BY JOHN O. WHITTIER. The day's sharp strife is ended now, The only a snarp strike is choweth how ! As on the thronged, unrestful town The patience of the moon looks down, I wait to hear, beside the wire, The voices of its tongues of fire. Slow, doubiful, faint, they seem at first; Be strong, my heart, to know the worst l Hark !--there the Alleghanics spoke; That sound from lake and prairie broke!

AFTER ELECTION.

That sunset-gun of triamph rent The allence of a continent !

That signal from Nebraska sprung, This, from Nevada's mountain tongue 1 Is that thy answer, strong and free, O loyal heart of Tennessee? What strange, glad volce is that which calls From Wagner's grave and Sumter's wall From Mississippl's fountain-head A sound as of the bison's tread ! There rastled freedom's Charter Oak! In that wild burst the Ozarks spoke!

Cheer answers cheer from rise to set Of sun, We have a country yet!

The praise, O God, be thine alone! Thou gives not for bread a stone; Thou hast not led us through the night To blind us with returning light; Not through the furnace have we passed, To perish at its month at last.

O night of peace, thy flight restrain O night of peace, my night restant : November's moon, be slow to wane l Shine on the freedman's cabin floor, On brows of prayer a blessing pour; And give, with full assurance bless, The weary heart of Freedom rest! intic. for January.

A Visit to Burns's Home. It was a lovely morning as we sailed into the harbor of Ayr. In the distance west-ward could be seen green islands and the land cliffs of Arran, and the mull of Canire. To the north was the barren Troon, spetted with its clean-looking houses, as though they had sprung fresh from the ground. Southward, Ailsa-craig rises out of

was born. This is kept quite as it was. I is a real Scotch kitchen, having a little recers just large enough to hold a bed. Yes, in tha spot was Robert Burns born. The floor o this room is stone and deeply worn. Any one seeing it could not doubt that it had long been trod by olden feet. Through the entry we passed into what was the best room. Here the walls are hung with pictures asso-ciated with the life of the poet. In every nook in which it is possible a name has been written, and not only this, but hundreds of ever !-Boston Transcript. names are cut into the furniture. The two names are cut into the furniture. The two tables, cupboard and chairs are completely carved over with signatures. Prominent among them is the name of Peter Jones, of Great Bear Lake, of North America. From an article in the London Athenœum Great Bear Lake, of North America.

the winding course of the Doon-marked by its green drapery of woodland. Far around the surface was charmingly varied. The land, the sky and the sualight conspired to make the most lovely picture. The monu-ment is enclosed with about an acte of land. This is ornamented with ivies, hollies, yow and plane trees, pines, hawthorns and moun-tain ashes. The walls are curiously lined with bright flowers. A little way down from the monument is a rustic building, in which may be seen the statues of Tam O'Bhanter and Souter Johnny-comical characters truly. I do not wonder Burns wrote an epic, taking them for his herces. Bidding adleu, with feelings of reluctance, to these fair works of art, consecrated by the sweetest and noblest genius, we descended upon the Auld Brig, over which Tam drove his Meg at full speed, with witches and war-locks at her heels, till the keystone of the arch was rocked, and pouring water put an end to the chase. We were surrounded by "Babks and braes o'bonny Doon."

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Ing the tale of Tain O Shanter and Souter Johnny. The County Buildings are quite imposing structures. But for the most part there is nothing striking in the appearance of the houses, as one wanders through the city. In the suburbs are seen some stately residences, the soul, in the heart, and in the mind, is that the soul in the heart, and in the mind, is that the soul in the heart, and in the mind, is that

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adding these texts: Lev. Xix: 12, and Matt. v: 33—"Ye shall not swear by my name falsely; I am the Lord.' And "Thou shalt not forawear thyself but shall perform unto the Lord thine oaths." From the rotunda we had a good view of From the rotunda we had a good view of The Prince went on shore and visited the shantles of those curious people, to whom all the youngsters and marrying all the stray couples who might be virtuously inclined and ready for the yoke. The youngsters came u of the youngsters came u Spruce. CORSETS AND SHIRTS.-JUST RECEIVED. Internet. and 253 South Eleventh street, above del0 6t-

end to the chase. We were surrounded by "Banks and brace o' bonny Doon." The bridge is overhung with broad sweeping branches of elms and plane trees. Its sides are interwined with ivy. Surely nature is endeavoring to give it a green old age. From the top of the brig we went down uuder its bigh arch of nearly a hundred feet span. We could not wonder that the poet should revel and sing by the Doon. The shade was so thick, the breeze so cool, the water so clear, the gentle rippling of the solution is a solution of the brig of the brag we went down the top of the brig we went down uuder its bigh arch of nearly a hundred feet should revel and sing by the Doon. The shade was so thick, the breeze so cool, the water so clear, the gentle rippling of the should revel and sing by the Doon. The shade was so thick, the breeze so cool, the water so clear, the gentle rippling of the should revel and sing by the Doon. The shade was so thick, the breeze so cool, the water so clear, the gentle rippling of the shade was so thick, the poet that the poet that the poet that the ex-member of a southern guerilla band, Morgan's, Mosby's, or Stuart's. These merry, how could the poet but sing, "Ye flowery banks o' bonnie Doon How can you bloom sae fresh and fair"? Visiting the New Brig, which is some fifty rods below the old, having gathered memen-toes from river, bank and tree, we turned our towards, the weap of the saying towards, the towards of the saying towards, the saying of our the say index the saying towards, the saying of our the say index the sa toes from river, bank and tree, we turned our steps towards the town again, and for the train to Glasgow, being a thousand times glad for the experience of that day. More—than once we falt the greatness and goodness of the poet's genius. No wonder they speak of it with pride and tenderness. when they were most needing help and anti-northern, without being in sentiment

