

geutleman. has a charming musical sound. By Jove ! walls chasing flies. Why does not the another knock! "Walk in." May I be lizard fall ?" Wholosome sentiment is like rain which makes the fields of daily life fresh and oshould it isn't A.; another fourteen doll ar "Because it does not. I cannot think debtor. Oh, it cannot be possible that he of any other reason," answered the little dorous.

"No man can do anything against his is going to pay. Yes he is ! By the beard girl.

Bothey Bay, an' faith, I know it was great-begin to blame you for it. I determined keeps the lizard and fly from tumbling off

The Poet's Choice. "Standing now before thee, Colin,

the most curious pieces of composition to be found on record.

prised together, makes an excellent piece of poetry, which is to be read across all

the columns, and makes as many lines as letters in the alphabet. It is perhaps one

friend writes us a letter from Washington, which had not been in the previous battle. from which we take the following account

forekept my post, and had the satisfaction

heavy fire of the enemy's artillery and to see the enemy's hast effort repuised." musketry. 'l'o retreat was equally hazard-The crisis of the ongagement was the ous; for there is always, in such a case moment when the enemy's battery, which the probability of confusion, and, at this from its position commanded the field of GEN. SCOTT IN PRIVATE LIFE.--- A reserve, then supposed to be coming up, and Prise above the state of the state of the supposed to be coming up, and Prise above to be the supposed to be coming up, and the state of This charge was one of the finest achievements of the American army. General Brown said to the gallant Miller-"Sirk of the character and bearing of the People's boldness would succeed. He therefore was thereply of the bluil soldier-a phrase Scott saw that no measure but one determined to maintain the battle against now become familiar 13 all American lips. Scott, who was perfectly acquainted with the ground, conducted Miller, in the darkness of the flight, some distance, till he had the right direction. He then returned to renew the attack in front, in order to hear his voice and catch the kind and gen- The scheme succeeded. For a long time favor the inovement of Miller. The enemy's battery being taken, and ill the American reserve had come up and in ered into the action. In the meanwhile Sedit had sent back in gained, the American army changed position. It was now drawn up nearly at right angles to the lane, with its back to the river. Scott was on the right; Ripley in the centre, and Porter, with the militia: on the left: In this new position, the American line generally acted on the defensive. The British desired to recover the ground they had lost, and made sever-blassaults. There were as often repulsed, but the enemy would again tally and return to the charge. The battle began about forty minutes It was in one of these contests General Brown had last seen Scott. About that long and warm summer's day. Like that time, the latter had twice formed small comforts of the camp and the dangers and too, it signalized among the affairs of men portious of his brighte into column, advante a spot which in the world of nature had ed, charged the Britis line, also all ancing, been rendered illustrious by one of the pierced 1, and competed it to fall back. great and gloridus works of God. When In such a battle, with such impetuous courister (Democrat) thus frankly sets forth the battle was about to begin, just as the set- age, Scott was nereesarily exposed to all the dangers, of the field, I'wo horses were killed under him. In the nildst of ting sun sent his red beams from the west. they fell upon the spray, which continual light was divided into its primëval hues, abled by a wound from a musket bill and a rainbow rose from the waters, encir- through the left shoulder. His aid. Liducling the head of the advancing column ! tenant Worth, and his brigade-major; Smith, were also both severely would: In a more superstitious age, such a sign

occupied towards laying the foundation of lars I believe you said it was, eh ! it. Many cling to a distant hope, and reject a progressive certainty.

Let the domestic circle be the scene of woman's ministrations, her infant group the subjects for whom she legislates, and home scriber.) the sphere where her influence is exerted by a well ordered life and godly conversa-LIOR.

Somebody says that our passions are are born with us, but reason don't follow till a long time after. This is a slander upon all babies. When a baby is spanked don't he holler ! Yes. And hasn't he got a reason ? Yes, and a mighty good reason, too.

"WELL, you may say what you please in the ribs.) about Captain Speckle's meanness-there's dollars. one thing I know, and that is, he saved my life three times at the battle of Chapultenec. "How so !"

"Why. every time he ran away I followed him!

"Don't the clouds begin to break ?" inquired Harriet, during a storm. She was impatient for an opportunity to go shop-ping. "Guess so," was the reply, as opeaker glanced from the window, "guess they're broke, they leak bad enough to be."

