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General Intelligence.

From Mexico and the Pacific. EUROPEAN INTERFERENCE .- The N. Y. Sun has received private letters from Vera Cruz to the 16th ult., with advices from Mazatlan to Jan. 14th,

16th ult., with advices from Mazztian to Jan. 14th, and from the Sandwich Islands to Dec. 1st. Our forces off Vera 'Cruz, consisted of the John Adams, the Falmouth, the Porpoise and the St. Mary's. The Raritan, Cumberland and Potomac were daily expected. The steamer Mississippi and brig Somers were to sail for Vera Cruz, from Pensacola, on the 2d inst. The frigate Constitu-tion arrived at Honolulu 16th Nov., 36 days from Manilla. The Waren was at Hilo, Sept. 26.

The new government of Mexico is gradually atrengthening its position, preparatory to the es-tablishment of a Trinmyirate having all the power of an absolute monarchy. Santa Anna was ex-pected to arrive at Vera Cruz early in March, when the fort of San Juan de Ulloa would declare in his favor, and demand his elevation to power, with Paredes and Almonte, as the most effectual plan of defeating the policy of those European pow-ers who desire to establish a monarchy in that country.

Our letters, says the Sun, "state very positive-ly that the British Government offers to defray the expenses of a Mexican war with the United States, secretly at work in favor of annexing Mexico to the United States, as the bost means of protecting her interests in the mines, and hence her offer to out an oracle mon earth. The living principle of genius was withdefray the expenses of a war which might result in adding all the most valuable mineral districts to the territories of the United States. Almonte is too wise a statesman to permit this sacrifice of his country, and he knows the American people too well to suppose that they have any desire to inflict injuries upon Mexico. Arista and his northern party are exciting very little attention.— The new Congress to assemble in May, is to con-sist of 160 members. Property and power, not the people, are the basis of representation."

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For the Spirit of Jefferson.

viewless winds, devoted only to the pleasure of the chase, or moved only to great exertions in the tumult of warfare alone-has comparatively little to evoke his intellectual powers ? But, sir, among a people who have attained the blessings of civilization, the various inducements which contribute, to awaken their latent faculties, are multiplied beyond all conception, and act with redoubled force in stimulating to thoughts and actions. There the soul soars on the wings of glory to the etherial regions of fancy. There luxury and opulence spread a thousand temptations before the eye of taste and invention, and tax the resources of man's ble complicated wants, unknown to the rugged, untaught savage. I would refer you to the warning voice that now reaches us at this distant age, proceeding from the ruins of the past-from the tombs of ancient glory. 'The far-famed glories of Greece and Rome have vanished like the morning clouds before the storm. Their schools of learning, their temples, and their gods have been laid in one general gulf of ruin. And why? About this period there was a wide spread and deep seated intellectual and moral torpor. The perception and energy of true religion and virtue were dim if Gen. Paredes will declare it. England while and energy of true religion and virtue were dim ostensibly acting in favor of a Monarchy, may be and weak-lost in the thick gloomof ignorance, and out an oracle upon earth. The home of wisdom

STRANGE VISITORS .- The Norfolk Beacon says, wards the cultivation of letters. Upon this weakness and intrinsic decay rushed the barbarian like thrown into a perfect nine days wonderment state on Tuesday last, by ascertaining that some 30 or 34 Whales find taken reluge from the lowering and impending gale of the sea in the less turbu-lous waters of the York. Having satiated their ouriosity to the full, by a thorough examination of these leviathans of the deep, they bethought them of the utility and value of these unexpected guests, and wera accordingly, at the last advices, making preparations to extract the oil which was thus so auddenly and unexpectedly cast on their shores.— Thirty two of these little monsters, varying from Thirty two of these little monsters, varying from with golden lustre in the clear horizon, and sing-

was in the past." Her shrines were in the tombs

For the Spirit of Jefferson. OUR COUNTRY. NUMBER V. MR. EDITOR :—I lay it down as a broad propo-sition, sir, that the diffusion of knowledge is es-sentially requisite to all that relates to progress, happiness and perpetuity in a nation. I presume no one will doubt this proposition. It requires no argument to sustain it, or to convince you of its correctness. If it did, our evidence is clear and ready to the mind of every one who has reflected on the subject. And what sir, would it be ?— Would I point you to the primitive or savage man, surrounded by all the rude circumstances of his condition ? The Indian of South America, or Asiatic Tartar, as he files across the boundless savannas of his country, on steeds fleet as the viewless winds, devoted only to the pleasure of which the learned and skilful have gathered from sense. He may gaze with ineffiable delight upon the beauties of nature, and draw from her exhanst-less fountains rich food for the chaste and classic mind. It has, sis, been eloquently said, that God has made the world not only useful but beautiful. has made the world not only useful but beautiful. He has not only made the sky, but He has given it the softest, fairest, colors of the prism. He has not only hung the stars there, but He has made them to sparkle all across that high blue dome, like gems in the crowns of angels. He not only condenses the mists and vapors into clouds, but they brighten in gorgeous huses around the sun, or darken in grandeur beneath the storm. He has not only given the aprings to run among the hills, but He given the springs to run among the hills, but He sprinkles there water-drops, on high and abroad until they throw an arc athwat the dark abyss, and gifted with moral and intellectual treasures-that monument of mind, reared by the Almighty, and by the time and skill and labor of man, "so noble in reason—so infinite in faculty—in action, like an angel-in apprehension, like a God." Virginia, sir, was once as fair a portion of the

earth as any under the sun. There was a time, sir, when the sun in his course shone on none so fair. But it has been well said, (and may not b inappropriate in this place) " that the tropics might indeed spread out their ever varying hues-the breath of Ceylon's Isle may be waited never so spicy-the skies of Ionia may sum solve liness, and the countries of Italy and Pelopeness sus, once the haunts of the classic muse, may still bloom in one perpetual Spring; and yet a moral wilderness may exist, indeed, in the very midst of a wilderness may exist, indeed, in the very midst of a stuck to it earnestly and laithfully, and tried stuck to it earnestly and laithfully, and tried stuck to it earnestly and he may have of human it sometimes to keep-his head above water; was in the past. Her shrines were in the tombs of the mighty dead, and her records the chroni-cles of ancient glory. I do not mean to be understood that all was darkness; here and there were orbs of light, burning solitary and-far apart in the vast and lonely firmament. The page of history (this faithful mirror of nations) de-clares that study was neglected, science contemn-ed, art corrupted, and a general indifference toto see the dawn, or rather the return of that pa-triotism, which looks to the permanent good of the State more than the momentary triumphs of a

Thirty two of these little monsters, varying from 15 to 20 feet in length, were cast on the shore of Mr. R. H. Farenhalt, and three on the shore of Mr. W. W. Petit. These gentlemen reside, we learn and purest sensibilities of man's heart responds in the freshness of affection. It is the almost sacred province of woman to inspire the noblest senti-ments-to direct the various impulses of the expanding mind, and to consecrate to truth, intelli-gence and virtue, the best affections of our na-"The minstrations of woman are like those ure. of the quiet and radiant night, when in holy still-ness, the stars look out, and the dews fall upon the frooping leaves and flowers, and angels watch the drooping leaves and flowers, and angels watch the tired and slumbering earth, and all nature is husled and calmed, as if the breathing of sweet music were passing over it." Their influence is quiet and secret—it reaches deep and operates upon the hidden springs of human action; and hence we need their influence in this cause. It is a cause of which they need not be ashamed. Oh, no ! true dig-mity subtrounds her—the diadem of honor spar-kles on her brow, and the flowing robes of virtue encircle and adorn her elastic and graceful form. It is the cause of virtue, patriotism and intelli-It is the cause of virtue, patriotism and intelli gence, which will survive unchanged and beantiful when time shall have withered the garland of youth, and crushed the strings of the lute-when thrones of power and monuments of art shall have crumbled into ashes. There is no portion of the world from which a blessed influence upon its world from which a blessed inducted upon (ds prosperity, can more appropriately arise, than in this. Here were the kindlings of liberty first fanned into a flame, and hence should go forth that which will constitute its prosperity, and the lustre of its immortality. Monuments of glo-ry and honor are here; graves that hallow the soil, and that distant nations speak of with reverence, the base of the solution of denasted are here. Here also, amid the tombs of departed intellect, may you and all succeeding generations rear up rich trophies of moral greatness, and erect the columns of your country's strength, and deep-en its imperishable foundations. Sir, I thank you for your kindness and indul-gence, and in conclusion of this series of essays, permit me to express the wish, that this subject may embody, as its advocates, not only all the in-elligent and virtuous citizens of our State, but er giant and master spirits. It needs such spirits these, who can lay bare all the sinews of a oject, and show its full force and importance. It has, certainly, meritorious claims upon the jus-tice, patriotism and humanity of our country. Respectfully yours, H******.

THE INDIAN'S PRAYER. Let me go to my home in the far, distant West, To the scenes of my childhood, in innocence blest; Where the tail cedars wave, and the bright waters flow, Where my fathers repose—let me go, let me go. Let me go to the spot where the cataract plays, Where off I have sported in my boyhood's bright days. And greet my poor mother, whose heart will o'ordaw At the sight of her child—let me go, let me go. Let me go to my sire, by whose battle-scar'd side I have sported so of in the height of my pride, And eruited to conquer the insolent foe— 'To my father, the chief, let me go, let me go.

And, oh ! let me go to my flashing-eyed maid, Whotaught me to love 'neath the green willow's slade Whose heart, like the fawn's leaps as pure as the snow To the bosom it loves-let me go, let me go. And, oh! let me go to my wild forest home, No more from its life-fleeting pleasures to roam; 'Neath the groves of the glen, let my ashes lie low. To my home in the woods, let me go, let me go.

Miscellaneous.

From the New York Evening Mirror. ENTERPRISE AND PERSEVERANCE. BY JOHN NEAL.

