S1 50 A YEAR, in Advance. B. F. SLOAN, Editor. IFONWARD.AI المستمرية والمتهاد المتركيني أيلسن المسادي والمستنسس ng that a state server of the re-SATURDAY MORNING, APRIL 13, 1850. NUMBER 48. VOLUME 20, and I got several articles at the store , expecting to, get in the straightest possible course down stream, many tired below. The race was almost run. The boats were LIKING AND DISIIKING. Haetry and Miscellany. Crie Werkly Observer. money of you as I went along home. We havn't in the persons or board thought the rate of velocity unusually opposite the mouth of the Illinois. It was only twenty Ye who know the reason, tell me house any flour, nor t-a, nor-" apid, and congratulated one another on the prospect of miles to St. Louis, and usither rival had yet gamed any How it is that instruct still "Well, my lad. I'm sorry. You must come to-mera speedy trip; but presently it was noticed that extraor- perceivable advantage. Prompts t e heart to like or like not-B. F. SLOAN, EDITOR. row. I can't help you unless I sell my coat off my back, dinary excitement reigned among the officers and crew. Atlus own captionous will? GONE AWAY. Then the captuin of the Fairy Queen ventured on a Tell me by what hid len jurgie or pawn my schooner's kedge. Nobody pays me." Liquor was delt out freely to the firemen, and the fur- desperate expedient. Ho ordered burrels of oil and tur-OFFICE, CORNER STATE ST, AND FUBLIC SQUARE, ERIE. BU JOHN S. ADAMS. Our impressions first are led The sailor who had come to get an advance of wages. naces were stuffed with wood to absolute extravagance. pentine to be broken open and used to feed the fires .--Into liking-or dishking+ Here, where now are mighty cities, Then the true state of the case became evident to some [The stratagem succeded. The new and beautiful boat turned off sorrow fully, when the apprentice boy came up On hefore a word to said! TERMS OF THE PAPER. Once the Indians' wign ams stood shrewd passengers on the Fairy Queen (hereafter we shot ahead of the Henry Clay and soon left her some disand said in his hearing: This will be carrier, at \$2,00 By mail, or at the office, in advance, 1,50 T at not p of in advance, or wildlin three months from the time of officering, two dollars will be charged. T, All communications must be post gaid. Why should soules sometim is repet ust \$2,04 1,50 Once their council fire illumined, "Here, sir, is five dollars Mr. Furnace owes you. Ho shall confine our attention mostly to this vessel) that the lance in the rear, Bright eyes turn your fielings cold! Far and near, the tangled wood, says when he told you he couldn't pay your hill to-day boats were engaged in a race. The fact was repeated, Upon many a grass-grown border, At this moment William Grey was seated near the What is that which come to tell us he didn't expect some money that camp in ufter you left All that gluters is not gold? Then they met a happy throng, and flew from lip to lip, producing most serious consteropen door of the ladies' cabin, ostensably, reading some Rock, and hill, and valley sounding nation, as the newspapers had chronicled many horrible ordinary book, but really, (if the truth must be owned,) Oh-no feature, plan or striking, his shop . Y RATES OF ADVERTISING. Cards not exceeding times, one year. With the music of their song. Now they are not-they have vanished, "Ah, that's my fine boy! Here Jack, take this five But a power we cannot shim, €3,00 10,60 6,09 3,00 stealing sidelong glances at the extraordinary beauty of calamities resulting from such unwarrantable races .-Prompts our liking, or distanting, Carls for recenting constraints of years Carls for recenting constraints of years Carls for the months, Carls for the months, Carls for the months, Carls for the months, Carls for the set of the Some of the men, and all the 1 dies-numbering more Helen Harrison, who sat a few feet from him, employed dollars, and come on Saturday and get the balance of And a voice doth seem to say Ere acquaintance bath begun! than thirty, some of whom had children in their armsyour wages." Unto him who waits and listens-in writing a letter, conscious, without turning her head, Is it instinct-or some spirit The seamen with joyfal Bound took the piece, and "Gone away-gone away." manifested symptoms of foar; and a petition to desist, that soft eves were asking for her own. Such revelations Which protects us-and controls Ł Yonder in those valleys gathered accompanied by an earnest remonstrance as to the danof the heart are made by intution. ouching his hat, sprung with a light heart on shore, Every impulse we inherit By some sympathy of souls? Init no time are allowed to occupy more than two separec, and to be leaded to here incachate business. Advertisements not having other directions, will be inserted till f that and charged accordingly. gers of racing, was ununanimously preferred to the capand hist ned to the story where he had already selected Many a sage in days gone by: Suddenly a boisterous shout all over the Fairy