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THE UNITED STATES HOTEL, AT ATLANTIC CITY, will be opened for the reception of visiters on the 1st of JUNE. The House has been thoroughly renovated and improved, and is supplied with all the modern conveniences of a first-class Hotel. In addition to other improvements, a railroad has been constructed to the beach, on which the guests will be conveyed free of charge during bathing hours. my30-1m CONRAD & HINKLE.

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The Hotel is of modern construction, built on an extensive scale, with accommodations for two hundred and fifty guests, commanding a fine view of Long Island Sound. Billiard, Shuffle, and Bowling Rooms, at a convenient distance from the House. Good Fishing and Bathing within five minutes walk.
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The Press.

MONDAY, JUNE 13, 1859.

Notices of New Books.

A short time ago, we noticed Aytoun & Martin's translation of Goëthe's Minor Poems, republished by Delisser & Proctor, of New York. We have now to say that E. H. Butler and Company, of Philadelphia, have just issued, in an 8vo volume, very handsomely got up, *The Minor Poetry of Goëthe*; a selection from his songs, ballads, and other lesser poems, translated by William Grasett Thomas. This collection consists almost wholly of lyrics written in Goëthe's early years, ere he had

"Profaned his spirit, sank his brow"

by that admixture with the world and the world's passions, pursuits, and habits, by which his more mature years were not improved—to say the least of them. Goëthe's own metres have generally been adhered to. Judging of these translations on better authority than our own, as to their fidelity, we can say that never has the full spirit of Goëthe's lyrics been so nearly presented. Mr. Thomas is evidently an accomplished German scholar. Viewing them as English poems, which they now are made, for the many, they have the easy flow and grace of original poetry. They consist of a few minor poems: lyrics addressed to Frederica, Lotte, and Lili, (three of Goëthe's numerous love-friends); ditto to Frau von Stein; snatches of song from "Wilhelm Meister" and "Faust;" with Leipsic poems, songs, ballads, sonnets, elegies, parables, miscellaneous, and epigrams. From about one hundred and sixty specimens here given, the general reader, ignorant of German, may yet be able to form a pretty accurate estimate of Goëthe's ability as a poet. In these minor productions, written ere years, flattery, and worldly habits had lowered the tone of his mind, the real poet shows himself. His translator has ably performed a very difficult task. In his prose introduction, whose only fault is its brevity, Mr. Thomas mentions that the original of Mignon, in "Wilhelm Meister," was Antoinette Gerold, a relative of Schlosser, who married Goëthe's sister. She was passionately attached to Goëthe from her childhood. Mr. Thomas (who has given an exquisitely true rendering of Mignon's *Kennst du das Land*) says that the fact of this identity, which was not known until the publication of the correspondence between Goëthe and F. H. Jacobi, has never before been mentioned in any English publication. Mr. Thomas has so clearly "won his spurs," in the tourney of literature, by this volume, that we shall hope to meet him, ere long, in the same lists again. Goëthe has never before been so fully done justice to.

The eleventh volume of *Benton's Abridgment of the Debates of Congress, from 1789 to 1856*, has been published by the Appletons, of New York. This is a stupendous undertaking, to which the late T. H. Benton devoted his latter years, and lived long enough to complete. It is, in this country, to ordinary politicians, what Hansard is, in England, to debating Parliament-men. The ability which Mr. Benton brought to bear upon such task-work has long been undoubted. Equal to it, we think, is his constant endeavor to be full without running into diffuseness, and to condense without becoming obscure. The present volume, of 782 royal octavo pages, contains the proceedings and debates of Congress from March, 1830, to July 16, 1832. The debates on the United States Bank, in this period, are full of interest. This Abridgment of the Debates has a large circulation, and deserves it.

A good Temperance story is a rarity. Such, however, is *My Sister Margaret*, by Mrs. C. M. Edwards, with four illustrations, published by Carlton & Porter, New York.

The popularity of one class of books is great. We mean that class which treats of the culinary art. *Soyer's Shilling Cookery for the People*, published in London in 1854, sold 110,000 in ten months, and the 190th thousand is now going off. It is a capital book, to be sure, and can be purchased, at English cost, at Pennington's, South Seventh street.

