

A TOUCHING STORY.

The following affecting narrative purports to have been given by a father to his son, as a warning derived from his own bitter experience of the sin of grieving and resisting a mother's love and counsel.

THE FOREST FUNERAL.

She was fair, with tresses of long black hair lying over her pillow. Her eye was dark and piercing, and as it met mine she started slightly, but looking up she smiled.

FIRE IN THE REAR.

OR BILL JONES AMONG THE GIRLS. The following story contributed by a country friend to the New Orleans Delta, is too good to be lost, "though," says the Delta, "its raciness may not accord with the tastes of the Miss Nannies, who dress the legs of their tabbies in frilled pantalettes and faint over a naked cherub."

One Saturday, about the middle of the afternoon, Bill Jones, a wild, harum scarum young fellow of sixteen summers, rode up to the Squire's door and hailed the house.

"But you better believe Massa Bill," continued Josh, "that the girls is carryin' on high. Why Massa Bill, you can hear 'em squealin', clean up here."

Jones soon learned that the girls had gone to their usual bathing place which was at the foot of a high precipice, and only approached on that side by a solitary foot path and that was guarded by 'Dinah.' On the other side of the creek lay a broad sand-bank so that no one could approach it without being seen.

Jones had been to the Squire's house so often that he knew his stories "by heart," and it would be almost impossible to find the boys in the woods, so he determined to have some fun out of the girls.

On one rock were three or four swimmers, alternately squatting down and rising up on their heels, and imitating the cry of the bull frog, when one would say "chug!" they would all jump into the water frog fashion.

Boys who spurn a mother's control, who are ashamed to own that they are wrong, who think it manly to resist her authority or defy her influence, beware! Lay not up for yourselves bitter memories for your future years.

fenceless in the power of his captors. The girls now leisurely dressed themselves, and each provided herself with a trim birch or willow rod, and without further ceremony, began to apply them to the back, sides, and legs of poor Jones.

"Jones twisted, and Jones writhed; he begged and he prayed; but in vain. His captors knew no pity until their arms were fatigued and their rods flayed to ribbons. Alas for poor Jones! he was not yet to escape. His tormentors provided themselves with new instruments, and placed themselves in a row along the footpath from Jones's tree to the water's edge, and on the rock from which he was to plunge was posted a country lass, whose strength he had often tried in a wrestle, and whose endurance he had often tested in a brandance.

Without stopping to see any more of his fair friends, Jones hastened to Aunt Judy's cottage, dressed himself, gave Josh a most thorough kicking, borrowed a sheep-skin from old Aunt Judy, and mounted his horse and rode slowly into town—and from that day to this, Bill Jones has never showed his face, or any other part of him, in good Squire Parish's nor the stream that runs by his door.

The oldest person returned by the census takers in the United States is Sukey Wright, a colored woman, in the city of Baltimore. She is 120 years of age, and the Assistant Marshal says there is no doubt of the fact.

CORNS are caused by friction, says a writer in Chamber's Edinburgh Journal; to lessen friction you have only to use your toe as you in like circumstances a coach wheel—lubricate it with some oily substance. The writer says a little sweet oil put upon a corn after it has been carefully pared, will give you more satisfaction than all the manipulations of the corn doctor, or remedies of the doctor shops.

According to an article in the last number of Sartain's Magazine, tobacco costs the world more than all its wars and systems of education.

Myriads of locusts have just appeared in the vicinity of Knoxville, Tenn.

SOMETHING NEW FOR THE SPRING AND SUMMER TRADE. ENVISS, SHEMWELL & CO. Dealers in Foreign and Domestic Dry-Goods.

Excitement Not Over Yet! THE SUBSCRIBERS would call the attention of the public to their stock of celebrated LEFLER BOOTS AND SHOES.

HARNESS, & C. They also have on hand a fine stock of HARNESS, BRIDLES, & C., made by an experienced workman, which they are selling at reduced prices.

BOGER & WILSON JEWELERS & SILVERSMITHS. KEEP constantly on hand an extensive assortment of Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Silver-Ware, MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, REVOLVING PISTOLS, Perfumery, Soap and Fancy Articles.

TAILORING. THE subscriber begs leave most respectfully to announce to his old friends and patrons and the public generally, that he is still to be found at his old stand in Cowan's Brick Row, Salisbury, where he is ever ready and willing to execute all orders in his line.

NOTICE. SALE OF TOWN LOTS. WILL be sold on the 10th day of July, and days following, the Lots in the Town of WILSON, Yadkin County, on a credit of one and two years.

