

HARRIS-FERRY, VA., 20th June, 1845. At a meeting of the citizens of Harris-Ferry...

Wm. H. Moore appointed Secretary. On motion, a Committee of five were authorized...

After having performed the various duties assigned them, the sub-committee and citizens again convened. The sub-committee made their reports...

ORDER OF PROCESSION. 1st.—Clergy. 2d.—Soldiers of the Late War. 3d.—National Colors in Mourning...

Resolved, That at all times in our intercourse with foreign nations, and more especially now...

Resolved, That the people here assembled are deeply sensible of the important services of Gen. Andrew Jackson...

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Important from Texas.

The Baltimore American of yesterday contains the Proclamation of President Jones, announcing the result of the negotiations...

This information confirms beyond doubt the treachery of Jones: He is against annexation, and so we have always believed...

NEW WHEAT.—It will be seen by our report of the market in another column, that the first parcel of Wheat of the new crop reached this city...

The interest on the Ohio State debt due in May, was promptly paid, and that falling due next month, it is said, will be met also.

CANDIDATES FOR CONGRESS.—The Hagerstown News says:—Various gentlemen of the Democratic party have been named as candidates...

DREADFUL ATTEMPT AT MURDER AND ARSON.—The Pittsburg papers relate a fearful account of an attempt to commit murder and arson...

Honors to the Dead.—Though there are some few who refuse, even after death, to do honor to the lamented Jackson...

It is proper and natural that the Historical Society should take notice of the death of one of its members, who has filled exalted stations in his country...

It is just. It is proper to notice an event which has taken from among us an eminent citizen, distinguished by high marks of public regard...

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There does really seem to be an Electro-Magnetic Telegraph in the city of New York, which prints common Roman letters about as fast as a compositor sets type...

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Monument to Jackson.

The citizens of Baltimore have already commenced a movement in reference to the erection of a monument to the memory of Gen. Jackson...

Let Virginians make a similar move. The object can be accomplished, if our friends in Richmond will but make a start.

We call upon our friends of the Enquirer to take the matter in hand. We of the Valley will do our part, and believe all sections of the state will come up nobly to the work.

From all parts of the country, the papers teem with accounts of preparation for doing honor to the departed worth of Gen. Jackson...

THE FUNERAL SERVICES IN HONOR OF GENERAL JACKSON.—The day so far has proved most agreeable for the celebration of the obsequies in honor of General Jackson.

In Baltimore, extensive preparations have been made for a grand funeral procession on Tuesday next. The trades, fire companies, military, &c. &c., will turn out in great numbers.

In Philadelphia, the committee of arrangements have obtained the consent of the Hon. George M. Dallas, to pronounce the Eulogium...

The Hon. William Wilkins is to deliver an eulogy on the character of Gen. Jackson at Pittsburg on the Fourth of July.

The citizens of Lancaster, Pa., have set apart Thursday next as a day of mourning. A funeral procession will take place on the same day...

A funeral procession will move from the Presidential Mansion, at Washington, to-day, to the Eastern portico of the Capitol...

In no place that we have heard from, have the evidence of deep seated grief, been so fully developed as in New Orleans, the place of the Great Deceased's highest military achievements.

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Celebration on the Fourth.

To appropriately honor the birth day of American Independence, a meeting of our citizens was held on Tuesday evening last, at which it was resolved to celebrate the coming Fourth of July...

The Declaration of Independence will be read by B. F. WASHINGTON, Esq., and an oration delivered by JOHN BLAIR HOGE, Esq.

Let all be at Shannondale, then, on the Fourth. Every inducement can be offered to the lover of pleasure, or the one merely seeking a respite from the toils of business.

Masonic Celebration at Smithfield. Tuesday last, the anniversary of St. John the Baptist, was appropriately honored by Trilunier Lodge of Smithfield.

An Address was delivered in the Methodist Church, by DAVID H. FURSTEN, Esq., of Warren county, eloquent and appropriate to the occasion.

The whole proceedings were highly creditable to Trilunier Lodge, and served, doubtless, to unite yet more closely the bonds of fraternal brotherhood.

Odd Fellows Celebration in Boston. The grand celebration of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows came off in Boston on Thursday week. It was composed of over 8000 members of the Order, and formed a most brilliant and splendid pageant.

The city was densely crowded with strangers from all parts of the country, and the day passed off without any occurrences to mar the pleasure of the occasion.

BALTIMORE AND OHIO RAILROAD.—A special meeting of the Board of Directors of this company was held in Baltimore on Thursday morning week, when a communication was received from the Hon. Louis McLane...

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Spirit of Jefferson.

CHARLESTOWN: Friday Morning, June 27, 1845. Mr. JOHN W. SLAGLE will visit the several counties of this Congressional District during the next few weeks...

