

Views of a Distinguished Louisianan.

The following is an extract from the letter of a distinguished Louisianan, published in the New Orleans Delta, after the result of the October elections in Pennsylvania and Indiana had rendered the success of Mr. Buchanan highly probable. The letter is dated Washington, Oct. 21, and the Delta says it is from one who has heretofore held the highest office which Louisiana could bestow.

My dear sir, it is idle and child's play to deny that the masses at the North are opposed to the institution of slavery. I have repeatedly mixed with all kinds and classes of the sovereign people, this summer, at the North, with this main object in view, and I am more than convinced of the fact. The under current of public opinion is most decidedly against us, and that too among good and honest people, apparently. I met to meet and hear the first man at the North—and there are many at the South who think with them—who does not oppose the extension of slavery. Now, sir, I consider the extension of slavery the heart, core, vitality and existence of this Union—the value of which it is high time for us to calculate. We are to have a National Democratic Administration for the next four years. We will have a Democratic majority in both Houses of Congress.

Now, then, it is time to settle this Union question forever. The National Democrats of the North hold themselves friends of the Constitution—friends and advocates, therefore, of the just rights of the South. Let them then prove this by acts. They have the power for the next four years; let them exercise it boldly and effectually.

We have just passed, or soon will, through a terrific crisis. There was danger, say what you may. The South now wants security for the future, and she must have it. There is now no excuse; we are in power. Extension of slavery is the testing crucible. The South demands an equality to the Federal Senate; hence, the first step is to admit Kansas as a slave State, an offset to California—this equilibrium never, hereafter, to be disturbed; for every free State, one slave State; the principles of the Nebraska-Kansas bill, so far as they touch slavery or no-slavery, never to be repealed.

**A Second Jack Sheppard.**  
The Philadelphia Ledger of the 11th inst. gives the following account of a young criminal, who seems, appropriately enough, to have acquired the title of the "Second Jack Sheppard."

George W. Townsend, who was sentenced to two years in the Delaware State Prison, at Newcastle, for robbing the post-office at Wilmington, Delaware, has succeeded in breaking jail again.— This is the fourth time he has escaped from this prison. The first time, while in prison awaiting his trial, he broke jail, and let out three other prisoners; on the same night there were some six or seven stores broken into in Wilmington. Shortly after this escape, Townsend was recognized and arrested in Philadelphia, and a portion of the goods taken from the stores was found on his person; he had also on his person five pistols, heavily loaded, and a large dirk knife.

In a few days after he was lodged in the old quarters, he again escaped from his cell and had reached the top of the wall and was in the act of jumping down on the outside, when he was discovered by the Sheriff, the Sheriff fired at him and he was captured. Shortly after this second attempt to escape, his trial came off. Before he was sentenced, he made a strong appeal to the Court for clemency; that he was sorry for what he had done; would reform, &c. About a month after he was sentenced he made his third escape from the prison; this time he let out other prisoners with him; and on this same night the post-office at Wilmington was robbed. This time he was recognized by the conductor while in the cars between Wilmington and Chester. The conductor locked both ends of the car, and when he reached Chester an officer was procured and Townsend was again arrested. One of the persons he had let out of prison, Oyster Charley, was with him in the car, and he also was arrested. Townsend was taken back to the prison, and this time, to make sure of him, he was put in double irons, which means handcuffs and hobble or log-irons. He was locked in his cell and closely watched. Notwithstanding all this precaution, he again effected another and a fourth escape on Friday night last. This time he had filed or sawed off his handcuffs and leg-irons, and cutting a hole through the oak floor of his cell, he descended into a room below; from there he got into the prison-yard, and then scaled the wall, which is about 20 feet high. His feet will rival those of Jack Sheppard or Sir John String Jack. He is certainly the most successful jail-breaker this country has produced, and while he is at large will no doubt improve on his past experience. Townsend is a young man, about 30 years of age, about 5 feet 6 inches high, well and compactly built, light hair and complexion, and blue eyes.

AN ALLEGED MURDER DISPROVED.

