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COME TO ME, DREAMS OF HEAVEN. BY MRS. HEMANS.

Come but for one brief hour. Sweet dreams I and yet again, O'er burning thought and memory shower Your soft effacing rain! Waft me where gales divine, With dark cloude ne'er have striven, Where fiving formes forever shine-O blessied dreams of heaven!

THE CONSTITUTION.

BY BRYANT. Great were the hearts and strong the minds, Of those who framed, in high debate, The immortal league of love that binds Our fair broad Empire, State with State. And deep the gladness of the hour, When, as the auspicious task was done. In solemn trust, the sword of power Was given to glory's unspoil'd son.

That noble mee is gone-the suns Of fifty years have risen and set ; But the bright links those chosen ones So strongly forged, are brighter yet.

Miscellaneous.

The Young Man. There is no moral object so beautiful as a con-scientious young man. I watch him as a star in the heavens! Clouds may be before him, but we know, his light is behind them, and that it will know his light is behind them, and that it will blaze forth again; the blaze of others' popularity may outshine him, but we know that though un-known he illumines his own sphere. He resists temptation, not without a struggle, for that is not virtue—but he does resist and conquers; he bears the sarcasm of the profligate, and it stings him, for that is the trial of virtue, but he heals the wound with his own pure touch. He heads not the watch-word of fashion, if it leads him to sin.— The atheist, who says not only in his heart, but also with his lips, " there is no God !" contemn him not; he sees the hand of a creating God, and he rejoices in it. Woman is sheltered by fond arms and loving counsel; old age is protected by its experience, and manhood by its strength, but the young man stands amid the temphatons of the world like a self-balanced power—happy he who seeks and gains the bope of immortality. Onward then, conscientous youth—raise the standard, and nerve thyself for goodness.—If God has given in-tellectual power, awaken it in that cause. Never let it be said of thee, "he helped to swell the the of let it be said of thee, "he helped to swell the tee of not that drop into a polluted current. The meed of praise, the delight of 'occupancy' attending all the way, and the final recompense of

reward, all taken together, will be found to turn, there can be no doubt, rather in favor of him who

LOVE MIGHTIER THAN DEATH. A Tale of Venice.

A Tale of Venice. Gherardo was the only son of the partrician Jani, and the most gallant youth of Venice. His love of military glory must have been great, for when the Doge, the incomparable Enrico Dan-dola, invited him to follow his banner to the East, he was betrothed to Bianca Celsi, as dis-tinguished for her beauty as he for his valor.— Yet on the threshold of the hymenial temple, he did not hesitate; he would go where glory and his countrymen summoned him; when the Doge's exploits were acheived he would return to Venice, and, more deserving of her, lay the laurels at the feet of his young bride. He had been—he had prospered—Constantino-ple had witnessed his valor, and now returned the pinzetta cohoed with the name of Gherardo.— He had received the embrace of his aged father without alarm at his tears—for over-wrought joy will ware acce are acceaved he week he here how the Blessed Virgin who saw his woe to pity and pardon his audacity. He rushed then down a few steps, through a short dark passage, and himself like a spectre, entered the chamber of docth

the tomb?" Such irremediable woe where so much bliss was looked for! Such a dread awakening from all the cestatic dreams and aspirations which had-given him strength in battle and cheered him over the tedious and stormy waves—such a re-turn—such a welcome—such an end to all his fond and passionate hopes—was overwhelming. With heavy groans he swooned away; and the young hero, but one hour before the happiest of that city, was borne lifelies to the sad halls of his young hero, but one hour before the happiest of that city, was borne lifeless to the sad halls of his father. It was long ere he awoke to life and reason is and then, in exchange for that bitter boon, glad-ly would he have given his all for some opiate-brance ! He closed his eyes to the gay light of the sun—he would fain have closed them thus forever. He was deaf to the assiduous conso-lations of thronging friends and smote two, for he questioned none on the malady and decease of his bride. She was dead, what matter it how his bride. She was dead, what matter it how or when, since thus torn from his arms. At

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At a late hour he left his home for the wel

dow of death ;" and sounds there were none, save

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muscular shoulder against it-it receded, but as From the Philadelphia Enquirer. it turned on its unwilling hinges its hoarse rum-bling sound echoed like thunder in the vault be-neath, and he started back, with trembling limb, and brow bedewed with cold sweat. Again des-WHAT SHALL WE DO WITH OUR SONST and brow bedewed with cold sweat. Again des-peration—love—the determination to see the life-less form of his beloved—conquered his awc and reparance in disturbing the pence of the dead —yot he paused, ere he plunged into the horrible, palpable obscurity that hay beyond the dor of the tomb, and crossing himself, muttered a prayer to the Blessed Virgin who saw his woe to pity and

death. He had been—he had prospered—Constantino-ple had witnessed his valor, and now returned the pizzetta echoed with the name of Gherardo.— He had received the embrace of his aged father without alarm at his tears—for over-wrought joy will weep even as sorrow does; he had been pressed in the arms of the friends of his home and of his infancy; and he field now advanced to y corner of the cofin—had he paused the head of the arello. Or sarcophagus of Bianca, and a grated window near the roof of the vault admit-ted the rays of the moon which fell straight on the vy corner of the cofin—had he paused the head and of his infancy; and he field now advanced to vous arms removed the weight; and his eyes rest-dow strain received to the shroude to the shroude the weight; and his eyes rest-vous arms removed the weight; and his eyes rest-dow at most straines of the Supreme Court of Ohio, at was enveloped in a veil of pure white, and her "decent lips compressed" beneath an ample white the hero's name and his welcome back to Venice. But—what meant the omission 7 Bianca was ot. All is voice trembled as hurriedly he asked where she was. An inconsiderate and cruel vice re-sponded: "Bianca is no more! She sleeps by her father in the church of St. Theodora!" "No more!" moaned the young warrior, and as his howe we have align the program and more al The lamp beneath a crucifix burned at the head "Bianca," he continued, "My own Bianca, why dost thou slumber thus—dost thou await the warm kisses of thy lover to awaken thee? I give thee them !" and throwing himself across the marble coffin, he pressed his burning lips to hers. But how did his whole soul rush to his mouth, when he fancied he felt the breath of life on these palo lips I. He pressed them again ; if it was a delu-sion it continued, for the mildest, the most subdued of breathings seemed to pass from her lips to his. He raised her from the sarcophagus-he placed

the chances of entimence in that difficult and ar-dous avocation, are scarcely equal to one in a thousand. The Boston Transcript says that the "number of under-graduates at the Cambridge Law School, amounts to about 160, who are to branch off in various directions; more than half of whom, we doubt not, will be glad enough to re-linguish the preferior as above may after any or whom, we doubt not, will be giad enough to re-linquish the profession as chance may offer any more lucrative employment. It seems that at a recent session of the Supreme Court of Ohio, at Columbus, no less than eighty applicants were admitted to practice, and, at Cincinnat, immedi-

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Professions.

, is over-crowded, while even if it were not.

qualifying its possessor to achieve the most mag-nificent triumphe of oratory and argument." He goes on to add, that "unless one or the other of these qualifications may be claimed, together with undoubted hereditary and constitutional health, and a 'heart' which years of 'hope deferred' can-not 'make sick,' it is his decided conviction, all things considered, that agriculture, the mechani-cal arts, commerce, manufacturing, civil engineer-ing, or any honest means of livelihood to which

from the sleep of death. The Chronicler's tale is told. The ignorance of physicians, and the hasty sepulture common in the south, had con-signed Bianca to a grave whence her lover's pas-sion and impetuosity had so happily rescued her.

SPIRIT OF JEFFERSON For the Spirit of Jefferson. Ma. EDITOR : I detest the name of a nawspa-per scribbler, and sincerely hope that this commu-mication will be the last that it will be necessary for me to trouble you with; especially upon the subject of the actings and doings of the democra-cy of this county. Mhile I am a porsonal as well as a political friend of one of the individuals who are now can-didates for Congress in this district. I am by no means an *enemy* to the other :—but having the im-terast of my party more at heart than the succate of either of those genelemen. I fiel confident in my ability, in all that I may say or do, to deal our justice to both of them. I am determined, (unlike some others.) not to assume the claracter of a par-tizan—I shall therefore not be disposed, through feiling of intemperate zeal, to ostracise those who differ, and who have the inquestionable right to differ, from, me in this little family confusion of ourse. T have an abiding confidence in the Demo means of either of the compressional bar of the democration of the section of th

sition in the Democratic ranks. Now, for the point: I see in the Virginian of the 2nd inst, over the signature of "Democracy" a communication, in which this language is held: "It was also solemnly decided by an overwhelm ing majority, thei Jefferson. County was opposed to another Convention, and would co-operate with their ry Bedinger, c.c." "Democracy" here assumes a most unwarrantable position. If the meeting to which he refers, held on the 17th ult, had been achieved in by the party theoremotic the county. The second provided the second provided to another Convention, and would co-operate with their ry Bedinger, c.c." "Democracy" here assumes a most unwarrantable position. If the meeting to which he refers, held on the 17th ult, had been which he rolers, held on the 17th utt, had been acquiesced in by the party throughout the county, then the above assertion in italics would not have been questioned, by me at least. Bat was this the case? It was not. Here let me premise, that the friends of Mr. Lucas, with but few, if any excep-tions, besides others who, I know, were indifferent tions, besides others who, I know, were indifferent as to the choice between the two men, were in fa-vor of another Convention. At the Harpers-Ferry precinct, it is confidently asserted by those who have the very best means of judging correctly, that Lucas' majority over Bedinger will be at least 150. Here the party held a precinct meeting, (of what size I know not, and it is perfectly immate-rial so it had the character of a public meeting of a size anount of the liabil-ities of the establishmont are stated at \$700,000 or \$900,000. The house in question suspended in 1837 for a large amount, which has since been after public notice, and was generally acquiesed injumich was the case,) declared in lavor of another Convention, and appointed delegates. The same 'course' was taken at the Shepherdstown presider, where, I have assurances from the most precinct, where; I have assurances from the most reliable sources, that Mr. Lucas will receive at least 80 of the 117 Democratic votes cast at that place. I have heard it conceded by some of the most sanguine friends of Mr. Bedinger, that Lu-cas would get, at the Smithfield precinct, about two-thirds of the Democratic votes usually folled at that place. A meeting of the party was held there, which decided for another Convention, and appointed delerates. And, as for the Charlestown

mogratic votes of this precinct. There is one fact which may throw some light on the subject, and to which it may not be improper for me to allude in this connection. There was a Democratic meet-ing, consisting of about 26, held for this precinct, in Charlestown, at February Court I think, to ap-point delegates to the first Convention, and there, in the web mone a collecteral question, which areas in the vote upon a collateral question which arose, 19 were found for Lucas, and 17 for Bedinger.— And this vote was taken under circumstances greatly favoring the side of Mr. Bedinger; in coned for him, which otherwise would not have been But it may be said, that one who voted against him has since changed ; so let it be. In the proicenar; which was made the subject of another meeting composed chieffy, it is true, as I am in-formed, of the friends of Mr. Bedinger; but to the action of this meeting the friends of Mr. Lucas, conceiving that personal injustice had been done to grominent member of the party, at the first meeting, yielded their hearty concurrence. So I ceedings of this meeting there was an entire acto a prominent member of the party, at the first meeting, yielded their hearty concurrence. So I think therefore, that it is perfectly apparent, that the declaration of " Democracy." It hat two thirds of the vote of the Charlestown precluct were op-posed to another Convention," is a bare assump-tion, and has its origin, I fear in the bent of this is a bare measure. nchination. It appears also with equal clearness, in view of the foregoing facts, that Jefferson County did not decide against another Convention, but on the contrary, I am satisfied, that the bulk o the Democracy will abide the decision of that Convention, and so they would have done, if Mr. Bedvention, and so they would have done, if Mr. Bed-inger, or any other competent main had been nom-inated. That the Bedinger portion of the party in this County was, and is still opposed to the second Convention, is not for a moment doubted. But to say, that, because they held a County meet-ing at the Court house on the 17th ult., and decid-ded against another Convention, not a precinct in the Gounty acquescing, therefore "Jefferson Coun-ty, by an overwhelming majority, decided against another Convention," is absolutely too preposter-ous to make a joke of. But "Democracy" not content with drawing upon his speculative powcontent with drawing upon his speculative pow-cre to swell the importance of his favorite "County meeting," and to diminish and dostroy if possible the infinence and importance which, I trust I have shown, should justly attach to the precinct meet-ings in this County, with a feeling near akin to the mast unparalleled effrontery, says " the pro-ceedings of this (the County) meeting are only adverted to here, in consequence of the recent move ments of a very few men, who would misrepresen Jefferson County." After perming this quotation, I paused to reflect upon the magnitude, and, as I had thought the gross injustice of this charge, and affec to fix upon some plausible manner by which I could account for so monstrous an idea being en-gendered in "Democracy's" brain, for, I confess, that I really thought from the context, that he may have had reference to the meeting in the Charles-town meeting. have had reference to the meeting in the Charles town precipit, but the proceedings of the littl Bedinger meeting at Smithfield, after a moment

were staunch old Democrats there from almost every point of the precinet. The notice of this meeting, I admit, was short, but had it been a few days longer, I have reason to believe that this pre-cinct meeting would have come near equalling, if it had not surpassed the Bedinger County meet-ing. Be this as it may, it had the character of a public meeting, and I feel abundantly assured that its proceedings will meet the concurrence of a differ from, me in this little family confusion of ours. I have an abiding confidence in the Demo-cracy of the 10th Congressional District—and that, free from undue influences, they will do what is right and proper on the day of election; I have not the shadow of a doubt. The Democrat who would attempt to produce distraction in our party, and by an *our-zealous devotion* to the cause of a single man, show himself regardless and indiffer-ent to the true interests of the party, is unworthy the name of a Democrat; and deserves not a po-sition in the Democrat; and deserves not a po-sition in the Democratic ranks. Now for the point: I see in the Virginian of the 2nd inst, over the signature of "Democracy" a 2nd inst, over the signature of "Democracy" a

P. S. I see in the Virginian of the 9th inst., an-other communication over the signature of "Demo-cracy." He really seems to be one of the most prolific news-paper writers that I have met with for a long time. I must request the favor to have the above inserted in that paper, in order that the gross perversion of facts re-iterated by "Democracy," in relation to the course purshed by the Democrats of Jefferson County, may be more generally cor-

its experience, and manhood by its strength, but \$900,000. The house in question suspended in IB37 for a large amount, which has since been satisfactorily arranged. The business of the house was with the South, and a good part of it was in Alabama. The notes held as security have been has good agaany in market, and their misfortune is, that their goods either remain unsold in the South-orn markets, or that those sold have not been paid for. Other houses were reported Saturday to have failed, but from the hesitation with which they were solven of, we house the reports were unfound. The meed of preise, the delight of 'occupancy' were spoken of, we hope the reports were unfound-ed. One suspension always gives rise to a hun-thed tramors."

at that place. A meeting of the party was held there, which decided for another Convention, and appointed delegates. And, as for the Charlestown precinct, it is claimed by both branches of the party ty. I have seen to person as yet, in possession of the data that would enable a person to say, with the data that would enable a person to say, with the stat that would enable a person to say, with any degree of certainty, that either of the candi-from thurch, in slippery weather, gave libring the data that would receive "a large majority of the De-strive". Put on thy strength? Let thy chirally is support, and an officer of dragoons, chancing to heave thores of the receives of the procession of the vate that would enable a person to say, with any degree of certainty, that either of the candi-from thurch, in slippery weather, gave libring the data would receive "a large majority of the De-strive". Put on thy strength? Let thy chirally and the party was the would and the procession of the vate that would enable a person to say, with any degree of certainty, that either of the candi-from thurch, in slippery weather, gave libring the data way throw some light on the subject and to be which may throw some light on the subject and to be which may throw some light on the subject and to be which may throw some light on the subject and to be which may throw some light on the subject and to be which may throw some light on the subject and to be which may throw some light on the subject and to be which may throw some light on the subject and to be which may throw some light on the subject and to be which may throw some light on the subject and to be which may throw some light on the subject and to be which may throw some light on the subject and to be which may throw some light on the subject and to be which may throw some light on the subject and to be which may throw some light on the subject and to be which may throw some light on the subject and to be which may throw some light on the subject and to be which may throw support, and an officer of dragoons, chancing to be walking behind, indulged in a smile at the dis-aster. Kuppenburg, finding reason for officer in the officer's amusement, challenged him the next day. Lavalette, the dragoon, relused to fight for such a trifle, but officer to apologize to the lady, which he did on the same night, at a ball. The lady, however, replied that the account was to be settled with Mr. Kuppenburg, not with her; and the result of this silly lack of sense and feeling was the death of the officer and almost mortal wound to her champion. They, fourth with niswas the death of the oncer and atmost mortal wound to her champion. They fought with pis-tols, and Mr. Knppenburg received a ball in his stomach, of which he lay dangerously ill at the last moments. Mr. Lavalette was shot through

Dr MRS. HEMANS. Come to me, dreams of Heaven ! My fainting spirit bear On your bright wings, by morning given, Up to celestial air Away, far, far away, From bowers by tempests riven, Fold me in blue, still, cloudless day ; O blesseil dreams of heaven !

one of our western penitentiaries, there are 130 prisoners; of these 16 are married, 101 are un-married, and 13 widows and widowers. Such facts may well excite a feeling of alarm for our mon through the trees and key-holes. It is only the total facts in the security within doors bachelor friends.

ANTIQUITY OF MESMBRISM .- Magnetism pears to have been well understood by the Egyp-tian hierarchy, not only from some of the effects we find recorded, but in one of the chambers, whose hieroglyphics are devoted to medical subiccts ; we find a priest in the very act of that mes-merism which is pretended to have been discov-cred a few years ago. The patient is seated in a chair while the operator describes the mesmeric passes, and an attendant waits behind to support the head when it has bowed in the mysterious sleep.

MAMMOTH HOG-VIRGINIA AHEAD .- The large mammoth hog John C. Calhoun, raised on the plantation of Mr. Vinglini, Henrico county, four miles from Richmond, Va., will be exhibited free of charge, in front of the rail-road depot. Market street, below Eleventh, this day between the hours of 9 and 11 o'clock. It cannot be seen after 11 of 9 and 11 o'clock. It cannot be seen after 11 o'clock, as it is intended to proceed by the 12 o'clock line to N. York, where it will be slaugh-tered for the gratification of the hungry epicares of Gotham. The dimensions of this nohle ani-mal are as follows: weight 2,152²/₃; length, from snout to tail, 7 feet 9 inches; height 4 feet 24 in-ohes; age 2 years and 3 months. The public in general, and farmers and victuallers in particular, are invited to call and see this fine specimen of Virginia raising, as it surpasses any thing ever produced at the North. [Phil. Ledger, March 30.

A PRACTICAL JOKE .- Last Saturday some wag engaged a negro for \$15 to whitewash the free-stone front of the City Hall, New York. He comtown precise, but the proceedings of the little Bediager meeting at Smithfield, after a moment's reflection, recurred so forcibly to my mind, that avery thing mysterious abont the charge, seemed at once solved. "Democracy" has of course a better opportunity to judge correctly of the inter-tions and conduct of his co-operators than I have; I therefore, feel constrained to dismiss this sub-ject, with this agreadvice, however, that "we should never judge the motives and intentions of others by our own feelings." "Democracy" conveys the impression that "*littleen Democracy* conveys the isconcerned, they only made bad worse, and the based of the atone, that, as far as appearance is concerned, they only made bad worse, sid the based of the aton-cutter will have to be employed before the record of this foolish joke can be effac-ed from the walls of our City Capitol."

hundred and sixty-five days compose but one long sunny day; the skies are ever clear, the birds are ever singing, and every day, may every hour, ush-ers into existence some rare and beautiful creation of Flora. With the acacia and the rose, the ole-ander and the orange, breathing their fragrance around us, we can scarcely realize that old winz-ter's blasts are howling around the dwellings of ter's blasts are howling around the dwellings of our northern friends, and that all creation, aniwell contented are we with our ignorance. A cheerful family circle on a cold winter's night, its blazing back log, its pleasant reminiscences for the mind and its theorem. the mind, and its thousand comforts for the body, shades of night. Still tossing in restless agony, when the sun's last rays illuminated the shrine of his buried hopes, the quiet of night had broughtan by contrasting the peace and security within doors with the war and strife of the elements without, that one's complacency is excited and satisfied. But give us the sunshine, the cloudless skies, and the balmy air of our clime; give us the perpetual oice of birds and the odor of flowers-give us the broad and changeful bosom of the ocean, with its forests of coral for the eye and its untold depths and mysteries for the imagination—and above all, give us the warm hearts, the generous impulses, he ardor of man and the devotion of woman, which the sunny South alone can give. [Key West Light of the Reef?

POLITENESS .- Politeness does not consist in laving down your knile and fork in a peculiar manner, nor yet by scalding your mouth by drinkmanner, nor yet by scalding your mouth by drink-ing out of a cup, to avoid the indecorum of cool-ing your tea or colfee in a saucer. There is an anecdote of George the Fourth, which conveys a better idea of politeness, than all that Chesterfield has written. While his majesty was yet Prince of Wales, he honored a tea table by his presence, where there happened to be some young ladies not deeply versed in the code of Etiquette. These in-nocent creatures, in the simplicity of their hearts, never dreamed there was any dire enormity in pouring their ten into their sancer to cool; a tit-ter ran round the table among the polite guests, was one of extreme superstition; and our young soldier had hardly conquered its weakness.— His grief, that state of mind so imaginative; or creative of ideal horrors, deluded his senses; and ter ran round the table among the polite guests, and the prince observing it, toak occasion, to relieve the embarrassment of the young ladies, by ponring his own tea into his saucer. 'This is what may be called real politeness.

THE GREAT LATENT PRINCIPLE.—In these Mid-dle Ages of which I write, few were wise enough to see the existence and comprehend the inevitable course of the great latent principle which was des tined to take the place of every other. The fac —the truth—that all power is from the people, and that wisdom is the helm that must guide it, was a discovery of after times, and was, moreover, so re-pugnant to the spirit of the foudal systema-that strange, but great ideal-that in the land where frauge, out great near most perfect, the men who feudal institutions were most perfect, the men who owned them all never dreamed that they could be swept away by the seemingly weak and homely influences which they were accustomed to use at

coronet of white roses was plucked from the tree which had given flowers to her funeral.

Hints to Young Men.

Every body should have his head, his heart, and Every body should have his head, his heart, and his hand educated, let this truth never be forgotten. By the proper education of his head, he will be tanght what is good, and what is evil—what is wise, and what is foolish—what is right and what is wrong. By the proper education of his heart he will be taught to love what is good, wise and right, and to hate what is evil, foolish, and wrong; g and by proper education of his heard he will be and by proper education of his hand, he will be enabled to supply his wants, to add to his comforts, an instruction in the dari that harrow grave, the sun shone brightly on Venice; and her thronging thousands, reliete with joy, sang their songs of triumph, and should the names of their gailant warriors and the captains of their victorious gal-

and to assist those that are around him. The highest objects of a good education are to reverence and obey God, and to love and serve mankind ; every thing that hinders us is compara-tively worthless. When wisdom reigns in the It could not be that his should be forgotten, leys. It could not be that his should be forgotten, for who had borne himself more bravely than ead, and love in the heart, the hand is ever ready

head, and love in the heart, the hand is ever ready to do good; order and peace smile around, and sin and sorrow are almost unknown. A Lowell paper says: Keep out of debt. Avoid it as you would the devil. Hate it with perfect hatred. Abhor it with perfect abhorrence. Dig pointces—lay stone wall—peddle tin ware—do any thing that is useful rather than run into debt. As you value good digestion, a healthy appetite, a placid temper, a smooth pillow, sweet sleep, pleaspalace, their united voices proclaimed, "Gherardo I Gherardo !---long life and glory to the soldier of St. Mark." He listened, with a bitter smile. And now, above that stately city, descend the has you value good orgestion, a heating appetite, a placid temper, a smooth pillow, sweet sleep, pleas-ant dreams and happy wakings, keep out of debt. As you love freedom keep out of debt. Debt is the hardest of all task musters, the cruelest of all oppressors. It spreads a cloud over the whole firuncontrolable impulse—a wild thought, which stayed the torrent of his anguish. Only one day, since she, my love, my Bianca,---was given over to the vile worm, and I not see the loveliness she must have carried with her to the grave?--mament of man's being. It is a mill-stone about the neck: It is an incubus on the heart. It Shall not these fond eyes have yet one giance on that being of love and beauty? She died but yes-terday; she must still be beautiful; and f will see faces the sun, blots out the stars, it dims and de-faces the beautiful blue of the sky. ce again-will press those lips, though they

REFLECTIONS ON MOUNTAIN SCENERY .- At the nvitation of our kind guides we afterwards accom-mined them in a stroll among the corn-fields be-and the little church of Chamouni to see the shad known church. Alas! he was to have been married there. Gold gained the sacristano—the temple was opened, and Gherardo stood alone within a few paces of Bianca's tomb. Dimly beows gradually deepen around the mountain, and did not return until the stars were shining out within a tew paces of blanca's tomo. Dimly be-fore the effigies of the Virgin Mother and some favorite saints, burned the uncertain lamps. The moon shed a wavering light through the painted Gothic windows; but away among the massy clumns, and through the long aisles of the church, there fell the darkness "of the valley of the shacrisply above the aiguilles, on one of which a star seemed almost resting. Why to the thought, did the splintered tops of those needles and the frosted domes above them connect earth with heaven ?— The loftiest elevations were nothing to the dis-tance between the earth and stars, not in the pronortion of an atom to an ap, and yet into what neighborhood of thought they drew us! This is necause although not " nigh to heaven," as Otway well overpower the strongest mind. The age lescribes the mountain-top, it is removed from all the pollation of earth, raised above its care, unvisted, or rarely visited, by human footsteps, and, therefore, akin to the screne, the unknown, the eternal. Our ideas of celestial objects are, in as the cressets trembled, and the moonlight, strangely colored by the stained glass through which it passed, gleamed-now bright-now faint-now lighting-now shading, some grotesque piece of architecture in the old church-he saw, in fancy, rruth, for the best part negative, of untroubled regions beyond earthly change; and it is by its kindred with these that the mountain summit is associated with the sky, its physical, approach to which is as nothing !- Sergeant Talfourd.

of architecture in the old church—he saw, in fancy, the spirits of the dead rising, one by one, and mournfully waving him from his sacrilegious in-trusion of the departed. Through the half-opened door blow the fresh night breeze, sounding, as it moaned among the marble columns and hollow pavement of the church, like the united lamenta-tions of sad or guilt-burdened spirits. Excited beyond control, he paused in his purpose, clinging to the pillars for support. Gradually his natural courage returned, and with it the intense feeling which had influenced this deed, and with hasty steps he strode to the canella, or lateral recess in Ansrochacy.—In reply to the question—what is aristocracy? General Foy, a distinguished or-ntor of the French Chambers, gave the following definition : "Aristocracy in the 19th century is the league, the condition of those who would con-sume without producing, live without working, know without learning any thing, carry away all the honors without having described thom, and oc-cupy all the places of government without being able to fill them."

owned them all never dreamed that they could be swept away by the seemingly weak and homely influences which they were accustomed to use at their will: even as our ancestors, not many years ago, little imagined that the vapor which rose from the sumering kettle of the peasant or the mechan-ic, would one day walt navies through the ocean, and reduce space to nothing. Dr. Tobias Watkins has been elected Teacher of the Second School District in Washington city.

riends, but are apt to be blind to their own par-

tiality and weakness. All, moreover, are apt to fancy that their children are endowed in a pecu-liar manner with lofty qualities of intellect, which only require to be directed to the most ardous paths of literature; science, and the arts, to secure disinction and glory. The mistake, we repeat, is in-the majority of cases, one of affection, and although often mingled with vanity and pride, it is also frequently associated with a most laudable kind of ambition. Far better, moreover, to make even a boy of limited or feeble capacity, a lawyer or doctor, than to bring him up to no calling what-ever-or, in other words, to make him a candidate or the almshouse, or worse. Only the other day we heard of the case of a good-hearted, motiler, who had petted and spoiled her boy to such an ex-tent, that on her sudden decease, the youth, who was in his twentieth year, found himself almost

Was in his twenteen year, total inner measurements helpless, without a trade, calling, or profession, and surprised as well as appalled, when told that, for the tuture, he would be compelled, in a great, measure, to depend upon his own efforts. This latter evil is one of so serious a nature, and appears to be increasing so rapidly in this country, that we hope to see it discussed in an enlighten-ed and liberal spirit, and with the object of exci-ting inquiry and reflection, and of thus leading to a reform.

In the country, while parents would endeavor to give their sons as good an education as possi-sible, they should besitate in permitting them so readily to abandon the pursuit of agriculture, which is a noble, industrious, and elevating employment, for the purpose of visiting cities, and becoming lawyers or doctors, with little or no prospect thereafter. In the cities and towns it would be better for many lads who are now aim-ing at higher pursuits in one sense, to acquire a thorough mastery of some trade, business, or oc-cupation, by which they might at all times, if in-dustrious, obtain an honest livelihood, and the knowledge of which would by no means retard, the deschormert of any neguliar genius they the development of any peculiar genius they might possess, or spirit of enterprise by which they might be animated. Franklin was a printer, but he was not the less a philosopher. Sir Riebard Arkwright, whose inventive genius gave such an impulse to the cotton manufacture, was for many years a barber. James Watt, whose agency in improving and perfecting the steam engine has im-mortalized his name, was at the age of eighteen an apprentice to a mathematical instrument ma-ker. So with many others of the great ones of the earth-the eminent and the deathless in re-

putation. The parent who neglects to qualify his child for independence and ability to earn a livelihood at the age of twenty-one, neglects his most impor-tant duty towards that child. Instead of making-him a useful and serviceable being, one who can by his hands and his head take care of himself as by his hands and his head take care of himself as well as provide for a family, should he have one, said parent, by inculcating habits of idleness or notions of salse gentility, without the ability to sustain such notions in a practical manner, posi-tively unfits him for his duties as a cilizen, and exposes him to temptations and trials, which un-der other circumstances, he would altogether ess cape or successfully resist.

A SLIGHT MISTAKE.—A young lady out west who wished to have the one room of a log-house to appear to the best advantage on a certain occa-sion, had some trouble in keeping a large dog out-side the door. After having turned him out for the third or fourth time, she heard a slight tap upon the door, which she supposed to he the dog's tail, and cried out, "Rose, you old dog, you may rep as often as you're a mind to, but 1 won't let you in." It was the clergyman, who had just come menced paying his addressed to her,

serve them longer ! Mr. Lucas's first election was contested, and it

Mr. LUCAS's first election was contested, and it was his duty to defend it. This duty he perform-ed, but I do not think the odds were so very "fear-ful" against him. He had the returns in his fa-vor, and very many active and efficient friends to aid him; and his competitor, Mr. BARTON, finding "fearful odds" against himself, soon abandoned the effort. After the Presidential election of 1840, Mr. LUCAS was beaten by Mr. BARTON. But af-ter the ratio of representation was changed, and ter the ratio of representation was changed, and our District acquired a large Democratic majority, the people promptly tendered to Mr. Lucas the *first fruits* of this change. They did not hesitate to set aside Mr. HARRIS of Page; and this was submitted to without a nurmur from that county, because, at that time, it was generally conceded, that the nomination was due to Mr. LUCAS. But is that the case at present? Are the claims of Page never to be recognized? By the large ma-jority which she wields; Mr. LUCAS was elected with little or no trouble, over Mr. FAULKEE ; yet

a precedent against her. Mr. LUCAS intimates that some of my friends are "unrecommended gentlemen to office." Will he deny that the zeal of some of his own is inspired Will by "recommendations," either made or promised, in their favor ? He admits "that it was his intenin their tayor 7 The admits that it was in inter-tion to retire," but says he changed his mind be-cause a few persons attempted to " beset his path with thorns and brambles," to " overslaugh" him 25. But the record happens to contradict them "during his absence, and to drive him from service again. under frowns," &c. But what evidence does he When I wrote my first address, there had been ings are to be inferred from Mr. Lucas's own any such efforts to have been made against him. Let us see if any thing of the sort can be fairly inferred from that "first move." My information day. The Association met at their usual place on that day, and passed resolutions recommending to the other precincts to send delegates to meet those from Shepherdstown, in County Convention vention, were strong triends of Mr. Lucas, and among them was one of his brothers. There was also a resolution offered by Mr. McGlinsey, that my name should be presented to the District Con-vention for nomination. But this was promptly rejected. Resolutions were also passed tendering me a multic direct and the mention of the mention. me a public dinner, and the meeting adjourned (See published proceedings of this meeting in the Spirit of Jefferson of that date.) These are the facts which have been related to me, by au-thority as unquestionable as any Mr. Lucas can quote. What "thorns," what "frowns," what when more persons are generally found in Shepherdstown, than on almost any other. Held too, at a precinct, where Mr. LUCAS says 88 out of the 117

TO THE DEMOCRACY OF THE DOT THE DISTICT OF VIEW AND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OF VIEGINAL. Fellew-Critizens: I cannot find time during the heat of the fanvass, to answer as fully as I desire, the address of my opponent, the Hon. Was. Locas. But the address of my opponent, the Hon. Was. Locas. But the of the set of tradicting themselves, another witness must be in troduced, as if for the express purpose of proving

the statements of the others incorrect and unfound-ed. The six first witnesses say, that the votes of the three Berkeley delegates &c., gave Mr. Lucas the largest vote given to any one, and this was the last ballot taken, for "immediately after-wards Mr. B's friends moved an adjournment, &c." But H. F. Baker of Winchester, is introduced, who says: "The last vote cast was Lucas 2198, Bedin-ger 1633." Now if 2198, be more than 2366, (the vote which I had received.) then you may reconcile the statement of the six witnesses with that of II. F. Baker; otherwise they must reconcile these *little* discrepancies themselves, in the best manuer they can, and here is one more which they may as well take along with the rest. I doubt not, it will be as easy to reconcile *all* as any of them. The six say, "the friends of Mr. B, moved an ad-journment, learing as we honestly believe, that anjority which she wields; Mr. LUCAS was elected with little or no trouble, over Mr. FAULKNER; yet now her wishes are disregarded—her claims set at naught, and her former generosity is quoted as a precedent against her. by the high mage in the set of the former generosity is a set of the set of th

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ed in his path—that this frowning and overslaugh-ing was attempted or intended? Unless these these showed an average of near lifty in my favor ; since then, the editor of the Spirit of Jefferson (who was one of the Secretaries to the Convention,) having been accusdescription of what he terms the "first move in" reference to the nomination for Congress," I can-not discover what foundation he has for supposing There are fifteen (not 25) in number, and show an average majority of upwards of ninety instead of 50 in my favor; out of these 15 ballotings Mr. inferred from that "first move." My information Lucas received the majority of eight and I seven, and that of Mr. Lucas's differ materially as to the so that the statement of the six is contradicted

day pror to the first of January, as it was correctly supposed that more persons would be in town on New Year's day. The Association met at their usual place granted, to cast it for him." But he has no more right to claim it than I have to claim that of Hampshire, because one of her delegates opposed the adjournment of the Convention, and promised to vote for me. I have received 30 votes more than at Charlestowh on a certain day, for the purpose of appointing delegates to a District Convention. A majority of the delegates appointed by this meet-ing to represent Shepherdstown in County Con-vention, were strong friends of Mr. Lucas, and vention, were strong friends of Mr. Lucas, and the botter strong friends of Mr. Lucas and his brothers are now making to insure his election, must convince you that they to insure his election, must convince you that they themselves do not regard him as having received any nomination "fairly made and voluntarly ten-

I have not time to write more. It is for you to say, fellow-citizens, whether a packed caucus shall carry with it the weight of a genuine Convention of the Democracy; and upon your decision depends the future prosperity of our party in this District. HENRY BEDINGER.

CHARLESTOWN, April 14, 1845.

Virginia and the Public Offices.

We have seen with regret an article in the Globe on the subject of public offices filled by citizens of Virginia. The charge is that 144 offices are fill-ed at Washington by citizens from this State, and

Spirit of Jefferson.



Friday Morning, April 18, 1845.

FOR CONGRESS:

Hon. WILLIAM LUCAS, NOMINATED BY CONVENTION ON 28TH MARCH.

OF We are authorised to announce HENRY BEDIN-GER, Esc., of Jefferson, as a candidate to represent the Tenth Congressional District in the next Congress of the United States. March 7, 1845.

&r-We are authorized and requested to announce N ARROLL MASON, Esq., as a candidate to represent the Ninth Congressional District, composed of the coun-ties of Loudoun, Fauquier, Fairfax, Prince William, Stafford, Culpeper and Rappahannock. April 18, 1845.

THE LEGISLATURE.

JEFFERSON COUNTY-WHIG NOMINATIONS:

BENJ. T. TOWNER AND WILLIAM F. TURNER

BrWe are authorised to announce Capt. JOHN F SMITH as a candidate to represent Jeffers the next House of Delegates of Virginia.

BERKELEY COUNTY-DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS. JAMES W. GRAY AND WM. A. SOMMERVILLE.

To the Polls!

Before another number of our paper, the people of Virginia will be called upon to decide the great question, whether she shall be ruled by Democratic principles or not. In former conflicts, when the clouds were more lowering than at present, she has nobly sustained her ancient and time-honored principles. When other States have madly shot from their orbit, Virginia, good old Virginia, has come to the rescue-infused new lopes and strengthened the arm of Democracy. Shall she prove recreant now ? Shall apathy, division, personal aggrandizement, or any other cause defeat us, when the eyes of the whole Union are turned upon us? We cannot believe it !-The unconquerable Democracy of the Old Dominmeeting held at Shepherdstown on the first of January. Mine is to this effect: A meeting of the Democratic Association of that place, had been, called in the usual way by the President, on a day prior to the first of January,—but few persons ples. - Be on the alert, then, Democrats, and all will be well. Virginia is now, as she has always been, the fostering mother of Republicanism, and she must and will so declare herself. Give one effort more for your State and your country.

The Baltimore Argus makes the following ap peal; and we hope it will not be without its appropriate weight :

"THE VIRGINIA ELECTIONS.—The people of Virginia are now in the midst of the excitement of a political campaign of the deepest interest and importance in its results, not only as regards the local interests which may be attached to it; but also as regards the great national questions, which are also mixed up with, and form a prominent part of the context. of the contest. The consequence is, the eyes of the Union are anxiously fixed upon the 'Old Do-principles, the general welfare, and every consid-eration which should influence a Virginia Democratic Republican, ought, at this time, cause to exert his every energy, zeal, and ability, to sustain, by the decision of her people at this election, the course of the Democracy of the United States Senate on the vital question of annexation, and

This eminent and respected gentleman, departed this life in the City of Washington on Thursday, The second Whig Convention, for the purpos f nominating candidates for the Legislature from 11th inst. For several weeks it has been considthis county, convened on Saturday last, and reered that his disease was of such a nature as to nominated BENJAMIN T. TOWNER, Esq. In the forbid all hopes of his recovery. The Intelligen-cer furnishes the following particulars in reference place of Mr. CRoss, of Harpers-Ferry, who was nominated by the first Convention, WM. F. TOR-NER, Esq., the delegate of the last session, was substituted. There has been some little mutterto this sad event :-ing at the result of this second Convention, but, we presume the refractory members of the party will eventually be whipped into the traces.

Whig Nominations.

Capt. JOHN F. SMITH, one of the Independents, is still on the turf, and says he will remain there until the fourth Thursday in April. If the people of the county think proper to favor him with a seat in the Legislature, he promises that his best endeavors shall be used to advance the interests of his constituents, and the general prosperity of the State.

The Globe-The New Organ.

The Globe of Monday furnishes the article of agreement by which the type, presses, subscription list and good will of that paper is transferred to THOMAS RITCHE, of the Enquirer, and Mr. HEISS, formerly of Nashville. It is with reluctance that the Democracy of Virginia part with Mr. Ritchie. He has labored so long, so faithfully, so perseveringly, to sustain the cardinal doc-trines of onr faith, that without him, it seems as though we had lost the most vigilant sentinel on our polititical watch-tower. May success, commensurate with his zeal and devotion to Democratic principles, cheer him in his new enterprise .---Mr. Ritchie will remain in the Enquirer until after the election, when it will go into the hands of his sons, who hold a high rank as writers and politicians.

The Pittsburg Fire.

A full detail of this lamentable Conflagration will be found in our columns. The appearance of things in that late thriving and busy City is described as awful. In the burnt district, nothing but one immense forest of walls and chimneys. is visible, and desolate heaps of brick and mortar.-The fierce fire licked every combustible clean up. Nothing that would burn escaped. The wharf was covered with merchandise of every description, furniture, &c., and many piles which were rolled out, as it was thought, beyond the reach of the flames, were consumed. Piles of burnt and partially consumed coffee, sugar, cotton, nails, iron, paper, tea, &c., were scattered along it. Of the Monongahela bridge, nothing remains but a long line of burnt timber across the river, between the naked piers ; all over the hills piles of furniture, bedding, &c., are scattered.

A Pittsburg paper furnishes the following as to of trade in the city of Baltimore," providing for the individual losses by the fire. In it, those who an extension of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, assume such a superiority over their fellow-men by means of a branch, to the south side of the babecause they are the possessors of a considerable sin, and permitting locomotives to run in Pratt property, may learn a useful lesson as to the mustreet at night. tability of fortune. How soon, indeed, may the

rich and affluent, be reduced to penury and want ! THE INDIVIDUAL LOSSES .- The loss of some THE ROUMDAL LOSSES. The loss of plan-individuals and houses are enormous, ranging from \$5,000 up to \$200,000. Thus, one firm of whole-sale grocers, the heaviest holders of sugar, molas-ses, &c., in the city, and also owners of the build-ing in which they did business, cannot have lost less than from 80 to \$100,000. There is the Monongahela House also, which cost \$200,000, in-cluding the furniture. In many instances mer-chants not only lost stocks worth \$20,000, but also their dwelling houses and every dollars worth of furniture and clothes they possessed. Said one, I have lost \$30,000 and have now but one dollar in the world. in the world.

Loss of the Swallow.

ALBANY ELECTION .- The Charter election in A brief account as to the loss of the Swallow, Albany, New York, on Tuesday, resulted in the

&c., will be found on our outer form."

Death of Dr. Thomas Sewall.

TWe have no disposition, whatever, to read

ssons of "honor or duty" to "OPEQUON," but shall

to say whether he is practising the one, or aim-

zeal and devotion to the Democratic cause.

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of flame.

TA Pittsburg paper states that laborers, brick

makers, bricklayers, carpenters, &c., will be in

immense demand in a short time. Preparations

for re-building are already making in some in-

The Mayor of Baltimore has vetoed the bill

entitled "an act to provide for the encouragement

The papers from one end of the country to

and more or less damage sustained. The western prairies have also caught, and for fifty miles

are described as presenting nothing but a sheet

The Communication of "Justice," as wel

as many interesting articles of news, miscellany,

PRESIDENT POLK'S BUSINESS HABITS .---office of President has never been filled, says the Nashville Union, by any man whose business habits fitted him better for its arduous and complicated duties, than James K. Polk. He is not only a man of untiring labor, but he works with a de-gree of method in all his details which peculiarly qualifies for an Executive officer. He is remark-

cer turnsnesthe tollowing particulars in reference to this sad event :--The funeral of the late Dr. SEWALL took place last Friday evening in the presence of a very nu-merous assemblage of mourners, friends, and citi-zens, who attended to evince their respect for the character of the decased, whose professional tal-ents were of a very high order, and whose practice in this city for the last twenty-five years was most extensive. The remains of Dr. Sewall were re-moved from his late dwelling, at the corner of C and 44 streets, to Wesley Chapel at half-past 3 o'clock. There solemn and impressive services were performed by the Rev. Norval Wilson, pastor of the church, accompanied by sacred and appro-priate music from the choir. The congregation was immensely large, and the solemn services con-tinued within the chapel for upwards of an hour. The corpse was removed from the chapel at about 5 o'clock, and conveyed to the place of interment in the grave yard of the Methodist Episcopal church, near the Columbian college. The fune-ral was attended by a number of the reverend clergy of different denominations, by the Presi-dent, Faculty, and Trustees, and Medical Faculty of Columbian College, by the students of the Meth-cical Department of the Columbian College, by the Medical Society of the District of Columbia, by ex-President. Adams, by Senator Benton, by the able for his promptness and punctuality in all his engagements. It is an established rule with him never to postpone what onght to be done immediately, and that which can be done by himself he never shifts upon others. In the minute details of business, his perfect system in business and his capacity for enduring intense labor makes him remarkable for his accuracy. We venture to assert that Col. Polk will give more attention to the details of the various executive officers, will understand their actual condition better, and overlook the various subordinates in the offices with more vigilance, than any man has done since the days of Washington. Regular in his habits, temperate in all things, endowed with a rich treasure of common sense, ambitious to maintain the good opinion of his country, and henestly devoted to its best interests, he will rise in the estimation of the people throughout his whole term, and will leave the Presidency with a popularity enjoyed by few of his predecessors. Medical Society of the District of Columbia, by ex-President Adams, by Senator Benton, by the Mayor of the city, by many distinguished scientif-ic gentlemen, as well as a large body of citizens, many of whom followed the remains of the de-ceased to their final resting place. [National Intelligencer.

FROM TEXAS.—We learn from Galveston pa-pers, says the National Intelligencer, that Mr. Donaldson, our Charge to Texas, arrived in Gal-veston on the 27th ult., and proceeded directly to the seat of Government. In announcing his arrival, the Civilian states that it has not learnt "whether he is prepared to promote annexation under Mr. Brown's or Mr. Benton's plan, or em-powered to act under either that may be most powered to act under either that may be most convenient in attaining the end desired." Mr. Yell, who, it was reported some days ago, was sent with despatches to Mr. Donelson, was also at Galveston. leave him in the hands of his "Fifty Whig" friends ing at the other. As to the "organ," it may be

ing at the other. As to the "organ," it may be well enough to say, that its course will not be changed, even though. "Opequon" is pleased to think it does not know its own "preferences in the case." IJT The Petersburg Republican, after a suspen-sion of some two or three months, has been again revived under the auspices of W. R. Drinkard, Esq. He wields a vigorous pen, and we hope will receive a patronage commensurate with his zeal and devotion to the Democratic cause.

UT The Whigs are anxions to propagate a be-lief that Mr. Polk is looking to a second term.— Now, we have it from a highly intelligent gentle-man who conversed with the President within the man who conversed with the President within the last week, that, upon no consideratron, will Mr. Polk be a candidate for re-election. Moreover, the same gentleman informs us, that Mr. Polk, in thorough refutation of the Whig story, that he should discard all but the Republicans who sup-ported Mr. Van Buren, distinctly declared that he had some to Wachington to more the Baryh had gone to Washington, to preserve the Repub-lican party united, as far as his exertions could effect it—that he intended to make no distinctions between the different branches of the party, but should consider the whole party of 1844 as entitled to one and the same consideration at his hands —that he considered the welfare of the Union to depend upon the preservation of the Republican the other, teem with accounts of the country to the other, teem with accounts of the most destruc-tive fires. The late drought seems to have been so general that nothing could stay the progress of the devouring element. The mountains, East and West, those far and near, have all been on fire, and proper bearing of our Republican President.

> A Goon SIGN .- The result in New York is a great moral as well as political triumph, and we hall it as an evident sign that the scales have fallen from the eyes of those who were blind to the real motives which were at the bottom of the down trodden faction. It shows a very large majority in favor of civil and religious liberty. God speed the work of mind, and the extension of liberal principles.-Argus.

on the Hudson, appeared in our paper of last week. It is stated that thirteen bodies have been re-for Mayor, by 27 majority. The Common Coun-sued a circular to the departments, requiring an over observance of the laws in record to the orexact observance of the laws in regard to the organization of the offices, the duties and attendance of the clerks; and to enforce it, has directed the of the clerks; and to enforce it, has once a absences to be noted and reported. The circular also requires a distribution of labor among clerks momentioned to compensation allowed, and proproportioned to compensation allowed, and pro-vides for the suppression of the injustice of making meritorious and faithful public servants perform the duties of such as may be found negligent or incompetent.

Democrats who vote there, have signed a paper intimating himself as their first choice-at a precinct where, he says, he has an immense majority, his own brother and others of his warmest friends (making a majority of the delegates) are appointed to meet others in County Convention. And a public dinner is tendered to my humble self, and this furnishes cause of complaint of "thorns" and "frowns" and "overslaughing" the Hon. WM. Lu-cas. For what right has he to complain, or to refer to any resolutions which were not passed by that meeting? I might fill a volume with complaints, if I was disposed to notice all the idle storieswhich I have heard of movements made and resolutions offered, at different meetings. The very fact that the resolutions offered by Mr. McGlinsey were rejected, is conclusive evidence that Mr. Luwhere rejected, is conclusive evidence that Mr. E. cas had a majority of friends in that meeting.-Why then, should be complain of their action.

I do not think with Mr. LUCAS, that the "usua 'in Jefferson County of appointing delegates to District Conventions has been by precinct meet-ings. My impression is, that the Precincts have ed to the District. This was the course adopted Smithfield, for what reason the friends of Mr. himself .- Flag of '08. LUCAS at that place can best tell. Mr. LUCAS and myself differ as widely in regard to the action of e second meeting at Shepherdstown, as that of the first. But I have not time to give the details as they have been furnished me; I shall only ask you to read the following letter from bir, maked HURST, a gentleman whose integrity, veracity, and honor, will not be questioned by any one who honor, will i knows him :

Copy of Minor Hurst's Letter: "KERNEYSVILLE.

"MR. BEDINGER:-Seeing in the Address of Mr. LUGAS to the voters of the Tenth Congressional District, where-in he states, that at a meeting field in Shepherdstown for the purpose of appointing defegates to the Winchester Convention, which was held on the 226d of February Convention, which was held on the 226d of February last, 'the count taken at that meeting was UNPAIRLY TAKES, and that the BEDINGER man who made the count, has since admitted as much,' I deem it due to myself, as I was the person appointed by the Chair to take the count on the part of the Jiends of Mr. B., to state that I took the count fairly, and reported it as taken; and I do unqualifically assert, that I never have said or admitted that the count was either unfair or incorrect. April 11th, 1815. MINOR HURST."

Is it not strange, fellow-citizens, that at a pre-cinct where Mr. Lucas says he has 88 out 117 Democratic voters, a clear and undisputed majori-Democratic voters, a clear and undisputed majori-ty could not (after the most active exertions on the part of his warmest friends) be procured for him? At that meeting there was a majority in my favor, not including "boys and "Marylanders." Out of nearly 100 members who composed the first Convention, Mr. Lucas has procured a state-ment from siz to prove that he (L.) was stronger in that Convention than myself; one of these six claim-ed and procured a seat in the first Convention as a delenate or rather the wroxy of a delenate a delegate or rather the proxy of a delegate from Smithfield, and presided at the last Condelegate from Smithfield, and presided at the last Con-vention as a delegate from Charlestown 11.-But these gentlemen have, by this statement of theirs, placed themselves in a most ridiculous pos-ture—for they have contradicted themselves, in the most palpable, absurd and glaring manner. Hear them—in one sentence we find these words "after frequent propositions from the friends of Mr. I. to those of Mr. B. to throw them both overboard, and take up a new man, and they refusing and to those of Mr. B. to throw them both overboard, and take up a new man, and they refusing and showing plainly that they were determined to nominate Bedinger-or defeat a nomination alto-gether, the friends of Mr. L. resumed their origi-nal position and continued voting for him until the Convention adjourned." But in the next sentence but one, after this, we have the following: "some of the ballotings were not reported, or announced,

late Auditor, Mr. Smith, late Register, Mr. Edwards, Commissioner of Pensions, and more than fifty others who are natives of Virginia, but who have not been citizens of the State for thirty and forty years. We suppose the writer took the of birth as the criterian of citizenship, and thus places every man who has been born in Virginia to her credit, as so much patronage bestowed on her. The effort to deprive the people of Virginia of

an equal participation of the patronage of the government is a poor one ; and we would recommend to the writer hcreafter, if he be a friend of the administration, not to attempt to sow heart-burnings amongst its friends. We are confident it cannot generally appointed delegates to a County Con-vention, and the County Convention has appoint-it may do among mere men of passion and preju make an impression upon the President, whatever dice. The President will hardly take the antiby the Shepherdstown Precinct, but it was rejected ty of a anonymous writers, but will examine for

CAPITAL AND LABOR .- On the "let alone"

principle, capital will be always able to take ad-vantage of labor; and for this simple reason, that capital can wait—labor cannot. At the great vaninge of labor; and for this simple reason, that capital can wait—labor cannot. At the great life in New York, forty or fifty dollars were paid for the use of a dray. Capital would not wait then, and therefore it was at the mercy of labor. This was the exception which proves the rule .-

The rule is, that labor cannot wait, and is there-fore at the mercy of capital. When a man must have work to-day, or go without bread for him-self and family, he is not in a position to make a fair bargain. Capital is able to look about, and to take advantage of all the circumstances which will enable it to reduce the wages of labor. The arge clothes dealers in the cities have their agents in the country, who get work done at the lowest prices. A gentleman told us, the other day, that he saw the daughter of a respectable farmer makhe saw the daughter of a respectable farmer mak-ing shirts for 11 cents a piece, for one of the deal-ers. He asked her whether she thought it a suffi-cient price. "No," said she, " if I were obliged to support myself, I could not do it by this work; but I merely employ time which otherwise I should not use." It had not occurred to her that she was thus lowering the price paid to those who did de-pend on their labor for subsistence. But this is only one out of a multitude of examples to show only one out of a multitude of examples, to show

that the principle of competition does not regulate itself as it ought-that the "let alone" principle does not produce results which are in accordance with truth and justice. The principle of free competition is a good one for the strong, the sagacious -for those who have talent, means, energy ; but it gives no chance to the weak, the poor, the friend-It develops great energy, and produces great results ;"but it makes one part of society be the tools and instruments by which another part may carve out their way to fortune. [Hunt's Magazine.

Ma. CALHOUX.—The Pendleton Messenger says Mr. Calhoun arrived at his residence in that District, and is in fine health. Why is it that the Whig papers keep asserting that he left Wash-itigton embittered towards Mr. Polk's administra-tion? The very reverse is the fact. He will-support the administration which he aided as much as any other man to bring into power, until there is a departure from the principles upon which the is a departure from the principles upon which the President was elected. Then he will oppose it, as all know, who know his stern devotion to princi-ple, regardless of men or parties.

that they draw about 200,000 dollars from the this station of the course of her recreant Senators.— Treasury. The charge is grossly unjust, and we There is much, very much at stake in the result There is much, very much at stake in the result in Virginia—her high position among the States to the trouble to ascertain the facts before he wrote. We have no doubt he included in his estimate, Mr. Bibb, late Secretary of the Treasury, Mr. Wickliffe, late Post Master General, Mr. Lewis, here Audition the States of the Union—the part she took on the Texas clection—the hatred and deep schemes of aboli-tionists and their allies to destroy her influence and in Virginia-her high position among the States tionists and their allies to destroy her influence and bring her down from her lofty and commanding position, and the important influence the results of her elections always had upon the spirits and action of the Democracy throughout the land,—all these, and a thousand other considerations of equal weight and importance, should have the effect of arousing every son of hers, who is the friend of Union, State rights, annexation, and who revers the principles of Jefferson, to stand by them in the coming contest. Let us but hear she has purged her State Councils of whig rule-that Wm. C. Rives has been repudiated and driven from the high position which he has polluted, and we will again, and again, give her our blessing and welcome her with-all hail the land of Washington and Jefferson ! time that decays all things else, but makes fresher and greener thy well deserved laurels.

Our Congressoinal Election.

Though we entertain too good an opinion of ou Whig friends, to believe that they will, to any considerable extent, support a candidate of their own for Congress, yet it is the duty of every Democrat in the District to be at the polls. Let none stay away from a reluctance to choose between the tried and steadfast friends of our cause. The position now, is one that is irretrievable, and let him who is elected, go there as the Representative of the Democracy, of the 10th Congressional District.

Berkeley County.

The Democracy of Berkeley have just reason to anticipate a victory, in the election of their dele gates, if but proper exertion be used. We hope every Democrat in Jefferson who may be entitled to a vote in Berkeley, will be present, to record it in favor of those sterling friends of the cause, SLOAN, for the Senate, and GRAY and SOMMERVILLE for the House of Delegates. Be at your post, then, Democrats, of Jefferson ! If you have no candidate of your own in this county, you may be enabled to share in the laurels of redeeming old Federal Berkeley from the domination of those who have swayed her destiny for the last twenty years.

07 Mr. BEDINGER addressed the citizens o Martinsburg on Monday last, and those of Harpers-Ferry on Tuesday night. He is now, we learn in Morgan, and will be in Hampshire, Page and Warren during the next week.

Mr. Lucas was to have been in Page on Monday last, and, as it was a Court-day, we think it more than probable addressed the citizens of that county. He will be in Warren, Clarke, &c., previous to the election.

RHODE ISLAND.—Mr. Jackson, the newly elect-ed Governor of that State, says, in a letter, that "until Dorr is released neither party, nor the State itself, will be tranquilized."

WASHINGTON INVING.—Apprehensions are ex-pressed in the New York Sun, that Washington Irving was on board of the missing packet ships, and the editor thinks the apprehension is becoming general.

twelve out of the thirteen are females. There Whigs. are vet seventy or eighty persons to be accounted

for. A legal enquiry is about to be instituted into the whole affair.

IF We regret to learn the death of the lady of the Hon, A. H. SEVIER. Information of the sad event met him at Cincinnati, on his route homeward.

The Boston Post says that the export demand for coarse cotton is very great, and orders

and contracts range many months ahead. One ship to Canton took 1683 packages, instead of the old remittance of Spanish dollars, which are in fact hardly obtainable at any rate of premium.

IT The Georgetown Advocate says that the amount of Canal tolls collected at that place during the month of March, was \$5,469 05.

CHEAP POSTAGE .- The N. Y. Herald's correspondent asserts that the Hon. Cave Johnson has become a convert to the cheap postage system .--He expresses his opinion that the new rates will not only disappoint the opponents of the change, but will also exceed the expectations of its friends very shortly. The law, however, is very defective. and needs amendment, which it may receive at the next session of Congress. Mr. J. is making searching investigation into the whole of the P. O. Department and its expenditures, and great reforms will take place.

ADVERTISING .- The following excellent remarks in regard to advertising, are copied from the Berks and Schuylkill Journal. They are of universal application, and might be acted upon with advantage by many of our business men here. When talking to our merchants and tradesmen, as we occasionally do, on this subject, they some-times tell us that they would willingly advertise, but cannot afford it. Can't afford it 1-O mista-ken, unwise economy 1-Suppose the farmer were to act upon this principle, and when seed

they don't sole they can't expect to reap. So it is precisely with regard to advertising. Without it a man may do a meagre business, just as a sparse crop may be obtained from a former year's culture, but if he expects a fine harvest—a season of plen-ty to do, he must not neglect the means through which alone it is to be obtained.

THE STATE OF FLORIDA .- The Florida pa pers contain the proclamation of Gov. Branch, announcing the admission of the Territory of Florida into the Union as a State, and also another proclamation of the committee of the constitution al convention of the State of Florida, directing the elections to be held on Monday, the 26th of May next, for Governor, Legislature, and a representa-tive to Congress. The first General Assembly so elected is to convene at the Capitol, in the city of Tallahassee, on Monday the 23d of June next.

CASSUS CLAY.-The Kentucky Review says this gentleman has sent all his slaves to the south to be sold to the cotton planters !

cil stands as it did last year-9 Democrats to 11

or The Winchester Presbytery commenced its sittings in Smithfield on Wednesday. The attendance so far has been good, and the citizens of that town offer a hospitable reception to all who can make it convenient to attend.

IF A General Convention of the Southern Conferences of the Methodist Episcopal Church is to meet in Louisville on the 4th of May, to provide for the formation of a Southern Methodist Church.

IT WILLIAM C. CARRINGTON, Esq., has been associated with Messrs. CowARDIN and DAVIS in the publication of the "Richmond Times and Compiler." The paper is to be enlarged, and to assume a more active political character.

Some of our Western exchanges furnishes the following particulars in reference to the mysterious disappearance of a gentleman well known to a portion of our citizens ':--

Jefferson City, Mo., passed through Boonville, Mo., with a large sum of money for the purpose of pur-chasing a tract of land, not far disiant, in Saline county. Nothing has been heard of him since, and it is feared he has been robbed and murdered. His horse has been found in Saline but the but the since were five feet of water in the channel: His horse has been found in Saline, but the inhabtants could learn nothing of the fate of its rider.'

THE POTOMAC FISHEBIES .- We learn from the

good run may be expected. Shad were selling at Washington, on Saturday, at \$8 per hundred, and herring at \$4 per thousand.

> THE OFFICIAL ORGAN .- The Baltimore Sun savs that the Globe of Monday announces the consummation of the rumored change in the proprie torship of that journal, which took place on Saturday last. It passed into the hands of Thomas Ritchie, Esq., editor of the Richmond Enquirer, and John P. Heiss, formerly editor of the Nashville Union, and is now announced to be the " official organ" of the new administration.

TOur Minister at France it is said will return on account of ill health.

DELINQUENT LANDS IN VIRGINIA .- Pers owning land in Virginia may be interested in knowing that the Auditor of Public Accounts at Richmond has announced that delingnents on ac-count of non-payment of taxes are liable to have their lands sold by the shoriff every five years, and this is the year of sale. The auditor requests such persons to correspond with him in relation to the matter before June next,

Too BITTER A COP.—The editor of the St Louis American, a Native paper, has announced that he will no longer have any connexion with it. He is convinced, he says, that he cannot consistently with independence of feeling, conduct the organ of the majority of the American Republican party of St. Louis.

By The General Presbyterian Assembly will meet at Cincinnaiti on the 15th of May.

PENNSYLVANIA DEBT .- The Penna. House of Representatives have passed a bill, appropriating \$885,026 50 for the purpose of paying the August interest of the State debt.

STEAMBOAT ACCIDENT .-- An explosion took place on board the steamer Josephine on her trip up the river near Madison, Indiana, on the 8th inst., and a part of the engine was driven with tremendous force through the cabin deck into one of the state rooms, passing thence through the hurricane deck and disappearing in the river. A gentleman, named James Ellis, through whose apartment the named sames bills, through whose apartment the steam and a portion of the machinery passed, was dreadfully scaled—both arms, from the shoulder blades, were completely flayed—the feet in the same condition, and the face and neck also exten-

At Pittsburgh, on Tuesday afternoon, the river had four feet of water in the channel.

TEXAN COTTON .- The increase of the growth Alexandria Gazette, that the recent spell of cold weather and high winds, have had the effect of checking the run of shad and herring, though if the weather should continue for a few days as mild as it was on Monday, the probability is that a amounts were taken from the returns of cotton imported into New Orleans, entitled to deponture. But much of the Texan cotton went through the Custom-house, at New Orlean Custom-house, at New Orleans, all passing there as American cotton. A hundred thousand bales is the estimated cotton orop raised in Texas in 1844.

> CHARGES AGAINST SANTA ANNA .--- The follow which Santa Anna is to be tried for his life.— After declaring that sufficient grounds for them exist, he is charged with having "attacked the government, established on organic basis; dissolv-ed the Departmental Assembly of Quaretoro— arrested its deputies, and suspended its Governor; co-operated in the publication of the Decree of the 29th November of previous year, and resisted with armed forces, the re-establishment of a constitu-tional government in the Republic."

tional government in the Acepucho. SinguLAE CAUSE FOR SUICIDE, —Frederick Bal-ley, Esq., who has been lately appointed District Attorney for York county, Pa., committed suicide on Monday by hanging himself, under the follow-ing circumstances. On bringing in his first in-dictment to the Court, a small error was discover-ed, and of which he was informed by the Judge, when such was his mortification, that he went home, and was discovered a short time after, sus-pended by the neck entirely dead. Mr. Baley was highly respected by all who knew him, and his death has thrown a gloom over the entire neighborhood, neighborhood.

America could support nine hundred and thirty millions of people without being so densely popu-lated as Europe now is. The present population of Europe is about 38 millions; of America 55 millions; of thewhole carth \$1107.

were to act upon this principle, and when seed time came round, he were to say he "could'nt afford to scatter the seed required to plant his ground ?" Why there is not in the State a man so miserably miserly and intolerably stupid as to act upon this principle, for they well know that if they don't sow they can't expect to reap. So it is precisely with regard to advertising. Without it

TREMENDOUS CONFLAGRATION. PITTSBURG IN RUINS.

Twenty Squares of the City Destroyed.—From One Thonsand to Twelve Hundred Houses in Rains.—Loss estimated at Ten Millions

Pipetown—including, as we have estimated above, about 20 squares, and comprising from 10 to 1200 about 20 squares, and comprising from 10 to 1200 houses—many of the ware-houses containing goods of immense value. They were grocery, dry goods and commission houses, and their spring stocks had just been laid in. The fire originated in a frame building over an ice house, belonging to Wm. Diehl, near the cor-ner of Second and Ferry streets. The wind was blowing swiftly from the northwest. though it fre-

blowing swiftly from the northwest, though it fre-quently veered to other points, and owing to its variations the fire extended up Wood street fur-ther than it could have done. It was first discov-ered about 12 o'clock, and was not materially checked till 5 in the afternoon-even while we write, (at 9 o'clock, P. M.,) the engines are playing vigorously in Wood street. We can give no adequate idea of the distress

We can give no adequate idea of the distress which pervades oursetricken community. The progress of the flames was so fearfully rapid that many persons had not time to remove their goods; others, again, had got their property into the street, when the flames seized it there, before it could be removed to a place of safety. Others, still, would not believe the devouring flames could reach their dwellings, and did not think of removing until it was too late to save their furniture. And we saw wany neonla why escanced with mething, but the days. The flames have destroyed immense quan-tains in that vicinity have been on fire for several days. The flames have destroyed immense quan-tins in that vicinity have been on fire for several many people who escaped with nothing but the apparel they had upon their persons. At dark, you might see, in every direction, families sitting without shelter, guarding such portions of their household furniture as they were able to save from the flames, and not knowing where they would ellow-citizens did much to alleviate their sufferings, and we believe all were provided for as well as the melancholy nature of affairs would

The Councils met in the afternoon and proposed to blow up houses that seemed in the way of the flames; the deliberations were, however, ineffectual, and but one or two buildings were blown up. It seems to us, indeed, that there could scarcely have been time to accomplish any thing in the way of destroying houses, so rapid was the

The following are the principal public build-ings, manufactories and offices that were des-

Globe Factory, corner of 2d and Ferry. Fire Navigation Insurance Co. Market, between 2d and 3d.

Firemen's Insurance Office, corner Market and 3d. Perm Ins. Office, corner of Market and 3d.

Bank of Pittsburg, 4th, between Market and Wood.

Office of the Baily Chronicle, Market and Wood. Job Printing Office of J. B. Butler, 3d between

Market and Wood sts. Merchant's Hotel, corner of 3d and Wood

streets. A. Kramers' Exchange Office, do. Jones & Sibbet's Exchange office, corner of 4th

not been seen by their friends since the fire.— Their relatives had heard nothing of them up to last evening. It is most surprising that so few persons should have been killed or injured when we recall the swift progress of the flames, and the terrible confusion which was caused by the orts of the people to save their property-carts, cars, drays, wagons, in short every sort of vehicle was put in requisition, and were driven through the streets at fearful speed. Before our office, the vehicles were often jammed together in a way which seemed to render certain losses of life and

Which seemed to render certain losses of life and limb-yet no accident occurred. Yesterday the vaults of the Bank of Pittsburg were opened, and the books, papers and money were found almost uninjured. The Iron Safes of Mr. A. Kramer and Sibbet & Jones, Brokers, were also opened, and all their contents were well preserved.

preserved. Already are men busy af work in recovering Already are men busy at work in recovering from the rains, Iron and other articles worth dig-ging out; and we saw many busy with hatchets cutting the plaster from the fallen bricks, pre-paratory to re-building! Such indomitable ener-gy is worthy of all admiration; it is a prominent trait in the character of our citizens, and gives cheering evidence that we shall soon regain our prosperity, in spite of the ter-tible calmity we have

prosperity, in spite of the terrible calamity we have endured. We subjoin a list of the business and dwelling houses which have been destroyed. It is as full as we can make it under the circumstances.

[Here follows a list of some thousand and more of the principal business houses of the city, as well as magnificent private dwellings." Space forbids our publishing farther details of this sad and awful conflagration.]

MOUNTAINS ON FIRE.—A gentleman who ar-rived in Philadelphia, on Monday, from Pittsburg, states that the mountains in the vicinity of Cham-bersburg, Pa., are on fire to an extent of twenty miles: The inhabitants of that region have atmiles: The inhabitants of that region have at-tempted to stop it by clearing away and gathering up the leaves and trees in the route of the fire, but the wind is so strong as to render all their ef-forts ineffective. The fire in the mountain near Potsville, Pa., also continues to rage with unaba-

ted fury. We learn from the Boonsboro' (Md.) Odd Fel-

MORE' MOUNTAINS ON FIRE.—We learn from the Gettysburg (Pa.) Star, that the South moun-tains in that vicinity have been on fire for several days. The flames have destroyed immense quan-tities of growing timber, and a large amount of corded wood. Several houses have also been de-stroyed. The fire is still raging.

PITTSBURG, THE LEGISLATURE AND THE RAIL-PITTSBURG, THE LEGISLATURE AND THE RAIL-ROAD.—On Monday a special message was sent to the Legislature of Pennsylvania by Governor Shunk, recommending relief to the sufferers at Pittsburg, and a bill was immediately passed ap-propriating \$50,000 to the object, and relieving the property holders in the burnt district from taxes for three years. On the same day, the bill grant-ing the right of way to the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad to Pittsburg, was indefinitely laid on the table by a vote of 53 to 33. The passage of the bill is considered by the business men of Pittsburg as necessary to their prosperity, and its defeat will bill is considered by the business ince of Pittsburg as necessary to their prosperity, and its defeat will be regarded as a calamity almost equal to the fire. The Pittsburg Gazette says :--- "It seems to us, that among other things, the Legislature can-not do better for us than to pass the bill giving the right of way to the Baltimore Railroad. This ould tend, if the bill is accepted, to encourage our men of wealth, who are yet unprostrated, to build up the city again, and would bring capitalists to settle among us. Is this too much our Legislature ?"-Ball. Sun. to ask of

WHITEWASH-It is now the Season-There is nothing which so much improves the appearance of a house and the premises as painting and white-washing the tenements and fences. The follow-ing recipe for white-washing has been found, by experience, to answer the same on wood, brick and stone, as oil paint, and is much "saper: Recipe.—Take half a bushel of unslacked lime and slack it with boiling hot water, covering it du-

Ex-Governor Thomas of Maryland.

and virtue of Mrs. Thomas is as firm and unsha-

ken as it was before the publication of the state-ment of Governor Thomas." They also declare

their confidence in the moral standing of Mr. Ro

bert J. Taylor, who is implicated in the statement, and that to the influence of an insane jealousy, in the opinion of most of them, must be attributed

the inforences and conclusions of the writer, rath-er than to any criminal conduct on the part of

THE ANTI-RENTERS .- The anti-rent troubles in Renssalaer and other counties in New York, ap-

m tenssation and othe increase. Every week brings fresh tidings of outbreaks, violations of the laws, and assaults upon public officers and peaceable citizens. They are compelled to keep a large guard around the prisons in which any of the anti-

renters are confined, in order to secure them.— This is a deplorable state of affairs and should be put down by the strong arm of the law.

THE DISMAL SWAMP .- A friend informs th

FATAL RAIL ROAD ACCIDENT .- As the four

[Balt, Sun of Wednesday.

wash brush.

the wife.

ring the process. Strain it, and add a peck of salt dissolved in warm water, three pounds of

MANUFACTURES IN THE DISTRICT .--- We understand that Col. Bomford is building a muslim tory on the ruins of his old flour mills near Ge a muslin factory on the ruins of his old flour mills near George-town. We have often been surprised that the citi-zens of Georgetown, with water power far beyond that of Lowell or Pawtucket, should have suffered the bank of the Canal, beside the majestic Poto-mac, to continue a softary place, when, by the hand of enterprise it might have been covered with buildings of granite equal in size to the Palaces of the Medicii or Castles of the Gorman Barons, whose daily products would have loaded fleets of Mer-chantmen larger than the squadrons of Xerxes, [Madisonian.]

POLLY BODINE CONVICTED.—This wretched woman was found guilty of murder in the first degree, on Saturday last, the jury recommending her to mercy. The prisoner received her sen-tence, while in her seat, with apparent firmess, and did not weep until she had reached the door-way. Her son, Albert, (who is a remarkably fine looking youth.) was the only member of her fam-ily who was present and accompanied his mother out of Court. He wept bitterly, and it is said to have been an affecting sight to see him leaving the Court room. It is the intention of her coun-sel to appeal to the Supreme Court.—Balt. Sun. POLLY BODINE CONVICTED .- This wretche

BEAUTIFUL SUGAR .- The new process is working wonders in the sugar of Louisana. We have at our office a sample of three hundred packages made on one plantation, which is whiter, and on the whole more beautiful, than any sugar ever imported from the West Indies. The expense of the new process is no more than that of the old except for machinery. This parcel of augar was received at Philadelphia, and most of it sold there at $9\frac{1}{2}$ a $9\frac{3}{2}$ cts. lb. The highest sale of St. Croix sugar yet made was at $6\frac{1}{2}$ cts. [N. Y. Jour. Com.

CONNECTICUT.—Owing to the divided vote of he Connecticut Delegation in Congress upon the Texas question, and other reasons, which must

be apparent to every one, this State has been suf-fered to go over to the Whigs. A minority of the voters have elected Whig Representatives to Congress, and this the Intelli-gencer gravely calls a rebuke to the Democracy for advocating annexation. Should Mr. Foster, the Whig annexation candidate, be elected in Tennessee, we presume that also will be a rebuke to the friends of annexation.—Madisonian.

NEW GOVERNOR OF WISCONSIN.—It is said, and no doubt truly, that N. P. Tallmadge has been removed from the Gubernatorial Chair of Wisconsin, and General Henry Dodge appointed Wisconsin, and General Henry Dodge appointed in his place. Dodge was formerly Governor of the Territory, but was removed by Harrison, to give place to Doty. Mr. Tallmadge made up his plans two years ago to remove to Wisconsin, and somehow, persuaded Mr. Tyler to appoint him Governor. It was altogether an unfit appoint-ment, and it was not well received in the Territo-ry with the afficies of which the new Governor. ry, with the affairs of which the new Governor was of course unacquainted, and the re-appointment of Dodge will prove very acceptable. [N. Y. Morning News.

Paris, by the last census, contains a million of inhabitants. Every twenty minutes a death and a birth take place.

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On Tuesday the 8th inst., by the Rev. Mr. Andrews, DANIEL G. HENRIE, Esq. to Miss ELIZA JANE KENNEY, daughter of Mr. James A. Kerney, of Kerneysville, Jeffer-son county, Va. By the Rev. Mr. Hickman, in Saline County, Missouri, on the 19th day of March last, Doct. ALFRED L. TOOLES, formerly of Fluvanna county, Va., to Miss JANE P. VAUGHAN, second daughter of the late Dr. N. M. Vangh-an of Goochland county, Va., both parties of Saline county, Me. an of Goochl county, Mo.

county, Mo. At the same time and place, Dr. MAGNUS W. TATE, formerly of this county, to Miss ANN C. VAUGHAN, eldest daughter of Dr. N. M. Vaughan, dec d-bohr residents of Saline county, Mo. On Monday morning last, by the Rev. Mr. Bergonier Mr. DANIEL S. WITE, to Miss ELIZABETH DOLL, all of Martim-burg, Berkeley county. On the 10th inst., by the Rev. J. Boggs, Mr. GEORGE, F. DONALDBON, to Miss SARAH WILSON, of Berkeley county.

DIED.

On Tuesday, evening last, EDWARD DALLAS, infant son of Mr. Patrick welly of Harpers-Ferry.

On Tuesday last, after a long and protracted confine-nent from Consumption, Mr. Hyan MADDOX, of Harpers-erry, aged about 45 years.

county.

PENNSYLVANIA AND THE BALTIMORE AND OHIO RAILROAD.—A letter from Harrieburg, dated Fri-day, says :—"The bill from the Senate relative to the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad was taken up, the Baltimore and Ohio Kaliroad was taken up, and after some time, on motion, the committee rose, and being refused leave to sit again, the bill came up on second reading, when a motion was made to postpone until Monday next, which was lost—yeas 25, nays 57. The bill was then postponed for the present, by consent of its-friend."—Balt. Sun. MORE MORMON FOOLERY .- The Warsaw Sig

Mone Monmox FooLarx.—The Warsaw Sig-nal says :—" We learn from a gentleman direct from Nauvoo, that a new revelation has been re-ceived in relation to the temple. The work, on that structure, is to be almost entirely suspended for the present, and the whole energy of the saints is to be devoted to the building of the wall or ram-part around the edifice. This wall is to enclose six acres; the temple in the centre. It is to be fourteen feet high, six feet thick, composed of solid stone masonry. The work on this new monu-ment of folly, has been already commenced, and hundreds of hands are employed in carrying it for-ward.—Ball. Sun.

The Petersburg Intelligencer speaks favorably of a one-wheel Sulky invented by a Mr. Reamington.

It is said that Mr. Calhoun is about to pub-lish a work on the political men and measures of his day.

Miscellaneous Notices.

The undersigned, with the balance of the citizens o the Island Virginius-return their grateful thanks to the

The undersigned, with the balance of the citizens of the Island Virginius—return their grateful thanks to the citizens of Harpers-Ferry, and to the Firemen in particu-lar, for their prompt and energetic efforts to subdue the fire on yesterday. But for the noble efforts of the firemen, the destruction of property would have been very great. HERR & BROTHERS. JESSE SCHOFIELD. Island Virginius, April 9, 1845.

Pew Rents.

The Renters of the Pows in the Presbyterian Church, Charlestown, are notified that the pew rents for the past year are now due. Prompt payment is requested. GEO. LEE STEWART is authorized to receive dues for rent. April 4, 1845.

Corn and Oats

WILL be taken in payment for any dues to this Office, if delivered immediately. April 18, 1845. Plain and Ornamental Plastering.

WILLIAM R. BRENT, formerly of the firm W of GALLAHER & BEENT, takes this method of informing the citizens of this place and its vi-cinity, that he is fully prepared to execute all work in the above business, in the very best style and finish. He flatters himself that his past experience, both here and in the eastern cities, will confer on him a share of public patronage. Thank-ful for past favors, he would solicit their continu-ance, and would further say that all work entrust-

ed to him will be ensured. He is also prepared to put on, in the best mati-ner, Stucco Wash, of different colors, a new and splendid article for the outside of buildings, war-ranted to stand, and to retain its color in all kinds

of weather. Charlestown, April 18, 1845-3t.*

FOR SALE.

THE subscriber offers for sale, a pair of dark brown Horses. They match well, and one of them is a superior Saddle Horse, of fine appear-ance and perfectly gentle. They will be sold to-gether or separately. R. PARKER. Harpers-Ferry, April 18, 1845-3t.

Carter's Hotel. Charlestown, April 18, 1845-1f.

Trustee's Sale.

BY virtue of a Deed of Trust from James Over-ton and Sarah Overton his wife, dated Sep-tember 10, 1838, to the undersigned, for the bene-

CARTER'S HOTEL

TEUCE-ETLET THATE-MOUSEL. THE very liberal encourgement which the pub-lic has extended to this Establishment indu-ces the Proprietor to hope that he may continue to deserve and receive a continuation of that patron-sge, and pledges himself that neither exertion nor expense will be spared in his efforts to please. A new and comfortable hack and horses kept for the accommodation of the public. ISAAC N. CARTER, Proprietor. CHARLESTOWN, Jefferson County, Va., April 11, 1845.

United States Hotel, HARPERS-FERRY, VIRGINIA. THE undersigned most respectfully informs the public that he has leased the Hotel at Let the public that he has leased the Hotel at Harpers-Ferry, known as the UNITED STATES HOTEL. He has been flattered by the kind testimonials he has received of the satisfaction and approval of his conduct as a Landlord in *Charlestown*, and bringing to his residence the ex-perience of some years, he believes he will be able to maintain his character among his friends, and to accuire new tributes of appropriation from

and to acquire new tributes of approbation from the travelling public. He is determined to keep a good house, and one which will recommend

He,asks the travellers by the Raid Road as wel It is all others to give him one call, and if there be any reasonable cause of complaint, of the fare or the manner of its service, a second visit will not be expected. He will endeavor to be polite and courteous, and all in his employ, connected with the Hotel, will be required to practice the same deportment. Preparations have been made for deportment. Preparations have been made for the accommodation of visiters—singly or in fami-lies, and the best the markets afford will be at the service of his patrons. His bar will be furnished with good WINES and LIQUORS, and his Sta-ble will be attended by one of the best ostlers the State can produce. JOS. F. ABELL. State can produce. April 11, 1845.

FOR SALE.

WILL be sold, privately, between this and April Court, (Monday 21st,) and if not sold privately, will be offered at public sale at that time,

Four Acres of Land, adjoining Charlestown. This ground will be sold together, or in such quantities as will suit those wishing to buy. Terms, &c. made known on ap-plication. T. C. BRADLEY. April 11, 1845.

FOR RENT.

THE House and Lot new the Methodist Church is for rent the present year. Possession given immediatey. April 4. BRAXTON DAVENPORT. April 4:

Servant Wanted. MIDDLE-AGED Negro Woman, who is A MIDDLE-AGED Negro Woman, who is a good Cook, and competent to manage a Dai-ry, is wanted for the next year. A liberal price will be given, if application be made immediately EDWARD LUCAS. Near Halltown, April 4, 1845.

REMEMBER THE OLD STAND.

Cheap Tailoring Establishment.

THE undersigned has just received the latest and most approved FASHIONS of the day, with 19 figures handsomely colored. He tenders his sincere thanks to his friends and customers for the liberal patronage heretofore extended to him, and begs leave to inform his **DR.** ALEXANDER offers his profes-sional services to the citizens of Charles town and the vicinity. Residence third door East fashionable style, for 25 per cent, less than the

usual price, for cash. N. B.—All work done in this establishmen shall not be surpassed by any in this county. J. H. KININGHAM. Charlestown, April 4, 1845-3t.

Money Wanted.

tember 10, 1838, to the undersigned, for the bene-fit of Jacob Foreman—which said Deed is duly recorded in the Clerk's Office of the County Court of Jefferson—I shall, on SATUDAY, the 10th day of May, 1845, before James Walling's Vir-ginia Hotel, in the town of Harpers-Ferry, sell at public versing to the highest bidder, for ready respectfully request all persons indebted to me, either in town or country, to call by the time above named, and pay a respectable portion, if not the Avis, Miss Virginia Avis, Mrs. Rebecca Andrews, V. Henry Allen W William

FOR RENT. Will, be rented to a small family, one good Room, with privilege of Kitchen, garden, &c., &c., ha pleasant part of the town. A rea-sonable rent will be received. Apply immediate ly to WM, AVIS. April 11, 1845.

DENTISTRY.

DR. McCORMICK respectfully informs the citizens of Jefferson that he will spend the month of May in Charlestown, and will be pleased to attend to all calls in the line of his prolession. April 4, 1845-4t.

DR. WM. R. RAUM,

HAS removed to the brick dwelling one door east of Mr. Samuel Young's silversmith shop, where he may be found when not profess

ly engaged. For Sale, on a credit of six months, a valuable Mare, that works and rides well. April 4, 1845-3t.

B. F. WASHINGTON,

ATTORNEY AT LAW. Charlestown, Jefferson Co., Va., DRACTISES in the Courts of Jefferson and L adjoining counties. Office next door to Mr. Beard's Apothecary store, opposite the Post Office. April 4, 1845.

A Card to the Ladies.

A Card to the Ladies. MRS. M. A. KININGHAM has commenced the Dress Making business, and solicits a call from the Ladies. She has made arrangements to receive the latest Fashions regularly. A new style of Riding Habits just received. Residence in the rear of Mr. John Stephenson's, on the street leading to the Methodist Church. April 4, 1845—3t.

Lime for Sale. THE subscriber has just burned a kiln of un-L usually fine Lime, any quantity of which can be had either by application to D. B. Washington, at the late residence of J. T. A. Washington, or to the undersigned in Charlestown B. F. WASHINGTON. April 4, 1845-3t.

Fresh Cows for Sale.

OFFER two or three Cows with their calves I OFFER two or three Cows with their caives for sale. They are of superior milchera; in-deed it is seldom such cows can be purchased, and are only sold because I am overstocked. I have likewise a few bushels of Clover Seed for sale; all of which property can be obtained on the most accommodating terms. April 4-3t.* R. S. BLACKBURN.

For sale at unusually low prices, by ADAM YOUNG, Agent. Harpers-Ferry, April 4, 1845.

Silk Vestings, &c.

Gambroons. For sale by. ADAM YOUNG, Agent, April 4, 1845. Main street, Harpers-Ferry.

CUMBERLAND COAL-For sale by April 4. KEYES & KEARSLEY.

LARD.-We wish to purchase Lard. April 4. KEYES & KEARSLEY.

LIST OF LETTERS

R EMAINING in the Post Office at Harpers-Ferry, Va., on the 1st April, 1845, which, if not taken out before the 30th of June next will be sent to the General Post Office as dead letters :

T.

Lester, Wm.

Langdon, Almira

Laypole, Henry

SILK Vestings-splendid; Satin Scaris-magnificent;

do Cravats, do.;-Plaid Drilling, (new style;) Hanover Slashes;

Roanoke Jeans;

Another Supply OF Kid Gloves, assorted colors; Ladies' Hose, all colors; Plaid Muslin, Cotton Gloves; Fancy Checks, Dimity Lace Lawns; Scotch Gingham, White Cambric; Nankeen, Misses Hose, Spool Cotton, & C.

and Wood sts. Wm. A. Hill's Exchange office, between 4th and Diamond alley. R. & R. H. Patterson's Eagle and Bazaar Liv-R. & R. H. Patterson's Eagle and Bazaar Liv-ter. Mix, and let it stand for several days. Then here and patterson's Eagle and Bazaar Liv-ter. Mix, and let it stand for several days. Then

ery Stables, Diamond alley and 4th sts. Associate Reformed Church, 4th near grant;

Baptist Church, Grant st. Blakewell's extensive glass works, Water above

Grant. The Monongahala House, destroyed with all

the furniture. Monongahala Bridge, entirely destroyed. It is rumored that several lives were lost on the

Bridge. The Dallas Iron Works, in Pipetown, entirely

destroyed. The loss sustained in the destruction of the above buildings is immense, but it is small compared with the destruction of merchandise in the warehouses on Water, Wood, 1st and 2d streets. The merchants found it impossible to attempt to save any thing; whole blocks were destroyed in a few minutes, and the most they could do was to make an effort to save their books, and but few of them succeeded even in that.

It will be many years before our city can re-cover from the effects of this dreadful calamity; it has cast a blight over the commercial and ma-nufacturing enterprise of hundreds of our most worthy citizens, and in an hour has swept from them all the profits of years of toil and industry. 'To their fellow citizens who have been fortunate enough to escape this wide-spread destruction, they must look for aid to "commence the world anew," and we are confident they will not look in vain.

We write in the hurry, confusion and excitement of the terrible time, and under the physi-cal weariness caused by the laboring to save the furniture of the house of one of the editors, which has burned to the ground-therefore, we may omit much that we ought to notice-but we have endeavored to give as full an account of the calamity as we could. We are informed that two lives were lost at

the fire yesterday. One was an old woman in the neighborhood of Grant and Third streets, who had no aid to remove her furniture, and she re-fused to leave her dwelling until it was too late to save her. The other that we heard of was a tleman doing business in Wood street, but we. hope it may be a mere report. We hear rumors of many lives being lost, but as none of the reports are authentic we refrain from giving them until we receive more reliable inform

[From the Pittsburg Morning Post of Saturday.]

THE DISMAL SWAMP.—A friend informs the Madisonian that the recent fire in the swamp has driven from their hiding places a large number of runaway slaves, who have, in many cases, been secreted for years. An old black woman, being burnt ont of her capacious home, sought out, and claimed her master; and, in addition to this return of property, she brought with her eleven children, all her own, serving as an indemnity or remune-ration for her long absence. Any quantity, of bears, foxes, rnd other animals, already roasted, is to be found; and all that a hungry man has to do is to the to the smoking meats and satiate his tappetite. We have just returned from an hour's walk We have just retinied instant of the disastrous conflagration. Frightful as was the progress of the flames, and terrible as the havoc seemed, while it was go-ing on, no one can realize the losses and priva-tion of the set of the set of the set of the set of the losses and privations our citizens have sustained, until he walks through the forest of naked chimnies, and bro-ken walls, which mark the path of the destroying kein walls, which mark the path of the destroying element. Of the 1,200 houses, which were esti-mated as the number lost, about 700 were dwel-lings, and we suppose at least 4,000 persons have been thrown out of house and home. Fortunate-ly, the weather, though somewhat cool, has been dry, and thus the removal of property was less difficult, and the sufferings of those who had to re-main exposed to the air less severe than they would otherwise have been. The whole length of the burnt district is about one mile-the average breadth about one hundred and sizty yards-making an area of about sizty acres. appetite:

FATAL RAIL ROAD ACOIDENT.—As the four o'clock train was proceeding towards Frederick yesterday evening, and when about twelve miles from Baltimore, passing a short curve near Buz-zard Rock, an old gentleman named Abel Chap-man, aged about 50 years, who resided in that vi-cinity, was sitting upon the track, and the train approached to within twenty yards of him before he was discovered by the engineer, when it was unfortunately too late to check the speed of the engine, which passed over him, killing him instant-immediately despatched a special train of cars to the scene of death, and had proper care taken of the body of the unfortunate man, whose life was ended under such melancholy circumstances. [Balt, Sun of Wednesday. We mentioned that one woman, Mys. Brooks, was burned, in her house, in Third strest. We have heard of no other loss of life, though fears are entertained for Samuel Kingston, Esq., and Mr. John Johnson, of Alleghany city, who have

keep it in a kettle on a portable furnace, and put it on as hot as possible, with a painters or a white-

On Saturday last at Sandy Hook, near Harpers-Ferry, Mrs. RAY, and her three children-all of one birth. The friends and neighbors of Mrs. Thomas, re-siding at Lexington, Virginia, called a public meeting at the Court-House in that place last On Tuesday morning last, after a short but painful ill-ness, Mrs. MARY DORAN, wife of Mr. Richard D. Doran, of Harpers-Ferry. On Monday the 7th inst., of Scarlet Fever, JULIA, daughter of Wm. P. Alexander, of this county, in the 13th week, to take into consideration the contents of a

pamphlet recently issued by Gov. Thomas, rela-tive to his domestic affairs. Captain Robert White was called to the chair, and the meeting

On Saturday the 12th inst., MARY, daughter of Mr. Thomas Rutherford of this county, in the 7th year of her was addressed by the Rev. Henry Ruffner, Pro fessors Armstrong and Dabney, the Rev. Mr. Skinner and others, and a committee of thirteen

age. On Wedneeday evening, 9th inst., at "Travellers' Rest," in this county, Mrs. GEORGETTE STRIDER, wife of Jas. W. Strider, and eldest daughter of Geo. Webster, of Frederick, Md. was appointed to draft resolutions expressive of the sense of the meeting. The resolutions are lengthy, and assert that "no young lady ever lived in that community who uniformly sustained a more exalted character for purity of morals and refinement of manners than did Mrs. Thomas

of Frederick, Md. On the lat inst. of scarlet fever, aged three years and ten days, LELIA HAY, daughter of the Rev. W. G. H. and Frances C. Jones, of Millwood, Clarke county, Va. At Williamstown, Massachusetts, on the 20th of last February, CLARISSA MARIA DANGORTH, wife of the Rev. Geo. R. Entler, formerly of this county. On Thursday the 10th inst., after a painful illness, GEO. WOLFE, Eq., in the 76th year of his age, a wor-thy and respectable citizen of Martinsburg, Berkeley county. retinement of manners than did hirs. Likeling previous to her marriage," and that "since her return from Maryland her conduct has been mod-est, retiring, and becoming a lady in her trying circumstances." The resolutions further state "that the confidence heretofore felt in the purity market in the confidence heretofore felt in the purity

ity.

The Markets.

BALTIMORE MARKET-April 12, 1815.

BALTIMORE MARKET-April 12, 1845. FISH.-A few hundred bbls. new Herrings have ar-rived during the week, a portion of which sold at \$475 per bbl. There are now old ones in market. Small ar-rived some are field at \$12. We quote No. 2 at \$1025 and No. 3 at \$650, with considerable sales of the latter the better qualities, however, of the same number, have been selling at \$7 and \$750. Col fish are worth 24 at 3 cents per lb. The inspections of fish for the week, are : to barrels and 130 half barrels Shad ; and 130 barrels of Herring. POTATOES.-The quantity of Mercer Potatoes how at be wharves is about 9,000 bushels which are selling at \$5 at 66 cents, as in quality, for large quantities ; high-er rates are asked for smaller lots. BYRRITS.-Sales of Whiskey have been made at ra-the few operations none of the prime parcels, we believe in some and fair qualities at 64 to 65 cents per 1b. WOOL-Nothing of morent has been accepted. WOOL-Nothing of morent has been deced at 17 a 19 ets. CL-Nothing of morent has been deced at 17 a 19 ets. CL-Nothing of morent has been deced at 17 a 19 ets. MOVER SEED-Continues dull ; and except appa-rently some little speculative movement, we might say it was without demand. Timothy seed is also dull at \$175 to \$2 the at the speculative movement, we might say it was without demand. Timothy seed is also dull at \$175 to \$2 the at the speculative movement, we might say it was without demand. Timothy seed is also dull at \$175 to \$2 the at the speculative movement, we might say it was without demand. Timothy seed is also dull at \$175 base is and there is but little Flars accept appa-rently some little speculative movement, we might say it was without demand. Timothy seed is also dull at \$175 base is and there is but little Flars accept appa-menty some little speculative movement, we might say it was without demand. Timothy seed is also dull at \$175 base is an there is but little Flars.-April 17, 1845.

BALTIMORE MARKETS-April 17, 1845.

Ferry, aged about 45 years. On Friday last, Mr. GEORGE COMITON, of Harpers-Ferry, aged about 60 years. On Sunday last, Mr. BENJAMIN M. SNOOK, of the same place, aged about 30 years. On Sunday last, Mr. SOLOMON SNOOK, father of the last named gendeman, aged about 62 years. [Both of these gentiemen were intered by the I, O, O, Fellows, of which they were worthy and acceptable members.] On Saturday last at Sandy Hook, near Harpers-Ferry, Mrs RAy, and her there children, all of one birth.

Harpers-Ferry, April 18, 1845.

New Spring Goods. WE are opening a well assorted suppl SPRING GOODS, to which we in

the attention of all who like good bargains. HARRIS, HAMMOND & CO April 18, 1845.

MACARONI.-Just received and for sale

DOMESTICS, &c.

400 YDS. 7-8 Checks; 300 yds. 3-4 Plaids; 2000 yds. Brown Muslin; 1000 "Bleached do.; Burlaps, No. 3 and 4; "

400 " 4-4 and 7-4 Osnaburgs; Received by ADAM YOUNG, Ag ADAM Received by Corner Store, Main street, Harpers-Ferry, April, 18, 1845.

Just Received. 50 DOZ. Ladies Hose, assorted; 200 pieces Calico; 20 pieces printed Lawns; Mouslin de Laine, Burage, Balzarine; Marquisse, Book Muslin, Linen Hdkfs.; Sun Shades, colored and white Cambric;

Irish Linen, Fans, &c. ADAM YOUNG, Ager

G LASS, 8 by 10, 10 by 12, 12 by 18; Paint Brushes, Sash Tools; Large Tubs, Buckets; Willow Chairs, Baskets : Whips, Cotton Twine, Candle Wick, Batting, For sale by ADAM YOUNG, Ager

Harpers-Ferry, April 18, 1845. Groceries Fruits, &c.

C., Porto Rico and Havana loaf and l

1. Sugar; Rio, Laguira and St. Domingo Coffee; Imperial and Young Hyson Tea; N. O. Molasses; Bacon and Lard ; Oranges, Lemons, Almonds, Raisins; Pepper, Alspice, Ginger; Chocolate, No. 1, 124 cts, per lb. For sale b ADAM YOUNG, Ager Harpers-Ferry, April 18, 1845.

eady	named, and pay a respectable, portion, if not the	Allen, W. William	Lesaierdy, C.
hen-	whole amount of their indebtedness to me. WM. J. STEPHENS.	Adams, Mrs. Sarah	M.
d ly-	Harpers-Ferry, April 4, 1845.	a application and B.C handled .	McCoy, Wm. 9
te of	The second se	Beckham, Fountain 4	McCoy, John 2
anti-	Potatoes for Sale.	Beckham, Thomas	Martin, John
hree	I HAVE for sale a large quantity of good Pota- toes. They will be sold low, if application be	Bargers, N. John 2	Mohan, Joseph
(FIL)	L toes. They will be sold low, if application be	Baughman & Co.,	McDonald, Wm.
	made immediately.	Boteler, Thos. A.	McCarty, James
ee.	April 4. BRAXTON DAVENPORT.	Busey, Elizabeth	McBride, James
1994-96	Fashionable Caps.	Bidornt, Peter	Moore, James Mathews, Joseph
163116	o DOZ. Fine Cloth Slouch Caps, received by	Brorson, John	Martin, James
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nvite	A Fresh Supply.	Buckles, Henry	Narvis, Louisia
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Ο.	L with an extensive Stock of	C.	O'Neill', Daniel 2
0.0100000	Hardware, Cutlery, Groceries, &c.,	Casey, Tarens	O'Bannion, Samuel
le by	which he respectfully invites the public to exam-	Coccy, George	Q.
Y	ine before purchasing elsewhere.	Crawford, D. T. Elder	Quinn, Thos.
248.10	April 11. THOMAS RAWLINS.	Clapsaddle, Ferdinandis	
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S	HORSE BILLS,	Con, Amelia	Ragan, Richard
	TTH or without a cut, and JOB WORK of	D	Rooker, Rev. W. Y.
1000	VY every description, executed at the shortest	Derry, Lucindia	Riley, Wm.
对自治	notice, in the best style, and on reasonable terms,	Dehart, Wm. H.	Ruleman, Mary Jane
-11 UA	at the office of	- E.	S. rein
27	April 11, 1845.	Elgin, Wm. S. 2	Stipes, Lydia
1	The Elegant Draught Horse,	- F.	Strider, John
8		Fitzsimmons, Jas. A. 4	Snooks, Henry
	JEFFERSON ROAN,	Foley, Michael	Schne, Michael
1200	TTTIL, stand the present Season, (which has	Foster, Wm. A.	Shawn, Hamilton J.
4. 22	WILL stand the present Season, (which has commenced, and will end on the 22nd day	Fox, Jacob	Schlaghter, John
	of June next,) at the following places, viz :	Farrell, Patrick	Smith, C.
1.1.1.1.	On Mondays and Tuesdays at the stable of the	Fossett, Susan	m a pinte
1	subscriber, three miles North of Charlestown; on	Fossett, A.	Taylor, Reuben
	Thursdays and Fridays at the stable of Mrs. Jane	G.	Tearney, John
12.2.51	Washington, near the White House, Jefferson	Gilbert, Eliza	Ternan, Thos.
	county, Va. [For terms, &c., see Hand-Bills, at	IT IT T	Vickers, Thos.
ml.	the different stands and public places.] Great	Hamden, H. J.	Viauds, John
abi de	care will be taken to prevent accidents or escapes,	Hall, William P.	W.
12.85	but I will not be accountabe should any occur	Hedrick, Hannah	Wood, Younger
1.5	Public days are excepted in the above stands.	Horn, Alexander	Willis, Adeline
1233	Jefferson Roan	Jeffres, E. E. John	Watts, Albert
145%	Is a beautiful Red Roan, six years old this	K	Williams, Samuel
Star 1	Spring, full seventeen hands high, of fine form	Kirby, Wm.	Υ.
, &c.			Young, Alexander
nt.	or harness. He was sired by George Pultz's		Yantes, Solomon W.
	Roan horse, he by James Grantham's old Blue	Kreighoff, Earl	
10000000	Roan, Superior; the dam of Pultz's horse by Snap.	JOHN	G. WILSON, P. M
	The dam of Jefferson Roan was by Independence.	Harpers-Ferry, April	4, 1845,
lump	URIAH RUTHERFORD.	NOT	TICE.
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	The following, among numerous other certifi-	THE purchasers at Hammond, Esq., a become due on the 8th	re untified that their no
	cates, are furnished, showing the estimation in which the produce of Jefferson Roan is held:	become due on the 8th	of April, and that they
• 191	which the produce of Jenerson Roan is hold	now in the hands of	or representation of the second
10.90	IFI have a fine colt by Jefferson Roan, and all	March 28. KEYES & KEARSLEY	
14	the colts I have seen of his get, are promising.		
by	April 7, 1845. CHARLES YATES.	PLASTERING.	
ent.	III have two colts folded this Spring, by Uriah	FIT HE season for Plastering having arrived,	
	Rutherford's Roan horse, and they are very good	the undersigned i	s ready to execute work
1301	ones. I also believe him to be a sure foal getter.	his line with all reason	able despatch, and in
Die fi	April 9, 1845. WILLIAM MOORE.	hast manner He heli	aves he may refer with c
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t she	mains for mares. U. R.	done work as to the fa	ithful and neat style of

THE subscribers give notice to the farmers of Jefferson, who may wish to purchase Mc-Cormick's

that they have placed a Machine, with a carriage attached, under a shelter upon the farm of Androw Kennedy, Esq., near Charlestown, where all who feel interested are requested to call and examine it. Those who wish to purchase are requested to make application to us by letter, at White Post P. O., Clarke county, Virginia. JAMES M. HITE & SON. March 21, 1845-14.

March 21, 1845-4,

Y. exander. olomon W. ON, P. M. of George W ud that they are EARSLEY. ing arrived, the

The undersigned is ready to execute work in his line with all reasonable despatch, and in the best manner. He believes he may refer with con-fidence to citizens of Jefferson for whom he has done work, as to the faithful and neat style of his finish, and he is determined to increase his efforts to give satisfaction.

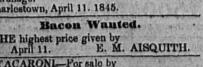
to give satisfaction. Whitewashing, in the neatest style, also done upon short notice. JOHN W. GALLAHER.

Charlestown March 28, 1845-tf.

Tobacco and Segars.

JUST received, 1 box Barrow's superior To-bacco-price only 314 cents. Also, Havana, Riffe, Carsadose, Spanish and Half Spanish Segars. The above, added to our former stock of Tobacco, inakes our assortment very good. Those who use the above articles will please call and examine our stock. March 28. MILLER & TATE,

April 11, 1845, NOTICE. Improved Wheat Reaper,



BALTIMORE MARKETS—April 17, 1845. CATTLE—There was effered at the scales yesterday, so head of BeetCaule, 211 of which were sold to butchis-according to quality. 99 were driven to other markets and the balance remain on hand unsold. Live Hogs are curve, and are selling at \$5 per 100 lbs., net, according to quality. 99 were driven to other markets and the balance remain on hand unsold. Live Hogs are tracted and are selling at \$5 per 100 lbs., net, according to quality. 99 were driven to other markets and the balance remain on hand unsold. Live Hogs are tracted and are selling at \$5 per 100 lbs., net, according to quality. 99 were driven to other markets and the balance remain on hand unsold. Live Hogs are tracted and are selling at \$5 per 100 lbs., net, according to quality. 99 were driven to other markets and the balance remain on hand unsold. Live Hogs are tracted and the state of a \$1 50. The according to quality of the second of grade and second for Corn has fallen off. We quote Md. white at 0 a \$1 cts., and yellow at \$21 ta \$1 cents. Oats are worth \$2 cents. PROVISIONS.—There is an active demand for Bacont and assorted 7 cents. The stocks offering for sells are and assorted 7 cents. The stocks offering for sells are and assorted 7 cents. The stocks offering for sells are and assorted 7 cents. The stocks offering for sells are and assorted 7 cents. The stocks offering for sells are and assorted 7 cents. The stocks offering for sells are and assorted 7 cents. The stocks offering for sells are and assorted 7 cents. The stocks offering for sells are and assorted 7 cents. The stocks offering for sells are and assorted 7 cents. The stocks offering for sells are and assorted 7 cents. The stocks offering for sells are are appresented in some instances. Were appresented in some instances. The stocks offering for sells are are appresented in some instances. The stocks offering for sells are are presented in some instances. The stocks offering for sells are appresented in some MILLINGERY. MISS MARIA HOOPER, respectfully an-has commenced the Millinery Business in all its branches, in the room formerly occupied as a Store by the late J. J. Frame, where she pledges herself to make and trim Bonnetts in a manner and style not surpassed dny where, and on rea-sonable terms. She will receive in a few days, the 'latest fashions.' She hopes by prompt at-tention to the wants of the Ladies to receive liber-al nationasce.

Harpers-Ferry, April 18, 1845.

GLASS, &c.

VANITY OF THIS WORLD. ny TOM MOORE. world is all a fleeting show, The work is illusion given : For man's illusion given : The smiles of Joy, the tears of Wee, Deceifful shine, deceitful flow-There's nothing true but heaven ! And false the light on Glory's plume, As fading hurs of Even ; And love, and heav, and beauty's bloom Are blossons gather'd for the tomb— There's nothing bright but heaven !

Poor wanderers of a stormy day, From wave to wave we're driven, And fancy's fissh, and Reason's my, Serve but to light the troubled way— There's nothing calm but heaven!

GAY BANNERS. Gay banners find gay flowers; But, from their station hurl'd., The gay forsake them and pursue The pext that are unfurl'd.--Scorr.

ON & BEAUTFUL HEARTLESS WOMAN. A woman with a winning face, Bat with a heart untrue, Though beantiful, is valueless. As diamonds form'd of dew.-Morris.

Variety.

Hints. If you wish to render your whitewash durable and prevent it cracking and peeling off, fully sat-urate the water with which it is mixed, with sait. Beef brine, or pickle from the pork tub, answers well for the purpose. Instruct your boys to respect and protect the birds. One robin will do more towards destroy-ing the huma and other issectivery depreciators.

ing the bugs and other insectiverous depredators that infest your crops, than a dozen men. In transplanting trees see that you do not prune

too closely. The small, fibrous roots ought in no case to be injured. Only where the largest roots are lacerated or deeply excoriated, should the knife be applied. Excessive pruning of the limbs is also highly detrimental.

If you plant peach trees, select an elevated situation, where the air has a free and unobstructed circulation. Choose a light, friable soil, and ma-nure well; this is one of the great mysteries of

peach raising. See that you have good tools. Grub Grimes, frets and scolds and worries himself with a bro-ken implement, and with all his industry and fretfulness accomplishes but 'half-a-day's work in a day. There is no philosophy and no economy in such a course. Provide yourself with the best tools, and, having paid for them, see that they are taken care of.

Be generous to the needy and the destitute, and, above all, pay the Printer.

MARRIAGE .- How differently do youth and age argue on that matter, and how very opposite are the circumstances which it throws into the scale of imaginary happiness. Both may be erroneous; but when the path of life has been trodden, and all its early blandishments and bloom are fallen into the sear and withered leaf, how few they are who know how to recall the time when their bosoms beat with other aspirations than there of wealth beat with other aspirations than those of wealth or title, or any of the items which make up a marriage of convenience. If the aged could be less dry and hard, the young might, perhaps, be-come less impetuous and headstrong. On men of lighter minds, the vices of the world, and what are too lightly mamed its follies set in a

and what are too lightly named its follies, act in a different way, and only serve to render them frivolous and contemptible; but on characters of a deeper stamp, if these obtain asway, it becomes of greater magnitude, of more extensive evil. To every individual, indeed, as a responsible being (in which light none can be passed over or considered valueless;) the terrible consequences of ill-conduct are equally momentous; but, as far as respects others, it is the one distinguished above the common kind, whose actions, habits and opinions assume a consequence; which, like a beacon light set on high, becomes a warning or an example to multi-

THE QUARER'S REPROOF .- A few days ago, a sailor on the wharves was swearing very boister-ously, when one of the Society of Friends, passing along, accosted him very pleasantly, and urged him to continue the exercise. Said he, 'swear away, till thee gets all that bad stuff out of thee,

BALTIMORE CITY. R. J. BAKER, MANUFACTURER OF Chipped and Ground Dye Woods and dealer in

DRUGS, MEDICINES, OILS, Paints, Dye-Stuffs, Window Glass, &c 320 MARKET STREET, FOUR DOORS BELOW HOWARD, IBAIL TIEMO IRIDA

March 21, 1845-tf. A CARD.

THE subscriber would respectfully call the at-tention of Merchants, Apothecaries, and others in Virginia and elsewhere, to his assortment of Drugs, Paints, Oils, Spices, Patent

Medicines, &c., viz: Bull's Sarsaparilla—Sands' Sarsaparilla, Chapman's Worm Mixture—Swaim's Panacea, Wright's do. do.; Judkin's Patent Ointment Camphor, refined-Rheubarb, root & powdered, Camphor, refined—Rheubarb, root & powdered, Castor Oil, (cold pressed)—Gum Arabic, Epsom Salts—Roll Brimstone, Magnesia, Calcined and lump, Oil of Lemon and other Oils, Flowers of Sulphur—Calomel—Hydrosublimed, Therefore with a general association of Parin-

Together with a general assortment of Perfunery and Fancy articles. All of which he is prepared to sell on accon dating terms, and to give general satisfaction to those who may favor him with their orders. All goods will be warranted fresh and genuine.

SOLOMON KING, Druggist, No. 8, South Calvert st

Baltimore, November 15, 1844-tf.

COULSON & Co. (Successors to William Emack,)

WHOLESALE DRUGGISTS, No. 4, S. Liberty st., BALTIMORE,

K EEP constantly on hand a large and general assortment of

Drugs, Paints, Oils, Dyc-Stuffs, &c. which they offer upon accommodating terms for cash, or the usual credit to punctual customers.



LIGHT STREET, BALTIMORE, MARYLAND.

W. W. DIX, ARTHUR L. FOGG, PROPRIETORS

HAVING leased this extensive and favorite establishment, and entirely renovated and refitted it thoroughly, so that it can compare advantageously with any similar establishment in the Union, have no hesitation in endeavoring to attract the attention of the travelling public to this favorite Hotel. If the most strenuous exertions, joined to every possible convenience to be found elsewhere, can insure success, they pledge them-selves that its former well-carned reputation, shall not only be merited but surpassed. In accordance with the difficulties of the times,

they have determined to reduce their charges to corresponder TERMS \$1,25 PER DAY. Baltimore, Md., Nov. 15, 1844-1v.

JOHN WONDERLY, Formerly Conductor of the Balt. & Ohio

BALL-BOAD. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

China, Glass and Liverpool Ware-House, No. 47, South street, Baltimore,

NFORMS his friends and the public in gener-A al, that he will sell any articles in his line of business as cheap, or perhaps cheaper than any other house in this city. He respectfully invites a call from his friends, and then they can judge for the truth of the above.

Packing warranted, and Stone-ware for sale t factory prices. Baltimore, Nov. 15, 1844-tf.

GEORGE W. SAPPINGTON, JR., ATTORNEY AT LAW,



No. 11, I. O. O. F.,

No. 11, I. O. O. F.; DESIGN celebrating the Twenty-fifth Anni-versary of Odd-Fellowship, as introduced into the United States, by a Procession, &c., on the First Saturday in May next, (3rd.) An Address will be delivered on the occasion. by a distinguished Brother of the Order. The Brethren of all sister Lodges who may be in standing, are respectfully invited to be present and participate in the services of the day. J. HARRISON KELLY, JOHN W. ROWAN, JOHN W. GALLAHER, GERVIS S. GARDNER,

GERVIS S. GARDNER, JAMES B. SMALL, JOSEPH C. RAWLINS, JOHN DONAVIN, Commutee, 4c.

Charlestown, March 7, 1845.

Town Lots For Sale.

Fown Lots For safe. FOUR Town Lots, each 1-4 of an acre, well fenced in, and situated in the most public and business part of the town. They would suit persons of small means exceedingly well. They would be sold for good paper. Early application will suit best terms. Enquire at February 14, 1845. THIS OFFICE.

FARM FOR SALE.

The Best in Jefferson County, Va.

THE subscriber offers his old residence at pri-vate sale. It is situated 24 miles South of Shepherdstown, 24 miles from Duffield's Depot, on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, and immediately on the road leading from Shepherdstown to Charles town. The farm contains about

300 Acres Prime Lime-stone Land well situated, and in a better state of cultivation than any other in the county. The tract is well watered, having two or three never-failing springs. There are about Seventy Acres of PRIME TIMBER.

The improvements consist in part, of a comfortable two-story

Brick Dwelling House, Brick Smoke-house, Stone Dairy,

a Swisser Barn.

84 feet long, with good stables underneath, suffi-cient for 26 horses, a CORN-HOUSE WITH GRANERY and WAGON-SHED attached. Also, a comfortable

LOG DWELLING AND BLACKSMITH-SHOP belonging to the farm, and situated on the main road.

is on the farm a fin The and THRIFTY ORCHARD of the choicest Fruit, some of the trees

of the choicest Fruit, some of the trees of which are just beginning to bear, and have been selected with great care. Any person desiring further information as to this farm, terms, &c., can address the subscribes m, terms, &c., can address the subscriber

at Shepherdstown, Jefferson county, Va., or call on my son, R. A. Lucas, on the premises. EDWARD LUCAS, Sr. Feb. 28, 1845-tf.

BOOT AND SHOE FACTORY.

New Partnership.

THE undersigned have entered into partnership for carrying on efficiently their business, at the old stand of John Avis, Sen., nearly opposite

the Bank, Charlestown. They mean to keep always on hand the best Leather and other materials that can be procured in the Eastern cities, and will employ none but the best workmen.

the best workmen. Being thus prepared, they invite their old cus-tomers and the public to give them a call, with the assurance that every effort will be made to firm out the most superior work, and a prices which must be satisfactory to all Try-them and have for your OHN AV13 Son. OHN AV13 Son.

THE undersigned, having no other ambition to serve than that of paying his honest debts and those for which ho is liable, and supporting himself in an honorable way, bega leave to in-form his numerous friends, and the public gener-ally, that he has determined, upon the 1st day of April next, to take charge of his LARGE and very commo-dious three-story BRICK HOTEL, in Charlestonen, Jeffer-son county, Virginia. This Hotel is well known at home as well as abroad for the comforts of its pleasant parlors, its delightful chambers, and its very healthy and

SAPPINGTON'S HOTEL.

greable location—situated in the centre of the own—the front presenting a southern exposure, adjoining the public square, near the market house, and but a few steps from the Court House door, having a good pavement leading to the latter —nearly opposite the post office—and in all re-spects decidedly the most desirable and convenient ocation for all business transactions in the town It has also acquired much notoriety and celebri-ty by being known as Abell's Hotel, and without flattery or unmerited applause to Capt. Joseph F. Abell, the public (and especially his patrons) will bear testimony with me to the fact—it is therebear testimony with me to the fact—it is there-fore the privilege and pleasure of the undersigned to express a fond hope for the success of his pre-decessor, and for the undisturbed happiness of his amiable family in their new abode at Harpers-Ferry, where they intend to remove and settle about the 1st of April next. The undersinged deems it only necessary to add, that it will be the constant desire of his heart to keep a genteel, orderly and dignified house, and promises to spare no labor or attention on his

and promises to spare no labor or attention on his part to make it equal, if not more agreeable, than eretofore.

The chambers are all large, airy and comfortable, with fire-place in each, and boarders can have choice of wood or coal for fuel.

The bar shall at all times be supplied with choice Liquors, and, (except upon Sabbath days) may be dealt out in moderation to the weary and thirsty. Having procured from Bushrod Taylor, Esq., of Winchester, one of the best cooks in the Valley, the undersigned ear with great confidence, provise Winchester, one of the best cooks in the Valley, the undersigned can, with great confidence, promise to his guests, dishest are and palatable. And last-ly, relying upon his unlimited acquaintance with the good people of his native county, his own un-remitting exertions to please, and the liberality of a just and generous public, he flatters himself that he will merit, and hopes to receive, a bonntiful share of patronage, with the further assurance, however, that hone who favor him with a call shall go away dissatisfied. His charges will be moderate, and all sorts of country produce will be received in payment of bills now due or contracted hereafter at the Hotel. G. W. SAPPINGTON.

G. W. SAPPINGTON. Charlestown, Jefferson co., Va., } March 14, 1845.

SECOND SUPPLY.

IN addition to my former large and general stock, I have just received from Baltimore, and now opening, some of the most beautiful, durable and fashionable

Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings, ever offered in this market. Gentlemen are re quested to give me a call, as I guaranty they shall be suited in every respect. Common Cas-simere and Cassinett, for cheap Coats and Pants, always on hand and made to order at the shortest notice

IT Garments cut and made as usual; in the best style, whether the materials be furnished by me or purchased elsewhere: JAMES CLOTHIER, Dec. 13, 1844. Merchant Tailor:

Dec. 13, 1844. Merchant Tailor: Oll of Tanula for Leather.

MONEY TO BE SAVED! The proprietors of this preparation say without any hesita-tion, that it is the best article in use. It will not keep harness bright and soft, but will restore old harness that has been taken poor care is tak-ing off the crust, and nating it perfectly soft and pliable. It aids to the woar of tarness or leather at least 30 per cent. It is no article that comes



JEFFERSON BOOT AND SHOE

No. 1, Miller's Rev. J thanks to his friends and customers for their liberal patromage heretofore extended to him, and begs leave to state to his friends and the public generally, that the Boot and Shoe-making will be carried on in its various branches, with redoubled energy, under the name of JAMES McDANIEL & Co., who will have on hand at all times, the best materials; and also the vary best workment that can be procured, and will warrant their work to be inferior to none made in the Valley, and at prices which (they humbly conceive) will render intre satisfaction. They hope the plain, us woll and will exert every effort to give satisfaction. J. McDaniel will always be found at his post, afd will exert every effort to give satisfaction. Ladies will at all times be waited on at their box arms to here work returned, when done. We arms to here work to here the work returned, when done. We arms to here work returned, when done. March 28, 1845. Sheriff of Jefferson Co. Heredache Remedy,

houses, and the work returned, when done. We expect to keep on hand a considerable sup-ply of all kinds of work. Persons who patronize us may rely upon the work being done promptly, and our cash prices cannot be beat.

J. McDANIEL, SAMUEL RIDENOUR.

Charlestown, Feb. 14, 1845-tf. N. B. A journeyman wanted immediately on a ladies banch he ladies ch.

Saddle and Harness Manufactory.

times and then complain that they are not cured. A bottle will cure them. Sold wholesale and retail by COMSTOCK & Co., 21 Cortland street, New York, and by J. H. BEARD & Co., Charlestown, A. M. CRIDLER, Harpers-Ferry, Jan. 17, 1845. HE undersigned would take occasion to re-L turn thanks to his many kind friends for the liberal encouragement extended towards him for the last few years. With the commencement of the new year he has been enabled to make a change in his business, which will prove alike of Further Proof of the Efficacy of advantage to his customers, and beneficial to him-self. He will still continue to manufacture, in the most approved style, and of the best materials. every description of

Saddles, Carriage & Wagon Harness,

M.R. GEORGE T. WARRINGTON, residing in York street, Federal Hill, Baltimore, was attacked with a violent cough and sore throat, and equal, if not superior, to that of any other manu-factory in this section of country. Also, will be kept constantly on hand, or manuafter trying many remedies, was induced by a friend to use Hance's Compound Syrap of Hoar-hound, and before using one bottle was entirely actured to order, the most approved style of

TRAVELLING TRUNKS.

of all sizes, and at the most reasonable prices. A call from old friends and new is still solicited believing from long experience in his business, and a desire to please, mutual satisfaction will be rendered. Work will be sold at prices to suit the times, for cash, or to good customers on the usual credit

COUNTRY PRODUCE, will be taken in exchange for work, at the market price. JOHN BROOK, Agent. Charlestown, Feb. 7, 1845-6m.

STONE CUTTING

WILLIAM LOUGHRIDGE respectfully informs the citizens of Jefferson, Clarke, Frederick, and adjoining counties, who may wish to mark the graves of their lamented dead, that he HANCE'S SARSAPARILLA or BLOOD PILLS, composed entirely of Vegetable Substances, and universally known to be the best medicine for the purification of the blood EVER INVENTED. still continues to make and superscribe

MONUMENTS-Box, Column, and plain TOMB SLABS -- And Head and Foot STONES

OF EVERY VARIETY.

INVENTED. What is that principle which is termed the blood? "The blood is the vital principle of life, and is that fluid by which the entire functions of the sys-tem are regarized, therefore when it becomes in-pure, the general spitch becomes deranged, and gives rise to innumerable discuss." For sale by SUTH 9: HANCE, Having purchased an extensive QUARRY of the most beautiful While and Variagated MAR-BLE, and an extensive water power to saw and polish with, his prices will be LOW. One great One great dvants se to purchasers i., thatall Stop will be delivered at his risk, without any extra charges ii. "LFT TERING neutly recented." We application to Mr. Jas. W. Extra a. Charles-For sale by SUTH H HANGE, corner Charles and Pratt streets, Baltimore, and by J. H. BEARD & Co.

at least 50 per cent. If it is a article that come cheap, and is worth its worthold worth its worthold worthold worth its worth its worth its wort are uniform. Aug. 23, 1844.-1y. HANCE'S MEDICATED CANDY, FOR COLDS, COUGHS & HOARSE NESS. "It has long been the effort of man, To save fellow mortals from death : To cure them of coughs and of colds, Consumption and shortness of breath, The way then at length has been found, For man to obtain quick relief, Its virtues will surely astound, And make him the same of belief; Would you live then in joy and in health, Feel hale when old age shall advance-If so, by far better than wealth,

Is the Candy, made only by HANCE."

Charlestown, Dec. 6, 1844.

Price 25 cents per package, or five for \$1. For sale by SETH S. HANCE, corner

Charles and Pratt streets, Baltimore, and by J. H. BEARD & Co.

