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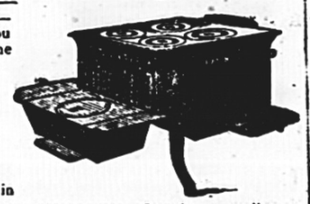

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STOVES.

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"Quick Sales and Small Profits,"

IS STILL THE MOTTO OF
HENRY ISAACSON & CO.,
AT EASTON, MARYLAND.

WE beg leave to inform our customers and the public in general, that we have just received the largest assortment of

Fall and Winter Goods,

ever offered in this section of the country. Encouraged by unabated success during the last season in our business, we augmented our large stock, by adding a vast number of new articles, never kept before; so that our stock is one of the most complete on this shore.

In Foreign Goods, we wish to recommend an extensive selection of the finest styles and fabrics, of solid colored goods, comprising Delames, Alpacas, Imperials, Catanias, Ducals, Melanges, Poil de Chevre, Reps, Merinoes, and all the brands of Black Dress Silks.

All these goods, also in figures and designs, purchased for nett cash in the first Importing Houses on this continent.

In Domestic Goods, we have almost every brand of Bleached and Unbleached Muslins, Canton Flanels, Drills, Denims, Ginghams, Calicoes, Cottonades, Bed-Tickings and Cambrics.

Prices of Calicoes and Muslins, ranging from 15 cents upwards.

To our BOOTS and SHOES,
HATS and CAPS,
READY MADE CLOTHIG,
and general assortment of GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS, we have made unusually vast additions.

N. B.—Shirts and Drawers, selling from 75 cts. upwards.

Extra quality of Boots at $4.00, and full suits of Clothing from $8.00 upwards. Prime quality Hats $1.50, and Caps 50 cents.

Our Shawls, Blankets, Ladies' Cloaks, Basques, Talmas, Walking Coats, Zephyr Knit goods and Cotton and Woolen Hoes,

We shall strictly sell as heretofore, at New York and Philadelphia prices.

Especial attention is solicited from the Ladies, to our vast stock of Skeleton, French Embroidered and Balmoral Skirts. Skeletons just now on hand as low as 75 cts., Balmorals at $1.50.

To our former published facilities and advantages in buying our stock, we have the pleasure to announce that we have made permanent arrangements at our Head Quarters in Philadelphia, to draw supplies of our foreign goods direct from Houses in Europe.

We repeat our thanks for favors, and shall with no less zeal in the future, study the interest of our customers. Respectfully, &c [oct 6] ISAACSON & CO.

NEW
FALL AND WINTER
GOODS.
THOMPSON & KERSEY

WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALER IN FOREIGN & DOMESTIC GOODS,

HAVIN just returned from the cities of Philadelphia and Baltimore with one of the finest stocks of

Fall and Winter Goods,

ever offered in this market. Their Stock comprises every variety of goods usually found in a country store, all of which have been selected with the utmost care, bought at the lowest cash prices, and will be disposed of at a very small advance over the cost.

They deem it unnecessary in this advdrtisement to attempt to itemize—suffice it to say that their stock of

LADIES' AND GENTLEMENS' DRESS GOODS,
is superior to any thing ever offered by them

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CARPETS! CARPETS! CARPETS!
THOMPSON & KERSEY'S CARPET WARE ROOM,
Is now stored with the largest and most beautiful stock of Carpets, Oil Cloths, Rugs, &c., &c. ever offered in this county, and will be sold for *cash, at a less price* than they can be bought for in the city. Call and examine them for yourselves, and prove the truthfulness of what they say
oct 13

BARTLETT
SEWING MACHINE.
Best Cheap Licensed Machine in the U. S. Agents wanted everywhere. Pay $50 to $200 per month. Enclose Stamp, and address
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614 Chestnut Street, Philada.;
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COMPANY'S AGENT
EASTON, MD.
Machines can be seen in operation at all times by applying at his place of business at Mr. Patchett's store, Odd Fellow's Building.
sep 29 1m

THE
Easton Shore's
STEAMBOAT LINE.