There are people who, having begun life, by setting their boat against wind and tide, are al-ways complaining of their bad luck, and are al-ways just ready to give up, and for that very reason are always helpless and good for nothing; and yet if they would persevere, hard as it may be to work up stream all your life long, they would have their reward at last. Good voyages are made both ways 1 mede both ways ! A certain amount of opposition is a great help

to a man. Kites rise against, not with the wind. Even a head wind is better than nothing. No man ever worked his voyage any where in a dead calm. The best wind for every thing, in the long run, is a tide wind. If it blows right aft, how is he to get back ? Let no man wax pale therefore, because of op-

position. Opposition is what he wants and must have, to be good for any thing. Hardship is the native soil of manhood and self-reliance. He that can abide the storm without flinching or quailing-strips himself in the sunshine, and lies down by the wayside to be overlooked and forgot-ten. He who but braces himself to the struggle ten. He who but braces himself to the strugger when the winds blow-gives up when they have done, and falls asleep in the stillness that follows.

doing better. "I was well, I wanted to be better, and here I am," is their epitaph. And how better ? By toiling harder in their-chosen path-by getting up earlier and going to bed later-in their pre-appointed workshops-by eating the bread of curefulness ? No indeed-nothing of the sort. What they call it-enlarg-

ing it, and trebling their expenses—or leaving it altogether to the wretched plodders, who lack en-terprise and spirit, and are satisfied with doing well, though every body about them is doing bet-And what are the consequences ? Unwilling-

ness on the part of the old to help the young-a dread of what young men call enterprise-the

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the settlers, that he offered his hand, and solicited the consent of Powhatan to their marriage. This was granted; and the ceremony was performed with great pomp. The old king was ever after the firm friend of the colony; and this event had a vory favorable effect on the neighboring Indians. A treaty was concluded with the Chiccahominies, who, to be called Englishmen, consented to assist the colonists with their arms in war, and in peace with their provisions.

the colonists with their arms in war, and in peace with their provisions. The reception and marriage of Pocahontas in England, whither sile accompanied her husband, are thus described by Salmon: "King James' queen and court' paid her the same honors that were due to a European lady of the same quality, after they were informed by Captain Smith what services she had done the English nation, and par-ticularly how she had saved the captain's life, when his head was upon the block. But it seems before this princess married Mr. Rolfe she had been givthis princes married Mr. Rolfe, she had been giv-en to under and that Captain Smith was dead; for he was the first man she had set her affections

upon, and I make no doubt he had promised to marry her when he was in her father's court ; for when he came to wait upon her, on her arrival in England, she appeared surprised, turned away from him with the utmost scorn and resentment and it was some time before she would be prevail-ed with to speak to him. She could not believe any man would have deceived her, for whom she had done so much and run so many hazzards; and when she did yourcharle to hear his excurses, she iects the rolden bribe: but she puts down as had done so much and run so many hazzards; and when she did vonchsafe to hear his excuses, she still reproached him with ingratitude. In all her behaviour, 'tis said, she behaved herself with great dechery and suitable to her quality, and mighty expectations there were of the future services she would have done the English upon her return to her country; but she was taken ill at Gravesend, as she was about to embark for Virginia, and died in that town every denaut Christian 'tis said' as she was about to embark for Virginia, and died in that town a very devont Christian, 'tis said, leaving only one son, named Thomas Rolfe, whose posterity now flourishes in Virginia, and enjoy lands decended to them as the heirs of the Princess Pocahontas .- Frost's History of the United States.

Muscular Strength.

The power exerted by the action of the mus-cles in the human body is immense. Borellus first demonstrated that the force exerted within the body greatly exceeds the weight to be moved, and that nature, in fact, employs an astonishing, we might almost say superfluous, power to move a small weight. It has been calculated that the a small weight. It has been calculated that the deitoid muscle, alone, which is situated near the top of the shoulder, when employed in supporting a weight of fifty pounds, exerts a force equal to two thousand four hundred and sixty-eight pounds. An idea of the force exerted by the human body when is progressive motion, may be formed from when in progressive motion, may be formed from the violence of the shock received when the foot unexpectedly strikes an object in running. The strongest bones are sometimes fractured by the

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Capture and Marriage of the Princess Pocahoutas. It was in this year (1612) that the marriage of Pocahoutas took place ; and it was the accidental result of an act of treachery. A scarcity prevailed in Jamestown. Captain Argal was despatched to the Potomac for a cargo of corn. Here he learn-ed that Pocahontas was living at no great distance from him. Hoping that Powhiatan, in order to enticed her on board his vessel and sailed to James-town, where she was kept in a state of honorable captivity. Powhatan, more indignant at such the demand of a ransom; but promised, if his daugh ter were restored, to forget the injury, and supply the wants of the colonists. During her residence in the settlement, Pocahontas made such an im-pression on Mr. Rolfe, a young man of rank among the settlers, that he offered his hand, and soliched the consent of Powhatan to their marriage. This look, his honor is lost too; he is paying his last in part what he owes. Were I that winning neigh-bor of his I should not like him to see me home bor of his I should not like him to see me home to night. I saw an expression that I know from a long observation here. It is even wyrse than dispair, for it augers danger to others: he will not die without a struggle; perhaps a fearful erime. That unhappy man had married a rich and insh-ionable woman, already initiated in the fittal vice. She had married for what is called love, but it had not banished the stronger passion. To the wo-man who then loved him he owed his present ruin and she too was there to witness if A ruin, and she, too, was there to witness it. A trin, and she, too, was there to witness it. A splendid beauty and reigning toast not long ago, she was still an object of persuit to the most se-ductive and abandoned of his class; a gay Latha-rio of sixty, who, long scorned and now thinking his conquest sure, was insidelously inviting the ruined man's wife to play. She has nothing.— See, he offers her gold. Her eye is directed towards him she has ruined; shall she venture; shall she saye him at any price; him whom she shall she save him at any price; him whom she loves; then, perhaps more fondly, distractedly than ever? What a moment! and a decision on which hung impending ruin and death, or dis-honor. Could she have seen that the card table drawn but suppressed sigh that shook her whole frame, as if it came from the inmost recesses of her soul. A small heap of shingng gold lay where she stood; her eye rested on it, there was a large prize to be thrown for in a lottery. With

her last gains she bought a ticket. It was soon over. The croupier announced the happy num-ber; it was she that held it in her hands. One uplifted, one gentle folding of the hands towards heaven, and, with a look of ecstacy I can never forget, she stretched them forth to receive the prize, and she was gone. A laugh of scorn fol-lowed her retreating steps, while a gleam of dis-appointed rage and malice shot across the fea-tures of the wily seducer, whose long pursued prey was thus snatched out of his grasp. Ainsworth's Magazine.

Spring. We know not who is the author of the follow

ing, but it is exquisitely beautiful: In all climates spring is beautiful. In the South, it is intoxicating, and sets a poet beside ness on the part of the old to help the young—a dread of what young men call enterprise—the payment of a young man's first notes, and a pro-test on all that have more than a twelve month to run. Stick to your business! whatever your business may be, stick to it, and you are safe! Do so for ten years, and no morial man can take it from you.— No matter how bad it may be at the begin. of Nature, whose vast theatre, is again opened, though the doors have been so long bolted with icicles, and scenery hung with snow and frost-like cobwebs. This is the prelude which announces the rising of the broad green curtain. Already the grass shoots forth. The waters leap with thrilling pulse through the veins of the earth, the sap through the veins of the plants and trees, and the blood through the veins of man. What a thrill of delight in the spring time! What a joy in being and moving! Men are at work in gardens, and in the air there is an odor of the fresh earth. The leaf buds begin to swell and blush. The white blossoms of the cherry hang upon the boughs like snow-finkes, and ere long our next door neighbors will be completely hidden from us by the dense green foliage. The flow-ers open their soft blue eyes. Children are let loose in the fields and gardens. They hold but-ter cups under each other's chins to see if they love buffer. And the little girls adorn themselves with chains and curls of dandelions-pull out the yellow leaves to see if the school-boy loves them, and blow the down from the leafless stalls to the surface, a height of six hundred feet. Augustus II. King of Poland, could roll up a silver plate like a sheet of paper, and twist the strongest horse-shoe asunder. A Frenchman, who was attached to Rockwell & Stone's Circus, last spring, was able to residt no wild storm of wind and rain, but clouds that melt and fall in showers. One does not wish to sleep, but lies awake to hear the pleasant sound of the dropping rain.

Mr. W. Petit. These gentleme about one mile from Yorktown. lemen reside, we lea

A MACHINE TO TEACH THE BLIND TO WRITE. -A machine by which the blind may be taught to write with the same facility as those who can see, has been invented. The instrument is said to be, in appearance, precisely like a small piano, or parlor organ. Each key is marked, (*raised let-ters*, if necessary, for the blind.) The keys are struck by the fingers precisely as in playing on the piano forte, and a small pen with common ink makes a letter at each touch of a note with the finger, on a sheet of paper fixed up in front of the instrument. The inventor is Charles Thurbur, Esq., of Norwich, Connecticut, a graduate of Brown University.

ther. The Hibernia sailing on the 4th, in 1842 and 1844, and arrived at 71 and 7 3, A. M., February 19th, of each year, averaging about 14 days and 18 hours, and the Cambria this year, sailing on the 4th, arrived at 10, P. M., on the 18th making the the arrived at 10, P. M., on the 18th, making the passage in 14 days and less than

SMOKING SEED CORN .- I wish to remind your SMOKING SEED CORN.—I wish to remind your readers that if they would save their young corn next spring from the depredations of squirrels, mice birds, &.o., to prepare for smoking their seed ac-cording to the following recipe: Leave a few husks on the seed cars, so that they can be hung up in the smoking house and smoked with the hams; or hang them up in any dry place, and be-fore planting dip the end of a stick in tar, set fire to it, and holding it under the corn, give it a thor-ough smoking. I have tried this for three years, and have saved many times my subscription to the paper by it.—*Prairie Farmer*.

A SON OLDER THAN HIS FATHER .- It is stated that a nuxurious lady, living near Berlin, in Prussia, who has only attained the age of 103 years, has just contracted a fourth marriage with a youth of 70. But the cream of the joke is, that among the children which the bride brought to her near husband was abox of 82 new husband, was a boy of 82.

