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SPRING.

A flush of green is on the boughs,
A warm breath panteth in the air,
And in the earth a heart pulse there
Throbs underneath the breast of snows.

Life is astir among the woods,
And by the moor and by the streams,
The year as from a torpid dream,
Wakes in the sunshine on the buds—

Wakes up in music as the song
Of woodbird wild, and loosened rill
More frequent from the windy hill
Comes greening forest aisles along—

Wakes up in beauty as the sheen
Of woodland pool the gleams receives
Through bright flowers, of braided leaves,
Of broken sunlights golden gleam.

She sees the outlaw'd winter stay
Awhile, to gather after him
Snow robes, frost crystal'd diadem,
And then in soft showers pass away.

She could not love rough winter well,
Yet cannot choose but mourn him now;
So wears awhile on her young brow
His gift—a gleaming icicle

Then turns her, loving to the sun,
Upheaves her bosom's swell to his,
And, in the joy of his first kiss,
Forgets for awe that sterner one.

Old winter's pledge from her he reaves—
That icy cold, though glittering spar—
And zones her with a green cymar,
And girdles round her brow with leaves;

The primrose and wood violet
He tangles in her shining hair
And teaches elfin breezes fair
To sing her some sweet canzonet.

All promising long summer hours,
When she in his embrace shall lie,
Under the broad dome of the bright sky,
On mossy couches star'd with flowers.

Till she smiles back again to him
The beauty beaming from his face,
And, rood in light, glows with the grace
Of Eden-palaced cherubim.

O Earth! thy glowing loveliness
Around our very hearts has thrown
An undimmed joyance, all its own
And sunn'd us o'er with happiness.
—[*Dublin University Magazine*

IDLE HANDS.

BY T. S. ARTHUR.

Mr. Thornton came home at his usual midday hour, and as he went by the parlor door, he saw his daughter, a young lady of nineteen, lounging on the sofa with a book in her hands. The whir of his wife's sewing machine struck on his ear at the same moment. Without pausing at the parlor, he kept on to the room whence came the sound of industry.

Mrs. Thornton did not observe the entrance of her husband. She was bending close down over her work, and the noise of the machine was louder than his footsteps on the floor. Mr. Thornton stood looking at her some moments without speaking.

"Oh, dear!" exclaimed the tired woman, letting her foot rest on the tredle, and straightening herself up, "the pain in my side is almost beyond endurance."

"Then why do you sit, killing yourself there?" said Mr. Thornton.

Mr. Thornton's aspect was unusually sober.

"What is the matter? Why do you look so serious?" asked his wife.

"Because I feel serious," he answered.

"Has anything gone wrong?" Mrs. Thornton's countenance grew slightly troubled. Things had gone wrong in her husband's business more than once, and she had learned to dread the occurrence of disaster.

"Things are wrong all the time," was replied with some impatience of manner.

"In your business?" Mrs. Thornton spoke a little faintly.

"No, nothing specially out of the way there; but it is all wrong at home."

"I do not understand you Harvey. What is wrong at home, pray?"

"Wrong for you to sit in pain and exhaustion over that sewing machine, whilst an idle daughter lounges over a novel in the parlor. That's what I wish to say."

"It isn't Effie's fault. She often asks to help me; but I can't see the child put down to household drudgery. Her time will come soon enough. Let her have a little ease and comfort while she may."

"If we said that of our sons," replied Mr. Thornton, "and acted on the word what efficient men they would make for the world's work! How admirably furnished they would be for life's trials and duties!"

"You are wrong in this thing—all wrong," continued the husband. "And as to the ease and comfort as you say, if Effie is a right minded girl, she will have more true enjoyment in the consciousness that she is lightening her mother's burdens, than it is possible to obtain from the finest novel ever written. Excitement of the imagination is no substitute for that deep peace of mind that ever accompanies and succeeds the right discharge of daily duties. It is a poor compliment to Effie's moral sense to suppose that she can be contented to sit with idle hands, or to employ them in light frivolities, while her mother is worn down with toil beyond her strength. Hester it must not be!"

"And it shall not be!" said a quick firm voice.

Mr. Thornton and his wife started and turned to the speaker, who had entered the room unobserved, and had been a listener to nearly all the conversation we have recorded.

"It shall not be father!" And Effie came and stood by Mr. Thornton. Her face was crimson; her eyes flooded with tears, through which light was flashing; her form drawn up erectly; her manner resolute. "It isn't all my fault," she said as she laid her hand on her father's arm. "I've asked mother a great many times to let me help her, but she always puts me off, and says it is easier to do a thing herself than to show another. Maybe I am a little dull, but every one has to learn, you know. Mother did not get her hand in fairly with that sewing machine for two or three weeks, and I am certain it wouldn't take me any longer! If she'd only teach me how to use it, I could help her a great deal, And, indeed father, I am willing"

"Spoken in the right spirit, my daughter," said Mr. Thornton approvingly. "Girls should be as usefully employed as boys, and the very things most likely to be required of them when they become women is the most responsible position of wife and mothers. Depend upon it Effie, an idle girlhood is not the way to a cheerful womanhood. Learn and do, now, the very things that will be required of you in after years, and then you will have a requred facility. Habit and skill make easy what might come hard and be feltas very burdensome."

"And would you have her abandon all self-improvement," said Mrs. Thornton, "give up music, reading, and society?"

"There are," replied Mr. Thornton, as his wife paused for another word, "some fifteen or sixteen hours of each day in which mind or hands should be rightly employed. Now let us see how Effie is spending these long and ever recurring periods of time. Come, my daughter, sit down. We have this subject fairly before us. It is one of lifelong inportance to you, and should be well considered. How is it in regard to the employment of your time? Take yesterday, for instance. The records of a day will help us to get towards the result after which we are now searching."

Effie sat down and Mr. Thornton drew a chair in front of his wife and daughter.

"Take yesterday for instance," said the father. "How was it spent; you rose at seven I think?"

"Yes sir; I came down just as the breakfast bell was rung," said Effie.

"And your mother was up at half-past five, I know, and feeling so weak she could hardly dress herself. But for all this she was at work until breakfast time. Now, if you had risen at six, and shared your mother's work until seven, you would have taken an hour from her days burden's and certainly lost nothing from your music, self-improvement, or social intercourse. How was it after breakfast? How was the morning spent?"

"I practiced on the piano an hour after breakfast."

"So far so good. What then?"

"I read 'the Cavalier' until eleven o'clock."

Mr. Thornton shook his head, and asked, "after eleven, how was the time spent?"

"I dressed myself and went out."

"And what time did you go out?"

"A little after twelve o'clock."

"An hour was spent in dressing?"

"Yes, sir."

"Where did you go."

"I called for Helen Boyd, and we took a walk down Broadway."

"And came home just in time for dinner? I think that I met you at the door."

"Yes, sir."

"How was it after dinner?"

"I slept from three until five, and then took a bath and dressed myself. From six until tea time I sat at the parlor window."

"And after tea?"

"Read 'Cavalier' until I went to bed."

"At what hour?"

"Eleven o'clock."

"Now we can make up the account," said Mr. Thornton. "You rose at seven and retired at eleven. Sixteen hours. And from your account of the day, but a single hour has been spent in anything useful—that was the hour at the piano. Now, your mother was up at half past five, and went to bed, from sheer inability to do her work any longer, at half-past nine. Sixteen hours for her also. How much reading did you do in that time?"

And Mr. Thornton looked at his wife.

"Reading! Don't talk to me of reading! I've no time to read."

Mrs. Thornton answered a little impatiently. The contrast of her daughter's idle hours with her own life of exhausting toil, did not effect her very pleasantly.

"And yet," said Mr. Thorton, "you were always very fond of reading, and I can remember when no day went by without an hour or two passed with your books. Did you lie down after dinner?"

"Of course not."

"Nor take a pleasant walk on Broadway? Nor sit at the parlor window with Effie? How about that?"

"Now the case is a very plain one," continued Mr. Thornton. "In fact nothing could be plainer. You spend from fourteen to sixteen hours every day in hard labor, while Effie, taking yesterday as a sample, spends the time in what is little better than idleness. Suppose a new adjustment was to take place, and Effie were to be employed in helping you eight hours every day, she would still have eight hours left for self improvement and recreation, and you, relieved from your present overtasked condition, might get back a portion of the health and spirits of which these too heavy household duties have robbed you."

"Father," said Effie, speaking thro' tears that were falling over her face, "I never saw things in this light. Why havn't you talked to me before? I've often felt as if I'd like to help mother. But she never gives me anything to do; and if I offer to help her, she says:—'You can't do it,' or, 'I'd rather do it myself.' Indeed it isn't all my fault."

"It may not have been in the past, Effie," replied Mr. Thornton. "But it certainly will be in the future, unless there is a new arrangement of things. It is a false social sentiment that lets daughters become idlers, while mothers, fathers and sons, take up the daily burden of work, and bear it through all the busy hours."

Mrs. Thornton did not come gracefully into the new order of things proposed by her husband and accepted by Effie. False pride in her daughter, that future lady ideal, and an inclination to do all herself, rather than take the trouble to teach another, were all so many impediments. But Effie and her father were both in earnest, and it was not long before the mother's face began to lose its look of weariness, and her languid frame to come up to an erect bearing She could find time for the old pleasure in books now and then, for a healthy walk in the street, and a call on some valuable friend.

And was Effie the worse for this change? Did the burden, she was sharing with her mother, depress her shoulders and take the lightness from her step? Not so. The languor engendered by idleness, which had begun to show itself, disappeared in a few weeks; the color came warm into her cheeks, and her eyes gained in brightness. She was growing, in fact, more beautiful, for a mind cheerfully conscious of duty was moulding every lineament of her countenance into a new expression.

Did self-improvement stop? O, no. From one to two hours were given to close practice every day. Her mind became vigorous in tone, instead of enervated by idleness, chose a better order of reading than had been indulged before, and she was growing toward a thoughtful, cultivated, intelligent womanhood. She also found time amid her home duties for an hour, twice a week, with a German teacher, and she began also to cultivate a taste for drawing. Now that she was employing her time usefully, it seemed wonderful how much time she found at her disposal.

How cheerful and companionable she grew? She did not seem like the Effie Thornton of a few months before. In fact, the sphere of the entire household was changed As an idler, Effie had been a burden to the rest, and the weight of that burden had been sufficient to depress, through weariness, the spirit of all. But now, that she was standing up, self-sustained, but the sharer in the burden of each, all hearts came back to a lighter measure, beating rythmically and in conscious enjoyment.

The London Times on the American Difficulties.

The President's inaugural speech has taken up grounds strictly constitutional. In it the President confines and intrenches himself behind the express powers which the constitution has given him, and refuses to recognize any other. He is capable of considerable flights of fancy, but cannot emancipate himself from the shackles of a merely legal mind. He looks into his bond, and he finds that he is bound to execute the law in all parts of the Union and to preserve the Federal properly, and he intends to execute the law and preserve the Federal property accordingly.—What the consequence of performing these acts may be it is not for him to consider; his business is to execute the law; let those who make the law answer for the rest.

