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Real and Personal Sales.

A DESIRABLE STORE AND LOT AT PRIVATE SALE.

The undersigned offers at Private Sale, his Store and Lot of Ground, situate in Liberty township, Adams county, Pa., on the Waynesboro' turnpike, ¼ mile east of McElvitt's Mill, 2 miles west of Emmitsburg, adjoining lands of J. P. McElvitt, D. C. Krise and others, containing 6 ACRES, more or less. The improvements are a two-story FRAME DWELLING, with a large Store Room in basement, Bank Barn, The buildings are all new, having been built last year, with post and rail chestnut fencing nearly new. There is a good well of water with pump in near the door, a young Orchard of choice Apple, Peaches, &c. The Land is in prime order and is a desirable place.

☞If not sold before the *5th day of November*, it will be sold on that day at Public Sale, at one o'clock, P. M.

Sept. 9–td EMANUEL OVERHOLTZER.

PUBLIC SALE

On Saturday, the 8th day of October, 1870,

The undersigned, Administrator *de bonis non cum testamento annexo* of ELIZABETH WILSON, deceased, late of Hunterstown, will sell at Public Sale, on the premises, the following Property, viz: THREE LOTS OF GROUND, situate in Hunterstown, Adams county, on which are erected a good Two-story BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, and a One-story Brick House, a Frame Stable, &c.—There is a never-failing well of water at the door, and an excellent Spring in the cellar. There is also an Orchard of fruit, apples, pears and peaches.

☞Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M., on said day; when attendance will be given and terms made known by

JOHN F. FELTY, *Adm'r.*

Aug. 19, 1870.—ts

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

In pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court of Adams county, the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of GEORGE DIEHL, deceased, will sell at Public Sale, *on Monday, the 17th of October next*, on the premises, the following Real Estate.

No. 1 and 2.—A FARM, containing about 102 Acres, having thereon erected a two-story DWELLING HOUSE, part Stone, a large Bank Barn, Carriage House, Wagon Shed, Corn Crib, Hog Pen, and other outbuildings. There are two wells of water at the door, one of the best in the county, also a never-failing spring in the yard, a large Orchard of choice fruit, also Grape Vines, Currants, Gooseberries, Blackberries and Raspberries, all of the best varieties to be found in this country. The ground is well stocked with Rhubarb, Asparagus, &c.—Part of the land is in garden cultivation, and is well adapted to a MARKET GARDEN, as it is situated right at the market door. The beauty of the location and fertility of the soil make it very desirable for that purpose.

Also, 7 ACRES, more or less, adjoining the above, enclosed with Osage hedge and good fencing, and fronting on the turnpike, adjoining their most brilliant hopes, or anticipations, rendering marriage, &c., impossible.

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who have injured themselves by a certain practice, indulged in when alone, a habit frequently learned from evil companions or at school, the effects of which are even more destructive to mind and if not cured, renders marriage impossible, and destroys both mind and body, should apply immediately.

What a pity that a young man, the hope of his parents, the stay of his parents, should be snatched from all prospects and employments of life, by the consequences of deviating from the path of nature, and indulging in a certain secret habit. Such persons must, before contemplating

MARRIAGE,

reflect that a sound mind and body are the most necessary requisites to promote connubial happiness. Impotency, Nervous Debility, and other disorders generally induced by the above habit, are of a character so peculiar that a delicate minded gentleman can not be expected to explain the symptoms to a stranger, but they induce a train of evils such as Loss of Memory, Pain in the Back, Dimness of Sight, Nervous Irritability, Pimples on the Face, Premature Old Age, and many other evils which lead to Insanity or Consumption. Diseased minds should not trifle with themselves or with their friends, but should at once place themselves under the care of Dr. J. Bull, who has had long and extensive practice in this city, and may be consulted on the most delicate diseases, with the assurance of perfect confidence and secrecy.

ORGANIC WEAKNESS.

IMPOTENCY, LOSS OF POWER,

Immediately Cured, and Full Vigor Restored. This distressing affection—which renders life miserable and marriage impossible—is the penalty paid by the victims of improper indulgences. Young persons are too apt to commit excesses from not being aware of the dreadful consequences that may ensue. Now, who that understands the subject will pretend to deny that the power of procreation is lost sooner by those fallen victims than by the prudent? Besides being deprived of the pleasure of offspring, perhaps the most serious and destructive symptoms of both body and mind arise from the sufferer becoming deranged, the Physical and Mental Faculties weakened, Loss of Procreative Power, Nervous Irritability, Dyspepsia, Palpitation of the Heart, Indigestion, Constitutional Debility, and Wasting of the Frame, Cough, Consumption, Decay and Death.

