as black as his muster the devil!

'Peace, knave!' replied Jeffreys, with a frown

secured; these fellows are slippery rascals—

and now, madam,' (turning to Alice Lisle,) 'up

with you, and prepare to follow either to the

scaffold or the stake, as suits my pleasure,-

Then, with a brutal blow with the back of his

sword, he radely pushed his victim on before

Her weeping and terrified domestics would

have, approached their beloved mistress, but

were thrust back by the drawn swords of the

soldiers, and when the unfortunate lady cross

ed her threshold, it was over the dead body of

her aged butler, brutally struck down before

'Farewell, my friends,' said the Ludy Alice,

torture the body, unto the mercy of my Re

'Come, none of your cant here, if you please

inadam; if we want any praying done, we'll

call on yonder longnosed, whining saint,' cried

Jeffreys, pointing to Hicks, who, with Nel-

with ropes, and guarded together on either

Lest by appearing to recognise the Lady Al-

ce they might increase her danger, the prison-

sakes was now in such peril, and met her glanco

as they would that of a stranger. Nelthorpe,

indeed, essayed once to speak, for the purpose

of acquitting the Lady Alice of all knowledge

of himself and companion, but his speech was

These wretched men had-heard too late the

tramp of their pursuers, and forgetting in their

sudden alarm the secret panel, sprung through

-they were soon dragged forth, and knew that

from the jaws of the blood-hound Jeffreys,

And now, without any delay, the prisoners

Many of the jurors were of the most respec-

convicting an amiable and exemplary female,

for a crime (if crime it could be called) which

certainly arose from the purest, and noblest e-

be so robbed of his prey.

motions of the heart. But Jeffreys was not to

Witnesses forestalled by his vindictive spirit

appeared against her, and those who would

have testified in her favor, were so put down by

the bold-faced canning of these hirelings, as to

do more injury than good to the cause which

they came to sustain.

The Lady Alice was then called upon for her

lefence. In a modest and dignified manner

protection, nor had she asked for what offence

dered thom; 'Yet for this, gentlemen,' she

continued. I am arraigned for treason. Has

charity, then, become a crime? In it a canis

fellow beings; and must the cold votce of pra-

dence overcome the Divine precepts of Jesus?

She was here interrupted by an insolent re-

mark from the judge; and if allowed again to

speak, it was only to draw upon herself his coarse, unfeeling ribaldry.

The jury retired, their sympathics more than

Their consultation was too long for the pa-

tience of the judge. He grew furious at their

dolay-stamping and swearing like a madman

He sent a messenger to tell them that if they

did not instantly return, he would adjourn the

court and lock them up all night. Thus put

thut they doubted whother the charge had been

made out. Jeffreys expostulated with them

vehimently, and after another consultation

tor, and moved the pity even of the most deve

ted supporters of the king. The judge was o

very helmed with petitions and prayer for mer-

y but the only morey he granted was a few

ays delay ere the dreadful sentence should be

ac complished.

During that lime the royal clamency was

edgorly solicited, and many persons of the highestrank interceded with James for the re-

long of Alica Lisle. Ladies of the Court en-

rented his morey. Foversham, flushed with

peent victory, fleeded for her ; and even Clar-ndon the brother in law of the king, spoke in

It was alling valued wath red town of the

Scarcely less cruel than his cruel judge.

dmes was inex rable, and only so far showed

his clemency, us to commute the sentence from hurning to belieding! But pence—peace such

as the world can neither give hon taker away.

ier behalf.

ever excited for the unhappy lady.

Now God forbid !'

first placed at the bar, charged with treason

cut short by vile taunts and curses.

ers took no notice whatever of her who for their

for them, my triends.'

ide, was brought_forward.

BY E. BEATTY.

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Cards.

A Card R. JAS. McCULLOJGII will give his ratendance in the various branches of his profession, in town or country, to all that may have him with a call. OFFICE opposite the 2d Presbytorian Church and Wert's Hotel

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A Card. DR. J. W. HENDEL, Surgeon Dentist informs his former patrons that he has returned to Carlisle, and will be glad to attend to all calls in the line of his profession.

John B. Parker, Jonn B. Farker,
TORNEY AT LAW. OFFICE
In North Hanover Street, in the room formuly occupied by the Hon. F-Watts.
March 21, 1849.

Garson C. Moore,
A TIORNEY AT LAW. Office in the room lately occupied by Dr. Foster eased. mar 31 '47 deceased.

Wm. M. Penrose,

A TTORNEY AT LAW, will practice in the several Courts of Cumberland county.

