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WASHINGTON.

He fought, but not with love of strife; he struck but to defend. And ere he turned a people's foe, he sought to be a friend.

DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE.

In Congress, Philadelphia, July 4, 1776.

When, in the course of human events, it becomes necessary for one people to dissolve the political bands which have connected them with another, and to assume, among the powers of the earth, the separate and equal station to which the laws of nature and nature's God entitle them...

Know Nothing Renunciation.

COPPERTOWN, May 25, 1855. Messrs. COCHRAN & HAYS:—The following narration, according to the best of my recollection, embraces facts in relation to the most iniquitous and corrupt organization that has ever existed among men...

The undersigned, citizens of Copperstown and vicinity, hereby certify that Joseph G. Hale is a young man of good character, and one whose reputation for truth is good.

Supreme Court in Bane.

June, 1855. Talbot vs. Colvert. Error to Delaware Co. By an ante-nuptial agreement, the husband covenanted that the wife should have her property to her own use as long as she lived...

JOHN HANCOCK, Pres't.

Eating Ice Cream Raw.

On a very warm, sultry evening, during the summer of '48, as Dr. B. and myself were seated in a fashionable saloon of our town, indulging in the cool luxuries which the proprietors of the establishment knew so well how to prepare...

A Word for Young Men.

Extract from the address delivered before the graduating class of Rutgers College, by the Hon. Theodore Frelinghuysen: "Resolve to do something useful, honorable, dutiful, and do it heartily. Repel the thought that you can, and therefore you may, live above work, and without it."

One Happy Heart.

How calmly you can sleep on the pillow? How sweetly sleep! In all this world there is nothing so sweet as giving comfort to the distressed, as getting a sun ray into a gloomy heart.

Food.

It is stated that while mutton, the most nutritive of animal food, contains only 23 per cent. of nutritive matter to 74 pounds of water—wheat flour contains 90 per cent. of nutrient to 10 of water, and corn meal 91 per cent. of nutrient to 9 of water.

The Manufacture of Telescope Glasses is one of the most intricate and nice undertakings in mechanics.

Just as the peace in the neighborhood of this city has adopted a novel mode of putting the test to all persons who are brought before him under charge of having taken too much stimulus...

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After sitting some time, as if uncertain how to proceed, the young man plucked up courage to address us, and inquired whether he could "get some ice cream and a couple of confectionaries," stating at the same time that he had "never been at a cannula and didn't know how people acted at such places."

He was informed by the doctor, that if he would ring the small bell which stood upon the table his wishes would be gratified. The green tin did as he was directed, and in due time was served with the ice cream, &c.

"Oh, kin I live?" Upon this the doctor looked mysterious, fell his pulse again, examined his tongue, and then in a solemn tone replied: "It may be, young man, that by implicitly following my directions, you can yet escape the consequences of your rashness and folly. I would advise you to—"

A SLIGHT MISTAKE.—A young lady out west, who wished to have the room of a log house to appear to the best advantage on a certain occasion, had some trouble in keeping a large dog outside the door. After having turned him out for the third or fourth time, she heard a slight tap upon the door, which she supposed to be the dog's paw, and cried out: "How you old dog, you may rap as long as you've a mind to, but I won't let you in." It was the young clergyman, who had just commenced paying his addresses to her.

All you who know young Sniffkins, are aware that he married old Mrs. Betty Blochet for her money—that he cannot touch it till she dies, and that he treats her very badly on account of what he calls her "unjustifiable longevity."

The Gold Harvest.—Since the first discovery of gold in California, the yield has averaged about \$60,000,000 a year, or \$5,000,000 a month, \$1,250,000 a week, \$178,521 a day, or \$9,440 an hour, or \$124 a minute! Who talks about hard times?

"I will not strike thee, bad man," said a Quaker, one day, but I will let this billet of wood fall on thee, and at that precise moment the "bad man" was felled by the force of a walking stick, which the Quaker usually carried.

The celebrated artist, who crowded so naturally that the sun rose three hours before its time, has recently finished a picture of the moon, that's painted with such wonderful fidelity to Nature that it can't be seen in the daytime.

It is mentioned as a characteristic of the Ailanthus tree, and one entirely over-balancing all objections against it, derived from its offensive odor, that it is completely free from caterpillars, worms, or bug of any kind.