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One for the Road

In this fourth number of volume two of the *Newsletter*, we take our leave by apologizing for a typographical error in the ballot distributed with the September *Newsletter*. Although the slate of nominees was rendered correctly in the text, a vintage Tredegar Company typewriter (bought no doubt at a Confederate army surplus store) misspelled Michael Richman's name and prepared a ballot that read Michael *Richmond*. We apologize for that.

Perhaps during the past year some bit of useful information has come to you in the pages of the *Newsletter*, and perhaps some amusement as well. Our blunders, we hope, will be savored after the fashion of Edmund Ruffin, who "when a weary or puzzled typesetter transformed a high-flying agricultural orator's reference to Lord Bacon's work on inductive philosophy into the phrase, 'lard, bacon, pork or inductive philosophy,' . . . clipped it for his files with evident relish." Setting aside the editorial *we*, I express my gratitude for this opportunity to have embarrassed myself before so distinguished an audience.

—JON KUKLA