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ESMA LOWE,

DENTON, MD.

DR. P. STACK,

DENTIST,

oct 5-y.

and Queen Anne's counties.

There comes the boys! Oh, dear, the Behold the knees of Harry's pants, 3.00 And weep o'er Bertie's jacket.. But never mind, if eyes keep bright, And limbs grow straight and limber. We'd rather lose the tree's whole bark, Than find unsound the timber!

Now hear the tops and marbles roll! 6,25 The floor—oh, woe betide them ! And I must watch the banisters, For I know boys will ride them! Look well as you descend the stairs,

7,35 I often find them haunted By ghostly toys that make no noise, Just when their noise is wanted! The very chairs are tied in pairs,

THE BOYS.

And made to prance and caper, What swords are whittled out of sticks! What brave hats made of paper? P. M. | The dinner bell peals loud and well

To tell the milkman's coming; And then the rush of "steam-car trains"

Set all our cars a humming. 2,25 How oft I say: "What shall I do To keep these children quiet?" If I could find a good receipt, I certainly should try it.

4,00 But what to do with these wild boys, 4,10 • And all their din and clatter, Is really quite a grave affair— 5,05 No laughing, trifling matter.

"Boys will be boys"-but not for long! 6,15 Ah, could we bear about us 7,00 This thought—how very soon our boys The mixed train will run subject to delays inci-dent to freight basiness, and will stop only at sta-

How soon full tall and deep voiced men your courage?" Leave New Castle for Wilmington and Philadelphia Will gravely call us "Mother;" at 7.40 A. M. Leave Philadelphia, 11.45 A. M. and Or we be stretching empty hands From this world to the other.

Additional to those above, leave Smyrna for Clay-tou 11 35, A. M., and 7 35 P. M. Leave Claytan for Smyrna, 8.40 A. M., and 2.00 P. M., to make con- More gently we should chide the noise, And when night quells the racket, Stitch in but loving thoughts and pray-At Townsend, with the Kent County, and Queen Anne's & Kent Railroads.

At Clayton, with M. & D. R. R. for Easton and in- While mending pants and jacket! IT IS DARK.

> There comes seasons of darkness in H. F. KENNY, Sup't Del. R. R. | all our lives—times when there are

groupe, trembling. A few years ago, there fell upon my Also, CHILDREN'S SHOES of every kind. On and after Monday, Sept. 30th, 1872, life one of these seasons, in which I

GOING SOUTH. A terror of darkness was on me. One night 1 lay awake' thinking, un-1.00 P. M. feared to move onward lest, with next died for your country." turn aside from the way in which I was going-a way reason and conscience approved as right; but something held me back. Again, I took up and considered samong the vanities." the difficulties of my situation, looking be at the various stations at to the right and the left for ways of exleast thirty (30) minutes before the starting of the trication; now inclining to go in this held away from resolve by inner convictions of right and duty, that grew

UCTIONEER, to give up my hold on integrity. So the hours went, heavy footed, until county to call sales. He has been an auctioneer for midnight. My little daughter was many years, and believes and knows, if employed, sleeping in the crib beside my bed. But that he can give entire satisfaction. Any orders left at the Journal Office will be promptly attended to.

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w. snyder. on the still air: "Papa! papa!" she called. A. C. STEWART & CO. "What is it, darling?" I asked. Commission Merehants for the sale of "O papa! It's dark! Take Nellie's

WM, G. ROBERTS COUNTRY PRODUCE GENERALLY. It many. A sign of refler came up the capabable. The annual sowing of four been found out that wives and children inches more of the coarser substances; are at present, by actual count, but capabable. The annual sowing of four been found out that wives and children inches more of the coarser substances; then each the coarser substances; 102 S. CHARLES ST near Camden, ness and fear were gone, and in a few fourteen young men in that city who have minds, and so it has become a nemoments she was sound asleep again. part their hair in the middle. One year yields always a large annual harvest of cessity to educate the children and furmanure, next four inches of compost in a sudden, almost wild, outburst of death and the lunatic asylum have cut every fall, whose only recomm ndation it has been found out that the mind by top all off with six inches of the raw ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,

my hand !" A great peace fell upon me. The Will practice in the Courts of Careline, Talbot terror of darkness was gone. "Keep hold of my hand, O my father!" I fer- tleman to his friend, "that a watch by local directors is well nigh appalling gence and virtue. vently prayed; and though I should be should be kept perfectly when it has a to any one not acquainted with the An ignorant family in our day is an is moderately saturated. When milder called to walk through the valley and running spring inside." shadow of death, I will fear no evil. - BASE-BALL is of much greater au- 70, page 123.

