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- B. C. WICKHAM. Tioga, Tioga Co., Pa.-March 9, '64-3m*

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FLOUR AND FEED STORE. WRIGHT & BAILEN

HAVE-had their mill thoroughly repaired and are receiving fresh ground fichr, feed, meal, Ac., every day at their store in tov a: 3 Cash paid for all kinds of grain. WRIGHT & 3AILEY. Wellsboro, April 29, 1863.

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WELLSBORO, TIOGA COUNTY, PA., WEDNESDAY MORNING, MAY 11, 1861.

TREES! TREES! FOR SALE. Select Poetry.

MARS AND MAY. SUMMER VARIETY .- Early Harvest, Red As-

Closer to the western window, fling the shutters oper trachan, Early Strawberry, Juneting, Early Sweet Bough, Early White, Jenkens' Pippen, Golden Sweet. AUTUMN VARIETY.—Autumn Bongh, Gravenwide; Let me look upon the glory of this April eventide; All its radiance is prophetic of the queenly, winsome Auforsta Valifier 1. --Aufumn Bongn, Graven-stein, Porter, Aufumn Strawberry, Huwley or Dowse, Pear, Henry, Prince, Canada Snow, Jersey Sweet, Stoddard, Fall Pippen, Maumoth Pippen, Rambo, Fall Juneting, Neutral, Thomas Wolls. WINTER VALUETY.--Beldwin, Fay's Russett, Mny, Tripping, with the circling seasons, through the golden

gates of Day, With the changeful bues of April ling'ring on her garments' hem,-And the dewy April flow'rs woven for her diadem ; Northern Spy, Boston Russett, Golden Russett, Payne Sweeting, Bottle Green. Sweet Pearmain, Peck's Plea-

But she may not come to-morrow as a lustrum since she came, When our borders were with byacinth and crocus all

Danver's Sweet, Tompkin's County King, Esopus Spitzenburg, Wagoner. Lady's Sweet, Yellow Bell-flower, Dutch Mignonne, Newtown Pippen, Ladies' Into youth and maid appearing as the rosy dawn of love love, Wedding all the greening highlands to the purpling

ton, Henry Fourth, Louise Bonne de Jersey. Maria Heralded by thufdcring cannon, bugle-blast and roll-

ing drum ! While the solid earth is shaken by the tramp of gath-

Urbaniste, Woodstock, Vergalieu, Washington. *WINTER VARIETY*.-Glout Morceau, Passe Colmar, Winter Wadden, Lawrence, Vicar of Wink-our coasts,

our coasts, While young love and gray devotion hand in hand sit at the gate,

P'HIDDS, Price 50 cfs.
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Plum, Green Gage, Imperial Gage, Jeffcrson, Law rence Favorite, Lumbard, Magnum Bonum, Princes
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While, three every town and vinage, tamor treats of rumor's heel, Piercing hearts of wives and mothers like the thrust of mardcrous steel---Opening, with its reckless babble, ghastly heart-

Peraches, Price 18 ets. Bergen Yellow, Melocoton, Crawlord's Early, Early York, Red Rare Ripe, Sweet Water, Geo. the Fourth, wounds scarcely healed-These are victors, those are vanquished-many per-

ished on the field !" Not as then the sweet May cometh, but with flow'rs

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'ning and their birth; Flowers which bloom on fields all trampled with the

iron heet of war, Where our brothers died for Freedom or received her signet scar ! -

Not as then the sweet Mny cometh, with her olive

branch and vine, But with flashing brand of battle dropping down with crimson wine.

Still-bowe'er the dust of conflict like a pall enwrap

the land; Though, where erst the wood was greenest, glean the bayonet and the brand; Though our eretime silvery rivers roll encrimsoned to

the sea ; Though some mighty, hungering sorrow waiting or

our thresholds, be Still above us, grandly arching. hang the summer tinted skies.

And the morning mists are melting in a sea of gorgeous dyes! Fragrant blooms, that promise fruitage, are unfolding

WHOLESALE from the bud, While our land receives its baptism of commingled fire and blood ! DRUG STORE.

