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We keep at our Steam Flouring Mill in this place Pea Meal for feeding cows and stock. Also, we have on hand at all times, Family, Extra, Superfine and coarse Flour. We warrant our family flour. Corn Meal and Grits can always be had at the mill. J. WILKES & CO.

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Of the best quality, with 10 inch saws, moveablechilled ribs and tinned brush, and all other necessary improvements-delivered at any Railroad station in the State at \$2 per saw. These Gins took the premium at the S. C. State Fair in 1858 and 1859. J. M. ELLIOTT,

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The subscriber being desirious of removing West, | me, or ms app offers for sale his PLANTATION, situated ten miles west of Charlotte, on the waters of Paw creek and Catawaba River. The tract comprises 330 Acres, most of it superior land. There is a good Dwelling and all necessary out-houses on the premises. Terms liberal, Also, will be sold a half interest in a Grist and Saw Mill adjoining the above tract. WM. M. PORTER Apl 3, 1860. tf

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Jamestown, Guilford Co., N. C. The Third Session of this College will commence July 11th, 1860. For Catalogues or Circulars Address J. S. RAY, Sec'y,

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Great Clothing Emporium

They are now opening at their large and capacious Store Room, the HANDSOMEST and CHEAPEST Stock of Ready-made Clothing

ever offered in the State. Their stook comprises all the different kinds of Fancy Cut Linen and Marseilles Business Suits, English and French Drap d'Ete and Alpacca Frocks and Sacks; a large variety of Cassimere Pants-Fancy and Black; also, Fancy and Black Silk, Cassimere and Marseilles Vests in endless variety.

Gents' Furnishing Goods, Trunks, Valises, Hats and Caps, &c., &c. All of the above goods are of the latest styles and patterns.

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the manufacture of Garments. At all times will be found a good stock of Black and colored Cloths, English, French and American Cassimeres, and a variety of Vestings. Also, an assortment of Rock Island Cassimeres.

They feel confident of their ability to undersell any other house in the State, from the advantages they have in getting their goods. Their goods are bought by the quantity, by one of the Firm who resides in the Northern markets, which

gives him the opportunity of taking advantage of the prices of goods, thereby saving at least Twenty-five per cent to the consumer. Dimes saved are Dollars made ! So try us. E. FULLINGS.

JNO. M. SPRINGS, JNO. P. HEATH. April 10, 1860.

Large Arrivals SPRING & SUMMER GOODS. KOOPHANN & PHELPS'

They have received and are receiving a large stock of

Dry Goods. Millinery and Ladies' Dress Goods

endless variety, suitable for the Spring and Summer Particular attention is called to their assortment of Lace Shawls, Points and Mantillas.

They have a LARGER STOCK of FINE GOODS that they have ever kept before. They assure those who may deal with them that they will endeavor to give satisfaction both in price and the quality of the Goods, as they are determined to sell at such low rates as will tend to the great advantage of purchasers. They have in store

A large lot of Ready-made Clothing of various styles and qualities at reduced prices.

CROCERIES,

HARDWARE, &c., Of all kinds, kept constantly on hand and for sale on the most reasonable terms.

They invite purchasers to give their extensive stock in examination before buying elsewhere. KOOPMANN & PHELPS. April 10, 1860.

T. J. CORPENING, Surgeon Dentist,

(Graduate of the Baltimore Dental College,) Can be found at his Office on Tryon street, opposite China Hall, where he will be pleased to receive the calls of those who may require his professional services. February 21, 1860.

ANOTHER SOUTHERN MOVEMENT CUBAN SEGAR MANUFACTORY.

Segars and Tobacco Leaf direct from Cuba. JOHN S. WILEY has returned to Charlotte from Cuba, where he bought a large and varied assortment of SEGARS, SNUFF, TOBACCO, &c., for this market, and is now opening some celebrated brands of Segars,

among which may be found the following : El Rico Habana, Mucha El Littleto, Concha's Malos, Rio Hondro. Lasbelas Gustou.

