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Again we invite the attention of our friends and patrons to our

NEW STOCK OF MERCHANDISE.

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In Carpets, we are now opening one of the finest assortments that can easily be found, embracing CHOICE PAT-
TERNS and DESIGNS, at Much Lower Prices. OIL CLOTHS, RUGS, MATTINGS, &c., &c., Cheaper than
LAST YEAR.

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In Dry Goods, the prices are much lower. Call and see how much below Last Year.

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If you want to buy Crockery CHEAP, you will find our prices to meet your views. We are now opening a much
larger stock than we have ever before kept, embracing the PARISIAN GRANITE, that will not Fire-Crack. It has
stood the test of TEN YEARS' SALES, and given Universal Satisfaction. Having been purchased at Importers'
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consequently will not give satisfaction.

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them at the lowest possible prices.

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MATAWAN, April 25th, 1871.

Misplaced Confidence.

A few days ago a man inquired of a
brakeman at the depot at Greenville, Penn.,
if he could secure him in a car so that he
could get a free ride to Cleveland. The
brakeman thought he could, and showed
the candidate for a free ride to a car stand-
ing on a side track near the depot, into
which he jumped, when the brakeman look-
ed the door.

Train after train passed and re-passed,
but the car in which the man anxious for a
free ride was confined moved not. After
many long hours of weary waiting the poor
fellow was released from his imprisonment,
only to discover that he was no nearer
Cleveland than he was half a day before,
and that he was a complete victim of mis-
placed confidence. The moral to this story
is, when you want a ride on a railroad, al-
ways buy a ticket.

"Which side of the street do you live on,
Mrs. Kipple?" asks a counsel, cross-exam-
ining a witness. "On either side, sir. If
you go one way, it's on the right side; if
you go the other way, it's on the left."

The Sandwich Islanders talked of inter-
vening between France and Prussia. The
ministerial journal of Honolulu concluded
its leader in these words: "Hoonohono
ka papapa o ka hankahoo loawa ko keho
o ka pupo e kawa kua o ka hana." This
is strong language, certainly, says a cotem-
porary, and we should like to see the ex-
pression of Bismarck's genial face when he
reads it.

A Distressing Cough causes the friends
of the sufferer almost as much pain as the sufferer
himself, and should receive immediate attention.
Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry speedily cures
coughs, colds, influenza, sore throat, &c. It will
always relieve consumption, and in many well at-
tended cases it has effected a perfect cure.

The winter storms have made such havoc
with the Long Branch benches that it is
thought that spilo-driving is the only thing
that can save the bluff from ruin.

The Presbyterian Church of Squan Vil-
lage, under the charge of the Rev. O. J.
Worrell, D. D., has for some time been en-
joying a precious season of revival.

The Norwich (Conn.) Bulletin tells a pathetic
story about a pigeon which became fastened by a
long string hanging from its leg to a telegraph
wire on Main street, in that city. Two or three
crude boys wanted to throw stones at it, but a
kind gentleman, telling them not to hurt the poor
bird, got a ladder and carefully unswung the
string and put the frightened, fluttering little
creature tenderly into his bosom where he comforted
it. The next evening he remarked that it had
made a much nicer pile than he expected.

Mr. Richard Waldron, of Dover, has in his pos-
session a valuable heirloom—a brown stone jug—
which was brought from England upwards of two
hundred years ago by Major Richard Waldron.
There has been a Richard in every family of the
regular descendants since his day, and the Rich-
ards have always had possession of the jug. It
holds about two gallons, is cone shaped, has a
representation of a crowned head upon it, and is
said to be a curiosity. "Is there anything in the
jug, Richard?" shrewdly asks a local paper.

A pretty ornament may be made by suspending
an hour by a piece of thread tied around it within
an inch of the surface of some water contained in
a vase, tumbler or saucer and allowed to remain
undisturbed for several weeks. It will then burst
apart and small rents will soak the water; a straight
and tapering stem, with beautiful and glossy
green leaves, will shoot upwards and present a
pleasing appearance.

Who has Wm. L. Atkinson's Window Jacks? Please return them.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Freehold and Keyport Rail Road.

