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mh 26—d2m*

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CHARLES SCHUMANN & CO.

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mh 27—3md

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From a long experience in every department of the business, and ever careful to produce nothing but what is made from the best materials, he doubts not, by paying a visit at his store, they will be pleased with the variety and quality of Cake displayed.

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Agents are supplied with pamphlets for gratuitous distribution. Will the public call on our agents, examine for themselves, and give the medicine a fair trial.

I deem it due to the public at large, but especially to those at a distance, to state, that Dr. JOHN DUVAL, the Proprietor of the **Family Anti-Spasmodic**, is a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, as may be seen by reference to the Medical Recorder, vol. 1, page 304, published in Philadelphia in 1818. And in further confirmation of his claim to public confidence, in reference to the claims of this medicine and the pamphlet accompanying it, we present to the public the following certificate of a number of highly respectable citizens, of the county of his long residence, besides others of different sections.

WE, the undersigned, do hereby certify that Dr. JOHN DUVAL has been a resident of the county of King & Queen, Va., for some thirty years; that he is a regular physician; has done one of the most extensive practices amongst us, and is fully worthy of the public confidence in any statement which he may make.

[Signed]

Geo. M. Pendleton, Ro. Courtney, Wm. S. Nunn, Richard Bagby, Col. R. M. Spencer, Justice of the Peace; John Bagby, Philip Bird, John Lumphin, J. P.; Col. Wm. B. Davis, Ro. F. Stubbs, J. P.; Dr. S. G. Fannethroy, Sr., J. P.; Joseph Ryland, J. P.; Col. Alex. Fleet, J. P.; Elder Wm. Todd, Ro. Pollard, Clerk of King & Queen; John H. Watkins, Volney Walker, Jas. M. Jefferies, Commonwealth's Attorney; Col Jas Pollard, J. P.; Hill Jones, Wm Boulware, Ex Minister to Naples; E. S. Acree, J. P.; Geo. C. Nunn, Jas. C Roy, Sam'l R. Ryland, Temple Walker, B. B. Douglass, Gen. Corbin Braxton, M. D.; Muscoe Garnett, Jas. Smith, Francis W. Scott, members of the Virginia Ref. Con.

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fe25—3tawly WM. R. PURKINS M. D.

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SAVANNAH, Feb'y 5th, 1852.

Having been afflicted with *acute Rheumatism* for some time, and tried several of the most popular medicines of the day, also under medical advice, and received no relief until I tried the MUSTANG LINIMENT, and much to my surprise, I received IMMEDIATE RELIEF; and I am confident, that by a few more applications of this truly celebrated Liniment, I shall be entirely cured; and I advise all who are afflicted, to try the Mexican Mustang Liniment

(Signed.) A. FREEMAN.

Ship Masters, Read!

NEW ORLEANS, Feb'y 21st, 1851.

I take pleasure in giving my testimony in favor of the MUSTANG LINIMENT. I have used it in a great many cases with satisfaction. I would particularly recommend it to the notice of MASTERS OF VESSELS, of all kinds, as surpassing ALL OTHER external applications within my knowledge for Pains, Bruises, Cuts, Burns, Sores and Rheumatism, &c. &c.

LEWIS WARDEN,
Master Steamboat Pontiac.

An Editorial Article

From the Savannah Republican of December 20th, 1851, written by A. K. Moore, Esq., recommends the Mustang Liniment in the following manner:

This medicine is now offered to the people of Georgia for the first time. Our personal experience enables us to recommend this Liniment to the public with confidence, as we have felt the good effects upon a *sprained ancle*, which received great benefit from one application, and has been almost cured by the occasional use for a week.

Sore of 40 years' Standing Cured.

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(Signed,) ARTHUR HADSON.

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JAUNDICE, DYSPEPSIA, CHRONIC OR NERVOUS DEBILITY, DISEASE OF THE KIDNEYS,

And all diseases arising from a disordered Liver or Stomach, such as Constipation, Inward Piles, Fullness, or Blood to the Head, Acidity of the Stomach, Nausea, Heart-burn, Disgust for Food, Fullness, or weight in the Stomach, Sour Eructations, Sinking or Fluttering at the Pit of the Stomach, Swimming of the Head, Hurried and Difficult Breathing, Fluttering at the Heart, Choking or Suffocating Sensations when in a lying posture, Dimness of Vision, Dots or Webs before the Sight, Fever and Dull Pain in the Head, Deficiency of Perspiration. Yellowness of the Skin and Eyes, Pain in the Side, Back, Chest, Limbs, &c., Sudden Flushes of Heat, Burning in the Flesh, Constant Imaginings of Evil, and Great Depression of Spirits, can be effectually cured by DR. HOOFLAND'S CELEBRATED GERMAN BITTERS, prepared by **Dr. C. M. Jackson**, at the German Medicine Store, 120 Arch street, Philadelphia.