Flor del Tumas, He manufuctures Segars from the best Havana Tobacco; and keeps the best Smoking and chewing Tobacco, Lynchburg and Turkish Brands; Maccabau, Rap-

pee and pure Scotch Snuffs; Powhatan Pipes, sunff Boxes, Matches, Blacking, &c.; Meershaun Segar Hold-

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HAVING located in Charlotte, respect-A complete assortment of Cloths. Cas- Babbit metal, &c. simeres and Vestings always on hand, which will be made to order at the shortest notice. Shop three doors south of the Mansion House. Sept. 27, 1859.

feet high, about thirty years old, tolerably bright, rather grass and brier Scythes, Bush Hooks, Wagon boxes; slim, and weighs about 175 pounds. He has a down Hollow ware, such as pots, ovens and lids, skillits, spi-Planters wishing to purchase Gins of the subscirber, look when spoken to. The end of the foreinger of his ders, stew-pans and kettles, Cauldrons from 20 to 120 concern. will do well to send their orders early, as there is generally a crowd of work late in the season.

I. W. ELLLOTT.

look when spoken to. The end of the foreinger of his gallons each; Iron and brass Preserving Kettles, Sheep gallons Rocky River, in the lower end of Cabarrus county, the Mansion House, where he was raised. All persons are forewarned not to harbor or assist him, under the penalty of the me, or his apprehension and confinement in any jail so Hardware Store, opposite Mansion House. WILLIAM HAMILTON. Negro Head Depot, Union Co., N. C.

TAXES.

The TAX LISTS for the year 1859 are now in my hands for inspection. Those liable to pay Taxes will please come foward and settle. E. C. GRIER, Sheriff.

April 9, 1860.

NEGROES WANTED. years old, for which the highest prices in cash will be tants to render sojourners pleasant and comfortable.

May 17, 1859

THE HEAVENLY HOME. Dear children, there's a blissful spot Above the starry skies, Where pain and grief can enter not,

Where pleasure never dies. And, children, would you happy live, Within that world of bliss? Would you a crown of life receive,

And dwell where Jesus is? Then come unto the Savior now! Yield unto him your heart, Before him humbly, meekly bow,

And with earth's idols part.

Then, children, you will happy be, While in this world you move, And through a vast eternity, You'll feast on Jesus' love.—Reaper.

Charlotte Female Institute, CHARLOTTE, N. C. Rev. R. Burwell, Principal.

The next Session will commence on the 12th of Sepember, and continue until the last of June, 1861, with short intermission at Christmas.

TERMS FOR TWENTY WEEKS: Board and Tuition in English Branches, Tuition of day Scholars, \$16 and \$18 00 Ornamental branches at usual prices. One half of board and tuition payable in advance.

The various departments will be filled by Teachers f known experience and ability. For Catalogues, containing further particulars, ad-July 17, 1860. 21m. Charlotte, N. C.

PROPERTY FOR SALE IN Lenoir, N. C.

The undersigned wishing to move West, offers for sale his Town Property, consisting of Three Lots, on one of which is a large and commodious building and bor, the same number of hands and mules, plows, firing was to be done. Many of our most prominall necessary out-houses. The others are well improved, on one an orchard of choice fruit, on the other (part in cultivation). He offers also 350 acres of land the same time and trouble to pick and gin and ing homes. Negroes never before suspected, are in Watauga county, near a good turnpike, being one of pack, and the same quantity of bagging and rope implicated, and the insurrectionary movement is the best stock farms in the county.

Lenoir is a beautiful Mountain Village, 18 miles from

the W. N. C. Railroad. A tri-weekly stage line passes from Lincolnton, N. C., via. Hickory Station and Lenoir to Abington, Va. Davenport Female College and institutions, are situated in the place. Any one wishing to buy will get a bargain by applying early to the subscriber at Lenoir, Caldwell co., N. C. June 19th, 1860. 3m

Hardware!! Hardware!! A. A. N. M. TAYLOR

DESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the publie generally, that he has added to his extensive stock of Stoves and Tin Ware, a large and complete stock of Hardware, consisting in part as follows: Carpenters' Tools.

Circular, mill, crosscut, hand, ripper, pannel, pruning, grafting, tennon, back, compass, webb, and butcher SAWS; Braces and bits, Draw Knives, Chissels, Augers, Gimlots, Hammers, Hatchets, and Axes; Brick, plastering, and pointing Trowels; Saw-setters, Screwplates, Stocks and dies, Planes of all kinds, Spokeshaves, Steel-blade bevel and try Squares; Spirit Levels, Pocket Levels, Spirit level Vials, Boring machines, Gougers, and in fact everthing a mechanic wants, in great variety and at very low prices, at TAYLOR'S. Hardware Store and Tin-ware Depot, opposite the Mansion House, Charlotte, N. C. May 29, 1860.

Blacksmith's Tools.

