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A Cure for Ennui.

It was ten in the morning, and I had just risen when Dr. Elliott entered my apartment. 'Ah, Doctor,' said I, in a feeble voice, 'you see before you a poor young man who is fast going to the grave. I am surrounded by everything that wealth can purchase, but at twenty-five years of age, have lost all sense of enjoyment. My existence is a burden, and I only desire death. I have consulted the most eminent physicians in London, but they can do nothing for me.'

'They were right,' replied the Doctor, abruptly.

'Then must I die?'

'Yes, undoubtedly, when you are eighty years old.'

'Heavens! do you know a remedy?'

'Perhaps, perhaps. Let me see, Sir Thomas, have you abused the pleasures which youth and fortune have procured for you?'

'I have used them, but never abused them.'

'What were your first thoughts upon waking?'

'Vague and undefined.'

'Have you ever been in love?'

'Alas! I have no strength to love or hate.'

'Do you like the theatre?'

'It is a bore.'

'Do you like the pleasures of the table?'

'I have no appetite.'

'Do you enjoy the beauties of nature?'

'I only see clouds and shadows.'

'You are very sick, but not incurable.'

'Do you believe it?'

'I know it; but you must make a great sacrifice.'

'What is that?'

'You must renounce your country, your friends, and the use of your fortune. You must forget that you are Sir Thomas Wentworth, and the immense wealth you possess. You must go to Switzerland, taking with you only a hundred guineas to buy some goats and a little cabin. You must live there for a year, breathing the pure mountain air, and laboring with the sweat of your brow to gain an existence, which all the diamonds of the Indies cannot purchase.'

'You forget I cannot travel—I have no strength.'

'It will return. There exists in society a class of men among whom your malady is extremely rare. These are the poor; in their ranks you must mingle. Depart, then, as soon as possible. Return in a year and you will return cured. There is but one plank between you and shipwreck; renounce it, and you are a dead man.'

So saying he took his hat, and politely wishing me a pleasant journey, departed.

I deliberated upon his advice, and concluded to follow it. To my steward I gave directions concerning my affairs, and the next day embarked for Dover, without acquainting a person with the object of my journey or my destination.

I supported the fatigue of traveling better than I anticipated, although I gave up all hopes of ever looking upon my country or kindred again.

After a journey of three weeks the snowy summits of the Alps rose before me. At this sight I was seized with a profound sadness, and felt sure that I should never leave them alive. [illegible] dejection of spirits, and remained there two days to make my arrangements, and finally decided upon the valley of Lauterbrunn for my habitation. I rose at 6, took a guide and began my march; but the grand and imposing scenes of nature were not in harmony with my physical strength, and what to others would have been a source of unbounded pleasure was to me a suffering. We stopped for the night in the valley of Grindelwold, and in the morning, for the first time in many months, I had a good appetite.

At sunset I arrived at my destination, and entering the first house, I asked the hospitality of the inmates, which was cheerfully accorded me. In the morning I assumed a shepherd's dress, and left the friendly roof, not to enjoy the charms of nature, but to indulge in my own sad reflections.

I had taken but a few steps when I heard the sound of music, and the village rapidly filled with people to attend divine service. The crowd proceeded towards the church, and awaited the entrance of the pastor, a venerable man, inspiring respect and esteem. Hardly were the services concluded, when the flutes and hautboys were heard anew, and a man and woman knelt before the altar and received the nuptial benediction. Happiness and gaiety shone in all faces. I glanced towards the seat occupied by the young girls of the valley, and observed one with her eyes fixed upon me. Her beauty was more delicate and noble than that of her companions, and occasionally a tear would steal from beneath her eyelashes. Her sadness gave her an additional charm in my eyes; 'Like me, she is unhappy,' I said, 'but happiness will soon smile upon her, while with me death only will put an end to my misery.'

Next followed a ball, and two hundred young people danced merrily to the sound of the same instruments that we heard in the church. Seeing a strange young shepherd reclining in the shade of an ancient pine, some of the dancers approached me to join in their amusement; but I declined, and they abandoned me to my own reflections. The young girl with whose beauty I had been so struck was not among the gay throng; she had disappeared immediately upon leaving the church.

After the rustic ball the girls, hand in hand, singing gaily as they went, advanced to the foot of a hill, whose summit was covered with ice. All at once they started and rushed full speed up the slippery eminence. They seemed like a troop of angels ascending to Heaven. But what was my terror when they began to descend in the same rapid and perilous manner. With great speed they came springing down the declivity, their hair unbound and floating in the wind, while their lovers at the base of the hill, with their arms extended, received them with innumerable kisses.

'Happy shepherds!' I exclaimed, 'how I envy you!'

Upon arriving at the house I learned that my guide had purchased for me a flock of a dozen goats, and a little cabin upon one of the neighboring mountains. This transaction had consumed almost all my money, and if I wished to live, I must labor like my new companions, no richer than any of them.

My dwelling was neat, and furnished with everything necessary for comfort; a bench, a table and a bed, a little hard to be sure, but soft enough for the robust limbs of a tired shepherd.

My first few days were frightful. The insolation in which I lived, the course fare, to which I was made accustomed, the violent exercise in following my goats over rocks and precipices, all combined to drive me to despair. Soon I had not strength to leave my cabin; a burning fever consumed me, and my senses were lost in delirium. I remained ten days hovering between life and death. Sometimes believing myself in my own country, sometimes on a desert island, pursuing phantoms that fled before me.— Sometimes I seemed to see at my bed-side the young girl whom I met at church, but her sweet face was soon obliterated by others.

Finally, after a [illegible] sleep, my rea[illegible] my eyes and perceived two females—one of middle age who had uttered the exclamation; but the other, fresh as spring and beautiful as a new-born flower, gazed at me in silence. 'These are the two angels,' I said in my own language, 'that have saved my life.' My words they could not understand, but my sentiment I am sure they did.

Marie and Laura, as they were called in the valley, were beloved by all the inhabitants of Lauterbrunn. They delighted in good deeds, and often climbed the mountain to carry assistance to sick cottagers.— Their dwelling was not far from mine, and as soon as they learned of my illness they hastened to tend upon me. Thanks to their care, I recovered, and became a frequent visitor at their cottage. Gratitude made it a duty, and love made it a necessity.

I applied myself diligently to the study of their language, and, with Marie and Laura for instructors, I soon acquired great proficiency in it, and could converse freely with the shepherds upon the mountains. Obliged, like them, to earn my own living, I soon began to value my hard earned necessaries, and to forget the existence of luxuries. After a hard day's work, I thoroughly enjoyed my evening meal of coarse bread and goat's milk. My sleep was peaceful, and visions of Laura danced through my dreams.

I supposed that Marie and Laura were natives of Lauterbrunn. They wore the costumes and spoke the language of the country, but I could not but observe a marked difference between their manners and those of the simple Swiss shepherdess. The latter possessed a charming naturalness, and at the same time, an air of rusticity. Marie and Laura possessed the same naturalness, but a high-bred refinement and cultivation was mingled with it. They were calculated to adorn any station, however exalted.

In the meantime, activity, and the pure air of the mountains accomplished miracles in my behalf. I could climb the steepest rocks and the most slippery paths. I pursued the chamois into almost inaccessible retreats, and leaping a frightful chasm was a mere amusement. After being so feeble, I rejoiced in my strength and acquired a wonderful vitality and energy.

One day I reached the summit of the Scheideg and contemplated the vast scene around me—high rocks, steep precipices, and apparently bottomless abysses, while far, far beneath me lay, in miniature, the smiling valleys of Lauterbrunn and Grindelwold. A few light clouds hovered above the horizon, and looked like floating mountains.

I was lost in admiration at the glorious scene, when suddenly a terrible noise, like thunder, reverberated through the mountains. This fearful sound increased, and a thousand echoes repeated it. I, safely out of the reach of the avalanches, began to descend with great rapidity, when I heard a piercing cry, and saw, upon a neighboring eminence, a young woman stretching her arms imploringly towards me. I flew towards her, and received the unfortunate girl fainting in my arms. I bore her from the dangerous spot. One moment more, and I should have been too late. It was Laura, and no other than Laura, whom I had rescued from death. I felt myself endowed with a new strength, and carried her in my arms without perceiving the weight of my precious burthen. I dashed down the mountain with the agility of a chamois, never stopping to breathe until I had reached the dwelling of Marie.

Laura, tempted by the serenity of the atmosphere, had ventured upon the mountains to collect some plants, and was surprised by the avalanche in the midst of her occupation. After this day I assumed the entire charge of Marie and Laura. On Sundays and feast days I escorted them to the village, and joined in the dance with the young people upon the green. These were the happiest moments of my life, for I asked of Heaven no greater felicity than that of seeing Laura every day.

In the meantime my year of exile had nearly expired. My health was entirely reestablished, and to my expectations of death had succeeded all the hope of friendship and love. I thought of my friends at home, but could not decide to leave a country to which I was indebted for the greatest of all benefits, health, and besides how could I abandon Laura? I could more easily have renounced life.

The principal events of our system are independent of our will. Our designs are at the mercy of circumstances, like a leaf at the sport of the wind. I entered, one evening, the cottage of my neighbors, and found them both in tears—Marie weeping in the arms of Laura, and saying:

'Oh! my daughter, what will become of us? Where shall we take refuge? If I were alone I could drag through the few days remaining to me, but I cannot see you suffer.'

'Do not despair, my dear mother,' said Laura; 'I am well, and can work and support us both until that happy day shall come which will restore us to our country and rights. Be consoled, then, and do not be unhappy about my welfare.'

The scene made so deep an impression upon me, that I was no longer master of myself, and entreated them to acquaint me with their misfortunes, and I would shed my last drop of blood in their cause.

Laura burst into tears and exclaimed 'soon we must part forever.'

'Forever, Laura? ah! I would rather die a hundred times. No, I will only abandon you with life.'

'It is necessary,' she continued; 'heaven and man have decided, and we must separate. We are compelled to fly from the peaceful country, where I had just begun to know happiness. I confess before God you are the only person here that I regret leaving.'

At these words I fell upon my knees before her, and pressing her hand to my lips, exclaimed, not knowing what I said, 'Laura, I'll follow you everywhere—your destiny shall be mine. I here swear to love you eternally.'

'Stop,' said Marie, stepping between us. 'Tom, my daughter can never be yours.— The rank our family occupied in France forbids it. Would to heaven we had been born in this smiling valley, where the same fortune, the same education, would have made us equal. But it is not so. Laura is the daughter of the Count de Blanville.— The blood which flows in her veins is illustrious. She cannot dishonor it by allying herself to a poor shepherd. Misfortunes attendant upon a terrible revolution have expatriated us, and deprived us of our estate. M. de Blanville was massacred before my eyes, and I escaped from France— not that I cared for my own life, but to save my daughter from the axe of the executioner. I believed that in this retired part of Switzerland I had procured a peaceful retreat, where the storm could no longer break upon us, but I was deceived.— A decree from the Republic of Berne commands all French emigrants to quit Switzerland, and allows them but three days to seek another asylum. Alas! what part of the world can we find a shelter from our persecutors?'

At these words she burst into a torrent of tears. I approached her respectfully and said:

'The poor Tom is not worthy of being the husband of Laura, but whatever may [illegible] do not for[illegible]

I left the cottage, not trusting myself to look again at Laura. The next morning at sunrise I started for Berne, where business detained me for two days. Immediately upon my return, I called at the cottage of Madame de Blanville to renew my offers of assistance and to say farewell.

Laura looked pale and sad, but her mother greeted me with a face radiant with joy, and showed me a letter just received from Berne. It was as follows:

'MADAME—A man to whom you have unconsciously rendered a most important service, has just become apprized of your cruel situation. Permit him to offer you an asylum in his country. Depart at once for London, inquire there for the residence of Sir Thomas Wentworth. His house is at your service, and you will there receive every attention and respect that a son can offer the dearest of parents.

I am, madame, very respectfully,
THOMAS WENTWORTH.'

'It is from Heaven,' cried Madame de Blanville. 'How could I ever doubt the goodness of Providence? I have tried in vain to recall that Sir Thomas Wentworth, but I am sure this is the first time I ever heard his name. There is something very extraordinary about it. What do you think of it, Tom? What do you advise us to do?'

'If you would deign, Madame, to take counsel from a shepherd, you will accept the offer of Sir Thomas Wentworth. Circumstances are pressing, and require it.— He can have no motive for deceiving you, and I believe him an honest man; and an honest man always regards his promises.'

'But we do not know him.'

'When you see him you may recognize him, and if you have forgotten the service you have rendered him, it is very plain that he has not.'

During this scene I glanced at Laura.— She did not partake of the joy of her mother, but was wrapt in melancholy. I approached her, and taking her hand, said:

'Oh, Laura, how happy is Sir Thomas; he can offer you an asylum and console you.'

'Console me! ah, Tom, the death of my father and our separation are misfortunes for which I can never be consoled.'

The next day Madame de Blanville and Laura left the valley. The instant of their departure was the signal for mine. We took different routes. They dared not pass through France, but made a circuitous tour through Germany and Holland. I not fearing the axe of the executioner, and desirous of returning as soon as possible, passed directly through France, and was soon in England, and awaiting with indescribable impatience the moment when I could welcome the two beings so dear to me.

One morning I was alone in my library, thinking of Laura, and bitterly regretting that I had ever lost sight of her, when my servant announced the arrival of two strangers.

When I entered the drawing-room Madame and Mademoiselle de Blanville approached me with grace and dignity. The eyes of Laura were modestly cast down, but I noticed traces of deep sadness upon her brow. Her mother's anxiety of mind, my change of costume, and the luxuries by which I was surrounded, all prevented her recognition of me. She placed in my hands the letter she had received from Berne. I took it and pretended to read it.

'Yes, Madame, it is I who offer you an asylum. My house, my fortune, my life, all that I possess is yours. I promised you the respect, the attention of a son for the most tender of parents. I will keep my word, even if your daughter should refuse to unite her fate to that of the poor shepherd Tom.'

At these words a visible flush mantled upon the cheeks of the young girl. She raised her astonished eyes and cried,

'Good God! It is Tom! Tom himself!'

Her surprise, that of Madame de Blanville, and my transports of joy, prevent me from describing the scene that ensued.— I can only leave it to the imagination of the reader.

In a few days Laura became Lady Wentworth, and for three years I have been the happiest of husbands. Everything is bright around me, all nature is smiling, and every day I thank heaven for having preserved an existence so filled with charms. To Dr. Elliott I am indebted for all my felicity. With agreeable duties and pleasures my whole time is occupied, and I have not experienced a moment of ennui since my departure for Switzerland.

Sound Sentiments of the President.

The consistency of President Buchanan upon the slavery question, and the Constitutional rights of the South, is one of the characteristics of his long public career. It may be safely asserted that no other Nothern statesman of whatever political party has been so uniformly true in these regards. Last year the challenge was tendered in every part of the South to the opposition to find one single instance where Mr. Buchanan had voted or spoken against the South. Notwithstanding he had taken part in all the great questions and controversies since 1820, and in Congress and in his seat, too, nearly all the time, still his record was found to be singularly in accordance with the Constitution, especially when the rights of the South were involved. So firmly convinced were the people of the South after months of the severest investigation to which the public life of any man in this country ever was subject, that they voted for him with a unanimity unparalleled in the history of our Presidential elections.

His Inaugral on the 4th of March was so sound, so full of the clearest, truest Constitutional sentiments, that the conservative men every where responded at once to it. It dissipated the objection on the score of Squatter Sovereignty with many who had conceived that as the only obstacle to their support of him in the Presidential election. It was a document so plain, so frank, so patriotic, so fair and just to every section that constitution-loving citizens could but endorse and applaud. Alike creditable to their patriotism, intelligence and honor, some of the prominent supporters of Mr. Fillmore did not hesitate to range themselves upon the side of the only National party in the country, lead on by President Buchanan with his Inaugral as the chart of principles. That Inaugural only reiterated the opinions which Mr. Buchanan had always held, and without variation or timidity defended in Congress and out of it, at home and abroad. Nothing has occurred since to alter his decided position in a single point, let the opposition misrepresent as they may.

The instructions to Gov. Walker contain nothing obnoxious or violative of the principle of the Nebraska-Kansas bill. They do not coincide with the declarations of the Governor in his Inaugural, or in his Topeka speech. They simply look to protecting the *bona fide* citizens in their franchise against an interference when the Constitution is submitted, if the Convention should elect to submit it. Mr. Buchanan understood too well the real meaning and intent of the Kansas act, and too well appreciated his position as the President of the United States to violate his duty in the premises. In view, too, of the unanimous support of the South last year, he was not so [illegible] to commit the blunder which has been [illegible] several months.

His late letter to the New [illegible] [illegible] ecclesiastics enabled him to [illegible] anew the soundest sentiments, while it afforded him an opportunity to rebuke those officious Black Republicans. Whatever may be thought of the propriety of referring so much to them, so as to reply to them, no true conservative or Southern man can but admire the ground he takes, enunciated in such plain, strong [illegible] language. It will be seen by the extract we subjoin, that he holds the position that slavery existed in Kansas under the Constitution of the United States *independent of local law.* This point he says has at last been finally decided by the highest tribunal known to our laws. Then he expresses the astonishment how it could ever have been seriously doubted. [illegible] look at the predicate—what right has one section to attempt to exclude another from equal participation in a Territory obtained by the blood and treasure of both. What better Southern or Constitutional ground [illegible] that our common Constitution recognizes [illegible] of property in men, in the African slave as he exists at the South. Let the late expressions of Mr. Buchanan's sentiments shame his Southern opponents, as well as the Black Republican fanatics.

"Slavery existed at that period, and still exists in Kansas, under the Constitution of the United States. This point has at last been finally decided by the highest tribunal known to our laws. How it could ever have been seriously doubted, is a mystery. If a confederation of sovereign States acquire a new Territory at the expense of their common blood and treasure, surely one set of the partners can have no right to exclude the other from its enjoyment, by prohibiting them from taking into it whatsoever is recognized to be property by the common Constitution. But when the people—the *bona fide* residents of such Territory—proceed to frame a State Constitution, then it is their right to decide the important question for themselves, whether they will continue, modify, or abolish slavery. To them, and to them alone, does this question belong, free from all foreign interference."—*Montgomery Adv.*

From the Charleston Evening News, Sept. 1[illegible].

The Steamship Columbia—The Gales.

The passage of the Columbia from New York to Charleston, where she arrived yesterday afternoon, after encountering two terrific galas, will ever be remembered by those on board—yes, remembered in awe, remembered in wonder, remembered in humble gratitude.

We were one of those who passed thro' the trying and long ordeal, and one who participated in those deep and subdued feelings which it engendered.

The Columbia left New York in fine weather on Wednesday afternoon—met a head wind and rather rough sea on Thursday and Thursday night—passed Cape Hatteras on Thursday evening—and were nearly, at ten o'clock on Friday morning, off Frying Pan shoals. By this time the wind had shifted from the southward, and began to increase to a gale from E. N. E. and before one P. M. the noble steamer had to be brought to a stand, with her head to the tempest, and her engine strained to keeping her steady and from drifting toward [illegible] fifteen fathoms water. She gradually worked father out and obtained ample sea room, although at a previous good distance. And now, for eighteen hours did that tempest beat upon her, and a scene continue of the grand, appaling and perilous beyond description. Not only were the waves of the greatest magnitude and wildness, and the wind the most terrible hurricane, but for hours they came in cross directions, the sea from S. E. giving the ugliest cross sea, and subjecting to the double danger of swamping and capsize. At ten P. M. the wind veered to E. S. E. and reached its height, but the seas thus more fully meeting its direction. Until two A. M. the climax of this terrible power of both prevailed, then slowly abated, and at five o'clock, A. M., Saturday, the wind was down, leaving us on immense rolling waves.

Thus ended the first gale. For a few hours, although the reverse storm was expected by some, all parties became cheerful and partook of breakfast. At nine A. M. the wind having shifted to the West and North or landward, was in a few minutes the most driving hurricane we have ever seen or conceived. It prostrated the awful seas which had come from the broad ocean, and appeared to sweep its surface along in sprays and foam with lightning power and velocity. For five hours it exhibited not even abatement enough to mark squalls— it was one great squall. Under it the sea gradually increased, and when at last the wind became more fitful, it had reached a surging power that made every timber quiver, although the ship took it lengthwise [illegible] on her bow. In the mean time the gale had veered to the southward, thus giving us another ordeal of a cross sea, and as our gallant commander called it—an 'ugly sea.' Between four and eight P. M it was fearful. From then until after midnight a gradual "cessation of horrors" took place; exhausted passengers sunk to a fitful sleep, and woke at dawn of Sunday to find a gentle breeze, a pacified ocean and a clearing sky —to find themselves safe and bearing for Charleston, with gratitude to God in their hearts, and wonder at their deliverance, for forty-two hours they had borne the most painful suspense, and for thirty-three had been in the extremest peril.

The gale must have been a circular hurricane through which the Columbia passed, or which rather passed over her position. The outer portion of its whirl took her in one direction, then its centre being more or less still and vacuous enveloped her in the few hours lull, and again the opposite side, striking her from still other directions, produced the second storm, and turned her prow to all points of the compass, in her struggle for preservation.

We have had representations of storms at sea in language and by picture. We recognized the fidelity, however exaggerated and wild. But the reality went far beyond. No one can realize the terrific grandeur of a sea tempest, *who is not in it.* No one can approach to a conception of the appaling in the extent of sublimity, whose life is not at hazard on the wide mountainous raging of an ocean, under the hissing blast of a hurricane, and with every sense awakened by and fastened upon the terrors of the scene. In its midst, one wonders how the thin air can throw into such a boundless toss a dense and vast ocean, and more than all, he stands in amazement that any ship, however large or managed, can possibly bear the pitching to which she is subjected. —She appears to be not only as a feather to the raging elements, but as a speck to the bounds of their strife. As far as the eye can reach, when looking up from the trough of the sea, the ocean appears to be liquidised mountains tossing together, in a wide expanding range.

Calmness and quietude appeared to pervade the manner and looks of the passengers; in fact, on such an occasion *one feels so gathered and intensified within,* that any outward display of feeling would be a mockery. The ladies were all composed.

And what shall we say of our commander Capt. Berry, whom we are proud to call a friend? We cannot believe that a more thorough seaman walks the deck of any vessel afloat. He handled his ship in the most masterly manner—an indecision or mistake must have lost her. He [illegible]

[illegible] ance of safety. But he [illegible] ship *as if she was his* [illegible] deserved it, for she proved [illegible] sea boat. Nor could we [illegible] conclusion that steam [illegible] whereby to guide [illegible] injury a ship [illegible] such that a sea [illegible] slowly as to avoid such [illegible] must founder the vessel [illegible] kept at rest, and [illegible] positive forces in [illegible]

Our time is too [illegible] and the effect [illegible] too much [illegible] can only congratulate [illegible] of the vessel, its officers [illegible] sengers and freight [illegible] to float the waves [illegible]

England in [illegible]

There is something in [illegible] titude of England which [illegible] tion, whatever may be [illegible] character of the conflict [illegible] is engaged. Having an [illegible] prosecute as well as a formidable [illegible] tion to subdue, she intimates [illegible] which hesitates to comply with [illegible] gagements, one of the conditions [illegible] which was the evacuation of [illegible] The renewal of the war with [illegible] would involve a greatly increased [illegible] penditure, still undaunted by the [illegible] ils of such a position, having [illegible] war and a rebellion, she braves the con[illegible] sequences of adding another [illegible] other contests. It is by such [illegible] ble resolution that much of the [illegible] influence of nations arises [illegible] tent, will is almost as effectual [illegible] strument of power as [illegible] commanded, and abundant [illegible] defray the cost of hostilities [illegible] these hazards, before [illegible] with France, tells Spain [illegible] go to war with Mexico [illegible] of a diversion of her [illegible] West in conjunction with [illegible] she [illegible] full employment [illegible] the East, will not [illegible] armed intervention, if necessary [illegible] assailable on her sea girt [illegible] prepared, not only to maintain [illegible] possessions, remote as they [illegible] the seat of her power [illegible] nal integrity, but to [illegible] mercial interests every w[illegible] ate in the preservation [illegible] balance of power. There [illegible] of moral grandeur in such [illegible] A nation of twenty [illegible] ing in her hands the [illegible] gions, and extending her [illegible] parts of the four quarters of [illegible] may have to struggle [illegible] nance of her dominion, but [illegible] and resolution with which [illegible] the crisis is one step towards [illegible] tenance.—*Charleston* [illegible]

THE MOTHER MOULDS [illegible]—That it is the mother who moulds [illegible] man, is a sentiment illustrated [illegible] following recorded observation [illegible] shrewd writer:

"When I lived among the [illegible] dians, I held a consultation with [illegible] their chiefs respecting the success [illegible] ges of their progress in the arts of civilized life, among other things he informed me that at their start, they fell into a great mistake, they only sent their boys to school. These boys came home intelligent men, but they married uneducated and uncivilized wives, and the uniform result was that the children were all like their mothers. Thus the father soon lost his wife, and children. And now said he, if we would educate but one class of our children, we would choose the girls, for when they become mothers, they educate their sons. This is the point, and it is true. No nation can become enlightened when mothers are not in a good degree, qualified to discharge the duties of the home work of education.

MARION, ALA., Sept. [illegible]—[illegible] days past we have noticed wagons passing through town, loaded with cotton for market. On Friday we noticed the wagon of our fellow-citizen, L. H. Seawell, Esq., pass through to the depot loaded with nine bales, which required eight mules to pull. This, however, is no index to the cotton crop in this section of the country, for we learn from several intelligent planters that the boll worm is making sad havoc with the cotton, especially in the bottoms. If they continue much longer, the [illegible] will all be gathered by the first of [illegible]ber, and not much gathered at that.—[illegible]*monwealth.*

☞ Moralists may talk as much as they please of the sin of envy, but for the [illegible] I can never see a pretty [illegible] envying the *good* luck of the man who [illegible] marry her.—*Fairchild.*

ERUPTION OF MOUNT VESUVIUS.—[illegible] letter from Naples of the 20th [illegible]

"For some time past the [illegible] noises heard by the guides of [illegible] indicated an approaching er[illegible] the inhabitants of the nei[illegible] the mountain were und[illegible] alarm. During the last [illegible] smoke thrown up from the [illegible] become much thicker than [illegible] the evening before last a long train of liquid fire was seen descending on the side of Ottajano at a place called [illegible] del Farao, [illegible] site the sea, and out of [illegible] danger to the inhabitants of Portici, Resina, and Torre del Greco. At Naples an immense crowd assembled to witness the spectacle, and a [illegible] number of foreigners proceeded to the foot of the mountain, the [illegible] guides being [illegible] The lava has already [illegible] about [illegible]

[illegible] VILLE, ALA.
[illegible] 7, 1857.

[illegible] Panic and Suspension [illegible] North.

[illegible] that the failures [illegible] continue. But they [illegible] continued to increase [illegible] until they now number [illegible] and business houses [illegible] Philadelphia, Boston, Balti[illegible] and other smaller [illegible] The failures [illegible] followed by a panic almost with [illegible] and suspension of specie [illegible] by many of the northern banks, [illegible] also a number of the Tennessee banks, which may and probably will extend throughout the entire West.

Thus far however these evils, with their direful consequences to trade and business, have not reached the south, and those who are best acquainted with the condition of [illegible] are of the opinion that they will not, but that the south will entirely escape, and may remain calm and serene amid the general wreck and ruin. This state of things [illegible] opened the eyes of some of the north[illegible] relative to the state of society, [illegible] institutions in the two sections [illegible] and they are making compar[illegible] favorable to the North [illegible] their people for the future to attend to their own business and strive to cement the bonds of union, instead of meddling with southern institutions.

New Goods.—We invite attention to the advertisement in another column of Messrs. John D. Hoke & Bro. who are now receiving at their long established and justly popular house, a superb stock of Fall and [illegible] Goods, selected with their usual [illegible] eye to value, durability, taste, [illegible] fashion. Give them a call, you [illegible] their stock all the late and beau[illegible] Goods, with every disposition [illegible] accommodate you both in [illegible]

[illegible] of paper we have been [illegible] enlargement has been great [illegible] think it but right that we [illegible] know the gratifying fact that [illegible] southern manufacture. It was made [illegible] the [illegible], Ga. Paper Mills, and sold [illegible] at a lower price than we have ever been able to purchase paper of like quality from the North. This branch of manufacture is in a more forward state in the south than any other, and we hope it may prove a prelude to the rapidly approaching [illegible] when we shall have type foundries [illegible] and general book publishing [illegible] and be no longer dependent upon [illegible] our books.

[illegible] respectfully invite attention of [illegible] to the notice in another column [illegible] of a splendid stock of staple Fall and Winter Goods, by [illegible] Rowland. Our merchants seem [illegible] taken unusual pains to lay in large [illegible] stocks this Fall, and this firm [illegible] others in this respect [illegible] examine and suit yourselves [illegible] assortment of Ready [illegible] and goods of every descrip[illegible]

[illegible] our readers this week, with [illegible] from a correspondent at O[illegible] [illegible] evinces poetic tal[illegible] higher, and we hope the au[illegible] it his muse to slumber, [illegible] present us with like favors, which [illegible] would be highly appreciated by our readers.

[illegible] Dont overlook the notice in another column of the reception of an extensive [illegible] of Merchandize by J. B. & G. H. Forney. The elder member of this firm has had much experience in the purchase and sale of Goods, and been very fortunate in giving universal satisfaction to his friends and patrons, while the younger has exhibited much proficiency and skill in the business of his choice. They will be found, not only grateful for past liberal patronage, but ever ready to extend every accommodation [illegible] merit its continuance and increase.

We invite the attention of persons [illegible] may wish to forward cotton or other [illegible] or purchase Groceries, &c to the [illegible] in another column, of the [illegible] known and reliable business firm of [illegible] & Co., Selma, Ala.

Frost.—There was sligt frost in this vicinity on the mornings of 30th September and 1st of October, but not sufficient to injure cotton or other vegetation.

Gen. Sam Houston, it is said, since his defeat for Governor of Texas, has been organizing a filibustering band, to make a descent on some of the states of Mexico.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATOR.

Hon. M. J. T[illegible] of this place, has accepted the appointment, under the Code, [illegible] the office of General Administrator for this County. This is an office of great convenience and utility to the public, and could not easily be better filled than in this instance. Judge Turnley's systematic business habits, his strict integrity and diligent dispatch of business, together with his law [illegible] and experience as Judge for [illegible] years in Cherokee County, em[illegible] qualify him for the discharge of its duties. There are many small estates, the interested parties to which have no experience in such business, and prefer to forfeit their interest, rather than encounter the trouble. In all such cases, persons can have their business promptly and correctly attended to, and speedily wound up, by [illegible] to the General Administrator.

[illegible] Convention.—Some specula[illegible] [illegible] as to the cause of the [illegible] of this Convention. It is [illegible] letter from Mr. Danforth, a [illegible] convention, published in [illegible] Prior to the adjourn[illegible] [illegible] of the body appointed [illegible] to whom was referred the duty [illegible] a constitution, and in a post[illegible] to his letter, Mr. D. says:

The Convention has just determined to [illegible] until the 3d Monday in Octo[illegible] [illegible] the Committee, to whom was referred the constitution, time to report.

We also give from the same letter this [illegible]

[illegible] Calhoun is made to say that we [illegible] present our Constitution to the true [illegible] of Kansas. This you will understand [illegible] all do here, utterly and forever [illegible] the abolition hounds who infest [illegible] To show the same liberality [illegible] [illegible] hereby boast and I reckon that has played ever will just as affectually save our sinful souls as those of the most orthodox. I know that they have in my case wrought wonderful good from——their exceeding brevity. There is some difference of opinion among the members of the Convention on minor points as to when and [illegible] whether it shall be submitted [illegible] the Constitution shall be at all, but on one point all are unit[illegible] black and white rec[illegible] This point was so unanimously agreed to, that if you could have [illegible] members agreeing to it, it would have made your head swim.

Later from California.

The steamer Philadelphia, at New Orleans, brings San Francisco papers to the 20th ult. The news is of very little interest. We select the following from the summaries of the papers:

The tickets of the four political parties, viz: Democratic, American, Republican and Settlers, are now all complete, and the various Gubernatorial nominees are "stumping" it throughout the state.

Owing to the scarcity of water in many portions of the mining region, our interior exchanges are unusually barren of items chronicling the receipt of "big lumps," the announcement of "great strikes," or the opening of "rich leads." But in quartz mining much activity prevails, and in El Dorado county auriferous veins are being worked which [illegible] as high, in one instance as a dollar to the pound of rock, or two thousand dollars to the ton. This claim is owned by J. K. Board formerly Supreme Court Clerk. Extensive fluming operations are in progress on all of mining streams, but it is yet too early to learn of the successes of these enterprises.

Throughout the interior the heat has been excessive. On the 9th inst., the mercury, in some portions of the state, ran up to 120 de. in the shade, and, in very few places, besides in this city, did it fall below 100 de. on that day. Even here it will long be known as the "hot Sunday," although the sea breeze greatly mitigated the heat of the sun in the after part of the day.

Of murders, affrays, suicides, and other deeds of crime and violence, many more are chronicled than it has been our misfortune to record for a long time past. A number of culprits have expiated the extreme penalty of the law for their offences, and many more have been sent to the penitentiary from various parts of the state.

The Metropolitan theatre, on Montgomery street, was destroyed by fire on Saturday evening, the 15th inst.—the work of an incendiary. The building was owned by L. E. Ritter and Henry Hentz. The loss will not fall far short of $00,000.

Later from Mexico.

The corespondent of the Picayune gives the following important information:

Vera Cruz, Aug 7,—By express, just arrived in thirty six hours from the capital, we learn that the Tehuantepec negotiators have been successful—an arrangement having been signed day before yesterday, granting all or nearly all asked for by them. The *Sloo* and Garay grants are both entirely ignored, and the affair is placed on a perfectly new and independent basis—the privilege to last for sixty years, and the Government to have but 15 per cent of the profits. The Government refused, point blank, however, to concede any territory further than shall be absolutely necessary to the road.

This vexed question being settled, *Mr.* Forsyth can now proceed quietly upon his diplomatic negotiations.

Another collision between the civil and ecclesiastical power, of a serious nature, has taken place at Puebla, growing out of the refusal of the heirarchy to give burial to Col. Pereze, of the National Guards, a gentleman very much beloved in the city. The vaults of the Metropolitan Church were finally opened by force of arms; and the head of the diocese banished. On the 31st, according to a despatch, all was tranquil again.

Advices from Yucatan to the 31st ult., show the continued advance of the revolutionists. They had seized upon numerous other strongly fortified places in the interior, and it was expected they would soon have possession of *Sisal*. The government forces as if conscious of their inability to advance, were quietly encamped at Hencelchakan, some distance from Campeachy.

Later Central America News.

The Panama correspondent of the Picayune sends six days, later news from Costa Rica, namely, to the 9th ult. The only interesting part of it is as follows:

Nothing of very special interest has transpired in that Republic, except the issuing of the following proclamation by President Mora, in reference to Walker's contemplated invasion of Central America, and a decree granting to a scientific society of Paris the exclusive privilege of establishing a line of telegraph in Costa Rica:

Juan Rafael Mora, President of the Republic of Costa Rica,

CONSIDERING:

That in the United States recruiting is going on for the purpose of invading Central America again; W. Walker being the promoter of the recruiting, and that he does it without a legal mission without a flag and without justice, and only for the purpose of convulsing Central America and planting on its soil the slavery of man by man, which the religion and civilization of the age is opposed to, and which our laws expressly forbid, that for [illegible] he acts he and those who accompany him place themselves in the positions of pirates—

DECREES:

Art. 1. If in an unexpected manner, and thus avoiding the vigilance of authorities of the Union any party of armed men present themselves, whether commanded by Wm. Walker, or by any of his agents, and invade any port of Costa Rica, or any of the allied State of Central America, with the intention of possessing themselves of all or any part of them, in the said act of landing on the shore, they will be considered as pirates, and as such shall remain beyond the protection of the laws.

Art. 2. All those who have served in the ranks of Walker cannot return to the republic of any purpose, without the previous permission of the government, and those who at present reside in the State shall leave it within thirty days, reckoning from the date of this decree; but those who exercise any honest profession, and conduct themselves properly, proving the same to the Chief of police, can remain in the State, with the previous written permit which shall [illegible]

[illegible] made known to the government of the other Central American States in case they should deem it proper to adopt it. It shall also be made known to all the Spanish American governments, to the representatives of the republic abroad, and the diplomatic corps.

Given in the National Palace, in the office of the Secretary of War in the city of San Jose, August 7, 1857.

JUAN RAFAEL MORA.
Rafael G. Escalante, Minister of War.

High Price for Negros.—We have often heared that a thing was worth its weight in silver, but did not think we would ever see negroes sell for such a price. A few days since a gentlem'n of this place paid $1,200 a-piece, for five negro girls, from twelve to fifteen years of age. Reckoning silvre at twelve ounces to the pound, which is Troy weight, the negros, allow them a hundred pounds weight, each cost just their weight in silver.

The crazy prophecy of some man that negro fellows would, in five years, bring $5,000, will, we believe, be fulfilled.

Eutaw (Ala.) Whig.

A Blunt Conclusion.—The New York Sun declares clearly, but with great calmness:

"We are becoming a nation of vain extravagant fools. From January 1st, his date we have imported foreign merchandise to the value of one hundred and seventy five million of dollars—about fourteen millions more than our imports amounted to for the same time last year. The value of our exports since January 1st is about fifty millions of dollars, or four millions of dollars less than our exports for the same time last year. We have run into debt this year alone about one hundred and twenty-five millions of dollars, and by the end of the year our foreign debt for imported goods will be much larger."

At the late celebration at Keokuk, Iowa, one of the spakers remarked that, when he landed in Keokuk, in 1837, "it was a nest of pirates;" and directly afterwards added: "Keokuk has held her own remarkable well for twety years past."

The Koh-i-noor Diamond.—The Bombay Courier says it is the feeling of millions in India that the Koh-i-noor diamond will always be fatal to its possessor, and that, the day it found a resting place in the diadem of Victoria, the fate of the English crown was sealed. So deeply and generally is this idea rooted in the Hindoo mind, that the Bombay print actually combats the superstition as if there were danger of its speaking among its English readers.

The English papers express their warm appreciation of the friendly feeling displayed by the American press in reference to their Indian difficulties, and their equal gratification and surprise that such a feeling should pervade the South, especially as India may be a rival with the South in the production of cotton. They should know that the South has no fear of this rivalry. And further, they ought to know that the cotton States feel a deep interest in the prosperity of England, their best customer for the great staple, and the wonder is that England, being alike dependant upon those cotton States, for the basis of her commercial prosperity, should still extend her sympathy and encouragement [illegible] because we insist upon a free trade with all the world in preference to subjecting ourselves to the monoply and tyranny of the free States manufacturers.

The Atlantic Cable.—Professor Morse, the great head and front of the Atlantic Telegraph Cable scheme, in a recent letter, says the accident to the cable will delay the work but not defeat it. He says moreover, the electric connection was perfect until the moment of parting, so that there can be no doubt of the enterprise as heretofore intimated. Capt. Hudson, however, think that in order to success 3,000 miles of cable are indispensably necessary. But 2,528 statute miles were had at the first experiment, of which 325 were lost by the mishap in 2,000 fathoms of water.

Taxes and Tax Matters.—We gather from the returns in the Comptroller's office, that the number of slaves returned by the tax assessors of Alabama for the year 1055, amounted to 346,384. The value of these negroes, assuming that they would average $750 each—a sum which the recent and present prices of negroes justifies— is $259,766,250. The amount of taxes paid on this sum, under the present tax law—about 6 1-4 cents on the hundred dollars is about 237,922. dollars.

Real estate is taxed twenty cents on the hundred dollars' worth, and the same amount in value of the slaves—to wit; 259,766,250—pays a tax of 519,532 making a difference of the amount paid on the same value of the two descriptions of property 281,610.

The punctuality with which the taxes of 1855 were paid reflects credit upon the people and the officers of the state. The whole amount of taxes assessed for that year was, in round numbers, 664,000, out of which there has been collected and paid into the state Treasury 623,000, dollars and there is not one cent now due from the taxes of that year to the state Treasury.

Value of Friends in Death.—With many, it is not until they are about to be deprived of a blessing that they can properly appreciate it. How often we are insensible to the kindness of friends, and how ungrateful to them, until perhaps death removes them from our midst beyond the shores of time. Then it is that we look back and realize how good they were to us, while we were so ungrateful to them. If we would save ourselves from the bitter pangs of remorse, let us love God and our fellow men now. It has been truly said by some one that "when the veil of death has been drawn between us and the objects of our regard, how quick sighted do we become to their merits, and how bitterly do we then remember words or looks of unkindness, which may have escaped us in our intercourse with them. How careful should such thoughts render us in the fulfilment of those offices of affection which may yet be in our power to perform. For who can tell how [illegible] the moment may arrive when [illegible] repentance cannot be [illegible]

Horrible Atrocities in India.

The English papers give numerous accounts of the atrocities perpetrated on Europeans in India. A letter from a Clergyman of Bangalore says:

"We have had an awful time of it! I assure you, though we ourselves have been mercifully kept from actual danger. No words can express the feeling of horror which pervades society in India, we hear so many private accounts of the tragedy, which are too sickening to repeat.

The cruelties committed by the wretches exceed all belief. They took forty-eight females, most of them girls of from ten to fourteen, many of them delicately nurtured ladies—violated them, and kept them for the base purposes of the heads of the insurrection for a whole week. At the end of that time they made them strip themselves, and gave them up to the lowest of the people to abuse in broad daylight in the streets of Delhi. They then commenced the work of torturing them to death, cutting off their breasts, fingers and noses, and leaving them to die.—One lady was three days dying. They flayed the face of another lady, and made her walk naked through the street. Poor Mrs —— the wife of an officer of the —— regiment, at Meerut, was soon expecting her *confinement*. They violated her, then ripped her up, and taking the unborn child, cast it and her into the flames. No European man, woman or child has had the slightest mercy shown to them. I do not believe the world ever witnessed more hellish torments than have been inflicted upon our poor fellow countrymen. At Allahabad they have rivaled the atrocities of Delhi. I really cannot tell you the fearful cruelties these demons have been guilty of—cutting off the fingers and toes of little children, joint by joint in sight of their parents, who were reserved for a similar treatment afterwards.

Another letter, speaking of the outbreak at Allahabad, says:

The officers were at mess when the wretches sounded the alarm bugle to bring them to the parade, and shot them down right and left! Wretched murderers; may they receive their reward! Nine poor little ensigns doing duty with the regiment were bayoneted to death in the mess room, and three of the officers who escaped heard their cries as they passed! Poor boys, who had never given offense to any native nor caused dissatisfaction to the Sepoys. Five officers were shot belonging to the regiment, besides the nine poor boys. Birch and Innes, with the sergeant major, in all 17 military men, many merchants and others were most cruelly butchered—in all, 59 Europeans fell that night by the hands of the murderous Sepoys. The treasury was plundered, the prisoners released from jail, and the work of destruction commenced. The whole station was destroyed, house after house plundered and fired.

Every day we have had expeditions to burn and destroy disaffected villages, and we have taken our revenge.

I have been appointed chief of a commission for the trial of all natives charged with offenses against government and persons; day by day we have strung up eight and ten men. We have the power of life and death in our hands, and I assure you we spare not. A very summary trial is all that takes place; the condemed culprit is placed under a tree with a rope around his neck on the top of a carriage, and when it is pulled away off he swings.

Great Sale of Real Estate.

The sales of a tract of real estate, known as the Harris farm, lying on the extreme Eastern out-skirts of the City, and which has been advertised by the Sheriff for several week past, in the Journal, came off on Tuesday last. It contained seventy-five acres, and was knocked off to Mr. W. M. Carter, the highest bidder, for the unprecedented sum of *one thousand and sixty dollars* ($1060) per acre, or the nice little sum of *seventy nine thousand five hundred dollars*. ($79,500:) for the entire tract. It is said that this tract, seven yeas ago could have been bought for about fifty dollas per acre. Who can doubt the future greatness of our city? Just think land selling for $1060 per acre away out West here at *San Jose*, where some people think the sun never goes down.

Agricultural Report of Patent Office.—In the Washington correspondence of the Pennsylvanian, under date of the 17th inst., we find the following about the Report for 1856:

A few coppies of the Agricultural Report of the Patent Office, for the year 1856, have been issued from the press. The great bulk of them will not be ready for distribution for several days.—the book contains five hundred and thirty-six pages, and is embellished with fifty plates of handsomely executed engravings, three of which are colored. The first plate presents a pair of handsome Arden Horses, harnessed, and attended by a groom; the second represents a fully matured South Down sheep and the third those tempting, delicious strawberries introduced by Mr. Peabody—"Haut Bois." The remaining plates exhibit the birds and beasts indigenous to this country.

Capt. Herndon's Last Request.

Theodore Payne, of San Francisco, and one of the saved on the *Central America*, says in his statement:

"As I was about leaving the ship, he handed me his watch, with a request that I would deliver it to his wife, if my life should be spared, which thanks to Him which wills all for the best, I shall be permitted to comply with.

"Capt. Herndon was all the time at the post of duty, doing all that man could do in the trying hour. His voice was always heard above the roar of the storm giving directions, and declaring his determination to go down with the ship. If he has been lost, old Ocean's depths contain no nobler soul—no more gallant spirit."

Fast Men.

The vicious die early. They fall like shadows, or tumble like wrecks and ruins into the grave—often while yet young—almost always before forty. "The wicked liveth not half his days." The world at once realizes the truth and assigns the reason, by describing the dissolute as "fast men"—that is, they live fast, they spend their twelve hours in six, getting through the whole before the meridian, and dropping out of sight and into darkness, while others are in the glow and glory of life. The [illegible] is done [illegible] one dies long before he need.—Your men of genius, like Burns and Byron, to whom, when dissipated and profligate, thirty-seven is fatal, and your obscure and nameless "wandering stars," who wasted their youth in libertine indulgence—they can not live long. They must die early. They put on the steam till they blow up the boiler. They run at such a rate that the fire goes out for want of fuel. The machinery is destroyed by reckless speed and rapid wear.—Nothing can save them. Their physical system can not stand the strain they put it to; while the state of their minds is often such, that the soul would eat the substance of the most robust body, and make for itself a way of escape from the incessant hell of its own thoughts.

T. Binley.

A Dreadful Tragedy.

The Dallas (Texas) Herald gives the following account of a singularly bloody tragedy:

Fort Worth, Aug. 21, 1857.—Dear Latimer: By first opportunity I write to inform you of a terrible tragedy enacted in our county yesterday, some four miles southeast of Birdville.

The facts of the case are briefly these. It appears that John Robertson, (who was convicted and sent to the Penitentiary from this county about three years ago,) in consequence of some difficulties between himself and wife, agreed upon Thursday last to a *separation*. Early yesterday (Friday) morning, two brothers of the wife, James and George Anderson, repaired to Robertson's house with a wagon for the purpose of removing their sister's effects to her father's.

The work of loading was not accomplished without some high words, but all difficulties were apparently settled, when suddenly, Robertson seized a rifle and shot James Anderson dead, and in another instant, with a musket, shot and killed the younger brother George Anderson. His wife immediately fled to her father's her life doubtless being saved by Horrace Robertson, a brother of the murderer. The latter then remarked to the brother that one more was to be disposed of then he was ready!

He reloaded both guns and proceeded to the old man Sablett's a distance of near two miles; arrived there he met the old man—a quiet, worthy man—coming out of his little garden with some melons, and instantly, while the old man begged for mercy, put into his bosom a load of shot from the musket. He died immediately. It was for an aggravated assault, &c., on this old man that Robertson had been sent to Huntsville, and the sting had rankled in his bosom ever since, notwithstanding the old gentleman had manifested great interest in his behalf until he was released.

But the awful recital does not end here.—Robertson returned towards his home and in the immediate neighborhood cooly placed the muzzle of his rifle against his head and with his ramrod pushed the trigger, and in an instant his blackened soul had winged its flight to appear with its victims before the final tribunal.

It is an awful affair, and occurred from seven to eight o'clock, in the morning. Sublett, Robertson, and James Anderson, leave families, the younger Anderson was unmarried.

M. O.

Francis the First, having asked Castellan, Bishop of Orleans, whether he was of noble extraction "Sir," was the reply, "Noah had three sons in the ark; I can not say from which of them I am descended."

The new houses of Parliament in London have been in progress nearly twenty years. They cover more than eight acres of ground, and contain 1,150 rooms, 10 halls, 126 staircases, and more than two miles of corrodors, passages, &c.

The "Tecumseh Note Book," printed in Kansas, gives the price of corn at $2 per bushel, meal $2,25, potatoes $2,50, bacon 20 cents per lb, salt $5 per sack, molasses $1,25, beans $3 per bushel. It also gives the price of lumber at $35 per thousand, and other things in proportion.

San Antonio, the oldest settlement, and at this time the largest city in Texas, was founded by Spaniards from the Canary Islands in 1830. After the defeat of Santa Anna at San Jacinto, which was the final struggle of the Texas revolution, many of the Mexican citizens of San Antonio left the country. In 1850 the population was but 3,000; it is now estimated at 11,000—of whom about a third are Mexicans, a third Germans and a third Americans.

British Atrocities in India.—We have published some accounts of the British troops in India, which are not very much to the credit of the present age of civilization. We add the following from an India correspondent of a London paper:

"When we could once get out of the fort we were all over the place, cutting down all natives who showed any signs of opposition; we enjoyed these trips very much, so pleasant it was to get out of that horrid fort for a few hours. One trip I enjoyed amazingly; we got on board a steamer with a gun, while the Sikhs and Fusileers marched up to the city, we steamed up, throwing the shot right and left, till we got up to the bad places, when we went ashore and peppered away with our guns, my old double-barrel that I brought out bringing down several niggers, so thirsty for vengeance was I. We fired the places right and left, and the flames shot up to the heavens as they spread, fanned by the breeze, showing that the day of vengeance had fallen on the treacherous villains. The wicked 6th had marched out on the 7th, taking two guns, and a mussulman had set himself up in the city, calling himself the agent of the King of Delhi, and calling on all natives, Hindoos, and true believers to massacre all Europeans, and many poor fellows who had been hiding themselves fell into hands and were murdered.

At last, when reinforcements came up, we all marched out, drove the insurgents out of the city, took possession of it and the station, where we remained ever since in the Collector's house, about twenty of us, others are in the pucha (brick built) houses that were not burnt; and the Fusileers and the 89th Queen's were in the church.

Every day we have had expeditions to burn and distroy disaffected vilages, and we have taken our revenge.

I have been appointed chief of a commission for the trial of all natives charged with the offences against government and persons; day by day we have strung up eight and ten men. We have the the power of life and death in our hands, and I assure you we spare not. A very summary trial is all that takes place; the condemned culprit is placed under a tree with a rope round his neck on the top of a carriage, and when it is pulled away, off he swings.

Interesting Wedding Party—Marriage of two Mutes by a Mute Clergyman.

[From the Louisville Journal.]

In the city of Lexington, on the evening of August 5th, was witnessed such a wedding party and such a marriage ceremony as perhaps never occurred in the United States, certainly not in the State of Kentucky. Mr. John Blount, the Bridegroom, is a deaf mute, who was brought up in Alabama, but received his education in the Kentucky Institution at Danville, where he is at present an accomplished and highly esteemed instructor. He is a tall and fine looking specimen of a man, and is a gentleman in every sense of the word. Miss Lucretia Ann Hoagland, the bride, is also a deaf mute. She was educated in the Institution at Danville, and would pass for a beautiful and accomplished lady in any circle of society. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hoagland, the parents of the bride, at whose house the marriage took place, are also both of them deaf mutes. They received their education some twenty-five or thirty years since at the same Institution. They have three other children—two of whom hear and talk; their youngest a little boy of nine years old, is, like the bride, and expects before long to go to the same Institution, to obtain the inestimable blessing—a good education—which his father, his mother, and sister have received before him.

There were also present, as invited guests, some twelve or fifteen educated mutes, all of them present, as invited guests, some twelve or fifteen educated mutes, all of them present or former pupils of the above named institution.

The attendant of the bride, Miss Mary Boyd, from Harrison county, was as modest, beautiful, and elegantly dressed a lady as adorns any drawing room. She was formerly a classmate of the bride. Other young ladies who were mutes, were present, who attracted marked attention by their personal charms as well as by their superior intelligence. Young gentlemen, also, were not wanting, of fine appearance education, and manners, to lend interest to the occasion. In addition to the mutes who were present, were others who from intercourse with the family of the bride or in some other way, had become familiar with their sign language; so that the conversation of the evening was held chiefly in the beautiful pantimone of the deaf and dumb.

But that which, perhaps, gave the most peculiar interest to the occasion was the fact that the marriage ceremony was celebrated in the sign language of the deaf and dumb! The officiating clergyman was the Rev. S. B. *Cheek*, Vice Principal, of our *State* Institution at Danville. *Not* a word was heard during the whole ceremony the prayer, the propounding of the marriage covenant, the benediction, and the blessing of the marriage feast, were all performed in the graceful and eloquent, though voiceless language of nature, which may be termed the vernacular of the deaf and dumb. The mutes who were present all testified their peculiar delight, saying they had often witnessed marriages before, but had never understood what was actually said and done until this occasion. It was, taken altogether, emphatically a mute festival, in which all parties present were delighted, and which furnished a most striking exemplification of what has been done and can be done for the unfortunate mute.

The Tribune's Silver Service.—Some months since the Mobile Tribune offered a handsome silver service, worth 300d, to the person who should make the best guess as to amount of the cotton crop of 1856-7. Yesterday, the telegraph brought the footings of the New York Shipping List, showing the total crop to be 2,939,515 bales.—There were seventy four estimates for the prize, ranging from 5,695,995 to 3,247,000 bales, the average being 2,966,210—the difference between the highest and lowest estimate 549,005 bales. Mr. Wm B. Hamilton, of the firm of Hamilton & Young, of this city made the nearest estimate—2,939,537 bales—and [illegible] prize. His estimate was only 22 bales above the actual receipts. Pretty good guessing.

—[Mobile Mercury.

For the Republican.

D[illegible]

'Tis eve, and now the dewy showers
Stand out like tear drops on the flowers;
Night's darkling shadows fall apace,—
The dreamy eyes no longer trace
The distant mountain's crest of blue,
Till now, so clear upon the view.

'Tis at this pensive hour I feel
A loneliness upon me steal—
A *frozen* pang I would impart
Which lies like *lead* upon my heart.

The dying day,—how much it seems
The transcript of my fondest dream!—
The fading beauty of the west,
The hopes that warmed this yearning
breast.
—Yon lonely star—so still so bright,
The herald of the coming night,
Is to my soul the mystic key
That opes the *port* of memory—
That floats my spirit to the past,
To joys that were too bright to last.

Oft with thy velvet cheek to mine
We've watched the beauteous day's decline—
We've gazed upon its purple hue,
Till dark, and still more dark, it grew,
Nor thought that bliss so pure as ours,
Would fade as do the twilight hours.

But thou art gone, and I am left—
Of every purer joy bereft;
My spirit widowed thus, so soon,
Can crave no dearer, *better* boon,
Than thus to think of thee my own,
Since all my earlier hopes are flown.

These pangs I sometimes think, are given
To train us for a higher heaven—
The Earth with all its sighs and tears,—
Its fleeting hopes and restless fears,
Serves, as the gateway to the skies—
Where pure affection never dies.

Oxford Ala. Oct. 1st, 1857.

Distressing Casualty.—Richard C., son of R. B. Waller, Esq. of this place, a sprightly and most interesing little boy, aged 7 years, lost his life on the 10th inst., from an injury received whilst on the lever of the cotton gin, at his father's plantation some time near the end of the lever to which the mules were attached, he crawled to the other end, and in attempting to get his head between the gin band and the lever, it got caught and crushed, so as to cause his death in some thirty minutes. This most afflicting event should be a warning to parents against allowing their children to go about gin-houses. The wonder is that more accident of the sort do not occur.

Alabama Beacon, 17th inst.

A. M. Brady, of Woodford county, Kentucky, recently sold one hundred two year old mules for $18,500—or $185 each. They were said to be the largest and finest ever raised in the State, and were destined for the Southern market.

Cumberland University at Lebanon, opened on the 14th inst., with five hundred students. It is the most flourishing institution in the South.

MOFFAT'S LIFE PILLS AND PHOENIX BITTERS. ALL THE physical derangements of the liver, the kidneys, and the bladder can be effectually cured by taking the life pills and the Phoenix Bitters are a certain remedy for diseases of the heart, hæmorrhoids, and all nervous affections. W. B. MOFFAT, 335 Broadway, New York.

Mr. Perry Davis—Sir:—I have used in my family your medicine, called "Pain Killer," for many purposes and have found it a very useful and valuable article. I therefore very cheerfully recommend it to the public regards. HENRY CLARK, *Pastor of the Baptist* Church in West Randolph.

Holloway's Ointment and Pills.—Ulcerated Legs.—Every surgeon knows that sores deeply seated in the muscular fibre of the leg defy all ordinary treatment; but ulcers of this class, however obstinate and virulent, invaribly heal under the balsamic action of Holloway's Ointment. The preparation does not drive the virus of the sore from one part of the system to another; it cures not by repression, but expulsion. Hence, there is no fear of the re-appearance of any eruption, tumor, swelling, or sore, that has one yielded to the healing properties of this thorough curative. In cases of cancer its timely use has saved innumerable lives, and rendered the cruel process of excision unnecessary. Of the Pills, it may be truly said that no disease of the stomach or liver ever resisted their operation.

☞Every person should read the advertisements of Grindle's Celebrated Magic Compound, and Ancient Japanese Life Pills, which appear alternately in another column. *Try them and be cured.*

ADMINISTRATORS SALE
OF
Personal Property.

Under and by virtue of an order of the probate Court of Benton County, Alabama, made on the 6th day of Oct. 1857, I will as the administrator of the estate of Reuben Burch, deceased, proceed to sell upon the premises, on Saturday the 7th day of November next, at public auction, to the highest bidder, all the personal property belonging to said estate consisting of one Horse, three milch Cows, pork Hogs, and flock of Sheep, Farming tools, House hold and Kitchen furniture, and many other articles too tedious to mention. The sale will be on a credit of twelve months, with interest from date, and note and approved security.

JOHN M. TEAGUE,
Administrator of estate of Reuben Burch dec'd.
Oct. 7th, 1857.—tds.

A LIST OF LETTERS, remaining in the Post Office at Jacksonvill, Ala.

Black John C
Bridges S Miss
Bush F M
Bell F R Dr
Beasly W W
Borden & Burton
Baum J C
Cowan A C
Cannon James
Banken Jas H
Dorsey D W
Dye E
Erwin Mrs E A
Fergerson D P
Fuller Jno
Goode Adaline Miss
Hanniset John
Haul S W
Herring Jane P
Lawson Mrs Mary
Mall J G
Moore Wm
Wilmer Jas
Marks H
Moore W A
Matthews W D Rev
Raiford J P
Stricklan Miss Mary
Stevens D F C
Tarvaville F C
Thomas Dr I A
Thompson Jas D
Thomason R C
Vise Jas
Williams F E
Harrison
Wing D

G. H. FORNEY, P. M.

J. B. & G. H. FORNEY.

HAVE the pleasure of announcing to their customers and the public generally, that they are now prepared to exhibit an unusually large stock of

MERCHANDIZE,

Suitable for the approaching season. Purchasers are respectfully invited to examine our stock, which will be found unequaled in beauty, variety and extent, and at the very lowest market prices.

They return their heartfelt thanks for the large increase of business of late, and promise to use their best efforts to merit a continuance.

W. W. DRAPER and A. T. MARTIN are with us, and will be pleased to serve their friends.

Jacksonville, Oct. 7, 1857.—tf.

Fall Importations.
STIPES & ROWLAND

WE are in receipt of our large Stock of **Fall and Winter Trade**, to which we invite the attention of buyers before purchasing. We are preparing to show as well a selected stock and of as good quality as was ever offered in this market. Our stock will be unsurpassed in

STAPLE & FANCY
GOODS.
OUR LARGE STOCK OF
CLOTHING

Is very complete, all made in Philadelphia, of the very best material, and workmanship.

We beg to call the attention of our friends and the public to our large stock which we are prepared to sell for cash, or to prompt paying customers, at reduced prices.

Our usual stock of ***Groceries*** are now in store.

The CHINESE SUGAR SYRUP, made in Benton County, for sale.

October 7, 1857.—tf.

JOHN D. HOKE & BRO.
At their Store in Jacksonville,
ARE NOW RECEIVING THEIR
FALL & WINTER
STOCK OF
GOODS.

COMPRISING a better selection than usual, at the lowest prices for CASH or punctual credit.

In their Stock may be found the most desirable Cloths, Carsimers, Sattinets, Tweeds, Blankets—French and English Merinoes, solid colored and richly figured Cashmeres and De Lanes Mohair, Lustries and Alapacas, De Beiges, Winter Ginghams and Prints of the most beautiful designs; Opera Flannels; Moire Antique, Watered Figured & Plain **SILKS;** Ladies **Cloaks,**
Hats and Bonnets,
Boots and Shoes;
CLOTHING!
DRY GOODS Generally;
Harkware & Cutlerly; Crockery; Drugs and Medicines; Books and Stationary; Carriage and Buggy articles, Hraness and Saddles, and nearly every articles in demand with a very superior selection of the Anchor BOLTING CLOTHS.

Jacksonville, October, 7, 1857.

New Brick Ware-house,
SELMA, ALABAMA.

The Subscribers, (successors to Keith & Spence) will commence on the 1st of September, 1857, doing a general

Warehouse & Commission Business,

In their NEW BRICK WAREHOUSE, situated at the foot of Water street, at the following rates:

RATES OF STORAGE.
Storage on Cotton one month, 25c.
" " " over one month, or the season, 37½c.

RATES OF COMMISSIONS.
For selling Cotton ℔ bale, 50c.
Other Produce, 5 ℔ ct.
For Purchasing Goods, 2½ ℔ ct.
Advancing Freights on Goods, 2½ ℔ ct.
Drayage Cotton and Goods, no charge.

☞Persons depositing money for the purpose of paying freights will be allowed 8 ℔ ct.

☞Accounts for freight and storage due when Goods forwarded.

M. J. A. KEITH & CO.
Oct. 7, 1857.—1y.

STATE OF ALABAMA, }
Benton County. }
Court of Probate for Benton county, Ala. Special Term,
Sept. 29th A. D. 1857.

This day came W. Y. Hendrick, Administrator of the Estate of N. Allen, deceased, and filed his account & vouchers for a final settlement of said estate. It is ordered by the court that Friday the 6th day of November next be set for examining, stating and reporting said account allowing said vouchers & making said settlement, and that notice thereof, be given by publication in the Jacksonville Republican, a weekly newspaper printed and published in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day, as a notice to all persons concerned, to be and appear as a Special Term of Said Court, on Said Friday the 6th day of November next, and contest the making of Said Settlement if they think proper.

Witness: A. Woods, Judge of Said Court, at office this 29th day of Sept. A. D. 1857.

A. Woods, Judge of
Oct. 7 1857.—3t Probate.

STATE OF ALABAMA, }
Benton County. }
Court of Probate for Benton county, Alabama, Special term,
Oct. 5, 1857.

THIS day came M. W. Wheeler, Adm'r of the estate of F. B. Wheeler, dec'd and filed his account and vouchers for a final settlement of said estate.