With commendable celerity, Harper & Brothers have just issued a well-timed book, being the fifth volume of the late Alexander von Humboldt's *Cosmos: A Sketch of a Physical Description of the Universe*. The translation from the German has been made by E. C. Otté and W. S. Dallas. "Cosmos," into which Humboldt threw the concentrated information with which study, travel, observation, and thought had filled his mind during an unusually prolonged life, has had remarkable popularity, here and in Europe, and is of itself sufficient to make a high reputation for any writer. Now that Humboldt has departed, the demand for the work will greatly increase. This new volume treats, more particularly, of the constituent part of the earth's composition, with the theories of its construction, materials, internal action, external phenomena. Chiefly, however, it relates to Volcanoes, upon which a vast range of knowledge is here brought to bear. The details are given with Humboldt's accustomed fulness, accuracy, and clearness.

When last we had to speak of Mr. Charles Dexter Cleveland, it pained us to express the opinion that his *Compendium of American Literature* was ill-arranged and imperfect, with so decided a political bias as to disqualify it from being used in the instruction of youth. Mr. Cleveland rode his two hobbies—Tee-totalism and anti-Slavery—through the Compendium, at a hand-gallop, and got terribly shaken, if not thrown. We meet him again, as Editor of Milton's poems, supplying a good though brief biography of the great poet, numerous original and well-culled notes, an index to the subjects of Paradise Lost, and a very full verbal index to all the Poems. Nor is this all. The text has been most thoroughly revised, collated, and corrected. The result is that we can fairly give Mr. Cleveland full credit for having produced the most satisfactory edition of Milton's Poetical works ever published. One flaw we notice. In the Index of subjects of Paradise Lost, Mr. Cleveland puts "Slaveholder, his great guilt in the sight of God—Book xii, line 64." The lines are

O execrable son! so to aspire
Above his brethren; to himself assuming
Authority usurp'd, from God not given."

on which, travelling greatly out of his way, Mr. Cleveland puts this note: "How can any slaveholder read this noble passage and continue for a single day longer to hold his brother man in bondage?" We do not mean here to discuss the point thus mooted, but have to say that the lines allude not to Slavery, but to the person described by the Angel Michael, as having employed people to construct a tower which should reach to heaven. We suggest that Mr. Cleveland amend his Index and omit his note in his next edition. Published by Lippincott & Co.

Appleton & Co., of New York, have commenced the republication, in *fac-simile*, of a new work, which Messrs. Chambers, of Edinburgh, have had a long time in preparation, and, with their large resources of capital, available talent, and perseverance, will certainly bring to a satisfactory conclusion. The work is called *Chambers' Encyclopædia*, and is a Dictionary of Universal Knowledge for the People, on the basis of the latest edition of the German Conversations' Lexicon. It will be illustrated by wood engravings and maps, and will be completed in 80 monthly Parts, the first of which is before us, price fifteen cents. It contains 64 pages royal 8vo., good print and paper, with numerous woodcuts. The whole work will cost no more than $12. Its only drawback is that it will take nearly seven years to complete, while Appleton's *New American Encyclopædia* will be finished in two years. The two works will not and cannot clash.

The admirers of the Rev. Henry Ward Beecher may desire to know that two volumes from his pen have just been published by Derby & Jackson, of New York. The first of these, chiefly made up from his contributions to a weekly newspaper, bears the name of *New Star Papers; or Views and Experiences of Religious Subjects*. It is much inferior to Mr. Beecher's other "Star Papers," (published in 1855 and 1858,) inasmuch as they are chiefly didactic, argumentative, and controversial. Most of them are occasional diatribes, which should have perished with the occasion, and are not worth being thus preserved between book-covers. Mr. Beecher seems to think that every line which he speaks or writes is worthy of remembrance. The other book is very different and much better. It bears the name of *Plain and Pleasant Talk about Fruits, Flowers, and Farming*. It appears that it is more than twelve years since these pieces were commenced, and more than ten years since their author looked at them. Derby & Jackson have dug them out an Indiana paper, and, Mr. Beecher adds, they have gone through the press without his own revision. We suggest that, as an act of courtesy to the public, as well as of justice to himself, Mr. Beecher *ought* have revised them, if he consented to their being collected. But he is so occupied with newspaper-writing and preaching, itinerating as a lecturer and fulminating as a public speaker, that he had no time, we suppose, to look over and correct his juvenile effusions. Twenty years ago, at the age of twenty-six, Mr. Beecher settled at Indianapolis, the capital of Indiana. There he became fond of agriculture, horticulture, and botany, reading largely upon these subjects, and fascinated by the varieties of delightful information which their study revealed to him. Into an Indiana magazine, called *Western Farmer and Gardener*, he threw some of the results of the knowledge thus acquired. Very little of what he wrote is original. Mr. Beecher, who had no practical knowledge, culled information from books and newspapers, winnowed and condensed it, and recast it in a plain and practical form, such as is best suited to country readers in a Western State. The book has not any literary merit whatever, save that it is plain in its diction. Country people will find in it a good many things worth knowing, and a variety of facts with which they were already more familiar than Mr. Beecher himself ever has been, though, by the time he had reached the end of his tether, in the magazine, he must have written himself into a pretty extensive acquaintance with the subjects. There is nothing Beecherian in the book. It is simply an unpretending, homely, and common-sensical collection of paragraphs and short articles on farming and gardening.

