Disunionists is not a speculative question of Philanthropy; it is an issue between the supremacy of the Constitution and power of the government, and the subversion of the law of the country.

The amendmedt of Mr Giddings was voted down after an incidental debate.

The resolutions referring the several branches of the President's message, were concurred in by the House: after which the committee rose.

Mr. Schenck again inaffectually endeavored to offer a resolution directing the Committee of Ways and Means to report a bill appropriating money to fit out the ship Pennsylvania to convey American products to the World's Fair at London. Adj.

TERRIBLE CALAMITY.

BURNING OF THE INSANE HOSPITAL AT AUGUSTA—LOSS OF MANY LIVES.

We gather from the Age and Journal, Augusta papers, the following particulars of this melancholy event, which took place last Wednesday morning.

As we write, (Wednesday morning, Dec. 4,) the noble structure for the accommodation of the insane, erected by the State, (aided by private munificence) at an expense of more than $200,000, is burning. Already the entire south wings are a complete ruin; all above the second story of the central section is in the same condition, and the remainder is in imminent hazard of being entirely destroyed.

The fire was first discovered this morning, between two and three o'clock. It is supposed to have originated in the air chamber contiguous to the furnace in the old south wing, (situated between the central section and the new south wing.) There are but few dwellings in the vicinity of the hospital, and considerable time elapsed before the alarm of fire was communicated to many of our citizens.—Unfortunately the engine belonging to this city was not in working condition, having a day or two since been taken to pieces for repairs. The arsenal engine went to the rescue as early as practicable, and the Hallowell engines were prompt; but the latter were three miles from the fire, and did not get into play until six, and then, there being no adequate supply of water, they had to work from the river, a quarter of a mile distant, and more than two hundred feet below the elevation of the hospital.

The first efforts of the officers and attendants were divided between attempts to stay the flames, and to rescue the inmates. The last was seriously impeded, and in many instances rendered impossible, by the dense issue of gas and smoke proceeding from the air chamber through the flues of the galleries. One of the attendants, Mr. James P. Weeks, was seriously injured in attempting to rescue those under his charge; we are informed that it is doubtful whether he will recover. Another, Mr. Henry Jason is at present missing; the last that was known of him being his efforts to save human life. Owing to the suffocating fumes several of the inmates are known to have perished—how many, we cannot now say. They were all males, situated in the old south wing. Those in the female galleries were all saved.

Much difficulty was experienced in removing the insane, some of whom had to be forced out of the building. Others, after being put out, would rush back. One poor fellow, after being twice taken away, ran back to his gallery and perished.

There were 124 inmates of the hospital, of whom we were informed, some 70 males occupied the wings in which the fire raged.

Large numbers of the inmates were necessarily turned loose at once, and are wandering at random. Many others were taken to the jail, to the alms-house, and to the dwellings of our citizens.

Towns and individuals are earnestly requested to send agents and remove the insane, who are, by this calamity, left without suitable provision for their wants.

Some of the poor maniacs were found by those of our citizens who first approached the scene, wandering away, half-clothed, barefooted and almost perisng from the cold. The houses on the road were readily opened to them, and the best of care bestowed.

The Hospital is over a mile from the city, and our people could not be alarmed at that dead hour of the night in season to render much assistance. Over an hour had elapsed before many had arrived.

Very little water was to be found about the premises; and we think the Legislature has very unwisely neglected the construction of proper and ample reservoirs, and the purchase of a small engine for the establishment. Had these been at hand last night, the whole building might have been saved. As it is, it will cost from $30,000 to $50,000 to re-construct it.

THURSDAY, AFTERNOON, Dec. 5.

We have obtained from the officers of the Insane Hospital the following list of the patients known to have been saved from the fire, and of those still missing. The surnames only were furnished us; the records not being at hand, the first names and residences could not be given.

The *female* patients, 47 in number, were all removed in safety, having been in the north wing. The *male* patients numbered 79, as follows:

KNOWN TO BE SAVED. Barnum, Vickory, Dunham, Kezer, Lewis, Wheeler, Knights, Golding, M'Garrett, Butterfield, Morton, Howard, Moore, Robbins, Robinson, Minot, Shayes, Hemenway, Leper, John Jones, Copeland, Spencer, Stearns, Boardman, Mathews, Woodbury, Noreross, Coburn, White, Evans, Dargan, Mudget, Springer, Pressey, Coffin, Ambrose Jones, Sanborn, Hanscom, Umberhind, Kin'Kennan, Maxwell, Forsyth, Staples, Mc Curdy, Pond, Hart, Brown, Dwyer, Smalley, Crowley, Otis—51.