Sun, and moon, and rain, are constant, seed-time cometh as of old, And the harvest's small beginnings scam and fleck the Prince's Metalle Paint. Pfizer & Co's Chemicals Thaddeus David's Inks. Finid Extracts. quickened mould; Concentrated Medicines, Rochester Perfumery and Signs of promise, rainbow-promise, greet the vision rywhere Flavoring Extracts, Cincinnati Wines and Sup, and rain, and earth, are constant--GoD 18 CON-

which he had previously written, "From St. | instantly admitted and shown into the drawing Valentine," and placed the whole in an envelroom, suitably furnished. He did not have to wait long. An elegantly

dressed lady, scarcely thirty, entered, and bow as much as yours, and I venture to say will be ing, said, . ' You do not remember me, Mr. Wilbur ?'

"You are right. I wish I had not bought "No, madam," said he, in perplexity. this costly triffe. However, as it is purchased "We will waive that, then, and proceed to business. How has your house borne the crisis The next day dawned clear and frosty. It in which so many of our large firms have gone down ?" 📑 John Wilbur smiled bitterly,

"We have struggled successfully till to-day, be answered. "But the end has come. Unless we can raise a certain sum of money by two, young girl, pale and thin. She was cowering we are ruined."

"What sum will save you ?" was the lady" question.

"The note due is two thsusand dollars. Towards this we have but three hundred and seventy-five."

"Excuse me a moment," said his hostess.-She left the room, but quickly returned. "There," said she, handing a small strip of

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naper to John Wilbur, "is my check for two bousend dollars. You can repay it at your convenience. If you should require more, come to me again."

"Madam, you have saved us," exclaimed Wilbur, springing to his feet in delight. "What can have inspired in you such a benevolent interest in our prosperity ?"

"" Do you remember, Mr. Wilbur," said the lady, "a certain valentine containing a ten dollar note, which you sent a young girl occupying an attic room in your lodging house, eight years since ?"

"I do, distinctly. I have often wondered what became of the young girl. I think her "A letter for me !" repeated Hellen Morris, name was Helen Morris."

"She stands before you," was the quiet response." "You, Helen Morris !" exclaimed Wilbur,

"May be it's a valentine, Miss," said the starting back in amazement. "You, surroungirl, laughing. "You know this is Valentine's ded with luxury ?' day. More by token, I've got two this morn-

ing. One's a karakter, (caricature,) so mistress "No wonder you are surprised. Life has strange contrasts. The money which you sent Bridget displayed a highly embellished pic- me seemed to come from God. I was on the torial representation of a female hard at work brink of despair. With it I put my wardrobe in repair, and made application for the post of companion to a wealthy lady. I fortunately at the wash tub, the cast of beauty decidedly Helen laughed absently, but did not open her obtained it. I had been with her but two years, letter while Bridget remained-a little to the when a gentleman in her circle, immensely wealthy, offered me his hand in marriage. -Helen slowly opened the envelope. A bank estcemed him. He was satisfied with that. I married him. A few years since he died, leavnote for ten dollars dropped from it to the floor. ing me this house and an immense fortune. I She eagerly read the few words on the paper have never forgotten you, having accidentally learned that my timely succor came from you. I resolved, if fortune ever put it in my power, hands gratefully. "This sum will enable me would befriend you as you, befriended me.,. That time has come. I have paid the first in-stallment of my debt. Helen Eastace remem-bers the obligations of Helen Morris." John Wilbur advanced and respectfully took Eight years passed away. Eight years with their lights and shadows. They brought with them the merry voices of children they also brought with them new made graves,-happi-

her hand. "You have notily repaid me," he said. "Will you also award me the privilege of occasionally calling upon you?"

"I shall be most happy," said Mrs. Eustace, cordially.

