THE BURIAL OF FRASER. Now drop the bring fear, ye brave, For on you mountain's height, Where cannon thunders slowly rave, St. George's banner folds of light, . Wave o'er the dark and dismal sight, A soldier's new dug grave.

Bewail, ve English ranks, bewail! · Old Brudenell* has pray'd, His white locks streaming to the gale Where in his gory shroud array'd, The flery Fraser's corpso they laid, Lifeless and ghastly pale.

They bore him to the flaming war, Wild shricks and sight of woe; Two coal black coursers drew the car, Prancing majestically slow Up the tall mount and all-below. The weepers followed far.

No soldier of his glorious crew A nobler spirit bore; His sword in fiery circles flew, And dimm'd its silver light in gove, Where by the monarch Hudson's shore. Wild war his bugle blew.

That hero's burying day has come, Woe gleams in every eye, And Albion's chiefs with grief are dumb, As peal the minute guns, and high Unroll'd the gorgeous banners fly About the muffled drum.

They bind the sheet around his breast, And coffin up the brave, And tears are unreprest, As sinks he in his mountain cave,

And clarions sound, and banners wave O'er Fraser's home of rest. They laid the soldier in his cell,

His warrior bones are cold; The mountain tyger's midnight yell Echoes along the cliff's that hold The relies of thy crumbling mould, Fraser, farewell, farewell!

* The name of the chaptain who officiated.

STOP THE RUNAWAY! ABSCONDED on the 5th Sept from the subscriber, living at the White House, Jefferson county, Virginia,

Negro Hannah,

aged about 23 years, 5 feet 5 or six inches high, light complexion, very much marked | comprising in the face from having had the small pox, A General and Good Assortment of very talkative, and fond of smoking the pipe. Dry Goods, Hardware, Cutlery Had on when she went away, a blue crossbarred Gingham frock and white silk bonnet, and took with her a white dress, &c. A reward of Fifteen Dollars will be given if taken in this state and put in jail, or Thirty Dollars if taken in any other state and put in jail, so that the subscriber gets her again, and all reasonable charges paid if brought JOHN LOCK, senr.

Fresh Drugs and Medicines. his friends and the public generally, that he has on hand a complete assortment of fresh

DRUGS AND MEDICINES, which he will sell extremely low. Physicians and country merchants who intend to lay in a fall supply, will find it to their advantage to give him a call. Those who live at a distance shall have Medicines delivered at their doors free of cest.

HE HAS ALSO ON HAND,

A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF PATENT MEDICINES, such as-Essence of Peppermint, British Oil, Haer-1em Oil, Lee's Pills, Anderson's Pills, Hooper's Pills, Steer's Opodeldoc, Oil Wormseed, Syng's warrant-

ed Patent Itch Ointment-and many other articles

too tedious to mention, all of which will be sold

very low. The usual credit is six months, which I

will allow to punctual customers.

CHARLES HARPER. Shepherdstown, Oct. 6.

FOR SALE,

THE HOUSE AND LOT Owned by the subscriber, in Smithfield situated on the east side of King street, and in an eligible situation for business of any kind. Terms of sale will be made known by application to me, residing in Charlestown. THOS. H. HALL. Colen Frazier.

Regimental Orders. THE first Battalion of the 55th Regiment Va. militia, will muster at Shepherdstown. on Saturday the 23d of October next-the

2d battalion, on Saturday the 30th of the | Roger Jones, same month at Charlestown. VAN RUTHERFORD. Col. 55th Reg. V. M.

Information.

THE business transacted under the firm of Frame & Lock, ceased on the first inst. We return our thanks to our many punctual customers, and the public in general, for past patronage. All those in arrears are requested to discharge the same as soon as possible, as we are anxious to close the busi-

Wm. F. LOCK.

NEW FIRM.

WM. F. LOCK, & CO. SOLICITS those who were customers to

Frame and Lock, and the public generally, to call at their old stopping place and get good bargains. We have on hand, and intend keeping, a general assortment of Dry Goods, Groceries, Glass,

China and Queen's ware, Hardware and Cutlery; together with such other articles as are gene- low for cash, beef, pork, corn, wheat, or a rally called for- all of which will be sold on

Charlestown, Oct. 6. Good words will pay us no longer.

THE PARTNERSHIP existing heretofore under the firm of Carlile & Davis, having expired on the 8th of September last, by limitation, the partners are anxious to have a final close of their business. In order to effect it as speedily as possible, all who are indebted to the firm, particularly those who have so much neglected our former polite and earnest request, are again and the last time, solicited to call and pay off their accounts immediately. To wait any longer with you is deemed unnecessary-neither | In the Post Office. Charlestown, on the 30th time nor justice to ourselves will admit of the indulgence we have given you. We forgive all former disappointments, hoping that you will attend to your own true interest | Rachael Alexander, now. Should you not do so, rest assured | Mary Anderson. that apology will no longer pay us ;-therefore we hope that all will evince a willingness to pay before they get sued; which is

repugnant to our feelings. We return our sincere thanks to all our | John Banks. punctual customers, and the public generally, for the liberal encouragement we have received, and inform them the business will be conducted in future under the firm of | Mary Burnet, JOHN CARLILE, who will attend to settling up the business of Carlile & Davis JNO CARLILE. A. DAVIS.

A NEW FIRM.

THE subscriber having purchased the stock of goods belonging to Carlile & Davis,

Castings, Queen's Ware, China,

Groceries, Liquors, &c. &c. Solicits the old punctual customers of Carlile | Henry Furrey, and Davis, and the public generally, to give Nicholas Flanagan. him a call. He is enabled to sell them as cheap goods as can be had in the state of Virginia, for cash or country produce.

JOHN CARLILE.

Charlestown, Oct. 6.

A LIST OF LETTERS Remaining in the Post Office, at Harper's

	h September, 1819.
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Frederick Adamson,	William Kirby,
Elias Arwine	Henry Kunzooe,
James Allen, 2;	William Kerr.
	L.
Robert Avis,	
	Henry Louson,
Robert Boone,	George Little.
Hezekiah Boteler,	M.
Edward Bell,	Rev. Francis Moore,
Robert H. Breedin,	William Malleory.
James Brady,	George Malleory, 3.
John Brandner,	Jesse Moore,
Philip Burns,	Mr. Marsh.
Joseph Blackburn, 1.	Thomas McKnight.
C+	N _e
Peter Corlau,	Henry Nichols.
Nathanil Craighill, 2;	0.
Jacob Coons, sen.	Dennis O'Byrne,
Elizabeth Cramer,	John Ott.
Isaac Conneil,	P.
D. Conklin,	William D. Phealen.
William Chambers,	R.
Margaret Crissfield,	John Reynolds,
Evan Carmack,	S. 1
Clindence & Brown.	Jacob Shutt.
D.	David Stidman,
Charles Daugherty,	John Stidman,
Benjamin Duvall.	William Stidman,
E.	Anthony Schilts, .
Geo. & A. Eichelberger,	Mary Smith,
lacob Engle,	Philip Strider,
Philip Engle.	John Strider.

Henry Fetzer,

Alexander Grim,

Henry Jarboe,

Frederick Hendshey,

A. G. da. Silveira,

James S. Scott, 3.

Saml. Thompson.

Elizabeth Webb,

William White, 2;

John Wigington,

Moses Wynn, 2.

ROGER HUMPHREYS, P. M.

BLANK DEEDS

FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE.

Dr. Charles Williamson,

William Strider,

Fulling and Carding. THE subscriber takes this method of informing his friends and the public, that he has engaged Mr. Thos. Crawford, a known workman throughout this and the several adjoining counties, to conduct the above bumay please to favor him with their custom. JOHN HELLER.

> Blank Books For sale at this Office.

Bolting Cloths.

BEST warranted Bolting Cloths of all widths and numbers, for sale at the subser. THE subscribers hereby inform their cus-J. S. LANE & TOWNER

tomers and the public generally, that they have commenced opening their assortment of

> THE SUBSCRIBER. In addition to a general assortment of good Medicines,

more than useless to particularize each and HAS FOR SALE, every article that comprise their present ex-The best Patty for window glass, tensive assortment, as it is protty generally known in this neighborhood, that it embra-Copai Varnish, Paints, Liquid blacking, ces almost every article that can be asked. Pomice Stone.

for. Only come at once and supply your Pewter Sand, wants with FRESH GOODS, at new and cheap rates before they are all sold Rotten Stone. Sand paper, BEES WAY. JAS S HANE & TOWNER.

FALL AND WINTER

GOODS

NOW OPENING IN SHEPHERDSTOWN.

Fall and Winter Goods,

selected (within a few days past) from the

last arrivals this fall-They consider it

net ware, bedsteads and sacking bottoms, he

has one of the best kind of ten plate stoves,

completely ready for use, which he will sell

good milch cow. He wishes to buy the a-

bove articles and would take either from

those who owe him if they would call on him

in time. He also wants to purchase some

his debtors to come forward as soon as they

can make it convenient and settle with him

BAGS.

LIST OF LETTERS

September, 1819.

J. S. LANE & TOWNER.

John Myers,

Wm. McEndree

Elizabeth Miller

Wm. McClenin.

James McLane.

John McFaul, 2;

Wm. Marlier,

John M. Comes,

John McDonald, 2:

Jonathan Matheny.

John Morningstar,

Wm. McPherson,

Nimrod McEndre

John S. Neal,

Thornton Offutt,

Elizabeth Pendleton,

Israel or John Peterson,

Wm. H. Rochester,

Matthew Ranson

Geo. H. Riley,

James Roper,

Henry Robertson

Thomas Rolins.

John Smith,

Elizabeth Smith,

James Spangler, Plias or John Shope,

Mary R. Thornton, 2

G. G. Worthington,

Giles C. Herreneton

Joseph Slaughter,

Henry Smith,

David Smith,

Geo. A. Smith,

Mr. Spangler,

Alen Telbort,

Wm. Taylor,

Robert Titus,

James Taylor.

Mary Timberlake

Thomas Wells.

Caleb Woodley, Lemuel Winte;

John Wilkens,

Loren Weston or

James B. Wager,

John Wilson,

Jane Woods,

Wm. Taylor.

Pleasant Shope.

John Shirley, (son Jarvis)

Richard Stone, Mary B. Saunders, 3;

John Stone,

Jonathan Nixon,

Wm. S. Nunn,

Jno. O'Neale,

Thomas Orion.

Jacob Parson,

Elizabeth Edwards, John Pennington

John R. Flagg, & Co. 6; Henry Rowland,

Turner Opic.

E. Neal.

in some way or other.

Shepherdstown, Sept. 15.

Sept. 29.

Harriet Allen,

Wm. Buckies,

Jesse Bryan,

Jonathan Burns

Weldon Brinton.

John Berson.

Mary Cherry.

Robert Frazier.

lizabeth French.

Michael Herrity, 2

Wm. Hickman,

Robert G. Hite.

II. Hainds,

James Hurst.

Wm. Haney,

Wm. Hall,

Juel Jones.

Geo. Isler.

Juo. Jameson,

Thomas Keves

John Lock.

"Geo. Kysinger

James Lock.

Eliza Likens.

Seldon Harrison

Giles Harrington,

Samuel Howard,

Thos. Hammond,

John J. Jacobs,

Catherine Kelly.

Solomon Haynes

Mr. Hottingohow

John Campbell,

Elias T. Cromwel

Christopher Baylor,

Elizabeth Buckley,

Elizabeth Blackburn,

Samuel Clagston,

Alexander Campbell.