Their power over the above diseases is not excelled—if equalled—by any other preparation in the United States, as the cures attest, in many cases after skilful physicians had failed.

These Bitters are worthy the attention of invalids. Possessing great virtues in the rectification of diseases of the Liver and lesser glands, exercising the most searching powers in weakness and affections of the digestive organs, they are, withal, safe, certain and pleasant.

READ! AND BE CONVINCED.

Charles Robinson, Esq., Easton, Md., in a letter to Dr. Jackson, January 9, 1850, said—

"My wife and myself have received more benefit from your medicine than any other we have ever taken for the Dyspepsia and Liver disease."

"The Tenth Legon," published at Woodstock, Va., January 10, 1850, said—

"A Great Medicine."

"We have uniformly refrained from recommending to the public any of the various Patent Medicines of the day, unless thoroughly convinced of their value. Among those we consider worthy of notice is the German Bitters, invented by Dr. Hoofland, and prepared by Dr. Jackson, in Philadelphia. One instance in particular, in which the superior virtues of this medicine has been tested, has fallen under our observation. During the last summer, a son of Mr. Abraham Crabill, of this county, was very seriously afflicted with Liver Complaint, and after trying in vain various remedies, he purchased a bottle of the Bitters, and after using it, was so much relieved of his distressing malady, that he procured another bottle, and is restored entirely to health."

MORE EVIDENCE.

The "Philadelphia Saturday Gazette," the best family newspaper published in the United States. The editor says of

DR. HOOFLAND'S GERMAN BITTERS:

"It is seldom that we recommend what are termed Patent Medicines to the confidence and patronage of our readers; and, therefore, when we recommend Dr. Hoofland's German Bitters, we wish it to be distinctly understood that we are not speaking of the nostrums of the day, that are noised about for a brief period and then forgotten after it has done its guilty race of mischief, but of a medicine long established, universally prized, and which has met the hearty approval of the faculty itself."

This medicine has attained that high character which is necessary for all medicines to attain to induce counterfeits to put forth a spurious article at the risk of the lives of those who are innocently deceived.

Look well to the Marks of the Genuine.

They have the written signature of C. M. JACKSON upon the wrapper, and the name blown in the bottle—WITHOUT WHICH THEY ARE SPURIOUS.

For sale, wholesale and retail, by

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mh 8—3tawly 92 Main street, corner 14th.

ADIE & GRAY, APOTHECARIES AND DRUGGISTS, **No. 147 Main Street, Richmond, Va.**, have now on hand and offer for sale, upon the best terms, for cash, or on the usual credit to responsible dealers, a large and varied assortment of Drugs, Chemicals, Paints, Oils, Glass, Dye Stuffs, &c., consisting in part of—

1500 lbs superior Indigo
2000 lbs Madder
2000 lbs Extract of Logwood
50 kegs super Carbonate of Soda
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10 bbls Alum
5 bbls refined Camphor
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15 bbls Redwood and Camwood
20 bbls Venitian Red and Spanish Brown
2000 lbs Glue—American, Irish and Swiss
500 boxes Window Glass—French and American
40 boxes prime Castile Soap
40 boxes Starch
2500 gallons Linseed Oil
2000 gallons Lamp Oil
350 baskets Sweet Oil
20,000 lbs White Lead
2000 lbs Red Lead and Litharge
12 bbls Varnishes
1200 lbs Gum Arabic
90 bbls Blake's Fire and Weather Proof Paint
25 bbls prime **Castor Oil**
30 bbls Spirits of Turpentine
200,000 Cigars—Havana and Principe
125 dozen infallible Yeast Powders
1 cask Mace; 1 case Nutmegs
100 mats Cinnamon

Together with Ginger, Allspice, Cloves, Pepper, Cream of Tartar, Flowers of Sulphur, Copperas, Brazilletto, Nicaragua Wood.

The usual assortment of Patent Medicines, a large variety of Fancy Articles, and a carefully selected stock of pure Medicines.

mh 16 ADIE & GRAY, No 147 Main st.