A CURE WARRANTED IN TWO DAYS.

Relief in Six Hours: No Mercury! Persons from the country, Trifling Pretenders, and their Deadly Poisons, should apply immediately.

DR. JOHNSTON,

Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, London. Graduate of one of the most eminent Colleges in the United States, and the greater part of whose life has been spent in the Hospitals of London, Paris, Philadelphia and elsewhere, has effected some of the most astonishing cures that ever known; many troubled with ringing in the ears and head for years, have had their hearing restored, and deafness, blindness, fits, with distressing symptoms, all of a nature too delicate to mention, were cured immediately.

TAKE PARTICULAR NOTICE.

Dr. J. is the only person advertising in this city who can be consulted. Many are injured by improper indulgences and solitary habits, which prey upon both body and mind, unfitting them for either happiness or business. Many are ruined by early or marriage.

These are some of the sad and melancholy effects produced by the early habits of youth, viz: Weakness of the Back and Limbs, Pains in the Head, Dizziness, Loss of Muscular Vigor, Loss of Sight, Loss of Voice, Palpitation of the Heart, Dyspepsia, Nervous Irritability, Dimness of Sight, or Giddiness, Diseases of the Head, Throat, Nose or Skin, Affections of the Liver, Lungs, Stomach or Bowels—those terrible disorders arising from Solitary Habits of Youth—SECRET and solitary practices, more fatal to their victims, than the songs of the Syrens to the Mariners of Ulysses, blighting their most brilliant hopes, or anticipations, rendering marriage, &c., impossible.

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especially, who have become the Victims of Solitary Vice, that dreadful and destructive habit which annually sacrifices more untimely graves than any other disease, or even war itself, and leaves thousands of young men of the most exalted talents and brilliant intellect, who might otherwise have entranced listening Senates with the thunders of eloquence, or waked to ecstacy the living lyre, may call with full confidence.

MARRIAGE.

Married persons, or Young Men contemplating marriage, aware of Physical Weakness (*Loss of Procreative Power—Impotency*), *Nervous Excitability*, Palpitation, Organic Weakness, Nervous Debility, or any other disqualification, speedily relieved.

He who places himself under the care of Dr. J. (*forfeited*) Alfred Shoucker.

☞No letters received unless postpaid and containing a three cent stamp for reply. Persons writing should state age, and send a portion of advertisement containing symptoms.

There are so many Paltry, Designing and Worthless Imposters advertising themselves as Physicians, Trifling with and Ruining the health of all who unfortunately fall into their power, that Dr. Johnston deems it necessary to say especially to those unacquainted with his character, that his Credentials or Diplomas always hang in his office.

ENDORSEMENT OF THE PRESS.

The many thousands cured at this establishment, year after year, and the numerous Surgical Operations performed by Dr. Johnston witnessed by the representatives of the press and many other persons, notices of which have appeared again and again in the papers of this and other standings as a gentleman of character and responsibility, is a sufficient guarantee to the afflicted.

SKIN DISEASES SPEEDILY CURED.

March 11, 1870—1ylpr

AYER'S SARSAPARILLA,

FOR PURIFYING THE BLOOD.

THE reputation this excellent medicine enjoys, is the best evidence of its virtues. It is a truly marvellous medicine. Inveterate cases of Scrofulous disease, where the system seemed saturated with corruption, have yielded to its healing power. Scrofulous affections and disorders, which were aggravated by mercurial contamination until they were painfully afflicting, have been radically cured in such great numbers in almost every section of the country, that the public scarcely need to be informed of its virtues or uses.

Scrofulous poison is one of the most destructive enemies of mankind. It is the parent of that infelt tenant of the organism undermines the constitution, and manifests itself in various forms of fatal diseases, which excites a suspicion of its presence. Again, it seems to breed infection throughout the body, and at any favorable occasion, rapidly develops into one or the other of its hideous forms, either on the surface or among the vitals. In the latter, tubercles may be suddenly deposited in the lungs or heart, or tumors formed in the liver, or it may fall upon the skin in eruptions on the skin, or foul ulcerations on some part of the body. Hence the occasional use of a bottle of Sarsaparilla in the spring when no active symptoms of the disease appear. Persons afflicted with the following complaints generally find immediate relief, and, at length, cure, by the use of this SARSAPARILLA: *St. Anthony's Fire, Blotches, Pimples, Tetter, Tetter Worm, Scald Head, Ringworm, Sore Eyes, Sore Ears*, and other eruptions or visible forms of *Scrofulous* disease. Also, in more concealed forms, as *Dyspepsia, Dropsy, Heart Disease, Fits, Epilepsy, Neuralgia*, and the various *Uterine* affections of the muscular and nervous systems.