It is ordered by the court, that Saturday the 7th day of November next be set for examining, stating and reporting said account, allowing said vouchers and making said settlement, & that notice thereof be given by publication in the Jacksonville Republican, a weekly newspaper printed and published in the town of Jacksonville, in said county, for three successive weeks, prior to said day, as a notice to all persons concerned, to be and appear at a special term of said court to be holden at the court house of said county, on said Saturday the 7th day of November [illegible] and contest the making [illegible] if they [illegible]

Wit[illegible]
at [illegible]
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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

LETTERS of Administration upon the estate of Thomas Henderson, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, by the Probate court of Benton county, Ala. on the 28th day of September, 1857; notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present them, legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

M. P. HENDERSON, Adm.

Oct. 7, 1857.—6t.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of administration, with the will annexed, were on the 22nd day of September, 1857, granted to the undersigned, upon the estate of Elisha Dulaney, late of the county of Benton, Ala., by the Probate Court of said county of Benton; all persons having claims against said estate are notified to present the same properly authenticated, within the time prescribed law, or they will be barred—and those indebted to said estate, are required to make immediate payment.

M. J. TURNLEY,
General Administrator of Benton co. Ala.

Oct. 7, 1857.—6t.

MORE CLOTHING!
A. R. SMITH

HAS just received a large, fashionable and well selected stock of

FALL & WINTER

GOODS.

Including every variety usually called for in this market. His stock of

Ready Made Clothing

Will be found unusually large, of good material, durably made, and of the latest styles and fashions. Also, **LADIES'**

DRESS GOODS,

In great variety and of superior quality.

For MEN'S WEAR, Cloths, Cassimers, Satinets, and many other descriptions of Goods suitable for the Fall and Winter seasons.

Hardware and Cutlery, Nails, Guns, Spades and Shovels,

[illegible], a superior article.

Hats and Caps, Boots Shoes and Brogans,

Saddles, Bridles,

MARTINGALES, &c.

China, Glass and Queensware, Paints, Oils, Dyestuffs, &c. with many other articles too tedious to mention.

He earnestly solicits a call from his old friends and patrons, confident that he will offer such goods and such terms as will secure a continuation of their trading and also desires, by offering every reasonable inducement to secure as many new costomers as possible. Dont pass by without examining for yourselves.

Sept. 30, 1857.

CALL
AND
BE SUITED.

The undersigned is now receiving his

Fall and Winter

GOODS,

TO which he respectfully invites public attention. His STOCK, when fully received, will be *unusually* large, *fine* and *attractive.*

In **Ladies DRESS GOODS,** the undersigned thinks no house in this country will offer superior inducements. And none perhaps, has ever equalled his charming stock of

CLOAKS
AND
MANTILLAS,
BONNETS

Trimed and otherwise, in considerable variety, and of the most approved styles.

Gentlemen also, can be well suited, as the assortment in this line is full, and presents great variety. Some superior

Cloths, Overcoatings and Cassimeres.

Also a large and well assorted supply of

READY MADE CLOTHING.

The undersigned has *never* offered as large a *Stock* of Goods as the one now under consideration. Prices too, are moderate, considering the value of cotton. Cash customers shall have the value of their money.

All are invited to "call and be suited." E. L. WOODWARD.

Sept. 30 1857.—6t

RYAN, TATE & ROWLAND,

ARE NOW RECEIVING THEIR

Fall & Winter Stock of

DRY GOODS,

CONSISTING of every article usually kept in this market, and many **NEW STYLES OF GOODS** that have not been brought to this place heretofore.

THEIR STOCK OF

LADIES DRESS GOODS

Bonnets and Mantillas

Will be hard to compete with in way of variety, style, and last but not least *prices.*

They beg leave to call the attention of their friends, and transient customers to their unprecedently large Stock of

WINTER CLOTHING,

Comprising every new style, up to the time of their purchases, which was made in the early part of this month. Pants and Vests ranging at prices from $1,50 to 16,00—Woolen Coats ranging at all prices from $2.25 to $20,00.

Thankful for past favors, they will hold themselevs in readiness at all times, to serve their friends to their perfect satisfaction.

Sept. 30—8t.

ON TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22,

WE PROPOSE TO PUBLISH

The Great Book of the Year

The New Tale, by the Authoress of

THE LAMPLIGHTER!

MISS CUMMINS has chosen for the title of her new book the name of the principal heroine, the beautiful and accomplished

MABLE VAUGHAN,

And has written a story which, for elegance of diction and thrilling interest, has rarely been equalled by any American [illegible] The question has been repeatedly asked—Can Miss Cummins write another book equal to "THE LAMPLIGHTER?" We can answer this question now, with perfect assurance, not only from our own personal knowledge, but from the unqualified testimony of literary gentlemen of Boston, who have read the work with great care, and with absorbing interest, both of whom pronounce it a superior book to her first, and assure us that the authoress of 'The Lamplighter' instead of losing position, will add [illegible] to her previously well-earned [illegible]

[illegible] & CO.

VALUABLE
Land for Sale.

THE undersigned, having determined to remove west offers his valuable land for sale, to-wit: one tract, containing

240 acres,

Lying partly in the incorporation of Jacksonville, on the Road leading from Jacksonville to Talladega about one hundred and fifty acres of cleared land in a high state of cultivation, and about ninty acres of good land well timbered; with a comfortable Framed Dwelling House with all other necessary out buildings. Also, one tract lying two and a half miles from Jacksonville, on the road leading from Jacksonville, via Alexandria to Talladega, containing

600 acres,

with about two hundred and seventy five acres of cleared land in, a high state of cultivation, with a Cotton Gin, a comfortable dwelling house and other necessary out houses. Also,

One Valuable Lot,

on the South west corner of the public Square in the Town of Jacksonville. Persons wishing to purchase, can make application to the undersigned. J. CROW.

July 15 1857.—tf.

RAIL-ROAD WARE-HOUSE.

THE Subscriber having leased from the Ala. & Tenn. R. R. R. Co., their Ware-House, for three years, from the 1st of September next, propose doing a general Storage and Commission Business, at the following rates:

RATES OF STORAGE.

Storage on Cotton for the season, 25c. pr bale.
Receiving and forwarding Goods, 20c. per bbl
If stored over one month, 10c additional

RATES OF COMMISSIONS.

For selling Cotton per pale,	50c.
Other Produce,	5 per ct.
For purchasing Goods,	2½ " "
Advancing Freights on Goods,	5 " "

Draying Cotton and Goods, no charge.

Persons depositing money, for the purpose of paying freight, will be allowed 8 per cent.

Accounts for freight and storage, due when goods forwarded,

W. Y. LUNDIE & CO.

Selma, August 19th 1857.

BENTON STEAM MILLS.
J. J. RAILTON & Co.

HAVE now on hand at their Steam Saw Mills 10 miles south of Jacksonville.

50,000 Feet of Lumber,

Well assorted and embracing every variety, for building, fencing and other purposes.

They will not only keep constantly on hand a large stock of lumber of the best quality, ready dried when wanted, but fill orders promptly.

They will also in a short time have in operation their

PLAINING MACHINE,

And will plain and tongue and grove lumber, upon the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

Send in your orders without fear of disappointment. aug. 26, 1857.—tf.

H. D. MCADAMS. J. D. ARNOLD.

McADAMS & ARNOLD,
SURGEON DENTISTS,
Jacksonville Alabama.

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ARE devoting their attention to their profession. All operations on the TEETH performed in the neatest and most durable manner.

BANKING & EXCHANGE
BUSINESS.
CAPITAL $75,000.

THE *TALLADEGA INSURANCE COMPANY*, organized under an act of the Legislature, is now prepared for business in the Banking line generally.

Sight and **Time Drafts** purchased, and Bills of Exchange discounted, either on New York, Charleston Mobile or New Orleans.

Checks at the lowest rates, sold on all the commercial points.

Notes, Drafts and ***Bills*** collected at the usual rates and prompt remittances made.

Money received on deposite, and certificates given. Cash remitted to the Secretary for checks or other purposes carefully acknowledged.

For the present their office will be kept in the counting room of Maj. J. J. B. Huey.

JAMES G. L. HUEY, *Secretary.*

MATTHEW TURNER, JAS. A. CURRY,
ALEX'R BOWIE, WM. L. ELSTON,
THOS. L. BEST, LEVI W. LAWLER.
J. C KNOX,
Directors.

Sept. 2, 1856.—1y.

JOHN K. GOODWIN,
DEALER IN
English German & American,
HARDWARE,
SELMA, ALA.

Constantly on hand a full supply of Hardware, Iron, Steele, Axes, Hoes, Locks, Hinges, Butts, Nails, Paints and Oil and Glass, Scales, Bolting Cloths, Cutting, Carpenters Tools, Circular Saws Mill & Cross-cut Saws, Wood and Willow ware, Cotton and Manilla Rops, Gumbetting and Package, Grates, Cooking Parlow and Office Stoves, and many others not mention in the above list. Soliciting a call from all visiting our city with the view to make Purchers in this line.

June 3 1857.—1y.

TIN SHOP.
FARMER & NESBIT.

ARE prepared to do all sorts of Tin and Sheet Iron work, at the old stand of S. P. Hudson.

They will also keep COOKING STOVES to sell low for the *CASH.*

Still take old powter and Beaswax in exchange for Tin ware.

FARMER & NESBIT.

sept. 30 1857.—tf.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of Administration on the Estate of Jesse M. Tatum, dec'd having been granted to the undersigned, by the Probate Court of Benton County, Ala. on the 25th day of September, 1857: all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them legally authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred: and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Wm. W. LITTLE. *Adm.*

Sept. 30 1857.—3t.

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For Sale [illegible]

Stop the Runaways.

Runaway from the undersigned, on the 25th of August, two Negro Boys—Cy or Cyrus, 20 years old, 5 feet eight or nine inches high, black, smooth skin, high forehead, open countenance, stout and square built. The other George, 15 years old, light copper color, tall and slim, down countenance.

Said Negro boys are from Abbeville District, South Carolina, and I suppose will endeavor to make their way back. Any person who may apprehend said boys, and either confine them in jail, or deliver them to me, in Jacksonville Alabama, shall be liberally rewarded, according to the trouble or expense they may have been at.

C. C. PORTER.

Jacksonville, September 1, 1857.

P. S. The boy George, was caught near Cartersville on the 8th inst., and was with Cy but Cy got away, and George said he is aiming for Abberville by way of Washington and Petersburg. He travels along the Railroad of nights.

KAHN & BRO.
Dry GOods Emporium,
AND EMPIRE
Clothing Warehouse.

THE undersigned beg their friends and customers to accept their sincere thanks for the liberal patronage bestowed on their house, and respectfully solicit a call of the same, and the public in general to examine their new Fall and Winter Stock, which is uncommonly large in quantity and unsurpassed in quality. It is our intention to establish a permanent business in this vicinity, and this circumstance, combined with the fact, that our facilities for purchasing are very superior, will enable us to sell at the most reasonable and lowest terms.

To the Ladies we offer a beautiful and large variety of

China, Bayadere, Moire Antique, French Silks, Poplins; Delaine cachemeres, plain and figured Merinos, Robes etc:

A choice lot of CLOAKS, from the Merino duster up to the fine Velvet and rich Moiere Antique Cloaks.

An unusual choice of Embroideries, Hosiery, etc. etc.

Parisienne **BONNETS** of the latest style.

To Gentlemen we offer a stock of

READY MADE

CLOTHING,

Which will not be equalled in variety and price in this section: from the heavy blanket and Satinett coat up to the fine broad cloth coat and Raglan, a choice of 500 coats and an equal lot of pants and vests. Particular attention is solicited to the superior make and finish of our clothing.

Shoes, Boots, Russets and plantation Goods of excellent quality at the lowest prices. JEWELRY and WATCHES of the best make.

In conclusion, we repeat again, to all who may favor us with a call, that our inducements will be superior. Come and see before purchasing elsewhere—we take pleasure in showing and pricing our Goods. J. KAHN & BRO.

Sep. 9, 1857.

Administrators & Administratrix

Sale of Land.

IN pursuance of an order of the Probate Court of Benton County, Ala., made on the first day of Sept. 1857, for the sale of the real estate of Wm. Elston, dec'd, we will proceed to sell, upon the premises of decedent, on Monday the 12th day of October next, on a credit of one and two years, with interest from date, the following lands belonging to said estate, to-wit: the west one-third of sections ten and fifteen of town-ship sixteen, range seven less 30 acres in the north west corner of section ten, beginning at the south east corner, thence N. 4½ W. 160 poles to a stake & pointers; thence south 85½ degrees W. 105 poles, to a stake and pointers; thence south 85½ degrees W. 105 poles to a stake and pointer; thence South 4½ degrees E 640 poles to a stake and pointers; thence north 85½ degrees E 105 poles to the beginning, containing 420 acres more or less, east in the Coosa Land District and in Benton county, Alabama.

Purchasers will be required to give notes with good & sufficient security to secure the purchase money.

N. A. DAVIS, *Adm.*
JANE ELSTON, *Admx.*

Sept. 2, 1857.—tds.

STATE OF ALABAMA, }
BENTON COUNTY. }

Court of Probate for Benton County, Ala, Special Term, Sept. 19th, A. D. 1857

THIS day came A. J. and James Prater, Executors of the Estate of John Prater, deceased, and filed their account & vouches for a final Settlement of said Estate.

It is ordered by the court that Saturday the 24th day of October next be set for examining, stating and reporting said account, allowing said vouches, and making said settlement, and that notice thereof be given by publication in the "Jacksonville Republican," a weekly Newspaper printed and published in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day, as a notice to all persons concerned to be and appear at a Special Term of said court to be holden at the Court House of said county, 24th day of October next, and contest the making of said Settlement, if they think proper.

Witness A. Woods, Judge of said court at office this 19th day of Sept A D. '57.

A. WOODS, Judge of Probate.

Sept. 23, '57.—3t.

NOTICE.

I expect to commence **CARDING** by the fifteenth of August, & continue three months. All who desire to have their Wool carded at this house, can do so by having their wool thoroughly cleansed.

Aug. 5, '57—8t. J. G. NISBET.

MEDICAL NOTICE.

DR. W. W. DICKIE, having permanently located at Alexandria, Benton county, Ala. offers his professional services to the citizens of the village and surrounding country, in the practice of Medicine and Surgery. He hopes by prompt attention to his business to merit a share of public patronage.

He can be found at Esq. A. P. Wade's, or his office, unless professionally engaged.

Alexandria Aug. 5, 1857.—6m.

EXCHANGE.

SIGHT CHECKS AT ½ PREMIUM, ON **NEW YORK,**

For sale in sums to suit purchasers by

James Isbell, TALLADEGA, ALA.

He also keeps **Money** for discounting or loaning on sixty day Bills, payable in Mobile or New Orleans, and pays **Cash** for sight checks on all the Southern and Eastern Cities.

☞ In his absence Mr. R. A. McMillan acts as his agent.

☞ Liberal prices in CASH paid for [illegible]

EXECUTOR'S

Sale of Land.

UNDER and by virtue of an order or decree of the Probate Court of Benton County, Alabama, made on the 7th day of September, 1857, I will proceed to sell upon the premises, to the highest bidder, within the usual hours of Sheriff sales, on Saturday the 17th day of October, 1857, the following described tract of Land belonging to the estate of Allen Chandler, deceased, to wit: Lot No. 1, and the south east fourth of north east fourth of section 16, township 15 of range 11 east in the Coosa Land District, sold for division; said tract contains about 80 acres, and is situated on eastern Cane Creek in said county of Benton, and is pretty well improved, good water, and some fine bottom land. Sold on a credit of 12 months with interest from date, and notes with two approved personal securities will be required, to secure the purchase money.

IRVIN OWEN, Executor of the estate of Allen Chandler, deceased. Sep. 9, 1857.—td.

LAND FOR SALE.

THE undersigned will offer for sale to the highest biddet on Wednesday the 30th day of September, 1857, the tract of Land whereon he now resides, known as the Bush place, 6 miles north of Jacksonville, containin 160 acres; about 40 acres in cultivation, a good, select orchard, well watered, and under excellent fence; also, the crop of corn, oats, wheat, cotton, &c. on hand, household and kitchen furniture, Blacksmith tools, one Buggy, one mare and two colts, Cattle, Hogs and Sheep. Sold on a credit of 12 months, with interest from date; for all sums over $20, under that amount, cash. Note and approved security will be required of purchasers.

SOLOMON LEE.

Sep. 9, 1857.—3t.

EDUCATIONAL.

THE School of A. N. Bernard will commence on Monday, September 14th. Location and Rates of Tuition the same as heretofore.

For particular information, please address Principal and sole Proprietor. A. N. BERNARD.

Sept. 9 1857.—tf.

GOLD! GOLD!! GOLD!!!

The greatest offer in gold pens, gold pencils, gold chains, and gold watches, ever made. Read the following:

A SPLENDID GOLD PREMIUM worth from 5 to 100 dollars, positively given to any person who can spare one day in a week, or one hour in a day, getting up clubs of subscribers in his own and adjoining neighborhoods, for the best and most popular Family Newspaper now published. No expense, no outlay, no capital required of agents. An entire new plan is proposed, by which any person can succeed in making it a paying business, who will undertake. A private circular, for the inspection of agents only, with full list of premiums, will be sent to any one who desires it, on receipt of a stamp to pay return postage. Some agents have earned a hundred dollar gold watch in one week.

Every family should read at least one Newspaper from New York City, without interfering with their Local Papers, which of course cannot and should not be dispensed with. But New York being the great commercial and business centre of this Continent, no farmer, mechanic, professional man, or merchant, is properly prepared for the emergencies of his calling, unless he is in communication with New York City by means of one of its first class Newspaper mediums. Such a medium is our "LEDGER,"

A VALUABLE GIFT.

Each new subscriber will recieve with the first No. of his or her paper, one of the new and beautiful glass pointed indelible pencils,* just imported from Europe, and for which we have obtained the exclusive agency for this Country. This is the most ingenious and useful little improvement of the present age, and is the only pencil ever made that will write with ink, making it both a pen and a pencil of the finest quality at the same time. It will last for years, and for practical use is worth more than any gold pen in the market.

For list of premiums and full particulars, address,

HALL & WEST, Publishers, New York

*These pencils supplied to the trade at a profitable discount.

Sep. 9, 1856.

F. M. THOMASON. D. H. REMSON. J. T BRADFORD

THOMASON, REMSON & CO
BANKING & EXCHANGE OFFICE,
TALLADEGA, ALA.

☞ They will act as agents in any business, if desired.

REFER TO

Hon. S. F. Rice, Montgomery, Ala.
" A. J. Walker, Talladega, "
" W. P. Chilton, Tuskegee, "
John T. Morgan, Esq., Selma, "
Wm. P. Davis, Esq. Jacksonville, Al.

☞ Deposits received and Notes collected. August 26, 1856.

RECEIVING & FORWARDING

HOUSE.

The Central Ware-House Company at SELMA ALA.

ARE prepared to receive and forward with dispatch all Goods and Produce consinged to them for Shipment, by Railroad or by the River.

They have a large and commodious Brick Ware House on the banks of the river and will furnish all needful accomodations and receive and forward Goods &c., at as low rates as can be done through any other channel.

They attend specially to the settlement of Freights and measurement of Goods and examination of Bills to see that they are correct before settlement, and take receipts and Bills of Lading for Goods and Produce, and forward them promptly to the proper parties.

They also receive Produce on consignment for sale, and do a

GENERAL COMMISSION BUSINESS.

GOODS & PRODUCE intended for this House, should be consigned specially to

The Central Ware-House Company.

SELMA, ALA.

OTHERWISE THEY ARE LIABLE TO MIS-CARRY, take a different direction.

J. W. LAPSLEY, }
E. C. WATTS, } Proprietors.
C. B. WHITE, }
ROBT. HAGOOD, }

C. B. WHITE,
ROBT HAGOOD,
Managers,

Selma, Ala. April 15, 1857.

P. S. No Extra Charge for Drayage to or from Railroad Depot.

MARTIN W. WHEELER,
Attorney at Law,
AND
Solicitor in Chancery,
Jacksonville, Ala.

WILL attend to all business, confided to him in Benton, Cherokee and the adjoining conties. Nov. 26, 1856

B. A. BROOKS,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
JACKSONVILLE

GROCERY AND PROVISION STORE.

HARDIE & STEELE.

WHOLESALE GROCERS AND DEALERS IN

FINE WINES, BRANDIES, SEGARS, TOBACCO, &C.

EAST END OF CENTRAL DEPOT BUILDINGS,

SELMA, ALA.

WE keep constantly on hand, a large and complete assortment of Groceries for Family and Plantation use, consisting in part of the following articles

Provisions.

Bacon Sides,
Duffield Bagged and Plain Hams,
Pickled Pork, Dried Beef,
Beef Tongues, Lard,
Goshen Butter, in Kegs or Firkins,
Western, " " "
Cheese, English Dairy and Western,
Pine Apple Cheese,
Potatoes, Peas and Onions,
Soda Buscuit, Crackers,
Huntley & Palmers' Cracknell Biscuit,
St. Louis extra & superfine Flour, lb.,
Country, " " " sacks,
Buckwheat, in lb., boxes and bags,
Salt, by the sack, coarse and fine.

Sugars.

Brown and Clarified, by H'hds.,
Powdered, Crushed, Loaf,
Granulated and Coffee Sugar,
N. O. Molasses and Syrup,
Stewarts extra Syrup, lb, and 1-2 lb.

Coffee.

Rio, in bags and half bags,
Laguira, " " "
Mocha, " " "
Old Government Java (in Packets.)

Teas.

Extra Fine Hyson,
Finest young "
Oolong and other Teas,

Brandies Wines & other Liquors.

Our stock is large and consists in part of the following choice brands.

Old Otard, Godart and Heidsic,
Old Maderia, Cherry, Old Port,
Claret of Julien and other Brands,
Champaigne, Scuppernong,
Sparkling Catawba,
"Tennants and Muirs" Scotch Ale,
"Byas" London Porter,
Wolfes Scheidam Schnapps,
Dexter in lb and 1-2 lb.
Welshire, " " "
Old Monongehala, " " "
Rye and Bourbon,
Ginger Wine, Champaigne Cider, Bitters,

Tobacco and Segars.

Regalia, Regenta,
Operas and Landres,
Chewing Tobacco—every Brand,
Spencers Calhoun Tobacco,
Smoking "
Snuff—Macaboy and Scotch,

Pickles, Preserves Catsups, &c.

Pickles—every variety,
Brandy Peaches,
" Cherries,
Tomato Catsup,
Walnut "
Sauces—every kind,
Lemon Syrup,
Pine Apple "
Raspberry "

Candles, Oils and Soap.

Sperm Candles,
Adamantine and Star,
Castile Soap,
Bar and Fancy,
Linseed Oil,
Lard & Train "

White Lead and Zinc.

Fish.

Mackerel, in lb., 1-2, 1-4 and Kits,
Salmon & Shad " " " "
Herring " " " "
Codfish and Herring in boxes,

Sundries.

Nails, Indigo, Madder,
Copperas, Soda, Starch,
Pepper, Spices,
Assorted Candles,
Almonds, Figs, Currants,
Raisins Cranberries,
Ink, Jug Ware,
Domijohns, Empty Kegs,
Cotton and Grass Rope,
Plow Lines, Brooms,
Blacking, Matches,
Painted Buckets,
Oak & Cedar "

We particularly invite the attention of Merchants to our large and complete stock embracing nearly every article usually kept in Retail Country Stores and Groceries. Our supplies for family use are also large and of the choicest quality. We also keep on hand a large stock of

INDIA & KENTUCKY BAGGING

MACHINE & HARD SPUN ROPE to which we invite attention of Planters.—We are constantly receiving additions to our already large stock from New York, Boston and New Orleans, which we purchase for cash, & therefore will sell upon a very small advance on first cost. The very highest market prices will be paid for Cotton in cash or in exchange for the above Goods. Give us a call and we warrant to please in price and quality. J. HARDIE.

S. P. STEELE.

☞ Highest market price paid for Land Warrants, Country Produce, &c. &c.,

—IN ADDITION.—

We have just received from New Orleans and Boston,

40,000 Yards Kentucky bagging,
50,000 " India bagging,
300 Coils best handspun rope,
200 " MACHINE "

☞ We will furnish Bag'g & Rope for next crop to those who will ship their Cotton to this market.

Selma, Ala. April 22, 1857. H. & S.

☞ **T. W. Francis** late of Jacksonville, Ala., is in the above House and will be happy to serve his old friends, either in persons or by order, who may desire to make purchases.

TALLADEGA
Marble Manufactory.

The Subscriber would beg to inform the Citizens of Benton & Surrounding countise, that he is prepared to furnish all kinds of Monuments, Box-Tombs, Slabs, Headstones, Table Tops, and all kinds of Building materials.

We would also say, that work got up at his establishment, will be finished in good style. F. W. STEPHENS.

Talladega, June 10, 1857.—1y.

IRON,

The undersigned will keep constantly on hand a fine assortment of Iron for sale, of superior quality, suited for every description of work needed in this section of country.

He will also keep on hand, for Carriage Makers, a complete assortment, of BUGGY SPRINGS, AXLES, HUBS, SPOKES, FELLOES, DASHES, & etc., which will be sold on very reasonable terms, and orders from a distance promptly filled, altogether for cash.

WM. ADAMS.

sept. 2, 1857.—tf.

Take Special Notice.

I HEREBY respectfully notify the debtors of Gen. M. P. Henderson, that he has lately disposed of his interest in the Grocery business at this place, and that the notes and accounts due him have been placed in my hands for immediate collection. His debtors can find me at my office, where I will be glad to see them and have the specific up and save the one thing essential to the poor man—cost.

B. A. BROOKS.

Sep. 23, 1857.—tf.

TRY HIM.

THE undersigned offers his services to the citizens of Jacksonville and vicinity in the execution of all kinds of Carpenters Work. He will, for cash, furnish persons that he may work for with lumber at the customary prices, for anything in the way of building, fencing or paling. He may always be found at his shop on Main street south of the court house.

H. B. JONES.

sep. 16, 1857.

Jacksonville Female
SEMINARY.

THE third session of this institution will commence on Monday the last day of August, under the charge of Misses A. H. BERNARD, Principal in the Litary Department & Miss M. E. BERNARD, principal in vocal and instrumental music.

The Misses Bernard evince rare qualities as teachers, and are surpassed by none.

It is very desirable that the friends and patrons of this institution would send in their children and wards at an early day so that they may be properly *classed;* this is of much importance to the pupils and teachers. Tuition as heretofore.

E. T. READ, *Sec'y.*

Aug 5, 1857.

Land for Sale.

THE undersigned offers for sale his tract of land containing

320 ACRES,

lying in Benton County four miles miles South of Jacksonville on the Oxford Road, and the Selma Rail Road running through a portion, but not so as to injure. There is 200 of level land, and the land well timbered with ordinary improvements, as well wartered as any place in the County, four or five unfailing Springs of the purest water, in various parts of the land and plenty of stock water. It is also conveniently situatad for range for Stock, and with many other conveinces too tedious to mention. A bargain may be obtained on this land by application soon and if not sold at private sale, it will be sold to the highest bidder, on the 1st Monday in August next.

J. D. HALLUM.

July 15 1857.

PHILPOT & LAPSLEY,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN
GROCERIES,
AND
Western Produce;
SELMA, ALA.

Which they offer for sale at lowest prices.

Foreign & Domestic Liquors.

Otard, Dupuy & Co. & Domes. Brandy
Madeira, Sherry, Champaigne and (Old London Dock) Port & Claret Wines,
Champagne Cider, Scotch Ale,
London Porter.
Jamaica and New England Rum.
Holland and American Gin.
Peach Brandy.
Monongahela, old Rye, Dexter Whiskey

Teas.

Choice Imperial, Gunpowder, Young Hyson and Black Teas.

Western Preduce, &c.

Bacon, Sides, Shoulders and Hams,
Dried and Pickled Beef.
Bbl. and Keg Lard.
Kentucky and India Bagging.
Bale Rope and Twine.
Bbl. and Sack Flour.

Sugars.

New Orleans, Brown, Clarified, Crushed, Granulated and Powdered Sugars.
New Orleans Molasses and Syrup.
Candles in 25 & 50 lb. boxes.

Coffees.

Old Government and Brown Java, Laguyra, Green and Dark Rio Coffees.

WHITE LEAD & ZINC.

Tobacco.

Fine Twist and Fancy Roll.
Pure Bright, Golden Leaf and Dark Styles Tobacco;
Lorillard's and Goodwins' Tin-foil and Smoking Tobacco
Maccaboy and Scotch Snuff.

CANDLES AND SOAP.

New Bedford Sperm, Adamantine, Star;
No. 1 bar & fancy shaving soap.

Fruits, Pickles and Sundries.

Underwood's and other Pickles;
Catsup, Sauces and English Mustard;
West Ind. & Canton Ginger Preserves;
Yeast Powder, Soda and Saleratus,
Soda and Butter Crackers;
Sardines: Water Crackers.
White Wine and Apple Vinegar.
Pecan Nuts. 1500 Sacks, Salt.
Extra Pearl and Corn Starch.

OILS.

Linseed, Lard, Olive and Train Oils.

FISH.

Mackerel, of every variety & size packages.
Cod Fish, Smoked Herring, Salmon and Sardines.

On hand at all times, a general stock of IRON AND NAILS.

D. J. KELLER will be glad to see his friends at this house. June 3, 1857.

JACKSONVILLE
Female Academy.

THE next term of this Institution will commence on the 31st day of August, 1857, and continue 21 weeks.

In the management of this School, the grand object of Education,—combining thorough intellectual training with the acquisition of practical knowledge—will be constantly kept in view. No merely mechanical routine of class-exercises will be observed; but the recitations will be conducted so as to require of the pupils reflection and independent investigation, the only means of giving strength and vigor of the mind. As our three-fold nature cannot be harmoniously developed if physical Education be neglected: Physiology will be included in the course of instruction, together with such gymnastic exercises as are calculated to promote physical health and symmetry.

If it is regarded as a matter of interest to this community and country, that the Jacksonville Female Academy should become a flourishing, and permanently popular Institution, let it be remembered that this can never be effected without the prompt and hearty co-operation of the friends of Education in this vicinity.

Rates of Tuition as heretofore established by the Board of Trustees, with the exception of Drawing.

Penciling : : : : : :	$4 00
Crayon Landscapes, : : : :	4 00
" Figures; : : : : :	6 00
Pencilling, Crayoning, and Perspective. : : : : : :	10 00

Instruction in Vocal Music & Calisthenics given to all free of charge.

ANNA J. HAWLEY, Preceptress.

Jacksonville Ala. Aug. 12, 1857.—tf.

J. H. WRIGHT,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
JACKSONVILLE,
Alabama.

WILL practice in the Courts of Benton; St. Clair, DeKalb, Cherokee, Randolph & Talladega. Feb 5, 1857.

SLOAN, SMITH & CO.
Rome, Georgia.

ARE at the *old stand* of Sloan, Hawkins & Co., and are receiving and offering to their friends and customers the largest and most splendid assortment of

STAPLE AND FANCY

DRY GOODS

ever brought to this market.

Also a large stock of

GROCERIES.

Purchasers will consult their interests by calling and examining our stock.

A. M. SLOAN.
W. SCOTT.
S. W. ALLMAN.

May, 6, 1857—1y.

Groceries, Groceries.

NEW PROVISION AND

GROCERY STORE.

I am now receiving at my store in the CENTRAL DEPOT BUILDING, a large and well selected stock of

Provisions & Groceries,

Which I will sell at a mere commission upon New Orleans cost and charges, for cash, consisting in part of the following to-wit:

400 SACKS of SALT,
100 Bbls. Bro. & Clarified SUGAR,
10 " CRUSHED.
100 " MOLASSES,
100 1-2 Bbls. "
100 SACKS COFFEE,
10 TIERCES RICE,
60 CASKS BACON,
50 Bbls. MESS PORK,
20 TIERCES HAMS,
50 KEGS LARD,
200 Bbls. FLOUR,
100 " WHISKEY.
50 BOXES CANDLES,
50 " SOAP,
20 " STARCH,
30 Bbls. CIDER VINEGAR,
200 KEGS NAILS.
100 Bales INDIA BAGGING,
150 Pieces KENTUCKY BAGGING,
500 Coils ROPE,
30 Boxes PICKLES.
10 Bbls. RYE WHISKEY.

☞ Wanted to purchase by the 15th day of June next, 950 Bales of Cotton for which I will pay a liberal price in cash, or in exchange for the above Goods.

☞ Also, Wanted to purchase, ***Land Warrants*** for 10,000 Acres land, for which I will pay their value in cash.

J. F. DENNIS.

Selma, Ala. April 1, 1857—1y.

L. G. STURDEVANT. WM. H. RAY.

STURDEVANT & RAY,
Wholesale and Retail

GROCERS,

CORNER OF WATER AND GREEN STS.,
Near the Ala. and Tenn. R. R. R. Depot,
SELMA, ALABAMA,

KEEP constantly on hand a well selected assortment of

Groceries and Provisions,

of all kinds. Our stock consists in part of the following, to wit:

Salt; Coffee;	Wine; Vinegar;
Sugar, Molasses;	Sp'ts Turpentine;
Chockolite; Teas,	Lard Oil; Candles;
Rice, Bacon, Lard,	Soap; Starch; Soda;
Cheese; Flour;	Yeast Powdears;
Buckwheat Flour;	Mackerel; Pickels;
Potatoes;	Tobacco; Snuff;
Whiskey, Rum;	Powder; Shot,
Brandy—American	Best Fall River Nails
Cognac & Peach;	Jug Ware; Buckets;
&c., &c., &c.,	

Bagging and rope.

We are determined not to be undersold by any other House for CASH.—Our motto is, *Quick Sales and Small Profits.* All Goods purchased of us guaranteed to be as represented.

The highest market price will be paid for all kind of Country Produce, either in cash or in exchange for Goods.

June 3. 1857 1y.

TENNESSEE EXCHANGE.

DRISKILL & NEWMAN,
(SUCCESSORS TO B. C. GEORGE.)

HAVE received and are now offering to the Citizens of Jacksonville and vicinity, at the old stand of B. C. George, a splendid lot of

FAMILY GROCERIES,

Coffee,	Cheese	Candles (Tallow)
Bro. Sugar,	Crackers	" (Star)
Crush, "	Oysters	Matches
Loaf, "	Sardines	Nails
Molasses,	Almonds	Powder
N O Syrup	assr Nuts	Shot
Rice,	Raisins	Lead
Pepper	Candy stick	Per. Caps
Spice, "	Fancy	Snuff
Ginger	Mackerel	Flasks
Soda,	Soap	Jars
Tea.	Blacking	Bottles

ALSO—a splendid lot of choice

TOBACCO & CIGARS.

LIQUORS BY THE WHOLESALE.

Brandy, Wine, Gin and Whiskey of various brands. Intending to keep constantly on hand the above articles and offering them as we do at very short profits, we solicit and shall endeavor to be worthy of a liberal patronage.

Also a large lot of BACON & LARD on hand.

April 15, 1857.—tf.

KERRISON & LEIDING.
IMPORTERS OF
FANCY DRY GOODS.

Silks, Linens, Hosiery, Embroideries, &c.
No. 141, MEETING ST. opposite Hayne st.
CHARLESTON, S. C.

E. L. KERRISON. }
HERMANN LEIDING. } *Aug.* 5, 1857.—1y.

BAGGING AND ROPE.

12,000 LBS. Best Rope, every coil *warranted.*

10,000 YDS. Gunny Cloth, 2¼ lb to the yard, at prices corresponding with the lowest markets.

For sale by J. B. & G. H. FORNEY.

June 10, 1857

PIANO FORTE AGENCY
AND
MUSIC STORE,
SELMA, ALA.

HAVING obtained the agency for the following named manufacturers, viz

Nunns & Clark,	*W. P. Emerson,*
Lighte, Newton & Bradbury,	*F. Gillard, (Eolian Attach.)*
Raven, Bacon & Co.	*Chickerings.*

The subscriber will keep an assortment of their Instruments on hand, which he will sell at maker's prices, adding only the expense of transportation. Also Melodeons and Organ Harmoniums.

A LARGE STOCK OF

Sheet Music & Music Books,

Including Instruction Books for all Instruments. Also,

Violins,	*Banjos,*
Guitars,	*Accordeons,*
Flutes,	*Concertinas, &c.*

In short every thing in the line of Musical Merchandise may be obtained as low as in any market from

J. W. BLANDIN.

Ware Rooms, Broad street, Selma, Ala.

September 23, 1857.—1m.

The State of [illegible]
Benton County [illegible]

Court of Probate for Benton County, Alabama, Regular [illegible] Sept. the [illegible]

This day came Wm. [illegible] and Caleb G. [illegible] of the estate of [illegible] deceased, and filed [illegible] in writing, represent [illegible] testator died seized [illegible] of the west [illegible] fourth of section 35 [illegible] range 10 [illegible] fourth of section [illegible] [illegible] section 35, township [illegible] about 60 acres of [illegible] the north e [illegible] township 14 range [illegible] House and Lot [illegible] of White Plains [illegible] north half of Lot No. [illegible] few additional feet [illegible] half; also the south east [illegible] north east fourth section [illegible] ship 13, range 9; all of [illegible] lying east in the Coosa [illegible] trict; and alleging that [illegible] sary that said lands [illegible] more equal, fair and beneficial [illegible] vision amongst the heirs [illegible] tees of said estate, [illegible] ing, that the same cannot [illegible] ly fairly and beneficially [illegible] without a sale thereof [illegible] ther represent, that [illegible] [illegible] of said estate are, [illegible] Morgan, who resides in [illegible] county, Texas, and is over the age of 21 years, Nancy H. [illegible] Spencer H. Morgan, Caleb [illegible] gan, Jeptha W. Morgan, [illegible] Patterson and her husband [illegible] Patterson; all of whom reside in Benton county, Ala., and who are over the age of twenty-one [illegible] also the children and heirs of Thomas C. Morgan, dec'd [illegible] ry Morgan, Caleb Morgan [illegible] leans Elizabeth and [illegible] gan, all of whom are [illegible] years and reside [illegible] Benton, with Wm. H. [illegible] Also, the children [illegible] Williams, late [illegible] viz: Benjamin Williams [illegible] as Williams who reside in [illegible] kee county, Ala. and are over the age of 21 years, also [illegible] liams, Mary Williams [illegible] Williams, Seaborn Williams [illegible] James Williams, John [illegible] and an infant name not known all of whom are under the age of 21 years and reside with their father Seaborn Williams, sr. in Cherokee co., Ala; also Catharine Morgan widow of said testator who is over the age of 21 years and resides in Benton county, Alabama.

It is ordered by the court, that the 26th day of October next 185[illegible] be set for the hearing and determining upon said petition, and that notice thereof be given by publication in the Jacksonville Republican, a werkly newspaper printed and published in said county, for forty days prior to said day as a notice to the aforesaid heirs and all other persons concerned to be and appear at a special term of said court to be holden at the court house of said county, on said 26th day of Oct. 18[illegible] and defend against said petition if they think proper.

Witness, A. Woods, Judge of said court, at office on this the 14th day of sept'r, A. D. 1857.

A. WOODS, Judge of Probate.

sep. 16, 1857.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, }
ST. CLAIR COUNTY. }

Probate Court for said county, on this 3d day of September, A. D. 1857.

THIS day came James M. Woolley, who resides in said county, and filed in court his petition in writing and an oath, that he the said James M. Woolly, Milly Ann Woolly, Virgil Woolly, Basil Woolly and Lafayette Woolly, hold, as joint owners or tenants in common, the west half of the south west fourth of section 27, and the north west fourth of section 2[illegible] and the north west fourth of the south west fourth of section 34, all in township thirteen of range four east in the Huntsville land District, Ala. Said petitioner also alleges in his said petition, that said lands cannot be equitably partitioned or divided among said joint owners or tenants in common, without a sale thereof. Notice is hereby given to said Milly Ann Woolly and Virgil Woolly, who are non residents of this State, that said petition has been filed, for an order of Court to sell the lands above described for distribution among said joint owners or tenants in common, and that the 2nd Monday of October next is set by the court for the hearing of said application that said non resident owners or tenants in common, or either of them may then appear at the court house of said county in Ashville, Ala. and contest said application, if they think proper. This 3rd day of september, A. D. 1857.

ROSS PHILLIPS, Judge of Probate.

GROCERIES
—AT—
Wetumpka and Selma Prices.

We will keep constantly on hand, a large stock of GROCERIES, direct from New Orleans, New York and Baltimore, consisting in part of Rio & Java COFFEE, Crushed and Brown Sugars, Molasses, Salt, Western Cheese, Goshen Butter, Star Candles, Family Soap, Bar & Toilet Soaps, Pepper, Spice, Ginger, Copperas, Soda, Sardines, Butter Crackers, Pickles, Tobacco, Cigars, Cotton and Manilla Rope, Nails, &c.

A large portion of the above named articles we will sell as low as they can be bought at any points in the State, & will sell any article in the Grocery line at Selma and Wetumpka prices with freight added.

We also have on hand a large stock of

DRY GOODS,

Hats, Boots & Shoes, Hardware Queensware, &c.—all of which we purchased exclusively for cash, and are selling at small profits on the same terms.

J. H. BRADFORD & CO.

Talladega, Ala. Feb. 5, 1857.

[illegible] LOTTERIES

[illegible] SCHEMES

[illegible] PRIZE

$60,000

[illegible] will be drawn by [illegible] of the Fort [illegible] Lottery, in each of their [illegible] at AUGUSTA [illegible] they have removed

CLASS 56.

[illegible] in the City of Augusta Geor[illegible]

Saturday, Oct. 3d, 1857.

Class 57.

[illegible] drawn in the City of Augusta Geor[illegible]

Saturday, Oct. 10th, 1857.

CLASS 58.

[illegible] the City of Augusta, Ga. [illegible] on

Saturday, Oct. 17th, 1857,

CLASS 56.

To be drawn in the City of Augusta, Georgia in public on

Saturday, Oct. 24th, 1857.

Class 60,

To be drawn in the City of Augusta Georgia in public on

Saturday, Oct. 31st, 1857.

ON THE PLAN OF

SINGLE NUMBERS!!

[illegible] Thousand four hundred and Ninety-Five Prizes!

NEARLY ONE PRIZE TO [illegible] TICKETS!!

MAGNIFFICENT SCHEME.

TO BE DRAWN

EACH SATURDAY IN OCT,

1 Prize of	$60,000	5	900
[illegible]	25,000	5 Prizes of	800
[illegible]	12,000	5 "	700
[illegible]	7,000	5 "	600
[illegible]	5,000	5 "	500
[illegible]	3,500	5 "	400
[illegible]	1,500	170 "	150
[illegible]	1,000	210 "	100

APPROXIMATION PRIZES.

[illegible] of $400 apx. to	$60,000	Pr is	$1,600
[illegible] 300	25,000	"	1,200
[illegible] 200	12,500	"	800
[illegible] 125	7,000	Pr are	500
[illegible] 100	5,000	"	400
[illegible] 75	3,500	"	300
[illegible] 50	1,500	"	200
[illegible]	20	are	100,000

[illegible] Prizes amounting to **$320,000**

[illegible] $10—Halves $5—Quarters $2½

PLAN OF THE LOTTERIES.

[illegible] numbers from 1 to 50,000, corresponding with those Numbers on the Tickets printed on separate slips of paper, are encircled with small tin tubes, and placed in one wheel.

The first 457 Prizes, similarly printed and encircled, are placed in another wheel.

The wheels are then revolved, and a number is drawn from the wheel of Numbers, at the same time a Prize is drawn from the other wheel. The number and Prize drawn out are opened and exhibited to the audience, and registered by the Commissioner, the Prize being placed against the number drawn. This operation is repeated until all the Prizes are drawn out.

Approximation Prizes---The preceeding and the two succeeding numbers to those drawing the first 7 Prizes will be entitled to the 28 Approximation Prizes. For example: if Ticket No. 11250 draws the $60,000 Prize, those Tickets numbered 11248, 11249, 11251 11252, will each be entitled to $400. If Ticket No. 550 draws the $25,000 Prize, those Tickets numbered 548, 549, 551, 552, will each be entitled to $300, & so on according to the above scheme.

5,000 Prizes [illegible] will be decided by the [illegible] of the Number that draws the $60,000 Prize. For example, if the Number drawing the $60,000 Prize ends with No. 1, then all the Tickets where the number ends in 1 will be entitled to $20. If the Number ends with No. 2, then all the Tickets where the Number ends in 2 will be entitled to $20, and so on to 0.

Certificates of Packages will be sold at the following rates which is the risk:

Certificate of Package of	10 Whole Tickets	$80
Certificate " "	10 Half "	40
" "	10 Quarter "	20
" "	10 Eighths "	10

In Ordering Tickets or Cirtificates, Enclose the money to our address for the Tickets ordered, on receipt of which they will be forwarded by first mail. Purchasers can have tickets ending in any figure they may designate.

The List of Drawn Numbers and Prizes will be sent to purchsers immediately after the drawing.

Purchasers will please write their signatures plain, and give their Post Office, County and State.

Remember that every Prize is drawn and payable in full without deduction.

All Prizes of 1,000 and under, paid immediately after the drawing—other Prizes at the usual time of thirty days.

All communications strictly confidential.

Address Orders for Tickets or certificates

S. SWAN, & Co., Augusta, Ga.,

Persons residing near Montgomery, Ala or Atlanta, Ga., can have their orders filled, and save time, by addressing S. Swan & Co., at either of those cities.

A list of the numbers that are drawn from the wheel, with the amount of the prize that each one is entitled to, will be published after every drawing, in the following papers:—*New Orleans Delta, Mobile Register, Charleston Standard, Nashville Gazette, Atlanta Intelligencer, New York Weekly Day Book, and Savannah Morning News. Richmond Dispatch and New York Dispatch, and Paulding (Miss.) Clarion.*

JOHN L. THOMASON. THOMAS HAYDEN

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Attorneys at Law,

AND

Solicitors in Chancery,

ASHVILLE, ALA.

WILL pay strict attention to all business entrusted to their care in the Counties of Jefferson, Blount, Shelby, Marshal, DeKalb, Cherokee, Benton and St. Clair, and in the Supreme Court of the State.

Jan. 20, '54.

STRAYED OR STOLEN.

From the pasture of John Parker, living 5 miles South of Jacksonville, a large sorrel mare mule, with a mark something like a brand on the left hip, and also a small saddle mark on the back.

The subscriber believes the said mule was stolen from the pasture of said Parker on last Friday the 14th inst. Any information that will lead to the recovery of the above described mule will be thankfully received and a reward of five dollars given. G. W. PINSON.

aug 26 1857.—tf.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of Administration on the estate of Reuben Burch, dec'd having been granted to the undersigned, by the Probate Court of Benton County, Ala. on the 24th day of September, 1857; all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them legally authenticated within the time prescribed by [illegible] [illegible] all persons indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

[illegible] [illegible] Adm.

J. S. PORTER,

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Solicitor in Chancery,

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HEALTH DEPENDS ON PURE BLOOD.

Brandreth's Pills Purify the Blood.

NO DISEASE CAN RESIST THEIR JUDICIOUS USE.

MILD OPERATION WITH SUCCESSFUL EFFECT ARE THE PECULIARITY OF BRANDRETH'S PILLS. Our race are subject to a redundancy or vitiated bile at this season, and it is as dangerous as it is prevalent, but Brandreth's Pills afford an invaluable and efficient protection.—By their occasional use we prevent the collection of those impurities, which, when in sufficient qualities, cause so much danger to the body's health. They soon cure liver complaint, dyspepsia, loss of appetite, pain in the head, heart burn, pain in the breast bone, sudden faintness and costiveness. In brief, Brandreth's Pills work their way to the very roots of the disease, cleansing in their passage, removing every unhealthy accumulation till the blood is purified, the whole system renovated, and the functions & duty of life become a pleasure where before they ha[illegible] been sad and weary burdens. Often when nothing has relieved vomiting of the most serious character, wheather from sea sickness or otherwise, where the retching has been appalling, a single dose of four BRANDRETH'S PILLS has at once cured and the patient has fallen into a sweet sleep. When the mind cannot collect itself; when the memory fails; when it is an effort to fix the attention; when our sleep is broken and our waking hours harassed with forebodings of evil, then Brandreth's Pills should be used. If these warnings remain unheeded, rheumatism, consumption, disease of the heart billious affections, jaundice, dropsies, piles, appolexies and costiveness will suddenly present themselves.—These Brandreth's Pills would have prevented, but nevertheless *these* they will also cure, Use them at once; do not let prejudice prevent the use of this simple but potent remedy.

Brandreth's Theory of Disease.

Never extract blood. Blood is the life. By abstracting it in painful diseases you may occasion the patient ease, But *remember, this case is only the reduction or lessening the power to feel.*—And by thus taking away nature's tools, you may prevent her from fully repairing the ravages of inflamation, and convert what might only have been the sickness of a few days or weeks into a chronic affection of months and years.

Brandreth's Pills accord with Nature, Nature's remedy in fact. What sudden acute or continued pain occurs from any cause, then to insure a quick return to health, you must use Brandreth's Pills, which will soon relieve every organ from undue presure, and remove those humors whose presence often occasions such terrible suffering.

Before the World 106 Years.

TWENTY MILLION BOXES SOLD and the sphere of their usefulness still extending. Ask for almanack and pamphlet of cures. Agents will supply gratis.

Beware—all pills with "241 Broadway" on side lable are counterfeits. Get the genuine and they will never deceive.

July 15, 1857.—3m.

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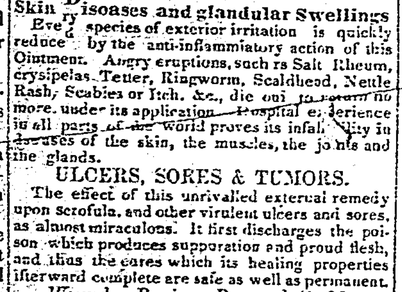
THE WORLD UNANIMOUS



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The Great Counter Irritant.

THE virus of disease often makes its way to the internal organs through the pores of the skin. This penetrating Ointment, melting under the hand as it is rubbed in, is absorbed through the same chanels, and, reaching the seat of inflammation, promply and invariably subdues it, whe ther located in the kidneys, the lungs, or any other important organ. It penetrates the surface to the interior, through the countless tubes that communicate with the skin as summer rain passes into the fevered earth, diffusing its cool and regenerating influence.

Skin Diseases and glandular Swellings

Every species of exterior irritation is quickly reduced by the anti-inflammatory action of this Ointment. Angry eruptions, such as Salt Rheum, erysipelas, Tetter, Ringworm, Scaldhead, Nettle Rash, Scabies or Itch, &c., die out to return no more. under its application. Hospital experience in all parts of the world proves its infallibility in diseases of the skin, the muscles, the joints and the glands.

ULCERS, SORES & TUMORS.

The effect of this unrivalled external remedy upon scrofula, and other virulent ulcers and sores, as almost miraculous. It first discharges the poison which produces suppuration and proud flesh, and thus the cures which its healing properties afterward complete are safe as well as permanent.

Wounds, Bruises, Burns & Scalds.

In cases of the fracture of the bones, injuries caused by steam explosions, Bruises, Burns, Scalds, Rheumatism, Stiffness of the Joints, and contraction of the sinews, it is employed and warmly recommended by the faculty. This marvelous remedy has been introduced by its inventor in person into all the leading hospitals in Europe and no private household should be without it.

UNDENIABLE TESTIMONY.

The Medical Staff of the French and English Armies in the Crimea have officially signed their approval of Holloway's Ointment, as the most reliable dressing for sabre cuts, stabs and gun shot wounds. It is also used by the surgeons of the Allied Navies.

Both the Ointment and Pills should be used in the following cases:

Bunions,	Mercurial Eruptions,
Burns,	Piles,
Chapped Hands,	Rheumatism,
Chilblains,	Ringworm,
Fistula,	Salt Rheum,
Gout,	Scalds,
Lumbago,	Skin Diseases,
Swelled Glands,	Sprains,
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Sore Breasts,	Tetter,
Sore Heads,	Ulcers,
Sore Throats,	Venereal Sores,
Sores of all kinds,	Wounds of all kinds

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There is a considerable saving by taking the larger sizes.

N. B.—Directions for the guidance of patients in every disorder are affixed to each box.

February 25, 1857.

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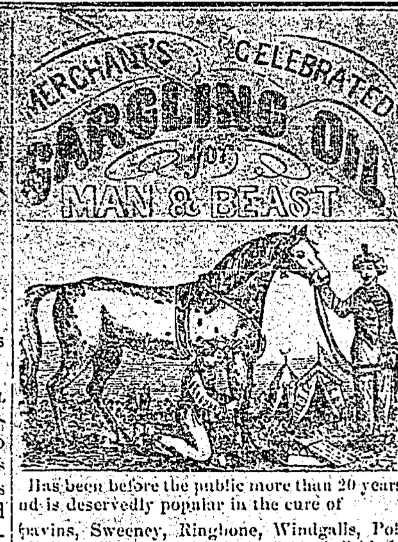
DR. W. W. BLISS'

Dyspeptic Remedy,

WITH full directions and description of symptoms—Just received and for sale by HENDRICK & NESBIT.

April [illegible] 1857.—tf.



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Be sure that the name of the originator is in his own hand-writing over the cork, and these words are blown in the glass of the bottle: "G. W. MERCHANT, Lockport, N. Y." None other can be genuine.

For sale by Druggists and Merchants generally, through the United States, British Possessions, and other Countries. And by HENDRICK & NISBET, Jacksonville, R. M. DICKSON, Alexandria: and by Dealers of Med. generally in the vicinity. Wholesale by J. C. DUBOUSE & co. mobile, R. L. ROSS, Tuscumbia, and by Dealers in all commercial Towns.

July 1, 1857.

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Bonds and Mortgages—	40 cts. per lb
Wills and Deeds—	40 cts. per lb.

For wrapping Silks and other fine articles it is excellent, as it prevents moths. 40 cts a lb.

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Aug. 5, 1857.—9m.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of Administration having been on the 3d of September, 1857, granted to the undersigned, by the Probate Court of St. Clair County Ala. on the estate of Pheriba H. Woolley, decd; all persons having claims against said Estate, must present them within eighteen months or they will be barred. This 3d day of September A. D. 1857.

JAMES M. WOOLLEY, *Adm.*

sept. 9, 1857.—6t.

STONE'S HOTEL,

WATER STREET, SELMA, ALA.

THE undersigned return their sincere thanks to the public for the liberal patronage they have received, and solicit a continuence of the same. We promise no pains shall be spared to make those comfortable who may favor us with a call.

The Table shall be furnished with the best the market affords.

We have a fine OMNIBUS to covey passengers to and from Boat Landings and Railroad Depots *free of charge.*

J. M. STONE, P. C. STONE.

Manager. Proprietor.

June 3 1857: 1y

STATE OF ALABAMA, Benton County.

TAKEN UP by Joseph Watson, and posted before Wm. Kennedy, Esq on the 18th day of Sept'r, 1857, a certain estray Sorrel Mare, about sixyears old, about 14 hands high; feet white. and has a scar on the right hind foot between the hoof and pastern joint; has a small white spot on each shoulder and blaze in her face—appraised to eighty five dollars.

A. WOODS, *Judge of Probate.*

Sept. 23, 1857.

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The HOWARD ASSOCIATION, in view of the awful destruction of human life, caused by Sexual diseases, practised upon the unfortunate victims of such diseases by Quacks, have directed their Consulting Surgeon, as a CHARITABLE ACT worthy of their name, to give

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July 15 1857.—tf.

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Nails, castings &c, all of which is offered to the trade on most reasonable terms and low prices.

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Expressions of thankfulness coming from the souls of those whom our Remedies have restored to [illegible] source of [illegible] world all earthly blessings [illegible] every newsletter [illegible] invalid, who through the efficiency of Radway's Ready Relief, Regulators and Resolvent has been raised from a bed of pain [illegible] sickness, and restored to the enjoyment of excellent health—we feel that our efforts have not been fruitless, and the angel of [illegible] ing on its wings, will not knock with her gentle [illegible] paradise in vain. The case we refer to above is truly astonishing, and one who knew Spring thought he could live—but no more so than many other miraculous cures performed by these Remedies, even when death has seized the patient, their use have restored the death stricken back to new life.

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Together with all Goods belonging to their line of business to all of which they invite the particular attention of purchasers to call & examine before buying elsewhere.
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Office up stairs in the north west corner of Major Ryan's new Store House on Post Office Row.
Thankful for the kind patronage he has heretofore received, he is determined to deserve the confidence of the public, and trusts he may continue to receive a liberal share of patronage.
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April 29, 1857.—1y.

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HAVE associated themselves in the Practice of of the Law.
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POETRY.

Live for Something.

Live for something; be not idle—
Look about thee for employ;
Sit not down to useless dreaming—
Labor is the sweetest joy,
Folded hands are ever weary,
Selfish hearts are never gay,
Life for thee hath many duties—
Active be, then while you may.

Scatter blessings in thy pathway!
Gentle words and cheering smiles
Better are than gold and silver,
With their grief dispelling wiles,
As the pleasant sunshine falleth
Ever on the grateful earth,
So let sympathy and kindness
Gladden well the darkened earth.

Hearts there are oppressed and weary;
Drop the tear of sympathy,
Whisper words of hope and comfort,
Give and thy reward shall be
Joy unto thy soul returning
From this perfect fountain-head;
Freely, as thou freely givest,
hail the grateful light be shed.

My Father.

BY HENRY R. JACKSON, OF GEORGIA.

As die the embers on the hearth,
And o'er the floor the shadows fall,
And creeps the chirping cricket forth,
And ticks the death-watch in the wall;
I see a form in yonder chair,
That grows beneath the waning light;
There are the wan, sad features: there
The palid brow, and locks of white.

My father! when they laid thee down,
And heaped the clay upon thy breast,
And left thee sleeping all alone,
Upon thy narrow couch of rest,
I know not why I could not weep;
The soothing drops refused to roll;
And, oh, that grief is wild and deep,
Which settles tearless on my soul!

But when I saw thy vacant chair,
Thine idle hat upon the wall,
Thy book the penciled pages, where
Thine eye had rested last of all,
The tree beneath whose friendly shade,
Thy trembling feet had wandered forth;
The very prints those feet had made
When last they feebly trod the earth.

And thought while countless ages fled,
Thy vacant seat would vacant stand;
Unworn thy hat, thy book unread;
Effaced thy footsteps from the sand;
And widowed, in this cheerless world,
The heart that gave its love to thee—
Torn, like a vine, whose tendrils curled
More closely round the falling tree!

Oh! father, then, for her and thee,
Gushed madly forth the scorching tears,
And oft, and long, and bitterly,
Those tears have gushed in later years;
For, as the world grows cold around,
And things take on their real hue,
'Tis sad to learn that love is found
Alone above the stars with you.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The following are some of the sweets of a doctor's life: If he visits a few of his customers when they are well, it is to get his dinner; if he don't do so, it's because he cares more for the fleece than the flock.—If he goes to church regularly, it is because he has nothing else to do; if he don't go, it is because he has no respect for the Sabbath or religion. If he speaks to a poor person, he keeps bad company; if he passes them by, he is better than other folks. If he has a good carriage, he is extravagant; if he uses a poor one on the score of economy, he is deficient in necessary pride. If he makes parties, it is to soft soap the people and get their money; if he don't do it, it's because he is afraid of a cent. If his horse is fat, it is because he has nothing to do; if he is lean, it is because he is not taken care of. If he drives fast, it is to make people think that somebody is very sick; if he drives slow, it is because he has no interest in the welfare of his patient. If he dresses neat, he is proud; if he does not, he is wanting in self-respect. If he is active and does his duty in the sick room, he is cruel, unfeeling and harsh; if quiet and reserved, he don't know anything. If he talks quick and decided, he is rough; if slow, he is undecided. If he works on the land he is good for nothing but a farmer; if he don't work, it is because he is too lazy to do anything. If he talks much, we don't want a doctor to tell everything he knows; if he don't talk, WE LIKE TO SEE A DOCTOR SOCIABLE. If he says anything about politics, he had better let it alone; if he don't say anything of it, we always like to see a man show his colors. If he visits his patients every day, it is to run up a bill; if he don't, it is unjustifiable negligence. If he says anything about religion, he is a hypocrite; if he don't, he is an infidel. If he abuses any of the quack nostrums, it is to favor the whims and prejudices of the people; if he don't use them, it is from professional selfishness. If he is in the habit of counsel often, it is because he knows nothing; if he objects to having it on the ground that he understands his own business, he is afraid to expose his ignorance to his superiors. If he gets pay for one half of his services, he is a good manager, and to wind up the catalogue, those that find the most fault, never pay their bill.—*Brooklyn Eagle.*

☞ The Printer is down with the same complaint.

Herr Driesbach and His Lion.

The Galena (Ill.) Courier publishes a letter from a correspondent in Potosi, Wisconsin, who says: "Tired of this itinerant and Benedick life, about three years since the Herr took to himself one of the most intelligent and amiable of the Buckeye daughters & removed to this place, where he had purchased himself a beautiful farm and where he has retired to cultivate the earth and make for himself a pleasant home.

Since then, the Lion Tamer has visited Dubuque, and the Express, of that city, gives the following interesting recognition:

Last evening we, with two companions, walked up street with a very worthy farmer from within one mile of Potosi, Wisconsin, who talked about his pigs, geese and ducks, and with what success he tilled his farm. As an instance of his successful tilling, he stated that he sold the product from fifty feet square of his farm, of which he kept an account, for forty-three dollars. Hence it may be seen that this farmer, Herr Driesbach, has some skill as well as pride in his farming.

Our chief object in taking this walk was that the Herr desired us to witness a meeting between himself and old pets of the menagerie, which he had not seen for more than a year, and which of course we were most anxious to witness, to see whether time, travel and change had obliterated from their recollections their old master. On entering the canvas, which was before the audience, Herr [illegible] to Herr desired us to stand before the while. This tiger, from some old sore, had just as old a grudge against him, and in days of yore managed to give a marked demonstration of the fact. This cage was selected for the first test of recognition.—While we were stationed immediately in front, Herr came sauntering along carelessly, habited in a farmer's coustume, and as he neared the cage the tiger's eyes began to glisten with great brilliancy as they bore directly upon him, and at the same time, a low guttural growl began to rise in his throat, which burst out into a ferocious howl as he leaped at the bars to get at him when he passed by. This experiment was tried several times with the same result, and when at length Herr spoke to him, his rage knew no bounds; leaping at the bars, he dashed his paws out to tear him, and only ceased when his old master walked out of his sight.

The next place we were desired to remove to was the large cage containing a large lion, two leopards and a lioness.—We mention them thus as it is the order they stand in the cage, it being divided into apartments. As Herr approached this cage the lioness caught sight of him, and her eyes beamed with pleasure, while her tail wagged a glad recognition. On his coming to her she appeared frantic with joy, and when he spoke to her and presented his face to the cage, she kissed him, and placed her paw in his hand with all the air of an intense affection.

Indeed, while he was in her presence, she did not know how to control herself, but would lick his hands while he attempted to pat her, roll over, reach out her paws to him and then press her nose between the bars as though she would like to have had a closer presence. While Herr was talking to the lioness, the old lion in the other end of the cage began to get jealous and grumbled, for he too had recognized his old friend. Herr said to him, 'Billy, getting jealous?' and then walked up to him, when the creature crowded against the bars to get closer to him if it were possible, and kissed his face and licked his hands with as great demonstrations of delight as the other.

The leopards, too, in the same cage knew their old master, and watched him as they lay with their noses close to the bars with evident pleasure, and seemed highly pleased as he spoke to them. In all our days we do not recollect any exhibition that gave us so much satisfaction as did this meeting of friends, and while we watched them in their congratulations, we could not make up our mind which was the most delighted, Driesbach, to know that he was not forgotten by these affectionate creatures, or that they were once more in his presence. While we were watching Herr and his old companions the crowd began to gether in, and our companions and self departed highly gratified at the result.'