and added to our load forty rounds of ammunition, we resumed our journey. After a march of fifteen miles we arrived at. and encamped near Fairfax Court House, a fair specimen of Virginia desolation. The buildings are as few as they are dilapidated and rudely constructed, and principally occupied by sotlers and venders of soldiers' necessaries generally. Next morning found us again on our way westward. Eighteen miles of good marching brought us to Bristow Station, on the Virginia Control railroad. After leaving the heights near Alexandria, the face of the country through which we passed was beautiful, level or gently undulating, and admirably adap= ted to agriculture. On our first day's march from Alexandria, an occasional symptom of improvement was visible, where partially successful attempts to repair the ravages of war had been made by proprietors of plantations. But from Fairfax Court House to this place, including the vicinity of Bull Run, (which stream we forded at 1 P. M.,) and Manassas Junction; a vast desolated plain, thickly dotted with deserted fortifications and the debris of the terrible carnage which has there been enacted, and scarcely a dwelling or fence to indicate the mark of civilization, meets the eye of the traveler. On arriving here we found the Pennsylvania Reserve corps, guarding the railroad.---Since then they have been relieved, and gone towards the front of the Army of the Potomac. We are, temporarily at least, to fill their place. Trains, laden with soldiers and provisions for the army, are constantly passing to and returning from the front; and as guerrillas are constantly prowling about these parts, seeking an opportunity to do mischief, our duty is far from trivial; and you may not be surprised if you hear of some of us being "gobbled" some of these fine mornings. Gen. Burnside commands the 9th corps in person; and with such Generals as Parke, Willcox, Ferrero and Crittenden for division commanders, we enter the field under favorable auspices of future usefulness in the coming campaign. We have one division of colored troops in the corps, under command of Brigadier General Ferrero: Maj. General Parke commands our division, the 2d. Our brigade, consisting of the 48th and 45th Pennsylvania, 36th and 35th Mass., 51st N. Y.; and 7th R. I. regiments, is commanded by the able Brig. Gen. Potter, formerly commander of

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Letters from the army.

From the 45th Pennsylvania Regiment.

NEAR BARSTOW STATION, VA.,] April 30, 1864.

Friend Agitator :- The events of the past few days having furnished material for a letter; which may prove interesting to your readers, I improve the opportunity offered by a few hours of rest, to give, briefly, a history of our movements since leaving Annapolis. On the 22nd instant, the peaceful monotony of our . camp was broken by the reception of marching orders. At 4 o'clock on the morning of the 23d; we were awakened from a sound slumber, by the familiar sound of the bugle and drum.-Soon the hurried tramp of horses and men, and other notes of busy preparation, drowned all else, until 7 A. M., when, having turned over to the Quartermaster our A tents, and drawn instead the more portable but less convenient shelter tent, and fortified our haversacks with three days' rations, we formed in line; and waited patiently the order to march.

At 91 o'clock the head of the column began to move, on the road to Washington; and amid strains of martial music and flying banners; the 9th corps bid adieu to Annapolis and vicinity. We had scarcely got out of sight of our camp, before overcoats, blankets, and almost every description of clothing, began to be thrown away. The road was, in places, literally carpeted with the best of soldier's clothing, principally from the knapsacks of the nninitiated, who had as yet to learn how to regu-

late their amount of baggage. After two days of good marching, we arrived at Bladensburg, five miles from Washington; at 12 M., on the 25th. During the afternoon; our column, at least six miles long, marched through Washington, and was reviewed by the President, who, in company with Gen. Burnside and Gov. Cartin, stood on the balcony of Willard's Hotel.

As we passed, each company gave three rou-sing cheers, to which "Old Abe," looking rather pale and careworn; but calm and serene as a priest, responded, by gracefully raising his hat. Our reception at Washington was all that could have been desired, and reflects credit on the citizens of our Capital. Water and provisions were freely distributed to the soldiers, so far as our hurried march through the city would permit; while the national flag flitted to the breeze from nearly every window.

Crossing the long bridge at four P. M., and marching about four miles on "sacred soil;" we pitched our tents near Alexandria.

Too much has been said and written about the fortifications of Washington; to need further comments, and I will simply affirm that one's confidence in the security of our national capital is not at all diminished by a view of the chain of forts which crown the heights around the city, from all of which fleats our flag, in proud defiance to all traitors. Laying in camp on the 26th, at 101 A. M.

on the 27th, having re furnished our haversacks;

[From the Washington Chronicle.] "There," said he, "my valentine has cost as welcome." I will send it."

> was lively enough for those who sat by comfortable fires and dined at luxurious tables-but for the poor who shared none of these advantages it was indeed a bitter day. In an attic room, meanly furnished, sat a

over a scanty wood fire, the Lest she could afford, which heated the room very insufficiently.

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Summer, Summer Frank Real, Tyson.
AUTUMN VARIETY.—Beurre Bose, Beurre Di-
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el, Reure, Flemish Beauty. Fon Dante de Automne. Ful-Wedding all the greening highlands to the purpling
swabove;
Fow the sharp and swift bereavēments which their
wintry shadows flung
On our hearths and pleasant places, giving every pang
a torgue:
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her more than once in her discomfort, "is it worth while living any longer?". But she recoiled from the sin of suicide. She might

starve to death, but she would not take the life that God had given her. Plunged in gloomy thoughts, she continued

to work. All at once a step was heard ascending the staircase which led to her door. She arose in some surprise and opened it, thinking

it must be the landlady or one of the servants. She was right. It was a servant.