Queen Is it instinct'-is it nature? Thence the wigwam's smoke ascended, he comforts and necessities his family stold so much in announced the promise of certain triumph. And then Slowly, peacefully on high, Or some freak, or fault of chance, This officer, a fino specimen of Louisiana chivalry, a sharp, hissing sound was heard, and then an explosion pred of. .. Indian mothers thus their children Which our liking-or distikingwith the eye of an engle, and mouth as rigid as marble, As he éntered, a poor woman was trying to prevail upon HUSINESS DIRECTORY loud as the roar of a thunderbolt, had any thunders power Taught, around the birchen fite, Limits to a single glance? where unconquerable will had set its seal, graciously rethe store-kepper to settle a demand for making his shirts. "Look ye up to the Great Spirit! to strike into shivers trees of iron. A wail sucreeded, Like presentiment of danger. To his hunting-ground, aspire." sponded to the committee on hehalf of the ladies, that he C. SIEGEL, "You had better take it out of the store, Mrs. Connay inexpressibly mournful, as the hull of the vessel careered C. SEEGEL, When set r and Rehall dealer in Groceries, Provisions, Whites, hopors, Friet, &c. Corner of French and Fifth Streets, offs to the Farmers' Hotel, Eric. JOHN McCANN, Though the sky no shadew flings; Or that inner sense, sull stranger, Now, those fires are all extinguished; would pledge his own life for their safety; and remarked, he said to her, "really I have not taken in half the amount to one side, and then recoiled, rocking to and fro like a moreover, that they had even a stronger security than cradle. The steamquaker, if we may so term it, lasted Now, those wigwams! where are they! of your bill to-day, and I don't expect to. I have to Of unseen-unatter'd thing-! Hear ye not those voices whisperinghis oath in the presence of his wife and children then on charge every thing, and no money comes in." but a moment. Quick as thought it came and went; Is it-oh, can no one tell me. "Gone away,-gone away?" Whotresses and Retail Grocer, No. 2, Fleming Block, Erie, Pa board. This assurance, and the heroic domeanor of the but left behind it scores of corpses, and as many living, No one shows sufficient cause "I can't do without it," answered the woman earnes-Here the Indian girl her tresses J. W. WETMORE, Why our likings-and dishkingscaptain's lady, who had treated the subject as a matter some slightly, and others seriously wounded. A scene tly, "my daughter is very ill and in want of every com-A T T O R N E Y A T L A N . In Walker's Office, on Seventh Street, Erre, Pa. HUNRY CADWELL, Based Dealer in Dry Goods, Grocenes, Such, Naile, Braided with a maiden's pride; Have their own instinctive laws of primirable amusement, quieted all apprehensions of prt; I am out of fire-wood, and indeed I want many ensued, such as to hafile all description. Here was a And the lover woo'd and won her, wife calling in accents of desprir for her husband; there PETER CHANCERY, ESQ., AND HIS FIVE things which I have depended upon this money to get peril, and restored mirth and general humor. On Tri-mountain's grassy side, Gradually, as the contest continued, the most timid HLANGY CADWELL, NYTORTER, J. Eler, and Remai Healer in Dry Goods, Groceries, Prockers, tolossware, Parjating, Bardware, Iron, Steel, Nails, Systers & Fingure Stores State Street, four doors, I clow Brown's Board, Fine, Ph. Misson Analy, Vires, Behows, Aste Arms, Springs, and a general assesses and as State arms, Trainmings-Here they roamed from rock to river, a child clasping with wild sobs the mutilated body of its DOLLARS. your shirts done." Mountain-peak and hidden cave; recovered from the transient alarm, men, women and mother. Now a maiden might be seen covering her pale "I'm very sorry, Mrs. Conway," said the store-keeper And the light canoe they paddled children, crowded to the hurricane deck, enger to wit- face with her jeweled fingers exclaiming, "Oh, God! my BY PROFESSOR INGRAHAM. ooking into his money drawer; "I'vo not five shillings O'er the undulating wave. ness the brilliant struggle of speed. Indeed, it was a eyes!" And anon some strong man breaks into the cabin Sector of Saddle and Carrage Triumings, and a general S. MERVIN SMITH, ATRONSTY of Low and Justice of the Pesce-Office one door west of Wright⁴ store, Eric, Pa. W. H. KNOWLTON & SON, DEALERS in Watches, Clocks, Looking, Glasses, Frano Portes, Lamps, Britannia Wire, Jewelry, and a variety of other Fancy Arricles, Keystone Buildings, four doors below Brown's Hotel, Sinte Strick, Eric, Pa. here-and your bill is five dollars and nine-pence." All have vanished; lovers, maidens, "Sir, if you please, boss would like you to pay this litvision that might have intexicated a man to the madness | tearing the clothing from his brest, frenzied with exeru-Met not on these hills to-day, The poor woman thought of her invalid child and of excitement. Now the Henry Clay would glide grace- ciating pain. the bill to-day." said, for