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THE GATES ARE OPEN THERE.

The voice of melody is hushed,
Its [illegible] prayer;
Our sons are echoing in Heaven;
The gates are open there.

Darkness has locked the other door,
Guards the unredeemed shore;
The "many mansions" are not dark;
The gates are open there.

New footsteps ever pressing in
The place prepared to claim;
New brows uplifted to receive
Their [illegible] name.

Each moment of the busy week
Unbindeth loads of care,
And heareth upward weary souls
To restless service there.

The darkest hours of longest night
With noiseless pinions bear
Awakened ones to life and light;
The gates are open there.

Open for angels to descend
And minister to thee:
Open for prayer to enter in—
Open for you and me.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The Noble Revenge

The coffin was a plain one—a poor miserable pine coffin. No flowers on its top, no lining of the rose-white satin for the pale brown; no smooth ribbons about the coarse shroud. The brown hair was laid decently back, but there was the crimped cap, with its neat tie beneath the chin. The sufferer from cruel poverty smiled in her sleep; she had found bread, rest and health.

'I want to see my mother, sobbed a poor child, as the city undertaker screwed down the top.

'You can't—get out of the way, boy; why don't somebody take the brat?'

'Only let me see her one minute,' cried the hopeless orphan, clutching the side of the charity box, and as he gazed into the rough face, anguished tears streamed rapidly down the cheek, on which no childish bloom ever lingered. Oh! it was pitiful to hear him cry, 'Only once, let me see my mother only once.'

Quickly and brutally the hard-hearted monster struck the boy away so that he reeled with the blow. For a moment the boy stood paling with grief and rage—his blue eyes dilated, his lips sprang apart. A fire glittered through his tears, as he raised his puny arm, and with a most unchildish accent screamed out, 'When I am a man, I'll kill you for that.'

There was a coffin and a heap of earth between the mother and the poor forsaken child, a monument, much stronger than granite, built in his boy-heart to the memory of the heartless deed.

The Court House was crowded to suffocation

'Does any one appear as this man's counsel?' asked the judge.

There was a silence when he finished, until, with lips slightly pressed together, a look of strange intelligence blended with haughty reserve upon his handsome features a young man stepped forward with a firm tread and kindly eye, to plead for the erring and friendless.—He was a stranger, but from his first sentence there was a silence. The splendor of his genius enthralled—convinced.

The man who could not find a friend was acquitted.

'May God bless you, sir. I cannot.'

'I want no thanks,' replied the stranger with icy coldness.

'I—I believe you are unknown to me.'

'Man! I will refresh your memory. Twenty years ago you struck a broken-hearted boy away from his mother's poor coffin. I was that poor boy.'

The man turned livid.

'Have you rescued me, then, to take life?'

'No, I have a sweeter revenge; I saved the life of a man whose brutal deed has rankled in my breast for many years. Go! and remember the curse of a friendless child!'

The man bowed his head in shame and went out from the presence of a humanity as grand to him as incomprehensible, and the noble young lawyer felt God's smile in his soul forever after.

☞ "An unloved wife," who ought to know of that of which she speaks, because she has so much experience, says that the reason that ladies look so much after the matter of marriage, is, because they so seldom find anything worth having.

A Midnight Scene in Gen. Grant's Camp.

The battle of Arbela was the eloquence of daring on the part of the young Macedonian King. That of Thermopylæ was the eloquence of patriotism on the part of Leonidas and his pilots. The battle of Austerlitz was the eloquence of bravery on the part of the young Corsican. The scene of Valley Forge was the eloquence of faith on the part of Washington. The scene after the battle of the Wilderness combined all these elements, and added the eloquence of Silence.

The well known result of the fierce contest was reverse to the army of the United States. Gen. Lee had flung one wing of his army between our forces and the base of their supplies, which would require another battle to regain them. Each division and corps commander knew this sad condition of affairs. They were all summoned to a council of war to be held at the headquarters at one o'clock at night. They were the saddest steps ever taken by that band of devoted hearts. Fifteen thousand brave soldiers, dead and dying or wounded were lying on the field hard by.

