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A CARD.

Miss ELEANOR C. STUART, has just returned from the city with the latest fashions and best materials, and is prepared to execute orders in the Millinary business at the shortest notice. She has taken the stand in front of her father's dwelling, nearly opposite to Mr. James Willson's, and next door to Mr. Samuel Hambleton's office, where she invites the attention of the ladies and, humbly, hopes to share their patronage.

April 30

Notice.

THE male and female primary school in District No 2 in Election District No 1 will re-opened on Monday 25th inst at 9 o'clock A M.

P R LOOCKERMAN, WM HUSSEY, SAML. ROBERTS } Trus'ts

Sept 20 1w (G1w)

Public Sale.

WILL be sold at public sale, at the residence of Charles W. Hobbs, in the Chapple district of Talbot County on Thursday the sixth day of October, if fair, if not, the next fair day. All the said Hobbs's

horses, cattle, hogs,

and farming utensils, the crop of corn in the field, (subject to rent,) corn blades, household and kitchen furniture, &c. &c. terms made known on the day of sale to commence at 10 o'clock, and attendance given by

VALENTINE BRYAN.

Sept. ts

Dissolution.

THE partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers under the firm of Councill & Vinson, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Those indebted to the above firm will please settle their accounts with Joseph Councill, who is authorized to receive the same.

JOSEPH COUNCILL,
JAMES VINSON.

June 8th 1836

Blacksmithing.

JAMES VINSON has this day taken the Shop of Councill & Vinson on Dover St. in the town of Easton, lately occupied by Mr Vanderford, next door to Mr. Dodd's, and directly opposite to Mr. John Bennett's, and intends to carrying on the above business in all its various branches.

All persons wishing work done will please call and give him a trial. The cash is at all times acceptable, but all kinds of articles in trade will be taken in return.

The public's obt. servt.
JAMES VINSON.

June 8 3t

Easton and Baltimore Packet, SCHOONER

JOHN EDMONDSON
Robson Leonard, Master.

The Subscriber grateful for past favours of generous public, begs leave to inform his friends and public generally, that the above named Schooner, will commence her regular trips between Easton and Baltimore, on Sunday the sixth of March, at 9 o'clock, in the morning, and returning will leave Baltimore on the following Wednesday at 9 o'clock, in the morning, and continue to sail on the above named days during the season. The John Edmondson is now in complete order for the reception of Freight or Passengers; having sailed as a Packet for about six months and proved to be a fine sailed and safe boat, surpassed by no vessel for safety, in the bay. All Freights intended for the John Edmondson will be thankfully received at the Granary at Easton Point, or elsewhere at all times, and all orders left at the Drug Store of Dr. Thomas H. Dawson & Son, or with Robert Leonard who will attend to all business pertaining to the packet concern, accompanied with the Cash, will meet with prompt attention.

The Public's Ob't. Serv't.
JOSHUA E. LEONARD.

MISSES GOVER AND MRPEY'S BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL for young ladies, N. Calvert street, adjoining the north side of the City Spring, Baltimore.

Young ladies are instructed in reading, writing, arithmetic, English grammar, geography with the use of globes and maps, history, natural philosphy, chemistry, with other branches of literature; also plain and fancy needle work. Board and tuition $40 per session, the session including twelve weeks. Day scholars at the usual prices. Music, Drawing, and French extra charges.

Cards containing the best of references may be obtained by addressing (post paid,) the Misses Gover, Baltimore.

Sept. 3 3rd

TO THE LADIES.

SPRING FASHIONS.

MRS. RIDGAWAY thankful for past favors, again solicits the attention of the ladies of Talbot and the adjacent Counties to call and examine her beautiful assortment of new

FANCY ARTICLES.
AND
SPRING FASHIONS

just received. They have been carefully selected, and will be found of a superior and beautiful description

ALSO,

MANTUA-MAKING

in all its varieties. She has engaged a competent young lady to attend exclusively to this branch of business. She solicits a share of patronage, and will use every exertion to give general satisfaction.

April23 6t (G) 3t

Talbot county to wit.