the twentieth time, a half-grown But unnumbered voices, whispering, wrung her hands. boy in a dirty jacket to a lawyer in his office. "Gone away,-gone away." fully ahead, amidst the joyous cries of the crew and "A sailor was here a while ago, and selected full five Horrible! Still numbers escape unhurt. But a worse The attorney at length turned round and stared the shouts of the passengers; then the Frairy Queen, having dollars' worth of articles here on the counter, and went "Gone away!" Yes, where the waters catastophe is cyming Sudden as the knell of death, boy full in the face, as if he had been some newly dis-Of the Mississippi roll, found the proper current, or stimulated by hor fires to awful as the trumpet of judgment, sounds the cry of away to get his wages to pay for them, but I question if covered specimen of zoology, gave a long whistle, and more vigorous arder, would suddenly shoot forward and "Fire!"-that most appaling word over spoken on board And Niagara's ceaseless thunders covered specimen of zoology, gave a long "trand then he comes back. If ne uces and thrust his inky fingers first into one pocket and then have your money, madam." State Strict, Errey Fa. J. GOALDING: MERCITY TATOR, and Habit Maker.—Store, No. 5 Reed's Block, (opposite the Bennell Block) State Street, Erre, he comes back. If he does-and pays for them, you shall With their might subdue the soul, pass her rival with deafening cheers; and then again, of a ship or in the cabin of a steamboat. "Fire!" "Fire!" Now the noble Indian standeth, into the other of his black cloth vest, and then, gave anboth would move, as it wore, with equal velocity, in a At this instant, Jack made his appearance in the door. scream more than fifty voices. The boat is on fire!-Gazing at the eagle's flight, other long whistle, and completed his stare at the boy's (opposite the hermen means rear street, 1216, S. R. DEWEY, Whot EXAR AND BETAIL Dealer in Dry Goods, second door below Brown's Hotel, State Street, Era, Fa., GEORGE H. CUTTER, AltoEXET VI LAW, GITARD, Ere County, Pa. Collections and other business altended to with grounduces and diseatch. Knowing that the Great Good Spirit line parallel to either shore, and thus continue abreast Treading so swiftly on the heels of the previous calami-"Well, ship-mate," he said in a tone much more, elety, no wonder, that this/drives many to distraction. Some vated than when he was discovered speaking with the Will accomplish all things right: miles without any appreciable difference, till every breast "Ho, ha, hum! that bill, ch?" said the legal young Though like forest leaves they're passing, heaved with painful suspense. leap madly into the stream; some rave, monthing hidcaptain; "well, my hearty freight, I've got the document They, who once held boundless sway, rentleman, extending the tips of his fingers towards the Finally, the most Phlegmatic caught the contagions so give us possession;" and displaying his five dollar cous blasphemies; others fall on their bended knees and And of them 'will soon be written,well worn bit of paper, and daintily opening it, he looked fury, and one impulse alono swayed all bosoms on both utter has'y pfayers .-piece, he laid hold of the purcheses. WILSON LAIRD. WILSON LAIRD. ATTORNEY AT LAW-Office over J. R. Williams' excl. upgeoffice, in at door to Judge Thangiscu's office. Cheeting and other professional hustness attended to with prempt-ness and deparch. "Gone away,-gone away." at its contents. boats-he burning passion for victory. This absorbing There is infinite need of haste now. In a few min-The store-keeper axamining and seeing that the mon-As they stood upon the mountains "Humph!-for copping and heel-topping, six shillings thought annihil-ted fear and vanquished reason. Even ey was good, bade him take them with him, and then And beheld the white man press utes the forepart of the boat is in a bright blaze; and as -ior ioxing, ich and sixpence, and other sundries, ch? sighed as he took another and last look at the piece, he So your master wants me to settle this bill, sh?" repeated heart i the took another and last look at the piece, he Onward, onward, ever onward, delicate ladies urged their respective captuins to greater the wind blows directly up the stream, the flames are Mighty, in his carnestness; handed it to the poor widow, who, with a joyful smile, exertions. All alike participated in the emotions of the BROWN'S HOTEL, FOR DERIVETHE Digute corner of State street and the Public square Erre, Eastern Western and Southern stage other. running rapidly toward the stern. Somebody shouts to he man of bile B. As they view his temples tising, received it from him, and hastened from the store. gambler. But little need had the opposite commanders the pilot, "Steer her ashore!" There is as pilots 110 "Yes, sir; this is the nineteenth time I have come for And his white sails dot the seas, of any additional stimulus. Ten thousand dollars had In a low and very humble tenement, near the water. t, and