sale.

I wish to sell my farm, lying four miles north of Sullivan, Moultrie countries the bequests in the Will of the late ty, Illinois, containing 240 acres of Hon Abbott Lawrence, of Boston, was prairie land, and nine acre of wood-

THOMAS DAVIS, Sullivan, Ill., April 9058—31—35m

New Brick, West Side of Square. I am now receiving

my Spring Stock of goods, which were purchased at greatly reduced prices, and will be sold at a very

ful for the very small believed signed on me by my

friends and the public generally, I hope to merit and receive a continuation of the same. My object will be to keep a good

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Choice Prime Goods.

and to sell at such low prices as to in-

All sizes and qualities kept constant-ly on hand, and made to order on for goods will find it much to their interest to buy of me.

> St neware, Hard-ware,

To which Linvite your attention as to quality and prices, before purchasing elsewhere.

I have just received from the City of New York, a splendid assortment Blackning, Brooms, Pepper Sauce, of Dry goods, which I am desirous of Oysters, Sardines, Flavoring Extracts bartering for the Cash. Great induce- Perfumeries, Hair Oil, Cologne, Note ments are offered to those wishing to Paper, Envelopes, Lard Oil, Combs, buy goods for the money; also as Pocket Knives, Razors shaving Soap. cheap as the cheapest, on TIME, to

The LADIES, especially, are invited to call and examine our stock of GOODS.

J. E. EDEN.

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Feb. 26 1858. No. 25, ly

WHY Should I get an Insurance on my Life?

with business men, I am satisfied that, among one hundred merchants and traders, not more than three ever ac quire independence."-Address by Gen. Dearborn, of Boston.

forward immediately, and settle their vide against their being left penniless, accounts. If they have no money we in the event of his death."—Edin.

by Lufe Insurance very frequently contributes to prolong the life of the insured, at the same time that it materially augments the comfort and wellbeing of those dependent on him."--McClulloch's Commercial Dict'y.

a Life Insurance, for the sole benefit land.

Any person wishing to buy a farm, would do well to give me a call, as I years—showing the estimation he placed upon the subject of Life Insurance and its security.

Mirs. M. A. Vyhlenyt

Begs leave to inform her triends and

the public, that she will have, by the

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Among which may be found the very latest styles of BONNETS of every description, Childrens' Hats, Caps for old ladies,

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Shop on North-west corner of Pub-

Take pleasure in announcing to the oublic and everybody else that they now keep constantly on hand, and manufacture, to order, the most improved ers of money. Every one had better

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A splended lot, of the latest, and most approved style on hand and made to order.
All sorts of Blacksmithing done up

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We take this method of informing our old friends and the public generally, that we are still on hand at the old stand ready and willing to wait on the people, and give them cheap Groceries, we are constantly receiving all article usually found in establishments

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which they propose to sell as cheap as any other house in town; consisting of Coffee,

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AVING associated together in the Saddlery & Harness making business, are now ready to fill all orders in their line, in the best manber, at the shortest notice and on the most

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> BOOTS & SHOES of all kinds constantly on hand, and all that is Commonly kep in the common at the commonly kep in the constant seems on to business, to deserve and receive a share of public patronage.
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We will pay the highest market

OTICE is hereby given, that at

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GEORGE PURVIS.

clerk of the circuit court of Moultr'e at the Court house door in Sullivan, county, in the State of Illinois, in fa- in said State, on the 12th day of June vor of Josiah Reeves & John Collins, A. D. 1858, between the hour of 9 o'and against John E. Maddux; I have 1 id upon the following described lands, to-wit: El of SEl of Sec 24 T 15 Range 4 East, 80 acres, as the proper-erty of the said John E. Maddux, which I shall offer at public sale at the Court-house door in Sullivan, in said State, on the 5th day of June A. D. 1858, between the hour of 9 o' clock A. M., and sunset of said day,