DEAD OR MISSING. Linscott of Bangor, (taken out almost suffocated, and since dead,) Armstrong of Gardner, Wyman of Readfield, Richards, Willis, M'Lellan, Pineo, Hodsdon, Harlow, Dennison, M'Vay, Payson, Norwood, Fuller, Rarry, Blake, Atkinson, Nat. Wilson, Pierce, Kinsel, Dennet, Heath, Carriel, Flink, Foster, Green, Jacobs, McKenzie—28.

The remains of eight bodies only have as yet been taken out, although there can be but little doubt that as many as 20 patients perished by suffocation.

Mr. Henry Jones, an assistant, lost his life while nobly striving to save the poor inmates. Much praise is due to many of the attendants, indeed, for their courageous efforts in behalf of the sufferers.

Regarding the causes of this most lamentable catastrophe, and the degree of blame attributable to any one, we shall say nothing, until the jury of inquest shall render its verdict. The inquest was commenced this afternoon, and will probably be continued for several days.

The building is in better condition than was at first supposed—a large portion of the walls being uninjured. The north wing is saved entire, and part of the main building. The whole main front is saved; and the north, east and west walls of the new south wing, together with a portion of the walls of the old south wing, are in sound condition, and we think will not have to be taken down.—Very little water reached any portion of the walls, as they are all lined with brick.

The stables, lodges, and out buildings were all preserved.

The "Deluge" engine of this city, (its repairs having been completed,) together with the "Uncle Sam," were on the spot throughout the day yesterday, and the Deluge during last night—extinguishing the remains of the fire.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10. The President and his Lady had a brilliant public reception today which was attended by a large number of ladies and gentlemen. Attorney General Crittenden in the Supreme Court concluded an able argument for the dismissal of case of Jesse Hoyt against the United States, for irregularity of their bill of exceptions. Mr. Webster will reply to-morrow. The case involves two hundred thousand dollars. R. H. Bayard has been nominated as U. S. Charge at Brussels, and Professor Haddock, of Dartmouth as Charge at Lisbon. The Tehuantepec Treaty with Mexico has been completed, and an express messenger despatched with it.

MARYLAND REFORM CONVENTION.—Annapolis, Dec. 10.—A series of resolutions were reported to-day, by the special committee, in favor of the compromise measures of the last session of Congress. The third resolution declares, that while the several acts of Congress, on this subject, are in some respects oppressive to the South, nevertheless—viewing them as parts of an entire system, to be adhered and maintained as a whole, proceeding on the basis of compromise, and intended to be an adjustment of so many critical questions, to quiet the public agitation, and perpetuate the Union—they have, therefore, received the acquiescence of Maryland.

The resolutions also declare that the Fugitive Slave law cannot be repealed, or disregarded and resisted by the North, without leading to a dissolution of the Union.

THE VERY LATEST NEWS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.

Various Matters.

The Board of Aldermen, last evening passed a vote of thanks to Capt. Hovey and crew of the Devonshire, for their exertions in rescuing the sufferers on board the Helena Steman.

A telegraphic despatch from Charleston, announces the arrest of Marcus Cicero Stanley, a fugitive from justice from New York.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.

Confirmations.

The Senate confirmed Mr. Bayard as Charge to Brussels, and Prof. Haddock as Charge to Lisbon. The River and Harbor bill it is expected will soon pass.

Mr. Webster speaks in the Supreme Court, to-morrow, on Jesse Hoyt's case.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10. The meeting at Richmond, Saturday evening, to condemn the President for not quelling the Boston excitement, and in favor of non-intercourse, was a failure.

FROM CALIFORNIA.—REMOVAL OF SLAVES. Our present Constitution being now the sanctioned law of California, slavery will not be tolerated within its borders; and those who have brought slaves within the boundaries of the State, under the impression that that ours would eventually become a slave State, will have to remove them or set them free. The coming legislature, in justice to citizens of the Southern States, who have brought their slaves into California, will no doubt pass a law specifying a time within which all slaves shall be removed. Many southern men, in ignorance of the provisions of our constitution, and others believing that at least the Southern portion of California, would be erected into a slave territory, have brought their laborers within the State. We suppose there will be no objection to their removal, and that the title to such property will not be impaired by their limited residence in this new free State.—*Stockton Journal.*