SECOND SUPPLY OF NEW GOODS FOR THIS SEASON.—J. MILLHISER & BROTHER, would respectfully remind their friends, the Ladies, and all others desiring pretty Goods, at the cheapest prices, that we are opening a large additional supply of Barege de Daines, Satin, striped and plain Bareges of the latest styles, 1000 pieces Ribbons unequalled in the city for price and quality, 200 more of those well known cheap Crape Shawls; Prints, Jaconetts, Lawns, Ginghams, and lots of other Goods, to be sold as they were bought—at great bargains and great sacrifices. Ladies, one and all, be sure to call and see at what prices we are selling Goods at, and you will certainly decide we are the cheapest of the cheap. Persons purchasing by the piece or dozen, would also do well to give us a call.

J. MILLHISER & BROTHER,
ap 12 193 Broad Street.

GREAT BARGAINS IN DRY GOODS, especially in CRAPE SHAWLS, at No 175 Broad street.—The subscriber respectfully invites the ladies and the public in general to his well and carefully selected stock of **Dry Goods**, which he recently bought in New York for cash, and which he pledges to sell as cheap as any other establishment in the city. He is constantly receiving the latest and most fashionable styles of Dry Goods and other Fancy Articles and Trimmings, purchased for him by his brother, Isaac Rosenfeld, who resides in New York. The following are some of the articles, viz: white, plain and embroidered Crape Shawls; Barege de Laines; Silk Tissues; Silk Poplins; Foulard and Fancy Silks; French Silk Mitts; Jaconets and Lawns; Embroideries of every description; great bargains in L C Hdkfs; Irish Linens; 12-4 linen Sheeting and Shirtings, of all sorts; Table Diapers; Towlings; Napkins; Prints; the best patent Skirts; silk and cotton Hosiery, in great variety; Mattings and Carpets, and in fact all other Goods usually kept in dry goods and fancy stores; also, a good assortment of Goods for gentlemen and boys' wear, such as Broad Cloths, Cassimeres, Linen Drillings, Vestings, &c. &c.

ap 20—1m H. ROSENFELD.

RICHMOND STOVE WORKS.

BOWERS & SNYDER, manufacturers of the best premium and air tight **Cook Stoves**, parlor, office, and factory heating Stoves; hollow-ware FRONTS, GRATES, and FENDERS. To the above department the attention of dealers in this city and throughout the State is invited. IRON RAILINGS for dwellings, balconies, verandahs, parks and tombs, comprising the most desirable patterns of Gothic, Grecian and fancy styles, will be manufactured to order at a short notice.

mh 30—1m

THE DAILY DISPATCH.

☞ The following article is taken from a magazine, the name of which we do not know, as it was forwarded to us by a friend who forgot to give it. We mention this fact, because the two prose paragraphs have the appearance of being original. Lord Byron has said, very justly, that you can steal anything from an author, with more safety than his writings, unless it be his purse. Warned by the words of so great a judge we take occasion to say that we wrote nothing of what follows, but that it all came from the magazine alluded to:

Macaronic Poetry.

A recent article in the London Examiner, in reviewing a new French book by M. Octave Delapierre, called "Macaronea ou Melanges de Litterature Macaronique des differents peuples de l'Europe," says that "the true Macaronic takes a vulgar tongue and makes it classical with Latin endings. It is a jumble of Latin whether with Italian or French and German latinized, interspersed with a few words truly Latin, and some homely sentences of humor." Theophilo Folengo, an Italian, who lived in the 16th century, is said to have been the inventor of this sort of verse. Its name is derived from the Italian Macaroni, eatables composed of flour, cheese and butter, and very significantly expresses the peculiar mixture of word and sentiment appropriate to its character. As a specimen of Macaronic verse of the present day, the Examiner gives the following, by Gilbert Abbott A'Beckett:—

Qui nunc dancere vult modo,
Wants to dance in the fashion, Oh!
Discere debet ought to know,
Kickere floor heel and toe.
One, two, three,
Hop with me,
Whirligig, twirligig, rapide.

Polkam jungere, virgo, vis,
Will you join the polke, Miss?
Liberius,—most willingly,
Sic agimus—then let us try:
Nunc vide,
Skip with me,
Whirlabout, roundabout, celere.

Tum laeva cito, tum dextra,
First to the left and then t'other way;
Aspice retro in vultu,
You look at her, and she looks at you.
Das palmam
Change hands, ma'am;
Celere—run away, just in sham.