REMOVALS. This is one of the most difficult and perplexing duties that pertain to the Presidential office. Office seeking, of late years, has become so prominent...

The Whig press, however, has raised the cry of 'Proscription!' Proscription! Their lamentations are long and loud.

What has been the course (asks the Lynchburg Republican) of the whig party when in power?—and what its professions while trying to get in?

During the hundred and fifty days the Harrison cabinet remained in power, the removals amounted to almost THREE THOUSAND!

While this bloody work was progressing in Washington, not a syllable of denunciation issued from the whig press—not a tear was shed...

But the decisive moment was at hand. On the morning of the 8th of January, the British troops numbering 10,000 men, led on by their Commander-in-Chief, Gen. Packenham...

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to Fort Strother (his head quarters). An almost total want of food, in consequence of the repeated failure of the contractors, now rendered his troops discontented and mutinous.

General alone, but on supplies appearing, he was at last compelled to give a reluctant consent to their return home. He himself remained at Fort Strothers...

He returned to Fort Strother where in the month of February his army was reinforced by fresh troops from Tennessee making it over 2000 strong.

At the end of the campaign Jackson was appointed Commissioner to make a treaty with the conquered nations. While he was there engaged he discovered, (August 1814) that a British force had landed at Pensacola...

He was again satisfied that the British meditated an attack upon New Orleans, and he repaired to that place on the 1st of December, where he established his headquarters.

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Table with 2 columns: Bureau officers in department, and numbers for various departments like Surveyor General, Clerks, etc.

Thus, in the short space of five months, under this Whig administration, more officers were removed of the above classes, than during twelve years of Democratic rule.

GEN. McDUFFIE.—By late accounts we are happy to learn, that the Columbia Chronicle of the 18th inst., that Gen. McDuffie's health is improving.

DEAD.—The Hon. William R. Van Rensselaer, of Albany, died on Wednesday, aged 83.

MEXICAN NEWS BY THE ANAHEU.—Santa Anna's banishment is not for ten years only but for life.

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Arrival of the Steamer Caledonia.
The splendid steamer Caledonia, Capt. E. G. Lott, arrived at E. Boston on Thursday afternoon, at half-past 12 o'clock, bringing with her dates from London to the 4th, and Liverpool to the afternoon of the 4th inst., thus making the passage in about 14 days.

We give below a summary of the news from the most authentic sources.

PARLIAMENTARY.—The third reading of the Maynooth bill, in the House of Commons, on the night of the 19th of May, engaging the exclusive attention of that body until Wednesday, the 21st.—These three nights of protracted discussion evolved nothing new.

The new treaty between England and France for the prevention of the slave trade on the coast of Africa, has been signed at the Foreign Office.

The Catholic Bishops are up in arms against the measure now before Parliament for establishing colleges in the north, the south, and the west of Ireland.

There is a "screw loose" between France and her newly ally, the Emperor of Morocco. The latter has repudiated the treaty which was negotiated on the part of his government, by Gen. Deloren.

Germany appears to be in a state of high excitement, in consequence of the schism which Mr. Rongpe, the new Luther, who demands marriage for the Catholic priest, and the celebration of mass in the native, instead of the Latin language.

The abdication of Don Carlos in favor of his son, is the most striking event in continental news.

The obstinate old man was very unwilling to give up the semblance of royalty, and was only induced to do so, it is said, at the earnest entreaty of cooler and wiser heads. The resignation of Don Carlos, coupled with the declaration of his son, points to an alliance with the Queen of Spain—a project which could be supported by a large party in that country.

It is rumored that the parliamentary session will close about the middle of July, and that her majesty desires that such be the case.

Poland is still in a disturbed state, and Warsaw the prisons are daily increasing the number of their victims. The danger of correspondence by letters is greatly augmented.

ISLANDS.—The repeal meeting at Tara took place on Tuesday evening, the 23d ult. The various places, from 10 to 20,000. O'Connell, of course, participated largely in the proceedings.

FRANCE.—Little has been said during the fortnight, in the Parisian journals, on American affairs; but in the few articles that have appeared, a very decided opinion is expressed, that however menacing the Oregon question may appear, it will be settled amicably, the United States and Great Britain both having an immense interest in the preservation of peace.

SWITZERLAND.—The accounts from Lucerne to the 25th ult., states that the influence of the three great Powers (England, France and Austria) began to make itself beneficially felt in Switzerland.

INDIA AND CHINA.—The Overland Mail arrived in London on the 23d ult. The news in a political point of view is unimportant.

Cholera is prevalent in Calcutta, but it is not of a nature to create more than customary alarm.

There is a floating report that Aden has been surprised and captured.

From China there is nothing of interest.