Success to HER .- The Hickman (Ky.) Standard says :-- A lady residing within fifty miles of this place has recently given birth to four sons within an hour. They have been named Polk, Dallas, Texas and Oregon, and all in a thriving

spirit of enthusiam, and learning found every where an asylum among the great. Old manuscripts were plucked from their dusty hiding places, and obsolete volumes opened to the cager hand of the student. Genius reveiled once more in the creations of the past, and strains of wisdom flowed out in the measures of the Attic tongue .-Once more was Greece a watchword for intellec-tual energy, and her temples and her hill sides, her mountains and her vallies, were hallowed by lassio reminiscences. Once more did inspiration catch its breathings at Pindus, and dreams of the

Catch its breathings at riddus, and dreams of the Poet-land were fashioned after Tempe." Methinks I see Virginia awaking from her long, long night—rising from her bed of despair and gloom, by the gleam of hope, which her sons have kindled in ther bosom, and stretching forth the Esq., of Normality. Brown University. FEBRUARY PASSAGES OF THE ATLANTIO STEAMERS.—The Boston Courier says, that for four successive years, the February passages of the steamers from Liverpool, to Boston, have not varied twenty-four hours in duration. In 1843, the Acadia sailed from Liverpool, February 5th, the Acadia sailed from Liverpool, February 5th, the Acadia sailed from Liverpool, Tebruary 5th, the Acadia sailed from Liverpool the for the the transformation for the transforma bilanthropy whither hast thou field "---unfurl thy folded pinions and come speedily---we need thy hallowing inspirations. The spirit of virtue and the genius of liberty invokes the favorable attenall, in a liberty and government like ours-in a region the freest and once the fairest-that region region the freest and once the fairest—that region is overhung with an almost unbroken cloud of darkness—a cloud as heavy and as deep as crea-tion's night. Sir, this humbling spectacle, which should crimson the check with the blush of shame, calls for redress with a power of entreaty to which words can add nothing. As a political measure, it is equally the interest, as it is the high and sa-cred duty of our legislature, to lay its, hand upon this might evil, and to apply all convenient poli-tical medicaments to this social and political de-formity. Let the fostering hand of the govern-ment present the alphabet of knowledge to all ment present the alphabet of knowledge to all and rescue at once from the destiny of unlettered

and rescue at once from the destiny of unlettered ignorance, the helpless and neglected youths of our land. How long, sir, will this patriotic duty be de-clined or evaded by our Legislature, and the great body of the people left to struggle as they have done before ? Has not public sentiment on this subject, been fally expressed in our meetings and conven-tions? Why, sir, disregard their voice? The people of Virginia are not easily aroused; but when they are it belongs not to their character to be stopped until have they attained their object, and they will attain it, as quietly and as tranquilly as the great ocean, when it is unruffled by a storm,—that ocean whose awful sublimity the people in their sover-

ocean, when it is unruffled by a storm,—that ocean whose awful sublimity the people in their sover-eign power and grandenr so much resembles. Philosophy and literature, sir, are employed in a glorious work, when they quit their exalted sents, from which they have spell-bound the world, and walk hand and hand with childhood and youth in the paths of intellectual and moral instruction. Genius may break forth in gleams of light that have the power of dazzling by their brilliancy and beauty, but when to intellectual knowledge it adds moral instruction—when it touches the cords of the heart until they vibrate to, pure and virtuous infinences, then do we hall it as one of the richest gifts committed to man. And here is no sphere that it may more effectually exert this influence, than in that of the education of the youthful mind. These lisping tongues that repeat the wisdom

These lisping tongues that repeat the wisdom Jug Mart

THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS has made his annual report to Congress. The whole number of applications for patents, during the year 1845 is 1246; the whole number of caveats filed, 452.— The number of patents issued in 1845 is 502, inluding re-issues, additional improvements and de-igns. Patents that have expired during the same cluding re-issues, automatical and the same signs. Patents that have expired during the same period is 470. The receipts of the office amount to \$57,976 14; of which sum, \$8,223 33 have been repaid on account of applications withdrawn, &c. The expenses of the office, in all, \$31,173 82; leaving a net balance of \$11,680 49 to be credited to the Patent Fund. The whole number of patents issued by the United States for inventions, up to January, 1846, is 14,526. The general business of the office, as well as its receipts, during the past year, has greatly increased over that of any former

The Fakir of Ava, who died last week, left \$2, 000 in gold, but owned, we are informed, about \$20,000 worth of property, all of which will go to his wife in Cincinnati, whom he had abandoned, and not lived with for twenty years.

you.- No matter how bad it may be at the beginning, if you are fool enough to enter upon it, be wise enough to persevere. If the tide is against wise enough to persevere. If the tide is against you to-day, for that very reason it will be with you They who cross your path will soon o-morrow. dia off, or give up, if they find you are in earnest. Botter stick to a had business, than be always changing, even from good to better. Better have a bad reason than none at all for moving your piece, if you ever hope to be a player.

" Be sure you're right, then go ahead," said Davy Crockett. "That's the motto for a business man, whether young or old, in other words for a useful man; but for the young it is a mine of wisdom.---Show your enterprise by striking out a new path for yourself, in the beginning; and your perse-verance to it heedless of the jibes and sneers of all that may seem to be going ahead faster than you are. Wait and see: The end is not yet.-Do this, and if you live ten years, you cannot die a poor man, nor live undistinguished. Keep changing and you are lost. A bad business, well followed up, is worth half a dozen better kinds not followed up. "Three moves are as bad as a fire," said Frank-

lin. So are three changes, whether of business, or partners, of names or places. What we like most in this country, is old firms, old places of business, men who have stuck to something, no matter what, long enough to be knowli. Those

plough share thou drivest, may not turn up as a were fire in thy path, at the very beginning—a cup of cold water and a crust were better for these in the beginning than either, better than both, take our word for it. Stick to thy business! and good will come, and fire too, long before they are wanted. J. N.

INDUSTRY AND INTEGRITY .- There is nothing ossible to man, which industry and integrity will not accomplish. The poor boy of yesterday, so poor that a dollar was a miracle in his vision; houseless, shoeless, breadless—compelied to wan-der on foot from village to village, with his bundle on his back, in order to procure labor and means on his back, in order to procure labor and means of subsistence, has become the talented and hon-orable young man to-day, by the power of his good right arm, and the potent influence of his pure principles, firmly held and perpetually maintained. When poverty and what the world calls disgrace, stared him in the face, he shuddered not, but press-ed onward, and exulted most in high and great exertion in the midst of accumulated disasters and exhaustice. Let this yourg man be checkibed for exertion in the midst of accumulated disasters and calamities. Let this young man be cherished, for he honors his country and dignifies his race.— High blood—what matters it if this courses not in his voins—he is a free-born American, and there-fore a sovereign and a prince. Wealth—what cares he for that, so long as his heart is pure, and his walk upright. He knows, and his country knows, that the little finger of an honest and up-right man, is worth more than the whole body of an effininate and dishonest rich man. These are the men who make the country—who bring to it whatever of iron sinew and unfailing spirit it pos-sesses or desires—who are rapidly rendering it

sesses or desires-who are rapidly rendering it the mightiest land beneath the sun.

strength. It is said he carried on his shoulder an ox four years old, weighing upwards of one thou-sand pounds, for above forty yards, and afterwards killed it with one blow with his fist. He was seven times crowned at the Pythian games, and six at the Olympian. He presented himself the seventh time, but no one had the courage to enter the list against him. He was one of the disciples

the list against him. The was one of the disciples of Pythagoras, and to his uncommon strength the learned preceptor and his pupils owed their lives. The pillar which supported the roof of the school suddenly gave way, but Milo supported the whole weight of the building, and gave the philosopher time to escape. In his old age, Milo attempted to pull up a tree by its roots and break it. He partly effected it, but his strength being gradually exhausted the tree when ball define required and exhausted, the tree, when hall cleft, re-united, and his hands remained pinched in the body of it .----He was then alone, and being unable to disen-gage himself, died in that position. Haller mentions that he say a man whose fin-

ger, being caught in a chain at the bottom of a mine, by keeping it forcibly bent, supported by that means the weight of his whole body, one

& Stone's Circus, last spring, was able to resist the united strength of four horses, as was witness-ed by hundreds in New York and other places.— A lion is said to have left the impression of his

teeth upon a piece of solid iron. The most prodigious power of mucle is exhibi-ted by fish. The whale moves with a velocity through the dense medium of water that would carry him, continued at the same rate, round the world in little less than a fortnight, and a sword fish has been known to strike his weapon quite through the oak plank of a ship.

WELL SAID .- We find the following touching

"Well, SAID. We blue the conowing concerning allusion to the drunkard's wife in a well written article on winter, in a late Bangor paper: "But there is one on whose sinking heart the thoughts of dreary winter, beat with more than ocean surge. The drunkard's wife! Alas! the beauties of summer have lost the power to charm heart into life the herben and wasied enerbeauties of summer have lost the power to charm back into life the broken and wasted ener-gies. The deep fountains of her bursting heart have long since been broken up, and floods of grief have swept away, and buried in one common grave all the bright anticipations of bliss that shone on her early life. With what deep and dark forebo-ding does the gathering pall of winter envelope her desponding soul? What is there of earthly good that she can call her own? Of what avail to her is the sympathy of friends? It is but the twinkling light of far distant stars, that shine, it is true, but their brightness cannot warm into life a soul that is bereft of its long cherished and life-giving sun. To her the luminary of her early days has set, and a darkness that, in sad reality, imay be felt, is the portion of her cup." may be felt, is the portion of her cup."

As lofty trees not only call down refreshing showers, but also attract the lightning which de-stroys them, so mortals, who aspire to rise above the common level, must expect to gather tem

DEBTORS .- You cannot trust some men-they lie so like Sam Hyde. Loan them a dollar for one day only, and you are lucky if you get it in a month. Trust them with goods, and you may never get your pay. One such character, full of words and brass, called on a merchant to purchase a barrel of flour, and begged the favor of a few days credit. It was readily granted to him. In the course of a few weeks the bill was presented; but the man In a few days more he would settle it. The bill

was again presented, but with no better success. was again presented, but with no better success. Month after month passed by, and not a cent was collected. The merchant himself called on the individual. "I can't pay it now," said he. He remonstrated with him—referred to his promise, &c.,—but the debtor said he had no conscience, "Well," said the creditor, "I have had trouble enough with this bill—I now present it to you." "I an very much oblige to you," said the other, as he folded up the bill and placed it in his walict. In this way certain characters sponge their living out of others. They owe everybody who will trust them, from Huckler's Row to Clay Cove, and they are perfectly independent in their way, and have are perfectly independent in their way, and have as little conscience in refusing to pay a bill, and they would in turning a theif from their doors. All poor men are not of this description. An honest person, when he gets trusted and cannot pay, feels under some obligation to his creditor, and when he tells his real circumstances, is not troubled,—Portland Tribuns.—

A fallow out West, who keeps a grocery store closes his shutters in the day-time and burns land ell—it being, as he says, cheaper than daylight.

Spirit of Jefferson.



The Mails. The Mails. Owing to the present arrangement of the Mails leaving Winchester, our papers intended for Clarke, Loudoun, Panquier, Hampshire and Page counties, do not reach their destination until early in the ensuing week. To avoid this provoking delay for the future, and to enable us to furnish our friends in these counties with the very LATET intelligence, we have determined to issue our pa-per in time to be forwarded from here by the mails of Thursday evening, consequently our papers will reach most of the counties above named on Friday morning. Advertisers will confer a favor by sending in their notices on Wednesday evening or Thursday morning.

Democratic Meeting.

A very large meeting of the Democratic party of Jefferson, convened at the Court-House o Monday last. The object of the meeting was to consider the expediency of presenting candidates for the Legislature. A diversity of opinion seemed to exist as to what course of policy was most proper to pursue, in view of the present harmonious condition of the Whig party. Propositions were offered for the consideration of the meeting by Messrs. O'Bannon, Butcher, Wager, Beller, Washington, Opie and Baylor, but finally the meeting adjourned, without committing itself as to any future action.

The Canvass in Jefferson.

Though the Democrats as yet, have presented no candidates for the Legislature, the canvass in this County promises to be one of no little interest. The Whig party, notwithstanding their professed abhorrence for office, never fail, when an occasion offers, to find a host who are willing and anxious to serve the people. Of this, however, we do not complain. It may serve to illustrate the fable of the frog-Sport for the Democrats. but death to the Whigs.

