Ouachita Telegraph.

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MONROE, LA., NOVEMBER 20, 1869.

Flirting School-Girls.

Boston is very much in trouble because the short-skirted girls of the high school will flirt. The police have been set upon the track, but notwithstanding their vigilance, the girls, with the assistance of nice younge men, do manage to get in a little flirt very frequently.

We don't know what manner of young men they have in Boston, to devote their time to flirting with school-girls. The idea is absurd. The little darlings are fresh and pretty, and sweet, as they trip their way to school under the weight of books they study, but do not understand, and would be none the wiser, practically, if they did; but they are not yet of that age to understand and enjoy the science of flirting any more than they do their books. They possess an idea that they are growing wise because they commit to memory from big books pages of heathen jargon they never can *learn*; and so also they think they are blossoming into womanhood when they attempt a flirt.

This is a serious mistake, for it not only does not make the girl a woman, but it manifests clearly how little the young miss knows of heart-triflings. She doesn't understand the conversation directed to her, and she can say but little that is understood by her assistant flirt. She doesn't really enjoy the amusement, and in nine cases in ten, if the truth is known, it will be ascertained that she does it simply to excise the jealousy of Charley, or Tommy, or some other whom she really thinks she loves, but whom she forgets when she leaves the schooll.

At another term she will make new acquaintances and conquests, only to forget them as she has those before. And finally, as she is whirled away into society she is caught in the golden web of some matured masculine, who will bring her a future of joy and happiness, or of misery and sorrow, just as he and she shall choose, and as hearts shall agree

The earnest, companionable school-girl has too much sense to flirt, for she is striving to win those accomplishments that will make her happy in the days to come. She is content to know that the mission and duty of her girlhood is to learn, not to trifle, and one who feels and appreciates this is one who will make those she loves, and those who love her, happy beyond all consiedration.—*New York Democrat.*

A diabolical plot to rob and murder in Ascension Parish, La., was happily discovered and frustrated on Monday of last week. Two white men carrying a large package, called at the residence of Mr. A. Colomb, near Donaldsonville, and asked permission of of Mrs. C. (Mr. C. being absent) to deposite the bundle for a short time, promising to return for it, as it was very valuable. The package was deposited in a room of the house, the two men taking their departure. Shortly afterwards Mrs. Colomb passing near the package discovered that it moved. Being satisfied that such was the fact, she sent immediately for the overseer or manager of the plantation, who came armed, and upon seeing the movement again in the package, shot it with a gun, which caused blood to flow therefrom. He proceeded to open it, and a negro man was found killed therein; armed with a revolver and a large knife. Just then the two white men came rapidly to the house for the purpose of assisting the negro, when the manager of the place shot and killed one of them, the other man making his escape. The opinion is that the partie were under the impression that Mr. Colomb had considerable money in his house, and took advantage of his absence to commit the contemplated robbery.

We now hear of the Manchester mills contemplating a transfer to the East Indies, and of the mills in the north of France upon the eve of removal to the south of that country, on account of the greater prospective accessibility to the outcoming exports of the Suez canal. For similar reasons is Northern capital moving Southward, and inaugurating its operations in the heart of the great cotton-producing region. It may not surprise us, indeed to find at no distant day the Lowells of New England built, immensely greater, upon the soil of the South, and the spindles of the Merrimac transferred to the more prolific and congenial rivers of the Gulf States.

A number of Jewish rabbis, from the principal cities of the Union, are in conference on the subject of reform in the Jewish Chuch. They adopted a resolution abolishing the use of prayers in Hebrew as unintelligible to the masses, disclaiming the doctrine of bodily resurrection, or the removal of the Jewish state by segregation from all other nations, and declaring the Aaronic Priesthood, and the Mosaic Sacrificial worships to have been merely preparatory steps to Israel's national Priesthood, and therefore things of the past to be practiced in their educational capacities, and not to be practical.

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