OFFICE in Main Street, in the room formerly occupied by L. G. Brandebury, Esq. James R. Smith,

A TIORNEY AT LAW. Has RE-MOVED his office to Beetem's Row, two doors from Burkholder's Hotel. [apr 1] GEORGE EGE

TUSTICE OF THE PEACE. FIGE AT his residence, corner of Main street and the Public Square, opposite Burkholder's Hotel. In addition to the dutiese of Justice of the Peace, will attend to all kinds of writing, such as doeds, bonds, mortgages, indentures, articles of agreement, notes, &c.

Garliste, ap 2,49.

Plainfield Classical Academy,

SEVENTH SESSION. THE Seventh Session will commence on MONDAY, Nov. 5th, 1819. The number of std lents is limited, and they are carefully prepared for College, counting house, &c., &c.
The situation procludes the possibility of stuthe sountion precinces the possibility of state dents associating with the vicious or deprayed, being remote from town or village, though easily accessible by State Road or Cumberland Valley Railroad, both of which pass through lands at ached to the institution.

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Boarding, washing, tuition, &c., (per Latin or Greek
Instrumental Music
French or German ulars with references, &c. furnished by 12. AR. K. BURNS, Principal.

. Yewville Academy. .-NEW VILLE, CUMBERLAND COUNTY, FA.

It is confidently believed that tew Institutions offer greater inducements to students than the above. Jocated in the midst of a community proverbial for their intelligence, morality and regard for the interests of religion, this Acadomy can effectually guard its members from evil and immoral influences. Advantages are also offered to those destring to pursue the study of the physical sciences, surpassing those of most similar institutions.

Those having sons or wards and wishing to send them to a seminary of learning, are respectfully solicited to visit Newville, and judge of the advantages for themselves, or, at least, procure a circular, containing full particulars, by addressing JAMES itUSTON, Newville, avg 22 ty Principal.

Drug and Variety Store.

Drug and Variety Store.

The subscriber respectfully announces to the public that he has taken that well known stand lately occupied by James Fleming, on the corner of Pitt and high streets, diecetly opposite the Mansion House, where he will keep constantly on hand an assortment of Orags, Medicines, Paints, Oils, Perfumery and fancy articles, which he is determined to soll low. Having engaged the services of an Expensive Druggist of the flatters himself to be able to give general satisfaction to all. Physicians and Country Merchants supplied at reduced prices.

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IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN FOR
A EIGN & DOMESTIC HARDWARE BE
Glass, Paints, Dye Stuffs, Oil, Iron, Steel, Fails
&c. would invite the attention of persons wanting goods in their line, to the large assortment
they have just opened, and which they offer at
heavery lowest cash prices.

John P. Lyne WHOLESALE and Retail Dealer in

HOLESALE and Retail Dealer in Foreignand Domestic Hardware, Paint, Oil. Glass, Varnish, &c. at the old stand in N Hanover street, ortisle, has just received from New York and Philadelphia a large addition to his former stock, to which the attention of hayors is requested? as he is determined to sell lower than any other-house in town. aprip the standard of the self-lower than any other-house in town. aprip the subseriber would respectfully inform his friends and the public generally that he has just opened a new LUMBER AND COAISTAND in West High street, in few doors can of Mossrs J & D Rhoads's Warchouse, where he now has and will keep constantly on haid wife first rate assortment of all kinds of seasoned pine boards and plank and allother kinds of staff, all of which he will sell low for cash. July 18

Thotice.

The Commissioners of Cumberland county designs from the Baard of Commortand county dosigns proper to inform the public, that the stated meetings of the Board of Commissioners will be held on the second and forth Mondays of each month; at which this any persons having business with said: Board, will meet them at their office in Carlislea."

WM. RILEY, Cl'1s.

A PPLICATION will be made at the next A session of the Legislature, of Pointsylvania, tay an alteration in the Charter of the Cartuste Derostre Bank, so as to confer upon the Institution the rights and privileges of a Bank of Isage. "Ry arder of the Bond of Directors," and W S COBEAN, Cashier. "Cartiste Denoiste Bank, 2 july 4, 1849-6 m. "Cartiste Denoiste Bank, 2

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WILLIAM BIMATR, in Louther Street,
near the Collège, dyes Tadios, and Gentle
mon's, apparrel, all colors, and warrelyte all work
to be patiefactory. Orders in his line respectfully
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THE highest brice will be paid (in cash or in paper) by the subscriber for good RAGS. The rags may be delivered at the Paper, Mill, five miles from Carlisla or at the Warshouse of Mr. Jacob Rhighm, Carlisla W. B. MULLEN.

