

Duel between a Baptist Minister and his Son-in-Law.

A duel between a Baptist minister and his son-in-law, a politician, at ten paces, was recently fought in Western North Carolina. As the painful story is told in a special dispatch from Charlotte to the Cincinnati Enquirer, Major Andrew Scroggins, while in a passion stripped and whipped his wife's sister, the youngest daughter of the Rev. Dr. Wade Hill. As soon as the father heard of the affair, he went to his son-in-law and demanded an explanation. Major Scroggins said he had acted on an impulse of the moment. Dr. Hill replied that he had no right to punish the child. From words they went to blows, and the minister had the best of it. Major Scroggins went home, and after consulting with his friends, sent a challenge to the minister. This was immediately declined. The son-in-law armed himself to the teeth, and threatened to kill the parson at sight; and the latter also bought a revolver. One day they chanced to meet on horseback in the road near the minister's house.

"Alas!" cried the major; "I've got you now! Ten minutes to say your prayers!" "Well, sir, I'm ready," responded Dr. Hill.

"And so am I," said the major. "May the Lord have mercy on us both."

Thereupon he fired twice, neither shot taking effect. The doctor then returned the fire, and killed his antagonist instantly. He then rode home, told the awful news and surrendered himself to the village authorities.

Struggle with a Bass.

The Norwich, Conn., "Bulletin" tells a story of a remarkable struggle with a giant bass, caught in a seine at Niantic. One escaped by breaking the meshes. A second they got upon the beach. They had hardly dropped the cords before he broke from the meshes, and, springing high in the air, plunged down the shore towards the sea, ten or twelve feet away. The men dashed excitedly after him, and vainly sought to stop him with desperate kicks from their heavy fishing boots, and blows from such implements as they could pick up on the beach.

No one dared to grasp the monster, as a bass of large size, armed with its sharp fins and razor-like teeth and gills, is one of the fiercest and most dangerous of sea fish. The shoal water was already reached, and the bass was splashing furiously in the desperate endeavor to gain water that would float him. An instant more and the prize would be lost. At this moment Mr. Winstead fearlessly threw himself on the struggling monster, clasping his arms around his neck, with one foot under its body, and shouted for help.

The struggles of the fish and its captor had carried them into the deep water, but the stout arms of the other fisherman were quick to the rescue, and in an instant both man and bass were rolled deftly up the shore, and the bass was secured. The whole party, at the end of the struggle, were breathless with exhaustion, but had escaped with scarcely a wound. The monster weighed 46 1/2 pounds.

Growing thinner Every Day!

The man who has a seated cough seems to grow thinner every day. His complexion changes, there is a quaking jelly-like tremble in his muscles, the mouth loses its firm expression, and the least extraordinary exertion causes a fluttering about his heart. As he is racked by the cough, the perspiratory glands are opened and a clammy sweat exudes upon his linen, which in turn exposes him to new colds, new coughs, new decay of muscular tissue, until the work of destruction is complete and man is carried to his untimely grave. But there is a relief for such. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry has, in thousands of just such cases, removed the agony of the cough, and its cause, without destroying the tone of the stomach, and the waste of the tissues ceasing, nature has been enabled to do its healthful work. New spirits and energy have been infused into the sufferer's heart and the work of restoration are once begun. Recent colds are swept away by its agency in a few days, and confirmed coughs have been cured by persistence in its use. All druggists keep it. 50 cents and \$1 a bottle.

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A dispatch from Salinas Monterey county, Ala., says a few days ago a farmer, named Samuel T. Stephens, murdered his daughter, twenty-two years of age, cutting her throat. He then took a dose of strychnine and afterward blew his brains out with a musket. Despondency about money matters was the cause.

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ORPHAN'S COURT SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE. BY virtue of an alias order of the Orphan's Court of Perry county, Pa., the undersigned Administrator, &c., of John Smiley, of Carroll township, Perry county, Pa., deceased, will sell by public outcry, on the premises, on FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20th, 1878, at 10 o'clock of said day, the following desirable valuable real estate to wit:

A TRACT OF LAND, situate in Carroll twp., aforesaid, bounded on the North by lands of A. M. Fleck, Samuel Rebert and John Jones; East by land of Wm. Smiley and William Stouffer; South by land of William Stouffer, Samuel Rebert and Samuel McCord; and West by land of Samuel Grier, containing 90 ACRES, more or less. The land is all cleared and in a good state of cultivation. The buildings consist of a good two-story LOG DWELLING HOUSE, an excellent BANK BARN, but recently built, a spring house arranged as a comfortable dwelling for a small family and Other Out-buildings.

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