"I want to be an Angel."

In the door of a New England cottage sat a little child, at the close of a Sabbath summer day. The twilight was fading, and as the shades of the evening deepened into darkness, one after another of the stars stood out in the sky and looked down on the child in his thoughtful mood. He looked up into the bright spots as they came till his eyes grew weary of watching the worlds of light, which to him were only [illegible] through. And the child became so thoughtful in his reveries that his mother said to him:

'What are you thinking of my son?'

He started, as if suddenly awakened from a dream; and when she repeated her inquiry, he could only say,

'I was thinking—'

'Yes, my child, I know you were thinking, and I wish you would tell your mother what you were thinking of.'

'Oh,' said he, and his little eyes sparkled in the dark with the thought on his lips—'Oh, mother, I want to be an angel.'

'Heaven is away up there, mother, and God is there, and the angels love him, and are so good and so happy, I want to be good and go there to love God, and be an angel to wait on him forever.'

There was something so like the voice of heaven in these child words, that the mother—proud of her son, but trembling for her treasure—called him to her knee, and as she laid his head on her bosom and wept, she thought she had been warned as in a vision. But she was wise in her affection, and she kissed his forehead and smoothed his silken hair, and in a low, gentle voice, told him to be a good boy, and by-and by he should be an angel among angels. His young heart was comforted.—He sat on her knee, for an hour, and asked strange, deep questions, which the mother could not always answer; and then he knelt by her side, and with her soft hand on his head, he repeated his evening prayer. A few minutes afterwards he was in his cot asleep, dreaming, perhaps of heaven.

Within less than a quarter of a year, when the summer was gone, but the mellow autumn was yet lingering, and the leaves had not changed to fall, the child fell sick, and the joy of that mother's heart went out. He breathed his last in her arms, and as she took her parting kiss, he whispered in her ear, *"I am going to be an angel."*

Northern Difficulties & Southern Safety.

He is the practical statesman, the real reformer, who recalls the mind from fancies to facts—from the lessions of theory to the lessons of experience. You cannot extinguish a prejudice by tearing it out by the roots. You must convince, not crush a mistaken judgement, or an erroneous opinion.

Let us illustrate: The cry against the people of the South, which, after the attacks upon their peculiar institution, has done the most to exasperate them, has been their lack of comparative enterprise in commerce, manufactures, railroads, schools &c.

This has been sounded along the whole frontier dividing the free States from the South. It has been printed and preached with industry unparalleled. The public mind in the North and Northwest has been asked to take it for true; has been scolded into it, and railed into it. To prove the sincerity of the contrast, the free States have gone into all sorts of 'enterprise' with very madness. We have had marble banks 'run up' like the palace of Aladdin, almost in a night, every pillar costing its thousands, every architrave laid in hard-earned gold, every brick cemented to its fellow by the sweat of honest toil. Railroads have been *improvised.* Cities have sprung into existence as sudden (and as fleeting) as so many exhalations. Great factories have risen in towering lines, and men have been made glad with the music of industry. From all these have grown the superb mansions of moneyed princes, fast horses, fast men, fast boys, and fast girls. Such is the reverse of the picture. While the South stood still, the North *moved on!*

So the accusation against the South was not one of words. Behold the fruits of the accusation, and draw the contrast for yourself.

We disdain making a party appeal at such a time as this. The curse of journalism in these days, is the habit of charging everything bad to party, on, the one hand, [illegible] everything good *for* party on [illegible] other. We scorn any such purpose, [illegible] low when [illegible] as we have been told—standing solid on her material interests, on her mighty staples, and in her proud isolation from the blast that has swept down so many of those who have been taunting and depreciating her, let us take the admonition thus furnished to us, and profit by it like wise men.

Let us ask ourselves how our bitter reproaches against the South sound to us now.

How little we could do without her money in our cities, her timber in our waters, her cotton in our mills?

How we should stand if she should fall?

How we selfishly rejoice, in our hearts, in the midst of our distress, that, *for our sake,* she should be so much better off than we, and, *therefore, better able to help us than we are to help ourselves?*

We do not charge it as a retort upon those who have delighted in these gibes upon the South, that most of the great distress under which the country staggers comes from quarters that have been so many hot-beds of Abolitionism; but we suggest that this is a good point from which to date *a revival of fraternal feeling between the States of the Union:*

From which to swear devotion anew to the Union and to the Constitution:

From which to recall the banished affections for our brothers of the South;

From which to re-invoke the old relations that made us one in religion, one in country, one in the battle-field, and one in heart.
Philadelphia "Press."

Noble Devotion.

In the account given of the recent sad calamity at sea, says the Atlanta Examiner, we have been particularly affected by the noble devotion of "two women steerage passengers, who refused to leave their husbands." Acts like these are calculated to elicit more than a passing tribute. In that hour of danger, when death laughed at the sea in its awful agony, and those who had went down to the sea in ships" were momentarily expecting the curling waves to close forever over them; when Hope had died in human breasts, and the taste of death was salty upon their lips; the appearance of a vessel brightened in their eyes, and safety was within reach of "all the wo[illegible] natural that the heart should yield to the temptation of succor at such an hour. But the two women who clung to their husbands and refused to go, leaving them to die alone on the vast ocean; who, with a fidelity and love that the storms of the sea could not shake, or seduce, staid by them and sunk with them; is an evidence of devotion almost unparalleled. Their hands were not as soft as that of the lilied inhabitants of the cabin—but in their hearts there was a tenant the proudest, the loftiest and richest might envy—softly may they slumber and sweetly sleep.

'Like Peri's of ocean by moonlight have slept.'

Our Summer Birds.

The summer brought with it many sweet singers; our hedges and clover fields, orchards and meadows, are full of them.

Yellow birds, brown birds, [illegible] wrens, flit from tree to shrub, from bush to tree, and rest upon slender reeds and tall grasses that droop and bend under their beautiful burden. Red-breasted robins live in the apple-trees, and little brown "chirpers" confidingly in the vines that overhang [illegible] barn roof, and steady martins look soberly out from their little wooden homes. As if melody in rich and frequent singing, pausing, meanwhile, to listen for the sweet answers that are sure to come from the twilight depths of the overlooking mountain woods. And so, through all the sunny hours, do we list their raptuous music from day dawn until the night falls, and they hush their songs, and fold their wings away to rest. Then out comes the lone whippoorwill, and voices his sadness of heart to the twilight hour. Above the river's murmurings and the far off dreamy sounds of evening, rings that sweet and plaintive music, and, as we listen, we remember how in days of childhood, we watched the pale moonbeams resting on the chamber floor, and listened, as now, to that lonely song.—We remember, too, how often our child-feet wandered to the mossy rocks by "the spring," and how we lingered in the grassy lane, and sat under the old oak tree, and we wonder if the sun shines, and the winds blow, and the fleecy clouds drift there as of old. Ah, that happy childhood! Between it and us surge the crowded years of life, and they are bearing us still further and further away, yet how often do we look back to its innocent unconsciousness of all that is dark and sorrowful in the world, and wish it were ours again!

But we are near forgetting our summer birds. Blessings be on them! The flowers awake, and Nature puts on her 'best apparel for their coming, but the flowers will be dead, and the trees will throw down their leaves, and sigh mournfully at their leaving. We, too, shall be sorry.

Tea as a Summer Drink.

Frederic Sala, writing from Russia to the Household Words, mentions that on a table near him stands "a largeish tumbler filled with steaming liquid of a golden color, in which floats a thin slice of lemon. It is tea; the most delicious, the most soothing, the most thirst-allaying drink you can have in summer time, and in Russia." Tea, flavored with the slice of a lemon, we have never tried, neither are we prepared to recommend as a summer beverage, tea steaming hot, as Sala does. But tea made strong (as we like it, or as strong as you like it,) well sweetened, with good milk, or better, cream, in it, in sufficient quantity to give it a dark yellow collor, and the whole mixture cooled in an ice-chest to the temperature of ice-water, is 'the most delicious, the most soothing, the most thirstallaying drink we have ever treated ourself or our friends to.' We know of nothing to compare to it for deliciousness or refreshment. It cheers, but not inebriates. Its stimulous is gentle, its flow exquisite. Try it, good reader; make a note of this now, and when the summer fever visits you, and you feel, with Sidney Smith, that for the of coolness you could get out of your flesh and sit in your bones, try our specific of ice-cold tea. Julips, Cobblers, and such things, sink into utter insignificance beside it. They are only temporarily refreshing, and fire the blood after the five minutes following their imbibition. Ice-cream is the only preparation fit to be mentioned with our cold tea.

ALL MIGHT HAVE BEEN SAVED.—The Norfolk Argus has the following, in relation to the loss of the "Central America," of the "Central America." "The mysterious ways of Providence" are again quoted, but if the statement of Captain Burt be correct, we cannot see that "Providence" had much hand in it.

It is known that the great difficulty on the occasion was the drifting of the rescuing brig Marine, a number of miles to leeward, so that only eight boat loads of the people could be transferred from the steamer to the brig before the former went down. Had such precautions been taken on board the steamer, when the Marine was seen approaching, as would have enabled the two vessels *to ride together by a hawser* they would then have continued only a few fathoms apart, and all could have been taken on board the brig before dark.

Capt. B[illegible] of the Marine, informs us [illegible] bore down for the steamer [illegible] [illegible] condition, and [illegible] that he must necessarily drift far to leeward, and hoping that those on board the steamer would realize this, he made every preparation [illegible] the brig for riding by a hawser, and expected to find a boat out from the steamer with an end of one of her large hawsers on board. He accordingly rounded to close under the stern of the steamer, so close that a biscuit might almost have been tossed from one vessel to the other, and close enough to have received one of her lines from a small boat, but to his dismay, none such was in readiness, and in a minute more he was drifting rapidly away. He is confident that he could have saved every soul if he could only have made fast to the steamer. In this opinion men of nautical experience must universally concur.

The Central America was provided with several noble hawsers, strong enough to have held the vessels together in the then state of the weather. We can only grieve that the experiment of running out the hawsers was not attempted on board the ship when crippled brig was seen approaching—the only means of rescue. Mysterious, indeed, are the ways of Providence.

Gold Discovery.

Mr. Alex. Nix, of Auraria, says the Dahlonega, Ga. Signal of the 19th inst. found a vein, on lot No 15, 13 dist. north half of the 1st section, a few days since that bids fair to rival the celebrated Calhoun mine, or the boasted mines of California. We learn that eighteen and a half gallon panful of the dirt and slate, encompassing the vein, made a yield of two hundred and seventy-eight pennyweights of the precious metal. This proves what we have often said, that our country is equal to any mineral country in the world, and all that is required to bring it out is energy and perseverance.

THE WORTHLESSNESS OF GOLD.

It is stated by many of the survivors of the Central America's passengers, that there was seldom so large an amount of money owned by passengers as was in the case of those who came by the Central America. Many were persons of large means, and there were but few whose immediate wealth did not amount to hundreds, while numbers reckoned their gold by the thousands of dollars. The greater portion of the passengers were returned miners, some coming hither to invest the capital they had realized, in hopes to live a life of greater ease as the result of their industry, and others to get their families and once more go to the land of gold. But as the storm continued to rage, less and less of gold was thought of, and when, on Saturday, it became evident that they were likely at any moment to be buried beneath the waves, wealthy men divested themselves of their treasure belts and scattered the gold upon the cabin floors, telling those take it who would, lest its weight—a few ounces or pounds—carry them to their death.—Full purses, Containing in some instances two thousand dollars, were laying untouched on the sofas. Carpet bags were opened by men, and the shi[illegible] with the [illegible] passengers who has fortu[illegible] One of the [illegible] opened a bag and dashed about the cabin twenty-thousand dollars in gold dust, and told him, that wanted to gratify his greed for gold, to take it. *But* it was passed as the veriest dross. A few hours before he would have struck down the man who would have attempted to take a grain of that which he now spurned from him.

The Cunning Thrush.

There is much more intellect in birds than people suppose. An instance of this occured the other day at a late quarry belonging to a friend from whom we have the narrative.—A thrush, not aware of the expansive properties of gunpowder, thought proper to build her nest on a ridge of the quarry, in the very centre of which they were constantly blasting the rock. At first she was very much discomposed by the fragments flying in every direction, but still she would not quit her chosen locality. She observed that a bell always rang whenever a train was about to be fired, and that at the notice the workmen retired to safe positions. In a few days, when she heard the bell, she quitted her exposed situation and flew down to where the workmen sheltered themselves, dropping close to their feet. There she would remain until the explosion had taken place, and return to her nest. The workmen observed this and narrated it to their employers, and it was told to visitors who came to view the quarry. The visitors naturally expressed a wish to witness so curious a specimen of intellect, but as the rock could not always be blasted when visitors came, the bell was rung instead, and for a few times answered the same purpose. The thrush flew down close to where they stood, but she perceived the change, and it interfeered in the process of incubation; the consequence was, that afterwards when the bell was rung she would peep over the ledge to ascertain if the workmen did retreat, and if they did not she would remain where she was.—*London Literary Journal.*

Scandal.

The Rev. Dr. *Backus,* of *Bethlehem,* Conn., was a man of power as well as of eccentricity. He had a habit of dropping the thread of his discourse, and delivering himself of any thought that suddenly struck him. Thus, throwing up his spectacles, and leaning his elbows on the Bible, and his chin on his hands, he would break out:

"Scandal! I'll tell you what scandal is! Brother Smith has heard something about brother Jones, but it was told to him under a great pledge of secrecy, and he finds it so hard to keep it alone, that he tries to find some one to help him, and he imparts it to neighbor Jennings, and it proves too weighty for their united capacities to bear, and they soon manage to share it with brother Fraser; and so it spreads from one to another, till at last Polly Downs hears of it, and then whew! away it goes, and everybody knows it. And that's scandal."

MOURNING A LOVER'S ABSENSE.—A girl who had become tired of single blessedness, thus wrote to her intended; "Dear Jim, come right off, if you're coming at all. Ed. Kelderman is insistin' I shall have him, and he hugs and kisses me so continually, that I can't hold out much longer [illegible]

AN EXCITING [illegible]

On Friday [illegible] ice in New York [illegible] no [illegible] woman [illegible] [illegible] captured. They begged [illegible] for the sake of their [illegible] was dear to them to [illegible] ing never to be caught [illegible] again, but their [illegible] no avail—the officers [illegible] to release them. Se[illegible] ners were discharged [illegible] about two o'clock on [illegible] ning.

Among the motley [illegible] merchants, lawyers, [illegible] makers, coopers, [illegible] &c., &c. Never before [illegible] such a terror-stricken set [illegible] brought before a court of [illegible] of those most frightened [illegible] his wife would kill herself [illegible] ing if she knew of his misfortune [illegible] was one of the men's [illegible] magistrate.

Newspapers.

"The man that first invented [illegible] papers deserves a noble cenotaph; he made a monument more lasting than brass or the regal pyramid. [illegible] chinery is varied, complicated, and stupendous; talent, genius, the sciences [illegible] the arts are brought [illegible] physical, mental, and psychological [illegible] put in operation; great industry, labor, perseverance, and expenditure are lavished; the steamship, the railway car, the electro-magnetic telegraph are put in requisition, as well as the means of correspondence. When the result of combined effort is eliminated, an intelligent people reads, thinks, reason and resolves. The most intelligent, cultivated, philosophical, & useful in the world, either to themselves and others, are the readers and patrons of newspapers."

EATING ORANGE PEEL.—We learn that a little son of Robert Oliver, of this city, says the N. Y. Journal of Commerce, is now lying in a very critical condition from the [illegible] eating orange peel on Monday last. [illegible] cannot be too cautious in kee[illegible] orange peel from their children, [illegible] contains an active poisonous oil, w[illegible] in many cases has caused the [illegible] rind is taken into the stomach.

ITEMS.

An idle reason lessens the weight of the good ones you gave before.—*Swift.*

Pictures drawn in our minds are laid in fading colors, & unless sometimes refreshed vanish and disappear.—*Locke.*

False shame and fear of blame cause more bad actions than good, but virtue never blushes but for evil.—*J. J. Rousseau.*

It is hard to personate and act a part long. Therefore, if a man thinks it convenient to seem good, let him be so, indeed.—*Tillotson.*

A man should never be ashamed to own he has been in the wrong, which is but saying, in other words, that he is wiser today than he was yesterday.—*Pope.*

Truth, like the juice of the poppy, in small quantities, calms men; in larger, heats and irritates them, and is attended by fatal consequences in its excess.—*Landor.*

The water that flows from a spring doesn't congeal in winter. So those sentiments of friendship which flow from the heart cannot be frozen in adversity.—*Addison.*

Vanity in woman is not invaria[illegible] though it is too often, the sign of a cold selfish heart; in men it always is; there[illegible] we ridicule it in society, and in private [illegible] it.—*Landor.*

There is a great difference between an act of prudence and an act of justice. In one case we consider what we shall gain or lose in the present world; while in the other case we consider also what we shall gain or lose in the world to come.—*Stewart.*

Undoubtedly the pathetic orator, who [illegible] the most melting part of his discourse ex[illegible] claimed with tears, 'I wish I had a window in my bosom that you might see the [illegible] tion of my hart,' was taken considerab[illegible] aback by the exclamation of the vulgar bo[illegible] in the gallery, exclaiming, 'wont a pane in your stomach do this time.'

There is probably a good deal more point than gallantry in the question we have heard asked, why it is considered in[illegible] for gentlemen to go into the presence of la[illegible] dies in their shirt sleeves, while it is thought entirely correct for the ladies to appear before the gentlemen with no sleeves at all.

SCORCHING.—Prentice, of the Louisville Journal, is the author of the following:—We see that the sprightly, though naughty, authoress who calls herself George Sand, has expressed herself very strongly in fa[illegible] vor of being burned after her death. If there is truth in the scriptures, we guess she will have her wish.

Few men have a more ready [illegible] their [illegible] than the [illegible] being asked why philosophers always ran after rich men [illegible] ed philosophers [illegible] knew they wanted money, while the former haven't sense enough to know they want wisdom.

A young girl recently committed suicide because her mother refused her a new bonnet. [Coroners verdict]—Came to her death through excessive spunk.

Russia is now engaged in building 2,300 miles of railroad.

The national debt of Great Britain is now £818,000,000, or in dollars, [illegible] 000,000.

'Sally,' said a fellow to a girl who had red hair, 'keep away from me, you'll set me afire.' 'No danger of that,' was the prompt answer, 'you are too green to burn.'

'I think your church will [illegible] many years yet,' said [illegible] his pastor, 'I see [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]PUBLICAN.

[illegible]ONVILLE, ALA.

October 14, 1857.

We notice in our exchange papers, [illegible] Cotton Factories closing in sev[illegible] on account of the high price of [illegible] This strikes us as a very foolish [illegible] Do the manufacturers suppose [illegible] cotton has got up to something [illegible] that people will do with[illegible] We will venture to predict [illegible] permanently close their fac[illegible] priced cotton, new ones for [illegible] of high priced cotton will [illegible] up in their places, or the busi[illegible] more entirely monopolised by the [illegible] then reopen their factories and go on like men, increasing the price of their goods in a fair ratio with that of the raw material—nothing can come in competition with cotton goods for clothing until the price of cotton reaches 40 or 50 cents.

Medical College at Augusta.—We invite the particular attention attention of those who design to attend medical Lectures, to the notice in another column, of the commencement of the twenty-sixth annual course in the above named institution, which will commence on Monday the 2nd [illegible]vember next. It will be seen that it [illegible] full and able faculty, and will commence the next course of lectures under auspices as favorable as any heretofore, which have given it such extensive and well merited popularity, for so many years.

It would be well, we think, for medical students, in making up their minds, as to what institutions they will attend, to take into the account, the peculiarity of many diseases in the south, and the modifications produced by climate, in others, in order if they design to practice in the South, to avail themselves of the advantages of a southern institution.

To our Patrons.—We really very much need the assistance of our friends, to meet present pressing, and future anticipated demands, as the year is rapidly drawing to a close. We therefore earnestly solicit and confidently hope, that as many as possible will avail themselves of the opportunity offered at our ensuing Circuit Court, to settle the small amounts due from them, for subscription and advertising. Remem[illegible] now be settled at two dollars per year.

Another Liberal Proposition.

We have heretofore given notice that our terms were reduced to two dollars per year payable by the expiration of the year. But as there are some who prefer to pay in advance, and think some advantage should be offered them, we now propose to all such who will subscribe, that we will furnish them the paper during the remainder of this year and the whole of 1858, for two dollars. Thus, those who subscribe so as to include the present number, of which we have printed some extra, will get about *fifteen months* for the year at two dollars. The sooner they subscribe the more papers they will get for [illegible] mount.

President of the Senate.

[illegible] is with pleasure, we give place to the [illegible]unication of "Justice," relative to the [illegible]ding offices of the two houses of the [illegible] with him [illegible]e expressions of the Hon. R. M. Patton. [illegible] personal acquaintance we had with him, extending through several days, in a trip on board a steam boat from Tuscumbia to Cincinnati, the place where the National Democratic convention was held in 1856, we were most favorably impressed with him, as an agreeable, worthy, dignified and talented gentlemen, fitted to adorn any station he might be called to fill; and we find that our good opinion is fully sustained by those who have known him much longer, and are better qualified to judge. We connot doubt, but his mild yet firm deportment; his nice sense of justice and propriety, together with his ability and long experience, eminently qualify him for President of the Senate.

We have no doubt too, that our correspondent expresses a correct opinion of Gen. Jackson, of Autauga, who is thought to be the most prominent aspirant for speaker of the House.

A destructive fire occurred in Livingston, Sumpter Co. Ala. on the 27th ult. [illegible]roying a number of buildings, and property to the amount of about $30,000.

Pork.—The Knoxville; (Tenn.) Register says that engagements have been made for pork in that vicinity at 8¼ cents, and that holders have refused &c. Other papers state that in Kentucky and other parts of the west, pork had been engaged at 5½ gross, but that the money pressure had for a time checked all transactions.

The Selma Sentinel of the 6th inst. says the Alabama river is remarkably low —the smaller class boats only running— freight high —cotton $3 to $4 per bale.

The second bale of new cotton sold in Wilmington N. C. at 20½ cents per pound.

Kansas has got to come into the Union either as a slave State or as a free *State.* If it comes in as a slave State, Northern Democrats will raise the Devil, and if it comes in as a free State the South will raise him.—*Louisville Journal.*

Very well, let his *Satanic Majesty* rise, if he can be raised. The Democracy can manage him easily enough.—They encountered him and both wings of his army—Black Republicans and Know Nothings—last year, and routed all the powers of darkness. It is idle to attempt to scare the Democracy by talking of raising the Devil. They are not afraid of the old sinner; they are used to beating him. He sometimes obtrudes himself into the Democratic party, and pretends to be a Democrat, but he soon shows the cloven foot and is kicked out of doors. Let anybody raise him that wants to.—*Louisville Democrat.*

Louisville, Oct. 1.—Hutchings and Co., bankers, have failed to-day, and made an assignment. It is understood that their assets exceed their liabilities by one hundred and fifty thousand dollars.—The banking house of John Smidt and Co. also closed to-day.—There is a heavy run on the banking [illegible] of A. D. Hunt & Co., but it is [illegible] they will certainly hold out, [illegible] a strong one.

Wheat.—The Iowa City Re[illegible] farmers are offering [illegible] 40 cents a bushel.

publican adds "the same state of facts is reported on the Muscatine and other river markets, and indeed we may say of the markets generally of the State."

The Mormons.—The Mormons are breaking up their quarters in all the Eastern States, preparatory, as is surmised, to a general migration to Utah.

For the Republican.

The Presidency of the Senate—Speakership of the House.

Mr. Editor:—As the meeting of the Legislature is fast approaching and as some speculations are afloat as to the presiding officers of that body, and as every one has a right to his own opinions and preferences, I take this method of expressing my own, in relation to these officers. In doing so, I do not wish to be understood as objecting in the least, to any of the other gentlemen whose names have been introduced, as proper and suitable aspirants for these distinguished positions, for to me the most of them are personally and favorably known, and would adorn any position of the kind conferred. It is I think pretty generally conceded that the talented and modest Jackson of Autauga, from his long experience in Legislative affairs, and acquaintance with parliamentary usage, with his untiring devotion to the success and interest of the democratic party, will entitle him to the speakership of the house at the next session. Then to Northern or Eastern Alabama will in my opinion, the presidency of the Senate be tendered; who then would the mantle most properly fall upon, if capacity and long experience in Legislation be consulted. Will not the Hon. Robert M. Patton, of Lauderdale, be the man. He will be emphatically the Father in the legislature having been a member in one branch or the other for the last 20 years, and having shown himsolf to be an efficient, faithful working member, and whose exemplary character should always command the most profound respect, and whilst his political intercourse with his fellow men has been of the mildest and most pacific character, yet in 1855—6 when Know Nothingism in all its hideous forms and menaces, visited, Tornado-like our peaceful and quiet Alabama, who done more than Rob. Patton, of North Alabama to check & route its lodgement in that portion of the State, none I presume would claim more in that respect.

That Mr. Patton would make a faithful, efficient and impartial presiding officer, no one I presume that knows the man, for one moment could doubt, & believing he merits the position, I hope the Senate will confer it on him; although I have no idea he seeks or desires political preferment.

JUSTICE.

LATER FROm EUROPE.

[illegible] SHIP NIAGARA.

COTTON DECLINED!!!

[Telegraphed expressly for Advertiser and Gazette.]

New York, October 7.

The steamship Niagara has arrived at Halifax, with Advices from Liverpool to the 25 ult.

The sales of Cotton for the week previous to the departure of the Niagara amounted to twenty-nine thousand bales.

All grades of Cotton had slightly declined and the market was quiet.

The trade in Manchester wore an unfavorable aspect.

Augusta, October 7.—It is admitted here that Judge Joseph E. Brown, the Democratic candidate for Governor, is elected by a majority of from 8,000 to 10,000. The returns indicate the election to Congress of R. P. Trippe and Joshua Hill, Americ[illegible] and of M. J. Crawford, L. J. Gartrell, [illegible] and Alexander H. Stephens, [illegible] Second, Fourth, and Eight Districts.—There is little heard, as yet, from the First and Sixth Districts.

Will the Monetary Panic Effect the Price of Cotton!

The following extract from the Chronicle & Sentinel gives our views fully on this interesting question:

The South was never in a better condition to resist the effects of a monetary panic, because she has not overtraded, is not therefore in debt, and the circulation of her legitimate *B*anks was never so small as at this season of the year. They are consequently sound, and deserve the highest confidence of the people. In addition to this we are already realising the proceeds of the largest crop of wheat ever grown in the Southern States, which, of itself, is no inconsiderable item; and we are just beginning to avail ourselves of the Cotton and Sugar crops, perhaps by far the most valuable ever grown. Hence the resources of the South, the present year, must be larger by millions, probably fifty to one hundred, than ever before known. These facts induce us to believe that the South will certainly be in better condition monetarily, than at any former period in her history; whatever may be the pressure resulting from overtrading and speculation at the North.

It is true, as in all other monetery panics, we may be sympathetically effected for a short period; but, with proper caution, that can only be of limited duration, and may for a time effect the price of our great staples; because of the difficulty of making negotiations.—This we think very probable, nay, almost certain, but we are equally confident it will be only temporary. And even against this, we may protect ourselves to a very great extent, by holding back our Cotton for a brief period, till the necessary arrangements can be made for its purchase. The planters, therefore, have this matter in their own hands and may control it. It is now quite certain that the crop cannot be large, and that Europe will require it all as rapidly, and even more rapidly, than she can get it. The prospect is, therefore that prices will rule high—higher than any season for many years. It is, therefore, a matter of the highest consideration that planters should continue to protect themselves and the whole South against the consequences of forcing their staple rapidly upon the market and thereby depressing the market.

Exploration of the River Colorado.—The expedition soon to be organized at *S*an Francisco by Lieut. J. C. Ives, under the authority of the *S*ecretary of War, equals in importance that undertaken by Lewis and Clark, many years ago to the Missouri. The Colorado rises near the headwaters of Missouri, Columbia, Arkansas, and Del Norte river, and flowing through Utah and New Mexico, empties into the Gulf of California. According to the vague and unauthentic accounts which we have of it at present, its tributaries are navigable for hundreds of miles and along their shores are scattered the ruins of large and polished cities. The region watered by it is not inferior in fertility to the finest lands on the Mississippi. A faithful account of it will not contain less interesting disclosures than [illegible] made by the Boundary Commission in regard to the Gila, which enters the Gulf of California by the same estuary as the Colorado.—[New York Post.

[By Telegraph to the Cork Constitution of Sept. 17.]

War in India, Latest.

General Havelock's force, for the reoccupation of Cawnpore, had in eight days marched 126 miles, and fought four battles with Nenah Sahib's army, against overwhelming odds in point of numbers, and had taken twenty-four guns of light calibre; and that, too, in the month of *July*, in India. On the morning of the 17th of July, the force marched into Cawnpore. The soul harrowing spectacle that there presented itself to them beggars description. A wholesale massacre had been perpetrated by the fiend Nena *S*ahib, Eight officers and ninety men of H. M. 85th regiment, several ladies, and one hundred and twenty one children of H. M 32d foot, and the whole European and Christian population of the place, including civilians, merchants, pensioners and their families, to the number of 400 persons, were the victims of this demon.

The court yard in front of the Assembly Rooms in which Nena Sahib had fixed his headquarters, and in which the women had been imprisoned, was swimming in blood. A large number of women and children wh[illegible] been cruelly spared after the capitulation for a worse fate than instant death, had been barbarously slaughtered the previous morning, the former having been stripped naked and then beheaded and throwed in a well, and the latter having been hurled down alive upon their butchered mothers. Only four escaped —the wife of a merchant and three others.

Gen. Havelock, in a dispath to the Governor General, says; "Nena Sahib has drowned himself and family. He had an intention of going to Lucknow, but when he got as far as the river, the cavalry and infantry deserted him.—They are all gone off, after destroying their arms, to their different homes.—Cawnpore is now as quiet as Alla Chabad."

From the Charleston Standard.

Secretary Cobb, the man for the Times.

Great emergencies always produce the man for the occasion. The present money crisis is no exception to the rule. If it had found at the head of the United States treasury a timed, cautious, or hesitating officer, the extent of injury to the country from the wild panic would have been almost immeasuable, But Secretary Cobb at once saw and prepared to meet the emergency. His measures secured the banks of New York and of St. Louis, and in doing so he has already broken the blow that might have prostrated first the strong, and afterwords the weaker. We have published, heretofore, what he did to throw into New York and St. Louis the gold of the Subtreasury. His efforts in that respect have not abated. The treasury payments in New York are still large from day to day. On the 29th ult, they were six hundred thousand dollars over the receipts. On the 30th, the government redemption of the United States stock to a single house at Washington was five hundred thousand dollars. Besides this, the bullion in the assay office at [illegible] has been promptly ordered to Philadelphia. There the whole force of the mint has been put to its utmost speed, so that the coinage now amounts to three hundred thousand dollars for every twenty-four hours.

At this rate the mint will produce nearly [illegible] per week, which will [illegible] relieve the pressure in a very short time. The speculators who are buying up specie to hold for high prices under the bank suspensions, will certainly be caught, for soon their coveted article will command no premium. If the operations of the mint relieve Philadelphia, Baltiimore must follow in the train forthwith, and then the crop of the country will easily perform its natural office.

Steamship Disasters.

The appalling loss of life on the "Central America" has no parallel in the annals of American steamship navigation. The nearest approach is the disaster which befel the steamship Arctic, on the 27th of *S*eptember, 1854, by which something like three hundred and fifty lives were lost. The steamship *S*an Francisco, belonging to the Pacific Mail *S*teamship Company, which foundered in the *A*tlantic on the 25th of December, 1853, was lost under circumstances similar in many respects to the disaster which has just occurred; but the number of lives sacrificed was much less—not varying far from two hundred, including 150 U. S. troops.

Taking a retrospect, with a view to recount the various catastrophes which have befallen ocean steamships owned in or trading with the United States, we find that the following have been entirely lost:—

Name.	Fate.	Valuation.
President,	Never heard of	$350,000
Columbia,	All hands saved	300,000
Humboldt,	" " "	500,000
Cy of Glasgow,	Never heard of	200,000
City of Phil.	All hands saved	300,000
Franklin,	" " "	480,000
San Francisco,	A few saved	300,000
Arctic,	" " "	700,000
Pacific,	Never heard of	680,000
Tempest,	Never hoard of	300,000
Cen. America,	A few saved	140,000*
		$4,250,000

*Exclusive of about $1,600,000 in specie.

If the cargo was included, these figures would be more than doubled. The president was lost in the year 1841; no one knows how or where. The Columbia, in nautical phrase, "broke her back" on the rocks on the American shore of the Atlantic. The City of Philsadelphia went to pieces on the rocks near Cape Race. The City of Glascow sailed from Liverpool March 1st, 1854, and was not afterwards heard of. The Great Britain came near being included in the list, having lain ashore for some months at Dundrum Bay, coast of Ireland, but is now engaged as a transport for India. The Eranklin and Humbolt went ashore and broke in pieces—the former on Long Island, and the latter near Halifax. The Arctic and Pacific were lost as already recorded. The iron steamer Tempest, measuring 1,500 tons, sailed from New York Feb. 12, 1857, with a crew of from thirty-five to forty men, and was never heard from. On the Pacific, several fine steamers have been lost, generally of a smaller class. The Independence, for instance, was totally lost—with 120 lives [illegible] Tennessee, St. Louis, and [illegible] Blade, Winfield Scott and others, became total wrecks.

English steamers in waters contiguous to the United States, have fared little better. Within a short time, we have had to record the loss of the fine Iron steamship Clyde, and several steamers in the West India Islands.

A calculation as to the number of lives lost in these steamers, makes a total of about seventeen hundred. This loss being irreparable, no consolation can be derived from the fact that a large proportion of it might have been prevented by a division of these ships into compartments by water-tight bulkheads; but there is opportunity to make the adoption of such a means of safety compulsory upon the owners of all sea going steamers, and thereby doing much to prevent the recurrence of catastrophes such as we too often have occasion to deplore.—*Journal of Com.*

Literary Men of France.—Call the roll of the "young men of 1830." and ask where they are!—De Balzac is dead—coffee killed him. Frederic *S*oulie is dead, the victim of coffee and licentiousness. Engene Briffaut died a madman in the *C*harenton Lunatic Asylum. Grandville went mad, and breathed his last in a private insane house. Lassally died at the Charenton mad house, a raving lunatic. Lowe Weimars died from opium eating and licentiousness. Rabbe, after suffering agony from loathsome disease, took poison to end his prolonged torture. Alfred de Mussett died a victim to the bottle and the cigar. Count Alfred D'Orsay was killed by the cigar and licentiousness. Charles de Bernard died from coffee and licentiousness. Henri Beyle died from coffee and women. Hippolite Royer Collard died from tobacco and coffee. Gerard de Nerval, after oscillating between plenty and want, abstemiousness and licentiousness, went mad and hung himself. All died of softening of the brain or spinal marrow, of swelling of the heart! All mowed down in the prime of life—in the meridian of their intellect and fame.

Engene Sue's name is added to the fatal list. Coffee and women were his ruin. He died away from his friends, away from his family, away from the home he had adorned with elaborate care, an exile in a foreign land. Who would have predicted such an end to Engene Sue in 1841, when he was the favorite of Paris, rolling in wealth, courted by every one, a dandy of most aristocratic pretensions.

Cor. Boston Traveller.

Arizona.—From a private letter to Lieutenant Mowry, a sad state of things is represented in the Gadsden Purchase. Since the unfortunate expedition of Col. Crabbe into Sonora, the inveterate hostility between the settlers of this district and the Mexicans [illegible]—Like the Jews and Samaritans of yore, they have no dealings together. The Americans in the Territory are divided—some in favor of fillibustering, and others opposed to it; some in favor of murdering and robbing Mexicans wherever found, and other opposed to it. It results that they are in a state of anarchy. There is no government, no protection to life, property or business, no law, and no self-respect or morality among the people. They are living in a perfect state of nature, without thy restraining influence of civil or militare law, or the amelioration of society.

What a Woman Thinks about Farming and Farmers.—A lady writer at the close of a very womanly and very sensible communication, not designed, we suppose for the public eye, thus gives vent to her admiration for the farmes's call:

Your journal has much improved in its style, composition & subject matter. Even the children now have a little corner. Though I may not raise corn, yet I like to read how others raise it. If I had the means I would be a great farmer, though I am but a woman.—It is the noblest pursuit of earth—one that leaves no sting after its accomplishment, but on the contrary gains a contented, cheerful spirit, and brings with, not overwearied limb and brain, the sweetest sleep, and a calm conscience.—A man cannot be bad-hearted who is a steady, untiring farmer. How can a man's heart be anything but fresh and green when he works in nature's wide domain with the blue sky over him? He *must* be good, in spite of himself, whether he will or not. Give me a farmer before other men. But I am tiring your patience. Please excuse me; you know I am a woman & I *must* talk.—[Plow, Loom and Anvil.

Irish Opinion on the Indian Revolt.—The London Times quotes with warm commendation, the following passage from an article in the Dublin Freeman's Journal:

The feeling on the Indian news in the mercantile world is very strong. *A*ny idea of jealousy between English and Irish interests seems quite to be lost in a feeling of intense indignation and disgust at the atrocities, which would have disgraced even the most noble cause for which ever arms were taken; and though it might be supposed that an East Indian question would have little sympathy here, the outrages committed have completely divested the cause of the insurgents of the slightest sympathy, and, as far as regards the mercantile classes of this city, Protestants or Catholics, Liberals or *C*onservatives,—we find but one feeling—that of a patriotic indignation against the savages who have so outraged our countrymen and our countrywomen, as well as those of the sister country, and an enthusiastic admiration of the [illegible] displayed by [illegible] land has cause to be proud.

In contrasts with this is the following from another Dublin Journal:

Sweeter than the voice of love, sweeter than the valued presents of friendship dearer than the mellowest sunshine of the heart, is the news of English discomfiture in India to the breast of the Irish people. They are delighted, rejoiced and gladdened beyond measure when they hear of the torture and humiliation of their ancient foe.—There is not a vessel of hers which is wrecked, there is not a general of hers who is slain there is not a batallion in her service which is routed and overthrown, that the people of Ireland do not gloat over with the greatest satisfaction and delight. From the deepest recesses of their hearts they wish her defeat and misfortune in whatever enterprise she is engaged. The Irish million wish to see England subdued, her insolence chastised, her barbarous and tyrannical power broken.

Gloomy Prospects.—The N. Y. Tribune predicts that by the 1st or middle of next December, at least one hundred thousand persons in the city of New York will be out of employment and nearly out of means. The shipyards in N. York are nearly idle, the foundries but half working, and the great clothing stores doing verry little. It is stated that women have recently come to New York from places three hundred miles away in quest of work from the clothing stores, only to be turned off with none, and compelled to beg their way home again. The Tribune adds, that places have looked for servant girls for some time past, and be very glad to find them. It is predicted that soup-house for hungry laborers who can find no labor will be wanted before January! The Journal Commerce is of opinion that hardly, since 1837, has so gloomy a prospect for winter lowered upon the laboring classes of New York.

General Suspension in Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Sept. 25.—*A* conference of the President of the Banks of this city was held to day and they resolved on a temporary suspension of specie payments on the checks of depositors, as well as on all bank bills over the denomination of ten dollars. This arrangement goes into effect to morrow.—The Presidents desire the public to discredit all exaggerated reports in regard to any thing like total failures in Philadelphia.

The Brokers are highly excited.

Baltimore, Sept. 26.—*A* meeting of the Presidents of all the Banks took place this morning, and they resolved upon a total suspension of specie payments.

Washington, Sept. 23.—Advices received by the Interior Department say that the Mormons have taken possession of Deer creek 100 miles west of Laramie, and drove a band *S*ioux Indians from there, where the Indian *A*gent had settled them in April.—The Mormons are making great preparations to settle the Valley. The Agent says he is powerless to control them.

Cincinnati, Sept. 26—Business is unsettled, owing to reports of the suspension of specie payment by the Boston, Baltimore & Pittsburg banks. A dispatch from Boston, however, says that State street is much excited by Philadelphia advices; but the Banks have largly increased their specie within a few days and give no sign of suspension.

The New England Banks it is believed will be able to stand the pressure.

New Orleans, Sept. 25.—Cotton sales, 1500 bales. Operations are checked by the difficulty in passing exchange.

New Orleans, Sept. 28.—Sales of Cotton to-day 350 bales. Prices easier but quotations unchanged.—Business almost suspended in con sequence of their being no excange. Flour steady, at $5 50to6 00. Red Wheat $1 10. Coffee declined 1-4c.

*A*ugusta, Ga., Sept. 28.—The banks of Georgia, North & *S*outh Carolina entertain no idea of suspension.

Philadelphia, Sept. 28—The banks have agreed to restore the Bank of Pennsylvania to its position and receive its notes and discount liberally for customers.

Old and Poor.—*A* writer in the Boston Courier—George S. Hillard—thus touchingly expresses a greot truth:

"It was formerly our fortune—not an enviable one—to administer the insolvent law. *A*n old man who came under our jurisdiction, once said to us:—"It is hard to be old and poor." It was a simple remark, but the tone and look gave it pathos and significance; and how, sadly, painfully true it is!—The young man can confront fortune; the stone which she flings at him, he can pick up and set as a jewel in his crest; but the old man falls under the blow. Rejoice then, man of genius, in thy genius. O pure in heart, rejoice in thy purity; and oh young man, rejoice in thy youth, for time and thou are good against any two!"

Death of Prof. Copeland.—We regret to learn the death of this gentleman, which took place yesterday morning at a room occupied near the east end of Liberty street, Savanah.—He has been in our city for some months, striving to get up a class in elecution, of which art he claimed to be a professor. He was not, however, very successful owing to his erratic deportment. Hav[illegible] [illegible] to subsist on, and [illegible] until it was [illegible] he was discovered yesterday morning, by a neighbor, lying on the floor in the agonies of death. It is supposed that intemperance, together with inadequate and improper diet were the cause of his death. Professor Copeland, we believe, hailed from Tennessee.

Arrival of the Steamship Jura.

St. John's, N. F., September 28.—The screw steamer Jura has arrived here bringing London dates of 15th inst.

Consols 90½. Money is more stringent. Wheat active and firm. Corn active and steady. Flour buoyant.—The cholera was raging fearfully at Hamburg, Asian, *S*tockholm and other places, and was proving very fatal. The Bank of Holland has increased their rates to 5 per cent. From Moldavia we learn that the elections in the principalities had resulted favorably to the Union.

India.—The Indian mail from Delhi, the 29th, had arrived. Several sorties had been repulsed with great loss to the rebels. Four hundred British had been killed and wounded. The Nemuck mutineers had reached Delhi. Gen. Nicholson was daily expected from Paunjaub with reinforcements.

General Havelock occupied Bethoor on the 7th without resistance.

Nenah Sahib escaped on the 29th General Havelock defeated ten thousand rebels on the road to Lucknow.—British loss trifling.

There had been terrible butcheries in some parts of the country.

On the 15th of August Hyderabad was quiet. It was expected that Delhi would soon fall.

Generals Havelock and Neil were advancing upon Lacknow.

Three regiments of *B*engal native infantry had revolted and fled to Reo River. They were pursued by Genell Floyd and 800 mutineers killed. Other mutineers were also routed at Jubalpore. In other places mutineer plots had been discovered—at Benares and Hamalick—they had burned Betor.—Sir Collin Campwell had assume the command of the army.

Nenan Sahib's atrocities at Cawnpore beggars description. He massacred 400, including 70 women, and 120 children. The court yard froning his head-quarters was swimming with blood. Sahib subsequently escaped and drowned himself and family.

Sad Indeed!—A Wisconsin paper states that a few days ago, the body of a Mrs. Treat and her child were recovered from the river at Grand Rapids, Wis., after they had been misteriously missing several days. For some days previous to her sudden disappearance she had endeavored to find some one to adopt her child. Failing in that, it would seem that she determined to free it from future neglect, brutality and ruin, and in pursuance of this idea, fastened it to herself with a rope, passing it around the bodies of both, and tying it in a hard knot. Thus they were found—the child with one of its arms around its mother's neck, the mother with both arms clasped tightly around her child. Her husband manifested entire indifference, during her absense, and after her bonnet had been found by the side of the river, and while the neighbors were dragging the river for the body; he lingered about the tavern stupefying himself with liquor and [illegible].

Sebastopol in 1857.

Sebastopol, July 5.—Sebastopol! Its name brings to the mind of every one sad and painful remembrances of the past. As I walk over the hills of the celebrated Redan and Malakoff, everything is found devastated and deserted.—Standing on the summit of the Malakoff, an extensive view of the battle ground is obtained. In a Southerly direction are seen the trenches constructed by the allies at the loss of so many lives; and beyond, so far as the eye can discern, are the ruins of building and vineyards now destroyed. *A*t the left is a small trench which contains the mortal remains of two thousand Russians and Frenchmen, who perished on the 8th of Sept. at the final seige, nought but a rude wooden cross marks the spot where repose the remains of that day's sanguinary contest.—Far in the back-ground is the graveyard in which thousands of English and French troops are resting in their last repose. Flowers in luxuriant profusion now decorate the ground above them.

Looking towards the town of Sebastopol a saddening sight is presented. But a short time since Sebastopol was a flourishing town, containing sixty thousand inhabitants; nothing now remains but a mass of stones, with traces here and there of what were formerly fine buildings. The houses, churches and hospitals, the decks and the magazines. are all in ruins and the streets are covered with fragments of exploded shells and pieces of the shattered walls. It is evident, even from the inspection of these ruins, that *S*ebastopol must once have been a splendid city; the streets are wide and finely arranged, and the buildings, in many cases, beautiful specimens of architecture. Its harbor is one of the finest in the world. The massive "Twelve Apostles," the "Constantine," and other vessels of smaller size, which were sunk at the time of the siege, now remain, not wholly submerged, but partly visible about the water, with their open port-holes, destitute of guns, but with their rigging and anchors attached.

On the North side of the harbor the forts are still teeming with life and activity. The *Star* Fort, the most prominent one, is a wonderful work. On the 8th of Sept. when Sebastopol was successfully stormed and taken possession of by the allies, the Russians had but 45,000 men, while the united forces of the allies, amounted to over 100,000 men. The Russians admit that they lost five hundred thousand men during the war.

Correspondence Boston Courier.

A jolly doctor of this city, told us the other day that people who were prompt in their payment, always recovered from sickness, that they were good customers and physicians could not afford [illegible]

For the Republican.

To F. H. W[illegible]

A Poem.

It were a task too sad to trace
The painful word on that face—
To lay the sad history bare,
The volume that is graven there.

Long years of sorrow now have fled,
Since first thy defenseless head,
There came in *Fate* the crushing blow
Which d[illegible]ed all thy life with woe.

Far in the misty past is seen
One hallowed spot of changeless green—
One heaven free from every strife—
The consecrated goal of life!

The whispering breeze, the cooing dove,
Made music to the ear of love,
When thy bosom leaned thy head
Of [illegible]—alas! too early *dead.*

With quivering lip and gushing eye,
Thou couldst not give her up to die,
But prayed and wept, and wept & prayed
Till heaven thy strongest faith betrayed.

Alone and desolate was left
Thy wretched self, of *all* bereft—
A [illegible] upon the Ocean's wave—
A wanderer searching for a—grave!

The sky of hope, once clear and blue,
Draped with clouds of darkest hue,
Was on thy patient, manly brow,
See those darkling shadows now.

Oh sir, my spirits feels the gloom
That gathers o'er a mortals tomb;
No tongue nor pencil can impart
The gloom that wraps a ruined heart.

[illegible], *she* it was, O! was it not,
That gave life's waste one sunny spot—
One isle of love in life's dark sea,—
One port, from storms and tempests free.

Now, oft, amid thy holier dreams,
Her angel face upon thee beams,
And that fair head, long since at rest,
Again is pillowed on thy breast:

Those soft white arms, that to thee clung,
Around thy neck are wildly flung,
And lips, alas! no more that speak,
Again caress thy glowing cheek.

Too soon the flattering *dream* flown,—
Thou makest to find thy self *above*;
And though each dark and hapless day
To plod, still on thy weary way

Oxford Ala. October, 8th 1857.

The Saved and the Lost.—The exact number of the saved and lost of the steamer Central America, will probably, says the Journal of Commerce, never be known in this world. It is generally agreed that she had on board, on leaving Havana, nearly six hundred souls; and the lists of the saved vary from 160 to 182. In all of those lists, repetitions or other inaccuracies are apparent. Probably 170 is not far from the truth.

This appalling disaster was made the subject of prayers and discourses in many pulpits on Sunday last, in all parts of the country. A collection of five hundred dollars was taken up in Baltimore, in aid of the survivors The subscription will be increased.

The wife of the Rev. Maunsell Van Rensselaer lost a brother in the wrecked steamer Arctic; she now loses a brother-in-law by the death of Charles W. Van Rensslaer, first office of the Central America.

The Boston Transcript says:

The brig Marine, which so opportunely rescued about one hundred of the passengers from the ill-fated Central America, is owned by Elisha Atkins, Esq. of this city. It is creditable that gentleman, that he declined compensation for the assistance rendered by the brig, although much expense was incurred by the detention. In the midst of so much gloom, the above fact shines forth with peculiar brightness.

We understand that there is a man in this county who has moved so often, that whenever a covered wagon comes near his house, his chickens all march up, fall on their backs and cross their legs, ready to be tied and carried to next stopping place.

☞ A teacher asked a bright little girl, "what country is opposite to us on the globe?" "Dont know, sir," was the answer.—"Well, now," pursued the teacher, "if I were to bore a hole through the earth, and you were to go in at this end, where would you come out?" "Out of the hole, sir," replied the pupil with an air of triumph.

Obituary.

Departed this life, in Jacksonville, Ala. at 6 O'clock, on Saturday morning the 10th Oct. 1857 after a lingering and painful illness of chronic diarrhea, which he bore with christian resignation Nathan Wright, in the 57th year of his age.

The deceased was born in Wake County North Carolina and raised in Rutherford County. He was for nineteen years a licenced exhortor in the Methodist Church and on Christmas of the year 1852 by Bishop Gadsden was by the Episcopal Rite of confirmation, made a member of that church, in which communion he has since lived &c. He has left 6 sons, 4 daughters, several grand children and his bosom companion, not to mourn as those without hope, but to strengthen their faith and zeal to follow and be with him again, as our hope, in that better land.

Mr. Wright was a kind hearted and zealous christian. He seemed to have an overflowing zeal for the Conversion of sons to God and wherever he believed that good could be effected for Redeemers cause he was untiring in lending his aid without stoping to enquire what denomination of the Christian family was to be augmented by conversion of sinners. Although anxiously desiring to receive the Holy communion of the Body and Blood of the Crucified Redeemer from the hands of the minister of the church, he was deprived that blessed privilege by the unavoidable absence of his much loved and interesting pastor. He lived and died in the faith and we feel assured has received the reward of those who die in Christ.—

"Brother thou art gone to rest,
We will not weep for thee,
For thou art now, where, oft on earth
Thy spirit longed to be.

Brother thou art gone to rest,
Thine is an earthly tomb,
But Jesus summon thee away
Thy Savior call'd thee hence.

Brother thou hast left us,
Thy tears and cares are o'er,
And sorrow pain and suffering now
Should ne'er distress thee more.

Brother thou hast left us,
The hymns of praise shall sing
And saints in light have welcome thee,
To share the joys of heaven.

Brother thou hast gone to rest,
And this shall be our prayer:
That when we [illegible] our journey's end
Thy glory [illegible]"

The papers [illegible]

Cotton Manufactures in the South.—The papers of Northern Mississippi, especially of Granada, are doing their best to wake the people of that section on this subject. There is certainly no reason why cotton manufactories should not be established throughout the South. There is every where an abundance of water, a healthful and favorable climate, and once in operation the labor cannot be wanted. Besides, the experiment has been already tried, and found successful. There are one or two factories now, we believe, in Mississippi, which pay as well as any other permanent investment in the State, and the same may be said of the well known and prosperous ones in the State of Georgia. The proposition, therefore, is not only a patriotic, but every way a wise one.

St. Louis Leader.

The Newburyport (Mass.) Herald states that a cargo of very fine sugar is stored upon *Johnson's* warf, in that city, for which a firm in Boston paid twelve and a half cents per pound; now it will not bring nine cents. The depreciation, storage skrinkage, &c., will occasion a loss of forty dollars on a hogshead.

MOFFAT'S LIFE PILLS AND PHOENIX BITTERS.—Physical considered, man is the paragon of animals; but his system is liable to external and internal derangements to which we give the name of disease. Remedies of a simple kind should be first employed, [illegible] renovate the delicate organs of the stomach, whilst the Phœnix Bitters, by gently stimulating the appetite, give a new zest to life and its enjoyments.

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Holloway's Pills.—Delicate females, who suffer from those peculiar disturbances of the system incident to the gentler sex, will find in these Pills a safe remedy for all the functional disorders under which they labor. Acting specifially upon the local irregularity, and generally upon the system, this comprehensive remedy will simultaneously remove the immediate cause of suffering, and invigorate all the bodily organs which have been affected by sympathy therewith. In the three most perilous phases of female existence, viz, the dawn of womanhood, the period of maturity, and what is termed "the change of life," the alterative and restorative properties of these Pills render them insdespensable to the feebler sex.

☞ Every person should read the advertisements of Grindle's Celebrated Magic Compound, and Ancient Japanese Life Pills, which appear alternately in another column. *Try them and be cured.*

Mr. Perry Davis—Sir:—I have used in my family your medicine, called "*Pain Killer,*" for many purposes and have found it a very useful and valuable article. I therefore very cheerfully recommend it to the public regards.

HENRY CLARK, *Pastor of the Baptist Church in West Randolph.*

Medical College of Georgia.

AT AUGUSTA, GA.

THE Twenty-sixth Course of Lectures In this Institution will commence on MONDAY, the 2nd of November next.

Emeritus Professor of Anatomy, G. M. NEWTON, M. D.
[illegible] Anatomy, H. F. [illegible]BELL, M. D.
Surgery. L. A. DUGAS, M. D.
Institutes and Practice of Medicine, L. D. FORD, M. D.
Mateira Medica, Therapeutics and Medical Jurisprudence, I. P. GARVIN, M. D.
Obstetrics and Diseases of Women and Infants, J. A. EVE, M. D.
Physiology and Pathological Anatomy, H. V. M. MILLER, M. D.
Chemistry and Pharmacy, ALEX. MEANS, M. D.
Demonstrator of Anatomy, ROBT. CAMPBELL, M. D.
Assistant Demonstrator, S. B. SIMMONS, M. D.
Adjunct to Professor of Surgery, W. J. HOLT, M. D.

Clinical Lectures will be delivered by the Faculty in the City and Jackson street Hospitals.

Fee for the whole course, $105 00.
Matriculation Ticket, (to be taken once) $5.

For further particulars, apply to any member of the Faculty or to

Oct 14 '57 I. P. GARVIN, Dean.

Negro Man for Sale.

Will be sold on Wednesday 28th day of October 1857, between the hours of 12 o'clock M. & 3 o'clock P. M. at public ontery, to the highest bidder for one half cash, & the other half on credit until 1st March 1858, a valuable Negro Man—about 35 to 40 years old—of good quality, understands most of farming business,—of industrious habits, and needs no watch to keep him at work.

Also a genteel two horse BARUCH, and harness:

Title good—cause of sale, need of money. Come & See.

Oct. 14, 1857.—tds.

Executor's Notice.

LETTERS Testamentary on the estate of James Hampton, dec'd, having been granted to the undersigned, by the Probate Court of Benton county, Ala. on the 7th day of October, 1857; notice is hereby given to all persons having claims said estate, to present them, legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

JOSEPH C. McAULEY, *Exr.*

Oct. 14, 1857.—6t.

Fall Importations.

STIPES & ROWLAND.

WE are in receipt of our large Stock of **Fall and Winter Trade,** to which we invite the attention of buyers before purchasing. We are preparing to show as well a selected stock and of as good quality as was ever offered in this market. Our stock will be unsurpassed in

STAPLE & FANCY

GOODS.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF

CLOTHING

Is very complete, all made in Philadelphia, of the very best material, and workmanship.

We beg to call the attention of our friends and the public to our large stock which we are prepared to sell for cash or to prompt paying customers at reduced prices.

Our usual stock of Groceries [illegible] now in store.

[illegible]INESE SUGA[illegible] [illegible]on County for [illegible]

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

LETTERS of Administration upon the estate of Thomas Henderson, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, by the [illegible] court of Benton county, Ala. on the 28th day of September, 1857; notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them, legally authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred: and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

M. P. HENDERSON, Adm.

Oct. 7, 1857.—6t.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of administration, with the will annexed, were on the 22nd day of September, 1857, granted to the undersigned, upon the estate of Elisha Dulaney, late of the county of Benton, Ala., by the Probate Court of said county of Benton; all persons having claims against said estate are notified to present the same properly authenticated, within the time prescribed law, or they will be barred—and those indebted to said estate, are required to make immediate payment.

M. J. TURNLEY,
General Administrator of Benton co. Ala.

Oct. 7, 1857.—6t.

MORE CLOTHING!

A. R. SMITH

HAS just received a large, fashionable and well selected stock of

FALL & WINTER

GOODS.

Including every variety usually called for in this market. His stock of

Ready Made Clothing

Will be found unusually large, of good material, durably made, and of the latest styles and fashions. Also, **LADIES' DRESS GOODS,** In great variety and of superior quality.

For MEN'S WEAR, Cloths, Cassimers, Satinets, and many other descriptions of Goods suitable for the Fall and Winter seasons.

Hardware and Cutlery, Nails, Guns, Spades and Shovels,

COLLINS AXES, a superior article.

Hats and Caps,
Boots, Shoes and Brogans,
Saddles, Bridles,
MARTINGALES, &c.

China, Glass and Queensware, Paints, Oils, Dyestuffs, &c. with many other articles too tedious to mention.

He earnestly solicits a call from his old friends and patrons, confident that he will offer such goods and such terms as will secure a continuation of their trading and also desires, by offering every reasonable inducement, to secure as many new customers as possible. Dont pass by without examining for yourselves.

Sept. 30, 1857.

CALL

AND

BE SUITED.

The undersigned is now receiving his

Fall and Winter

GOODS,

TO which he respectfully invites public attention. His STOCK, when fully received, will be *unusually* large, *fine* and *attractive.*

In **Ladies DRESS GOODS,** the undersigned thinks no house in this country, will offer superior inducements. And none perhaps, has ever equalled his charming stock of

CLOAKS
AND
MANTILLAS.
BONNETS

Trimed and otherwise, in considerable variety, and of the most approved styles.

Gentlemen also, can be well suited, as the assortment in this line is full, and presents great variety. Some superior

Cloths, Overcoatings and Cassimeres.

Also a large and well assorted supply of **READY MADE CLOTHING.**

The undersigned has *never* offered as large a Stock of Goods as the one now under consideration. Prices too, are moderate, considering the value of cotton. Cash customers shall have the value of their money.

All are invited to "call and be suited." E. L. WOODWARD.

Sept. 30 1857.—6t

RYAN, TATE & ROWLAND,

ARE NOW RECEIVING THEIR

Fall & Winter Stock of

DRY GOODS,

CONSISTING of every article usually kept in this market, and many **NEW STYLES OF GOODS** that have not been brought to this place heretofore.

THEIR STOCK OF

LADIES DRESS GOODS

Bonnets and Mantillas

Will be hard to compete with in way of variety, style, and last but not least *price.*

They beg leave to call the attention of their friends, and transient customers to their unprecedently large Stock of

WINTER CLOTHING,

Comprising every new style, up to the time of their purchases, which was made in the early part of this month. Pants and Vests ranging at prices from $1,50 to 10,00—Woolen Coats ranging at all prices from $2.25 to $20,00.

Thankful for past favors, they will hold themselves in readiness at all times, to serve their friends to their perfect satisfaction.

Sept. 30—8t.

ON TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22,

WE PROPOSE TO PUBLISH

The Great Book of the Year!

The New Tale, by the Authoress of *THE LAMPLIGHTER!*

MISS CUMMINS has chosen for the title of her new book the name of the principal heroine, the beautiful and accomplished.

MABLE VAUGHAN,

And has written a story which, for elegance of diction and thrilling interest, has rarely been equalled by any American lady. The question has been repeatedly asked—Can Miss Cummins write another book equal to "THE LAMPLIGHTER?" We can answer this question now, with perfect assurance, not only from our own personal knowledge, but from the unqualified testimony of literary gentlemen of Boston, who have read the work with great care, and with absorbing interest, both of whom pronounce it a superior book to her first, and assure us that the authoress of 'The Lamplighter,' instead of losing position, will add immensely to her previously well-earned [illegible] reputation.

IMPORTANT TO EVERYBODY.

For the last three years, I have been engaged in a business known only to myself, & comparitively few others, whom I have instructed for the sum of $200 each, which has averaged me at the rate of $2,000 to $3,000 per ann.; and having made arrangements to go to Europe in the Spring of '58, to engage in the same business, I am willing to give full instructions in the art to any person in the United States or Canadas, who will remit me the sum of $1.—I am induced, from the success I have been favored with, and the many thankful acknowledgments I have recieved from those whom I have instructed, and who are making from $5 to $15 per day at it, to give every person an opportunity to engage in this business, which is easy, pleasant, and very profitable, at a small cost. There is positively no HUMBUG in the matter.—References of the best class can be given as regards its character, and I can also refer to persons whom I have instructed, who will testify that they are making from $5 to $15 per day at the same. It is a business in which either ladies or Gentlemen can engage, and with perfect ease make a very handsome income. Several Ladies in various parts of New Y. State, Pa., and Maryland, whom I have instructed are now making from $3 to $6 per day at it. It is a genteel business and requires but a few shillings to commence it. Upon receipt of $1 I will immediately send to the applicant circular a containing full instructions in the art, which can be perfectly understood at once.

All letters must be addressed (post-paid) to ALLEN T. PARSONS, 335 Broadway, New York. sept. 16 '57.—3m.

RAIL-ROAD WARE-HOUSE.

THE Subscriber having leased from the Ala. & Tenn. R. R. R. Co., their Ware-Houses, for three years, from the 1st of September next, propose doing a general Storage and Commission Business, at the following rates:

RATES OF STORAGE.

Storage on Cotton for the season, 25c. pr bale.
Receiving and forwarding Goods, 20c. per bbl
If stored over one months, 10c additional

RATES OF COMMISSIONS.

For selling Cotton per pale,	50c.
Other Produce,	5 per ct.
For purchasing Goods,	2½ " "
Advancing Freights on Goods,	5 " "

Draying Cotton and Goods, no charge.

Persons depositing money, for the purpose of paying freight, will be allowed 8 per cent.

Accounts for freight and storage, due when goods forwarded,

W. Y. LUNDIE & CO.

Selma, August 19th 1857.

BENTON STEAM MILLS.

J. J. RAILTON & Co.

HAVE now on hand at their Steam Saw Mills 10 miles south of Jacksonville.

50,000 Feet of Lumber,

Well assorted and embracing every variety, for building, fencing and other purposes.

They will not only keep constantly on hand a large stock of lumber of the best quality, ready dried when wanted, but fill orders promptly.

They will also in a short time have in operation their

PLAINING MACHINE,

And will plain and tongue and grove lumber, upon the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

Send in your orders without fear of disappointment. aug. 26, 1857.—tf.

H. D. MCADAMS, J. D. ARNOLD.

McADAMS & ARNOLD,

SURGEON DENTISTS,

Jacksonville Alabama.

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ARE devoting their attention to their profession. All operations on the **TEETH** performed in the neatest and most durable manner.