ON application to me the subscriber, one of the Justices of the Orphans' Court of the county aforesaid by petition in writing of Henry Ridgaway stating that he is under execution, and praying for the benefit of the act of Assembly, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and five, for the relief of Insolvent Debtors; and the several supplements thereto, on the terms mentioned in the said acts; and the said Henry Ridgaway having complied with the several requisites required by the acts of Assembly, I do hereby order and adjudge that he said Henry Ridgaway be discharged from his imprisonment, and that he be and appear before the Judges of Talbot County Court, on the first Monday of November Term next, and at such other days and times as the Court shall direct; the same time is appointed for the creditors of the said Henry Ridgaway to attend, and show cause, if any they have, why the said Henry Ridgaway should not have the benefit of the said acts of Assembly. Given under my hand the 10th day of February 1836.

LAMBERT W. SPENCER.

Aug. 6 w3m

Notice.

ALL persons indebted to the subscriber for officers fees due last year, are requested to come forward immediately and settle the same, as long indulgence will not be given I have given positive orders to my Deputies to execute for the same without delay, and all persons in arrears for officers fees due this year and executions now in hand are notified that I shall be under the necessity of advertising their property between this and the first day of September next if not settled

The subscriber is urged to this recourse from an expectation of leaving the County, and he therefore expects all persons interested to pay attention to this notice, or otherwise abide the consequences

JO. GRAHAM, Shff.

June 4

Teacher Wanted.

THE Trustees of the Bolingbrook School, District No. 1 (Trappe) are desirous to employ a competent Teacher for the Primary School in that District.

Testimonials of competency, and character will be required.

Applicants will address either of the subscribers.

NS. B. NEWNAM, JAS. MERRICK, NAT. LEONARD, } Trustees.

Easton Feb. 13, 1836 tf

A CARD.

ALL persons in debt to the Eastern Shore Whig for subscription or advertisements prior to the 1st of January last, are hereby notified that the late Editor expects to leave the State of Maryland, for some months early in September next, he therefore requests them to call and liquidate their accounts otherwise he will be compelled to place them in a train of collection.

July 19th, 1836 td

Talbot County to wit.

ON application to me the subscriber, one of the Justices of the Orphans' Court of the county aforesaid by petition in writing of Thomas Henrix stating that he is under execution, and praying for the benefit of the act of Assembly, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and five, for the relief of Insolvent Debtors; and the several supplements thereto, on the terms mentioned in the said acts; and the said Thomas Henrix having complied with the several requisites required by the acts of Assembly, I do hereby order and adjudge that he said Thomas Henrix be discharged from his imprisonment, and that he be and appear before the Judges of the Talbot County Court, on the first Monday of November Term next, and at such other days and times as the Court shall direct; the same time is appointed for the creditors of the said Thomas Henrix to attend, and show cause, if any they have, why the said Thomas Henrix should not have the benefit of the said acts of Assembly. Given under my hand the 13th day of February, 1836.

LAMBERT W. SPENCER.

Aug. w3m

$200 REWARD.

RANAWAY from the subscriber on Saturday 16th inst a negro man named Noah Pinder about 21 years of age, 5 feet 4 or 5 inches high and very black. Noah had several kinds of clothing, among them I recollect a steel mixed frock coat, white hat, a palm hat and perhaps a black hat, and a pair tow pantaloons. I will give one hundred dollars if he is taken in the county, one hundred and fifty dollars if out of the county and within the State, and the above Reward of 200 dollars if taken out of the State, if he be delivered to me in either case or secured so that I get him.

WILLIAM ROACH.
East New-Market.

July 30

Election.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Election will be held at the several election districts of this County, on the first Monday in September next, to elect two persons for Talbot County, to be electors of the Senate Maryland.

Also, that an election will be held at the several election districts of this County on the first Monday in October next, to elect four persons to Represent Talbot County in the next House of Delegates; a Sheriff for Talbot County and two Commissioners for District No. 1.

Also, that an election will be held at the several election districts of this County, on the first Monday in November next, to elect electors of President and Vice President of the United States.

JOS. GRAHAM,

July 30 tf

The Teeth.

DRS. WARE and GILL, Dental Surgeon's, are always prepared to insert from one to a whole set of teeth, so as to resemble nature.

☞Office corner of Hanover and Lombar streets, Baltimore.

aug 27 tf

WAS COMMITTED to the Jail of Baltimore city and county, on the 5th day of June, 1836, by Robert Dutton, Esq. a Justice of the Peace in and for the city and county of Baltimore, as a runaway, a negro man named Edward Weeks, alias Henry Johnson, says he was born free, and was raised by his mother Nancy Williams, in Barbadoes, aged about 23 years, 5 feet 3½ inches high; has a small scar over his right eye. a scar on his left arm, and several small scars on his left hand. Had on when committed a drab cloth roundabout, blue country cloth vest, lead coloured country cloth pantaloons, red flannel shirt, old lace boots and tarpaulin hat.