MESSAGE OF THE GOVERNOR OF OHIO,—Gov. Ford's Message to the Ohio Legislature was read on the 4th inst. The finances of the State are represented to be in a very prosperous condition; the public debt having been reduced $1,273,921, in the course of 5 years, and there being $750,000 now on hand to be applied to the same purpose. The Gov. recommends a thorough revision of the statutes on Education, and the establishment of an efficient system of common schools. Another Lunatic Asylum is said to be necessary. A State Reform School is recommended. The Agricultural interests of the State are commended to the special attention of the Legislature. The Fugitive Slave Law is alluded to in a temperate manner. He considers the law as objectionable on several grounds; but deprecates violent resistance to it as essentially rebellion, and not the way to procure the repeal or modification of the law.—He thinks that a law should be passed giving to the master his constitutional rights only, based on common principles of evidence, adjudication and execution, in consistency with the spirit of one institutions.

FAT HOG.—Mr. Cyrus Hicks, of Falmouth, killed a hog on Monday last, which, when dressed, weighed 746 pounds. He was 19 months and 10 days old. This is hard to beat.

☞The Boston Post says the paying of $650 for one of Jenny Lind's tickets by Col. Ross of Providence, is the greatest act of *Jenny Ross-ity* on record.

THIRTY-SIX FEET OF DEMOCRACY.—In the town of Moores, Clinton county, lives a man by the name of Fitch, who is the father of five sons, whose average height is exactly six feet; further more, they are all good and true Democrats. One of the sons states that his father, brothers and himself, have often marched to the polls together, (making thirty-six feet,) and cast their votes for Democratic principles.—*N. Y. Eve. Post.*

☞"Never put off till to-morrow what you can do to-day," said an advising mother to her child. "Well, then, mamma, let us eat the cranberry pie," was the precocious reply.

A priest was once called to pray over the barren fields of his parishioners. He passed from one enclosure to another, and pronounced his benediction, until he came to a most unpromising case. He surveyed its sterile acres in despair. 'Ah!' said he, 'brethren—no use to pray here—this needs manure!'

A YANKEE AT "POKER."—A Yankee and a southerner were playing poker on a steamboat. "I haven't seen an ace for some time," remarked the Southerner. "Well I guess you haint," said the Yankee, "but I can tell you where they are. One of them is in your shirt sleeve there, and the other three are in the top of my butes."

THE CHINESE DOCTORS.—The Chinese doctors are not paid for the number of doses they give their patients and the length of their sickness, but are paid to keep their subjects from being sick: the sick days of the subject are deducted from the doctor's yearly salary. The Chinese may well laugh at our barbarism, in the way of paying our doctors—but if we were to adopt the Chinese rule, our doctors would be very scarce, unless they had perfect command over our diet, labor, and exercise.

THE CULTIVATION OF CRANBERRIES, is a subject to which our farmers who have waste bog land should turn their attention. It is a very profitable crop, and one well adapted to the climate. Mr. Edw. Thatcher, of Yarmouth, makes a statement, published by the Barnstable Patriot, concerning his first experiments. His nett profits were $200 from one fourth of an acre. The Belfast Signal says that Cranberries are cultivated with much success by Mr. Stetson of Northport.

Carrying Out a Metaphor.

"Dang me, if I don't b'lieve the world's a wheelburrow," said a jolly inebriate as he rolled along the pave," and I'm the wheel, revolving on my axis. "Now I'm in the mud," continued he, as he fell heading in the gutter, "and now I'm on dry land," as he fetched up on the curbstone. His concluding remark, as his boots followed his head down an open cellar way, was—"now the wheel is broke and the wehicle is out o'repair. But the poor world jogged on without its "wheel," and a certain individual woke up with a scarred countenance and a slight headache.

The Penobscot River was closed with ice on Saturday last.

MARRIED.

In Turner, Rev. J. T. Hanes of Bridgton to Miss Dolly S. Carey of T.

DIED.

In Westbrook, Mr. Benjamin Stephens, 72.

NEW MILLINERY.

MRS. H. W. GOODNOW

HAS just received a beautiful assortment of New Millinery Goods, and will be happy to wait on her friends and customers as usual.

☞*Mourning and Wedding Bonnets &c. constantly on hand and all orders from a distance promptly attended to.*☜

Norway, Dec. 10, 1850. 4t

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE.

WHEREAS Moses Patten of Bethel, in the County of Oxford, on the twenty-fourth day of November, A. D. 1849, made and executed to me a mortgage deed of that date, recorded with Oxford Records, Book 82, Page 359; reference to said deed can be had for a description of the premises thereby mortgaged. And whereas, the conditions of said deed have been broken, I claim a foreclosure of the same according to the statute in such cases made and provided. E. L. CUMMINGS.

