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POTRY.

THE LAST MILESTONES.

BY "PEARL RIVERS."

Sixty years through shine and shadow—
Sixty years, my gentle wife,
You and I have walked together,
Down the rugged read of life.
From the hills of Spring we started,
And through all the Summer land,
And the faithful Autumn country,
We have journeyed hand in hand.

We have borne the heat and burden, Toiling painfully and slow ; We have gathered in our harvest, With rejoicing long ago.
Leave the uplands for our chilren, They are strong to sow and reap, Though the quiet Winter lowlands, Our level way we keep.

'Tis a dreamy country darling, You and I are passing through; But the road lies straight before us, And the miles are short and few ; more dangers to encounter-No more hills to climb, true friend, Nothing now but simple walking Till we reach our journey's end.

We have had our time of gladness, 'Twas a proud and happy day,
Ah! the proudest of our journey,
When we felt that we could say, Of the children God has given,
Look fondly on the ten,
"Lovelywo men are our daughters—

Our sons are noble men!" We have h d our time of sorrow-We have he dour time of sorrow— Our time of anxious fears, When we could not see the milestones Through the blindness of our tears. In the sunny Summer country, Far behind us, fittle May And Willie, too grew weary, And we left them on the way.

Are you looking backward, mother, That you stumble in the snow? I am still your guide and staff dear, Lean your weight upon me, so!
Our road is growing narrow,
And what is it, wife you say?
Yes! I know our eyes are dim, dear,
But we have not lost the way.

Cheer thee! cheer thee! faithful-hearted Cheer thee! cheer thee! faithful-hearte
Just a little way before,
Lies the great Eternal City
Of the King that we adore,
I can see the shining spires;
And the King, the King, my dear,
We have served him long and humbly;
He will bless us, do not fear;

Ah! the snow fulls fast and heavy;
How you shiver with the cold, Let me wrap your mantle closer,
And my arm around you fold.
We are weak, and faint, and weary,

And the sun low in the west; We have reached the gates my darling, Let us tarry here and rest.

Wimpy, Wogan & Co. In as much as we published the corres-Georgia, and Wogan & Co., Counterfeit-

January 14th, 1870. That paper says: The certificates attached below are entitled to full force and credit as some of them are from the very best citizens of the sixth (Ga.,) Congressional District.

To the Public.

There having been published a correspondence between certain parties in New York City and myself, in the New York Tribune of the 18th ultimo., and afterwards copied into other newspapers of the State, from which it would appear, I was acting in concert with them in circulating spurious money. In justice to myself, I beg leave to say to the public, that I am the author of the letters, and the identical person represented in them; but the mo-tive which prompted me to cugage in this correspondence was just the reverse of letters from these parties, proposing to sell them counterfeit money, manufactured so perfectly as to defy detection, which caused much concern here. To protect the good people of my county, I took the responsibility, right or wrong, to ferret out and detect these parties in New York, Garden and Farming Hardware, and others in this section, who might be guilty of circulating spurious money in our midst. As to my intention in this matter, before I wrote the letters referred Raw - Bone Super - Phosphate, to, and soon thereafter, in a quiet and safe manner, I communicated to several good and responsible citizens of my town and other counties in my district, some of whom have been kind enough to furnish me with statements, hereto annexed, cor-coborating the same. I could furnish oththe public, I have this, with the accom-

panying statements, published. Those who know me even in the absence

January 5th, 1870. | many confidents.

I, Wm. D. Bently, Ordinary of Forsyth Yours, Very Truly, county, Ga., having been called upon to

make a statement under my official signature, of a conversation which took place between the Hon. John A. Wimpy, of Dahlonega, Go., and myself, relative to spurious money, which some New York companies were proposing to distribute through the country, who styled them-selves Wogan & Co., and other firms of New York and other places. Several of our citizens having received an offer from said companies, I was at loss to know the real intention. The parties consequently I frequently asked the opinion of those I supposed could give me some information. I asked Mr. Wimpy his opinion, and, as well as I now revenue to the presented him at one time.