Some two months ago a young man while hunting near "Damon Pond," in Rutland, discovered a portion of a human skeleton. The facts becoming known, and the disappearance of Sprout being rehearsed, rumor and gossip were at once set to work, and soon agreed that the bones were those of a young man who had so mysteriously disappeared. Deputy Sheriff J. W. Denny of Worcester, was set at work by the District Attorney to investigate the matter, which he appears to have done in a very efficient and satisfactory manner. He traced Sprout from Rutland to Greenwich, thence to Brookfield, and finally to Adams Basin, N. Y., where he found him in good health and strength, possessed of a wife and five children, and doing a good business as captain of a canal boat on the Erie Canal. Mr. Denny returned with ample evidence to prove Sprout's identity and existence in the land of the living, and thus of course settled the great mystery of the supposed and alleged murder. Preston has been pronounced insane and has been discharged from arrest. Mr. Darling is relieved from the serious imputations which the charges of a madman apparently sustained by circumstantial evidence cast upon him.

MARRIAGE OF SENATOR DOUGLAS.

Senator Douglas of Illinois is soon to be united to a Miss Cutts, who has been a reigning belle in Washington for several years. The Chronicle says:— "She is the daughter of a gentleman long connected with the State Department, and possesses personal attractions and accomplishments well worthy a more eligible match. She is much younger than the Senator, but considerably taller, and in every respect his superior. The world of gossip and fashion is busy with the approaching nuptials."

"The marriage is to be celebrated in the Roman Catholic Church. The bride being of the persuasion. What a rumpus the politicians will make of this if Judge Douglas is ever nominated for the Presidency. One of the Washington correspondents puts in a *peculiar* remarking that as to religion, Mr. Douglas rather leans to the Baptists. This must be a mistake. It is notorious that Douglas displays no marked partiality for water.

HOW MR. BURLINGAME'S ELECTION IS REGARDED AT WASHINGTON.

The Washington correspondent of the New York Times says:— "One of the prolific topics of conversation here is the re-election of Burlingame—an event exceedingly distasteful to the clergy, who at the same time express their contempt for the time-serving Bostonians who came so near securing his defeat. They love the treason but despise the traitor. What a blistering diatribe would it have been had the self-sacrificing champion of free speech been stricken down at home by those in whose behalf he bared his breast to the blasts of Southern fanaticism and rage! A small but earnest band of faithful friends here anxiously await the opportunity to grasp his hand again."

THANKSGIVING.

The Divine beneficence, which has been lavished upon us as a people, demands appropriate returns and acknowledgments. In pursuance, therefore, of a custom inaugurated by our Pilgrim Fathers, and worthy to be perpetuated by an intelligent and Christian people.— I do hereby appoint THURSDAY, THE TWENTY-SEVENTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, INSTANT, to be set apart and observed by the people of this State as a day of Public THANKSGIVING and PRAISE.

Let us on that day present the interesting and imposing spectacle of a whole Commonwealth abandoning the ordinary pursuits of life, and repairing to the temples of the Most High, and there engaging in acts of Adoration, Thanksgiving and praise. How consistent this with our dependent condition, and how fit an acknowledgment of that superintending Providence, which overrules the affairs of States as well as of individuals. Our days of Public Thanksgiving attest our belief that God controls human affairs, and is the "giver of every good and perfect gift."

RYLAND FLETCHER.

**Receipts for the Standard.**  
For the week ending November 21st.

Seth Oaks, Albany,	\$1.25
Sedgewick Allen, Trasburgh,	1.25
H. J. Cross, Lowell,	1.25
B. F. Paine, "	1.25
John Cass, Craftsbury,	.75
Luther Cass, Derby,	.62
H. Sanborn, Troy,	1.25

The Second Quarterly Meeting of the Danville Association will be held with the Baptist Church in North Troy, commencing on the first Friday in December, at 10 A. M., and continue over the Sabbath. Ministers conference to be at Br. J. Rowell's, Thursday preceding, 1 P. M.

Per order, H. N. HOVEY.  
Albany, Nov. 13.

Teacher's Notice.

All those wishing for license to teach in this town the coming winter, are requested to meet (for examination) at my residence, on Saturday, Nov. 29th, at 1 o'clock P. M.

It is very desirable that teachers call for an examination previous to commencing their schools, and all are requested to be punctual to the above notice.

C. W. SCOTT,  
Town Sup't.  
Irasburgh, Nov. 15.

CLARKE'S FEMALE PILLS.

THE GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY.  
Prepared from a prescription of Sir J. Clarke, M. D., Physician Extraordinary to the Queen. This invaluable medicine is invaluable in the cure of all those painful and dangerous disorders to which the female constitution is subject. It moderates all excess and removes all obstructions, and a speedy cure may be relied on.

