"Maryland, My Maryland."

* * * "Pretty wives and
Lovely daughters,"

"My farm lies in a rather low and miasmatic situation, and

My wife!

Who?

Was a very pretty blonde

Twenty years ago, became

"Sallow,"

"Hollow-eyed,"

"Withered and aged,"

Before her time, from

"Malarial vapors, though she made no particular complaint, not being of the grumpy kind, yet caused me great uneasiness.

"A short time ago I purchased your remedy for one of the children, who had a very severe attack of biliousness, and it occurred to me that the remedy might help my wife, as I found that our little girl upon recovery had

Lost!

"Her sallowness, and looked as fresh as a new blown daisy. Well the story is soon told. My wife to-day has gained her old-time beauty and with compound interest, and is now as handsome a matron (if I do say it myself) as can be found in this county, which is noted for pretty women. And I have only Hop Bitters to thank for it.

"The dear creature just looked over my shoulder and says 'I can flatter equal to the days of our courtship,' and that reminds me there might be more pretty wives if my brother farmers would do as I have done."

Hoping you may be spared to do good, I thankfully remain,

Most truly yours,

C. L. JAMES.

Belleville, Prince George Co., Md., May 26, 1883.

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TO-DAY.

Nails at $2 65 Basis. Bar Iron at 2¼ Cents.

Lewis' Pure White Lead at $7.00. Mixed Paints, all colors, very low.

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Long handled iron Shovels at 35 and 40 cents each.

GOOD SETS OF AXLES AT $2.50.

Good Hickory Fellows at 75c per pair.

Good finished hickory Poles at 75c.

Bright Springs 8½ to 9½c per pound.

Finished hickory Shafts at 50 to 60 cts. per pair.

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LOWER THAN EVER KNOWN.

Wood screws, Carriage and Tar bolts almost at the price of bar iron per lb. Ask or write for prices.

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Buffalo Robes, Lap Robes, Whips, &c., very low. Call and see them. We are selling the largest stock of goods we ever sold.

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from 4½ inches to 36 inches by ½x¾.

You need not make them any more. We sell them at about the price you pay for the round iron. Think of 14½x½ machine bolts, square heads and nuts and screws for 10 to 15 cents each.

Great Reduction in Shades and Shadings.

Shades, plain, fringed and scolloped Lower than ever.

The newest styles of Dado, Picturesque and Artistic shades, beautiful in design and finish.

Horse Shoes at $4.25 Per Keg.

Steel and Iron Harrow Teeth. Tool Steel never was as low.

Cedar tubs, galvanized and iron bands, Painted Pails, Step Ladders, Matches, Twines, Paper Bags, &c., &c., never were as low in price and as good in quality.

Dupont's Powder,

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10,000 PIECES WALL PAPERS

From five cents a bolt up to any price you want them; no trouble to show them. Come and look at them if you don't want them, just to see how pretty they are. Centres, Ceilings, Brackets, Finest Stylings in plain and gilt.

SILVERWARE.

Our Silver Ware Cases will soon be open for inspection. A full branch of Sil Hollon ware. Knives, Forks, Castors, &c., will be opened at unheard of low prices.

BIRD CAGES, Japan and Brass. Our full stock just in 25 per cent lower than last season.

Brushes of all kinds. Brooms of all kinds. Very low.

On application our catalogue and price lists will be mailed to any one. Trade supplied with all our merchandise at trade prices, which on comparison will be found as low as eastern prices.

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We have spent over $100,000.00 in defending our right to the Durham Bull as our trade-mark. Undoubtedly he is to-day the most valuable Bull in the world. Now it stands to reason that we couldn't afford to protect him so thoroughly if BLACKWELL'S BULL DURHAM Tobacco, of which he is the representative, wasn't the BEST Smoking Tobacco ever made.

The sales of Blackwell's Bull Durham Smoking Tobacco far exceed those of any other brand in the world, simply because it has been, is, and will be, the best that can be made. All dealers have it. Look for trade-mark of the Bull on every package.

Items of Interest.

Victor Hugo is a warm opponent of vivisection.

Holloway, the English pill-maker, who died worth $5,000,000 always lived over his own store, and had no amusements.

In winding up the clock in the tower of Trinity Church, New York city, the crank or handle has to be turned round 850 times.

The new Duchess of Westminster, wife of one the richest men in Europe, was married in a dress of white foulard, costing seventy-five cents a yard.

It is noted as a curious historical coincidence that General Washington and General Sherman issued their farewell orders to the army on the same day a century apart, November 1, 1783-1883.

Col. Jean Basso has died in Genoa. He was so devoted a friend and so faithful a follower of Garibaldi, that he was popularly known as "the General's dog."