These ars-gold in his pocket, silver in ble noise, is now making passable music. his tongue, brass in his face, and iron in In the exuberance of his spirits he could his heart.

Jean Paul says, love may slumber in a lady's heart, but it always dreams,

"Our Ned wants to know-is it because the other side. this is leap year, that the Fourth of July was the fifth ?"

PRINCIPAL men ought to be men of blast from the final trumpet. principle.

There are some grey-headed monks in some of the monasteries of Asia Minor, and as I owe you a considerable of a bill, who have no recollection of ever sceing a woman.

Poor old follows, how we pity them !

Profanity and politenes never associat together.

CAPITAL COMING WEST .- The St. Louis Intelligencer estimates that within a per. [J. deposits two X's on the table, sees the iod of five years at most, more than thirty millions of Eastern capital will find its way West, in constructing the gigantic rail- bliss, and whistles Dolly Day, with varia- of August. roads that are now in progress in the States tions, when the sanatum door again opens of Missouri, Illinois, Iowa, Wisconsin, and and a prominent Whig enters. Indiana.

ing the last twenty years, and I think I party as another; besides, I know you may sefely say, that no twenty of them have much the largest circulation in this halt the journeymen printers employed in what. my office."

to put it out of your power to dun me a- the smooth walls ! Something must."-It is useless to look forward to a future gain for a while, when Captain West made The child cannot think. state of prosperity, if the present be not this payment. Let me see, fourteen dol- Little girls you know sometimes suck their thimbles on their lips or on the palm Editor. (rubbing his hands with glee) of their hand; the thimble sticks on, and

-Exactly, which pays up to the 12th of you can hardly shake it off. What keeps it on ? I will tell you. The air is sucked next April. A.--- Ilere's fifteen dollars-just credit from the inside of the thimble, so the air me with a dollar in advance. (Exit sub- outside presses all around and holds it tightly down. It is so with the fly's foot. Editor proceeds to enter a credit, and | A fly's foot has hollow places from which singy, "Oh thus may it ever"-when the it can force out the air, when the air out-

sony is cut short by the entrance of a Ger- side presses against the top of the foot and holds it on the wall. man patron. German Subscriber-Vell, we gates, So also with the lizard. Each of its

older than our reason, because passions German Subscriber-ven, we gates, So also with the but server dan't follow Mr. Brinder, hey? Owe you for ter pa- feet have five toes, on the under side of pers, hey, how much ? Can't reat much | which are bags, with slits in them ; the minself, but mine chilterns say ter mucht creature forces the air out of the bags, have ter paper, and I guess if ter musht when the outside air holds the feet against have him, I musht pay for him, hey ?- the ceiling, and thus it runs all over the (German subscriber, who is something of ; walls.

a wag, chuckles and gives the editor a dig

THAT CALF CASE .- A paragraph went the rounds some time since. to the effect Editor-Squire, your bill is only five that a law suit about a calf in Burlington. German Subscriber-Five dollars, dat lows, had gone on uttil the costs amountish vor pehint, and five I pays you ahead ed to about three hundred dollars. The lowa State Gazette says the case origina--vich makes ten. German subscriber pulls out an old stock- ted in West Point, Lee County, and that it ing, and counts down out of it twenty has just been decided on an appeal, and bright half dollars. Editor's eyes di- further that the costs now amount to five late, he becomes exceedingly nervous hundred dollars, independent of counsel and shows symptoms of flying off the fees. On the first trial, the witnesses for handle. Exit patron.] The sky is clouded, but it never looked ber, swore that the calf's tail was entirely better-the light never was stronger. | black, while those on the other side swore The horrors of a long winter are forgotten, it was partly white. It has been decided aud sunshine reigns in the heart. Even that the tail was partly white, and the With four metalic qualifications a man the accordeon in the bookstore underneath, plaintiff has gained his case. The value may be pretty sure of earthly success .- which a few moments ago made an execta- of the calf is three dollars.

en others are reported to have been mas-

Brownsville, had his horse shot from un-

der him, and several others have been

compelled to flee for their lives. The In-

dians assert that they have authority from

certain Mexicans to murder and pillage all

the Americans. The citizens of Browns-

OUTRAGE ON THE RIO GRANDE .- By advices from Brownsville the 12th inst., we learn that outrage and murder are have shaken hands with his bitterest enemy. (A heavy step is heard on the stairs.) What il est possibel? The streak has daily perpetrated on the Rio Grands by Inbeen so good that this must be a call upon dians and Mexicans. An American named Remington was the latest victum, and sev-