We find the following published in a new Boston Literary Journal, called "To-Day," about which, the editor says: "We print it because, although we presume it is quite familiar to our readers, we think they will be glad to see it relieved from the load of mis-prints which, in its travels over the country, it has accumulated, and more particularly because we wish to present to their notice the strictly accurate *version* following it, which we know will be new to them." *Our* readers have often heard of dog-Latin; did they ever before see any cat-Latin?

A FABLE.

Felis sedit by a hole
Intenta she cum omni soul
Prendere rats:
Mice cucurrerunt over the floor
In numero, duo, tres or more;
Obliti cats.

The felis saw them oculis
'I'll have them,' inquit she, 'I guess
Dum ludunt!'
Tunc illa crept toward the group
'Habeam,' dixit 'good rat soup—
Pingues sunt!'

Mice continued all gaudere
Intenti they in ludum vere
Gaudenter.
Tunc rushed the felis into them
Et tore them omnes limb from limb
Violenter.

MORAL.

Mures omnes: nunc be shy
Et aurem praebe mihi
Benigne
Si hoc facitis, *verbam sat*,
Avoid a Devilish big Tom Cat
Studiose.

VERSIO FABULA.

Prope foramini a cat
Intent with all her mente sat
For glires plotting.
In pavimeuto ran the mures
In number two or three aut plures,
Feles forgotten.

Pussy's eyes illos videre
'Puto' illa says 'habere
While they play.'
Repsit then, catervam usque,
Says 'Let's have gliremque jusque,
Fat are they.'

Joyful mures permanent,
On playing illi are intent,
Happily
Then in eos currit pussy
Omnes laniat os ab osse
Awfully.

CHRIA MORALIS.

Now, all mice, paventes este
And give attention unto me
Gratefully.
'Nuf ced' if this advice obeyed be
Tartareum felem evitate,
Carefully.

SENTENCES.—The Wilmington Journal says the two soldiers, Ryan and Carville, convicted of manslaughter, were sentenced to be branded and imprisoned for one year. The first part of the sentence was immediately executed.—They are now in prison undergoing the last.—Jesse Holley, the free mulatto, convicted of murder and arson, was sentenced to death.—The sentence will be carried into effect in a month.

LORD TIMOTHY DEXTER.—Most of our readers have probably heard of that singular and extraordinary character, Lord Timothy Dexter, of Newburyport. In looking over a file of our paper for 1801, says the Salem Register, we found the following characteristic specimen of his literary ability, copied *verbatim et literatim* from his own writing. It is a part of a schedule of the ornaments then already executed, and in contemplation, to be placed around his residence.

"The three Presidents, Doctor Franklin, John hen-Cock, and Mr. hamilton, and Roufous king, and John Jea. Two granedears on the top of the hous, four Lions below; one Eagle is on the Coupulow, one Lamb to lay down with one of the Lions—one Younocorn, one dogg, Adam and Eave in the garden—one horse. The boull is not concluded on as yet."

CINCINNATI, April 23.—The burning of the steamboat Pocahontas, heretofore reported, occurred on the 16th instant twenty miles below Napoleon, on the Mississippi river. The passengers and crew mostly saved themselves by clinging to drift wood in the river and thus reached Choctaw Island. Sixteen lives are thus far known to have been lost.

A CAPITAL PUN.—The Milwaukie Advertiser thus sums up the hanging question:—"After a careful consideration of all the arguments for and against capital punishment, we have come to the conclusion that the 'debt of nature' should never be paid, if it can't be collected without an 'execution.'"

TEXAS NEWS.

The N. O. Delta, publishes the details of Texas news by the Louisiana. The item of chief interest is the murder of J. P. Fulkerson, Sheriff, at Port Lavaca:

Augustus Sharkey, the murderer, is a late emigrant from Mississippi. He provoked a quarrel with a peaceable citizen of Lavaca, and attacked him with a slung shot. The weapon was wrested from him by a by stander and placed in sheriff Fulkerson's hands who had just then arrived and commanded the peace. Sharkey demanded it with a threat that he would have "it or him." Fulkerson went to Justice Maulding for a warrant, and Sharkey immediately got his rifle, went to Maulding's office, and without the least warning, shot Fulkerson in the heart, remarking, with demon like coolness and an oath, that he was the best shot in the State. He then made an attempt to escape on horseback, but was seized and ironed. A town meeting was called to consider the matter, and determined to let the law take its course. During its sitting and throughout the day, while intense excitement prevailed, Sharkey manifested the most reckless spirit—told them he had killed three men in Mississippi, and if he got away he would kill four others in Lavaca—and in every way defied an indignant and deeply afflicted people, while the blood of the victim was yet warm. Under such circumstances, in a community where the deceased was beloved by all, the sequel to the bloody scene, though an outrage, will not appear surprising. During the night following, the guilty man was seized and dragged from the hands of the officers, and in the morning was found suspended to the limb of a tree near by.