The late Dr. John K. Mitchell, of this city, was a great loss to his profession, which he so greatly adorned. *Non omnis mortar*, however, is applicable to him. Five essays from his pen have been collected and edited by Dr. S. Weir Mitchell, and published as a book by J. B. Lippincott & Co. Four of these have already had publicity, either among the pupils in Jefferson Medical College of Philadelphia, in which the author was Professor of Practice, or in a leading periodical devoted to Medical Science. The fifth Essay, upon Animal Magnetism, or Vital Induction, is now first published. The great *practical* value of Dr. Mitchell's writings ought to warrant the collection of a great many papers not contained in this volume. His Essays, here, on the Fungous Origin of Fevers and the new treatment of Acute and Chronic Rheumatism, are of as much interest as value, and their ability, as mere compositions, is very decided.

Nearly quarter of a century ago, when American books were little known or cared for in England, [illegible] paper published some three thousand [illegible] this, a small book, published [illegible] New York entitled *Ancient Mineralogy*, written by Dr. N. F. Moore, Professor of the Greek and Latin languages, in Columbia College, N. Y. A second edition has just been published by Messrs. Harper, and we find, on reperusal, that the favorable opinion we formerly expressed was fully justified. The author has ransacked ancient history, antiquities, and poetry for all materials, and has put them well together into a most interesting and valuable work.

That inexhaustible author, G. P. R. James, now British Consul-General at Venice, has lately completed a new romance, called "The Cavalier," which is a continuation of "Lord Montagu's Page." It is a stirring story of the great Civil War in England, ending with the death of Cromwell, and the elevation of the hero (the Page of the other romance) to the pleasure of marriage and the dignity of a peerage. Cromwell is introduced very prominently in the story, and figures favorably. On the whole, a very good novel.

A very pleasing little volume, the extended circulation of which we hope to hear of, has just been published by James Challen and Son. It is called *Six Soundings*, and is written by Rev. J. D. Ripley, Pastor of the Mariner's Church in this city. In the exercise of his clerical calling, Mr. Ripley obtained a great many interesting facts and anecdotes from sailors, which he has ingeniously woven into half a dozen brief practical discourses which are calculated to interest young people very much.

W. H. Boyd, of New York, has brought out two New Jersey Business Directories, one for Trenton city, and Mercer and Burlington counties; the other for Essex, Hudson, and Union counties. No doubt they will be found useful, for Mr. Boyd has a great reputation for accuracy.

A revised edition, by Professor Shedd, of Dr. Theremin's *Eloquence is a Virtue; or Outlines of a Systematic Rhetoric*, has been issued by W. F. Draper, of Andover, Massachusetts. It is too philosophical and abstruse for nineteen-twentieths of ordinary students and readers. This is a too frequent defect in German speculations.

The May number of the *North British Review* (republished by L. Scott, New York, and in this city by W. B. Zieber) is unusually good. The best article, upon the public services of Lord Brougham, is a biography worthy of the subject. Masson's "Milton and his Times," the poems of Miss Procter and "Owen Meredith," the relations between George III and Charles James Fox, Spiritualism; Birds, the Life of Douglas Jerrold, the Newspaper Press, and Hamilton's Lectures, are the subjects of other papers of interest and information.

Charles Desilver, Chestnut street, has just published, in one large sheet, a series of maps of the Seat of War, including Sardinia, the Austrian Empire, Italy, and Europe. A great deal of statistical information is added, with portraits (not very good likenesses) of the principal monarchs immediately interested in the War.