E. C. BERRY Sheriff of

BY virtue of an execution to me directed and delivere l, by the

E. C. Berry Sheriff of

E. C. BERRY Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sale. BY virtue of an Execution, to me directed and delivered, by the

cribed lands to-wit: W1 NW Sec 27 Town, 15 R. 5 East. NET do 28 do 15 " 5 do 340 acres, as the property of the said age of the citizens of Sullivan and vi William Hoagland, which I shall offer cinity. at public sale, at the court house door in Sullivan, in said State, on the 12th

# May 21st 1858.-36 3w

cash in hand, to satisfy said execution. E, C, Berry, Sheriff of Moultrie county Ill.

Are in receipt of a large and well selected Stock of Spring & Summer

Which they offer at fair prices

Every Description,

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May 7th, 1858. No. 35 ly J. Y. HITT. T. Y. LEWIS.

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Cigars, Sonps of every grade,

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Levington, Feb. 2A.

small advance on cost. Thankliberal patronage bestowed up

stock of

to trade with ME. I intend to confine myself, as closely as possible, to the CASH SYSTEM; and as I shall PRICES, persons having money to pay quality of Plows, of every description, sell goods so much below the CREDIT

My stock consists, in part, of Brown and Bleached Domestics, Prints, Lawns, Challis, Linens, Lac-Trimmings, Heavy Goods, &c. &c.-Groccries, Quee s-

Boots & Shoes of rearly all kinds, and at very low prices; Hats and Caps, Ready-made Clothing, Farness, Saddlery, Cutlery, White-lead Oil &c. &c.—In fact I keep almost every thing usually kept in Dry-good

# STORES.

Dec. 31 '57.

prompt paving customers.

April 16, '58. 32 3m.

LET THE PRESENT TIMES REPLY, "After an extensive acquaintance

"It is no more the moral duty of a man to provide the daily bread for his family while he lives, than it is to pro-

EXAMPLE. Hon. Abbott Lawrence.-Among

Feb. 12, 58. 23-tf.

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lic Square, east of Love & Kearney.

MARTHA A. WILHITE.

buy a Plow, and if it don't work well, return it, and get your money.

Shop one door east of the Post Office. March 11th, '58. No. 7 tf

of this kind, consisting in part of the

Starch,

### Country produce taken in exchange for goods. J. R. McClure. Sept. 17, 1857. 1 ly

wis Zwech & Henry Burg, EAST SIDE OF THE PUBLIC SQUARE

SADDLS, is redshirt with zing HARNESS,

> HALTERS, WHIPS.

dispatch. Prices to suit the times, and all

Dec. 10 1857. 14-11.

new again, for very little money. March 19th '58. 28 tf.

A THRILLING ROMANCE OF MYSTERY AND DEATH.

TRANSLATED FROM THE GERMAN OF KLADSCRATCH

BY MEISTER CARL.

CHAPTER L. BOTH wept!

CHAPTER II.

As he ceased weeping, she began to sigh-like sixty. Then they say silent for many hours, with entwining hands. For the evening was all too fair, and had softly involved the souls of the two lovers.

CHAPTER III.

A voice suddenly fractured the solemn silence. Twas that of Zige lindo.

"How blest were I," said he, "could I only pour forth all my soul in my tears, and all my life into thy inner most life, and then die!"

But she lifted her tear-blossomed eyes to the moon-illuminated leaves of the West-wind-berustled jasmine boughs (for even the common run of readers are aware that lovers invari ably sit among jasmine leaves) and she softly lisped again, "what would I be without thee: if thou wert not, I also would not be, oh, my beauty, my lover, my gentleman!"

CHAPTER IV.

"A haeven, a world, a wild eternity lies in thy words!" cried Zigelindo aloud—and from a neighboring swamp melodious rang the gentle vesper hymn of myriad frogs-for there were no nightingales to be scar-ed up in "them diggings."