BANKING & EXCHANGE

BUSINESS.

CAPITAL $75,000.

THE *TALLADEGA INSURANCE COMPANY,* organized under an act of the Legislature, is now prepared for business in the Banking line generally.

Sight and **Time Drafts** purchased, and Bills of Exchange discounted, either on New York, Charleston Mobile or New Orleans.

Checks at the lowest rates, sold on all the commercial points.

Notes, Drafts and ***Bills*** collected at the usual rates and prompt remittances made.

Money received on deposite, and certificates given. CASH remitted to the Secretary for checks or other purposes carefully acknowledged.

For the present their office will be kept in the counting room of Maj. J. J. B. Huey.

JAMES G. L. HUEY, *Secretary.*

MATTHEW TURNER, JAS. A. CURRY,
ALEX'R BOWIE, WM. L. ELSTON,
THOS. L. BEST, LEVI W. LAWLER.
J. C KNOX,
Directors.

Sept. 2, 1856.—1y.

JOHN K. GOODWIN.

DEALER IN

English German & American.

HARDWARE.

SELMA, ALA.

Constantly on hand a full supply of Hardware, Iron, Steele, Axes, Hoes, Locks, Hinges Butts, Nails, Paints and Oil and Glass, Scales, Bolting Cloths, Cutting, Carpenters Tools, Circular Saws Mill & Cross-cut Saws, Wood and Willow ware, Cotton and Manilla Rops, Gumbetting and Packags, Grates, Cooking Parlow and Office Stoves, and many others not mention in the above list. Soliciting a call from all visiting our city with the view to make Purchers in this line.

June 3 1857.—1y.

TIN SHOP.

FARMER & NESBIT.

ARE prepared to do all sorts of Tin and Sheet Iron work, at the old stand of S. P. Hudson.

They will also keep COOKING STOVES to sell low for the *CASH.*

Still take old pewter and Beaswax in exchange for Tin ware.

FARMER & NESBIT.

sept. 30 1857.—tf.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of Administration on the Estate of Jesse M. Tatumn, dec'd having been granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of Benton County, Ala, on the 25th day of September, 1857; all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them legally authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Wm. W. LITTLE, *Adm.*

Sept. 30 1857.—3t.

BLANKS

For [illegible]

B. T. POPE,

Attorney at Law,

ASHVILLE, ALA.

J. B. & G. H. FORNEY,

HAVE the pleasure of announcing to their customers and the public generally, that they are now prepared to exhibit an unusually large stock of

MERCHANDIZE,

Suitable for the approaching season.

Purchasers are respectfully invited to examine our stock, which will be found unequaled in beauty, variety and extent, and at the very lowest market prices.

They return their heartfelt thanks for the large increase of business of late, and promise to use their best efforts to merit a continuance.

W. W. DRAPER and A. T. MARTIN are with us, and will be pleased to serve their friends.

Jacksonville, Oct. 7, 1857.—tf.

KAHN & BRO.

Dry Goods Emporium,

AND EMPIRE

Clothing Warehouse.

THE undersigned beg their friends and customers to accept their sincere thanks for the liberal patronage bestowed on their house, and respectfully solicit a call of the same, and the public in general to examine their new Fall and Winter Stock, which is uncommonly large in quantity and unsurpassed in quality. It is our intention to establish a permanent business in this vicinity, and this circumstance, combined with the fact, that our facilities for purchesing are very superior, will enable us to sell at the most reasonable and lowest terms.

To the Ladies we offer a beautiful and large variety of

China, Bayadere, Moire Antique, French Silks, Poplins; Delaine cachemeres, plain and figured Merinos, Robes etc:

A choice lot of CLOAKS, from the Merino duster up to the fine Velvet and rich Moiere Antique Cloaks.

An unusual choice of Embroideries, Hosiery, etc. etc.

Parisienne **BONNETS** of the latest style.

To Gentlemen we offer a stock of

READY MADE

CLOTHING,

Which will not be equalled in variety and price in this section: from the heavy blanket and Satinett coat up to the fine broad cloth coat and Raglan, a choice of 500 coats and an equal lot of pants and vests. Particular attention is solicited to the superior make and finish of our clothing.

Shoes, Boots, Russets and plantation Goods of excellent quality at the lowest prices. JEWELRY and WATCHES of the best make.

In conclusion, we repeat again, to all who may favor us with a call, that our inducements will be superior. Come and see before purchasing elsewhere—we take pleasure in showing and pricing our Goods. J. KAHN & BRO.

Sep. 9, 1857.

STATE OF ALABAMA, }
BENTON COUNTY. }

Court of Probate for Benton county, Ala. Special Term,
Sept. 29th A. D. 1857.

This day came W. Y. Hendrick, Administrator of the Estate of N. Allen, deceased, and filed his account & vouchers for a final settlement of said estate. It is ordered by the court that Friday the 6th day of November next be set for examining, stating and reporting said account allowing said vouchers & making said settlement, and that notice thereof, be given by publication in the Jacksonville Republican, a weekly newspaper printed and published in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day, as a notice to all persons concerned, to be and appear as a Special Term of Said Court, on Said Friday the 6th day of November next, and contest the making of Said Settlement if they think proper.

Witness: A. Woods, Judge of Said Court, at office this 29th day of Sept. A. D. 1857.

A. Woods, Judge of Probate.

Oct. 7 1857.—3t

STATE OF ALABAMA, }
BENTON COUNTY. }

Court of Probate for Benton County, Ala, Special Term, Sept. 19th, A. D. 1857

THIS day came A. J. and James Prater, Executors of the Estate of John Prater, deceased, and filed their account & vouches for a final Settlement of said Estate.

It is ordered by the court that Saturday the 24th day of October next be set for examining, stating and reporting said account, allowing said vouches, and making said settlement, and that notice thereof be given by publication in the "Jacksonville Republican," a weekly Newspaper printed and published in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day, as a notice to all persons concerned to be and appear at a Special Term of said court to be holden at the Court House of said county, 24th day of October next, and contest the making of said Settlement, if they think proper.

Witness: A. Woods, Judge of said court at office this 19th day of Sept A. D. '57.

A. WOODS, Judge of Probate.

Sept. 23, '57.—3t.

NOTICE.

I expect to commence **CARDING** by the fifteenth of August, & continue three months. All who desire to have their Wool carded at this house, can do so by having their wool thoroughly cleansed.

Aug. 5, '57—St. J. G. NISBET.

MEDICAL NOTICE.

DR. W. W. DICKIE, having permanently located at Alexandria, Benton county, Ala. offers his professional services to the citizens of the village and surrounding country, in the practice of Medicine and Surgery. He hopes by prompt attention to his business to merit a share of public patronage.

He can be found at Esq. A. P. Wade's, or his office, unless professionally engaged.

Alexandria Aug. 5, 1857.—6m.

EXCHANGE.

SIGHT CHECKS AT ¼ PREMIUM, ON

NEW YORK,

For sale in sums to suit purchasers by

James Isbell. TALLADEGA, ALA;

He also keeps **Money** for discounting or loaning on sixty day Bills, payable in Mobile or New Orleans, and pays ***Cash*** for sight checks on all the Southern and Eastern Cities.

[illegible] Mr. R. A. McMillan

[illegible] in CASH [illegible] for [illegible]

EXECUTOR'S

Sale of Land.

UNDER and by virtue of an order & decree of the Probate Court of Benton County, Alabama, made on the 7th day of September 1857, I will proceed to sell, upon the premises, to the highest bidder, within the usual hours of Sheriff sales, on Saturday the 17th day of October, 1857, the following described tract of Land belonging to the estate of Allen Chandler, deceased, to-wit: Lot No. 1, and the south east fourth of north east fourth of section 16, township 15 of range 11 east in the Coosa Land District, sold for division; said tract contains about 80 acres, and is situated on eastern Cane Creek in said county of Benton, and is pretty well improved, good water, and some fine bottom land. Sold on a credit of 12 months with interest from date, and notes with two approved personal securities will be required, to secure the purchase money.

IRVIN OWEN, Executor of the estate of Allen Chandler, deceased. Sep. 9, 1857.—td.

LAND FOR SALE.

THE undersigned will offer for sale to the highest biddet, on Wednesday the 30th day of September, 1857, the tract of Land whereon he now resides, known as the Bush place, 6 miles north of Jacksonville, containin 160 acres; about 40 acres in cultivation, a good, select orchard, well watered, and under excellent fence; also, the crop of corn, oats, wheat, cotton, &c. on hand, household and kitchen furniture, Blacksmith tools, one Buggy, one mare and two colts, Cattle, Hogs and Sheep. Sold on a credit of 12 months, with interest from date, for all sums over $20, under that amount, cash. Note and approved security will be required of purchasers.

SOLOMON LEE.

Sep. 9, 1857.—3t.

EDUCATIONAL.

THE School of A. N. Bernard will commence on Monday, September 14th. Location and Rates of Tuition the same as heretofore.

For particular imformation, please address Principal and sole Proprietor. A. N. BERNARD.

Sept. 9 1857.—tf.

ADMINISTRATORS SALE

OF

Personal Property.

Under and by virtue of an order of the probate Court of Benton County, Alabama, made on the 6th day of Oct. 1857, I will as the administrator of the estate of Reuben Burch, deceased, proceed to sell upon the premises, on Saturday the 7th day of November next, at public auction, to the highest bidder, all the personal property belonging to said estate consisting of one Horse, three milch Cows, pork Hogs, and flock of Sheep, Farming tools, House hold and Kitchen furniture, and many other articles too tedious to mention. The sale will be on a credit of twelve months, with interest from date, and note and approved security.

JOHN M. TEAGUE,
Administrator of estate of Reuben Burch decd.

Oct. 7th, 1857.—tds.

New Brick Ware-house,

SELMA, ALABAMA.

THE Subscribers, (successors to Keith & Speace) will commence on the 1st of September, 1857, doing a general

Warehouse & Commission Business,

In their NEW BRICK WAREHOUSE, situated at the foot of Water street, at the following rates:

RATES OF STORAGE.

Storage on Cotton one month,	25c.
" " " over one month, or the season,	37½c.

RATES OF COMMISSIONS.

For selling Cotton ℔ bale,	50c.
Other Produce,	5 ℔ ct.
For Purchasing Goods,	2½ ℔ ct.
Advancing Freights on Goods,	5 ℔ ct.

Drayage Cotton and Goods, no charge.

☞Persons depositing money for the purpose of paying freights will be allowed 8 ℔ ct.

☞Accounts for freight and storage due when Goods forwarded.

M. J. A. KEITH & CO.

Oct. 7, 1857.—1y.

F. M. THOMASON; D. H. REMSON, J. T BRADOF

THOMASON, REMSON & CO

BANKING & EXCHANGE OFFICE,

TALLADEGA, ALA.

☞They will act as agents in any business, if desired.

REFER TO

Hon. S. F. Rice, Montgomery, Ala.
" A. J. Walker, Talladega, "
" W. P. Chilton, Tuskegee, "
John T. Morgan, Esq., Selma, "
Wm. P. Davis, Esq. Jacksonville, Al.

☞Deposits received and Notes collected. August 26, 1856.

RECEIVING & FORWARDING

HOUSE.

The Central Ware-House Company at SELMA ALA.

ARE prepared to receive and forward with dispatch all Goods and Produce consinged to them for Shipment, by Rail-road or by the River.

They have a large and commodious Brick Ware House on the banks of the river and will furnish all needful accomodations and receive and forward Goods &c., at as low rates as can be done through any other channel.

They attend specially to the settlement of Freights and measurement of Goods and examination of Bills to see that they are correct before settlement, and take receipts and Bills of Lading for Goods and Produce, and forward them promptly to the proper parties.

They also receive Produce on consignment for sale, and do a

GENERAL COMMISSION BUSINESS,

GOODS & PRODUCE intended for this House, should be consigned specially to

The Central Ware-House Company.

SELMA, ALA.

OTHERWISE THEY ARE LIABLE TO MIS-CARRY, take a different direction.

J. W. LAPSLEY,
E. T. WATTS,
C. B. WHITE,
ROBT. HAGOOD,
} Proprietors.

C. B. WHITE,
ROBT HAGOOD,
Managers,

Selma, Ala: April 15, 1857.

P. S. No Extra Charge for Drayage to or from Railroad Depot.

B. A. BROOKS,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

JACKSONVILLE.

GROCERY AND PROVISION STORE.

HARDIE & STEELE

WHOLESALE GROCERS AND DEALERS IN

FINE WINES, BRANDIES, SEGARS, TOBACCO, &c.

EAST END OF CENTRAL DEPOT BUILDINGS,

SELMA, ALA.

WE keep constantly on hand a large and complete assortment of Groceries for Family and Plantation use, consisting in part of the following articles

Provisions.

Bacon Sides,
Duffield Bagged and Plain Hams,
Pickled Pork, Dried Beef,
Beef Tongues, Lard,
Goshen Butter, in Kegs or Firkins,
Western, " " "
Cheese, English Dairy and Western,
Pine Apple Cheese,
Potatoes, Peas and Onions,
Soda Buscuit, Crackers,
'Huntley & Palmers' Cracknell Biscuit;
St. Louis extra & superfine Flour, lb.,
Country, " " sacks,
Buckwheat, in lb., boxes and bags,
Salt, by the sack, coarse and fine.

Sugars.

Brown and Clarified, by H'hds.,
Powdered, Crushed, Loaf,
Granulated and Coffee Sugar,
N. O. Molasses and Syrup,
Stewarts extra Syrup, lb, and 1-2 lb.

Coffee.

Rio, in bags and half bags,
Laguira, " " "
Mocha, " " "
Old Government Java (in Packets.)

Teas.

Extra Fine Hyson,
Finest young "
Oolong and other Teas,

Brandies Wines & other Liquors.

Our stock is large and consists in part of the following choice brands.

Old Otard, Godart and Heidsic,
Old Maderia, Cherry, Old Port,
Claret of Julien and other Brands,
Champaigne, Scuppernong,
Sparkling Catawba,
"Tennants and Muirs" Scotch Ale,
"Byas" London Porter,
Wolfes Scheidam Schnapps,
Dexter in lb and 1-2 lb.
Welshire, " " "
Old Monongehala, " " "
Rye and Bourbon,
Ginger Wine, Champaigne Cider, Bitters,

Tobacco and Segars.

Regalia, Regenta,
Operas and Landres,
Chewing Tobacco—every Brand,
Spencers Calhoum Tobacco,
Smoking "
Snuff—Macaboy and Scotch,

Pickles, Preserves Catsups, &c.

Pickles—every variety,
Brandy Peaches,
" Cherries,
Tomato Catsup,
Walnut "
Sauces—every kind,
Lemon Syrup,
Pine Apple "
Raspberry "

Candles, Oils and Soap.

Sperm Candles,
Adamantine and Star,
Castile Soap,
Bar and Fancy,
Linseed Oil,
Lard & Train "

White Lead and Zinc.

Fish.

Mackerel, in lb., 1-2, 1-4 and Kits,
Salmon & Shad " " " "
Herring " " " "
Codfish and Herring in boxes,

Sundries.

Nails, Indigo, Madder,
Copperas, Soda, Starch,
Pepper, Spices,
Assorted Candles,
Almonds, Figs, Currants,
Raisins Cranberries,
Ink, Jug Ware,
Demijohns, Empty Kegs,
Cotton and Grass Rope,
Plow Lines, Brooms,
Blacking, Matches,
Painted Buckets,
Oak & Cedar "

We particularly invite the attention of Merchants to our large and complete stock embracing nearly every article unually kept in Retail Country Stores and Groceries. Our supplies for family use are also large and of the choicest quality. We also keep on hand a large stock of

INDIA & KENTUCKY BAGGING.

MACHINE & HARD SPUN ROPE to which we invite attention of Planters.—We are constantly receiving additions to our already large stock from New York, Bostonand New Orleans, which we purchase for cash, & therefore will sell upon a very small advance on first cost. The very highest market prices will be paid for Cotton in cash or in exchange for the above Goods. Give us a call and we werrant to please in priceand qualty. J. HARDIE. S. P. STEELE.

☞Highest market price paid for Land Warrants, Country Produce, &c. &c.,

—IN ADDITION.—

We have just received from New Orleans and Boston,

40,000 Yards Kentucky bagging;
50,000 " India bagging,
300 Coils best handspun rope,
200 " MACHINE "

☞We will furnish Bag'g & Rope for next crop to those who will ship their Cotton to this market.

Selma, Ala. April 22, 1857. H. & S.

☞**T. W. Francis** late of Jacksonville, Ala., is in the above House and will be happy to serve his old friends, either in persons or by order, who may desire to make purchases.

TALLADEGA

Marble Manufactory.

The Subscriber would beg to inform the Sitizens of Benton & Surrounding countise, that he is prepared to furnish all kinds of Monuments, Box-Tombs, Slabs, Headstones, Table Tops, and all kinds of Building materials.

We would also say, that work got up at his establishment, will be finished in good style. F. W. STEPHENS.

Talladega, June 10, 1857.—1y.

IRON.

The undersigned will keep constantly on hand a fine assortment of Iron for sale, of superior quality; suited for every description of work needed in this section of country.

He will also keep on hand, for Carriage Makers, a complete assortment, of BUGGY SPRINGS, AXLES; HUBS, SPOKES, FELLORS, DASHES, & &c., which will be sold on very reasonable terms, and orders from a distance promptly filled, altogether for CASH. Wm. ADAMS.

sept. 2, 1857.—tf.

Take Special Notice.

I HEREBY respectfully notify the debtors of Gen. M. P. Henderson, that he has lately disposed of his interest in the Grocery business at this place, and that the notes and accounts due him have been placed in my hands for immediate collection. His debtors can find me at my office, where I will be glad to see them and have them settle up; and save the one thing essential to the poor man—*cost.*

B. A. BROOKS.

[illegible] 1857.—tf.

TRY HIM.

THE undersigned offers his services to the citizens of Jacksonville and vicinity in the execution of all kinds of Carpenter's Work. He will, for cash, furnish persons that he may work for with lumber at the customary prices, for any thing in the way of building, fencing, or paling. He may always be found at his shop on Main street south of the court house.

H. B. JONES.

sep. 16, 1857.

Jacksonville Female SEMINARY.

THE third session of this institution will commence on Monday the last day of August, under the charge of Misses A. H. BERNARD, Principal in the Litary Department & Miss M. E. BERNARD, principal in vocal and instrumental music.

The Misses Bernard evince rare qualities as teachers, and are surpassed by none.

It is very desirable that the friends and patrons of this institution would send in their children and wards at an early day so that they may be properly classed; this is of much importance to the pupils and teachers. Tuition as heretofore.

E. T. READ, *Sec'y.*

Aug 5, 1857.

Land for Sale.

THE undersigned offers for sale his tract of land containing

320 ACRES,

lying in Benton County four miles miles South of Jacksonville on the Oxford Road, and the Selma Rail Road running through a portion, but not so as to injure. There is 200 of level land, and the land well timbered with ordinary improvements, as well wartered as any place in the County, four or five unfailing Springs of the purest waster, in various parts of the land and plenty of stock water. It is also convenientiy situatad for range for Stock, and with many other conveinces too tedious to mention. A bargain may be obtained on this land by application soon and if not sold at private sale, it will be sold to the highest bidder, on the 1st Monday in August next.

J. D. HALLUM.

July 15 1857.

PHILPOT & LAPSLEY,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN

GROCERIES,

AND

Western Produce;

SELMA, ALA.

Which they offer for sale at lowest prices.

Foreign & Domestic Liquors.

Otard, Dupuy & Co. & Domes. Brandy Madeira, Sherry, Champaigne and (Old London Dock) Port & Claret Wines,
Champagne Cider, Scotch Ale,
London Porter.
Jamaica and New England Rum.
Holland and American Gin.
Peach Brandy.
Monongahela, old Rye, Dexter Whiskey

Teas.

Choice Imperial, Gunpowder, Young Hyson and Black Teas.

Western Preduce, &c.

Bacon, Sides, Shoulders and Hams,
Dried and Pickled Beef,
Bbl. and Keg Lard.
Kentucky and India Bagging.
Bale Rope and Twine.
Bbl. and Sack Flour.

Sugars.

New Orleans, Brown, Clarified, Crushed, Granulated and Powdered Sugars.
New Orleans Molasses and Syrup.
Candles in 25 & 50 lb. boxes.

Coffees.

Old Government and Brown Java, Laguyra, Green and Dark Rio Coffees.
WHITE LEAD & ZINC.

Tobacco.

Fine Twist and Fancy Roll;
Pure Bright, Golden Leaf and Dark Styles Tobacco;
Lorillard's and Goodwins' Tinfoil and Smoking Tobacco
Maccaboy and Scotch Snuff.

CANDLES AND SOAP.

New Bedford Sperm, Adamantine, Star;
No. 1 bar & fancy shaving soap.

Fruits, Pickles and Sundries.

Underwood's and other Pickles;
Catsup, Sauces and English Mustard;
West Ind. & Canton Ginger Preserves;
Yeast Powder, Soda and Saleratus,
Soda and Butter Crackers;
Sardines; Water Crackers.
White Wine and Apple Vinegar.
Pecan Nuts. 1500 Sacks Salt.
Extra Pearl and Corn Starch.

OILS.

Linseed, Lard, Olive and Train Oils.

FISH.

Mackerel, of every variety & size packages.
Cod Fish, Smoked Herring, Salmon and Sardines.

On hand at all times, a general stock of IRON AND NAILS.

D. J. KELLER will be glad to see his friends at this house. June 3, 1857.

JACKSONVILLE

Female Academy.

THE next term of this Institution will commence on the 31st day of August, 1857, and continue 21 weeks.

In the management of this School, the grand object of Education,—combining thorough intellectual training with the acquisition of practical knowledge—will be constantly kept in view. No merely mechanical routine of class-exercises will be observed; but the recitations will be conducted so as to require of the pupils reflection and independent investigation, the only means of giving strength and vigor of the mind. As our three-fold nature cannot be harmoniously developed if physical Education be neglected; Physiology will be included in the course of instruction, together with such gymnastic exercises as are calculated to promote physical health and symmetry.

If it is regarded as a matter of interest to this community and country, that the Jacksonville Female Academy should become a flourishing, and permanently popular Institution, let it be remembered that this can never be effected without the prompt and hearty co-operation of the friends of Education in this vicinity.

Rates of Tuition as heretofore established by the Board of Trustees, with the exception of Drawing.

Penciling	$4 00
Crayon Landscapes,	4 00
Figures,	6 00
Penciling, Crayoning, and Perspective.	10 00

Instruction in Vocal Music & Calisthenics given to all free of charge.

ANNA J. HAWLEY, Preceptress.

Jacksonville Ala. Aug. 12, 1857.—tf.

J. H. WRIGHT,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

JACKSONVILLE, Alabama;

WILL practice in the Courts of Benton, St. Clair, DeKalb, Cherokee, Randolph & Talladega. Feb. 5, 1857.

SLOAN, SCOTT & CO.,

Rome, Georgia.

ARE at the *old stand* of Sloan, Hawkins & Co., and are receiving and offering to their friends and customers the largest and most splendid assortment of

STAPLE AND FANCY

DRY GOODS,

ever brought to this market.

Also a large Stock of

GROCERIES.

Purchasers will consult their interests by calling and examining our stock.

A. M. SLOAN,
W. SCOTT,
S. W. ALLMAN.

May, 6, 1857—1y.

Groceries, Groceries.

NEW PROVISION AND

GROCERY STORE.

I am now receiving at my store in the CENTRAL DEPOT BUILDING, a large and well selected stock of **Provisions & Groceries,** Which I will sell at a mere commission upon New Orleans cost and charges, for cash, consisting in part of the following to-wit:

400 SACKS of SALT,
100 Bbls. Bro. & Clarified SUGAR,
10 " CRUSHED "
100 " MOLASSES,
100 1-2 Bbls. "
100 SACKS COFFEE,
10 TIERCES RICE,
60 CASKS BACON,
50 Bbls. MESS PORK,
20 TIERCES HAMS,
50 KEGS LARD,
200 Bbls. FLOUR,
100 " WHISKEY,
50 BOXES CANDLES,
50 " SOAP,
20 " STARCH,
30 Bbls. CIDER VINEGAR,
200 KEGS NAILS,
100 Bales INDIA BAGGING,
150 Pieces KENTUCKY BAGGING,
500 Coils ROPE,
30 Boxes PICKLES,
10 Bbls. RYE WHISKEY.

☞Wanted to purchase by the 15th day of June next, 950 Bales of Cotton for which I will pay a liberal price in cash, or in exchange for the above Goods.

☞Also, Wanted to purchase, ***Land Warrants*** for 10,000 Acres land, for which I will pay their value in cash.

J. F. DENNIS.

Selma, Ala. April 1, 1857—1y.

L. G. STURDEVANT. WM. H. RAY.

STURDEVANT & RAY,

Wholesale and Retail

GROCERS,

CORNER OF WATER AND GREEN STS.,
Near the Ala. and Tenn. R R R. Depot,
SELMA, ALABAMA,

KEEP constantly on hand a well selected assortment of **Groceries and Provisions,** of all kinds. Our stock cansists in part of the following, to wit:

Salt; Coffee;
Sugar, Molasses;
Chockolate; Teas.
Rice, Bacon, Lard;
Cheese; Flour;
Buckwheat Flour;
Potatoes;
Whiskey, Rum;
Brandy—American Cognac & Peach;
Wine; Vinegar;
Sp'ts Turpentine;
Lard Oil; Candles;
Soap; Starch; Soda;
Yeast Powdears;
Mackerel; Pickels;
Tobacco; Snuff;
Powder; Shot,
Best Fall River Nails
Jug Ware; Buckets;
&c., &., &c.,

Bagging and rope.

We are determined not to be undersold by any other House for CASH.—Our motto is, *Quick Sales and Small Profits.* All Goods purchased of us, guarnanteed to be as represented.

The highest smarket price will be paid for all kind of Country Produce, either in cash, or in exchange for Goods.

June 3. 1857 1y.

TENNESSEE EXCHANGE.

DRISKILL & NEWMAN,

(SUCCESSORS TO B. C. GEORGE)

HAVE received and are now offering to the Citizens of Jacksonville and vicinity, at the old stand of B. C. George, a splendid lot of

FAMILY GROCERIES.

Coffee,
Bro. Sugar,
Crush, "
Loaf, "
Molasses,
N O Syrup
Rice,
Pepper
Spice, "
Ginger
Soda,
Tea,
Cheese
Crackers
Oysters
Sardines
Almonds
assr Nuts
Raisins
Candy stick
Fancy
Mackerel
Soap
Blacking
Candles (Tallow)
" (Star)
Matches
Nails
Powder
Shot
Lead
Per. Caps
Snuff
Flasks
Jars
Bottles

ALSO—a splendid lot of choice

TOBACCO & CIGARS.

LIQUORS BY THE WHOLESALE,

Brandy, Wine, Gin and Whiskey of various brands. Intending to keep constantly on hand the above articles and offering them as we do at very short profits, we solicit and shall endeavor to be worthy of a liberal patronage.

Also a large lot of BACON & LARD on hand.

April 15, 1857.—tf.

KERRISON & LEIDING,

IMPORTERS OF

FANCY DRY GOODS,

Silks, Linens, Hosiery, Embroideries, &c. No. 141, MEETING ST. opposite Hayne st. *CHARLESTON, S. C.*

E. L. KERRISON. }
HERMANN LEIDING. } *Aug.* 5. 1857.—1y.

BAGGING AND ROPE,

12,000 LBS. Best Rope, every coil *warranted.*

10,000 YDS. Gunny Cloth, 2¼ lb to the yard; at prices corresponding with the lowest markets.

For sale by J. B. & G. H. FORNEY.

June 10, 1857

PIANO FORTE AGENCY

AND

MUSIC STORE.

SELMA, ALA.

HAVING obtained the agency for the following named manufacturers, viz:

Nunns & Clark,
Lighte, Newton & Bradbury,
Raven, Bacon & Co.
W. P. Emerson,
F. Gilbert, (Eolian Attach.)
Chickerings.

The subscriber will keep an assortment of their Instruments on hand, which he will sell at maker's prices, adding only the expense of transportation. Also Melodeons and Organ Harmoniums.

A LARGE STOCK OF

Sheet Music & Music Books,

Including Instruction Books for all Instruments. Also,

Violins,
Guitars,
Flutes,
Banjos,
Accordeons,
Concertinas, &c.

In short every thing in the line of Musical Merchandise may be obtained as low as in any market from, C.

J. W. BLANDIN.

Ware Rooms, Broad street, Selma, Ala.

September 23, 1857.—5m.

At their Store [illegible]

ARE NOW RECEIVING [illegible]

FALL & W[illegible]

STOCK O[illegible]

GOODS [illegible]

COMPRISING a [illegible] usual, at the lowest [illegible] or punctual credit, [illegible]

In their Stock [illegible] most desirable Cloth, [illegible] nets, Tweeds, Blankets, [illegible] English Merinoes, [illegible] richly figured Cashmeres [illegible] Mohair Lustres, [illegible] Beiges, Winter [illegible] the most beautiful [illegible] nel; Moire Antique, [illegible] & Plain SILKS; Ladies [illegible]

Hats and Bonnets,

Boots and Shoes,

CLOTHING,

DRY GOODS Generally,

Harkware & Cutlery, [illegible] ery; Drugs and Medicines, Books and Stationary, Carriage and Buggy articles, [illegible] and Saddles, and nearly every articles in demand with a superior selection of the Anchor **BOLTING CLOTHS.**

Jacksonville, October, 7, 1857.

The State of Alabama, }
BENTON COUNTY. }

Court of Probate for Benton county, Alabama, Regular term, Sept. the 14th, A. D. 1857.

This day came Wm. W. Little and Caleb G. Morgan, Executors of the estate of Samuel Morgan, deceased, and filed their petition in writing, representing that their testator died seized and possessed of the west half of the north west fourth of section 35, township 13, range 9.—East half of north west fourth of section 35, township 13, range 9.—south west fourth of section 35, township 13, range 9, also about 60 acres off the west side of the north east fourth of section 2, township 14, range 9; also one House and Lot lying in the Town of White Plains, known as the north half of Lot No. 30, with a few additional feet off the other half; also the south east fourth of north east fourth section 34, township 13, range 9; all of said lands lying east in the Coosa Land District; and alleging that it is necessary that said lands be sold for a more equal, fair and beneficial division amongst the heirs and legatees of said estate, further alleging, that the same cannot be equally fairly and beneficially divided without a sale thereof. They further represent, that the heirs and legatees of said estate are, John Morgan, who resides in Upsher county, Texas, and is over the age of 21 years; Nancy H. Boles, Spencer H. Morgan, Caleb G. Morgan, Jeptha W. Morgan, Elizabeth Patterson and her husband James Patterson; all of whom reside in Benton county, Ala. and who are over the age of twenty-one years; also the children and heirs of Thomas C. Morgan, dec'd (viz: [illegible] ry Morgan, Caleb Morgan, jr., C[illegible] leans Elizabeth and Frances Morgan, all of whom are under 21 years and reside in said county of Benton, with Wm. H. Sheridan. Also the children of Frances D. Williams, late Frances D. Morgan, viz: Benjamin Williams & Thomas Williams who reside in Cherokee county, Ala. and are over the age of 21 years; also samuel Williams, Mary Williams, Jackson Williams, Seaborn Williams, jr., James Williams, John Williams and an infant name not known; all of whom are under the age of 21 years and reside with their father Seaborn Williams, sr. in Cherokee co., Ala.; also Catharine Morgan, widow of said testator who is over the age of 21 years and resides in Benton county, Alabama.

It is ordered by the court, that the 26th day of October next, 1857, be set for the hearing and determining upon said petition, and that notice thereof be given by publication in the Jacksonville Republican, a werkly newspaper printed and published in said county, for forty days prior to said day as a notice to the aforesaid heirs and all other persons concerned to be and appear at a special term of said court to be holden at the court house of said county, on said 26th day of Oct 1857, and defend against said petition if they think proper.

Witness, A. Woods, Judge of said court, at office on this the 14th day of sept'r, A. D. 1857.

A. WOODS, Judge of Probate.

sep. 16, 1857.

GROCERIES

AT

Wetumpka and Selma Prices.

We will keep constantly on hand, a large stock of GROCERIES, direct from New Orleans, New York and Baltimore, consisting in part of Rio & Java COFFEE, Crushed and Brown Sugars, Molasses, Salt, Western Cheese, Goshen Butter, Star Candles, Family Starch, Bar & Toilet Soaps, Pepper, Spice, Ginger, Copperas, Soda, Sardines, Butter Crackers, Pickles, Tobacco, Cigars, Cotton and Manilla Rope, Nails, &c.

A large portion of the above named articles we will sell as low as they are bought at any points in the State, & will sell any article in the Grocery line at Selma and Wetumpka prices, with freight added.

We also have on hands a large stock of

DRY GOODS,

Hats, Boots & Shoes, Hardware Queensware, &c.—all of which we purchase exclusively for cash and are selling at small profits on the same terms.

J. H. BRADFORD & CO.

Talladega, Ala. Feb. 5, 1857.—1y.

MARTIN W. WHEELER,

Attorney at Law,

AND

Solicitor in Chancery,

Jacksonville, Ala.

WILL attend to all business [illegible] to him in Benton, [illegible] the adjoi[illegible]

[illegible] CO'S LOTTERIES
[illegible] BRILLIANT SCHEMES
CAPITAL PRIZE
$60,000

The following Scheme will be drawn by S. Swan & Co., managers, of the Fort Gaines Academy Lottery, in each of their lotteries for Oct. 1857, at AUGUSTA, Georgia, to which city they have removed their Principal Office.

CLASS 56.

To be drawn in the City of Augusta Georgia, in public, on

Saturday, Oct. 3d, 1857.

Class 57,

To be drawn in the City of Augusta Georgia, in public on

Saturday, Oct. 10th, 1857.

CLASS 58.

To be drawn in the City of Augusta, Ga. in public on

Saturday, Oct. 17th, 1857,

CLASS 56.

To be drawn in the City of Augusta, Georgia, in public, on

Saturday, Oct. 24th, 1857.

Class 60,

To be drawn in the *City* of Augusta Georgia, in public on

Saturday, Oct. 31st, 1857.

ON THE PLAN OF

SINGLE NUMBERS!!

Five Thousand four hundred and Ninety-Five Prizes!

NEARLY ONE PRIZE TO *EVERY NINE TICKETS!!*

MAGNIFFICENT SCHEME.

TO BE DRAWN

EACH SATURDAY IN OCT,

1 Prize of	$60,000	5	900
1 "	25,000	5 Prizes of	800
1 "	12,000	5 "	700
1 "	7,000	5 "	600
1 "	5,000	5 "	500
1 "	3,500	5 "	400
1 "	1,500	170 "	150
5 "	1,000	210 "	100

APPROXIMATION PRIZES.

4 pri's of $400	apx to	$60,000	Pr is	$1,600
4 "	300 "	25,000 "	"	1,200
4 "	200 "	12,500 "	"	800
4 "	125 "	7,000	Pr are	500
4 "	100 "	5,000 "	"	400
4 "	75 "	3,500 "	"	300
4 "	50 "	1,500 "	"	200
5,000 "	20	are		100,000

5,495 Prizes amounting to **$320,000**

Tickets, $10—Halves $5—Quarters $2½

PLAN OF THE LOTTERIES.

The numbers from 1 to 50,000, corresponding with those Numbers on the Tickets printed on separate slips of paper, are encircled with small tin tubes, and placed in one wheel.

The first 467 Prizes, similarly printed and encircled, are placed in another wheel.

The wheels are then revolved, and a number is drawn from the wheel of Numbers, and at the same time a Prize is drawn from the other wheel. The number and Prize drawn out are opened and exhibited to the audience, and registered by the Commissioner, the Prize being placed against the number drawn. This operation is repeated until all the Prizes are drawn out.

Approximation Prizes.—The two preceding and the two succeeding Numbers to those drawing the first 7 Prize, will be entitled to the 28 Approximation Prizes. For example: if Ticket No. 11250 draws the $60,000 Prize, those Tickets numbered 11248, 11249, 11251 11252, will each be entitled to $400. If Ticket No. 550 draws the $25,000 Prize, those Tickets numbered 548, 549, 551, 552, will each be entitled to $300, & so on according to the above Scheme.

The **3,000 Prizes of $20** will be determined by the last figure of the Number that draws the $60,000 Prize. For example, if the Number drawing the $60,000 Prize ends with No. 1, then all the Tickets where the number ends in 1 will be entitled to $20. If the Number ends with No. 2, then all the Tickets where the Number ends in 2 will be entitled to $20, and so on to 0.

Certificates of Packages will be sold at the following rates which is the risk:

Cer'ate of Package of	10 Whole Tickets		$80
Certificate "	"	10 Half "	40
"	"	10 Quarter "	20
"	"	10 Eighths "	10

In Ordering Tickets or Cirtificates,

Enclose the money to our address for the Tickets ordered, on receipt of which they will be forwarded by first mail.

Purchasers can have tickets ending in any figure they may designate.

The List of Drawn Numbers and Prizes will be sent to purchasers immediately after the drawing.

☞ Purchasers will please write their signatures plain, and give their Post Office, County and State.

☞ Remember that every Prize is drawn, and payable in full without deduction.

All Prizes of 1,000 and under, paid immediately after the drawing—other Prizes at the usual time of thirty days.

All communications strictly confidential.

Address Orders for Tickets or certificates

S. SWAN, & Co., Augusta, Ga.,

Persons residing near Montgomery, Ala or Atlanto, Ga,, chan have their orders filled, and save time, by addressing S. Swan & Co., at either of those cities.

☞ A list of the numbers that are drawn from the wheel, with the amount of the prize that each one is entitled to, will be published after every drawing, in the following papers:—*New Orleans Delta, Mobile Register, Charleston Standard, Nashville Gazette, Atlanta Intelligencer, New York Weekly Day Book, and Savannah Morning News. Richmond Dispatch and New York Dispatch, and Paulding (Miss.) Clarion.*

JOHN I. THOMASON. THOMAS HAYDEN

THOMASON & HAYDEN,
Attorneys at Law,

AND

Solicitors in Chancery,

ASHVILLE, ALA.

WILL pay strict attention to all business entrusted to their care in the counties of Jefferson, Blount, Shelby, Marshal, DeKalb, Cherokee, Benton and St. Clair, and in the Supreme Court of the State.

Jan. 20, '54.

STATE OF ALABAMA, }
BENTON COUNTY. }

Court of Probate for Benton county, Alabama, Special term, Oct. 5, 1857.

THIS day came M. W. Wheeler, Adm. of the estate of F. B. Wheeler, dec'd and filed his account and vouchers for a final settlement of said estate.

It is Ordered by the court, that Saturday the 7th day of November next be set for examining, stating and reporting said account, allowing said vouchers and making said settlement, & that notice thereof be given by publication in the Jacksonville Republican, a weekly newspaper printed and published in the town of Jacksonville, in said county, for three successive weeks, prior to said day, as a notice to all persons concerned, to be and appear at a special term of said court to be holden at the court house of said county, on said Saturday the 7th day of November next, and contest the making of said settlement if they think proper.

Witness: A. Woods, Judge of said court this 5th day of October, A. D. 1857.

A. WOODS, Judge [illegible]

[illegible] JOB WORK [illegible] NEATLY EXECUTED [illegible]

J. S. PORTER,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,

AND

Solicitor in Chancery.

WETUMPKA, ALA.

WILL practice in the Counties of Coosa, Benton, St. Clair, DeKalb and Cherokee.

HEALTH DEPENDS ON PURE BLOOD.

Brandreth's Pills Purify the Blood.

NO DISEASE CAN RESIST THEIR JUDICIOUS USE.

MILD OPERATION WITH SUCCETSEFUL EFFECT ARE THE PECULIARITY OF BRANDRETH'S PILLS. Our race are subject to a redundancy of vitiated bile, at this season, and it is as dangerous as it is prevalent, but Brandreth's Pills afford an invaluable and efficient protection.—By their occasional use we prevent the collection of those impurities, which, when in sufficient qualities, cause so much danger to the body's health. They soon cure liver complaint, dyspepsia, loss of appetite, pain in the head, heart burn, pain in the breast bone, sudden faintness and costiveness. In brief, Brandreth's Pills work their way to the very roots of the disease, cleansing in their passage, removing every unhealthy accumulation till the blood is purified, the whole system renovated, and the functions & duty of life become a pleasure, where before they had been sad and weary burdens. Often when nothing has relieved vomiting of the most serious character, wheather from seasickness or otherwise, where the retching has been appalling, a single dose of four BRANDRETH'S PILLS has at once *cured and the patient* has fallen into a sweet sleep. When the mind cannot collect itself; when the memory fails; when it is an effort to fix the attention; when our sleep is broken and our waking hours harassed with forebodings of evil, then Brandreth's Pills should be used. If these warnings remain unheeded, rheumatism, consumption, disease of the heart billious affections, jaundice, dropsies, piles, appolexies and costiveness will suddenly present themselves.—These Brandreth's Pills would have prevented, but nevertheless *these* they will also cure. Use them at once; do not let prejudice prevent the use of this simple but potent remedy.

Brandreth's Theory of Disease.

Never extract blood. Blood is the life: By abstracting it in painful diseases you may occasion the patient ease, but *remember, this ease is only the reduction or lessening the power to feel.*—And by thus taking away nature's tools, you may prevent her from fully repairing the ravages of inflamation, and convert what might only have been the sickness of a few days or weeks into a chronic affection of months and years.

Brandreth's Pills accord with Nature, Nature's remedy in fact. What sudden acute or continued pain occurs from any cause, then to insure a quick return to health, you must use Brandreth's Pills, which will soon relieve every organ from undue presure, and remove those humors whose presence often occasions such terrible suffering.

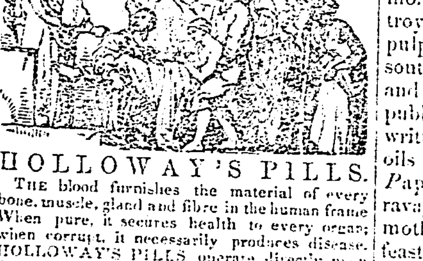
Before the World 106 Years.

TWENTY MILLION BOXES SOLD and the sphere of their usefulness still extending. Ask for almanack and pamphlet of cures. Agents will supply gratis.

Beware—all pills with "241 Broadway" on side lable are counterfeits. Get the genuine and they will never deceive.

July 15, 1857.—3m.

HEALTH OR SICKNESS *CHOOSEN BETWEEN THEM*



HOLLOWAY'S PILLS.

THE blood furnishes the material of every bone, muscle, gland and fibre in the human frame When pure, it secures health to every organ; when corrupt, it necessarily produces disease. HOLLOWAY'S PILLS operate directly upon the elements of life, neutralizing the principle of disease, and thus radically curing the malady, whether located in the nerves, the stomach, the liver, the bowels, the muscles, the skin, the brain, or any other part of the system.

USED Throughout The WORD!

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS are equally efficacious in complaints common to the whole human race, and in disorders peculiar to certain climates and localities

ALARMING DISORDERS.

Dyspepsia, and derangement of the liver, the source of infirmity and suffering, and the cause of innumerable deaths, yield to these curatives, in all cases however aggravated, acting as a mild purgative, alterative and tonic; they relieve the bowels, purify the fluids, and invigorate the system and the constitution at the same time.

General Weakness, Nervous Complaints

When all stimulants fail, the renovating and bracing properties of these Pills give firmness to the shaking nerves and enfeebled muscles of the victim of general debility.

DELICATE FEMALES.

All irregularities and ailments incident to the delicate and sensitive organs of the sax are removed or prevented by a few doses of these mild, but infallible alteratives. No mother who regards her own or her children's health should fail to have them within her reach.

Scientific Endorsements.

The London 'Lancet,' the London 'Medical Review,' and the most eminent of the faculty in Great Britain, France and Germany, have eulogised the Pills and their inventor.

Holloway's Pills are the best remedy known in the world for the following diseases:

Asthma,	Headaches
Bowel Complaints	Indigestion
Coughs	Influenza
Colds	Inflammation
Chest Diseases	Inward Weakness
Costiveness	Liver Complaints
Dyspepsia	Lowness of Spirits
Diarrhœa	Piles
Dropsy	Stone and Gravel
Debility	Secondary Symptoms
Fever and Ague	Venereal affections
Female Complaints	Worms of all kinds.

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February 25, 1857.

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April 8, 1857.—tf.

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Aug 5, 1857.—3m.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of Administration having been on the 3d of September, 1857, granted to the undersigned, by the Probate Court of St. Clair County Ala. on the estate of Pheriba H. Woolley, dec'd: all persons having claims against said Estate, must present them within eighteen months or they will be barred. This 3d day of September A. D. 1857.

JAMES M. WOOLLEY, *Adm.*

sept. 9, 1857.—6t.

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WATER STREET, SELMA, ALA.

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We have a fine OMNIBUS to covey passengers to and from Boat Landings and Railroad Depots *free of charge.*

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Manager. Proprietor.

June 3 1857: 1y

STATE OF ALABAMA, Benton County.

TAKEN UP by Joseph Watson, and posted before Wm. Kennedy, Esq on the 18th day of Sept'r, 1857, a certain estray Sorrel Mare, about sixyears old, about 14 hands high; feet white, and has a scar on the right hind foot between the hoof and pastern joint; has a small white spot on each shoulder and blaze in her face—appraised to eighty five dollars.

A. WOODS, *Judge of Probate.*

Sept. 23, 1857.

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Medical Advice Gratis

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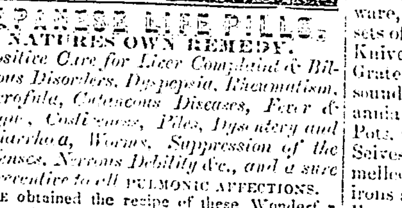

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Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of Administration on the estate of Reuben Burch, dec'd having been granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of Benton County, Ala. on the 24th day of September, 1857; all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them legally authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and all persons indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

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200 sets Gin Gear and Grist Mill Iron made to order. 100 sets Saw Mill Irons

1000 pairs Esopus Kuln & French burr Mill Rocks, 12 to 54 inches diameter.

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6000 kegs Fall River Cut Nails and spikes, of superior quality.

150 Bags Griffin Horse-nails, "G," 6 to 10.

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4000 dozen cast, steel German & Iron Hoes, made to order.

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July 15 1857.—tf.

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R. M. DICKSON,

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R. G. EARLE,

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N. B. Repairng of every description neatly executed at short notice, and any desired article of Jewelry made to order Terms cash for Reparing Watch, Clocks and Jewelry, &c.

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September 2, 1856.

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Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of Administration on the estate of Reuben Burch, dec'd having been granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of Benton County, Ala. on the 24th day of September, 1857: all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them legally authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred: and all persons indebted are requested to make imme-

POETRY.

From the Puritan Recorder.

Providence.

Look and listen, look and listen!
Thou guiding hand shalt see,
And a voice divinely tender,
Lovingly shall talk with thee.

Cling thou to that hand confiding,
Even as a little child;
They who trust the heavenly guiding,
Safely pass through deserts wild.

Safe through forests, lone and fearful,
Safe through throngs where pleasures lure
Safe alike in sunshine cheerful,
And when clouds the way obscure.

Holding fast the hand so tender,
Listening to the kindly voice,
Every fear thou may'st surrender,
And for evermore rejoice.

I could tell to thee a story—
Many such there might be told—
Of a man, now old and hoary,
Who, thus trusting, has grown old.

Through the storms of many winters,
That have gloomed above his head,
Through the colder storms of sorrow,
He in safety has been led.

Subject to the world's mutations,
Oft in darkness, oft in fear,
Oft in dangers and temptations,
Still the kindly voice was near.

Whispering to him, 'Be not fearful,
Thou shalt never go astray;
Let thy heart be brave and cheerful,
I will lead thee on thy way.'

What though foes would have bereft him,
Of his honorable name;
Seeking on that brow so noble,
To affix the brand of shame.

What though early friends departed,
From before his lingering eye,
And fall often weary-hearted,
Longed he far from earth to fly.

What though want, her terrors wearing,
What though sickness crossed his way,
And the Tempter, grown more daring,
Dogged his footsteps day by day.

Yet is safety passed he onward,
Passing toward the better land;
Listening to the voice so tender,
Holding fast the guiding hand.

And the shadows lengthen round him,
Yet he passes onward still;
Heeding not the coming darkness,
Feeling not the evening chill.

Look and listen, look and listen—
Thou the guiding star shalt see,
And a voice divinely tender,
Lovingly shall talk with THEE.

Melodies and Mysteries.

BY CHARLES MACKAY.

Would'st thou know what the blithe bird pipeth
High in the morning air?
Would'st thou know what the blithe stream singeth,
Rippling o'er pebbles bare?
Sorrow the mystery shall teach thee
And the words declare.

Would'st thou find in the rose's blossom
More than thy fellows find?
More in the fragrance of the lilly
Than odor on the wind?
Love Nature, and her smallest tone
Shall whisper to thy mind.

Would'st thou know what the moon discourseth
To the docile sea?
Would'st hear the echoes of the music
Of the fair infinity?
Sorrow shall open the founts of knowledge,
And Heaven shall sing to thee.

Would'st thou see the riddle of Being
Further than others can?
Sorrow shall give thine eyes new lustre
To simplify the plan:
A love of God and thy kind shall aid thee
To end what it began.

To Love and Sorrow all Nature speaketh:
If the riddle be read,
They the best can see through darkness
Each divergent thread
Of its mazy texture, and discover
Whence the ravel spread.

Love and Sorrow are sympathetic
With the earth and skies;
Their touch from the harp of Nature bringeth
The hidden melodies;
To the eternal chords forever
Vibrate in harmonies.

MISCELLANEOUS.

"Married Again."

'You don't mean so—you don't really mean that Dora West is married again?' cried Mrs. Mills, as she came down to the front gate, both hands uplifted in surprise and dismay at the fact which I had just communicated to her.

'I must say I really had too good an opinion of the woman; but there's no knowing what folks will do in this world. And it's only two years since her husband met with that awful death. How I pitied her, and what a fuss she made at the time. I really thought she never would get over it; but she's done herself up for me, now.'

I opened my lips to speak, and then, on second thought, I closed them again.—There would be no use in defending my dear friend, Dora West, to such a person, and yet, do not misunderstand me, reader; Mrs. Mills was a kind-hearted, good sort of woman, and would have made almost any sacrifice for a friend or neighbor who was in trouble; but she was *narrow-minded,* and, of course, she was guilty of all that vast burden of petty sins, and little uncharitablenesses, which are the indigenous fruit of this quality.

So I only replied, 'Oh, Mrs. Mills, you don't understand Dora as I do; but I haven't time to discuss the matter now. Good morning.' And walking slowly down that little grassy road, my thoughts went back to a night two years ago, that had burned itself into my memory.

It was evening, in the early October, and the rain was falling slow and languidly outside. The day had been a languid one too, with a kind of wistful, blue-gray sky, and a slight chill in the still air which was a far off whisper of the Winter.

Dora and I sat sewing in the little back parlor that evening, by the round mahogany table, and there was a sort of rivalry kept up between our tongues, and our fingers—I cannot tell which [illegible] the nimble.

How pretty she looked [illegible] she, the well beloved wife of five [illegible] smiles darting among [illegible] sweet lips, and [illegible]

ry's been gone a week, and I thought it would seem an age, that morning he kissed me good bye. It would, too, if you hadn't been with me. But he'll be home to-morrow. Oh, how glad I shall be to see him.'

At that moment the bell rang, loud and sudden.

'Oh, dear! I hope nobody's come to bore us to-night. We're so cozy and happy together.'

'Here's a despatch for you, Mrs. West,' said a small boy, whom the servant girl ushered into the room.

Dora sprang up quickly.' 'It's from Harry, I know.'

She brought it to the light, and opened it with her eager fingers. Her eyes—those blue, beautiful eyes ran across the page.—"My God! my God!" And then Dora West clasped her hands, and laughed loud and wild. Oh, how that laugh rings down now, through those two years, and curdles the blood in my veins, and fairly stops the beating of my heart!

Then she came round to me with that wild, scared, pitiful look in her face, that was more terrible than the face of the dead. 'What does it mean, Alice?' she whispered. 'I can't read it; but it struck my head just now, something did, and froze it.'

'Nothing's happened to Harry, has there?'

'He'll come home to-morrow, and put his arms round me, and call me his dear little wife, won't he. Alice?'

'Yes, yes, he will,' I tried to say, but I hardly think I succeeded, for my lips had grown dry and parched, and my voice died away in my heart, where a terrible fear had come down.

But I drew Dora into my lap, laid her head on my shoulder, and then, bending down, I read the paper which she held tight in her hands.

There were but a few words; the great crises of life are generally acted and told briefly. There had been a fearful collision on the railway, somewhere between New York and Boston. Several passengers were killed. Among them was—yes, I looked twice, bending down my eyes close to the paper; it was *his* name!

I hugged Dora tight to my heart. I do not remember anything that happened for the next five minutes.

'He will come back, Alice! Harry will come back!'

These were the first words that aroused me; Dora was smiling and playing with my hair.

Then the truth rushed over me, and I could neither move nor speak.

At that moment, Mr. Lee, a neighbor & friend of Harry's, burst into the room.

'Has she heard it!' he cried, and our faces answered him.

Dora sprang toward the gentleman. 'Oh, Mr. Lee!' she cried, 'nothing happened to Harry, has there? You know he always thought so much of you. Do tell me he's coming back to-morrow!' and she staggered against him, and he caught her in his arms, and the tears ran down the strong man's face, fast as they run down the face of a tired little child.

He laid her on the sofa, and slowly broke the truth over the darkened mind of Dora West. What a night that was. God in His great mercy save me from such another!

After this, I thought for many weeks that Dora would soon walk with her husband through the fair rooms of the mansion preserved for them on high, but God spared her, and at last she began to take up some of her old symptoms and interests.

I remember the first time she rode out.—It was a bright day in the early Spring, and Mr. Lee and I accompanied her. He and Harry had always loved each other as brothers do, and it was not strange the young man was moved with much pity for the widow of his friend.

In the course of our ride, we came across a patch of early violets, on the sunny side of a bank, near a small stream.

'Oh, how beautiful they are!' cried Dora, clapping her hands, with something of her old animation and then a change came over her face. 'Harry loved violets, and don't you remember, Alice, he used to twine them in my hair. Oh, to think now, he will never see them any more!' & and then her quick sobs, her head sank down on my shoulder.

And I could only tell her there were fairer violets in the land to which Harry had gone.

Mr. Lee did not speak, but I saw the glance he bent down on her a moment, and I knew then his heart was stirred with something more than pity for Dora West.

She did not, I know, suspect this for some time, and thought it was only for Harry's sake that he called so often, showed her a thousand little nameless attentions and was so thoughtful of her happiness.

Well, the truth came out at last: Dora was still in her youth, and she had one of those clinging, vine-like natures that need something to lean upon; in short, love was with her, a great necessity: she could not walk through life alone.

'He says he will take Harry's place to me. Shall I give it to him, Alice?' whispered Dora.

And I lifted up her face, and looked at it. 'Yes, darling, this new love is sent of the God that called Harry to himself, and left you only his memory.'

So they were married; and the uncharitable, the narrow-minded and the envious talk as, God help them, they always have and will talk until Death comes and lays its cold hand on their lips, and hushes them with its solemn "Be still" forever, and forever!

V. F. T.

LETTER OF DR. FRANKLIN.—The following characteristic letter of Dr. Franklin is said to be inedited. The ingenious manner in which he makes the commencement of his letter convey the temporary impression that he lent with a parsimonious reluctance, is inimitable:

April 22, 1784.

'I send you herewith a bill for ten *Louis d'ors.* I do not pretend to give such a sum. I only lend it to you. When you shall return to your country, you can not fail of getting into some business that will, in time, enable you to pay all your debts. In that case, when you meet with another honest man in similar distress, you must pay *me* by *lending* this sum to him: enjoining him to discharge his debt by a like operation when he shall be able, and shall meet with such another opportunity. I hope it may thus go through many hands before it meets with a knave to stop its progress. This is a *trick* of mine for doing a great deal of good with a little money. I am not rich enough to afford *much* in good works, and so am obliged to be *cunning,* and make the most of a *little.* B. F.'

GEN. WM. T. HASKELL.—We have already mentioned the fact that this distinguished and eloquent Tennessean had become hopelessly insane. He passed through Louisville Friday last, in charge of friends, on his way to the lunatic asylum at Lexington, Ky. It is stated that while in the cars arose & in the most eloquent & pathetic terms appealed to the gallant Kentuckians, [illegible] whom he was, to protect him [illegible] enemies he imagined [illegible] He became so excit-

The Mormons.

Mr. John Davies, an escaped Mormon, has published a narrative, in which he makes some startling allusions. He says that a man to be a Mormon must first give himself, his family, and all his possessions over to Brigham Young. He must then give one-tenth of all he earns, and keep from two to ten wives. Many persons, he said, had been shot in trying to escape, and he Mr. Davies, had seen dozens shot down in the street, and three days before he left, he saw three persons killed merely because they intended to escape. They were shot down in a place call Springfield, while they were preparing their trunks to leave. This took place about 8 o'clock on a Sunday morning, within fifty yards of the gate of the city. The first was a young man called William Parish; he received seven balls in his body. The second was his father, and the third was a man called Poster, whose body received as many as fifteen balls. The old man was pierced in the back, and his throat cut in three places. This is, indeed, terrible if true. The following is the conclusion of the statement:

The walls around the city are fifteen feet *high, and they are surrounded by a deep* and wide moat. The city is entered by four gates, which are watched in the night time. The gates are so narrow that only one vehicle can pass through at once. 'Destroying Angels' go out on the plains in the spring, in order to intercept those who may escape from the city. Many left on foot last January. They sleep by day and travel by night, I know of men and women who have traveled this way—the men dressed as women, and the women as men. I came across some who were very short of food: the little they had they gave to the women, and the men were principally sustained by the *women's milk.*

I left Salt Lake city on the 17th of April, in company with a Welshman and an African. The few Mormons who knew of our intentions said that we would never reach the States alive, but I told them that I was determined to try, whatever would occur. On Saturday (the day after we left) we traveled thirty miles from the city, when we saw three men following us.—They were sent by the authorities of the city to catch us. The name of one was Patrick Linch, an Irishman by birth, and Secretary to Brigham Young. This man fired his revolver at me. They then came near us on their horses and inquired our names, and when we refused to tell them they swore that they would blow 'our damned brains out.' With that, one of them raised his revolver as if he was going to use it—he had one on each side of the saddle. I then took out my revolver, and told him to fire it if he liked. I had six revolvers with me, and a rifle, containing in all thirty-seven balls. Another ball was then fired at me, which whistled by my left cheek. I then fired at him, and one ball hit him on the leg and the other on the shoulder. (My friends by this time had run into the woods, and I was left to fight it out myself.) I then lost my footing and one of the men ran at me with a knife and cut my belt and took four of my revolvers. I had the other two hid in my boots. I got hold of one of them and fired, and succeeded in keeping them off for some time, till I had a chance to run to the woods where I got the assistance of my friends.

We continued to travel that day and the following night, and succeeded in reaching a place called Fort Bridger, which is 114 miles from the valley. The number of our pursuers had now increased to twenty, and we had to put to the woods again. We travelled till night and were so fortunate as to meet a host of friendly Indians, who gave us buffalo meat to eat. The next day we overtook a number of wagons, known as Mrs. Babbitt's train, in number twenty-eight. I was hired to drive one wagon which was drawn by six mules.—We had some trouble with a lot of Indians called the 'Crow Tribe' They were well armed and about a thousand strong. About six hundred shots came into our tents. We killed about thirty Indians, and they killed five of our men.

We arrived here on the 13th of June with merry hearts, and we were received with a good welcome by the people of Florence. I went to see my father's grave. I thank God that it is where it is. I left mother with Jane, Louisa, Mary and John in good health. So was Mr. Thomas too. I——is a thorough Mormon, and I am sorry to say that he did his best to kill me—thinking *that* better than to let me escape to spread his character abroad—none of them would believe that I could reach this place alive. I am very desirous for my mother and children to leave Salt Lake and join me here. If they could do that I would buy some land here, which I could have for $1 25 per acre. I left $500 worth with my mother till she could see a chance to escape. My work here is looking after a brickyard. I get $30 a month, besides my board. From your loving brother, JOHN DAVIES.

LOVE AND MARRIAGE AT FIRST SIGHT.—The Buffalo Courier says that one of the most remarkable instances of love at first sight on record, occurred in that city a day or two since. A young lady from the country had business to transact at a lawyers office in which a young and somewhat diffident attorney has his desk. In the course of the business the eyes of the parties met: the attorney was 'smitten,' he declared his passion and was accepted. The couple were married in the afternoon.

Another case of a like character is reported. Mr. W. H. Webster went from his home in Otsego, New York, on an excursion, west, the other day and fell in with Miss Emiline C. Beach, of Ohio, on the cars. A courtship instantly set in which at the end of four hours, culminated in a proposal; and straightway a minister who was on the train made the twain one flesh. They were married at the rate of thirty-two miles per hour, by the Conductor's watch.

A similar case occurred on the Michigan Central cars, between this city and Detroit, a few days since. An hour or two after the train left this city, a gentleman became acquainted with a young lady. They were immediately 'smitten with each other. He proposed—she said *yes*—a clergyman was called at a way station, and the knot was tied *instanter*!

In this connection, while we are in the way of it, we will add another case—not of sudden love and marriage exactly, but of 'doing' a little two fast.—On the arrival of the train from Indianapolis at Lafayette, Ind. Tuesday, a gentleman and lady, inspired with a mutual recognition, rushed into each other's embrace, enjoyed a kiss and a squeeze, drew back for another look, were struck with a sudden horror—and gradually came to a 'realizing sense' of the fact that they were utter strangers to each other, whereas, they had supposed themselves cousins. The resemblance on both hands is declared to be most singular by parties who know the cousins of both.—[Chicago Journal.

The Western packing business is likely to be very large this season. The immense corn crop will enable the farmers to begin feeding their hogs earlier than usual and to feed later. It is computed that this will give an increased weight to each animal of about twenty-five pounds on the average. The prospect of good prices will induce the fatting of the larger hogs for market and dependence on the smaller stock with late feeding for home u[illegible]ers former year.—Corn will not be worth ever twenty cents per bushel for shipping, but, fed into pork, it will bring equal to forty or fifty.—*New York Evening Post.*

☞ We recommend the following beautiful effusion to the perusal of those flinty-hearted parents who place themselves in the way of the happiness of their children.

UPON THY TRUTH RELYING.

BY T. H. BAYLY.

They say we are too young to love—
Too wild to be united,
In scorn they bid us both renounce
The fond vows we have plighted,
They send thee forth to see the world—
Thy love by absence trying;
Then go—for I can smile farewell—
Upon thy truth relying.

I know that pleasure's hand will throw
Her silken nets about thee;
I know how lonesome I shall find
The long days without thee,
But in thy letters there'll be joy—
The reading—the replying—
I'll kiss each word that's traced by thee—
Upon thy truth relying.

When friends applaud thee, I'll sit by,
In silent rapture gazing;
And oh! how proud of being loved
By her they have been praising!
But should Detraction breathe thy name—
The world's reproof defying,
I'll love thee—land thee—trust thee still—
Upon thy truth relying.

E'en those who smile to see us part,
Shall see us meet with wonder,
Such trials only make the heart
That truly loves, grow fonder,
Our sorrows past shall be our pride,
When with each other vieing;
Thou wilt confide in him who lives—
Upon thy truth relying.

