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70-6w. Aug 39th 1849. Jon copy 4w

DISSOLUTION.

HE Copartnership of Jewett & Co., is this day dissolved, by agreen ent of the parties. O. G. Parsley is hereby fully authorized to sertle all de mands against or debts due to said firm. Persons having claims will please present them at one.
O. G. PARSLEY
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From the Mother's Assistant

"SAW UP AND SAW DOWN."

A PRIZE STORY FOR MOTHERS, CONCLUDED PROM OUR LAST,

. To do and never finch.' said our mothnever grumble, never regret, when your er than his head, duty is phin before you, boys.'

But when it is hard ?' said Madison,

looking down at his feet. · Have more courage, then, must we not, mother? I always remember you told me so a great while ago, when I went to school in a snow storm,' said Philip, looking up, with fire in his ofer, du sale ing up, with fire in his ofer, du sale courage Phinp! brave it out! don't be not eleven yet, not until the pun gets courage Phinp! then I was not, the upper branch of that elem's said Phinpur said Phi

Although it does my beart good to recur to these teachings of my mother, yet I will not now larger upon this evening, when she first assembled us around the family aftar, and dedicated us all to the Father of mercies. I remember how she named each name, and commended us to the restraining providence and the gracious love of our Lord and Saviour. We seemed to feel that something new had happened to us, and that we were standing upon higher and more responsible ground than we had ever done before. And then, with want patience did she carry out her principles! Ab, saul Madison the other day, nt was sawing wood that made me.' Now Ma ison's duty, one time, consisted in sawmg eleve sicks of wood every morning. which duty he thoroughly hated; not that sawing was so very bad, but working was: in Books, and shorts, also Letter Shoets-with he would rather lounge upon the green. it was very apt to be, in his estimation, emper too warm or too cold, or too pleasant too work, or too bad some way or other, unless, indeed a troup of boys were around to inspire him. The presence of Philip and James Giles was quite indispensable hun, or to urge him on, some way or other 1: happened one morning, that Philip was

Saying her, and that it must be donebeside, 'it was only saw up and saw down," it did not appear to be much, of a very daily at 3, p. m. after the arrival of the South-

> Yes, it was the first time I ever tell myself worth anything." he says laughingthen I knew I was greater than a wood-

when the work was done-she left him to to do, and it was plainly visible in the firm, independent step with which he entered the kitchen

our stock of comforts, and a cow my moth-Grocers & Commission Merchants, All persons indebted to JOHN R. HAWES are ed.for. It was ascertained that Mr. Giles too badd Pil never work again? said would sell one of his heifers. But there is planation we could, his handkerchief still manufactor. Phil, for the hundreth time, as we were in communication with his eyes. talking over the matter one afternoon in the empty barn-'and earn her we must _ sa ,' said I, as if an important extenuation

> er savs. frictantly, but if somebody would only neither pity, nor condolence, nor blame give us one'-he had ceased speaking of came from her hips. Mr. Madison Jones in that light, for Mr. Madison seldom came to see us.

> giving us, or any such chance sort of ways, western sky for our picture, my mother mother says. We must look to ourselves; recoursed to the subject. Madison had been that's the true way, said Philip

'I suppose it is,' slowly admitted p Madison.

Behold three boys in Mr. Giles' mowing fied—the smallest, a pale child, sitting under an apple tree, with a little tin pale beside him, and watching with delight the movements of his two brothers, as they tossed about the new mown hay, and long-ed to be with them. Alas! his lesson was patient waiting. They worked as the sun rose higher and higher, and the last dew drop died on the grass.

'I am sick of it, that's a fact,' at last said the tallest, as he tumbled upon a newmown swath.

"Up and be doing ! said his companion let's not flinch. We must go through with what we undertake, mother says,' as he put his last rake full on the cock.

But I don't want to. I would rat er

never have a cow than work for it,' he deer with great emphasis; 'never fall back, clased, lazily swinging his feet much high-But anything that is worth having, is

worth working for, mother says, answered Philip: 'and you know what good things a cow will bring us !