NOTICE.
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WILSON SMALL,
CAPTAIN E. T. LEONARD,
HAS been substituted for the Steamer Cambridge, on the Night Line between Baltimore and the different Landings on the Great Choptank and Tred Avon Rivers.

She has ample and elegant Stateroom accommodations for a large number of passengers.

She leaves her Pier opposite 170 Light street Wharf, at 9 P. M., on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, for Easton Point, Double Mills, Oxford, Clora's Point, Wallach's Wharf, Cambridge, Hughlett's Wharf, Cabin Creek, Medford's Wharf and Lloyd's Landing.

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Freights received daily at her Peir in Paltimore.

Freighters on "the Shore" are notified that it is necessary to the puntuality of her hours that they have their freight in place upon the several wharves in due time to permit it to be taken on board, so that she can reach Baltimore and land her freights in time for all the Morning Markets
sep 8 W. D. WALLACK.

RUTA BAGA and Turnip seeds. New Crop just received, every usual supply of these seeds from Landreth & Son.
june L. H. CAMPBELL.

WM. T. DIXON & BRO.
WHOLESALE DEALERS
AND
Commission Merchants in
BOOTS AND SHOES,
No. 306 Baltimore St.
feb 3 1y BALTIMORE.

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PERUVIAN GUANO,
Mexican do.
Pacific do.
Moro Phillip's Phosphate,
Rhoe's Super Phosphate,
Whitelock's do., do.
Flour of Bone, &c., &c.
for sale at lowest city prices without charge for delivery. Peruvian Guano furnished at a reduced price if quantity can be made up.
Orders respectfully solicited for any of the above. Deliveries made promptly.
THOMAS C. NICOLS.
aug 4 tf Easton, Md.

Bricks for Sale.

AT my Brick Yard, 1½ miles from Easton, will sell at the following prices for cash. Run of Kill $12 per thousand; best Red Hards, $16; in my absence orders from R. B. Dixon, Easton Point will be promptly filled by S. Carroll at the yard. Bricks for graves and other purposes hauled to town at short notice, and on reasonable terms.
sept 8 3m WM. T. KELLY.

☞ Also keeps constantly on hand the best seasoned wood; will deliver at short notice anywhere in town, from ¼ cord up. Lives near the old Academy. WM. T. K.

SING'S warranted patent itch Ointment—
Norris' Tonic,
India Chologogue,
Ayer's Ague Cure,
Rowand's Tonic Mixture,
Deems' celebrated Liver Pills,
Deems' Sovereign Remedy for the cure of Fever and Ague, and all chills and fevers.
Mistaler's Herb Bitters, to be had at the drug store of
aug 4 LEVIN H. CAMPBELL.

CHEESE—just received a lot of prime cheese and for sale by
oct 6 3 J POWELL & WRIGHT

Shaker Flannel.

A Superior article of Shaker and Mallalieu Flannel just received and for sale by
sep 22 J. W. CHEEZUM.

R. S. V. HOPKINS,
Watchmaker and Jeweller,
NEW STORE,
COURT STREET OPPOSITE THE MARKET,
IS now fully prepared to execute all work in his line in a superior and satisfactory manner.
WATCHES & CLOCKS, REPAIRED
and
HAIR JEWELRY MADE TO ORDR.
Satisfaction guaranteed; all word warranted one yerr, prices moderate, and terms Cash.
may 11

FRANK L. MORLING,
Florist, Seedsman, and Nurseryman,
STORE—*No 2 On Eutaw Street, Balt.*
NURSERIES—*On the Hockstown Road, adjoining Druid Hill Park.*
WOULD invite the attention of the citizens of Talbot county to his stock of
GARDEN SEEDS,
FLOWER SEEDS,
FRUIT TREES,
Grape Vines, and all small Fruits. Evergreen and Ornamental Shade Trees. Green House, Hot House and Hardy Plants, Roses and Flowering Shrubs. All kinds of Vegetable Plants.
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NEW BOOTS AND SHOES.