TO MARRIED LADIES,  
It is peculiarly suited. It will, in a short time, bring on the monthly period with regularity.

Each bottle, price One Dollar, bears the Government stamp of Great Britain, to prevent counterfeits.

CAUTION.—These Pills should not be taken by females that are pregnant, during the first three months, as they are sure to bring on miscarriage; but at every other time and in every other case, they are perfectly safe.

Sole Agents for the United States and Canada: L. C. BALDWIN & CO., Rochester, N. Y. General Agents: TITTLE & MOSES, Auburn, N. Y. General Agents: N. B. & Co. and postage stamps enclosed to any authorized Agent, will ensure a bottle of the Pills by return mail.

For sale by FRED. E. SMITH, Montpelier, Wholesale Agent for Vermont; R. W. NYE, Irasburgh, and by one druggist in every town. 41

To those who are about purchasing any kind of goods advertised by J. C. Emery in our other columns, unbecoming inducements are offered, because he has a larger stock than can be found at any other establishment in the State. He being a practical manufacturer of Furniture, his goods in this department can be relied upon, as he will have none but the best quality. And in the departments of Carpeting and Hanging or Room Paper, with all their accompaniments, his stock stands unrivaled. Coming from the manufacturer, the lowest and best styles may always be found at his store, and at reasonable rates.

"DIGEST" SUCH IS THE TRUE MEANING OF THE WORD "PEPSIN," or of the two Greek words from which it is derived. This is the significant and appropriate title of the TRUE DIGESTIVE FLUID, OR GASTRIC JUICE, prepared by Dr. J. S. BOUTWORTH, of Philadelphia, from the Fourth Stomach of the Ox, for the cure of Indigestion and Dyspepsia. It is Nature's own remedy for an unhealthy Stomach. No art of man can equal its curative powers. It renders GOOD EATING perfectly consistent with HEALTH.

See Advertisement in another column.

TO NERVOUS SUFFERERS.

A retired Clergyman, restored to health in a few days, after many years of great nervous suffering, is anxious to make known the means of cure.— Will send (free) the prescription used. Direct to the Rev. JOHN M. DONALL, No. 53 Fulton st., Brooklyn, N. Y.

The Markets.

COLLECTED WEEKLY FROM THE N. E. FARMS  
CAMBRIDGE CATTLE MARKET  
WEDNESDAY, Nov. 12, 1856.

At market 1745 Cows, 1800 Heaves and 455 steers, consisting of Working Oxen, Cows and Calves, yearlings, two and three years old.

Prices—Market Beef—Extra \$8.00; 1st quality, \$7.50; 2d quality, \$6.25; 3d quality, \$5.00; ordinary, \$4.00.

Hides—\$0.40 per cwt.

Tallow—\$0.80 per cwt.

Pigs—\$1.00 per cwt.

Calves—\$1.00 per cwt.

Working Oxen—\$80 to 100.

Cows and Calves—\$25 to 60.

Yearlings—\$15 to 20.

Two Years Old—\$20 to 25.

Three Years Old—\$25 to 30.

Sheep and lambs—\$3.00 to \$4.00. Extra, \$4 to \$5. By lot \$1.50 to \$2.00.

Swine—\$3 to 5 per lb.

BOSTON MARKET.

WHOLESALE PRICES.—Nov. 15, 1856.

GENESEE	7 75 a 8 00
Ohio common	6 50 a 6 75
Ohio extra	7 00 a 7 50
Meal	8 75 a 4 00

GRAIN.—per bushel.

Corn, Western	75 a 76
Corn, Yellow	76 a 77
Corn, White	78 a 79
Eye	0 50 a 0 74
Oats, Northern	55 a 57
Oats, Southern	60 a 60
Oats, Eastern	60 a 60
Barley	1 10 a 1 22
White Beans	2 00 a 2 25

HAY.—per ton.

Eastern	\$10 00 a 20 00
First cut, 1856	00 00 a 00 00
Do. do, 1855	00 00 a 00 00

LEATHER.—per lb.

Philadelphia city	32 a 35
Do. Country	30 a 32
Baltimore city	32 a 34
Ho. dry hide	25 a 30
New York, light	25 a 28
Do. Heavy	25 a 28
Boston slaughter	26 a 28
Calf skins, per lb.—Heavy, carried	70 a 80
Light	50 a 60

LUMBER.—per 100 ft.