Such as Bellows, Anvils, Vices, hand and slide Hammers, Buttresses, Farriers' Knives, Screw-plates, Stocks and dies, Blacksmith's Pincers and Tongs, Raspers and Files of every kind, Cut horseshoe and clinch Nails. Borax: Iron of all sizes, both of northern and country manufacture; cast, plow, blister and spring Steel; &c. for sale very cheap at TAYLOR'S, opposite the Mansion House:

AT TAYLOR'S you can find the largest assortment of Cutlery, Guns and Pistols, of all the celebrated GLASS, of all sizes and qualities-both French and American. Also, Putty by the keg or pound. WOODEN WARE, Brooms, &c., of all kinds.

Rope! Rope!! 5,000 pounds of Manilla, Juto and Cotton Rope, from inch to 3 inches, at TAYLOR'S Hardware Store. Opposite the Mansion House.

Carriage Materials. He would call special attention to his stock of the

above goods, consisting of Springs, Axles, Hubs, Bows. Spokes, Shafts, Curtain frames, Knobs, Bands, Lining Nails, Damask, Satinet, Cloths, Laces, Fringes, Enamel-He respectfully invites the public to call at the Cu- ed and Patent Leather, Enamelled Cloth, Oil Carpet, ban Segar Factory nearly opposite the Mansion House. Paints of all kinds, dry and in oil; Varnish, Turpentine, Linseed Oil, Tyre and oval Iron, Bolts, and everything in the way of Carriage Trimmings, at prices that cannot fail to please, at the Hardware Depot of A. A. N. M. TAYLOR, Opposite the Mansion House.

> Tin and Japanned Ware, fully solicits a share of public patronage. A large assortment; Block Tin, Block Zinc, Tin Plate

Stoves, the largest Stock, of all sizes, at TAYLOR'S Hardware, Stove and Tin ware Depot, opposite Mansion House

Agricultural Implements of all kinds. Straw Cutters, Corn Shellers, Plows, Hoes, Shovels, Spades, Forks, Axes, Picks, Mattocks, Grubbing Hoes, REWARD!

Trace Chains, Wagon Chains, Log Chains, Pruning and Hedge Shears, Pruning and budding Knives, garden Hoes and Rakes, with handles; Grain Cradles; grain,

Ludlow's Celebrated Self-Sealing law. I will pay the above reward for his delivery to Cans, of all the different sizes, at TAYLOR'S

Roofing, Guttering and Job Work, Of all kinds, promptly attended to at TAYLOR'S Hardware Store,

Opposite the Mausion House.

MANSION HOUSE

The undersigned having taken the above well-known and favorite Hotel, begs leave to inform the patrons of the house and the traveling public that he is repairing and refurnishing it and has made several changes which H. B. WILLIAMS.

SAML. A. HARRIS. | Charlotte, January 10, 1860.

TRASHY COTTON.

Mr Editor: Millions of dollars are lost annually by the cotton planters through the carelessness of themselves and overseers, in gathering and preparing the erop for market. I invite their attention

to a few facts: ceived in Charleston from New York to complete | dental, but the successive burning of farm houses, a cargo for Spain. The reason of this was, fine cot- and the firing of many other towns and stores in ton was wanted, and in the whole stock of about this section, caused reflecting men to adopt 15,000 bales, not enough could be commanded in Charleston of the requisite quality, though 121 wholesale destruction. It seemed almost impossicents would have been paid for it. For the same reason, several Spanish vessels loading for Spain ously, and that it should be accidental. The had to leave Charleston and go to New York to out house, granaries, oats and grain of Mr Crill

complete their cargo. -I have been informed that in Mobile and New Orleans many thousands of bales have been sold, on planters' account, at from 2 to 4 cts per. lb. Thousands more have been shipped to Liverpool Mr Miller, were taken up and examined, and dethat will not pay expenses, and where advances velopments of the most startling character elicited. have been made on it the reclamations will be a A plot to destroy the country was revealed, and heavy tax on the growing crop of the planter .- every circumstance, even to the minutiæ, detailed Think of this-growing cotton for nothing, and Nearly or quite a hundred negroes have been arpaying out of the next crop for the privilege! rested, and upon a close examination, separate How soon, at this rate, would it take the finest and apart from each other, they deposed to the name. It creates in man a fever for possession,