One after another entered, and after making a noiseless salute silently took their seats. Generals Schofield, Meade, Burnside, Sickles, Howard, and others, I believe, were there. Not a word was spoken. A full half an hour thus passed by. Their emotions were too deep for utterance. Hope of millions hung on the decision of that council.

At length Gen. Grant asked each one in succession if he had any advice to proffer. Each one answered with a sad monosyllable, No!

The Commander then wrote a few lines and handed the slip to Gen. Meade, and he retired. This was repeated until all were gone and the General was left alone. One of the staff of a division commander who was sick, was the last to retire, and is our authority for the above

All were ignorant of each other's order. They felt assured that retreat had been directed. Any other alternative would have been believed to be madness. Had they known that the order had been given to advance, instant and universal mutiny would have been raised. That eloquent silence for which the commander has ever been noted, was the key to his success there.

The next morning each corps moved, and General Lee, the moment he perceived it, with a vehemence exclaimed: 'Our enemy have a leader at last, and our cause is lost!' He had bid his officers the night before to let their soldiers sleep long. But now he saw the army whom he thought utterly defeated, moving round between him and the base of his supplies.

He hastened to begin retracing his course, and confessed to an artillery officer of the Confederate army that the doom of their cause was sealed.—*Presbyterian.*

A Girl not to be Fooled With

A Western paper says: C. and B. on one of their flat boat trips on the Ohio, when the boat tied up for the night, on the Indiana shore, thought they would very hard diet with a dish of mush and milk, their peculiar weakness. Accordingly they reconnoitered the hills, and soon came across a small house in the woods, presided over by a blooming Hoosier lass of some eighteen summers, tall and graceful as one of her native hickories. They stated their errand, and she, after the true Hoosier hospitality, forthwith proceeded to prepare the dainty for the wayfarers. She mixed the ingredients in a huge pot on the fire, and with a mush stick about four feet long she set to work to stir the savory mess. As the two young men sat directly behind her, watching the operation, B. directed C.'s attention to a small hole in the waist of the young lady's dress, and pointed his finger within an inch of it. Unluckily, just then the damsel made a sudden movement backward, and the finger came in contact with the bare skin. The guilty joker broke for the woods and escaped. The infuriated lass brandished the huge mush stick, all reeking with the hasty pudding, dealt the innocent, luckless C. a tremendous blow, laying him flat on the floor—a flat boatman indeed. Explanation or apology was useless, and so with hair, eyes, beard and moustaches all dripping with his favorite delicacy, he gathered himself up and departed for his floating domicil, a sadder and a wiser man.

Anecdote of Velpau.

An anecdote is told of Velpau, the eminent French surgeon, who died a few years ago. He had successfully performed, on a little child five years old, a perilous operation. The mother came to him and said:

'Monsieur, my son is saved, and I really know not how to express my gratitude; allow me, however, to present you with this pocket-book, embroidered with my own hands.'

'Oh! madame, my art is not merely a question of feeling. My life has its requirements like yours. Dress, even, which is a luxury for you, is necessary for me. Allow me, therefore, to refuse your charming little present, in exchange for a more substantial remuneration.'

'But monsieur, what remuneration do you desire? Fix the fee yourself.'

'Five thousand francs madame.'

The lady very quietly opened the pocket book, which contained ten thousand franc notes, counted out five, and politely handing them over to Velpau, retired.

Whining Women.

If there be anything in the wide world that will wear on the patience of a man, and render him indifferent to his domestic fireside and the society of his wife he has promised to cherish, it is a whining woman. To hear day after day—in the morning when he sits down at the breakfast table, and in the evening when returned from his wearisome days' labor,—piteous complaints like these, uttered in dolorous accents; 'Oh, I have such a headache!' or 'my back aches so I can scarcely stand,' would require a virtue superior to that found in any being 'made a little lower than the angels' to withstand them without flinching from the course of strict rectitude.