Mr. Buchanan took much the same view of his functions, but he extracted from that view the inference that he was bound to do nothing; while Mr. Lincoln considers that he is bound to do exactly the thing which is sure to produce the war which he conceives it to be beyond his power to declare. Nor is it his discretion alone which the President believes to be circumscribed by the constitution. Not only does he conceive himself prevented from doing anything beyond its strict precepts, but he does not feel that he is allowed to know of anything unconstitutional. He knows that his fellow-countrymen are dissatisfied, but he is forbidden to know that seven States are in flagrant rebellion There is a Presidential as well as a judicial knowledge, and as courts of law are not allowed to know many things which are perfectly notorious to the rest of the world, so it is with Presidents, part of whose duty it is to have purer eyes than to behold anything that savors of rebellion. We see that this way of looking at the question finds favor in the eyes of the purely republican journals, while the South appears to consider it, as far as we can judge from their organs in New York, as the flinging down the glove, which it will not hesitate a momont to take up. Had Mr. Lincoln been President at the time secession was first threatened, an essay on the constitution and a few words of friendly persuasion might have been an appropriate way of dealing with the subject. But it is childish, as well as dangerous, thus studiously to ignore the real state of the case, and to seek by constitutional reasonings to influence men who have placed themselves out of the pale of the constitution altogether. There is no safer maxim in human affairs than carefully to examine one's own position and that of one's antagonists before announcing any resolution, and to base that resolution on actual and real, not on imaginary or conventional, considerations. With the real state of America the Federal constitution has most unfortunately very little to do. The President might almost as well go back to the social contracts of Rousseau. The question is not judicial, but political,—not one of the laws and powers, but of reason and expediency. We believe that, instead of ignoring the secession of the South and determining to treat it as *non avenu*, the President ought to recognize it as reality. We do not say that he ought to recognize the right to secede, which clearly does not exist, any more than the right to rebel against the English Crown claimed by the American colonies existed as a part of the English constitution. We do not say that the President is bound to treat as legal the Confederacy which has risen up in opposition to his own; but what we maintain is, that, as a wise man, a patriotic magistrate and a good citizen, he is rendering an evil service to his country if he does not deal with things as they are, instead of as they ought to be. When civil war is imminent as it appears to be at this moment in America it is well to admit the only possible alternative, that of hearing what terms the South is prepared to propose in order to avert so dreadful a calamity. The last alternative always remains, and the fratricidal sword will not have lost its edge by remaining in the sheath a few weeks longer. But the course adopted, fair as it may sound, leaves no hope or possibility of reconciliation. The South cannot be heard, because it cannot be recognized; and acts which must lead to civil war are to be done rather than admit that things which render civil war possible have actually occurred.

Such a course of proceeding must be received by the South as a direct challenge to give effect in action to its menaces and boastings, and glad indeed shall we be to find the challenge has not been eagerly accepted. It is understood to be the wish of the leaders of South Carolina, and probably of several other seceding States, to bring matters as speedily as possibly to a warlike issue. The leaders have gone too far to retreat, and naturally wish to commit others as deeply as themselves. The border States are understood to be wavering, and it is thought, and probably with much justice, that a bold and decisive policy will decide them. The effect may indeed, be precisely the contrary of what is expected, and the violence of the South may disgust the border States, but from the moment that blood has begun to flow there will be but little room for temporizing or hesitation. Everything will be set on a single cast, and the dice are loaded against the Federal government by considerations growing out of the unwillingness of the border States to sacrifice the internal slave trade. Under such circumstances it would seem to be the wisest policy to delay by any legitimate means the imminent calamity of civil war, and the only means that present themselves are negotiation.—How futile all attempts at reconciliation have been is now apparent. The Peace Conference instituted by Virginia has ended, in a ridiculous failure, repudiated by all parties. The committee of thirty-three has ended in the adoption by Congress of an amendment of the constitution in favor of abstaining from all interference with slavery, which, evidently, has not the slightest effect on any one. The great question in dispute relating to the Territories are left without any attempt at settlement. The tariff has been decided in a manner to render the return of the seceding States almost imposible, and the retention of the border States exceedingly difficult. The South seceded from an Union where native manufactures are by an advantage taken of the absence of the southern Representatives, defended by something like a prohibition, the whole weight of which must fall upon the planting and agricultural States? It is difficult to believe that such a re union can take place; it is difficult to believe that it is even desired. The South has shown no sign of any wish to return on any terms into the Confederacy it has left; and the North has employed the short interval of secession to raise up a new barrier against reunion in the shape of an illiberal tariff, all the benefits of which will be on one side, and all the burdens on the other. The South offers to the border States a market for their slaves and a law against the re-establishment of the slave trade, which may be considered as a protection of the human commodity in which they deal. The North requires them to contribute to its manufactures and tax themselves for the benefit of New England and Pennsylvania. The struggle may be a painful one, but we fear that it will be decided rather by interest than by sympathy, and that Mr. Lincoln's constitutional lectures will avail little against the considerations suggested to the border States by the high price of manufactures and a good market for slaves.

"Providentially Directed."

Devoutly inclined persons frequently imagine that the suggestions of their own human nature are the intimations and directions of God.

They love to be guided by Him, and they love to think that their pleasant desires and purposes are inspired by Him; thus they easily deceive themselves. An amusing instance of this kind took place at a certain Conference.—Among the attendants was a very beautiful, intelligent looking young lady, who drew the admiring gaze of many eyes, particularly eyes of masculines, always on the lookout for pretty feminine faces.

During the intermission at noon, a spruce young minister stepped up to the Presiding Elder, and said with an air of secrecy:

"Did you observe the young lady who sat by the first pillar on the left?"

"Yes," said the elder, "what of her?"

"Why," said the young man, "I feel impressed that the Lord desires me to take that lady for my wife. I think that she will make a good companion and helpmeet in the work of the ministry."

The good elder had nothing to object.

But in a few moments another youthful candidate for ministerial efforts and honors, and for the name of husband, came confidentially to make known to the elder a like impression in regard to the same young lady.

"You had better wait awhile. It is not best to be hasty in determining the source of such impressions," said the prudent elder.

And he had well said, for hardly were the steps of the second youth cold at his side, ere a third approached with the same story, and while the worthy confidant marvelled, a fourth drew near with the question—

"Did you notice the fine noble looking woman sitting near your left?"

"Yes," cried the swelling elder.

"Well, sir," went on the fourth victim of that unsuspicious girl, "it is strongly borne in upon my mind, that it is the will of the Lord that I should make proposals of marriage to that lady. He has impressed me that she is to be my wife."

The elder could hold in no longer.

"Impossible! Impossible!" he exclaimed in an excited tone. "The Lord could never have intended that *four* men should marry that one woman!"

☞ A traveler passing through one of the counties of Tennessee on horseback stopped at a modest cottage on the roadside and asked for shelter, as it was quite dark and raining. The "head of the family" came to the door and accosted the traveler with, "What do you want?" "I want to stay all night," was the reply. "What are yer?" This interrogatory was not fully understood by the traveler, and he asked an explanation. "I mean, what's yer politics?" rejoined the former. Air yer fur this Union or agin it?" This was a poser, as the travler was not certain whether the "man of the house" was a Union man or a secessionist, and he was anxious to "tie up" for the night; so he made up his mind and said, "My friend, I am for the Union." "Stranger, you kin kum in."

☞ The past was infinitely momentous while we were in it; the future will be so when we are in it; but now that we are here, and that life, with its experienced realities, with its offering possibilities, is here, the present alone should be regarded as really of commanding importance.

New Highway Law.

An Act relative to laying out, altering and discontinuing highways.

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That whenever any seven or more freeholders of any township shall wish to have a highway in any part of said township, not included within the corporate limits of any city or village, laid out, altered, or discontinued, they may, by writing under their hands, make application to the commissioners of highways of the townships for that purpose, who shall proceed to lay out, alter, or discontinue such highway as hereinafter directed: *Provided*, That no second application shall be made within twelve months for that purpose.

SEC. 2. Whenever the commissioners of highways shall be applied to, as mentioned in the preceding section, to lay out, alter, or discontinue any highway, they shall within five days thereafter, issue a written notice, stating the object of such application, and appointing a time and place of meeting of the board of commissioners of highways, which shall be served by said commissioners, or one of them, on the owners or accupants of lands through which it is proposed to lay out, alter, or discontinue such road, either personally or by copy left at the residence of said owner or occupant at least ten days before the time of said meeting, and by posting up the same in three public places in the township ten days before the time of meeting.

SEC. 3. The commissioners shall meet at the time and place appointed as provided in the last preceding section, and proceed to view the premises described in said application and notice, and ascertain and determine the necessity of laying out, altering, or discontinuing such highway and justly and impartially appraise the damage thereon, if any is claimed, and shall, within five days thereafter, make a return of their doings in writing signed by them, which return shall state their action in regard to such application and their award of damages, if any, and to whom payable if known, and such return shall be filed in the office of the township clerk, with the application for such highway, and copy of notice attached thereto.

SEC. 4. Upon laying out, altering, or discontinuing a highway on the line between adjoining townships or upon determining what part of such highway shall be made and repaired by each township, the commissioners of such adjoining townships, shall act jointly, and application may be made to the commissioners of either township, who shall notify the commissioners of the adjoining township of the time and place of said meeting, and said commissioners of adjoining townships shall proceed as before provided, and their return shall be filed in the office of the township clerk of each township, and each township shall have all the rights and be subject to all the liabilities in relation to the part of such highway to be made and repaired by such township, as if the same was located wholly in such township.

SEC. 5. Public roads io be laid out according to the provisions of this act, shall not be less than four rods wide, except in cities or villages, where the commissioners or proper authorities may otherwise determine. Private roads shall not be less than one rod in width; and upon application of any person or persons wishing the same the commissioners or other proper authorities, shall have the power to lay out, alter or discontinue such roads, according to the provisions of this act, accept section one hereof: *And providing*, That all the expenses and damages arising therefrom shall be paid by the person or persons making application therefor.

SEC. 6. If any discontinued highway shall be upon a tract of land through which a new highway shall be laid out, the same may be taken into consideration in estimating the damages sustained by the owners, and in like manner, the benefits accuring to owners of lands by reason of laying out or altering any highway, shall be taken into consideration.

SEC. 7. All highways heretofore regularly laid out and established in pursuance of existing laws are hereby declared to be legal highways, subject to alteration or discontinuance, the same as other highways and the commissioners shall have power to lay out and establish highways on section lines, through unenclosed lands, according to the provisions of this act, without the application therefor provided in section one of this act.

SEC. 8. Whenever a highway shall be laid out or altered the commissioners shall, if they shall deem the same necessary, cause an accurate survey to be made of the line of said road, and shall file the minutes of such survey in the office of the township clerk of the township in which such road is situated, the premises belonging to any highway shall be a parcel of land not less than two rods wide on each side of the section line on which any highway shall be established.

SEC. 9. It shall be the duty of the township clerk to record in a book, to be kept by him for that purpose, all papers filed in his office relating to laying out altering or discontinuing roads as provided in this act.

SEC. 10. Whenever any owner or owners of land shall give the same or any part thereof, to the township for highway purposes, such owner or owners shall make a statement in writing, signed by him or them to that effect, and the same shall be filed in the office of the township clerk, and if a road shall be opened and worked thereon, within four years thereafter, the person or persons signing such statement or those claiming under him or them, shall be precluded from having any action to recover possession of said land, or compensation thereafter, so long as the same shall be used for highway purposes.

SEC, 11. Any person who shall conceive himself aggrieved by any determination of the commissioners as to the necessity of laying out altering or discontinuing such highway or in their award of damages, may, within ten days after such determination, appeal therefrom to the township board of said township, or in case of a road on the line of townships, where the determination shall have been made by the commissioners of adjoining townships: *Provided*, That any commissioner who may be a member of the township board shall not act on such appeal.

SEC. 12. Every appeal shall be in writing, signed by the appellant, and addressed to the township board or boards, as the case may be, and filed with the township clerk, who shall, as soon as may be, after the time limited for taking appeals shall have expired, call a meeting of the township board or boards, ten days notice of which shall be given by said township clerk to the appellant, and one or more of said commissioners from whose determination the appeal was taken; such notice shall be in writing, and shall state the time and place of meeting, and a copy shall be delivered to said appellant and commissioner, or left at their respective places of residence.

SEC. 13. The said township board or boards shall proceed at the time and place specified in the notice, to hear the proof and allegations of the parties in respect to the said damages, and their decision shall be conclusive and final; such decision shall be reduced to writing, and signed by the board or boards making the same, and filed in the office of the township clerk: *Provided*, That if the appraisal and award of the commissioners from which the appeal is taken be confirmed, or if the award of damages shall be diminished, then, in either case, the appellant shall pay the whole amount of the costs of such appeal, said costs to be ascertained and determined by said board or boards, and deducted from the amount of damages awarded.

SEC. 14. In cities and villages, application may be made by ten freeholders as provided in section one of this act, to the corporate authorities of such city or village, and such corporate authorities shall have power upon such application, to lay out and established, open, alter or discontinue such streets, commons, lanes, alleys, sidewalks, highways, water courses and bridges, as may be necessary for the public convenience, and such corporate authorities shall be governed by the regulations that are required in this act, to be observed by the commissioners of highways and township clerk; except as to appeal, and the city or village clerk, or recorder shall discharge the like duties as are imposed upon the township clerk, by the provisions of this act: *Provided*, That this act shall not be construed to change the manner of opening such roads, streets, alleys, lanes, commons, highways, bridges or watercourse, as is now provided for in the charter of any incorporated city or village.