"Duda Fletcher," as she is known to numerous readers, hereafter will use her own name, Julia Constance, which is not only more sensible but a great deal prettier than her *nom de plume*.

A correspondent of the Liverpool *Mercury* declares that one ounce of cream of tartar dissolved in one pint of boiling water, drunk cold at short intervals, is a sure prophylatic and cure of small-pox.

A log cabin plastered with earth containing gold and silver ore to the amount of $2,000 to the ton was built in the South Park, Colorado. It's value ascertained, the house was, of course, torn down.

His Excellency the Attorney-General has lately gratified his taste as a lover of mythological subjects by the addition to his art gallery of a painting representing a bourdoir scene between Ægina, daughter of Æsopus, a King of Bœotia, and Jupiter.

The best test of a Persian carpet is to drop a piece of red-hot charcoal upon it If the carpet be really good the singed wool may be brushed off without leaving the smallest trace of the burn; if it be of an inferior quality the wrath of the dealer will be serious.

The late Abraham Hayward told the editor of the London *World* that though he was known as a *gourmet* and was author of that gastronomic work, "the art of dining," he lived very plainly, drank nothing but good claret, and though always at work, never earned more than £200 a year by his pen.

During the last scene of "Richard III.," at a Portland, Me., theatre recently, in the combat with *Richmond*, *Richard's* sword broke, snapping off some six inches from the hilt. The piece flew directly into the audience, striking a gentleman on the bridge of the nose, cutting a gash which extended nearly to the eye.

Hundreds of white men engaged in business in Indian Territory have been declared intruders and given notice to leave at once. Many who are engaged in farming or stock-raising refuse to obey the order. Those within the Creek limits will enter the plea that there is no executive to the government before whom they can appear.

William King, upon being converted in a Methodist revival meeting in Caldwell, Ky., arose and confessed that he had robbed a store in 1863 of $300 worth of goods. He went to the proprietor the next day and paid the amount, with twenty years' interest but was immediately arrested for the theft, and now languishes in jail.

It is said that the celebrated Struchino cheese of Milan has been found by experiment to be made with great success in the moist green pasturages of Ireland. This Struchino, which is nothing more than pressed curd, is considered the finest existing experiment in cheese making, and is thought so exquisite by the gourmets of Italy that but little of it comes here.

Klein induced McCue to drink three pints of whiskey on a wager, at San Antonio, Texas. The feat proved fatal. McCue's widow sued Klein for damages and got a verdict of $3,000. On appeal, the Supreme Court confirms the jury's conclusion. The ruling was that, as the drinker was so intoxicated as to be incapable of consent at the time of swallowing the third and killing pint, the man who made him do it was responsible.

Mr. W. F. Allen, the Secretary of the Railway Time Convention, who devised the standard time system and secured its universal adoption by the railroads, has issued a circular to all companies asking for the names of the towns (if any) on the line of their roads which are not governed by standard time. His idea in issuing the circular is to ascertain officially the extent to which the standard time system has displaced local time. The general reports have indicated that the use of local time is extremely limited.

The Mahdi is not an Arab by birth, and is of a black hue, which is unacceptable to the Semitic Moslems. He belongs, however, to the Kadriyeh order which is held in very high veneration in Egypt, and which preserves all the pagan superstitions, including the worship of the gigantic shoe of their founder. They are distinguished from other orders by their white banners and by carrying always fish nets in their religous processions. With the Malawiyeh and Ahmediyeh they are among the most powerful of the Derwish orders in Syria and Egypt.

——Druggist Murray reports a growing demand for McDonald's celebrated Worm Powders.

SPRING WITHOUT BLOSSOM.

Late in Life to Look for Joy—Yet Never too Late to Mend.

Readers of Hawthorne's "House of Seven Gables" will recall the pathos with which poor Clifford Pyncheon, who had been unjustly imprisoned since his early manhood, said, after his release "My life is gone, and where is my happiness? Oh! give me my happiness." But that could be done only in part, as beams of warm sunshine occasionally fell across the gloom of a New England autumn day.

In a letter to Messrs. Hiscox & Co., Mr. L. H. Titus, of Pennington, N. J., says: "I have suffered untold misery from childhood from chronic diseases of the bowels and diarrhoea, accompanied by great pain. I sought relief at the hands of physicians of every school and used every patent and domestic remedy under the sun. I have at last found in PARKER'S TONIC a complete specific, preventive cure. As your invaluable medicine, which did for me what nothing else could do, is entitled to the credit of my getting back my happy days, I cheerfully and gratefully acknowledge the fact."