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Store, a large stock of goods in they time, towhich they would call the attention of purchasets, their arrangement in the city beshg such;
as to enable them to sell their goods at the
lowest city prices.
Their stock comprises a full assortment of
Locks and Latches of every stile and size,—
Hinges, Serews, Bolts, and every article used
for Buildings, Augurs and augur Bitts, chisels,
broad and hand axes, hatchets, drawing knives,
planes, and plane, bitts, hand, panel, and Ripping saws, mill, cross-cut and circular saws,
trace and halter chains, hames, shovels, spades,
and hoos, hay and manure forks. Also, a large
assortment of Pocket and Tabla Cutlery,—
spoons, shovel and tongs, Watters und Trays,
Hollow ware, Brass and enameled Preserving
Kettles, Iron Furnaces, Cedar Ware, anvils
and vices, Files and Rasps of every kind. Bar
Band and Hoop Iron, Cast, Shear Spring and
Blister Steel, &c. Also,
100 Kegs Wetherill's Pure White Lead.
5 Barrels App. Turpentine.
200 Kegs CumberlandNuts.
May9'49 WRIGHT & SAXTON

Extensive Furniture Rooms.

Extensive Furniture Rooms. JACOB FETTER,

respectfully call the attention of keepers and the public, to the ex-of splendid FUR NITURE, include Ilouse-keeper ensive stock of sple ding Sofas, Wardrobes, Centr and other Tables, Dressing an ding Sofas, Wardrobes, Centre and other Tables, Dressing and and Thin Bureous, and every variety of Cabinet-ware, and Choire, which he has now on hand at his NEW ROOMS, on Louther street, near the corner of Narth Hanover street, in the rear of Powell & Co.'s store.

North Handver street, in the rear of Powell & Co.'s store.

He is confident that the superior linish of the workmanship, and elegance of style, in which his articles are got up, together with their effectives, will recommend them to every person wanting Furniture. He has also made arrangements for manufacturing and keeping a constant supply of every article in his line, both plain and ornamental, elegant and useful, at prices which cannot fail to suit purchasers. He would carnestly invite persons who are about to commence house keeping to call and xamine his present elegant stock, to which he will constantly make additions of the newest and most modern styles. nodern styles. .COFFINS made to order at the shortest no-

ce, fit hwn and country. Carlisle, June 13, 1848. 37 The late firm of Jacob Fetter & Son having been dissolved, Jacob Fetter, sr., will carry on the business as above.

MEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

THE subscribers have just completed their purchases of FALL & WINTER GOODS. Our stock consists in part of cloths, cassimeres, vestings, cassinets, of all colors and prices; white, yellow and red, all wool. Flannels; Kentucky Jeans velvet cords and Beaverteens, Calicoes by the cart load, Ginghams, Mous de Laines, Merinoes, Paramatta's, Cobur, Cloths, Alpacas, Faitey Mohairs, Lustres, &c., Checks, Tickings, Pomestic Ginghams, Canton Flannels, white and coloured, Linsey, Plain, Pink, Brown, Maroon, Green and Bl'k, de Laines, for 12½ cts per yard; Mous de Leine Thilet and Tekeri SHAWLS; Long Shawls at 3, 3,50, 4, 5, 6, 7,50, 8 and 10 dollars: Silk and Linen, Handkrothiefs, Cotten, Woolen and Chalmere Stockings, Irish Linens, Gloves, Cloth; Glazed and Fur CAPS, Gimps and Fringes, in variety, Combs, Woolen Yarn, all colors, Iron fine to course, Steel Beads, Twist and Claspe, Purses, Scarfe, Waist Ribbons, Slides, Green Barege, Blue Barege, Table Covers of Linen and Cloth, Carpet Chain, Table Diaper, Crash, Linen Dlapers, Edging, Laces, GTM SHOES, all sizes and prices, Umbrellas, Carpets, Groceries, Queensware, Hards ware, &c. All the above goods were bought for per cent, below those who bought on credit. Those wishing to save will find our goods cheaper than they can buy them elsewhere. NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

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I HAYE just received the largest and C heap cest stock of HARDWARE, Glass, Puints, Oils Varnishes, Saddlery, Carpenter's and Cabinet Maker's Tools, Mahoguny Veniers and all kinds of Building Materials ever brought to Carlisle consisting of Locks, Hinges, Screws, Nails and Spikes. Persons about to build will find i grently to their advantage to look at my stock before purchasing elsewhere. Come and see the Goods and shear the price and you will be convinced that this is really the Cheap Hardware Store. Also, in store anvils, tices, files and tasps, and a complete assortment of Watts' Best Bar Iron, also Rolled and Hoop Iron of all sizes. I have also the Thermometer Churn Frice of Hardware. sizes. I have also the Thermometer Churn made by Mr George Spangler, the best article now in use. SCY THES.—I have just received my Spring

SCY THES.—I have just received my Spring stock of Grain and Grass Scythes, manufactured expressly for my own sales, and warranted to be a superior article. Cradle makers and others will find these Scythes to be the best article in the market and at the lowest price wholesale and retail at the old stand in North Hanover street.