HANCE'S SARSAPARILLA VEGETA-BLE OR BLOOD PILLS, FOR PU-

RIFYING THE BLOOD,

removing bile, corrrecting disoders

of the stomach and bowels,

costiveness, dyspepsia, swim-ming in the head, &c. Persons of a full habit, who are subject to *Headache*,

Giddiness, Drowsiness, and singing in the Ears, arising from too great a flow of blood to the head, should never be without them, as

many dangerous symptoms will be entirely carried off by their

immediate uso.

BEWARE OF COUNTERFEITS.

In purchasing these pills, let me add one word of caution. Always ask for HANCE'S PILLS, and purchase of none but those advertised as agents, and if convenient, call and see the proprio-

For sale by SETH S. HANCE, corner of Charles and Pratt streets, Baltimore, and by J. H. BEARD & Co., Charlestown.

The Original Worm Destroyer,

WORMS ! WORMS !!

COMSTOCK'S VERMIFUGE for destroying that part of the nursery; it must be a great gratification to the mother to know that there is a

the wrapper. Sold wholesale by Comstock & Co., 21 Cortland

street, New York, and by J. H. BEARD & Co., Charlestown, A. M. CRIDLER, Harpers-Ferry.

FOR SALE. NEGRO BOY, about eighteen or nineteer years old—a tolorable good Blacksmith— Enguire of the PRINTER.

Spring Mouselins,

Spring Negro Clothing.

January 3, 1845.

Price 25 cents per box, or 5 for \$1.

tor himself.

Election Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on the Fourth Thursday in next month, (April, 1846,) Polls will be opened according to law, for the election of two persons to represent the county of Jene-son in the next House of Delegates of this Com-monwealth—and for a Representative in Congress from the 10th Congressional District of Virginia, of which Jefferson county forms a part. COMMISSIONERS OF ELECTION.

FOR THE CURE OF SICK HEADACHE.

THE CORE OF SIGN HEADACHE. THIS distressing complaint may be cured by using one bottle of Sophn's Sick Headache Remedy, which has cured thousands of the worst cases. Persons after suffering weeks with this deathlike sickness, will buy a bottle of this remedy, and be cured, and then complain of their folly in not buying it before. People are expect-ed to use the whole bottle, not use it two or three times and then complein that they are not cured.

Hance's Compound Syrup of Hoarhound in reliev-

ing afflicted man.

ANOTHER, YET MORE ASTONISHING.

MRS. HENRIETTA MERRICK, residing in Monu-nent street, between Canal and Eden streets, was attacked with a very severe cough and pain

in the breast, which was so intense that it extend-ed to her shoulders. She was afflicted also with

After trying many remedies, she was persuaded by a friend to use Hance's Compound Syrup o Hoarhound, and after using three doses, she ex-perienced great relief, and before she had finished

SETH S. HANCE,

the bottle was entirely cured. Price 50 cents per bottle. For sale by

Corner Charles and Pratt streets, Baltim

and by J. H. BEARD & Co. Charlestown, Dec. 6, 1844.

pain in the side.

cured.

thy heart.' The sailor paused; and with a look of astonishment and shame, bowed to the honest Quaker, and retired from the crowd which his turbulence had gathered around him.

Jonathan, where were you going yesterday when I saw you going to mill ? Why, I was going to mill, to be-sure Well, I wish I had seen you carry a grist for me Why, you '

Yes, but not till you got given out of sign

A related we was latery of the g oy the side of his belowed and team of the to think of any thing one to say the of the and asked her why she " a lailor. I don't know," said she, with a ponting lips "unless its because I am setting beside my goose."

BURLESQUE ON DUELLING .- "The whizzing of rifle balls past the craniums of 'men of honor,' has a most remarkable effect, we have observed, on their opinions. One calls the other a scoundrel; he is told to recall it: the reply is, can't do it in truth-believes what he said-wishes he may be shot if he don't. They go out, scowling like hyenas; stand up like turkies at a shooting match -aim at each other's heads—pull triggers, and -aim at each other's heads—pull triggers, and -nobody's hurt. The "scoundrel" is with-drawn, and, "gentlemen" substituted—both parties look goosey, shake hands, and retire. There is a heap of reason in an ounce of lead, externally applied-as well as poetry in its motions.

A young wife remonstrated with her husband, a dissipated spendthrift, on his conduct. "My love," said he, "I am only like the Prodigal Son; I shall reform by and by." "And I will be like the Prodi-gal Son, too," she replied, "for I will arise and go to my father," and off she went.

We do not believe there is any truth in the story that the young ladies of Cincinnati use a pig's tail for a tooth brush.

A young gentleman lately said to a little urchin that was loitering about his premises without invitation, Young man clear out, be gone, elope, march disfranchise yourself, evacuate, disperse, disgorge cut, be off. At which the boy, suspecting his mean ing, said, 'If you don,t want me here, why don,t you tell me to go home, and be done with it.'

"The price of Liberty is eternal vigilance ! as the debtor said when the constable was following in his footsteps.

"Take, oh take those tips away," as the gudgeon said to the shark.

A barber in Washington being pressed very hard totell whether he was for Polk or for Clay, answered, 'Sir, I shaves both sides.' He was a fence man

"Did yon report that I was a thief, sir ?" angri-ly inquired Snooks, the other day, of one of his neighbors. "No, indeed, I reported no such thing, I only said there were strong suspicions against you, and that I believed the suspicions."

Washington Irving made a mistake when he wrote—"Women by themselves, required little to be comfortable—can live without bustle and with-out form." He should "back-out" of that reflection, says somebody.

"Digby, will you take some of this butter ?" "Thank you, marm, I belong to the Temperance Society, and can't take any thing strong?" replied Digby.

SLIGHTLY IRISIT.—Au anothecary lately sent in a bill to a widow lady, which ran thus—" To eur-ing your husband till he died !"

WILL attend the Superior and Inferior Courter of Jefferson, Berkeley, Frederic and Clarke counties. Residence-Charlestown, Jefferson county, .a.

Jan. 10, 1845-11. BRess Addres

S ADD J. and Harness Horses, -Also a Ba-generated Driver, by G. W. SAPPINGTON.

BAR IBON.

UST received, a large supply of Hughes' fine Bar Iron, from 3-8 by 14 inch to 14 inch by 2 inch; round do. from 4 to 14 inch; band 14 inch wide to 4 inch; square from 4 to 14 inch. A large stock of horse shoe iron and nail rods, that cannot be beat; also, a large stock of plough irons; all of which I will warrant, and will sell low for cash, or to punctual customers upon a short credit March 27. THOS. RAWLINS.

Watches, Jewelry, &c.

THE subscriber respectfully invites the atten L tion of his friends and the public generally o his fine stock of Watches, Jewelry, &c. Ir his assortment will be found-

Gold and Silver Watches in great variety; Ladies and Gentlemen's Gold Neck Chains; Breast-pins and Finger-rings of the most beauful patterns :

iful patterns; Superior Bracelets, Gold Medallions, &c.; Gold and Silver Spectacles, Perifocal Glasses; Silver and plated goods of all kinds; Silver Table and Tea Spoons; Best quality German Silver Spoons, Tortoise-shell Dressing Combs, (a new article) Pocket-books and Silk Purses; Penknives and Scissors, (Rogers' best;) Together with many other articles too tedious to enumerate, all of which will be sold on terms to suit the times.

March 28. CHAS. G. STEWART. N. B.-Watches repaired as usual, and war-ranted for twelve months. C. G. S.

FEW barrels prime Family Herring; A Ground Alum and Fine Salt; For sale by HARRIS, HAMMOND & Co. March 28. STREET ZINC-For sale by March 28. KEYES & KEARSLEY.

Fresh Fruit. 50 BOXES Block Lemons; 40 do Bunch Raisins; BOXES Sicily Oranges; 1 Bale Bordeaux' Almonds. On hand and-for sale by ADAM YOUNG, Agent. Harpers-Ferry, March 21, 1845. CLOVER SEED-A small quantity, for sale March 21.

WINDOW BLINDS-New style and beauti-March 21. J. J. MILLER & WOODS.

CHEAP SHOES.—Women's Shoes, home-made at 621 cents a pair. 'For sale by March 21: J. J. MHLLER & WOODS. MATTING. -6-4 and 4-4 Matting most supe-rior quality and cheap, just received by Feb. 26. J. J. MILLER & WOODS.

DOTATOES of superior quality for table use

for sale by March 21. J. J. MILLER & WOODS. Candies, Fruits, &c.

300 LBS. Fresh Candy, Oranges, Lemons, Raisins, Almonds, Filberts, English Walnuts, Figs, &c., just received by March 14. J. H. BEARD & Co.

Christelown, March 21 1845. ABAR YOUNG, Br., LGENT FOR

Joseph Crosby, of Baltimore,

H AS just received, and is daily receiving fresh supplies of English, American, West and East India Goods, and is prepared to sell, and will sell at a lower rate than can be had at any other Store in Jefferson county, either at Wholesale or Retail. Those at a distance may depend upon finding at his Store, Corner of Main and Potomac streets, Harpers-Ferry, as good an assortment as can be found at any other store, and at prices that will well repay a ride of ten or twenty miles, if as many dollars' worth of goods is wanted. Harpers-Ferry, March 21, 1845.

A Large Assortment

ourses ware

Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Umbrellas; Spades, Rakes, Hoes, Shovels, Pilchforks, &c. CONSTANTLY on hand, and for sale by ADAM YOUNG, Agent. Harpers-Ferry, March 21, 1845.

New Goods. BROWN and Bleached Muslins; New style Prints; Mourning Victorias, Alpaceas, Merinos, Vestings; Osnaburgs, Canton Flannels, Checks; Table covers, Table cloths, Bed-ticking; Crash, Bombazines, Ginghams;

Cassinetts, Linseys; Cassinetts, Lines, J., Irish Linens; Mouslaine de Laine, Shawls, Inserting, Laces; Cradle-blankets, Matting, Carpet Chain, &c., for sale by ADAM YOUNG, Agent.

NEW FIRM.

T HE undersigned having purchased the entire STOCK OF DRY GOODS, Sc. of Mr. C. W. Arsquirn, will continue the business at his Old Stand, where they will sell goods on such terms as cannot fail to please. They can say that they will always be found at their post, and will make every exertion to please, and hope to receive a share of the public favor. Business will be done under the name of

HARRIS, HAMMOND & Co. Charlestown, March 14, 1845.

Groceries.

WE have just received N. O. Brown Sugar Rio Coffee, Rice; Sperm and Tallow Candles; Winter Sperm Oil, warranted good; For sale at a small advance by HARRIS, HAMMOND & Co. March 14, 1845. WE have on hand a small quantity of very fine old Sherry Wine; Cogniae Brandy; Apple Brandy; Old Port and Mader's Wines, &c., which we recommend to the sick. For sale by HARRIS, HAMMOND & Co.

Rare Chance. 1500 LBS. first-rate Spanishand Country SOLE LEATHER, which I will sell to any person taking 100 or more lbs., at 21 cents per lb. Less quantities, 23 cents Cash-25 cents per lb. for all that is Booked, invariably. Feb. 14. THOMAS RAWLINS. OIL CLOTH, of superior quality, for sale by Feb 14. J. J. MILLER & WOODS.

LAMBAUGH'S COMPOSITION.—A fresh supply of this valuable medicine, for either Chronic or. Inflamatory Rheumatism. Just pre-pared and for sale by J. H. BEARD & Co. January 31, 1845. Perifocal Spectacles. A NEW article in the way of Spectacles, just received and for sale at Dec. 27. CHAS. G. STEWART'S. Work Boxes and Writing Desks. S OME of the most beautiful patterns, style, and finish of Ladies' Work Boxes and Writing Desks may be found at C. G. STEWART'S Dec. 27. To Carpenters. T HAVE just received some superior Spring-steel Saws, Chissels, Planes, Plane-bitts, with and without caps, Hatchets, Hand-axes, Broad-axes, &c., which I will sell as cheap as they can

Cure for Rheumatism.

be had here or elsewhere. Oct. 11. THOMAS RAWLINS. RON .--- Bar and Plough Irons, all sorts and sizes, from Hughes's Furnace; Castings, &c., just received by Oct. 11. THOMAS RAWLINS.

Hew's Linament for Rheumatism.

A LL Rheumatic persons have very good rea-son for rejoicing, that they can obtain an ar-ticle that will set all rheumatic complaints at defiance. We wonder that people will suffer a mo-ment with this distressing and excrutiating pain when they can find a certain cure in this prepara-tion. The certificates that the proprietors have, would astonish the most incredulous. Patients, who have been laid up for years, and who never expected again to be about, in health or without crutches, have been almost miraculously raised from their bed of pain, and restored to their friends, sound in their limbs and entirely free from pain of any kind. This is no fiction, but fact, and thousands who have used it can testify to its useful-ness. Beware of counterfeits.

Sold wholesale by Constock & Co., 21 Coriland street, New York, and by J. H. BEARD & Co., Charlestow

A. M. CRIDLER, Harpers-Ferry Jan. 17, 1845.

Scarfs and Vestings. A FEW very handsome and fashionable Scarfs and Hdkfs., and a few pieces rich Satin, Cash-mere and Merseilles Vesting. Also Cassimeros —beautiful goods for spring,—just received. -beautiful goods for spring,-just received. Feb. 28, J. J. MILLER & WOODS.

DAINTS, OILS, VARNISH, &c .-White Lead in Oil, large and small kegs, Linseed Oil, Spirits of Turpentine, Copal Varish, Japan, &c., Chrome Green, do. Yellow, Red Lead, Venitian Red, Spanish Brown, Yellow Ochre, &c., for sale low by J. H. BEARD & Co. Nov. 15, 1844.

Carpeting, Cheap.

VERY extensive assortment of superfine, com-mon, figured and striped Carpeting-also Rag Carpeting, from good to superior quality-and all at very reduced prices-just received by Feb. 28. J. J. MILLER & WOODS.

CARPETING.—Just received, a piece of very handsome 4-4 Carpeting ; very cheap. Feb. 28. MILLER & TATE:

Giant Asparagus Seed. WE have just received a fresh and splendid article of Giant Asparagus Seed, which we will warraut. J. H. BEARD & Co. March 14, 1845.

Invented, prepared and sold by SETH S. HANCE, corner Charles and Pratt streets, Baltimore ind for sale by J. H. BEARD & Co. Charlestown, Dec. 6.

LARD LAMPS. Just received, another sup-ply of those handsome Marble Base Lard Lamps, which will be sold low by Jan. 31. . CHA'S G. STEWART,

WEAK LUNGS and WEAK BREAST.

WEAK DUNGS and WEAK BREAST, when any person is predisposed to consump-tion, it generally manifests itself by certain symp-toms, which are called CONSUMPTIVE SYMPTOMS, the most common of which are a pain in the breast, and an oppression and pain about the lungs. When these symptoms are experienced, to guard against consumption it is advisable to STRENGTHEN THE LUNGS AND BREAST. This may be done affectual.

adrieable to STRENGTHEN THE LUNGS AND BREAST. This may be done effectual-ly by using HANCE'S COMPOUND SYR-UP OF HOARHOUND. Price 50 cents ber bottle. For sale by SETH S. HANCE, corner of Charles and Pratt streets, Baltimore, and by J. H. BEARD & Co. Charlestown, Dec. 6, 1844.

HANCE'S SUPERIOR LILY WHITE, AND HANCE'S PEARL POWDER, both articles for beautifying and improving the complexion. Price 61 cts. per box. For sale by SETH S. HANCE, corner of Charles and Prate streets, Baltimore, and by J. H. BEARD & Co. Charlestown Dec 6, 1841

Charlestown, Dec. 6, 1844.

Seasonable Goods. WE have Just received a supply of Heavy Twills; Cottons;

Cotton Osnaburgs ; 4-4 Brown Cottons ; Burlaps Lines; Maryland Penitentiary Plaids. For sale low by HARRIS, HAMMOND & Co.

Feb. 28, 1845.

Balm of Columbia---For the Hair. Baim of Columbia---For the Hair. PERSONS who have thin hair, or whose hair, is falling out, have here an article that will keep it from falling out, and increase the growth of it to a remarkable degree. This preparation was discovered some 18 or 20 years ago, since which time the sale of it has been on the increase. Thousands of bottles are sold weekly in the city of New York. It will keep the bait perfectly free from dandruff, and smooth and glossy. Its great-est virtue is in restoring the hair on the heads of those partially baid. It has been known to re-store the hair on the heads of those who have been bald for years. gratification to the mother to know that there is a certain remedy to be had by applying to our cus-tomers in this place, a remedy as certain as it is simple, and the price so low that it is put in the reach of every mother, however poor.' Buy none but that which has Comstock & Co's name upon bald for years. Sold wholesale and retail by Comstoox & Co.,

Sold wholesate and retain by Sold by 21 Cortland street, New York, and by J. H. BEARD & Co., Charlestown, and A. M. CRIDLER, Harpers-Ferry, Jan: 17, 1845-cowly.

East India Hair Dye, FOR COLORING THE HAIR PER-FECTLY BLACK OR BROWN.

TECTLY BLACK OR BROWN. THIS preparation will color the coarsest red or grey hair the most beautiful black or brown. There is no mistake about the article at all, H used according to directions it will do what is said of it. Out of ten thousand bottles that have been used, not one has been brought back or any fault found with it. Sold wholesale by Custarock & Co., 21 Cori-land street, New York, and by J. H. BEARD & Co., Charlestonen, A. M. CRIDLER, Harpors-Forry, Jan. 17, 1646.

A FEW pieces beautiful new style spring Mouselins and Prints, just received. Feb. 28. J. J. MILLER &, WOODS. Burlaps, Linen, Brown Cotton, Osnaburg, and Plaid and Stripe Cottons-for sale low. Feb. 14. E. M. AISQUITH.