WARRANTS for sale here. WILLIAM ROWZEE, SAM R. HARRISON, Salisbury, April 17, 1851.

WARRANTS for sale here. R. M. ORRELL, Forwarding and Commission Merchant, Fayetteville, N. C. January 30, 1851.

SOMETHING NEW AND DESIRABLE! Spring Grove, IREDELL COUNTY.

BOGER & REESE ARE now receiving from the Northern Cities, a complete and handsome Stock of Spring and Summer Goods.

Hardware, Cutlery, Queens, China, and Glass-Ware. Weavers Reeds and Blue Cotton Yarn.

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JOEL SULLIVAN, Saddle and Harness Manufacturer.

JOEL SULLIVAN, 1577 REFERENCES—John I. Shaver, Samuel Reeves, D. A. Davis, James E. Kerr, A. Henderson, Jenkins & Roberts, W. Murphy & Co., J. M. Coffin, Gold Hill; V. C. Barringer, Concord; Dr. John Ford, Rowan.

VILLAGE HOTEL, Statesville, N. C. THIS Establishment is pleasantly situated immediately on the Northwest corner of the public square.

New Cabinet Ware Rooms. THE subscriber respectfully informs the public that he has opened a Cabinet Shop in Salisbury, and has now on hand almost all kinds of

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THE LARGEST AND CHEAPEST STOCK OF GOODS IN ROWAN. CONSISTING in part of Clothing, Dry Goods, Hardware, Cutlery, Boots, Shoes, and Trunks.

State of North Carolina, CABARRUS COUNTY. Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, April Term, 1851.

THE RED FLAG Clothing, Clothing. APRIL 17. E. MYERS is now in receipt of a new and beautiful assortment of SPRING AND SUMMER CLOTHING.

NEW COPARTNERSHIP. THE undersigned have entered into a partnership in the Mercantile Business, at Wood Street in this County.

State of North Carolina, CABARRUS COUNTY. Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, April Term, 1851.

HENRIETTA LINE OF Steam and Freight Boats. ARE all in excellent order for business. Our Boats have been recently repaired and made good as new.

KUHN'S PIANO FACTORY. No. 75 Baltimore St., Baltimore, Md. ALL persons in want of good and durable instruments will find them in this Establishment.

Negroes Wanted! Cash for Negroes Satisfied! June 13, 1850. THE subscriber is now in market and wishes to purchase a number of Negroes, for which he is offering the HIGHEST MARKET PRICES in Cash.

Dr. J. J. SUMMERELL. HAVING returned from the city of New York, I am prepared to announce to my friends and the public that he may be found at his office, in the new Store, at all hours. [Salisbury, Feb. 27, 1851.]

Just Received. A FRESH supply of Hushon & Clarke's Colgate's Oil, a choice lot of Perfumery, DeLor's Eucalypti Extracts, Hunt's patent mould Candles, Perry's Shot, McLean's Vermifuge, Black Leather Varnish, &c. SUMMERELL, POWE & CO. Salisbury, May 29, 1851.

Rock Island Jeans and Kerseys. BOGER & MAXWELL are agents for the celebrated Rock Island Jeans and Kerseys. Orders from a distance promptly attended to.

Sugar & Coffee. THE subscribers have now in store a heavy stock of choice white and brown Sugars, Rio de Janeiro tea, Rice, No. 1 Market, high land Scotch whisky, chewing tobacco, cigars, sperm and Hall's candles, lard, pine apple cheese. All fresh and well selected. ENVISS, SHEMWELL & CO. Salisbury, April 1, 1851.

J. D. WILLIAMS, FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANT. Feb. 13, 1851. SALT AND MOLASSES. 160 bushels of New Orleans Molasses, 20 bags Rio Coffee, just received for sale per M. BROWN & SON for cash. Salisbury, May 15, 1851.

Superior Havana Cigars. AND Best Virginia chewing tobacco, for sale by SUMMERELL, POWE & CO. May 15, 1851.

Rockaways & Buggies for sale. FIVE or six new Rockaways and Buggies for sale at ten per cent cheaper than ever. J. S. JOHNSTON June 5, 1851.

State of North Carolina, ROWAN COUNTY. Superior Court of Law, Spring Term, A. D. 1851. ORDERED BY THE COURT, that hereafter the Term Docket be taken up on Monday of the Term. Parties and Witnesses will take due notice thereof, and govern themselves accordingly. OBADIAH WOODSON, C.S.C. June 12, 1851. 95C

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