JOHN P LYNE. Fresh Drugs, Medicines, &c. &c.

I have just received from Philadelphia and New York very extensive additions to my former stock, embracing nearly every article of Medicine now in use, together with Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Turpentine, Perfunory, Soaps, Stutionery, Fine Cutlery, Fishing Tackle,—Bruhes at almost every description, with an endless variety of other articles, which I am dendless variety of other articles, which I am d endless variety of other articles, which I am determined to soll at the very Lowest prices.
All Physicians, Country Merchans, Pedlars and others, are respectfully requested not to pass the OLD STAND, as they may rost assured that every article will be sold of a good quality, and upon reasonable terms.

May 30 Main street, Carlisle.

Farmers: Save Your Money.

CAST IRON HORSE POWERS for two three and four horses, made entirely of ron, so that you can leave it in the weather without the least danger of injury. Also, Threshing Machines, Winnowing Mills; Plows Plough Mould-boards, cutters, Points & Shears constantly on hand. You will save money, by calling before purchasing elsewhere, at the Foundry in East High Street, Carlisle Pa.

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Fish, Fish, Fish, UST received at the CheapFamily, Grocery, of the subscriber, a lot of No. 1, 2, and 3, Mackerel, in whole, half or quarter barrels.—Also, 50 sacks of Ground Alun Salt, which lie is determined to sell all the lowest prices for each... (octs) J-D HALBERT.

JUST RECEIVED—At the Cheap Store a great variety of all colors Woolen Yarn, Long and Squire Shawls, from \$1 to \$10, very altern indeed; Mous de Laines, Ginghams, Stoel Bands and Tassels, purse twist, clasps, and great variety of Wooldi Hose.

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A LARGE and general selection of these ard titles in every variety, hus been added to our assortion. Also, a lad of Cedar Ware, embracing Tolis Churns, Bocke, Pails, Sc., at usual low prices, at the Grocery Store of WEBY.

ARD, OIL.—Ateask of Land Oil, entirely a coloriess, just opened, it is a splendid article for summor use—for sale low by the article for summor use—for sale low by the article for summor use.

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From the Home Journal THE MAIDEN'S ADVERTISEMENTS

AT EIGHTEEN.

A heart to let!
A warm, fresh, cheery, virgin heart,
Untenanted by man as yet,
New and unsoil'd in any part;
Who hids the prize to get?
To him who'll pay the easy rent,
Daily and hourly due a wife,
Of honest love, I am content
To give a lease for life.
It has targe chambers, warm and bright,
Well turnish'd with affections fine,
And drap'd with hopes that glow with light
Howe'er the sun may shine.
The 'owner's title's good; no claim
Has yet been raised, and eyery part
Is hers in her own right and name—
Who'll take this precious heart? AT SIGHTEEN.

AT TWENTY-EIGHT. AT TWENTY-BIGHT.

No tenant yet!
Te let! A valuabe heart!
Who seeks such property to get,
Will nowhere find, in any mart,
A better to be let.
The terms are easy, payments few—
Ah, yes! the heart described abov
Offers inducements to the true—
Economist in love!
The property's in good repair.

Ah, yes: the heart described above, Offers inducements to the true. Economist in love!
The property's in good repair,
The furniture has ne'er been used,
The drapery's none the worse for wear,
But naught has been abus'd.
'Tis cumber'd with some triding debts Of unrequited love, but these Shall all be cancell'd, if it gets A tenant it shall please.

AY THETY-BIOHT:

Take down the sign!

Alas the truth must now be told;

Decay has prey'd on every part;

No paupe now would take this old,

Dilopidated heart.

I'll bar the doors, hang all'in gloom,

Lay the affections on the shelf,

And then, into its narrowest room,

At once I'll move myself.

There shall I pass each heavy day,

And living for myself-marinoro
I'll scorn the charities that may

Come knocking at my door:

This old estate—this heart—may do

To hide these ruin'd hopes of mine—

For others it has comforts few;

So then, take down the sign! AY THIRTY-BIOHT:

N. P. Willis remarks in publishing the above, that the American Old Maid is a proud ndividuality. There are not six old maids in America, we confidently conjecture, who "have not been asked." All girls are asked in this Those who still wear the unbroker ceatus of the of the waist of girlhood, have said, as the old sage expressed himself upon the different modes of death, "none please me."-Their standards were too high—the single blessedness they were to give up was better than what was offered-they had educated themselves beyond the immediate demand—they made use of the shocing horn of flirtation to try on what did not fit—they were too proud, too humble, too confident, too modest, too plain for the right one and too good for the wrong onebut they had their chances. Of course there are no silly ones, for the silly will marry-some

Alliseeltaneous.