SEC 15. The damages or compensation awarded by the commissioners of highways, township board, or city or village authorities, shall be assessed, levied and collected upon the taxable property of such township, city or village, in the same manner as other taxes are levied and collected.

SEC. 16. When the damage or compensation aforesaid, shall have been paid or tendered to the persons entitled thereto, or an order on the treasurer of the proper township, city or village, for the amount of such damages, shall have been executed and delivered or tendered to such person or persons; said commissioners of highways of any township or city, or village authorities of any city or village, shall then give notice to the owner or occupant of the land through which any such highway, street, lane, alley or common, shall have been laid out, altered or established, and require him, within such time as they shall deem reasonable, not less than sixty days after given such notice, to remove his fence or fences, and in case such owner or occupant shall neglect or refuse to remove his fence or fences within the time specified in such notice, the said commissioners or city or village authorities shall have full power, and it shall be their duty to enter with such aid and assistance as shall be necessary, upon the premises and remove such fence or fences, and open such highway, street, lane, alley or common without delay, after the time specified in such notice, shall have expired: *Provided*, That in townships no person shall be required to remove his fence or fences between the first day of April and the first day of November.

SEC. 17. Every public highway already laid out, or hereafter to be laid out, no part of which shall have been opened and worked within four years after the time of its being laid out shall cease to be a road for my purpose whatever; and all public highways now in use and duly recorded, and all roads not recorded which have been used ten years or more, or which may hereafter be laid out and not recorded, and which shall have been used ten years or more, shall be deemed public highways, subject to be altered or discontinued according to the provisions of this act,

SEC 18. It shall be the duty of the several commissioners of highways of the several townships to cause a statement to be presented at the annual township meeting, of the improvements necessary to be made in the roads and bridges in such townships for the ensuing year, and an estimate of the probable expense thereof, beyond what the labor to be assessed for that year will accomplish; and such meeting may vote for the raising of a sum not exceeding one-half of one per cent. upon the aggregate valuation of the property in the township according to the assessment roll of the preceding year, and the sum so voted shall be levied and collected in the same manner as other township expenses,

SEC. 19. Act No. 13, of the session laws of 1858, relative to altering, laying out and discontinuing highways, approved February 3d, 1858, and all acts, or parts of acts, contravening the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

SEC. 20. This act shall take immediate effect,

TO CURE RHEUMATISM.—Workmen or workwomen who have induced rheumatic attacks by a too continued immersion of hands in cold water, or from exposure to inclement weather, can effect a cure by bathing the limbs in water in which potatoes, with their skins on, have been boiled, as hot as can be borne, just before going to bed. By the next morning the pain will be much relieved, if not removed. One application of this simple remedy has cured the most obstinate rheumatic pains.

A Yankee Anecdote.

Dr. Patten, a very eccentric clergyman, was traveling in England. He met a fellow of the colleges, who was anxious to make ann iquiry of the Doctor, provided he would *give no offence*. The Doctor told him to "out with it," as he guessed it would not hurt much.

Fellow.—"The inquiry is this: Do you think your present form of government will stand, or that your people will not soon require a king?"

Dr. P.—"Well, sir, that is indeed a question that does not fall in with my predilections, for I am a thorough Republican. Still, I have no objections to answer your question frankly. It is my opinion, to which I have come after much reflection, that we shall eventually have a king."

Fellow.—"I was sure of it!—but I never admit it. Will you favor me with the reasons on which you found your opinion? for I have no doubt they are good ones."

Dr. P.—I think they are good ones, and I will frankly state them to you.—They are these: I read in the Bible that when Israel was a virtuous people, God governed them generally with judges of their own choosing; but when they became a corrupt and degraded people.—*God in his wrath gave them a King!*—As we are rapidly importing European manners, and corrupt customs into the United States, I greatly fear that we shall degenerate until God will treat us as he has the degraded nations in Europe, and give us a king!"

The fellow grew suddenly red in the face, and would have made fight, but the laugh of the neighbor was so hearty, that he had to join in it, and soon he managed to say, "Well, you have taught me one lesson to-day that I shall never forget."

Dr. P.—"And, pray, what may that be? for it is very rare that an Englishman will admit that he learns anything from an American."

Fellow.—"I have learned to let the Yankees alone, and not meddle with their peculiar matters."

Dr. P.—"Thank you, sir. But allow me to say that you are rather a slow scholars, for we certainly taught you that on Bunker Hill!"

Fellow.—"I see that you are incorrigible."

Dr. P.—"And that's the way of our people".

Dollar Jewelry.

Speaking of the stores established in many cities of the United States, where purchasers of jewelry can have their "choice for one dollar," the Chicago *Journal* says:

The principal composition used in the manufacture of the jewelry is termed *Oreide*, and is simply an excellent quality of brass. It is the most positive imitation of gold that has ever been discovered; it wears like it—not discoloring anything it touches, as common brass or copper will; it may be engraved or chased—being the same all the way through; it is much softer and more readily fused than gold, however, and its value may be imagined when we say that a dozen finely chased spoons of this metal can be bought for $4 50, with a profit to the retailer, even at that price, of over thirty three er cent.

Of this metal, the New York *Scientific American*, most excellent authority, says:

Oreide of gold, of which so many cheap articles of jewelry are now made, is simply a very beautiful brass, without a single grain of gold in its composition.

The costliest part of the "Oreide" operation is the molds and forms in which the jewelry is shaped and cut. Were they obliged to have these molds made expressly at each change of fashion, it would materially reduce the profits; but they avoid this difficulty by purchasing the molds in which jewelers have made the real gold jewelry, and thus also obtain the latest patterns. Probably the most expensive looking piece

Virginia Convention.

Richmond, April 8.

The Virginia State Convention reassembled this morning. Secession resolutions from the people of Charlotte and Norfolk counties were presented.

Mr Holladay said that the signers to the latter co stituted but a small minority of the people of the county.

Mr Johnson presented a petition for secession, signed by 1500 people of Richmond. He said that the signers constituted but about one-third of the voters of the city, though it had been weeks in preparation.

The ninth resolution was taken up in committee of the whole, and the amendments offered yesterday were defeated.

Mr. Boulden moved to strike out the whole resolution, and insert a substitute, embodying a declaration that the separate independence of the seceding States ought to be acknowledged without further delay, and such arrangements made and such laws be passed, as the separation may make necessary and proper.

The committee refused to strike out, by yeas 68, nays 71. Other amendments were rejected, and the ninth resolution was adopted, by 92 to 57.

The committee then referred back the eighth resolution, recognizing the right for just cause.

Mr Carlisle moved to strike out the resolution, and insert a substitute, embodying Madison's language, justifying secession only in the event of the failure of every constitutional resort.

The committee refused to strike out, by ayes 22, nays 114.

This vote indicated the strength of the ultra unionists. Other amendments were then proposed and rejected. Pending the resolutions, several firm conservatives changed their votes and voted for Mr. Boulden's substitute for the ninth resolution. The eighth resolution on reassembling, was taken up in the convention. On motion of Mr. Somers, the words "they concede" in the third line, were stricken out, and the resolution was then adopted, and the committee rose.

In the convention, Mr. Preston, a conservative, offered a resolution, supposed to have been occasioned by the late war movements, declaring that the government has no power to subjugate a Southern State, protesting against any such coercive policy, and authorizing the appointment of delegates to wait upon the President and present him these resolutions, and respectfully ask him to communicate to the convention the policy the government intends to pursue.

The resolution was modified, on the suggestion of Mr. Baldwin, and accepted by Mr. Preston, as follows:

Whereas, in the opinion of this convention the uncertainty which prevails in the public mind as to the policy the government intends pursuing towards the seceded States, is extremely injurious to the commercial and industrial interests of the country, and tends to keep up an excitement which is unfavorable to an adjustment of the pending difficulties, and threatens the disturbance of the public peace; therefore,

Resolved, That a committee of three delegates be appointed to wait upon the President, &c.

Mr. Carlisle offered an amendment, to include a desire to know the policy of the seceded States toward the general government. Rejected.

Mr. Preston's resolution was then adopted as modified.

Mr. Jackson moved to reconsider, and the convention agreed to take another vote.

Mr. Jackson made a vehement speech against the proposition, declaring his constituents would never consent to join South Carolina.

Lieut. Gov. Montague made a spirited speech in reply. Considerable feeling was manifested on all sides. Some of the Unionists consider that the adoption of Mr Preston's resolution will annihilate all hopes of adjustment. Without taking a vote, the convention agreed to adjourn, hoping for a more calm session on Monday.

Richmond, April 8.

To-day, Scott and Treadway, conservatives, declared if the President's response was unfavorable, they would go for secession. The movements of fleets were frequently alluded to. The ground assumed was, that Virginia having indicated her policy to be against secession, she has a right to know what these movements mean.

Spirited Protest of the Dominicans.

The following proclamation of the Dominican people in regard to the more than suspicious movements of Spain in that Republic has been published by the Haytien papers, files of which to the 9th ult. have come to hand. It is said to have been in secret circulation for some time past:

APPEAL TO THE NATION.

Dominicans—The country is in danger, and there is but one way to save it—by revolution.

Santana, since his last elevation to power has sold the Republic.

The price of the Yankees did not suit him. To-day he has adjudged it to Spain, and is preparing to crush the Dominican people under the colonial yoke for the vile price of a few puerile dignities and of the gold which will be distributed to him and five or six principal accomplices.

To morrow the Tartars will enjoy in quiet the riches gained by this criminal bargain, and will welcome us with an ironical smile on hearing the clank of our chains.

To-morrow shame will settle on our hearth stones, and the stigma of ignominy will soil our brows.

To-morrow our wives will fly from our arms, our mothers will refuse their caresses, and our children their smiles; a degenerate people merit them not.

To-morrow we shall be able to leave to our families neither country, glory, honor, prosperity, nor even the repose of the domestic hearth.

To-morrow—to express it once for all—we shall have changed the noble ægis of the cross for the livery of slavery. What, then, shall be the way of restoration?—Revolution.

A revolution, holy, noble, just, grand, because it has for its object the preservation of a nationality created at the price of the blood and fortunes of its citizens—a revolution, holy, noble, just, grand, because it is undertaken to save our country and liberties.

"Fatherland! Liberty!" this was the heroic cry which preceded the revolution of 1844; and the same cry precedes the revolution of 1861; the cry of a nation, which now suppresses forever the cries of mere factions.

Dominicans, to arms. Let each citizen be a soldier of liberty, and to the cry of *Viva la Nacion!* the tyrant will be forever annihilated. Let the fire of patriotism burn in our hearts as the tropical sun vivifies our existence.

Dominicans, to arms. Shame to those who dally in the rear.

In this great day of our country there are but two classes—those who are good citizens and those who are traitors.

Dominicans, to arms. We must conquer or die; for death is preferable to degradation, and if we remain impassible we can no longer pretend to the dignity of free men.

Dominicans, to arms. Let us arise on the same day and at the same moment, as a single man. No mercy to traitors We must conquer at any price.

Let not reverses discourage us. If we triumph not in the cities and palaces, we will triumph in the villages, in the suburbs, in the plains, in the forests.

We should make a fight of giants, which will astonish the world, and make the earth tremble under our feet.

Dominicans, victory or death before the fall of the Republic. Let us pray to Providence that before this beloved land of Columbus be dishonored it may be engulfed in the ocean.

Dominicans, to arms! to combat! to victory! Let us wear the crown of heroes before we clasp the martyr's palm.

The Virginia Programme—The Ultimatum Adopted by the State Convention.

The Richmond *Whig* of Friday gives full particulars of the ultimatum adopted by the State convention of Virginia, of which the telegraphic despatches have furnished very meagre abstracts.

The resolutions which form the basis of Virginia's plan of settlement, were vigorously discussed in the convention, and were subjected to various amendments. As finally adopted, they read as follows:

GEOGRAPHICAL PARTIES.

"The choice of functionaries of a common government established for the common good, for the reason that they entertain opinions and avow purposes hostile to the institutions of some of the States, necessarily precludes the people of one section from the participation in the administration of the government, subjects the weaker to the domination of the stronger section, leads to abuse, and is incompatible with the safety of those whose interests are imperiled; the formation, therefore, of geographical or sectional parties in respect to Federal politics is contrary to the principles on which our system rests, and tends to its overthrow.

THE TERRITORIES.