Syphilis or Venereal and Mercurial Diseases are cured by it, though a long time is required for subduing these obstinate maladies by any medicine. But long continued use of this medicine will cure the complaint. *Leucorrhœa or Whites, Spinal Disease, Tumors, Tumor on the Breast*, are commonly soon relieved and ultimately cured by its purifying and invigorating effect. Minute Directions for each case are found in our Almanac, supplied gratis. *Rheumatism* and *Gout*, when caused by accumulations of extraneous matters in the blood, yield quickly to it, as also *Liver Complaints, Torpidity, Congestion or Inflammation of the Liver*, and *Jaundice*, when arising, as they often do, from the rankling poisons in the blood. This SARSAPARILLA is a great restorer for the strength and vigor of the system. Those who are *Languid* and *Listless, Depressed, Sleepless*, and troubled with *Nervous Apprehensions or Fears*, or any of the affections symptomatic of *Weakness*, will find immediate relief and convincing evidence of its restorative power upon trial.

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Gingle,
best barrel " " red " Geo.
Gingle,
best barrel " " extra, Geo.
Gingle,
best ¼ bushel white wheat, Joseph Wible.
best ¼ bushel red wheat, Lancaster, C. W. Griest.
second best ¼ bushel white wheat, (Tappahannock,) Philip H. Slagle.
best ¼ bushel white corn, C. W. Grieset.
best ¼ bushel yellow corn (shelled,) C. W. Grieset.
best ¼ bushel yellow corn (ears,) Thomas T. Norris.
second best ¼ bushel yellow corn, Martin Shoeler.
best ¼ bushel Rye, Philip Weaver.
best ¼ bushel Black oats, "Prince Ed's Island," C. W. Grieset.
best ¼ bushel white oats, C. W. Grieset.
best ¼ bushel Poland oats, Fred. Diehl.
best ¼ bushel Norway oats, Jacob Bucher.
best ¼ bushel Italian oats, Geo. Sutriver.
best ¼ bushel American Cluster oats, Wm. Wible.
best ¼ bushel English agricultural oats, Robt. Bell.
best peck timothy seed (¼ premium,) Martin Sheeler.
best peck timothy seed (¼ premium,) Wm. Forney.
best peck clover seed (¼ premium,) Jesse Houck.
best peck clover seed (¼ premium,) Israel Garretson.
best half peck sweet potatoes, J. J. Kerr.
best Cow over 3 years, Dr. O'Neal.
second best cow over 3 years, Philip H. Slagle.
best pair Twin Heifers over 3 years, (special) Philip H. Slagle.
best Heifer between 2 and 3 years, Jacob Swisher.
best Heifer between 1 and 2 years, Samuel A. Cobean.
best heifer calf under 1 year, Alex. Coleman.
Judges—John A. Dicks, Daniel K. Snyder, Jacob Benner.

CLASS 7.

Best pen sheep not less than 3, Ernest Sherdoff.
second best pen sheep not less than 3, Wm. Wible.
best pen lambs not less than 3, Geo. Deardorff.
second best lambs not less than 3, (forfeited) Israel Garretson.
best buck over 1 year, Joseph Wible.
best buck under 1 year, Jacob A. Cobean.
best pen pigs not less than 3, S. A. Cobean.
best sow over one year, S. A. Cobean.
best sow under 1 year, S. A. Cobean.
best boar, S. A. Cobean.
Judges—Col. J. J. Kuhn, Benj. Deardorff, Jacob Y. Bushey.

CLASS 8.