I asked Mr. Wimpy his opinion, and, as well as I now revenue to the presented him at one time. well as I now romember, he rhmarked that, unless some stops were taken to prevent the circulation of this spurious currency, it would, no doubt, flood the country, and that he, Wimpy, had, at that time, entered into a correspondence with Wogan & Co., or some other company; I do not remem-ber which, in order to ferret out and detest parties in this section, as well as parties in New York, who were engaged in that illegal traffic. This was about the last of October, or first of November, 1869. Given under my hand and seal of Ordinary's office of Forsyth county, Ga.
WM. D. BENTLY, Ord'y-

State of Georgia, Lumpkin County. I, Alfred Harris, a Notary Public, and Ex-Officio Justice of the Pence in and for said county and State, do hereby certify that about the first of October, 1869, in the town of Dahlonega, in said county, Hon. John  $\Lambda$ . Wimpy stated to me in a equiversation, that he was then endeavoring to detect some parties in this section and New York, who were supposed to be engaged in the business of circulating spurious currency among our people. And afterwards, on or about the 15th of the same month, in the law office of said Wimpy, in the presence of Dr. M. H. VanDyke, who then expressed fears that counterfeit money would be circulated here to a great extent, said, in reply to enquiries made by said M. H. VanDyke, is so dirty it cannot shut its eyes." it in the most positive terms, that he understood the whole matter, and that he was after them and believed he would certainly catch them. Having known Mr. Wimpy for many years, as a citizen and lawyer

in this county, I must say, in justice to him, that I do not and cannot believe that he entered correspondence with correspondence with Wogan of the state of the state

ALFRED HARRIS,

In as much as we published the correspondence between John A. Wimpy, of Col. John A. Wimpy, Dahlonega, Ga. ers, of New York, we give place in our ceived. In answer, can say: About the columns to the following defence of Mr. first of this month, in a conversation, you Wimpy, which we find published in the stated to me that you was then trying to Dahlonega, (Ga.,) Mountain Signal, of detect some parties for counterfeiting.

a circular letter, handed me by John A. les don't agree with me." Wootten, Ceronor of our county, offering to sell counterfeit money, manufactured so perfectly as to defy detection, and asked you if some means could not be adopted to save this remote section from being imposed on by this spurious currency, you answered in an emphatic manner, that you ing some court business with you. I do not remember to have had any further conversation, or to have heard you speak about it at any other time, or place, und, I will add, that I do not, for one moments I will add, that I do not, for one moments I will add, that I do not, for one moment, believe that you entered into that affair with any other than good and honest mo-Respectfully, on willer tives.

rareld beats, and rising DAHLONEGA, Ga., Jan. 8th, 1870.

HON. JOHN A. WIMPY : Dear Sir :- You ask me to sny if any and what, conversation you had at my store, in relation to the circular letters sent into this section of country, by Wogan & Co., and others, offering to sell spuer and more statements of the same char-acter if it were necessary to do so.

In order to place my self right before or Government officers, I can only say piece of as to defy detection by experts and bank or Government officers, I can only say that much feeling and anxiety, at that time, was expressed by many of our citizens, on that subject, you may have said to me at my store, that you intended to Those who know me even in the absence of confidence in my integrity, will not do my understanding such gross injustice as two believe I would hazzard my social and political standing by writing such letters and trusting them to the mail-bags and I do the proficered counterfeiters, but this will be was informed that it had belonged to the proficered counterfeiters, but this of the proficered counterfeiters, but this will be was informed that it had belonged to Roman helmet for sale, teld the committee were adopted with shight and an antique medifications. A long debete was had an amusement."

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Fun and Frolie.

"Are you fond of toungue, sir it of A Tennesseeant Followed Pharty was always fond of tounge, madam, and I miles by Kansas Robbers.

Why is it probable that King Charles I. consented to be executed? Because they axed him whether he would or not.

A schoolmaster said to himself, "I am

ike a hone; I sharpen a number of blades, but I wear myself out in doing it." Why does the letter B in the word ju-

bilee resemble a secret known only to us two ! Because it is between you and I. A coquette may be compared to tinder,

A young lady being asked whether she

If New York is 108 miles from Albany, how many ladies would it take to reach from thence to New York ? Ans. 108; because a miss is as good as a mile.

"I wonder this child don't go to sleep," said an anxious mother to a female friend, "Well, I don't," replied the lady, "its face

A young lady intending to paint her checks with rouge, put all the paint on har nose, and did not discovered her error until she was requested to "sign the pleage?"

Theodore Hook, meeting a friend just after leaving the King's Bench Prison, who said to him that he was getting fat, "Yes," replied Hook. I was enlarged to day,"

In a dispute between a Wewer and a toper, the former said, "I'll be your butten of the door."

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"Is there any harm'in broating eyg shells?"
"Certainly not, my dear, but why do you ask; "Cause I depend the basket just now, and see what a mess I'm in with the

concuitant ademption of encolumnient to the duties of your profession, and so spirituality and other alised contention of must I to mine," and immediately knock T. H. Kilgo. subsultory concretion,

RIDING FOR LIFE of And I

Why did Adam, when alone, find the day very long? Because it was piways morning without Ever.