ALICE LISLE.

Thrilling Sketch from English History, BY MRS. CAROLINE H. BUTLER,

There is perhaps, no date in the annals of English History marked with a more bloody significance of the learful extent to which the evil passions of mankind will reach, when not held in check by religious or civil discino, than that characterized by the Bloody Assizes,' in the reign of James the Secondbloody-minded Jeffreys, empowered by a like a demon through the land, tracing his passage with blood and tears, while the music of his infernal murch was the groans and death-shricks of his victims. And as he strode onward-behind him he left horrible, eye-blasting, soul-harrowing proofs of his cruelty-corpses swinging in the wind at the corners of the cross-roads-gibbets stuck up in every inarket-place-and blackening heads and limbs impaled, even before the windows of the holy house of God!

Such was the more than usual brutal fero city with which this fiend in human shape George Jeffreys, Chief Justice of the Court of King's Bench executed his commission, of a rightful prince he passed with almost regal triumph through the land, Eid Jeffreys and his well-picked myrmidons pursue their murderous track, sparing neither age nor sex-the death-blow descended alike upon the silver head of tottering age, or lisping helpless infancy. 'And,' says Macaulay this spirits rose higher and higher as the work went on. He laughed, shouled, joked, and swore in such a way that many thought him drunk from morning till night, but in

ness produced by evil passions, hom the madness produced by brandy. In such a frame of mind he entered South ampton and proceeded towards, Winchester, which although not the scene of warlike encounter with any rebel and royalist, had nevertheless been resorted to by many of the former as a place of safety among whom Monmouth himself. It was here hear the gency, you will be perfectly sedure from borders of the New Forest that the unform search. Sleep then sy friends in peace nate man was taken prisoner. Worn out one of my most faithful servants will this was their unhappy lender, the infatuated by latigue—crushed by disappointment this right keep watch, and upon the least diarm, son of Charles was discovered concealed in a ditch, where all through a long, long tay, out the same that the long tay of the and a weary high, will food or drink, the As she bade them good night one of the and a weary night, without look or drink, the ... As she bade them good ingul, one of the unhappy fugitive had vainly hoped to eyade ment selving the liem of her manul, garried in the search of the purelyers. ... At juice if to his lips with a gazerino antitung the queen white in the canding oratory of the

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say, Jeffreys was resolved to pursue to the

THERE ARE TWO THINGS, SAUTH LORD BACON, WHICH MAKE A NATION GREAT AND PROSPEROUS A FERTILE SOIL AND BUSY WORKSHOPS, TO WHICH, LET ME ADD, KNOWLEDGE AND FREEDOM. -Bishop Holl

நடிகள் மிஞ்சுரி In a fine old mansion, encompassed by a closely wooded park of a century's growth, dwelt the Lady Alice Liste. She was the widow of John Lisle, who had held a commission under Cromwell, and had also sat in the Long Parliament. He had been created a lord by Cromwell, and the title of Lady was still courteously assigned to his widow for she was one greatly beloved by all persons and parties, both Whig and Tory, for her many excellent qualities, and was also nearly allied to many noble families.

It was near the close of a heantiful autum nal day, that the Lady Alice, olad in deen mourning weeds, might be seen passing slowly beneath the dark foliage of thos venerable trees, stretching in such primeral grandeur tar on either side her domain.-The chastened radiance of the setting sun here and there burnished the almost motion less leaves of gold, or stealing athwart the mossy trunks, and over the deep green sward, mildly illumined the forest aisles, seeming thereby as paths afigels might love to tread. The only companion of the lady was a child-a beautiful boy of perhaps six years old-an orphan, whom the kind Ludy, Alice had taken under her prolection, and who now far from partaking in the serious ness of his benefactress, skipped and gamboled before her in wild and happy recklessness-now springing like a fawn into the path before her from behind some leafy screen, where for a moment he had lain concealed, or striving to attract attention by his childish prattle, as he bounded playfully at her side.

As heedless to the deepening twilight as she seemed to all else around her, the Lady Alice had proceeded further into the depths of the wood than was her usual custom, when she was suddenly aroused to the late ness of the hour by a scream from little Edwin, who, burying his face in the folds of her mantle cried.