"Here's a letter for you that the post boy just brought. Miss Morris."

'Who can have written to me?"

disappointment of that curious damsel.

"Heaven be praised !" she said; folding her

Toward the last they brought the great com-

mercial crisis of '57, when houses that seemed

built upon a rock tottered all at once to their

to carry out the plan which I had in view."

calls it. Just look at it."

-" From St. Valentine I"

ness to some, and grief to others.

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in surprise, taking it from the servant's hand.

I WOULD inform Dealers in Agricultarsi, Implé-ments, that I have Horse Rakes of the clost ap-proved styles and superior quality. Albo, Hand Rakes of a better quality than any man is intured in this section, which I will furnish in any functity de-sired, to dealers in the counties of Tieg. For afford, and Lyconing. D. R. FOUD. Mainsburg, Nov. 18, 1862-9mce.⁵

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THE undersigned will promptly prosecute all claims against the Government for prefices ren-dered in the Military or Naval Service of the United States. Charges reasonable-will advance the legal necessary fees if desired. No charge if nut success-ful in the application. D. McNAUCHTON. References : Hon. Victor Case, I. W. Bilsowe, Examining Surgeon at Knoxville, Pa., B. B. Strang, Clymer, Pa., F. Strang, Heeter, Pa., S. H. Beebe, Harrison, Pa Westfield, Jan. 11, 1861.-6mos=

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Students for the round, contrast cal Department, are solicited. For particulars, address Rev. W. D. T (196)B, Mans-field, Tioga County Penna. Send for a C Jeular. W. CC JIBAN, W. CC JIBAN,

President of the Board & Trustces WM. HOLLAND, Secretary. . Mansfield, August 5, 1863.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, Office of Comptroller of the Urrency,

WASHINGTON, MAR-H \$1, 1864.

WASHINGTON, MAR-A 31, 1864. WILEREAS, by satisfactory evide 6 presented to the undersigned, it has been die to appear that THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK, of Wilshorough, in the county of Troga, and State of 90 revivanna, has been duly organized under and act of for sylvanna, has been duly organized under and act of for sylvanna, has been duly organized under and act of for sylvanna, has been duly organized under and act of the requirements of the act of Congress, enj 47, 37 An act-to provide a national currency, scoured 27 is pledge of United States stocks, and to provide for the circula-tion and redemption thereof, 7 approved Fubruary 25, 1863, and has complied with all the provisions of said hat required to be complied with before Spanneneing

The required to be complied with the first parametering the basiness of banking: NOW, THEREFORE, I, HUGH MICCULLOCH, Comproller of the Currency, do herely certify that the FIRST NATIONAL BANK, of Wellsbridge, county of Tioga, and State of Pennsylvania, it wathorized to commence the business of banking in ler the act Cluresaid.

In testimony whercof, witness my hand and seal of Compireller of the Gurrency, Mar30 64-91

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NOTICE.

Joseph R. Ingersoll and others, trustees of In the Court of Common the estate which was Pleas of Tinga County, State of William Bingham of Pennsylvania, of Septemdeceased, ber 1861, No. 282.

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Edwin Inscho et al.) Ejectment for a tract of land in Deerfield township, county aforesaid, containing thirty-three and five-tenths of an acre or thereabouts, bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at the south-east corner of lot No. S in the allotment of the Nie-Leon to allot

fourths of a degree east eighty perches, east to perches and north-twenty four perches to the north-east corner of said lot No. 8; thence south seventy-nize degrees east fifty perches and four-terbis of a perch to the north west corner of lot No. 10; thence along the west line of said lot south one degree west north-cust corner of lot No. 7; thence along the north for the data for the of the two r; thence along the born line of this data west fifty nine perches and two-tenths of a perch to the place of beginning—it being lot No. 9 of the allotment of the Bingham lands in Deerfield township aforessid, and part of warrant numbered 2029 in the name of Thomas M. Willing.

And now, to wit, January 25, 1864, rule on John Ward and Eliza his wife, and Benoni Watkins and Mary Ann, his wife, to appear and plead, by the first, day of next term.

