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### Ranaway,

ROM the subscriber in October bat, my negro man ISHAM, whom I bought of Miles Costm, in Janu 1841. He was raised by the Foy's, on Topsail, the Onelow county line. He is about 23 or 24 hear the Onslow county line. He is about 23 or 24 years of age, rather sint, perhaps 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high. He is quite darks and has a Tonackable red spot on his under lip. I suppose he may be lurking about where he was raised. I will give 50 dollars for his delive-

ry to me or at the jail in Wilmington.

ALSO—Ranaway in March, my negro man Tony, whom I bought from Thomas Lee, of this county, near South Washington, on the Norte East. He is about 35 years of age, five feet, seven or eight inches high, of a dark yellow color, has bad fore teeth. He was raised on South river, in this county, and is probably lurking about there, or near Mr. Lee's. For his delivery to me or at the jail in Wilmington, I will give a reward of twenty-five dollars.

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March 23, 1842. A. J. BATHUR

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# MODIFICES.

HE undersigned, impelled by a sense of justice to those to whom he is indebted, has placed in the hands of an officer for collection, the notes. counts of all persons, with a second, who are indebt ed to him or to him. C. Bradier, with instructions to warrant or second on the same if not scaled before the Is day of June next. II. W. BRADLEY. April 27.

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May 17, (18,) 1842. 157-tf.

United States-N. Carolina District. BISTRICT COURT IN BANKRUPTCY, ? Chambers in Fayetteville. April 9th, 1842.

April 6th, 1842.

Digalo McMIL AN, of Bisten county, having on the ninth day and filed a petition duly verified, praying that he may be declared a bankrupt, it is thereupon ordered by the Cort, that cause be shown before this Gourt at Chambers, in his town, on the 10th day of June past, why the said Dugaid McMillan be not clared a benkrupt pursuant to the Ast of Congress in at behalf, and that this notice be published in the Wil-

H. H. POTT Acting Clerk of Court in Banki

## IMPORTANT WORK

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Containing a clear exposition of their Principles and

By Andrew Ure, M. D., F. R. S., M. G. S. M. A. S., Lond. Mem. Acad. N. S. Philad. S. Ph. Soc. N. Germ. Hunov. Mulii, &c.

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# From the Youth's Medallion,

voice, and get up grand musical concerts, without much trouble or expense. The following, a

" Brekeke. Brekeke, brekeke! -Koax, too-oo, Brekeke, koar-brekeke, too-oo ! Brekeke, brekeke, brekeke, Koax, koax--too-oo, too-oo; Brekeke, too-oo! Brekeke, Brekeke!

"I'is the dawn of delight to the sons of the pond-From its green bed they look to the bright moon beyon Brekeke, brekeke, Koax, too-oo,

Koax, koax-too-oo, too-oo!! The Thunderer made us the favorites of heaven-Neath the green vaulted wave how we thrive and ha thriven. All henor and praise to his wisdom be given.

Brekeke, brekeke, brekeke; Keax, koax-tog-oo, too-oo!" So live, that, when thy summons come to join The innumerable caravan, that moves To that mysterious realm, where each shall take His chamber in the silent halls of death, Thou go not, like the quarry slave at night, Scourged, to his dungeon, but, sustain'd and soothed By an unfaltering trust approach thy grave, Like one that draws the drapery of his couch About him, and lies down to pleasant dreams.

Apprentices, look at this .- Some years ago, there was a shoemaker boy in the lower part of Cumberland county, New Jersey, who was remarkable for his love of reading. All his leisure hours were employed with a book, while his companions were passing theirs in idleness or worse than idleness-the celebration of Crispinmas. At length he took his stick and bundle and started for the southwest. Time passed on, and the studious shoumaker continued his studies with vigorous and unabated zeal. His companions, intent upon their amusement, had almost forgotten him; they continued their devotions to their patron saint for the best part of their weeks, and plied the awl and thread for the balance, unhonored by others because unrespected by themselves. And thus they will continue to reap the bitter fruits of misspent youth, until a welcome grave closes over them. While John Henderson, their fellow apprentice, with the same chances, but a higher aim, is one of Mississippi's honored Representatives in the Senate of the United States. We say, follow his example, persevere

in it, and your triumph is certain. Baltimore Republican.