'O run, dear lady, run-bad men-ah they will kill us!', 'What are you talking of Edwin?' she

answered taking his hand-who will kill us? 'We shall soon be at the hall; fie, boy, are you afraid because the sun has set and the old woods grown dark! Ah, is this my little hero ? But, lady, I-see men-bad, wicked men

there, lady, there,' pointing, as he spoke to clump of low oaks. 'Foolish boy, it is only an owl " said the

udy, now turning to retrace her steps. At that moment two men sprang from our the thicket and stood in her path. Well might that lady tremble, alone and unprotected in the deep, dark wood; yet, in tones that well belied her lears, she unfalteringly bade them stand aside and give passage to herself and the pale, timid child she led by the hand.

'We mean not to harm or frighten you madam,' said one of the men, lifting his goalskin cap, and stepping aside, 'we seek 1685—which, even from out the lapse of (wo lapse) thands sheller and (ood. For three centuries, still stand torth in loathsome and days we have lain concealed within these horrible distinctness. When the savage and woods, not daring to venture forth even to satisfy the cravings of hunger. We are neivindictive and arbitrary monarch, stalked ther thieves nor murderers—slight offences may be in these signal times of despotism and injustice-but men hunted down like wild beasts in the cause of civil and religious freedom. It is for our lives we implore your aid.

'Yea, for our lives-that we may be spared to trample the ashes of Belial under our feet, and smite, and slay and destroy the arch tools of oppression,' interrupted the other with violent gesticulations; and thou, woman, art the chosen vessel of the Lord to shield his servants from the man of blood against the dreadful day of retribution.'

'I ask not to know why you are thus thrown within peril of your lives,' answered the Through all those districts where the in Lady Alice, it is enough for me me that you habitants had either taken up arms in the are fellow beings in distress, and as such roust Monmouth Rebellion against the king, or claim my sympathy and the shelter of my who had been known five years before to roof. God forbid the doors of Alice Lisle have received the unfortunate Duke with should be closed against misfortune. Follow favor and homage, when assuming the rank me, then, friends, and such food as my house affords, and such security as it can give may

the Lord bless unto you. Confident in the attachment and fidelity of her domestics, the Lady Alice, in a lew words made known to them that the lives of these unfortunate men were in jeopardy, and that they sought from her kindness safety and concealment, and sharing in the benevo? lence of their mistress, each one of that well, tried household regarded the lugitives with generous sympathy. The study store in the

An excellent supper, such as their lamishing natures required, and a bottle of old wine, was soon placed before the weary men. They were then conducted by the Lady Alice herself to a room ou the ground floor, "She said, "this oaken panel

press your finger thus a door opens lilto a secret passage connected with the vaults of the old chapel, where in case of an emerhigh hopes blasted by detent, the ill-futed you will be notified in time to avail your selves of the way of escupe I have pointed

sir as with a besilience, and causing great day, his companion devoully prayed the terror, and dismay, particularly, among the Most High, to bless the woman, through peasantry, no one knowing with next might whose assistance vengoance who said be prove the victim of the yrands insulate thirs, heaped capon the head of the scores, and

CARLISLE, DECEMBER 26, 1849.

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had not revealed their names, neither had she sought to discover who they were, or laughing; we found his reverence, chin-deep for what crime they driven to their present in a malt tub-ha, ha, ha! and the other strait-yet that they fled the wrath of the rogoe we hauled from the kitchen chimney, ruel minded Jeffreys she lelt persunded, and fearful that with his myrmidons he might be close on the track of these unhapby men, she, too, sat watching all the night, or pacing with light footfall the long galleries ever and anon stepping out upon the balcony and listening to every sound, her lears nagnifying the whispers of the trees, into cals up below there-yonder is a strong the suppressed murmurs of an armed force. beam, or shall we have their heads in the All, however, remained quiet. Just as the market place, as a kind of warning to all day began to dawn, she threw herself upon traitors! her couch—not meaning to sleep. But overome with the latigue of her lonely night which made the villam turn pale; 'attend to yatch, and lulled perhaps by the security your duty, and see that the prisoners are well which almost always comes to the watcher with the dawn of day, she soon unconsciou sunk into a deep sleep, from which, alas

he was but too rudely aroused; for even in that brief half hour when tired nature claimed its own, the wily Jeffrey had surrounded to house with his no less brutal soldiers. "Come, come, madam, bestir voursell ou are wanted," cried the leader, seizing ne Lady Alice by the shoulder, and rudely naking her, "methinks you sleep well this orning-long watching makes sound slumpers, el.! Come; up with you, woman, and tell us in what corner of this rebel's nest you have stowed away the Presbyterian knave turning to her faithful attendants. I look for and his worthy friend."