COMMERCIAL.—The protracted winter and the cold, unseasonable spring—one of the most cheerless and unseasonable in the memory of that ubiquitous personage, the "oldest inhabitant," has caused Corn Trade to "look up" in consequence of the mercury "looking down." From the country the most unfavorable reports arrive: the low range of temperature has done much mischief, and opinions are already stoutly advanced that the present year's grain crops will not half equal those of the last.—In some districts the advance in Corn has been as much as 2s. to 3s. per quarter; in others not quite so much, but in all improvement has taken place.

A bad harvest, or even the prospect of it, is most disheartening. The amount of human misery which it produces is incalculable; it disorganizes all the operations of trade, and there is not a man in business, or out of it, who does not, in purse or in person—in "meal or in malt," experience the consequence of the calamity. We hope for the best, and believe that there is yet sufficient time for matters to mend; but the rest of the markets is the best criterion of the general feeling.

The arrival of the "Hibernia" on Saturday, put at rest the uneasiness which has prevailed some time past relative to our relations with America. An apprehension of a hostile collision arising out of the high temperature has done much mischief, and this feeling has been mainly produced by the tone of what in England is regarded as the official organ of Mr. Polk's Government, The Union, edited by Mr. Ritchie, combined with the improved tone which characterizes the American press generally.

This friendly feeling is most cordially reciprocated in England, not only by men of business, but by all classes in the country. The Funds rose on the receipt of the "Hibernia" to the extent of one per cent, and the favorable news prevailing in almost every department of the public securities, contingent upon the same cause. But if the steamer's intelligence has had this gratifying effect upon the money market, it has been otherwise with regard to the great articles of produce. Cotton, the market for which has exhibited a good deal of depression, and a giving way in price. Since Friday, the reduction has amounted to fully an eighth; and yesterday was one of the most dull and quiet days which has been experienced for a long time.

This result is, of course, mainly attributable to the large produce of the new crop, and to the absence of all danger as regards the Pacific relation of the two countries.

The American Provision market continues in a healthy state. The demand is fully equal to the import, and every day increases the popularity of the new provisions from the Western World.—This increased demand, with the still increasing popularity, may be attributed to the rains which the curers on the other side have recently taken to hit the taste of their customers on this side of the water. Beef has advanced in price, but buyers seem unwilling to pay the increased rates.—The price of American clashes with the price of Irish Pork, which has interfered to some extent with the demand. For Cheese there has been much inquiry, the price of which is fast bordering on that of English. Butter, however, is declining in value, while Lard, on the contrary, is improving.

IMPORTANT SUIT.—In the Court of Errors, a suit brought by Messrs. Lawrence, of Boston, against the city of New York, to recover the value of a quantity of goods which they had consigned to a firm in Exchange Place, and whose store was blown up by the city authorities at the great fire in 1835, to prevent the further spread of the fire, was quashed on yesterday. Hon. Daniel Webster in connection with Mr. Benjamin F. Butler appears as counsel for Messrs. Lawrence, and Messrs. David Graham Supreme Court decided against Messrs. L. and the case is brought up on writ of error. A similar case, (that of Russell vs. The Mayor, &c.) was decided by the Court of Errors last year in favor of the city, and a question arose whether the decision would not bind this case, the points being the same. It was suggested by Mr. Webster and other gentlemen that the cases differed, one suit being in assumption, and the other in trespass, and that the opening should first be heard. This was allowed, and Mr. Butler commenced his argument on behalf of plaintiff in error.—N. Y. Express.

CURIOUS RELIC.—The iron bolt to which Christopher Columbus was chained, during his imprisonment in St. Domingo, has been received at the town of Newbern, N. C. It was procured by Robert S. Moore, late Purser in the U. S. Navy, and presented to the town. It is indeed a curious and interesting relic.

Jewelry.—Just received from Philadelphia, a pair of Rings, Gold Guards, &c. at No. 27. CIA'S G. STEWART.

CORN FODDER.—It has been a general complaint among farmers in this section of the State, that the grass crops have fallen far short of their usual supply, and consequently we may look for a scarcity of fodder, unless some means are adopted to supply the deficiency. With the Boston Cultivator, we would suggest the expediency of sowing Corn broad-cast for fodder, which, when well cured, is an excellent food for cattle, and well deserving the attention of those who have a large number of stock to winter, and a short supply of hay on hand. The Cultivator remarks: "There is time to raise a good crop of corn fodder, after the farmer can determine pretty accurately whether the crop of grass will be good. A liberal supply of this fodder and of Turnips answer an excellent purpose to make up a deficiency in the crop of hay, when it is likely to fall short by reason of a drought. In this way the farmer can provide against scarcity, and avoid the loss of selling off his stock at reduced prices."

Green corn fodder as food for milch cows, and other stock is now used extensively in this section, and so it will be in all parts of the country where pasturage is scarce, when its advantages are well known. This food produces an abundance of rich milk, and comes in a good time when there is a scarcity of food the latter part of summer and early in autumn. Every farmer who has not an abundance of grass for his cattle should provide a piece of corn for green food.—Valley Farmer.