property in plantation and negroes to eat itself up? existance of a plot or conspiracy to lay waste the Let planters reflect that every year the disparity country by fire and assassination-to impoversh between clean fine cottons and inferior trashy cot- the land by the destruction of the provisions, arms silver. tons gets wider and wider. The demand for the and ammunition, and then when in a state of helpformer is ever on the increase. The markets of lessness, a general revolt of the negroes was to be the world are glutted with the latter. There are gin on the 1st Monday in August, the day of elecbut limited uses for it, and it will take years to use tion for State officers. This conspiracy is aided up the present stock on hand of these lowest and abetted by Abolition emissaries from the grades. Perhaps hundreds of thousands of these North, and by those in our midst. The details of bales are wholly unmerchantable and will lie for the plot, and its modus operandi, are these: Each years in Liverpool as an incubus upon prices .- County in Northern Texas has a supervisor in They will lie there to create a false idea of availa- the person of a white man, whose name is not ble stocks on hand, and the manufacturers will use given; each County laid off into Districts, under the fact as an argument to depress prices.

cotton as it does of fair cotton. It takes almost whenever they made their escape from their burnto cover it, the same labor to haul it to a depot, and the same price for freight on cars and on shipboard. Yet in one case you can command 10 to ing to the mind, and frightful in its results. Pois-12 cents per lb. for it. In the other you may be oning was to be added, and the old females was to Finley High School, both well conducted and successful compelled to take 2, 3 or 4 cents for it. Yet be slaughtered along with the men, and the young taxes, overseers' wages, clothing, doctors' bills, are and handsome women to be parceled out amongst the same in one case as the other.

take practical action on the subject. The cotton | dies had already been selected as the victims of picking season is near at hand. Now is the time these misguided monsters for the careful planter to double his income, or cut it off one-half, according to the way in which | the accomplishment of these horrors; but then, a COTTON GROWER. his crop is handled

oke, said that the whole economic wisdom of life preachers who were expelled from the Country lay in four words:-Pay as you go. It is as true last year. Their agents have been very busy as truth itself. No man can tell how he is living amongst us, and many of them have been in our if bills come floating loosely in like snow flakes. He will be deeply involved before he knows it. have fled from the country, others still remain, to Besides nobody receives the worth of his money receive a fearful accountability from an outraged who buys goods on credit. He always pays fifteen or twenty per cent more than the cash purchaser. have testified that a large reinforcement of Aboli-Then what a comfort it is to sit down to a break- tionist are expected on the 1st August, and these fast every item of which is paid for; to live in a to be aided by recruits from the Indian tribes, house which is your own, or one which the rent is while the Rangers are several hundred miles to punctually paid; to have your coat paid for when the North of us. It was desired to destroy Dallas, you first put it on; to sit by a fire when the coal in order that the arms and ammunition of the artilbill is receipted! What a comfort, never to be lery company might share the same fate. Our startled at the ringing of the door-bell, but to be jails are filled with the villians, many of whom able to go placidly down and meet the gentleman who wishes to see you, without a fear of any "little bill," and to be absolutely and unqualifiedly able two days ago, believed to be one of those scoundrels to walk any street in town without the faintest who are engaged in this work. We learn that he disposition to turn a corner, let who may loom in had stored away a number of rifles, and the day

dependance, who is not out of debt; for the wisest | ed by one of his gang, hence his plans were thwartmen said, nearly three thousand years ago: "To use another Orientalism, the borrower never can be certain that the lender will not make him "eat dirt." The man who keeps his conscience clear, and keeps out of debt, may defy the world and the

Land for Sale.

I will offer for sale at the Court Honse in Statesville on Tuesday of the Superior Court in October. if not sold privately before that time, a valuable tract of LAND containing 210 acres, 140 of which are well timbered. the whole lying in Iredell county on the Sherrill Ford Road, eleven miles from Statesville. There is a good Dwelling House on the land and all necessary outhouses. For further information apply to Richard Fulom on the place, or to the subscriber at Oaklawn P. O., Cabarrus county. Terms made to suit purchasers. J. S. KIRKSEY. July 10, 1860.

Administrators' Sale. 16 LIKELY NEGROES for Sale.

We will sell at the late residence of Michael Keener, lec'd, in Lincoln county, on the 21st day of August, 1860. SIXTEEN LIKELY NEGROES, consisting of men, women and chidlren.

Terms made known on day of Sale. DANIEL FINGER. PETER KEENER, July 13, 1869. 5t Administrators

Charlette Barrel Factory. All persons having claims against the Charlotte Barrel Factory will present them IMMEDIATELY to the undersigned.

Charlotte Steam Mills July 16, 1860. NOTICE.

The undersigned, having determined to locate in Charlotte, offers his services to the public as Architect or Builder. Any work entrusted to him will receive Terms moderate.