Richard Duffield,

walnut logs, and would be very thankful!

Tapers for the sick, &c. Shepherdstown, Sept. 22. All of which she will sell low for cash and begs these who owe her to come forward and ANDREW WOODS, settle with her, as she is in want of money !. IN addition to a good assortment of cabi-

pay her debts. JANE WOODS Sept. 29.

Virginia, Jefferson Co. to wit. August Court, 1819, being the 24th day of the month James C. Deneale,

James English and William P. Craig-Defendants.

IN CHANCERY. THE defendant, James English, not hav. ng entered his appearance and given security agreeably to the act of Assembly and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the A parcel of well made Twilled Bags, just satisfaction of the court that he is not an inreceived, worthy the immediate attention of habitant of this Commonwealth: It is there fore ordered that he appear here on the 4th Monday in October next, and answer the bill of the complainant; and it is further ordered that the defendant Craighill, do not pay, convey away, or secret any monies by him owing to, or goods or effects in his hands, beonging to the absent defendant English, until the further order of this court, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Farmers' Repository, printed in Cherlestown, for two months successively, and posted at the front door of the court house of the said county of Jefferson.

A Copy-Teste, R. G. HITE, Clerk.

Virginia, Jefferson Co. to wit. August Court, 1819, being the -21th day of the month. Jacob Haire,

Benjamin Bell and William P. Craig-Defendants,

IN CHANCERY. THE defendant, Benjamin Bell, not hav ng entered his appearance, and given security agreeably to the act of Assembly and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that he is not an inhabitant of this Commonwealth: It is therefore ordered that he appear here on the fourth Monday in October next to answer he bill of the complainant; and it is further ordered that, the defendant Craighill do not pay, convey away, or secret, any monies by him owing to, or goods, or effects in his hands, belonging to the absent defendant Bell, until the further order of this court. and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Farmers' Repository, printed in Charlestown, for two months successively, and posted at the front door of the court house of the said county of Jefferson. A Copy-Teste,

R. G. HITE, Clerk.

Valuable Property for Sale. THE subscriber wishes to sell, 200 Acres of unimproved

LAND. situate upon the drains of Potomac, within 168 rods of the river, near Orrick's Mill, and nearly opposite to Hancock, adjoining the lands of Charles Lee, deceased -The soil is good, and the whole tract well clothed with valuable funber.

-ALSO-THREE WATER LOTS, in the town of Smithfield, Jefferson County, with two good dwelling houses, A Tan Yard with 15 Vats, Bark-house, Beam-house,

Currying Shop, &c. with over head water, raised by a wheel. and every thing necessary for carrying on the business to advantage.- The situation is a very desirable one, and holds out great inducements to a man who understands the

He also wishes to sell A tract of valuable LAND, Called the Quaker Bottom,

Containing 1000 Acres, siness for a term of years: From the coni- within nine miles of Clarksburgh, Harrison dence placed in his abilities as a workman, County, Virginia, three miles from the left the subscriber flatters himself, that there will hand fork of Bingamond's Creek, which be general satisfaction rendered to all will Creek passes through the centre of the land. -This land possesses great fertility, a large proportion of it is fine Bottom, is of a compact form, well watered and timbered. For terms, and further particulars, apply to the subscriber, living on Back Creek,

Berkeley County.

JOSIPPI MINGHINI.

tf February 4, 1819.

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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 27, 1819.

INo. 603.

TERMS OF THIS PAPER. THE price of the Pannians' Repositiony is Two Dept us a year, one dollar to be park at the comneeded, and one at the expiration of the year. Distant subscribers, will be required to pay the

Advertisements not exceeding a square, will be tisements sent to the office without having the num-

Mutual Association.

At a meeting of a number of the citizens of Jefferson county, Va. at H. Haines' tavern, held agreeably to adjournment on the 16th inst they have agreed with each other to form the neelves into an association for the purpose of apprehending their slaves that may absound hereafter They agree to be governed by the following regu- power of the king.

1st. Every member of this association shall pay into the hands of a Treasurer to be chosen by themseives the sum of twenty dollars each. 2d. The Treasurer shall immediately deposit the amount so received in the Branch Bank at Charles-

3d. The said association shall be divided into Classes of five members as nearly as may be-and the classes numbered 1, 2, 3, &c. 4th. When a slave, the property of any of the members of this association, shall abscond, it shall he the duty of the owner of such slave, immediat ly to give information to all the members of the class, in requisition, leaving with each member a written description of the person of the runaway, his wearing apparel, &c. The said owner shall have the right of directing the route which each member of the class in requisition, shall take, and shall always constitute one of the class himself. class thus notified to make im acdeate pursuit, and to use his best endeavors to apprehend said runaway. 6th. Each member shall keep a just and true account of the expences incurred by him whilst actually on duty, which shall be submitted to the Treasurer, who shall pay the amount thereof out of

the joint fund, if sworn to. th. Any member who may be called on to perform a tour of duty, shall have the privilege of sending as a substitute, some trusty, reputable person, whose account of expences shall be allowed as is provided for by the sixth section; and if required, the Treasurer shall advance to any member the sum of ten dollars, which shall be accounted

8th. No reward shall be claimed by any member of this association, or by any substitute for the apprehension of any runaway slave the property of any member. And should any stranger apprehend a runaway slave the property of any member, suel member shall pay the reward allowed by law, or such other reward as he may have advertised.

9th. Should any member fail to make pursuit immediately upon receiving notice as is provided in 10th. The Treasurer shall divide the members class shall reside contiguous to each other, that there may be the less difficulty in giving notice to the class in requisition. After construction the class in requisition. into classes, taking care that the members of each the class in requisition. After constructing the classes he shall cause lots to be drawn for the purpose of designating the classes by numbers, as 1, 2, 3 &c. he shall then make out a copy of all the members, designating the classes to which each member

belongs, and furnish each member of this associa-11th. The classes shall perform duty in rotation, commencing with No. 1. 12th. There shall be a meeting of this association on the first Friday in November every year. stitute a quorum to transact business. 13th. On application to the Treasurer by five members of this association, he shall call a meetplace, giving two weeks notice thereof. 14th. If any slave, the property of a member of

this association, shall be apprehended by the exertion, and at the expense of the association, such member shall pay to the Treasurer, for the use of the association, the sum of twenty dollars to be de- | bre as long as his strength enabled him to use it posited in the Bank aforesaid. 15th. Thirty members shall be necessary to form above association, are informed that a meeting will be held at Henry Haines' tavern, in Charlestown,

on the first Friday in November next, at 11 c'clock, at which time and place they are requested to Cheap Fall and Winter GOODS.

Now selling off by the subscriber, New Fall and Winter Goods, OF THE FIRST QUALITY, PURCHASED IN BALTIMORE IN THE NICK

invited to call, and supply themselves for a DAVID HUMPHREYS. Charlestown, Oct 20.

BAGS. A parcel of well made Twilled Bags, just sentence was executed, and thus perished general with old bachelors, is like comets jostling and slender; the neck arched and rising; the received, worthy the immediate attention of Mina.

millers and farmers J S LANE & TOWNER. Shepherdstown, Sept. 15.

GENERAL MINA.

FROM A LOYDON PAPER.

who labor and shed their blood in promoting the freedom and happiness of mankind.

This gallant officer landed early in 1817 on the and, if at that period the arms did not arrive, the party were to break up their encampment, and follow him, by the route he directed. With the resi-St. Luis de Potosi, and gave battle to the royalists, who were at least two thousand strong: he gained a decisive victory; took about 600 muskets; and 500 of the royal troops joined him. He then continued

sidered it proper to remain some time at Guananto, the Spanish government, and in their domestic for the purpose of disciplining his army, and to songs to their children-inculcate a spirit of liberty.

vicinage of the city of Mexico. Buring the time he was making these arrangements, he was in the habit of going a few leagues from his camp, with one or two hundred cavalry, to survey the country, and to visit his outposts. The royalists speedily obtained information of this One third of the members belonging to it shall con- by Mina, he found himself attacked in one of these excursions, about ten leagues distance from his camp. He had with bim about 70 cavalry; they ing, designating the day on which it shall take | were surrounded by near 600 royalists, well mountrest fought with desperation and were cut to lying on the ground, defended himself with his sa-He was, however taken alive, and conducted to the head quarters of the commander of the royal troops. would be difficult to describe.

The second in command in Mina's army, immediately sent a flog of truce to the commander of the royal troops, offering 40 Spanish officers in exchange for Mina-declaring, at the same time, that, in case Mina was shot, he would sacrifice the said forty Spanish officers. In order to give greater somorial from the remaining thirty-nine, praying

The commandant of the royal troops, notwithstanding he had orders immediately to execute Persons wishing to get good bargains, are every prisoner that fell into his hands, and more especially MINA, found it necessary to hesitate until he could hear from the viceroy on the subject of the proposal in question. In a few days the answer of the viceroy was received, which was, "That fashion in 1762. I stopped quite short, for no propositions from the rebels would be attended to, and the thermometer of my spirits fell to freez-

As soon as this was known in Mina's camp, the due to these ladies, and they had been colthirty-nine Spanish officers were shot. These circumstances have never been published in the Mexical cumstances have never been published

have endeavored carefully to conceal them; but, | tience thinks I-there is a punishment due nevertheless, they are known as well among the | to all old bachelors, and I must need submit As the success and ultimate fate of general Mina royal troops as among the revolutionists, and arc were never correctly published, and the extreme spoken of with horror and disgust by all those who whole in advance—no paper will be discordinged, caution with which the Spanish government has dare give their opinions on the matter. The death thrown a veil over every thing connected with the of Mina was followed with disasterous consequensituation and copular movements of Mexico, the cas to the revolutionists. The vicercy sent expres-Advertisements not exceeding a square, and twenty-five inserted three weeks for one dollar, and twenty-five following authentic narrative, derived from an eyewitness of the highest credit and respectability, is event-prayers in the churches, the ringing of bells, tisements sent to the office without having the num-ber of times for which they are to be inserted, de-ber of times for which they are to be inserted, de-licitudes. So, says Miss Bridget, a southern her of times for which that are the go- lady has carried off one of our city beaus; of his own bountry from the French-no longer | vernment attached to the death of this individual. * All communications to the Editor on business, able to endure the horrid system of oppressive per- The portion of Mina's little army, which had been la! there should be some good qualities to secution that followed the restoration of Ferdinand left at Solo la Marina, were soon after attacked by -with a handful of men, resolved on the daring near 15,000 royal troops. After defending them- and their want of industry. The husband, I freedom to Mexico, but also tend to inspire that | with all the honors of war. In a few days after spirit of resistance in the Peninsula, which was necessary to restore the constitution, and limit the

enterprize of breaking the tyrant's sceptre in the selves galiantly in a small fortuntil their ammunition | learn, is very clever and interesting, but it most important section of the western world, under and provisions were expended, they finally made a was altogether a piece of speculation on his the double hope that his efforts would not only give formal capitulation, and marched out of the fort | part. Apropos, says Miss Tabitha; talking received from the viceroy of Mexico to make the capitulation null. They were then conducted in Though the attempt failed, the circumstances | chains to Vera Cruz, there put in dungcons, where which accompanied it should be recorded in the many of them perished by starvation and suffocation. page of history, where the name of young Mina | The few who survived have been sent to Ceuta and will be ranked among those patriots and heroes other fortifications on the coast of Africa, where they are condemned to labor in chains during life. The preceding facts are known to the writer, not merely from what he has heard, but from what | Madam, that in life there is no sight more Mexican coast, at a place called Soto la Marina. he has seen-he has been a prisoner among the gratifying, than a young couple united in the

