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BY GEO. SANDERSON. "OUR COUNTRY—RIGHT OR WRONG." [AT TWO DOLLARS PER ANNUM. Whole No. 1454. Carlisle, Pa. Thursday June 9, 1842. New Series—Vol. 6, No. 53.]

Great Bargains! THE subscriber has just opened a fine assortment of DRY GOODS and GROCERIES in Kingston, Silver Spring township, consisting in part of blue, black, brown, green, olive, cadet, mulberry, dahlia, citron, claret, mixt drab, and a variety of low priced

NEW STORE! THE subscribers will respectfully inform the public that they have just received and are now opening a general assortment of Spring and Summer

WEAVING. THE subscriber, thankful for past favors, hereby notifies the public that he still continues at the old stand, in South Middleton town-ship, near McLaughlin's tavern, and that he will weave any article in his line at the following prices, viz:

FARMER'S HOTEL. THE subscriber hereby informs his friends and the public in general, that he still continues to keep a Public House, (reports to the contrary, notwithstanding,) at the OLD STAND, in East High Street, a few doors east of the Court House, where he will at all times take pleasure in administering to the comforts of those who may favor him with their custom.

PRINCIPAL REASONS. WHY DR. HARTLICH'S Compound Strengthening and German Spermic Pills are used by all classes of people, in preference to other Medicines, because they are prepared from A PURE EXTRACT OF HERBS, whose medicinal mildness in its operation, and pleasant in its effect, make certain preserver of health, a safe and effectual cure of Dyspepsia or Indigestion; and all Stomach Complaints, a preserver and a purifier of the whole system.

DENTISTRY. DR. I. C. LOOMIS, Dentist, is permanently located in Carlisle, and will perform all operations that are required in the practice of his profession—such as Extracting, Filing, Plugging, and Inserting Artificial Teeth;

LEMUEL TODD, ATTORNEY AT LAW. OFFICE No. 10, Harper's Row, in the room formerly occupied by Isaac Todd, Esq. Carlisle, August 26, 1841.

SAMUEL R. HAMILL, ATTORNEY AT LAW. Will practice in the several courts of Cumberland county. Office in Main street, the office now occupied by James H. Devor, Esq. Carlisle, September 30, 1841.

J. ELLIS BONHAM, ATTORNEY AT LAW. OFFICE NEXT DOOR TO BEETEM'S HOTEL, Carlisle, April 28, 1842.—6m.

COACH & HARNESS MAKING. BENEDICT D. NUTZ, successor to F. A. Kennedy, Coach Maker, takes pleasure in executing the public generally, that he is prepared to render satisfaction in the construction or repair of

CARRIAGES. of every description. His workshop is one of the first class, being originally from the city of Philadelphia, (and himself likewise) — and his materials are of the best kind.

Cumberland Hotel. CARLISLE. The subscriber has leased that well known tavern stand in North Hanover street, a few doors north of Bank, formerly kept by Mr. John Corinnan, and more recently by Mr. Spahr, where he is prepared with every thing necessary to render those comfortable who may give him their custom — his

BAR should be kept constantly supplied with the choicest liquors, and his TABLE with the best markets eatables. His B. B. R. O. M. S. are airy and commodious, and every exertion will be made to render travellers and others comfortable.

NOTICE. All persons having claims against the firm of Boserian & Hutton, and those knowing themselves indebted on book account or otherwise, are requested to call on the subscriber and make settlement, on or before

NEW GOODS. First Arrival of Spring & Summer Goods. CLIPPINGER & CAREY, Near the Railroad—Shippensburg.

Nicholson Lands For Sale. In pursuance of a writ issued by his Excellency, David R. Porter, Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, to the undersigned, Commissioner on the part of the Commonwealth to settle the estates of John Nicholson and Peter Bayton, there will be offered at Public Sale, at the Court House, in the borough of Carlisle, on Tuesday the 14th day of June next at 2 o'clock P. M., the following described tracts of land, situated in the county of Cumberland, to wit:

A tract of land situate in Southampton township, adjoining Samuel Nicholson, Sarah Nicholson and others, containing 401 acres, 168 perches and allowance, surveyed on a warrant in the name of Samuel Nicholson, dated 9th December, 1793.