I intend to knock offat twenty, and call it hulf a And the myriad thousands gathering, B. A. CRANE. been bot on the issue of the race, as to which vessel was a family of poor children, whose appearance exhibi-B. A. CRANE. WHOTESATE AND Retail dealer in Groceries, Provisions, Wines, Lagnors, Cigars, Nails, Detroit Ale, Buiscuit, Crackers, &c. &c. Cerapaide, Eric, Pa. explosion. Another calls for the captain. The gambler's Hewing down the forest trees day." Thus they muse,--" Let them pass onward, hould first touch the wharfat St. Louis. pale clay is now asleep on its bed of mud in the hottom ted the utmost destitution. On a cot bed lay a poor wo-"You're an impudent boy." The struggle went on, and still with equal success. Not far distant is the day, of the Mississippi, and his beautiful wife, with bursts of H. B. HAVERSTICK. When of them, some voice shall whisper, man ill and emaciated. The door opened, and a man in "I's always impudent to lawyers, coz I can't help it-The excitement grow maddening. Ladies clopped their maniac laughter, gazes on her affrighted babe. The coarse, patched garments, outered with a word saw and No. 2. REED HOUSE. Dealer in Dry Goods, Hardware, Crockery, Greecties, &c. T. W. MOORE, "Gone away,-gone away." t's catchin." hands and waved their handkerchiefs to encourage even ray of reason has forsaken her dark eye forever. horse, and laid them down by the door side and approach-"You've got your eye teeth cut, I see." the smoke-begrimmed firemon. Exquisites in broad-But why did not the other boat bear down and afford A STEAMBOAT RACE. ud the bed. "That's what boss sent me for, instead of the 'prencloth torsed their gold headed canes into the river, and DECLER in Groceries, Provisions, Wines, Liquors, Candies, Fruit. &c., No 6, Poor People's Row, State street, Eric. timely aid to the sufferers? A part of the machinery "Are you any better, dear?" he asked in a rough ices as was gettin' their teeth cut. I cut mine at nine aided in wooding like the lowest menials. had given way, and although without the loss of life. she voice, but in the kindest tones.] W. H. CUTLER, OR LOVE AT FIRST SIGHT: months old with the hand-saw. Boss says if you don't Such is the passion of competition, the master impulse Autorney & Counseller at Law, (Office in Spaulding's Exchange, lay powerless as a log on the water, "No-have you found work? If you could get me a pay the bill he'll sue you." of the souls of save and savage, prince and peasant! Such One might almost fear the ink would freeze on the Constato, N. Y. Collecting and commercial business will receive prompt attenion. Referencess.—A. P. DUBLIN, Esq., BENIAMIN GRAVE, Esq. little nourishing lood, I could regain my lost strength." There is a certain bold bluff ins the State of Illinois, "Sue 'me? I'm a lawyer!" is the insatiable appetite for hazard in the human heart oint of his pen in tracing farther the horrors of that The man gazed upon her palo face a momont, and which commands one of the most beautiful prospects on "It makes no odds. Lawyer or no lawyer, boss de-JOSIAH KELLOGG, J Forwarding & Commission Merchant, on the Public Dock, cast of always developing itself in some one of its Protean forms. again taking up horse, went out. He had not gone far readful picture-the result of lawless gambling. the globe. It shoots up in the form of a nearly perpendiclares he'll do it—so fork it over." But talk not of the excitement of a horse race, where One fact was remarkable at the earliest instant o before a woman met him, and said she wished him to ular wall from the water's edge of "the great river."-State street. Coal, Salt, Plaster and White Fish, constantly for sale. "Declares ho'll suo me?" steeds contend swift as the wind. Away with the stim- alarm. All restraint being removed by the irresistible follow and saw some wood for her. His heart bounded When the stranger for the first time takes his stand on "As true as there is another lawyer in all Filadelphy." J. H. WILLIAMS J. H. WILLIAMS Banker and Evenance Broker. Dealer in Bills of Evenance, Drafts, certificates of Deposite, Gold and silver coin, &c., &c. Other, 4 doors below Brown's Botel, Eric, Pa. BENJAMIN F. DENNISON, Arronaux T. Lun, Chardiand Oluca-Officia on Superior steel. ulus of cords, dice and chess! What are such paltry afperils of the moment, prominent traits of character and with hope and gratitude, and he went after her to her . its summit, especially if his heart possesses one spark of "That would be bad!" "Wouldn't it?" airs as these compared to the fire race of thundering distinguishing passions were strikingly manifested .dwelling, an abode little better than his own for poverty; poetic fire-clectric sympathy with the divine in nature-"Silence, you vagabond!" I suppose I must pay this, stoamboats? It is the nature of all emotion to expand. Some husbands flow from their wives and plunged into yet wearing an air of comfort. He sawed the wood, split nuttered the attorney to himself. "It is not my plan to