J. N. SCOFIELD, Agt. 3m-pd. July 3, 1860.

NOTICE. OFFICE A., T. & O. R. R. Company,) Charlotte, N. C., July 14, 1860.

By order of the Board of Directors of the Atlantic, Tennesse and Ohio Bailroad, held in Charlotte on 10th February, 1860, it was ordered that a called meeting of the Stockholders be held in Statesville, N. C., on will add to comfort as a home and public resort. No Thursday the 23d day of August next, at 11 o'clock. I want to buy Negro Boys and Girls from 12 to 18 effort shall be spared on the part of himself or assis- Business of importance will be transacted, and it is again. Ha! ha!" necessary that the Stock be represented in person or M. L. WRISTON, by proxy.

LATER FROM TEXAS ... A MOST DIA-BOLICAL PLOT. DALLAS Texas, July 21, 1860.

The burning of Dallas and several farm houses in this County, has led to the discovery of a most diabolical plot to devastate the whole of Northern Recently, two hundred bales of cotton were re- Texas. At first the fire was believed to be acci-Miller was destroyed a few days after the dstruc- you are informed in a sneering tone, he is not tion of Dallas. This led to the arrests of some white men, whose innocence, however, was proved beyond a doubt. Several negroes, belonging to the sub-agents of this villain, who control the ac-Now it takes the same amount of capital and la- tion of the negroes in said Districts, by whom the these infamous scoundrels. They had even gone Now is the time to think of these things and so far as to designate their choice, and certain la-

Fortunately, the Country has been saved from fearful duty remains for us. The negroes have been incited to these infernal proceedings by PAY As You Go .- John Randolph of Rom- Abolitionists, and the emissaries of certain midst. Some of them have been identified, and and infuriated people. Nearly a hundred negroes will be hung and that very soon. A man was found hung at our neighboring city of Fortworth, after he was hung a load of six-shooters passed on No man can understand the Declaration of In- to him, but were not intercepted. He was betrayed. Many others will share his fate. I have never witnessed such times. We are most profoundly excited. We go armed day and night

> Correspondence Houston Telegraph. FRUITS-Their Healthfulness as Food .- Dr. Kennicott says:-The free use of ripe fruits not only prevents disease, but their regulated enjoyment helps to remove that which already exists. All ripe fruits are more or less nutritious. Professor Salisby clearly demonstrated that the apple is superior to the potato, in the principles that go to increase the muscle and the brain of man, and in fattening properties it is nearly equal, when cooked for swine, or fed raw to other domestic

and know not what we shall be called upon to do.

the circumstances are frightful, and I fear that the

trouble is not confined to this State. It behooves

every true man to buckle on his armor, and fight

the good fight for his country's good .- Special

MR BRECKINRIDGE OPPOSED TO EMANCIPATION. -The following statement is from the Kentucky Statesman. It is an authentic denial of the charge against Mr Breckinridge of having been an emancipationist. We hope those who have given publicity to this false accusation will give this paragraph an insertion. The Statesman says

"It is charged that Mr Breekinridge voted the emancipation ticket in 1849. The facts are: He was in that year a candidate on the pro-slavery ticket for the Legislature, and opposed the Mr P. SAURS has no further connection with the emancipation cause from every stump in the County. He voted against his uncle, Rev. R. J. Breckinridge, and Mr Shy, who were the emancipation candidates, for the Convention. So much for that slander.

A man lately received twenty lashes, well laid on, at the whipping post in an English town. The his personal attention and will be faithfully executed. culprit, instead of bellowing when the constable applied the lash, laughed immoderately which made the angry officer lay on with harder force. On giving him the twentieth blow; the enraged officer could stand it no longer. "Well here, Mister," said the offended officer, "I have done my duty, and I can lick ye no more, but I'd just like to know what it is that's so funny ?" "Funny," roared the other, "why it's excellent. You have got the wrong Smith. I aint the man that was to be whipped it's the other one You will have it all to do over

Sec'y and Treas'r. any of them to do you a service.

WORTH MAKES THE MAN.