The Governor of Iowa has vetoed the bill for submitting the Constitution to the people again next August.

The Markets.

BALTIMORE MARKET—June 26, 1845.
FLOUR.—The transactions in Howard Street Flour are of a limited character, and no material change in price; sales of about 1000 bushels yesterday at \$4 43; and 600 bushels of the subject for re-shipment, at \$4 37—receipt price \$4 25. A sale of 500 bushels City Mills was made on Saturday at \$4 44. Sales of Susquehanna by retail at \$4 50.
GRAIN.—Receipts very light, and transactions limited. A sale this morning of 300 bushels new Wheat from Northumberland, Va., not in good condition, at 50 cents per bushel. We quote Maryland white Corn at 37 a 33 cents, and yellow at 29 a 26 cents. On 23 a 22 cents.
BACON.—We quote Western Shoulders at 6 61 cts; Sides 7 a 7 cts. Baltimore cured Shoulders are held at 61 cts; Sides 71, and Hams 9 a 10 cents. No. 1 Western Lard in kegs at 24 a 25 cts, and in bls 21 a 22 cents.
CATTLE.—There were 360 head of beef cattle offered at the scales yesterday, of which 314 head were sold to city butchers, at \$2 a \$3 per 100 lbs on the hoof, equal to \$2 50 a \$3 75 net; and the balance, 46 head, remain unsold.
HOGS.—We quote as before, viz: \$4 50 a \$4 75 per 100 lbs—sales principally at the lower and intermediate rates.
WHISKEY.—In bls. 21 cts, and in hds. 20 cents per gallon. Demand fair.

DEATHS.

On Thursday the 19th inst., by the Rev. Dr. Jones, JOHN SMITH, of Md. 6th near Alexandria, D. C., to Miss ANNE R., daughter of Andrew Kennedy, Esq., of this city.

On Thursday, the 12th instant, by the Rev. Geo. R. Bliss, MR. CHAS. G. MARTIN of Harpers-Ferry, Va. to Miss CATHERINE H. MULLER, of New Brunswick, N. Jersey.

On the 12th instant, at the Tulareys, residence of Col. Joseph Tuley, Clarke county, Va., by the Rev. W. G. Jones, JOSEPH T. THOMAS, of Philadelphia, to Miss BELINDA MITCHELL, of Virginia.

Miscellaneous Notices.

Religious Notice.
Dr. MARTIN is expected to preach at the White House Chapel on Sabbath, July 6th, at 11 o'clock. June 27.

The first quarterly meeting for this Conference year will, by Divine permission, take place in the Methodist Episcopal Church, at Harpers-Ferry, on Saturday the 28th instant, under the superintendency of the Rev. JOHN SMITH, P. E. Other ministers are expected to be in attendance. June 27, 1845.

Total Abstinence.
The Phenix Total Abstinence Society of Charlestown will meet in the Methodist Church this evening.

Dr. THOMAS SCHNEIDER, of Harpers-Ferry, Md., a Temperance speaker of considerable notoriety, will deliver an address on the occasion.

The public are respectfully invited to be present. Let there be a grand rally of the "Red Wheel Army."

W. H. CRANE, Sec'y.

It is expected that some arrangements will be entered into for the celebration of the coming Anniversary of American Independence. June 20, 1845.

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS.
Before the issue of our next paper, the new Post Office will go into operation, and all persons residing within thirty miles will receive their papers free of Postage. It has been the custom in this county, (which, by the way, is practised no where else, that we know of,) to send private posts. We shall now be able to dispense with this tax, without inconvenience to our subscribers.

Until otherwise instructed, we shall leave our way packages on the Harpers-Ferry and Shepherdstown route at the following Post Offices:—Schaeffer's House, at Hallowin; Wilson's Store, Old Furnace and Zion Church at Harpers-Ferry; Union School House, Lambert's Shop and Elk Branch packages, at Duffield's Depot; Barnhart's Shop and Staley's Store at Shepherdstown Post Office; Kerneville and Letown packages at the Post Office; at these places. Gardner's Shop, and the way papers between this and Letown, will be called for at this office until otherwise ordered. The Smithfield papers will be sent per mail, every Friday evening.

Any change will be made in the above arrangement that our subscribers may suggest; yet we doubt not, that one or two exceptions, they will receive their packages as conveniently as they have done heretofore.

June 27, 1845.

Office of the Bank of the Valley at Charlestown.
THIS Office will be closed on Friday the 4th day of July. It is requested that notes for renewal or discount be offered on Thursday the 3d—as the Directors will meet on that day—and no business will be transacted at the Office on Friday if available. By order. June 27, 1845. C. MOORE, Cashier.