Best coop 6 black spanish chickens, C. W. Grieset.
best coop black spanish chickens, C. W. Grieset.
best bronze gobler turkey, weight 37 lbs., C. W. Grieset.
best pair bronze turkeys, M. Crilly.
best pair white holland turkeys, Jacob B. Bender.
best 5 brahman fowls, C. A. Boyer.
second best 5 brahman fowls, C. A. Boyer.
best 4 spangled bantums, C. A. Boyer.
best coop turkeys (1 hen and 4 young,) M. Crilley.
best coop hour kong geese, John Pitzer.
best pair bronze turkeys, Wm. Wible.
best pair white muscovia ducks, Geo. Fissel.
best pair brazilian ducks, John S. Forney.
best pair ducks, Jacob Anderson.
best pair ducks, Chas. Tate.
best pair rabbits, David Ziegler.
best pair speckled guineas, Chas. A. Herbst.
best 4 game chickens, J. D. Holtzworth.
best cage of doves, Joseph Bushman.
Judges—Dr. John A. Swope, H. B. Woods, Esq., G. A. Codori.

CLASS 9.

Best reaper and mower combined, Wm. Wible.
best separator, Wm. Wible.
best horse power and thresher, Wm. Wible.
best mower "advanced," Jacob Stock.
best horse rake, Wm. Wible.
best corn sheller, Bigham & Bro.
best hay tedder, Bigham & Bro.
best farm wagon, John Benner.
best wagon bed, Emanuel Plank.
best threshing machine, Jacob Stock.
best No. 3 fodder cutter, I. A. Buhrman.
best No. 4 clipper combined, I. A. Buhrman.
Judges—Thomas T. Norris, Robert Bell, Thomas Ehrehart.

CLASS 10.

best drill (with shifting grain seeder,) Wm. Stephens, Lancaster, Pa.
best fanning mill, C. O. Shreiner.
best hay, straw and fodder cutter, John Scott, agent.
best 3 horse plough, David Sterner.
best 2 horse plough, Wm. Wible.
best mouldboard shifting plough, Levi Heiner.
best iron double shovel plough, I. A. Buhrman.
best sulky harrow, Joseph Trostle.
best cultivator for general purposes, Samuel Fissel.
best corn planter, John Benner.
best wheat screen, I. A. Buhrman.
best grain cradle, Russell & Co.
best self operating farm gate, David Warren.
best entrance gate, Irael Bricker.
best farm gate, Geo. Shannon.
best hand cultivator, John G. Hondeshell.
best hay and lime elevator, (model,) A. & H. Spangler.
best improved grain fan, Wm. Stephens.
best bag wagon and holder, Wm. Wible.
second best zipper cutter, Laughlin's patent Andrew Schicke, agent.
second best 2 horse plough, David Sterner.
Judges—E. W. Stahle, Henry Bittinger, Michael Fiscel.

CLASS 11.

Best patent force and suction pump, H. J. Belk.
best butter churn "Star of Maryland," Joseph Trostle.
best washing machine and wringer, Thomas A. Warren.
best sausage choppers, (4 sizes,) Henry Bender.
best boring post and pointing rail machine, Rudolph Martin.
best bolting cloth, J. B. Cover.
best pair horse shoes, A. Bitzenberger.
best 5 different kinds of chains, A. Bitzenberger.
best cashsel prong hoe, John B. Hondeshell.
best post boring machine, "keystone," Jacob Y. Bushey.
best cucumber pump, Joseph Kunkle.
best hay fork "Thomas & Hayfaker patent" Geo. D. Thomas.
best 3 wire-tied brooms, R. Lee Tipton.
best twine-tied brooms, Daniel Plank.
best bee-hive, "world's fairview," (model) H. F. Carpenter.
second best post-boring machine, Wm. H. Deltrick.
best washing machine, Richardson's improved, J. B. Millar.
second best washing machine, Richardson's Harrison Spangler.
Judges—Nicholas Wierman, Samuel Ryster, Hiram S. Wright.

CLASS 12.

Best barrel family flour white wheat, Calvin Brenan.
second best " " " " Geo.

Best corks from combings, Miss Jennie Powers.
The following articles are recommended as worthy of mention in this class—
Best embroidered lamp mat, Miss Lizzie McGinley, embroidered handkerchief, Miss Emma McGinley, handkerchief holder, (silk) Miss Matilda Buehler, pair hair baskets, Miss Annie Stock, 2 Indian baskets, Miss Allie Powers, pair patchwork stools, Miss Allie Powers, embroidered lace veil, Mrs. Jesse Houck, lace samples, Mrs. Jesse Houck, tatting yoke, Miss Bertha Christman.
Judges—Miss Hannah Bender, Miss Sue Sullivan.

CLASS 20.