Dec. 9, 1850. 3w44

PROBATE NOTICES.

To the Hon. the Judge of Probate for the County of Oxford, at the Nov. Term at Paris, A. D. 1850—

THE undersigned, NATHANIEL B. CROCKETT, Guardian of Ann S. H. Wardwell, and Sarah Elizabeth Wardwell, minor heirs of Joseph H. Wardwell, late of Hanover, deceased, would respectfully represent that certain real estate has fallen into his hands as guardian aforesaid, of which said minors are seized in fee, to wit: Two ninth parts of all the real estate of which the said Joseph H. Wardwell died seized, and as follows—the Old Stand at Rumford Corner, formerly occupied by deceased, and containing two and one half acres of land—also, the Bartlett stand, so called, at Rumford Corner, containing one and one half acre of land with the buildings thereon—also, lot No. 64, in the third division of lots in Rumford, containing about seventy-five acres—also, one Pew in the Centre Meeting house in Rumford—also, one Pew in the Rumford Point Meeting house. And your petitioner would further represent that it would be for the benefit of all persons interested to dispose of said real estate at private sale; and that an advantageous offer has been made therefor by Lydia Wardwell, William H. Wardwell, and James C. Wardwell, to wit—the sum of one hundred and fifty-eight dollars, being two ninth parts of the appraisal of the whole real estate of said deceased. And your petitioner prays that he may be authorized to sell the same as aforesaid as by law provided—and as in duty bound &c. N. B. CROCKETT, Guardian.

At a Court of Probate held at Paris, within and for the county of Oxford, on the twenty-sixth day of November, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and fifty:

On the foregoing Petition, It was Ordered, that the said Guardian give notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of said petition and of this order to be published three weeks successively in The Oxford Democrat, printed at Paris, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris on the first Tuesday of January next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and shew cause, if any they have, why the same should not be granted.

43 GEO. K. SHAW, Register.

At a Court of Probate held at Paris, within and for the County of Oxford, on the twenty-sixth day of November, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and fifty:

DAVID R. HASTINGS, named Executor in a certain instrument purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Stephen S. Andrews, late of Lovell, in said County, deceased, having presented the same for probate:

It was Ordered that the said Executor give notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in The Oxford Democrat, printed at Paris, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Fryeburg, in said County, on the ninth day of January next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and shew cause, if any they have, why the same instrument should not be proved, approved and allowed as the last Will and Testament of said deceased.

43 GEO. K. SHAW, Register.

A true Copy—Attest: GEO. K. SHAW, Reg.

To the Hon Judge of Probate for the County of Oxford—

HUMBLY represents AARON PARSONS, of Buckfield, in said County, Executor of the last will and testament of DAVID WARREN, late of Hartford in said County, deceased, that the personal estate of said deceased is insufficient to pay the debts of said deceased, by the sum of four hundred dollars—that it is necessary that a part of the real estate of said deceased should be sold for the payment of said debts—that a part of said real estate consists of a certain piece of land situated in said Hartford, bounded as follows, viz: on the south and east by land of Lewis Sampson—on the west by the east branch of the twenty mile river, so called, it being a triangular piece, containing ten acres more or less—that one Edwin Howard has made your petitioner an offer for said land, viz. the sum of one hundred dollars—and that your petitioner considers said offer an advantageous offer for the said land—Wherefore he prays that he may be duly licensed and empowered to sell and convey said land to said Howard accordingly, and as in duty bound will ever pray. AARON PARSONS.

At a Court of Probate held at Paris within and for the County of Oxford, on the twenty-sixth day of November, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and fifty:

On the foregoing Petition, It was Ordered, that the said Executor give notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of said Petition and of this order to be published three weeks successively in The Oxford Democrat, printed at Paris, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris on the first Tuesday of January next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and shew cause, if any they have, why the same should not be granted.

43 GEO. K. SHAW, Register.

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To the Hon Job Prince, Judge of Probate for the County of Oxford:

DANIEL HUTCHINSON, of Turner, in the County of Oxford, Executor of the last Will and Testament of STEPHEN HUTCHINSON, late of Buckfield, in said County, deceased, respectfully represents, that the personal property of said deceased is not sufficient to pay the debts of said deceased, Legacies made by him in his said Will, charges of administration and incidental charges, by the sum of about one thousand dollars—and that a partial sale of the real estate of said deceased, would greatly injure the value of the remainder, your petitioner therefore prays that your Honor would grant him licence to sell and convey the whole of said real estate at either public or private sale for the purposes above named, and the balance disposed of according to law.