The owner (if any) of the above described negro man is requested to come forward, prove property pay charges and take him away, otherwise he will be discharged according to law.

D. W. HUDSON, Warden
Baltimore city and county Jail

WAS COMMITTED to the Jail of Baltimore city and county, by Nicholas Brewer, Esq. a Justice of the Peace in and for the city of Baltimore, on the 5th day of July 1836, a negro man, as a runaway, name RICHARD HAWKINS, says he belongs to Elizabeth Lake, on the Eastern Shore, beyond Denton, aged about 24 years 5 feet 5 1-2 inches in height, has a small scar on his right ear and one on his left foot. Had on when committed a dark blue cassinett roundabout, cotton shirt, red striped vest, light blue casinet pantaloons, old pair of shoes and an old wool hat.

The owner (if any) of the above described negro is requested to come forward prove property, pay charges and take him away, otherwise he will be discharged according to law.

D. W. HUDSON, Warden
Baltimore city and county Jail.

July

COMON BARRETT,

TAVERN KEEPER,
EASTON, MD.

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public generally that he still continues to carry on the above business at his old stand on Washington street, opposite the office of Samuel Hambleton, jr. Esq. where he is prepared to accommodate travellers and other who may be pleased to patronize his establishment.—His bar is well stocked with the choicest Liquors and his larder with the best provision the market will afford—his stables are in good order and well stocked with provender He has in his employ careful ostlers and he assures the Public nothing shall be wanting on his part to give general satisfaction.

feb 3 tf

N. B. S.B will at all times pay the highest market prices for Terrapins, Oysters, &c

WAS COMMITTED to the Jail of Baltimore city and county, on the third day of August, 1836, by William A. Schaffer, Esq. a Justice of the Peace in and for the city of Baltimore, a negro man, as a runaway, who calls himself ROBERT THOMAS, says he is free but did belong to Levin Thomas, Dorchester county, Maryland; age about 34 years, 5 feet 10½ inches in height; has a scar on his right ancle a scar on his right foot, a scar on his left arm, a scar in the small of his back, small scar under his left eye, and has four warts on his left little finger. Had on when committed a coarse linen roundabout, cotton shirt, dark grey casinett pants, and old black fur hat.

The owner (if any) of the above described negro man is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take him away, otherwise he will be discharged according to law.

D. W. HUNDON, Warden
Baltimore city and county Jail.

aug 27 3w

WAS COMMITTED to the Jail of Baltimore city and county, on the 25th day of July, 1836, by Noah Ridgely, Esq a Justice of the Peace, in and for the city of Baltimore, a negro man, as a runaway, named BENJAMIN RAY, says he belongs to Dr. James Owens, at Pig Point, Anne Arundel county, Maryland; his age is about 35 years and 5 feet 9½ inches in height, has a scar on his left arm, and a scar on his left leg, caused by being burnt. Had on when committed a dark flushing monkey jacket, black silk vest, grey cassinet pantaloons, cotton shirt, white cotton stockings coarse shoes, and an old white fur hat.

The owner (if any) of the above described negro man is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take him away, otherwise he will be discharged according to law.

D. W. HUDSON, Warden
Baltimore city and county Jail.

aug 13

CHEAP LITERATURE.

A LIBERAL OFFER.

That it may be within the means of every person who wishes to subscribe to AN AMUSING AND USEFUL JOURNAL OF NEWS, and have it carefully and regularly forwarded to them by mail, or otherwise, we shall from the present time until the first of next January, receive orders FOR TEN COPIES OF THE SALMAGUNDI, AND NEWS OF THE DAY, AT THE RATE OF ONE DOLLAR PER ANNUM FOR EACH SUBSCRIPTION—that is, any person forwarding us a TEN DOLLAR NOTE, *free of postage* will be furnished with ten of our papers for a whole year, to be forwarded to any direction signated. The subscription price for a single name is two dollars. We make this offer, believing, as the pecuniary expense will be trifling that all who have the inclination to become acquainted with the character of a journal which has made such rapid progress in public estimation as this has, will take advantage of the proposition at once, and enroll their names on the list of its numerous patrons. It cannot be doubted that those who subscribe will receive the worth of their dollar, when we assure the public that each number contains, independent of its various amusing engravings, as much reading matter as many of the popular volumes which are sold in our bookstores at double the rates that we ask for a whole year's subscription.