nothing striking in the appearance of the bouses, as one wanders through the city. In the suburbs are seen some stalely, residences, owned by relified merchants who have been fortunate in this word's riches. Having taken a look at the town, we turned our steps south and eastward, over a smoothing which is and can soar to the skies; that some ting is noble, and is what the poet would and oak. Now and then we would eatch gimpees of cottages and mansions through thickly shady branches. Before we were scarcely aware of it, we had walked the dia-tance of some three miles, and really,-here we found ourselves at the door of Burne's Cot-tege. Could it he possible that Sootland's greatest poet first opened his eyes upon the mortal m this humble thatched house? It a low, one-story building, with additions at cach end. We cared not for the new; it was what had been sanctified by Robert Burns we would see. So we entered the part which remains unaltered. We first passed into the room in which he was born. This is kept quite as it was. I is a real Scotch kitchen, having a little recest just large enough to hold a beel. Yen, the works, and with them he weeps, with them he laughs, with them he weeps, with them he works, and with them he prays.

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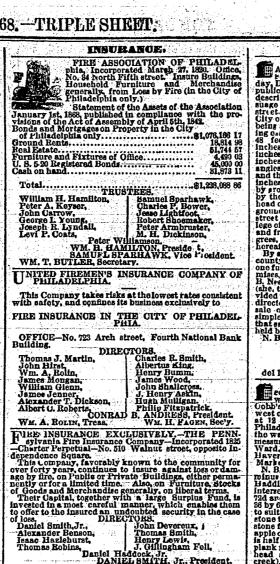
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M. THOMAS & SONS, Anctioneers, 123 and 141 South Fourth street.
 PUBLIC SALE-THOMAS & SONS, AUCTION-eers.-Very Valuable Germantown Property-Two-eers.-Very Valuable Germantown Property-Two-deep, known as the 'Old Germantown Bank,' Tweaty-second Ward. On Tueday, Lorember 15, 1863, at 19 o'clock, noon, will be sold at public sale, at the Public deep phia Exchange, all these stone measurages and the lot of ground therennto belowing, situate on the sortheasterly side of Main street, about 35 feet 3 linches south of . Fean, street, Germantown, Twenty second Ward; the lot con-training in front on Main street about 65 leet, and extend-ing to 60 feet, and extending in depth of that width 85 feet 6 in ches; then narrowing to 56 feet and extending still forther in depth of that width 15 feet 9 inches, (in-cluding a 11 feet wide aller,) the entire depth being 455 feet 9 inches, and being in width on the rear end 51 feet 84 inches. The improvements are a two-story stone building, formerity occupied as the Germantown Bank, and Dwelling. Will be sold according to a survey, which may be seen at the Auction Records Terms-Half cash. Immediate possessien. M. THOMAS & SONS, Auctioners. de3 5 12 IEE and 141 SOUTH STONE.

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de3 5 12 Unr HARD' CUUN' CALL -ESTATE OF MARY G. Lewellyn, deceased. Thomas & Sons. Auc-tioneers. Dwelling, Shippen street, east of Ninth street. Purnant to an alias order of the Orphans' Court for the city and county of Philadelphia, will be sold at pub-lic sais on Theeday, December 16, '58, at'32 o'clock, noon, at the Philadelphia Exchange the following described property, late of Mary G. Lowellyn, deceased. All that lot of ground and the bick mesuage thereon erocted, situate on the south side of Shippen street, 45 foot 1% inches cast of Ninth street, containing in front on Ship-pen street 19 feet 10% inches, and in depth 15 feet 2 inches. Bounded on the weet by ground late of Maurice NoNa-mec, now of Phillis Go don, on the south by ground late of Charles Rizer, on the east by an alley 4 feet wide, left open by the said Charles Rizer, leading into Shippen street; together with the common use and privilege of said 4 feet wide alley leading into and from said Shippen etreet, san alley passage and water-course at all times for-ever, and also together with the common use and privi-lege of a privy situate upon the west rn line of said lot at all times forever. By the Court, JGEPH MEGARY, Clerk O. C. ISAAC MORTON, Administrator. M THOMAS & SONS, Auctionner.

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their drudge, to whom is deputed all the business distasteful or held infra dig. by the rest. Like the proud sisters in the fairy tale, they have their Cinderella in the kitchen; which is a very short-eighted shirk and an ostrich-like policy, as society is more likely to judge a whole family by its low-est representative than to ignore him allogether, and take the others at their own estimate. Appear-ances as such incline, of course, to make the best of things. "putting the best leg foremost." But it? things, "putting the best leg foremost." But it's is needful, beyond all things, not to go for too much. In the case of young people of limited income, the ill-portioned scions of luxurious so-

wound they once received, and outraging feelings in their turn which they row disregard because the world and its ways stand but in a alippery and receding relation to themselives, and can do nothing more for them. But even before we are old in this sense, the fact of being our own mas-ters is very apt to make us defant of the conventional restraints which we think wholesome for other people. Few per-sons, however, are so loose of ties and obli-gations as to be justified in this indigence. A man who persists in disregarding appearances is a nuisance to all his belongings. There is often malightly, or at the best a concelted notion of superiority to finery and projudice, in the ag-gressive line which is taken towards appear-ances. A wise man will respect them, even where he does not see the sense of them, because they represent realities to some minds, because

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