Boards, from	13 00 a 50 00
Shingles	2 00 a 3 00
Closets	35 00 a 45 00
Laths	1 50 a 1 75
Spruce Lumber	19 00 a 11 00

POTATOES.—per bushel.

Common	60 a 60
Chenango	1 75 a 2 00

PROVISIONS.—per lb.

Beef	19 00 a 14 50
Pork	19 00 a 25 00
Lard, per lb.	15 a 14
Butter, choice	24 a 25
Butter, good	18 a 20
Cheese	18 a 30

SEED.—per lb.

Clover, Northern	24 a 25
Clover, Western and Southern	12 a 13
Red Top, per bushel	3 50 a 5 75
Do. Top, Southern	4 00 a 4 50
Do. Top, Northern	1 25 a 6 00

FALLOW.—per lb.

American	12 a 13
American, rough	8 a 9

WOOL.—Domestic, per lb.

Scour and Merino fleece	55 a 65
Full blood	45 a 55
1/2 and 3/4 blood	45 a 55
Common 1-4 blood	35 a 38
Fuller, from extra No. 2	15 a 45

R. W. NYE'S old brick store is running over with a full stock of New Goods. It will pay to look them over.

TEA, Sugar, Molasses, Raisins, Rice, Salt, Saleratus, Oil, Fish and Bait, can be found at R. W. NYE'S.  
Irasburgh, Nov. 14.

HATS and Caps for Men and Boys at R. W. NYE'S.

LADIES—R. W. Nye's is the place to buy all kinds of Shoes and Gaiters, also Rubbers.

Agricultural Books.

C. M. SAXTON & CO.,  
140 Fulton Street, New York,  
PUBLISHERS.

The following Books for the Country, And will send them, free of charge, to any part of the U. S. upon receipt of price.

1. The Stable Book—the best work on the Horse, \$1 00
2. The Horse's Foot, with directions how to keep it sound; paper 25 cts., cloth, 50
3. Browne's Am. Bird Fancier; paper 25 cts., cloth, 50
4. Dadd's Amer. Cattle Doctor, cloth, 1 00
5. Dana's Muck Manual, cloth 1 00
6. Dana's Prize Essay on Manures 25
7. Stockard's Chemical Field Lectures 1 00
8. Blake's Farmer at Home 1 25
9. Buist's Am. Flower Garden Directory 1 25
10. Buist's Family Kitchen Gardener 75
11. Norton's Scientific and Pract. Agricultural 60
12. Johnson's Catechism of Agricultural Chemistry (for Schools) 25
13. Johnson's Elements of Agricultural Chemistry and Geology 1 00
14. Johnson's Lectures on Agricultural Chemistry and Geology 1 25
15. Dowling's Landscape Gardening 3 50
16. Fessenden's Complete Farmer and Gardener 1 25
17. Fessenden's Am. Kitchen Gardeners' Manual 50
18. Nash's Progressive Farmer 60
19. Richardson's Domestic Fowls 25
20. Richardson on the Horse—varieties, Breeding, &c. 25
21. Richardson on the Diseases and Management of the Hog 25
22. Richardson on the Destruction of the Pests of the Farm 25
23. Richardson on the Hive and Honey Bee 25
24. Milburn and Stevens on the Cow and Dairy Husbandry 25
25. Skinner's Elements of Agriculture 25
26. Topham's Chemistry Made Easy, for the use of Farmers, 25
27. Allen's Treatise on the Culture of the Grape, 1 00
28. Allen on the Diseases of Domestic Animals, 75
29. Allen's American Farm Book, 1 00
30. Allen's Rural Architecture, 1 25
31. Pardee on the Cultivation of the Strawberry, &c., 60
32. Pedder's Farmer's Land Measurer, 50
33. Phelps' Bee-keeper's Chart, 25
34. Gumm's Treatise on Michigan Cows; paper 38 cts., cloth, 63
35. Gumm's Domestic Medicine—a for every married man and woman, 3 00
36. Randall's Sheep Husbandry, 1 25
37. Young, Randall, and Skinner's Shepherd's Own Book, 2 00
38. Young on the Breed and Management of sheep, 75
39. Young on the Horse, 1 25
40. Young, Martin, and Stevens on cattle, 1 25
41. Young and Martin on the Breeds and management of the Hog, 75
42. Mann's Practical Land Drafter, 50
43. Stephen's Book of the Farm, complete, 450 illustrations, 4 00
44. The American Architect, or Plans for Country Dwellings, 6 00
45. Thayer, Shaw, & Johnson's Principles of Agriculture, 2 00
46. Smith's Landscape Gardening, Parks and Pleasure Grounds, 1 25
47. Weeks on the Honey Bee: paper 25 cts., cloth, 50
48. Willson on Cultivation of Flax, 25
49. Miner's Am. Bee-keeper's Manual, 1 00
50. Quinby's Mysteries of Bee-keeping, 50
51. Cottage and Farm Bee-keeper, 50
52. Elliot's Amer. Fruit Grower's Guide, 1 25
53. The American Florist's Guide, 75
54. Every Lady her own Flower Gardener; paper 25cts., cloth 50
55. The Am. Rose Culturist; paper 25cts., cloth 50
56. Hoare on the Cultivation of the Vine, 50
57. Cholton's Cold Grapes, from direct American Practice, 50
58. Saxton's Rural Hand Book, 3 vols., 3 75
59. Bennett's Rabbit Fancier; paper 25 cts., cloth 50
60. Reemelin's Vine-Dresser's Manual, 50
61. Noll's Nut, Flower, and Vegetable Gardener's Companion, 1 00
62. Browne's Am. Poultry Yard, 60
63. Browne's Field Book of Manures, 1 25
64. Hooper's Dog and Gun, 50
65. Skillful Housewife, paper 25
66. Chorlton's Grape Grower's Guide; paper 50 cts., cloth 60
67. White's Gardening for the So. 1 25
68. Eastwood's Manual for Cultivating the Strawberry, 50
69. Johnson's Dictionary of Modern Gardening, 1 50
70. Persoz on the Culture of the Vine, 50
71. Amer. Agriculturist, 10 vols. 12 50
72. Boussingault's Rural Economy, 1 25
73. Thompson's Food of Animals; paper 50 cts., cloth 75
74. Richardson on Dogs—their Origin, Varieties, &c. paper 25cts., cloth 50
75. Liebig's Familiar Letters to Farmers on Chemistry; paper 25 cts., cloth 50
76. Morgan Horses, 1 00