Editor National Journal,

Dear Sir,

A circular or pamphlet, written by Rev. Tolair Hodgson, and extensively circulated throughout the community, in reference to the Railroad, calculated to excite the public mind and do much harm, needs some attention, and the undersigned begs leave through your columns, to correct some errors in the same.

The first and most important mistake is the assertion, repeated over and over, that the Board of Directors are the "self-constituted and so-called board." Now I will ask from the one or two hundred men who voted for that board of directors if they appointed themselves to the position they occupy? Were they not elected fairly and squarely, and openly announced as the legal directors, without a dissenting voice? What subterfuge then it is to use the silly and sneering epithet "so-called," or "self-constituted." Now the public, and the stockholders also, recognize the facts as they are in this respect, and the majority of the directors intend to act in accordance with the same, regardless of what Mr. H., or anybody else, may say or do. They have taken hold of this matter in good faith, believing in the integrity of the stockholders who have legally elected them, and intend to build the road, in spite of all obstacles that may be thrown in their way by a minority who mean to rule or ruin. They are ready to abide the decision of their acts at the next annual meeting of the stockholders. This railroad would have been much further advanced at the present time, had it not been for the systematic and persistent opposition of the Rev'd. gentleman and a very few of his adherents.

A supposition is made in his pamphlet that Mr. Shouder was instructed by the directors to make a one-sided report. I take it for granted that he has made a guess, for I charitably suppose he did not intend to lie. Now the facts in the case are simply these, to which I am willing to testify under oath:—

1st. The writer was appointed a sub-committee to check the survey to be made;

2d. The only instructions to Mr. Shouder were, to fully investigate all the merits of the two competing routes entering into Keyport, and report accordingly;

3d. The committee especially urged the importance of carefully considering all the arguments of those favoring the lower, or Lockport route. Now, for myself, I care not one cent personally where the road ends. My only object has been to build it somewhere; but after carefully looking over the facts, I am convinced that the first thing necessary is to have peace and unity, which will never be the case with the present organization, for some men are born to be contrary and sow the seeds of dissension.

The Rev'd. gentleman told me, in presence of witnesses, after the location on the water route, that he wanted to see the road built, and his money should show its fate with the rest. Now, what can be gathered from the pamphlet but the contrary. The whole matter may be summed up in a few words:—

The Rev'd. gentleman, and a few of his friends who had expected to be the permanent managers of the railroad, see their darling projects endangered in the future by a coalition with the present Steamboat company, while others (and a large majority too) can see no other hope for the success of the railroad, but an amalgamation of the two concerns.

Now which is the nearest correct, I shall not attempt to determine. My only object and aim has been, from the first, to "pour oil on the troubled waters;" but I confess the oil has been nearly exhausted, without any apparent effect.

I like mainly argument, and respect any man who sincerely, openly and truthfully advocates his position; but when a man of leisure, means, influence and talent, takes the method of publishing, in pamphlet form, statements that have no foundation in reason or justice, I must confess I have neither the time nor the disposition to deny in detail all the errors assumed therein.

Now in conclusion of this hasty article, I would suggest that the gentleman confine his diatribes to facts in the future, or else alter his signature from Tol-fair to Tol-fair.

D. H. WYCKOFF.

The PARNASSIAN JOURNAL FOR MAY—a very superior Number—contains an array of over twenty stated articles, besides its ever valuable Miscellany; among the more interesting subjects may be mentioned: Edward Harris, the eminent Rhode Island woolen manufacturer; "I wouldn't be a Phrenologist"; Why not? Suggestions to Public Speakers; Deal or Alike—which? Woman vs. Woman's Rights; The feet—their Dress and Care; In the Mammoth Cave without a Guide; Charles Sumner; The Utah Gentiles; Why we need Women as Physicians; Defective Educational Methods; A Free Pulpit—a need of the Times; The Sugar Maple Tree; The Traveler, a poem, by Oliver Goldsmith, is commenced in this number, with new illustrations, specially designed for this Journal. Price 30 cts.; \$3 a year. Sent half a year, on trial, for 50 cts. Address S. H. WELLS, 280 Broadway, N. Y.

We have received Mr. Shouder's circular, replying to Rev. Mr. Hodgson, but have no room for a notice of it in this issue.

A Detective's Prerogatives.