In hopes of stilling the troubled waters, a meeting of the Whig party convened at the Court-House on Monday. The Democrats having held their meeting previously, and made no nomination, it was pretty evident that, however much some might desire it, the mass of the Whig party were opposed to a Caucus nomination. And, after considerable debate, in which some feeling was manifested, the following preamble and resolution, offered by Dr. R. S. Blackburn, were adonted ----

WHEREAS, from present indications, it appears that the Democratic Party will have no Candi-date in the field this spring, and, whereas, there are a number of Whigs who have been brought forward by their several friends, and whereas, the Whig Party, do not wish to stifle the People of Jefferson County in the choice of indi-viduals to represent her true sentiments,--therefore, be it

Resolved, That this meeting do forbear making any nomination of Candidates for the present, but in the event of the appearance hereafter of Demo-cratic Candidates in the field during the Canvass, that the Chairman of this meeting be empowered to convene the Whigs of the County, for the pur-pose of concentrating the votes of the Whig Par-ty on two fit persons as representatives of their

So, the course being clear, the following names are now before the people, as Whig candidates for the Legislature from the county of Jefferson :

From the Free Press. We are authorized by their respective friends, to announce the following gentlemen as Candidates for the next House of Delegates :-

WM. B. THOMPSON, ANDREW HUNTER, WM. CHAMBERS;

The Tariff Sold for Oregon. One of the weak onslaughts of the Whig press pon the Administration, is the charge, that the Tariff-American industry-protection against pauper labor of Europe, &c.-has been bargained off for Oregon. This was first slarted in the manufacturing districts, and without reflecting upon the ridiculousness of it, the entire federal press of the country is echoing the complaint. We will let the Brattleboro (Vt.) Democrat dispose of it, of disastrous consequences.

which it does with happy grace : It is with very bad grace, we think, that the op-ponents of the Administration represent Mr. Polk as buying of England on the Oregon question, by a sacrifice of our manufacturing interests, in the contemplated modifications of the Tariff. With

contempared modifications of the Tariff. With a bad grace, we think, since " the whole of Or-gon" is advocated by a large majority of the people; and a majority in Congress which shows to all the world that it is no longer a party mea-sure, but a measure advocated by the wisdom, as well as the greatest number of all parties. With a bad grace too, when it is rentembered that said opponents have from the beginning held up the Baltimore Convention as requiring, and Mr. Polk as pledging himself to take a stand for these two measures—Oregon and " an equal tariff"—do these opponents now turn round in the moment their party splits upon the former question, and to cover their discumfuture, charge upon Mr. Polk collusion with Great Britain to sacrifice the inter-ests of the country in the provisions of the tariff. We ask, gentlemen,—if as you have all along re-presented—motives existed sufficient to move the Baltimore Convention and Mr. Polk to a reduction of duties on imports of foreign manufactures; a bad grace, we think, since " the whole of Oreof duties on imports of foreign manufactures; how can you convict the present administration of carrying out its preconceived plans under any other superadded motives? A whole cannot by any addition be rendered any more complete-neither can a motive sufficient to induce action be loosed from its original responsibility by any coincident motive of subsequent occurrence. With a bad grace we think does the opposition seek to represent an administration tenacious of the territorial rights of the country as reckless of its home in-terests. No man can be patriotic in the one and unpatriotic in the other. Mr. Clay and Mr. Adams

-names most venerable and honored in the op-position annals, are with Mr. P. in one or both measures; and whatever may be the result, our opponents, as well as our own party, should have the most inplicit confidence in the patriotic feel-ings and motives of the administration.

Education Bills.

There was so much miserable tinkering on the subject of Education in our last Legislature, without perfecting any feasible scheme, at we scarce know what was done on this vital and important subject. The Richmond Whig gives the following as the result of the labors of the Legislature :

"Two school bills were passed-one to amend the present Primary School system, and adding a fund, to be received from the general Government of from \$50,000 to \$80,000—the other establishing a system of District Free Schools. The lat-ter is to be submitted to the voters at the polls in 1847, upon a demand of one-third of the qualified voters, and to be adopted upon a vote of two-thirds. So that each county will now have a choice of continuing the present Primary School System, (improved,) or of trying that which has been suc-cessful in other States."

Jefferson's Notes on Virginia.

We are glad to observe that the enterprising Editors of that excellent paper in Baltimore, the "Western Continent," intend shortly to put to press a new and fine edition of this valuable book. which is now so rarely to be found. To Virginians, this able exposition, in a much improved form, tive State, will prove of great interest-and to citizens of other States it will furnish a rich fund of very agreeable and useful information. The Editors say :

"Our edition will be an exact transcript of the copy kept by its illustrious author, with the emen-dations and copious additions made by him, from time to time, until his death. It would seem that Mr. Jefferson anticipated the public desire for a new edition, and was thus careful in leaving the materials for a reprint, that would not discredit his high reputation. The copy to which we refer, was presented by T. Jefferson Randolph, Esq., grandson of Mr. Jefferson, to our fellow townsman, J. Spear Smith, President of the Maryland Historical Society, who has undertaken to Migh Waters.

Considerable damage has been done throughout the country by the recent freshet. On Saturday and Sunday last fears were entertained lest the Rail Road Bridge at Harpers-Ferry should be washed away, but the massive structure proved equal to withstand the raging billows. The Potomac and Shenandoah have both been falling since Monday, and no fears are now entertained

The Georgetown Advocate makes the following emark on Tuesday, as to the rise in the Potomac There has been a heavy freshet in the Potomac : There has been a heavy freshet in the Potomac : during the last few days, and we hear of some in-jury done to the canal above, but not sufficient to check a very large arrival of boats, at this town, during and since Saturday.

day last, by D. Grand Master, J. HARRISON KELLY, assisted by members of the Order from Wildey Lodge, Caledonia Lodge, Winchester Lodge, and Maffit Lodge.

The following members were duly elected officers of the Lodge, and regularly installed : The Rev. J. J. SUMAN, N. G; GEORE LEE BENJ. B. WELSH, Secretary.

New Hat Establishment.

By reference to advertisement, it will be seen Mr. JOHN DONAVIS has removed his Hat Establishment to the building adjoining the store of Mr. J. H. Beard. He has now on hand a fashionable and beautiful assortment of Hats, which he is offering at prices that cannot fail to give satisfaction. Mr. D. is one among the most worthy and deserving of our fellow-townsmen, and our citizens should extend towards him that support which he so justly deserves. Let us have then, a practical illustration, of " Encouraging Home Industry."

TOn our first page will be, found No. 5, and the last of a series of essays on Education. &c., by "H." We hope the author of these essays, C. B. HARDING, Esq., will be induced to take up the subject again, as we are assured that they have proved of interest to our readers, and reflected great credit upon the author. In point of style a gentleman of considerable discernment remarked to us, a day or two ago, that they compared favorably with any productions which have appeared in the public prints, and were he the author, he should be proud of the honor thus conferred.

SHERIFF OF JEFFERSON COUNTY .-- On Monday last, Capt. JOHN MOLER was sworn in as Sheriff of Jefferson County, and the following gentlemen as Deputies :-- John W. Moore, Benjamin Lucas, Robert Lucas, and Daniel G. Henkle. Wm. H. of the natural beauties and advantages of their na- Griggs was also sworn in as Deputy Sheriff and Jailor.

> TT A Mr. Buddington, Teller in the Canal Bank at New Orleans lately married a negro wife. To comply with the law, he had to swear that he had negro blood in his veins, so he opened his arm and put some of his Dulcinea's blood into it. He received with his wife \$60,000, she being the daughter of one of the wealthiest merchants in the city

ing the deputy postmasters elective by the people where the office is located. The resolution was adopted.

Mississippi.

 Minimippi.
 N. G. North, Esc., formerly of this town, is at present Rending Clerk of the House of Represent tatives of his adopted State. He was elected by a very decided majority, though his political opin-lines are at variance with a majority of the House, —thus received the difficult and laborious duties of his office. Mr. N. has prepared a tabular statement showing the residence, occupation, and the line influence of Mr. Calhoun, and is few difference is interesting, as exhibiting the statement showing the residence, occupation, and the line influence of Mr. Calhoun, and is few difference is interesting, as exhibiting the statement showing the residence, occupations, and the line influence of Mr. Calhoun, and is few difference is interesting in the line influence of Mr. Calhoun, and is few difference is interesting in the line influence of Mr. Calhoun, and is few difference is interesting in the influence of Mr. Calhoun, and is few difference is interesting in the line influence of Mr. Calhoun, and is few difference is interesting in the lines of the legislature of 1840—emprised in the control state. Allower the legislature of 1840—emprised in the control state intelligence from the United States than that carried out by the Yorkshire, had been escretly in 1845, prepared to the presentative. Also estatement of the taxes and most efficient and induce trive callers and most efficient and induce trive calles and most efficient and induce trive. Also estate most of the two shifts of the state. Commo barley, for the consumption of the best readers and most efficient and induce trives is selling in the constitue is selling in the construction of the statement and induce trives of the graves and most efficient and induce trives collects ever engreged in the service of the foreign corm markets. The French ports are to be frame. In Norway and Skeden serious wants to be created and the country. Frames must bay largely in a few montha, and the series of the construction in the country for the N. G. NORTH, Esq., formerly of this town, is at

the Oregon question, which would be disgraceful to the Senate and the Country.

In the Senate on Thursday last, Mr. Jarnagin brought the matter to the notice of the Senate and on his motion, a resolution was adopted unanimously, to appoint a committee of five to investi-STEWART, V. G ; THOMAS LOCK, Treasurer, and gate the charges, and Messrs. Jarnagin, Benton, Dickinson, J. M. Clayton and Turney were named

by the chair. The Committee brought in their report on Mon-

day, and acquitted the members of the Senate from the charge preferred against them by the Times." They state that there was no evidence produced that sustained, in the least degree, the charges preferred. Thereupon, it was recommended that the editors and reporters for the "Times." be expelled from the privileged seats in the Senate.

Virginia---Her Finances.

The Richmond Enquirer thus refers to the present financial prospect of Virginia:

"We should, on Friday last, have called attention to the notice of the State Treasurer, that he was prepared to redeem \$45,676 66 of the public debt. This is a most gratifying evidence of the sound financial condition of Virginia, and is the more to be commended, as some of our sister States have failed to provide any means for the payment of even the interest on their debt. It is ith patriotic pride that every Virginian turns to the year 1842, when the General Assembly had the moral courage to increase the subjects of taxation, and secure the threatened honor and credit of the State. The people sustained the wise and gallant acts of the representatives, and the fair name of Virginia was at once stripped of every cloud of doubt. It was a noble victory, and one whose fruits will exert a salutary influence upon the prosperity of the Old Dominion. May she ever remain in her present sound financial condi-

GREAT FRESHET .- Detention of the Mails .-

LATER FROM EUROPE.