DANIEL HUTCHINSON.

Paris, Nov. 26, 1850.

At a Court of Probate, held at Paris, within and for the County of Oxford, on the twenty-sixth day of November, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and fifty:

On the foregoing Petition, It was Ordered, that the said Executor give notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in The Oxford Democrat, printed at Paris, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Paris, on the first Tuesday of January next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and shew cause, if any they have, why the said Instrument should not be proved, approved, and allowed as the last Will and Testament of said deceased.

43 GEO. K. SHAW, Register.

A true Copy—Attest: GEO. K. SHAW, Reg.

To the Hon. Job Prince, Judge of Probate for the County of Oxford—

NOAH PRINCE, Administrator on the estate of JONATHAN BUCK, late of Buckfield, in said County, deceased, respectfully represents that the personal estate of said deceased, is not sufficient to pay the just debts of said deceased, and charges of administration by the sum of two thousand and four hundred dollars, and that by a partial sale of the real estate of said deceased the residue thereof would be greatly injured, wherefore your petitioner prays said court to grant him a licence to sell and convey the whole of the real estate of said deceased, also the reversion of the Widow's dower at public auction or private sale. NOAH PRINCE.

Buckfield, Nov. 26th, 1850.

At a Court of Probate held at Paris within and for the County of Oxford, on the twenty-sixth day of November, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and fifty:

On the foregoing Petition, It was Ordered, that the Administrator give notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of said petition and of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford Democrat, printed at Paris, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the first Tuesday of January next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and shew cause, if any they have, why the same should not be granted.

43 GEO. K. SHAW, Register.

A true Copy—Attest: GEO. K. SHAW, Reg.

At a Court of Probate, holden at Paris, within and for the County of Oxford, on the twenty-sixth day of November, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and fifty:

PETER C. VIRGIN, named Executor in a certain instrument purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Benjamin Farrum, late of Rumford, in said County, deceased, having presented the same for Probate:

It was Ordered, that the said Executor give notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in The Oxford Democrat, printed at Paris, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Paris, on the tenth day of March next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and shew cause, if any they have, why the same should not be allowed.

43 GEO. K. SHAW, Register.

A true copy—Attest: GEO. K. SHAW, Reg.

At a Court of Probate held at Paris, within and for the County of Oxford, on the twenty-sixth day of November in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and fifty,

MEHITABLE GROVER, widow of Eli Grover, late of Norway, in said County, deceased, having presented her petition praying for allowance out of the personal property of her late husband,

It was Ordered, that the said Widow give notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in The Oxford Democrat printed at Paris, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris on the first Tuesday of January next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and shew cause if any they have, why the same should not be granted.

43 GEO. K. SHAW, Register.

A true Copy—Attest: GEO. K. SHAW, Reg.

The Subscriber hereby gives public notice to all concerned, that he has been duly appointed and taken upon himself the trust of Administrator of the Estate of

PETER C. THOMAS, late of Byron,

in the County of Oxford, deceased, by giving bonds as the law directs—he therefore requests all persons who are indebted to the said deceased's estate, to make immediate payment; and those who have any demands thereon, to exhibit the same to

WILLIAM THOMAS.

Nov. 26, 1850. 3w43

The Subscriber hereby gives public notice to all concerned, that he has been duly appointed and taken upon himself the trust of Administrator of the Estate of

FREEMAN C. MORTON, late of Paris,

in the County of Oxford, deceased, by giving bond as the law directs—He therefore requests all persons who are indebted to the said deceased's estate, to make immediate payment; and those who have any demands thereon, to exhibit the same to

JOHN J. MORTON.

Nov. 26, 1850. 3w43

At a Court of Probate, held at Paris, within and for the County of Oxford, on the twenty-sixth day of November, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and fifty:

On the Petition of HANNAH B. HEARSEY, widow of Warren Hearsey, late of Paris, in said County, deceased, praying that Commissioners may be appointed to set out her Dower out of the Real Estate of said deceased, and also for allowance out of the personal property of her late husband,

It was Ordered, that the said Widow give notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in The Oxford Democrat, printed at Paris, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the first Tuesday of January next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and shew cause, if any they have, why the same should not be granted.

43 GEO. K. SHAW, Register.

A true Copy—Attest: GEO. K. SHAW, Reg.

