

LIGHT IN DARKNESS.

O God! our way through darkness leads, But thine is living light; Teach us to feel that day succeeds To each slow-dawning night;

Too long th' oppressor's iron heel The saintly hour has pressed, Too oft the tyrant's mailed steel Has pierced the guiltless breast;

We walk in shadow; thickest walls Do man from man divide; Our brothers spurn our tender calls, Our holiest aims deride;

Wrath clouds our sky; War hits on high His flag of crimson stain; Each monstrous birth o'er spreads the earth In battle's gory train;

Yet still we trust in God the Just, Still keep our faith alive, That, 'neath Thine eye all Hate shall die, And only Love survive.

New Democratic Church in Trouble. Its Pastor, Dr. G. H. ... On the 10th, Nov. 10, '61. The day is last—all are here! Freedom shrieked when Kossuth fell, she spawked there; last Tossy nite, she beheld the inanimate corpse of the great glorious Democracy.

I am a lost and ruined man. My pre-tilt are of the two drum-major staff. They bleed what I tell em. I told em as how Nick Lellan wuz certin uv election, and I led the dispeze uv all the officers in that session. It imjuriyly becun a crazy matter to borrr money. It wuz defitit—O wuld that it could hev bin perfoct!

"Why good?" asks the expectants. "Beccuz, to carry Ohio, the Abolitionists must hev brot votes from New York, which will give us that State, aboor."

"Gentlly, my friends," sed I, bakin out uv the door, "We hav bin defitid, but the grate principle that a white man is better than a nigger, for wch we hav no long fat, still lives. Let us sink all our considerations, and—"

"The minor considerations I referred to wuz, however, uppermost in thine mind, for th' all went for me, yelin like Cass, cocorous lojus, 'give me mi munny' whercoover I retreid t' the house, lockin' my self in. The surrounded it, swarin they'd starve me out."

"When a innocent boy, I red a harrowin tale uv a Russh mother who wuz per-secuted by franic wolves, and who saved her own life by droppin her children to 'em wuz bin wun. Mi privit bare uv whicky wuz in my study—I wuz saved! I hid it out uv a winder, and calmy awaited results. They flockt around it—they took turns at the bung hole—in wun short hour, the wuz stretched helples on the plane, ded drunk. Then and there I resined my charge, and borrrin sick munny and watcht cz they had about 'em, to make up arrears uv salary and sich, bid adoo 2 'em forever. I shall go 2 Noo Jersey. PETEROLEM V. NASHBY, Late Pastor uv said Church in charge.

Companies of citizen volunteers are formed, in Franklin and Adams counties, to repel guerilla raids with which they are threatened. It is quite time that the people of those counties were doing something for themselves, and not depend entirely upon others at a distance, who, after recent events, can feel but little interest in the protection of the people of York, Cumberland, Franklin, and Adams counties, at least so far as guerilla visitations may be concerned.—Mancy Laminary.

BREVITY THE SOUL OF WIT.—The commandant of Libby Prison issued a stringent order that Union prisoners must limit their letters to six lines. The following is a specimen: "My Dear Wife—Yours received—no hope of exchange—send own starch—want socks—no money—rheumatism in the left shoulder—please very good—send sausages—God bless you—kiss the baby—Best Columbia. Your devoted husband."

A society has lately been formed in Bordeaux, France, to put down the superstitions of old times. As everybody knows, it is accounted bad luck to begin anything on a Friday, or to sit at a table with thirteen, or to balance a chair on one leg, or to spill salt around before commencing. In the whole year, during which bad luck had been thus defied, no single fatality has, as yet, occurred to any member.

CALL AT DR. WISHART'S PINE TREE TAR CORDIAL. T. G. EVANS' Wholesale and Retail GROCERY & PROVISION STORE, for Cheap Goods!

His Stock is complete, consisting in part of Sugars, Coffees, Teas, Spices, Coal Oil, Tobacco, Cigars, Flour, Feed, Fish, Salt, Hams, Shoulders, Cheese, Fruit, Glass and Queensware, Hardware, Lamps, &c. &c.

COUNTRY PRODUCE taken in exchange for Goods. Cash paid for Butter and Eggs. —Call and examine my stock, and satisfy yourselves.

Important to the Country! We invite the attention of the community to our extensive assortment of Fancy and Staple Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, Queensware, &c. &c.



FURNITURE! Broke Out in a New Place! BUREAUS, FINE DRESSING BUREAUS, SECRETARIES, DESKS, &c. &c.

BEWARE OF COUNTERFEITS. The genuine has the name of the Proprietor and a pine tree blown in the bottle. All others are spurious imitations.

Latest Fashions. 1864, '5. Just received—the latest styles of Paris and American Fashions for Fall and Winter of 1864, '5.



United States Claim Agents. LICENSE having been granted to the undersigned to carry on the business of United States Claim Agents in Union county, they will attend promptly to the collection of back pay and bounties, and the procuring of pensions for soldiers or their legal representatives, and the prosecution of claims against the United States.