Fresh Arrival.
JUST received at No. 4, Miller's Row, Fresh Candy, Raisins, Lemons, Oranges, &c. All kinds of Cake, Beer, &c., always on hand. ANDREW MILLER. June 27, 1845—3t.

Charlestown Artillery.
YOU will parade in front of my house, on the Fourth of July next, at 9 o'clock, A. M., in summer uniform, with arms and accoutrements in complete order.

Each member will be provided with 20 rounds of blank cartridges. It is designed to visit Shannondale Springs and partake of a collection to be here served up at that place. An election will be held at this parade for officers of the company.

JOHN W. ROWAN, Capt. June 27.

A VERY handsome English double plated Coffin of Urn, and a pair of Waiters, for sale. CHAS. G. STEWART. June 27.

Jewelry. Just received from Philadelphia, a pair of Rings, Gold Guards, &c. at No. 27. CIA'S G. STEWART.

Are Our Mechanics Worthy of Support?
HOW often do we hear it remarked by the Gentlemen of our Village and its vicinity, "that we would greatly prefer encouraging our own Tailors to those of the Cities, if they could only cut well—but really, I am afraid to trust them!" And, acting under this apprehension, as they say, of having their cloth spoiled, give their patronage and money to the Tailors of our cities, while our own Tailors, although they may have equal worth and skill in the profession, are left almost without support, whilst the city Tailors are rolling in wealth. Ought this to be so? And in order to endeavor to correct it, and meet at once the wishes and desires of those gentlemen, I have, with some difficulty, succeeded in getting Mr. ALBERT G. HARRIS, of Philadelphia, to associate himself with me in the

TAILORING BUSINESS.
As he has had long experience and every advantage which a Cutter could enjoy in a city, and being acquainted with the latest style and Fashions, our establishment now presents advantages equal to any in Philadelphia or Baltimore, and we pledge ourselves that in style and fashion, taste and durability, no work in the Union shall surpass ours.

We do not rely on our "say so" as the evidence of the truth of our last assertion, but ask a trial, and if it is not to the entire satisfaction of the most fastidious, we ask no one to take the work.

The style of the firm will be **Kingsham & Harris.**
JAMES H. KININGHAM, ALBERT G. HARRIS.
Charlestown, June 20, 1845—3t.

WANTED.
THE subscriber wishes to hire, from now until Christmas, a **SERVANT GIRL.** One who is a good Cook, Washer, &c. would be preferred. A fair price will be given if application be made immediately to **GEORGE R. DEEVER,** Mouth Mills, Mill Creek, near Smithfield, June 13, 1845—1f.

NOTICE.
THE undersigned, acting for himself and others, has employed Mr. WILLIAM AVIS to conduct, as Agent, the **BOOT & SHOE MAKING BUSINESS**, in the room East of the Jail. There is now, and will be constantly on hand, a supply of the best materials, purchased in Baltimore, and such as are required for the manufacture of the best articles in the business. Mr. Avis is a first-rate workman, and others of character and skill have been employed as his assistants. The materials and workmen being of the first order, a due share of the public patronage are respectfully solicited.

C. R. STARRY. Charlestown, June 13, 1845—3t.

TEXAS ANNEXED!
Furniture, Furniture!
AND **Cabinet-Making Establishment.**

THE undersigned would respectfully announce to the citizens of Smithfield and its vicinity, that he still continues the

Cabinet-Making Business
In all its various branches.—His Shop is one door North of Henry Smith's Hotel, on the lower street, where he has on hand a good supply of

FURNITURE.
Of various kinds and of the best quality, which he will sell on liberal terms, and take in exchange, all kinds of country produce at market prices.

He would also give notice, that he has provided himself with a good **HARNESS**, and will at all times be prepared to furnish **COFFINS**, and convey them promptly to any place in the County, at the shortest notice, and upon the most reasonable terms. His prices for Coffins are as follows:

Wolnut Coffins from 6 to 12 Dollars;
Cherry, do. " 12 to 15 Dollars;
Mahogany, do. " 30 to 35 Dollars.

AN APPRENTICE wanted. A boy about 16 years of age would be preferred, to learn the Cabinet-making Business. None need apply unless they are good boys.

SAMUEL SNOOK.
Smithfield, June 12, 1845—3t.

Cheap Groceries.
THE subscribers have on hand a large stock of cheap Groceries, viz:
New Orleans Sugar,
Do do Molasses,
Rio Coffee, Chocolate and Rice, to which they invite the attention of the farmers.

June 13. **CRANE & SADLER.**

This Way, Farmers.
JUST received, a dozen Bennett's best Grain Crankers, Grain and grass Scythes, Scythe Snedaks, Rakes, and other Patent Rifles, for sale unusually cheap.

