

Daily Mountaineer.

OLD CHURCHES.

Hasn't been where the full-blossom'd bay-tree is blowing
With odours like Eden's around?
Hasn't seen where the broad-leaved palmetto is growing,
And wild vines are fringing the ground?
Hasn't sat in the shade of catalpas, at noon,
And ate the cool goulds of their clone;
Or slept where magnolias were screening the moon,
And the mocking-bird sung her sweet rhyme?

And didn't mark, in thy journey, at dew-dropping eve,
Some ruin peer high o'er thy way,
With rooks wheeling round it, and bushes to weave
A mantle for turrets so gray?
Did you ask if some lord of the chivalry kind
Lived there, when the country was young?
And burn'd not the blood of a Christian, to find
How there the old prayer-bell had rung?

And didn't you glow, when they told ye—the Lord
Had dwelt in that thistle-grown pile;
And that bones of old Christians were under its sward,
That once had knelt down in its aisle?
And had ye no tear-drops your blushes to steep
When ye thought—o'er your country so broad,
The bard seeks in vain for a mouldering heap,
Save only these churches of God!

O ye that shall pass by these ruins agone,
Go kneel in their alleys and pray,
And not till their arches have echoed amen,
Rise up, and fare on in your way.
Pray God that those aisles may be crowded once more,
Those altars surrounded and spread,
While anthems and prayers are uttered as of yore,
As they take of the wine-cup and bread.

Ay, pray on thy knees, that each old rural fane
They have left to the bat and the mole,
May sound with the loud-pealing organ again,
And the full swelling voice of the soul.
Peradventure, when next thou shalt journey thereby,
Even bells shall ring out on the air,
And the dim-lighted windows reveal to thine eye
The snowy-robed pastor at prayer.

A CHAPTER ON CATS.—The following amusing discourse on cats, is clipped from the Virginia Enterprise of Aug. 21st:

When this town was small, cats was scarce. A big price was paid for cats then. I brought them in cages from California. I don't know the price they sold for. It may have been \$10. I wish cats was scarce now. Now we have too plenty. Anybody can get them for nothing—the little ones. I don't like cats much, nor mother she don't, nor unkle Fred. Unkle Fred throws bottles at 'em out of his bed-room window. Cats is good enough in the day time, but I appeal to an impartial publick if they ain't a nuisance at night. Gentle reader, come awhile with me and hide in my bed-room and let's watch the cats. It is dark. We can see the roofs of the houses, but the moon shineth not. Look thou at that roof which comes nearly level with my window. That's the place for cats, there's where they come every night. They luxuriateth onto that roof. Listen, reader, heardest thou that faint yowl? They'll soon be coming. Another has answered—very distant. Hark! that scratching on the tin spouts. The first feller is coming up to begin. Now 'other is onto the spout, coming up. Now see the disposition of them cats. They say it's love; may be it is. Now they are crawling toward each other with tails up and bodies flat on the ridge. They mutter low and deep. Now see that big black feller; how he erecteth his back! He upheaveth it till he looketh against the sky like Mt. Davidson, and his tail appeareth like one of the big trees of Calaveras. The other cat stands opposite like Cedar Hill. They flourisheth aloft their tails. List, oh, list—that shriek! It ringeth through the town, passing down the streets thereof even to the little dark alleys. The drowsy policeman is awaked; he rubbeth his eyes and sayeth to himself; "Is not this the voice of a drunk and disorderly?"

But, gentle reader, we will return to our subject. It will be remembered that we left our cats in the attitude of a contest. Their tails are now like iron bars and movest not except the tip ends which quiverest very frantic. There is an awful moment of suspense. Soon a wild shriek bursts upon the stilly night, and them cats cometh together as two mighty crags from opposite mountains might meet. They thump their tails onto the roof, they roll in convulsions and the gentle breeze is full of hair. That crack was Unkle Fred, throwing bottles at 'em. Now all is silent as the grave. Adieu, gentle reader. Sieh is cats.

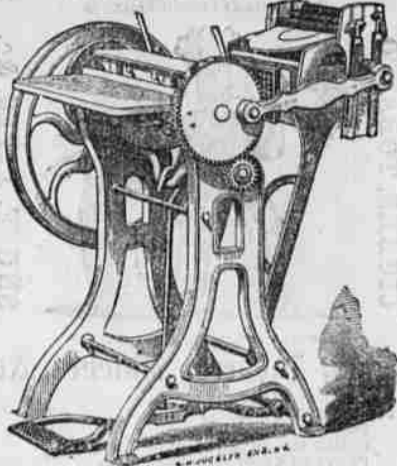
Treasurer's Notice.

THE FOLLOWING COUNTY ORDERS will be paid upon presentation at my office:

Registered.	Class.	No.	In favor of.
1864, February 6th	3	847	J. B. Harford.
"	3	848	J. B. Harford.
"	3	866	R. H. Lansdale.
"	3	867	R. H. Lansdale.
"	3	874	W. M. Derrick.
"	3	976	H. B. Derrick.
"	3	969	W. M. Derrick.
"	3	943	H. B. Derrick.
"	3	962	J. H. Dugger.
"	3	868	Indian Sam.
"	6	818	W. C. Moody.
"	3	846	Dr. Spiers.
"	17	860	H. A. Hogue.
"	11	842	H. A. Hogue.
March	8	76	Wm. Abernethy.
"	10	753	S. F. Levy.
"	10	420	Humason, Stocking & Co.
"	11	900	Dr. Spiers.
"	12	881	J. B. Harford.
"	12	880	J. B. Harford.
April	9	701	A. B. Moore.
"	9	689	A. B. Moore.
"	20	839	John Dowd.
May	7	997	W. Pomeroy.
"	7	990	W. Pomeroy.
"	7	962	W. Pomeroy.
"	7	961	W. Pomeroy.
"	7	967	W. Pomeroy.
"	7	969	W. Pomeroy.
"	7	964	W. Pomeroy.

H. J. WALDRON,
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February, 1864. [Jy19-1f] THOMAS BUTLER.

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THOMAS GORDON, Administrator. Jy20-4w
Dalles, June 25, 1864.

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Dalles, June 20, 1864. THOMAS GORDON, Administrator. Jy21-4w

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