ARRIVAL OF SHIP SUNBEAM AT BOSTON.

Gd. free on board, and would have brought higher rates but for a scarcity of shipping. Secondary qualities were worth about 34s. Prices, however, have since advanced considerably, and as the stocks, which are not large, are eagerly taken up

for the north of Europe, there seems little chance of any great quantity finding its way to Great Bri-

IT. The parsonage of the Methodist Protestant Church at Chestertown, Md., was entirely destroyed by fire on Friday last. It was occupied by the Rev. Mr. Roby.

TT The Washington Union of Saturday evenng says that the rumor of changes in the Cabinet of President POLK are without the slightest foundation. The Whig press can certainly find something more worthy their attention, than these ridiculous speculations as to changes in 'the Cabi-

net. RAILROAD ACCIDENT .- As the Western train of cars were coming into Rochester, N. Y., on Saturday last, a farmer, greatly intoxicated, was driving his team along the rails, which he had mistaken for the highway, when the cars drew nigh ; but he having never before seen a locomoive, refused to get out of the way, and both hor ses, as well as the wagon, were instantly dashed to pieces-the driver miraculously escaping.

HORRIBLE EVENT AND REMARKABLE COINCI-DENCE.—The dreadful occurrence in this city last week, (says the Baltimore Sun,) by which an infant lost its life at the hands of its mother, it will be remembered took place on Thursday afternoon A similar event also occurred at, Louisville Kentucky, as we learn from the papers of that city, at the precise time, a coincidence tragical indee but truly remarkable. The Louisville Journal, of Friday morning, has the following notice of the occurrence:

"Yesterday afternoon, a German named Joseph tion, and may she never launch forth into a wild system of expenditure, unequal and unjust in its insanity and during the absence of his wife, killed tion, and may she never launch forth into a wild system of expenditure, unequal and unjust in its operation, and which, sconer or slater, would bring her credit to the brink of ruin ! While there are a few enterprises of general and extended interest, which the State might properly cherish, it is a safe and wise principle, that it should be left to individual exertions and judgment to carry out those works, which the necessities of each sec-tion of the State may demand. The honor and faith of Virginia should never be clouded by en-terprises of doubtful success."

THE CROPS .- The Alexandria (D. C.) Gazette ter of one of the wealthiest merchants in the city. SMALL Pox.—The number of deaths from this disease in New York, last week, was 7, in Phila-delphia 10, aud in Baltimore only 3. MR. CAMPBELL, M. C., from New York, has offered a resolution instructing the Post Office Committee to inquire into the expediency of mak-ing, the distribution of the Mails.— The first train of cars from the East, under the new arrangement, due at 6 o'clock yesterday morn-ing, did not reach this city until about 2 o'clock in the afternoon, having been detained by a great freshet and breaking apof the ice in the Susque-hana, preventing the passage of the boat at Havre committee to inquire into the expediency of mak-ive the denutrowise action of the Mails.— The first train of cars from the East, under the new arrangement, due at 6 o'clock yesterday morn-ing, did not reach this city until about 2 o'clock in the afternoon, having been detained by a great freshet and breaking apof the ice in the Susque-hana, preventing the passage of the boat at Havre evening were also similarly detained on this side reat fire of the 10th of April, 1845 is yet wore says :--- "The growing grain in all this section of country, looks at this time in a very promising condition." We wish for the farmers fine har-

TO THE VOTERS OF JEFFERSON COUNTY.

FELLOW-CITIZENS : Through the partiality of friends, I am be-you as a candidate for a seat in the next

Master, from which office I had just been removed. I was warmly urged to permit my name to come before the precinct meeting—I consented, and was the choice of that meeting on the first ballot, by a considerable majority over all others. Six Dele-gates were then appointed to attend the County Convention, and were unanimously instructed to yote for me, and to use all honorable efforts to se-cure my nomination. The Convention met and my name was not brought before it on the ground my name was not brought before it, on the ground that there was a flaw in my Deed—this may have been true, but I was not sure of it.-I however submitted, and purchased another freehold, in re-gard to which there could be no question, and as gard to which there could be no question, and as the "Pipe Laying" and "Wire-working" ma-chinery has been already set to work, and person-al abuse and slander, heaped upon me for the avow-ed purpose of driving me off the course, I have de-termined to come before the people themselves— and, fellow-citizens, HERE I and ready to submit the come before the people themselves to a submit to any decision which you may think proper to make. It is urged against me that I am "too make. It is urged against me that I am "too small a man" to go to the Legislature. True, fellow-citizens, it takes but a small piece of Cloth to furnish me a Coat, and when you select your Delegates hy weight, I shall not be a candidate, rest assured; and now for my opinions: I am a straight out Clay Whig; I am an advocate for a Convention on the White basis, to amend the Constitution; For the the extension of the blessings of Edu-cation, so that the light of Knowledge may illu-man's palace;

man's palace; For the abolition of imprisonment for debt; For the extension of the Right of Suffrage; For the election of the Governor and other pub-lic officers by the people, instead of the Legisla-

lic officers by the people, instead of the Legisla-ture; I go for the best interests of the people of West-ern Virginia, and particularly of our own county; And I am utterly opposed to every species of "Pipe Laying," "Wire-Working" and "Schem-ing," and will have nothing to do with any thing of that sort. I come openly before you, fellow-citizens, and openly solicit your support. I am connected with no other candidate or "Clique," but am a Harpera-Ferry man as regards precinct feeling. I stand alone and on my own merit. It may be, fellow citizens, that I shall not have the pleasure of seeing and shaking hands with all of you, but believe me, I have as much real regard

of you, but believe me, I have as much real regard for my fellow-citizens as those who do shake hands, be it ever so pressing or smilingly! I shall say nothing against any other candidate in the course of my electioneering, though much has been al-ready said against me, and more no doubt will be, by one particular aspirant, who has come out, as he himself proclaims, for the express purpose of "hanging Jimmy Fitzsimmons' hide on the fence;" but lellow-citizens, you are the Tan-ners in this case, and not this new and "dignified" hand at the skin-dressing business, and when you want my "hide" for fence embellishment, you may have it cheerfully. Ishall reply to no personal slang, come from what quarter it may, nor will I indulge in it myself. Fair sailing is all I ask of the other candidates, and whatever be the result, I shall be content of content.

In conclusion, Harpers-Ferry is fully entitled to one of the Delegates this Spring; but you, fel-low-citizens, have the right, beyond question, to make your own choice-to vote for whom you please, and if you cannot conscientiously vote for me, I shall not be displeased or "fall out" with you ; but if you can vote for me, of course it will be more agreeable to

Yours, respectfully, JAMES A. FITZSIMMONS.

P. S .- Since writing the above, I have learned that I have been reported in one part of the counas a "Roman Catholic," and in another as an Infidel"-I have only to say, fellow-citizens, that "Indel"—I have only to say, fellow-citizens, that I cannot be both, and you may rest assured I am neither the one or the other. J. A. FITZSIMMONS. March 17, 1846.

RICHARD S. BLACKBURN, L. B. WASHINGTON.

How many more Candidates will be presented, it is yet too early in the Canvass to conjecture. Those already named, are gentlemen of high standing in the County, for their moral worth and intellectual powers. Who are to be the successful ones, is a subject of much conjecture. -So far as we are concerned, equal and exact justice shall be rendered to all.

On Monday, Messrs. Hunter, Fitzsimmons, and explanation of certain rumors which had been cirname was spoken of in connection with the Delegate election .-

IT We are requested to withdraw the name of Mr. JACOB P. A. ENTLER, announced in our last paper as a candidate for the Legislature. See his Card in another column of our paper. We think, however, those who have charged him with being a Democrat, are rather too sensitive. Before the election is over, there are some we wot of, who would have no objection to be considered the "Democratic Candidate" if they could thereby secure Democratic votes.

The result of the New Hampshire elections show that the Whigs and Hale Abolitionists have made a violent struggle to carry the State. They may have succeeded in preventing the choice of Governor by the people-but the election of a Republican Legislature seems probable, which will fill all vacancies with true men .-The desperate game of the conspirators was to elect the anti-Texas traitor Hale to the United States Senate. 'The returns, which are imperfect, however, indicate that they have failed.

ET WM. MAXWELL, Esq., a distinguished lawyer, and for many years a member of the Senate of Virginia, has taken charge of the Richmond Star, formerly edited by Mr. Pleasants. The name of the paper is changed to the Richmond Republican, and is to be issued daily and semi-weekly.

The Lieutenant Governor of Virginia has appointed Mr. Taliaferro P. Shaffner, of Louisville, Kentucky, Commissioner to take depositions, acknowledgments of deeds, &c.

irA new Medical College, the Franklin, is annonnced in Pnfladelphie, to open next October, with Drs. Goddard, Van Wyck, Clymer, J. B. Biddle, D. H. Tucker, (formerly of this county,) Joynes, J. B. Rogers and J Lerdy, as the Faculty -Dr. Biddle to be Dean.

Wm. M. Blackford, Esq., formerly editor of the Fredericksburg Arena, and more recently, Charge de Affaires to New Grenada, has purchased an interest in the Lynchburg Virginian, and will assume the editorial duties in a few days.

be its editor. There will be prefixed to it an introduction, by the editor, containg brief notices of the leading points in the life of Mr. Jefferson, as those also in the career of M. Barbe-Marbois, the gentleman for whom the notes were writen. It shall have full justice at our hands, and as Baltimore will enjoy the honor of the publication, we will take pride in issuing a volume that shall not deprive her of any portion of it."

" Pennsylvania News."

We have received a neatly printed paper entitled the PENNSYLVANIA NEWS, published at Carlisle, Thompson were severally called out by their Pennsylvania, under the editorial direction of G. friends. Mr. Hunter spoke for near an hour, in S. Dortz, Esq., the object of which is, to ferret cate matter. out the lurking places of runaway slaves in that culated through the county last spring, when his State and to give information thereof to their owners. It was the editors design to publish his paper

at Harrisburg, Pa., but such was the danger to which his property was exposed on account of the character of the paper, which he was about to publish, that he determined to establish it at Carlisle. This paper will be very useful to Southerners and we commend it earnestly to their notice. It is published at \$1 50, payable in advance. We extract the following paragraph from the editors prospectus:

The community here has been under a false impression, regarding the institutions at the South. Many persons at the North obtain a comfortable subsistence by manufacturing scandal. - Almost every day we see some needy, pernicious, wan-looking wretch, a mere anatomy, a moving mass of bones, going from town to town begging the last penny from the hand of poverty, pretending it is to be appropriated for the benefit of those in bondage; and the more readily to obtain donations they tabricate the most absurd stories about the crucity inflicted upon southern servants. slanderous imputations of these pitiful pilgrims, has caused the frosty North to become uncomfor-tably hot upon a question which has not the most remote connection with their affairs. It is not

our intention to debate the merits or demerits of Slavery in its present form, however it must be apparent to the dullest capacity, that a negro cannot exist as well without a master as when he is provided with one. The relation of master and servant must exist in some form. If the system at the North is best, nothern masters enjoy the difference, and those who are employed are not more humanely treated. Our endeavors will be to give information to southern masters concerning their fugitive servants. For this pur-

concerning their lugitive servants. For this pur-pose we have made arrangements with four hun-dred men who live along the Pennsylvania line, and in towns most inhabited by negroes; to fur-nish us with information regarding those who are thought to be runaways. When any such are seen, they will be described in the columns of our paper. If the master knows his servant by the description, he can communicate the same to us, and we will make an effort to have his servant se-

cured. We think it will be well for masters to read our paper to their servants, perhaps it would induce them to stay at home. They will certainly be taken back to their masters if they come here.