A very remarkable example of the use of the privileges of a detective officer occurred recently in New Orleans. Some days ago the telegraph announced the discovery, in the street, of a dead body of a man named Chandler. There were evidences of the fact that the man had been killed, both in the position in which the body was found—precluding the idea that he had died suddenly in a fit, or otherwise naturally—and from the fact that his neck was dislocated. The suspicions of the officer were directed against a certain well-known evil character, who, he had some reason for believing, was implicated in Chandler's death.

It so happened that this officer had been but recently commissioned, and the fact of his connection with the law was not generally known. He proceeded to ingratiate himself with the suspected party, with the view, if possible, of luring him to a confession of the killing of Chandler. In the course of the unnatural intimacy that sprang up between the officer and the suspected man, a burglary was planned, in conjunction with another rascal, and the officer was invited to participate, it being understood that he would share in the proceeds of the robbery. The burglary was committed, the officer doing his share of the business, and the next morning he received \$50, as his part of the money obtained. This money he took to the Superintendent of the Police, with whom he had been in constant communication, and to whom he gave an account of the burglary.

Shortly after, the man, whom secret he hoped to find out, took him into his confidence on the subject of Chandler. He stated that he and the third man in the burglary, needing money to commence burglarious enterprises, had assailed Chandler, with the purpose of garotting him and robbing him; but, as it happened, the victim died under the operation. Armed with this knowledge, the detective threw off disguise, and soon after went with another officer to the den in which the two villains were generally to be found, and arrested them as the murderers of Chandler. The case is a very singular one—especially as regards the attitude of the officer in assisting at a burglary.

The Democrat says: We were shown on Saturday a couple of Indian relics just brought to the Superintendent's office and presented to Mr. Lockwood by Norman Davidson, a pupil of Richard D. Bow, teacher of the public school at Burnt Tavern. These relics consist of two stone implements; one is a small tomahawk, or fighting axe, and the other a mace, or ceremonial axe, an implement used in the grand pow-wows, and in general, carried by the chief as a badge of distinction. As Mr. Lockwood is a thorough student in Ethnology, and has been for many years engaged on the Indian Archeology of Monmouth County, in which work he has collected a valuable cabinet of Indian art, and has even evolved some striking facts in this department of science, it is evident that no better disposition could be made by persons possessing such things, than to entrust them to this gentleman, or at any rate, if the articles could not be spared, to allow him the sight of them. It is only such investigation as the above, that can save to posterity the knowledge of the economic life of the old tribes of Red men, that were once so numerous in this country, and whose primitive art is in danger of being lost in oblivion.

Rev. D. B. Stout, Pastor of the Baptist Church, Middletown, has completed the 24th. year of his pastorate at that Church.

Editor of the Journal,

As it is expected that an editor should know everything, please inform us who are the owners of the cows which range the streets of the village. The owners ought to know, if the cattle don't, that such a state of things is not only a nuisance to the citizens of the place, but contrary to a legislative act passed to abate it. It is impossible to keep gates shut at all times, and these vagrant animals only wait for an opening, to enter and trample our dear yards, or destroy our gardens.

MARY BURRICKS.

We understand that Doctor Shackleton intends building a barn on the rear of his lot, to correspond in style with his residence.

Deaths.

In New York City, on the 2d. inst., CHARLES KIRWIN, only child of William W. and Harrietta Kirwin, in the first year of his age.

Near Keyport, April 15th., of Consumption, ALBERT T. SMITH, aged about 35 years.

At Keyport, on the 15th. inst., WILLIAM RYAN, aged 68 years.

Agricultural Department.

MANAGEMENT OF STRAWBERRY VINES.

Strawberry vines, may be transplanted very early in the growing season, and at any time thereafter, until apple trees are in full bloom, provided the plants are removed with a ball of earth. If there are many leaves already developed, it will be better to clip off half of them, than to allow them to exhaust the vitality of the growing plant. No tool should be used among the growing vines, during the former part of the growing season, that will mutilate the roots. If stable manure can be obtained, let a top-dressing two inches deep be spread around about the plants. If the soil is sufficiently rich, straw, salt hay, sawdust, tan bark, shavings, or any other coarse material may be employed as a mulch. In case there should not be a sufficient depth of mulch to smother weeds and grass, let such plants be pulled up rather than dug up with a hoe. In order to produce an abundant crop of berries, the growing plants must be supplied with rich fertilizing material. If it is desirable to derive the greatest benefit from guano, let the guano be put into an old barrel with some stable manure, then add water sufficient to leach out the soluble elements of fertility, which should be applied with a watering pot. Let all sorts of fowls be kept away from strawberry plants, as they will devour the tender buds which contain the fruit.

