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BUMFOLOGY.

"What do you think of our Nathan's head, Doctor?" said a philosophical lady the other day to a man of medicine.

"I don't know, I'm sure," replied the doctor, "I haven't noticed it particularly."

"Well, Doctor, I do wish you'd examine it, and give your opinion on the subject."

Nathan, a great lump of a boy, was accordingly called in, and desired to take off his hat so that the doctor might examine the bumps on his head. To this Nathan at first demurred saying there was no use in it, for he had not bumped his head never since moving-day, when he fell against a lamp-post—but now 'twas all well. However, he was prevailed upon by the promise of a lump of sugar to unbare his tow-headed, and submit it to the inspection of the doctor. The latter was unfortunately no phrenologist, and after squinting rapidly at the subject, told the mother that he thought her son's head was as round as a pumpkin.

"But that isn't what I mean, Doctor," said the mother, "I wish you to examine the lumps, bumps, and circumflexions, and see what the boy's made for. I can't help thinking he's made fit something or other, and I've thought so for a long time."

"I haven't the least doubt in the world, madam, but what you're correct—but what he's made for in particular, it is difficult to tell. Perhaps for a butcher, a tinker, or a pedlar—I know not—it is out of my province to determine."

"But don't you think he is cut out for some thing great?"

"It may be so, ma'am, but he is likely to be spoilt in making up."

"Ah! now you're joking, Doctor."

"It's no joke, I can assure you."

"But, Doctor, you don't examine into the case!"

"I can't see into the case—it's dark—dark thick."

"Fudge! Doctor, you won't take up the matter seriously."

"Oh, for that matter I'm perfectly serious madam—but really—"

"Come nearer, Nathan, so that the Doctor can have a fair view of your head—a little nearer, son—Can you see it now, Doctor?"

"Perfectly, perfectly," said the Doctor, rearing a little as the boy drew near, scratching his head with great industry and zeal.

"What do you think of it now, Doctor?"

"The fond mother," confesses seriously, did you ever see any body's head so *caroed*?"

"Seriously then, Madam, I never did."

"Aint it all livered, as to were?"

"I must say I never saw a head so *caroed* over in my life," said the doctor in a very quiet tone, as the boy approached still nearer and scratched with unabated zeal.

"Did you now, positively?" resumed the fond mother, "ever see such a living specimen?"

"I think I never did see such *live* specimens in all my travels," said the doctor with a sort of shudder.

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"I knew you must be fairly astonished on a near view of his head," said the mother delightedly.

"I never was more so in my life," returned the man of medicine—

"Don't you observe that his head is running over with bumps?"

"It is indeed *running over*," replied the doctor, with particular emphasis on the word running.

"Well, what do you think I'd better do with him, Doctor?"

"A fine-toothed comb is very efficient in these cases," said the doctor, as it were thinking aloud.

"A fine-toothed comb!" ejaculated the mother.

"Yes—that is—I mean—"

"True—true—ha, ha, ha!—true, the boy is a little *bawdy* to day. Go and smooch down your hair, Nathan. But tell me, Doctor, seriously, what you'd advise me to put the boy to?"

"I advise you to wash him up clean, make a thorough revolution in the outward affairs of his head, and then send him to school."

"And what do you think he'll make, Doctor? now tell me candidly."

"Why, madam, I think he's as likely to make a blockhead as any thing."

"A blockhead! indeed—but I see, Doctor, you know nothing of phonology. Please send in your bill to-morrow morning. A blockhead, indeed?"—*Consternation*.

A very fine trait of maternal affections is related of Madame Letitia Bonaparte. She was confined to her bed by sickness, and almost confined, when her son Jerome came into her room, and read an article from a newspaper, announcing that the French Government was about to replace the statue of Napoleon on the column of the Place Vendome. This sudden intelligence seemed almost instantly to revive her; she soon became evidently better, and is at the present time actually convalescent.

Joseph Giblett and Thomas Callcott, convicted of Piracy and Murder on board the brig *Orbit*, of this port, were executed at Boston on the 1st June. They were attended to the scaffold by clergymen and met their fate with firmness and composure. After the bodies had hung the usual time they were removed to the jail yard, where under the direction of Dr. Webster and a president of a great number of scientific gentlemen, the power of the Galactic Battery was applied with great success.

Boston G.

PUBLIC SALE.

BY the undersigned, judge of the Parish of St. Martin. The public are informed, that on Monday the 25th July next, there will be sold at public sale to the last and highest bidder,

2 Tracts of Land.

Belonging to the estate of the late Mr. C. Jumonville Devilliers, which are situated in the Parish of St. Martin, near the limits of that of St. Landry.

One of the Tracts contains 10 arpents front on the left side of the bayou Peche, with forty in depth, adjoining above, the land of Andre Nerant, and below, that of Mr. Joseph Dejean.

The other contains 30 arpents front, to be taken from the back line of the forty arpents of Mr. Nerant's land, of that of the ten arpents above described, and of Mr. Dejean's, with the depth of sixty arpents, more or less, and that of 50, in lots of five arpents.

There shall be reserved at the limits of Mr. Andre Nerant's land, for the use of the purchasers of the fifty arpents tract, a road forty wide to commence at the bayou and running back as far as the forty arpents.

Another road of the same width, running transversely from one of the limits of said tract of fifty arpents to the other, and to its junction with the land of Mr. Nerant, with that of the 10 arpents tract and with Mr. Dejean's will be left also for the use of purchasers.