BOOKS RECEIVED.

Sloan's Constructive Architecture; a Guide to the Practical Builder and Mechanic. With 66 carefully prepared plates. By Samuel Sloan, Architect. 1 vol. 4to. pp. 148. Philadelphia: J. B. Lippincott & Co. [A very useful work, superbly got up, which we shall notice more fully.]

The New American Cyclopædia. A Popular Dictionary of General Knowledge. Edited by George Ripley and Charles A. Dana. Vol. VI. (Cough-Education.) Royal 8vo. pp. 779. New York: D. Appleton & Co.; Philadelphia: J. McFarlan, Arcade Hotel.

The Ladies' Hand Book of Fancy and Ornamental Work. Illustrated by 262 engravings. Compiled from the best authorities, by Miss Florence Hartley. pp. 240. Philadelphia: G. G. Evans [This is the most complete and satisfactory book on fancy and ornamental work we have yet seen, and the ladies, young and old, who employ their odd moments in such a make-believe of industry, will find hundreds of novelties in its pages.]

Lectures on the First Two Visions of the Book of Daniel. By William Newton, Rector of the Church of the Holy Trinity, West Chester, Pennsylvania. Pp. 260. Philadelphia: W. S. & A. Martien. [Mr. Newton, a zealous parochial clergyman, here attempts, with much earnestness and no small ability and ingenuity, to elucidate the hidden mystery of mysterious passages in the book of Daniel. He thinks, with many preceding authors, that Papal Rome was clearly indicated by the Prophet.]

The Great Concern; or Man's Relation to God and a Future State. By Nehemiah Adams, D. D. Boston, pp. 235. Boston: Gould & Lincoln. Philadelphia: Smith, English, & Co.

Eschatology; or, the Scriptural Doctrine of the Lord, the Judgment, and the Resurrection. 12mo pp. 267. Boston: J. E. Tilton & Co. Philadelphia: W. S. & A. Martien.

Old South Chapel Prayer Meeting: its origin and history. 18mo. pp. 199. Boston: J. E. Tilton. Philadelphia: Smith, English, & Co.

Catharine. By the Author of "Agnes and The Little Key." 12mo. pp. 192. Same publishers.

Romanism in America. By the Rev. Rufus W. Clark. 12mo. pp. 271. Same publishers.

[These various publications, by Messrs. Tilton & Co., of Boston, are of a religious cast, except one which is controversial. They are worthy of extended circulation, particularly in families.]

The Angel of the Iceberg; and other Stories. By John Todd. 12mo. pp. 374. Northampton, Mass: Bridgman & Childs. Philadelphia: E. H. Butler & Co.

Tighe Lyfford. A Novel. Pp. 270. New York: John Miller. Philadelphia: J. B. Lippincott & Co. [This is a story, apparently by a new hand, which exhibits considerable observation, some talent, and no small constructive power.]

Epitome of the American Eclectic Practice of Medicine, &c. By William Paine, M. D. Pp. 716, octavo. Philadelphia: John Gladding. [We are reminded, in this book, of Buchen's Domestic Medicine, but it is more scientific and rational, as well as considerably less allopathic.]

A Bachelor's Story. By Oliver Bunce. Pp. 247. New York: Rudd & Carleton. Philadelphia: Lippincott & Co. [A romance of real life, written by a man whose mind tends to thought rather than to action. It is worth reading, though the plot has few incidents.]

The Night-Vision, a Poem. By Joseph Kennedy. Philadelphia: Published by the author.

Mothers of the Bible. By Mrs. S. G. Ashton. With an Introductory Essay by Rev. A. L. Stone. 12mo, pp. 335. Same publishers.

The Pasha Papers. Epistles of Mohammed Pashá, Rear-Admiral of the Turkish navy, written from New York to his friend Abel Ben-Hassan. 12mo., pp. 312. New York: Charles Scribner.

The Monastery. By Sir Walter Scott. [Peterson's twenty-five-cent edition of the Waverley Novels.] Royal 8vo., pp. 121. Philadelphia: T. B. Peterson & Brothers.

Poems. By Anne Whitney. 12mo., pp. 191. New York: D. Appleton & Co. Philadelphia: Petersons. [These poems remind us of Miss Proctor's. The least ambitious among them, such as "The Prospect," are the most successful. The Sonnets are so good as to make us wish that there were more of them.]