THE POTATO WORM.

By J. S. H. BARNETT M. D.

Whether this pest which devastated the potato fields of Monmouth County last year, will renew its ravages the coming season remains to be seen. The ground is said to be full of them in the pine state, and the apprehensions of the farmers who have already suffered so much from them are not without foundation.

The popular naturalist, Rev. S. Lockwood, in an article in the "Democrat" of July last, gave a full and interesting account of the character and habits of this scourge, which, he stated, owed its origin to the "five spotted Hawk Moth" and the "Carolina Hawk Moth." This large muller or butterfly is usually seen toward evening sucking the juices of flowers, after the manner of the humming bird. Its eggs are deposited on the under side of the potato, or any other favorite leaf, the successive hatching of which produces the potato, tobacco, or tomato worm, according to the name of the plant on which it is found.

Looking at the facts of the case, it remains for the agriculturist seriously to consider the means to be adopted to stop the depredations of these insects, which have been the occasion of so great loss to the country.

It will be well in the first place, to examine the causes which have led to such an unprecedented increase of them; and in order to do so we will have to look at the history of potato culture in Monmouth. It is well known that that crop has been raised in certain districts prominently in excess of all others, and past experience has proved that the leaves and stems of the potato plants, afford a pabulum or food, on which these insects seem particularly to thrive. Now considering the extent to which this food has been supplied by the large potato fields, their increase can only be looked upon as a natural result of an existing cause.

Some of the most active remedies have been used, and amongst others, gas house lime has been applied to the land after the crop has come up, without any apparent effect in the case of this insect, which holds possession of a plant as long as it affords the means of satisfying its voracious appetite. If the cause of its increase is to be found in supplying it with abundant food, as afforded by extensive potato planting, the idea is gaining ground that the remedy would seem to lie in substituting some other one for that particular crop. The land would be all the better for the change and prove more productive after several years use to grass, grain, and cattle feeding.

In addition, it would be well to strictly enforce the laws applying to the preservation of birds; which, though they sometimes lay his corn field and fruit under contribution, will always give the preference to insect food, and thus in the end prove themselves the farmer's friend.

At the same time it would be advisable to take into consideration the introduction of the English sparrows, which have so successfully thinned out the insects from the shade trees of New York and Jersey City. These birds being of a domestic habit, can be kept around the farm premises, only needing some slight facilities for protection during the winter months.

In fact all and every means whatsoever should be adopted to diminish insect pests, particularly the clovering up of wood-land, tend to diminish the number of native birds which have heretofore been the great destroyers of insect life. If Monmouth County is expected to hold the preeminence with regard to the quantity and quality of her potatoes, which are so famous a food for table use are next in importance to the "staff of life," her farmers must not cease in their efforts to acquire all the means that may be necessary for accomplishing so desirable an object.

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Metawau, N. J.

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DANCING

for joy. But did it ever occur to you, my friend, that one of the principal requisites to a happy home is to have all things around it pleasant and tasteful? Experience has

TAUGHT

us that this is the fact. The exterior should look inviting, if possible; but above all things, the inside arrangement should be so neat and attractive as the pure will allow. You can make it thus, even with but a partly filled purse, by purchasing from the large and well-stocked Warehouses of M. Board & Son, Metawau. Our services in executing you through our rooms are gladly tendered

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A neat re-modeled and newly painted house at the upper part of Metawau, together with a lot of any size desired, from an ordinary garden to 5 acres. For sale cheap. Apply to

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A share of patronage is respectfully solicited.

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JOURNAL AND ADVERTISER. Wisdom & Wit.

Secure from intruders. During the siege of Suffolk, Va., in 1662, some men of the Corcoran Legion were "throwing up some dirt" in front of a battery where there was a break in the line of defense. A bystander heard one man address a comrade with: "Jimmy!" "What's that, Pat?" replied Jimmy. "Begorry," says Pat, "I wish General Peck was in Tophet."