At a Court of Probate held at Paris, within and for the County of Oxford, on the twenty-sixth day of November, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and fifty:

ZURY ROBINSON, Guardian of Wm. D. Bosworth, minor child of Constant D. Bosworth, late of Somner, in said County, deceased, having presented his second account of his Guardianship of said minor for Probate,

It was Ordered, that the said Guardian give notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in The Oxford Democrat, printed at Paris, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris on the first Tuesday of January next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and shew cause, if any they have, why the same should not be allowed.

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At a Court of Probate held at Paris, within and for the County of Oxford, on the twenty-sixth day of November, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and fifty:

BETHIAH KEEN, widow of Josiah Keen, Jr. late of Hartford, in said County, deceased, having presented her petition praying for allowance out of the personal property of her late husband,

It was Ordered, that the said Widow give notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in The Oxford Democrat, printed at Paris, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the first Tuesday of January next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and shew cause, if any they have, why the same should not be granted.

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At a Court of Probate held at Paris, within and for the County of Oxford, on the twenty-sixth day of November, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and fifty:

JEREMIAH HOWE, Guardian of Mary Ann and James B. Dudley, minor children of Moses Dudley, late of Paris, in said County, deceased, having presented his fourth account of his guardianship of said minors, for probate—

It was Ordered, that the said Guardian give notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in The Oxford Democrat, printed at Paris, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Paris, in said county, on the first Tuesday of January next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and shew cause, if any they have, why the same should not be allowed.

42 GEO. K. SHAW, Register.

A true Copy—Attest: GEO. K. SHAW, Reg.

The Subscribers hereby give public notice to all concerned that they have been duly appointed and taken upon themselves the trust of Administrators of the Estate of

JAMES LARRY, late of Gilead,

in the County of Oxford, deceased, by giving bond as the law directs; they therefore request all persons who are indebted to said deceased's estate, to make immediate payment; and those who have any demands thereon, to exhibit the same to

JOSEPH C. SWAN,
LEANDER W. LARY.

Nov. 26, 1850. 3w43

The Subscriber hereby gives public notice to all concerned, that she has been duly appointed and taken upon herself the trust of Administratrix of the Estate of

CALEB DUDLEY, late of Hebron,

in the county of Oxford, deceased, by giving bond as the law directs—she therefore requests all persons who are indebted to the said deceased's estate to make immediate payment; and those who have any demands thereon, to exhibit the same to

SARAH DUDLEY.

Nov. 26, 1850. 3w43

THE Subscriber hereby gives public notice to all concerned, that he has been duly appointed and taken upon himself the trust of Executor of the last will and testament of

AMANDA GAMMON, late of Canton,

in the county of Oxford, deceased, by giving bond as the law directs—He therefore requests all persons who are indebted to the said deceased's estate, to make immediate payment; and those who have any demands thereon, to exhibit the same to

ZERI FERRY.

Nov. 26, 1850. 3w43

HARNESS MAKING

AND

CARRIAGE TRIMMING.

THE subscribers would inform their friends and the public generally, that they continue to carry on the above business, at their shop at

MECHANIC FALLS,

where they will keep on hand, and are constantly manufacturing all kinds of double and single

Brass-mounted and Common Harnesses, Trunks, Valises,

and all other work in their line of business, at the prices. They have also opened a shop at

DIXFIELD VILLAGE,

for the above business, and will also keep on hand for sale,

STOVES OF VARIOUS KINDS,

such as the BAY STATE, GRANITE, and other cook stoves; also

AIR TIGHT AND SHOP STOVES,

and will manufacture and keep for sale, STOVE PIPE, of any quantity. All work done in their shop shall be done in the most faithful manner, and they do not intend to be undersold by any in the State.

E. & A. W. BRICKETT.

Dixfield and Mechanic Falls, Nov. 1850. 43

SHERIFF'S SALE.

OXFORD, ss. November 28th, 1850.—Taken on Execution and will be sold at Public Auction, on Saturday the fourth day of January next, at one o'clock in the afternoon, at the store of Strickland & Leavitt in Livermore, in said County of Oxford, all the right in equity that Enos Timberlake of said Livermore has or had at the time of the attachment on the Original Writ, of redeeming the following described Real Estate situated in Livermore aforesaid, being the homestead farm on which the said Timberlake now lives, including the two acres Orcharding by the barying ground, containing in the whole forty acres be the same more or less—being the same premises which the said Timberlake mortgaged to Nathaniel Perley, Jr. by deed dated the twenty-first day of October, A. D. 1847, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds for Oxford County, Book 75, page 394, to secure the payment of six hundred and eight dollars in four equal annual payments with interest annually, the same premises being under mortgage to Ulmer Perley of said Livermore from the said Enos Timberlake, by deed dated the eighth day of May, A. D. 1848, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds for said County, Book 78, page 479, to secure the payment of one hundred forty dollars and eighty cents in one year from date with interest; the balance due on said mortgages to be made known at the time and place of sale.