some mintues must clapse of concrete emotion, sublime, BENJAMIN F. DENNISON, ATTORNEY AT LAW, Cleveland, Olno-Olface on Superior street, m Atwater's Block. Refer to Chief Justice Parker, Cambridge Law School: Hon, Richard Fletcher, 19 State-te, Boston: Hon, Samuel H. Porkins, 111 Walnut st., Philadelyfuia: Richard H. Kimbrah, Esq., 3) Wall statet, New York. For testimonials, re-fer to this office. and thus accommodate itself to the grandeur of the agents | the river alone. Others above all things sought to save which arouse it, and to the sphere in which it operates. "Onward." The shout rolls down the ancient river.

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d startles the blue crane from his perce in the tree-tor and the white swan from her bath in the lake. has enjoyed with so much rapture, and still onjoys .--"Onward." The crows curse! The commanders rave!

More wood! More water! Ten thousand dollars is the Americas rivers marches beneath his feet. On the oppocostly prize! site side, the mighty Missouri may be seen, sweeping

"Onward." The smoke boils! The furnace is red its dark and furious mass of water at right angles to the hot seven times heated! The tubes whiz to the touch as the terrible detonation followed, fortunately injuring Mississippi. The evo traces a long distance of that faof the Engineer! The wheels fly and the imprisoned | neither, both actuated by a common impulse moved close and misty line of hilis. Beyond it is the vast prairie of steam monns like a fiend in torture, uttering accasionmous Missouri valloy, bounded on either hand by a blue the Mamelle, gemmed with fairy isles of emerald; and ally a sort of thrilling wail, as if to warn his masters not

to urge too far. skirted, at the remotest reach of vision, with mountains & All the day long the race is protracted, and nover was and forests of a tint so screnoly soft and brilliant that there a fuirer path for the trial of speed. It lies over they seem actually a parcel of the sky's azure, which God's imperial high way of the magnificent West. It is half veils but still hides not their wavy outlines. ' Above

the road through the valley of a dozen States. you, on the same shore, is the valley of the Illinois itself, Breakfast, dinner, and supper were prepared and eaten defined by hoary, magnificent cliffs. That river comes only by snatches or not eaten at all, for who could think creeping slowly, like some enormous scrpent, to the boof his stomach, amidst the mental drunkness of such som of its father stream, by a bed arrow-like, strarght as scene as that.

the channel of a canal. You are in the valley which drains We have said that all on board the Fairy Queen partook half a continent. You have in view the valley and bluffs of the common excitement. The statement, for the sake of two other State streams. , You see the mammoth rivof truth, requires a slight qualification. There were two er's waters calm as a lake and clear as crystal above the who synided the vortex.

mouth of of the Missouri, while below they are charged William Grey, a wealthy young man of New Orleans, and turbid, and roll along between the deep, indented, atook unmoved and immovable in the general tornado the boutmen call them, capable of forcing even vessels and broken banks, with whirlpools which boil and eddy of animal passion. He was a sole son, and he had been like so many cauldrons. On the opposite prairies are left an orphan in his infancy. From his inherent dispoeven meadows, fields of wheat and rustling corn, smoke sition rather than favorable education, he had imbided a wreaths ascending, and great herds of cattle peacefully grazing, or gamboling with pure excess of life and joysigns of civilization blended with the grandeur of primgambling as the most dangerous of all vices. Hence he live nature. There are columns of green trees, lakes looked on the present strife with a loathing amounting to

which gleam in the sun like mirrors of silver, and immense flocks of sea fowl wheeling their flight above Holen Harrison was a native of Boston. One year them, singing their songs of love, or uttering their cries

previously, her parents had omigrated to Illinois, where they fell a prey to the fevers of the climate, and now. The patriotic poet who gazes on such a landscape will poor and friendless, she was making her way back to the not need to brave the perils of the deep to draw the fires of inspiration from the light of Italian skies, or the enchantments of any of the loveliest scenery of Europe. It older and wiser heads had been unable to withstand, is a spot fitting the consecration of some gret legend,