The institution of marriage has in view the improvement of earthly condition of those who respect it. No person man or woman, contemplates marriage without expecting to better himself or herself. A man who is a freak of fancy for a pair of melting black eyes or a pretty face, allies himself for life with a sickly wife, is certainly much to blame if he exhibit coolness of manner toward her. He should have been more discreet in his choice. Rosy cheeks and dancing health are not very attractive to the unmarried, but after marriage constitute one of the strongest links that bind a husband's love. When a year or two of that close intimacy only found in wedded life, has dispelled all the romance that either party entertained on the threshold, and one realizes that the other is an invalid; how much of bitterness is added to his or her cup of married existence, be other things ever so abundant and luxuriant their palatial abode. It may be laid down as a maxim, that in no earthly condition is health so necessary as in married relation.—Young man, if you would be happy in your home; if you would avoid a disposition to 'whine,' and thus render you permanently uncomfortable, see to it that your wife is a healthy buxom lassie to whom headaches and backaches are marvels of other folk's pretensions.

Miss Muloch, in speaking of the influence of woman in society, uses the following language:

'Oh! if gloomy women did but know what comfort there is in a cheerful spirit. How the heart leaps to meet a sunshiny face, a merry tongue, an even temper, and a heart which, either naturally, or, what is better, consciencious principle, has learned to take all things on the bright side, believing that the Giver of life being all perfect love, the best offering we can make to him is to enjoy to the full what he sends of good, and what he allows of evil—like a child who, when once it believes in its father, believes in all his doings with it, whether it understands them or not.'

That husband who has a perpetual sunshine in his home in the shape of a cheerful wife, should be one of the happiest of men, and if he is not, Providence has been too kind to him.

A Null and Void Pledge.

A good joke came off quite recently at the court house. A person living a short distance out of the village is in the habit of frequently coming into town and drinking to inebriation. At such seasons he is accustomed to call on his Honor Judge M———. Recently he made one of his visits, becoming decidedly tipsy, called upon Judge M, and desired the Judge to write him a pledge, asserting his intention to cease drinking. His Honor wrote the pledge as desired, and the tipsy individual annexed his name thereto. He then desired to have the pledge that he might take it home and exhibit it to his wife. His honor thought he was himself the proper custodian of the important agreement, but yielded to the solicitation of the man, at the same time assuring him that if he broke the contract, and appeared before him again in a state of intoxication, he would have him locked up. A week elapsed, and the judge was confronted by the same man, as tipsy as aforetimes. 'How is this?' said his Honor, 'did I not tell you I would have you locked up if you did not keep your agreement?' 'Judge M.,' said the tipsy fellow, 'do you think I am a fool? I know what I am about. I'll show you if I am a fool!' and he drew forth his wallet from his pocket, took out his pledge, unfolded its worn creases, and holding it up triumphantly exclaimed, 'Will you just show me the United States Internal Revenue stamp on that agreement?' The judge caved.

Long Dresses.

Oliver Wendell Holmes uses the following language, none too strong, in reference to one of fashion's foolish freaks:

"But confound the make believe women we have turned loose in our streets. Where do they come from? not out of Boston parlors, I trust.—Why, there isn't a beast or bird that would drag its tail through the dirt in the way those creatures do their dresses. Because a queen or duchess wears long dresses on great occasions, a maid-of-all-work or a factory girl thinks she must make herself a nuisance by trailing through the streets, picking up and carrying about with her—bah! that's what I call getting vulgarity into your bones and marrow. Show over dirt is the attribute of vulgar people. If any man can walk behind one of those women and see what she rakes up as she goes, and not feel squeamish, he has got a tough stomach. I would not let one of them into my room without serving them as David did Saul at the cave in the wilderness—cut off her skirts.