500 ENGRAVINGS

Will be furnished in this journal in one year—these, in addition to a choice selection of Sarcastic Criticism and Wit, contained in its columns, will form a literary banquet of a superior and attractive order. ☞Clubs of Five will be supplied with the paper for one year from the commencement, by forwarding a ten dollar note, *postage paid.*

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Addres

CHARLES ALEXANDER,
No. 3 Athenian Buildings, Franklin Place
Philadelphia.

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of Matthew I Higgins deceased, are requested to come and settle the same or they may expecte to find their accounts in the hands of

JOSIAH HIGGINS, Adm.
Matthew I Higgins dec'd.

Aug. 13 tf

MR. AND MRS. HAMILTON
BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL FOR
Young Ladies.

Corner of Courtland and Saratoga streets, Baltimore,

WILL BE RE-OPENED on Monday, the 5th of September next. As this Institution during the present year, has received the most extensive improvements and additions, the principals feel a confidence in saying they believe it to be now superior to any similar establishment ever offered to public patronage both in the School and Boarding departments.

Although the character of this Institution generally well known yet for the satisfaction those unacquainted with it, they give the following gentlemen as references:

Rev. Dr. JOHNS, Rev. Dr HENSHAW
Rev. J. M. DUNCAN,

A prospectus of the School may be obtained by addressing (post paid) William Hamilton, Baltimore,

aug 27 tf

Collector's Notice.

ALL persons indebted to Talbot County for Taxes for 1836, are hereby notified that there accounts are now due; the short time allowed by law for the collection of the same, precludes all possible indulgence on the part of the Collector; prompt payment is therefore expected, and required persons holding property in the County and residing elsewhere, will please pay attention to the above.

WM. R TRIPPE, Collector.

Sept 10 1w4

Maryland Eclipse.

IS now on his stand at Easton, where he will make a fall season—for a limited number of Mares, as heretofore made known.

Sept 13 3t

Dried Peaches Wanted.

Oldson & Hopkins

WISHES to purchase two hundred bushels of pared peaches for which the highest cash prices will be given.

ALSO the highest cash prices given at all times for FEATHERS, QUILLS, RAGS, &c. &c.

aug 30, w(G)

PRINTING NEATLY AND SPEEDILY EXECUTED AT THIS OFFICE

GASPER RESSELING.

THE TRANSYLVANIAN ROBBER.

I never saw so lovely a morning. Every object was tinted with a clear yellow light: the thousand pinnacles and buttresses of the cathedral were sparkling with a peculiar lustre; and the partisans of the old fortress seemed to lose their harsh, grim outlines, in most holly illumination. On the one hand, rose the ponderous masses of the ancient city, with here and there, the tower of a monastery, or a church, rearing its battlements amidst the confusion of uncouth chimnies and fantastic smoke wreaths. On the other, the giant oaks were casting long streaks of shade over the yellow corn fields, and the winding river was seen at intervals, till it was lost in the dark masses of wood that skirted the distance Oh! all was fragrant and refreshing; it was like that blessed morn when the voice of the angel proclaimed to St Magdalene that the Lord had arisen from the sepulchre.

The bells were tolling dismally in their turrets, and I could hear the chaunt of the monks rising at times from the neighboring monastery. The bells were tolling to announce my execution—that chaunt was raised to speed my soul on its long—long journey!

But I was not allowed to enjoy this fair prospect in peace. They spoke, but I did not hear what they said; they pointed to the car that stood ready to drag me round the ramparts to the gibbet. I comprehended their meaning, and mechanically obeyed them. The priest took his place beside me; and the executioner, masked and muffled, sat in the back part of the vehicle. The car rolled slowly along, when the bells chimed and tinkled in unison with the dead sound of the drums; and the song of the monks rose into a fuller dirapason as we approached nearer and nearer. The father confessor prayed long and fervently;—with streaming eyes and tremulous voice he implored me to give but one sign of repentance he told me of heaven: he told me of hell; he reminded me of Him who had died by a more shameful death than mine, that I might be saved. In vain—his words fell upon my ear, but I sat in almost idiotic stupor. I bowed and crossed myself in imitation of his action, but I was gazing on the gilded towers, so fearfully contrasted with the ghastly implements of death and the solemn pageantry of the procession.—Alas! heaven and earth were smiling in mockery of my sin and its punishment. The swallow twittered carelessly over our heads; the very dog snarled in derision and laid himself down to bask in the sunshine, in undisturbed felicity.

