*HUMOROUS.*

☞ A rich anecdote is told in the city of D., in a neighboring State, which is too good to be lost, and which runneth thus:—

As Judge W. was walking the street, a woman hurried out from her house and mistaking him for her husband, expected from California, accosted him eagerly, "Oh, Joseph, Joseph." The Judge solemnly presenting to her the palms of his open hands, gravely enunciated "stop, Madam, stop; I am *no* Joseph." The woman seeing her mistake, quietly replied, "excuse me, sir, my husband's name is Joseph, but not Polyphar?"—and turning she left the Judge to cogitate on who was ahead.

A MODEL LETTER.—The following letter is a perfect model in its way. We certainly hope it is a *unique* specimen: Dear Brother:—I've got one of the handsomest farms in the State, and have it nearly paid for. Crops are good, and prices never were better. We have had a glorious revival of religion in our church, and both our children (the Lord be praised) are converted. Father got to be rather an incumbrance, and last week I took him to the Poor House. Your affectionate brother. J. R. D.

**By the President of the United States.**

IN pursuance of law, I, FRANKLIN PIERCE, President of the United States of America, do hereby declare and make known that public sales will be held at the undermentioned Land Offices in the STATE OF MICHIGAN, at the periods hereinafter designated, viz:

At the Land Office of SAULT STE. MARIE, commencing on MONDAY, the FOURTH DAY OF SEPTEMBER next, for the disposal of public lands situated within the following named townships, to wit:

*North of the base line, and west of the principal meridian.*

Township forty-eight of range eleven.
Township forty-nine of range fifteen.
Township forty two, forty-four, and forty-five, of range twenty-two.
Township forty-four and forty five of range twenty-three.
Township forty-eight of range eleven.
Township forty-nine of range fifteen.
Township forty two, forty-four, and forty-five, of range twenty-two.
Township forty-four and forty five of range twenty-three.
Township forty-two, forty-three, forty-four, and forty-five, of range twenty-four.
Township forty-three, forty-four, and forty-five, of range twenty-five.
Township forty-nine and fifty of range twenty-one.
Township forty-nine and fifty of range twenty-two.
Township forty-nine and fifty of range twenty-three.
Township forty-nine and fifty of range twenty-four.
Township forty-nine and fifty of range twenty-five.
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Township forty-nine and fifty of range twenty-eight.
Township forty-nine and fifty of range twenty-nine.
Township forty-nine and fifty of range twenty-ten.
Township forty-nine and fifty of range twenty-eleven.
Township forty-nine and fifty of range twenty-twelve.
Township forty-nine and fifty of range twenty-thirteen.
Township forty-nine and fifty of range twenty-fourteen.
Township forty-nine and fifty of range twenty-fifteen.
Township forty-nine and fifty of range twenty-sixteen