"Father, wasn't Alexander a Ac-ro?" "Yes my boy," replied Oats, "Well, then, father, wasn't Mrs. Alexander a she-ro ?" "Girl ! take that boy to bed! What depravity."

Sustained a heavy toss-The Dutchman when he lost his wife. She weighed three hun-

Cyrus, when young, being asked what was the first thing he Jearned, answered, "to speak

## From the Baltimore American Payment of American Debts .- Mr. Currie,

an influential member of the Tory party new administering the Government of Great Britain, used the following language lately in the House

Look of the finances. There was a growing deficit, which the credit of the country required to be provided for. And when he looked across the Atlantic, (hear,) and saw what was going on there-a great nation, speaking our language, cheating, as it were, their own countrymen, and repudiating their obligations, (hear, hear,) it was his opinion that this country was imperatively called upon to assume that high vocation which Providence had evidently assigned to it-the vocation of teaching to other nations the duties of justice-(hear.) He would now leave the finances and look to our political exigencies."

Leaving out of view the somewhat arrogant tone of this declaration, it is not to be denied that much cause has been given for apprehension and indignant remonstrance in England on the subject of American indebtedness. Under the supposition-never, we trust, to be realized-that that the repudiation which has prevailed in Michigan and Mississippi would extend to other States, and that England should undertake to enforce payment of the sums due her subjects-what a position would this great country stand in-how humiliating, how abject! The sight of our repudiated bonds, the signs of violated faith held forth by the approaching foe, would be more terrible than the array of his most formidable armaments. In such a contest, the patriot, resisting invasion, would strike his enemy with an averted face. How could be look in the eyes of men whom his country had swindled? In the contemplation of such a result, and with feelings of shame that such a contemplation can be forced upon the fancy-the words of an old British poet recur to the mind:

In all the ills we ever bore.

We grieved, we sighed, we wept-we never blushed

A splendid Knife .- Rogers & Sons, of Sheffield, England, have recently manufactured a etched with some of the most magnificent buildings in England, Buckingham Palace, the New Houses of Parliament, the New Royal Exchange, Hadden Hall, the Pavilion at Brighton, Kirkstall Abbey, Fountaine Abbey, &c. On the other side of the knife the blades are etched with American views, the Capitol at Washington, the President's House, the principal part of the Senate House, Columbia Bridge, the Park and City

Hall, New York, &c. A variety of characteristic spots are, etched on different parts of the blades, such as hunting, shooting, fishing, hawking, &c.; the Berkeley Hunt, in full try; the Chatsworth Coursing party; the Dake of Rutland's shooting party, &c. There are many medallion likenesses on the blades, the most conspicuous of which are her Majesty Queen Victoria, his Royal Highness Prince Albert, Queen Elizabeth, William the Conqueror, the Dukes of Wellington and Marlborough, Fox, Pitt, Milton, Sir Francis Chantrey, Sir Isaac Newton, Shakespeare, Earl Fitzwilliam, Watt, Denjamin West, &c. In addition to the blades are a great many instruments, tastefully formed and highly polished, such as

From the London Sporting Magazine, Sporting Anecdote .- Flying Childers .- A. bout the year 1721 Childers ran a trial against Almanzor and the Duke of Rutland's Brown Betty, carrying 9st. 2lb. over the round course (three miles, four furlongs, and ninety-three gards in length) at Newmarket, in six minutes and forty seconds; and it was thought that he moved eighty-two feet and a half in one second of time, which is nearly at the rate of one mile a minute, a degree of velocity which no horse has been known to exceed. He likewise ran over the Beacon Course in seven minutes and thirty seconds; and it was supposed that he covered at every bound a space of twenty-five feet. He also Jeaped ten vards on level ground with his rider. He heved, that was ever bred in the world.

One great fault of domestic economy is too much overlooked. It lies in bringing our wants down to our circumstances, instead of toiling to bring our circumstances up to our wants. Wants will always be ahead of means, and there will be no end to the race, if you set the latter to chasing the former. Put the yoke of self-denial on desire, and if the latter does not overtake the former it will at least keep in sight.