Memoirs of the Empress Catharine II. Written by Herself. With a Preface by A. Herzen. Translated from the French. 12mo., pp. 309. New York: Appleton & Co. Philadelphia: Peterson & Brothers.

Thoughts upon Educational Topics and Institutions. By George S. Boutwell. 12mo. pp. 365. Boston: Phillips, Sampson, & Co. [This volume, by a new author, contains observations upon Education and its kindred topics, which are practical as well as philosophical, and well worthy of being widely circulated and largely thought over.]

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We shall be greatly obliged to gentlemen in Pennsylvania, and other States, for contributions giving the current news of the day in their particular localities, the resources of the surrounding country, the increase of population, or any information that will be interesting to the general reader.

An Essay on Intuitive Morals, being an attempt to popularise Ethical Science. Part I. Theory of Morals. pp. 279. Boston: Crosby, Nichols, & Co. Philadelphia: Parry & McMillan.

Journal of the Franklin Institute, vol. 67, No. 402. June, 1859.

GENERAL NEWS.

LARGE FIRE IN NEW YORK.—One of the largest fires that have taken place in New York this year, occurred on Friday night last, in Rivington street. The fire took place on the rear portion of the topmost floor of the five-story brick building, numbers 125 and 127 Rivington street, occupied by John Faulkner, as a cabinet manufactory. The building is one hundred feet deep, and fifty feet wide, and stands between a six-story unoccupied tenement house, recently erected on Rivington street, and is flanked on the other side by brick dwelling houses numbers 115, 113, 111, 109, 107 Norfolk street. Number 105 Norfolk street is a chair manufactory and carpenter shop.

In a few minutes after the alarm had been sounded, the whole upper portion of Faulkner's place was wrapped in flames; and after about two hours' unceasing exertions of the firemen, the flames were subdued; but not before Faulkner's establishment was level with the ground. The steam engine received by Manhattan Engine Company, No. 8, last week, was at the fire within a few minutes after it broke out, and, in the minds of all disinterested persons, performed wonders. It was stationed on Norfolk street, near the back part of Faulkner's building; and it is said, but for the exertions of the steamer, some of the dwellings on Norfolk street would have been consumed. The total amount of the damage done by the fire is about $45,000.

THE ESCAPE OF THE BURGLAR JOHNSON FROM SING SING.—On the recent escape of the notorious burglar Chauncey Johnston from Sing Sing prison, the warden, William Beardsley, had the matter laid before the Westchester Grand Jury to have a boy named Patrick Riley, aged seventeen years, indicted for aiding in the escape. The Grand [illegible] had not nerve enough to stop it. They say he has been guilty of culpable dereliction of duty in allowing the boy to have free access to the convict under these circumstances, and exhibited too little nerve to fit him for the position he occupies. The jury present the case for the consideration of the court.

SINGULAR FREAK OF LIGHTNING—A MAN KILLED IN BED.—A terrific thunder storm visited London, Canada West, on the night of the 2d instant, during which a youth named William Peddie was killed by the electric fluid while in bed. An examination of the body showed that the electric fluid struck the leg just above the right ankle, traversed the body, and entered the head about the region of the ear, and apparently passed [illegible] No expression of suffering could be discovered in the face of the unfortunate youth, and there can be no doubt that his death was instantaneous. [illegible]

A FROG IN THE STOMACH.—[illegible] *Post, June 11.*

Mr. Dempster declined to pay a $10 license in Detroit, Mich., the other day, for the privilege of giving a concert, and [illegible] ing him and showing their zeal in the cause. By unanimous request, he then went on and finished the concert.

THE ARMY WORM.—The Chattanooga (Ala.) *Gazette* says: We regret to learn that this destructive plague has already made its appearance in this county, and is making sad havoc in the wheat fields and meadows. We are informed of its appearance on several farms in the wheat fields, entirely stripping the stalks and destroying the crops. Some fine meadows have been mowed down close to the ground, scarcely leaving a sign that grass had grown on the land. The little destroyers are increasing in numbers and migrating from farm to farm.

A SAVAGE FIGHT occurred in one of the Twenty-fourth-street stables, New York, on Friday morning last, between two of the employees—a class so remarkable for their pugilistic qualities. One of them in the dog-like fight bit the lower lip off the other, and dislocated his left shoulder. Dr. Walsh made an artificial lip on the fellow, and reduced the luxation. He will have to keep his mouth shut and his hand quiet for some time. The unfortunate wretch rejoiced under all his pain at the punishment he gave the other.