The priest guessed my thoughts; he foretold the time when the gigantic battlements should crumble into dust,—when not one stone of the proud temple should remain upon one another,—when the sun himself should wax dim & be extinguished. But I should remain eternal, immortal. How I was to exist depended upon this moment. Alas! conviction came too late.

We had now reached the termination of our fatal journey, we descended from our vehicle, and advanced to the scaffold, which was erected upon the ramparts, and commanded an extensive view of the plain [illegible] I looked down on the almost numberless multitude of heads. At my appearance they rose and fell like the waves of a troubled sea—they shrunk backward in loathing abhorrence, as if from some hideous reptile that was about to dart amongst them. I remember many a face that I had known in better days. I looked steadfastly at them; they buzzed like a swarm of hornets—a smothered groan spread from man to man—they moved nodded, grinned at me. Oh! as I live, every lip in that vast multitude was curled in scorn—every eye was glaring with a horrible defiance! I now experienced that dreadful thirst which is said to indicate approaching death.—Thirst can I call it? My very vitals were scorched and withered. Water! water! Oh! what is the wealth of the Indies compared with one cup of the pure cool element. I retain, a painfully distinct recollection of the whole scene—the executioner—the platform—the ladder—the gibbet, and the noose halter—the solitary raven that had perched on the gallows—the despairing countenance of the confessor—and the pale livid faces of the spectators—that dark wilderness of eyes, all concentrating on me!

Slowly and sullenly I allowed them to conduct me to the foot of the ladder. The executioner stripped me of the upper part of my clothing, bound my passive hands behind me, and clipped of my long curling hair of which I was once so vain. Fool! fool! I was angry with him—even at that horrid moment, I was weak enough to be angry with him.

Slowly and sullenly we reached the top of the ladder. He fixed them fasten the fatal noose about my neck which had so often been fondly encircled by the small slender finger of beauty! O God! I was horribly sick at that moment. What followed I know not.—I only remember unconsciously, giving the appointed signal, I fell some feet perpendicularly, and at the same time the executioner leant upon my shoulders to tighten the noose with his additional weight. A flash of fire brighter than the glare of a thousand suns—danced before my eyes; my ears rang with tumultuous mixture of sounds, in which my own gaspings for breath, the shuddering groans of the spectators, and the cry of the boding bird that sat above me were joined with the roar of a thousand cataracts, & the harsh, harsh yelp of a thousand wolves. I writhed in my agony to free my arms from the cords that bound them, and my shoulders from the wretch that still clung to them. The lights danced, and flickered and multiplied; the sounds increased tenfold in loudness and discordance. I felt as if I were red-hot; my blood boiled in my veins, my pulses throbbed and fluttered and were still. I grew as cold as ice—darkness, and silence, and insensibility succeeded.

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I started from the bed on which I lay The apartment was large and gloomy, and instruments, whose uses I could not comprehend, were ranged in shelves along the walls Am I in the region of the King of Terrors? was my first inquiry. Ah, no?—for the good priest is seated beside the bed, in company with a venerable man, and pronounces his emphatic blessing. The story was short and simple. The priest had obtained my body from the magistrates, under pretence of burying it privately; but with the intention of conveying it to the chamber of a friend,—a learned alchemist—whose labors had been rewarded by the discovery of a powerful elixir. The process had been applied to me while I was yet warm, and succeeded in restoring me to life. Under the instructions of the good father, I had leisure to repent of my sins, and from his friend I learned the secrets of his art.

I have now attained an extreme old age [illegible] I wander in safety through the streets of Wittenburg, in the midst of those who have heard their grandsires tell of the daring deeds of the noted Gasper Wasseling—the Transylvanian Robber.

THE DRUNKARD'S SON.—Mother, this bread is very hard—why don't we have cake and nice things, as we used when we lived in the great house? oh, that was such a pretty house, mamma—and I do love to live there so; you made sweet music, there, mamma, with your fingers, when pa would sing, pa used to laugh then, and take me on his knee and said I was his own dear boy. What makes pa sick; ma? I wish he wasn't sick—for it makes me 'fraid when he stamps upon the floor and says so loud, George, go off to bed. Say, when will he get well, and take me on his knee, and love me as he used? But, ma, there, is a tear in your eye; let me wipe it, but, there, there, another comes; oh, another! did I make you cry these tears, mamma?