Best home-made bread, awarded to two persons, being of equal merit, Mrs. Kate Heck, $1 00
and Miss Annie Fitzimmons, 1 00
second best home-made bread, Mrs. S. A. Cobean, 50
best baker's bread, Christ. Hoffman, 1 00
best home-made raisin bread, Miss Jennie Powers, 50
best jelly cake, Miss Tillie Wierman, 1 00
best silver cake, do., 1 00
best paris cake, John Gruel, 1 00
best lady cake, do., 1 00
best mountain cake, Mrs. L. C. Cox, 1 00
best sponge cake, do., 1 00
second best sponge cake, Mrs. Samuel Herbst, 50
best fancy cakes, John Gruel, 50
best plate molasses cookies, do., 50
best jumbles, Miss Tillie Wierman, 50
best plain biscuits, Mrs. David McConnaughy, 50
best rolls, Miss Annie Stock, 50
best rusks, Christ. Hoffman, 50
best large pretzel, do., 50
Judges—Mrs. Charles Eiden, Mrs. Jno. H. Sheeler, Mrs. Richelberger.

CLASS 21.

Best glass quince marmelade, Miss A. V. Bream, $0 50
best glass cherry jelly, Mrs. L. Brenizer, 50
best glass grape jelly, Mrs. Cox, 50
best glass tomato jelly, Mrs. Cox, 50
best glass raspberry jelly, Mrs. James Caldwell, 50
best glass grape jelly, Miss Carrie Probst, 50
best glass apple jelly, Annie Sandoe, 50
Myers,
best glass quince jelly, Mrs. H. J. Stahle, 50
best glass blackberry jelly, Mrs. Charles Gilbert, 50
best glass canteloupe preserves, Mrs. James Caldwell, 50
best glass tomato preserves, do., 50
best crab apple preserves, Mrs. Bitzenberger, 50
best glass pear preserves, Mrs. Wm. Atkinson, 50
best glass raspberry preserves, Mrs. H. J. Stahle, 50
best glass quince preserves, Mrs. S. Powers, 50
best glass peach preserves, do., 50
best glass plum apple preserves, Mrs. David McConaughy, 50
best jars canned pears, Griest & Moore, 50
best jar canned Susquehanna peaches, Mrs. Mary Sherff, 50
best jar canned cherries, Mrs. S. Powers, 50
best display of canned fruit, Griest & Moore, dip.
Judges—Mrs. Wm. D. Himes, Mrs. W. C. Rodgers, Mrs. A. S. Himes.

CLASS 22.

Best quince butter, Mrs. H. J. Stahle, $0 50
best peach butter, No. 6, 50
best cherry butter, Mrs. David Kendlehart, 50
best cherry butter, Mrs. David Schriver, 50
best tomato butter, A. H. McElroy, 50
best mixed pickles, Mrs. H. J. Stahle, 50
best mixed pickles, Mrs. J. Tate, 50
best cucumber pickles, Miss Fannie Myers, 50
best spiced grapes, Miss Mary Beloh, 50
best chow-chow, Miss Sarah Fink, 50
best pickled tomatoes, Mrs. Wm. C. Stallsmith, 50
best tomato catsup, between Mrs. J. L. Tate, and Miss Susan McElroy, 25
Judges—Mrs. Wm. Bigham, Mrs. Sallie Tate, Miss Marie Buehler.

CLASS 23.

Best display of flowers, Mrs. N. Weaver, $1 00
best pot flowers (wax plants,) Mrs. Wm. Atkinson, 50
best display of cactus, Jacob Hare, 50
best fuzia, Mrs. W. C. Stallsmith, 50
best osana plant, Samuel Bushman, 50
best geranium, Mrs. Wible, 50
best bouquet dahlias, Mrs. L. C. Cox, 50
best bouquet geranium, Mrs. Solomon Powers, 50
best altitatum, Samuel Bushman, 50
best verbenas, Mrs. Wible, 50
sec. best hand bouquet, Ellie Burkholder, 50
best bridal head grass, Mrs. N. Weaver, 50
best rustic basket, Mrs. McCartney, 50
sec. best rustic hanging basket, Ellie Warren, 50
Judges—Miss Ellie Gilliland, Mrs. Prof. C. J. Thorhart, Mrs. Christiana White.

CLASS 24.

Best piano, Peter Bentz, $4 00
best melodeon, Peter Bentz, 40
Judges—Mrs. Wm. D. Himes, Miss Eva Danner, Miss A. K. Baugher.

CLASS 25.