It could not be otherwise than that, two persons, who looked, the one with disdain and the other with sorrow and tears, on the intexicated circle around them, should specially observe one another, stationed as they both were

hour. William Grey gazed long and often during the day time .--ry-teller, there is a stray loaf from the book of reality on the pale, sweet, face, and dovo-like blue eyes-mild, yet intelligent, and brilliant as the stars-and yearned to safety to secure mine!" know who the stranger maiden was; and she, on her

part, cast many an oblique glance of timid but irrestible On the 15th of May, 181-, two boats started from Rock Island, both destined for the port of St. Louis .- I form, which filled at once the ideal of her dreams, and The peaks of their last bolls-warning too late passengers -mingled their clear echoes together, and both at the as he.

same time moved out into the deep channel. Both were Love at first sight is-"a fiction of romancers," cries will not gainsay either theory. Yet who has not loved at embrace, sank back into the chilling wave. first sight? Who has not seen eyes glancing from stages and steamboats, through windows and from beneath vells of an angel through starry haloes? Then the soul longed to hail its celestial mate: but the moment's glimpso suffized not for an opportunity, and the vision faded on the

The race still continued and augmented in interest -The sun set and the maon and stars rose, but the spectabut unfortunately that was an invinciblo propensity to win the ten thousand dollars?"

From the moment the vessels got into the middle of sky, the moun became obscured with marky clouds, rain still reside, grateful and happy, in full view of the scene the current, and began to dash the foam from their prove began to patter on the hurricane deck, and the ladies re. of their first kiss. - Note York Times.

dren, or rudely, or unconsciously casting them down. Others hugged their babes to their hearts, repulsing their maids as intruders.

At the ominous sound-the hiss of infuriated steam, the eyes of William Grey and Helen Harrison gought each other, as if by simultaneous attraction. And then

together. But as the still more hideous cry of "fire?" thrilled through the trembling wreck, Helen, with pallid cheeks and wild looks involuntarily bounded forward in-

to those arms which just then were expanded to meet "I will save you or share your fate!" said the heroid youth, bearing his self-committed charge down the steps

to the lower deck; and then supporting his precious burthon, bodly sprang into the water. An excoodingly expert swimmer, William Grey for

awhile nobly contended with the dangers of the stream. But the waves and sky were both unfavorable. It was opposite the mouth of the Missouri, and that river was much swollen by a flood, and shot its sweeping mass of waters with a cross current reaching quite to the other bank, causing numerous small whirlpools, or "boils," as

their consorts regardless of their own safety. Some ladies

clung to the bosoms of their lords, forgetting their help-

her.

from their path. Black columns of cloud, broken and fragmentary, like

the scattered troops of a defeated army, scudded before rivid code of ethics, which blending with a poetic-and the moon, mostly willing her radiant face, but occasionalhighly imaginativo turn of mind, led him to abominate Iy, through rifts, letting out her magic light, which, however, only served to render more deep the succeeding darkness. And so onward, through darkness and whirl-

pools, the youth bore his late found beloved. But whatover might be his strength or agility as a swimmer, the situation was critical and the chances for life slender .--It was impossible to make land on the Missouri side, so violently rushed the other current, and the fitful flashes classic city of her birth. The grief of recent breavement of the moonlight revealed on the Illinois shore seemingly saved her from that inefective excitement which so many perpendicular cliffs. William Groy, however, hoped that some opening might be in these, or at least they might

terminate a short way down the river. At length his strength began to fuil, as he neared the

precipitous bluffs, and that variable moon lustre showed to his bewildered gazo no place for landing. As Helen on a serne eminence, above the passionate tumult of the also discovered the fearful fact, she spoke for the first

"Dear one, leave me. For God's sake risk not you

Her voice was low, but sweet as the silver chime o hells. Good Heavens! how could be think of loosing admiration towards that manly countenance and noble such music? He could not articulate-he was almost choking for breath, but he answered by putting forth all made her inwardly wish that that she had a brother such his power, which barely sufficed to touch the shore-a natural rock steep as the side of a house. Nothing could

scale that without wings. Then they both gave themone; "a delusion of the senses," sighs another. We selves up for lost and clasping each other in love's fond Just then another gust of misty moonlight reveated to