"The Territories of the United States constitute a trust to be administered by the general government for the common benefit of the people of the United States, and any policy in respect to such Territories calculated to confer greater benefits on the people of one or more of the States than on the people of the other States, is contrary to equality and prejudicial to the rights of some for whose benefit the trust was created. If the equal admission of slave labor and free labor into any Territory excites unfriendly conflict between the systems, a fair partition of the Territories ought to be made between them, and each system ought to be protected within the limits assigned to it by the laws necessary for its proper development.

PEDERAL FORTS AND ARSENALS.

"The sites of the Federal forts, arsenals, &c., within the limits of the States of this Union, were acquired by the Federal government, and jurisdiction over them ceded by the States, as trusts, for the common purposes of the Union during its continuance; and upon the separation of the States, such jurisdiction reverts of right to the States, respectively, by which the jurisdiction was ceded. Whilst a State remains in the Union, the legitimate use of such forts, &c., is to protect the country against foreign force, *and to aid in suppressing domestic insurrection.* To use, or prepare them to be used, to intimidate a State, or constrain its free action, is a perversion of the purposes for which they were obtained; they were not intended to be used against the States in whose limits they are found, in the event of civil war. In a time of profound peace with foreign nations, and when no symptoms of domestic insurrection appear, but whilst irritating questions of the deepest importance are pending between the States, to accumulate within the limits of a State interested in such questions an unusual amount of troops and munitions of war, not required for any legitimate purpose, is unwise, impolitic and offensive.

NOT SECESSION, BUT UNION.

"Deeply deploring the present distracted condition of the country, lamenting the wrongs that have impelled some of the States to dissolve their connection with the Federal government, but sensible of the blessings of the Union, impressed with its importance to the peace, prosperity and progress of the people, we earnestly desire that an adjustment be reached by which the Union may be re-established in its integrity, and peace, prosperity and fraternal feelings be restored throughout the land.'

The Richmond *Whig* explains this programme as follows:

"The resolutions of the committee contain the substance of a programme, which, we fancy, can be made acceptable to the great mass of the people of Virginia. The resolutions, in the main, strongly assert the State rights, principles which have ever been dear to the people of this State. They, together with the proposed amendments to the constitution, constitute an ultimatum to be submitted to the northern States, accompanied with the solemn declaration, that if not acceded to by those States, this State will resume its delegated powers.

"An impression prevails in the country to some extent that by the plan of the committee this ultimatum is first to be submitted to a border slave State convention. This is a mistake. The committee very properly make their own ultimatum, on the rejection or adoption of which by the non-slaveholding States their future action will depend. The border conference is only intended for consultation in the hope that the border States may be induced to concur in the action of Virginia."

A NEW PROTEST—The following form of protest, embracing a novel "constitutional" point, has been prepared by a firm doing an extensive importing business in the city of Boston, and is submitted by them in connection with all their payments of customs:

"We hereby protest against the payment of duties on any amount exceeding the net cost of the merchandise (here follows description of merchandise imported in the steamship Africa), after excluding all commissions, charges for shipping and other expenses, including cost of packages and inland carriage, believing net payment is not required by law and illegally exacted.

"The constitution provides that all duties, imports, and, excises shall be uniform throughout the United States; also, that no preference shall be given by any regulations of commerce or revenue to ports of one State over those of another; and, as goods are entered at southern ports under a different tariff and regulations from those in force at this port, we protest against the payment of duties on this entry."

This is the first sample of a protest based on "constitutional" grounds which has been received at the New York Custom-House.—*N. Y. Journal of Commerce.*

Michigan Argus.

ANN ARBOR.

FRIDAY MORNING APRIL 12. 1861

The Board of Supervisors

Augusta, the only Town not heard from at the date of our last issue has "turned up" Democratic, and the Board of Supervisor for the ensuing year is as following:

DEMOCRATS.

Ann Arbor City,	Richard Beahan.
Augusta,	Aaron Childs.
Bridgewater,	Daniel LeBaron.
Dexter,	Lorenzo H. Jones.
Freedom,	Elias Haire.
Lodi,	Egbert P. Harper.
Lyndon,	Thomas Clark.
Manchester,	Philetus Coon.
Northfield,	Patrick McKernon.
Scio,	Luther Palmer.
Ypsilanti City,	Henry Compton.
" "	Charles H. Tisdale.

REPUBLICANS.

Ann Arbor City,	Conrad Krapf.
" " Town,	Orrin White.
Lima,	Morris Thompson.
Pittsfield,	Allen Crittenden.
Salem,	Royal Wheelock.
Saline,	Augustus Bond.
Sharon,	Cyrus Raymond.
Superior,	William Hiscock.
Sylvan,	Horace A Smith.
Webster,	Robert McColl.
York,	Thomas Gray.
Ypsilanti Town,	Ezra D. Lay.

Democrats, 12; Republicans 12 Last year Democrats, 9; Republicans, 15. The Democrats gain in Ypsilanti City, Scio, Dexter, and Manchester; and lose in Superior.

The Judicial Election.

The Board of Canvassers was in session on Tuesday, and we are enabled to present the following "statistics" of thte resuls in this county. The Democrats had no candidate, and the opposition to MANNING is scattering:—

	Manning		
Ann Arbor City,	575	B. Harkins, 2	
Ann Arbor Town,	110		
Augusta,	69		
Bridgewater,	73	C. I. Walker 1	
Dexter,	41		
Freedom,	29		
Lodi,	83		
Lima,	58		
Lyndon,	98		
Manchester,	155		
Northfield,	54	O. Hawkins, 92	
Pittsfield,	68	O. Hawkins, 1	
Salem,	138		
Saline,	158		
Scio,	114	J. A. Pelhemus, 58	C. S. Gregory 5
Sharon,	121		
Superior,	63	C. I. Walker 9	
Sylvan,	160		
Webster,	126		
York	109		
Ypsilanti City,	307	Walker, 2	Bogards, 1
Ypsilanti Town,	108		
	2,839		

Postoffice Row at Jackson.

A public meeting of "ye Republicans" was held at Jackson on Tuesday evening of last week, to elect a Postmaster. The meeting being organized some one questioned the jurisdiction of "Many Citizens" to make the call, and thereupon "Father Treadwell" fathered it and read a letter from Congressman GRANGER advising such a course. Somebody else read a second one of a later date, advising against or rather giving no advice. After much explosion of "wrath and cabbage" the meeting passed a resolution requesting Judge GRANGER to "take the responsibility," and adjourned. It is said some very unpretty things were said of each other by the Republican aspirants and their friends.

☞ W. S. WOOD, having been appointed local Mail Agent at Detroit, the *Advertiser* pokes sharp sticks at him, and insinuates that he came into the Republican organization at entirely too late an hour, and that his services to the party have been of too mercenary a character, to entitle him to share in the distribution of spoils. The attack smacks of "sour grapes," and we surmise that JOE WARREN or some other attachee of the *Advertiser* had a hankering for the sinecure place.

☞ The Allegan *Journal* is very much exercised about the position of Texas, the deposition of Houston, and the threatened raid of Ampudia, etc. If we are not mistaken "Don" represented Texas in the Chicago Convention, and, if so, he ought to "regulate" her now.

☞ "BRAD" left for Washington, post haste, on Friday evening last; and those of his Republican supporters and admirers who have been left out in the cold in the distribution of favors, maliciously insinuate that there is a screw loose as to some of his recommendations. We shall see.

☞ The Washington letter-writers and sensation correspondents of the New York press, must be of that class spoken of in Scripture as "Wise beyond what is written;" for they certainly exhibit very little wisdom in what they do write.

☞ The Jackson *Citizen* says that in Ann Arbor the Democrats elected their candidate for Marshal, and the Republicans the balance of the ticket. Vic must have written this item after four o'clock, P. M., and while meditating on his defeat for Supervisor. Take notice, VIC, the Democrats of Ann Arbor elected Recorder, Collector, Street Commissioner,—just half the City ticket, and the *paying* half—and a majority of the Council.

☞ The Lansing *Republican* says that Mr. F. G. RUSSELL has resigned the principalship of the Second Ward School in that City, to accept a Clerkship at Washington. If Mr. R. don't find teaching *full* as honorable as the clerkship, and *more* profitable, then we are mistaken; that's all.

KANSAS SENATORS.—Messrs. LANE and POMEROY were elected Senators from Kansas on the 4th instant.

☞ The Democrats gained two members of Congress in Connecticut, and two in Rhode Island, at the elections last week.

☞ The South Carolina Convention, on the 5th inst., adopted the Constitution of the Confederate States by a vote of 146 to 16. There were ten absentees.

☞ The new Board of Supervisors in Livingston County stands 9 democrats and 7 Republicans.

The vote of Scio.

We append a list of the officers elected in the Township of Scio on the 1st inst., with the majorities of the principal ones:

Supervisor—Luther Palmer, 27
Clerk—*Louis W. Briggs*, 54
Treasurer—Andrew J. Haven, 32
Justice—Peter Tuite, 12
" —Volney H. Potter, vacancy 71
" —John B. Dow, " 1
School Inspectors—Homer P. Finley, George Warner; opp. scattering.
Commissioner of Highways—James L. Smith,
Constables—*Thomas Alexander*, Ransom Bush, James E. Davis, Wm. April.

Republicans in *Italic*.

☞ The new Republican Marshal of the Northern Illinois district has been arresting and returning some fugitive slaves, which has caused a great stampede of "darkies" form Chicago, and much doleful howling from the ultra Republican organs. For proof see the Detroit *Advertiser* of Wednesday last.

☞ At the election in Hartford, Conn., on Monday, the Democrats elected their entire City ticket by 500 majority.

The Albany charter election was held on Tuesday, and the Democrats carried the City by a majority of 1,600.

☞ Two propellers succeeded in getting out of Buffalo harbor on Saturday night last, and Lake navigation is now considered open.

☞ Navigation on the Mississippi is open to St. Paul.

What of Fort Sumpter.

The following are among the latest news dispatches which assume to throw any light upon Fort Sumpter. We give them for what they are worth, at the same time expressing a hope that sooner or later there will be something certainly known. These "sensation" reports are doing more to excite and unsettle the country than will a real bombardment of Fort Sumpter:

New York, April 9.

The *Times'* correspondent reiterates that an attempt will be made to provision Sumpter by an armed vessel; if the secessionists fire on her they will initiate whatever trouble follows.

A special dispatch from Charleston to the *Herald* states that the authorities had received official notification that supplies will be furnished Anderson at any hazard. Immense preparations immediately commenced. Orders were issued for the entire military reserve to proceed to their stations.

"Four regiments of 1,000 each, have been telegraphed for from the country. Ambulances and other preparations for wounded are being made.

"At midnight seven guns from the citadel was the signal for the assembling of all the reserves, and the city was thrown into the greatest excitement. Seventeen regiments, 800 strong, assembled in an hour and left for the fortifications at three o'clock in the morning. All the vessels in the harbor, necessary for transportation, will be put in service by noon.

"A fleet of seven Government vessels is reported off the bar.

"Major Anderson displayed signal lights during the night from the walls of Sumpter.

"It is believed that the fight will commence at Stono, 25 miles southward, the batteries along the coast being silenced in turn, and after clearing Morris Island the Government forces will cross to Sumpter while Anderson engages Fort Moultrie.

"Lieut. Talbot was denied admission to Sumpter by the authorities.

"R. S. Chew brought dispatches from Washington to Gov. Pickens, and in company with Lieut. Talbot left for Washington at 11 o'clock last night."

A special dispatch to the *Herald* says that offers of volunteers from the border States continue to be sent to Montgomery, and tenders of 7,000 men and 2,000 Indian warriors have been received there from the West.

Special dispatches to the *Commercial Advertiser*, dated Washington, April 9th, says: "Dispatches have been received here this morning from Charleston, which state that R. S. Chew, one of the clerks of the State Department, had arrived there, and had brought a message from Secrtary Seward to Governor Pickens that Fort Sumpter must be supplied with provisions from Charleston market, or if Major Anderson was not furnished regularly, the government would furnish him with those things he most needs.

"We are in hourly expectation of hearing that hostilities have been commenced in Charleston harbor."

A special dispatch to the *Evening Post* says: "It is reported from Charleston to-day, that Lieut. Talbot has not been permitted to return to Fort Sumpter."

New York, April 10.

An editorial in the *Tribune* states positively that the principal object of the expedition which sailed hence within the last four days, is for Fort Sumpter.

