

Home Education.—I should not hesitate to attribute greater importance to home education than to school education; for it is beneath the paternal roof, when the heart is young, and melted by the warmth of fireside affection, that the deepest impressions are made; it is at home, beneath paternal influence and example, that the foundations of physical, moral and mental habits are laid; it is at home where lasting opinions are founded. School instructions can never supersede the necessity of vigilant parental leading and training at the fireside.

RIPPLES.—Last Monday we were honored by a call from Mr. Organ, the senior partner of the paper published in the interests of the "Bare-footed Sovereigns" of Livingston County, at Pontiac. He was soliciting subscribers and met with good success.—Our School Directors have secured the services of Prof. Moore of Uniontown, Pa.; who will take charge of the city school on the 21,—Hetzl has been to Chicago this week for new Goods; look out for bargains in his new stock.—Thanks to "Jim" of the M'Pherson for favors. May he ever prosper.—Sikes and Cornell have a new sign telling the people where to buy Boots and Shoes.—On last Saturday Mr. Eaton sold his household furniture at auction, and is going to move to Iowa in a few weeks we are told.—We have received the September number of the Gleaner, and there is a noticeable improvement in its looks. The Editors are young men of talent and good taste.

The last survivor of a party of young ladies who strewed flowers in the path of Washington, as he passed through Trenton in 1789, on his way to New York to assume the Presidency, is Mrs. Sarah Hand, now ninety years of age, and a resident of Cape May County, New Jersey.

As in a letter, if the paper is small and we have much to write, we write closer, so let us learn to economise and improve the remaining moments of life.

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