> 430-17 to the left." morning broke with scarce a seeming interval of time.

I felt calm and strong. The day was to be one of severe trial. Dark uncer- will do. TAVING taken out license as auctioneer, is pre- tainty rested over it. But I was re- A Connecticut dog run a tack in its pared to call sales at auction in Caroline county.

solved to walk steadily through its trials foot, and hobbled to a doctor's office. and its pains, holding tightly the hand

> of my Father. O! is not the Lord better to us, if we together? The smallest, of cours.

hopeless ruin. Even my tempters, who of Charles county, Rev. Geo. F. Beahad hoped to gain through my defectiven, of Caroline county, and Dr. Saml. tion from honor, bore witness to my Kepler, of Baltimore county, Secretary, integrity. And now, having escaped have submitted to the Governor their our large cities an eccentric character the perils of this difficult and dangerous annual report for the scholastic year. known as Uncle Zeke, who never lost a pass, peace, prosperity and honor The following summary exhibits in a chance of perpetrating a practical joke. parts there are of earthy matter sixtyopened on my view. But the highest condensed form the most important Any place or occasion suited him, proand dearest of all my possessions is tacts connected with the administration vided he could make his point. One mine integrity, which, but for the hand of the Public School System of the State, fine Sunday he repaired to a fashionable of my Father, grasped in darkness, I for the year 1871-72. The total amount church, some time after the services had should have lost .-- British Messenger. A Darkey's View of the War.

shins against the chimney, and appar- office expenses, incidentals, interest, up to him, and whispered that he must ently plunged in a state of profound miscellaneous and colored schools. - take off his hat. capture of Fort Donelson, I was in- lie school purposes: interrogation found that he had been 79. Total expenditure in 1872 \$716,-

"Were you in the fight?" "I had a little taste of it, aah." "Stood your ground, did you?"

"No, sah, I runs." "Run at the first fire, did you?" "Yes, sah, and would have run soon- repealed. ah had I know'd it was comin'." "Why that wasn't very creditable to

my profession." your reputation ?"

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not in de market."

ruin. Very strongly was I tempted to me when de power of feelin' was gone? islature. We are earnest advocates of been caught out and those who perished nothing to you?"

"If our soldiers were like you, traitors ces, sadly abused; and an investigation high enough above the dirifts to look

direction, and now in that; yet always help for it. I wouldn't put my life in tem of school and college donations is a the scales against any guberment dat d cided success. clear at the moment when I was ready eber existed, for no guberment could replace the loss to me. 'Spect, dough. It is not too much to say that about dat de guberment safe if da all like me.' one-third of the teachers in the State

would have missed you if you had been had no training and no experience. found stiff froz n in a standing position. wood's mould, leaves, the turf of head-

a dead nigga; but I'd missed myself, they have but little natural apitude and ties of the head of the family is to furand dat was de pint wid me."

took her tiny one in my own, clasping of carnage. - Chicago Tribune. it firmly. A sigh of relief came up An Indianapolis paper says: There needy or more fortunate, but not more sum of parental duty; but lately it has another layer of compost stuff, also six

will practice in the Courts of Caroline, Talbot Let not my feet wander to the right or tiquity than is supposed. It was play-

ington county; George M. Lloyd, Esq., prove fatal."

expended for school purposes, in Bal- commenced, and as there was not a seat timore city is \$1,238,101,30. The items | vacant, he took a prominent position in of expenditure which show a decrease the middle aisle, where he stood bolt An elderly darkey, with a very philo- are teacher's salari s, building, repairs upright, with his high stovepipe hat few know how to effect this. When sophical and retrespective cast of coun- and furnishing and indebtedness paid. clapped tightly on his head. Of course ground to a powder the combined actenance, was squatting upon his bundle Total decrease \$58,384 70. The items he attracted much attention, and very on the hurricane deck of one of the of expenditure showing an increase are soon the sexton, a man for whom Un-