CYRUS WORMWELL, Deputy Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

OXFORD, ss. December 2, 1850.—Taken on Execution and will be sold at Public Auction, on Friday the tenth day of January, A. D. 1851, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the dwelling-house of Charles Hale in the town of Waterford, in said County, all the right in equity that Ivory M. Hamblin has or had on the ninth day of January, A. D. 1850, the day the same was attached on Mesne Process, of redeeming a certain mortgaged Real Estate situated in Paris, and is the same conveyed to said Hamblin by Josiah Dudley by deed dated September 28, A. D. 1846, and recorded in Oxford Registry of Deeds for the Eastern District, Book 74, page 348, and bounded as follows, to wit: Beginning at South East corner of the Double lot, No. 17 and 18, in the fourth range of lots in said town—thence Westerly on the South line of said Double lot to the little Androscoggin River—thence Westerly by the course of said river and by said river to land owned by Lincoln Cummings—thence Easterly by the line of said Cummings' land to the County road—thence Southerly to the first mentioned bound on the lot line, the same containing by estimation, one hundred acres, with the buildings thereon.—The above described land being mortgaged by said Hamblin to said Dudley to secure the payment of seven hundred and fifty dollars and annual interest, said mortgage deed dated September 28, 1846.

Farther particulars given at time and place of sale.

43 RICHARD GAGE, Deputy Sheriff.

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Prepared by Curtis & Perkins, is a most effectual remedy for

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Sold by Druggists and dealers in medicine generally, in three sized bottles, at 12 1-2, 25, and 37 1-2 cents a bottle; and by Henry Howe, Paris Hill; Rust & Co., and A. Field, South Paris; L. Washburn, North Paris; E. Atwood & Co., Buckfield; J. F. Howe and Roland Crocker, Sumner; C. L. Francis and Shackley & Favor, Norway; M. Robinson and Valentine & Moore, Mechanic Falls. 43

A BARGAIN!

WOOD AND TIMBER LAND, &c.

FOR SALE, an undivided third part of all the real and personal estate of the late PHILIP EASTMAN, deceased, of Fryeburg; consisting of a third part of a valuable School Lot near Lovell's Pond, on which there is a large lot of heavy timber, and an abundance of wood; the timber and wood will be sold separate, or the whole together. The lot contains 145 acres. Also:

The interest I have in the homestead place, (the old tavern stand,) at Fryeburg, as it now stands; together with seven or eight acres of intervale near it, and an improved lot on the southwest side of Stark's Hill. Also, my interest in an original town lot, consisting of about fifty acres. Also, my interest in the original School lot, near Benjamin Wiley's in North Fryeburg, of 1000 acres; and all the interest I have in what is known as the "Batchelder Lands," in Batchelder's Grant, in Stowe and Stoneham, sold by Sherman Batchelder; consisting of some 1800 acres; together with an undivided third part of certain pieces of land in North Chatham, N. H., adjoining the property of Mr. Daniel Emerson, Jr., consisting of two lots of about 72 acres.

N. B. I shall be in Fryeburg until the first of January; if any person wishes to purchase my interest in any part of this property, they will please call. For further particulars, inquire of

HENRY B. BREWSTER.

Fryeburg, Nov. 29, 1850. 3w42

Assignees' Sale.

THE undersigned will sell at Public Auction, if not previously disposed of at private sale, on *TUESDAY, the 24th day of December next*, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Atlantic House at South Paris the following Real Estate and Factory Stock, viz:

The beautiful and newly finished Dwelling House now occupied by James Anderson. This stand has connected with it a good Wood House, Stable, &c., and is very pleasantly situated in the central part of South Paris village.

A good building lot in South Paris village, west of the brick store recently occupied by Anderson & Records, and adjacent to it.

A lot of land containing about eight acres, in Paris, at the Four Corners, so called, near Norway Village.

The farm, with the buildings thereon, recently owned by William Mills, situated in the southwesterly part of Paris and containing about sixty-five acres.

A piece of land near Norway Village, on the Portland road, containing from three to four acres, very pleasantly situated for building lots.

The large and commodious shop at Charles Mills in Oxford, known as the Norton stand.

One hundred and fifty acres of land in Milton Plantation, formerly owned by the late Stephen G. Stevens, and adjacent to the homestead farm.

