

do with the old lady? "Murder her, to be sure," replied a second voice. "But the first murderer is a scoundrel who will be hard to kill them."

POETRY.

THE COTTAGE-BAND.

I know a neat white cot that peeps out brightly. From its recess amid green wavy trees That murmur to the breeze.

THE EXPRESS MAIL.

The Express Mail.—The Washington correspondent of the Baltimore Patriot, under date of the 11th inst., says: Mr. Crittenden, (a thousand thanks to him!)

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will come out in the detail. Marsh's thinking was immediately examined by Mr. Langdon and Ira A. Butterfield, Deputy Marshal, and checked post-mortem, and drafts found, amounting to upwards of \$70,000, which are in the hands of Mr. Rowley. Shortly after, Mr. John W. Reiley, R. Nocks and W. Moody, City Constables, succeeded in finding about \$1800 in bank notes, which had been held by Marsh.

A DARK AFFAIR.—POLICE OFFICER, December 14th.—A colored man named Alwood Astrick, who speaks several languages, and possesses many other accomplishments, seldom found in a person of color, had been for some time paying his addresses to a remarkably pretty looking middle-aged woman named Louisa Howell, who notwithstanding that she was already married, agreed to elope with her black Leithard, and accompany him to Europe; and he was so certain of her keeping her promise, that he had paid her passage in a ship which was to sail on Saturday last. When she had received the money, the lady had changed her mind, and refused to accompany him. The disappointment so maddened Mr. Astrick, that on Saturday forenoon, he entered the lady's bedroom, and with a pistol in his hand, deliberately shot a pistol and fired it at her head. Fortunately, however, she instinctively dodged her head as he was pulling the trigger, and the ball passed over her and went through the wall behind her.

PERUVIAN ANTIQUITIES.—Captain Benjamin Ray of this town, commander of ship Logan, recently arrived at New Bedford from the South Seas, procured while on the coast of Peru some singular relics, the circumstances and manner of which were found interesting and their peculiarly curious and interesting. His ship touched at the port of Guayma in the Pacific about 14 1/2 S. the inhabitants of which have discovered in their immediate vicinity, the ancient remains of an ancient city, from which they had dug out many remarkable vestiges of former generations, and concerning whose history or fate no remembrance or early tradition survives.

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Mexico and Texas.—It appears by the following which we copy from the New Orleans Advertiser of Monday, that the Mexicans are manifesting the courage to venture again into Texas. How long will their courage last after they shall have heard the death-cry of the Texian rifles!

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KENTUCKIAN.

Friday, January 5, 1838.

Assembly was the day appointed for re-assembling of the Legislature of Kentucky...

A negro man the property of Mr. Dobbin, of Mason county, Ky. came to his death on Tuesday last...

A CAUTION TO QUACKS. A Steam Doctor in No. 7K, named R. K. Frost...

Horrid!—The Erie Gazette states, that a house was burned in Harbortreeks, in that county...

LEGISLATIVE. The following petitions were presented to the Legislature by Mr. Andrews...

Mr. Gooding, presented a bill to repeal the law of 1834 authorizing the county court of Fleming to subscribe stock in turn-pike roads.

Mr. Trumbo presented the petition of citizens of Owingsville, Bath county, for an additional constable to said county...

Mr. Trumbo presented the petition of Jefferson Rice, adm'r, of E. Richards, deceased, praying the passage of a law...

Mr. Elliott, of Morgan, asked and obtained leave to bring in a bill to authorize a road to be opened from the mouth of Christy's fork of Triplett's creek in Fleming, to Louisa in Lawrence county.

It is said that there is a deputation of Canadians at Washington, ready to ask for the recognition of the independence of their country!

The Journeymen Printers of Indianapolis have formed themselves into a company of volunteers, and have taken up their line of march for Canada...

It appears from Gov. Ritner's message that the Pennsylvania school system is in a most prosperous condition. Out of 1000 districts in the State, 725 have already entitled themselves to its benefits.

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A Man Buried in a Well.—The Newport (N. H.) Spectator informs us, that Mr. Charles Cook had a well dug in that village, on Saturday last, for the purpose of removing some rubbish therefrom...

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THE MARKETS. PRICES CURRENT. Flemington, Jan. 5.

Beef—Round 3 a 13 per lb. Butter—10a12a per lb. Flour—10a12a per barrel.

Cotton per pound Sugar per gallon Molasses per gallon Flour per barrel.

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Notice. I AM at present, manufacturing a large and elegant assortment of SADDLERY.

Notice. That may be brought in. Market price for Pork, and lowest CASH price for Saddle.

Notice. These included to mess, whose NOTES or ACCOUNTS are due, and who will not pay, as I need the money.

Notice. THE Vegetable Pulmonary Balm, Turking's Balm of Life, Nerve and Bone Liniment, Fine Table Salt, Shoe Blacking.

Notice. BY virtue of a decree of the Fleming Circuit Court, made at their September term, 1837, the undersigned being appointed a Commissioner, to carry said decree into effect.

Notice. One Brick House and Lot, with other building and land, lying opposite to W. S. Bots, and joining Dean and Stockwell's Factory.

Notice. THOSE indebted to the subscriber, are respectfully asked to call and settle their accounts.

Notice. MR. CAREY A. BOYD. You are hereby notified, that on Saturday, the 27th day of January, 1838, at the tavern of John Keiser, in the city of Lexington, in the State of Virginia.

Notice. THE Books and Accounts of Campbell and Dudley, and the Books and Accounts of Dr. J. M. Campbell, are left in my hands for settlement and collection.

Notice. DANIEL ALEXANDER, Owingville, Sept. 1, 1837.