"Yes-dearest Zigelindo. thou knowest not as yet," cried Eulalia—(Eulalia was her name, for thus they had baptized her)-"that my uncle withholds his assent to our marriage. Yes, sir."

CHAPTER V.

At the word marriage, Zigelindo suddenly wilted down, dried up , trem | constructed with grass and herbage, bled, wept long and wildly, and put First, they deposit one layer of eggs on his hat as if about to travel!

But the frogs quacked wildly on. But Eulalia felt like staying a little longer, and thrilling with agoniz-ed emotion, she screamed in a scarcely audible whisper: "Wilt thou be- on to the top, there being commonly gone? It is not yet near day; it was the nightingale and not the lark that pierced the fearful hollow of thine ear; nightly she sings on you pomegranite tree; believe me, love, it was the nightingale."

CHAPTER VI.

He stayed. A fearful pause ensued; Quaker meeting. Then Eulalia softly and gently wailed. "Wherefore wailest thou?" said

Zigelindo. "Naught remains for us but death!"

gasped Eulalia. He bowed assent, and with the stern determination of a Seneca, and with the courage of a Scaevola, drew before he closed it to see that there from his bosom (his songs) his celebrated "Songs of Tears," and began to read in melancholy tones.

At page 196, eighth line, Eulalia frogs quacked on.

"Why is my heart untouched ?" he cried, in the words of Fernando; will my youthful vigor preserve me?
No go, ha! Thankless pain: But pupies.—[Lyell, the Geologist. he read on to No. 349, fourth verse, common metre, and then his eyes gave out, and his soul caved in, and he sank lifeless on the bosom of Eu- clock for telling the day of the month, lalia. But the frogs quacked on!

There are two kinds of philanthropists those who talk and dates itself to the varying lenghts of those who act. The former believe the months, and gives February only in good advice, the latter in bread and potatoes.

A LESSON FOR STAMMERERS.-Stick six straight sleek, slim sticks around six crooked sticks, but don't mix the straight, sleek, sticks with the six croked sticks.

I hope you will be able to support me, said a lady while walking out with her intended during a slippery state of sidewalks.

Why, yes,' said the somewhat hesitating swain, with some little assist-

ance from your father.' There was some confusion and profound silence, and—that was all.

Envy shoots at others and wounds itself.

Go in lemons!" as the chap said when he drank a glass of lemon-

One sunny afternoon last week, I thought I'd take a ride, And hired a mag they called fa I'm sure she was when 'tied.' My friend old Hines he drove the mare. While I laid on the whip, And shouted till I was quite hours Hines put that animated female project

power through-ge'lang Let 'er rip !

We stopped at Bensal's on the road, Of course we had to "smile," And give the expeditious nag A drink and rest the while, We 'lagged,' then calling for the mare, I tossed the man a tip;

I jumped into the wagon and seizing the reins, requested the aged individual who held the double distilled essence of lightning, in emphatic tones, to-Let 'er rip!

A chap who drove a large bay mag, Seemed anxious for a 'brush,' So whipping up our own fast crab, We went it with a rush. 'Twas neck and neek a mile or more, When his nag made a trip, We glided by like lightning greased, For having hired the extraordinary ani we considered we had a perfect right to get the worth of our money, and there-

Let 'er rip!

We drove along without mishap, At least a dozen miles, Stopping now and then of course, To take several smiles; At last we ran into a chap, Who gave us too much lip, The horse broke-wagon also-pitching Bill and myself into the ditch on the side of the road; Bill, says I, the mare has run away! Bill, struggling under

the combined effects of "lager" and a

mouthfull of mud, replied-Let 'er rip!

