

### A PARTING SONG.

Thus let my memory be with you, friends!  
Thus ever think of me!  
Kindly and gently, but as of one  
For whom 'tis well to be fled and gone,  
As a bird from a chain unbound,  
As of a wanderer whose home is found—  
So let it be!

WAVES.—The common cause of waves is the friction of the wind upon the surface of the water. Little ridges or elevations first appear, which, by continuance of the force, gradually increasing until they become the rolling mountains seen where the winds sweep over a great extent of water. The heaving of the bay of Biscay, and still more that of the open ocean beyond the southern capes of America and Africa, is one extreme,—and the stillness of the tropical seas, which are guarded by near encircling lands, is the other. In the vast archipelago of the East where Borneo, and Java, and Sumatra lie, and the Molucca islands and the Philippines, the sea is often fanned only by the land and sea breezes, and is like a smooth bed

FROM THE TALISMAN.

We are as mirrors, giving back the reflections of the society in which we are placed—sometimes, it may be brighter and purer than original forms themselves; how much of our imparting to them our own dimness and distortions!

Happy they who taught by the sure  
instinct of their purity, have ever shrunk

IMPROVEMENTS ON LAKE ERIE.—The Chief Engineer of the War Department has reported to the government, that the pier authorized at Dunkirk harbour has been partly made, and will be completed this season. At the mouth of Cayuhoga river a dam has been built, the bar excavated, and materials collected, in prosecution of the authorized improvements of the harbor of Cleveland. The contract has been formed for the construction of a pier at La Plaisance Bay. At the mouth of Ashtabula Creek the piers have been extended 214 yards into the lake, which give 4 feet on the bar. They are to be carried 105 yards further.—The piers are nearly finished at Grand River, and the said bar has been already removed, and the water deepened. The works at the mouths of Buffalo creek, Huron river, at Erie and Cunningham's Creek, are all in progress, and with flattering prospects.

[From the New-York Farmer.]  
WINTER EVENINGS.

But many who cannot command more than one, two or three hours at a time, excuse themselves from reading altogether. The father acts on this principle, and the sons follow his example; and thus it is that there are not more extensively read and enterprising farmers. Let us now make some calculation of the time that could be employed in the acquisition of useful information, from the age of fourteen to fifty. Suppose that three hours of the twenty-four, for four days of each week during the six winter months, were spent in useful reading. This would amount, when he would arrive at fifty years of age, to 11,232 hours. If he read 20 pages per hour, it would be 224,640 pages. Allowing each

THE SOUTHERN STATES. Colombia is much disordered—almost every thing seems to be in an unsettled and fermented state, without the prospect of speedy and safe adjustment. Guayaquil has thrown off the Colombian yoke, and the affections of the Peruvians seem completely drawn away from Bolivar. Mexico is expelling the old Spaniards—1,200 were coming to the United States. They have been for some time engaged in securing their property, and many millions of dollars had left, or were about to leave, the republic, in consequence. Factions abound, and the people are nearly as ignorant and miserable as they were under the government of Spain. Com. Porter, at Vera Cruz, advertises “a number of commissions for privateers,” to be disposed of. Chili, is apparently at rest; but Peru and Buenos Ayres are unquiet—without unity of action, and harrassed for funds. We sometimes almost fear that the want of intelligence, which has been well called “the soul of liberty,” will long prevent the people of these large and interesting countries from enjoying that repose and safety which we have so anxiously wished for them. It takes generations to make up a thinking virtuous “populace”—that middle class, chiefly made up of thrifty laborers; men with strong heads and sinewy arms—a body which commands the factious elements, and bids the ambitious and their tools, the thoughtless “herd,” be still.

AFRICAN COLONIZATION. The people of what are called the "free states," are becoming more and more interested in the success of the colony which we have planted in Africa. The steady progress of opinion against the principle of negro slavery, together with the reduced value of slaves as property, causes an increased influx of colored persons into them, and reduces their energy and force in possessing a class who cannot be introduced into the common stock of the population for the common purposes of these states. Many of the citizens of these states became such to avoid the evils attendant upon a black population, but they are followed by unmitted persons, expelled from the states in which they were born, because they have been made free. Ohio is particularly over-run with them—they are a great nuisance in many parts, and the colonization project has, therefore, become a great favorite in Ohio. If that, or some other plan, to provide a home for liberated slaves does not succeed it is very possible that in the course of events, some of the free states may feel compelled to throw back the colored people intruded upon them, and thus force the slave-holding states to "manage their own concerns in their own way." The last deny the right of any national provision on the subject, though the project originated, or was, at first, chiefly supported by them; and if they will not act for the relief of those unfortunate persons, let the responsibility rest where it ought. The free states may as well interfere to exclude persons of color, as the slave-states rightfully can to cast them out, though natives thereof; and such will probably be the result of this opposition to the colonization of freed people of color.