Dr The fare between Philadelphia and Baltimore, on the Rail Road, is reduced to \$3.

A NEGRO WOMAN In Kentucky has been delivered of a child with two perfect heads.

INTENTIONS TO MARRY .- Some of the Boston papers are publishing lists of persons intending to marry, under a law of the State, requiring persons about to enter this solemn contract to pu fore hand their names and intentions. The Boston Times has a remonstrance against this cus-tom from some of the fair sex, who are quite in-dignant at the liberties of the law in such a deli-

MARYLAND RAILROAD IRON,-During the present year, thirty miles of the railroad track between Baltimore and Harpers-Ferry, are to be renewed with heavy iron rails of the bridge or Ω pattern, weighing 51 lbs. to the yard, and corresponding pretty much in other respects with the very sub stantial rails on the division of the road from Har-pers-Ferry to Cumberland. We are gratified to be able to add that the rails about to be laid down, making an aggregate of between 2000 and 3000 tons, will be of Maryland iron, to be furnished in about equal quantities by the Covington Manufacturing Company, (Messra, Ellicott's works,) and the Maryland and New York Iron and Coal Company, whose works are at Mount Savage, near Cumberland.

FROM MEXICO .- Interesting .- The Washington Union of Monday evening last, says :--- " News from Vera Cruz down to the 23d ultimo was received last night at the Department of State. Almonte had resigned the office of minister of war, and Tornell had been appointed his successor.-Lucas Alaman, the editor of the new royalist jour-nal at Mexico, (the Tiempo,) had been compelled by public indignation to fly from the city, his life being in danger, and his paper had been pronounbeing in danger, and his paper had been pronoun-ced seditious. Since the royalist party had taken open ground in favor of monarchy, the Mexican people have become much better inclined towards the United States. Upon the whole, our affairs with Mexico were assuming a more hopeful aspect.'

FROM TEXAS.-By the steamship Alabama, Capt. Windle, at New Orleans, we have Galveston dates as late as the 4th inst.

ton dates as late as the 4th inst. The election of U. S. Senators took place on the 20th. Only one ballotting was had, and the following was the result:--Gen. Rusk received 70 votes, Gen. Houston 69, and 4 were scatter-ing votes. Expresses were immediately dispatch-ed to them with their commissions, and they will doubless repair to the city of Washington without delay. without delay. J. S. Sydnor has been elected Mayor of Galves

J. S. Sydnor has been elected hisyor of Gaiven-ton by a small majority. His opponents were J. M. Allen, A. Crane, and R. P. Jones. The Hon, J. Hemphill has been appointed and confirmed as Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Texas, and Hons. Abner S. Lipscomb and R.

T. Wheeler as Associate Judges.

THE LATE STORM .- The storm of the 2d inst. was most terrific at Old Point Comfort, and did great damage. The government suffered to the amount of \$7,000, and private citizens to \$3,000. A large gun, weighing 7 tons, was dismount-ed, and the carriage which cost \$600, swept away by the sea.

We received no Harrisburg papers last evening, consequently have but little direct information relative to the damage in that vicinity, which is represented to be very great. The York cars which arrived yesterday alternoon, state that the freshet arrived yesterday alternoon, state that the freshet at Harrisburg was higher than ever before known at that place. The Harrisburg stage bridge and the railroad bridge, which were under repair, are both swept away. The damage done on both sides of the river must be very great. *Tide Water Canal.*—The Deer Creek bridge, eight miles from Havre de Grace, has been swept away. A letter from the Supervisor of the Canal, writing to the President in this city, states that it

writing to the President in this city, states that it will require several thousand dollars to repair the damages .- Ball. Sun Monday.

RETROCESSION .- The correspondent of the Balimore American gives the annexed synopsis of the bill reported in the House of Representatives for retroceding Alexandria and that portion of the District south of the Potomac to the State of Virginia:

The provisions of the bill in brief are, that, with the assent of the people of the town and coun-ty of Alexandria, all that portion of the District ceded to the United States by the State of Virginia, shall be ceded back and forever relinquished to the State of Virginia, full and absolute right and ju-indicities are well of soil as of parameters residing or State of Virginia, full and absolute right and jurning or and Mississippi. risdiction, as well of soil as of persons residing or The Pride of the West, a new boat, on her re-The Pride of the West, a new boat, on her reto reside therein.

the citizens as heretofore, until Virginia shall pro-vide by law for the extension of herejurisdiction

and judicial system over the ceded territory. "The assent of the people shall be given by vote to the act of cession, and the deed shall be of it.

"The Government retains its ownership to the Custom House and Post Office in Alexandria, and gives to Virginia the public squares, on which stand the Jail and Court-house."

FROM YUCATAN.—Progress and Confirmation of her Independence.—By the arrival of the barque Walter, Capt. Rankin, from Matanzas, the New York Sun has received files of papers from that place to the 23d ultimo, and from Havana to the 20th. There is, however, nothing of importance in the current news of the Island. By way of Ha-vana, we have received advices from Merida, the capital of Yucatan, to the 8th of February. On the 3d of January, the Department Assembly de-termined to convoke an extraordinary Congress, at the same time recalling the members sent by the Department of Mexico. The Manifesto callng this Congress declares that there shall be one representative for every 25,000 inhabitants. The election takes place immediately, and the members to assemble on the 16th of April. The power of this Congress will be to deliberate upon the new situation of Yucatan, and to form such an Administration as they may think most advisable.

SUDDEN DEATH.—At New York, on Tuesday morning, Mrs. Helena Newton, aged 60 years, a resident of the neighboring city of Newark, ar-rived in that city for the purpose of obtaining medical advice in relation to a disease of the heart with which she was afflicted, and whilat in con-sultation with the physician she called upon, fell dead at his feet. lead at his feet.

evening were also similarly detained on this side of the river. We annex such accounts of the freshet, as have reached us, both in the Schuylkill and Susquehanna :---

ing from the ruins, being the remains of coal, which was in the cellar at the time of the great conflagration. We have lighted our cigar by that fire, nearly every month since April 10.

The Alexandria Gazette announces extensive preparation for the fishing season there. The Al-

The collections at the Custom House during the week were about \$800,000, an amount almost beyond precedent. The arrivals were 209, of which 81 were foreign.-N. Y. Tribune.

A bill to prohibit horse-racing haspassed both houses of the New Jersey Legislature. Racing

for money, or where there are twenty or more peo-ple assembled, is declared to be an offence, and all persons concerned, directly or indirectly, giving notice of it, advertising, &c., to be guilty of a mis-demeanor, and punishable by \$1000 fine or imprisonment not exceeding a year. The bill waits the signature of the Governor to become a law.

N. P. Willis and daughter have arrived at New York in the ship Prince Albert.

turn to St. Louis from her first trip to New Or-leans, struck a snag on the night of the 1st instant, about 12 o'clock, at the head of Hat Island, and sunk. She struck on the starboard bow, and broke timbers and plank from forty to sixty feet in vote to the act of cession, and the deed shall be extent. She was run on a bar, where she now done when a majority of the people vote in favor lies in four feet water at her bow, and seven feet at the stern. Her cargo consisted of sugar, cof-ly insured also. At New Orleans, on the 8th inst., a fire broke

At New Orleans, on the Stn inst., a new broke out in the hull of the steamer Benjamin Franklin. She was up for Cincinnati with a full freight, which was mainly lost, with some of the baggage of the passengers. The boat was scuttled and sunk, and the engine and part of the cargo will be recovered.

recovered. The New Orleans Times states that the steamer The New Orleans Times states that the stramer Lacon, Captain Wallace, coming down the Yazoo river to that city, with a cargo of 1100 bales cot-ton, struck a snag on the 28th ult., 110 miles above Yazoo City, and immediately sunk. The boat will be a total loss, she was insured to the amount of \$2500. 150 bales of the cotton were also lost. The remainder of the cargo will be brought down by the steamer St. Landry.

A foot-race was run at Savannah on Wednes-day last by Jackson and Gildersleeve. The latter after running seven miles in forty-two minutes, gave up the contest to Jackson, who continued the race and won the purse, \$300, with great ease, accomplishing the ten miles in fifty-eight minutes and minutes second. nd nine seconds.

An idea of the value of some business locations in St. Louis may be inferred from the fact that a lot in that city was leased a few days since for a term of years at \$33 per foot per annum. Sever-al other lots in the same square are under lease for \$20 per fact that a same square are under lease for \$21 per foot per annum.

A CARD.

TO THE VOTERS OF HARPERS-FERRY:

FELLOW-CITIZENS :- A report has been indus-FELLOW-CITIZENS: —A report has been indus-triously circulated among you, as I have just learn-ed, by the friends of another candidate, that in the course of my remarks at the Court-house, at Charlestown, on Monday last, that I abused the Democratic Party to the best of my ability, and the friends of the Hon. William Lucas particu-larly, and told them that I did not want any De-mocrat to vote for me; also, that I blackguarded Mr. A Cross and his friends.

Mr. A. Cross and his friends.

Fellow-Citizens, I assure you that all of these reports are as False As False Can BE, and I apreports are as FALSE AS FALSE CAN BE, and I ap-peal to all who heard me speak, and to the other Candidates who addressed the people at the same time, whether I said any thing of the sort; and to my Democratic Fellow-Citizens I didsay, and now say again, that I shall be proud to have *all* your votes, and I most respectfully solicit every one of you to vote for me. Respectfully, JAMES A. FITZSIMMONS.

Harpers-Ferry, March 19, 1846.

SHEPHERDSTOWN, March 17, 1846. J. W. BELLER, ESQ.:'

J. W. BELLER, ESQ.: Dear Sir—From the fact that my name has been announced in the "Spirit of Jefferson," as a canditate to represent this county in the next General Assembly, I understand that a report has been circulated in some parts of the county that I have changed my politics, and that I am run-ning as a Democratic candidate. Without my knowledga or consent my name was forwarded to you by some of my friends, who, it is tend, are you by some of my friends, who, it is true, are Democrats—and who, as I learn, forwarded at the same time, a similar communication to the Free Press, but too late for publication, that paper having gone to press.