Best sewing machine, Howe sewing machine, Jacob F. Thomas, $2 00
best home-made cherry bureau, H. McDannell, 1 00
best home-made toy bureau, Ella Culp, 50
best spool bedstead, Ella Culp, 50
best 3 toy chairs, Reuben and Nevin Culp, 50
best spool bedstead, Mamie Rowe, 50
best spool table, Mamie Rowe, 50
best miniature trunk, Nancy H. Culp, 50
best display of toys, Reuben Culp, 50
best horse chair, Fred. Morrison, 50
best dining table, H. McDannell, dip.
best display of fancy articles, Miss Annie Koefer, Chas. H. Comfort, dip.

CLASS 26.

Best display sugar, Jno. H. Beck, $1 00
best display smoking and chewing tobacco, do., 1 00
best display home made in the county, do., 1 00
best cloth coat, Frank Cunningham, 1 00
Judges—David Kendlehart, A. C. Weimer, Alex. S. Himes.

CLASS 27.

Best penmanship in frame, David Swever, 50
best large and small frame photographs, Tipton & Myers, 50
best display chromo paintings, Matilda Buehler, 1 00
best display paintings by native of Adams county, Andrew McCreary, 1 00
best oil painting (special premium) H. D. Wattles, 50
best water color painting, J. C. Burns, 1 00
Judges—Jno. Conaughy, Esq., S. R. Russell, Dr. J. W. C. O'Neal.

MISCELLANEOUS CLASS.

Dog and wagon (special,) Jacob Folmer, $2 00
goat and cart (special premium) Limard, 2 00
Weaver's rock drill, F. D. W. Hankey, 1 00
home made stoneware spinning bowl 200 years old, Mrs. H. Eckert,
German chintz apron, 100 years old, Margaret Bishman,
half dozen sawed shingles, David Hesgy, 50
home-made clothes brush, Michael Wasnum, 50
best white mice, Charles Tate,
toilet rack, Mrs. John Warner,
The following articles are deemed worthy of notice:
Reel in bottle, Jesse Houck,
cotton candle, (made by prisoner,) William Newville,
two china cups 150 years old, Carrie Probst,
cotton candle, Mrs. J. Myers,
battle-field cane, George Weaver,
twin ornamental snake gourds, Annie L. Young,
model smoke house and meat safe, Elias Boyer,
one smoking set, Michael Wasnum,
one string buckeyes, Kate Garlach,
two fiddle brackets, Mrs. John Warner,
five pumice tobacco boxes, John H. Bender,
one jar silk worms, Mary Sherff,
Mischief Buck's cow bee box, S. B. McKesson,
hedge apple, Jacob Hare,
three Bay roosters, Jennie Reiley,
relic Washington's fire, Ella Warren
air castle, Mary Plank,
Judges—Joseph L. Short, Geo. W. Charles A. Boyer.

THE DARK DAYS OF '61.—In the number of the *Atlantic Monthly* for October Hon. Henry Wilson, in an article of a dozen pages, replies to Judge Black's vituperative letter which appeared a few months ago in the *Galaxy* in regard to the course of the late Edwin M. Stanton in the dark days of 1860 and 1861. Mr. Wilson devotes very little space to Mr. Black personally, but occupies himself with sustaining the statements he had made as to Mr. Stanton by the testimony of competent and trustworthy witnesses. Mr. Seward writes that while he was prospective member of Mr. Lincoln's Cabinet and Mr. Stanton was Mr. Buchanan's Attorney General they were in constant confidential communication, and that he received from day to day important suggestions and information from Mr. Stanton. Mr. Sumner writes a graphic and impressive account of the midnight interview at his own house, when Mr. Stanton, who came at that hour to escape the surveillance of the Rebel agents, detailed the plans of the traitors which had come to his knowledge.

Hon. William A. Howard, of Michigan, who was chairman of a special House committee, appointed in 1861 to investigate the plots of the Rebels in and out of the Government, writes to the effect that Mr. Stanton was the author of the resolutions creating the committee; that he was in secret communication with them from day to day, and furnished "the most startling facts." Mr. Dawes, another member of the same committee, gives still more explicit evidence to the same general effect. So Mr. Wilson goes on, bringing forward the corroboration of one distinguished man after another to the assertions he has made, and weaving a chain of evidence which even Mr. Black will be likely to consider unquestionable.

"The Fire-place" is the name of a drinking saloon in Chicago. Any one can get warmed by it for ten cents, or red hot for a quarter.

A blind man named McConnell and his wife were burned to death in Boston on Thursday night. He was intoxicated, and the bed took fire from his pipe.

At New Orleans on Sunday there were ten deaths from yellow fever.