indicated familiar'ty with camp life, net decrease in running expenses of Uncle Zeke. clined to disturb his reveries, and on Total expenditure in 1871, \$759,677,-

with the Union force at that place: 495 97. There has been considerable said the sexton, who becoming very when I questioned him further. His falling on in the attendance or pupils, philosophy was so muck in the Falstaf- except in six counties of this State. this whispered colloquy had occasioned. fian veine that I will give his views in The six counties where there has been "All right," said Uncle Zeke, "you his own words as near as my memory an increase, are, Dorchester, Frederick, kin take it off. That ain't again my as fine as you can with a hammer, put Harford, Montgomery, Talbot and principle." The sexton thereupon took them into a two bushel tub; to fifty

HIGH SCHOOLS. Though the school law, amid all its changes since 1865, has always con- the sexton.

ACCIDENTAL TEACHERS.

"it is unnecessary to say more at pres- to them in knowledge duty and plea- they arrive at maturity. Secondlyent than that the experience of another sure; and so the family changes, and Both are bred in the house, and are al-What fishes have their eyes nearest together? The smallest, of cours.

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Uncle Zeke's Joke. Some years ago there lived in one Western river steamers, toasting his books and stationary, supervision and cle Zeke had an especial dislike, crept

and it being soon after the seige and \$43,181 83. Total expenditure for pub- "I can't help that," said the sexton, impatiently, "you must take it off." "But I won't," replied Uncle Zeke. You can rely upon its purity, we most "Then I shall take it off for you,"

hold of the rim of Uncle Zeke's hat, and pounds sulphuric acid, add twice its Many inefficiencies are pointed out in dexterously lifted it off his head. But bulk in water, pour one-third of this the existing law that need reform, es- what was the respectable sexton's horpecially the trustee system, as now ex- ror when about two quarts of hickory four hours, stirring occasionally; add isting, is very inefficient, and should be nuts fell out of his hat and went clattering and rolled banging over the

church floor. And that was Uncle Zeke's joke on "Dat isn't in my line, sah—cookin's tained a chapter authorizing and enor profession."

A Hurrican of Snow and Frzezing. Mix this with any good absorbing comcouraging the organization of county "Well, but have you no regard for High Schools, there is yet no High A letter from Winona, Minn., to the post or finely pulverized manure suf-School in connection with the public New York Herald, gives a graphic pic- ficient to take it up and hold it in a solid "Reputation! Nuffin to me by de side school system in Allegany, Anne ture of a most wonderful tempest and form. The water will evaporate, and Arundel, Baltimore, Calvert, Caroline, loss of life in that State on Tuesday the leave the mass dry and crumbly. "Do you consider your life worth Carroll, Cecil, Charles, Frederick, Har- 7th of January. It is said that about ford, Howard, Kent, Montgomery, 2 o'clock of that day the sky turned pounds of the most powerful manure Prince George's, Queen Anne's, St. livid, the sun became a mere dull-ring, known. The cost will be for bones say "Then you must value ery highly. Mary's and Washington counties. In the south wind chopped around and one dollar, sulphuric acid, from three to "Yes, sah, I done to the Dorchester, Talbot and Worcester High became cold, and in a very few minutes, four dollars, and your trouble, which world; more dan a million of dollahs, Schools have been in operation several was laden with fine frozen snow drift we are not prepared to estimate acsah; for what would dat be wuth to a years, and it is worthy of notice, in that stung like a shower of needles. - curately. Those unacquainted with man wid de bref out of him? Self- passing, that these three counties re- Those who were from their homes chemistry may fear that the acid will Id. & Del. Rail Road still in fear, or sky, and we stand still in fear, or in the public schools. In Somerset and made all possible speed to reach their assure you, however, that it simply dis-"But why should you act on a differ- Wicomico arrangements were made families. Here the work of death beabout the close of the year to merge the gan. The snow fell so thick that it was or glue unhurt, and in the same form "Cause, sah, different men sets dif- old Academies into new public High blinding and the atmosphere became as before, until it is stirred up. Referent value upon dereselves; my life is Schools, which arrangements were subsequently carried into effect. * * * registered fifty-four degrees below zero. or two, and it will be of the same size "But if you lost it you would have The whole subject of High Schools in It was not a steady fall of snow, but is and form, but soft and flexible, a mass 12.00 A. M.