TIOGA COUNTY, SS:

I. John F. Donnidson, Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas of said county, do certify the above of Collision Pleas of shift county, to certify the above to be a true copy of a rule entered in the foregoing entitled suit. In testimony whercof I have hereunto $\left\{ \begin{array}{c} \textbf{L}. \ S. \end{array} \right\}$ set my hand and affixed my seal of office the 1st day of February, 1864, J. F. DONALDSON, Proth'y, February 10, 1864,

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STANT !--- wby despair ? One event to men and nations happeneth, or soon or Each amid great tribulation enters Wisdom's outer gate; And the soul that hath not suffered hath not reached its best estute. And for this the sweet May cometh, hand in hand with Bery Mars, And the blush of love is blended with the crimson of his scars. M. H. COBB.

Washington, April 26, 1864.

Sclect Story.

WHAT CAME OF A VALENTINE.

On the evening of the 13th of February. 1850, two young men sat in a comfortably furnished room in a large New York boarding THIS BRANDY has been analyzed by the Medi- house. A bright fire glowed in the grate, well chosen engravings adorned the walls, and a bright light was diffused about the room from

Let me introduce the occupants of the apartment as Tom Stancy and John Wilbur, young THIS WINE has all the properties of Dry Sherry men of twenty-five, or thereahouts, who were known in business circles as Stancy & Wilbur, | golden rule for the time being. retail dry goods dealers, No. -. Broadway.-They had taken apartments together, one of due on the 14th of February. which is now presented to the reader.

"Has it occurred to you, Wilbur," asked his partner, removing his cigar and knocking away the ashes, " to-morrow is St. Vulentine's day ?"

"Yes,'I thought of it this afternoon, as I

"So did I, and to some purpose, too, as I will show you." Tom Stancy went to a drawer and drew out gorgeous valentine, an elaborate combination of hearts, doves, &c.

"What do you think I gave for that?" he asked. "I do'nt know, I'm sure. It appears to be

very elegant."

" It cost me ten dollars."

"Whew !" whietled Wilbur. "It strikes me you are either very extravagant or very de. | but in sight of it they must go down. Int No. 8 in the allotment of the Dingham lands in Deerfield township aforesaid, conveyed to Caleb B. Smith; thence along lines of said lot north three-sive?" voted. May I know what fair damsel is to be sive ?'

"That's my secret," said Tom, laughing .-"I don't mind telling you, however. It's to go to Edith Castleton."

"I presume you feel particularly interested in the young lady." "Not at all. But I told her I would send thing to his great advantage."

her a valentine, et la vila ! Sha'nt you conform to the custom of other days?" "I had not thought of it," said Wilbur, think ?"

thoughtfully, "but I believe I will." "And what fair lady will you select as the

recipient?" "You remember the poor seamstress who oc-

cupies the attic in the house ?" "Yes, I have met her on the stairs two or three times."

"She looks as if times were hard with her. I think I will send her a valentine." "And what good do you think it will do her ?" asked Stancy in surprise.

"Wilbur went to the desk, and taking out a Avenue. sheet of note paper, drew from his portemon-

fail. Do not many remember that time all too well, when merchants, with anxious faces, ran from one to another to solicit help, and met only averted faces and distrustful looks? And how was it in that time of universal failure with our friends-Stancy & Wilbur?

phere of operations, and were rapidly growing rich when the crash came. They immediately took in sail. Both were prudent, and both felt that this was the time

when this quality was urgently needed. By great efforts they had succeeded in keeping up till the 14th of February, 1858. On that morning a note of two thousand dollars

surmounted, they would be able to go on with assured confidence. But, alas 1 this was the rock of which they had most apprehension. They had taxed their resources to the utmost. They had called upon

their friends, but their friends were employed in taking care of themselves, and the selfish policy was the one required then. "Look out for number one," superseded the

As I have said, two thousand dollars were "How much have you got towards it ?" asked

Wilbur, as Stancy came in at half-past eleven.

"Three hundred and seventy dollars," was the dispirited reply. "Was that all you could raise ?" enquired his partner, turning pale. "All."

"Are you sure you thought of everybody ?" "I have been everywhere. - I'm fagged to. death," was the weary reply of Stancy, as he sank exhausted into a chair.

"Then the crash must come," said Wilbur with a gloomy resignation.