MARINE LOSSES FOR SEPTEMBER.—The list of disasters to sea going American during September is unusually heavy fo a single month. It embraces no less than thirty-two vessels totally lost, namely: two steamers, three ships, four barks, five brigs, and eighteen schooners. Besides these, there are two reported missing, and which, it is very probable will ever be heard of again, and ten others which went ashore within the month, but not given over, though several of them may probably never be got afloat again. The total value of the vessels lost and their cargoes, including the treasure on the Central America, is $3,172,100. This is the value of property totally lost, exclusive of damages to vessels not amounting to a total loss, and of cargo. The aggregate losses by marine disaster since the first of January is $14,758,200.—*Baltimore Sun.*

THE TRUE MAHOMEDAN SPIRIT.—A certain good natured old Vermont farmer, preserved his constant good nature, let what would turn up. One day while the black tongue prevailed in that State, one of his men came in, bringing the news that one of his red oxen was dead.

'Is he?' said the old man: 'well, he always was a breechey cuss. Take off his hide and carry it down to Fletcher's, it will bring the cash.'

An hour or two afterwards, the man came back with the news, that 'line back' and his mate were both dead.

'Are they?' said the old man: well, I took them from B—— to save a bad debt, that I never expected to get. It is lucky that it aint the brindles. Take the hides down to Fletcher's, they will bring the cash.'

After the laps of an hour, the man came back again, to inform him that the nigh brindle was dead.

'Is he?' said the old man, 'well, he was a very ox. Take off his hide, and take it down to Fletcher's; it is worth more than any two of the others.'

Hereupon, his wife was a very pious soul, taking upon herself the office of Eliphaz, reprimanded her husband severely, and asked him if he was not aware that his loss was a judgment from heaven, upon his wickedness.

'Is it?' said the old fellow; 'well if they take judgement in cattle, it is the easiest way I can pay them.'

IMPERISHABILITY OF GREAT EXAMPLES.—The following eloquent passage occurs in Everetts's great oration:

'To be cold and breathless—to feel and speak not—this is not the end of existence to the men who have breathed their spirit into the institutions of their country, who have stamped their characters on the pillars of the age, who have poured their heart's blood into the channels of the public prosperity. Tell me, ye who tread the sod on yon sacred heights, is Warren dead? Can you not still see him, not pale and prostrate, the blood of his gallant heart pouring out of his ghastly wound, but moving resplendent over the field of honor, with the rose of heaven upon his cheek and the fire of liberty in his eye? Tell me, ye who make your pious pilgrimage to the shades of Vernon, is Washington indeed shut up in that cold and narrow house? That which made these men and men like these cannot die. The hand that traced the charter of Independence is, indeed, motionless, the eloquent lips that sustained it are hushed but the lofty spirits that conceived, resolved, and maintained it, and which, alone, to such men, 'make it life to live,' these cannot expire—

'These shall resist the empire of decay,
When time is over and worlds have passed away:
Cold in the dust the perished heart may lie,
But that which warmed it once can never die.'

A GOOD REPLY.—A lady had written on a card, and placed it on the top of an hour-glass in her garden house, the following verse from the poems of J. Clare. It was when the flowers were in their highest glory:

'To think of summers yet to come,
That I am not to see!
To think a weed is yet to bloom
From dust that I shall be!'

The next morning she found the following lines, in pencil, on the back of the same card. Well would it be if all would ponder on the question—act in view of, and make preparation for an unknown state of existence:

'To think when heaven & earth are fled,
And times and seasons o'er,
When all that can die shall be dead,
That I must die no more!
O, where will then my portion be?
Where shall I spend eternity?'

☞ The wind is a musician at birth.—We extend a silken thread in the crevice of a window and the wind finds it & sighs over it, and goes up and down the scale upon it, and poor Paganini must go somewhere else for his honor, for lo! the wind is performing with a single string!

It tries almost everything upon earth, to see if there is music in it: it persuades a tone out of the great bell in the tower, when the sexton is at home and asleep; it makes a mournful harp of the giant pines, and it does not disdain to try what sort of a whistle can be made of the humblest chimney in the world. How it will play upon a great tree, till every leaf thrills with the [illegible] and wind up the river that [illegible] paniment.

And what a melody it sings, when it gives a concert, with a full choir of the waves of the sea, and performs an anthem between the two worlds, that goes up, perhaps, to the stars that love music the most and sang the first.

Then how fondly it haunts old houses; moaning under the eaves, sighing in the halls, opening old doors without fingers, and singing a measure of some sad, old song, around the fireless and deserted hearth.—*B. F. Taylor.*

"Spare the Little Birds."

Enlightened agriculturists have long been protesting against the wanton and senseless practices of cutting down trees, and killing birds, merely for the sake of human destructiveness. As regards the latter, especially, it has again and again been demonstrated that the birds are among the best friends of the farmer, the gardener and the fruit grower. A writer in the Charleston Mercury, however, goes into details and gives some curious statistics on the subject. He states it, as an indisputable fact, that one-fifth, and perhaps one fourth, of the crops of the Union, is destroyed by insects.—These insects are greatly on the increase, chiefly on account of the destruction of frogs, toads, snakes, terrapins, and (above all) small birds.

The common wren is one of the most useful of these birds. Their nests are said sometimes to contain as many as twenty or twenty-five young, which are nurtured almost entirely on caterpillars and other insects. The above mentioned writer counted in twenty-four minutes *forty-two* of the larva of the butterfly conveyed to one nest by a pair of wrens. He estimates the destruction of grubs by this one pair to amount in five weeks, (the time required to rear their young,) to 21,600. Speaking of the consumption of gnats and mosquitoes by the bull bat or whip-poor will, he says: "from the stomach of one of these birds I took and counted seven hundred and two gnats, consisting of nine different species—all the varieties I have noted—besides, I am certain the stomach contained, partly digested, as many more, which, from their partial dissolution, it was impossible to enumerate. Taking in view the rapidity of digestion in birds, what myriads must a few of this species destroy in the course of the summer."

The various species of wood-pecker, "sapsucker," &c., are not less useful to fruit trees, by boring the trunks and extracting the worms that prey upon their juices.

MURDER.—A gentleman informs us that some six weeks ago a Mr. Edmondson, from Fayetteville, Tennessee, passed through here with two loads of bacon, on his way to Mississippi. After selling his bacon, he returned as far as Courtland, where one of his mules left him. He returned to hunt his mule, and his wagons proceeded on to Tennessee. Nothing was heard of him for some time, when search was made and he has been found about three miles beyond Spangler's mills on the mountain, some twenty odd miles from Courtland; under circumstances that leave no doubt that he was murdered. No discovery has been made of his horse or mule, but the whole transaction is enveloped in mystery. *When will these murders cease?—Athens (Ala) Herald.*

Holloway's Ointment and Pills.—Ulcers and sores drain the system of its vital energy. Their diseased action is kept up by virulent matter in the vessel of the glands and skin. This matter is neutralized by the disinfecting operation of the Ointment. The Pills cure indigestion in all its forms. Purchasers are hereby informed of a certain test as to the genuineness of these remedies; it is necessary to see that each leaf of the book of directions around each pot and box shows the words, "Holloway, New York and London," as a Water mark, in semi transparent lettes.—All not thus authenticated are frauds.

A HARD HIT.—Mr. Finnefrock, an Ohio political stumper, while making a high-flown speech recently, paused in the midst of it and exclaimed:

'Now, gentlemen, what do you think?' Instantly a man rose in the assemby, and with one eye partly closed, modestly with Scotch brogue said: 'Mr. Finnefrock, I think, sir; I do indeed, sir, I think that if you and I would stump the county together, we could tell more lies than any other two men in the county, sir, and *I'd not say a word myself,* all the time, sir!'

A little boy a few days ago while coming down stairs was cautioned by his mother not to loose his balance. His question which followed was a puzzler:

'Mother, if I should loose my balance where would it go to?'

'I am going to the postoffice, Bob, shall I inquire for you?' 'Well, yes, if you have a mind to, but I don't think you will find me there.'

The editor of an exchange says he never saw but one ghost, and that was the ghost of a sinner who died without paying for his paper. 'Twas horrible to look upon.'

Let him who expects a class of society to prosper in the highest degree, while the other is in distress, try whether one side of his face can smile while the other is pinched.

The Bank of South Carolina Suspended. It was reported on the streets yesterday that the State bank of South Carolina at Charleston had suspended. We doubt this report.—*Selma Sentinel.*

A workman recently purchased, in a small provincial town of Germany, ten pounds of powdered sugar; but, on examining it he found that the grocer had mixed it with at least a pound of lime. On the following day he advertised as follows in the public prints: 'Should the grocer who sold me a pound of lime along with nine pounds of sugar, not bring to me the pound he cheated me of, I shall forthwith disclose his name in the papers.' The next day the workman received 9 pounds of sugar from different grocers who had similar actions on their conscience, and feared exposure.

☞ The State Printing was let out on the 6th instant, for two years, dating from November next, and the contract awarded to Fr. C[illegible], the Montgomery Advertiser. The duties under the contract are to print the laws, journals of both branches of the legislature, [illegible] of the dep[illegible]

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Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of Administration on the estate of Reuben Burch, dec'd having been granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of Benton County, Ala. on the 24th day of September, 1857; all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them legally authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and all persons indebted are requested to make imme-

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POETRY.

From the Puritan Recorder.

Providence.

Look and listen, look and listen!
Thou guiding hand shalt see,
And a voice divinely tender,
Lovingly shall talk with thee.

Cling thou to that hand confiding,
Even as a little child;
They who trust the heavenly guiding,
Safely pass through deserts wild.

Safe through forests, lone and fearful,
Safe through throngs where pleasures lure
Safe alike in sunshine cheerful,
And when clouds the way obscure.

Holding fast the hand so tender,
Listening to the kindly voice,
Every fear thou may'st surrender,
And for evermore rejoice.

I could tell to thee a story—
Many such there might be told—
Of a man, now old and hoary,
Who, thus trusting, has grown old.

Through the storms of many winters,
That have gloomed above his head,
Through the colder storms of sorrow,
He in safety has been led.

Subject to the world's mutations,
Oft in darkness, oft in fear,
Oft in dangers and temptations,
Still the kindly voice was near.

Whispering to him, 'Be not fearful,
Thou shalt never go astray;
Let thy heart be brave and cheerful,
I will lead thee on thy way.'

What though foes would have bereft him,
Of his honorable name:
Seeking on that brow so noble,
To affix the brand of shame.

What though early friends departed,
From before his lingering eye,
And fall often weary-hearted,
Longed he far from earth to fly.

What though want, her terrors wearing,
What though sickness crossed his way,
And the Tempter, grown more daring,
Dogged his footsteps day by day.

Yet is safety passed he onward,
Passing toward the better land;
Listening to the voice so tender,
Holding fast the guiding hand.

And the shadows lengthen round him,
Yet he passes onward still:
Heeding not the coming darkness,
Feeling not the evening chill.

Look and listen, look and listen—
Thou the guiding star shalt see,
And a voice divinely tender,
Lovingly shall talk with THEE.

Melodies and Mysteries.

BY CHARLES MACKAY.

Would'st thou know what the blithe bird pipeth
High in the morning air?
Would'st thou know what the blithe stream singeth,
Rippling o'er pebbles bare?
Sorrow the mystery shall teach thee
And the words declare.

Would'st thou find in the rose's blossom
More than thy fellows find?
More in the fragrance of the lilly
Than odor on the wind?
Love Nature, and her smallest tone
Shall whisper to thy mind.

Would'st thou know what the moon discourseth
To the docile sea?
Would'st hear the echoes of the music
Of the fair infinity?
Sorrow shall open the founts of knowledge,
And Heaven shall sing to thee.

Would'st thou see the riddle of Being
Further than others can?
Sorrow shall give thine eyes new lustre
To simplify the plan:
A love of God and thy kind shall aid thee
To end what it began.

To Love and Sorrow all Nature speaketh:
If the riddle be read,
They the best can see through darkness
Each divergent thread
Of its mazy texture, and discover
Whence the ravel spread:

Love and Sorrow are sympathetic
With the earth and skies:
Their touch from the harp of Nature bringeth
The hidden melodies;
To the eternal chords forever
Vibrate in harmonics.

MISCELLANEOUS.

"Married Again."

'You don't mean so—you don't really mean that Dora West is married again?' cried Mrs. Mills, as she came down to the front gate, both hands up-lifted in surprise and dismay at the fact which I had just communicated to her.

'I must say I really had too good an opinion of the woman; but there's no knowing what folks will do in this world. And it's only two years since her husband met with that awful death. How I pitied her, and what a fuss she made at the time. I really thought she never would get over it; but she's done herself up for me, now.'

I opened my lips to speak, and then, on second thought, I closed them again.—There would be no use in defending my dear friend, Dora West, to such a person, and yet, do not misunderstand me, reader; Mrs. Mills was a kind-hearted, good sort of woman, and would have made almost any sacrifice for a friend or neighbor who was in trouble; but she was *narrow-minded,* and, of course, she was guilty of all that vast burden of petty sins, and little uncharitablenesses, which are the indigenous fruit of this quality.

So I only replied. 'Oh, Mrs. Mills, you don't understand Dora as I do; but I havn't time to discuss the matter now. Good morning.' And walking slowly down that little grassy road, my thoughts went back to a night two years ago, that had burned itself into my memory.

It was evening, in the early October, and the rain was falling slow and languidly outside. The day had been a languid one too, with a kind of wistful, blue-gray sky, and a slight chill in the still air which was a far off whisper of the Winter.

Dora and I sat sewing in the little back parlor that evening, by the round mahogany table, and there was a sort of rivalry kept up between our tongues, and our fingers—I cannot tell which was the nimble.

How pretty she looked
the well beloved wife of five
smiles darting among
sweetness and t

ry's been gone a week, and I thought it would seem an age, that morning he kissed me good bye. It would, too, if you hand't been with me. But he'll be home to-morrow. Oh, how glad I shall be to see him.'

At that moment the bell rang, loud and sudden.

'Oh, dear! I hope nobody's come to bore us to-night. We're so cozy and happy together.'

'Here's a despatch for you, Mrs. West,' said a small boy, whom the servant girl ushered into the room.

Dora sprang up quickly.' 'It's from Harry, I know.'

She brought it to the light, and opened it with her eager fingers. Her eyes—those blue, beautiful eyes ran across the page.—"My God! my God!" And then Dora West clasped her hands, and laughed loud and wild. Oh, how that laugh rings down now, through those two years, and curdles the blood in my veins, and fairly stops the beating of my heart!

Then she came round to me with that wild, seared, pitiful look in her face, that was more terrible than the face of the dead. 'What does it mean, Alice?' she whispered. 'I can't read it; but it struck my head just now, something did, and froze it.'

'Nothing's happended to Harry, has there?'

'He'll come home to-morrow, and put his arms round me, and call me his dear little wife, won't he, Alice?'

'Yes, yes, he will.' I tried to say, but I hardly think I succeeded, for my lips had grown dry and parched, and my voice died away in my heart, where a terrible fear had come down.

But I drew Dora into my lap, laid her head on my shoulder, and then, bending down, I read the paper which she held tight in her hands.

There were but a few words; the great crises of life are generally acted and told briefly. There had been a fearful collision on the railway, somewhere between New York and Boston. Several passengers were killed. Among them was—yes, I looked twice, bending down my eyes close to the paper; it was *his* name!

I hugged Dora tight to my heart. I do not remember anything that happened for the next five minutes.

'He will come back, Alice! Harry will come back!'

These were the first words that aroused me; Dora was smiling and playing with my hair.

Then the truth rushed over me, and I could neither move nor speak.

At that moment, Mr. Lee, a neighbor & friend of Harry's, burst into the room.

'Has she heard it?' he cried, and our faces answered him.

Dora sprang toward the gentleman. 'Oh, Mr. Lee!' she cried, 'nothing happened to Harry, has there? You know he always thought so much of you. Do tell me he's coming back to-morrow!' and she staggered against him, and he caught her in his arms, and the tears ran down the strong man's face, fast as they run down the face of a tired little child.

He laid her on the sofa, and slowly broke the truth over the darkened mind of Dora West. What a night that was. God in His great mercy save me from such an other!

After this, I thought for many weeks that Dora would soon walk with her husband through the fine rooms of the mansion prepared for them on high, but God spared her, and at last her life began to take up some of its old sympathies and interests.

I remember the first time she rode out.—It was a bright day in the early Spring, and Mr. Lee and I accompanied her. He and Harry had always loved each other as brothers do, and it was not strange the young man was moved with much pity for the widow of his friend.

In the course of our ride, we came across a patch of early violets, on the sunny side of a bank, near a small stream.

'Oh, how beautiful they are!' cried Dora, clapping her hands, with something of her old animation; and then a change came over her face. 'Harry loved violets, and don't you remember, Alice, he used to twine them in my hair. Oh, to think now, he will never see them any more!' & amid her quick sobs, her head sank down on my shoulder.

And I could only tell her there were fairer violets in the land to which Harry had gone.

Mr. Lee did not speak, but I saw the glance he bent down on her a moment, and I knew then his heart was stirred with something more than pity for Dora West.

She did not, I know, suspect this for some time, and thought it was only for Harry's sake that he called so often, showed her a thousand little nameless attentions and was so thoughtful of her happiness.

Well, the truth came out at last: Dora was still in her youth, and she had one of those clinging, vine-like natures that need something to lean upon; in short, love was with her, a great necessity; she could not walk through life alone.

'He says he will take Harry's place to me. Shall I give it to him, Alice?' whispered Dora.

And I lifted up her face, and looked at it. 'Yes, darling, this new love is sent of the God that called Harry to himself, and left you only his memory.'

So they were married; and the uncharitable, the narrow-minded and the envious talk as, God help them, they always have and will talk until Death comes and lays its cold hand on their lips, and hushes them with its solemn "Be still" forever, and forever!

V. F. T.

LETTER OF DR. FRANKLIN.—The following characteristic letter of Dr. Franklin is said to be inedited. The ingenious manner in which he makes the commencement of his letter convey the temporary impression that he lent with a parsimonious reluctance, is inimitable:

April 22, 1784.

'I send you herewith a bill for ten *Louis d'ors.* I do not pretend to give such a sum. I only lend it to you. When you shall return to your country, you can not fail of getting into some business that will, in time, enable you to pay all your debts. In that case, when you meet with another honest man in similar distress, you must pay *me* by *lending* this sum to him; enjoining him to discharge his debt by a like operation when he shall be able, and shall meet with such another opportunity. I hope it may thus go through many hands before it meets with a knave to stop its progress. This is a *trick* of mine for doing a great deal of good with a little money. I am not rich enough to afford *much* in good works, and so am obliged to be *cunning,* and make the most of a *little.* B. F.'

GEN. WM. T. HASKELL.—We have already mentioned the fact that this distinguished and eloquent Tennessean had become hopelessly insane. He passed through Louisville Friday last, in charge of friends, on his way to the lunatic asylum at Lexington, Ky. It is stated that while in the ne cars arose & in the most eloquent & pathetic terms appealed to the gallant Kentuckians, among whom he was, to protect him ... enemies he imagined ... He became somewhat

The Mormons.

Mr. John Davies, an escaped Mormon, has published a narrative, in which he makes some startling allusions. He says that a man to be a Mormon must first give himself, his family, and all his possessions over to Brigham Young. He must then give one-tenth of all he earns, and keep from two to ten wives. Many persons, he said, had been shot in trying to escape, and he Mr. Davies, had seen dozens shot down in the street, and three days before he left, he saw three persons killed merely because they intended to escape. They were shot down in a place call Springfield, while they were preparing their trunks to leave. This took place about 8 o'clock on a Sunday morning, within fifty yards of the gate of the city. The first was a young man called William Parish; he received seven balls in his body. The second was his father, and the third was a man called Poster, whose body received as many as fifteen balls. The old man was pierced in the back, and his throat cut in three places. This is, indeed, terrible if true. The following is the conclusion of the statement:

The walls around the city are fifteen feet high, and they are surrounded by a deep and wide moat. The *city* is *entered* by four gates, which are watched in the night time. The gates are so narrow that only one vehicle can pass through at once. 'Destroying Angels' go out on the plains in the spring, in order to intercept those who may escape from the city. Many left on foot last January. They sleep by day and travel by night, I know of men and women who have traveled this way—the men dressed as women, and the women as men. I came across some who were very short of food: the little they had they gave to the women, and the men were principally sustained by the *women's milk.*

I left Salt Lake city on the 17th of April, in company with a Welchman and an African. The few Mormons who knew of our intentions said that we would never reach the States alive, but I told them that I was determined to try, whatever would occur. On Saturday (the day after we left) we traveled thirty miles from the city, when we saw three men following us.—They were sent by the authorities of the city to catch us. The name of one was Patrick Linch, an Irishman by birth, and Secretary to Brigham Young. This man fired his revolver at me. They then came near us on their horses and inquired our names, and when we refused to tell them they swore that they would blow 'our damned brains out.' With that, one of them raised his revolver as if he was going to use it—he had one on each side of the saddle. I then took out my revolver, and told him to fire it if he liked. I had six revolvers with me, and a rifle, containing in all thirty-seven balls. Another ball was then fired at me, which whistled by my left cheek. I then fired at him, and one ball hit him on the leg and the other on the shoulder. (My friends by this time had run into the woods, and I was left to fight it out myself.) I then lost my footing and one of the men ran at me with a knife and cut my belt and took four of my revolvers. I had the other two hid in my boots. I got hold of one of them and fired, and succeeded in keeping them off for some time, till I had a chance to run to the woods where I got the assistance of my friends.

We continued to travel that day and the following night, and succeeded in reaching a place called Fort Bridger, which is 114 miles from the valley. The number of our pursuers had now increased to twenty, and we had to put to the woods again. We travelled till night and were so fortunate as to meet a host of friendly Indians, who gave us buffalo meat to eat. The next day we overtook a number of wagons, known as Mrs. Babbitt's train, in number twenty-eight. I was hired to drive one wagon which was drawn by six mules.—We had some trouble with a lot of Indians called the 'Crow Tribe' They were well armed and about a thousand strong. About six hundred shots came into our tents. We killed about thirty Indians, and they killed five of our men.

We arrived here on the 13th of June with merry hearts, and we were received with a good welcome by the people of Florence. I went to see my father's grave. I thank God that it is where it is, I left mother with Jane, Louisa, Mary and John in good health. So was Mr. Thomas too. I——s a thorough Mormon, and I am sorry to say that he did his best to kill me—thinking *that* better than to let me escape to spread his character abroad—none of them would believe that I could reach this place alive. I am very desirous for my mother and children to leave Salt Lake and join me here. If they could do that I would buy some land here, which I could have for $1 25 per acre. I left $500 worth with my mother till she could see a chance to escape. My work here is looking after a brickyard. I get $30 a month, besides my board. From your loving brother, JOHN DAVIES.

LOVE AND MARRIAGE AT FIRST SIGHT.—The Buffalo Courier says that one of the most remarkable instances of love at first sight on record, occurred in that city a day or two since. A young lady from the country had business to transact at a lawyers office in which a young and somewhat diffident attorney has his desk. In the course of the business the eyes of the parties met; the attorney was 'smitten,' he declared his passion and was accepted. The couple were married in the afternoon.

Another case of a like charieter is reported. Mr. W. H. Webster went from his home in Otsego, New York, on an excursion, west, the other day and fell in with Miss Emiline C. Beach, of Ohio, on the cars. A courtship instantly set in which at the end of four hours, culminated in a proposal; and straightway a minister who was on the train made the twain one flesh. They were married at the rate of thirty-two miles per hour, by the Conductor's watch.

A similar case occurred on the Michigan Central cars, between this city and Detroit, a few days since. An hour or two after the train left this city, a gentleman became acquainted with a young lady. They were immediately smitten with each other. He proposed—she said *yes*—a clergyman was called at a way station, and the knot was tied *instanter!*

In this connection, while we are in the way of it, we will add another case—not of sudden love and marriage exactly, but of 'doing' a little two fast.—On the arrival of the train from Indianapolis at Lafayette, Ind. Tuesday, a gentleman and lady, inspired with a mutual recognition, rushed into each other's embrace, enjoyed a kiss and a squeeze, drew back for another look, were struck with a sudden horror—and gradually came to a 'realizing sense' of the fact that they were utter strangers to each other, whereas, they had supposed themselves cousins. The resemblance on both hands is declared to be most singular by parties who know the cousins of both.—[Chicago Journal.

The Western packing business is likely to be very large this season. The immense corn crop will enable the farmers to begin feeding their hogs earlier than usual and to feed later. It is computed that this will give an increased weight to each animal of about twenty-five pounds on the average. The prospect of good prices will induce the fatting of the large hogs for market and dependence on the smaller stock with late feeding for home u

former year.—Corn will not be worth over twenty cents per bushel for shipping, but, fed into pork, it will bring equal to forty or fifty.—*New York Evening Post.*

☞We recommend the following beautiful effusion to the perusal of those flinty-hearted parents who place themselves in the way of the happiness of their children.

UPON THY TRUTH RELYING.

BY T. H. BAYLY.

They say we are too young to love—
Too wild to be united.
In scorn they bid us both renounce
The fond vows we have plighted,
They send thee forth to see the world—
Thy love by absence trying;
Then go—for I can smile farewell—
Upon thy truth relying.

I know that pleasure's hand will throw
Her silken nets about thee;
I know how lonesome I shall find
The long days without thee,
But in thy letters there'll be joy—
The reading—the replying—
I'll kiss each word that's traced by thee—
Upon thy truth relying.

When friends applaud thee, I'll sit by,
In silent rapture gazing;
And oh! how proud of being loved
By her they have been praising!
But should Detraction breathe thy name—
The world's reproof defying,
I'll love thee—laud thee—trust thee still—
Upon thy truth relying.

E'en those who smile to see us part,
Shall see us meet with wonder,
Such trials only make the heart
That truly loves, grow fonder,
Our sorrows past shall be our pride,
When with each other vieing;
Thou wilt confide in him who lives—
Upon thy truth relying.

MARINE LOSSES FOR SEPTEMBER.—The list of disasters to sea going American during September is unusally heavy for a single month. It embraces no less than thirty-two vessels totally lost, namely: two steamers, three ships, four barks, five brigs, and eighteen schooners. Besides these, there are two reported missing, and which, it is very probable will ever be heard of again, and ten others which went ashore within the month, but not given over, though several of them may probably never be got afloat again. The total value of the vessels lost and their cargoes, including the treasure on the Central America, is $3,172,100. This is the value of property totally lost, exclusive of damages to vessels not amounting to a total loss, and of cargo. The aggregate losses by marine disaster since the first of January is $14,758,200. *Baltimore Sun.*

THE TRUE MAHOMEDAN SPIRIT.—A certain good natured old Vermont farmer, preserved his constant good nature, let what would turn up. One day while the black tongue prevailed in that State, one of his men came in, bringing the news that one of his red oxen was dead.

'Is he?' said the old man; 'well, he always was a breechey cuss. Take off his hide and carry it down to Fletcher's, it will bring the cash.'

An hour or two afterwards, the man came back with the news, that 'line back' and his mate were both dead.

'Are they?' said the old man; well, I took them from B—— to save a bad debt, that I never expected to get. It is lucky that it aint the brindles. Take the hides down to Fletcher's, they will bring the cash!'

After the laps of an hour, the man came back again, to inform him that the nigh brindle was dead.

'Is he?' said the old man, 'well, he was a very ox. Take off his hide, and take it down to Fletcher's; it is worth more than any two of the others.'

Hereupon, his wife was a very pious soul, taking upon herself the office of Eliphaz, reprimanded her husband severely, and asked him if he was not aware that his loss was a judgment from heaven, upon his wickedness.

'Is it?' said the old fellow; 'well if they take judgement in cattle, it is the easiest way I can pay them.'

IMPERISHABILITY OF GREAT EXAMPLES.—The following eloquent passage occurs in Everett's great oration:

'To be cold and breathless—to feel and speak not—this is not the end of existence to the men who have breathed their spirit into the institutions of their country, who have stamped their characters on the pillars of the age, who have poured their heart's blood into the channels of the public prosperity. Tell me, ye who tread the sods on yon sacred heights, is Warren dead? Can you not still see him, not pale and prostrate, the blood of his gallant heart pouring out of his ghastly wound, but moving resplendent over the field of honor, with the rose of heaven upon his cheek and the fire of liberty in his eye? Tell me, ye who make your pious pilgrimage to the shades of Vernon, is Washington indeed shut up in that cold and narrow house? That which made these men and men like these cannot die. The hand that traced the charter of Independence is, indeed, motionless, the eloquent lips that sustained it are hushed but the lofty spirits that conceived, resolved, and maintained it, and which, alone, to such men, 'make it life to live,' these cannot expire—

'These shall resist the empire of decay,
When time is over and worlds have passed away:
Cold in the dust the perished heart may lie,
But that which warmed it once can never die.'

A GOOD REPLY.—A lady had written on a card, and placed it on the top of an hour-glass in her garden house, the following verse from the poems of J. Clare. It was when the flowers were in their highest glory:

'To think of summers yet to come,
That I am not to see!
To think a weed is yet to bloom
From dust that I shall be!'

The next morning she found the following lines, in pencil, on the back of the same card. Well would it be if all would ponder on the question—act in view of, and make preparation for an unknown state of existence:

'To think when heaven & earth are fled,
And times and seasons o'er,
When all that can die shall be dead,
That I must die no more!
O, where will then my portion be?
Where shall I spend eternity?'

☞The wind is a musician at birth.—We extend a silken thread in the crevice of a window and the wind finds it & sighs over it, and goes up and down the scale upon it, and poor Paganini must go somewhere else for his honor, for lo! the wind is performing with a single string!

It tries almost everything upon earth, to see if there is music in it; it persuades a tone out of the great bell in the tower, when the sexton is at home and asleep; it makes a mournful harp of the giant pines, and it does not disdain to try what sort of a whistle can be made of the humblest chimney in the world. How it will play upon a great tree, till every leaf thrills with the ... down the river that r

paniment:

And what a melody it sings, when it gives a concert, with a full choir of the waves of the sea, and performs an anthem between the two worlds, that goes up perhaps, to the stars that love music the most and sang the first.

Then how fondly it haunts old houses; moaning under the eaves, sighing in the halls, opening old doors without fingers, and singing a measure of some sad, old song, around the fireless and deserted hearth.—*B. F. Taylor.*

"Spare the Little Birds."

Enlightened agriculturists have long been protesting against the wanton and senseless practices of cutting down trees and killing birds, merely for the sake of human destructiveness. As regards the latter, especially, it has again and again been demonstrated that the birds are among the best friends of the farmer, the gardener and the fruit grower. A writer in the Charleston Mercury, however, goes into details and gives some curious statistics on the subject. He states it, as an indisputable fact, that one-fifth, and perhaps one fourth, of the crops of the Union, is destroyed by insects.—These insects are greatly on the increase, chiefly on account of the destruction of frogs, toads, snakes, terrapins, and (above all) small birds.

The common wren is one of the most useful of these birds. Their nests are said sometimes to contain as many as twenty or twenty-five young, which are nurtured almost entirely on caterpillars and other insects. The above mentioned writer counted in twenty-four minutes *forty-two* of the larva of the butterfly conveyed to one nest by a pair of wrens. He estimates the destruction of grubs by this one pair to amount in five weeks, (the time required to rear their young,) to 21,600. Speaking of the consumption of gnats and mosquitoes by the bull bat or whip-poor will, he says: "from the stomach of one of these birds I took and counted seven hundred and two gnats, consisting of nine different species—all the varieties I have noted—besides, I am certain the stomach contained, partly digested, as many more, which, from their partial dissolution, it was impossible to enumerate. Taking in view the rapidity of digestion in birds, what myriads must a few of this species destroy in the course of the summer."

The various species of woodpecker, "sapsucker," &c., are not less useful to fruit trees, by boring the trunks and extracting the worms that prey upon their juices.

MURDER.—A gentleman informs us that some six weeks ago a Mr. Edmoudson, from Fayetteville, Tennessee, passed through here with two loads of bacon on his way to Mississippi. After selling his bacon, he returned as far as Courtland, where one of his mules left him. He returned to hunt his mule, and his wagons proceeded on to Tennessee. Nothing was heard of him for some time, when search was made and he has been found about three miles beyond Spangler's mills on the mountain, some twenty odd miles from Courtland, under circumstances that leave no doubt that he was murdered. No discovery has been made of his horse or mule, but the whole transaction is enveloped in mystery. When will these murders cease!—*Athens* (Ala) *Herald.*

Holloway's Ointment and Pills.—Ulcers and sores drain the system of its vital energy. Their diseased action is kept up by virulent matter in the vessel of the glands and skin. This matter is neutralized by the disinfecting operation of the Ointment. The Pills cure indigestion in all its forms. Purchasers are hereby informed of a certain test as to the genuineness of these remedies; it is necessary to see that each leaf of the book of directions around each pot and box shows the words, "Holloway, New York and London," as a Water mark, in semi transparent lettes.—All not thus authenticated are frauds.

A HARD HIT.—Mr. Finnefrock, an Ohio political stumper, while making a high-flown speech recently, paused in the midst of it and exclaimed:

'Now, gentlemen, what do you think?' Instantly a man rose in the assemby, and with one eye partly closed, modestly with Scotch brogue said; 'Mr. Finnefrock, I think, sir: I do indeed, sir, I think that if you and I would stump the county together, we could tell more lies than any other two men in the county, sir, and I'd *not say a word myself,* all the time, sir!'

A little boy a few days ago while coming down stairs was cautioned by his mother not to loose his balance. His question which followed was a puzzler:

'Mother, if I should loose my balance where would it go to?'

'I am going to the postoffice, Bob; shall I inquire for you?' 'Well, yes, if you have a mind to, but I don't think you will find me there.'

The editor of an exchange says he never saw but one ghost, and that was the ghost of a sinner who died without paying for his paper. ''Twas horrible to look upon.'

Let him who expects a class of society to prosper in the highest degree, while the other is in distress, try whether one side of his face can smile while the other is pinched.

The Bank of South Carolina Suspended. It was reported on the streets yesterday that the State bank of South Carolina at Charleston had suspended. We doubt this report.—*Selma Sentinel.*

A workman recently purchased, in a small provincial town of Germany, ten pounds of powdered sugar; but, on examining it he found that the grocer had mixed it with at least a pound of lime. On the following day he advertised as follows in the public prints: 'Should the grocer who sold me a pound of lime along with nine pounds of sugar, not bring to me the pound he cheated me of, I shall forthwith disclose his name in the papers.' The next day the workman received 9 pounds of sugar from different grocers who had similar actions on their conscience, and feared exposure.

☞The State Printing was let out on the 6th instant, for two years, dating from November next, and the contract awarded to Fr. Cloud, the Montgomery Advertiser. The duties under the contract are to print the laws, journals of both branches of the legislature, ... of the dep

REPUBLICAN.

JACKSONVILLE, ALA.

October 21, 1857.

To our Patrons.—We really very much need the assistance of our friends, to meet present pressing, and future anticipated demands, as the year is rapidly drawing to a close. We therefore earnestly solicit and and confidently hope, that as many as possible will avail themselves of the opportunity offered at our ensuing Circuit Court, to settle the small amounts due from them, for subscription and advertising. Remember that all past subscription dues may now be settled at two dollars a year.

Another Liberal Proposition.—We have heretofore given notice that our terms were reduced to two dollars per year, payable by the expiration of the year. But as there are some who prefer to pay in advance, and think some advantage should be offered them, we now propose to all such who will subscribe, that we will furnish them the paper during the remainder of this year and the whole of 1858, for two dollars. Thus, those who subscribe so as to include the present number, of which we have printed some extra, will get about *fifteen months* for the year at two dollars. The sooner they subscribe the more papers they will get for the amount.

☞The attention of persons who may wish to purchase land, is invited to the advertisement of Mr. N. Copelan, who will offer a valuable place to the highest bidder on the 16th November next. This land is located in a healthy region, has mills and other improvements—will be sold on a long credit, and doubtless an opportunity to obtain a bargain will be offered.

Frost.—We had frost on the morning of the 17th inst. which nipped potatoe vines, and the tops of cotton, but thought not sufficiently severe to kill many of the bolls.

☞See in another column the card of Mr. A. Williams, Commission Merchant, Selma, Ala. Mr. Williams is well and favorably known in this section of the State, & will doubtless continue to give that general satisfaction which he has heretofore, to his numerous friends and acquaintances.

☞PENNSYLVANIA—RELIEF SESSION.—The called session of the Pennsylvania Legislature has adjourned, after passing an act to legalize the Bank suspensions, until the 1st of April; and compelling the banks to make a statement forthwith, of their circulation, specie, loans, assetts &c. The suspension in New York it is thought will be more disastrous, because the constitution of that state provides that it shall forfeit their charters, allowing no power to legalize by the Legislatnre.

The work of suspension still goes on, and there now remains scarcely, a doubt but it must be universal. The most heroic efforts have been made to stay the tide of panic and financial disaster, but as yet unavailing. Cotton was the last to yield, and with it of course the price of property must go. It was hoped that cotton would be held up, until the fiercest of the storm had passed. This too seems improbable, there being so many who are compelled to sell. Like an inextinguishable fire in the forest, we must patiently wait until it has burned through, hoping at least that lessons of wisdom, more valuable than gold, will be learned by the people.

Pay Your Little Bills.—"Nothing helps the money market more than the prompt payment of little bills. It keeps up trade, keeps money moving, helps the banks and makes every body feel good.—When every body holds on to all the money he gets because he fears times are going to be worse, he helps to make them so."

HOMICIDE IN TALLADEGA COUNTY.—We learn from the Talladega *Reporter* that on Monday last Mr. Lewis Bishop, an old and esteemed citizen, who resides about two miles from that place, had shot and killed Mr. J. G. Maxwell, a man who resided on his farm, and had been cropping with him during the present year.

Mr. Bishop claims that the shooting was justifiable, and came immediately to town and delivered himself up to the authorities, Justices Lawson and Savery, before whom the investigation was had. He has been admitted to bail in a bond of $5,000 for his appearance at Court. *Mont. Adv.*

Suspension of the Central Bank.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Central Bank of Alabama, held this morning, it was decided that the Bank suspend specie payments. We are authorized to state that no possible loss can accrue to the bill-holders, and that the Bank has good assets to the amount of *over seven hundred thousand dollars over and above every liability.*

In view of the general suspension of the country, we must look upon this action as a measure of relief, and the best policy. The Bank will now be in a condition to grant the facilities from the want of which every class and interest has been suffering.

Our business men will doubtless receive the bills of this Bank in payment for goods and debts without depreciation.

Hold on to your Cotton.

The temporary suspension of business has produced a decline in cotton, says the Columbus Times. Buyers cannot get money from the Banks, and hence there is no competition in the cotton market, and the great staple goes begging, for the present. The remedy for this evil is in the hands of the planters: Let them hold on to their cotton. English and Northern Manufacturers are compelled to have it, and will send agents with gold from Liverpool and New York, to the planter's doors to buy it, if they do not take a panic, and force their cotton on the market.

The present crop cannot exceed three millions of bales. There is a failure of the crop in Georgia and Alabama—the two States which produce the largest cotton crops in the Union. Texas and Arkansas crops may be good, but they cannot make up the deficiency in these two great cotton States:—as compared with them, their production of cotton is small.

[illegible] time that planters understood [illegible] Northern orders [illegible] erpool.—They can thus save the expenses of a shipment through New York, get 9 1-2 to 10½, or 19 to 20 cents for their cotton, and a return in specie in 90 days. When this can be done without risk, we cannot understand why Southern planters should submit to a ruinous loss on cotton.

TELEGRAPHIC INTELLIGENCE.

Financial Affairs in N. York.

NEW YORK, October 13.—The "Grocer's," "Marine," "Pacific," 'York,' "Exchange," "Merchants," "Exchange," "North River," "Citizen's," "Irving" and "Ocean" Banks in this city have suspended; and the bills of many of the interior banks of New York and New Jersey have been thrown out.

Oct. 13.—LATEST.—The 'Tradesmen's,' the "Market," the "St. Nicholas," the "Chatham" and the "Bullshead" Banks have suspended.

E. Fisk & Co., and Brown and Learey, merchants, have failed

October 13.—STILL LATER.—Several other banks have gone, including the Bank of New York. Several old banks announce their ability and their determination to go through the crisis, but it is feared that a general suspension is inevitable.

The Marine Bank was stopped by injunction of customers, and it is presumed that others have adopted the same means to avert the penalty of suspension.

The excitement is relieved, and it is thought that the suspension is only temporary. Business however, is generally deranged.

AUGUSTA, GA., Oct, 13.—The Georgia Railroad Bank has suspended.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct 13.—Oakley and Hawkins, large Cotton dealers in this city, have suspended. There are rumors that others will follow soon.

BOSTON, October 13.—Lyman Brothers, China merchants, have suspended.

RICHMOND, Va., Oct. 13.—The Custom House in this city has been entered and $27,700 in gold abstracted. The money was obtained by blowing up the safe with gunpowder.

AUGUSTA, GA., Oct. 14.—A public meeting of citizens held in this city, recommend the banks to suspend.

The Union Bank suspended this morning.

There are no other suspensions in this city.

AUGUSTA, Oct. 14.—The Bank of Hamburg, S. C., has suspended.

SAVANNAH, Oct. 14.—A meeting of citizens held in this city to-day, recommended that the Banks suspend.

MACON, GA., October 14.—The Manufacturers' Bank in this city has suspended.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 14.—The Secretary of the Treasury has authorized the Branch Mint in this city to purchase $200,000 worth of silver, thus affording some relief to the money pressure.

The Union Bank of Louisiana has suspended, and there is a heavy run on all the free banks.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—Nineteen Banks in all have suspended in this city, and it is believed to-day that the balance will go. A Bank meeting is in session, and it is reported on good authority that it has resolved on suspension to-morrow.

MAGNANIMOUS ACT.—Mr. Lefevre, a wealthy sugar planter of Lafourche, died recently without issue—his wife having preceded him to the grave.—His estate was appraised at about $700,000. A few days since his will was opened, when it was found that he had left the whole of his possessions to be divided equally between two gentlemen of this city—one a nephew to his wife, and the other the broker who had transacted his business in this city, a man in nowise related to him only in the way of business. To the astonishment of his friends, this broker, on finding that he had been made legatee to half the old man's estate ($350,000, at least), went before a notary public and renounced the whole legacy, making it over in favor of the relatives of the deceased in France, consisting of nephews and neices to the number of twenty or thirty, and all humbly situated in life. The old man had previously made a will in which his Fench relatives were handsomely remembered; but on returning from a visit to them, not long ago, for some reason known only to himself, he tore the will to peices and wrote a new one, leaving everything to his wife's nephew and his broker, as above stated.

He came to this country when young, a poor hatter, but prospering in his business, and finally marrying a lady of wealth, he went into the sugar culture, and progressed so well that a few years more might have made him a millionare. The broker who so magnanimously renounced his share of the estate gave as his reason for so doing, that he was already as rich as he wished to be, and felt so independent, that he did not wish it to be in the power of any one to say that any part of his fortune was not of his own making. His independence will certainly be heartily blessed on the other side of the water. We would give the gentleman's name, were we not satisfied that he claims no merit for his act, and has no desire to be publicly mentioned in connection with the matter.—*N. O. Crescent.*

This world must be getting better.

Show us a boy or girl who has been allowed the reading of a newspaper, especially at their home, and we will show you more intelligence in that boy or girl, at twelve years of age, than others have at eighteen. A newspaper reader has a better knowledge of human nature than one who does not read the current history of the day Men's faults and virtues are made known and as "the proper study of mankind is man," a newspaper is an indispensable article for both young and old.

WHY SPAIN SUSPENDED HOSTILITIES WITH MEXICO.—The Paris correspondent of the London Times, speaking of the suspension of all hostile proceedings by Mexico against Spain, says it was done through the intervention of France and England, which powers threatened to leave Spain to the consequences of her precipitation; that one of these consequences was the great danger of the United States interfering in behalf of Mexico, and endangering Cuba. He says Spain's plan was to light up civil war in Mexico, and to reinstate Santa Anna in the Presidential chair. Communications had been opened with him, and agents of his had arrived at Madrid. In the background, and contingent on many circumstances, was a plan, mooted and discussed in Spain, of converting Mexico into a monarchy, with a Spanish Bourbon on the throne. Such a scheme as this, the writer adds, could it be realized, would be the commencement of a civil war, and would probably have the effect of throwing Mexico into the arms of the United States. Quite probable!—Spain has shown her wisdom in letteing Mexico alone. There is no guarantee she could get from *France* and France and England which would have saved Cuba, in the event of a war between her and Mexico.

South Carolina Bank Bills.

The Augusta *Constitutionalist* of Oct. 12th says: "The banks in this city, in consequence of the refusal of the Bank, of Charleston to receive them on deposit, have thrown out to-day the bills of the following South Carolina banks:

Exchange Bank, of Columbia,
Planters' Bank of Fairfield,
Bank of Chester.

And on account of their suspension the bills of the following banks are not received:

Bank of the State of S. Carolina,
Bank of South Carolina,
South-western Railroad Bank."

The Georgia Railroad *Bank* has also suspended, but we advise our readers not to sacrifice any of the notes on this bank, as the Institution is perfectly sound, notwithstanding the suspension.

FINANCIAL TROUBLES IN PARIS.—The Paris correspondent of the Boston Traveller, under date of September 17, writes as follows in regard to the financial revulsion in that city:

"We are in the midst of a sort of panic. Everything on change is going down rapidly. The Credit Mobilier is said to be seriously menaced. One of the most prominent directors, M. Ernest Andre, not only resigned, but upon the refusal of his brethren to accept his resignation, he forced it upon them by a notary. It is said he has since withdrawn it, and is again at the board. But all agree that the golden days of the Credit Mobilier has gone by. The stock has fallen to 770f.—the first of last April it was 1500f! The Caisse Mires is 277.—the first of April it was 550. M. Mires predicts very hard times coming. A great deal of fear is entertained that we are about paying heavily for the fever of speculation which has been raging these five years past."

THE GREAT PRO-SLAVERY JOURNAL IN ENGLAND—*A Word to the South.*—By the last steamer we received a private letter from the editor of the *Manchester Cotton Press*, (England,) who informs us that the glorious cause is gaining ground daily, and that the forthcoming journal is already acting as a nucleus for new and healthy public opinion on the negro question. Let those who intend to co-operate send forward their names with distinct address. They will then be corresponded with as to subscription, &c. We are also requested to say to the writers of the South that contributions will be thankfully received, and we hope the ablest pens will respond to the invitation—*New York Day Book.*

TRUTH.—How beautiful is truth!—In this world where there is so much falsehood and deceit, whereby hearts are estranged, and recriminations, assaults and crimes are engendered—how beautiful are the true thought, word and deed.—Like the sun smiling amid the angry storm—like the bright stars shining through the heavy night cloud—like friend clasping the hand of friend—like right rebutting wrong—like the lance of virtue ringing on the shield of vice—like heaven on earth, and God in man is truth! Precious and priceless. Dearer than smile of friend, love of parent, or pomp or fame. Truth is all. By this we know the nature and value of things. Falsehood is craven dastard. Truth is noble, bold, and God given, beyond every attribute of the soul.—[*Hall.*

Great discovery of Treasure.

Two men named respectively Ward and Hall, were at work down the lake shore, some miles from this city, getting out hoop stuff, when they discovered a small keg buried in the sand. This they dug out and opening it, found it contained sixteen hundred silver peices. The coins were of an ancient French cast and of the denomination of several franc peices, valued at 1$ each. The men, with their treasure, have left for Philadelphia, where they intend to exchange their coin at the mint. It is probable that the money was secreted in the place where it was discovered, by some French officer in the old French war, and afterwards the officer may have been killed, leaving no trace where the treasure was concealed. Thus it has fallen, at last, into the hands of a couple of Yankees.—*Oswego Times.*

A FIGHTING MINISTER.—His wife was murdered during the sacking of a village by the British, when Kuyphausen was marauding the Jerseys. At the fight of Springfield, Caldwell dealt retribution upon his foes. None showed more ardor in the fight than Caldwell the chaplain. The image of his murdered wife was before his eyes. Finding the men in want of wading, he galloped to the Presbyterian church and brought thence a quantity of Watt's psalm and hymn-books, which he distributed for [illegible] the soldiers, [illegible] them [illegible]

MONEY AFFAIRS IN NEW ORLEANS. The True Delta of Sunday says:

"Yesterday was looked to with fear and trembling by the timid ones. For the last ten days the croakers at every corner, as Saturday was approaching, would mysteriously whisper in your ear as they passed, "Look out for the first and fourth—Saturday will bring the people to their bearings."—The dreaded "first and fourth" has come and passed, and we can, as sentinels of the great commercial watch-tower, proudly proclaim that all's well! The Citizens' Bank—the great monetary heart of the city, it is true, yesterday presented a picture of stir and bustle, which to an outsider seemed strange at this season of the year. The payments to be made were large—very large, and the crowds which jostled each other in entering and making their exit from its portals were parties whose business was principally with the note clerk. They were payers, not borrowers. Long before three o'clock approached the note docket was cleared, and our friends, the notaries like briefless lawyers had to return to their respective offices, hoping for a "crisis" at a future day.

The Crescent City is right side up. and all's well.

From the Nashville Union and American Sept. 29.

Bank of Nashville Suspended—Almost a Panic.

The following card posted on the door of the Bank of Nashville yesterday morning, at an early hour, announced the not altogether unexpected event of the suspension of that institution;—

BANK OF NASHVILLE, Sept. 28, 1857.

In consequence of the prejudicial and unfounded reports relative to the solvency of this Bank, causing a large number of depositors to withdraw their funds, besides a heavy demand for coin, we have been forced to suspend payments for the present.

We beg our friends to take no action in the matter for a few days, until we have had time for reflection as to the best course to be pursued. Our assets are ample to pay all liabilities, and they shall be faithfully applied.

N. HOBSON, President.
W. WHELESS, Cashier

To place creditors of the Bank of Nashville beyond all doubts, we have determined to convey our private property as additional security, to be used in the event of necessity, reserving only enough to pay our private indebtedness, which is small.

N. HOBSON.
W. WHELESS.

HORRIBLE.—A BABY IN AN OYSTER KEG.—We learn that much excitement has been occasioned in certain circles in this city, by the discovery of an infant, supposed to be about one week old, in an oyster keg, bearing the mark of a large and well known firm near New Haven, Conn. Owing to the effect upon the trade, the facts are kept private, but the matter is in the hands of the proper authorities, and will doubtless be thoroughly investigated. The discovery was made by a wealthy merchant of this city, who was in the habit of purchasing a gallon of oysters every week for his Sunday dinner. Observing that the keg did not yield the usual amount, and that it retained its weight, he turned it over for examination, and was horrified to find that he had been shelling up a dead infant.—[Cleveland *Plaindealer*, Sept. 29.

PARSON BROWNLOW.—Parson Brownlow, having proposed to debate the question of slavery at the North, Greeley, of the *Tribune*, suggested that Fred. Douglass, black man, should meet him in discussion. To this the Rev. Mr. Brownlow responds: "If Douglass was to attempt to reply to me in public, I would serve him as Rusk did Greeley, for his insolence—I would wear him out on the pavement with a big stick."

Mont. Adv.

SAD RESULT OF THE PANIC.—A dispatch from Boston says that ex-Mayor Samuel A. Eliot, of that city, has become insane, and was taken to the Insane Hospital on Saturday, in consequence of the loss of the whole of his estate by the failure of C. A. Mills & Co. What a fine thing it is to have no property to lose. *Ib.*

THE VOTE FOR GOVERNOR IN GEORGIA.—The Atlanta *Examiner* says that all the counties in the State, with the exception of *Appling* and *Coffee*, have been heard from, either officially or otherwise. The majority of Judge Brown for Governer is 10,620. The final result will increase this probably 100 votes. *Ib.*

Mr. N. J. Skaggs, of Talladega, has invented an ingenious contrivance for shrinking or enlarging wagon and carriage wheels without detaching them. It is done simply by turning a small screw with a wrench. Mr. Skaggs has taken the necessary steps to secure a patent. *Ib*

THE FINANCIAL CRISIS.—We heard yesterday of bills of the Bank of Charleston selling in this city at a discount of twenty-five cents on the dollar! an evidence that the recent suspensions of some of the South Carolina banks reported in our issues of Sunday and of this morning, have created a very unreasonable distrust of all of the banks of that State. This sacrifice of the bills of the Bank of Charleston was very foolish, to say the least of it, as they were bankable in this city yesterday, as it has not suspended, and is generally reputed to be one of the strongest institutions in South Carolina, or the entire South. We mention this fact to warn our readers who may be holders of the bills of this bank, against any such needless sacrifice of their money. The same warning we may give to the holders of the bills of any of the suspended banks of South Carolina. We believe that every Carolina bank which has suspended the redemption of its circulation has these means can be made available. This is our belief—but whether in entertaining it, we are right or wrong, there certainly is no reason to justify the senseless haste with which many dispose of their bills, at any rate which may be offered. *Augusta Constitutionalist.*

ALABAMA COPER MINES.—A few days since, we received a call from Mr. VANZANDT, one of the few enterprising men, in our region, who are engaged in starting a development of the mineral resources of the State. He brought with him specimens of copper ore obtained by him from one of the beds of ore, 7 miles North of Rockford, in Coosa county. He also left with us about half an ounce of copper melted by him at a blacksmith's forge, out of a handfull of the ore.

Mr. V., in one locality, finds the *Yellow Sulphuret* at and very near the surface. It yields well and will, of course, increase in richness as the depth increases. The *Grey Sulphuret*, very rich, he has struck in a shaft at the distance of 70 feet from the surface. The quantity of both the *Yellow* and *Grey Sulphurets* is said to be immense, and they are conveniently situated for mining. The locality is 32 miles North of Wetumpka, the head of navigation.

Within a day or two, Mr. VANZANDT will leave for Baltimore, with a very considerable quantity of these ores, where they will be fully tested; and he will be at our State Fair, with plenty of copper ore and specimens of copper, backed by the certificates of those who shall have tested the former at Baltimore. He sincerely believes his mines—and not only his, but many others in the vicinity—to be richer than the celebrated Ducktown mines of Tennessee. They have, besides, a great advantage in being so near water transportation—the Ducktown ores are wagoned 50 miles and then sent 500 miles by rail to the seaboard.

If our Talladega road should ever be built, these mines alone would give the lower half of it profitable and constant employment, in bringing the ore to Wetumpka & this city. In the North or Northwest, the mines and road would both be in full operation in a very few months. But we Alabamians sleep over the treasures which nature has placed beneath our feet.—*Mont. Mail.*

THE CANALS "SUSPENDED."—An intelligent boatman, on his way home from Buffalo to New York, by railroad, passed through this city yesterday, and while stopping a short time at one of our hotels, informed us that he counted in *Buffalo* 1,040 boats which had hauled off and laid up for the season in consequence of the stringency of times rendering freight scarce, and all business of commerce inactive. Hundreds of boatmen's horses were detained along the line for their keeping. One boatman sold his horse for a nominal sum to get out of the scrape, stole the horse afterwards, was caught, and the poor fellow said it was the only "sight" for him to get home to his family, but he guessed that he had "jumped out of the frying pan into the fire."—*Syracuse Courier, Wednesday.*

☞A dispatch was received from New Orleans yesterday afternoon, stating that the great publishing house of Harper and *Brothers*, New York, had suspended. It is said their assets are $1,000,000 over their liabilities.

Busines of all kinds at New Orleans was nearly suspended.—*Mo. Mercury.*

The Tuscaloosa Monitor in urging the importance of forming an Agricultural society for that county, thus speaks of a specimen of prolific corn:

We saw on exhibition at the Court-house on Monday last some most remarkable specimens of prolific and large corn, raised by our fellow-citizen, Benjamin Whitfield. On one stalk we counted *six* good ears; and another with four *suckers*, making five stalks from one root, and the product of a single grain of corn, contained *eleven* good ears and a *nubbin*. This is certainly ahead of anything in corn raising that we have ever seen. Mr. Whitfield has also some large ears of a variety of corn, improved by himself, which is certainly of an excellent character. This corn was raised, too, without manuring, upon old but fair upland in this neighborhood.—If all our farmers would take the same interest in agricultural improvements that is manifested by Mr. Whitfield, our section of the country would reap a great benefit and would soon be materially advanced in the quality of farm product.

DO AS I DID.—The other morning a celebrated fast man from the West end, entered a refreshment saloon, where some fifteen or twenty of his friends are in the habit of congregating, about eleven o'clock. He, with his usual heartiness and generosity, "asked the crowd to smile": they, nothing lot" stepped up. "You must all do as I do,' said the liberal friend. "Oh, certainly, certainly," was the universal respones, "what is your's going to be?" "I shall take brandy and water for mine." "Very well, we'll all take brandy and water,' they cried. The party drink, and the waggish inviter laid down his fip upon the counter, and immediately retired, whispering in his softest tones, "Do as I do, gentlemen." The party looked at each other a moment, with a most comic expression of face, when one who felt the full force of the idea creeping powerfully through his hair, exclaimed "*Sold!*" "Here," he added turning to the bar-keeper, "take my pocket book, and treat freely for the next twenty minutes.

The Selma Sentinel, of the 6th inst., says:

The *Alabama* river is remarkably low for this season of the year, and it is with difficulty the smallest class boats can navigate the river. There are several, however, of the [illegible]allest class which ply [illegible] Mobile & Mont- [illegible] the rates of freight [illegible] cotton $3 and $4

How the Devil Lost.

The following story, from the Mineral Point Democrat, should be a warning to "delinquent subscribers." We have a good many friends who, we hope will read it with tears in their eyes:

"A young man who ardently desired wealth, was visited by his Satanic Majesty, who tempted him to promise his soul for eternity, if he could be supplied on this earth with all the money he could use. The bargain was concluded—the Devil was to supply the money, and was at last to have the soul, unless the young man could spend more money than the Devil could furnish. Years passed away, the young man married, was extravagant in his living, built palaces, speculated widely, lost and gave away fortunes, and yet his coffers were always full. He turned politician, and bribed his way to power and fame without reducing his pile of gold. He became a filibuster, and fitted out ships & armies, but his banker honored all his drafts. He went to St. Paul to live, paid unusual rates of interest for all the money he could borrow, but though the Devil made a wry face when he went to pay the bills, yet they were all paid.—One expedient after another failed—the devil counted the time—only two years—that he must wait for the soul, and mocked the efforts of the despairing man. The poor fellow, driven to desperation, finally *started a newspaper.*—The Devil growled at the bills at the end of the first quarter—was savage in six months—melancholy in nine, and 'broke' 'dead broke' at the end of the year. So the newspaper went down, but the soul was saved."

A CASE OF PROBABLE SUSPENDED ANIMATION.—On the 2d of October we published the death of a married lady of this city, which occurred suddenly on Tuesday, the 1st inst.

The friends of the family assembled on Saturday, the 3d, to attend the funeral, but it having been discovered early on that day that the body still preserved its natural appearance, it was decided to perform the services in the house, deferring the burial for the present. The body was accordingly removed from the coffin to the bed, and now continues in a state of perfect preservation and natural condition, *on this the seventh day since its supposed decease.*

The utmost solicitude exists, of course, in the family, and every effort is being made to assist nature in the restoration of her functions, although as yet no symptoms of active life have appeared. It would seem to be a case for the most extreme measures to be adopted, lest the prolonged suspension of life may of itself prove fatal; and yet instances of a pause of weeks in the natural powers are said to have been recorded in Europe.

New York Evening Post.

Worthy of all Praise.

We learn that the Hon. Howell Cobb, the able Secretary of the Treasury, has struck a blow at an enormous abuse, which has so long been tolerated in the various Departments of the Government at Washington. We allude to the fact of whole families being quartered upon the public treasury—fathers, brothers, uncles, and even aunts, feeding upon Government pap, until the evil has become past bearing any longer. We thank Gov. Cobb with the whole heart, for his noble determination to abate this insufferable nuisance, and we earnestly hope his excellent example will be universally followed. We should have no exclusive family pensioners and privileges where all are equal in the eye of the law.

[N. Y. Weekly News.

NATIVE COTTON.—The following is an extract from a letter published in the Tallahassee *Floridian and Journal*, and dated the 14th of Sept., at Fort Myers, Fla.

"While on a scout near this place on the Colloosahatchee River a few days since, I found a large quantity of wild cotton. This cotton is growing in a low marshy hammock near the river; when first discovered I could hardly believe the fact, but upon examination I found it to be cotton in its crude and uncultivated state. This cotton has the appearance of Nankeen cotton, but I think this is caused by the red bug, which seems to have the same effect on the bolls as rust on the stem. The leaf of this cotton is very much like the Sea Island in shape, but from the feeling of the leaf and shape of the bolls one would suppose it to be upland.—This cotton grows very high and seems to be mostly barren, but this I think, is owing to the thickness of the growth. This cotton is so well adapted to the climate and soil that it grows all winter; it may seem unreasonable to you, sir, but I am confident that I saw some stalks that are at least four or five years old, It is found mostly in the vicinity of the river. I went with Colonel Rogers and others, who will acquainted with the cotton plant, to look at this cotton, and they all pronounced it cotton growing naturally in an uncultivated soil."

A SURE REMEDY FOR A FELON.—It is said by somebody, who pretends to know all about it, that the following is a sure remedy for a felon: "Take a pint of common soft soap, and stir it in air slacked lime till it is of the consistency of glazier's putty. Make a leather thimble, fill it with this composition, and insert the finger therein, and change this composition once in twenty minutes, and a cure is certain." We happen to know that the above is a certain remedy, and recommend it to any who may be troubled with this disagreeable ailment.—*Buffalo Adv.*

BALTIMORE ELECTION AND RIOTS.—The Baltimore charter election was held on the 14th inst. Affrays occured in several of the wards, and it is rumored that several have been killed and [illegible]

MOFFAT'S LIFE PILLS AND PHOENIX BITTERS. These remedies have stood the test of twenty years' experience, and during that period have benefited three millions of individuals. By their use the blood is purified without reducing the system. Sold by W. B. MOFFAT, M. D. 335 Broadway, New York, and his agents.

Sometime in December last, my children were taken down with scarlet fever or canker rash, my only medicine was Davis' Pain Killer and Castor Oil—the Pain Killer operated to a charm in cutting the canker, and throwing out the rash, so that in about five weeks my family were entirely recovered.

CORNELIOUS G. VANDEENBURG,
Saratoga Springs.

☞Every person should read the advertisements of GRINDLE'S CELEBRATED MAGIC COMPOUND, and ANCIENT JAPANESE LIFE PILLS, which appear alternately in another column. *Try them and be cured.*

NOTICE.

THE undersigned gives notice, that he has disposed of his interest in the firm of J. Kahn & Bro., to Julius Kahn.

JOSEPH KAHN.

New York, Oct. 5, 1857.—3t.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned having purchased the interest of Joseph Kahn, in the firm of J. Kahn & Bro. gives notice, that all accounts and notes of the late firm can only be settled with him, and respectfully announces to his old friends, that the business hereafter will be conducted by him as sole proprieter.

JULIUS KAHN.

Jacksonville, Oct. 5, 1857.—3t.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

LETTERS Testamentary upon the Estate of Harshal Bryant, late of St. Clair county, Ala. Dec'd. having been granted to the undersigned, on the 12th day of October A. D. 1857, by the Judge of Probate for said County: notice is hereby given to all persons having claimes against said Estate, to present them, legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred.

SOLOMAN KILGROE, *Executor.*
Oct. 21, 1857.—6t.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

LETTERS of Administration on the Estate of Mary Easly decd. having been granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of Benton County, Ala, on the 5th day of October, 1857: notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them, legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law or they will be barred: and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

BENJ. EASLEY, } Adms.
J. B. EASLEY, }
Oct. 21st, 1857.—6t.

NOTICE.