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YOUNG MEN

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YOUNG MEN

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What a pity that a young man the hope of his country, the darling of his parents, should be snatched from all prospects and enjoyments of life, by the consequence of deviating from the path of nature and indulging in a certain secret habit. Such persons MUST, before contemplating

MARRIAGE,

reflect that a sound mind and body are the most necessary requisites to promote connubial happiness. Indeed, without these, the journey through life becomes a weary pilgrimage; the prospect hourly darkens to the view; the mind becomes shadowed with despair and filled with the melancholy reflection that the happiness of another becomes blighted with our own.

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Westminster, Md., August 15,—tf.

Notice of Personal Discharge.

ON application by petition in writing of ROBERT MORRISON, of Carroll county, to the Circuit Court for Carroll county, for the benefit of the 48th Article of the Code of Public General Laws of the State of Maryland, entitled Insolvents, a schedule of his property and a list of the debts due him, with the names of his debtors, and also a list of the debts due from him, with the names of his creditors, verified by affidavit, being annexed to his said petition, and being satisfied that the said Robert Morrison, has at no time within two years previous to said application been discharged under any Insolvent Law of this State; and the said petioner having taken the oath prescribed by law, and having also executed to a Trustee by said Court appointed, a good and sufficient Deed for his property and estate of every description (the necessary wearing apparel and bedding of himself and family excepted,) and delivered the same to said Trustee—and the said Trustee having also executed a bond to the State of Maryland by said Court approved, for the faithful discharge of his trust.—It is therefore ordered and directed that the *Second Monday of May*, 1868, be fixed for the appearance of said Robert Morrison, in the Circuit Court for Carroll county to answer such interrogatories or allegations as his creditors, endorsers, or sureties may propose or allege against him, and that the said petitioner cause notice of said day to be given to his creditors by publication in some newspaper printed in Carroll county for three successive months prior to the said Second Monday of May, 1868.

Given under my hand this 7th day of September, 1867.

WM. A. McKELLIP, Clerk.

True copy,—Test:

WM. A. McKELLIP, Clerk.

September 2,—3m.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned as surviving Partner of the late firm of MATHIAS & HERING, gives notice that all the Notes and Accounts of said Firm have been placed in the hands of JNO. J. BAUMGARDNER, Esq., who is fully authorized to collect and receipt for the same.

Having recently formed a Co-Partnership with Dr. J. H. BILLINGSLEA, and being desirous of closing my individual Books, I have also placed those Notes and Accounts in the hands of Mr. Baumgardner for settlement.

J. W. HERING, M. D.

Jan. 29,—tf.

WM. P. MAULSBY, CHAS. B. ROBERTS.

MAULSBY & ROBERTS,

Attorneys at Law,

And Solicitors in Chancery.

HAVING associated themselves in the practice of Law in Carroll County, they will attend promptly and carefully to all business entrusted to their charge. Mr. Maulsby will visit Westminster when ever business requires it. Office directly opposite the Court House. Jan. 4.—y

THOMAS P. TWOHY,

LOCKSMITH,

And Tinker in General.

HAVING opened a Shop at the West End of Town, is prepared to repair Locks, fit Keys, mend Umbrellas and Parasols, repair and polish Table Knives and Forks, grind Scissors, and satisfactorily perform all jobs in his line. Charges moderate, "live and let live," being the motto.

Westminster, July 4,—6m.

WESTERN MARYLAND

COLLEGE.

(FOR PUPILS OF BOTH SEXES.)

THE New and Spacious Building for the use of this Institution of Learning, being now nearly completed, the *First Scolastic Year* will commence on WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER THE 4th. *Price of Board*, Washing, &c., per year, $180.—*Tuition alone*, from $25 to $60 per year, according to the Class entered. The corps of Teachers has been selected with great care, and consists of competent Professors in each Department of Study. Besides all branches of English, the Latin, Greek, French, German and other Languages will be taught; also, Music, (Vocal and Instrumental,) Drawing, Painting, Embroidery, Wax Work, &c. The Institution is provided with a Library of 2500 volumes, and valuable Chemical and Philosophical Apparatus. The Proprietor and the Teachers will earnestly aim to make the Institution one of the best in the land, and they respectfully solicit such a share of the public patronage as will sustain and encourage them in their labors.