Grey's eye a log not far off, drifting with the current .thrilling the heart with a spirit-like token of kindliest ro-cognition, not wanton or passionate, but pure as the gaze After floating on this frail support for some distance, they arrived at the lower end of the blaffs, where the Great Bottom commences. By using his feet and hands as pud-dies. Wm. Grey pushed ashore—at this in tant the fall signt, leaving its memory fresh to all elernity. He who i moon poured down a flood of splender. The last cloud disappointing him, when some money came I didn't ex-never leved at first sight, never leved at all—is not blessed of night had parted from her dise, and it was nearly light peet;" with the faculty of loving. But enough of erratics, and as day. Then William and Helen fell on their knows Cantain O'Beien was of the state of together, and with joyful, streaming oyes, first pledged he proper gratitude to Heaven, and then give them-selves to each other forevermore. Neither said "I love thee!" There was no need for that, where their hearts

They were both commanded by excellent officers, hav-ing, as men and captains, but a single prominent fault; but unfortunately that was an invincible propensity to gamble. There was ind the set of the band for all of that, which a hey transce, they purchased the beautiful "prairie of the bluffs," at thought—"Which will beat to St. Louis? Who will win the ten thousand dollars?" A short time before midnight a storm blow over the There was in first sight? There was in first sight?

and he don't want the money. What is five dollars to him! His boy could have carned it in the time he has and his wife had been starving, and from this day his been sending him to dun mo for it. So your master will sue me for it. if I don't pay?"

good for, if he can't get clear of paying his own bills?

pay these small bills. What's a lawyer's profession and piled it, and received six shiftings, while which no pay these small bills.

"He says he will do it, and charge you a new pair of shoes for me."

sue me, just be so kind as to ask him to employ me as his attorney." "You?"

"Yes; I'll the writ, have it served, and then you see I shall put the costs into my own pocket, instead of going to another lawyer's. So you see if I have to pay the bill, I'll make the cost. Capital idea."

The boy scratched his head awhile, as if striving to omprehend this capital idea, and shook it doubtingly .--"I don't know about this; it looks tricky. I'll ask boss, hough, if as how you won't pay it no how without being sued."

"I had rather be sued, if he'll employ me, boy." "But who is to pay them costs-the boss?"

The lawyer looked all at once very serious, and gave nother of those whistles peculiar to him.

"Well, I am a sensible man, truly! My anxiety to get the costs of suit blinded me to the fact that they were to come out of my pocket before they could be safely put in. Ah well, my boy, I suppose I must pay. Here is a five dollar gold peice; is the bill receipted? It is so dirty and greasy, 1 can't see."

"It was nice and clean when boss gin it to me, and the writin' shined like Knapp's blacken'—it is torn so a dunnin' so much."

"Well, here's your money," said the man-of-law, taking a solitary five dollar peice from his watch fob; "now tell your master, Mr. Last, if he has has any other accounts he wants sucd, I'll attend to them with the greatest pleasure."

"Thank'oo sir," answered the boy, pocketing the five; "Thank too sir, answered the only possible set has; exclude: , a voice addresses her, "Enter in and live."an now you've paid up; he haint none but each folks.-Good day to you."

Now, there goes five dollars that will do that fellor, Now, there goes invo uonars that the destinant of the particle of particle of the particle of Last in good. I am in value of the pochot, but [this invitation will be received and a significent temthat I was sure his patience was worn on " and costs ple? will she amuse herself in its courts by gathering its

As Poter Chancery did not belie to in his ewn mind, that paying his debt to Mr. Las! was to be of any benafit to him, and was of opinion that it was money thrown away, let us follow the rate of these five dollars through the day.

"He has pet at's said the boy, placing the money in his master's Land.

"Well, I'm glad of it," answered Mr. Last, surveying the money through his glasses-"third it's a half eagle dolence, to prevent your oblation on the pltar of wisdom. dollars I borrowed from him yesterday; and said I would pay him to-morrow; but I will pay it now."