COLUMBUS ELLIOTT
HAS just returned from Baltimore with the largest stock of Boots and Shoes, ever offered in this market, which he is prepard to sell as low as they can be bought for in the city, for cash.

His stock of Gentlemen's, Ladie's and Children's wear, is large and various, and at prices to suit all customers.

He is desirous that all shall come and examine his Stock, for he is satisfied that the material and work will compete with the best, and the prices with the lowest in the market.

He is also prepared to make and repair all kinds of work at the shortest possible notice, and warranted to give satisfaction. [oct 13

Toilet Articles.

WE have just opened and offer for sale Extracts in variety,
Oriental Cream,
Chevalier's Life,
Gallaudett's Restorer,
Powder Boxes,
Powder Puffs,
Toilet Powder,
Rubber Combs,
Buffalo do,
Horn, do,
Metal back do,
Finetooth do,
Tooth Powders,
Hair Oils,
Pomades,
Coco Cream,
Cocoaine,
Bandoline,
Lipsalve,
Lilly White,
Meen Fun,
Cold Cream,
Shaving Soaps,
Shaving Cream,
Court Plaster,
Brushes all kinds
and other articles essential to the toilet and nursery.
oct6 DAWSON & BRO.

Fareville Institute,
FOR YOUNG LADIES & GENTLEMEN,
Fareville, Chester County, Pa.

THE Winter Session of this institution will open for the reception of Pupils on the 29th of 10th month, (October) and continue 20 weeks. The buildings are constructed expressly for boarding school purposes, and on the most approved plan. The course of instruction embraces all the branches of a thorough English and Classical education, together with French, Music and Drawing.

TERMS:—For boarding, washing, fuel, light, tuition, in English branches, Latin and French Language, $4,00 per week. For circulars, address.
JESSE D. SHARPLESS, Principal,
TEACHERS:
JACOB W. HARVEY, EMMA SHARPLESS,
CHARLES S. STEBBINS EMELINE A. NIELES.
oct 6 6m

Fashionable Millinery,
FANCY GOODS
AND DRESS TRIMMINGS.
STAMPING FOR EMBROIDERING.

MRS. M. A. STEWART, has just returned from the city with a well selected assortment of Millinery Goods, Fancy Goods, Dress Trimmings, &c., all of which have been selected with great care, and will be sold cheap for the cash. As I have to pay cash for my goods, I am compelled to sell on the same terms. The public is requested to call and examine for themselves. A large stock of pattern Bonnets on hand.

STAMPING.

At a considerable outlay of money I have procured a stamping apparatus, and am now prepared to do all kinds of Stamping with neatness and dispatch.

Watches, Clocks, and JEWELRY sold and repaired at the same stand three doors South of the M. E. Church [oct 20

Buy from the Manufacturers.

PAPER HANGINGS, BORDERS, &c.
Gold-Band Window Shades,
White, Green, Buff, and Blue Window Hollands,
Tassels, &c.
GREEN PAINTED REED BLINDES,
Curtain Papers,
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The above articles are always on hand in large quantities at HOWEL & BROTHER'S,
260 Baltimore street,
opposite Hanover,
Baltimore Md.

Workmen sent to all parts of the city and country to put up Paper or Window Shades.

Country merchants supplied at lowest manufacturers rates. All inquires by letter promptly attended [apr 21 1yol

HOOP SKIRTS.—Just received a stock of J. W. Brodley's Dupplex Elliptic Hoopskirts, and Shirts, Hoods, cheap for cash at
oct 27 T. H. A. HARDESTER'S

KERSEYS! KERSEYS!—Received from Mallalieu & Bro a large stock of all kinds of Kerseys, Cassimeres and Flannel, for sale cheap for cash by
oc 27 T. A. HARDESTER.

FRENCH NOTE PAPER.—Thin and very nice, with Envelopes to match just received by [oct 27] DAWSON & BRO.

TIME AND ETERNITY.

BY WM. F. WOOD.