I look for no mercy at the hands of these cruel men,

In a moment the lady was fully awake, whose pastime is death; yet though they may and comprehended at once her perilous situation. But her self-possession did not forsake deemer do I humbly commit my soul. May her, and breathing an inward prayer for the God forgive these my enemies, for in their two unhappy men so closely pursued, she blind rogo they know not what they do; pray said as she drew herself proudly up,

"What means this unmannerly intrusion? Off. sie! unhand me, or your audacity shall e punished as it deserves ! " . "Ho, ho, my brave wench, words are

heap! You will not find the proofs so thorpe at his side, and closely bound together easy! Know, mistress, that yourself and servants are my prisoners,' replied Jeffreys. 'Your prisoners!' cried the lady, with cutcontempt; fand who are you, and by hose authority do you dare to lay hands on

ie or any beneath my roof! Who am I? That you shall soon know your cost,' said Jeffreys with a horrible ath. -George Jeffreys has a péculiar way of making himself known, my mistress .-low deliver up these two area rebels-the inting, whining priest, and the traitor Nelrope, into our hands, and may hap I'll not ress my further acquaintance upon your a window, and endeavored to concell themndyship, except to taste the quality of year wine, for I'll warrant you, my men, (turning) to his followers) these old cellars are not dry. 'I know no such persons as those you death was to be their only release. eek, replied the Lady Alice, firmly; and what reason have you to suppose they are were brought to trial, the Lady Alice being

vithin my house 34. We know it, and that is enough,' replied in concealing or harboring persons disaffected effreys. They are known to have laid hid to the king, and known to have been concernwithin your neighborhood; and we know ed in the late insurrection. they have been secreted by you; and now, ennel, your body shall writhe in flames, o e hacked in pieces by my soldiers!'

'Infamous, cowardly wretch,' replied Alice lisle, undaunted, think you your threats rould induce me to hetray, more especially nto your blood-thirsty hands, any unhappy ndividual who had sought my protection !-Know Alice Liste better."

'Ho-ho, are we so brave! here, my men, ake this boosing mistress, and give her a lance on hot coals !- cried the ferocious Je!

revs. . At that instant little, Edwin, still in his she addressed the Court. She began by saying night diess, opened the door of his little bed- that she knew not the men who had sought her oom, and ran terrified towards the Lady Alice; but he was not permitted to reach they were thus hunted down; It was enough er; a soldier rudely seized the poor boy by that famished and weary they required her as he shoulder, and notwithstanding his shricks, aistance, and that assistance she had freely renheld him with such a gripping left the print his fingers upon the tender flesh.

'Ruffian, unfland the child!' exclaimed ie lady, attempting to rise, but held back tal offence to relieve the wants of our suffering y the trou hand of Jethreys.

'Ha! a pretty hostage, truly!' he said--Here, Ratcliffe, draw your dagger across his retty white throat, unless this stubborn wonan yield up our prey-do you hear that? urning to the Lady Alice.

Oh save me -save me ! don't let them kill me!' screamed the poor little fellow, striving to break away; then turning this eautiful eyes upon the hard stern leatures of the man who held him, he clung pileously round his knees, repeating his cry for mer, cy, his face uplified and his soft golden urls lalling over his white shoulders, from which the loose night dress bad slipped

Tears, which peither dier own danger, nor he insults heafied upon her could draw forth! owelramed down the pullid cheek of the they gave a reluctant verdict of Guilty if

nowskieamed down the name chees who are incoverse a requestant vergice of scully.

Lady Alice.

Are you men alice oried turning to the Joffreys, who immediately proceeded to pass rude soldiers, are you men and dan you sentones, which was, that the most unfortunate. rude soldiers, fate you men, and can you sentence, which was, that the most uniocunate, stand by and see that poor lunotest. helpless Ales Lule should that very afternoon be our alamb inhumanly murdered before your eyes! ed alive. we are used to butchering lambs, madam

bless you we do it so easy the poor things dont have time to bleat !" Sinke, Raicliffe! A scream-a wild ecteum of agory burst from the heart of Alice Liste; then dashing off the arm of Jeffreys, in the strength of her despair, and as but a feather's weight, she spring to the boy, and threw her arms round him. Island There was heard at the moment a loud

oise in the court-yard coupled with oaths ind imprevalions, and one of the troop burs in waving his cap "Hūrra, (yourshonor) they to caught? you

vorshipi; iwelve gov the rescals furril! urradii Ali niserin alodda isod nir bad sur 'Now God listgathem?'s murmured:Alice. Your life shall range or loothle; vile trait ess!" murinured Jeffreys in a voice hoarse

with raggiand shaking his fist at the bit the knaves? he added furning to the bearer those damp walls, in whose crevices the lating of such fiends joy.