'Well, I don't care Come, let's est our lunch,' as he approached the im plate use der the apple trees.

he kept steadily on with his work. Meanwhile. Madison peered into the pail, and, not only devoured his own part, but made ample encroachments upon his brother's

He then laid himself-down upon the grass. Come, Madison, come ! don't give DD the first day-persevere, boy, ened Philly courageously-but no, it was too hot to work; he could not work such hot days for all the cows in the world; he was too tired to work;' and presently he fell as-

Alas! that this should be a specimen of the rest of the week. On Saturday night men were sitting in the barn talking over the week's work-two men were leaning in their shirt sleeves, over the fence, discussing the meris of Mr. Giles' cabbages-Phillip, Madison and Myself,-for my brothers were alweys anxious and willing to help me along with them, -with James Giles, were standing among the cows, patting one, pulling the ears of another, and admiring them all, especially the beifer, which we wanted to buy. Meanwhile, Mr. Giles came out with his wallet, settled with the men, and laid out their plans for to a steady sawing, to help him, or admire the next week. "Where are the boys?" he asked, not seeing us: Philip and Madison. issiled forth from behind the cows, somegone upon some criand, and Madison went | what besifatingly, into the presence of their for h to his morning's work alone. It was master He was a tall, stern-looking man, not long before he appeared before our and not of gentle speech. The boys all mother, begging her to come and see how were afraid of him, especially of invading well he could work, but she could not leave just then. He soon appeared again, c in plaining that the wood was soo knotty; she begged him not to be daunted by a knot. A hard time he came, and it was too warm to be friend; He eyed the boys keenly. Do to work, 'too warm by half;' a fourth, and you mean to go throgh the world as you THE subscriber a sist div an experienced and his foot was lame, dreadfully lame; he have worked for me? he asked, abruptly, prosecutes and settle sall manner of claffins upon the must give his work up that morning, he nodding to Madison. And Madison look-U. S. Government. Particular attention given to those are leg did not be the Pension and Bounty Laws with an air of satisfaction into a chair.— ued, 'you, Phillip, I know your name, for Madison was fruitful in excuses. Our I buried a little one by that mame, some mother quietly arose, and taking him by which the strong man's voice grew increathe hand led bum back to the wood-house. lous, 'if you go through the world as you Pointing to the wood, she said, with that have worked for me you will be a man, a firmness which meant something-There rich man, an influential man and a good is your duty, my son, do it; one stick at a man, I hope; and that is because you are time, and it is done; it is only saw up and willing to work for it.' I looked one from saw down, patiently and courageously. behind a cow to hear the conversation. New do it, or voy are not fit to be a man. And depend upon it, boys, as is the boy TO TRIVELLERS GOING NORTH. Madison well knew there was no gain- so is the man, continued Mr. Gileswhat you are a boy, you will be a man, Phillip. I will give you two shillings a and what was there so formidable in all day, and your brother shall have just what The Great Mail Route from Char- that? He began to consider, after all, that he has carned, namely, four-pence a day; upon which he began to make the change. difficult work-and is it not so with all we There was a solemn pause, broken at fast have to do? By the bulk, our work may by low sobs Madison was crying through hok large and formidable-but if we pa- sheer mortification. I remember I wanted tiently and courageously go at it, it is only to come to the rescue; and getting up to the saw up and saw down' which lessens, poor Madison's side, I looked stoutly up inconquers and finishes, and we are surprise to Mr, Giles' face and said, pulling Madied to find what a simple business it is __ son's sleeve, 'He can saw wood, sir, he Madison took up his saw and went to can saw!' How I got the courage, I am work , little by little, saw up and saw at loss to imagine. Can he ? said Mr. down, patiently, courageously, and it was Giles, pleasantly turning from the money done! Madiso declared it was the hard. in his hand, 'I am very glad to hear that this. It is not the series availing themselves thereof, will done! Madiso declared it was the hard-he is good for something.' As he have the option either to continue without delay est struggle he ever had; the first thing he ever persevered in, but it was done! the gave the wages into their hands, he said in pile disappeared before his own resolute a marked manner to Philip, 'I shall be

glad of your work next week, Philip ! upon which he went back into the house, leaving us standing, and for a time speechless. Philip and I looked at each other. 'I won't have it, I won't have any of his My mother neither praised not paid him money? at length and Madison, flinging her the work was done she left him to his quarter upon the ground. Thilly que the first conscious enjoyment of his ability cily picked it up, and we waited home-Nothing was said. Mother was waiting for us with our frugal meal. And now suppose you come with your first Saturday But a row, a cow would add greatly to night's carnings,' she said, smiling at us through the open window. Philip soberly er was anxious of possessing. As for the laid in her lar, when we entered, the monboys, it formed the sum total of their wish- ey, his own and Madison's. She looked at es-the consumination most devoutly wish- it and asked how it thus happend. "It's

"And mother, I told Mr. Giles he could Where there is a will there is a way moth- had been added. There, was no mistaking our mother's look, though she -said 'Yes. I suppose so,' added Madison, re- nothing. She was grieved and anxious-

On the next evening, Sabbath evening, as we all sat on a rude bench, Phillip's But we must not depend upon people's handy-work, at the back side, with the

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