Hush, little innocent; you cannot stop your mother's tears, for they are the overflowings of a fountain filled with blighted hopes, anguish and misery. She cannot tell you when your father will love you, for alas! he is a DRUNKARD.

I heard a beautiful boy, scarcely four years old, lisping this to his mother—and I pitied him from my inmost soul. His name was George Elwin. His father was once rich and happy, and nearly idolized his little son, but in an evil hour he began to sip the intoxicating cup; the habit had grown upon him, until the peace of his family was destroyed; and he became a tyrant. The beautiful house in which they had lived was now exchanged for a miserable cottage in the suburbs of the city, and little George doomed to be the companion of the indolent and vicious.—*Com. Herald.*

ANOTHER VICTIM.—A young man, the only male representative of a highly respectable family was killed on last Saturday in Jefferson co. Md., by a very harmless youth on whom the wretched inebriate was making a mortal assault. The facts are briefly these: The young man who has fallen, began, in February last, to give signs of mania potu. On the 22d of February he took out license of marriage, embracing the name of a young lady residing near him. He asked a clergyman to officiate on the next Wednesday at his marriage, and also invited a numerous wedding company. At a Ball the same evening, in the midst of a large assemblage, he read aloud, mounted on a table, his marriage license.—From this public proclamation the lady received the first intelligence about the contemplated wedding, which had been arranged by the maniac lover. On the day appointed by him for solemnizing the rites of matrimony, he proceeded, despite the efforts of his friends, and at the risk of one individual's life who endeavored to prevent him, to the residence of his imagined betrothed. By kind means, however, he was pursuaded to return home and was soon in the care of a physician who succeeded in restoring him to a temporary soundness of intellect. On the 2d of June, the object of his monomacal devotion was led to the hymenial altar by the young man who has been forced, in self-defence to destroy the maniac's life. At the time of the marriage, and ever since, he had been under the influence of the mania induced by the recurrence of the phrenzying howl uttering threats against the life of the young man who has killed him. On the fatal day, he went armed with knife and pistol to execute his mad purpose. His destroyer had been warned, and was prepared with rifle and shot gun, and as he entered his gate, he fired his rifle and wounded his foe in the leg, at which his horse started and threw him; but recovering, and again advancing, he received contents of one barrel of the shot gun in his abdomen—but still urged on by the fiend within him, with pistol armed, he received the contents of the second barrel in his head, and he fell a lifeless, mangled corpse at the door of the assaulted and unfortunate youth, whom he had resolved to destroy.—*Natchez Cold Water Man.*

SNOW—On Wednesday last, the Catoctin Mountains, near Frederick, were covered with Snow. It was said to have fallen to the depth of six inches.

HOMAGE TO THE HERO.—Gen. Harrison's reception at Philadelphia on thr 24th inst. is represented in a most glowing and enthusiastic manner by the editor of the Commercial Herald. His friends have left nothing undone which could possibly have a tendency to create an excitement in his favor. In their devotion to the "hero" they have overstepped the bounds of decency, and shown themselves the mere dupes of an imaginary popular excitement. '*Those beautiful cream* colored horses,' were even detached from their precious burden and IT drawn triumphantly through the city of brotherly love, by the willing slaves of the Petticoat Hero. Indeed we must now believe, with Attorney General Austin, that the first great whig principle is opposition to the Baltimore nominations.—*Boston Daily Gazette*

The character of the Whig journals of this city was amusingly illustrated on Monday. So far as intelligence had been received of the results of the Inspectors elections, Harrisonism had been, in almost every case, completely prostrated, and the friends of Van Buren had achieved victories where they were least expected. Yet in the teeth of all this information, nearly all of our very conscientious contemporaries contained articles descriptive of the glorious prospects of the petticoat General particularly in Pennsylvania. The game, therefore, is to be followed out in all its ramifications! The Harrisonites, who are weak enough to credit the words of their party organs, are to be fed with false hopes up to the last moment, and are then cavalierly to be left to the shock of defeat, to bear it as they may.—Pennsylvania

Long and continued attention, sympathy and kindness to a lady, will almost invariably inspire her with love at last.

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