The object of the present communication is to correct all false rumors that may have gone abroad, and in justice to myself, to say, that my political opinions have undergone no change. I have al-ways been, am now, and with the blessing of God,

ways been, am now, and expect to die a Whig. I am sir, very respectfully, Your obedient servant, J. P. A. ENTLER-

Whig Meeting in Smithfield.

At a meeting of the Whigs of Smithfield Precinct, held agreeably to public notice; on Saturday the 14th instant, Mr. JOSEPH HARLEY was called to the Chair, and JOHN W. GRANTHAN RD-

called to the Chair, and JOHN W. GRANTHAM ap-pointed Secretary. Capt. John F. Smith arose, and in a brief man-ner stated what he believed to be the object of the meeting, being to take into consideration the pro-priety of the course pursued by members of the party in the various sections of the county, and whether we should suggest our views in relation thereto, and on his motion the following resolu-tions were unanimously adopted, viz : *Resolved*, That the Chairman appoint a com-mittee of 6, to meet in Charlestown, on Monday next, whowe duty it shall be (if necessary) to meet

similar committees, and there represent our views and interests on the subject to them referred—and in the svent that there be no such meeting, they are hereby authorized to announce our very wor-thy and well tried Whig. ANTHONY KENNE-DY, Esq., who will receive the warm and undi-vided support of many Whigs. Yes, all the Whigs of this section of the county. The chair appointed Capt. J. F. Smith, Wm. B. Willis, Robert V. Shirley, Thomas Lock, Wm. Annan, and Dr. W. O. Macoughtry, the above committee.

mmilites. Resolved, That the proceedings be published the papers printed in Charlestown. The meeting then adjourned. JOSEPH HARLEY, Ch'n.

JOHN W. GRANTHAM, Sec'y.

CONGRESSIONAL REPORTS.

Twenty-Ninth Congress-First Session.

Twenty-Ninth Congress—First Session. Correspondence of the Baltimore Sun. WASHINGTON, March 16, 1846. SENATE.—After the presentation of petitions, reports were called for from Committees. Mr. Benton, from the select committee appoint-ed to investigate the charges of the 'Times' made a report. It states in substance, that the publish-ers of the Times, having been afforded every op-portunity of proving their allegations, have utter-ly failed so to do, and that there is not the, least shadow of evidence to support a single specifica-tion. It concludes by recommending the expul-sion of both editors and reporters of the Times from the privileged seats in the gallery of the Se-nate.

Mr. Dickinson made some objection to that portion of the report which proposes to expel all con-nected with the paper from the privileged seats. Mr. Berrien was astonished that the Senator, being one of the committee, should have any such

Mr. Dickinson said he had heard the report read for the first time, and now that the Senate was relieved from all imputation, he was averse

to the exercise of unnecessary severity. After further remarks, the report was ordered

to be printed. The Senate then resumed the consideration of

the Oregon question. Mr. Calhoun having the floor, said that having been concerned in the negotiation relative to the title to Oregon, it would be improper for him to refer to that part of the controversy. He would then confine himself to the question of notice.— After reviewing the various grounds assumed by former speakers, he gave it as his opinion that it former speakers, he gave it as his opinion that it was no longer a question as to whether this dis-pute would lead to peace or war. It appeared now to be a question of *time* only. So long as the probability of a peaceful termination of nego-tiations should prevail, the necessity for the no-tice decreased. After further remarks, he argued that it was necessary that this controversy should be speedily brought to a close, otherwise we should not be able to settle our difficulties with Mexico, for that power was watching the course of this question, and if war should come she would avail herself of the advantages of her geographi-cal position. He thought that Senators them-selves now began to doubt our title to the whole of Oregon. At all events it had been ably ques-tioned upon that floor. There were but two reasons which presented

themselves to his mind in favor of giving the no-tice. One was that it ought to be settled so that it might not be allowed to run into the next Presi-dential election. The other was, he was inclined to think that England did not intend to make her final movement until after this Congress shall have risen. But for these two objections, the notice ought to be postponed. He could not vote for the resolution of the committee on foreign relations, neither could he vote for the House notice resolution, to both of which he briefly stated his objec-

He was opposed to the first, because they left it doubtful whether we did or did not intend to ad-here to the same grounds taken at the commencement of the session, when the question piesented a different aspect. And he was opposed to the House resolutions because they were equivocal. The question of notice or not was subordinate to that of whether the dispute could be honorably. settled without a resort to arms. He was in favor of compromise. He did not pretend, however, that any compromise that could be made would be the best for this country, or that he was going for the very best, but for the very best under all

The Markets,

BALTIMORE MARKET-

BALTIMORE-MARKET— From the Baltimore Sun, of Wednesday. CATTLE—There were only 400 head offered at the cales yesterday, 250 head of which were sold to city putchem at prices ranging from 5 50 to \$6 75 net, per 100 be, according to quality. The quality of the cattle was not so fine as these offered last week, and sales were made at prices below our last quotations. HQGS—There is a good demand for live hogs, and ales are making at \$5 30 a \$5 871 per 100 lbs., according recording

rales are making at \$5 50 a \$5 874 per 100 ibs., according to quality. FLOUR—There is a better demand for flour, and prices are tending upward. Transactions in Howard st. flour yusterday at 475 a \$4 614. The last receipt price from care was \$4 624. No transactions in City Mills four—\$5 was offered yesteriday and refused. Small rales of Sinquehannah flour at \$451. Rys flour is worth \$375. GRAIN—There have been no receipts of grain of any kind worthy of nofe. Good to prime red wheat sold at 105 to \$107, and ordinary to good at 1 to \$105, with an improved tendency. White corn is worth 62 a 63 cents, and yellow 63 a 64 cents per bushel. Rys 75 a 78 cents. Oats 35 a 59 cits. Cloverseed 5 50 to \$575. BACON—We quote Baltimore cured shoulders at 6 a 64 cents. Sides at 7 a 74; and Hams at 74 a 8 cents.— Lard is doil. We quote at 7 a 74; cents for No. 1, in kegs; and bbls. at 64 a 7. WHISKEY—Sales of bbls. at 25 cents, and of hbds. at 24 cents per gallo.

TRADE AND BUSINESS.

TRADE AND BUSINESS. At New York, on Monday, holders of cotton were firm; sales of 200 bales. Geneses flour, sold for home use at \$5 56, but few sales of any sort. Several samples of wheat were offered. New Orleans corn sold at 67 cents. Pennsylvania cats brought 41 cents; canal do. was held at 47. At Philadelphia, on Monday, the cotton market was firm, at dull prices. There were buyers of flour for ex-put at \$475, but no sellers to any extent at that price, consequently the market is quiet. Small sales of corn meal at \$3, and rye flour at \$3 50. No sales of grain reported. Strictly prime cloverseed \$5 25 a \$5 50.— Whiskey in hhds. sold at 224 cents.

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On the 11th inst., by the Rev. J. A. Seiss, Mr. WM. M. SHERTZ to Miss JULIA ANN BARNHART, all of Shep-berdatour

M. SHERTZ DO Miss JULIA ANN BARNHART, all of Shepherdstown. On the 8th inst., by the Rev. Mr. Haskey, Mr. WIL-LIAM EARL, of Baltimore, to Miss CHRISTEEN KESLER, of Harpers-Ferry. On the Bridge at Harpers-Ferry, on Tuesday morning, the 17th inst., by the Rev. Joseph G. Hays, Mr. Joun MYERS to Miss SUSAN MYERS, all of this county. On Tuesday, 10th inst., by the Rev. Joseph T. Massey, Mr. MESHACH SUCOT, merchant, of Snickersville, Va., to Miss EMILV LODGE, daughter of Samuel Lodge, Esq., all of Loudoun county. On the 12th inst., in Baltimore, by the Rev. Mr. Lar-kin, Mr. JAMES BARNHART, of Winchester, Va., to Miss EMILV J. METZER, daughter of Mr. Daniel Metzer, of Frederick county, Va.

MELANCHOLY DEATH.

SNICKERSVILLE, Loudoun County, Va., March 16, 1846.

SNIGKERSVILLE, Loudoun County, Va., March 16, 1946.

Miscellancous Notices.

Church Notice.

The Pew Rents of the Epicopal Church will be due the 1st day April next, and Pew-holders are respectfully urged to make prompt payment. N. S. WHITE, March 20, 1816. Collector.

Sons of Temperance Procession.

ST. THOMAS DIVISION, NUMBER 7. The Sons of Temperance, St. Thomas Division, No. 7, of Harpers-Ferry, Va., propose holding a meeting and marching in procession. on Monday the 13th April, 1846, it which time there will be an address delivered to the ivision. A cordial invitation is extended to all members of

eighboring Divisions in regular standing. By order of the Division. ROBERT RUSSEL, R. S. Harpers-Ferry, March 20, 1846.

To the Travelling Public.

THE undersigned has again rented the Large and spacious **INOTEL**, occupied by him as such, for several years past, at Harpers-Ferry. To those who have heretofore patronized the "VIRGINIA HOTEL," whilst under his direc-tion, he begs leave to return his most grateful ac-knowledgments, and hopes by strict attention to his duties, and a desire to minister to the wants of his guests, that he may continue to receive their patronage and support.

of his guests, that he may continue to receive their patronage and support. His Table shall always be supplied with the choicest delicacies the market can produce—his servants are required to be polite and attentive to his guests—and in his Bar may always be found the best Liquors. In short, he is determined that his House shall be in no respects inferior to any other in the Valley of Virginia, and his terms shall be as moderate as the public could ask or ex-nect.

pect. DDinner at all times in waiting upon the arti-val of the Cars. And he hopes that at least one trial may be given the "Virginia Hotel." JAMES WALLING. Harpers-Ferry, March 20, 1846—tf.

Estray Cow. CAME to the farm of the subscriber about the 1st December last, a Black horned COW, without spots—she had on a small bell. The owner of the above Cow is requested to forward and prove property-pay charges come

and take her away. GARLAND M. DAVIS. March 20, 1846-3t.

TO THE PUBLIC.

HAVING devoted the last thirty years to the Mercantile Business in Charlestown, it is not strange that I should have tired, and lost much of my former energy. In order that the business may be prosecuted with that life and animation may be prosecuted with that life and animation which the times require, I have associated my son with me, who will conduct the business un-der the firm of JOHN J. LOCK & CO., and I hope in such a way, as will give general satisfac-tion. I am not unmindful of past favors, and with pleasure return my thanks to my friends, and a generous public, who have so long and so well sustained me. I hope the business in future will be so conducted as to make it the interest of my old friends to hold on, and many new ones. Respectfully, WM. F. LOCK. March 20.

of the finest Beaver, Neutria, Silk, Cassimerc,

MY FIRST EFFORT !