When desolation dark and deep,
The spirit's chaos, reign supreme,
Angels of mercy stay to weep,
And ye, O mortals? pause—to dream:
A desolation of the soul,
(The chaos of immortal mind),
A darkness beyond Faith's control,
Is what Life's aimless wand'rers find.

Wherefore should angels stay to weep,
And why should mortals pause to dream,
On the drear confines of the deep,
Dark waters of Oblivion's stream?
Doth darkness bear a blighting curse?
Is nothingness a doom to dread?
Draw ye the curtain from the hearse
Of time, if ye would mourn the dead!

Oh, let not time your thoughts entice,
The present's darkness o'er thee roll!
Eternity will not suffice
To fill the broad, expanding soul!
When desolation dark and deep,
The spirit's chaos, reigns supreme,
Angels of mercy stay to weep,
And ye, O mortals! pause—to dream.

Emblem of Friendship.

Beautiful ive, though ages are sleeping,
And their mansions are going to decay,
Thou wilt never desert them, but still thou art creeping,
And creeping there day after day.

Like two gentle souls linked firmly together,
And bound in friendly esteem,
Though age overtake them, yet time cannot sever—
Their friendship is still evergreen.

Roses will fade, and flower after flower
Will wither when summer has passed,
But the ivy that clings to the old ruined tower,
Will cling there, and cling to the last.

A KANSAS WEDDING.

BY THE MINISTER'S WIFE.

On a fine day in early winter, my husband received a summons to Burk's settlement, to unite a couple in the bonds of wedlock. It was especially requested that his wife should accompany him, and that we should be expected to remain all night, and partake of the festivities.

It was twenty miles to the settlement, and we reached the log house of Mr. Burk, the father of the expected bride, about noon. A dozen tow-hair children were at the door awaiting our arrival. They telegraphed the news instantly.

"Marm! marm! here's the Elder and his woman! They's noting but *folk's*. She's got a man's hat on, and a turkey wing in front of it; and his nose is just like dad's—crooked as a crow-horn squash."

Alas for Mr. Morrison's aquiline nose of which he was a little vain!

"Sam!" called a shrill female voice from the interior of the cabin "run out and grab the rooster and I'll clap him into the pot! Sal, you quit that churn and sweep the floor. Kick that corndoger under the bed! Bill you wipe the tallow out of that cheer for the minister's wife, and be spry about it."

Further remarks were cut short by our entrance.

Mrs. Burk, in calico short-gown, blue petticoat, and bare feet, came forward—wiping her face on her apron.

"How do you, Elder? how d'ye do, marm? Must excuse my head—hain't had time to comb it since las week. Work must be done you know. Powerful sharp air ham't it? Shoo there! Bill drive that turkey out of that bread trough. Sal, take the lady's things. Set right up to the fire, marm. Hand's cold? Well just run them in Bill's hair—we keep it long on purpose."

Bill presented shaggy head, but I declined with an involuntary shudder.

"Lawk, if she ain't actually shivering!" cried Mrs. Burk—"bring in some more wood. Here marm, take this hot corndodger into yer lap its as good as a soap stone."

A fearful squall announced the execution of the rooster, and shortly afterwards he was bounding about in a four pail kettle hung over the fire. Sal returned to her churn, but the extraordinary visitors must have made her careless, for she upset the concern, and the buttermilk went swimming over the floor.

"Grab the ladle, Bill!" cried Mrs. B. "and help dip it up. Take keer, don't put that snarl of hair in. Strange how some people will be so hasty. Dick do keep your feet out of the buttermilk—it won't be fit for the pigs when the butter's gathered. Drive that hen out quick—she's picked up a pound of butter already. There, Sal, do try and churn a little more keerful.—If you are goeing to be spliced terworrow, you needn't run crazy about it.'

"I advise you to dry up!" remarked the bride elect; thumping away at the churn.

By the time I had got fairly warmed, dinner was ready, and you may be sure I did not injure myself by over eating.

Night came on early, and after a social chat, about the event of the morrow, I signified my desire to retire.

Sal lighted a pitch knot, and began climbing a ladder in one corner of the room—I hesitated.