A gentleman describing the intellectual character of another, said his mind had the dyspen sin-the ideas went through without digestion.

Nature is satisfied with little, grace with less, but lust with nothing.

## A TEMPERANCE ADDRESS DELIVERED BY JAMES M. SPRUNT.

BEFORE THE WASHINGTONIAN TEMPERANCE SOCIETY AT THE RICHEAND METHORIST CHAPRE, ONSLOW CO., OR THE STR TEST., AND PUBLISH-ED AT THE SPECIAL REQUEST OF THE SOCIETY, MAY 15TH 1842.

It is with feelings of great diffidence in my own ability, that I rise to address, for the first time in my life, a public meeting. When I attached my self to this Society, I had no idea that I would ever be called upon, to speak in public, in favor of the cause. I have however, been so frequently urged to do so, that, were I longer to decline, my silence might perhaps be construed into indifference, or, at best, but Intervarances in the success of Temperance principles. I enter upon my subject, nevertheless, with a certain degree of reluctance, immuch as it may be thought by some, who do not view the cause, in the favorable light, in which it appears to me, presumptions in one so young, to address those, who are assembled here to day, most of whom are so much older and more experienced than average. day, most of whom are so much older and more experienced than myself. If there be any such, I trust they will extend the same charity to me, which I bear towards them;—and consider me influenced, any by a conscientious

conviction of doing what is right.

I may premise that in the course of my observations, I shall take occur sion to quote a few passages from the Scriptures, in support of my views on this subject. I am not one who is apt, lightly, to meddle with sacred things: still, though I have not joined myself thany particular denomination, I trust I am not entirely devoid of religious principles; and, did I conceive that the course we are new pursuing was counter to the word of God, or did not accord with its precepts, I would not now be standing here, to MR. PRESIDENT:

Intemperance is a vice of so disgusting a nature,—a monster of such hideous mien,—and carries in its train such incalculable evils,—sowing wretchedness and misery and crime so unceasingly along its path, as to yield a lamentable proof, if any were wanting, of what strange and half-sighted creatures we are, that it has so long reared its unblushing front in our land; that so many thousands of our fellow-beings have succumbed to its influence; and that so many thousands more, are hastening enwards in its paths. It is like the daughter of the Horse-leech, crying five, Give!

The evils of Intemperance have attracted the notice of men in all ages.

In the Old Testament, the most ancient and authentic history in the world, Trequent mention is made of this vice, and numerous warnings are given to avoid its snares. Hear the language of Solomon, the wisest of men, on this subject "Look not thou upon the wine when it is red, when it giveth his color in the cup, when it moveth itself aright; at the last it biteth like a serpent, and stingeth like an adder." In profane history, we read, that the Sparters, the bravest and noblest of

the sons of Greece, were wont to make their slaves drunken with wine, and exhibit them thus to their children, that the disgust inspired by witness; ing their sctions, while in this condition, might keep them, for ever, untainted by the debasing influence of Intemperance.

In the 36th chapter of the Book of Jeremiah, we meet with an account of a family, who, by command of their Father, had adopted the principle

of Total Abstinence, and of the express approbation of their course, by the Almighty himself. I quote the opening and closing verses of the chapter,-they read as follows :-

