



# VIRGINIA FREE PRESS AND FARMERS' REPOSITORY.

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DESPERATE PROPOSITION.

BY GALLAHER & CO.

THURSDAY MORNING.

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# THE VIRGINIA FREE PRESS AND FARMERS' REPOSITORY.

COLONIES.—It is stated that  
the committee on French affairs  
decided to recommend that  
appropriate five millions of dollars  
per cent. stock, for their liquidation.

## ADVERTISEMENTS.

Schemes for February,  
1858.

J. & MARY, Pharmacists,  
WILMINGTON, DELAWARE.

The following scheme of  
schemes appointed by the Governor:  
\$40,000.

Benefit of the State of Delaware,  
1857, to be drawn at Wilmington,  
Aug. 1st, 1858.

Lottery—13 Drawn Bills.

Prize of \$100,000. 1 of \$10,000.  
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# VIRGINIA FREE PRESS AND FARMERS' REPOSITORY.

## POETICAL.

### Nothing Lost.

Nothing is lost; the drop of dew,  
Which trembles in the leaf of flowers,  
Is but exhaled to fall anew.  
In summer's thunder shower.—  
Perchance to fall within the bow—  
That fronts the sun at fall of day—  
Perchance to sparkle in the flow—  
Of fountains far away.

Nothing is lost; the faint seed,  
By wild birds borne or breeze blown,  
Finds something suited to its need.

Whereas 'tis sown and grown,

The perfume of some household song,

The perfume of some cherished flower,

Though gone from outward sense, being

To memory's after-hour.

Remembered words, no harsh or kin'd—  
United they were not forged.

They have no influence on the mind,

Peaceful but pale not.

Be with our hearts, for good or ill!

And let us all be underdone,

Then may our bairn will

To make their wills good.

*The Wind and Stream.*

A brook came stealing from the ground;

You scarcely saw its silvery gleam

Among the herbs that hung around.

The borders of that winnowing stream—

A pretty stream, a placid stream,

A softly gilding, bushy stream.

A Breeze came wandering from the sky;

Light as the whisper of a dream;

He put the overhanging grasses by,

And gayly stooped to kiss the stream—

The pretty stream, the darter stream,

The shy, yet unreluctant stream,

The Water, as the Wind passed over,

Shot upward many a glancing beam,

Dimpled and quivered more and more,

And tripped along a livelier stream—

The flattered stream, the simpering stream,

The fond, delighted, silly stream,

Then careft Wind more came back;

He wands yet the fields, I deem;

But on its melancholy track

Complaining went the little stream—

The cheeted stream, the hopeless stream,

The ever-murmuring, moaning stream.

## VARIETY.

### NEW FALL AND WINTER GOODS!

## MEDICAL HOUSE.

### B. W. Herbert's Column.

#### AGENCY OR LIFE ASSURANCE.

THE UNITED STATES LIFE INSURANCE  
ASSURANCE AND TRUST COMPANY OF PHILADELPHIA.

The lives of slaves insured for three-fourths of

their value, and for the suppression of Quad-

rilion.

Exhibited in order to afford the affected sound and sec-

ure medical aid, and for the suppression of Quad-

rilion.

DOCTOR SMITH, the only regularly regis-

tered Physician Advertising, has for many

years devoted his whole attention to the

curative of the most complicated forms.

His greatest success is those long standing and

difficult cases, such as formerly considered

hopeless, now made perfectly curable as

by the extensive practice which he has received.

Within the last eight years Dr. S. has treated

more than 25,000 cases of Private Cases, and

for the service and benefit of All, policy holder

s of the United States.

INTERNATIONAL LIFE  
ASSURANCE SOCIETY

OF NEW YORK AND LONDON.

Capital \$2,000,000.

N. B. A guarantee fund of \$100,000 deposited with

the Comptroller of the State of New York, for the service and benefit of All, policy holder

s of the United States.

LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Newark, N. J., 1st January, 1855.

Capital \$2,000,000.

Total amount \$1,200,000.

Grand Total \$1,200,000.

LIFE INSURANCE.

PENN MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY  
OF PENNSYLVANIA.

Capital \$750,000.

CHARTER PERPETUAL.

All the premiums collected amongst the policy hold-

ers ever paid.

The only truly Mutual Company

in the City of State.

DANIEL L. MILLER, President.

SAMUEL E. STOKES, Vice President.

JOHN W. HORNER, Secretary.

Premiums may be paid annually, semi-annual-

ly, quarterly, monthly, weekly, or daily.

Persons who now insure will parjake of a full

year's dividend on the 1st of January next.

Persons may insure their own lives, and credi-

tors the lives of debtors, friends, relatives, and em-  
ployees.

Young MEN.

As old as twenty, with some debility, "whether

old age, infirmities, or from

accident," will receive a full premium.

Patients will be entitled to a reduction of premium

for every year of age.

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