June 13. **CRANE & SADLER.**

HARVEST, HARVEST!—Just receiving of every description, to which we invite the attention of farmers.

June 13. **HARRIS, HAMMOND & Co.**

PRINTS.—Just received, a very cheap lot of Prints and pantalon stuff.

June 13. **CRANE & SADLER.**

HARVEST. The subscriber is prepared to furnish Farmers and others with Groceries of superior quality, at a small advance on auction prices. Purchasers will find it to their interest to call and examine his assortment before laying in their supply for Harvest.

ADAM YOUNG, Agent.
Harpers-Ferry, June 13.

WHISKEY.—A large lot of Old Rye and Common Whiskey, on hand and for sale by **CRANE & SADLER.** June 13.

Morocco.
JUST received, the best Philadelphia tanned Tampero and Madras Morocco and Kid Skins for ladies' and gentlemen's wear; Fancy colored and Bronze Skins for Misses shoes; Also, pink and white lining skins; Super deer and goat skin binding, &c. Together with a large stock of Spanish and country leather, cal-cin, &c., very cheap for the cash at **THOS. RAWLINS'.** June 13.

IN SEASON.—Ice cream buckets, churns, and all kinds of Wood-ware, just received.

June 13. **THOS. RAWLINS.**

TIN WARE.—A good assortment, for sale by **CRANE & SADLER.** June 13.

More New Dry Goods.
JUST received, an additional supply of Ladies and Gentlemen's SUMMER Goods, which will be sold cheaper than ever.

JOHN G. WILSON.
Harpers-Ferry, June 13, 1845.

Horses For Hire.
THE subscriber has two good and safe-riding Horses, that he will be glad to accommodate the public, at reasonable prices. One of them works well in harness, and is perfectly gentle.

JOHN AVIS, Sr.
May 30, 1845.

More New and Cheap Goods!
CALL AND SEE!
THE subscriber ever wishing to give his customers the benefit of the Latest Fashion and newest style of Goods, at the earliest possible moment, would respectfully make known to his numerous customers, that he has just returned from the **Philadelphia and Baltimore Markets**, with an additional supply of

Gentlemen's Fashionable Goods, Which, for variety, quality and price, cannot be equalled at Harpers-Ferry, or in the County of Jefferson.

His stock consists in part, as follows, viz:

CLOTHS.
50 pieces of super French, English, and American dress Cloths—colors—black, blue, brown, olive, grey, invisible green, do, light green and golden mixed, from \$2 50 to \$10 00 per yard.

CASSIMERES.
90 pieces of super French, English, and American Cassimeres, various fancies, striped, cross-barred and plain, from 75 cents to \$4 per yard.

VESTINGS.
70 different patterns of super French, English and American Vestings; many are of the finest and most choice patterns of the season, from 50 cents to \$5 per pattern.

SATTINETTS.
20 pieces of super Sattinets, from 75 cents to \$1 50 per yard—colors—blue, black, dark grey, cadet mixed, brown and mouse colors, all good and cheap.

CASHMERETS AND TWEEDS.
12 pieces of super Cashmerets and Tweeds, for summer coats, various colors and qualities, from 75 cents to \$2 per yard.

DRILLINGS AND GAMBROONS.
30 pieces of French, English and American Drillings and Gambroons, from 25 cents to \$1 50 per yard, a great variety of patterns, neat and cheap.

SUMMER CLOTHS.
10 pieces of French, English and American Summer Cloths, plain and striped, from 50 cents to \$2 per yard.

LINENS AND GINGHAMS.
18 pieces of French, Irish and American Linens and Gingham, plain, cross-barred, and striped, suitable for coats or roundabouts, from 15¢ to 50 cents per yard.

READY-MADE COATS.
100 Cloth, Tweed, and Linen Dress, Frock & Sack Coats, from \$1 50 to \$25 00 per coat, all cut and made at Harpers-Ferry, in good style.

ROUNDABOUTS.
25 Roundabouts, to suit the season, from 75 cents to \$4, all sizes, and various colors and qualities.

VESTS.
75 Vests of different patterns, made and trimmed in splendid style, from \$1 to \$3 00 per vest.

PANTS.
60 pair of Pants, from \$1 to \$10 00 per pair, made neat and well, various colors and qualities.

HATS AND CAPS.
A splendid assortment of Beaver, Cassimere, and other Hats, latest style. Fine Cloth and other Caps, a variety in quantity and price.

BOOTS & SHOES.
A general assortment of gentlemen's Boots and Shoes; neat, light and fine, to suit the season.—Do, Boys', do, Ladies'; do, Misses and children's Shoes, good and cheap.

ALSO—A general variety of gentlemen's small articles in the way of dress—such as Shirts, Drawers, Bosoms, Collars, Scarfs, Cravats, Stocks, Pocket Hdkfs., Gloves, Suspenders, and Socks, of almost every variety, quality and price. All of which I offer to the citizens of Harpers-Ferry and the public in general, at unprecedented low prices for cash, or to punctual customers on a short credit.