When within about thirty miles of this city, he stopped at a store on the road, kept by a man named Garrison, near Spring Hill, at which he bought some tobacco and a pipe. Not having sufficient change to pay for thom, the was forced to expose some large bills which he had in a seperate pocketbook, which he had not been in the habit of pulling out on all

from the Commencies Two men in the store at the time nowhich lays itself out to catch sparks but does not always succeed in lighting a match.

Why is a man searching for the philose aphar's stone like Neptune? Because his is a sea-king (seeking) what never existed:

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I wo mean the store at the time not ticed his money—some seven or eight hundred dellars—and which excited the suspicion of Mra Headington, and missing the store at the time not time not the store at the store argred, and when he attempted to buy a pistol from the merchant, after telling him his suspicions, he was laughed at for According to the laws of retaliations pistol from the merchant, after telling what right have you to pick an outistic him his suspicious, he was faughed at for pocket? Because he has pictures (picked: his fears, and bade go on without bothering bimself furthers one mood avail doese

Mr. Headington did ride oug directly would wear a wig when her hair turned and as he had much prairie to go gray the gray, replied with great cornestness. When the had a good opportunity to keep clear of danger. He had probably rich four unites, when in looking back, he saw two mon approaching. These men gained upon him, passed him and spoke to bim, and Mr. Headington at once recognized them as the two men of the store. It was late, and he felt a little uneasy, but he galloped up, passed the men uguing and went on several miles to a house, where he put up?

for the night, or traiden and the should to an hour after he arrived who should ritte but thus same men f. They also sought for ledgings and obtained them. and when the hour for retiring ourno siles were put in separate rooms. Twice ditt-

ALERD HARRS, Not. Pub. and Ex-Offsic J. P., of Lump. Co. Ga.

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 22d, 1869.

Col. Join A. Wimpy, Dahlonega, Ga. 1

Dear Sir:—Yours 21st inst. is received. In answer, can say: About the first of this month, in a conversation, you stated to, me that you was then trying to detect some partins for counterfeiting.

Respectfully,

P. O'Connon.

Daillonega, Ga., Jan. 8th, 1870.

Hon. John A. Wimpy

Dear Sir:—In answer to your inquiry whether you at any time had a conversation, what is not? "Woman!" said his friend. "Wot, I beg leave to say that I do remember that some time in the month of October last, in your office, I handed you a circular letter, handed me by John A. Wootler Coronea for word and freely made and it is one of the finest things in the word and it is one of the finest things in the word account of the control of the came up again upon this start as possible. 'It is had probably get, within five or six miles of this city, who is the tensor but of the came up again upon this start as possible. 'It is had probably get, within five or six miles of this city, who is the first of this of the possible. 'It is had probably get, within five or six miles of this city, who is the interesting the came up again upon this start as possible. 'It is had probably get, within five or six miles of the latter, within the or six miles of the latter, "How the private of the word within the or six miles of the latter, "How the private of the came up again upon this start as possible. 'It is had probably within the of whether the private of the man within the came of the fine of the sail call within the came up a house of the fine and the call within the or was the nearly was coming to thinber very soon, and he believed that there was the house where the private of was the house where the private of was the house where the house where the private of the word was the house where the private of the would be probably and freely and the month of the contr start as possible. He had probably got, within five or six miles of this city, whom

addition, the two men hadagkined on himles A man in New Hampshire, who according to the best information, is 106 years, horse into a gallop, the poor beast could of old, is said to have just left off the use of not go beyond a trota They had probably tobacco, because "its effects are injurious, gotton within the hundred yards of Head Jun and it tends to shorten life." Area and it tends to shorten life." The son of a fend father, when going to Toad two farmers rode down on their wood that attributed to me. About the first of October last several of the citizens of Dahlonega received confidential circular. Dahlonega received confidential circular one of the commy. His parent replied, "I and held up. on Without explaining on your last them, at the same time Esquire Alfred one of the commy. His parent replied, "I and held up. on Without explaining on your last them, at the same time Esquire Alfred one of the commy. His parent replied, "I and held up. on Without explaining on your last them, at the same time Esquire Alfred one of the commy. His parent replied, "I and held up. on Without explaining on your last them." Harris, of this town, was present transact- should be glad to see you come home with- thing to them connected with the chase, no

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