

They are something so divine... They're what we feel but can't define.

It is exceedingly difficult to describe a woman by telegraph, at least such is the belief probably now entertained by Marshal Gallier of Sedalia.

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A preacher in a Scottish town took up a collection one recent Sunday, and found when his hat was returned that there wasn't a cent in it.

"Little Tommy didn't disobey mamma, and go in swimming, did he?" "No, mamma; Jimmy Brown and the rest of the boys went in, but I remembered, and would not disobey you."

Capt. Jack, a few days before his execution, asked the chaplain, who was trying to give him spiritual consolation, if he knew all about God and the happy land.

A good mother was trying to explain to a young hopeful in town the other day about fighting against the devil. After telling the little fellow who the devil was, and how hard he was to successfully resist, he turned around and said: "Mamma, I'd be scared of the old devil, but if I was to come across one of his little devils I'd knock the stuffing out of him."

At Banbury, in Scotland, lately, the parish school master, out of curiosity, put the question to the scholars, "What is nothing?" A pause ensued until an urchin whose proclivities for turning a penny were well-known among his school-fellows, got up and replied, "It's when a man asks you to hold his horse and just says thank ye."

The Present Government of the Bank of England.

I remember once, in London, to have seen a young man with locks parted in the middle and abundant watch chain, and to have been greatly surprised when told that he was a director of the bank of England.

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There are twenty-four directors besides the governor and deputy-governor. This board is thought to be too large. It meets but once a week, and can then sit but for a short time.

A lot of minstrels went to a town not far from Boston lately, and advertised to give a performance for the benefit of the poor—tickets reduced to ten cents.

Ink is one of the things in which modern science seems to have made very little improvement. A recent analysis of the ink found on a manuscript of the year 910, showed that its composition was similar to that of the inks now in general use.

A Chinaman came down one of the main streets of Millerton, California, on election day, in a state of exaltation, and thus delivered himself: "Hoop la! me all same Melican man. Hair cut short and drunk like h—h. Hoop la!"

Dr. James Waldron, of Platte county having taken unto himself two wives, has been arrested for bigamy. A man who wants two wives in such times as these must be laboring under strong emotional insanity.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE.—Whereas, T. Shelton Olery, by his deed of trust, dated the 15th day of March, 1871, and recorded in book No. 3 at page 45 in the Recorder's office of Lincoln county, Missouri, did convey to E. H. Thompson the real estate hereinafter described, in trust, to secure the payment of a certain promissory note therein described, and whereas said note is due and unpaid, and whereas the said E. H. Thompson, trustee as aforesaid, is dead, and whereas according to the conditions of said trust, the acting Sheriff of said county in the event aforesaid is authorized to sell said property; now, therefore, at the request of the legal holder of said note, and by virtue and authority and the power in and deed contained notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned Sheriff of Lincoln county, will, on Saturday, December 13, 1873, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and three o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the court house door in the town of Troy, Lincoln county, Missouri, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash in hand the following described real estate, situated in Lincoln county, Missouri, or so much thereof as will satisfy said note and the cost of executing this trust, to-wit: One-fifth part of 200 acres, being part of a league originally owned by Choctaw, purchased by said Rogers from G. S. E. Vaughn and wife by deed dated the 15th day of June, 1852, and recorded in book L, pages 45 and 46, in the Recorder's office, county of Lincoln, which said land was by decree of the Circuit Court of Lincoln county, made at the April term for 1868, and said decree is recorded in book G of the Circuit Court records of said county on page 606, and by virtue of said decree one-fourth of the above 200 acres was vested in said Shelton Olery, containing 64 acres, described as follows: bounded on south by Gabriel Thompson, on west by Alfred Hooks, north by Thomas Diggs, on the east by Alice Winn, containing 64 acres, all in survey 1743, township 31, range 1 east. THOS. M. CARTER, Sheriff Lincoln Co. nov12nd45

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—WHEREAS Martin T. Britton and Lucina A. Britton his wife by their deed of trust, dated the 15th day of March, 1872, of record in Book 2, at page 120, in the Recorder's office of Lincoln county, Missouri, did convey to the undersigned trustee the following described lot or parcel of ground, situate, lying and being in the county of Lincoln, in the state of Missouri to-wit: beginning at a corner on the line of Thomas J. Wright, deceased, and Jacob Sherry, and running along that line in a southerly direction nine hundred and forty-four (944) feet; from thence in a westerly direction five hundred and thirty-two (532) feet; from thence back to the place of beginning eight hundred and sixty-three (863) feet, and containing five and three-quarters of an acre, more or less; the said parcel including a part of two public roads, known as the Washington and Mexican roads, it being the same land bought by the said Martin T. Britton from Levi Hinkel and wife, and by said Hinkel from Thomas J. Wright, now deceased; which conveyance was made in trust to secure the payment of a certain promissory note in said deed fully described, and whereas default has been made in the payment of said note, now, therefore, at the request of the legal holder of said note, and in accordance with the provisions in said deed of trust, I the undersigned trustee will On Saturday, December 13, 1873, sell the above described property at public vendue to the highest bidder, for cash, at the court house door in the town of Troy, county of Lincoln and state of Missouri, to satisfy said note and interest thereon, and also the cost and expense of carrying out this trust. nov12nd45 JOHN B. KNOX, Trustee.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—WHEREAS, Martin T. Britton, by his deed of trust, dated the 23d day of October, 1873, and recorded in book No. 3 at page 384, in the Recorder's office of Lincoln county, Missouri, did convey to Geo. W. Colbert the personal property hereinafter described in trust to secure the payment of certain promissory notes therein described, and whereas said notes are due and unpaid, now, therefore, at the request of the legal holder of said notes, and by virtue and authority and power in said deed contained, notice is hereby given that on Monday, November 24, 1873, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and three o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the stand now occupied by the said Martin T. Britton as a store house, I will sell at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash the following described personal property, situate in Lincoln county, Missouri, or so much thereof as will satisfy said notes and cost of executing this trust, to-wit: All the stock of dry goods, clothing, boots and shoes, hats and caps, hardware, queensware, groceries, and all other stock of goods, whatsoever now owned by the said Martin T. Britton, and being now situate in the two-story frame building on the west side of Main street in Troy, Mo., and occupied by the said Martin T. Britton as a general store; also all the goods of any kind whatsoever which may have been purchased by the said Martin T. Britton for the purpose of carrying on his business as merchant in said town of Troy, Mo. nov13 GEO. W. COLBERT, Trustee.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. A Notice is hereby given that letters of administration were granted to the undersigned on the estate of Mary Cantriel, dec., by the Clerk of the Probate Court of Lincoln county, Missouri, on the 24th day of October, 1873. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them to the administrator for allowance within one year from the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate and if not exhibited within two years from the date of said letters they will be forever barred. nov12p JOS. CANTRIEL, Adm'r.

STRAY NOTICE.—Strayed from the undersigned, a light bay horse mule, 5 years old, nearly 15 hands high, a small splint knot on the inside of each fore leg just below the knee, a small wart on the right fore leg just under one of the splint knots aforesaid, mane shaved rather close, tail not quite so much demoralized. Also a large black bay horse, 15 1/2 hands high, 7 years old, clubbed headed, very thick between the eyes, has every appearance of being a perfect desperado. Information of the above stock will be thankfully received and their return to me rewarded five dollars worth.

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