"Come on," cried she;" "don't be afraid, Sam, and Bill, and Dick, and all the rest of ye, duck your head while the Elder's wife goes up. Look out for the kose boards, marm; and mind or you'll smash your brains out against that beam. Take keer of where the chimney comes thro.'

Her warning came too late. I caught my foot in the end of a board, stumbled and fell headlong through what appeard to be interminable space, but it was only to the room I had just left, where I was saved from destruction by Bill, who caught me in his arms, remarking cooly:

"What made you come that way? We generally use the ladder."

I was duly commiserated, and at last got to bed. The less said about that night the better. Bill, and Dick, and four others slept in the same room with us, and made the air vocal with their snoaring. I fell asleep and dreamed I was just being fired from the muzzle of a columbiad, and was awakened by Mr. Morrison, who informed me that it was morning.

The marriage was to take place before breakfast, and Sally was alread glad in her bridle robe when I descended the ladder.

She was magnificantly arrayed in a green calico, over a crinoline full four inches larger than the rest of her apparel—a white apron with red strings—blue socks—a yellow neck ribbon, and white cotton gloves. Her reddish hair was fastened in a pug behind, and well adorned with the feathers of the defunct rooster before mentioned.

When it was announced that Lemuel Lord, the groom, was coming, Sally dived behind a coverlet, which had been hung across one corner of the room to conceal sundry pots and kettles, and refused to come forth. Mr. Lord lifted one corner of the curtain and peeped in, but quickly retreated with a stew pan after him, a few sharp wards from Sally advising him to mind his own business.

Lemuel was dressed in blue, with bright buttons. The entire suit had been made for his grandfather, on a similar occasion. His hair was well greased with tallow, and his huge feet encased in sheep skin pumps. Very soon the company began to gather, and in half and hour the room was filled.

"Now Elder," cried the bridegroom, "drive ahead! I want it done up short. I'm able to pay for the job—do your best."

"Come, father Burk trot out your gal."

But Sally refused to be trotted. She would be married where she was, or not at all. We argued and coaxed, but she was firm; and it was finally concluded to let her have her own way

Mr. Morrison stood up—the happy couple joined hands through a rent in the coverlet, and the ceremony proceeded. Just as Mr. Morrison was asking Lemuel "will you have this woman etc., down came the coverlet, enveloping bride, groom and pastor, and filling the house with dust. Dick had been up in the loft and cut the stringe which held it.

Mr. Morrison crawled out, looking decidedly sheepish; and Sally was obliged to be married openly. To the momentous question, Lemuel responded, "To be sure—what else did I come here for?" Sally replied, "Yes, if you must know."

"Salute your bride," said Mr. Morrison, when all was over.

"I'm ready to do anthining, Elder," said Lemuel, "but skin me if I know about that, sir. Just show me how, an' I'll do it if it kills me." My husband drew back nervously, but Sally advanced through her arms around his neck, and gave him a kiss that made the very windows clatter.

"I vum if I don't do ditto!" cried Lemuel, and hastily taking a huge bite from a piece maple sugar, which he drew from his pocket, he made a dash at me—smashed my collar broke my watch guard into a dozen pieces, tore my hair down and succeeded in planting a kiss on my nose, greatly to the delight of the company.

Then he turned to my husband: "Now Elder, what is the damage, don't be afraid to speak."

"Whatever you please," said Morrison.—Lemuel produced a piece of fur from his pocket.

"There, Elder," said he; "there's a muskrat skin; and out in the shed is two heads of cabbage, and you are welcome to the hull of it."

My husband bowed his thanks—the young people went to dancing. Mrs. B. went to getting breakfast; and at my earnest request Mr. Morrison got our horse, and we bade them adiue. I never could have lived through another meal in that house.

I have since heard that Mr. Lord said that if he had seen the Elder's wife before she was married, Sally might have gone to the dickens.

"Alas! it might have been!"

The Extraordinary Sleeper.