"I suppose it must." There was a silence. Neither, felt inclined to say anything. For six months they had been struggling with the tide. They could see shore,

At this moment a note was brought in by a boy. There was no postmark. Evidently he was a special messenger.

It was opened at once by Mr. Wilbur, to whom it was directed. It contained these few words only : "If Mr. John Wilbur will call immediately at No. ---, Fifth Avenue, he will learn some-

John Wilbur read it with surprise, and passed it to his partner. "What does it mean do you

"I do'nt know," was the reply, " but I advise you to go at once." "It seems to be a feminine handwriting,"

said Wilbur, thoughtfully. Avenue ?"

will be a refreshing variety."

horse car, and was on his way to No. -, Fifth fused to accept anything for his humane act.

John Wilbur took a hurried leave, and returned to his store as the clock struck one. He showed his delighted partner the? check which he had just received. " I hav'nt time to explain," he said, " this must at once be cashed." Two o'clock came, and the firm was saved-Up to 1857 they had been doing an excellent saved from their last peril. 'IIenceforth they business. They had gradually enlarged the met with nothing but prosperous gales.

What more? Helen Eustace has again changed her, name. She is now Helen Wilbur, and her husband now lives at No. ---, Fifth Avenue. And all this came of a valentine.

-----THE CLERICAL KISS .- Dominie Brown had reached the mature age of forty five without came due. This was their last peril. That ever having taken part in this pleasant labial exercise. One of the Deacons had a very charming daughter, and for a year or two the Dominie, found it very pleasant to call .. npon her three or four times a week. In fact, the neighbors said he was courting her, and very likely he was, though he had not the remotest suspicion of it himself. One Monday evening he was sitting as usual by her, when a sudden idea popped into his head.

"Miss Mary," said he, "I've known you for a long time, and I never thought of it before; but now I would like you to give me a kiss. Will you ?"

"Well, Mr. Brown," replied she, arching her lips, " If you think it would not be wrong, I have no objection."

"Let us ask a blessing first," said the good man closing his eyes and folding his hands, For what we are about to receive the Lord make us 'thankful." The chaste salute was then given and warmly returned.

"Oh, Mary that was good !" cried the Dominie, electrified by a new sensation, "Let us have another and then return thanks."

Mary did not refuse, and when the operation had been repeated, the Dominie ejaculated in a transport of joy : " For the creature comforie which we have now enjoyed, the Lord be praised; and may they be sanctified to our temporal and eternal good."

History says that the ferrent petition of the honest Domine was soon duly answered; for in less than a month Mary became Mrs. Brown.

A FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLAR REWARD .---- In 1858, a gentleman, walking on the outer end of Meigg's wharf, had his hat blown off his head by a summer afternoon gust of wind, and, in trying to catch it before it went overboard, he tripped on the planking and tumbled head foremost into the waters of the bay. The tide was running a strong flood at the time, and, as he came up to the surface, Special Officer Van Ness, who happened to be od the dock at the time, and teeing the man was in danger of drowningnot being a swimmer-plunged in after him "Yes, do'nt you know any lady on Fifth nd rescued him from death. This was not accomplished without great danger to the offi-"Well, it is worth noticing. We have met eer, but both men succeeded in being landed with so little to our advantage lately, that, it on the dock. The rescued man gave his name as Charles Bernard Egerson, and offered to In five minutes John Wilbur jumped into a handsomely reward him, but Mr. Van Ness re-

A short time since Mr. Egerson died in Liver-He walked up to the door of a magnifiant | pool, and left Officer Van Nessia legacy of off. PUTTY & WINDOW GLASS at sheet of note paper, drew from his portemon-ROY'S DRUG STORE, neie a ten dollar bill, wrapped it in a paper on brown stone house, and rang the bell: He was 000. Alta Californian.

the 2nd division of this corps. Nature is once more smiling, under the influence of spring. Trees, and vegetation generally, are being clothed in their wonted loveliness and beauty, as the green leaves, buds and blossoms spring into life, under the invigorating effect of April showers. Grass is growing finely. The weather for the last few days has been quite cool and bracing: This evening it is raining quietly.

The boys are in remarkably good health and spirits. The mail comes regularly from Washington. Those desiring to write to friends, in this regiment, will direct, 441st brigade, 2nd division, 9th army corps, via Washington, D. C." For the present I remain

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VETERAN.

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Respectfully yours;

clir to the heart.