ALL persons are forewarned from trading for a certain promissary note, given by the undersigned to J. W. Bagley, for the sum of five Hundred Dollars, dated the 7th day of October, 1857, and due we think the 25th day of December, 1858. As the consideration for which said note was given has entirely failed, we are determined not to pay the same, unless compelled by Law,

G. H. GASAWAY.
W. H. GASAWAY.

Oct. 21st 1857.

ABNER WILLIAMS,
(*Late of Talladega,*)
COMMISSION MERCHANT,
Selma Ala.,

WILL give *personal attention* to the *sale* of *Cotton*, Flour, &c., and will fill orders with fidelity and dispatch, when accompanied with *Cash or Cotton.*

Bagging and Rope advanced on favorable terms to those consigning him Cotton for sale. A liberal patronage is respectfully solicited.

Office—Water st.—west of Central Depot. Selma, Oct. 21, 1857.—1y.

Land For Sale.

I will offer for sale to the highest bidder, on Monday the 16th day of November, 1857, a valuable Tract of Land, lying on Cove Creek, one mile west of Hoke's Bluff—one payment to be made on 25th December next, and the balance in one and two years.

There is on the place a fine Flouring and Corn Mill—some 50 acres of cleared Land in a high state of cultivation—some fine fruit trees—several springs and a never failing well of good water—a good dwelling house and out houses.

N. COPELAN.

Oct. 21, 1857.—4t.

STATE OF ALABAMA, }
BENTON COUNTY. }

Court of Probate for Benton county, Alabama, Special Term, Oct. 19th, A. D. 1857.

THIS day came William Henry, Adm'r of the estate of C. C. Henry, dec'd, and filed his account and vouchers for a final settlement of said estate.

It is ordered by the court, that Saturday the 21st day of November next be set for examining, stating, and reporting said account, allowing said vouchers and making said settlement, and that notice thereof be given by publication in the Jacksonville Republican a weekly newspaper published in the Town of Jacksonville, in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day, as a notice to all persons concerned, to be and appear at a special term of said court, to be holden at the court house of said county, on said Saturday the 21st day of November next, and contest said settlement if they think proper.

Witness, A. Woods, Judge of said court at office this 19th day of Oct. A. D. 1857.

A. WOODS, Judge of
Oct. 21, 1857. Probate.

STATE OF ALABAMA, }
BENTON COUNTY. }

Court of Probate for Benton County, Ala., Special term, Oct. 19th, A. D. 1857.

THIS day came Nancy E. Hollingsworth, administratrix of the estate of Jacob J. Hollingsworth, dec'd, and filed her account and vouchers for a final settlement of said estate.

It is ordered by the court, that Saturday the 21st day of November next, be set for examining, stating and reporting said account, allowing said vouchers and making said settlement; and that notice thereof be given by publication in the Jacksonville Republican, a weekly newspaper printed and published in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day, as a notice to all persans concerned, to be and appear at a special term of said court, to be holden at the court house of said county, on said Saturday the 21st day of November next, and contest said settlement, if they think proper.

Witness, A. Woods, Judge of said court, at office this 19th day of October, 1857.

[illegible] WOODS, *Judge of*
Probate.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, }
ST. CLAIR COUNTY. }

Registers office for the 38th Chancery District, Northern Division of said State, on the 12th day of October, A. D., 1857.

THIS day came John Watkins and filed in this Court his petition in writing, alledging that he the said John Watkins, Philip Watkins, Evan Watkins jr., Bennett Watkins, & G. B. Watkins, held as joint owners or tenants in common, W ½ of the N E ¼ of Section 20, the N E ¼ of section 19, T 13 R 5 East, in the Huntsville land district, Ala., said petition alledges that said lands cannot be Equiably partitioned or divided without a sale thereof, and that two of said Joint owners are dead, to wit: Bennett Watkins and Philip Watkins; notice is hereby given to the Children and heirs of said Bennett Watkins, dec'd, whose ages and names are unknown, but who resides somewhere in the State of Arkansas, and to the heirs of said Philip Watkins, dec'd, as follows: William R. Brown, James D. Brown, and Amanda Caroline Carnette wife of A. B. Carnette, who are of full age, Rufus J. Brown, Amzi Brown, Andrew J. Brown, infants over fourteen years of age, Margaret Brown, R. B. Brown, John C. Brown, Reuben J. Brown, and Jefferson D. Brown, infants under fourteen years of age, and children of Delinda and Miller Brown, the said Delinda is dead, and said children reside with their Father, the said Miller Brown, in Pontotoc county, in the State of Mississippi: and Sallie Nebraska Cox, infant child of Sarah E. and John H. J. Cox, who reside in Pontotoc county, State of Mississippi, with her said father, John H. J. Cox: Abner Wesson, Caroline Carroll, wife of ——— Carroll, of full age, and resides somewhere in the State of Tennessee: Mary Griffin, wife of Logan Griffin, and John P. Wesson, who are of full age, and reside in Union county, State of Arkansa: Delinda Lee, wife of Carroll Lee, both of full age, and residents of some part of the State of Mississippi: Rebecca Wesson, wife of John Wesson, of full age, and resides in parts unknown: Sylvester Umphries and Bennet Umphries, of full age, and reside in some part of the State of Tennessee: Mary Morgan, wife of Thomas Morgan, and Martha Umphries, all of full age, and reside in some part of the State of Mississippi; but all of whom are heirs at law of the said Philip Watkins, dec'd. Said petition has been filed for an order of court to sell the lands above described, for distribution among said joint owners or tenants in common, and that the 4th Monday in November next, is set by the Register of this court for the hearing of said application, that said non resident parties in interest, or either of them, may then appear at the court house of said county, in Ashville, Ala., and contest said application if they think proper—this 12th day of October A. D. 1857

Witness; THOMAS HAYDEN,
Oct. 21, 1857.—3t. Register, &c

STATE OF ALABAMA, }
BENTON COUNTY. }

Court of Probate for Benton county, Alabama, Special term, Oct. 20, 1857.

THIS day came J. C. McAuley, Executor of the estate of James Hampton, deceased, and filed his written petition, praying an order of court, authorising him to sell all the Personal Property belonging to said Estate, consisting of eight Negroes, one Mare, Mules, Cattle and Hogs, Farming Tools, the present year's Crop, and various other articles, too tedious to mention.

It is ordered by the court, that Monday the 16th day of November next be set for the hearing of said petition & that notice thereof be given by publication for three successive weeks, prior to said day, in the Jacksonville Republican, a weekly newspaper printed and published in the town of Jacksonville, in said county, as a notice to all persons concerned, to be and appear at a special term of said court to be holden at the court house of said county, on said Monday the 16th day of November next, and defend against said petition if they think proper.

Witness: A. Woods, Judge of said court at office this 20th day of October, A. D. 1857.

A. WOODS, *Judge*
Oct. 21, 1857. of Probate.

STATE OF ALABAMA, }
BENTON COUNTY }

Court of Probate for Benton County, Alabama, Special Term Oct. 26th A. D. 1857.

THIS day came H. L. and P. J. Pettit, Administrators of the estate of John P. Pettit dec'd, and filed their writen petition, praying an order of said court, authorizing them to sell for division five Slaves, Horses, Mules, Cattle, Hogs and various other articles, too tedious to mention,

It is ordered, that Monday the 16th day of November next, be set for the hearing of said petition, and that notice thereof be given by publication in the "Jacksonville Republican," a newspaper printed in said county, for three successive weeks, prior to said day, as a notice to all persons concerned, to be and appear at a special term of said court, to be holden at the Court House of said county on said Monday the 16th day of November, 1857, and defend against said petition if they think proper.

Witness A. Woods, Judge of said court, at office on this 20th day of Oct, A. D. 1857. A. WOODS.

Oct. 21 '57-3t, Judge of Probate.

Negro Man for Sale.

Will be sold on Wednesday 28th day of October 1857, between the hours of 12 o'clock M. & 3 o'clock P. M. at public outcry, to the highest bidder for one half cash, & the other half on credit until 1st March 1858, a valuable Negro Man—about 35 to 40 years old—of good quality, understands most of farming business,—of industrious habits, and needs no watch to keep him at work.

Also a genteel two horse BAROUCH, and harness:

Title good—cause of sale, need of money. COME & SEE.

Oct. 14, 1857.—tds.

Executor's Notice.

LETTERS Testamentary on the estate of James Hampton, dec'd, having been granted to the undersigned, by the Probate Court of Benton county, Ala. on the 7th day of October, 1857: notice is hereby given to all persons having claims said estate, to present them, legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

JOSEPH C. McAULEY, E[illegible]
Oct. 14, 1857.—6t.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

LETTERS of Administration upon the estate of Thomas Henderson, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, by the Probate court of Benton county, Ala. on the 28th day of September, 1857; notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them, legally authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred: and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

M. P. HENDERSON, Adm.

Oct. 7, 1857.—6t.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of administration, with the will annexed, were on the 22nd day of September, 1857, granted to the undersigned, upon the estate of Elisha Dulaney, late of the county of Benton, Ala., by the Probate Court of said county of Benton; all persons having claims against said estate are notified to present the same properly authenticated, within the time prescribed law, or they will be barred—and those indebted to said estate, are required to make immediate payment.

M. J. TURNLEY,

General Administrator of Benton co. Ala.

Oct. 7, 1857.—6t.

MORE CLOTHING!
A. R. SMITH

HAS just received a large, fashionable and well selected stock of

FALL & WINTER

GOODS.

Including every variety usually called for in this market. His stock of

Ready Made Clothing

Will be found unusually large, of good material, durably made, and of the latest styles and fashions. Also, **LADIES' DRESS GOODS,**

In great variety and of superior quality.

For MEN'S WEAR, Cloths, Cassimers, Satinets, and many other descriptions of Goods suitable for the Fall and Winter seasons.

Hardware and Cutlery, Nails, Guns, Spades and Shovels,

COLLINS AXES, a superior article.

Hats and Caps, Boots, Shoes and Brogans.

Saddles, Bridles, *MARTINGALES, &c.*

China, Glass and Queensware.

Paints, Oils, Dyestuffs, &c. with many other articles too tedious to mention.

He earnestly solicits a call from his old friends and patrons, confident that he will offer such goods and such terms as will secure a continuation of their trading and also desires, by offering every reasonable inducement to secure as many new customers as possible. Dont pass by without examining for yourselves.

Sept. 30, 1857.

CALL
AND
BE SUITED.

THE undersigned is now receiving his

Fall and Winter

GOODS,

TO which he respectfully invites public attention. His STOCK, when fully received, will be *unusually* large, *fine* and *attractive*.

In Ladies **DRESS GOODS**, the undersigned thinks no house in this country, will offer superior inducements. And none perhaps, has ever equalled his charming stock of

CLOAKS AND **MANTILLAS. BONNETS**

Trimed and otherwise, in considerable variety, and of the most approved styles

Gentlemen also, can be well suited, as the assortment in this line is full, and presents great variety. Some superior

Cloths, Overcoatings and Cassimeres.

Also a large and well assorted supply of **READY MADE CLOTHING.**

The undersigned has *never* offered as large a Stock of Goods as the one now under consideration. Prices too, are moderate, considering the value of cotton. Cash customers shall have the value of their money.

All are invited to "call and be suited."

E. L. WOODWARD.

Sept. 30 1857.—6t

RYAN, TATE & ROWLAND,
ARE NOW RECEIVING THEIR
Fall & Winter Stock of
DRY GOODS,

CONSISTING of every article usually kept in this market, and many **NEW STYLES OF GOODS** that have not been brought to this place heretofore.

THEIR STOCK OF

LADIES DRESS GOODS

Bonnets and Mantillas

Will be hard to compete with in way of variety, style, and last but not least, *prices*.

They beg leave to call the attention of their friends, and transient customers to their unprecedently large Stock of

WINTER CLOTHING,

Comprising every new style, up to the time of their purchases, which was made in the early part of this month. Pants and Vests ranging at prices from $1,50 to 16.00—Woolen Coats ranging at all prices from $2.25 to $20.00.

Thankful for past favors, they will hold themselevs in readiness at all times, to serve their friends to their perfect satisfaction.

Sept. 30—8t.

ON TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22,

WE PROPOSE TO PUBLISH

The Great Book of the Year!

The New Tale, by the Authoress of

THE LAMPLIGHTER!

MISS CUMMINS has chosen for the title of her new book the name of the principal heroine, the beautiful and accomplished.

MABLE VAUGHAN,

And has written a story which, for elegance of diction and thrilling interest, has rarely been equalled by any American lady. The question has been repeatedly asked—Can Miss Cummins write another book equal to "THE LAMPLIGHTER?" We can answer this question now, with perfect assurance, not only from our own personal knowledge, but from the unqualified testimony of literary gentlemen of Boston, who have read the work with great care, and with absorbing interest, both of whom pronounce it a superior book to her first, and assure us that the authoress of 'The Lamplighter,' instead of losing position, will add immensely to her previously well-earned and world-wide reputation.

JOHN P. JEWETT & Co., *Publishers*,
239 Washington St., Boston.

IMPORTANT TO EVERYBODY.

For the last three years, I have been engaged in a business known only to myself, & comparitively, few others, whom I have instructed for the sum of $200 each, which has averaged me at the rate of $2,000 to $3,000 per annum; and having made arrangements to go to Europe in the Spring, of '58 to engage in the same business, I am willing to give full instructions in the art to any person in the United States or Canadas, who will remit me the sum of $1.—I am induced, from the success I have been favored with, and the many thankful acknowledgments I have recieved from those whom I have instructed, and who are making from $5 to $15 per day at it, to give every person an opportunity to engage in this business, which is easy, pleasant, and very profitable, at a small cost. There is positively no HUMBUG in the matter.—References of the best class can be given as regards its character, and I can also refer to persons whom I have instructed, who will testify that they are making from $5 to $15 per day at the same. It is a business in which either ladies or Gentlemen can engage, and with perfect ease make a very handsome income. Several Ladies in various parts of New Y. State, Pa., and Maryland, whom I have instructed are now making from $3 to $6 per day at it. It is a genteel business and requires but a few shillings to commence it. Upon receipt of $1 I will immediately send to the applicant circulars containing full instructions in the art, which can be perfectly understood at once.

All letters must be addressed (post-paid) to ALLEN T. PARSONS, 335 Broadway, New York. sept. 16 '57.—3m.

RAIL-ROAD WARE-HOUSE.

THE Subscriber having leased from the Ala. & Tenn. R. R. R. Co., their Ware-Houses, for three years, from the 1st of September next, propose doing a general Storage and Commission Business, at the following rates:

RATES OF STORAGE.

Storage on Cotton for the season, 25c. pr bale.
Receiving and forwarding Goods, 20c. per bbl
If stored over one month, 10c additional

RATES OF COMMISSIONS.

For selling Cotton per pale,	50c.
Other Produce,	5 per ct.
For purchasing Goods,	2½ " "
Advancing Freights on Goods,	5 " "

Draying Cotton and Goods, no charge.

Persons depositing money, for the purpose of paying freight, will be allowed 8 per cent.

Accounts for freight and storage, due when goods forwarded.

W. Y. LUNDIE & CO.

Selma, August 19th 1857.

BENTON STEAM MILLS.
J. J. RAILTON & Co.

HAVE now on hand at their Steam Saw Mills 10 miles south of Jacksonville,

50,000 Feet of Lumber,

Well assorted and embracing every variety, for building, fencing and other purposes.

They will not only keep constantly on hand a large stock of lumber of the best quality, ready dried when wanted, but fill orders promptly.

They will also in a short time have in operation their

PLAINING MACHINE,

And will plain and tongue and grove lumber, upon the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

Send in your orders without fear of disappointment. aug. 26, 1857.—tf.

H. D. McADAMS, J. D. ARNOLD.

McADAMS & ARNOLD,
SURGEON DENTISTS,
Jacksonville Alabama.

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ARE devoting their attention to their profession. All operations on the TEETH performed in the neatest and most durable manner.

BANKING & EXCHANGE BUSINESS.
CAPITAL $75,000.

THE *TALLADEGA INSURANCE COMPANY*, organized under an act of the Legislature, is now prepared for business in the Banking line generally.

Sight and **Time Drafts** purchased, and Bills of Exchange discounted, either on New York, Charleston Mobile or New Orleans.

Checks at the lowest rates, sold on all the commercial points.

Notes, Drafts and **Bills** collected at the usual rates and prompt remittances made.

Money received on deposite, and certificates given. CASH remitted to the Secretary for checks or other purposes carefully acknowledged.

For the present their office will be kept in the counting room of Maj. J. J. B. Huey.

JAMES G. L. HUEY, *Secretary.*

MATTHEW TURNER, JAS. A. CURRY,
ALEX'R BOWIE, WM. L. ELSTON,
THOS. L. BEST, LEVI W. LAWLER,
J. C. KNOX, *Directors.*

Sept. 2, 1856.—1y.

JOHN K. GOODWIN,
DEALER IN
English German & American,
HARDWARE.
SELMA, ALA.

Constantly on hand a full supply of Hardware, Iron, Steele, Axes, Hoes, Locks, Hinges, Butts, Nails, Paints and Oil and Glass, Scales, Bolting Cloths, Cutting, Carpenters Tools, Circular Saws Mill & Cross-cut Saws, Wood and Willow ware, Cotton and Manilla Rops, Gunbetting and Packags, Grates, Cooking Parlow and Office Stoves, and many others not mention in the above list. Soliciting a call from all visiting our city with the view to make Purchers in this line.

June 3 1857.—1y.

TIN SHOP.
FARMER & NESBIT.

ARE prepared to do all sorts of Tin and Sheet Iron work, at the old stand of S. P. Hudson.

They will also keep COOKING STOVES to sell low for the *CASH*.

Still take old pewter and Beaswas in exchange for Tin ware.

FARMER & NESBIT.

sept. 30 1857.—tf.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of Administration on the Estate of Jesse M. Tatumn, dec'd having been granted to the undersigned, by the Probate Court of Benton County, Ala, on the 25th day of September, 1857; all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them legally authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and all persons indebted to said estate, are requested to make immediate payment.

Wm. W. LITTLE. *Adm.*

Sept. 30 1857.—6t.

BLANKS
For Sale at this Office.

C. C. PORTER

Surgeon Dentist;

B. T. POPE
Attorney at Law,
ASHVILLE, ALA

J. B. & G. H. FORNEY,

HAVE the pleasure of announcing to their customers and the public generally, that they are now prepared to exhibit an unusually large stock of

MERCHANDIZE,

Suitable for the approaching season.

Purchasers are respectfully invited to examine our stock, which will be found unequaled in beauty, variety and extent, and at the very lowest market prices.

They return their heartfelt thanks for the large increase of business of late, and promise to use their best efforts to merit a continuance.

W. W. DRAPER and A. T. MARTIN are with us, and will be pleased to serve their friends.

Jacksonville, Oct. 7, 1857.—tf.

J. KAHN.
Dry Goods Emporium,
AND EMPIRE
Clothing Warehouse.

THE undersigned beg his friends and customers to accept his sincere thanks for the liberal patronage bestowed on his house, and respectfully solicit a call of the same, and the public in general to examine his new Fall and Winter Stock, which is uncommonly large in quantity and unsurpassed in quality. It is our intention to establish a permanent business in this vicinity, and this circumstance, combined with the fact, that our facilities for purchasing are very superior, will enable us to sell at the most reasonable and lowest terms.

To the Ladies we offer a beautiful and large variety of

China, Bayadere, Moire Antique, French Silks, Poplins; Delaine cachemeres, plain and figured Merinos, Robes etc:

A choice lot of CLOAKS, from the Merino duster up to the fine Velvet and rich Moiere Antique Cloaks.

An unusual choice of Embroideries, Hosiery, etc. etc.

Parisienne **BONNETS** of the latest style.

To Gentlemen we offer a stock of

READY MADE

CLOTHING,

Which will not be equalled in variety and price in this section: from the heavy blanket and Satinett coat up to the fine broad cloth coat and Raglan, a choice of 500 coats and an equal lot of pants and vests. Particular attention is solicited to the superior make and finish of our clothing.

Shoes, Boots, Russets and plantation Goods of excellent quality at the lowest prices. JEWELRY and WATCHES of the best make.

In conclusion, we repeat again, to all who may favor us with a call, that our inducements will be superior. Come and see before purchasing elsewhere—we take pleasure in showing and pricing our Goods.

J. KAHN.

Sep. 9, 1857.

STATE OF ALABAMA, }
BENTON COUNTY. }

Court of Probate for Benton county, Ala. Special Term, Sept. 29th A. D. 1857.

This day came W. Y. Hendrick, Administrator of the Estate of N. Allen, deceased, and filed his account & vouchers for a final settlement of said estate. It is ordered by the court that Friday the 6th day of November next be set for examining, stating and reporting said account allowing said vouchers & making said settlement, and that notice thereof be given by publication in the Jacksonville Republican, a weekly newspaper printed and published in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day, as a notice to all persons concerned, to be and appear as a Special Term of Said Court, on Said Friday the 6th day of November next, and contest the making of Said Settlement if they think proper.

Witness: A. Woods, Judge of Said Court, at office this 29th day of Sept. A. D. 1857.

A. Woods, Judge of Probate.

Oct. 7 1857.—3t

STATE OF ALABAMA, }
BENTON COUNTY. }

Court of Probate for Benton County, Ala, Special Term, Sept. 19th, A. D. 1857

THIS day came A. J. and James Prater, Executors of the Estate of John Prater, deceased, and filed their account & vouches for a final Settlement of said Estate.

It is ordered by the court that Saturday the 24th day of October next be set for examining, stating and reporting said account, allowing said vouches, and making said settlement, and that notice thereof be given by publication in the "Jacksonville Republican," a weekly Newspaper printed and published in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day, as a notice to all persons concerned to be and appear at a Special Term of said court to be holden at the Court House of said county, 24th day of October next, and contest the making of said Settlement, if they think proper.

Witness; A. Woods, Judge of said court at office this 19th day of Sept A. D. '57.

A. WOODS, Judge of Probate.

Sept. 23, '57.—3t.

N O T I C E.

I expect to commence **CARDING** by the fifteenth of August, & continue three months. All who desire to have their Wool carded at this house, can do so by having their wool thoroughly cleansed.

Aug. 5, '57—8t. J. G. NISBET.

MEDICAL NOTICE.

DR. W. W. DICKIE, having permanently located at Alexandria, Benton county, Ala. offers his professional services to the citizens of the village and surrounding country, in the practice of Medicine and Surgery. He hopes by prompt attention to his business to merit a share of public patronage.

He can be found at Esq. A. P. Wade's, or his office, unless professionally engaged.

Alexandria Aug. 5, 1857.—6m.

EXCHANGE.
SIGHT CHECKS AT ¼ PREMIUM, ON
NEW YORK,

For sale in sums to suit purchasers by

James Isbell, TALLADEGA, ALA.

He also keeps **Money** for discounting or loaning on sixty day Bills, payable in Mobile or New Orleans, and pays ***Cash*** for sight checks on all the Southern and Eastern Cities.

☞In his absence Mr. R. A. McCain acts as his agent.

☞Liberal prices in CASH paid for LAND WARRANTS, &c.

EXECUTOR'S

Sale of Land.

UNDER and by virtue of an order & decree of the Probate Court of Benton County, Alabama, made on the 7th day of September, 1857; I will proceed to sell, upon the premises, to the highest bidder, within the usual hours of Sheriff sales, on Saturday the 17th day of October, 1857, the following described tract of Land belonging to the estate of Allen Chandler, deceased, to-wit: Lot No. 1, and the south east fourth of north east fourth of section 16, township 15 of range 11 east in the Coosa Land District, sold for division: said tract contains about 80 acres, and is situated on eastern Cane Creek in said county of Benton, and is pretty well improved, good water, and some fine bottom land. Sold on a credit of 12 months with interest from date, and notes with two approved personal securities will be required, to secure the purchase money.

IRVIN OWEN, Executor of the estate of Allen Chandler, deceased. Sep. 9, 1857.—td.

LAND FOR SALE.

THE undersigned will offer for sale to the highest bidder, on Wednesday the 30th day of September, 1857, the tract of Land whereon he now resides, known as the Bush place, 6 miles north of Jacksonville, containin 160 acres: about 40 acres in cultivation, a good, select orchard, well watered, and under excellent fence: also, the crop of corn, oats, wheat, cotton, &c. on hand, household and kitchen furniture, Blacksmith tools, one Buggy, one mare and two colts, Cattle, Hogs and Sheep. Sold on a credit of 12 months, with interest from date, for all sums over $20, under that amount, cash. Note and approved security will be required of purchasers.

SOLOMON LEE.

Sep. 9, 1857.—3t.

EDUCATIONAL.

THE School of A. N. Bernard will commence on Monday, September 14th. Location and Rates of Tuition the same as heretofore.

For particular information, please address Principal and sole Proprietor. A. N. BERNARD.

Sept. 9 1857.—tf.

ADMINISTRATORS SALE OF

Personal Property.

Under and by virtue of an order of the probate Court of Benton County, Alabama, made on the 6th day of Oct. 1857. I will as the administrator of the estate of Reuben Burch, deceased, proceed to sell upon the premises, on Saturday the 7th day of November next, at public auction, to the highest bidder, all the personal property belonging to said estate consisting of one Horse, three milch Cows, pork Hogs, and flock of Sheep, Farming tools, Household and Kitchen furniture, and many other articles too tedious to mention. The sale will be on a credit of twelve months, with interest from date, and note and approved security.

JOHN M. TEAGUE.

Administrator of estate of Reuben Burch decd.

Oct. 7th, 1857.—tds.

New Brick Ware-house,
SELMA, ALABAMA.

THE Subscribers, (successors to Keith & Spencer) will commence on the 1st of September, 1857, doing a general

Warehouse & Commission Business,

In their NEW BRICK WAREHOUSE, situated at the foot of Water street, at the following rates:

RATES OF STORAGE.

Storage on Cotton one month	25c.
" " " over one month, or the season	37½c.

RATES OF COMMISSIONS.

For selling Cotton ₱ bale	50c.
Other Produce	5 ₱ ct.
For Purchasing Goods	2½ ₱ ct.
Advancing Freights on Goods	5 ₱ ct.

Drayage Cotton and Goods, no charge.

☞Persons depositing money for the purpose of paying freights will be allowed 8 ₱ ct.

☞Accounts for freight and storage due when Goods forwarded.

M. J. A. KEITH & CO.

Oct. 7, 1857.—1y.

F. M. THOMASON, D. H. REMSON, J. T. BRADFORD

THOMASON, REMSON & CO
BANKING & EXCHANGE OFFICE,
TALLADEGA, ALA.

☞They will act as agents in any business, if desired.

REFER TO

Hon. S. F. Rice, Montgomery, Ala.
" A. J. Walker, Talladega, "
" W. P. Chilton, Tuskegee, "
John T. Morgan, Esq., Selma, "
Wm. P. Davis, Esq. Jacksonville, Al.

☞Deposits received and Notes collected. August 26, 1856.

RECEIVING & FORWARDING.
HOUSE.

The Central Ware-House Company at SELMA ALA.

ARE prepared to receive and forward with dispatch all Goods and Produce consigned to them for Shipment, by Railroad or by the River.

They have a large and commodious Brick Ware House on the banks of the river and will furnish all needful accomodations and receive and forward Goods &c., at as low rates as can be done through any other channel.

They attend specially to the settlement of Freights and measurement of Goods and examination of Bills to see that they are correct before settlement, and take receipts and Bills of Lading for Goods and Produce, and forward them promptly to the proper parties.

They also receive Produce on consignment for sale, and do a

GENERAL COMMISSION BUSINESS,

GOODS & PRODUCE intended for this House, should be consigned specially to

The Central Ware-House Company.

SELMA, ALA.

OTHERWISE THEY ARE LIABLE TO MIS-CARRY, take a different direction.

J. W. LAPSLEY, }
E. F. WATTS, } Proprietors.
C. B. WHITE. }
ROBT. HAGOOD, }

C. B. WHITE.
ROBT HAGOOD.

Managers,

Selma, Ala., April 15, 1857.

P. S. No Extra Charge for Drayage to or from Railroad Depot.

A. BROOKS,

AT LAW,

GROCERY AND PROVISION STORE.

HARDIE & STEELE.
WHOLESALE GROCERS AND DEALERS IN.
FINE WINES, BRANDIES, SEGARS, TOBACCO, &c.
EAST END OF CENTRAL DEPOT BUILDINGS,
SELMA, ALA.

WE keep constantly on hand a large and complete assortment of Groceries for Family and Plantation use, consisting in part of the following articles

Provisions.

Bacon Sides,
Duffield Bagged and Plain Hams,
Pickled Pork, Dried Beef,
Beef Tongues, Lard,
Goshen Butter, in Kegs or Firkins,
Western. " "
Cheese, English Dairy and Western,
Pine Apple Cheese,
Potatoes, Peas and Onions,
Soda Buscuit, Crackers,
Huntley & Palmers' Cracknell Biscuit,
St. Louis extra & superfine Flour, lb.,
Country, " " " sacks,
Backwheat, in lb., boxes and bags,
Salt, by the sack, coarse and fine.

Sugars.

Brown and Clarified, by H'hds.,
Powdered, Crushed, Loaf,
Granulated and Coffee Sugar,
N. O. Molasses and Syrup,
Stewarts extra Syrup, lb. and 1-2 lb.

Coffee.

Rio, in bags and half bags,
Laguira, " " "
Mocha, " " "
Old Government Java (in Packets.)

Teas.

Extra Fine Hyson,
Finest young "
Oolong and other Teas,

Brandies Wines & other Liquors.

Our stock is large and consists in part of the following choice brands.

Old Otard, Godart and Heidsie,
Old Maderia, Cherry, Old Port,
Claret of Julien and other Brands,
Champaigne, Scuppernong,
Sparkling Catawba,
"Tennants and Mairs" Scotch Ale,
"Byas" London Porter,
Wolfes Scheidam Schnapps,
Dexter in lb and 1-2 lb.
Welshire, " " "
Old Monongehala,
Rye and Bourbon,
Ginger Wine, Champaigne Cider, Bitters,

Tobacco and Segars.

Regalia, Regenta,
Operas and Landires,
Chewing Tobacco—every Brand,
Spencers Calhoun Tobacco,
Smoking
Snuff—Macaboy and Scotch,

Pickles, Preserves Catsups, &c.

Pickles—every variety,
Brandy Peaches,
" Cherries,
Tomato Catsup,
Walnut "
Sauces—every kind,
Lemon Syrup,
Pine Apple "
Raspberry "

Candles, Oils and Soap.

Sperm Candles,
Adamantine and Star,
Castile Soap,
Bar and Fancy,
Linseed Oil,
Lard & Train "

White Lead and Zinc.

Fish.

Mackerel, in lb., 1-2, 1-4 and Kits,
Salmon & Shad " " "
Herring " " "
Codfish and Herring in boxes,

Sundries.

Nails, Indigo, Madder,
Copperas, Soda, Starch,
Pepper, Spices,
Assorted Candies,
Almonds, Figs, Currants,
Raisins Cranberries,
Ink, Jug Ware,
Demijohns, Empty Kegs,
Cotton and Grass Rope,
Plow Lines, Brooms,
Blacking, Matches,
Painted Buckets,
Oak & Cedar "

We particularly invite the attention of Merchants to our large and complete stock embracing nearly every article usually kept in Retail Country Stores and Groceries. Our supplies for family use are also large and of the choicest quality. We also keep on hand a large stock of

INDIA & KENTUCKY BAGGING

MACHINE & HARD SPUN ROPE to which we invite attention of Planters.—We are constantly receiving additions to our already large stock from New York, Boston and New Orleans, which we purchase for cash, & therefore will sell upon a very small advance on first cost. The very highest market prices will be paid for Cotton in cash or in exchange for the above Goods. Give us a call and we werrant to please in price and quality.

J. HARDIE.
S. P. STEELE.

☞Highest market price paid for Land Warrants, Country Produce, &c. &c.,

—IN ADDITION.—

We have just received from New Orleans and Boston,

40 000 Yards Kentucky bagging,
50.000 " India bagging,
300 Coils best handspun rope,
200 " MACHINE "

☞We will furnish Bag'g & Rope for next crop to those who will ship their Cotton to this market.

Selma, Ala. April 22, 1857. H. & S.

☞**T. W. Francis** late of Jacksonville, Ala., is in the above House and will be happy to serve his old friends, eitheir in persons or by order, who may desire to make purchases.

TALLADEGA
Marble Manufactory.

The Subscriber would beg to inform the Sitizens of Benton & Surrounding counties, that he is prepared to furnish all kinds of Monuments, Box-Tombs, Slabs, Head-stones, Table Tops, and all kinds of Building materials.

We would also say, that work got up at his establishment, will be finished in good style.

F. W. STEPHENS.

Talladega, June 10, 1857.—1y.

IRON.

The undersigned will keep constantly on hand a fine assortment of Iron for sale, of superior quality, suited for every description of work needed in this section of country.

He will also keep on hand, for Carriage Makers, a complete assortment, of BUGGY SPRINGS, AXLES, HUBS, SPOKES, FELLOES, DASHES, & &c., which will be sold on very reasonable terms, and orders from a distance promptly filled, altogether for CASH.

WM. ADAMS.

sept. 2, 1857.—tf.

Take Special Notice.

I HEREBY respectfully notify the debtors of Gen. M. P. Henderson, that he has lately disposed of his interest in the Grocery business at this place, and that the notes and accounts due him have been placed in my hands for immediate collection. His debtors can find me at my office, where I will be glad to see them and have them settle up, and save the one thing essential to the poor man—*cost.*

B. A. BROOKS.

Sept. 23, 1857.—tf.

TRY HIM.

THE undersigned offers his services to the citizens of Jacksonville and vicinity in the execution of all kinds of Carpenter's Work. He will, for cash, furnish persons that he may work for with lumber at the customary prices, for any thing in the way of building, fencing or paling. He may always be found at his shop on Main street south of the court house.

H. B. JONES.

sep. 16, 1857.

Jacksonville Female SEMINARY.

THE third session of this institution will commence on Monday the last day of August, under the charge of Misses A. H. BERNARD, Principal in the Litary Department & Miss M. E. BERNARD, principal in vocal and instrumental music.

The Misses Bernard evince rare qualities as teachers, and are surpassed by none.

It is very desirable that the friends and patrons of this institution would send in their children and wards at an early day so that they may be properly classed; this is of much importance to the pupils and teachers. Tuition as heretofore.

E. T. READ, *Sec'y.*

Aug 5, 1857.

Fall Importations,
STIFES & ROWLAND.

WE are in receipt of our large Stock of **Fall** and **Winter Trade,** to which we invite the attention of buyers before purchasing. We are preparing to show as well a selected stock and of as good quality as was ever offered in this market. Our stock will be unsurpassed in

STAPLE & FANCY

GOODS.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF

CLOTHING

Is very complete, all made in Philadelphia, of the very best material, and workmanship

We beg to call the attention of our friends and the public to our large stock which we are prepared to sell for cash, or to prompt paying customers at reduced prices.

Our usual stock of ***Groceries*** are now in store,

The CHINESE SUGAR SYRUP, made in Benton County, for sale.

October 7, 1857.—tf.

Medical College of Georgia.
AT AUGUSTA, GA.

THE Twenty-sixth Course of Lectures in this Institution will commence on MONDAY, the 2nd of November next.

Emeritus Professor of Anatomy,
G. M. NEWTON, M. D.
Anatomy, H. F. CAMPBELL, M. D.
Surgery, L. A. DUGAS, M. D.
Institutes and Practice of Medicine,
L. D. FORD, M. D.
Mateira Medica, Therapeutics and Medical Juri-prudence, I. P. GARVIN, M D.
Obstetrics and Diseases of Women and Infants, J. A. EVE, M. D.
Physiology and Pathological Anatemy,
H. V. M. MILLER, M. D.
Chemistry and Pharmacy,
ALEX. MEANS, M. D.
Demonstrator of Anatomy,
ROBT. CAMPBELL, M. D.
Assistant Demonstrator,
S. B. SIMMONS, M. D.
Adjunct to Professor of Surgery,
W. J. HOLT, M. D.

Clinical Lectures will be delivered by the Faculty in the City and Jackson street Hospitals.

Fee for the whole course, $105 00.
Matriculation Ticket, (to be taken once) $5.

For further particulars, apply to any member of the Faculty or to

Oct 14 '57 I. P. GARVIN, Dean.

JNO. C. MARRAST, *Mobile.* | R. H. LEE, *Perry County.*

Marrast & Lee,
Commission Merchants,
MOBILE.

LIBERAL Monied facilities extended to patrons. *Mobile, Ala. Oct. 14, '56*

PHILPOT & LAPSLEY,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN
GROCERIES,
AND
Western Produce;
SELMA, ALA.

Which they offer for sale at lowest prices.

Foreign & Domestic Liquors.

Otard, Dupay & Co. & Dones, Brandy
Madeira, Sherry, Champaigne and (Old London Dock) Port & Claret Wines,
Champagne Cider, Scotch Ale,
London Porter.
Jamaica and New England Rum.
Holland and American Gin.
Peach Brandy.
Monongahela, old Rye, Dexter Whiskey

Teas.

Choice Imperial, Gunpowder, Young Hyson and Black Teas.

Western Preduce, &c.

Bacon, Sides, Shoulders and Hams,
Dried and Pickled Beef.
Bbl. and Keg Lard.
Kentucky and India Bagging,
Bale Rope and Twine.
Bbl. and Sack Flour.

Sugars.

New Orleans, Brown, Clarified, Crushed, Granulated and Powdered Sugars.
New Orleans Molasses and Syrup.
Candles in 25 & 50 lb. boxes.

Coffees.

Old Government and Brown Java, Laguyra, Green and Dark Rio Coffees.

WHITE LEAD & ZINC.

Tobacco.

Fine Twist and Fancy Roll.
Pure Bright, Golden Leaf and Dark Styles Tobacco;
Lorillard's and Goodwins' Tinsfoil and Smoking Tobacco
Maccaboy and Scotch Snuff.

CANDLES AND SOAP.

New Bedford Sperm, Adamantine, Star;
No. 1 bar & fancy shaving soap.

Fruits, Pickles and Sundries.

Underwood's and other Pickles;
Catsup, Sauces and English Mustard;
West Ind. & Canton Ginger Preserves;
Yeast Powder, Soda and Saleratus,
Soda and Butter Crackers;
Sardines; Water Crackers.
White Wine and Apple Vinegar.
Pecan Nuts. 1500 Sacks Salt.
Extra Pearl and Corn Starch.

OILS.

Linseed, Lard, Olive and Train Oils.

FISH.

Mackerel, of every variety & size packages.
Cod Fish, Smoked Herring, Salmon and Sardines.

On hand at all times, a general stock of IRON AND NAILS.

D. J. KELLER will be glad to see his friends at this house. June 3, 1857

J. H. WRIGHT,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
JACKSONVILLE.
Alabama;

WILL practice in the Courts of Benton, St. Clair, DeKalb, Cherokee, Randolph & Talladega. Feb. 5, 1857.

SLOAN, SCOTT & CO.,
Rome, Georgia.

ARE at the *old stand* of Sloan, Hawkins & Co., and are receiving and offering to their friends, and customers the largest and most splendid assortment of

STAPLE AND FANCY

DRY GOODS

ever brought to this market.

Also a large Stock of

GROCERIES.

Purchasers will consult their interests by calling and examining our stock.

A. M. SLOAN.
W. SCOTT.
S. W. ALLMAN.

May, 6, 1857—1 y.

Groceries. Groceries.

NEW PROVISION AND

GROCERY STORE.

I am now receiving at my store in the CENTRAL DEPOT BUILDING, a large and well selected stock of **Provisions & Groceries,** Which I will sell at a mere commission upon New Orleans cost and charges, for cash, consisting in part of the following to-wit:

400 SACKS of SALT,
100 Bbls. Bro. & Clarified SUGAR,
10 " CRUSHED
100 " MOLASSES,
100 1-2 Bbls. "
100 SACKS COFFEE,
10 TIERCES RICE,
60 CASKS BACON,
50 Bbls. MESS PORK,
20 TIERCES HAMS,
50 KEGS LARD,
200 Bbls. FLOUR,
100 " WHISKEY,
50 BOXES CANDLES,
50 " SOAP,
20 " STARCH,
30 Bbls. CIDER VINEGAR,
200 KEGS NAILS,
100 Bales INDIA BAGGING,
150 Pieces KENTUCKY BAGGING,
500 Coils ROPE,
30 Boxes PICKLES,
10 Bbls. RYE WHISKEY.

☞ Wanted to purchase by the 15th day of June next, 950 Bales of Cotton for which I will pay a liberal price in cash, or in exchange for the above Goods.

☞Also, Wanted to purchase, ***Land Warrants*** for 10,000 Acres land, for which I will pay their value in cash.

J. F. DENNIS.

Selma, Ala. April 1, 1857—1y.

L. G. STUBDEVANT. WM. H. RAY.

STUBDEVANT & RAY,
Wholesale and Retail

GROCERS,

CORNER OF WATER AND GREEN STS.,
Near the Ala. and Tenn. R R. R. Depot,
SELMA, ALABAMA,

KEEP constantly on hand a well selected assortment of ***Groceries and Provisions,*** of all kinds. Our stock cansists in part of the following, to wit:

Salt; Coffee;
Sugar, Molasses;
Chockolate; Teas.
Rice, Bacon, Lard;
Cheese; Flour;
Buckwheat Flour;
Potatoes;
Whiskey, Rum;
Brandy—American Cognac & Peach;
Wine; Vinegar;
Sp'ts Turpentine;
Lard Oil; Candles;
Soap; Starch; Soda;
Yeast Powdears;
Mackerel; Pickels;
Tobacco; Snuff;
Powder; Shot.
Best Fall River Nails
Jug Ware; Buckets;
&c., &c., &c..

Bagging and rope.

We are determined not to be undersold by any other House for CASH.—Our motto is, *Quick Sales and Small Profits.* All Goods purchased of us, guaranteed to be as represented.

The highest market price will be paid for all kind of Country Produce, either in cash, or in exchange for Goods.

June 3, 1857 1y.

TENNESSEE EXCHANGE.

DRISKILL & NEWMAN,
(SUCCESSORS TO B. C. GEORGE)

HAVE received and are now offering to the Citizens of Jacksonville and vicinity, at the old stand of B. C. George, a splendid lot of

FAMILY GROCERIES,

Coffee,
Bro. Sugar,
Crush, "
Loaf, "
Molasses,
N O Syrup
Rice,
Pepper
Spice, "
Ginger
Soda,
Tea,
Cheese
Crackers
Oysters
Sardines
Almonds
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Raisins
Candy stick
Fancy
Mackerel
Soap
Blacking
Candles (Tallow)
" (Star)
Matches
Nails
Powder
Shot
Lead
Per. Caps
Snuff
Flasks
Jars
Bottles

ALSO—a splendid lot of choice

TOBACCO & CIGARS.

LIQUORS BY THE WHOLESALE.

Brandy, Wine, Gin and Whiskey of various brands. Intending to keep constantly on hand the above articles and offering them as we do at very short profits, we solicit and shall endeavor to be worthy of a liberal patronage.

ALSO a large lot of BACON & LARD on hand.

April 15, 1857.—tf.

KERRISON & LEIDING.
IMPORTERS OF
FANCY DRY GOODS.

Silks, Linens, Hosiery, Embroideries, &c.

No. 141, MEETING ST. opposite Hayne st.

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E. L. KERRISON, }
HERMANN LEIDING. } *Aug. 5, 1857.*—1y.

BAGGING AND ROPE.

12 000 LBS. Best Rope, every coil *warranted.*

10,000 YDS. Gunny Cloth, 2¼ lb to the yard; at prices corresponding with the lowest markets.

For sale by J. B. & G. H. FORNEY.

June 10, 1857

PIANO FORTE AGENCY
AND
MUSIC STORE.
SELMA, ALA.

HAVING obtained the agency for the following named manufacturers, viz:

Nunns & Clark,
Lighte, Newton & Bradbury,
Raven, Bacon & Co.
W. P. Emerson,
F. Gilbert, (Eolian Attach.)
Chickerings.

The subscriber will keep an assortment of their Instruments on hand, which he will sell at maker's prices, adding only the expense of transportation. Also Melodeons and Organ Harmoniums.

A LARGE STOCK OF

Sheet Music & Music Books,

Including Instruction Books for all Instruments. Also,

Violins,
Guitars,
Flutes,
Banjos,
Accordeons,
Concertinas, &c.

In short every thing in the line of Musical Merchandise may be obtained as low as in any market from

J. W. BLANDIN.

Ware Rooms, Broad street, Selma, Ala,

September 23, 1857.—5m.

JOHN D. HOKE & BRO.

At their Store in Jacksonville

ARE NOW RECEIVING THEIR

FALL & WINTER

STOCK OF

GOODS.

COMPRISING a better selection than usual, at the lowest prices for CASH, or punctual credit.

In their Stock may be found the most desirable Cloths, Cassimers, Satinets, Tweeds, Blankets—French and English Merinoes, solid colored and richly figured Cashmeres and De Lanes Mohair, Lustries and Alapacas, De Beiges, Winter Ginghams and Prints of the most beautiful designs, Opera Flannels; Moire Antique, Wartered Figured & Plain **SILKS**; Ladies **Cloaks,**

Hats and Bonnets,
Boots and Shoes;
CLOTHING;
DRY GOODS Generally;

Harkware & Cutlerly; Crockery; Drugs and Medicines; Books and Stationary; Carriage and Buggy articles, Hraness and Saddles, and nearly every articles in demand with a very superior selection of the Anchor **BOLTING CLOTHS.**

Jacksonville, October, 7, 1857.

The State of Alabama, }
BENTON COUNTY }

Court of Probate for Benton county, Alabama, Regular term, Sept. the 14th, A. D. 1857.

THIS day came Wm. W. Little and Caleb G. Morgan, Executors of the estate of Samuel Morgan, deceased, and filed their petition in writing, representing that their testator died seized and possessed of the west half of the north west fourth of section 35, township 13, range 9.—East half of north west fourth of section 35, township 13, range 9.—south west fourth of section 35, township 13, range 9; also about 60 acres off the west side of the north east fourth of section 2, township 14, range 9; also one House and Lot lying in the Town of White Plains, known as the north half of Lot No. 30, with a few additional feet off the other half; also the south east fourth of north east fourth section 34, township 13, range 9; all of said lands lying east in the Coosa Land District; and alleging that it is necessary that said lands be sold for a more equal, fair and beneficial division amongst the heirs and legatees of said estate, further alleging, that the same cannot be equally fairly and beneficially divided without a sale thereof. They further represent, that the heirs and legatees of said estate are, John Morgan, who resides in Upsher county, Texas, and is over the age of 21 years; Nancy H. Boles, Spencer H. Morgan, Caleb G. Morgan, Jeptha W. Morgan, Elizabeth Patterson and her husband James Patterson; all of whom reside in Benton county, Ala. and who are over the age of twenty-one years; also the children and heirs of Thomas C. Morgan, dec'd (viz:) Henry Morgan, Caleb Morgan, jr., Orleans Elizabeth and Frances Morgan, all of whom are under 21 years and reside in said county of Benton, with Wm. H. Sheridan. Also the children of Frances D. Williams, late Frances D. Morgan, viz: Benjamin Williams & Thomas Williams who reside in Cherokee county, Ala. and are over the age of 21 years; also samuel Williams, Mary Williams, Jackson Williams, Seaborn Williams, jr., James Williams, John Williams and an infant name not known; all of whom are under the age of 21 years and reside with their father Seaborn Williams, sr. in Cherokee co., Ala.; also Catharine Morgan, widow of said testator who is over the age of 21 years and resides in Benton county, Alabama.

It is ordered by the court, that the 26th day of October next, 1857, be set for the hearing and determining upon said petition; and that notice thereof be given by publication in the Jacksonville Republican, a weekly newspaper printed and published in said county, for forty days prior to said day as a notice to the aforesaid heirs and all other persons concerned to be and appear at a special term of said court to be holden at the court house of said county, on said 26th day of Oct. 1857, and defend against said petition if they think proper.

Witness, A. Woods, Judge of said court, at office on this the 14th day of sept'r, A. D. 1857.

A. WOODS, Judge of Probate.

sep. 16, 1857.

GROCERIES
—AT—
Wetumpka and Selma Prices.

We will keep constantly on hand, a large stock of GROCERIES, direct from New Orleans, New York and Baltimore, consisting in part of Rio & Java COFFEE, Crushed and Brown Sugars, Molasses, Salt, Western Cheese, Goshen Butter, Star Candles, Family Starch Bar & Toilet Soaps, Pepper, Spice, Ginger, Copperas, Soda, Sardines, Butter Crackers, Pickles, Tobacco, Cigars, Cotton and Manilla Rope, Nails, &c.

A large portion of the above named articles we will sell as low as they can be bought at any points in the State; & will sell any article in the Grocery line at Selma and Wetumpka prices with freight added.

We also have on hands a large stock of

DRY GOODS,

Hats, Boots & Shoes, Hardware, Crockery ware, &c.—all of which we propose exclusively for cash and are selling at small profits on the same terms.

J. H. BRADFORD & CO.

Talladega, Ala. Feb. 5, 1857.—1y.

MARTIN W. WHEEL

Attorney at Law,

AND

Solicitor in Chan

Jacksonville, Ala

WILL attend to all business to him in Benton, Chero the adjoining counties.

SWAN & CO'S. LOTTERIES

NEW AND BRILLIANT SCHEMES

CAPITAL PRIZE

$60,000

The following Scheme will be drawn by S. SWAN, & Co., Managers, of the Fort Gains Academy Lottery, in each of their Lotteries for Oct. 1857, at AUGUSTA. Georgia, to which city they have removed their Principal Office:

CLASS 56.

To be drawn in the City of Augusta Georgia, in public, on

Saturday, Oct. 3d, 1857.

Class 57,

To be drawn in the City of Augusta Georgia, in public on

Saturday, Oct. 10th, 1857.

CLASS 58

To be drawn in the City of Augusta, Ga. in public, on

Saturday, Oct. 17th, 1857,

CLASS 56.

To be drawn in the City of Augusta, Georgia, in public, on

Saturday, Oct. 24th, 1857.

Class 60,

To be drawn in the City of Augusta Georgia, in public on

Saturday, Oct. 31st, 1857.

ON THE PLAN OF

SINGLE NUMBERS!!

Five Thousand four hundred and Ninety-Five Prizes!

NEARLY ONE PRIZE TO *EVERY NINE TICKETS!!*

MAGNIFICENT SCHEME.

TO BE DRAWN

EACH SATURDAY IN OCT,

1 Prize of	$60,000	5	900
1 "	25,000	5 Prizes of	800
1 "	12,000	5 "	700
1 "	7,000	5 "	600
1 "	5,000	5 "	500
1 "	3,500	5 "	400
1 "	1,500	170 "	150
5 "	1,000	210 "	100

APPROXIMATION PRIZES.

4 pri's of	$400	apx to	$60,000	Pr is	$1,600
4 "	300	"	25,000	" "	1,200
4 "	200	"	12,500	" "	800
4 "	125	"	7,000	Pr are	500
4 "	100	"	5,000	" "	400
4 "	75	"	3,500	" "	300
4 "	50	"	1,500	" "	200
5,000 "	20	are			100,000

5,495 Prizes amounting to **$320,000**

Tickets, $10—Halves $5—Quarters $2½

PLAN OF THE LOTTERIES.

The numbers from 1 to 50,000, corresponding with those Numbers on the Tickets printed on separate slips of paper, are encircled with small tin tubes, and placed in one wheel.

The first 467 Prizes, similarly printed and encircled, are placed in another wheel.

The wheels are then revolved, and a number is drawn from the wheel of Numbers, and at the same time a Prize is drawn from the other wheel. The number and Prize drawn out are opened and exhibited to the audience, and registered by the Commissioner, the Prize being placed against the number drawn. This operation is repeated until all the Prizes are drawn out.

Approximation Prizes---The two preceding and the two succeeding Numbers to those drawing the first 7 Prize, will be entitled to the 28 Approximation Prizes. For example: if Ticket No. 11250 draws the $60,000 Prize, those Tickets numbered 11248, 11249, 11251 11252, will each be entitled to $400. If Ticket No. 550 draws the $25,000 Prize, those Tickets numbered 548, 549, 551, 552, will each be entitled to $300, & so on according to the above Scheme.

The **5,000 Prizes of $20** will be de[illegible] by the las[illegible] of the Number [illegible] draws the $60,000 Prize. For example, if the Number drawing the $60,000 Prize ends with No. 1, then all the Tickets where the number ends in 1 will be entitled to $20. If the Number ends with No. 2, then all the Tickets where the Number ends in 2 will be entitled to $20, and so on to 0.

Certificates of Packages will be sold at the following rates which is the risk:

Cer'ate of Package of		10 Whole Tickets		$80
Certificate	"	10 Half	"	40
"	"	10 Quarter	"	20
"	"	10 Eighths	"	10

In Ordering Tickets or Certificates,

Enclose the money to our address for the Tickets ordered, on receipt of which they will be forwarded by first mail.

Purchasers can have tickets ending in any figure they may designate.

The List of Drawn Numbers and Prizes will be sent to purchasers immediately after the drawing.

☞Purchasers will please write their signatures plain, and give their Post Office, County and State.

☞Remember that every Prize is drawn, and payable in full without deduction.

All Prizes of 1,000 and under, paid immediately after the drawing—other Prizes at the usual time of thirty days.

All communications strictly confidential.

Address Orders for Tickets or certificates

S. SWAN, & Co., Augusta, Ga.

Persons residing near Montgomery, Ala or Atlanto, Ga., chan have their orders filled, and save time, by addressing S. Swan & Co., at either of those cities.

☞A list of the numbers that are drawn from the wheel, with the amount of the prize that each one is entitled to, will be published after every drawing, in the following papers:—*New Orleans Delta, Mobile Register, Charleston Standard, Nashville Gazette, Atlanta Intelligencer, New York Weekly Day Book, and Savannah Morning News. Richmond Dispatch and New York Dispatch, and Paulding (Miss.) Clarion.*

JOHN I. THOMASON. THOMAS HAYDEN.

THOMASON & HAYDEN,

Attorneys at Law,

AND

Solicitors in Chancery,

ASHVILLE, ALA.

WILL pay strict attention to all business entrusted to their care in the counties of Jefferson, Blount, Shelby, Mhrshal, DeKalb, Cherokee, Benton and St. Clair, and in the Supreme Court of the state. Jan. 20, '54.

STATE OF ALABAMA, }
BENTON COUNTY. }

Court of Probate for Benton county, Alabama, Special term, Oct. 5, 1857.

THIS day came M. W. Wheeler, Adm. of the estate of F. B. Wheeler, dec'd and filed his account and vouchers for a final settlement of said estate.

[illegible] is ordered by the court, that Saturday [illegible] 7th day of November next be set [illegible]mining, stating and reporting said [illegible] allowing said vouchers and ma[illegible] settlement, & that notice thereof [illegible] by publication in the Jackson[illegible]publican, a weekly newspaper [illegible]nd published in the town of Jacksonville, in said county, for three successive weeks, prior to said day, as a notice to all persons concerned, to be and appear at a special term of said court to be holden at the court house of said county, on said [illegible] the 7th day of November next, [illegible]test the making of said settlement [illegible] think proper.

[illegible]ss: A. Woods, Judge of said court this 5th day of October, A. D. 1857.

A. WOODS, *Judge of Probate.*

JOB WORK
[illegible] EXECUTED
[illegible] OFFICE.

J. S. PORTER,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

AND

Solicitor in Chancery.

WETUMPKA ALA.

WILL practice in the Counties of Coosa, Benton, St. Clair, DeKalb and Cherokee.

HEALTH DEPENDS ON PURE BLOOD.

Brandreth's Pills Purify the Blood.

NO DISEASE CAN RESIST THEIR JUDICIOUS USE.

MILD OPERATION WITH SUCCESSFUL EFFECT ARE THE PECULIARITY OF BRANDRETH'S PILLS. Our race are subject to a redundancy of vitiated bile. at this season, and it is as dangerous as it is prevalent, but Brandreth's Pills afford an invaluable and efficient protection—By their occasional use we prevent the collection of those impurities, which, when in sufficient qualities, cause so much danger to the body's health. They soon cure liver complaint, dyspepsia, loss of appetite, pain in the head, heart burn, pain in the breast bone, sudden faintness and costiveness. In brief, Brandreth's Pills work their way to the very roots of the disease, cleansing in their passage, removing every unhealthy accumulation till the blood is purified, the whole system renovated, and the functions & duty of life become a pleasure, where before they had been sad and weary burdens. Often when nothing has relieved vomiting of the most serious character, wheather from sea-sickness or otherwise, where the retching has been appalling, a single dose of four BRANDRETH'S PILLS has at once cured and the patient has fallen into a sweet sleep. When the mind cannot collect itself; when the memory fails; when it is an effort to fix the attention; when our sleep is broken and our waking hours harassed with forebodings of evil, then Brandreth's Pills should be used. If these warnings remain unheeded, rheumatism, consumption, disease of the heart, billious affections, jaundice, dropsies, piles, appolexies and costiveness will suddenly present themselves.—These Brandreth's Pills would have prevented, but nevertheless *these* they will also cure. Use them at once; do not let prejudice prevent the use of this simple but potent remedy.

Brandreth's Theory of Disease.

Never extract blood. Blood is the life: By abstracting it in painful diseases you may occasion the patient ease, but *remember, this ease is only the reduction or lessening the power to feel.*—And by thus taking away nature's tools, you may prevent her from fully repairing the ravages of inflamation, and convert what might only have been the sickness of a few days or weeks into a chronic affection of months and years.

Brandreth's Pills accord with Nature. Nature's remedy in fact. What sudden acute or continued pain occurs from any cause, then to insure a quick return to health, you must use Brandreth's Pills, which will soon relieve every organ from undue presure, and remove those humors whose presence often occasions such terrible suffering.

Before the World 100 Years.

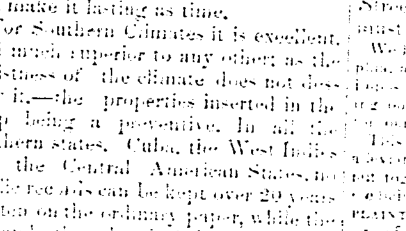
TWENTY MILLION BOXES SOLD and the sphere of their usefulness still extending. Ask for almanack and pamphlet of cures. Agents will supply gratis.

Beware—all pills with "241 Broadway" on side lable are counterfeits. Get the genuine and they will never deceive.

July 15, 1857.—3m.

A MEDICAL REVOLUTION

THE WORLD UNANIMOUS



HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT.

The Great Counter Irritant.

THE virus of disease often makes its way to the internal organs through the pores of the skin. This penetrating Ointment, melting under the hand as it is rubbed in, is absorbed through the same channels, and reaching the seat of inflammation, promptly and invariably subdues it, whether located in the kidneys, the lungs, or any other important organ. It penetrates the surface to the interior through the countless tubes that communicate with the skin as summer rain passes into the fevered earth, diffusing its cool and regenerating influence.

Skin Diseases and Glandular Swellings.

Every species of exterior irritation is quickly reduced by the anti-inflammatory action of this Ointment. Angry eruptions, such as Salt Rheum, Erysipelas, Tetter, Ringworm, Scald head, Nettle Rash, Scabies or Itch, &c., die out to return no more under its application. Hospital experience in all parts of the world proves its infallibility in diseases of the skin, the muscles, the joints and the glands.

ULCERS, SORES & TUMORS.

The effect of this unrivalled external remedy upon Scrofula, and other virulent ulcers and sores, is almost miraculous. It first discharges the poison which produces suppuration and proud flesh, and thus the cures which its healing properties afterward complete are safe as well as permanent.

Wounds, Bruises, Burns & Scalds.

In cases of the fracture of the bones, injuries caused by steam explosions, Bruises, Burns, Scalds, Rheumatism, Stiffness of the Joints, and contraction of the sinews, it is employed and warmly recommended by the faculty. This marvelous remedy has been introduced by its inventor in person into all the leading hospitals in Europe and no private household should be without it.

UNDENIABLE TESTIMONY.

The Medical Staff of the French and English Armies in the Crimea have officially signed their approval of Holloway's Ointment, as the most reliable dressing for sabre cuts, stabs and gun shot wounds. It is also used by the surgeons of the Allied Navies.

Both the Ointment and Pills should be used in the following cases:

Bunions,
Burns,
Chapped Hands,
Chilblains,
Fistula,
Gout,
Lumbago,
Swelled Glands,
Sore Legs,
Sore Breasts,
Sore Heads,
Sore Throats,
Sores of all kinds.
Mercurial Eruptions,
Piles,
Rheumatism,
Ringworm,
Salt Rheum,
Scalds,
Skin Diseases,
Sprains,
Stiff Joints,
Tetter,
Ulcers,
Venereal Sores,
Wounds of all kinds

***Sold at the Manufactories of Professor HOLLOWAY, 80 Maiden Lane, New York, and 244 Strand, London, by all respectable Druggists and Dealers in Medicine throughout the United States and the civilized world, in boxes at 25 cents, 62½ cents, and $1 each.

☞There is a considerable saving by taking the larger sizes.

N. B.---Directions for the guidance of patients in every disorder are affixed to each box.

February 25, 1857.

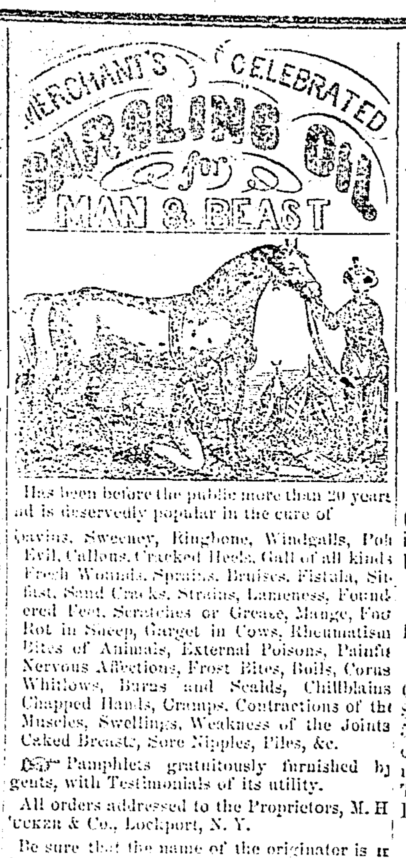
CAUTION!—None are genuine unless the words "*Holloway, New York and London,*" are discernable as a *water-mark* in every leaf of the book of directions around each pot or box; the same may be plainly seen by *holding the leaf to the light.* A handsome reward will be given to any one rendering such information as may lead to the detection of any party or parties counterfeiting the medicines or vending the same, knowing them to be spurious.

DR. W. W. BLISS'

Dyspeptic Remedy,

WITH full directions and description of symptoms—Just received and for sale by HENDRICK & NESBIT,

April 8, 1857.—tf.



Has been before the public more than 20 years and is deservedly popular in the cure of

Spavins, Sweeney, Ringbone, Windgalls, Poll Evil, Callous, Cracked Heels, Gall of all kinds, Fresh Wounds, Sprains, Bruises, Fistula, Sitfast, Sand Cracks, Strains, Lameness, Foundered Feet, Scratches or Grease, Mange, Foot Rot in Sheep, Garget in Cows, Rheumatism, Bites of Animals, External Poisons, Painful Nervous Affections, Frost Bites, Boils, Corns, Whitlows, Burns and Scalds, Chilblains, Chapped Hands, Cramps, Contractions of the Muscles, Swellings, Weakness of the Joints, Caked Breasts, Sore Nipples, Piles, &c.

☞Pamphlets gratuitously furnished by agents, with Testimonials of its utility.