Catalogues containing full information, can be had on application, either in person or by letter, to

F. R. BUELL, Proprietor; or
Rev. J. T. WARD, Principal of the College Faculty.

Westminster, Md., August 1, 1867.—3m

LOOK HERE!

THE Undersigned, having completed their NEW FOUNDRY AND MACHINE SHOPS, near the Railroad Station, in Westminster, would respectfully inform the public that they are now prepared to furnish STOVES, Blacksmith Tue Irons, Tire Benders, Hollow Anvils, Bake-oven Doors and Hearth Plates, Cellar Window Grates, Porch Post Irons and Casting in general, Corn and Cob Crushers, Corn Shellers, Cricular Saws, with benches complete, for sawing fire wood, &c; Horse Powers and THRESHING MACHINES, Cutting Boxes and Plows of different kinds; but would call particular attention to their justly celebrated three-horse Plough commonly called the PRICE PLOW.

Also, their well known and unsurpassed GRAIN DRILL for sowing all manner of Grain including Oats

Repairing of all kinds attended to promptly and at liberal rates.

Having First Class Mechanics employed will guarantee satisfaction.

WAGONER & MATTHEWS.

Nov. 29,—6m.

NEW GOODS,

FOR THE FALL AND WINTER

OF 1867 & '68.

E. K. GERNAND,

Westminster, Md.

OFFERS to the selection of the public a new and extensive Stock of *FANCY AND STAPLE*

DRY GOODS

Notions,

Building and Cabinet Hardware,

Meat Cutters, Stuffers, Nails, Forks, Shovels, Spades, Hoes, Rakes, &c.

DRUGS,

Paints, Oils, Glass,

Oil Vitrol, Sulphate Soda, Ammia, &c.

QUEENSWARE,

Stoneware, Earthenware, Cedarare, Coal Oil Lamps, in the greatest variety;

Boots, Shoes, Hats, &c.,

Floor and Table OIL CLOTHS, Hemp and Manilla Ropes,

TOBACCO AND SEGARS

GROCERIES,

&c., &c.,

all of the above Stock has been carefully selected and will be sold at the lowest prices to accord with the late decline in Woolen and Cotton fabrics.

Oct. 17. E. K. GERNAND.

1,000 CORDS

HEAVY BARK WANTED.

THE Highest *CASH PRICE* will be paid for BARK. EDWARD LINC[illegible]

April 11. Westminster, Md.

A. D. Schaefer,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

AND SOLICITOR IN CHANCERY

WESTMINSTER, MD.

OFFICE Five doors [illegible] Winchester Hotel. Can[illegible] German language.

HOOP SKIRTS,
HOOP SKIRTS,
HOOP SKIRTS,
HOOP[illegible]

Ladies, Misses and Children [illegible]

April 19. E. [illegible]

NOTICE TO [illegible]

OIL Vitrol, Sulp. Soda [illegible] any quantity and at [illegible] on hand.

CHEAP [illegible]

SIGN OF THE B[illegible]

OPPOSITE YING[illegible]

Where you get [illegible]

A CHOICE S[illegible]

LADIES A[illegible]

MENS [illegible]

NOT[illegible]

of various kinds which [illegible] the lowest Baltimore [illegible]

Call in and examine [illegible]

April 11.

GREAT Bargains [illegible] tion. Call and [illegible]

Oct. 10.

DRY GOODS.—Cloths, [illegible] very cheap, at [illegible]

Meat Cutters and [illegible]

ed a large lot of [illegible] Stuffers, which [illegible]

Oct. 10.

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