Mrs. E. S. Wells, who needs no introduction to the people of Jersey City, adds: "The testimonial of Mr. Titus is genuine and voluntary; only he does not adequately portray the suffering he has endured for many years. He is my brother-in-law and I know the case well. He is now perfectly free from all his troubles, and enjoys health and life, ascribing it all to PARKER'S TONIC.

Providence, R. I., April 3.—The complete vote for Gov. Bourne, Republican, is 15,903, and for Segar, Democrat, 9,499; scattering, 15.

APAYING INVESTMENT

At this season of the year when your cows fail in milk, your horses get rough in coat, your pigs refuse to thrive, and the hens don't lay as they should, you will find a package or two of McDonald's Celebrated Tonic and Blood Purifying Horse and Cattle Powder, judiciously administered, an investment that will pay big. This is positively the best horse and cattle powder made. J. D. Murray sels it. Dissatisfied buyers can have their money refunded. tf

Lebanon, Pa., April 3.—Henry Shott lost a pocket book containing $10,000 and after a long search his wife found it in a swill bucket.

Winnepeg, April 3.—A. Taloner, of Chicago, Frank Bosaliton, James Gilbery and two others were killed by a blast at Port Arthur yesterday.

St. Johns, N. F, April 3.—The steamship Neptune has just arrived from the seal fishery with 42,000 seals, weighing 810 tons, valued at $120,000.

How Watch Cases are Made.

Most persons have an ambition to carry a gold watch case, and yet few people know how a watch case is made, or the vast difference in the quality of them. In a SOLID GOLD WATCH CASE, aside from the necessary thickness for engraving and polishing, a large proportion of the metal is needed only to stiffen and hold the engraved portions in place, and supply strength The surplus is not only needless, but unreasonable, because gold is a soft metal and cannot furnish the stiffness, strength and elasticity necessary to make the case permanently strong and close-fitting. The *perfect* watch case must combine gold with some metal that will supply that in which the gold is deficient. This has been accomplished by the *James Boss' Gold Watch Case* which saves the WASTE of *needless* gold, and INCREASES the SOLIDITY and STRENGTH of the case, and at the same time *reduces* the cost ONE HALF.

Send 2 cent stamp to Keystone Watch Case Factories, Philadelphia, Pa., for handsome Illustrated Pamphlet showing how James Boss' and Keystone Watch Cases are made.

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OF BAYLOR UNIVERSITY.

"Independence, Texas, Sept. 26, 1882.

Gentlemen:

Ayer's Hair Vigor

Has been used in my household for three reasons:—

1st. To prevent falling out of the hair.
2d. To prevent too rapid change of color.
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It has given entire satisfaction in every instance. Yours respectfully,

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Pittsburg, Pa, April 3.—A tremendous gass well was struck this morning on the Emory farm in Washington county at a depth of 1,240 feet.

——Latest styles and best quality Fedora hats, only $2.50 at the Bee Hive.

Not extensive advertising but genuine merit has placed McDonald's Improved Liver Pills at the head of the list. The most scrupulous and exacting care exercised in selection of material; the highest chemical skill employed in their manufacture, and sold on an honest guarantee. Dissatisfied buyers can have their money refunded. Sold by J. D. Murray. tf

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EXECUTORS' NOTICE.—Letters testamentory upon the estate of Josiah Neff, late of Potter twp., dec'd, having been lawfully granted to the undersigned they would respectfully request all persons knowing themselves to be indebted to the estate to make immediate payment and those having claims against the same to present the same duly authenticated for settlement.
MOLLIE NEFF,
SUE E. NEFF, Executors,
6mar6t Centre Hill, Penna.

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JOHN SPICHER,
MICHAEL H. SPICHER, Executors,
12mar6t Centre Hall, Penn's.

COURT PROCLAMATION.

Whereas, the Hon. Adam Hoy, President of the Court of Common Pleas of the 49th Judicial District, consisting of the counties of Centre and Huntingdon, and the Hon. Jas. R. Smith and the Hon. J. G. Larrimer, Assoc. Judges in Centre county, having issued their precept, bearing date 1st day of April, 1884, to me directed, for holding a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery and Quarter Sessions of the Peace in Bellefonte, for the county of Centre, and to commence on the Fourth Monday of next, being April the 28th day of April 1884 and to continue two weeks. Notice is hereby given to the Coroner, Justices of the Peace, Aldermen and Constables of said county of Centre, that they be then and there in their proper persons, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, with their records, inquisitions, examinations, and their own remembrances, to do those things which to their office appertains to be done, and those who are bound in recognizances to prosecute against the prisoners that are or shall be in the jail of Centre county, be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.

Given under my hand, at Bellefonte, the 1st day of April in the year of our Lord 1884, and the one hundred and seventh year of the Independence of the United States. T. J. DUNKLE Sheriff

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