All orders addressed to the Proprietors, M. H. TUCKER & Co., Lockport, N. Y.

Be sure that the name of the originator is in his own hand-writing over the cork, and these words are blown in the glass of the bottle: "G. W. MERCHANT, Lockport, N. Y." None other can be genuine.

☞For sale by Druggists and Merchants generally, through the United States, British Possessions, and other Countries. And by

HENDRICK & NISBET, Jacksonville,

R. M. DICKSON, Alexandria; and by Dealers of Med. generally in the vicinity. Wholesale by J. C. DeBoyse & co. mobile. R. L. Ross, Tuscumbia, and by Dealers in all commercial Towns.

July 1, 1857.

AMERICAN SAFETY-PAPER MANUFACTURING COMPANY OF NEW YORK.

CAPITAL $500,000.

A. NICHOLAS, Pres't. Office, Wall St.

A Perfect Security against all manner of Fraud or Counterfeiting on Paper—To Prevent Photographs and Anastatic Counterfeits, Erasures, Transfers or Alterations

Having purchased the Patent for the exclusive right to manufacture and sell the new Chemical Paper in America, invented & patented in England by HENRY GLYNN, a celebrated chemist and officer in the British army, it is hardly necessary to say that the Paper is recommended by Mr. Kent, Assayer of the U. S. Mint, Mr. Lyman of the N. York Clearing House, and Meade Brothers, extensive and skilful photographers, 233 *Broadway, N. Y.* The latter say that no imitation can be made on a check or bank note printed on the Safety Paper.

Below is our list of prices:

Bank Checks—35 cts per lb.
Bank Bills—$18 for 1000 sheets.
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Railroad Stocks & Bonds—40 cts. per lb.
Bank and State Stocks—40 cts. per lb.
Bonds and Mortgages—40 cts. per lb
Wills and Deeds—40 cts. per lb.

For wrapping Silks and other fine articles it is excellent, as it prevents moths. 40 cts a lb.

For Indentures and Agreements 40 cents per lb,

All State and County Records should always be printed or written on this Paper, as the chemicals inserted in the pulp not only prevent erasure or transfer, but make it lasting as time.

For Southern Climates it is excellent, and much superior to any other; as the moistness of the climate does not destroy it,—the properties inserted in the pulp being a preventive. In all the southern states, Cuba, the West Indies and the Central American States, no public records can be kept over 20 years written on the ordinary paper, while the oils and other chemicals inserted in this *Paper* makes it indestructible by the ravages of time. It is all proof against moths, rats and other vermin, which feast on and destroy all other paper now in use.

The Company have now in operation Mills in Morris County, *N. J.*, of about 200 horse power, and are able to fill all orders for *Paper* at the shortest notice.

All orders for the *Paper* must be addressed to A. NICHOLAS, *President* of the Company, No 70 Wall Street.

Aug 5, 1857.—5m.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of Administration having been on the 3d of September, 1857, granted to the undersigned, by the Probate Court of St. Clair County Ala. on the estate of Pherba H. Woolley, dec'd; all persons having claims against said Estate, must present them within eighteen months or they will be barred. This 3d day of September A. D. 1857.

JAMES M. WOOLLEY, *Adm.*

sept. 9, 1857.—6t.

STONE'S HOTEL,

WATER STREET, SELMA, ALA.

THE undersigned return their sincere thanks to the public for the liberal patronage they have received, and solicit a continuence of the same. We promise no pains shall be spared to make those comfortable who may favor us with a call.

The Table shall be furnished with the best the market affords.

We have a fine OMNIBUS to convey passengers to and from Boat Landings and Railroad Depots *free of charge.*

J. M. STONE, *Manager.*
P. C. STONE. *Proprietor.*

June 3 1857: 1y

STATE OF ALABAMA, Benton County.

TAKEN UP by Joseph Watson, and posted before Wm. Kennedy, Esq on the 18th day of Sep't. 1857, a certain estray Sorrel Mare, about six years old, about 14 hands high; feet white, and has a scar on the right hind foot between the hoof and pastern joint; has a small white spot on each shoulder and blaze in her face—appraised to eighty five dollars.

A. WOODS, *Judge of Probate.*

Sept. 23, 1857.

M. P. STOVALL,

WAREHOUSE AND COMMISSION MERCHANT,

Augusta, Georgia.

CONTINUES the business in all its branches, in his extensive Fire-Proof Warehouse, on Jackson st. near the Globe Hotel. His strict personal attention will, as heretofore, be given to the storage and sale of Cotton, Grain, and produce generally.

He will, when desired, make liberal cash advances on produce in store.

Orders for family supplies, **Bagging, Rope,** &c., will be promptly and carefully filled, at the lowest market prices.

Commission for selling Cotton [illegible] Cents per bale.

WHO WANTS MONEY?

☞ **$60,000** ☜

MAY BE OBTAINED BY RISKING 10 DOLLARS.

Halves & Quarter Tickets

IN PROPORTION.

JASPER COUNTY ACADEMY

LOTTERY.

BY AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA.

HAVANA PLAN, single NUMBERS.

20,000 TICKETS.

3,286 Prizes

Amounting to $215,260

Prizes payable without deduction.

ANDERSON & SON,

MANAGERS,

SUCCESSORS TO J. F. WINTER, MANAGER.

Our Lotteries draw in Macon, Ga (Small Schemes) every Saturday, and in Savannah, Ga., (Large Schemes) about the 15th of every month.

CLASS CC.

Draws October 15th, 1857, at Armory Hall, Savannah, Ga., under the sworn superintendence of W. R. Symons, Esq., and J. M. Prentiss, Esq.

CAPITALS of $60,000, $20,000, $10,000, $5,000, $4,000, $2,000 3 Prize of $1000, 5 of $500, 100 of $100, 100 of $50, 3000 of $30 and 172 Approximation Prizes, amounting to 3,760.

Tickets $10; Hlv's 5; Qrs' 2 50.

Look to your interest and compare this scheme with any other.

Bank Notes of sound Banks taken at par. Checks on New York remitted for prizes. Address orders for Tickets or Certificates or Packages of Tickets to

ANDERSON & SON, Managers, Macon or Savannah, Ga.

Howard Association.

PHILADELPHIA.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.

TO all persons afflicted with Sexual Diseases; such as SPERMATORRHŒA, SEMINAL WEAKNESS, IMPOTENCE, GONORRHŒA, GLEET, SYPHILIS, the Vice of Onanism, or Self Abuse, &c.

The HOWARD ASSOCIATION, in view of the awful destruction of human life, caused by Sexual diseases, practiced upon the unfortunate victims of such diseases by Quacks, have directed their Consulting Surgeon, as a CHARITABLE ACT worthy of their name, to give

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Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of Administration on the estate of Reuben Burch, dec'd having been granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of Benton County, Ala. on the 24th day of September, 1857; all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them legally authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and all persons indebted are requested to make imme-

POETRY.

The Bird at the Helm.

BY THOMAS DONOHO.

The captain of the Norwegian barque Ellen states that when he was twenty miles distant from the Central America, a bird appeared on his vessel, and three times flew in his face, which caused him to change his course two points, and thus he came to the ill-fated steamer.—*Incidents of the wreck of the Central America.*

A bird came out on the stormy sea;
I stood at the helm—it came to me;
Thrice it flew in my face, and then
Flew away in the storm again.
What did the bird of the stormy sea,
What did the bird portend to me?

I stood at the helm—the strange bird crost—
It struck me, and two points I lost;
In her new course my bark must go,
For the strange, strange bird would have it so!
What did the bird of the stormy sea,
The spirit bird, portend to me?

Over the deep was darkest night.
Blackness all—then awful light—
Rush of waves and thunder roll;
I stood in the storm and said to my soul:
What did the bird of the shrieking sea,
The ghost-like bird, portent to me?

Norway's rocks are black and bare;
But if no more I rest me there!
And if no more!—My soul leaped up,
And dashed in the night my sorrow's cup:
Lo! what did the bird of the stormy sea,
The heaven-sent bird, portend to thee.

O God! that moment, before my bark,
Tossed on the billows deep and dark,
Hundreds, *hundreds* of dying men!—
Let me not see such a sight again!
This, O bird of the stormy sea,
This didst thou portend to me!

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Yet, by Him who sent thee bird,
Shall ever the praise of my soul be heard,
That many were saved who, but for thee,
Had gone to the grave of the secret sea,
For this dear bird of the ravenous sea,
I thank thy Guide, who guided me!

And the Dove, that still in life's unrest,
He sends with peace from His loving breast,
May it find us, whithersoe'er we roam,
And singing of Heaven conduct us home!
Bird of the Blest, life's stormy sea,
From its deep despair, calls up to thee.

MISCELLANEOUS.

How Ben Purtle got his Wife.

The very climax of ugliness was Ben Purtle. He was red haired and each hair stood as if it cherished the supremest contempt for its next neighbor. His face was freckled as the most bespeckled turkey egg. His nose, supported at the bridge a huge hump, while the end turned viciously to one side. His mouth had every shape but a pretty shape. His form was uncouth as his face was ugly. The very climax of ugliness was Ben Purtle—what was more strange still, Ben had a handsome, buxom, blooming wife—such as can only be grown up in a [illegible].

'How the deuce,' said I to Ben one day 'did you ever get such a wife, you uncouth misshapen, quintessence of monstrosity?'

Ben was not at all offended by the impertinence of my question, and forthwith proceeded to solve the mystery thus:—

'Well, now gals what's sensible aint cotch by none of your purty faces and hifalutin airs. I've seed that tried more'n once. You know Kate was allers considered the purtiest gal in these parts, and all the young fellers in the naborhood used to try to catch her. Well, I used to go over to old Sammy's too, just to kinder look on, you know, and cast sheep's eyes at Kate.—But Lord sake! I had no more thought that I could get Kate than that a Jerusalem cricket could hide in the hair that wasn't on old Sammy's bald head—no sirree.—But still, I couldn't help going on, my heart would kinder flutter, and my ears would burn all over, whenever I got to talk to Kate. And one day when Kate sorter made fun of me like, it almost killed me sure. I went home with somethin like a rock jostlin about in my breast, and swore I'd hang myself with the fust plow line I found.

'Did you hang yourself?' I asked.

'No, daddy blazed out at me for not taking old Ball to the pasture in the morning and scared me so bad I forgot it.'

'Go on,' said I, seeing Ben pause with apparent regret that he had not executed his vow.

'Well, soon one Sunday morning—(I reckon it was about a year after that hanging scrape)—I got up and scraped my face with daddy's old razor, and put on my new copperas britches and a new linsey coat mammy had dyed with sassafac bark, and other fixens, and went over to uncle Sammy's. Now, I'd got to loving Kate like all creation, but I'd never cheeped to anybody about my feelings. But I knowed I was on the right side of the old folks.'

'Well, now, aint it quar,' continued Ben, after a slight pause, during which he rolled his quid to a more convenient place in his mouth, 'how a feller will feel sometimes? Something seemed to say as I went along, 'Ben Purtle, this is a great day for you,' and then my heart jumped and fluttered like a dive jay bird in a trap. And when I got thar and seed Kate with her new checked homespun frock on. I raily thought I should take the blind staggers anyhow.'

Ben paused again to brush the fog from his eyes, and then continued:

'Well, I found the order of the day was to go muscadine hunting. Joe Sharp and his two sisters, and Jim Boles was thar.—I'd knowed a long time that Joe Sharp was right after Kate, and I hated him wus than a hog hates to find the way out of a tater patch; but I didn't let on. Sharp had on white britches and fine shoes, and broadcloth coat, but everybody knowed he wasn't worth a red cent. He walked with Kate, and you ought to a seen the airs he put on. It was 'Miss Katy' this and 'Miss Katy' that and all such nonsense. After a while we came to a slough whar we had to cross on a log—I'd a notion to pitch the sassy good for nothing into the water.'

'Why didn't you,' I asked, sympathizing with the narrator.

'Stop, never mind,' said Ben, giving me a nudge. 'Providence done all that up brown. Nothing would do but Joe Sharp must lead Miss Katy across first. He jumped on the log in high glee, and took Kate's hand and off they put. Jist as they got half way across, a tarnation big bull frog jumped off in the water—you know how they holler,—'Snake!' screamed the blasted fool, and jumped back and knocked Kate off up to her waist in the nasty, black muddy water. And what d'ye think he done? Why run backerds and forreds a hollering for a pole to help Kate out of the water. Kate looked at me and I couldn't stand it no longer. Cachug! I lit ten foot from the bank at the first jump, and had Kate out of thar in no time. And d'ye think—My dander was up. I couldn't stand it. I cotch him by the seat of his white britches and his coat collar and giv him a toss.—May be he didn't go clean under when he hit the water. I didn't see him out. Me and Kate put out for the house. When we started off Kate said:

'Ben, jist let me hold on to your arm, my knees feel sorter weak.'

'Great jeminy! I felt so quar when she tuck hold. I tried to say something nice, but my drotted mouth wouldn't go off no how. But I felt as strong as an elephant and helped Kate along. Bimeby Kate said:

Ben, that Joe Sharp's good for nothin, sneakin, cowardly nobody; and ef he ever puts his head inside our house again I'll souse him with dish water sure.'

'I tried to say something again, but cuss the luck I couldn't say nothing, but squeezed Kate's hand and sighed like a cranky bellus.

We'd got clean out of sight of the others and Kate says—

'Ben, I feel that you're my protector, & I believe daddy's right when he says you're worth all the rest of the boys in the naborhood.

'Ben Purtle,' says, I 'this is a great day for you,' and I made a tremendous effort to get my mouth off again and out it popped sure enough:

'Kate,' says I, trembling all over, I love you to distraction, and no mistake. I've loved you long and hard. My heart's been all most broke for two years; and now I want you to say right straight up and down whether you're going to have me or not?'

Kate hung down her head and didn't say nothing, but I felt encouraged for she kinder sighed. Says I,

'Kate, ef you're gwine to have me, say so, and ef you don't want to say so, jist squeeze my hand.'

'Well, she squeezed my hand right off.—Lordy, now I did feel. I felt jist like a stream of warm water or sassafrac tea sweetened with molasses, was running through my bones! and jist cotch her in my arms, & kissed her right in the mouth, and she never tried the first time to get loose.'

Ben was so overcome with this narration of his courtship, that a pause for breath was necessary.

'How long after that,' said I, 'before you were married?'

'Old Sammy was mighty proud, and so was the old 'oman, about the thing, and we married next fall after the muscadine scrape.'

'Do you think your wife loves you yet?' I asked.

'Why, lordy, yes. She thinks I'm the purtiest and best feller in the world. I tell you, sir, it's no use talking; high falutin airs, and quality dressing and cologne and such things aint a gwine to go down with sensible gals sure.'

A LANDLORD OUTWITTED.—A correspondent of the Philadelphia Press relates the following anecdote of one of the citizens of Lock Haven, Pa. Ben W. Morrison is the person spoken of, and is said to be one of those free-and-easy, good hearted humorous fellows, that are always ready to crack a joke or perpetrate a 'sell':

Some fifteen years ago Ben was traveling in Butler county on professional business. The roads were intolerably bad, and worst of all, the stage drivers & the landlord at a certain hotel where they stopped for dinner, had an understanding with each other something like this: the passengers were to be taken in to dine, and when cleverly seated, the coach would furiously dash up to the door, and the driver would call for his passengers, stating that he could not delay a minute, on account of making his time. They would rush out, leaving their meals half finished, for fear of being left. For the half finished meal they were charged half a dollar.—The victuals were kept for the next load of passengers, when the skinning process was repeated.

Ben had heard of this place, and when they arrived at the hotel he set his wits to work to see if he could not get the full value of his money. The bell rang for dinner and the crowd rushed in. They had scarcely got comfortably seated when the coach rattled up at the door, and the driver vociferously shouted:

'*Passengers all aboard*—can't wait but *five* minutes.'

A general rush was made, but Ben sat still, and ate his dinner very composedly. The stage drove off and left him, but he seemed to care very little about it.

Having disposed of his dinner he was enjoying the luxury of a Laguaine in the sitting room, when the landlord approached him, saying:

'I—I beg your pardon, sir; but did you see a set of silver tea spoons on the table when you went into dinner?'

'I did, sir.'

'Well, they are missing—can't be found.'

'Ah, yes,' replied Ben, 'one of the passengers gathered them up—I saw him do it.'

'Would you know him again?' gasped the landlord.

'*Certainly* I would,' replied Ben with great coolness.

'Will you point him out to me if I hitch up my horse and buggy and overtake the stage?'

'*Certainly* I will.'

Boniface was ready in a few minutes, and getting Ben in with him drove like Jehu for seven miles, till he overtook the coach.—He drove up alongside and hailed the driver.—The coach stopped.—The driver looked frightened, and everybody wondered to see the landlord covered with mud and his horses foaming with sweat.

Ben jumped out of the buggy and got into the stage, when the driver, thinking that he had hired the landlord to bring him after, was on the point of driving off, when the latter yelled out—

'Is *that* passenger in there?'

'Yes,' replied Ben.

'Are you sure?'

'Yes *sirree*,' shouted our bachelor friend.

'Which one is it?'

'It's me,' replied Ben, with a grin.

'You!' thundered Boniface, '*what the devil did you do with them spoons?*'

'*I put them in the coffee-pot*, may it please your honor; you will find them all safe,' replied Ben, with a curious twinkle in his eye.

'*Sold*, by ginger, by that darned Yankee!' yelled the landlord, whilst the passengers roared with laughter, and putting the whip to his horse drove back, resolving to give the passengers ever afterwards ample time for dinner.

WHISKY ROOT.—Some time ago I wrote you that there was such a thing in this country as a 'whisky root;' you disbelieved; I now take my revenge by sending you the specimen. It is what the Indians call 'Pie-o-ke.' It grows in Southern Texas on the range of sand-hills bordering on the Rio Grande, and in gravelly sandy soil.—The Indians eat it for its exhilarating effect on the system, producing precisely the same as alcholic drinks. It is sliced as you would a cucumber, and those small pieces chewed, the juice swallowed, and in [illegible] the same time as comfortably tight are what I might term a little more *k-a-v-o-r-t-i-n-g*, giving rather a wilder scope to the imagination and actions. It can be sliced and dried, and in this way the Indians preserve it, then parch and serve it up as coffee or tea. It is evidently of cactus species, and it resembles that more than any other plant. I have never seen this particular root mentioned in any work, and believe these—and specimens I sent to the editor of the Southern Cultivator—to be the only specimens sent from the State.—I wish you would have these analyzed, and publish the result.—*Texas Cor. of the N. O. Picayune.*

Panics and the Bank of England.

SAMUEL A GODDARD, Esq. to whom some allusion was recently made by the New York Courier and Enquirer in one of its editorials upon financial affairs, has responded, and in his communication to that journal says:

At the period of the great panic in England in 1825, when *about seventy banks* had failed, and when the strongest could hardly sustain themselves from day to day, Mr. Thomas Atwood, of Birmingham (whom I could always call my friend), finding the London Bankers without any fixed course of action, each striving to save himself, in fact panic stricken, obtained an interview with Lord Liverpool, then Prime Minister, and represented that nothing but immediate and great issues by the Bank of England could save that institution and the bankers at large, *or prevent a revolution.* Lord Liverpool had the wisdom to listen to his representations & immediately called a Cabinet Council, at which it was agreed to advise the Bank to increase its issues largely, the Government undertaking to indemnify the Bank should it find itself under the necessity of suspending specie payments.

The Bank commenced at once putting out its *thousand pound notes* right and left (increasing its discount six millions in a week), and having found a bale of *one pound* notes which had escaped the general conflagration, when the use of the one pound notes were discontinued, scattered them all over the country. The panic was at once allayed. The sight of the one pound notes gave universal confidence, and the Bank, which had paid out to nearly its last sovereign, was relieved from the run upon it. Its specie increased rapidly and consequently suspension became unnessary.

Again, in the year 1847, during the 'great panic,' when the Bank was nearly drained of specie, and when some of the strongest of the London Banks could not have sustained themselves another day, Lord John Russell wrote a letter to the Governor of the Bank, authorizing the issue of Bank notes, *without* a deposit of specia, in the issue department. This letter was published in the morning papers, and the panic was at once stopped. The plague was stayed. The Bank did not issue a single note in consequence of the letter; the bare knowledge that it could do so was sufficient for the public: money flowed in from all quarters: confidence was restored, and money came from its hiding places. These facts have been well known, but are generally forgotten.

It would ill become me here to make any remarks upon the course that should be persued; but I beg to state a fact that appears to be overlooked by all, viz: that a community with a currency of gold and silver only, would still be liable to panics. Gold and silver are more likely to be put out of sight, than well established paper money; and this might occur even under a low range of prices and small liabilities. The prevention of the issue of paper money in the American Colonies, by the Crown of Great Britain, which brought upon the people universal distress, had more to do in causing the Revolution of '76 than the Stamp Act had.

Earthquake at St. Louis.

Last Tuesday morning, about twenty minutes past four o'clock, two severe shocks of an earth quake were experienced in the city of St. Louis and neighborhood. The atmosphere in the evening was peculiar. Up to 11 o'clock the night was clear and bright, but shortly before midnight a kind of haze prevailed, which, in a short time, became so thick as to obscure everything. The first shock is universally admitted to have been the severest felt in the Mississippi Valley since 1811. The alarm was general on every side, windows were raised, doors opened and heads put out. Plaster fell from the ceilings. Locked doors were unlocked and thrown open, bricks knocked down, beds and furniture displaced. The Missouri Hotel, & many buildings in the vicinity, are said to have rocked very nearly like a cradle.

About five minutes after the first shock another followed, less violent, but still sufficiently so to shake the plaster from walls, rock the floors and shake the furniture. In two minutes afterwards the dense fog which up to this time prevailed disappeared, and the stars shone out bright and serene as ever. The shocks experienced apparently came from the south-west and traveled easterly. They were felt at Marance, Kirkwood, Manchester, and other points in that direction, and also at Centralia, Ill.

A large and brilliant meteor shot across the heavens from south to north, between the first and second shocks. It was seen by various persons thirteen and twenty miles west of the city. A very strange phenomena to be accounted for is, that while the shock was in progress a darkness so peculiar should prevail, and that no sooner had the shock been felt, than it quickly disappeared.

What ought Banks of the South to Do!

Several of the prominent presses and leading financial men in the county have taken a position in favor of the suspension of all the banks in the Southern States.—Among the presses urging this course, is the Charleston Mercury, from which paper we extract the following reasons, & which we publish for the consideration of those interested:

1. We take it for granted that the Southern Banks are generally sound. They rest on the responsibility of the planters. The planters of the South, as people were never free of debt. They may be slow in payment, but they are the best paying class of capitalists in the United States.—Some of our banks, who have dealt largely in exchanges on the North, might gain more paper than gold in their operations, but the great bulk of their debts, directly or indirectly, rest on the responsibility of the planters.

2. Of course, for the planters to redeem their indebtedness, and ultimately restore the banks to a specie basis, their produce must sell. The consumers of their productions are not at the North. They are in Europe. At this moment there is no embarrassment amongst the chief consumers of the productions of the South. Cotton, by the last advices, was steady, at an advance, in Liverpool and Havre, instead of going down. If these chief customers and consumers of Southern productions are left unembarrassed, cotton will sell at its fair value.

3. But it cannot sell at its fair value, if we break up the usual course of commerce, [illegible] manufactured [illegible] and fasten [illegible] in paying specie they must get it from Europe. They must first, by a vigorous demand of payments due to them, spread distress and ruin over the mercantile community in the South, and then, by drawing on the banks in England for specie for our cotton, produce distress and ruin there. We see what this policy has already done in New England. It will produce the same effect in Old England.—Mills will stop spinning our cotton. Mercantile failures and bank panics will, in a few months, most probably make cotton a drug. This will react again on the debts of the banks in the South, and will bring many to insolvency.

4. We look upon the financial and banking convulsions of the North, as comparatively harmless to the South, because they are not our natural customers—they are not our great consumers. Let the great centres of commerce in Europe, where our commerce naturally lies, continue unembarrassed, and our great productions will soon restore confidence to commerce, and reinstate the banks. New York is an unnatural intervening agency, which the operations of the General Government and the Union has forced upon us. But it is nothing but an agency which we should cast aside, and look directly to our real and natural customers, and endeavor to sustain them amidst the present embarrassments, and thus sustain ourselves.

5. Suspension specie payments, the banks will furnish a currency which can carry us through the year; and the next crop will enable the banks to resume specie payments, and restore commerce to its usual channels. We in the South, who have the great instrument of trade between the United States & Europe in our hands, hold a position of power, which, wisely used, will not only be competent to sustain ourselves, but the North.

6. To carry out the policy we have indicated, the banks, however, must act in concert at all the central points of trade and the merchants must act with them.—It must be an affair largely of consent and confidence. But if the banks are to act without concert, and without a regard to the interests of the people, but looking to their vaults alone, shall occasion our cotton to sell at a specie price in Europe, when the greater part of that specie shall be drawn from thence to replenish their coffers, the financial convulsion, beginning with the greedy and unprincipled speculators at the North, will spread over the whole commercial world, and implicate the South in one common disaster.

PAT'S ENCOUNTER WITH A HORNET'S NEST.—An I was mowin of a mornin, jis a while since on the mash forninst the wood, an I seed a big beautiful bird's nest on a bush; an I axed Mr. Davis what kind ov a bird's nest it was, an he tould me, bad luck to him, 'twas a hum bird's nest; and I went up and peep't into it, but divil a bird could I see, nor a bit of a place for her to lay; and then Mr. Davis tould me—may the devil run away wid him—to shake the bush an the ould bird would come out; an I shook it, shure, but instead ov a bird, out cum a thousand—och, a million—ov the big green heads, an they flew into me eyes, an into me hair, and into me mouth, be jabers, and they bit me till shurely I thought I was dead jist—an I screamed, an I run—och, didn't I run? but they stuck to me, an no more could I run away from the varmints than I could run away from meself, an the fust I know'd I tumbled into a ditch ov about two feet ov water, and think-I now, me honies, I'll cum the St. Patrick on ye, who jist give the lives of such spalpeens a little howley wather in ould Ireland. So I ducks me head under the wather, and jist hid it there till I most kilt meself, and entirely kilt every mother's son of the hum birds—bad luck to 'em.

Barbarism Rampant.

The scenes now transpiring in India show how much animal ferocity remains in human nature, beneath the handsome but shallow veneering and varnish of civilization. Nena Sahib, though a barbarian by race, has been all his life in close contact with civilized society, and sets up for a gentleman. Yet, the late events in Bengal have brought all the instincts of the savage to the surface, the claws stick out from the velvet paws of the tiger, and his tongue laps blood. He makes mince-meat of his old British associates in the drawing room, the camp and chase, and inflicts upon the helpless women and children such outrages as only the combined ingenuity and malice of a devil could have devised. On the other hand, the *British*, the very flower of modern civilation, seem transformed into savages, or rather, the savage that lies dormant in every human heart is developed into fearful activity, by the horrid excesses and terrible provocations they have received. The ancient Britons were not capable of more barbarism to their enemies than their polished descendants under the stimulus of their fearful wrongs. We do not pretend to blame them. He who is in the den of wild beasts, must fight them with their own ferocity and determination.

Yet, it shows how much of the wild beast there is still in man, how completely natural are his passions of revenge, his cruelty; whilst his intellectual part, which distinguishes him from the brute, is tasked to invent modes to gratify the lower qualities of his nature, his love of vengeance, and rapine.—War, which always brutalizes human nature, or developes its inherent brutality, rarely, at least in modern times, degenerates so completely into a combat of animals as this Indian struggle. The barbarian *Sepoy*, by his enormous outrages, has provoked the civilized Anglo-Saxon to show himself almost as great a brute as his enemy; and the gusto with which the Briton blows the Sepoy from the mouth of the cannon, forces the high caste Brahmin to scrub blood from the floor, whilst an English soldier stands over him with the cat, and then, having degraded his spirit, breaks his neck with the hangman's rope, shows how thoroughly the blood of the animal is up on one side as well as the other. The writers of the London press, far distant from the scene of action, rack their brain to devise means of vengeance, and a great portion of the civilized world would be delighted to see the Sepoys visited, as they deserve, with the most bloody and terrific retribution. Civilization has not yet extirpated the animal in man; it has given [illegible] fine clothes, but he yet kills and rends and devours his enemies, like other beasts of prey—*Richmond Dispatch.*

FOND OF HOME.—The Woonsocket (R. I.) Patriot has a subscriber in Burrillville, Mr. Welcome Ballou, who for fifty years has been absent from home only one night, and then when he was attending court at Providence. He was never on board a steamboat or railroad car, and never saw either until a short time since. He is about 80 years of age, and has been blessed with twenty one children nineteen of whom are now living. Ten of his children were born in the month of April in successive and unbroken years.

SORGHO.—The Texas *Independent* mentions the use of wholsome and palatable bread from the seed of Chinese sugar cane, and says:

"According to all accounts, from this remarkable plant will now be manufactured molasses, sugar, alcohol, sparkling and still vinegar, paper, starch, dye stuffs and bread. Mr Taylor showed us a pair of pantaloons which had been dyed with a decoction made from the fodder and peelings of the cane. The hull of the seed makes the finest and most lasting."

Brightening in the East.

There was a meeting of merchants in New York on Wednesday last, at which several bank officers were present. Mr. Tileston, the president of the Phœnix Bank, declared that in his opinion the true remedy for the pressure was a prompt and liberal enlargement of discounts by the banks, and that this was the conviction of the merchant also. Resolutions were adopted recommending the banks to increase their loans to seven millions of dollars at an early day. A committee was appointed to meet the representatives of the banks and hopes are entertained of a favorable result. The city banks favor the policy of receiving and paying out the notes of the county banks which are secured by the *State Stocks.*

A despatch from Boston, 6th inst, says that the panic is abating, and the business in State street begins to resume its usual quiet aspect. Money counted tight, and there were few transactions in stocks.

The above indications are better from the *North* and East than they have been for ten days past—*Selma Sentinel.*

ITEMS.

'Tis strange,' uttered a young man, as he staggered home from a supper party, 'how evil communications corrupt good manners. I've been surrounded by tumblers all the evening and now I'm a tumbler myself.'

Students of Natural History attend: A child tried to describe a snake to his aunt, said it was 'a thing all tail clear up to the head.'

Philosophers say that shutting the eyes makes the hearing more acute.—A wag suggested that this accounts for so many closed eyes at church at sermon time.

A French wit said of a man who was exceedingly fat, that nature only made him to show how far the human skin would stretch without breaking

A farmer being asked why he did not subscribe for a newspaper, "Because," said he, "when father died he left me a good many, and I have not read them through yet."

"There is no place like home;" says the poet. Right! unless it is the home of the young woman you are after.—This is, of course, an exception. Future poets will please to note it.

The best description of weakness we have ever heard is contained in the wag's query to his wife, when she gave him some thin chicken broth, if she would not try to coax that chicken just to wade through the soup once more.

"Well, what is this airth comin' to?" said Mrs. Partington, as she slapped Ike on the ears, for up-setting her work basket." "It really seems that these latent medicines," continued the old lady, "are working." When I was a gal, old women always died with cancers in the chist, but sister Keziah had one taken out, 'tother day, when she didn't know it. All they give her was a dose of Califyrny, and when she woke up, the tumor excavated. Well! sighed the old lady, "this Californy country has been very valuable, to be sure. Ike, you pesky critter, keep out of my knitting work, or I'll prick you with the darning needle."

"My notions about life," says Southey, "are the same as they are about travelling—there is a good deal of amusement on the road; but, after all, one wants to be at rest."

☞ A poor jilted blade says,
Woman's love is like Scotch Snuff,
You get one pinch and that's enough.
Whereupon a darkey of more sense, as well as soul, responds:
Woman' lub's like Injy rubber,
It stretch de more, de more you lub her.

A *Bold Hint.*—'Sally, what time does your folks dine? Soon as you goes away—that's missus' orders,'

BANK OF MOBILE WILL NOT SUSPEND.—The news here on yesterday evening was, that the Southern Bank of Alabama, and the bank of Mobile had determined not to suspend specie payments, but maintain themselves at all hazards. These banks cannot do it we believe.—*Selma Sen.*

THAT'S RIGHT.—We see the merchants and business men generally, in all the cities East of us, have advertised to take the bills of all suspended banks, which is a fact going to show the confidence had in the ultimate recuperation of these banking institutions.

Selma Sen.

☞ A number of Santa Fe traders arrived at St. Louis on the 13th instant with upwards of $100,000 in gold, for the purpose of settling up their old accounts and purchasing new goods.

REPUBLICAN AND SUNNY SOUTH,

JACKSONVILLE, ALA.

October 28, 1857.

☞The sale of a Negro Man and Barouche, by "Come and See," is postponed until Wednesday next.

Another Liberal Proposition.—We have heretofore given notice that our terms were reduced to two dollars per year, payable by the expiration of the year. But as there are some who prefer to pay in advance, and think some advantage should be offered them, we now propose to all such who will subscribe, that we will furnish them the paper during the remainder of this year and the whole of 1858, for two dollars. Thus, those who subscribe so as to include the present number, of which we have printed some extra, will get about *fifteen months* for the year at two dollars. The sooner they subscribe the more papers they will get for the amount.

TO THE PATRONS OF THE SUNNY SOUTH.

Just upon the eve of the present issue of the Republican, a proposition was submitted, by the Proprietors of the Sunny South and Republican, to buy or sell, and consolidate the two offices. The undersigned, proprietor of the Sunny South, priced the two papers, and Mr Grant, the proprietor of the Republican, accepted the proposition and purchased the office of the Sunny South, binding himself to continue, free of extra charge, all advance subscriptions and all advertisements contracted for with the Sunny South, up to this date.

A more extended notice of the union of the two papers will appear in the next issue of the "Republican and Sunny South."

☞All accounts for advertising and subscription to the Sunny South, up to the present date, must be made to me or my agent, whom I shall appoint during my absence this winter.

J. H. CALDWELL.

It will be seen from the above that the undersigned has purchased the office of the Sunny South, and united the two papers. This arrangement has been made in accordance with the desire of the two proprietors, and many of their mutual friends. The Republican will be sent to such subscribers of the Sunny South as are not already on the list of both, in the hope of furnishing them with a paper to which they will be willing to become permanent subscribers. J. F. GRANT.

The Financial Difficulties.

We have tried to keep our readers advised of the principal facts and occurrences connected with this subject, and might have filled our paper with accounts of failures and Bank suspensions, without making them any wiser on the subject, or enabling them to come to any more definite conclusion. We have waited for something definite and tangible as to the result and future effect of this most extraordinary state of things, but as yet the continued accounts of bank suspensions, and the numerous conjectures and predictions of financial tinkers, have only made "confusion worse confounded." Some things however may now, we think be regarded as certain, which were but matter of gloomy conjecture even two weeks since: and most of these things brighten the future prospects. The bank suspensions will be general, almost without a single exception, but while this is the case, it is evident now, that those which were considered good before suspension, will enjoy about the same amount of credit afterwards, and by not exhausting their means in an effort even if successful to withstand such a panic, will be prepared for an early resumption of specie payment, and the restoration of universal confidence: but it is probable the final adjustment will cause a thorough sifting of the unsound from the sound banks, a very good thing for the country: and the people will demand in future a more stringent and safe system of legislation in granting bank charters, which will make these institutions less numerous, and safe guards against panics instead of promoters of them, as in this instance. Many of the large commercial houses and manufacturing companies which have failed, have exhibited assets to a large amount over their liabilities, and of course must in a short time continue their business or be supplanted by others. Some of the banks have already resumed specie payment on sums of ten dollars and under, and many others are preparing to resume on all amounts in a short time. There has been no fall of cotton in Liverpool, and what seemed to be a fall in the markets of the U. S. was little else than a temporary suspension of sales, on account of the deranged state of the currency—cotton is now selling at 12½ cents, with prospect of a rise on account of a short crop. There is a general disposition throughout the country to resist the ruinous effect of an unnecessary panic and forced pressure, and altogether, the prospect is more bright and encourageing than even ten days since. [illegible] events, there is no class more independent of panics, pressures or hard times, than the cotton planters of the South, because they produce and hold that which is more important to commerce and interests connected with it, than even gold and silver, while the world has to be clothed.

Our advice to all is to pay debts freely, to the last dollar, especially to the merchants; because, if they can maintain their credit, they will not be pressed, and it is not their interest, nor do we believe it to be their inclination, to press heavily on their debtors, unless they are compelled to do so. And do not forget the printer—you must keep him afloat, so that he may be able to advise you how matters are going. If you shut out that light, you will all be left to grope in the dark.

Large Corn.—J. W. Whiteside, Esq. has left at our office 4 ears of corn, two of which weighed 2 and 3-4 lbs.—one measured 11 and the other 12 1-2 inches long. One ear measured 9 1-2 inches around and another ten.

Cotton is King.—The New York *Express* says that in spite of the anticipated reluctance of England to send specie to America, sore pressed as she is by the Eastern wars, "nevertheless, gold must come, no matter what it costs us—for 'cotton is king,' and cotton alone can be had of us in sufficient quantity to meet the overruling demands of British manufactures. Bread may be got elsewhere, and oth[illegible] also; but cotton is American, and cotton must be had, and gold now must pay for the cotton."

TELEGRAPHIC INTELLIGENCE

Later from Europe.

Quebec, October 19—The steamship North American, Capt. Wm. Grange, has arrived at this port, with Liverpool dates to the 7th inst.

General Intelligence.—the Bank of England has loaned the East India Company £1,000,000. More troops are ready to embark for India on the demand of the company. Ten thousand additional militia have been embodied.

Advices received at Paris from India, are more gloomy than the English accounts. The Paris letters state that the rebels are under European generalship, and that operations have been commenced to prevent a union of the British forces. A five year's warfare is expected.

France is adopting measures for the production of cotton in the West Indies.

There is nothing authentic concerning the Imperial interview at Wiemar.

Three Russian Admirals, with their wives and children, and the crew of a Roman man of war ship, have been lost in the Gulf of Finland.

Narvaez had left Cadiz for Paris.

Commercial Intelligence.—Liverpool Cotton Market.—All qualities of cotton had slightly advanced. The sales for the three days were [illegible] bales, of which speculators took 12,000, and exporters 3,000 bales; leaving 24,000 bales of all descriptions to the trade. There was a large speculative inquiry.

Chicago, October 19.—A conflagration occurred in the business portion of this city this morning, by which $500,000 worth of property was destroyed, and several persons killed.

Norfolk, Va., October 19.—The ship Summer, from New Orleans for Cadiz, has put into Hampton Roads, dismasted and leaking.

Cincinnati, Ohio, October 19.—The Freesoilers claim the State by 1,000 majority, and the Democrats claim 300 majority.

New York, October 19.—The Tribune's despatch says that Minnesota has undoubtedly gone Black Republican.

Dubuque, Iowa, October 19.—Samuels, Democrat, has 5,000 majority in twenty-one counties. The Democrats gain fourteen Assemblymen.

Augusta, October 19.—A man by the name of *John S. Randle*, residing near Hamburg, cut his wife's throat last night, in a fit of delirium tremens.—The woman died instantly. Randle then cut his own throat, and is not expected to survive.

Augusta, October 19.—The sales of Cotton in our market to-day comprised 190 bales, at 12c. per lb. in current funds.

New York, October 19.—Cotton is quiet. The sales of flour comprise 9,500 bales at $5.50 a $5.85 for Southern.

TELEGRAPHIC INTELLIGENCE.

Columbia, Oct. 16.—The Exchange Bank in this city has suspended. The *Commercial Bank* is the only one which is paying specie.

Nashville, Tenn., Oct. 16.—The Banks in this State having suspended, the Legislature is considering what course it is best to pursue.

St. Louis Oct. 26.—There has been a heavy run on the Bank of the State of Missouri.

St. Louis Oct. 16.—Dates from Kansas to the 13th, states that both parties claim the victory in the late election.

Gov. Walker defends the voting of the soldiers, on the ground that six months enrolment makes them citizens.

Cincinnati, Oct 15.—It will require the official returns to determine the result of the late election. The Legislature, however, is probably Democratic.

New York, October 16—The steamship Northern Light has arrived at this port from Aspinwall, bringing the San Francisco mails to the 20th ult. and $1,600,000 in specie. The general news by this arrival has been anticipated by way of the Grenada at N. Orleans.

TELEGRAPHIC INTELLIGENCE

Later from Europe.

Halifax, October 21.—The Royal Mail steamship Europa, Captain John Leitch, has arrived at this port, with Liverpool dates to the 10th instant. She brought $63,000 in specie.

General Intelligence.—The foreign financial pressure is still severe. There have been several failures at Vienna.

The Russian vessels have destroyed the shipping in Basenar, in Abasia.

Galatz has been nearly destroyed by fire.

The paper money of Turkey has depreciated twenty per cent.

Accounts from India are gloomy. Nena Sahib is still alive, and it is feared that Lucknow will fall before assistance can arrive.

Two slavers have been captured on the coast of Africa, one of which is the American brigantine Sarah Jane.

There have been violent storms on the English coast.

The American crisis is severely felt in England and France. Money all over Europe is advancing. Specie is being shipped to the United States.

The King of Prussia is in a dying condition.

The London Star says that Lord Canning, the Governor-General of India, is recalled.

The Times says there is nothing in raising the rate of discount by the Bank of England to create alarm, and thinks that it is fright alone that has caused all the ruin that is going on in America.

Commercial Intelligence.—Liverpool Cotton Market.—The Persia's news caused a slight decline all qualities of Cotton.

[From the N. O. Christian Advocate.]

JAMES HAMPTON.

Already has it been announced, through the columns of the Advocate, that James Hampton is no more: but the many friends of the deceased, both in this State & Georgia, as well as the ministerial and lay-brethren, who have fought shoulder to shoulder with him in many a battle for our Lord, will not be satisfied with such a meagre account of his life and services.—Hence, at the request of many friends, the following sketch is presented.

He was born in the State of Georgia, in 1785—was born of God in Jackson county, Ga., in 1825, and at once entered upon a career of unusual zeal in his Master's cause: served as class leader and steward in his native State until his removal from it; came to Benton county, Ala.; in 1837, and there became, by his unwavering zeal and consistent life, a living, walking evidence of the truths of christianity. He felt himself *called* to the work of class leader and steward, and few men have filled these offices with more fidelity and success. His Methodism was "christianity in earnest." His was no ephemeral zeal that disappeared at the close of a revival—no transient fire that expired in the winter to be revived in the summer; but his religion was the great interest of his life. He was a *primitive Methodist*—that is, lived by method; loved class meetings, love feasts, & all the other peculiarities of our Church; attended all the quarterly meetings, when his health permitted, traveled great distances to attend camp meetings; labored with much success in revival meetings; held up the hands of the preachers by his fervent prayers; gave liberally to the support of the gospel and all the benevolent enterprises of the day: and [illegible] whole work of an honest [illegible] whose heart was set on fire with the love of God.

The writer has preached to few men who have helped him so much by his prayers and [illegible] as Bro. Hampton. [illegible] matter. How many, [illegible] *Ministers of Jesus Christ*, bear their [illegible] trations of their [illegible] as [illegible] [illegible] of their Lord.—[illegible] always [illegible] warm responses.

Lately it was my privilege to attend a camp meeting in the bounds of the circuit in which he lived. His seat in the altar was vacant. That manly form and noble countenance were no [illegible] in prayer and [illegible] shouts of praise was forever stilled in death. God grant his mantle may fall on some whom he has left behind.

His house, of course, was the home of the itinerant and his family. The heart of the pilgrim, as he wandered over the desert of life, was often gladdened by finding a never failing spring of comfort around his fireside [illegible] a soldier of Jesus, in talking and [illegible] the [illegible] veteran [illegible] his death it was my [illegible] night with the family.—The same kindness ministered to our wants, but the presiding genius of the household was gone. Gone, did I say? Yes, gone from mortal vision, but a holy atmosphere lingered about the place, and we felt that it was sweet to kneel where he knelt, and pray where he prayed.

Living as he lived, is it any wonder his end was peaceful? "Mark the perfect man and behold the upright, for the end of that man is peace." To a Presbyterian minister who was with him much during his sickness, he remarked that all his temporal and spiritual matters were arranged.—He had nothing to do but to die. To use the minister's language, "He was the calmest man I ever saw; seemed to speak of dying as if he were going to eat a meal, or [illegible] had no fear, but seemed [illegible] that he was about to be released." He said to Dr. Hamilton and myself in June, that if he lived he wished to attend the next General Conference, to be held in Nashville [illegible] [illegible] he [illegible] will be like his." B. B. R.

Resolutions of the 4th Quarterly Conference for the Jacksonville Circuit, [illegible] [illegible] James Hampton.

Resolved, [illegible] of [illegible] in the 72d year of his age, on the 7th day of September, 1857, who has been so long and pleasantly associated with us, in the capacity of class leader and circuit Steward, and that we tender to the bereaved family, and to each other and to the numerous warm friends of the deceased our sincere and heartfelt [illegible] that we will cherish a grateful remembrance of the valuable services and kind offices rendered us and the church generally by our departed brother, and that while we feel truly sad in the thought that his place will not soon be supplied, yet we bow with meek submission under the heavy *stroke* fully assured that our loss is his eternal gain.

Resolved, that in our venerable brother, during his long and useful life, we beheld strikingly displayed all the attributes of a true christian gentleman, affectionate husband, kind father, humane master and faithful friend.

Resolved, that a copy of the above be published in the Jacksonville Republican, and forwarded to the Southern & New Orleans Advocate, with a request that they be published.

Horrid Murder in Sumter County.

We extract the following account of a cold blooded assassination from the Sumter county Messenger of the 14th inst.—The Messenger says:

Richard E Stewart, a planter, who resides about ten miles from this place, was assassinated while in his bed on Tuesday night last. His overseer, a youth of about eighteen years old, late on Friday evening last, reported to the sheriff of this county, D. L. Ayres, that his employer was missing and that he had apprehensions that Mr. Stewart had met with a sad fate.—Early on Saturday morning the Sheriff, accompanied by several citizens, repaired to Stewart's plantation and searched for him, but could not find him or get any clue as to his fate. On Sunday morning a good many citizens of this place and its vicinity went to Stewart's house to prosecute further inquiries, and stains of blood were discovered on the bed clothing, on the floor, and also on a wagon on the premises. One of the negroes then confessed that Mr. Stewart was killed by four of his negroes about 12 o'clock on Tuesday night, at the instigation of the overseer, and that his body had been carried off to a field about a mile and a half distant from the house, and there buried. The negro accompanied a large crowd to the field, and pointed out the exact spot where the deceased was buried. The body was disinterred, and found to be in a horrid mangled condition. Near this spot, a place was found where a fire had been kindled, and charred remnants of feathers discovered, and feathers were seen scattered about, evidently showing that a bed had been burnt there.

The overseer and ten of *Stewart's* negroes were apprehended immediately, and lodged in jail at this place. This horrible affair is undergoing a judicial investigation at the time we go to press (Tuesday at noon) The overseer was born and raised in this vicinity, and his family connections are highly esteemed for their sterling moral worth. We forbear comment, as we are satisfied that all the parties involved in this affair are arrested and that the laws of the land will be fully vindicated.

Heart Rending Affair.

At this late time, we stop the press to announce an occurrence, most painful in character: our particulars are from James Jeffreys, Esq., Magistrate, and Mr. Wm. M. Kerr, the acting officer. [illegible] John Fee, living on Bullock's Creek in York District, a few days since [illegible] his mare, some [illegible] (yesterday) [illegible] his dwelling, which was locked, and the key afterwards found on his person, in which his three [illegible] children, aged from five to fourteen years, are supposed to have perished.

It seems that a Peace Warrant had been issued against him on complaint of a neighbor: that when an officer went to arrest him he was seen to be [illegible] (as it were) in one of his barns, [illegible] with a gun, and [illegible] any who would approach him.—There were sixty or seventy persons leaving the house when Mr. Kerr arrived, who he summoned to accompany him to the barn, but the cry was, "he will shoot somebody." So they refused with the exception of *John Hartness* and brother: when they got to the barn stratagem had to be resorted to, which was effectual in securing him.

The prisoner stated that the children were at a [illegible] house, which was known to be [illegible] "Spring," but the [illegible] they have perished in the flames.

The poor apology of "[illegible]," [illegible] cannot be urged in this instance. Fee is said to be a [illegible] man, one not given to the [illegible] [illegible] to the [illegible] honest [illegible] We forbear comment, as the matter must undergo judicial investigation, but we regret that [illegible] prayer.

York District Chronicle.

[illegible]

[illegible] Register.

Hartford, October 17.—[illegible] the track of the Hartford and New Haven Railroad [illegible] Their names are [illegible] Benjamin Dawson.

[illegible] October [illegible] this morning [illegible] The loss is estimated at $400,000, half of which is insured. Four persons are known to be killed, and it is feared there are many more.

Bank Suspension.—The Planters Bank of Fairfield suspended specie payments Wednesday 14th. The [illegible] several of the larger banks [illegible] the Directors to believe that a general suspension [illegible] inevitable within a few days, it was deemed prudent to stop at once. As far as we are able to learn the general opinion here this course is approved by the community. Would suggest to the bill holders not to be alarmed or part with their bills at a sacrifice of any thing. The assets of the *Bank* are ample to meet its liabilities [illegible] the amount of the entire liabilities of the Bank. We hope and believe that so soon as the present panic subsides the *Bank* will be [illegible] day. There is no possibility of loss to the billholders.—*Winnsboro Register.*

A Physician Perishing too much Confidence in his own Medicine.—A German doctor at Urbana, Ill., the manufacturer of snake bite medicine, caught a rattlesnake on the prairie, and took it home, and offered to let the reptile bite him every time any person bought a box of his medicine for one dollar. On Sunday of last week, while fooling with his pet it bit him in the wrist. He applied his medicine without effect. On Monday he sent for a doctor, but too late—he died the same day.—*Chicago Journal.*

A New Wine.—The East Tennessean says: "We have had the pleasure of tasting (to us) a new wine, made from the juice of the tomato. We consider ourselves a good judge of wine, and pronounce this a first rate article. It is made with no other ingredients than the pure juice of the tomato and sugar and very much resembles champagne, a light, transparent color, with a pleasant, palatable flavor. We believe it can be made equal to the best champagne.

Fanny Fern receives $5,000 a year for writings for the New York Ledger.

Coming Home to Roost.—The Cleveland Plaindealer says the steamer Telegraph brings back from Canada on every trip families of negroes who have formerly fled to the provinces from the State. They describe the life and the condition of the blacks in Canada as miserable in the extreme. They are principally from Canada West, Ohio and Michigan are likely to have large accessions to their negro population from that source. The Canadians have shown a disposition in their parliament and in their every day transactions to discourage the negro population coming to or remaining in the provinces.

Georgia *Legislature*.—From our Georgia exchange, we gather the following as the probable political complexion of the next Legislature of that State.

In the Senate eightysix *Democrats*—thirtytwo Americans. Democratic majority in the Senate fifty-four.

In the House one hundred and five Democrats—fifty Americans. Democrats majority in the House fiftyfive.

Democratic majority on joint ballot one hundred and nine.

☞At the *Boston* merchants' meeting on Friday Mr. *Pierce* said:

"Manufactures are withdrawing their raw materials from the mills, suspending their work, and sending their cotton to England, at a loss of 75 per cent. If such is the condition of our strongest corporations, what must be the condition of those less strong? If this state of things continue, [illegible] people in *New* England will be thrown out of employment and cast upon the charity of the community."

Integrity.—Is there any thing so lovely, so innocent and pure, as the smile of infancy. It is the good spirit which manifest their presence by the heavenly expression on the divine image. They act through the pure and innocent medium. And oh! how more than happy if in after life the engrossment of material things did not drive them away, that we would always smile as innocently as in infancy.

A Singular Case of Vicissitude.—A few months since, the partner of a commercial house in this city, was taken to a lunatic asylum, utterly deranged, as was said, by his unparalleled prosperity in business. During the year previous his firm had cleared $[illegible]. He died in the asylum, and his own estate was valued at $250,000, all invested in the concern [illegible] partner. The firm [illegible] and is now said to be utterly insolvent. One item of the assets of the deceased's estate were [illegible] shares of the Illinois Central Railroad stock, which was selling at the time of his decease at $140 a share, and which was worth, after paying the installments, $[illegible]. The same property will yet [illegible] to-day at public sale at [illegible].

All this occurred within eighteen months.—[illegible] *New York Evening Post.*

☞The approaching meeting of the sovereign of France and Russia at Stuttgard is the exciting topic of conversation in the [illegible] world. The carriage prepared by the Eastern Railway Company to convey the Emperor Louis Napoleon to Germany is a marvel [illegible] extravagance and taste, and is said to surpass in decoration any of the apartments of the Imperial Palace. [illegible] 200,000 francs or 40,000 [illegible].

Death of a Duelist.—Kentucky papers announce the death of Harry [illegible] Holeman. For many years the publisher of a newspaper in Frankfort, and public printer of the State, and connected with the most exciting political events of the State in former days. He once fought a bloody and fatal duel, and himself a cripple for life [illegible] it. This duel took place five and thirty years ago. It grew out of a militia training. Holeman, who was commander of a company was followed, while on duty, by a favorite dog. A subordinate officer, who was offended by the dog's antics, drew his sword and cut the [illegible] Holeman [illegible] that whoever would perpetrate such an act was a coward and a [illegible]. A challenge [illegible] combat was the consequence. It was accepted, and the parties met near the State House at Frankfort, Kentucky and fought desperately for two hours and upwards: the antagonist of Holeman was killed, and the latter escaped with desperate wounds. Among those who witnessed the duel were Henry Clay, John J. Crittenden, and Jesse Bledsoe—the latter then one of the most brilliant and distinguished orators of Kentucky. Holeman was arraigned, charged with the crime of wilful murder, and, after a long and exciting trial was acquitted. Mr. Clay and Mr. Crittenden espoused the cause of Holeman.

A Cheap Place to Live.—The Literary Gazette, in a notice of Mr. Neale's work on Syria, says: "People who love to live well and cheap at the same time, should go to Antioch. Mr. Neale tried to be extravagant there, but found it to be impossible—houserent, servants, horses, board, washing and wine included—to spend more than forty pounds a year. Oh, that Antioch were London! Fancy seven and a half pounds of good mutton for one shilling; fat fowls for two pence apiece; seventy pounds of fish for one shilling, and fruits and vegetables sufficient for one's household for two pence a week. If we remember aright, the Garden of Eden was somewhere near this place. Yes, and so was Goldsmith's Deserted Village,' for there is certainly no other spot on the globe where one could be "passing rich with forty pounds a year."

A Magnificent Present.—The Norfolk Day [illegible] magnificent gold [illegible] [illegible] and chain have been forwarded to Samuel T. Sawyer, Esq., by James Buchanan, President of the U. S. to be presented to that noble veteran of old ocean, Captian A. Johnson, of the Norwegian barque Ellen, who so gallantly went to the rescue of the passengers of the Central America.

This magnificent watch & chain is said to be one of the best the world can produce, and, coming as a present from such a source as the President of the United States, must make an indelible impression upon the minds of future generations, of the heroic behaviour of Captain Johnson on this perilous occasion. It is supposed that its cost could not have been less than $350.

Died.—At his residence near Cross Plains, on the 5th inst Mr. J. H. McCain in the 37th year of his age, after a painful illness of some 30 days: leaving an aged father an affectionate wife and two children besides a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn their irreparable loss. He was a good citizen—an industrious and successful Farmer, an indulgent master, a kind and affectionate husband and father.

Died also on the 6th inst at the residence of her son the above named J. H. McCain, Mrs. [illegible] consort of Mr. Joseph McCain, in the [illegible] year of her age. [illegible]

Now gentle reader pause a moment and contemplate the scene before you. Here lies an aged mother who had long since numbered her three score and ten, and here too lies her son who had scarcely reached the meridian of life, both chained in the cold lineaments of the grave. [illegible] they were each others solace and [illegible] On the 7th inst they were buried side by side in the same grave, there to sleep in peace until [illegible] by the Trump of God on the resurrection morn. C. R. S.

Holloway's Ointment and Pills.—Those who have been taught to believe that there is no remedy for cancer but the knife, are invited to read the following statement. Reuben Withers, late of Brooklyn, and now residing at Marysville, California was for several months treated *secundum artem*, by two physicians, for what they pronounced to be a cancerous tumor on the left breast. Finally the [illegible] recommended excision, but [illegible] of Holloway's Ointment, in such cases, resolved to try its effects before submitting his flesh to the steel.—He used it in conformity with the directions for two months, at the end of which time the [illegible] had entirely disappeared, and up to the date of his leaving for San Francisco, in August last, an interval of fourteen weeks, no symptoms of its reappearance could be discovered. The Pills are equally efficacious in all external diseases.

REMEMBER that there are but two states of the system—a state of health, in which the functions of life are carried on with vigor and harmony, and a state of disease, in which something interferes with their proper action. What we want is a medicine that will remove the causes of disease, and bring about a condition of health, with the least expense to the system. The *Lief Pills and Phœnix Bitters* answer this purpose better than anything yet discovered, and consequently it is but the dictate of prudence and true wisdom to prefer them to all others. Sold by the proprietor, W. B. Moffat, 335 *Broadway.*

Sometime in December last, my children were taken down with scarlet fever or canker rash, my only medicine was Davis' Pain Killer and Castor Oil—the Pain Killer operated to a charm in cutting the canker, and throwing out the rash, so that in about five weeks my family were entirely recovered.

CORNELIOUS G. VANDEENBURG,

Saratoga Springs.

☞Every person should read the advertisements of Garnier's Celebrated Magic Compound, and Ancient Japanese Life Pills, which appear alternately in another column. *Try them and be cured.*

NOTICE.

On Monday the 30th day of November next, the undersigned, Executors of the last will and testament of Samuel Morgan, deceased will proceed to sell to the highest bidder—at the late residence of said Samuel Morgan deceased the following described lands (viz.) the West half of Section 35, Township 13, Range 9. Also part of the N W ¼ of Section 2, Township 14, Range 9, containing about one hundred and twenty acres.—Also, about 50 acres of the W side of the N E ¼ of Section 2, Township 14, Range 9—Also the S E ¼ of the N E ¼ of Section 34, Township 13, Range 9.—Also one House and Lot in the town of White Plains, known as N ½ of lot No. 30, with a few additional feet off the other half.

The above described land is situated some miles North of White Plains, on the road leading to Cross Plains, it is well timbered, with an abundance of good running water, and well adapted to farming purposes. The sale will be on a credit of twelve months, with interest from date, with two good and sufficient securities.

Wm. W. LITTLE,
G. G. MORGAN, Exe's

Oct 28 1857.

SORGHO MOLASSES AND SEED.

A quantity of Chinese sugar cane seed—also, a superior article of sorgho Molasses for sale.

[illegible] ROWE [illegible]

STATE OF ALABAMA,
BENTON COUNTY.
Court of Probate for Benton County,
Ala., Special Term, Oct. 2nd,
A. D. 1857

THIS day came M. P. Henderson, Administrator of the Estate of Thomas Henderson, dec'd and filed his petition in writing, representing that his intestate died seized and possessed of the South half of the South West quarter of Section 36, Fl Township 12, of R 7 East in the Lebanon land District, & in Benton county Ala. alledging that it is necessary that said land be sold, for a more equal fair and beneficial division among the heirs at law of said estate, which cannot be made without a sale thereof: he further represents, that the heirs at law of said estate are Caroline Henderson, widow of decedent, Elvira Thomas, late Elvira Henderson, Booker Henderson, M. P. Henderson, Caroline Hagans, late Caroline Henderson, all of whom reside in Benton County, Ala., also the following, who are non-residents, who reside beyond the limits of the State of Ala., to wit: Thomas Henderson, James Henderson, Richard Henderson, John Henderson, Charles Henderson, William Henderson, all of whom are over the age of twenty one years.

It is ordered by the court that the 8th day of December next be set for the hearing and determining upon said petition & that notice thereof be given by publication in the "Jacksonville Republican," a weekly Newspaper printed and published in this county, for forty days prior to said day, [illegible] the non-resident heirs, and all persons concerned to be and appear at a special Term of said court to be holden at the Court House of said county, on said 8th day of December next, 1857, and defend against said petition if they think proper.

Witness A. Woods, Judge of said court at office this 2nd day of Oct A D. '57.

A. WOODS, Judge of
Oct 2, '57. Probate.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
ST. CLAIR COUNTY.
In Circuit Court, Fall Term, 1857.

Wm. McFee, (655) vs. Att. [illegible] This day came the pl'ff into court by his attorney, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, that the defendant is a non resident, it is ordered that publication be made in the Sunny South (a newspaper published in Jacksonville, Ala.) of the service of this attachment, it being the nearest newspaper published, and that judgment nisi be entered against the Garnishee, Presley Bullock, and that scire facias issue to him, requiring him to appear at the next term of this court, and show cause why said judgment be not final and absolute.

A true copy from the minutes.

Attest: T. M. BARKER, Clerk of the circuit court of St. Clair co.

Oct. 28, 1857.

The State of Alabama,
BENTON COUNTY
Court of Probate for Benton county, Alabama, Special term,
Oct. the 24th, A. D 1857.

THIS day came M. P. Henderson, Administrator of the estate of Thomas Henderson, dec'd, and filed his written petition praying an order of said court, authorizing him to sell for division two Slaves, also two head of Stock Cattle.

It is ordered that the 8th day of December next, 1857, be set for the hearing of said petition, and that notice thereof be given by publication in the Jacksonville Republican, a weekly newspaper printed and published in said county, for three successive weeks, prior to said day as a notice to all persons concerned to be and appear at a special term of said court to be holden at the court house of said county, on said 8th day of December next, 1857, and defend against said petition if they think proper.

Witness, A. Woods, Judge of said court, at office on this the 24th day of Oct., A. D. 1857.

A. WOODS, Judge of
Oct. 28, 1857. Probate.

STATE OF ALABAMA,
ST. CLAIR COUNTY.
In Circuit court, Fall Term, 1857.

Wm McFee, (No. 656) vs. Att. Jno. [illegible] THIS day came the plaintiff into court by his attorney, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, that the Defendent is a non resident, it is ordered that publication be made in the Sunny South (a newspaper published in Jacksonville, Ala.) of the service of this attachment, it being the nearest newspaper published, and that Judgement nisi be entered against the Garnishee Presley Bullock and that Scire facias issue to him requiring him to appear at the Next Term of this court and show cause why said Judgement be not made final and absolute.

A true copy from the minutes,

Attest, THOS. M. BARKER,
Clerk of the Circuit Court,
Oct. 23 of St. Clair County, Ala.

Notice

LETTERS Testamentary, having been, on the 10th day of August, 1857, granted to the undersigned, by Thomas Hayden, Register in Chancery for St. Clair county and State of Alabama, on the last will and testament of Chandler Awbrey, late of said county, deceased, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby required to make payment to me, and persons having claims against the same must present them within eighteen months or they will be barred.

SARAH AWBREY,
Sept. 13, 1857. Executrix, &c.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

LETTERS of Administration on the Estate of John Easterwood dec'd having been granted to the undersigned, by the Probate Court of Benton county, Ala., on the 28th day of September, 1857. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them legally authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

R. W. DRAPER,
Oct 3 1857. Administrator.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

LETTERS testimentary on the Estate of Joshua Draper, dec'd., having been granted to the undersigned, by the Probate Court of Benton county, Ala., on the 28th day of September, 1857. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them legally authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make [illegible] payment.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

LETTERS of Administration upon the estate of Hannah Brock, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned by an order of the Probate Court of Benton county, Ala., made on the 20th day of August, 1857; therefore all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be forever barred.

JOHN BROCK,
Adm'r of said estate.

Aug. 22, 1857.

Sheriff Sale.