"Ah, my lad, como just in timo," said Mr. Furnaco. as the boy-delivered the errand and the money; "I was just wondering where I could get five dollars to pay a bill which is due to day. Here, John," he called to one of his apprentices, "put on your hat and take this money | to Captain O'Brien, and tell him I came within ous of

Captain O'Brien was on board of his schooner at the vext wharf, and with him was a seaman with his hat in his hand, looking very gloomy as he spoke with him. "I'am sorry, my man, I can't pay you-but I'vo just houor, immortality and sternal life."-Mrs. Signurney.

"But I am vory much in need, sir; my wifeits failing, Fitzheingirtzshinger, of Gennavy, to Mr. Denis O'Koefer and my femily are in want of a good many thing just now, engreighterey, of Ireland,

He'll sue me! 'Tis just five dollars. It comes hard, then hurried home to gladden her with the delicacies he halprocured. Till now he had no work for four da's wife got better, and was at length, restored to her family and to health, from a state of weakness which another

day's continuation would probably have proved fatal. These six shillings which did so much good, were "Harkee; I can't pay to-day; and so if your boss will paid him by the poor woman from the five dollars she had received from the store-keeper, and which the sailor had paid him. The poor woman's daughter was also revived and ultimately restored to health, and lately married to a young man who had been three years absent and returned true to his troth. But for the five dollars which had been so instrumental in her recovery, he might have returned to be told that she, whose memory had so long been the polar star of his heart, had perished. "So much did the five dollar piece do which Peter Chancery, Esq., so reductantly paid to Mr. Last's apprentice boy, though little credit is due to this legal gentleman for the results that followod. It is thus Providence often makes bad men instruments of good to others. Liet this little story lead those who think a "small bill" can stand because it is a small bill, remember how much good a firs dollar bill has dono in one single day. and in paying one bill they may be paying a series of bills, and dispensing good to thousaeds around them.

IJ' Don't forget the application, reader.

Young Females

The increasing privileges which an illumination has conferred upon our sex, excee lingly heighten their responsibilities. Formerly to be "faithful over a fee things" was all that their limited sthere required: now they are both qualified and expected to be rando "rulers over many things." The tree ares of their own minds are revealed. to them, and they are sublimoned forth as laborers in the wide field of benevelence. The temple of science is no longer inaccessible to the foot of woman. From its pa-Of theasures which had been from ancient times accumulating, yet strictly soaled from her oves, she is invited to partake. It remains to be proved, in what manner that I was sure as panetee in a panetee in the part of think brief flowers that spring up where there is no deepares of earth? Will she just enter the gate, and problaim with the shrillness of vanity, her own initiation? her own.

proficiency in the mysteries of anowledge! Or will sho press to the innermost shine among those true-hearted and meek souled worshippers, "whose candle goeth not out by night."

Young femules these interrogations are emphatically for you. With you it is the time of culture, the day of hepe. Suffer not the allurements, the temptation of in-Come while the dews of the morning are fresh about you The meridian sun may absorb your vigor, er find you toiling in different and more sterilo fields. May you not be constrained to adopt the lamentation, "my own vinevard have I not kept." A time will come, should your days be prolonged, when life may seem like a twice told tale, when the present as a the formre disrobed of novelty, the mind will turn for enjoyment to the past. Lay then a deep foundation, and collect a store of imperishable fruits for this season of retrospection. Convinced that "knowledge is power.". Seek it when it may be obtained, and so use it that all within the sphere of your influence, may be promoted by your example to the attainment of moral excollence, to the pursuit of "glory,"

MARRIED.

In Louisvillo, Ky., on the 27th ult.; Miss Rachael

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that should be a bright bit of romance-not of desolating

war, or wild, wicked passion, but of holy first love, sweet

as the o dors of the prairie around it, and strong as the

currant of the mighty stream which rolls along its borders.

There is no such legend, but fortunately for the poor sto-

that perhaps will serve his purpose as well. The reader,

however, shall be the judge in the matter, as we now

noble vessels, literally "floating palaces," fitted to accom-

modate, and then actually accommodating, at least one

undred passengers. The "Fairy Queen" was new

and this was her first voyage up the river from New Or-

cans. The "Henry Clay" was good as new, as the cap-

tain saw proper to express it, and had previously been

They were both commanded by excellent officers, hav

reckoned the fastest boat on the western waters.

perhaps final adieus till the great day.

gamble.

proceed to narrate the facts.

Beautifully curled the blue smoke above the tall iron chimneys, and white as snow, betwixt the eye and sun, arose the festoons of steam from their 'scape pipes. It was a charming sight to see these wild fire witches of the wave descending the steps of their liquid stairs .--Signals wove from their decks as they parted, and flutnow let us finish our story. tering signals answered from the shore-signal of friends,