There is an undertaker whose sign bears the inscription: "Every requisite for a funeral." John McBride Davidson passing along with Billy Birch, went in and said he would take a corpse. "A corpse! I haven't any." "Then take down your sign," said Mc.; "I don't know anything more requisite for a funeral than a corpse. Good morning."

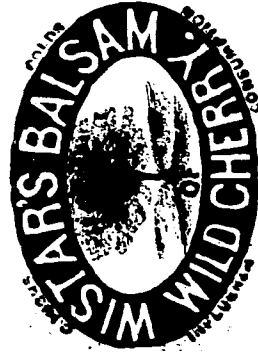
The following is a noteworthy specimen of medical prescriptions sometimes written by ignorant practitioners in New York city. It is genuine!

- R. Fir Kramps. Tinct. Kamfir, wou ounce. Tinct. Indian, a little. Tinct. Kyan Paper 5 cents worth. Kuregorin, a little, but not much, as it is a dangerous medicine. Dose, half teaspoonful when the Kramps cum on. Also Evans sold "Adam Bede" to Blackwood for \$1,500; but its success prompted her publishers to present her \$7,500 besides. For "Felix Holt" she received the large sum of \$30,000.

One of Prentice's Jokes. An amusing incident in the life of Mr. Shadrach Penn of Louisville, Ky., has just been retold. It occurred about thirty-five years ago, between the years 1838 and 1840, when George D. Prentice, at the head of the Louisville Journal, and Penn, as editor and publisher of the Advertiser, were running what was called in those early days of American journalism a lively opposition. About a year previous to the occurrence, a horrible murder or some other great calamity had occurred in the South not far from New Orleans. It happened that Prentice had saved a copy of the Louisville paper containing the news, which had not been clipped or cut.

His natural wit struck upon a good expedient to get off a good joke on Penn by the means of this paper, then a year old. Accordingly he sprinkled the paper, folded it up, pressed it, and gave it the appearance of a new issue, and including it in a large wrapper, backed it, "Compliments clerk of the steamer Waconsta, 5 days 78 hours out from New Orleans. Quickest time on record. To Shadrach Penn, editor of the Louisville Advertiser." The boy came rushing into the editorial sanctum almost totally exhausted, threw down the paper on the table, and then scampered off. Penn picked it up, tore the wrapper hurriedly, and his eyes immediately rested on the important article of news referred to. No time was to be lost.

The paper was nearly up; several important matters were in the form, but they were ordered out, and the new copy was placed in the hand of the printers, with a few editorial comments and very profuse thanks to the gentlemanly clerk of the elegant and fast steamer Waconsta for the invaluable favor, etc. The whole trick proved successful, and Prentice delighted on every possible occasion, especially when Penn had a "big thing" in the Advertiser, to ask: "Did that item of news come by the Waconsta?" The boat referred to was notoriously slow; she had but one engine, and was commanded by Capt. Frank Dyer, man of Newburyville, Ohio.



This balsam is made from the bark of the Wild Cherry tree, and is the only one of the kind that is pure and genuine. It is the only one that is made in this country, and is the only one that is sold by the name of 'STARS BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY'.

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CALHOUN. A. N. CLARK'S MATAWAN COAL STORE, AND EXAMINE HIS STOCK OF SPRING GOODS, and a Large Assortment of Fancy Goods, Ribbons, Hip-Gore & French-woven Curains, Ladies' Trimmings, &c., &c.

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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP. Notice is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between Luke Brennan and James B. Reid, under the name and firm of Brennan & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons owing said firm with mutual consent. All persons owing said firm with Attorney at Law, Freshfield, N. J., as our books of accounts have been placed in the hands of said firm and those having claims against said firm will please present them to the said firm for payment. JAMES BRENNAN, JAMES B. REID, Dated April 10th, 1871.

Dissolution. The partnership heretofore existing between H. & K. H. Wyckoff, in this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will hereafter be conducted by the subscriber, at the old stand, at the lower part of Matawan. K. H. WYCKOFF, April 1st, 1871. N. B. All persons indebted to the late firm are respectively requested to call and settle their accounts, that the books may be closed.

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