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last they yielded to the drowsiness of proved method of making a compost freezing and became still in death .- heap. Many of those who were exposed to the

Home Reading. man ain't much to dese sogers, let alone foundly un onscious of their ignorance; One of the most pleasant and noble du- had. Mark out the space on which the no acquired skill; "they keep school" nish its members with good reading .- those lines spread first of all a layer six It is safe to say that the corpse of for two or three terms, to the great det- In the times which are passed it was inches deep of the materials collected. hand!" I reached out my hand, and that African will never darken the field riment of their scholars, and then fall considered enough to clothe and feed Cover this evenly with ten inches of to the rear to make way for others more and shelter a family. This was the barn yard manure. Follow this with "Oh, my Father in heaven?" I cried ago they numbered two hundred, but untried and unexperienced teachers nish reading for the whole household; stuff, then two inches of manure- finalfeeling. "It is dark, very dark. Take dewn their number to the present fig- in many cases is that they are in favor wants its food as well as the body, and material. Do not pack the materials with "the powers that be." "The im- that it wants to be sheltered from the too closely, and if they are not moist mense amount of favoritism and of pitless storms of error and vice by the enough to bring on fermentation, make "IT is very curious," said an old gen- nepotism in the appointment of teachers guarding and friendly roof of intelli- holes in the heap and pour on the black

facts."-Illinois School Report, 1869- antiquated institution. It smells of the weather sets in fermentation will commusty past; it is a dark spot which the mence. Watch it and see that it does

cial production of stupidity," into which they very atmosphere of that home it well. Let it remain a few days, after a child goes cheerful, teachable and gradually changes. It becomes clearer, which it will be ready for use. Don't take too much interest in the (for his age) intelligent, and out of which purer, more cheerful, healthful and hapaffairs of your neighbors. -- Six per cent he comes dull, intractable, lazy and py; the boys begin to grow ambitious; An exchange says: "Babies rethoughtless.

In conclusion, the report states that girls begin to feel a new life opening the semble wheat in many respects. First-books, the past and the future; the ly-Neither are good for much until A within two weeks to entitle the party to the work is completed.

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We notified him that his "resignation and in cherishing a love of reading, but any hand lay in the low prevents the line, study and improvement."

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County Boards: The law prevents the line, study and improvement.

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Bones are among the most potent fertilizers, and should be carefully saved on every farm, and in every city, and village, for the enriching of the lands of the country. Their composition chemically is as follows: In one hundred six, of organic matter thirty-four. The earthy part consists of phosphate of lime, and the animal or organic matter is a substance called welatine or glue. Both of these are fine manures, indeed the very richest. The bone is unavailable, until it is decomposed, and but effect this object—but the grinding is a difficult matter, and involves considerable expense to prepare for it; undoubtedly the best and cheapest form meditation. His dress and appearance Total increase \$15,203 87. Showing a "That's agin my principles," said of bone fertilizer is what is termed said and raw boue). This substance is manufactured and sold widely, and, where

heartily recommend it to our readers. Take 100 pounds of bones, break them on the third day add the remainder of the acid, stirring occasionally until the bones have dissolved, which will not usually require more than another day.

You now have some five hundred

"Then patriotism and honor are lib ral appropriations for higher and in their houses will reach from 250 to intermediate education; but duty com- 300 persons.. The snow drifts banked of collecting everthing capable of being "Nussin whatever, sah - I regard them pels us to say that the liberality of the up to the top of the telegraph poles and State has been and is, in many instan- the chimneys, of the houses just stood reference to the matter may seem supermight have broken up the government will show that if the purpose be to secure the smallest return for the largest the resting place of the silent dead .- is driven, so it is only by frequent repe-"Yes, sah, der would hab been no expenditure of money, the present sysmates warm but it only proved as an practical value can be enforced. For agent to prolong their suffering for at this reason we give again the most ap-

Gather together in the vicinity of maweather were found wrapped in their mure pile as many cart loads of swamp "Do you think any of your company are "teachers by accident." They have robes and some of the borses were muck, the vegetable deposit of ditches, linds, the strapings of highways, and any other fibrous matters that are to be water of the manure yard until the heap ed in the ark wh n the dove was "put be regarded as factories for the "artifi- Let good reading go into a home, and its height break down the heap and mix