Sam'l Chilton, an inhabitant of the village of Tinsbury, near Bath, was a laborer of robust habit, though not corpulent, and had reached the twenty-fifth year of his age. When apparently in perfect health, he fell into a profound sleep on the 13th of May 1694, and every method which was tried to rouse him, proved unsuccessful. His mother ascribed his conduct to sulleuness of temper, and dreading that he would die of hunger, placed within his reach bread and cheese and small beer; and though no person ever saw him eat or drink during a whole month, yet the food set before him, was daily consumed. At the end of a month he rose of his own accord, put on his clothes, and resumed his usual labor in the field. After the lapse of nearly two years, namely, on the 6th of April, 1696, he was again overtaken with excessive sleep.—He was now bled, blistered, cupped, and scarified and the most irritating medicines applied externally, but they were unable to rouse or even irritate him, and during a whole fortnight, he was never seen to open his eyes. He ate however, as before, of the food that was placed near him, and performed the other functions which were required; but no person ever saw any of those acts, though he was sometimes found fast asleep with his mouth full of food. In this condition he lay ten weeks. A singular change in his constitution now took place. He lost entirely the power of eating; his jaws were set, and his teeth so closely clenched, that every attempt to force open his mouth with instruments failed. Having accidentally observed an opening in his teeth, made by the action of the tobacco pipe, as usual with most great smokers, they succeeded in pouring some tent wine into his throat through a quill. During forty-six days, he subsisted on about three pints or two quarts of tent. At the end of seventeen weeks, viz. about the 7th of August, he awoke, dressed himself and walked about the room, being perfectly unconscious of having slept more than one night.—Nothing, indeed, could make him believe he had slept so long till upon going to the fields he saw crops of barley and oats ready for the sickle, which remembered were only sown when he last visited them. Although his flesh was somewhat diminished by so long a fast yet he was said to look brisker than he had ever done before. He felt no inconvenience whatever from his long confinement, and had not the smallest recollection of any thing that had happened. He accordingly entered again upon his rural occupation, and continued to enjoy good health until the morning of the 17th of August, 1697, when he experienced a coldness and shivering in his back; and after vomiting once or twice, fell into his former state of somnolency.

Dr. Wm. Oliver, to whom we owe the preservation of these remarkable facts, happened to be at Bath, and hearing so singular a case, set out on the 23d of August to inquire into his history. On his arrival at Tinsbury, he found Chilton asleep, with bread and cheese and a cup of beer placed on a stool within his reach. His pulse was regular, though a little too strong, and his respiration free. He was in a "breathing sweat," with an agreeable warmth over his body. Dr. Oliver bawled into his ears, pulled his shoulders, pinched his nose and mouth together; but notwithstanding this rude treatment, he evinced no indications of sensibility:

Impressed with the belief that the whole was a "cheat," Dr. Oliver lifted up his eyelids and found the eye-balls drawn up under his eyebrows, and perfectly motionless. He held a phial containing spirits of sal ammoniac under one nostril a considerable time; but though the doctor could not bear it a moment under his own nose without making his own eyes water, the sleeping patient was insensible to its pungency. The ammonical spirit was then thrown up his nostrils, to the amount of about half an ounce; but though it was as strong almost as fire itself, it only made the patient's eyelids shiver and tremble. Thus baffled in every attempt to rouse him, our ruthless doctor crammed the same nostril with the powder of white hellebore; and finding this equally inactive he was perfectly convinced that no imposter could have remained insensible to such applications, and that Chilton was really overpowered with sleep. In the state in which Dr. Oliver left him, various gentlemen from Bath went to see him; but his mother would not permit the repetition of any experiments. On the second of September, Mr. Woolmer, an experienced apothecary, went to see him, and finding his pulse pretty high, he took fourteen ounces of blood from his arm; but neither the opening of the vein, nor during the flow of the blood, did he make the smallest movement.