NARROW ESCAPE.—A man was put in the lock-up at Boston, last Friday, on suspicion of being concerned in breaking into a house at Abington, Mass. Feeling lonesome in the lockup, as he says, he attempted to escape by crawling through the ventilator over the door of the cell. He got his head through, but could go no further, and the officer who carried him his dinner, found him hanging there, and nearly exhausted. It is probable that he would have died had he not been so opportunely relieved.

STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.—On Friday last a fine colt, four years old, owned by Mr. William Merrill, of Vassalborough, was killed in his pasture by lightning. It has been said that lightning never breaks the flesh. This case explodes that theory, as the lightning struck this colt back of the shoulders and made a passage through the animal, body, lungs, and heart, large enough to admit a man's fist. On being struck he made a desperate leap of about fifteen feet, and fell dead and rigid.

A CLERGYMAN, one of the Illinois delegates to the Synod of the United Presbyterian Church, at Xenia, Ill., was robbed on the cars of about $130 about the time the train was starting; $100 of the money had been contributed by members of the Synod for the relief of a poor and afflicted brother minister in Illinois, and the remaining $30 was his own money, on which he depended to take him home. The money was in a wallet which he had carelessly placed in a side-pocket of his coat.

DANGER.—The day after the late conflagration in Salem, Mass., a fireman having performed the dangerous feat of attaching a rope to the high, shaky walls of the "Mansion House," on being complimented for the action, and asked if he did not fear the danger, replied: "Danger! there's not half so much danger in that as there is in a pint of *rot-gut*." There had been a liberal flow of this "perilous stuff" the night previous with sickening results.

DEATH FROM A SINGULAR CAUSE.—A few days since a German, who is only known by the name of "Stephe," while engaged at Hudson City, N. J., in dressing a cow which had died from disease, accidentally cut his arm with a knife which he was using. His arm shortly after became inflamed, and, growing gradually worse, finally resulted in his death on Thursday. An inquest was held, and the jury rendered a verdict in accordance with the above facts.

RATHER SINGULAR.—The way the body of the railroad conductor, drowned in Shrewsbury (Vt.) pond, some days ago, was found was thus: Some quicksilver was put in a loaf of brown bread, and the latter placed in the water; immediately it started off like a live animal, against a strong current of wind and waves, and went as fast as some men who followed it could row a boat, till it came to where the body was found, which was sixty feet under water, and there stopped!

THE RACE for the championship of the Yale Navy, between the Varuna, light six-oared boat, and the Olympia, a heavy eight-oared boat, was won by the Varuna, who held the flag before, having won it last year. Distance three miles; time of the Varuna, 22 min. 6 sec., of the Olympia 22 min. 30 sec. The race was an exciting one, and witnessed by a large crowd.

THE finest steamboat in the world is said to be the "Commonwealth," of the Norwich and Worcester line from New York to Boston and White Mountain. Her main saloon contains two hundred superb state-rooms, and her cabins are fitted with sleeping accommodations for twelve hundred passengers.

A LONG BRIDAL TOUR.—A happy couple have just returned to Falmouth, Mass., from their wedding trip, which was a whaling voyage that lasted five years. During their absence the wife gave birth to two babes, one of which was a child of four years when it reached home.

SHOOTING IN THE UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA.—An affray took place lately in the University of Virginia, between two of the students, and one of them, I. M. Bentley, was seriously, if not fatally, wounded by a pistol. The quarrel grew out of a medal awarded by the Columbian Society.

TWO PIGEON-SHOOTING MATCHES, between Duncan and King, came off in Louisville, Ky., on Tuesday. Mr. King won the first match, for one hundred dollars, at fifteen single birds—and Mr. Dungan the second, for two hundred dollars, at thirty pairs of birds.

THOMAS W. LILLY, of Olney, Ill., who kept $3,000 locked in his bureau drawer, and foolishly boasted of his wealth, was robbed of all his treasure on Sunday night week.

ACORNS, it is said, according to present appearances, this year will be unusually plenty. Pork-growers and dealers should calculate accordingly.

The *Savannah (Ga.) Republican* says that it received a box of ripe peaches from Henry W. Jones, of Burke county, gathered on the 3d inst.