The following item shows that human life is held cheap in Texas:

A few weeks ago a young man namd John P. Street, went to Victoria having in charge a mulatto woman. A gentleman came on from Alabama in pursuit of him, as a negro thief. Street had suspected pursuit and left Victoria with the stolen woman, a day or two before the gentleman's arrival; he was followed by some citizens and overtaken in Lavaca county, when he drew a revolver and shot the woman dead and mortally wounded himself so that he died in about two hours.

The steamer Camden, decending the Brazos, struck a snag and sunk.

The Houston Telegraph has heard that some alarm is manifested in Washington county, owing to the conduct of the negroes on some of the plantations. It is suspected that negro thieves or abolitionists have been tampering with the slaves in that section.

The San Antonio Ledger says, there is no doubt but that the city and its vicinity is infested with as graceless a set of horse thieves, as the celebrated Murrel would have desired to lead in his palmiest days.

Chauncey Richardson, presiding elder in the M. E. Church for the Houston district, is dead.

The prospect for good crops is encouraging.

THE FLOOD IN THE RAPPAHANNOCK.—The Fredericksburg News says the amount of damage to the Rappahannock Canal will not exceed $1500. From the same paper we extract the following items:

It gives us pain to learn that our old friend Col. John A. Porter, of Orange, had his mill swept off. Our friend Commodore Ellis, had one of his boats with 700 bushels of wheat lost. Capt. Young (Commander in Chief of a fleet of boats on the Rappahannock Canal) lost one of his boats with flour, and his pocket book containing $100—himself and crew barely escaped with life, after swimming a long distance and subjected to several duckings. A boat and 180 barrels of flour were lost on Hazle river where serious damage, we learn, has been done the canal. Two wagons carrying merchandize to Culpeper, camped near Ely's Ford. When asleep at night, the water rose above their encampment, and aroused them from their slumbers not until they were immersed in the *reviving* beverage. With great difficulty the horses fastened to the wagons were rescued, the wagons then floating, drawn out by the drivers with all the goods seriously damaged. We have many such incidents.

CURE FOR TOOTH-ACHE.—Mr. James Beatson, of Airdrie, says: Gum Copal, when dissolved in chloroform, forms an excellent compound for stuffing the holes of decayed teeth. I have used it very frequently, and the benefit my patients have derived from it has been astonishing. The application is simple and easy. I clean out the hole, and moisten a little cotton with the solution: I introduce this into the decayed part, and in every instance relief has been most instantaneous. The chloroform removes the pain, and the gum copal resists the action of the saliva; and as the application is so agreeable, those who may labor under this dreadful malady would do well to make a trial of it.—*Medical Times and Jour. Dent. Scence*

THE TRAGEDY OF THE "NEW YORK AND ERIE RAILROAD."—We recently came across the following affecting extract taken from an unpublished play entitled, "Death and the New York and Erie Railroad, or forty miles an hour, and killed by daylight."

Edgar—Adieu, my life, my love.
Pauline—Say'st thou adieu?—
My mind misgives me, Edgar—strange fear
Sits like a heavy dumpling here, my life.
Ah, whither goest thou in this strange haste?
Edgar—Nay ask me not You rack my soul with sorrow.
Pauline—Speak, Edgar, I must know.
Edgar—Well, if I must, Pauline, to Dunkirk!
Pauline—To Dunkirk? No! no! no!
Edgar—Yes! by the *Erie Railroad!*
Pauline—Nay, then, *farewell forever!* All is o'er!

MINNESOTA.—A correspondent of the Albany Register writing from Minnesota says:

"It is a singular fact that the ordinary field birds and songsters so common in old settlements, and also the honey bee, unknown here before, have migrated hither with civilized man. The Indians say that the rattlesnakes follow in his wake also. Be that as it may, while they are numerous further down the Mississippi, they have not yet made their debut into this locality. In the neighborhood of Sauk Rapids, however, some have been killed where, it is said, they were never seen till recently."