Fifty or sixty acres of land in Lovell, lately owned by William G. Anderson.

Also, six shares in the capital stock of the South Paris Manufacturing Company.

For further particulars, inquire of the subscribers at Paris Hill or South Paris

CHARLES ANDREWS, } Assignees.
ALVAH BLACK, }

Paris, Nov. 29, 1850. 4t

GUARDIAN'S SALE.

BY virtue of a license from the Hon. Judge of Probate for the County of Oxford, I shall sell at Public Auction, if not previously sold at private sale, on the premises, certain Real Estate belonging to the minor heirs of Asher Keen, late of Sumner, in said County, deceased, and consisting of the Homestead farm of said deceased, situated in said Sumner, subject to the improvement of the widow of said deceased, during her natural life; and also an outlot of forty acres adjoining said Homestead; on Thursday, the seventh day of January next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon. Terms made known at the sale.

JOHN W. KEEN, Guardian of said minors.

Sumner, Nov. 26, 1850. 4t

NOTICE.

CAME into the enclosure of the subscriber, A TWO YEAR OLD RED STEER, marked "E;" the owner will please prove property, pay charges, and take him away.

G. W. WELCH.

Welchville, Nov. 29, 1850. 3w42

THE Subscriber hereby gives public notice to all concerned, that he has been duly appointed and taken upon himself the trust of Administrator of the Estate of

HEZEKIAH HUTCHINS, Jr., of Bethel,

in the county of Oxford, deceased, by giving bond as the law directs—He therefore requests all persons who are indebted to the said deceased's estate, to make immediate payment; and those who have any demands thereon, to exhibit the same to

TIMOTHY WALKER.

Nov. 26, 1850. 3w42*

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned have been appointed by the Hon. Judge of Probate for the County of Oxford, Commissioners to receive and examine all claims against the estate of Isaac F. Head, late of Denmark, in said County of Oxford, deceased, represented insolvent, and that we will attend to that duty, at the Office of Levi P. Sawyer's in Denmark in said County, on Friday, the 27th day of December next, between the hours of two and five o'clock P. M. and subsequently, on the last Friday of January and March, 1851, at the same place and time of day as above stated, at which time and place all creditors of said estate are hereby notified to appear and exhibit their claims.

LEVI P. SAWYER, } Commissioners.
SAMUEL GIBSON, }

Denmark, Nov. 2, 1850. 3w41

Notice of Foreclosure.

On the first day of May in the year eighteen hundred and forty seven, Edward A. Kittredge, then of Lynn, in the County of Essex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Physician, and Calvin Farrar of Waterford, in the County of Oxford, and State of Maine, conveyed to me, the undersigned by deed of mortgage of that date duly recorded in the Registry of deeds of Paris, in said County of Oxford, Book 75, Page 217, a certain messuage situated in said Waterford Upper Village, consisting then of a Tavern house, stable and other buildings, and land connected with the same, which premises are particularly described in said deed and record, to which reference is had, which mortgage was conditional for the payment of certain sum of money therein mentioned. The condition of said mortgage deed has been broken, by reason whereof I claim a foreclosure. DANIEL BROWN.

Waterford, Nov. 19, 1850 3w41

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned have been appointed by the Hon. Judge of Probate for the County of Oxford, Commissioners to receive and examine all claims against the estate of WILLIAM BERRY, late of Shebbiville, in the State of Illinois, deceased, represented insolvent, and that we will attend to that duty at the office of S. F. Gibson, in Denmark, in the County of Oxford, State of Maine, on Saturday the 28th day of December next, between the hours of nine and twelve o'clock, A. M. and subsequently on the last Saturday of January and March, eighteen hundred and fifty-one, at the same place and time of day as above stated; at which time and place all creditors of said estate are hereby notified to appear and exhibit their claims.

SAM'L F. GIBSON, } Commissioners.
40 SEWELL FLY, }

Dated at Denmark, Nov. 4th, 1840.

Bounty Lands for Soliers.

OF the War of 1812,—of the Florida and other Indian Wars since 1790,—and for the commissioned officers of the War with Mexico,—who serviced for one month and upwards, and have received no land,—(and if dead, for their widows or minor children,) obtained under the new law by HORATIO WOODMAN, 26 Railroad Exchange, Boston, who has an Agency at Washington.

☞Cash paid for Land Patents.

Oct. 11, 1850. 6m38

STATE OF MAINE.

AN ACT additional to an act entitled "an act additional to an act in relation to the public lands."

BE it enacted by the Senate