(Door opens. Enter J.) Jerusalem ! If he pays, the millenium sacred. Mr. Bryne, a merchant of is at hand, and the next sound will be a

J .--- Well, my hearty, I have just succeeded in collecting some old accounts. I thought I could do no better than to let

ville have held a meeting and petitioned you have a trifle on account. the U.S. Government to afford them pro-Editor (strongly impressed with the tection. same opinion)-Under such circumstances, in the language of Duminy Allen-

"Happy to meet-happy to part-and always happy to meet again."

entry made, and leaves.] Editor has reached a-state of perfect

Whig-Believe I owe you Locofoca GREAT MEN .-- John C. Rives says :-- printurs a small bill for advertising. I called a State convention, to be held at "I have seen the manuscript writers of don't like the principles you advocate, but Milledgeville on the 15th of July, for the most of the great men of this country dur-ing the last twenty varies and I think I narty as another: besides. Fixnow you low the Presidency and Vice Presidency, could stand the test of the scrutiny of ones vicinity ; and, in short, I know what's ocratio parties ; and for the purpose of

Editor-Good. Your bill is \$9.

Tell me truly, now, dear Colin, While we're waiting by, Which the prettier of the twain, My sweet cor or I ?

"See my locks so bright and golden, Braided o'er my brow ; See my eyes so blue and hoavenly, my pretty mou'

And my teeth of peakly whiteness, Pairer none I tow ! "See my cousin's locks of raven

On her brow so white, And her gentle features graven With a caim delight ! Do not fear mine anger, Colin, But decide aright."

Colin stood awhile uncertain, Then he made reply-Beautiful thine eve:

Pearly teeth so white and even Ne'er before saw I:

"Locks of raven like thy cousin's, Lovely are, I ween, Features all so calm and holy on e'er are seen ! To decide which is the prettier, Two such maids between,

"Is too nice a task, sweet maiden, For such a youth as I ; One is like the morning sunrise One the evenue sky : Both so beautiful and lovely

That they charm the eye !

Now with hands enclasp'd together, Sweeily to behold, Light they bounded o'er the heather Raven locks and gold ; While beside me. spell-entranced

Stood young Colin bold ; Then, afar, I heard them singing

Culin's sweet reply-One the evening sky," Till their voices is the distance Sounded like a sigh !

Came the avening shadows o'er us As we lingering stoud, Clothing landscape all before us,

Mountain, vale and wood, With a dafkness like the spirit's Melancholy mood.

Then unto young Colin turning, "Colin 1 sir," said I, "I will take the morning sunrise Thou the evening sky, And, within our souls, forever Wear them till we die !"

The Washington correspondent of the Baltimore Patriot save :

"I have heard a little anecdote of Gen.

DEATH WARRANT.-Governor Bigler was nominated as the Democratic candi- Gevernor, in opposition to the re-fleolion has signed the death warrant of Matthias date, he dryly and good humoredly, ten of dov. Hussaso, the Demooratic gandie Skupinski, who was convicted in Phila marked that he was sorry, because the date. The call is signed by two thousand delphia, recently, of the murder of young thousand thereby lose one vote meaning of his former friends, who oppose him be-Lehman, the jeweller. The wretched mur. Pierce's."

derer is to be executed on Friday, the 6th COUNTERFEIT .- A new edunterfeit of the denomination of \$5 on the Commer-

cial Bank of Phila., has been put in cir- in some parts of Deleware county. It has UNION CONVENTION CALLED IN GEOMcolation within the present week. The attacked the white wheat, and in many GLA .- The Union party of Georgia, have names of the engraver on the bottom of the instantes whole fields have been destroyed counterfeit are not distinguishable, while in the genuine they are quite distinct .- [ered to any extent. The vignette is very imperfect, and much blurred.

that have been made by the Whig and Demtaking such action in relation to the Presi- | like cog wheels pushing each other along ter the Misses Flirts get new mantillas, had taken Major General Riall, and sev- the rapid flashes of muskely and We are all dependent on each otherdential election as shall be deeme d proper. by filling up mutual voids.

candidate for President :