"The word which came unto Jeremiah, from the Lord, in the days of Jehoiakim, the son of Jostah, king of Judah, saying, go unto the house of the Rechabites, and speak unto them, and bring them unto the house of the At this season of the year the trogs are in fine die, two feet long, is made of mother-of-pearl, and took Jazzaniah the son of Jeremiah, the son of Habaziniah, and his brethcontains one thousand blades; it is ornamentally carved and inlaid with precious stones; the ends them into the house of the Lord, into the chamber of the sons of Hanan, out much trouble or expense. The following, a carved and inlaid with precious stones; the ends the son of Igdaliah, a man of God, which was by the chamber of the Printranslation from the German, is said to be the or shoulders of the knife are of massive gold; ces, which was above the chamber of Masseigh the son of Shallum, the substance of one of their faverite soage. It is supposed, however, that there may be an error in the first six lines, but not of a character to affect the first six lines, but not of a character to affect sight on one side of the knife, are very beautifully sight on one side of the knife are covered with thick keeper of the door; and I set before the sons of the house of the Rechables, which was above the chamber of the door; and I set before the sons of the house of the Rechables, which was above the chamber of the door; and I set before the sons of the house of the Rechables, which was above the chamber of the door; and I set before the sons of the knife, are very beauti sons, forever; neither shall ye build house, nor sow seed, nor plant vinevard, nor have any, but all your days ye shall dwell in tents, that ye may live many days in the land where ve be strangers. Thus we have obeyed the voice of Jonadab, the son of Rechab, our father, in all that he bath " Then came the word of the Lord unto Jeremiah, saying, thus saith the Lord of Hosts, the God of Israel, go and tell the men of Judah, and the inhabitants of Jerusalem, will ye not receive instructions to hearken to my words, saith the Lord; the words of Jonadab, the son of Rechab, that he commanded his sons not to drink wine. are performed for, unto this day, they drink none, but obey their father's " "And Jeremiah said unto the house of the Rechabites, thus saith the Lord of Hosts, the God of Israel, because ve have obeyed the commend of Jonadab, your father, and kept all his precepts, and done according unto all he bath commanded you; therefore thus saith Lord of Hosts, the God of Israel, Jonadab, the son of Rechab, shall not want a man to stand before me forener." And in the writings of the Jewish historian, Josephus, we are informed, that even in his time, upwards of 600 years after Jeremiah, there existed as numerous sect, called Essence, and supposed to be the descendants of these Rechabites, who still

adhered to the principle of Total Abstinence from intoxicating liquors. I will not stop here to cite any of the numerous instances, to be found in the New Testament, in which Temperance Is so strictly enjoined and Intemperance and drunkenness, as strictly forbidden; but shall proceed, at once, to comment briefly on the baneful effect; consequent upon the immodcrate use of intoxicating liquors, and the existing necessity for counteracting their pornicious tendency upon the morals and the well-being of soci-

First then, what are the consequences of Intemperance, incurred by the unfortunate victim himself? It contaminates his body, depresses his understanding, deadens the moral feelings of his heart, and degrades him from

are required by sportsmen, and others used by his rank in the creation.

Surgeons, dentists, mechanics, No. - Re. state.

By an unhappy course of Intemperance, how many amiable dispositions are corrupted and deprayed! How many promising abilities and powers are overthrown! How many cheering anticipations of Parents and Friends are totally destroyed! Who but most mourn for human nature, when he beholds that morning which dawned so fair, overcast with such untimely darkness; that sweetness of temper, which was once so engaging, that modesty and candor which were so prepossessing, those abilities and talents which promised so wide a sphere of usefulness, all sacrificed at the shrine of Intemperance: and one who was eminently calculated to pass through life, surrounded by the approbation and esteem of his fellows, cut off at the beginning of his career; or plunged for the whole of it, into wretchedness and contempt? How many of the wretched victims of Intemperance are arraigned before the Tribunals of their country, to answer, perhaps even with their lives, for primes perpetrated while under the influence of intoxicating liquors, at the mere contemplation of which, ere the hateful spell and been thrown o'er their minds, they would have recoiled with horror! But dreadful as the consequences are to the unhappy votaries themselves, there are other and more numerous sufferers involved in misery by their career. Who can analyze the feelings of the Parent, as he views a beloved son, who was once the joy and pride of his heart, furrying on to destruction and ruin, and beholds the drunkard's grave yawning to receive his tottering footsteps? In all ages the Widow and the Orphan, have claimed and received the sympathy of their fellow-beings, and even become the estimated. was allowed by sportsmen to be the fleetest horse tottering footsteps ! In all ages the Widow and the Orphan, have claimed that ever run at Newmarket, or, as generally bepecial care of the Deity bimself. The Widow is desolate, and the Orphan is unprotected, but what is their condition compared to that of the unfortunate Wife and Child of the Drunkard? Alas! who can tell the misery and wrotchedness of their lot? Who can disclose the heart-breaking sufferings

of these hapless tenants of the drunkard's home? If we have one tender feeling towards suffering humanity, if our sympathies have but one spark of life, and are not utterly dormant within us, shall we not extend them to these unhappy sufferers? We cannot make the grave give up its dead; we cannot restore the Husband to the Widow, nor the Father to the Orphan; but the Providence of God has pointed out, and is pointing out the means of rescuing the drunkard, and thereby restoring peace and imppiness and joy, to all with whom he is connected .- A few years ago it was considered impossible to seclaim him, he had nothing to hope in this life, and what could be anticipated for the future?