The public are respectfully requested to call at my store, Corner of Potomac and Shenandoah Streets, and adjoining the Virginia Hotel, and examine my stock of goods previous to purchasing elsewhere, and I pledge myself to sell them better bargains, and show them a greater variety to choose from, than in the gentlemen's line, than can be found in any six Stores in Harpers-Ferry, or Jefferson County. This is no puff, I say no more than I can do. In conclusion, I invite you to call and examine for yourselves, and I feel satisfied that none will go away dissatisfied or disappointed.

WM. J. STEPHENS.
Harpers-Ferry, June 12, 1845.

Tin and Sheet-Iron Manufactury.
THE subscriber respectfully informs his old patrons and the public generally, that he has just fitted up his new Shop, adjoining the store of Thomas Hawkins, and immediately opposite the store of Harris, Hammond & Co., where he will continue in business, he feels warranted in saying that work executed in his Shop shall compare with that of any establishment in the county.

He will be ready to make and put up **SPOULING** for houses on the most reasonable terms.—From a long experience in this particular branch, he feels confident of pleasing all who may give him a trial.

Always on hand, and for sale at reduced prices, a large and general assortment of

TIN-WARE, &c.
Copper, Brass and Pewter taken in exchange for work.

Thankful to the Public for the liberal support heretofore given him, he hopes by attention to business, a desire to please, and the sale of his work at the lowest price that will be justifiable, still to be able to merit their patronage.

Roofing. with Tin, Zinc, and Lead plate, done at the shortest notice and on reasonable terms. Having in his employ, a hand who has done work of this description in the principal cities, he can promise entire satisfaction to all.

It will be done on entirely a new plan, greatly preferable to the old mode, which has been pursued for some years past. Persons desiring work of this description are requested to examine the roofing of the Charlestown Depot.

FRANCIS W. RAWLINS.
June 13, 1845—3t.

BOARDING.
THE undersigned having rented the Dwelling part of that large Three-story Brick House, belonging to John G. Wilson, opposite the Arsenal, fifteen genteel Boarders. The Rooms are large and airy, and he pledges himself to do every thing in his power to give satisfaction, and to make those who patronize him comfortable. He would respectfully ask those who wish to get good Board, where they can be retired and quiet, to give him a trial.

THOMAS E. BRANDON.
Harpers-Ferry, May 23, 1845—1f.

BOOKS.—Just received, a considerable addition to our stock of Books—among which are many of the latest publications, to which we invite the attention of the public.

J. A. MILLER & WOODS.
June 20.

SHINGLES.—8,000 prime Oak Shingles, for sale by **JOHN G. WILSON.** June 20.

ORANGES AND LEMONS, on hand and for sale by **THOMAS RAWLINS.** June 20.

PROCESSIONS.—Sugar-house Syrup, a first rate article; Coffee, Sugar and Teas, and a general assortment of all kinds of Groceries, lately received.

June 20. **THOMAS RAWLINS.**

STARBUCK'S celebrated Congress, Rappee and Macabue SNUFFS; Cigars & Tobaccos. Just opened at **T. RAWLINS'.** June 13.

General Intelligence.
THE BIG CHINESE LETTER.—This singular document, says the Washington Union of Saturday, which perhaps surpasses in its dimensions, and in particular of composition, any state paper which was ever addressed to our government, arrived at the Department on Friday. We have had an opportunity of seeing the extraordinary missive, and have been favored with the copy of a translation, which was made from the Chinese by Mr. Parker, and transmitted with the original document. The whole accompaniment is almost as unique as the document itself. It will be deposited with the archives of our government, to gratify the curiosity of virtuosi. Accompanying this letter, is one addressed to Mr. Cushing, our late commissioner to China.

The letter to the President consists of a roll 7 feet 1 inch long, by 2 feet 11 inches wide. The writing is on a field of plain yellow silk, with a margin of silk of the same color embroidered in gold thread. The letter is in two languages, Chinese and Manchu (Tartar); in characters of large size, and in perpendicular columns, which are separated in the middle by the imperial seal—which is composed of Chinese characters, enclosed in a cartouche about 3 inches square. This roll is enclosed in a wrapper of yellow silk, (yellow being the imperial color,) which again is enclosed in a round box covered with yellow silk, and closed by two long square boxes of rose-wood, and padded and lined with yellow silk.

Mr. Kirkham, owner of the race mare Peyton's, in a letter to the editor of the N. Y. Spirit of the Times, speaking of the treatment received by him during his northern racing tour, says:

"Indeed my trip has been one of unalloyed pleasure, but for the theft of my two boys (Mink and Eldridge), by one of the Abolitionists near Philadelphia. I hope their philanthropy will not evaporate with the commission of the crime; and that after taking the boys from my protection, they will not suffer them to become the victims of want and dissipation, as is the common fate of the miserable runaway about that city, whom they have first deluded and then abandoned."

