

There some painful rumors, already, though the earth yet lies loose over him as he is in Kansas...

"The seconds of Artemus Ward" which these who have not estimated give, more than the compensation he carried from this country...

This would be too cold and bitter as if some judicious hand had written it. We would much rather turn to a living man...

Death has done a cruel thing lately. Death seldom is kind, but death is impartial...

Death loves to move; 'tis his style. He is old, and ably with his sickle; he moved for Abel of old, and for Able or yesterday...

A man long noted for temperance habits was induced by the Rev. John Abbott to sign the pledge...

"Oh, landlady!" said he, as if in pain, "I have such a lump on my side!"

Booze—Old gentlemen who sit in an editor's sanctum, and reads the 'exchanges aloud to him.

—Bed bugs are still to have great aversion to salt, and that if the article and place infested with bed bugs...

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"STATE RIGHTS AND FEDERAL UNION."

Written for the Watchman: "DYING." BY VIRGINIA.

"Dying!" Yes my life is fading, Ere long will my spirit depart, And death will steal its throbbing, As he lays his hands on my heart...

FROM ALEXANDER MARION MELHORNE

BEING THE PAPERS OF THE DEPARTING DAY. KNOX SIX. Last Thursday evening, while Elmsa was washing up the supper dishes...

TALK WITH A SOLDIER.

"Good morning, Johnny!" "Good morning!" "You went to war, I believe?" "Yes, and I got home again, and that is more than some of our boys."

FREE TRADE AS A PRINCIPLE.

We live in hope that the day is coming when the great masses of our countrymen will somehow learn to their own thinking...

ANOTHER GOD-AND-MORALITYE COMES TO GRIEF.

The Crawfordsville (Ind.) Review gives the following account of a previous scandal by the name of James Washington...

MASSACHUSETTS SLAVERY.

Sectional papers grab everything now which tends to give a debasing idea of Southern society. A few years ago slavery was tolerated in Massachusetts...

THE SHADOW'S QUEST.

The shade at noon rode the steeply slung, Slipping softly back, slipping softly down, Till it lay at length on the grassy ground...

THIS, THAT, AND THE OTHER.

—Chicago and St. Louis have each a case of Asiatic cholera. —Agricultural prospects are good in California...

THE FABLE OF THE RAIN DROP.

There was once a farmer who had a large field of corn, and harrowed and weeded it with great care...

THE CHILDREN IN THE WOODS.

The Austin (Texas) Gazette narrates the following melancholy incident of the death of two children who had become lost in the woods...

—The Self-Examining Society has promulgated the following queries about this financial period to everybody.