THE TURKISH CRESCENT.—The Crescent was the ancient symbol of Byzantium, now Constantinople. Phillip, the father of Alexander, in besieging that city, set his workmen to undermine the walls, by night, that his troops might take it by surprise; but the moon suddenly appearing, discovered the design to the besieged who succeeded in frustrating it. Grateful for their deliverance, the Byzantines erected a statue to Diana—the moon—and took the crescent for their symbol.

A FRENCHMAN'S PASSION.—The Albany Dutchman says that the most amusing man in the world is a Frenchman in a passion.

"By gar you call my vife a voman three several times once more, and I will call de vatch house and blow off your brain like a candle, by dam."

WHIG STATE CONVENTION IN N. C.—The enterprising Petersburg Express of yesterday, contains the following telegraphic report of the organization of the Whig State Convention, which met at Raleigh, N. C., on the 26th inst.

RALEIGH, April 26, 1852.

The Whig State Convention assembled in this place to day, and was organized temporarily, by the calling of John Winslow, Esq., of Cumberland county, to the Chair.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The Convention re-assembled again this afternoon, and, on motion, F. P. Satterwhite, Esq., of Pitt county, was unanimously chosen President, and Messrs. Holt of the county of Alamance, Ramsey of the county of Chatham, Nathaniel Green and Calvert, Vice Presidents, Messrs. Gales, Editor of the Register, of this city, and Raboteau, of the Times, were unanimously chosen Secretaries.

Thirty-seven counties are ably represented by one hundred and forty members. An informal meeting will be held to-night. It is more than probable that John Kerr, Esq., of the county of Caswell, will be the nominee for Governor, it being generally understood the Hon. David Outlaw, present member of Congress from the Ninth Congressional District declines the nomination.

I have never seen a more intelligent or abler deliberative body assembled, and the most perfect harmony and good feeling prevailed throughout the assembly.—*Petersburg Express.*

NEW ORLEANS RACES.—The closing race on the Bingamin course came off on the 20th inst., winding up, says the Picayune, "the largest, and perhaps on more than one account, the most remarkable campaign witnessed in 'many a day.'"—The following is the summary:

TUESDAY, April 20, 1852.—Sweepstake for three year old colts and fillies—$100 subscription, p. p.—to which the proprietor adds a purse of $400—three mile heats.

Nominations.

H. L. French's b. f. Belle Key, by Sovereign, out of the dam of Ann Hays..... 2 1 1
W. J. Minor's b g. Berry, by Sovereign, dam by imp. Glencoe..... 1 2 2
A. L. Bingamin's ch. f. Hilariot, by imp. Glencoe, dam Fanny Wright..... dis.

Time.

	1st mile	2d mile	3d mile	Total
First Heat.....	1:51½	1:54½	1:53¾	5:39¾
Second Heat....	1:50½	1:53¾	1:55½	5:39¾
Third Heat.....	1:50½	1:57½	1:59½	5:47½

INTERESTING ARTESIAN WELL.—There is an Artesian Well, at the cotton factory of Joel Matthews, Esq., in Dallas county, Alabama, which is 710 feet 10 inches in depth, and which discharges 600 gallons of water per minute, or 864,000 gallons in twenty-four hours, exceeding any well in America. The water flows out with such force, that if pieces of stone as large as an egg, or a half-dollar, are thrown in, they are immediately ejected. The sand, gravel, &c., made by the auger, are also forced out by water, which is perfectly clear, limpid, and pleasant to the taste. The diameter of the well is a little over six inches, and it is Mr. Matthews' intention, as soon as he has had it tubed the entire distance now completed, to have the boring continued to a greater depth. This will make it, it is believed, the most wonderful Artesian Well in America.

"What is the best attitude for self defence?" said a pupil (putting on gloves,) to a well known pugilist. "Keep a civil tongue in your head," was the significant reply.

"I feel," said an old lady, "that I've got about through with this world. I shan't enjoy much more trouble, nor suffer much more comfort."

When prosperity was well mounted, she let go the bridle, and soon came tumbling out of the saddle.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.—We will sell a lot of about five acres of LAND, North-east of the city, just beyond the corporation line, improved with a neat, small dwelling house, handsomely enclosed, a kitchen, a barn, and an icehouse; together with other conveniences. The whole lot is under a good plank fence, is very productive, and has on it one of the best springs in the vicinity of the city. The situation is very high and healthy, and is altogether a most desirable retreat for a small family. For terms, apply to

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