We have every reason to believe that the greatest moral revolution, since the promulgation of Christianity, that the world has ever witnessed, is now going on; and shall we sleep in such a time! shall we hang back in heartless indifference, and debar ourselves from the glorious privilege of being the instruments, under God, of sech incalculable good to so great a portion of suffering humanity? Were we even to fail in so nobis an attempt, it to become an instrument in the work.

Intemperance is not of such a nature that we can thou come and no farther." It is always progressive; a gress is so slow as scarcely to be perceptible; sometime swift as the pestilence, and in its consequences even mo Permit me here to relate to you a case which fell and

vation, where intemperance cut off its unfortunate vistim in the of three years from the time that he began to include in the mode of intoxicating liquors.

Shortly after my arrival in the West Indies, in the fall of 1835,

an intimate acquainance with a young gentleman of considerance and irreproachable character. He possessed the advantal education, and his telents were such as to justify very fix pations of success in his foture career. He had been then a West Indies for upwards of two years, and up to the time of his habits and conduct had been beyond the reach of consure.

his habits and conduct had been beyond the reached censure. In the course, moveyer, of a few months from this time, he unfortunately permitted himself to indulge in a glass of wine, rather more frequently than strict predence should have dicinted; and this indulgence are long induced a capturing after a more powerful stimulant. He was, however, only what is called a moderate drinker, that is, he never got inexicated; still he was daily becoming more and more intemperate. Two years rolled on—and a quart of spirits barely quenched the daily cravings of his appetite; and yet if do not know that he had ever during all this time been sen to stagger from the effects of intoxication. His nervous system however, had suffered, and he was compelled to swallow half a tembler of brandy every morning, eaching trembling fingers could hold the pen and perform their office.

About, and previous to this time, I had frequent conversations with him, touching the consequences that must inevitably, soones or later, follow the excessive indulgence of the inordinate and ever-increasing cravings of his appetite; and often did he confess to me, (and I have seen the team in his eyes as he did so,) that he knew he was lost, that he had no hope of our escaping from that whirlpool, whose faircling eddies were, day by day drawing him towards the vortex, which he felt must are long enguli lite, and terminate an existence, which had become a barthen, since his feelings of self-respect and self-esteem had become a barthen, since his feelings of self-respect and self-esteem had become a barthen, since his feelings of self-respect and self-esteem had become a barthen, since his feelings of self-respect and self-esteem had become a barthen, since his feelings of self-respect and self-esteem had become a barthen, since his feelings of self-respect and self-esteem had become a barthen. I was with him it in his last more and more than him to a distant section of the Island, and on his return to town he was seized with an alarming illness, which was pronounced to be delirium tremens. I was with him in his last moments, and became witness to a scene which I never shall forget, but which baffles description. He was perfectly delirious, and his ravings were such, as to strike with terror those who were near him; his

ries and shricks were appalling in the extreme.

Young as I am, I have witnessed death in many forms. I have seen him in the terrific march of the Asiatic Cholera, and in the relentless grasp of the yellow fever; I have beheld him in the Europeake shock, and in the Ocean storm; but never has it been my log to utitues se fearful, so appalling a spectacle, as the death-bed of the drunkart.