So said the poet Pope, and while all acknowledge the truth of the sentiment, yet in this degenerate age, the question is often asked, what is it that constitutes worth? The moralist will inform us that it is virtue, but the man of the world gives it as his belief that it is money. Alas! it is too true that this latter definition too often prevails in this age of progress, and when the question is propounded 'how much is he worth?' it has generally an exclusive reference to the dross of the earth. If a man is rich, though he were the greatest villian unhung, you are told he is worth so many dollars, but if fortune should frown upon him, and he possesses all the virtue and intelligence of an angel

worth a cent. Be it understood, gentle reader, we do not cavil at the possession of money, it is a good, yea, a necessary thing, but when it is made the Summum Bonum, it becomes degrading to human nature. Truly has the inspired writer said, "the love of money is the root of all evil." It destroys the spirit of patriotism, crushes out social benevolence, and causes friendship to be but indeed a and under its baneful influence, he would sell his country, like Judas sold his Saviour, for pieces of

The mind that looks upon riches as "the one thing needful," destroys every principle of honor that is great and noble. Let us then beware how we are charmed by its syren voice for when we make money the standard of worth, and not merit, how can we expect that the youth of our country will pant for social virtues and intellectual improvements? And let us remember this truththat the spirit of liberty cannot long remain among a people who teach the pernicious doctrine that wealth and worth are the same thing, and that the end of such people shall be eternal death .- Greensboro Times.

BABES IN THE WOODS .- Three young children

of J. B. Hawley's at Hornellsville, New York, were lost in the woods on Saturday last, while hunting berries. The neighbors, to the number of 100, turned out in search and found them. The following touching parrative of Mary the cldest of the children, is given in the Hornellsville Journal: After passing the residence of a near neighbor, they went up the green road, which is over the bridge by the left hand stone quarry, and took the right hand road at the foot of the dark ravine. They went a little ways and found winter-greens plenty, and picked a great many, wandering on for nearly two hours. They then thought it time to return home, but on turning about for that purpose, they found themselves in a strange place, and could not find the road, or any way out. They sat down on a log to think and sat there a long time, finally giving up that they were lost. Mary, the eldest, said to the others, "let us pray to God to help us to find our way out," and kneeling there by the log, with hands uplifted, they prayed for deliverance. They then took a new start, and soon found whortleberries plenty, with which they satisfied their hunger. The little ones now commenced calling aloud the names of the different members of the family, Carrie, the youngest calling repeatedly for milk, and, complaining of fatigue, she sat down to rest. Ida, the second, was tired and sleepy, and would rather stay there than try any longer to get out Mary then stripped bark from a dead tree, laid it on the ground for a pillow, covering it with leaves, and the two youngest laid down to sleep. She found that the sun had gone down, and it was getting dark, and she again knelt down to pray for deliverance, and that God would take care of them. She had made up her mind to stay there the night, knowing she could not find the way out berself. She knew the night would be long, and the little ones might wake before morning hungry, so she filled her pockets with winter greens, to pacify them, every few minutes during the time calling upon the different members of the family. We have heard that the young men who first came upon the children, found the youngest sleeping and the eldest upon her knees praying. The children say they could hear the engines whistle, but when they followed the direction of the sound it led them farther and farther into the woods.

SOLIDIFIED MILK -A solidified milk establish ment has just been started at Middletown, Orange county, New York. It will require about 1,000 gallons of milk per hour. The water (88 per cent s extracted from the milk by an evaporating and drying operation, which leaves an article, that, by he addition of sugar, may be put up in cans or papers and kept in a perfect state of preservation any length of time. It can be eaten in a dry state, or is readily soluble on coming in contact with fluid. Many people use it in preference to milk, because it is of necessity a purer article.

THE CHOICE OF ELECTORS IN GEORGIA.-In nearly all the States of the Union a plurality of the votes cast is sufficient to elect a Presidential Elector. In Georgia the case is different. In that State the statute requires a majority of the whole number of votes cast, to elect a Presidential elector. If the majority of the college is elected by such a vote, that majority by an election among themselves supply the vacancies in the college. But if a less number are elected by the people, the vacancies must be filled by legislative elections, and the Governor is authorized to call a special session of the General Assembly for that purpose .-The same is true, of course, if none of the electoral candidates get such a majority. Then the duty of electing an entire electoral college devolves on the Legislature, which in this case is already chosen so that the question in that ulterior resort may be considered already settled.

INDUSTRY is an excellent guard for virtue; the more active your life, the less opportunity have the passions to corrupt you.

Those who bind up their happiness in the applause of men, expose themselves to a perpetual uneasiness.

A lawyer said to a medical friend: "My faculty, surely, is the more ancient, for the killing of Abel by Cain was the first criminal case." "Sure How TO KEEP YOUR FRIENDS.—Never ask happened a rib was taken out of Adam's side, and that constituted the first surgical operation."