His entire force did not exceed 500 men; 130 of royalists for two years and a half-he was in Mexthese he left at Soto la Marina, to wait for some | ico during the time the transactions he has related | each other happy, and each pursuing a sysarms and munitions of war which he daily expect- occurred-and he has been an eye-witness to scenes tem of economy and industry, calculated ed. He ordered this force to remain there 20 days, of barbarity by both parties, the details of which ever to advance their prosperity, rearing up he forbears to relate, because they would appear incredible to the civilized world. He is, however, perfectly convinced that if the present system of 5th. It shall be the duty of each member of the | due of his force, say about 370 men, he penetrated | cruelty and extermination is not very soon checkto the interior of the country, and on the tenth day | ed, it will terminate in the sacrifice of every Eurowas joined by near 1500 Creoles, who in general | pean Spaniard in America. The Creoles of Spanish had no other arms but (machetas) cutlasses and | America, a few years ago, were a pacific, ignorant, lances. He then rapidly advanced to the city of and superstitious people-they are daily becoming more enlightened-intestine warfare has taught them the use of arms-their rancor against Spain is hourly augmenting-1500 insurgents (as they have strange luck: heaven be praised, that are called) are now more Tormidable to the women are so well off, in the way of offers. his route, and after various battles, in all of which | Spanish troops than 10,000 were six years | that they are not justified in snapping every he was successful, he reached the city of Guenaato, ago; they are rapidly becoming acquainted with adventurer. She then bridled up, shook her containing a population of nearly 70,000. He en- their physical and moral strength; and, if Spain head significantly, which went to say, "I tered the city after a feeble resistance, and was re- perseveres much longer in the unequal and impo- have refused more than one," though I doubt ceived by the inhabitants in the most enthusiastic litic conflict she is now pursuing, she will not only lose her political sway in every part of America, The viceroy of Mexico became so alarmed at the | but will excite universal feelings of horror and deprogress of Mina, that he sent orders to every part testation against the name of a Spaniard. In the Miss Rosebud's mind and accomplishments, of the empire to concentrate the royal forces; but, Mexican empire particularly, the public spirit is though, to be sure, she does read such trash as this could not be effected in less than from two decidedly hostile to Spain; and, although four-fifths as novels, and will dabble in poetry: and she to three months, it is now well accertained that, if of the present royal army in that country are comsuch member shall forfeit to the use of the other | Mina had pursued his route directly to the city of | posed of Creole troops, yet at heart they are insurmembers, the amount paid by him to the Treasurer, Mexico, instead of remaining at Guannato, he could gents, and as such will display themselves on the for ten years, and her practice has been wonvery first favorable occasion which may occur. | derful. She has a charming complexion, obof this association, in apprehending any runaway slave, the property of such delinquent member, if a ror arose from Mina's not having correct informamajority of the members at their next meeting tion of the real state of the royal forces. He con-

From the New York National Advocate. DOMESTIC ECONOMY. Although I am an old bachelor myself, it does not follow that I should like old maids; for, aithough I can give fifty reasons why I am not married, none of which will probably be satisfactory, yet I could find no excuse to circumstance, and, by a celerity of movement en- justify female celibacy, except the very cotirely new on their part, and entirely unexpected gent one of not being able to get a husband. mentary to married people) that old bachelors and old maids are very useless pieces of furniture after all, and seem very little qualified to be happy themselves, or promote the ed. Of Mina's party only five were taken alive; the happiness of others I have tried them, man and boy, for fifty years past, and find pieces. Mina received several wounds, and, while them the same queer, querulous, discontented creatures. The other evening I got a kind of family invite to take tea; a hasty prome nading kind of "spend the evening with us." from an old friend; tea and muffins-apples Persons desirous of becoming members of the In a few hours this disaster was known in Mina's and nuts, a song and a tune on the piano. I camp. The confusion and regret that ensued it like them all-they are what Kit Cosey calls "comfortable " I had my hat, coat and bue kles brushed secundum artem, and entered my friend's door just as the sun had dipped his ever burning beams in the deep bosom of the western wave. I hate tea at a late hour, and as I dine at two, I have no fashionable old maids shoul be particularly amiablepredilections for tea at eight. I was received never indulging in splenetic remarks. "amby the host with the utmost politeness; in lemnity to this proposal, one of the 40 Spanish offi- one of the parlors I was met by three rosy cers was allowed to be the bearer, as well as a me- cheeked romping girls; I smiled on one, a forlorn state of celibacy, which is supposed complimented the other, and said something to produce ill-nature, malice and scandal. most earnestly that the conditions would not be re- very gallant to the third, for they were all old friends, and I felt myself 20 years younger in their presence. I even thought that I could have danced a little; I was like ice in April, thawing gradually by their smiles. They introduced me into the drawing room, where I was quickly congested by the sight of four old maids "in buckram," or rather dressed as stiff and ponderous as was the

can Gazettes: on the contrary, the government called in to keep them in countenance. Pato mine. At length tea, that delightful harbinger of social converse, was introduced: the old maids sipped a little and talked a lite.

tle: I listened, expecting some scandal, but I found the order of the day changed-they talked no scandal, but introduced an entire new system of picking characters to pieces she is very rich, and some say amiable-but compensate for the errors of their education, of marriage, reminds me of one now under consideration in the beau monde-Mr. Har-

grove to Miss Myrtilla Rosebud - What do you think of that Mr. Howard-are you not astonished? By no means madam, said I, with great gravity. Why should I be astonished at the marriage of a couple so extremely suitable by age, temper and fortune. I should indeed be astonished and distressed beyond measure, if such unions were prevented by any unforeseen event. Trust me, ties of love and religion, studying to make a family of healthy innocent children in the paths of virtue, and thus exhibiting an interesting spectacle to the world, worthy of imitation and beyond all praise. Why, la! Mr. Howard, says Miss Bridget, I never believed that you were an advocate for matrimony:

pray, why have you not taken unto thyself a wife? Do not remind me of my misfortune. madam, said I: it never was my happiness to engage the affections of any lady of suitable qualifications. Well, said she, some men if ever she had a fair legitimate proposal in her life. Well, said Miss Caroline Matilda. the youngest of the Quartello, who might be about forty, I have an exalted opinion of

little suspicious; but ladies, said I-in the graces of the person you lose sight of her virtues, her charity, her amiable temper. How often have I met her on a cold frosty morning, when the drizzling sleet had numb'd her features, making her way to the abode of misery and wretchedness-affording succour and consolation to the poor and helpless-protecting the widow and cherishing the orphan-and such deeds of charity and of usefulness as promote happiness here and immortality hereafter, and sheds over a lovely countenance, a ray yet more lovely and beneficent. O, yes. I admit, said Miss Bridget, she is very charitable-she belongs to the Soup Society and the Orphan Asylum -she is very active; but, bless you, she never gives a copper out of her own pocket. I rose from my seat, and found that I could

make nothing of these old maids-so I entreated the young ladies to play "Love's Young Dream," for their amusement. Some will say, that it is not charitable to ridicule old maids, when, in all probability, their situation is the result of fate or fortune -but it leads to two apt conclusions, or rather suggestions, which are, to marry when a suitable occasion presents, without waiting for better prospects: and if it should so happen, that your condition in life remains unchanged, bear it with patience And further biguous givings out" or irresistable feelings, because, in all such cases, it is attributed to

HOWARD.

WILD HORSES OF THE WEST. The horse of the Columbia river will rank with the finest of his species in the known

world. His size is fifteen or sixteen hands. even in a state of nature, unprovided with food or shelter by the hands of man. His form exhibits much bone and muscle, but not the mass of flesh which is found on the that the traitor Mina must be immediately shot;" which ing point; -old maids coming in contact fat European horse. His limbs are clean each other. I found that a dish of tea was hoofs round and hard; and the nostrils wide

gang to make fresh slaughter. Another pear to be judicious, intelligent men. bis river since the time of their discovery; | undertake it .- | Pat. some of whom are now in this town.

The capacity of this herse to sustain fatigue, and to provide food for himself, is equally astonishing. He is galloped all day, sometimes eighty or ninety miles in the space of ten or twelve hours, and is then left to shift for himself during the night. In the very of a singular and highly important chaspring, summer and autumn, he finds no dif- racter, announced in the latter part of Auficulty. The short and sweet grass of that gust, at Paris, by a Professor Moinike. (a country gives him an abundant and nutri- German probably.) viz: an artificial gas, tious repast. In the winter, and towards | confined in glass, assuming, by the electric the mountains, where the snow is several | shock, a permanent, steady light, without feet deep, his unerring instinct tells him heat or combustion! where to search: he scrapes away the snow kindness to fall for him with a hatchet.

THE SLAVE TRADE. Extracts of a letter from a gentleman in the

Cape de Verd Islands to his friend in Boston, dated St. Nocholas, July 31, 1819 "Since my arrival among the Islands I

have been considerably engaged in business; but the rainy seasons being about to commence, I accepted an invitation from his excellency the Governor General of these Islands, to accompany him and family to this place, to pass a part of the season. These Islands lying within the tropics,

where there is no rain for nine months in the year, it cannot be anticipated that they produce much; but I can assure you they are mostly quite productive. Nature seems to have provided for all, for in those Islands that are not productive in corn, vegetables, and other stock, are shipped in considerable | put it into a bottle, and stopped it tight, and seventy five to one hundred miles northwest | Two mails from London to Gibraltar had quantities to the West Indies. Most out- | had the satisfaction to see it transformed in- of Sagana Bay. ward bound vessels to the Brazils, round to a chrysalis in the course of three days, in | The treaty has been concluded upon terms | are stated to be in force in the southern pro-Cape Horn or Cape of Good Hope, touch | which state it continued about five weeks, equally advantageous to the United States | vinces of Spain. These circumstances had here for supplies, and the English ships of and then was hatched into a horse bee or and to the Indians, and in a manner so sa. | occasioned much commercial inconvenience. war on this station, are at the islands fre- nitter. I then carried the bottle to my horse tisfactory to the latter, that we learn their

trade, is now carried on to a degree never the horse. The fly had not been with any upon this side of the Sagana river, and to in- 201 if war is declared between Spain and before equalled Scarce a week passes but other of her kind, and in what manner the form him that they felt perfectly satisfied the United States within two months. that vessels from Havana, bound to the coast | nits had been fecundated was a mystery to with the arrangement which had been made, for slaves, touch here for supplies Even me; but I soon found that the nits were im- and very thankful for the attention shewn in these islands they have been imported, | pregnated after they were deposited on the to them. though contrary to law; and I have seen hair of the horse The male fly does not Considerable reservations have been made these miserable, dejected human creatures, make its appearance until the latter part of for them, and the means provided for assistby hundreds naked and starving, with tears August, and has every appearance of the ing them in agriculture; and there is reason falling from their eyes, confined in yards sur- female fly, except it is somewhat smaller, to hope, from the disposition they now manirounded with high walls, where they were | and has not the tail or sting of the female. | fest, that they will become a stationary, inexposed for sale. The sight was indeed hor- You will frequently see two male flies in dustrious and farming people.

rible and affecting! Reflect for a moment; September or October, contending for the This cession, containing more than six suppose we were torn from our parents, schance of impregnating the nits, and they millions of acres, is very important to this room of the Crown and Anchor inn had been friends and country, forced in irons into a frequently engage and fight with the great. Territory. The gentlemen who attended crowded hold of a vessel, transported to an est obstinacy, in order to obtain their favour- the treaty from this place, concur in opinion | been arranged

will pursue a drove of buffaloes, and coming | The British, in conjunction with the Spathern through a magnifying glass, they ex- in the most beautiful marner. up with them, will stop one by biting him | nish and Portuguese governments, have ie- actly resemble the bot. It is an easy matwith his teeth. The animal bitten imme- | cently organized a Court at Sierra Leone, ter to scrape the nits off from a horse about | tract, and a great increase of population and diately wheels to defend himself with his | consisting of two commissioners from each once a week in the months of September and | wealth to the Territory - Gaze te. horn; the horse wheels at the same instant | nation, for the trial of captured slive vessels. October; and a horse that is so served will to avoid it; and at this moment when the The commissioners, the Hon Thomas and never be troubled with the bots I have triside of the buffaloe is presented, the Indian Edward Gregory, on the part of the English, ed a great number of med cines in order to lets fly an arrow which often passes entirely | and Don Joze Kemp and Senor La Farre, dislodge the bots from the bowels of the through his body. The wounded animal al- on the part of the Spanish government, were horse, and find it a very hard thing to acways turns out of the drove to lay down and here on the 26th of May last, where they complish; but have found that a table spoondie; the horse and his rider pursues the passed a few days, on their way out, and ap. ful of the powder of the blue flag root, in a about three weeks since, a plot was disco-

with other Indians, take the trail of the of war Morgiana, Capt. T. B. Strong, Plea- The horse is a very useful animal, and eve- Bello; the object of which was to obtain find wounded buffaloe, which is butchered and sant, Capt. Kelly, and Myrmidon, Capt. ry discovery that has a tendency to prolong session of a battery and powder magazine. carried into camp .- These things seem in- | Leake, to intercept slave vessels. The Tar- | his life is of public utility. cred ble; but we have them upon the authori- tar Sir George Collier, and Cherub, have ty of Lewis and Clark, and a great number | been ordered home. - The slave trade will | of traders who have been upon the Colum- | never be finally ended until the United States

LIGHT WITHOUT HEAT OR COMBUSTION.

EXTRACT OF A LETTER.

"I have lately seen an account of a disco-

Here is a grand desideratum, indeed-a with his hoof till he comes to the ground, candle which can be thrust into carded cotand rooting there with his nose finds where- ton innoxious, or into a cistern of water unwith of moss and grass to sustain his life. extinguished; which can be placed under On the horders of creeks and rivers he feeds one's pillow while we sleep, and taken out at on the boughs of willows, and other soft pleasure. Our houses may be built with it wood which his master has sometimes the in such a manner as to avoid the necessity

of those cold holes of winter-windows. This fine animal is found on the banks of The whale may keep his blubber, and the the Columbia, in latitude 46, in the great | shark his liver; the coasts of the ocean may plain which lies on the borders of this river | be lined with those newly discovered (Phabetween the upper and lower range of moun- roi) light bearers; they may be sunk on tains His origin is traced to Mexico; thence reefs, and shine up information through to Spain; thence to the north of Africa, the deep; and, by anchoring them in lines where the Arabian barb is found in all the through oceans, we may mark the ship perfection of his species. His fine form, his , road, and have guide posts which tell the generous spirit, and his noble qualities are best path, for each month in the year, across preserved upon the Columbia river; and the parallels of this ball Extravagant as certainly it is worthy the experiment to en- this may seem, I assure you that I have ofdeavor to transplant him into our parts of ten entertained the idea that an insulated the United States Many citizens have at | mass of electron, (according to Augustus B. tempted to do so, but have always been rob- Woodward,) or some phosphorus, might bed by the Indians of the Rocky mountains. be produced in a permanently useful form. - Lewis and Clark procured seventy-three, We now bottle up lightning-we cork up the said by Governor Clark to be the most enemy of the small post, and let him out at beautiful collection of horses that he has | pleasure; we see our way by peeping at the ever seen together before or since; but the | skies, or into a box, (mariner's compass,) whole number was stolen from them by In- where we keep a little modicum of polar es- The ability, zeal and magnanimity with dians who followed their trail and never sence to steer by, &c. You recollect that, in which the prosecution was conducted, receased their operations until they had carried | 17 9, a hearty laugh was raised against the off the lest,-It is to be hoped that the mili- democrats, by comparing them to the phitary establishments forming on the upper losopher of Lugguagg. extracting sunbeams

Missouri will facilitate the attempts which from cucumbers. Dean Swift would have Lor, to whom application was made to conwill no doubt be renewed to introduce this | put into his philosophical whim whams the duct the defence, refused, upon the ground fine breed into the settled parts of our con- | bottling of lightning together with the ex-

this new plan!" The ingenious writer of this letter, (adds the correspondent who communicated it,) might have added, that this invention will and his fellow travellers, among the concentric spheres in the interior of our planet.

FROM THE CATSKILL RECORDER.

The following observations respecting bots in norses, were communicated and read before the Agricultural Society for the county of Greene, in December 1817, and lately forwarded to us by their author for publication:

OBSERVATIONS ON BOTS. and set the fly at liberty, and she immedi- chief speaker, Nushemenonquet, was des-That horrid and inhuman trafic, the slave ately began to deposit her nits on the legs of patched by the nation to wait for Gov. Cass Royal Exchange, to receive 1001. on paying

that we have heard of the English hunting feelings? Thus dejected, we should rue the the bot is fit to enter the bowels of the horse, try. They represent the soil to be of the that we have heard of the bugins hunting feelings. In other respects, in the docility of day that gave us birth, and soon dwindle at which time they make a small hole in the first quality, heavily timbered with immense his nature, in his capacity to sustain hunger away our miserable existence. It will be end of the nit; but they frequently remain in forests of sugar tree and black walnut time and hardship, in his powers to provide food said by slave dealers, that the Africans have the nit for weeks or even months after they ber, and a large part of it equal in every for himself and his master, he is wholly unrivalled .- He is readily trained to the busi- for slaves. Let me assure you the fact is the horse, covered with warm saliva, come toms in the state of Ohio. ness of his master's life, that of hunting, and reverse, and he who makes such an assertion in contact with the nit, the bot immediately The Sagana is stated to be a fine large ripursues the game with all the keenness of the is not a Christian. Give them an education, leaves the nit and adheres to the tongue, and ver, navigable many miles from the Sagana dog, and with equal sagacity and more suc and you will find they possess exquisite is swallowed with the food of the horse - Bay for vesse's of burthen, and far into the cess He will run down the deer in the ideas. Many whom I have seen, who have a You may wet the palm of your hand with interior of the country for loaded hoats - Page 18. prairies with, or without, his master on his little knowledge of the world, and engaged in warm spittle, and apply it to the nits on considerable streams unite at a place collect back, and when overtaken will hold it with commercial speculations on the Gambia, your horse for a few seconds at a time, & you has lower, presenting his teeth. When rode after game he needs have acquired considerable property. They can see with the naked eye a number of an almost unexampled instance of a beauty fresh state, given to a horse, will frequently vered to have been formed by the British horse trained to a second part of the game, | England has now on this station the ships expel a great number of bots from his bowels.

> A. HAMLIN. DURHAM, 1819.

To the Editor of the Norfolk Herald. KEMPSVILLE, OCT. 5. 1819.

The examination of Harrison, Williamson and Thropp, on a charge of murder, in taking the life of Mary Whitehurst, (an account of which you lately published in the Herald) came on vesterday before the county court of Princess Anne; the first was acquitted, the two last named were remanded, and having on board ten thousand dollars. It will take their trial before the Superior was further stated that his lordship had ac-Court at its next term.

Chapel, a remote corner of the county, where among the most infamous and atrocious beings in existence. The vengeful and bloodthirsty characters of some of these wretches. and the frequency of their crimes, has kept the minds of the weaker, though well disposed citizens, in a perpetual state of alarm, and influenced by their fears, they are oftentimes deterred from taking any part what. dation. ever in apprehending the villains and bringing them to justice-believing that in the event of acquittal they themselves would be liable to assassination. Under such circumstances it may well be supposed that much testimony which might have been brought forward against the malefactors was suppresin by those witnesses who ventured to appear, gave to the transaction the most horri- | place in the custody of the law, and it is to be hoped | Louis.

that they will receive ample justice. dounded much to the credit of the Commonwealth's Attorney.

tracting of sun beams from cucumbers, had belonged had of late been the theatre of so he thought of it, or known that it was ever many crimes, that he could not consciendreamed of. May Congress soon be supplied, tiously interpose his influence to prevent an every man of them, with a pocket light upon example which was due to justice, and necessary to the peace of a respectable portion of the community. By this refusal, he has given a more decided proof of his abhorence of vice, and his philanthropy for his fellow be of excellent service to Captain Symmes creatures, than vain professions, which when brought in collision with interest, count for CIVIS.

DETROIT, oct. 1.

Chippewa Indians has been concluded by from cash payments. The proposals was in Gov. Cass, for the cession to the United the first instance that nine, and subsequent-States of a considerable portion of this Teiri- ly ten millions should be conveyed from Hatory, including all the country upon the Sa. vanna or Vera Cruz, in British ships of war. As early as the summer of the year 1801, gana river and its branches. The boundary Hitherto nothing has been definitely deterfruit, wine, &c. great quantities of salt is I began a course of observations and experi- of the tract now purchased commences at mined; but it seems, from the progress made by the heat of the sun, which is at ment on the bots, a worm that infests the the present Indian boundary line west of which has been made in the negociation, Mayo, Bonavista, and Sal. Orchella is an | bowels of the Horse, and often proves fatal this place, and runs from that point due west | that Spain is herself, at the present moment, article of value in Europe, and large quanti- to that useful animal. I took a large Bot sixty miles, thence in a direct line to the so much in want of gold and silver, that ties are shipped from these Islands to Lis immediately after it was discharged from my head of Thunder Bay river and down the none can be spared by her for the use of this bon and London. Horned cattle, mules, horse, and enclosed it in dry horse dung, and same to the mouth, which is probably from | country, until next year, at the earliest."

no guiding of the bridle to, direct him He seem perfectly to understand themselves. small insects on your hand; but if you view ful and highly fertile country being watered

We anticipate a speedy migration to this

FROM SOUTH AMERICA.

KINGSTON, Jam. Aug 25. Private letters from Panama state, that prisoners made at the recapture of Porto near the city, and then to bombard the place. In the mean time a part of them were to take possession of the Spanish brig Venturosa, lying in the harbor of Panama, and it was intended that the whole of them should proceed in her and join Lord Cochrane in the South Sea. Two of the ringleaders were shot by order of Gen. Hero, who shortly afterwards issued an order for all foreigners to depart from Panama, within ten days

It was reported at Panama, that Lord Cochrane has taken Petit Callao, in the harbor of which port a vessel was at anchor, tually passed Guayquil, on his way to Chili.

It will be recollected that this murder was Advices from Lima to the 8th June have committed in the neighborhood of Pungo reached this city. By them we learn that Lord Cochrane had captured the American a small part of the population are perhaps schooner Montezuma, belonging to Baltimore, on her way into the roadsted of Callao: she had on board a cargo valued at 30,000 dollars, His Lordship had also taken from a port in Pera 70,000 dollars.

The report of a rich prize, with two millions, said to have been captured by Lord Cochrane, is ascertained to be without foun-

The government of Lima had despatched a fast sailing schooner to craize off Valdivia, to apprize any Spanish squadron of the movements of Lord Cochrane, and she had passed in safety his fleet. Subsequently to this, his Lordship had raised the blockade of Callao. His reception at Valparaiso, it was sed through the influence of fear. Neverthe supposed, would not be very flattering, as, less the detail of evidence which was given previous to his leaving Callao, he declared he would destroy the marine force at that

ble and malignant features. I abstain from | Six field officers and thirty seven of infegoing further into detail at present, not wish. | rior rank, who had been made prisoners by ng to give a premature excitement to the the Insurgent Chief St. Martin, were put public indignation -The prisoners are now to death by his orders, in the village of St.

> LATEST FROM LONDON. By the schooner Cherub arrived at Boston.

LONDON, SEPT. 9. It is stated in a letter from Madrid of August 20, that Ferdinand had finally refused to ratify the Treaty by which the Floridas were to be ceded to the United States We

suppose therefore, that the humane General Jackson, will soon have to take another The Grand Jury of the county of Lancas. ter, have rejected all the bills of ind ctment

offered them by Mr. Hunt and his colleagues, charging the magistrates and volunteers of Manchester, with murder and the capital offence of cutting and stabbing, in the unfortunate affair of the 16th ult. "Negociations," says one of the letters re-

ceived in the city, "are still carried on be-IMPORTANT TREATY WITH THE INDIANS. tween the British government and that of Spain, for the supply of a quantity of specie, probably in contemplation of the expiration We understand that the Treaty with the of the act restricting the Bank of England

fallen into the hands of the Guerillas, who

LONDON, SEPT. 9. A report of the death of the emperor A-

lexander is proyed to be wholly unfounded. The death of the Russian Minister of the interior, which lately occurred probably gave rise to the rumor. The sailing of the Cadiz expedition is de-

finitively fixed for the 15th inst. The reformers in London have resolved o give Mr. HUNT a triumphal entry into that city, and a public dinner. The great engaged for the dinner, and the toasts had

unknown kingdom or country, there doomed to perpetual slavery, what must be our about eight days after impregnation, before land and the natural advantages of the country there doomthat the Princess of Wales.—It is now believed land and the natural advantages of the country there doomthat the Princess of Wales, is not about to

day, and will speedily be shipped for Italy.

Inun. (Spain.) Aug 19. The expedition at Cadiz is to sail the end of September It is to consist of 22,000 men. There still prevails much agitation in the kingdom of Valencia; the roads in Estremadura are not safe. The Portuguese, under the pretext of securing their frontier against the depredations of the Guerillas, have formcla cordon from Almeida to Elvas.

LONDON, Oct. 10. Seven strong Resolutions were passed by the Common Council of London, assembled vesterday, relative to the late affair at Manchester: The first declares "the right of ishmen to assemble and discuss their grievances." Majority 74 to 45.

MILLEDGVILLE. (GEO) Oct. 5.

HORRID MURDER. On Thursday night last, Captain John Troutman was cooly, deliberately and cruelly murdered. The circumstances under which it was perpetrated manifested a degree of daring almost unprecedented in the annals of crime, and the manner evidenced a total extinguishment of every sentiment and feeling of humanity in the bosom of the assassin. He was shot whilst asleep in his own house! The perpetrator of this inhuman murder is

GEN. JACKSON .- Our correspondent at Nashville. (Tenn.) informs us that General Jackson has been, for some time, dangerously ill - Doubts are entertained of his recovery. We also learn through the same channel, that a work, vindicating the measures of the general government relative to the Seminole war, will shortly be issued from the press in that place.

PRODUCTION OF THE PROPERTY OF STREET, THE REPOSITORY.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 27.

All the notes of the Bank of the United States and its branches of the denomination offive dollars are now received and redeemed with specie, not only at the mother bank, but at each of the offices of discount and deposit, without regard to the places where, on the face of the notes, they are promised to be paid - Franklin Gaz.

Earthquakes .- The shock of an earthquake was sensibly felt at St. Louis, Cape. Girardeau, New Madrid, and throughout a large extent of country along the Mississippi, on the morning of the 2d ult between 2 & o'clock. Another shock was felt at Cape Girardeau on Thursday evening 16th ult. between 10 and 11 o'clock.

In the year 1811 12 we had repeated shocks, is yet much to be said on the subject: the inof which the seat of the principal violence was the county of New Madrid.

Then, as now, "the portentous comet" pre- ing taken, and the confidence of the people ceded these terrible concussions of the earth; will give energy to those measures. and hardly had this commotion of nature ceased, when the war with the British and Indians broke out Old people say that the same things happened before the war of the revolution-tefore Braddock's defeat-and before many other calamities which have letters are received of the same purport as afflicted the human race - A comet, an earth- the following, which is addressed to a very quake, a war, seem, therefore, to follow each respectable house in that city. other in a sort of natural order, and if hostilities with Spain should grow out of our present difficulties with that country, thousands will be ready to attest that this calamity was presaged by the phenomena which we have just witnessed. ___ St, Louis Enq.

DIRECT FROM CADIZ. The ship Fanny, Williams, in a short pas- pear, it becomes less so when coolly considersage from Cadiz, bound to New York put ed, with all the concurrent circumstances of into New Haven on Sunday .- Capt. W. wife the times. This country cannot permit Spain | sugar and a little laudanum in it, drank plen has dispatches for government, from our to ratify the Trenty of cession of the Flori- tifully. Out of one hundred and forty sick, Minister at Madrid, proceeded by land to | das to the United States; this must involve | only one died." New York. The only information we have | Spain in a war with the Union; she cannot been able to gather from this arrival is, that | defend her still remaining transatlantic pos-Mr. Forsyth will remain at Madrid till fur- | sessions against America; therefore Eng. ther instructions shall have been received | land must do it for her. Moreover it is arfrom the President; that the Spanish King | gued, and plausibly so I think, by many did not in fact refuse to ratify the treaty for among us, that not only England, but many the banks, the people, nay even the state itceding the Floridas; but suffered the time | continental powers are bent upon supporting | self is insolvent—exchange at present is | limited for that purpose to etapse, with an | Spain if necessary against America; besides | from 25 to 30 per cent—produce of all deunderstanding, or an expectation, that the | which they deem it politic to check in time | scription is remarkably low; wheat in Ken-United States would consequently avail her- the rapidly growing Colossus of Northern | tucky at 25 cents per bushel, whisky 25 to self of the Floridas by immediate occupation | America, shewing plainly an unlimited am 33 1 3 cents, and all other articles in pro- | ber's land, near Lectown, Jefferson county, that Ferdinand was induced to this passive | bition after extension of territory, such as | portion, measure in consequence of the interference | if crowned with success, may prove dangerof the British government, which had put in ous to other European powers besides Engits claim for the cession of the Island of Cu | land - Another reason in support of the proba, or for some other equivalent," as an off set to the present proposed cession to the U. States.

N. Haven Herald.

THE FLORIDAS

On Saturday last orders were received in the occasion, and that thus a disunion in the Philadelphia from Washington, to transport forthwith from the U. S stores here to Sa- | If our Cabinet have these views, and the vannah, 20,000 stand of arms and ordnance, conviction most natural, that the aggrandizammunition and equipments for a still grea- | ing disposition of the United States governter number of men.

ment cannot for any length of time avert a Orders have been received at Baltimore breach with them, unless Great Britain for a strong company of U. S. soldiers now wishes to see, besides the Ftoridas, also Cuin that city, to proceed to Amelia Island, ba, Mexico, and other Spanish colonies unwhere we believe there is a heavy train of der the dominion of the United States, and b tering cannon and plenty of ammunition. all the British possessions in the West In-All these preparatory measures have one dies worth having, in jeopardy, at the very tendency. We trust the justice and policy opening of any future war with her jealous. of the measure will be duly examined before and threatening rival, then an early rupture it be finally adopted [No doubt it will be] with the United States assumes indeed much

We also learn that the squadron which | probability. was under sailing orders under commodore

revisit England, and the reason is, that her Morris, have received counter orders and ven at Loyd's, London, to receive 1007 if highness has sent orders to various trades- are not to sail for the present. Much con- press warrants were issued in ten or twelve men for goods, to be forwarded to Italy; and jecture is affoat relative to the objects con days or in a fortnight, 20 guineas to return a particular y for a full set of state harness, for templated by the British government to be 100%, if war between Spain and America ten horses, which was completed last Satur- effected by the squadron under Sir Thomas was declared in six weeks or two months, Hardy, which is expected on the South A. &c. I give you the report. It prevails here day the 30th inst. at 3 o'clock, P M. All merican coasts .- Demo Press.

> ******* SPAIN.

From the preparations which are now,

and, in fact, for some time past, have been

making, it is evident measures of a decided

frontiers, or by fears that England may oc-

cupy that territory, it is to be preferred to

an open declaration of war-for it is conclu-

sive, in our mind, that Spain would ratify

the treaty but cannot do so without comply-

ing with the demands of the British, and

to be without the Fioridas than to permit

the British to have Cuba-to have an island

so near to us. Spain may rat er secretly

desire us to take the Floridas and hold them

than by consenting to the measure, open the

can only pay borrowed money: all her pos-

formation possessed by government will, no

LATEST FROM LIVERPOOL.

"My principal reason for addressing you

by this opportunity, is the report prevailing

here this day, of some war on the part of

this country being in contemplation, and

most probably with the United States, which

I trust for your sake will prove quite false.

bability of the said event rumored, is the

present situation of public and private credit !

in the United States, which is said to be at

its lowest ebb, and the conclusion is that the

government could not therefore make any

effort commensurate with the exigencies of

Two days ago 10 and 12 guineas were gi-

Union might be created

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 11.

door to new claims from the allied sove-

ceding Cuba to them; and it is better for us

character will be adopted towards Spain. sions It is ascertained that all the packets Whether these will eventuate in an open at Falmouth preparing for service have rupture, or merely in taking possession of been suddenly ordered to sea; this argues at the territory in question, remains yet to be least that something of moment is on the taseen. If we should hazard an opinion on pis with government," the subject, it would be that orders will be given to occupy the Floridas, leaving it to the interest, the policy, or the pride, of the We are informed the Military Expedition Spanish government, to resent the measure on the Missouri, under Col. Atkinson, will by an open declaration of war .- In that meet the views of the government and be escase, although the declaration of war shall tablished for the winter at Council Bluffs, by have been made by Spain, it originates in the 26th of this month. After leaving a dethis country-for the taking forcible possession of a neighboring territory, while in a state of peace, is, to all intents and purposes, a declaration of war. It is true we have presissippi on the 8th, and arrived at the mouth cedents in abundance, and by that govern- of St. Peters, near the Falls of St. Anthony ment who, probably, will be the most noisy on the 24th of August, with the remainder on the occasion-Great Britain-and we of his Regiment, where he had established may particularly cite the instance of her serzing on the Spainish ships with specie, ments and executed his orders with a prompthis head quarters; having made all his movebefore the declaration of war was made; an ness and efficiency answering the highest exact which excited the indignation of the civilized world. It is, however, ardently to military character .- Nat. Int. be noped, and, in fact, confidently to be expected, that the government of the United Sta es will adopt no measure which cannot From the New York Daily Advertiser. be justified to the world; and, above all, will A letter from New Orleans, dated the avoid those examples which odious and ty-18th September, which has been handed us ranical governments have exhibited, in violating the law of nations. We have abundant cause for war with Spain-we have son of the sickness which prevails there. | ber living in Charlestown suffered from her violence and injustice for Among other things it says-"The fever, 16 years: but she has a miserable, inefficient within a few days, has abated more for the and degraded government, under the control want of subjects than from any other cause of other powers, who will, in mask, give en most that were able having fled. All stranergy and facility to her resources. The gers have rendered their accounts; and are question, then, for consideration, is. the poliburied, not under the clods of the valley, but, cy of a declaration of war against Spain, or shocking fact! under a promiseuous mass of the occupancy of Florida without it If the half decayed bodies, winding sheets, &c. latter measure can be justified to the world, So numerous have been the interments, that either by our claims, by the safety of our in preparing a new grave, they come in con,

lying in every direction, to say nothing of reigns. She is like an in-olvent debtor that It has been very sickly at Natchez, St Francisville, and all along the river .- They sessions will not liquidate her debts There have adopted the most efficient measures to arrest its progress by vacating the towns, and providing the lower classes with houses." doubt, justify the steps which are about be-The letter states the interments in two weeks to have been, in one 110, and the

tact with bodies in the most dreadful state

The Mayor has been advised of the state of

the burying ground, and requested to order

it strewed with lime, of which there is abun-

dance. Whether or not he will deem it ex-

pedient to comply with this request, is not

yet ascertained The inhabitants are panic

struck at the great mortality, more especial-

ly as the disease has attacked the Creoles.

This city, without any exception, is the fil-

thiest in the world; dead cats, rats and dogs

with the reasoning suggested on the occasion,

sider my communication in its proper light;

my wish is to be useful to you on all deca-

other 137.—This in a population of perhaps 25, or 30,000, is horrible.

The whole of Texas, with the exception of two posts, (St. Antonio and Labahia) is un By the Euphrates at New York, several der the authority of the Patriots Our hunters and traders pass to, and even beyond, the Rio Grande, unmolested .- Texas Rep.

The Surgeon of the French frigate Arethusa, while lying at New York a few days since, transmitted for publication the follow-

ing remarkable cure: During our stay at Annapolis, a great many of the crew of the French frigate Are-Improbable as such an event may at first ap- thusa, were attacked with the cholera morbus, which was quekly put a stop to by the use of rice-water, very strong, with much

Extract of a letter-NEWPORT, (KY.) AUG. 28. "The times here are distressing indeed:

HEALTH OFFICE,

BALTIMORE, Oct. 21, 1819. The Board of Health feel great pleasure in being enabled to state to their fellow citizens, that no case of fever has been reported for the last three days. From the favorable change in the weather, and the opinion of a number of respectable physicians who have daily attended the sick in the affected district the Board are justified in concluding, that with proper precaution in ventilating and purifying their ses, the citizens may return to their respective homes, with every reasonable assurance of safety. P. REIGART, Sec'y,

Humphreys, Keyes & Hooff, HAVE FOR SALE, Sugars-Teas-Coffee - Molasses, Jamaics Spirits-Cogniac Brandy, OLD RYE WHISKEY,

Indigo-Madder-Fustic, Logwood-Alum, Ellicott's wrought and cut NAILS, Cotton Yarn of the first quality, Wool Cards.

Charlestown Sunday School.

An examination of the Pupils of the Charlestown Sunday School will take place at the Presbyterian meeting house on Saturpersons who liave a desire to attend are and which certainly makes the dieadful respectfully invited. The Managers, Teaevent much less improbable than it appears | chers and Pupils are requested to meet at the at first-You will of course draw your own | Academy, at half past 2 o'clock, to move in conclusions from all I have stated, and con | procession to the meeting house.

An address will be delivered by the Rev. J. Matthews Agreeably to an article in the constitution, it is incumbent on the managers to attend on that day, tor the election of officers and the transaction of such other business as may be necessary

JAMES COWLES, Sec'ry.

PUBLIC SALE. ON Wednesday the 17th of November

next. I will offer for sale, a valuable stock of horses, cattle and sheep; also farming utentachment of the 5th Infantry at Fort Arm- sils, and various other articles, on a credit of strong, and a competent force at Prairie de twelve monthis; bonds being well secured. Chien, Col. Leavenworth went up the Mis. Sale to begin at 10 o'clock.

WM LEE.

House and Lot For Sale.

THE subscriber offers at private sale, that valuable brick house and lot, near the market house, in Charlestown, now occupied as pectations of those best acquainted with his a store by Humphreys and Keyes The house is two stories high, and is well calculated for a tavern or store He will also sell a valuable lot of ground, immediately opposite the above, on which there is a large and convenient stable. If this property is not disposed of before the first day of November by one of our friends, contains a discressing | court next, it will on that day be offe ed at account of the condition of that city by rea | public sale. For terms apply to the subscri-

JOHN ANDERSON.

Boarding.

TEN or twelve genteel young men or boys, will be taken as boarders, on reason-

ESTHER G. BROWN. Charlestown, Oct 27.

PUBLIC SALE. I WILL expose at public sale, on Thurs-

day the 4th of November next, on a liberal credit, Calf Skins, Soul, Upper and Harness Leather-also a lot of land adjoining the town of Smithfield, with a small house thereon-also my household and kitchen furniture, consisting in part, of a Desk, Bureau, Beds. Tables and Carpets-also my Tanning and Currying tools, Table, &c. Terms will be made known on the day of sale

N. B. As I intend leaving this county in a few days, I hope those who have any claims against me will produce them on that day, and those who owe me will pay me up.

J. CLARK.

rive Dollars Reward. RAN away from the subscriber living

near the White House, Jefferson county Va. about the 1st inst a negro man named

GEORGE.

(the property of John Saunders.) He is about 5 feet 10 inches high very black, has a small scar over one of his eyes, and is about 22 years of age - He had on when he absconded a blue cloth coat, linen pantaloons, coarse shoes, and fur hat, and took with him a variety of other clothing It is supposed that he is now, and will be lurking about Harper's Ferry, as he has a wife at that place. The above reward will be given, and all reasonable expenses paid, if brought home. BENJ. DAVENPORT.

SHOE THREAD.

FOR sale a quantity of Shoe Thread, of lifferent sizes, by HUMPHREYS, KEYES & HOOFF.

Estray Horse.

TAKEN up trespassing on the subscri-Va. a flea bitten gray horse. nearly white, with a snip on his nose, the hoof of his right fore foot white, some slight marks from the collar, five feet two inches high, and about fourteen years old. Appraised to 60 dollars, JOHN SHARP.

CONWAY SLOAN,

PETURNS his thanks to the public for the It encouragement he has received, since his commencement in business, and hopes by unremitting attention, to merit a continuance of the same-he would inform them he has just opened a complete supply of

MEDICINES,

of the best quality, and latest importations, he deems it unnecessary to enumerate each article, as it would occupy to much space to appear in a newspaper, he therefore solicits a call from Physicians and others, who can then have an opportunity of examining the quality of each; as they have been purchased at a good time and on good terms, the prices will be reasonable. Charlestown, Oct. 20.

MUSCOVIAN FUNERALS.

In Muscovy, when a man dies, his friends - Why have you died? Is it because your commercial concerns went badly? Or was it because you could not obtain the accomplishment of your desires? Was your wife defective in youth or beauty? Or has she been faithless to your bed? They then rise and quit the house.

When they carry the body to be buried, it is covered, and conveyed on a bier to the brink of the intended grave; the priest reads some prayers, the company kiss the dead,

These ceremonies finished, the priest places between the fingers of the dead man a piece of paper signed by the patriarch confessor, purporting his having been a good Christian. This they suppose serves for a passport to the other world, and from its certifying the goodness of the deceased, St. Peter, when he sees it, will open the gates of

The letter given, the bier is removed, and the corpse placed in the grave, with his face

Information.

THE business transacted under the firm the lot immediately opposite, upon which of Frame & Lock, ceased on the first inst. We return our thanks to our many punc- , above property was conveyed to the subscritual customers, and the public in general, for ber and William Tate, Esq. in trust, by past patronage. All those in arrears are re- | John Anderson, and wife, to secure the payquested to discharge the same as soon as | ment of debts due from said Anderson to possible, as we are anxious to close the busi-

Wm. F. LOCK.

NEW FIRM.

WM. F. LOCK, & CO.

SOLICITS those who were customers to Frame and Lock, and the public generally, to call at their old stopping place and get good bargains. We have on hand, and intend keeping, a general assortment of

Dry Goods, Groceries, Glass, China and Queen's ware, Hardware and Cutlery;

rally called for- all of which will be sold on | fore ordered that he appear here on the 4th Charlestown, Oct. 6.

STOP THE RUNAWAY! ABSCONDED on the 5th Sept from the subscriber, living at the White House, Jefferson county, Virginia,

Negro Hannah,

aged about, 23 years, 5 feet 5 or six inches high, light complexion, very much marked in the face from having had the small pox, very talkative, and fond of smoking the pipe. Had on when she went away, a blue crossbarred Gingham frock and white silk bon-net, and took with her a white dress, &c. A reward of Fifteen Dollars will be given if taken in this state and put in jail, or Thirty Dollars if taken in any other state and put in jail, so that the subscriber gets her again, and all reasonable charges paid if brought JOHN LOCK, senr.

Oct. 13.

THE SUBSCRIBER,

In addition to a general assortment of good Medicines, MAS FOR SALE,

The best Putty for window glass, Copal Varnish, Paints, Liquid blacking, Pomice Stone, Pewter Sand, Rotten Stone, Sand paper, BEES WAX, Tapers for the sick, &c.

All of which she will sell low for cash, and begs those who owe her to come forward and settle with her, as she is in want of money to pay her debts. JANE WOODS.

Blank Books For sale at this Office.

FOR SALE,

THE HOUSE AND LOT

Owned by the subscriber, in Smithfield, situated on the east side of King street, and in an eligible situation for business of any application to me, residing in Charlestown. THOS. H. HALL.

Fulling and Dying.

THE subscriber hereby informs the publie that he has employed a young man as a fuller, who comes well recommended, and commenced the

Fulling and Dying Business, at Mill's Grove, on the 11th inst. where cloth will be fulled, dyed and dressed in the neatest manner, and on the shortest notice. Those who may favor him with their custom, may rest assured that every exertion in and relations immediately assemble, and seat | his power will be made to give them satisfacwhich they ask the following questions, viz: tion. He will constantly keep on hand, a superior quality of DYE STUFFS, and will dye any color that may be required. The current price will be given for soft and hard soap, which will be taken in payment for fulling, or cash.

BENJAMIN BEELER.

NOTICE.

Richard H. L. Washington, dec'd, last Ja. with you is deemed unnecessary-neither nuary, are notified that their bonds for the time nor justice to ourselves will admit of same will become due on the 14th of this the indulgence we have given you. We formonth, and all those that are not punctually give all former disappointments, hoping that discharged at that time, will be put in the you will attend to your own true interest hands of a lawyer for collection.

JOHN A WASHINGTON: BUSHD C. WASHINGTON, Adm'tors of R. H. L. Washington, dec'd.

Trustee's Sale.

WILL be sold, to the highest bidder, for cash, on Saturday the 27th of November next, that valuable house and lot in Charlestown, on the main street, at present occupied as a store by Humphreys and Keyes-also there is a large and convenient stable. The Thomas Hammond, John Grove, and Samuel Wright. The sale will take place upon the premises, and commence about 2 o'clock,

TH. GRIGGS. Jr. Surviving Trustee.

Virginia, Jefferson Co. to wit. August Court, 1819, being the 24th day of the month. James C. Deneale,

James English and William P. Craig-Defendants, N CHANCERY.

THE defendant, James English, not hav-ing entered his appearance and given security agreeably to the act of Assembly and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the together with such other articles as are gene- habitant of this Commonwealth: It is there-Monday in October next, and answer the bill of the complainant; and it is further ordered that the defendant Craighill, do not pay, convey away, or secret any monies by him owing to, or goods or effects in his hands, belonging to the absent defendant English, until the further order of this court, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Farmers' Repository, printed in Charlestown, for two months successively, and posted at the front door of the court house of the said county of Jefferson.

A Copy—Teste, R. G. HITE, Clerk.

Virginia, Jefferson Co. to wit. August Court, 1819, being the

24th day of the month. plaintiff,

Benjamin Bell and William P. Craig-IN CHANCERY.

THE defendant, Benjamin Bell, not have ng entered his appearance, and given security agreeably to the act of Assembly and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that he is not an inhabitant of this Commonwealth: It is therefore ordered that he appear here on the fourth Monday in October next to answer the bill of the complainant; and it is further ordered that, the defendant Craighill do not pay, convey away, or secret, any menies by him owing to, or goods, or effects in his hands, belonging to the absent defendant Bell, until the further order of this court, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Farmers' Repository, printed in Charlestown, for two months successive-ly, and posted at the front door of the

court house of the said county of Jefferson. A Copy—Teste, R. G. HITE, Clerk.

Blank Attachments For sale at this Office.

Six Cents Reward.

RANAWAY from the subscriber, living n Charlestown, an apprentice to the Cabinet business, named

THOMAS BROWN, kind Terms of sale will be made known by about 18 years old The above reward will be given for returning said apprentice, but

no other charges wintever LPHRAIM S. BELLAR. Oct. 20.

CAUTION.

ALL PERSONS are hereby forewarned from passing through my farm, on Bullskin, and throwing down my fences, in future, as I am determined to prosecute all such offenders to the utmost extent of the law ABRAHAM GORRELL.

Good words will pay us no longer.

THE PARTNERSHIP existing heretofore under the firm of Carlile & Davis. having expired on the 8th of September last, by imitation, the partners are anxious to have a final close of their business. In order to effect it as speedily as possible, all who are indebted to the firm, particularly those who have so much neglected our former polite and earnest request, are again and the last time, solicited to call and pay off their ac-ALL persons who purchased at the sale of counts immediately. To wait any longer now. Should you not do so, rest assured that apology will no longer pay us;-therefore we hope that all will evince a willing-

ness to pay before they get sued; which is repugnant to our feelings. We return our sincere thanks to all our punctual customers and the public general ly, for the liberal encouragement we have received, and inform them the business will be conducted in future under the firm of JOHN CARLILE, who will attend to set tling up the business of Carlile & Davis JNO CARLILE.

A NEW FIRM.

THE subscriber having purchased the stock of goods belonging to Carlile & Davis,

A. DAVIS.

A General and Good Assortment of Dry Goods, Hardware, Cutlery, Castings, Queen's Ware, China,

Groceries, Liquors, &c. &c. Solicits the old punctual customers of Carlile and Davis, and the public generally, to give him a call. He is enabled to sell them as cheap goods as can be had in the state of Virginia, for cash or country produce.

JOHN CARLILE. Charlestown, Oct. 6.

FALL AND WNITER GOODS

NOW OPENING IN SHEPHERDSTOWN. THE subscribers hereby inform their customers and the public generally, that they have commenced opening their assortment of

Fall and Winter Goods, selected (within a few days past) from the last arrivals this fall-'They consider it more than useless to particularize each and every article that comprise their present extensive assortment, as it is pretty generally known in this neighborhood, that it embraces almost every article that can be asked to let no work go until paid for or the ac-for. Only come at once and supply your count closed by note, which terms we are for. Only come at once and supply your wants with FRESH GOODS, at new and cheap rates before they are all sold JAS S. LANE & TOWNER.

Shepherdstown, Sept. 22.

Fulling and Carding.

THE subscriber takes this method of informing his friends and the public, that he has engaged Mr. Thos. Crawford, a known workman throughout this and the several adjoining counties, to conduct the above business for a term of years: From the confi dence placed in his abilities as a workman, the subscriber flatters himself, that there will be general satisfaction rendered to all who may please to favor him with their custom. JOHN HELLER.

Bolting Cloths.

August 18.

BEST warranted Bolting Cloths of all sidths and numbers, for sale at the subscribers store in Shepherdstown. J. S. LANE & TOWNER.

> JUST RECEIVED, AND FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE, THE COMPLETE Virginia and Maryland

FARRIER,

Being a copious selection from the best treatises on Farriery now extant in the Uni-

GOODS

TO SUIT THE TIMES. THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE RECEIVED

THEIR SUPPLY OF Fall & Winter Goods.

which are now offered for sale, at the Post Office, near to the Market House, for cash, or to punctual customers, as usual, on a short credit, except sugar and coffee, which are cash articles and must be paid for in ready money - The fact cannot be denied that the times are hard notwithstanding purchasers will have no resson to complain, if we sell them most of the necessary articles for femily consumption for something near half the usual pride in better times. We invite purchasers who want good bargains, to call and supply themselves soon, whilst our assort.

Humphreys, Keyes & Hooff. Charlestown, Oct. 20.

NOTICE.

THE Overseers of the Poor of Jefferson ounty, will meet at Mr. Haines' Tavern, in Charlestown, on Friday the 5th of Novem. ber next; at which time application will be received for the appointment of a keeper of the Poor House, and proposals for supplying the poor, the ensuing year, and also for ouse for the use of the poor. All persons iterested are requested to attend. CHARLES GIBBS. Clk.

CONWAY SLOAN

N addition to a general supply of Medicines, has just received the following sun-

English red lead-white ditto. Spanish brown-black lead, Venetian red-Fresh madder, Cromic yellow, No. 1-red saunders. Prussian blue, No. 1, Scraped gum copal-rough ditto do. Pumice stone-black varnish. Rotten stone-red chalk-white ditto. Black and red ink powder-black ink, Black lead pencils-writing sand, Wafers - sealing wax - topers, Transparent fancy soap, Windsor do do.—rose ditto. Lorillard's Macabau snuff. Pyke's do. do - Ditto Rappee ditto, Scotch snuff in half pound bottles. Cut and dried tobacco.

ALSO, Muscatel Raisins-Almonds-Filberts. Martinique Cordials, Black pepper-white do -long do. Cloves-Nutmegs-Mace-Allspice, Race Ginger-Ground do. Cayenne pepper-English Mustard,

And a supply of FRESH CONFECTION, Spanish cigars-country do.

Coopers Wanted.

CONSTANT EMPLOYMENT and good wages will be given to two good journeymen coopers. Apply to the subscriberat Bell's mill, about three miles from Smith-URIAH BRADSHAW.

NOTICE.

STRAY COW.

STRAYED from the subscriber on the

14th inst. a light brindle milch cow, about 7

or 8 years old. The subscriber will be much

obliged to any person who will give him in-

formation of her, and will pay any reasonable charge. ANDREW WOODS.

Charlestown, Oct. 20.

John Kreps,

INFORMS the public that he has return-

ed to this county, and again offers his ser-

AUCTIONEER.

He assures them that every exertion in his

power will be made to give satisfaction to all

NAILS.

SPIKES, Wrought and Cut Nails, and

J. S. LANE & TOWNER.

who may employ him.

Jefferson county, Oct. 20.

Tacks, of all sizes for sale.

ply with.

Oct. 20.

THE subscribers having experienced much nconvenience from their accounts standing open from one to four years, and even after this indulgence some are disposed to dispute, and by means unbecoming the honest man, strive to evade payment entirely; -therefore to avoid this evil, they have thought proper persuaded every good man will readily com-CHRISTIAN HOLMES, JOEL WARD, Jr.

THE sabscribers having experienced much inconvenience from their accounts standing open from one to four years, and even after | from passing through my farm, on Bullskin this indulgence some are disposed to dispute. | and throwing down my fences, in future, as and by means unbecoming the honest man, strive to evade payment entirely;—therefore to avoid this evil, they have thought proper to let no work go until paid for or the account closed by note, which terms we are persuaded every good man will readily com-

JOEL WARD, Jr.

Humphreys, Keyes & Hooff, HAVE FOR SALE, OLD RYE WHISKEY,

Wool Cards.

Oct. 20.

Shepherdstown, Sept. 8. BLANK DEEDS FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE.

FARMERS' REPOSITORY.

CHARLES TOWN, JEFFERSON COUNTY, VIRGINIA, PRINTED BY RICHARD WILLIAMS.

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WEDNESDAY, NGVEMBER 3, 1819.

INo. 604.

PUBLIC SALE.

Boarding.

House and Lot For Sale.

THE subscriber offers at private sale, that

valuable brick house and lot, near the mar-

CONWAY SLOAN,

MEDICINES

of the best quality, and latest importations,

he deems it unnecessary to enumerate each

article, as it would occupy too much space to

a call from Physicians, and others, who can

quality of each; as they have been purchas-

Cheap Fall and Winter

GOODS.

Now selling off by the subscriber,

New Fall and Winter Goods,

OF THE FIRST QUALITY,

little Money. DAVID HUMPHREYS.

Coopers Wanted.

good wages will be given to two good jour-

neymen coopers. Apply to the subscriber at

Bell's mill, about three miles from Smith-

STRAY COW.

14th inst. a light brindle milch cow, about 7

or 8 years old. The subscriber will be much

obliged to any person who will give him in-

formation of her, and will pay any reason-

CAUTION.

ALL PERSONS are hereby forewarned

I am determined to prosecute all such offen-

PUBLIC SALE.

I WILL expose at public sale, on Thurs-

day the 4th of November next on a liberal

Leather-also a lot of land adjoining the

Beds. Tables and Carpets-also my Tanning

and Currying tools, Table, &c. Terms will

and those who owe me will pay me up.

J. CLARK.

be made known on the day of sale.

ABRAHAM GORRELL.

ders to the utmost extent of the law

able charge. ANDREW WOODS .-

Charlestown, Oct. 20.

STRAYED from the subscriber on the

CONSTANT EMPLOYMENT and

URIAH BRADSHAW.

PURCHASED IN BALTIMORE IN THE NICK

JOHN ANDERSON.

ber living in Charlestown

just opened a complete supply of

prices will be reasonable.

Charlestown, Oct. 20.

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THE price of the FARMERS'- REPOSITORY IS TWO Demarks a year, one dollar to be paid at the commencement, and one at the expiration of the year. Distant subscribers will be required to pay the whole in advance—no paper will be discontinued, except at the option of the Editor, until arrearages ON Wednesday the 17th of November

Advertisements not exceeding a square, will be-inserted three weeks for one dollar, and twenty-five gents for every subsequent insertion. All adver-tisements sent to the office without having the number of times for which they are to be inserted, designated, will be continued until forbid, and charg-

TERMS OF THIS PAPER.

*. All communications to the Editor on business must be post paid.

NOTICE.

THE Overseers of the Poor of Jefferson county, will meet at Mr. Haines' Tavern, in Charlestown, on Friday the 5th of November next; at which time application will be received for the appointment of a keeper of the Poor House, and proposals for supplying the poor, the ensuing year, and also for a house for the use of the poor. All persons interested are requested to attend. CHARLES GIBBS. Clk.

CONWAY SLOAN.

October 20.

IN addition to a general supply of Medi cines, has just received the following sun

English red lead-white ditto, Spanish brown-black lead, Venetian red-Fresh madder, Cromic yellow. No. 1-red saunders, Prussian blue, No. 1, Scraped gum copal-rough ditto do. Pumice stone-black varnish, Rotten stone -red chalk-white ditto. Black and red ink powder-black ink, Black lead pencils-writing sand, Wifers-sealing wax-tapers, Transparent fancy soap, Windsor do do -rose ditto. Lerillard's Macaban snuff. Pike's do. do - Ditto Rappee ditto-Scotch snuff in half pound bottles, Cut and dried tohacco.

ALSO. Muscatel Raisins-Almonds-Filberts. Martinique Cordials, Black pepper-white do -long do. Cloves -Nutmegs-Mace-Allspice, Race Ginger-Ground do. Cayenne pepper-English Mustard, And a supply of

FRESH CONFECTION, Spanish eigars-country do. Oct. 20-

GOODS TO SUIT THE TIMES.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE RECEIVED THEIR SUPPLY OF

Fall & Winter Goods,

which are now offered for sale, at the Post Office, near to the Market House, for cash. or to punctual enstomers, as usual, on a short credit, except sugar and coffee, which are cash articles, and must be paid for in ready money.—The fact cannot be denied that the times are hard, not withstanding purchasers will have no reason to complain, if we sell them most of the necessary articles for family consumption for something near half the usual price in better times We invite pur chasers who want good bargains, to call and supply themselves soon, whilst our assortment is good.

Humphreys, Keyes & Hooff. Charlestown, Oct 20.

NOTICE.

CHRISTIAN HOLMES,

Sugars-Teas-Coffee- Molasses, Jamaica Spirits-Cognise Brandy, Indigo-Madder-Fustic, Logwood-Alum, Ellicott's wrought and cut NAILS, Cotton Yarn of the first quality,

next, I will offer for sale, a valuable stock of frigute, dated the evening before the vessel A letter from an' efficer of the Congress horses, cattle and sheep; also farming utensailed from Rio Janeiro, was handed to me a sils, and various other articles, on, a credit of few days ago, by a gentleman in this city, twelve monthis; bonds being well secured. to whom it was addressed, with permission Sale to begin at 10 o'clock. to make extracts from it for publication. The character of the writer, for intelligence and veracity, ought to have claimed an earlier attention to this interesting letter: But

the delay was in a manner unavoidable.

He gives a circumstantial account of Mr. TEN or twelve genteel young men or Sumpter's dignified refusal to submit to the boys, will be taken as boarders, on reason- humiliating ceremony, which had hitherto been observed by all foreigners without ex-ESTHER G. BROWN. ception, of dismounting and remaining unco-Charlestown, Oct 27. vered while the queen's carriage was passing But as the American public are al-

stance, the account of it is here omitted.

ready informed of the resolute and honor-

able conduct of their minister in this in-

From the Northern (Hadson) Whix, October 12.

RIO JANEIRO.

ket house, in Charlestown, now occupied as Congress frigate, Rio Janeiro,? a store by Humphreys and Keyes The July 14th, 1819. house is two stories high, and is well calcu-"This king, king John of Portugal, imbe lated for a tavern or store. He will also sell a valuable lot of ground, immediately oppo- temptible in his national character, grinds almost the whole time laughing and talking, site the above, on which there is a large and down the faces of his poor subjects, till heart | give this place more the appearance of a convenient stable. If this property is not and frame sink alike into a state of listless | theatre than a sanctuary Guards with disposed of before the first day of November apathy and shameless dereliction of princi- muskets with fixed bayonets are stationed at court next, it will on that day be offered at ple. Compelled to pay first a tythe, then various positions. The royal brood occupublic sale. For terms apply to the subscri- something less than a moiety to the king | pies a recess above the arm of the cross, ele-RETURNS his thanks to the public for the encouragement he has received, since his find some other means than honesty to live. | per to and from vespers. commencement in business, and hopes by unremitting attention, to merit a continuance of the same-he would inform them he has all meretricious and unchaste: the queen her- | Rio Janeiro. self is not exempt from the clearest and most direct imputations. Hated and feared by all, it is not to be wondered that the kneeling | are now in a dungeon at this place, from multitude, (who are compelled to this atti- whence the unholy and bloodthirsty policy appear in a newspaper, he therefore solicits tude whenever her as gust majesty is passing of these people will never suffer them to isthen have an opportunity of examining the this vile debasement. Whenever any sprig jure the cause. The wretches are also base of the royal branch appears in view, no one | enough to keep a number of female captives ed at a good time and on good terms, the remains covered under any circumstance, under strict guard, and deprived of nearly Should they do so, the attendant guards, all the necessaries of life-the mothers, without hesitation compel their observance | wives, children and sisters of patriot soldiers

not unfrequently adds a fresh victim to the | born in a christian country can have no idea recking after of Royalty. Two days since, of the excess of despotic cruelty. You may at the consecration of the bell designed for | read of it, but there is no testimony can afthe King's chapel in the open square-in the fect one so much as the sight of the living king's presence-where the Priests were in- | melancholy instances of dreadful reality. voking heaven, and in the face of an assem- 'The clock has counted twelve, and after bled multitude-was a poor Portuguese ran three hours we commence getting under through the body by the guards, without ex- | weigh. A long and boi citing any commotion, or drawing a single | ocean remains now to be passed, before we evidence of commisseration, but from our shall again find ourselves in a mild climate; Persons wishing to get good bargains, are own officers, who witnessed the unfortunate but as wines, stock and vegetables are here nvited to call, and supply themselves for a | catastrope, and for which they could find no | remarkably cheap, we carry an abundan e one to assign any further cause than as it | to fortify us against its influence; and I will

> some infringement of the royal prerogative " Adieu." "It is the custom of King John to hold three courts every week, at which his happy subjects have the honor to kiss his royal hand. Not long since, being but few arrivals from America, and the supplies failing which are brought from along the coast, and apon which the city is dependent, the inhabitants became alarmed, and, beginning | Rome, he was constrained to beg alms. to dread a famine, the greatest excitement | Having collected a little silver, he one day had commenced amongst them, when the stood deliberating with himself, whe her king adopted the following judicious and he should employ it in the purchase of a loaf. cheap mode of quieting their apprehensions which the keenness of his appetite reminded and relieving their distresses: He issued his him would prove a very agreeable acquisiroyal proclamation, dated at the palace, "that | tion, or, in a pair of snoes, which his ten in consequence of the prevailing scarcity of | toes terribly complained of wanting. In provisions, and the consequent severe suffer | this conflict of irresolution, his face betrayed ings of his loving subjects, he would increase | the anxiety of his mind A tradesman, who the number of his court days (called baise | had for some time observed his embarrassment, to double what they then were; and | ment, asked him the occasion of it. He that instead of three times they should be al- | told him frankly the cause; but he did it in which was as much as any famishing man | solved to finish his perplexity by inviting ought to, require. After this, there existed | him to a good dinner. When Sixtus became no longer any starvation: thousands were | Pope, he did not forget to return the dinner fed daily from the gracious bounty, and those | to the benevolent tradesman. who could not gain admittance feasted from To give an instance of his abilities as a

who is supreme, and who professes to decide equitably or lawfully, as the case may relent spitting. This scheme took so well, that credit, Calf Skins, Soal, Upper and Harness quire, though I have no hesitation in saying | the Cardinals fell into the trap; and every town of Smithfield, with a small house there-

ture, consisting in part, of a Desk, Bureau, other. ments-heavy and ill adapted. The orders, for ought that I know, may be regular and correct; but the finish is incomplete and N. B. As I intend leaving this county in rough. In mechanics, they are a thousand a few days, I hope those who have any claims years behind us, and even more. There is a short time, of what he was capable. no improvement possible, unless their very what he had obtained by such singular natures are changed, which appear now to artifice he maintained with as singular against me will produce them on that day, no improvement possible, unless their very

their houses partake of the same qualities and almost in the same degrees; naked slaves, and other objects of disgust, swarm at all points; the horseman invariably rides upon the side walks, where there is not room enough for him and the foot passenger, who, in passing him (as well as the carriages, which are all drawn by mules, perpetually under the lash of a heavy leathern thong) shelters himself in any door he may be op-

The opera house is spacious and tolerably handsome: -the performers bad, except in dancing, which is really excellent. For this however, they are indebted to Spain and France, as no Portuguese dance is above meiocrity .- Like the Italians, they have a native talent for music; there is in consequence a great deal, and very good. The king has several eunuchs who sing in his chapel-a rich, and splendidly decorated edifice, built in the form of a cross. It is open every evening at half past 8 o'clock, and continues so about one hour and a half, during which time various catholic ceremonies are performed A full band, large choir, brilliant cile in his person and mind, weak and con- illumination, a multitude of people, who are himself, then two or three different imposts vated about ten feet, and extending from the to the revenues (which are all farmed out | wall two or three feet round, around which for five years in advance, with certain reser- is a circular row of balustrades. This muvations which go directly to the royal cof. | ral chamber communicates by a private fers) an original commodity dwindles to a | door with one wing of the palace, through mere token of itself, and the subject must | which this motley module of sovereignty ca-

To cheat the King, the customs and the "The winter temperature is averaged at laws, is a branch of dangerous though con- from 80 to 84 of Fahrenheit. The staple tinually practised science King, dukes, lords commod ties of the country are sugar, coffee. & subjects have nearly all marks of character- hides and tallow; many of which (indeed istic meanness and depravity. The women are nearly all) are brought along the coast to

"You hear nothing of the patriots here. A brother of Artigas and one of his generals, in her carriage) should curse the cause of | sue alive .- Their loss, however, will not inat the point of the bayonet or sabre, which | taken after defeat. You, my dear friend.

was done by the King's guards, it must be often drink to your health and happiness.

Selected from Curiosities of Literature. POPE SIXTUS THE FIFTH.

A singular revolution of fortune happened to Pope Sixtus the Fifth. He was originally a swine herd. When he first came to owed to kiss his hand six times a week :" | so facetious a manner, that the tradesman re-

the abundance of their friends and neighbors | politician. When he first aspired in his mind to the Popedom, while he was yet a All I can discover with respect to the ad- | Cardinal, he counterfeited illness and old ministration of justice. is, that almost every age for fifteen years. During the conclave one assumes the privilege of chastising his which was assembled to create a Pope, he inferior after his own manner. There is, | continually leaned on his crutch; and very independent of several minor judges, one | frequently interrupted the sage deliberations a very small bribe would warp his decision one thinking that, by electing Sixtus, he on-also my household and kitchen furni- so that it should be neither the one nor the might himself stand a chance of being in a short time elected, he was chosen unani-In architecture, they are profuse of orna- mously. Soon after the election was concluded, the new Pope performed a Miracle: his legs became vigorous; his body, that had been before curved, became firm and erect;

> be deteriorating daily. Their streets are haughtiness. Cardinal Este, for a written narrow, dirty, and every way disagreeable; promise which Sixtus gave him , greatly as