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This young man had been warned frequently by his friends of his danger, nay, as I have already mentioned, he was himself persuaded that he was coursing his destruction; but he considered himself then too far gane to make a stand against his destroyer, and he knew by experience, that to follow the advice of his friends, to drink more mederately, did not lie in his power; that his appetite when stimulated was beyond his countryl. Had the fame of the success of the Washington an principle of total abstinence reached his cars and had his friends counselled him by example as well as by precept, confident I am that his sun would not have set while it was yet day. It has been ascertained beyond the possibility of a doubt, that in

Yes, let me repeat it, 30,000 drumkards are yearly hurried into the king dom of the eternal future, and into the presence of him who has declared that the drunkard shall not inherit the kingdom of Heaven. My frien that the drunkard shall not inhere the kingdom of members. By the desire pause here for a moment. "Depart from me ye cursed into everlasting fire prepared for the devil and his angels." What an awful sentence is this The mind of man staggers and falls prostrate before the contemplation of such a doom. Our finite conceptions cannot grasp the import of eterns misery. Were all the years allotted in this life to every human being, from Adam to this day, added together, the amount would not form a unit in the sum of eternity. Can we then, as responsible creatures, can we I say. look calmly on the thousands of our fellow-men who are bursting forth to meet their doom, nor raise a finger to stem their course to ruin in time, and in eternity? No, my friends, oh! no, let us free our skirts from the blood of these unfortunate victims; let us not rest till our names are en among the number of those who are fighting so zealously in the holy cause of Temperance. Come up to the help of the drunkerd; to the research him, who, though tossed on the billows is not yet submerged; and by example as well as precept bring up the rising generation, unscathed from the

Many very worthy persons conceive that an occasional glass of liquo does them good; they feel better; it raises their spirits. Now I can but think that this is one of the many delusions which attend even the moderate use of intoxicating liquors; for although it may have this effect for derate use of intoxicating inquors; for atmosgn it me, as short time—although it may stimulate the system for an hour, a corresponding to the system for an hour, and the system for an hour, a corresponding to the system for an hour, and the system for an hour, a corresponding to the system for an hour, a corresponding to the system for an hour, and the system for an hour, a corresponding to the system for an hour, and the system onding depression invariably succeeds. Let such as entertain this deny themselves the use of stimulating drinks even for a short time, and feel persuaded they will become satisfied, that, while in the enjoyment of health the use of ardent spirits as a beverage is not calculated to any good, but that they will feel better without it. The expenses of every moderate drinker so far as my knowledge extends, who has taken the pledge, goes to establish this fact.

Some withhold themselves from participating in this glorious work, because, not having originated with the members of the visible Church God, they conceive that his blessings cannot accompany it. What is man that he should judge his God? for who hath known the mind of the Lord, or who hath been his counsellor? Has He not in His Providence, declared that his blessing is upon it? What Church of God cannot point to some of its members, saved from the company of sinners, by the access which has already crowned the dissemination of Temperance ciples? By its fruits let it be judged. The intemperate man while continues in a state of inebriety, is in no fit condition to listen to the tri of religion, or to be influenced by them; and we know that the shade a drunkard seldom darkens the door of the house of God. But let us sue ceed in winning him from his anfortunate habits of dissipation, and he is restored to society, "clothed and in his right mind," restored to society, "clothed and in his right mind," prepared, like the good soil, to receive the seeds of religion, and by the blessing of God, to bring forth fruit an hundred fold.

It has been represented as the opinion of some, that this work is of the Devil: but while I answer this objection, I do so only for the sake of argument, as I cannot think that any individual could entertain for a m

Who will say that intemperance is no obstacle in the path of religion But if it be admitted that it is, let us listen to the language of St. Paul, and let each hearer draw his own inference. In the 21st verse of the 14th chapter of his Epistle to the Romans, he declares, "It is good neither to eat flesh, nor to drink wine, nor any thing whereby thy brother stumblish, or is offended, or is made weak." And in the 13th verse of the 8th chapter of 1st Corinthians, "If meat make my brother to offend, I will est no flesh while the world standeth, lest I make my brother to offend."

Should the cause of Temperance succeed.

Should the cause of Temperace succeed, as I humbly trust it in should it continue to advance at the rate at which it is now progressing it not fair to suppose, that ere long, poverty and crime will almost entirel disappear from our land; and while its success is calculated to fill time wit social comforts, it will, as the door to religion, open up a glorious prospo-

In conclusion, let me press upon all present who have not yet a in this work, that the inward satisfaction, which the all-wise has implanted in the mind of man, when he exerts himself for his fellow-beings, is richly attendant on this glorious cause. one were left behind, for honored will be the humblest indivi