About 2,000 men will arrive off Charleston to-night or to-morrow, under command of Lieut. Col. Harvey Brown, of the 2d artillery.

A small steamer will be sent in with supplies, and if repelled, the *Tribune* says the rebels will be taught, without unnecessary delay, that there is still a power in the United States, and that this power cannot well be insulted with impunity.

The Washington correspondence of the *Times* is entirely satisfied that the Baltic has gone to Sumpter, where she will land supplies in small boats.

The *Tribune's* correspondence says: "Despatches have been received from Lieut. Slemmer at Fort Pickens, explaining that the reason why the troops, were not landed from the Brooklyn, was, that he already had sufficient to hold the fort against any army the rebels could bring against him. He has four months' provisions. He adds that the troops can be landed at any time if needed."

The *Herald's* Washington correspondent says that: "Orders left to-day to have the Wabash, Vincennes and Savannah, at New York, Jamestown at Philadelphia detailed for immediate service. The South Carolina mails will be stopped upon the first sign of hostility to the fleet of relief."

CHARLESTON, S. C., April 10.

A battle is hourly expected. Fort Sumpter will be attached without waiting for the abolition fleet.

NEW YORK, April 10.

There is a report that Jeff. Davis has telegraphed to Charleston not to fire on any vessel entering the harbor for the purpose of supplying Fort Sumpter with provisions.

A special to the *Commercial Advertiser*, Washington, 10th, says: "The President has ordered two of the most efficient volunteer companies into service. Guards are to be detailed from them to protect the public buidings.

Another battery of light artillery arrived to-day to replace those withdrawn.

Those best informed in the government policy give no credence to the reports that there will be a fight in Charleston harbor, and declare that Sumpter will be evacuated.

European Intelligence.

Portland, April 8.

The steamer Canadian left Liverpool on the 28th and Londonderry on the evening of the 29th ult., and arrived at Portland this morning, in eight and a half days from Londonderry.

The steamship Edinburgh sailed from Liverpool for New York on the 27th with £102,000 in specie.

GREAT BRITAIN.—Parliament stood adjourned for the Easter season till April 8th.

The strike in London of the building trade again assumes serious proportions. Turn outs among the Lancashire weavers were increasing, and some rioting was feared.

In consequence of Friday and Saturday being holidays, the market news by the Persia will be no later than that now received.

FRANCE.—Napoleon received the corps Legislatiff on the 23d ult. In returning thanks, he said that notwithstanding the debate, he by no means regretted to see such a discussion, but he hoped the Government and Legislature would mutually aid each other. The speech is regarded as ambiguous.

The Pope's last allocution has been superseded.

France is far less conciliatory than has been represented.

The order for sending re-enforcements of French troops to Rome intended to counteract the movements of Austria, has been countermanded, after an explanation from Austria.

ITALY.—Count Cavour, in his speech on the Roman question, claimed that Italy had a right to have Rome for her Capitol, and that the union of the temporal and spiritual power was the source of evil.

GREAT BRITAIN.—It is officially stated that Prince Albert will visit Canada this summer, arriving there the middle of June.

The adjourned general meeting of the Galway Steamship Company, was held in London on the 27th ult. The Directors were authorized to raise an additional £600,000 at 7 per cent. They propose landing the mails at New Foundland every voyage.

Negotiations are being made with the Great Eastern to convey to New York 1200 German emigrants, bound to the Mormon territory.

The London Building strike threatened to assume formidable dimensions. Great contractors had determined to close their yards if the men continued to refuse their offers, thus throwing some 45 000 men out of employment. Preparations were being made to import laborers from Belgium. There wages were lower than in England.

Rev. D. Cheever had been lecturing in Liverpool on the question of slavery and the American crisis.

The *Times'* Paris correspondent says that General Gregor has been authorized to make contracts for the French army at Rome for six months longer.

The rumor that Austria intends aggression against Piedmont, and that the French movements were in response, is pronounced to be false.

ITALY.—In the Chamber of Deputies, several speakers on the left, proposed the simple proclamation of Rome as the Capital of Italy, and calling on Napoleon to withdraw his troops.

It is reported that some disturbance took place at Warsaw, but nothing serious occurred.

The present regulations for public instruction in Poland were abolished. a special Commissioner for public worship and instruction is appointed. A council of State is to be appointed, composed of members of the clergy, high dignitaries, and the most distinguished persons of Poland. The right of petition to the National Government is granted.

TURKEY.—A scheme of a forced loan is published. It was stated that there was to be another Turkish loan guaranteed by France, for compliance with French views in Syria.

CHINA.—China telegrams report teas advancing, but are dull at Canton.

At London the funds continue dull. Consols on the 22d declined ¼. In the discount market the demand for money was active, and at the bank the applications were large and numerous.

LATEST VIA LONDONDERRY—LONDON 20th—The Times' Paris correspondence writes that hostilities appear imminent between the Austrians and Piedmontese. Victor Emanuel is said to have written to Prince Napoleon of an attack, and urging him to represent matters to the Emperor in their true light.

TURIN.—In the Chamber of Deputies signor Cheeves spoke against a transfer of the Capitol of the kingdom of Italy to Rome. Count Cavour urged that Rome should be immediately declared the Capital of Italy. The transfer will take place in consequence of the law adopted by the Chamber, without any disturbances. The time will be fixed by law.

Pennsylvania Preparing for the Crisis.

Harrisburg, Pa, April 9,

Gov. Curtin states that he has received a letter from President Lincoln, stating that he Lincoln has information of a design to attack the city of Washington.

Gov. Curtin sent in a special message to day, calling attention to the military organization of the State, and recommending the Legislature to make immediate provision a for removal of the defects now existing, by establishing a military bureau at the capital, by modifying the military laws, and by making a proper distribution of arms, &c. He calls attention to the serious jealousies and divisions distracting the public mind, and the military organizations of a formidable chacter, seemingly demanded by an existing public exigency, in certain States. He adds, "Pennsylvania offers no counsel and takes no action in the nature of a menace, but desires peace and to effect the preservation of the personal and political rights of citizens, the true sovereignty of the States, and the supremacy of law and order. Animated by these sentiments, and indulging the earnest hope of a speedy restoration of harmony and friendly relations, I commit the grave subject to your deliberation."

The mesage was referred to a joint select committee, to report by bill.

Ex-Treasurer Slifer says that no State loan is required to supply half a million for military purposes.

The Position of the Administration.

Washington, April 9.

It is persistently said in administration circles that the recent preparations are for defensive purposes, and nothing is intended not strictly justified by the laws, which it is the duty of the President to enforce to the extent of his ability. If resistance is made, and blood shed, the responsibility must fall on those who provoke hostilities. The assurance of the Inaugural is repeated, that the administration will not be the aggressors.

Various theories or reasons are given in the newspapers for the result of the present military demonstrations, amongst which is one that they were stimulated by the result of certain late elections; but this is an error, as at the commencement of the administration the President and cabinet entertained the idea of reinforcing both Fort Sumpter and Fort Pickens, but owing to their non-acquaintance with the means at the command of the government, and the condition of the country, the prosecution of the plans now progressing was impracticable. In other words, it was necessary to ascertain the extent of the effects bequeathed to the President by the late administration. It was deemed advisable to keep secret the objects of the military movements, especially the sailing of vessels under sealed orders, as under the late administration there were persons who clandestinely communicated its purposes to the secessionists, frequently before the orders were reduced to official form, and according to the remark of an ex-Secretary, the administration thus always found itself embarrassed at the threshold. The present administration has limited such knowledge to the members of the cabinet, and, perhaps, to several trusty officers; and precautionary measures were taken so as to render it next to impossible acquiring the forbidden information.

The administration, while constantly declaring a peace policy, claims that it can only be held to strict accountability by the people, and however speculative may be the publications of its movements, it is under no obligation to announce in advance its plans and purposes; in other words, that the administration should be judged by its acts.

That Fort Pickens has been or will be reinforced, admits of no doubt, and the administration will do all in its power to either relieve Major Anderson or secure his evacuation of Fort Sumpter without dishonor or committing the government to the acknowledgment of any right or claim by the Confederate States, or in any way recognizing the doctrine of secession.

The proceedings in the gulf beyond the relief of Fort Pickens, will be governed by circumstances The above is from a reliable source, to show to some extent the basis of the present military preparations.

Death of Hon. John McLean.

From the N. Y. World, April 5

Another eminent American jurist has gone. The Hon. John McLean, the oldest of the nine Justices of the Supreme Court of the United States, died yesterday, aged seventy-six years, at his residence in Cincinnati, Ohio.

The deceased was born in Morris county, New Jersey, March 11th, 1785.—While he was yet a youth his father removed to the then almost unsettled backwoods of Ohio. After such education as the resources of that region afforded, he began life for himself in Cincinnati.—Choosing the law for his profession, and obtaining employment in the office of the Clerk of Hamilton county, he found time to pursue his studies under the direction of Arthur St. Clair, a prominent counsellor and son of the Revolutionary General of the same name. In 1807, young McLean was admitted to the bar, and commenced practice at Lebanon, Ohio, having just previously married Rebecca, daughter of Dr. Edwards, of South Carolina

In October, 1812, he became a candidate for Congress and was elected by a large majority. In 1814 he was again elected to Congress by nearly a unanimous vote—a circumstance of rare occurrence; and remained a member of the House of Representatives until 1816, when the Legislature of Ohio having elected him a Judge of the Supreme Court of the State, he resigned his seat in Congress at the close of the session. He remained six years upon the bench of the Supreme Court, and attained an enviable position as a sound and able jurist. In 1822 he was appointed Commissioner of the General Land Office by President Monroe; and in 1823 he became Postmaster General, both of which offices he filled with ability. In the year 1829 he was appointed by President Jackson a Justice of the United States Supreme Court, after he had refused the War and Navy Departments. He entered upon the discharge of his duties at the January term of 1830, and has performed the duties of that station for a period of 31 years.

In politics Judge McLean had of late years affiliated with the republican party, and was understood to be its second choice for the Presidency in 1856.—When the Dred Scott case came up before the Supreme Court, he dissented from the majority decision of his associates.

In his social relations Judge McLean was beloved and esteemed by all who enjoyed his companionship. From early life he was a consistent and earnest Christian of the Methodist persuasion, and ever prominent in religious and benevolent movements. He leaves behind him the memory of a wise and virtuous man.

The Movement of Troops.

Special dispatch to the N. Y. Times.

Washington, April 7.

It is generally believed here to-night, that the greater portion of the armament of troops and supplies fitted out at New York is destined for Texas. The howitzers, horses, and Flying Artillery are of no avaliable service except on land, and there is no point at the South, except Texas, where they could be advantageously employed. The Flying Artillery would be sent to none of the Gulf forts, where only simple artillerists, accustomed to manage heavy sea-coast guns, would be ordered. The mounted troops will go to Texas to replace the forces now there, demoralized by Twiggs' treason.

The rumor finds credence that Gov. Houston, who is the only Governor of Texas recognized by the Federal government, recently sent a confidential friend here to request either that the present troops be maintained in Texas or new ones sent.

The alleged fact that one of the transport steamers at New York is fitting out with stalls for horses and provisions in the hold, indicates that her mission is to bring home the mounted troops in Texas. Gov. Houston's request for troops is based upon the necessity for protecting the frontier from the Indians. Of course once there the troops, in event of domestic insurrection against the laws, would form a nucleus around which the Union forces could rally in defence of the government. It is still supsosed, however, that part of the embarking troops are destined for Fort Pickens.

Message from Governor Pickens.

On March 28, Gov. Pickens sent in a long Message to the South Carolina State Convention, now in session. First he explains the inaction *in re* Fort Sumpter,—the C. S. A. took from him all responsibility in the premises. The troops which the State enlisted for this purpose, with the officers, are still in commission, and Gov. Pickens urges the necessity of their being provided for by the Confederate authority.—Thus far the expenditures of the State in her new experiment have been $640,317, of which amount $195,000 was disbursed by the Ordinance Board. Since this expense was incurred for the common weal, Gov. Pickens cherishes the belief that the C. S. A. will assume it. Some action should be taken authorizing the transfer to the new Government of the arms seized by the C. S. A. Having disposed of these practical matters, Gov. Pickens proceeded to set forth the philosophy of the secession movement. Hitherto in the history of the world the struggle has been to secure personal rights. That has been accomplished. The United States Government was framed to secure the rights of political communities; and having failed in that object it became necessary to make a new attempt. The Governor adds:

"Our State true to the great principles upon which the Confederacy was formed, and true to those great and progressive ideas which were so identified with American Independance, was forced to resume her original powers of government; and *if she succeeds in engrafting the fundamental rights of a separate and independent State to withdraw from any Confederacy that may be formed, whenever her people, in sovereign convention assembled, shall so decide*, then shall we have made another advance in the science of government, and added another guarantee to the great principle of civil liberty. And if this principle could be secured without an appeal to arms and blood, it would show that the country has progressed in civilization and intelligence, so far as to be able to settle all controversies and issues involving political rights by an appeal to reason, to interest, to free discussion, to conventions, to treaties and covenants, rather than by an appeal to brutal force."