*Niles.*

It is such a one, as has never been presented to Virginia before, and we are bold to say, is the most powerful ever formed by any state of this Union. It must and will, make a great impression on the people of Virginia; and we firmly believe, that from this time forward, the cause of the Administration is destined to advance with rapid pace in Virginia. Let the thousands of enlightened men who are now committed to the cause exert themselves, and the bad effects of their former apathy, will yet be repaired.

*Happiness.*—If you wish to be happy for a day get well shaved; if for a week, get invited to a wedding; if for a month, buy a good nag; if for half a year, buy a handsome house; if for a year, marry a hand-

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN**, to the heirs of Samuel P. Booker, deceased, that the Cyrus & Theresa A. Finch will make application to the Wayne Circuit Court, at their next February Term, to have Commissioners appointed, pursuant to the statute in such case made, and proceed to make partition between them, the said Cyrus & Theresa, and the above mentioned heirs and assigns of Samuel P. Booker, dec'd., of all the real estate which the said Samuel P. Booker died seized of, and which the said Samuel P. Booker died seized of, said real estate lying and being in the county of Wayne, Randolph and Marion.

Centre ville, 15th Jan. 1923.

# Farm and Mills

THE Subscriber will sell, on *monday*, his **FARM, GRIST** and **SALT MILL**, on Noland's Fork, 5 miles north-west of Union Wayne county, Indiana. The Mills are on a mill stream, and in an excellent timber. The Farm is an excellent one, containing 120 of which 120 acres are under fence and have a superior young orchard, a complete dwelling, and other buildings. The Mills will be sold together, or separately, and the Farm will be sold with the Mills.

January 22, 1928.

## ADMINISTRATORS SALE

**B**y Order of the Court of Probates of the county, state of Indiana, to satisfy the claim against the estate of Henry Vannum deceased, will be offered for sale at Public Sale at the house of Wm. Morse, 6 miles from town of Liberty, in Union county, Indiana, on the 4th day of March next, the Southeast Quarter of Section 13, Town 12, Range 10, 157 23-100 acres. The terms will be made on the day of sale.

DAVID WALSER, Adm.  
ELIZABETH WALSER, Sec.  
Aurora, Ia. 5th Dec 1827.

TO PRINTERS.

TYPE FOUNDRY AND PRINTER  
WAREHOUSE.

**C**orner of Vine & Centre streets, *Opposite*  
THE Proprietors of the Cincinnati Type  
dry have lately made considerable  
to their establishment, and are now able  
on demand, or very short notice, THE  
teen line *Pica* to Nonpareil, mostly at  
as great a variety of Fancy Job Type, as  
any Foundry in the United States, at  
prices as at the Eastern Foundries. — Also,  
Chases, Cases: Type metal Reglet, not  
bodles: Brass Rule of every description,  
ink, of New York and Philadelphia  
Skins, Parchment, &c. &c. We will also  
Sterotype Plates, to order, from the  
Philadelphia, and deliver the same at the  
free of charge for transportation, *except*  
Printers who deal at this Foundry will  
sert this Advertisement conspicuously, *State*  
forward their bills for payment.

Cincinnati, Dec. 17, 1827.

**FOR SALE**

THAT well known  
**TAVERN STAND.**  
In the town of Richmond, lately in the  
possession of Wm. H. Vaughan. A bargain to be  
had, and possession at any time that may be  
desired by the purchaser.

Richmond, Sep. 28th, 1827.

TO EDITORS.

In order that the efficacy of Doctor Cass's remedy for intemperance may be thoroughly established, we request Editors of News papers throughout the country who will insert our advertisement and send us to it, and send us a copy of the paper containing it, and receive from us by return of mail a sum sufficient to cure one drunkard, which they are requested to administer to some patient in their neighborhood, and publish the result.

**DR. CHAMBERS' REMEDY**  
**INTEMPERANCE**

The medicine will hereafter be prepared by the subscribers, who are alone in possession of the original recipe of the inventor, at the office of late Dr. C. in the basement story of Rutgers College in Duane street east side of Broadway, and at the medical store of Doctor Hart, 209 Broadway, and Chambers street, third door from Washington Hall, New York.

The astonishing success which this process has obtained in restoring habitual line-briars to a healthy condition, and has established its virtues beyond contradiction, and supercedes the necessity of any further mention.

The remedy is as innocent as it is effective, much so, that it is often given to children for complaints, and frequently used as a family medicine for Dyspepsia, &c. All that is required is its specific effect, is to abide strictly by its directions. It is put up in packages sufficient for individual cure, and accompanied with full directions for its use, signed in the hand writing of the subscribers, without which none are genuine. It is induced to adopt this measure, as in consequence of the great celebrity which Dr. Chamberlain's medicine has obtained, there have been, and there will be many spurious imitations. On receiving the usual price, 5 dollars, postage paid, the medicine can be sent by mail. To those unable to pay, on personal application of the individual at our office, the medicine will be administered gratis.

J. H. HART, M. D. }  
A. M. FENNING. }  
\* Office of Butler's Medical College.

BLANK DEEDS  
FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE.