FELICIANA DEMOCRAT.

CURRAN'S INGENUITY.—A farmer attending a fair with a hundred pounds in his pocket, took the precaution of depositing it in the hands of the landlord of the public house at which he stopped. Having occasion for it shortly afterwards, he resorted to mine host for payment. But the landlord, too deep for the countryman, wondered what he meant, and was quite sure no such sum had ever been lodged in his hands by the astonished rustic. After ineffectual appeals to the recollection, and finally to the honor of Bardolph, the farmer applied to Curran for advice.

"Have patience my friend" said the counselor, "speak to the landlord civi'ly-tell him you have left your money with some other person. Take a friend with you and lodge with him another hundred in the presence of your friend and come to me."

He did so and returned to his legal friend.

"And now I can't see how I am going to be the better off for this, if I got my second hundred back again; but how is that to be done?"

"Go and ask him for it when he is alone," said the counsel.

"Aye sir, asking won't do I'm afraid, without my witness at any rate."

"Never mind, take my advice," said the counsel—"do as I bid you and return to me."

The farmer returned with his hundred, glad to find that safely in his possession.

"Now sir, I must be content, but I don't see I'm much better off."

"Well, then," said the council, "now take your friend with you, and ask the landlord for the hundred pounds your friend saw you leave with him."

We need not add that the wily landlord found he had been taken off his guard, while our honest friend returned to thank his counsel, exultingly, with both hundred in his pocket.

WASHINGTON AND HIS MOTHER.—As it had been popularly known, for several weeks before the votes of the electors were officially canvassed, that Washington was unanimously chosen President, his preparations for entering upon the duties of the office were all completed before the arrival of Mr. Thompson at Mount Vernon, on the fourteenth of April. In a letter to General Knox, he says, "As to myself this delay may be compared to a reprieve; for in confidence I tell you, (with the world it would obtain little credit,) that my movements to the seat of government will be accompanied with feelings not unlike those of a culprit who is going to the place of execution, so unwilling am I, in the evening of life, nearly consumed in public cares, to quit a peaceful abode for an ocean of difficulties." He, however informed Mr. Thompson that at the end of two days he would be ready to accompany him, and in the meantime paid a visit to his venerable mother in Fredericksburg. On coming into her presence, "The people, madam, have been pleased, with most flattering unanimity, to elect me to the chief magistracy of the United State; but before I can assume the functions of that office, I have come to bid you an affectionate farewell. So soon as the public business, which must necessarily be encountered in arranging a new government can be disposed of, I shall hasten to Virginia, and"— Here she interrupted him: "You will see me no more," she said; "my great age, and the disease that is rapidly approaching my vitals, warn me that I shall not be long in this world. I trust in God I am somewhat prepared for a better. But go, George; fulfil the high destinies which Heaven appears to assign you: go, my son, and may that Heaven's and your mother's blessing be with you always." He was deeply affected; his head rested on the shoulder of his aged parent, whose arm feebly yet fondly encircled his neck. The scene was full of the most touching sublimity. Both the mother and son were dissolved in tears at the thought that they were embracing each other for the last time. There is no fame in the world more pure than of the mother of Washington; and no woman, since the mother of Christ, has left a better claim to the affectionate reverence of mankind.

In his diary he wrote on the evening of the sixteenth: "About 10 o'clock I bade adieu to Mount Vernon, to private life, and to domestic felicity; and, with a mind oppressed with more anxious and painful sensations than I have words to express, set out for New York, with Mr. Thompson and Colonel Humphreys, with the best disposition to render service to my country in obedience to its call, but with less hopes of answering its expectations."—*Olive Branch.*

MANAGEMENT OF CHILDREN.—There are two methods of bringing up children. The one strives to accomplish this by force and restraint, making no allowance for the diversity of temperament constantly occurring, treating the natural buoyancy and hilarity of childhood as if they were the exception and not the rule; and in short trying to crush out the tendency to evil, which in the most favored dispositions exist only in too great a proportion. The other method, taking into view the elements of each character, by studying its development watching its tendencies, and estimating the vigor and intensity of its operation, anticipates every movement, guides its impulses into safe channels, and smooths from its path obstacles which might impede its progress. In the former as a result we get only the difference of the forces; in the latter the sum of all. We think facts will bear out the assertion that restraint has failed as a rule for the management of children and that it is beyond dispute that more frequent instances of hopes blighted by the profligacy of children have occurred under that than under a less stringent form of government. Experience shows that government to be the strongest which makes the least display of its force, and a spirit of stubborn obstinacy is often awakened by the very means employed to overcome opposition.

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