CHARLIE AND HIS DOG

A gentle, patient gentleman, and not a very frequently seen, is our own fishing-person, Charlie. He is in the constant care of his eldest son, who, for many years, has been in the habit of accompanying him on his fishing trips. He has lately been taken ill, and his son has been absent from the house for some little time, during which period Charlie has been left alone. He is, however, in good health, and expects to be able to resume his usual occupation soon.

The dog is a fine, well-bred animal, and is always in good health. He is much attached to his master, and is always ready to do anything for him. He is a fine dog, and is always well fed and well cared for. He is a good hunter, and is always ready to do anything for his master.

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We are informed that J. B. Baker, of Elkader, is the inventor of a new and useful machine for cutting planks, which is now in a state of perfection.

The President's Message.

We have received the annual message of the President, which is in the form of a speech delivered before Congress. It contains a review of the past year, and a statement of the policy which the President proposes to pursue in the future. He has pointed out the necessity for making the Executive Department more efficient, and for improving the public service. He has also recommended the establishment of a national bank, and the construction of a canal from the Mississippi to the Atlantic Ocean.

The Secretary of the Treasury's Report.

Mr. Seward, the Secretary of the Treasury, has submitted his annual report, which contains an account of the financial operations of the Government during the past year. He states that the revenue exceeded the expenditure, and that the national debt has been reduced. He also recommends the establishment of a national bank, and the construction of a canal from the Mississippi to the Atlantic Ocean.

The Senate's Report on the Tariff.

The Senate has reported favorably on the tariff bill, which was introduced by Senator Douglas. The bill provides for a reduction in the duties, and the imposition of new duties on certain articles. The report recommends the passage of the bill, with some amendments.


The House of Representatives has reported unfavorably on the tariff bill, which was introduced by Senator Douglas. The bill provides for a reduction in the duties, and the imposition of new duties on certain articles. The report recommends the rejection of the bill.

The Supreme Court's Decision on the Case of Dred Scott.

The Supreme Court has rendered a decision in the case of Dred Scott v. Sandford. The Court held that Dred Scott, a negro slave, was not a citizen of the United States, and therefore was not entitled to the benefit of the writ of habeas corpus. The decision was rendered by Chief Justice Taney, with the concurrence of four other justices.