Contemplated Seizure of the Capitol.

The following is an extract of a letter received in this city from a gentleman of high position in Washington. It is dated on the 2d instant: "The possession of the seat of Government by the Southern Confederacy is an event most confidently predicted to take place within sixty days. The wife of a United States Senator told me an anecdote illustrative of the purposes of the President of the Southern Confederacy. He holds a very eligible pew in the Rev. Mr. Hall's church, and a lady wishing to obtain it, wrote to him that she would give what he gave for it. He replied, 'that so far from relinquishing my (his) pew, I have ordered an engraved plate to be affixed to it bearing my name.' A lady just from Montgomery, in taking leave of Mrs. Davis, asked, 'And what message must I bear from you to your lady friends in Washington?' She replied 'Tell them I shall be happy to receive their calls at the White House some two months hence.' This is very elaborate trifling or unsurpassed castle-building."—*N. Y. Eve. Post.*

From the Paris Pays, March 20.

England and the Southern Confederacy.

The British minister to the United States has notified President Lincoln that the British government would not recognize a blockade of the southern ports, unless such blockade were complete and effective.

No political significance must be attached to that fact. It was very natural that England should not desire, by recognizing the blockade, to show any hostility to the southern States, and by a species of intervention, more or less direct, close those ports against herself and alienate the sympathies of that people from whom she receives the greater part of the cotton which supplies her looms.

In liko manner, it is very probable, as has been also announced, that the other great Powers, inspired by the like purely commercial considerations, will follow England's example.

It does not belong to them to meddle in the internal affairs of the United States. They allow the various confederated parts to settle their matters as they think proper. There, as elsewhere, they will respect the principle of non-intervention. Only, in recognizing the blockade, they would necessarily take part with the northern against the southern States, and would commit a political act, instead of confining themselves to taking care of their commercial interests.

From New Mexico.

Independence, April 8.

The Santa Fe mail, with dates to the 25th, arrived this morning.

Col. Loring had arrived and taken charge of the military department of New Mexico, which gives satisfaction to the people of the territory.

The report of the taking of Fort Marcy by the citizens of Santa Fe is incorrect, no demonstration of the kind having been even thought of.

Peace has again been made with the Navajoes.

Great crowds of people are flocking to the San Juan mines, and numbers are leaving, going back to Pike's Peak region.

The grass on the plains is growing fast and in a few days will be sufficient for stock to subsist on.

Emigration to the gold field has commenced over the Southern route, quite a number of emigrants having been met by the mail party.

A great amount of rain has fallen in this section of country, and business is looking up.

Currency Meeting at Pittsburgh.

Pittsburgh, April 8.

An enthusiastic meeting of the business men of Pittsburgh was held to-day, in regard to currency. The wholesale and retail trade were fully represented, and the strongest determination not to receive depreciated money except at Broker's rates were manifest. Missouri and Virginia at four per cent. discount.

The Negro Exodus.

Chicago, April 8.

One hundred and six fugitive slaves left this city last night for Canada, *via.* Michigan Southern Railroad. It is estimated that over one thousand fugitives have arrived in this city since last fall, most of whom have left since the recent arrest of five by the United States Marshal.

A STARTLING STORY.—The New York *Leader* conveys the startling information that the burglarious excavations under the vault of the Exchange Bank were made by Prince Napoleon's agents to get at the Patterson-Bonaparte papers supposed to be in the safe.

ONE MORE CURE FOR HYDROPHOBIA.—A Saxon forester, named Gastell, now of the venerable age of eighty-two, unwilling to take to the grave with him a secret of so much importance, has made public to the Leipsic *Journal* the means which he has used for fifty years, and wherewith he affirms he has rescued many human beings and cattle from the fearful death of hydrophobia. Take immediately warm vinegar or tepid water, wash the wound clean therewith, and then dry it; then pour upon the wound a few drops of hydrochloric acid, because mineral acids destroy the poison of the saliva, by which means the latter is neutralized.

MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's brother in the town of Porter, on Sunday April 7, by the Rev. Mr. George, Mr. CHARLES G. SUTHERLAND, of Ann Arbor, and Miss MARY C. BEACH, of the former place.

We publish the above announcement, wishing the groom and his bride all the happiness in this life that is vouchsafed by Providence to mortals.

New Advertisements.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss:—In the matter of the Estate of Phebe Jane Gillett, Amos W. Gillett, and Teressa K. Gillett, of the County of Washtenaw, in the State of Michigan, Minors.

Notice is hereby given, That in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned, Charles W. Sanford, Guardian of the Estate of said Minors by the Hon. Judge of Probate for the County of Washtenaw, on the Eighth day of April A. D. 1861, there will be sold at Public Vendue, to the highest bidder, at the dwelling house of the undersigned in the township of Freedom, in the County of Washtenaw, in said State, on Saturday, the first day of June A. D. 1861, at one o'clock in the afternoon of that day, (subject to all encumbrances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the sale) the following described Real Estate to wit: Situate in the township of Bridgewater, County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan.—Being the north part of the East half of the north west quarter of Section no five in township no. four south of range four east, containing twenty seven acres of land, be the same more or less.

CHARLES W. SANFORD, Guardian.

Dated April 8th, A. D. 1861.

Mortgage Foreclosure.

DEFAULT having been made in the condition of a Mortgage executed by Patrick Sullivan and Joanna Sullivan to Luther James, dated April eighth, A. D. 1858, and recorded in the Register's Office in Washtenaw County, in Liber 24 of Mortgages, at page 422, April 9th, A. D. 1858, at half past three o'clock, P. M., by which default the power of sale contained in said mortgage became operative, and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, and the sum of six hundred and three dollars and ninety-six cents ($603 96) being now claimed to be due thereon. Notice is therefore hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, to-wit: The south-west quarter of the north-east quarter, and the south-east quarter of the north-west quarter of section No. seven, and the south-east ten acres of the south-east quarter of the north-east quarter of section number nine, extending seven rods east and west, and north and south far enough to contain ten acres, all in township No. one south of range five east, being in Webster, in the County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, or some part th

Michigan Argus.

FRIDAY MORNING, APRIL 12, 1861.

ROAD WARRANTS

With Pathmaster's return annexed, printed on fine paper and in good style. For sale at this office. Commissioners should send in their orders.

Council Doings.

The old Common Council held its last session on Thursday evening of last week, Mayor BARRY in the chair, and present a full Board except Alderman Beesimer.

Petition of Prof. Brunnow was presented for leave to erect a line of telegraph poles from the Observatory to the Railroad. Granted.

Constitution and By-Laws of Huron Fire Company No. 1, were presented for approval, and laid on the table for the consideration of the new Council.

Bond of Charles Boylan, Constable elect for the First Ward, was presented and the same disposition made of it.

A list of claims for services on Boards of Registration, of Inspectors and Clerks of Election, for Printing, Marshal's services, Street work, &c., &c.,—sufficient we conclude to eat up the balance in the Treasury—were reported from Finance Committee and allowed.

Alderman McCreery reported the brick building, corner of Fourth and Washington streets as being removed and not likely to trouble the incoming Council.

There being no further business before the Council, Mayor Miller, Recorder Webster, and McCreery, Maynard, Fritz, Nye, Jackson, Cowles and Swathel, Aldermen elect, presented themselves, were sworn into office by Mayor BARRY, and the old Council "died a natural death."

Mayor MILLER in the chair, the new Council proceeded to business.

The Bond of Charles Boylan was taken from the table and approved; the Constitution and By-Laws of Huron Fire Company were also taken up and approved, and an ordinance relative to licensing Concerts, Exhibitions, etc., was taken from the table and referred to a special committee.

A Committee was appointed to settle with O. Webster, late Treasurer, consisting of Messrs. Smith and Nye,

L C Risdon was elected Treasurer for the ensuing year, and bonds fixed at $10,000.

The Council then adjourned until Monday evening, April 15th.

Terra-Culture.

Prof. RUSSELL COMSTOCK, the "original" Terra-Culturist, and the only person who has a right to unfold the great secret of nature, will lecture at the Court House, on Thursday, April 18th, at 10 o'clock, A. M. If "seeing is believing, and hearing the naked truth," now is the time for both the uninitiated and the unconverted.

☞ MACK & SCHMID have received their Spring stock, and a large and well selected stock it is. Read their advertisement, and give them a call.

ROUTE AGENTS.—John L. Near, of Wayne Co., member of the State Senate; Geo. Latimer, of Detroit; A Hawkins of this City; and W. S. Bostwick, of Niles; have been appointed Route Agents on the Michigan Central Railroad.

☞ Don't stick up a list of Banks in your Office that you wont take, but rather a list that you *will* take—if you can get them. It will be shorter and more convenient.

☞ The Detroit Gas Company, proposes to the City Council, if its charter be renewed for ten years, to furnish the City at $1.60 per 1000 feet, and private consumers at $2 60, or to any single consumer of 500 00 0 feet annually at $2.00. This is a large reduction from former rates.

☞ As the session laws will not be printed and ready for distribution for some months, we give place to the Highway Law enacted at the late session, which makes important alterations in the manner of laying out, altering, and vacating Highways—Commissioners and others will do well to preserve a copy for reference.

☞ At a Parish meeting of St. Andrews Church in this City, held on Tuesday the 2d day of April, at 10 o'clock, A. M, the following gentlemen were elected Wardens and Vestrymen for the following year:

WARDENS.

John M. Wheeler, Sen.
William Henderson, Jun.

VESTRY

Volney Chapin, Dr. E. Wells, Prof. A. D. White, George Sutton, Chauncy H Millen, A. B. Wood, John F. Miller, James Clements.

☞ IMPORTANT TO OUR READERS.—It is with feelings of joy and gladness that we publish anything which will contribute to the pleasure, interest or health of our patrons. Therefore, with pleasure we say to our readers, one and all, use D. B. De Land & Co.'s Chemical Saleratus. This Saleratus is perfectly pure, healthy and of a uniform quality. Chemists and Manufacturers very well know that it requires trouble and expense to make a perfectly pure article, while an inferior and impure article can be made with much less cost and trouble; while impure Saleratus is very unhealthy, pure Saleratus is harmless and renders the food healthy and nutritious. Knowing these facts, D. B. De Land & Co. have been to great trouble and expense in bringing this article before the public. This Saleratus is manufactured by a new process, known only by this concern in this country and discovered by D. B. De Land, in Europe, two years ago. This Saleratus is put up in bright, red papers and you can get it of any respectable dealer in town, and at wholesale, of the proprietors, at Fairport, Monroe Co., N. Y.

☞ We have received from H. M HIGGINS, No 117 Randolph St., Chicago, the following pieces of New Music:

"*My Heart is sad to-night, Mother!*" Words by D. W. BARTLETT; Music by BISHOP.

If the music is like the words, and both are appreciated by the performer, even stony-hearted hearers will not need to affect moisterned eyes.

'*Rain on the Roof,*"—as sung by OSSIAN E. DODGE. Words by COATES KINNEY; Music by JAMES G. CLARK.

This song takes one back to boyhood and the bed just under the roof. It is beautiful.

"*Under the Snow:*" Words by SYLVIA A. LAWSON; Music by J. P. WEBSTER

What ought to be the music set to such words as these.

'A wail iling sound doth haunt the winds to-night,
And blackest clouds shut out the silver stars,
That else had shone on earth so chilly white,
Like the cold clay upon the coffind bier,
Under the snow! Under the snow!

☞ The attention of Merchants dealing in gentleman's furnishing goods is invited to the advertisement of SMITH & BROUWER in another column. They offer to the trade really valuable "Novelties."