Attention, Musicians! A large assortment of Violins, Guitars, &c., of all kinds—also, Violin, Guitar, and Banjo, in Brown, Pine, &c., and the best Violin Rosin—call at the Post Office and examine. G. W. FORREST

Daily Morning News. SAM'L SLIFER has commenced furnishing the Harrisburg Telegraph morning, a two cts per copy—the very latest News, at cheapest rates. June 24

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U. S. 7-30 LOAN. The Secretary of the Treasury gives notice that subscriptions will be received for Coupon Treasury Notes, payable three years from Aug. 15th, 1864, with semi-annual interest at the rate of seven and three-tenths per cent. per annum, principal and interest both to be paid in lawful money.

These notes will be convertible at the option of the holder at maturity, into six per cent. gold bearing bonds, payable not less than five nor more than twenty years from their date, as the Government may elect. They will be issued in denominations of \$50, \$100, \$500, \$1,000 and \$5,000, and all subscriptions must be for fifty dollars or some multiple of fifty dollars.

The notes will be transmitted to the owners free of transportation charges as soon after the receipt of the original Certificates of Deposit as they can be prepared.

As the notes draw interest from August 15, persons making deposits subsequent to that date must pay the interest accrued from date of note to date of deposit.

Families depositing twenty-five thousand dollars and upwards for these notes at any one time will be allowed a commission of one-quarter of one per cent, which will be paid by the Treasury Department upon the receipt of a bill for the amount, certified to by the officer with whom the deposit was made. No deduction for commissions must be made from the deposits.

It is equally convenient as a temporary or permanent investment. The notes can always be sold for within a fraction of their face and accumulated interest, and are the best security with banks and as collaterals for discounts.

Convertible into Six per cent. 5-20 Gold Bonds. In addition to the very liberal interest on the notes for three years, this privilege of conversion is now worth about three per cent. per annum, for the current rate for 5-20 Bonds is not less than nine per cent. premium, and before the war the premium on six per cent. U. S. stocks was over twenty per cent. It will be seen that the actual profit on this loan at the present market rate, is not less than ten per cent. per annum.

Its Exemption from State or Municipal Taxation. But aside from all the advantages we have enumerated, a special Act of Congress exempts all bonds and Treasury notes from local taxation. On the average, this exemption is worth about two per cent. per annum, according to the rate of taxation in various parts of the country.

It is believed that no securities offer so great inducements to lenders as those issued by the Government. In all other forms of indebtedness, the faith or ability of private parties, or stock companies, or separate companies, only, is pledged for payment, while the whole property of the country is held to secure the discharge of all obligations of the United States.

While the government offers the most liberal terms for its loans, it believes that the very strongest appeal will be to the loyalty and patriotism of the people.

Duplicate certificates will be issued for all deposits. The party depositing must endorse upon the original certificate the denomination of notes required, and whether they are to be issued in blank or payable to order. When so endorsed it must be left with the officer receiving the deposit, to be forwarded to the Treasury Department.

Subscriptions will be received by the Treasurer of the United States, at Washington, the several Assistant Treasurers and designated Depositories, and by the First National Bank of Milton—also of Danville, and by all National Banks which are depositories of public money, and ALL RESPECTABLE BANKS AND BANKERS throughout the country will give further information and AFFORD EVERY FACILITY TO SUBSCRIBERS. (1066ms)

FINKLE & LYON'S SEWING MACHINES. THE greatest improvement yet in the Sewing Machine art. A curiosity worth seeing. Please send for circular with sample of sewing.

Improved Machines save use of hands and nerves, and make the work easy and pleasant. They require no instruction to operate perfectly, except the printed directions. No change in sewing from one kind of goods to another.

And no taking apart in clean or oil. Our New Machines are now complete, with all its machinery and tools entirely new, and is already rapidly turning out Machines which for neatness and durability of finish are not surpassed by any manufactory in the world.

The Red Door! SPECIAL NOTICE. THE undersigned having purchased of Mr. JAMES SHERMAN the well known Carpet and Shoe Store, opposite the Lewisburg Bank, will sell all the stock purchased from him 10 per cent. less than present prices.

Advantages of the KNUCKLER WASHING MACHINE. FOR the purpose of conveying the community that the Knuckler Washing Machine can not be surpassed for ease and rapidity in washing clothes, I take pleasure in referring to Miss Sarah Gibbons, daughter of John Gibbons of this place, who is eleven years old, weighs 55 pounds, and does the week's washing for the family in three hours, and considers it a very light job, with the assistance of the "Knuckler."

Boots and Shoes. Boots and Shoes MADE TO ORDER on reasonable terms. REPAIRING promptly attended to. Do not forget the Lewisburg Cheap Boot and Shoe Store is opposite the Bank. (1070)

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