

# UNION COUNTY STAR & LEWISBURG CHRONICLE--DECEMBER 21, 1860.

**Domestic Receipts—Infallible.**  
1. To prevent horses and cattle from jumping. Keep good fences around fields of good pasture.

2. How to sleep soundly at night. Do a hard day's work at some honest manual labor, go to bed early, and always with a consciousness of having done right through the day. (Warranted.)

3. To cure dyspepsia. Take a new axe, put a white hickory handle in it, bore a half inch hole in the top of the handle, fill the hole with gum camphor, and seal it up. Then take the axe and cut cord wood at fifty cents a cord, (boarding yourself,) until the heat of the handle dissolves and absorbs the camphor.

N. B.—It will do just as well at these times to take a maul and split rails, at the same price per hundred.

4. To prevent dogs from killing sheep. If the dogs are good for anything, give them plenty of bread and meat to eat at home—if good for nothing, give them less meat, with one grain of strichine in it.

5. To prevent wives from scolding. Provide them with plenty of good wood and water, plenty in the pantry and kitchen, and always wear a cheerful countenance, and speak pleasantly yourself.

P. S. Wife says I must add to this, marry a sensible woman.

UNCLE BEN, in *Highland News*.

**MRS. PARTINGTON ON BRICK.**—Mrs. P. sat some moments peering after her spectacles, and broke the silence after this wise:

"Ezekie, my son, where is this Breckinridge's Lane, that the newspapers say Caleb Cushing and so many more are going to?"

"Why, ma, it's a kinder crooked bye place, way down in Alley balmy, laid out by one Mr. Yancey, where fugitive politicians run 'slave codes' into the 'territories'."

"Bless my soul! I'm glad of it. I've always had a desperate hate of all 'Tories'—they are just the kind that ought to be pestered by Niggers," said Mrs. P.

We find in the Fusion papers a statement that about the time when the Plot for extending Slavery into Texas was under full headway, the Legislature of Massachusetts passed the following Resolutions:

Resolved that the annexation of Texas is, ipso facto, a dissolution of the Union.

Resolved that Texas being annexed, Massachusetts is out of the Union.

We do not know as this is true, but allow it to be so—resolving to dissolve does not effect a dissolution. If Massachusetts made a fool of itself in avowing secession doctrines, and then thought better of it and did not migrate, South Carolina may do the same. Threats do not always blow into execution.

The Dog-out chartered by the Fusionists starts to-morrow for the head of Salt River. The cabin-boy was sent with \$25 this morning to buy the "small stores." He returned while the captain and mate were in the cabin taking a "smile," and the following colloquy took place:

Boy. Well, Captain, I've come on board with the "small stores."

Captain. What have you bought?

Boy. I spent twenty-four dollars for whiskey, and one dollar for bread.

Captain. Thunder! What are we going to do with so much bread?

**WELL CHARACTERIZED.**—The Evening Post's Washington correspondent says:

The Message was playfully but quite happily left off by Mr. Seward, just after the reading, when some friends of the President asked him what he thought of it. "I think," said the New York Senator, "the President has conclusively proved two things: 1. That no State has the right to secede—unless it wishes to; and 2. That it is the President's duty to enforce the laws—unless somebody opposes him."

A young lady teaching school in Georgia, writing home to her parents in Vermont about a company of minute men who came out to drill, says: "The most remarkable part of the performance, to a Yankee girl, was to see each soldier have a negro along, to carry his gun." If the Disunionists continue to repeat their stories about the "Black Republicans" freeing all the slaves, this custom might become rather dangerous when the fighting began.

An uneducated girl, who had become tired of single blessedness, thus wrote to her intended:

Dear Gim, cum rite oph of you are cuumim at awl. EL. Collins is insistin that I shall have him & he hugs and kisses me so continually that I can't hold out much longer, but will have 2 kave in.

A bold Everett man in Troy, who had just concluded an hour's study of the election returns in the Nation, State, County, and City, quietly remarked to a friend, "I really expected to go up Salt River this fall, but blame me if I dreamed it was navigable so far up."

A young lady in St. Louis was from her bed a few nights since to make an application of camphor to her throbbing temples. By mistake she got hold of a bottle of indelible ink. The error was not discovered in time to prevent a most damning effect to the fair one's personal appearance.

Lucy Stone, in a recent lecture, insisted that women ought to vote and be elected Members of Congress. A grave old gentleman at our elbow, who takes a practical view of everything, thinks the public business would be neglected by reason of the pairing off of the members.

The familiar question, "How do you get along?" becomes, in England, "How do you get on?" and, strangely enough, in Scotland, "How do you get endangs?"

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