THE ATLANTIC TELEGRAPH.—English papers state that the Directors of the Atlantic Telegraph Company do not altogether despair of being yet able to connect the old and new worlds by means of a telegraphic cable. In their report they state that the portion of the cable recovered on the American side is perfectly sound in every respect, and they attribute the failure in the submersion to causes which might easily be avoided in another attempt to complete their enterprise. They recommend that the company should be maintained on its present footing.

Illinois and Wisconsin Currency.

The *Free Press* of Wednesday had the following relative to "Western Money," and an extra from the office of MILLER, DAVIS & WEBSTER, of this City, gives the same quotations:

The Bank of the Federal Union, Illinois, has made good its securities, and its notes are now taken the same as the best Illinois. This makes four of the Illinois banks that have put up securities, the Lancaster Bank, the Bank of Benton, the Pawet, and the Federal Union.

The discount on the best Illinois and Wisconsin ranges from 7 to 9 per cent.

WISCONSIN.

The following banks have been thrown out at Chicago, and are now taken by the banks at only 75c.:

Bank of Beaver Dam, Beaver Dam.
Bank of Grant County.
Bank of Green Bay.
Bank of Horicon.
Bank of Moneka.
Bank of Monroe
Bank of White Water.
Commercial Bank, Racine.
Corn Planters' Bank,
Dodge County Bank.
Elk horn Bank.
Forest City Bank.
Lake Shore Bank.
Monroe County Bank.
Mercantile Bank, Lodi.
Rockwell & Co's Bank.
Southern Bank, Beloit.
Sun Praire.
Waushara Bank.
La Crosse County Bank,
Farmers and Mechanics' Bank.
Bank of Wisconsin.

The following Wisconsin banks, thrown out several days since, now bring but 65c:

Arctic Bank.
Bank of Albany, Albany.
Bank of Eau Claire.
Beloit Savings Bank.
Chippewa Bank.
Citizens' Bank Black River.
Clark County Bank.
Farmers' Bank, Two Rivers.
Hall & Bro.'s Bank, Eau Claire.
Ka-tan-yan Bank.
Koshkonong Bank.
Laborers' Bank, Markesan.
Mechanics' Bank. Whitewater.
North Western Bank.
Osborn Bank.
Portage County Bank.
Reedsburgh Bank.
St. Croix River Bank.
State Stock Bank.
Tradesman's Bank, Eagle Lake.
Wood County Bank.
Bank of Appleton, Appleton.
Oconta Bank, Laporte.

ILLINOIS.

The following fourteen Illinois banks have been thrown out in Chicago, and now bring but 75c here:

Alisana Bank.
Agricultural Bank.
Bank of Ashland.
Bank of Elgin.
Bank of Metropolis.
Garden State Bank.
Bull's Head Bank.
Jersey County Bank.
Lafayette Bank.
Hampden Bank.
Humboldt Bank.
Naragansett Bank.
Plowman's Bank
Warren County Bank.

The following is the list of Illinois banks first discredited. They now bring but 65c.:

American Exchange Bank.
Bank of Albion, Albion.
Bank of Carmi, Carmi.
Bank of Chester, Chester.
Bank of Pike County, Griggsville.
Bank of Southern Illinois, Bolton.
Bank of Quincy, Quincy.
Bank of Republic, McLeansboro.
Bank of the Commonwealth Robinson.
Union County Bank, Jonesboro.
Bank of Raleigh.
Bank of Aurora
Belvidere Bank, Belvidere.
Canal Bank, Thebes.
Citizens' Bank, Mt. Carmel.
Commercial Bank, New Haven.
Continental Bank, Granville.
Corn Planters' Bank, Marshall.
Corn Exchange Bank.
Edgar County Bank, Paris.
Farmers' and Traders' Bank Charleston.
Farmers' Bank, New Canton.
Farmers' Bank, Metropolis.
Frontier Bank, Benton.
Grand Prairie Bank, Urbana.
Grayville Bank, Grayville.
Illinois State Bank, New Haven.
Merchants and Drovers, Bank, Joliet.
Mississippi River Bank, Oxford.
Morgan County Bank, Jacksonville.
New Market Bank, New Market.
Prairie State Bank Washington.
Railroad Bank, Decatur.
Shawanese Bank, Elizabethtown,
Nationa Bank.
State Bank of Illinois, Shawneetown.
Southern Bank of Illinois, Grayville.

FREE PRESS OFFICE Detroit, April 11.

The discount on good western is now firm here at 8@ 10c. An extra of Brown's Bank Note Reporter, issued yesterday, states that all the discredited Wisconsin and Illinois banks are now 5c. lower than we quoted in our yesterday's issue. The Wisconsin banks thrown out at Chicago, but not at Milwaukee, are now quoted at 70c. on the dollar; those thrown out at both places at 60c; the fourteen Illinois banks last thrown out at 70c., and the Illinois banks first thrown out at 60c. The following six Wisconsin banks were thrown out yesterday and are now worth 70c:

Bank of Fond du Lac.
Bank of North America.
Bank of Oconto.
Oneida Bank, Berlin.
Oneida Bank, Ripon.
City Bank.
Exchange at Chicago yesterday advanced to 6 per cent.

☞ A writer in the New York *Tribune* thus accounts for explosive kerosene: "The retailing price of kerosene is about eighty cents per gallon, while camphene and burning fluid are only worth forty cents; consequently dealers, by mixing the camphene with kerosene, increase their profits, although well aware of the fact that thousands of lives are endangered by so doing."

SPEECH FROM GOV. HOUSTON.—The Austin correspondent of the Galveston *News*, under date of the 21st, writes:

"While I am writing, Gen. Houston has just delivered a speech by the side of the Baptist Church. He commenced at half past 11, and continued, as I learn, till half past 1, making two hours, and was then followed by Jack Hamilton, who is now speaking at 2, P. M. A gentleman just now informs me that Gen. Houston's speech is denunciatory of the Convention from beginning to end. He predicts that Jeff. Davis will enact in the South the *coup d'etat* of Louis Napoleon in France."

GRAND RAPIDS AND INDIANA RAILROAD.—We received a call this week on Tuesday from Mr. Lomax, President of the Grand Rapids and Indiana Railroad Company. He has but recently returned from the East, and informs us the prospects of the Grand Rapids Railroad are favorable. A company of engineers are expected from England to make an inspection of the route, and report to English capitalists. Notwithstanding this is a year in which it seems most impossible to build railroads, yet it is thought the twenty miles north of Grand Rapids will be completed this year.—*Three Rivers Chronicle, April 4.*

AN ABSCONDER.—The Boston *Journal* states that H. D. P. Bigelow, of the late firm of Bigelow & Knight, shoe-dealers on Pearl street, in that city, has left for parts unknown, leaving forged notes to the amount of $50,000 in the hands of brokers and others. He also borrowed a considerable amount of money from his friends before leaving.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

THE MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE MICHIGAN ARGUS, ANN ARBOR, April 11, 1861

The following are the selling prices of the principal articles of produce offereed in our market.

Wheat red. bu.	85 95
" white bu.	1,00
Barley, cwt.	1,25
Corn, shelled,	40
" ear,	20 22
Buckwheat, bu.	42
Oats, bu.	20 25
Flour, red, bbl,	5,00
" white,	5,50
" red, 1-0 lbs,	2,50
" white,	2,75
Rye flour,	2,25
Corn Meal.	1,50
Buckwheat flour,	2,25
Beans,	50 75
Flax Seed, lb.	03
Timothy Seed bu.	2,25 300
Clover Seed, bu.	4,00 4,50
Hay, ton,	8,00 10,00
Wool, per cord,	2,00 3 00
Cranberries, bu.	2,00 2,25
Beef, hind qr.	04 05
" fore qr.	03 04
Pork dressel cwt.	5,00 6,00
Mutton, lb.	04 4½
Turkeys, lb.	07 08
Chickens,	05 07
Eggs, doz.	10
Butter, lb.	12 14
Cheese, lb.	08 09
Lard, lb.	10 14
Trillow, lb.	10 12
Potatoes, per bu.	20 25
Onions, per bu.	50
Turnips,	20
Apples, green,	25 38
" dried,	1,50
Peaches, dried, lb.	11
Honey, caps, lb.	10
Beeswax, lb.	30
Salt, rock, bbl.	2,25
" fine, bbl	1,88
Plaster, ton,	800

M. C. R. R.

Passenger trains now leave the several Stations in this County, as follows.

GOING WEST.

	Kal. Ac.	Day Ex.	Jack. Ac.	Night Ex.
Ypsilanti,	8.05 A. M.	11 29 A. M.	6.45 P. M	11.10 P. M.
Ann Arbor,	8.30 A M	11.40 " "	7.16 " "	11.35 " "
Dexter,	9.00 " "	12.05 P M	7.55 " "	
Chelsea,	9.20 " "	12.20 " "	8.20 " "	

GOING EAST.

	Night Ex.	Jack. Ac.	Mail Ex	Eal. A
Chelsea,		6.30 A. M.	3.38 P. M	8.20 P M
Dexter,		6.55 " "	3.55 " "	8.45 "
Ann Arbor,	4.40 A M	7.25 " "	4.20 " "	9.20
Ypsilanti,	5.00 " "	8.05 " "	4.40 " "	9.50

IMPORTANT TO FEMALES

DR. CHEESEMAN'S FEMALE REGULATING PILLS

THE HEALTH AND LIFE OF WOMAN

Is continually in peril if she is mad enough to neglect or maltreat those sexual irregularities to which two-thirds of her sex are more or less subject.

DR. CHEESEMAN'S PILLS, prepared from the same formula which the inventor, CORNELIUS L. CHEESEMAN, M. D., of New-York, has for twenty years used successfully in an extended private practice—immediately relieve without pain, all disturbances of the periodical discharge, whether arising from relaxation or suppression. They act like a charm in removing the pains that accompany difficult or immoderate menstruation, and are the only safe and reliable remedy for Flushes, Sick Headache, Pains in the Loins, Back and Sides, Palpitation of the Heart Nervous Tremors, Hysterics, Spasms, Broken Sleep and other unpleasant and dangerous effects of an unnatural condition of the sexual functions In the worst cases of *Fluor Albus* or Whites, they effect a speedy cure.

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LADIES MUST BEAR IN MIND

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These Pills should not be taken by females during the FIRST THREE MONTHS of Pregnancy, as they are sure to bring on Miscarriage, but at any other time they are safe.

In all cases of Nervous and Spinal Affections, Pain in the Back and Limbs, Fatigue on slight exertion, Palpitation of the Heart, Hysterics, and Whites, these Pills will effect a cure when all other means have failed, and although a powerful remedy, do not contain iron, calomel, antimony, or any thing hurtful to the constitution.

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See advertisement in another column

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City Meat Market.

The undersigned *Have Removed* THEIR MARKET TO THE CORNER OF ANN AND MAIN STREETS And will keep constantly on hand a full assortment of

Fresh Meats,

which they will always be found in readiness to cut upon SUIT CUSTOMERS. No PAINS will be spared to keep their market

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Ann Arbor. May 4, 1860 745m6

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LOW AS THE LOWEST.

Those wishing any thing in their line are respectfully invited to call. BATCHELDER & EISELE.

Ann Arbor. March 6, 1861. 790y1

Side-Walk Order—South Liberty Street

STATE OF MICHIGAN—Washtenaw county, City of Ann Arbor, ss.—Recorder's Office. April 3d, A. D. 1861.—To Chr. Mack & Schmid, Mrs. Aberly, Catharine Schumacker, Doctor Helber, Gottlieb Hauser, Mrs. Caniljnnta Schlack, Henry Krause, Frederick Kuhn, Jacob Gross, Joseph Herwig, John M Roller, Mrs Henory Murry Chr. Hoffstetter, Wm. Markle, Fr. Kirn, Wm. Kuhn, Ryan estate (non resident), Mrs Mulholland, and Samuel P. Jewett:—You and each of you are hereby notified that the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor has ordered the side-walk on the North side of Liberty and South Liberty streets to be graded and planked from Main street to the west line of the Corporation Boundary; that such side walk is to be constructed five feet wide, of Oak plank two inches thick and from four to six inches wide, and spiked to sleepers of oak four by four inches, and is to be built under the superintendence of the Street Commissioner and Supervisor of the First district of said City, and that you are about to be assessed to defray the expenses of grading and planking such side walk in front of or adjacent to certain premises in said city, owned or occupied by you respectively, and that a report and assessment roll has been made out in the premises, and is on file in this office for inspection; and that the Common Council of said City will meet at the Firemen's Hall in said city, on the sixth day of May, next, at seven o'clock, P. M. to review such assessment roll on the request of any person considering himself aggrieved thereby: and you are further notified that the party is allowed thirty days from the time of the service of this notice upon him, within which to make such grading and side walk under the superintendence of the Street Commissioner and Supervisor of the First district of said city, and that if such side walk shall within that time have been so constructed to the satisfaction of such superintendents no expense of proceeding to collect such assessment shall be incurred by the persons so constructing the same. But if any part of such side walk shall not be constructed within said time, the premises so assessed for the construction thereof will be sold or leased for the shortest term of years at which any person will take the same and pay the tax assessed thereon for constructing such side walk, with the interest and all costs and charges thereon.