(*If*) The conditions of this sale are, agreeably to the deliberations of the family meeting of the minors of Jumonville Devilliers, and to the order of the Honorable Court of Probate of the Parish of Orleans, payable in three equal installments, of one, two and three years' credit from the day of sale, the purchasers giving their notes endorsed to the satisfaction of the testate executors of said deceased, said notes to be drawn in as many slips as the said testate executors may think proper, payable at the bank of Louisiana in New-Orleans, and bearing interest at the rate of ten per cent, per annum from the time they become due until final payment; and besides, the said lands remaining mortgaged until real and effective payment is made of principal and interest.

The sale will take place at the Court House of the Parish of St. Martin between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 12 M.

St. Martinville, June 25, 1831.

P. BRIANT,
Parish Judge

THE Public are informed that there are on Mr. Luder Fortier's plantation, the following stray animals, to wit:

A dapple-gray mare, a star in the forehead, a Spanish brand on the left shoulder, E. G. on the right shoulder and O on the rump.

A cream-coloured mare, white forehead, branded on the left shoulder 2 L F. E. A cinnamon-coloured mare, branded on the left hind E. T.

One dappled with a Spanish mark on the right shoulder.

A grey horse without any mark.

The owners of the above animals are requested to claim them and pay for the pasture and printing expenses; and if after eight days following the last publication, viz on the 15th of August next, they are not claimed, they will be sold at 4 o'clock p. m. to be sold on the premises agreedly to law.

Parish of Jefferson, July 8, 1831.

G. DESCHAPELLES,
Syndic

STRAY ANIMALS.

The public are informed that there are on the plantation of Mr. L. D. LEVY,

Lafayette, the following stray animals:

A black Cow branded E R, with the under part of the belly white.

A white Horse without any apparent mark, a Bay Horse, with one hind foot white, a star on his forehead, branded I D on the right shoulder, and a Spanish brand on the right thigh.

A sorrel Horse, two white feet, branded on the right thigh S A, and on the left P S.

A bay mare, two white feet, star on the forehead, branded C L.

A white mare, dark mane, branded on the right thigh, with a foal without mark.

A sorrel mare branded J B S and a foal without mark.

A chestnut sorrel mare, without brand.

A bay Horse with one hind foot white, a star on his forehead, with a Spanish brand.

A mare branded on the left shoulder J A, and with Spanish brands on both thighs.

(*If*) The owners of the above animals are requested to claim them and pay the costs of keeping and advertising. If, within eight days after the last insertion of this advertisement, (which eight days will expire on the 5th of August next,) the said animals are not claimed, they will be sold on said day, at 4 o'clock, p. m., be sold at auction agreeably to law.

Parish of Jefferson, July 5, 1831.

GEL. DESCHAPELLES,
Syndic

CHAMP DE LYSES COFFEE HOUSE
AND CONFECTIONERY.

The undersigned having purchased the house at the corner of Levee & Royal Road streets immediately at the upper end of the Pontchartrain Rail Road, has left no pants untried, spared any expense to make his house an elegant and comfortable place of resort for the ladies and gentlemen of New Orleans. The lower part is since opened the 1st of July instant as a Coffee House for gentlemen; the upper part is devoted to ladies and family parties, where they will be supplied with cool lemonades, ice creams, confectionary, coffee and every kind of refreshment.

The wines and liquors purchased for his establishment are of the first quality, and he feels assured, will give general satisfaction. The house is so highly situated as to command not only two third of the view of the Rail Road, but the most beautiful and picturesque views of the city, river and shipping up and down.

July 5 FRANCOIS TESSIER.

FOR SALE—LOTS OF GROUND,

advantageously situated in the faubourg St. Mary—apply to No. 158 Philippa street.

BEEF OIL.—60 barrels prime Missouri Beef, oil for sale by

J. MAGER.

INSEED OIL.—10 barrels

lading and for sale by

STETSON & A.

Y.

MARSHAL'S SALES.

Samuel Hart vs. J. Reilly.

BY virtue of a writ of fieri facias to me directed by the hon. P. Smith, associate judge of the city court, I shall expose for sale on Monday 1st of August, at 5 o'clock, at the Principal, 2 bed-tents, 2 feather beds, 8 blankets, 3 small tables, 6 chairs, &c. &c. seized in the above suit.

L. DAUNOY,
Marsh.

Mad. Bonnart vs. Thomas Lang.

BY virtue of a writ of fieri facias to me directed by the hon. G. Prevost, associate judge of the city court, I shall expose for sale on Friday the 29th of July, at 5 o'clock, at the premises no. 43 New-Orleans a quantity of Drugs & Medicines and Fixtures. Seized in the above suit.

july 19 L. DAUNOY, marshal.

R. J. Clark vs. Platje Dauphin, &c. &c.

BY virtue of a writ of fieri facias to me directed by the hon. Chles. Maurian, presiding judge of the City Court, I shall expose for sale on Tuesday the 9th day of August next, at 12 o'clock, at noon, at Hewlett's Coffee-House corner of St. Louis & Chartres street, a maltese slave named Patsey, seized in the above suit.

july 9 L. DAUNOY, marshal.

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STATE OF LOUISIANA—FISCAL JUDGMENT.

District Court—Robert V. Marge vs. His Creditors and the Crs. of Maps, Black & co; W. Grapes &c; R. V. Marge & D. Dudley.—The surrender of the estate having been accepted by the Court for the benefit of his Creditors, it is ordered that a meeting of said Creditors take place at the office of W. Chasty Esq. not later than Saturday the 13th day of August next, to take into consideration the affairs of the said petitioner, and in the mean time all judicial proceeding against his person and estate are stayed.—Charles F. Danny Esq. is appointed to represent the absent Creditors.

By order of the Court, this 8th July A. D.

JNO. LEWIS, Clerk.