BY virtue of one Fi. Fa. issued from the Circuit Court of Benton county, and to me directed, in favor of J. Montgomery & Son, and against John W. Bagley, Nathan D. Willis and James McHarg, I will proceed to sell at public outcry, to the highest bidder for cash, before the Court House door in the town of Jacksonville, Benton county, Ala., on Monday, the SECOND DAY OF NOVEMBER next, following lands, to wit: Fraction B in Sec. 3, T. 15, R. 6, east. Also, the S E quar. of the S W quar. of Sec. 34, T. 14, R. 6, east—containing ninety-nine acres more or less, levied on as the property of Nathan & Willis to satisfy said Fi. Fa.

J. B. FARMER,
Sept 19, 1857. Sheriff

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

LETTERS of Administration upon the estate of Wm. Tatum, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned by the Judge of Probate of Benton county, Ala., on the 17th day of August, 1857; therefore all persons having claims against said estate, are hereby notified to present their claims duly authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred, and all persons indebted to said estate, will please come forward and make immediate payment.

O. P. ANDERSON,
JOHN FAGAN,
Aug. 22, 1857. Adm'rs.

State of Alabama.

St. Clair county. Probate Court for said county on this 6th day of Oct. A. D., 1857.

THIS day came Alfred Turner, Sheriff of Said County and Exofficio administrator de bonis non of the Estate of John Chennault late of said County Dec'd, and filed his report in writing under oath alleging that said estate is insolvent to the best of his knowledge and belief. Said administrator filed with said report a statement of all the assets belonging to said estate and a full statement of all the claims against said Estate which have come to his knowledge and the name and residence of each creditor, so far as known. Notice is hereby given to all the creditors of said estate that said that said report has been filed as aforesaid in this Court, and that the 2d monday in November next is set by the Court for the hearing of said report that the creditors of said Estate or either of them can appear before the Probate Court of said County at the Court House in Ashville Ala., on said 2d monday in November next and show cause why said estate should not be declared insolvent. This 6th Oct. 1857.

ROSS PHILLIPS,
Judge of Probate.

Oct 10 h 1857—4t

The State of Alabama.
BENTON COUNTY
Court of Probate for Benton County Ala., Special Term, October 5th, 1857

THIS day came John L. Hughes, Guardian of James P. Hughes a Lunatic, and files his petition in writing praying an order of court authorizing him to sell certain slaves belonging to said Lunatic, to-wit: A negro man named Jacob aged about 39 years, and a negro woman named Mima aged about 46 years and her three children, two Boys and one Girl, ages, 8, 6 and 5, representing that it would be more to the interest of the said James P. Hughes that said negroes be sold and the proceeds of the sale put out at interest, than it would be to retain them for hire. It is therefore ordered by the court that Saturday the 21st day of November next be set for the hearing and determining upon said petition, and that notice thereof be given by publication in the Sunny South a weekly newspaper printed and published in said county for forty days, as a notice to all persons concerned to be and appear at a Special Term of said court to be holden at the Court House of said county, on said Saturday the 21st day of November next, and defend against said petition if they think proper.

Witness A. Woods, Judge of said court at office on this 5th day of October, A. D. 1857.

ATTEST: A. WOODS,
Oct 10 '57 Judge of Probate.

CHANCERY SALE.

BY virtue of a decree of the chancery court of the 36th Division, I will proceed to sell to the highest bidder for cash, before the court house door in the town of Jacksonville, on Monday the 5th of October next, the following lots, to wit: Lots No. 23 and 24 of the original plan of the town of Jacksonville. Said lots sold for the purchase money.

The above sale is postponed until the first Monday in November next.

R. G. EARLE.
Aug. 29, 1857. Register.

Administrator's Sale of Personal Property.

UNDER and by virtue of an order of the Probate Court of Talladega county made, on the 23d day of Sep. 1857 I will as the Executor of the estate of James Brock late of Talladega County deceased proceed to sell on Tuesday the 10th day of November next at the residence of Mrs. Mary E. Fowler four miles south west of Alexandria at public auction to the highest bidder two Likely negroes to wit, Hannah and Aggy belonging to said estate, also at the same time and place under and by virtue of the Probate Court of Benton County made on 5th day of Oct., 1857 I will as the administrator of the estate of Hannah Brock dec. sell at public auction to the highest bidder the personal property belonging to said estate consisting of one Buggy and Harness; Household and Kitchen furniture and many other articles too tedious to mention, said sales will be on a credit of twelve months with interest from date, with note and approved security.

John Brock Executor of [illegible]
James Brock [illegible]

VALUABLE

LAND FOR SALE.

The undersigned offers for sale his Farm lying 3 miles South-west of Jacksonville, on the Boiling Spring road, containing

Three Hundred and Twenty Acres,

Upon which is about 250 acres open land—the place well watered and well timbered.

—ALSO—

Three Hundred and Twenty Acres lying contiguous to Town, one half of which, in fact, lies within the corporate limits of Jacksonville. In this tract, there are 180 or 200 acres in cultivation, the balance finely timbered. A first-rate Gin House, Screw and Thresher, and a never failing Well of water, constitute the chief improvements of this farm.

To any one who wishes to farm this is a desirable place; and lying, as it does, on one side of the town, and having many beautiful and eligible building sites, it offers inducements to other classes of purchasers.

—ALSO—

The HOUSE and LOT, now the residence of the undersigned, beautifully situated on Main street, second Block North of the Public Square.—This lot is well improved, having a comfortable Dwelling House, and all necessary out houses—Kitchen, Smoke house, Negro houses, Stables, Carriage house and a first-rate Garden spot. In addition to the above there is a fine, unfailing well of water in the front yard, and the whole premises are decorated with choice fruit trees.

This place, from its contiguity to the square, is the most eligible point in Town for a Private Boarding House.

—ALSO—

Two Hundred and Forty Acres of land, the joint property of D. T. Ryan and the undersigned, lying 15 miles North of Jacksonville on Ball Play Creek. Upon this place there are about 180 or 200 acres of rich bottom Land. This tract will be sold by either of the partners.

Any person wishing to purchase can call upon the undersigned, who will show any one, or all of these places and make known terms &c.

☞Payments will be made to suit purchasers.☜ B. C. WYLY.

Jacksonville, Oct 17 '57.

MEDICAL NOTICE.

DR. W. W. DICKIE, having permanently located at Alexandria, Benton county, Ala. offers his professional services to the citizens of the village and surrounding country, in the practice of Medicine and Surgery. He hopes by prompt attention to his business to merit a share of public patronage.

He can be found at Esq. A. P. Wade's, or his office, unless professionally engaged.

Alexandria Aug. 5, 1857.—6m.

TIN SHOP.

FARMER & NESBIT.

ARE prepared to do all sorts of Tin and Sheet Iron work, at the old stand of S. P. Hudson.

They will also keep COOKING STOVES to sell low for the *CASH.*

Still take old pewter and Beeswax in exchange for Tin ware.

FARMER & NESBIT.

sept. 30 1857.—tf.

CALL AND BE SUITED.

The undersigned is now receiving his

Fall and Winter

GOODS,

TO which he respectfully invites public attention. His STOCK, when fully received, will be *unusually* large, *fine* and *attractive.*

In **Ladies DRESS GOODS,** the undersigned thinks no house in this country, will offer superior inducements. And none perhaps, has ever equalled his charming stock of

CLOAKS

AND

MANTILLAS, BONNETS

Trimed and otherwise, in considerable variety, and of the most approved styles.

Gentlemen also, can be well suited, as the assortment in this line is full, and presents great variety. Some superior

Cloths, Overcoatings and Cassimeres.

Also a large and well-assorted supply of **READY MADE CLOTHING.**

The undersigned has *never* offered as large a Stock of Goods as the one now under consideration. Prices too, are moderate, considering the value of cotton. Cash customers shall have the value of their money.

All are invited to "call and be suited." E. L. WOODWARD.

Sept. 30 1857.—6t.

RYAN, TATE & ROWLAND,

ARE NOW RECEIVING THEIR

Fall & Winter Stock of

DRY GOODS,

CONSISTING of every article usually kept in this market, and many **NEW STYLES OF GOODS** that have not been brought to this place heretofore.

THEIR STOCK OF

LADIES DRESS GOODS

Bonnets and Mantillas

Will be hard to compete with in way of variety, style, and last but not least *prices.*

They beg leave to call the attention of their friends, and transient customers to their unprecedently large Stock of

WINTER CLOTHING,

Comprising every new style, up to the time of their purchases, which was made in the early part of this month. Pants and Vests ranging at prices from $1,50 to 16,00—Woolen Coats ranging at all prices from $2.25 to $20.00.

Thankful for past favors, they will hold themseleves in readiness at all times, to serve their friends to their perfect satisfaction.

Sept. 30—8t.

ALEX. WHITE,

Attorney at Law,

SELMA, *Ala.*

WILL *continue* to practice in the sev[illegible]

[illegible] 1857.—1y

MORE CLOTHING!

A. R. SMITH

HAS just received a large, fashionable and well selected stock of

FALL & WINTER

GOODS.

Including every variety usually called for in this market. His stock of

Ready Made Clothing

Will be found unusually large, of good material, durably made, and of the latest styles and fashions. Also **LADIES' DRESS GOODS,** In great variety and of superior quality.

For MEN'S WEAR, Cloths, Cassimeres, Satinets, and many other descriptions of Goods suitable for the Fall and Winter seasons.

Hardware and Cutlery, Nails, Guns, Spades and Shovels,

COLLINS AXES, a superior article.

Hats and Caps.

Boots, Shoes and Brogans.

Saddles, Bridles, *MARTINGALES, &c.*

China, Glass and Queensware.

Paints, Oils, Dyestuffs, &c. with many other articles too tedious to mention.

He earnestly solicits a call from his old friends and patrons, confident that he will offer such goods and such terms as will secure a continuation of their trading and also desires, by offering every reasonable inducement to secure as many new customers as possible Dont pass by without examining for yourselves.

Sept. 30, 1857.

RAIL-ROAD WARE-HOUSE.

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THE Subscriber having leased from the Ala. & Tenn. R. R. R. Co, their Ware-Houses, for three years, from the 1st of September next, propose doing a general Storage and Commission Business, at the following rates:

RATES OF STORAGE.

Storage on Cotton for the season 25c. per bale.
Receiving and forwarding Goods, 20c. per bbl.
If stored over one month, 10c additional

RATES OF COMMISSIONS.

For selling Cotton per bale,	50c.
Other Produce,	5 per ct.
For purchasing Goods,	2½ " "
Advancing Freights on Goods,	5 " "

Draying Cotton and Goods, no charge.

Persons depositing money for the purpose of paying freight, will be allowed 8 per cent.

Accounts for freight and storage, due when goods forwarded.

W. T. LUNDIE & CO.

Selma, August 12th 1857.

BENTON STEAM MILLS.

J. J. RALSTON & Co.

HAVE now on hand at their Steam Saw Mills 10 miles south of Jacksonville,

50,000 Feet of Lumber,

Well assorted and embracing every variety, for building, fencing and other purposes.

They will not only keep constantly on hand a large stock of lumber of the best quality, well dried when wanted, but fill orders promptly.

They will also in a short time have in operation their

PLANING MACHINE,

And will plain and tongue and grove lumber, upon the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

Send in your orders without fear of disappointment. aug. 26, 1857.—tf.

H. D. McADAMS. J. D. ARNOLD.

McADAMS & ARNOLD,

SURGEON DENTISTS,

Jacksonville Alabama.

ARE devoting their attention to their profession. All operations on the **TEETH** performed in the neatest and most durable manner.

BANKING & EXCHANGE BUSINESS.

CAPITAL $75,000.

THE *TALLADEGA INSURANCE COMPANY,* organized under an act of the Legislature, is now prepared for business in the Banking line generally.

Sight and Time Drafts purchased, and Bills of Exchange discounted, either on New York, Charleston, Mobile or New Orleans.

Checks at the lowest rates, sold on all the commercial points.

Notes, Drafts and ***Bills*** collected at the usual rates and prompt remittance made.

Money received on deposite, and certificates given. Cash remitted to the Secretary for checks or other purposes carefully acknowledged.

For the present their office will be kept in the counting room of Maj. J. I. B. Hare.

JAMES G. L. HUEY, *President.*

Matthew Turner. Jas. A. Curry.
Alex'r Bowie. Wm. L. Easton.
Thos. L. Barr. Levi W. Lawler.
J. C. Knox. *Directors.*

Sept. 2, 1856.—1y.

JOHN K. GOODWIN.

DEALER IN

English German & American.

HARDWARE.

SELMA, ALA.

Continues to keep a full supply of Hardware, from [illegible] Hoes, Locks, Hinges, Butts, Nails, Paints and Oils and Glass, Screws, [illegible], Circular Saws, M[illegible] & Cross cut Saws, Wood and Willow ware, Cotton and Manilla Rope, Gumbelting and Packing, Grates, Cooking Parlow and Office Stoves, and many others not mention in the above list. Soliciting a call from all visiting our city with the view to make Purchases in this line.

June 8 1857.—1y.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of administration, with the will annexed, were on the 22nd day of September, 1857, granted to the undersigned, upon the estate of Elisha Dulaney, late of the county of Benton, Ala. by the Probate Court of said county of Benton: all persons having claims against said estate are notified to present the same properly authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred—and those indebted to said estate, are required to make immediate payment.

M. J. TURNLEY,

General Administrator of Benton co. Ala.

Oct. 7. 1857.—6t.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of Administration on the Estate of Jesse M. Tatumn, dec'd having been granted to the undersigned, by the Probate Court of Benton County, Ala. on the 25th day of September, 1857: all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them legally authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred: and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Wm. W. [illegible], *Adm.*

Sept. 30 1857.—6t.

B. T. POPE

Attorney at Law,

ASHVILLE, ALA

J. B. & G. H. FORNEY,

HAVE the plesure of announcing to their customers and the public generally, that they are now prepared to exhibit an unusually large stock of

MERCHANDISE,

Suitable for the approaching season.

Purchasers are respectfully invited to examine our stock, which will be found unequaled in beauty, variety and extent, and at the very lowest market prices.

They return their heartfelt thanks for the large increase of business of late, and promise to use their best efforts to merit a continuance.

W. W. DRAPER and A. T. MARTIN are with us, and will be pleased to serve their friends.

Jacksonville, Oct. 7, 1857.—tf.

J. KAHN.

Dry Goods Emporium,

AND EMPIRE

Clothing Warehouse.

THE undersigned beg his friends and customers to accept his sincere thanks for the liberal patronage bestowed on his house, and respectfully solicit a call of the same, and the public in general to examine his new Fall and Winter Stock, which is uncommonly large in quantity and unsurpassed in quality. It is our intention to establish a permanent business in this vicinity, and this circumstance, combined with the fact, that our facilities for purchasing are very superior, will enable us to sell at the most reasonable and lowest terms.

To the Ladies we offer a beautiful and large variety of

China, Bayadere, Moire Antique, French Silks, Poplins; Delaine cachemeres, plain and figured Merinos, Robes etc:

A choice lot of CLOAKS, from the Mexican duster up to the fine Velvet and rich Moiree Antique Cloaks.

An unusual choice of Embroideries, Hosiery, etc. etc.

Parisienne BONNETS of the latest style.

To Gentlemen we offer a stock of

READY MADE

CLOTHING,

Which will not be equalled in variety and price in this section: from the heavy blanket and Satinett coat up to the fine broad cloth coat and Raglan, a choice of 500 coats and an equal lot of pants and vests. Particular attention is solicited to the superior make and finish of our clothing.

Shoes, Boots, Russets and plantation Goods of excellent quality at the lowest prices. JEWELRY and WATCHES of the best make.

In conclusion, we repeat again, to all who may favor us with a call, that our inducements will be superior. Come and see before purchasing elsewhere—we take pleasure in showing and pricing our Goods. J. KAHN.

Sep. 9, 1857.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, }
St. Clair County. }

Registers office for the 38th Chancery District, Northern Division of said State, on the 12th day of October, A. D., 1857.

THIS day came John Watkins and filed in this Court his petition in writing, alleging that he the said John Watkins, Philip Watkins, Evan Watkins jr., Bennett Watkins, & G. B. Watkins, held as joint owners or tenants in common, W ½ of the N E ¼ of Section 20, the N E ¼ of section 19, T 13 R 5 East, in the Huntsville land district, Ala.: said petition alleges that said lands cannot be equally partitioned or divided without a sale thereof, and that two of said Joint owners are dead, to-wit: *Bennett* Watkins and Philip Watkins: notice is hereby given to the Children and heirs of said Bennett Watkins, dec'd, whose ages and names are unknown, but who resides somewhere in the State of Arkansas, and to the heirs of said Philip Watkins, dec'd, as follows: William R. *Brown,* James P. Brown, and Amanda Caroline Carnette wife of A. *B.* Carnette who are of full age, Rufus J. Brown, Asad Brown, Andrew J. Brown, infants over fourteen years of age, Margaret *Brown,* R. B. *Brown,* John C. Brown, Reuben L. Brown, and Jefferson D. Brown, infants under fourteen years of age, and children of Delinda and Miller Brown, the said Delinda is dec'd, and said children reside with their Father, the said Miller Brown, in Pontotoc county, in the State of Mississippi and Sallie Nebraska Cox, infant child of Sarah E. and John H. J. Cox, who reside in Pontotoc county, State of Mississippi, with her said father, John H. J. Cox: Abner Wesson, Caroline Carroll, wife of ——— Carroll of full age, and resides somewhere in the State of Tennessee: Mary Griffin, wife of Logan Griffin, and John P. Wesson, who are of full age, and reside in Union county, State of Arkansas: Delinda Lee, wife of Carroll Lee, both of full age, and residents of some part of the State of Mississippi: Rebecca Wesson, wife of John Wesson of full age, and resides in parts unknown, Silvester Umphries and Bennet Umphries, of full age, and reside in some part of the State of Tennessee: Mary Morgan, wife of Thomas Morgan, and Martha Umphries, all of full age, and reside in some part of the State of Mississippi, and all of whom are heirs at law of the said Philip Watkins, that said petition has been filed for an order of court to sell the lands above described, for distribution among said joint owners or tenants in common, and that the 4th Monday in November next, is set by the Register of this court for the hearing of said application, that said non resident parties in interest or either of them, may then appear at the court house of said county, in Ashville, Ala., and contest said application if they think proper—this 12th day of October A. D. 1857.

Witness: THOMAS HAYDEN. Register, &c.

Oct. 21, 1857.—6t.

EXCHANGE.

SIGHT CHECKS AT ¼ PREMIUM, ON

NEW YORK.

For sale in sums to suit purchasers by ***James Isbell*** TALLADEGA, ALA.

He also keeps **Money** for discounting or loaning on sixty day Bills, payable in Mobile or New Orleans, and pays ***Cash*** for sight checks on all the Southern and Eastern Cities.

☞In his absence Mr. R. A. McMillan acts as his agent.

☞Liberal prices in CASH paid for LAND WARRANTS. Nov. 26, '56.

BLANKS

For Sale at this Office.

C. C. PORTER

Resident Surgeon Dentist;

Jacksonville, Ala.

MARTIN W. WHEELER,

Attorney at Law,

AND

Solicitor in Chancery,

Jacksonville, Ala.

WILL attend to all business, confided to him in Benton, Chrerokee and the adjoining conties. Nov., 26, 1856

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

BY virtue of an order granted to me, by the Probate judge of Macon County, I will sell to the highest bidder in Jacksonville Benton County, on the 2d monday in December next, the following land, belonging to the estate of Mary A. Inglett dec'd to wit: N. 1-2 of South West 1-4 of Section 28, T. 11 R. 6 in District of lands subject to sale at Lebanon containing Eighty acres.

Terms of Sale a credit of twelve months—note and two approved securities required.

J. H. HAGIN.

Oct. 24 1857 Adm'r.

LANDS

FOR SALE.

THE undersigned, Agents of Leroy Stowe, will sell to the highest bidder, on the premises, on the 25th of November next,

340 Acres of Land,

lying on each side of the Public road leading from Jacksonville to Greensport, 3 1-2 miles West of Jacksonville. Said Land is well improved, with a good framed Dwelling House, Out Houses, Stables, Cribs, &c; with about 70 acres cleared Land under good fencing, is well timbered and a very healthy location, and from experience, has proved to be very productive. We are authorized to sell said Lands at private sale and in Lots to suit purchasers, and will be sold as above if not previously disposed of, of which due notice will be given.

Terms, one half Cash on the 1st of January next, and the other half at 12 months from date, all bearing interest from day of sale. Note and approved securities will be required.

ROBT. ALEXANDER,
WM. H. FORNEY,
Oct 17 1857. *Agents.*

EDUCATIONAL.

THE School of A. N. Bernard will commence on Monday, September 14th. Location and Rates of Tuition the same as heretofore.

For particular information, please address Principal and sole Proprietor. A. N. BERNARD.

Sept. 9 1857.—tf.

ADMINISTRATORS SALE

OF

Personal Property,

UNder and by virtue of an order of the probate Court of Benton County, Alabama, made on the 6th day of Oct. 1857, I will as the administrator of the estate of Reuben Burch, deceased, proceed to sell upon the premises, on Saturday the 7th day of November next, at public auction, to the highest bidder, all the personal property belonging to said estate consisting of one Horse, three milch Cows, pork Hogs, and flock of Sheep, Farming tools, House hold and Kitchen furniture, and many other articles too tedious to mention. The sale will be on a credit of twelve months, with interest from date and note and approved security.

JOHN M. TEAGUE.

Administrator of estate of Reuben Burch dec'd.

Oct. 7th, 1857.—tds.

New Brick Ware-house,

SELMA, ALABAMA.

The subscribers, under the firm of [illegible] Keith & Spence will commence on the 1st of September, 1857, doing a general

Warehouse & Commission Business.

In their NEW BRICK WAREHOUSE, situated at the foot of Water street, at the following rates:

RATES OF STORAGE.

Storage of Cotton per month 25c.
" " over one month or for the season 37½c.

RATES OF COMMISSIONS.

For selling Cotton ⅌ bale 50c.
Other Produce 5 ⅌ ct.
For Purchasing Goods 2½ ⅌ ct.
Advancing Freights on Goods 5 ⅌ ct.
Draying Cotton and Goods, no charge.

Persons depositing money for the purpose of paying freights will be allowed 8 ⅌ ct.

Accounts for freight and storage due when Goods forwarded.

M. J. A. KEITH & CO.

Oct. 7, 1857.—1y.

[illegible], D. H. REMSON, J. T. [illegible]

THOMASON, REMSON & CO

BANKING & EXCHANGE OFFICE,

TALLADEGA, ALA.

☞They will act as agents in any business, if desired.

REFER TO

Hon. S. F. Rice, Montgomery, Ala.
" A. J. Walker, Talladega, "
" W. P. Chilton, Tuskegee, "
John T. Morgan, Esq. Selma, "
Wm. P. Davis, Esq. Jacksonville, Al.

☞Deposits received and Notes collected.

August 26, 1856.

RECEIVING & FORWARDING HOUSE.

The Central Ware-House Company at

SELMA ALA.

ARE prepared to receive and forward to their Depots all Goods and Produce intended for Shipment, by Railroad or by the River.

They have a large and commodious Brick Ware-House on the banks of the river and will furnish all needful accommodation and receive and forward Goods &c., at as low rates as can be done through any other channel.

They attend specially to the settlement of Freights and measurement of Goods and examination of Bills to see that they are correct before settlement, and take receipts and Bills of Lading for Goods and Produce, and forward them promptly to the proper parties.

They also receive Produce on consignment for sale, and do a

GENERAL COMMISSION BUSINESS.

GOODS & PRODUCE intended for this House, should be consigned specially to

The *Central* Ware-House Company.

SELMA, ALA.

OTHERWISE THEY ARE LIABLE TO MIS-CARRY, take a different direction.

J. W. LAPSLEY,
E. F. WATTS,
C. B. WHITE,
ROBT. HAGOOD, } Proprietors.

C. B. WHITE,
ROBT HAGOOD,
Managers,

Selma, Ala. April 15, 1857.

P. S. No Extra Charge for Drayage to or from Railroad Depot.

GROCERY AND PROVISION STORE.

HARDIE & STEELE.

WHOLESALE GROCERS AND DEALERS IN

FINE WINES, BRANDIES, SEGARS, TOBACCO, &c.

EAST END OF CENTRAL DEPOT BUILDINGS,

SELMA, ALA.

WE keep constantly on hand a large and complete assortment of Groceries for Family and Plantation use, consisting in part of the following articles

Provisions.

Bacon Sides,
Duffield Bagged and Plain Hams,
Pickled Pork, Dried Beef,
Beef Tongues, Lard,
Goshen Butter, in Kegs or Firkins,
Western, " " "
Cheese, English Dairy and Western,
Pine Apple Cheese,
Potatoes, Peas and Onions,
Soda Biscuit, Crackers,
'Huntley & Palmers' Cracknell Biscuit,
St. Louis extra & superfine Flour, lb.,
Country, " " " sacks,
Buckwheat, in lb., boxes and bags,
Salt, by the sack, coarse and fine.

Sugars.

Brown and Clarified, by H'hds.,
Powdered, Crushed, Loaf,
Granulated and Coffee Sugar,
N. O. Molasses and Syrup,
Stewarts extra Syrup, lb, and 1-2 lb.

Coffee.

Rio, in bags and half bags,
Laguira, " " "
Mocha, " " "
Old Government Java (in Packets.)

Teas.

Extra Fine Hyson,
Finest young "
Oolong and other Teas,

Brandies Wines & other Liquors.

Our stock is large and consists in part of the following choice brands.

Old Otard, Godort and Heidsic,
Old Maderia, Cherry, Old Port,
Claret of Julien and other Brands,
Champaigne, Scuppernong,
Sparkling Catawba,
"Tennants and Muirs" Scotch Ale,
"Best" London Porter,
Wolfe's Schiedam Schnapps,
Dexter in lb and 1-2 lb.
Welshire, " " "
Old Monongahela, " " "
Rye and Bourbon,
Ginger Wine, Champaigne Cider, Bitters,

Tobacco and Segars.

Regalia, Regenta,
Operas and Landires,
Chewing Tobacco—every Brand,
Spencers Calhoun Tobacco,
Smoking "
Snuff—Macaboy and Scotch,

Pickles, Preserves Catsups, &c.

Pickles—every variety,
Brandy Peaches,
" Cherries,
Tomato Catsup,
Walnut "
Sauces—every kind,
Lemon Syrup,
Pine Apple "
Raspberry "

Candles, Oils and Soap.

Sperm Candles,
Adamantine and Star,
Castile Soap,
Bar and Fancy,
Linseed Oil,
Lard & Train "

White Lead and Zinc.

Fish.

Mackerel, in Bbl., 1-2, 1-4 and Kits,
Salmon & Shad " " " "
Herring " " "
Codfish and Herring in boxes,

Sundries.

Nails, Indigo, Madder,
Copperas, Soda, Starch,
Pepper, Spices,
Assorted Candies,
Almonds, Figs, Currants,
Raisins, Cranberries,
Ink, Jug Ware,
Demijohns, Empty Kegs,
Cotton and Grass Rope,
Plow Lines, Brooms,
Blacking, Matches,
Painted Buckets,
Oak & Cedar "

We particularly invite the attention of Merchants to our large and complete stock embracing nearly every article usually kept in Retail Country Stores and Groceries. Our supplies for family use are also large and of the choicest quality. We also keep on hand a large stock of

INDIA & KENTUCKY BAGGING

MACHINE & HARD-SPUN ROPE to which we invite the attention of Planters.—We are constantly receiving additions to our already large stock from New York, Boston and New Orleans, which we purchase for cash, & therefore will sell upon a very small advance on first cost. The very highest market prices will be paid for Cotton in cash or in exchange for the above Goods. Give us a call and we warrant to please in price and quality. J. HARDIE. S. P. STEELE.

☞Highest market price paid for Land Warrants, Country Produce, &c. &c.

—IN ADDITION.—

We have just received from New Orleans and Boston.

40 000 Yards Kentucky bagging,
50.000 " India bagging.
300 Coil's best hand-spun rope,
200 " MACHINE "

☞We will furnish Bagging & Rope for cost except to those who will ship their Cotton to this market.

Selma, Ala. April 22, 1857. H. & S.

☞ **F. W. Francis** late of Jacksonville, Ala. is in the above House and will be happy to see his old friends, either in person or by order, who may desire to make purchases.

TALLADEGA Marble Manufactory.

The Subscriber would beg to inform the Citizens of Benton & Surrounding counties, that he is prepared to furnish all kinds of Monuments, Box-Tombs, Slabs, Head-stones, Table Tops, and all kinds of Building materials.

We would also say, that work put up at his establishment will be finished in good style. F. W. STEPHENS.

Talladega, June 1st 1857.—1y.

IRON.

The undersigned will keep constantly on hand a fine assortment of Iron for sale, of superior quality, suited for every description of work needed in this section of country.

He will also keep on hand, for Carriage Makers, a complete assortment, of BUGGY SPRINGS, AXLES, HUBS, SPOKES, FELLOWS, DASHES, & &c., which will be sold on very reasonable terms, and orders from a distance promptly filled, altogether for CASH.

WM. ADAMS.

sept. 2, 1857.—tf.

Take Special Notice.

I HEREBY respectfully notify the debtors of the firm [illegible], that he has lately disposed of his interest in the Grocery business at this place, and that the notes and accounts due him have been placed in my hands for immediate collection. His debtors can find me at my office, where I will be glad to see them and have them settle up, and save the one thing essential to the poor man.—tf.

B. A. BROOKS.

Sept. 23, 1857.—tf.

TRY HIM.

THE undersigned offers his services to the citizens of Jacksonville and vicinity in the execution of all kinds of Carpenter's Work. He will, for cash, furnish persons that he may work for with lumber at the customary prices, for any thing in the way of building, fencing or paling. He may always be found at his shop on Main street south of the court house.

H. B. JONES.

sep. 16, 1857.

Jacksonville Female SEMINARY.

THE third session of this institution will commence on Monday the last day of August, under the charge of Misses A. H. Bernard, Principal in the Litary Department & Miss M. E. Bernard, principal in vocal and instrumental music.

The Misses Bernard evince rare qualities as teachers, and are surpassed by none.

It is very desirable that the friends and patrons of this institution would send in their children and wards at an early day so that they may be properly classed; this is of much importance to the pupils and teachers. Tuition as heretofore.

E. T. READ, *Sec'y.*

Aug 5, 1857.

Fall Importations.

STIPES & ROWLAND.

WE are in receipt of our large Stock of **Fall and Winter Trade,** to which we invite the attention of buyers before purchasing. We are preparing to show as well *a selected stock and* of as good quality as was ever offered in this market. Our stock will be unsurpassed in

STAPLE & FANCY

GOODS.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF

CLOTHING

Is very complete, all made in Philadelphia, of the very best material, and workmanship.

We beg to call the attention of our friends and the public to our large stock which we are prepared to sell for cash, or to prompt paying customers at reduced prices.

Our usual stock of ***Groceries*** are now in store.

The CHINESE SUGAR SYRUP, made in Benton County, for sale.

October 7. 1857.—tf.

Medical College of Georgia.

AT AUGUSTA, Ga.

THE Twenty-sixth Course of Lectures in this Institution will commence on MONDAY, the 2nd of November next.

Emeritus Professor of Anatomy,
G. M. NEWTON, M. D.
Anatomy, H. F. CAMPBELL, M. D.
Surgery, L. A. DUGAS, M. D.
Institutes and Practice of Medicine,
L. D. FORD, M. D.
Mateira Medica, Therapeutics and Medical Jurisprudence, I. P. GARVIN, M. D.
Obstetrics and Diseases of Women and Infants, J. A. EVE, M. D.
Physiology and Pathological Anatomy.
H. V. M. MILLER, M. D.
Chemistry and Pharmacy,
ALEX. MEANS, M. D.
Demonstrator of Anatomy,
ROBT. CAMPBELL, M. D.
Assistant Demonstrator.
S. B. SIMMONS, M. D.
Adjunct to Professor of Surgery,
W. J. HOLT, M. D.

Clinical Lectures will be delivered by the Faculty in the City and Jackson street Hospitals.

Fee for the whole course, $105 00.
Matriculation Ticket, (to be taken once) $5.

For further particulars, apply to any member of the Faculty or to

Oct 14 '57 I. P. GARVIN, Dean.

JNO. C. MARRAST, *Mobile.* | R. H. LEE, *Perry County.*

Marrast & Lee,

Commission Merchants,

MOBILE.

LIBERAL Monied facilities extended to patrons. *Mobile, Ala. Oct. 14, '5*[illegible]

PHILPOT & LAPSLEY,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN

GROCERIES,

AND

Western Produce;

SELMA, ALA.

Which they offer for sale at lowest prices.

Foreign & Domestic Liquors.

Otard, Dupuy & Co. & Dennes Brandy
Madeira, Sherry, Champaigne and (Old London Dock) Port & Claret Wines,
Champagne Cider, Scotch Ale,
London Porter,
Jamaica and New England Rum,
Holland and American Gin,
Peach Brandy,
Monongahela, old Rye, Dexter Whiskey

Teas.

Choice Imperial, Gunpowder, Young Hyson and Black Teas.

Western Produce, &c.

Bacon, Sides, Shoulders and Hams,
Dried and Pickled Beef,
Bbl. and Keg Lard,
Kentucky and India Bagging,
Bale Rope and Twine,
Bbl. and Sack Flour.

Sugars.

New Orleans, Brown, Clarified, Crushed, Granulated and Powdered Sugars,
New Orleans Molasses and Syrup,
Candies in 25 & 5 lb. boxes.

Coffees.

Old Government and Brown Java, Laguyra, Green and Dark Rio Coffees.

WHITE LEAD & ZINC.

Tobacco.

Fine Twist and Fancy Roll,
Pure Bright, Golden Leaf and Dark Styles Tobacco;
Lorillard's and Goodwins' Tinsfoil and Smoking Tobacco
Maccaboy and Scotch Snuff.

CANDLES AND SOAP.

New Bedford Sperm, Adamantine Star;
No. 1 bar & fancy starch & soap.

Fruits, Pickles and Sundries.

Underwood's and other Pickles;
Catsup, Sauces and English Mustard;
West Ind. & Canton Ginger Preserves;
Yeast Powder, Soda and Saleratus.
Soda and Butter Crackers;
Sardines; Water Crackers.
White Wine and Apple Vinegar.
Pecan Nuts. 1500 Sacks Salt.
Extra Pearl and Corn Starch.

OILS.

Linseed, Lard, Olive and Train Oils.

FISH.

Mackerel, of every variety & size packages.
Cod Fish, Smoked Hering, Salmon and Sardines.

On hand at all times, a general stock of IRON AND NAILS.

D. J. KELLER will be glad to see his friends at this house. June 3, 1857

J. H. WRIGHT,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

JACKSONVILLE,

Alabama;

WILL practice in the Courts of Benton, St. Clair, DeKalb, Cherokee, Randolph & Talladega

Feb. 5, 1857.

SLOAN, SCOTT & CO.,

Rome, Georgia.

ARE at the *old stand* of Sloan, Hawkins & Co., and are receiving and offering to their friends and customers the largest and most splendid assortment of

STAPLE AND FANCY.

DRY GOODS.

ever brought to this market.

Also a large Stock of

GROCERIES.

Purchasers will consult their interests by calling and examining our stock.

A. M. SLOAN.
W. SCOTT.
S. W. ALLMAN.

May, 6, 1857—1 y.

ADMINISTRATORS SALE OF VELUABLE LAND.

UNDER and by virtue of an order and decree of the Probate court of Benton County Alabama made on the 20th day of October 1857. I will proceed to sell upon the premises to the highest bidder within the usual hours of Sheriff Sales, on Tuesday the 24th day of November next, the following described Tract of Land belonging to the estate of Hannah Brock deceased to-wit: the W. 1-2 of S. W. 1 4 Sec. 5 T. 17 of R 7 East in the Coosa Land District, sold for division said Tract contains 80 acres and is situated in Talladega county near Silver Run Post Office and is well adapted to farming purposes. Sold on a credit of twelve *months* with interest from date, and note with two approved personal securities will be required, to secure the purchased money.

John Brock Admr. of Estate of Hannah Brock dec.

Oct 24 1857.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

LETTERS of Administration upon the estate of Thomas Henderson, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, by the Probate court of Benton county, Ala. on the 28th day of September, 1857: notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them, legally authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred: and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

M. P. HENDERSON, Adm.

Oct. 7, 1857.—6t.

L. G. STURDEVANT. WM. H. RAY.

STURDEVANT & RAY,

Wholesale and Retail

GROCERS,

CORNER OF WATER AND GREEN STS.,

Near the Ala. and Tenn. R R. R. Depot,

SELMA, ALABAMA.

KEEP constantly on hand a well selected assortment of

Groceries and Provisions,

of all kinds. Our stock consists in part of the following, to wit:

Salt; Coffee;
Sugar, Molasses;
Chockolate; Teas.
Rice, Bacon, Lard;
Cheese; Flour;
Buckwheat Flour;
Potatoes;
Whiskey, Rum;
Brandy—American Cogniac & Peach;
Wine; Vinegar;
Sp'ts Turpentine;
Lard Oil; Candles;
Soap; Starch; Soda;
Yeast Powdears;
Mackerel; Pickels;
Tobacco; Snuff;
Powder; Shot,
Best Fall River Nails
Jug Ware; Buckets;
&c., &c., &c.

Bagging and rope.

We are determined not to be undersold by any other House for CASH.—Our motto is, *Quick Sales and Small Profits.* All Goods purchased of us guaranteed to be as represented.

The highest market price will be paid for all kind of Country Produce, either in cash, or in exchange for Goods.

June 3. 1857 1y.

TENNESSEE EXCHANGE.

DRISKILL & NEWMAN,

(SUCCESSORS TO B. C. GEORGE.)

HAVE received and are now offering to the Citizens of Jacksonville and vicinity at the old stand of B. C. George, a splendid lot of

FAMILY GROCERIES,

Coffee,
Bro. Sugar,
Crush, "
Loaf, "
Molasses,
N O Syrup
Rice,
Pepper
Spice, "
Ginger
Soda,
Tea.
Cheese
Crackers
Oysters
Sardines
Almonds
Pecan Nuts
Raisins
Candy stick
Fancy
Mackerel
Soap
Blacking
Candles (Tallow)
" (Star)
Matches
Nails
Powder
Shot
Lead
Per. Caps
Snuff
Flasks
Jars
Bottles

ALSO—a splendid lot of choice

TOBACCO & CIGARS.

LIQUORS BY THE WHOLESALE.

Brandy, Wine, Gin and Whiskey of various brands. Intending to keep constantly on hand the above articles and offering them as we do at very short profits, we solicit and shall endeavor to be worthy of a liberal patronage.

Also a large lot of BACON & LARD on hand.

April 15, 1857.—tf.

KERRISON & LEIDING.

IMPORTERS OF

FANCY DRY GOODS.

Silks, Linens, Hosiery, Embroideries, &c.

No. 141, MEETING ST. opposite Hayne st.

CHARLESTON, S. C.

E. H. KERRISON,
HERMANN LEIDING. } Aug. 5. 1857.—1y.

BAGGING AND ROPE,

12 000 LBS. Best Rope, every coil *warranted.*

10,000 YDS. Gunny Cloth, 2 ¼ lb to the yard at prices corresponding with the lowest markets.

For sale by J. B. & G. H. FORNEY.

June 10, 1857

PIANO FORTE AGENCY

AND

MUSIC STORE,

SELMA, ALA.

HAVING obtained the agency for the following named manufacturers, viz:

Nunns & Clark,
Light, Newton & Bradbury,
Raven, Bacon & Co.
W. P. Emerson,
F. Gilbert, (Eolian Attach.)
Chickerings.

The subscriber will keep an assortment of their Instruments on hand, which he will sell at maker's prices, adding only the expense of transportation. Also Melodeons and Organ Harmoniums.

A LARGE STOCK OF

Sheet Music & Music Books,

Including Instruction Books for all Instruments. Also,

Violins,
Guitars,
Flutes,
Banjos,
Accordeons,
Concertinas, &c.

In short every thing in the line of Musical Merchandise may be obtained as low as in any market from

J. W. BLANDIN.

Ware Rooms, Broad street, Selma, Ala.

September 23, 1857.—5m.

JOHN D. HOKE & BR

At their Store in Jacksonvi

ARE NOW RECEIVING THEIR

FALL & WINTER

STOCK OF

GOODS.

COMPRISING a better selection th usual, at the lowest prices for CA or punctual credit.

In their Stock may be found the most desirable Cloths, Carsimers, Satinets, Tweeds, Blankets—French and English Merinoes, solid colored and richly figured Cashmeres and De Laines, Mohair, Lustries and Alapacas, [illegible] Beiges, Winter Ginghams and Prints of the most beautiful designs; Opera Flannels; Moire Antique, Wartered, Figured & Plain **SILKS**; Ladies **Cloaks,**

Hats and Bonnets,

Boots and Shoes;

CLOTHING;

DRY GOODS Generally;

Harkware & Cutlery; Crockery; Drugs and Medicines; Books and Stationary; Carriage and Buggy articles, Hraness and Saddles, and nearly every articles in demand with a very superior selection of the Anchor BOLTING CLOTHS.

Jacksonville, October, 7, 1857.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

LETTERS *Testamentary upon the* Estate of Marshal Bryant, late of St. Clair county, Ala. Decd. having been granted to the undersigned, on the 12th day of October A. D. 1857, by the Judge of Probate for said County; notice is hereby given to all persons having claimes against said Estate, to present them, legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred.

SOLOMAN KILGROE, *Executor.*

Oct. 21, 1857.—6t.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

LETTERS of Administration on the Estate of Mary Easly decd. having been granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of Benton County, Ala, on the 5th day of October, 1857; notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them, legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law or they will be barred: and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

BENJ. EASLEY,
J. B. EASLEY, } Adms.

Oct. 21st. 1857.—6t.

NOTICE.

ALL persons are forewarned from trading for a certain promissary note, given by the undersigned to J. W. Bagley, for the sum of five Hundred Dollars, dated the 7th day of October, 1857, and due we think the 25th day of December, 1858. As the consideration for which said note was given has entirely failed, we are determined not to pay the same, unless compelled by Law,

G. H. GASAWAY.
W. H. GASAWAY.

Oct. 21st 1857.

ABNER WILLIAMS,

(*Late of Talladega.*)

COMMISSION MERCHANT,

Selma Ala.,

WILL give *personal attention* to the *sale* of *Cotton,* Flour, &c., and will fill orders with fidelity and dispatch, when accompanied with *Cash* or *Cotton.*

Bagging and Rope advanced on favorable terms to those consigning him Cotton for sale. A liberal patronage is respectfully solicited.

Office—Water st.—west of Central Depot. Selma, Oct. 21, 1857.—1y.

Land For Sale.

I will offer for sale to the highest bidder, on Monday the 16th day of November, 1857, a valuable Tract of Land, lying on Cove Creek, one mile west of Hoke's Bluff—one payment to be made on 25th December next, and the balance in one and two years.

There is on the place a fine Flouring and Corn Mill—some 50 acres of cleared Land in a high state of cultivation—some fine fruit trees—several springs and a never failing well of good water—a good dwelling house and out houses.

N. COPELAN.

Oct. 21, 1857.—4t.

GROCERIES

—AT—

Wetumpka and Selma Prices.

We will keep constantly on hand, a large stock of GROCERIES, direct from New Orleans, New York and Baltimore, consisting in part of Rio & Java COFFEE, Crushed and Brown Sugars, Molasses, Salt, Western Cheese, Goshen Butter, Star Candles, Family Starch Bar & Toilet Soaps, Pepper, Spice, Ginger, Copperas, Soda, Sardines, Butter Crackers, Pickles, Tobacco, Cigars, Cotton and Manilla Rope, Nails, &c.

A large portion of the above named articles we will sell as low as they can be bought at any points in the State; & will sell any article in the Grocery line at Selma and Wetumpka prices with freight added.

We also have on hands a large stock of

DRY GOODS,

Hats, Boots & Shoes, Hardware Queensware, &c.—all of which we purchased exclusively for cash and are selling at small profits on the same terms.

J. H. BRADFORD & CO.

Talladega, Ala. Feb. 5, 1857.—1y.

STATE OF ALABAMA, }
BENTON COUNTY. }

Court of Probate for Benton county, Alabama, Special term, Oct. 20, 1857.

THIS day came J. C. McAuley, Executor of the estate of James Hampton, deceased, and filed his written petition, praying an order of court, authorising him to sell all the Personal Property belonging to said Estate, consisting of eight Negroes, one Mare, Mules, Cattle and Hogs, Farming Tools, the present year's Crop, and various other articles, too tedious to mention.

It is ordered by the court, that Monday the 16th day of November next be set for the hearing of said petition & that notice thereof be given by publication for three successive weeks, prior to said day, in the Jacksonville Republican, a weekly newspaper printed and published in the town of Jacksonville, in said county, as a notice to all persons concerned, to be and appear at a special term of said court to be holden at the court house of said county, on said Monday the 16th day of November next, and defend against said petition if they think proper.

Witness: A. Woods, Judge of said court at office this 20th day of October, A. D 1857. A. WOODS, *Judge*

Oct. 21, 1857. of Probate.

B. A. BROOKS,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

JACKSONVILLE,

Alabama.

SWAN & CO'S. LOTTERIES
NEW AND BRILLIANT SCHEMES

CAPITAL PRIZE
$60,000

The following Scheme will be drawn by S. SWAN, & Co., Managers, of the Fort Gains Academy Lottery, in each of their Lotteries for Oct. 1857, at AUGUSTA, Georgia, to which city they have removed their Principal Office.

CLASS 56.
To be drawn in the City of Augusta Georgia, in public, on
Saturday, Oct. 3d, 1857.

Class 57.
To be drawn in the City of Augusta Georgia, in public on
Saturday, Oct, 10th, 1857.

CLASS 58
To be drawn in the City of Augusta, Ga. in public, on
Saturday, Oct. 17th, 1857,

CLASS 56.
To be drawn in the City of Augusta, Georgia, in public, on
Saturday, Oct. 24th, 1857.

Class 60.
To be drawn in the *City* of Augusta Georgia, in public on
Saturday, Oct. 31st, 1857.

ON THE PLAN OF
SINGLE NUMBERS!!

Five Thousand four hundred and Ninety-Five Prizes!

NEARLY ONE PRIZE TO
EVERY NINE TICKETS!!
MAGNIFFICENT SCHEME.

TO BE DRAWN
EACH SATURDAY IN OCT.

1	Prize of	$60,000	5		900
1	"	25,000	5	Prizes of	800
1	"	12,000	5	"	700
1	"	7,000	5	"	600
1	"	5,000	5	"	500
1	"	3,500	5	"	400
1	"	1,500	170	"	150
5	"	1,000	210	"	100

APPROXIMATION PRIZES.

4	pri's of	$400	apx to	$60,000 Pr is	$1,600
4	"	300	"	25,000 " "	1,200
4	"	200	"	12,500 " "	800
4	"	125	"	7,000 Pr are	500
4	"	100	"	5,000 " "	400
4	"	75	"	3,500 " "	300
4	"	50	"	1,500 " "	200
5,000	"	20	are		100,000

5,495 Prizes amounting to **$320,000**
Tickets, $10—Halves $5—Quarters $2½

PLAN OF THE LOTTERIES.

The numbers from 1 to 50,000, corresponding with those Numbers on the Tickets printed on separate slips of paper, are encircled with small tin tubes, and placed in one wheel.

The first 467 Prizes, similarly printed and encircled, are placed in another wheel.

The wheels are then revolved, and a number is drawn from the wheel of Numbers, and at the same time a Prize is drawn from the other wheel. The number and Prize drawn out are opened and exhibited to the audience, and registered by the Commissioner, the Prize being placed against the number drawn. This operation is repeated until all the Prizes are drawn out.

Approximation Prizes.—The two proceeding and the two succeeding Numbers to those drawing the first 7 Prize, will be entitled to the 28 Approximation Prizes. For example: if Ticket No. 11250 draws the $60,000 Prize, those Tickets numbered 11248, 11249, 11251 11252, will each be entitled to $400. If Ticket No. 550 draws the $25,000 Prize, those Tickets numbered 548, 549, 551, 552, will each be entitled to $300, & so on according to the above Scheme.

The **3,000 Prizes of $20** will be determined by the last figure of the Number that draws the $60,000 Prize. For example, if the Number drawing the $60,000 Prize ends with No. 1, then all the Tickets where the number ends in 1 will be entitled to $20. If the Number ends with No. 2, then all the Tickets where the Number ends in 2 will be entitled to $20, and so on to 0.

Certificates of Packages will be sold at the following rates which is the risk:

Cer'ate of Package of	10	Whole Tickets		$80
Certificate	"	10 Half	"	40
"	"	10 Quarter	"	20
"	"	10 Eighths	"	10

In Ordering Tickets or Certificates,

Enclose the money to our address for the Tickets ordered, on receipt of which they will be forwarded by first mail.

Purchasers can have tickets ending in any figure they may designate.

The List of Drawn Numbers and Prizes will be sent to purchsers immediately after the drawing.

☞ Purchasers will please write their signatures plain, and give their Post Office, County and State.

☞ Remember that every Prize is drawn, and payable in full without deduction.

All Prizes of 1,000 and under, paid immediately after the drawing—other Prizes at the usual time of thirty days.

All communications strictly confidential. Address Orders for Tickets or certificates

S. SWAN, & Co., Augusta, Ga.

Persons residing near Montgomery, Ala or Atlanta, Ga., chan have their orders filled, and save time, by addressing S. Swan & Co., at either of those cities.

☞ A list of the numbers that are drawn from the wheel, with the amount of the prize that each one is entitled to, will be published after every drawing, in the following papers:—*New Orleans Delta, Mobile Register, Charleston Standard, Nashville Gazette, Atlanta Intelligencer, New York Weekly Day Book, and Savannah Morning News, Richmond Dispatch and New York Dispatch, and Paulding (Miss.) Clarion.*

STATE OF ALABAMA, }
BENTON COUNTY. }
Court of Probate for Benton County, Ala., Special term, Oct. 19th, A. D. 1857.

THIS day came Nancy E. Hollingsworth, administratrix of the estate of Jacob J. Hollingsworth, dec'd, and filed her account and vouchers for a final settlement of said estate.

It is ordered by the court, that Saturday the 21st day of Nevember next, be set for examining, stating and reporting said account, allowing said vouchers and making said settlement; and that notice thereof be given by publication in the Jacksonville Republican, a weekly newspaper printed and published in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day, as a notice to all persans concerned, to be and appear at a special term of said court, to be holden at the court house of said county, on said Saturday the 21st day of November next, and contest said settlement, if they think proper.

Witness, A. Woods, Judge of said court, at office this 19th day of October, 1857.

A. WOODS, *Judge of*
Oct. 21, 1857. Probate.

JOHN I. THOMASON. THOMAS HAYDEN
THOMASON & HAYDEN,
Attorneys at Law,
AND
Solicitors in Chancery,
ASHVILLE, ALA.

WILL pay strict attention to all business entrusted to their care in the Counties of Jefferson, Blount, Shelby, [illegible] DeKalb, Cherokee, Benton and [illegible] the Supreme Court of [illegible]

JACKSONVILLE
Female Academy.

THE next term of this Institution will commence on the 31st day of August, 1857, and continue 21 weeks.

In the management of this School, the grand object of Education,—combining thorough intellectual training with the acquisition of practical knowledge—will be constantly kept in view. No merely mechanical routine of class-exercises will be observed; but the recitations will be conducted so as to require of the pupils reflection and independent investigation, the only means of giving strength and vigor of the mind. As our three-fold nature cannot be harmoniously developed if physical Education be neglected; Physiology will be included in the course of instruction, together with such gymnastic exercises as are calculated to promote physical health and symmetry.

If it is regarded as a matter of interest to this community and country, that the Jacksonville Female Academy should become a flourishing, and permanently popular Institution, let it be remembered that this can never be effected without the prompt and hearty co-operation of the friends of Education in this vicinity.

Rates of Tuition as heretofore established by the Board of Trustees, with the exception of Drawing.

Penciling : : : : : :	$4 00
Crayon Landscapes, : : : :	4 00
" Figures, : : : : :	6 00
Penciling, Crayoning, and Perspective. : : : : :	10 00

Instruction in Vocal Music & Calisthenies given to all free of charge.

ANNA J. HAWLEY, Preceptress.
Jacksonville Ala. Aug. 12, 1857.—tf.

Land for Sale.

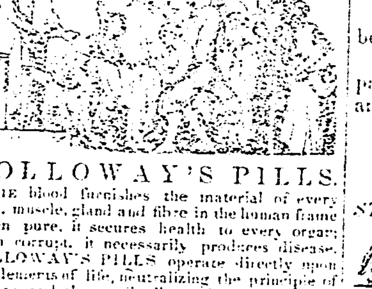
THE undersigned offers for sale his tract of land containing

320 ACRES,

lying in Benton County four miles miles South of Jacksonville on the Oxford Road, and the Selma Rail Road running through a portion, but not so as to injure. There is 200 of level land, and the land well timbered with ordinary improvements, as well wartered as any place in the County, four or five unfailing Springs of the purest water, in various parts of the land and plenty of stock water. It is also convenientiy situatad for range for Stock, and with many other conveinces too tedious to mention. A bargain may be obtained on this land by application soon and if not sold at private sale, it will be sold to the highest bidder, on the 1st Monday in August next.

J. D. HALLUM.
July 15 1857.

HEALTH OR SICKNESS
CHOOSEN BETWEEN THEM



HOLLOWAY'S PILLS.

THE blood furnishes the material of every bone, muscle, gland and fibre in the human frame. When pure, it secures health to every organ; when corrupt, it necessarily produces disease. HOLLOWAY'S PILLS operate directly upon the elements of life, neutralizing the principle of disease, and thus radically curing the malady whether located in the nerves, the stomach, the liver, the bowels, the muscles, the skin, the brain, or any other part of the system.

USED Throughout The WORLD!

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS are equally efficacious in complaints common to the whole human race, and in disorders peculiar to certain climates and localities.

ALARMING DISORDERS

Dyspepsia, and derangement of the liver, the source of infirmity and suffering, and the cause of innumerable deaths, yield to these curatives, in all cases however aggravated, acting as a mild purgative, alterative and tonic; they relieve the bowels, purify the fluids, and invigorate the system and the constitution at the same time.

General Weakness, Nervous Complaints. When all stimulants fail, the renovating and bracing properties of these Pills give firmness to the shaking nerves and enfeebled muscles of the victim of general debility.

DELICATE FEMALES

All irregularities and ailments incident to the delicate and sensitive organs of the sex are removed or prevented by a few doses of these mild, but infallible alteratives. No mother who regards her own or her children's health should fail to have them within her reach.

Scientific Endorsements.

The London 'Lancet,' the London 'Medical Review,' and the most eminent of the faculty in Great Britain, France and Germany, have eulogized the Pills and their inventor.

Holloway's Pills are the best remedy known in the world for the following diseases:

Asthma	Headache
Bowel Complaints	Indigestion
Coughs	Influenza
Colds	Inflammation
Chest Diseases	Inward Weakness
Costiveness	Liver Complaints
Dyspepsia	Lowness of Spirits
Diarrhoea	Piles
Dropsy	Stone and Gravel
Debility	Secondary Symptoms
Fever and Ague	Venereal affections
Female Complaints	Worms of all kinds.

☞ Sold at the Manufactories of Professor HOLLOWAY, 80 Maiden Lane, New York, and 244 Strand, London, by all respectable Druggists and Dealers in Medicine throughout the United States and the civilized world, in boxes at 25 cents, 62½ cents, and $1 each.

☞ There is a considerable saving by taking the larger sizes.

N. B.—Directions for the guidance of patients in every disorder are affixed to each box.

February 25, 1857.

CAUTION!—None are genuine unless the words "*Holloway, New York and London,*" are discernable as a *water-mark* in every leaf of the book of directions around each pot or box; the same may be plainly seen by *holding the leaf to the light.* A handsome reward will be given to any one rendering such information as may lead to the detection of any party or parties counterfeiting the medicines or vending the same, knowing them to be spurious.

STATE OF ALABAMA, }
BENTON COUNTY }
Court of Probate for Benton County, Alabama, Special Term Oct. 20th A. D. 1857.

THIS day came H. L. and P. J. Pettit, Administrators of the estate of John P. Pettit dec'd, and filed their writen petition, praying an order of said court, authorizing them to sell for division five *Slaves*, Horses, Mules, Cattle, Hogs and various other articles, too tedious to mention,

It is ordered, that Monday the 16th day of November next, be set for the hearing of said petition, and that notice thereof be given by publication in the "Jacksonville Republican," a newspaper printed in said county, for three successive weeks, prior to said day, as a notice to all persons concerned, to be and appear at a special term of said court, to be holden at the Court House of said county on said Monday the 16th day of November, 1857, and defend against said petition if they think proper.

Witness A. Woods, Judge of said court, at office on this 20th day of Oct, A. D. 1857. A. WOODS,
Oct. 21 '57—3t, Judge of Probate

DR. W. W. BLISS'
Dyspeptic Remedy,

WITH full directions and description of symptoms—Just received and for sale by HENDRICK & NESBIT.

MERCHANT'S CELEBRATED
GARGLING OIL
for
MAN & BEAST

Has been before the public more than 20 years and is deservedly popular in the cure of

Spavins, Sweeney, Ringbone, Windgalls, Poll Evil, Callous, Cracked Heels, Gall of all kinds, Fresh Wounds, Sprains, Bruises, Fistula, Sitfast, Sand Cracks, Strains, Lameness, Foundered Feet, Scratches or Grease, Mange, Foot Rot in Sheep, Garget in Cows, Rheumatism, Bites of Animals, External Poisons, Painful Nervous Affections, Frost Bites, Boils, Corns, Whitlows, Burns and Scalds, Chillblains, Chapped Hands, Cramps, Contractions of the Muscles, Swellings, Weakness of the Joints, Caked Breasts, Sore Nipples, Piles, &c.

☞ Pamphlets gratuitously furnished by agents, with Testimonials of its utility.

All orders addressed to the Proprietors, M. H. TUCKER & Co., Lockport, N. Y.

Be sure that the name of the originator is in his own hand-writing over the cork, and these words are blown in the glass of the bottle: "G. W. MERCHANT, Lockport, N. Y." None other can be genuine.

☞ For sale by Druggists and Merchants generally, through the United States, British Possessions, and other Countries. And by

HENDRICK & NISBET, Jacksonville,
R. M. DICKSON, Alexandria: and by Dealers of Med. generally in the vicinity. Wholesale by J. C. DUBOSE & co Mobile, R. L. Ross, Tuscumbia, and by Dealers in all commercial Towns.

July 1, 1857.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of Administration having been on the 3d of September, 1857, granted to the undersigned, by the Probate Court of St. Clair County Ala. on the estate of Pheriba H. Woolley, decd: all persons having claims against said Estate, must present them within eighteen months or they will be barred. This 3d day of September A. D. 1857.

JAMES M. WOOLLEY, *Adm.*
sept. 9, 1857.—6t.

STONE'S HOTEL,
WATER STREET, SELMA, ALA.

THE undersigned return their sincere thanks to the public for the liberal patronage they have received, and solicit a continuence of the same. We promise no pains shall be spared to make those comfortable who may favor us with a call.

The Table shall be furnished with the best the market affords.

We have a fine OMNIBUS to convey passengers to and from Boat Landings and Railroad Depots *free of charge.*

J. M. *STONE*, P. C. STONE.
Manager. *Proprietor.*
June 3 1857: 1y

STATE OF ALABAMA, Benton County.

TAKEN UP by Joseph Watson, and posted before Wm. Kennedy, Esq on the 18th day of Sept'r, 1857, a certain estray Sorrel Mare, about sixyears old, about 14 hands high; feet white, and has a scar on the right hind foot between the hoof and pastern joint; has a small white spot on each shoulder and blaze in her face—appraised to eighty five dollars.

A. WOODS, *Judge of Probate.*
Sept. 23, 1857.

M P. STOVALL,
WAREHOUSE AND COMMISSION MERCHANT,
Augusta, Georgia.

CONTINUES the business in all its branches, in his extensive Fire Proof Warehouse, on Jackson st, near the Globe Hotel. His strict personal attention will, as heretofore, be given to the storage and sale of Cotton, Grain, and produce generally.

He will, when desired, make liberal cash advances on produce in store.

Orders for family supplies, **Bagging, Rope**, &c., will be promptly and carefully filled, at the lowest market prices.

Commission for selling Cotton, Fifty Cents per bale. Sept. 23, 1857.

STATE OF ALABAMA, }
BENTON COUNTY. }
Court of Probate for Benton county, Alabama, Special Term, Oct. 19th, A. D. 1857.

THIS day came William Henry, Admr of the estate of C. C. Henry, dec'd, and filed his account and vouchers for a final settlement of said estate.

It is ordered by the court, that Saturday the 21st day of November next be set for examining, stating, and reporting said account, allowing said vouchers and making said settlement, and that notice thereof be given by publication in the Jacksonville Republican a weekly newspaper published in the Town of Jacksonville, in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day, as a notice to all persons concerned, to be and appear at a special term of said court, to be holden at the court house of said county, on said Saturday the 21st day of November next, and contest said settlement if they think proper.

Witness, A. Woods, Judge of said court at office this 19th day of Oct. A. D. 1857.

A. WOODS, Judge of
Oct. 21, 1857. Probate.

Executor's Notice.

LETTERS Testamentary on the estate of James Hampton, dec'd. having been granted to the undersigned, by the Probate Court of Benton county, Ala. on the 7th day of October, 1857: notice is hereby given to all persons having claims said estate, to present them, legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

JOSEPH C. McAULEY, *Ex'r.*
Oct. 14, 1857.—6t.

Negro Man for Sale.

Will be sold on Wednesday 28th day of October 1857, between the hours of 12 o'clock M. & 3 o'clock P. M. at public outcry, to the highest bidder for one half cash, & the other half on credit until 1st March 1858, a valuable Negro Man—about 35 to 40 years old—of good quality, understands most of farming business,—of industrious habits, and needs no watch to keep him at work.

Also a genteel two horse BARUCH, and harness:

Title good—cause of sale, need of money. COME & SEE.
Oct. 14, 1857.—tds.

JOB WORK
NEATLY EXECUTED
—AT—
THIS OFFICE.

WHO WANTS MONEY?
$60,000

MAY BE OBTAINED BY RISKING 10 DOLLARS.

Halves & Quarter Tickets
IN PROPORTION.
JASPER COUNTY ACADEMY
LOTTERY.
BY AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA.
HAVANA PLAN, single NUMBERS.
30,000 TICKETS.
3,286 Prizes
Amounting to $215,260
Prizes payable without deduction.
ANDERSON & SON,
MANAGERS,
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IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.

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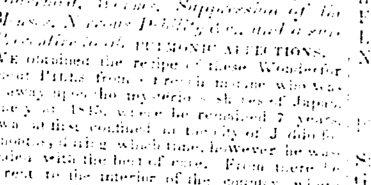

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July 15 1857.—tf.

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If you are bitten by a rabid dog, or scratched by a spiteful cat, stung by a venomous snake, or other reptile, Radway's ready relief poured into the wound will neutralize the poison, and prevent inflammation or mortification taking place. It has saved the lives of many hunters who have been stung by snakes, and other poisonus reptiles.

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is secured to all who will take one or two of Radway's regulators once or twice a week. The weak grow strong, and the lean, fat—the nervous, fretful and gloomy, are changed to a strong condition of body, and a happy flow of spirits.—All who take them are delighted with their operation. All the good derived from the use of other pills, are secured by the use of Radway's regulators, without entailing the evil effects of common drastic pills upon the system.

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