By order of the Common Council,
D. S. TWITCHELL, Recorder.

Side Walk Order—Division Street.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, City of Ann Arbor, ss.—Recorder's Office, April 3d, A. D. 1861:—To Mrs. Welch, E. W. Morgan, and Wm. Everest:—You and each of you are hereby notified that the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor has ordered the Side walk on the west side of Division street from the North-east corner of Jefferson and Division streets to Hanover Square, to be graded and planked; such Side walk to be constructed five feet wide, and of pine plank two inches thick, spiked to sleepers of oak, and to be built under the superintendence of the Street Commissioner and Supervisor of the First district of said city, and that you are about to be assessed to defray the expenses of grading and planking such Side-walk in front of or adjacent to certain premises in said city, owned or occupied by you, respectively, and that a report and assessment roll has been made out in the premises, and is on file in this office for inspection; and that the Common Council of said city will meet at the Firemen's Hall in said city, on the sixth day of May, next, at seven o'clock, P. M. to review such assessment roll on the request of any person considering himself aggrieved thereby: and you are further notified that the party is allowed thirty days from the time of the service of this notice upon him, within which to make such grading and side-walk under the superintendence of the Street Commissioner and Supervisor of the First district of said city, and that if such side walk shall within that time have been so constructed to the satisfaction of such superintendents no expense of proceeding to collect such assessment shall be incurred by the persons so constructing the same. But if any part of such side walk shall not be constructed within said time, the premises so assessed for the construction thereof will be sold or leased for the shortest term of years at which any person will take the same and pay the tax assessed thereon for constructing such side walk, with the interest and all costs and charges thereon.

By order of the Common Council,
D. S. TWITCHELL, Recorder.

Notice.

MY WIFE ELIZABETH CATHARINE has left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, and I shall hereafter pay no debt of her contracting.

VALENTINE BAENHARD

Pittsfield, April 3, 1861. 794w3

New Primary School.

A PRIMARY SCHOOL of the lowest grade was opened in the basement of the Union School building on Monday. No Scholars West of State Street will be admitted, and none above the grade, which usually includes children from five to seven years.

By order of Committee.
E. B. POND, Secretary.

April 3d, 1861. 795w2

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DOCTORS generally pretend that Consumption is incurable, because they cannot cure it themselves; but this does not make it true.

Many mechanics will works on a job all day and after doing nothing but spoil the material they will tell you it never can be done in the way you want it. But by applying to a better workman—one who thoroughly understands his business—you will get your work accomplished in shape.

In this respect there is the same difference to be found in all trades and professions. The bungler in mechanism, in the arts, in law, in theology, and in physic, will say such things cannot be done. And it is true that they could not be if all men were like themselves. But fortunately there is another class of men, and these, when they take your case in hand, do the jobs you want it, or restore you to health, according to desire. We have only to remember this act to understand why one physician should pronounce that incurable which another can cure.

In mechanics, we sometimes find that by a possession of superior means, by some new invention, of which he has the sole use, or by the greater ingenity of his mind, one person will make or do what no other can.

Exactly it may be so in physic. And this is the very reason why I have such great success over all others in the treatment of Consumption. By having the original genius, by possessing the Lung-Meter, which enables me to clearly determine the nature of the disease and by having such remedies for Consumption as no other Physician ever had, make bold to say that I have, and can effect a cure of this disease beyond the reach of any other man. To prove this to have been the case, I might give you numbers upon numbers of certificates from men and women given over to the grave, who have been rescued and restored to health by the persevering use of my remedies for Consumption. But it is not necessary for me to do so here, for the fact of one man doing what another cannot cannot, is evident to all men of common sense. If the Consumptive wishes further proof than this, I can only say, come and satisfy yourself by trial of my skill in the cure of your complaint

Doctor Carpenter will visit Ypsilanti, and Ann Arbor, during 1860-61. Ann Arbor, at Cook's Hotel, 3d and 4th of each month; Hawkins House, Ypsilanti, 5th and 6th of each month. The remainder of the time, he will be found at his Lung Infirmary in Detroit 1y773.

NEW MAP

OF THE COUNTIES OF

Washtenaw & Lenawee, Mich,

From Official Records and Special Surveys,

By BECHLER, WENIG & CO., and GEIL & HARLEY,

Being Successors to Geil & Harley, Topographical Eng's, Authors of Maps of the Counties of Hillsdale, Branch, St. Joseph, Calhoun, Jackson Cass, Van Buren, Berrien, Wayne, Genesee, Kalamazoo, Shiawassee, Monroe, Macomb, St Clair, &c., Michigan; Loraine, Medina, &c., Ohio; Niagam, Erie, Cattaraugus, Greene, Saratoga, &c., New York; Monmouth, Morris, &c., New Jersey; City of Reading, &c., Penn.; Laporte, &c., Indiana—etc., etc.

The undrsigned are preparing to publish, by Subscription, a new and enlarged Map of the Counties of WASHTENAW and LENAWEE, MICHIGAN, from careful surveys of the entire District, made expressly for this work, and from Official Records and other reliable information.—The Map will delineate minutely the various Geographical and Topographical features of

Michigan Argus.

From the American Agriculturist for April.

How to Raise Celery.

A description of celery is unnecessary for most of those who live in or near cities where it has long been a staple article for the table, but is as yet cultivated in comparatively few farmers' gardens. It is a native of England, where it grows as a rank, coarse weed in marshy grounds. By cultivation, the best stalks, which are edible, have been rendered crisp and delicate, of a most agreeable flavor, and equal or superior to any other plant for salads. It is also used as flavoring for soup and made dishes. When once generally known, it will be considered as indispensable in the garden as lettuce or cabbage. It is usually eaten in fall and winter; by proper management it may be had from August to April.

To raise celery for summer use, a hot-bed is needed, which should be prepared, in this latitude, as early as the second week in March. After the hot-bed is made in the usual manner, but with about twelve inches of soil upon the manure, allow it to stand ten or twelve days for the weeds to spring up, which can then be destroyed, and the bed kept clean with little trouble. Make drills six inches apart by pressing the edge of a board into the soil an inch deep, and sow the seed. The solid white variety is generally preferred. When the plants are up, thin them to an inch apart. Air them a short time each morning; keep them shaded with mats on clear days from about 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. Water with cold water about twice a week, applying it at noon, and immediately replacing the mats. Hoe between the rows to keep out weeds, only when the plants and soil are dry; otherwise they become rusted and are spoiled for after culture. When about three inches high, or near the first of May, they are ready for transplanting. It is well to give more air, to harden them off, a few days before removing them.

Dig trenches one foot wide, two feet deep and four to five feet apart. Put in six inches of well rotted cattle or hog manure, fill in with six inches of soil, and mix the whole thoroughly.—Choose a clear day, water the beds freely an hour or more before transplanting, that the earth may adhere to the plants. Fork over the prepared soil in the trenches, and leave the middle rounded up higher than the sides. Put in the young plants twelve inches apart, and shade them for a few days to prevent wilting.

Hoe them occasionally to keep out weeds, but only in dry weather, and when the leaves are free from dew, and always be careful to keep all earth from the centre of the plant; otherwise it will rust and be spoiled. Draw in earth enough from the sides of the trench to cover the lateral roots three inches deep, but do not draw together the heart of the plant while young—If drouth occur, frequent hoeing is better than watering. When eight or ten stalks are formed, and the tallest is eighteen inches high, draw in earth from the sides, and bank up the plant as high as the first outside leaf—draw the stalks together, while doing this, and be careful to keep earth out of the centre. When the heart has grown up even with the outside leaves, give a second earthing, drawing it up so that the bank stands about two feet high.—As soon as the heart reaches to the outer leaves again, the celery is ready for use. It will attain this point about thirty days after the first banking.

For fall and winter celery, choose a rich sandy loam, and enrich it with plenty of good manure, thoroughly worked into the soil. Sow the seed in drills a foot apart, the same as directed above. Thin them to about half an inch apart. Hoe frequently to keep down weeds and supply moisture, but never while the dew is on. The plants will be ready for the trenches about the first of July, after which, the treatment is the same as described above. Further directions for digging, preparing for the table, preserving for winter, etc., will be given at the appropriate season. Many of these hints are derived from a treatise by Mr. Roessle, probably the most successful cultivator of celery in this country.

Peas and Oats.

As the season for sowing oats is approaching, we suggest that when oats are intended to be grown for feeding stock at home, that the mixture of peas may be advantageously sown with them. S. E. Todd, in the *Ohio Farmer* commends the practice of sowing these two crops together, and we know that the peas add very much to the value of the crop for feed. Mr. Todd says:

"Raising a crop of oats and peas on the same ground, at the same time, is often attended with good success; and when the object is grain for feeding stock of any kind it is a much better way to sow oats with the peas, than to sow nothing but peas. Peas are far more productive when they have something to sustain them, than when allowed to grow as they may, in a prostrate or half erect position. No grain will fructify as well when prostrate, as when kept in an erect position.

"One object, then, in sowing peas and oats together, is, to have the oats sustain the peas until the grain is matured. In order to accomplish this object most effectually, the oats must not be sowed more than half as thick as they are when no other grain is sown with them. Every good farmer knows that when oats are sown very thick, the straw is quite slender; but when they are not very close together, the straw is quite strong, coarse and stiff, and will remain erect much longer. Now, by sowing about half as many oats per acre as is necessary for a full crop, and by sowing at the same time as many peas as is usually sown, a much better crop may be raised than if nothing but the peas be sown; because the oats will keep the peas erect, and they will fill the better, and require less labor to harvest the crop.

I know that most farmers do not like to sow mixed seed of any kind, but when the grain is all to be consumed on the farm, it matters little whether it is mingled before it is sown, or afterwards. Peas and oats, ground with Indian corn, or without corn, make a most excellent feed, especially for fattening swine; and many good farmers sow oats and peas for the express purpose of fattening swine, by giving them a good start in the fattening process in the early part of the season, before Indian corn has matured enough for feeding"—*Mich. Farmer.*

☞ Men should rather occupy his faculties in comprehending the truths and obligations and possibilities of the present life, in rightly estimating the scope and claims of the passing hour, than in curiously prying after remote secrets which bear no practical part in deciding his daily happiness or moulding his final destiny.

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Quarterly and Semi-annual premiums, due subsequent to January 1, 1860	20,550,38
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E. W. MORGAN.
Ann Arbor, Jan 1st. 1856 53

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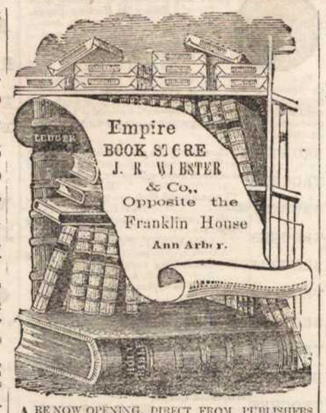

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Its effects commence by deposition from the blood of corrupt or ulcerous matter, which, in the lungs, liver, and internal organs, is termed tubercles; in the glands, swellings; and on the surface, eruptions or sores. This foul corruption, which genders in the blood, depresses the energies of life, so that scrofulous constitutions not only suffer from scrofulous complaints, but they have far less power to withstand the attacks of other diseases; consequently vast numbers perish by disorders which, although not scrofulous in their nature, are still rendered fatal by this taint in the system. Most of the consumption which decimates the human family has its origin directly in this scrofulous contamination; and many destructive diseases of the liver, kidneys, brain, and, indeed, of all the organs, arise from or are aggravated by the same cause.

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