A YOUNG LADY SAVED FROM DEATH.—Not long since Conductor Cawley had the blessed privilege of carrying out a loving couple, who assumed the position of "Lord Ullin's Daughter" and her betrothed, so affectingly described in the Teachers' Institute last week:

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A CONVENIENT CUSTOM.—The author of "Wanderings in Brittany" gave the following illustration of thoughtful care for the wants of marriageable young men: "The peasantry around Josselin retain their old dresses and customs in perfection; the girls, especially, have a habit that would save much trouble were it introduced into more civilized circles. They appear on fete days in red under petticoats, with white or yellow borders around them; the number of these denotes the portion the father is willing to give his daughter; each white band, representing silver, betoken a hundred francs of rent; and each yellow band means gold, and stands for a thousand francs per year. Thus a young farmer who sees a face that pleases him, has only to glance at the trimmings of her petticoat to learn in an instant what amount of rent accompanies it."

"Yes, yes," says a modern writer, "nature balances all things admirably, and has put the sexes and every individual of each on a par. Them that have more than their share of one thing, commonly have less of another. Where there is a great strength there ain't apt to be much gumption. A handsome man in a general way ain't much of a man. A beautiful bird seldom sings. Them that have genius have no common sense. A fellow with one idea grows rich, while he who calls him a fool dies poor. The world is like a baked meat pie—the upper crust is rich, dry and puffy; the lower crust is heavy, doughy and underdone; the middle is not bad generally, but the smallest part of all is that which flavors the whole."

WHAT IT COSTS TO SLAP A NEGRO.—Time—Yesterday morning. Scene—Butcher and darkey in Fifth street market house. Butcher hired darkey, who got lazy and saucy.—Butcher told darkey to do something—he refused. Butcher drove him off. He came back—butcher slapped him. Darkey said, "Dat'll cost you sumthin," and went off. Returned by and by with a negro and musket attached to it—seized butcher, who dropped his cleaver, put some money in his pocket and "fell into line." Freedmen's Bureau—butcher before it—darkey told his wrongs—Bureau smiled—butcher look meat axes—didn't do no good—$15 and costs. Dismissed the case. Butcher likes negroes, negroes like butchers—Bureau likes both.—*Louisville Democrat.*

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