A tract of land situate on the North Mountain, on the north branch of Coosodog creek, adjoining John Nicholson and others, containing 270 acres 53 perches and allowance, surveyed on a warrant to Jane Nicholson, dated 25th November, 1793.

Supper Flour of Rice warranted pure for sale by J. E. Coonan.

The Promise. AN IMPRESSIVE TALE.

Just seventeen years ago, Eliza Murray was in the prime of youth, and maidenly beauty, as fair as the rose that blossoms in the cultivated garden of art, as gentle as the lily that bends its head to the summer zephyr, and yet at times as wild and reckless as the playful school boy that sports and plays on the edge of the rocky precipice.

Dancing along then, in the hey-day of her conquest, she had still felt at times the influence which passion is ever exerting over us.

Among the many suitors which appeared before her, Henry English was all that the maiden could desire. He saw Eliza Murray, gay beautiful and attractive, possessing with all her volatility, gentleness in her manner, a sweetness of temper, a buoyancy of fancy and ease in conversation which he admired.

Thus far all right. But in-youth we are the beings of fancy, and more especially, the children of volatility live in the delight of the moment, the gay, giddy scene in the theatre on which they move.

Years rolled on—they mingled together in the merry scene—surrounded by the social fire-side—but the delight which affection for each other had thrown over the silvery moments they had spent together had ceased. Cold familiarity and distant politeness had assumed its place. I saw both, however, at length married.

The gallant who had been the partner of Eliza Murray at the ball, became in time her husband. He was one calculated to please amid the gaiety of youthful society, but unfit for the more serious and substantial affairs of life. Such was the happy idea I formed as I witnessed the wedding ceremonies.

A Case of poisoning took place in Hudson township, Centre county, on the 4th ult. Morris Hagerty died suddenly; the funeral procession was stopped at the grave yard by the Coroner, and a post mortem examination took place, which resulted in the finding of corrosive sublimate in the stomach of the deceased.

husband, with an earnest but secret wish, that he who was to be a protector of one so fair as Eliza Murray, might be all that a husband could be. I left two happy young couples then—as happy as hope and fancy could make the first silvery moon of matrimony.

In 1782, Wheeling, Va. was besieged by a large army of British and Indians. So sudden was the attack made, that no time was afforded for preparation.

HOPE.—MAN. The last refuge of man is hope. When afflictions come upon him fast and thick; when care fevers his brain and sorrow gnaws his heart; when the tide of misfortune has parted the last cord that held his bark to her moorings, and the sound of its parting sinks into a death-knell into his inmost soul, awaking all its sympathies to the fearful reality of the moment—the intensity of the excitement gives way to a burst of anguish, a bitter tear of disappointment; or to that more strange and uncontrollable, yet silent power, despondency.

CHILD OF PASSION. What if you have failed in business?—You still have life and health. Don't sit down and cry over your mishaps, for that will never get you out of debt, nor buy your children frocks. Go to work at something, eat sparingly, dress moderately, drink nothing exciting, and above all, keep a merry heart, and you will be put in the world again.—[Selected.]

BE KIND TO YOUR FATHER AND LEND ME YOUR COAT?—In a familiar conversation with the Ex-President, Van Buren, the other day, one of our jocose citizens made some inquiries as to General Jackson, and Mr. Van Buren asked if the gentleman knew personally the General?

REMARKS. A NEW MOVIE AGAINST MEXICO.—The New York Sun says: A business agent of ours, who has recently been visiting Texas, Louisiana, and all along shores, and is now at Mobile, writes us from the latter city, under date of 5th ultimo, as follows:—An expedition is now secretly fitting out at this place and New Orleans, to take Matamoros. It will consist of two Texian schooners of war, which arrived here to-day.

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INDIANA, BANKS.—Resumption of Specie Payments.—The Indiana Journal has the following:—

MURDER OF A CHILD BY ITS MOTHER, AND HER ATTEMPTED SUICIDE. A correspondent of the Boston Post at Medford, gives the particulars of a most shocking affair which occurred in that town on Thursday week.

EX-GOVERNOR BOGGS.—The Boonville Register of the 19th ult., says: "We are gratified to learn that there is a fair prospect of this gentleman's recovery from the wounds he received by the hands of the demon who sought his life."

THE INVASION OF MEXICO. A letter from General Houston is published in the New Orleans Bulletin, which says:

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