Stoves!

ALL persons wanting stoves, stove pipes, low law, tin ware, lead pipe and pumps, will find a greater variety and cheaper prices at our shop, than can be found elsewhere in the county. Please call and examine.

SKINNER & FOSS,  
Derby Centre, Oct. 25, 1856—4933

Auction Sale.

THE following articles will be sold at public Auction on Monday, the 24th day of November, at one o'clock P. M., at the old Warner Tavern, in Hardwick, viz:

One Horse Cart and Saddle;  
Two Draft Cattle;  
Iron Bars, Shovels, Forks,  
and various other farming tools. Also one box stove and pipe, and various other household furniture, including a lot of articles of all kinds for making butter and cheese, &c.

Greenboro, Nov. 5, 1856—4438

Collector's Notice.

THE non-resident proprietors of the town of Lowell, in the county of Orleans, are hereby notified that the taxes assessed by said town previous to this date, remain either in whole or in part unpaid on the following described lands in said town, to-wit:

Proprietor's name	No. lot	Range	No. Acres	Tax
Bellows, Birnie	15	B	100	36
Covey, Abina	2	B	21	100
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COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

ALFRED BROWN'S ESTATE.

THE Subscribers, having been appointed by the Hon. Probate Court for the District of Orleans, Commissioners to receive, examine, and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of ALFRED BROWN, late of Covert, Vt., in said district, deceased, represented insolvent, and the term of six months from the 27th day of October, 1856, being allowed by said Court to the creditors of said deceased, to exhibit and prove their respective claims before us.— Do give Notice, that we will attend to the duties of our appointment at the dwelling house of Widow Nancy Brown in Covert, in said district, on the 24th Tuesday of December, and March next, at ten o'clock, in the forenoon, on each of said days.

N. W. GRAY,  
JACOB ROWELL, Comm'rs.  
Covert, Nov. 4th, 1856—517

WAGONS! WAGONS!

A LOT of good down country Wagons warranted all right, for sale at FAY'S, Barton Landing, July 25, 1856—517.

Notice.

N. DAGGETT will pay cash for Hides, Calf Skins, and Dairy Skins, if well salted.

FOR SALE:—a move of those