"In his personal intercourse, he is the superior numbers and position till the remost easy and agreeable man in the world. serve came up, thus giving General Riall He makes no distinction of persons-Sen- the idea that the whole American army ators, farmers, Generals, children and all was at hand. This would prevent him fare alike at his hands. The moment you from profiting by his numerical strength. the expression of his grey eye, you dis-miss every thought of embarrassment and till the American reserve had come up and enter at once into conversation, as with an entered into the action.

old and familiar friend. In a crowd of tea thousand men, every eye would turn in- to General Brown, Lieutenant Douglass, stinctively to him as so many magnetic as well as Major Jones, to report the conneedles to the pole. Of all American Gen. dition of affairs. The first was to report eruls, living or dead, he is undoubtedly that the remnant of Risli's army was the greatest, -- while those who know him manœuvring to protect the detachment believe in their hearts that in all the qual- thrown over the Niagars ; the second was lites of a great, generous and good man, he to inform the general, that so far from beis second to no other. He is entirely na- ing diminished, the British army was wetional in all his views, and very tar above tually reinforced, and thus to hasten up

before sunset, and, like its predecessor at proscriptive, as thousands of brave Demo- Chippewa, was the closing drama of crats who have shared with him the rude a spot which in the world of nature had sufferings of the battle field will tesufy. GEN. PIERCE .- The New Haven Reg. great and gloridus works of God. When

the military character of its candidate : 'Asa military man he was an officer in the late Mexican war, with more or less distinction. All the time he was on the Best terms with Gen. Scott, and Gen. Scott af. terwards invited him to dinner.

LOUISIANA CONSTITUTIONAL ELECTION .---We have as yet, but partial returns of would have been regarded, like the Boman ed. the election of delegates to the Constitu- auguries, as a precursor of victory. Even T tional Convention, but these leave little doubt of a large Whig majority. So far, inspiration of hope, with the colors of and the capture of the enenty's cancon. we have returns of the election of 26 beauty. Whigs to 6 or 8 Democrats.

Hugh Stephenson, a Scotchman, residing at Pousville, charged with the mnrder

they are at church three times a day." | eral other officers, prisoners, and then gal- pierced the heavy clouds.

The contest closed by the possessian now, this bow of promise furnished the bif the field of baule by the Americans, The world has seen mightier armiles

The line which now opened its fire up. move over more memorable fields, anil on Scott, at the distance of one hundred followed by louder notes of the far-reand fifty paces, was slready eighleen hun. | tounding trumpet of tame ; but a bloodier dred strong. It was well posted in Lun- scene for those engaged, a severer trial of dy's Lane, a rudge nearly at right angles courage and of dicipline, or one whose acwith the Niagara River, a little below the tion was more closely associated with the cataract. Its left was on the road parallel sublime and beautiful in nature, the world Colonel Brady, to take advantage of it, of waters rushes over the precipice, and, and, connealed by the bushes and twilight rushing, that's into the gult below ? The to turn the enemy's left. The other bat. ceaseless spray rises up. like intense to tallings had been before promptly deploy-tallings had been before promptly deploy-ed into line, and the action joined by it (Brady on the right) and Towson's arti-bred into the right) and Towson's arti-bred into the right and the sector back in many-colored lery. The small detachments of bavalry hues to the source of light ! So was it dn both sides were held in reserve. The when, wheeling into the field of battle, the enemy, finding after some time that he out- slant beams of the setting sun, returning fanked us on the left, threw forward a bat- from the spray, encircled the advancing talion to take us in flank and rear. Scott. column with rainbow colors ! The sun although with inferior numbers, caused went down to many an eye, the more to this movement to be promptly met and re- rise on earth !

The bearded variety has not; as yet, sufwith great loss on both sides. At the of baule; charge was made. For a time a moment, the action in front was desperate- faint beams of moon struggled with the clothes make people. For a month af- sup had succeeded in his movement. He itself became obscure, and no light, any

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taken place.

of James Cogan, an Irishman, committed suicide last week by shooting himself, in consequence of being unable to procure the attendance of his witnesses at the next

term of Court when his trial was to have POLITICAL MOVEMENT IN MAINE .---- A call has been published for a mass conven-

tion at Portland, (Me.) to be held on the Scott. When he was told that Pierce 29th instant, to nonlinate a candidate for

cause he signed the liquor law.

THE WEEVIL .- This distructive insect is making sad havoc with the 'Wheat' crop

that bitterness of party feeling which so the reserve. generally characterizes those who are only statesmen. He is not, and never has been,