-Alligator's nests resemble haycocks. They are four feet high, and five in diameter their basis, being on the floor of mortar, and having covered this with a stratum of mud and herbage, eight inches thick, lay another set of eggs upon that, and so from one to two hundred eggs in the nest. With their tails they then beat down around the nest the dense grass and reeds five feet high, to prevent the approach of unseen enemies. The female watches for her eggs until they are all hatched by the sun, and then takes her brood under her own care defending them and providing for their subsistence. Dr. Lutsenburg packed up one of these nests, with the mer. eggs in a box for the Museum at St. Petersburg, but was recommended was nodanger of the eggs being hatched on the voyage. On opening one, a young alligator walked out and had wept herself to death! But the was soon followed by the rest, about a hundred, which he fed in his house where they went up and down stairs whining and barking like young

CALENDER CLOCKS.—H. S. Skinner of Huron, Ohio, has invented a new the month itself, and hour.

This is done by a simple arrange ment of mechanism that accommotwenty-eight days in leap year. it is less complicated than those usually made to effect the same purpose, and dose great credit to the tingenuity of the inventor.

A talking match lately came off at New Orleans for five dollars a side, continued according to the Advertiser, for thirteen hours, the rivals being a Frenchman and a Kentuckiss. The bystanders and judges were talked to sleep, and when they awoke in the morning, they found the Frenchman dead, and the Kentuckian whispering in his ear.

To what color does a flogging change a boy? It makes him yell O!

Some poet, some where, got up the following:

O! Molly, 'tis my chief delight, To gais upon your eyeses brite --My luv far by goth surpasses The luv I fele for 'butter-milk & biskit,' New Goods!

Is just receiving and opening as neat and well selected stock of Staple and Fancy Goods as has ever been offered

this MARKET. My stock consists in a full assortment of the latest styles of Spring and Summer Dress Goods, Staple and Fancy, to suit EVEN THE MOST

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A. N. SMISER. March 19th, 1858. No. 28, ly.

> Manny,s REAPER AND MOWER

COMBINEDIII To Farmers who are acquainted with this celebrated machine comment upon its merits is unnecessary. To those who are unacquainted with it, the following considerations are wor

thy of notice.

I. This machine has been in use for years in every portion of the grain growing States, and is known to be EXACTLY RIGHT, consequently is no

II. It is the stongest machine in use, and will not fail you when most wanted.

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as well as it will REAP. V. It has Received 110 Premiums; among which are that of the PARIS WORLD'S FAIR! the NEW YORK WORLD'S FAIR!! and lastly, that of the NATIONAL AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY, at the Reaper Trial at Syracuse N. Y., last Summer. At that trial there were about 40 different Machines in competition, and yet after a trial of Six Days, Manny's Reaper was decided the Most Perfect of ALL!

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J. N. BOUTWELL, Agent. West Urbana Cham. Co. Ill. April 30 1858—t-July 1.

NOTICE!

To all those who are indebted to S. Livingston & Bro., notice is hereby given that their Notes and Accounts are left with the undersigned for collection, and unless they shall call by the 1st of May next, and settte up, cost will be added thereto.

March 19 '58 .- No. 28 3m.

RESH arrival at J. E. Edens, Hats and Caps. Fancy caps for chil Sept. 17,

Just received a full assortmen of Building & fencing Nails at Smyser's

10,000 lbs Bacon wanted at the May 1st '58

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CHAS, A, CARTER

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Where the wants of the Inner Man can be abundantly supplied. He will also keep on hand a splended assortment of Fresh Confectionary. Fresh Oysters served up at all

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Sullivan, Sept. 17,

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Call and see me and I think I can offer such inducements as will induce you to buy of me and therefore save freight but Express charges.

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Quick sales and small profit, and no

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knowledgements to a generous and appreciating public, for the very liberal patronage bestowed upon him this Spring,

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and he hopes by

cheated the sooner he'll come again. N. B. All persons indebted to me whose accounts were due last Christmas and prior to that time must pay np. It takes something more substancial than promises to satisfy those to whome I am indebted, and I intend to pay them with what is due me!-So come along and save costs on your part and disagreable feelings on mine.

JOHN PERRYMAN.

Sullivan Sept. 17,-1 ly

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