DR. CHAMBERS AND SLAVERY.—From our last files of English papers, we learn that Dr. Chambers has been appealed to, by the members of the Free Church of Scotland, on the subject of receiving contributions from Churches in the Slave States of America, to say whether religious fellowship could consistently be extended to slaveholding Churches. The Doctor reprobates the spirit that would thus narrow the sphere of Christian union, and says that the return of such fellowship would be "most unjustifiable." Of course the abolitionists will give the distinguished gentleman but cold salutations after this.

[N. Y. Com. Adv.]

SUICIDE.—A suicide, of a more than usual painful character, took place on Elliott st., above Baravia, in this city, on Wednesday night. Mrs. Grace Reeder, a widow, of respectable character, poisoned herself by taking arsenic. She leaves a daughter, about 20 years of age. She came to this city about two weeks ago, from Montreal, and we understand, had been reduced from affluent circumstances by the dissipation of her husband, who had been some time deceased, and was driven to the commission of the rash act of self-destruction from fear of want and starvation, and by darkly brooding over the prospect before her.

It appears that she proceeded very deliberately to work, having first written a letter to her daughter, and another addressed to the benevolent and charitable, recommending her to their protection and kind offices. She was about 45 years of age.

A Coroner's Inquest was held yesterday afternoon, by Coroner Harris, and a verdict rendered of "Suicide by taking arsenic."

[Buffalo Pilot.]

TRIAL OF O'BLENNIS FOR THE MURDER OF FRANK COOMBS.—This case was entered upon by the Court of Points Coupee, Louisiana, on Tuesday last, and was not disposed of until Friday night. The evidence adduced on the trial was wholly for the State—the prisoner producing no witnesses. The facts were as published by us at the time Coombs was killed. The jury, after being out a night and part of the day, could not agree upon a verdict, and were discharged. The prisoner was remanded to jail until the next term of the Court in November. We have been informed that the trial was one of great interest and excitement, and that O'BleNNIS's wife sat by him in the witness box, and elicited a great deal of sympathy for her husband.

REDUCTION OF FARE.—The advertisement of the Philadelphia and Baltimore Rail Road Company, in another column, informs the public that the fare between the two cities by the Mail line, has been reduced to two dollars.

[Baltimore American.]

DEATH OF THE CENTENARIAN COUPLE.—It is but three or four weeks since that we gave an account of the extraordinary age of Mr. and Mrs. Paine, then living in Redwood Pen, in the late City. The husband of the latter, was 107, and the wife 106!—a case without parallel perhaps in England or in the world. On Wednesday, strange to relate, after a short affliction, both expired on the same day; their united ages 213! The greater part of their lives were passed when agues were so prevalent in the Pens that very few escaped the disorder, yet their lives were prolonged to this extraordinary period; and Providence seems to have ordained, that as they lived so long together, so death should not be divided. They have left one daughter, who lived with them, at the age of 84.—Bury Post.

CALCUTTA, April 4th.
The cholera is raging here. From five to six hundred die daily; though not many among the shipping.

It has been decided by Judge Parsons, that in Pennsylvania, marriage is a civil contract, and as such may be proved by admissions and acts of the parties without the necessity of any particular ceremony. In the case before him, it was proved that the parties had lived together as man and wife, and the man had treated the woman as a wife in the presence of acquaintances. This, it was held, according to the law of Pennsylvania, was sufficient to constitute a marriage and endow the woman with the rights of a wife.—Alexandria Gazette.

A "Serious Disappointment" was experienced by a multitude of people who assembled in Iowa Territory, on the 1st ult., to see a man (Macantery) hung; the entertainment was deferred by a writ of error to the Supreme Court on account of some error in the proceedings. It is said the disappointed crowd, thus brought together by the official announcement of the intended execution, had determined upon not losing the fun altogether, and the judge in eflgy for granting the writ of error.

CHARACTERISTIC.—The Pittsburg Chronicle, whose editor has just returned to the city, after an absence of a month, notices the new buildings and the increased business in the same square where some still ascend from the smothering ruins. It says: "Our people are like their own steam engines—the more fire that is applied to them the faster they work." Their energy and perseverance like their iron—it was not made to be burnt."

The steamer Western Belle, sunk a few days since in the Ohio river, cannot be raised. She sunk in about five feet water. At the time she was on board between 600 and 800,000 worth of furs shipped by the American Fur Company, which were insured in the East.

Learning is obtained by labor, it cannot be bought with money; otherwise the rich would be uniformly intelligent. Learning regards all men equal, and bestows her treasures on those only who will work for them.