'Ha, ha, your lordship-but I can't help

lizard made its bed; though they shut her out from the world—from friends—from fre they could not imprison her soul, nor crush the spirit of the martyred Alice, as it ascended in orayer to the Heavenly Throne. Divine love and holy trust in the promises of her Redeem-'And to his master he shall soon be sent r illumined her dark dungeon with the brightwith a crack in his windpipe,' said Jeffreys. ness of heaven; and when led forth to the scaf-'Wounds, your honor, you loves a joke! fold-death was swallowed up in victory. said one, who might be called the Trois Es-

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Alice Lisle was beheaded in the Market chelles of the company, edging up to Jeffreys Place at Winchester, Anno Domini, 1685., with a horrid grin; 'shall we string the ras-Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall

*Macaulay.

IMPROVE THE LONG EVENINGS .- It has peen truly said that idleness is a calamity next to sickness, and often entails habits upon its victims which cause more distress than the wastings of disease. No young man can realize the vast importance of adopting some plan by which he will be wiser and better for having a lew leisure hours each day. How easy to turn them to good account; but how many waste them in idle and useless visits to the eating and drinking saloons, ball-alleys, and billiard 100ms! histead of thus wasting your time, take up a course of reading, attend lectures, and improve the many opportunities afforded for acquiring useful knowldge, and your success in business will be more certain, and you will be able to reach and maintain a high position in society. There is not several volumes of standard literature during he winter ovenings. Take for example, the history of England or our own country, subjects intimately connected with dommerce and trade, modern languages, or the best works in polite literature, and you will find them abounding in higher and purer pleasures than can be obtained in the illidirected manner in which young men too generally spend their time. No man becomes distinguished in any pursuit without close study and-application, and he who wastes his leisure moments will be sure to occupy an inferior position as a merchant or mechanic.

A Hint to the Idle.

THE AXE.—The other day I was holding man by the hand as firm in its outward exture as leather, and his sun-burnt face as uffexible as parchment; he was pouring orth a tirade of contempt on those people who complain that they can find nothing to do, as an excuse for becoming idle loafers. Said I, 'Jeff, what do you work at? You

Why, said he, I bought me an axe three ears ago, that cost me two dollars; that was all the money I had . I went to chorning wood by the cord; I have done nothing else, and I have earned more than six hundred dollars. I have drank no grog, paid io docter, and have bought me a farm in the Hoosier State, and shall be married next week to a girl that has earned two hundred dellars since she was eighteen: My.old axe I shall keen in the drawer, and buy me a iew one to cut my wood with.

After I left him, I thought to myself, 'that xe,' and 'no grog.' They are two things to make a man in this world. That axe! And then a farm, and a wife! the best of all.

MEDICINE.-There is a great error ommitted every day, in flying to medicine at once when the functions of the stomach and liver are disordered, the secretions unuatural, and the food imperfectly digested.nstead of taking purgatives day after day, to carry off diseased secretions, we should essen and simplify the food, in order to revent the formation of these bad secretions. In doing this we have great prejudices to oercome—the patient feels himself getting venker and thinner : and he looks to nourishing food and tonics for a cure. But he will be isappointed in the end by the plan. From four ounces of gruel every six hours he will unler many states of indigestion derive more nuriment and strength than from half a pound of nimal food and a pint of wine. I have known dyspeptic patients gain flesh on half a pint of: ood gruel thrice in the twenty-four hours .-The invalid will acquire a degree of strength and firmness, it not fulness of muscle, on this quantity, (balf a pound of food at dinner,) which will in time surprise his friends as' well as himself Dr. Johnson ...

TEA CULTURE IN S. C--Dr. Smith t South Curolina, has been experimenting for several years in regard to the leasibility of cultivating the tea plant in this country. He has succeeded beyond his warmest hopes and intends to plant forty acres this season. He expresses the opinion that it could be successfully cultivated on the sandy lands of, Long Island

CATHOLICISM IN ENGLAND TWO laugiers of the late Bishop of Norwich were: ecently received into the Catholic Church of is stated, that the real advances made by the Catholic faith, at the present epoch in England land among the upper classes, are to a much greater extent than supposed

THE HUNGARIAN REVOLUTION --- A goernment functionary is engaged at Peath," n nempiling a bislory of the Hungarian reve olution; the secret aighives of Kossuth, of which gue thousand numbers have been ound in a cellar, have been eagerly devoted lothis purpose, the thin but the property and the

A young German Catholic Priest 14 amed Augustus Schmidt, committed suiide in Baltimore on Sunday lust, by hang ng himself in ite lift of an our house.

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