In consequence of his mother removing to another house Chilton was carried down stairs in a fit of somnolency. His head accidentally struck against a stone, and received such a severe blow, that it was much cut; but he gave no indication whatever of having felt the blow. Dr. Oliver again visited him in his new house, and after again trying some of his former stimulents, he saw a gentleman who accompanied him, run a large pin into the arm of Chilton, to the very bone, without his being sensible of it. During the whole of the long fit he was never seen to eat or drink, though generally once a day or sometimes once in two days, the food that stood by him disappeared. Such was the condition of our patient on the 19th of November; when his mother having heard a noise, ran up to his room and found him eating. Upon asking him how he was he replied, "Very well, thank God." She then asked him whether he liked bread and butter, or bread and cheese best? He answered, "bread and cheese." She immediately left the room to convey the agreeable intelligence to his brother; but on their return to the bed room, they found him as fast asleep as ever, and incapable of being roused by any of the means which they applied. From this time his sleep seemed to have been less profound; for though he continued in a state of somnolency till the end of January or the beginning of February, yet he seemed to hear when they called him by his name; and though he was incapable of returning any answer, yet they considered him as sensible to what was said. His eyes were less closely shut, and frequently tremors were seen in his eyelids. About the beginning of February, Chilton awoke in perfect health, having no reccollection whatever of any thing that had happened to him during his long sleep. The only complaint that he made was, that the cold pinched him more than usual. He returned accordingly to his labors in the field, and so far as we can learn, he was not again attacked with this singular disease.

Smart Girls.

At an examination in one of our young ladies' seminaries, the other day, the question was put to a class of little ones:

"Who makes the laws in our Government?"

"Congress," was the ready reply.

"How is Congress divided?' was the next question. But the little girl to whom it was put failed to answer it. Another little girl in the class raised her hand, indicating that she could answer it.

"Well," said the examiner, "Miss Sallie, what do you say the division is?"

Instantly, with an air of confidence, as well as triumph, the answer came:

"Civilized, half-civilled and savaged!"

A Woman buried Alive.

A terrible occurrence is said to have taken place near Quincy, in Illinois. Mrs. McClure was supposed to have died on Sunday last, and on Monday was buried in a vault belonging to the family. On Wednesday groans were heard from the vault by children of the buried woman and an old lady who was with them. Upon learning this, the husband and neighbors repaired to the vault, broke open the door, opened the coffin, and found the woman alive. She had torn her hair and wounded her fingers in vain efforts to escape from her narrow prison. She was taken home, and is in a fair away to recover.

Disappointment.

The Journal de Rouen killed a lady recently, and the editor had a visit from the bereaved husband.

"Villain!" cried the bereaved husband, "you have killed my wife;"

Editor, with dignity: "Monsieur, I am an editor not a doctor."

"That's just it!" cried the bereaved husband; "you've killed her on paper, and she's alive."

"If she is not dead I congratulate you sincerely."

Congratulate! I demand damages for the *disappointment!!*"

☞ It was said, in the olden times, that the body was more than raiment; but now the raiment is a great deal more than the body in value, and full five times as much in circumference.

Epitaph.

On the 22d of December
A contounded big piece of timber
Fell down slam bang,
And killed poor John Lang.

☞ An Irishman on hearing of a friend having a stone coffin made for himself, exclaimed: "By my sowl and thats a good idee. Sure and a stone coffin 'ud last a man his lifetime."

☞ Never look at girls, they can't bear it; they regard it as an insult. They wear their feathers furbelows, and frills, merely to gratify their mammas, that's all.

☞ A hypocrite may spin so fair a thread as to deceive his own eyes. He may admire the cobweb, and not know himself to be the spider.

☞ Beautiful was the reply of a venerable man to the question whether he was still in the land of the living: "No, but I am almost there."

☞ A Western editor, puffing an express company, says: "Anything intrusted to its care will go through streight." How about corkscrews?

☞ The latest thing in the way of exhibitions is one of hops and beer, which is to take place at Dijon, France, in October, and is to be open to all nations.

☞ When once infidelity can persuade men that they shall die like beasts, they will soon be brought to have like beasts, also.

☞ Gentlemen, do not part your hair behind, for hair parted in that way reveals a soft place in the head.

☞ Why are hot buckwheat cakes like a caterpillar? Because they are the "grub" that makes the butter fly.