THE subscriber would respectfully announce to his friends and the public generally, that he has associated himself with his Father, (Wm. F. Lock.) to carry on the Mercantile Bupied by Wm. F. Lock, under the stand long occu-pied by Wm. F. Lock, under the name and firm of JOHN J. LOCK & CO. He has taken the Stock of Goods on such terms, as will enable him to compete with this or any of the neighboring markets. His motto being "small profits and quick returns," he will sell Goods as cheap as the cheapest, for eash. All kinds of Country Produce taken in exchance-or goods will be sold to punctual customers on a short credit.

ome may think that his stand is a little out of the way, but it requires but a moment's reflec-tion to see, that it is at the very place it should be, accessible to all, a high, dry, and delightful situ-ation, where persons making their selections will not be annoyed by the crowd who are moving to and fro, seeking rest. He does not expect to conduct the business by steam power, but every attention and necessary exertion will be made, to give general satisfaction. He invites his friends and the public generally, to give him a call. JOHN J. LOCK. Charlestown, March 20, 1846.

DISSOLUTION.

THE partnership heretofore existing under the firm of J. J. MILLER & WOODS, was by mutual consent dissolved on the 10th in-stant. The business will be conducted at the old stand as usual. The books, notes, &c., are in the hands of J. J. Miller, to whom payment will be made, and all persons having claims against said firm will present them to him for payment. J. J. MILLER, March 20, 1846. J. K. WOODS.

A CARD.

PUBIC SALE.

I WILL offer for Sale, on Friday, the Bd day of April, next, at the residence of Mrs. Catharine Roberts, in Jefferson County, near Burns' Ford, the following PROPERTY, viz: 1 young Horse and Colt. 1 Milch Cow, Some Stock Hogs, 1 Barshear Plough, 1 double-shovel Plough, 1 Single do., 1 Harrow and some Gears. Also, about 25

rrela CORN.

TERMS.—A credit until the first day of Sep-tember next, on all sums of Five Dollars and up-wards, by giving bond and approved security.— Under five dollars the Cash will be required. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M. JOHN ROBERTS.

March 20, 1846-ts.

LAST NOTICE.

A LL persons who know themselves indebted to the firm of D. & S. Staley, by note or open account, will do well by calling at the Store of Solomon Staley, in Shepherdstown, and paying their accounts and notes, either in Cash or Coun-

their accounts and notes, either in Cash or Coun-try Produce, as it is necessary that the business of the firm shall be closed as soon as possible.— All who disregard this notice, may expect to find their accounts in the hands of an officer for collec-tion. SOLOMON STALEY, Surviving Partner of Daniel Staley, dec'd. Shepherdstown, March 20, 1846—2m.

HATS, HATS, HATS!

SIGN OF THE GOLDEN HAT.

THE subscriber would most respectfully in-form the citizens of Charlestown, Jefferson County, that he has taken the rooms between the Stores of James J. Miller and John H. Beard, on Main street, for the purpose of carrying on the

Hatting Business,

in all its branches. From arrangements which he has made with one of the most extensive and fashionable houses in Philadelphia, to furnish him with every description of HATS, and apprize him of Every Change of Fashion,

he feels satisfied that his establishment possesses as great advantages in every respect, as any in Valley.

He has just received an extensive assortment

Bedown with the source of the and Fur Hats,

Fell on as favorable terms as can be not elsewhere. He will also give particular attention to selling Country Produce, pledging his best efforts to ob-tain, in every case, the highest market price for all articles entrusted to his care. With the latest style and Fashions for the Spring which he is determined to offer as low as they can be bought in the county. He furthermore, warrants every Hat he sells, never to change color in reasonable wear, and give as great satisfaction March 6, 1846-\$2. OFFERS his professional services to the citi-Zens of Harpers-Ferry, Bolivar, Virginius, and the surrounding country. He may generally be found at his Drug Store when not profession-

as any article for the same price, of any other manufacturer in the Union. And should any Hat he sells fail to be as represented, he will take it back or make a reasonable deduction. He fur-thermore will iron up, and keep in order, any work sold by him for six months after the purchase. With an earnest desire to please, he hopes that by untiring exertion, to receive sufficient patron-

age from the citizens of this county, to enable him to make a living for his family. It cannot be possible that any citizen would prefer paying their money to mechanics of other States, and allow their own to suffer, when they can buy as R ESPECTFULLY informs the public gener-ally, that he has located himself at Duffield's, Jefferson County, Va., where he intends carrying good an article at home for the same price. All he asks is a trial. JOHN DONAVIN. Charlestown, March 20, 1846-3t. on the

SCHOOL AT HARPERS-FERRY.

in the most fashionable style. He has made ar-rangements with G. C. Scott, of New York, to receive regularly, his report of Fashions, which will enable him to do up work in the most approved style. The public are solicited to give him a call, as he feels assured he can give entire satisfaction. Duffield's Lefferson Co. Ye. MR. JOSEPH BURNS of Harpers-Ferry, having, trom ill health, resigned his School, and the subscriber being preferred to fill the vaand the subscriber being preferred to hil the va-cancy, will, on the 1st day of April next, open one in the house occupied by that gentleman as such. Taught by experience that in such a com-munity play and mischief are sure to usurp the place of learning, if the master be a listless do-Duffield's, Jefferson Co., Va., March 13, 1846-3t. BEING unwilling, longer to submit tamely to

BEING unwining, longer to submit tamely to impositions practised upon me by persons hunting, hacking, and cutting down my timber, and occasionally taking my boat without leave, or trespassing in any way, I am resolved for the future to punish such to the u'most rigor of the law. GEORGE BACKHOUSE, Jefferson Co. Va., March 13, 1846-4t. prosper there, he will be strict and impartial in his exercise of it. In a word, he will discharge his duties as teacher with conscientious fidelity. The course of studies will embrace most of the English branches taught in the best seminaries in the country, together with the Latin Lan-guage. The charges for tuition will vary from \$3 to \$6 per quarter, which, though a fraction

Sale of Valuable Bolivar Property

and the second second

FOR RENT.

THE dwelling part of my Large Arsenal Yard, Harpers-Ferry. It contains 16 Rooms, all well finished, and is admirably suited for a private Boarding House. If it is rented for such, I will furnish three boarders; and will offer the House on the most reasonable terms to a good tenant. JOHN G. WILSON. Harpers-Ferry, March 6, 1848.

FOR RENT.

March 18, 1846.

specification.

THE Dwelling House at present occupied by Mr. Samuel Woody, near the Presbyterian Lecture Room, is for rent for the ensuing year.— Possession given on the first day of April next. MARTHA WILSON.

A Coolt Wanted. THE subscriber wishes to hire for the remain-der of the year, a good Cook, for which he will give a liberal price.

March 13, 1846-3t. R. H. BUTCHER.

Store House in Garardstown

FOR RENT.

THE Store House, in Garardstown, belonging to the estate of William Wilson, dec'd, so long occupied by him as a Mercantile Stand—af-

terwards for some years by Wm. Long & Co., and others, and for the last 18 or 19 years, so success-fully, by Mr. John W. Stewart, is now for rent, and possession to be given on the 1st day of April next. The advantages of this stand as a place of mercantile business are too well known to require succession.

For Terms apply to Dr. Ebenezer Coe, in Gar-

ardstown, or to the subscriber, who expects soon be in the county of Berkeley. JOHN P. WILSON, Ex'r of Wm. Wilson, dec'd. March 6, 1846-3t.

Grocery, Liquor and Produce

B. F. WILLIS, 3 doors North of Mr. John Lawson, Alex. D. C.,

Dr. J. G. HAYS

EDWARD V. KERCHEVAL,

TALLOR,

Tailoring Business,

Caution to Trespassers.

PUBLIC SALE.

ally engaged. Harpers-Ferry, March 13, 1846.

STORE.

Will be sold, on SATURDAY the 28th day of MARCH, 1846, at Public Auction, on the premises, at 3 o'clock, P. M., the Valuable Property known as Graham's Tavorn Stand,

Grhhum's Tavern Sland, in North Bollvar. The same has been divided into three Lots, a plat of which can be seen in the meantime by calling on the undersigned, and will be exhibited on the day of sale. The lots will be sold in the following order: Ist. Lot No. 1, Fronting on Charlestown Road, 49 feet 10 inches, and running back to the U. S. Line, where width is 94 feet 10 inches: This Lot has on it a LARGE TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE, 40 M 32.

TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE, 40 ⋈ 32. 2nd. Lot No. 2, Fronting on same road, 77 feet 2 inches, and running back to U. S. Line, where width is 67 feet 3 inches. This Lot has on it a one-story STONE HOUSE, 32 ⋈ 18¹/₂, and wing—The same being a convenient and com-fortable dwelling. A stone Stable in the centre of the lot 40 ⋈ 30 and a good well. 3rd. Lot No. 3, Fronting on same road, 61 feet, and running back to the U. S. Line, where its width is 22 feet 3 inches. This lot has on it a LARGE STONE BUILDING, about 40 ⋈ 32, one and one half story high, now occu-

40 × 32, one and one half story high, now occu-pied as a workshop, which could readily be con-verted into a dwelling. Terms of Sale.—One-third Cash, and the bal-

ance in one, two, and three years, with interest, secured by deed of trust, or otherwise, JAMES H. GRAHAM.

March 6, 1846.

PUBLIC SALE. THE subscriber not being able to get a house to suit him, and not being willing to patch up the old wreck, (at his own expense,) he now occupies, and pay an enormous rent too, will offer at public sale, on Friday the 27th instant, the greater part of his

Household and Kitchen Furniture,

With Bedsteads, Beds and Bedding, Carpets, Matting, Floor Oil Cloth, Wash Stands, Chamber Sets, Chrtains, Venitian Blinds, Dinner and Tea Ware, with every thing else necessary for the comfort of a family, keeping house—to which will be added, 200 lbs. old Hams, 600 do. new Bacon, hog round, 1000 foct inch size Block

1,000 feet inch-pine Plank, 6,000 Cypress Shingles, 2,500 Pine lap Shingles, One family Horse, One Bathing Tub and Shower Bath, One Double Rockaway Carriage, (good as new,) Ballimore built for one or two horses

security for all sums over \$5. E. M. AISQUITH.

Trustees' Sale.

B^Y virtue of a Deed of Trust, executed on the 28th day of November, 1843, by Edward Fitzpatrick, and duly recorded in the Clerk's Of-fice of the County Court of Jefferson, the under-

signed, as Trustees, will sell at public auction, on the premises, on TUESDAY, the 21st day of April next, a certain lotat Harpers-Ferry, known

April max, a certain lotar Harpers-Ferry, known as number 39. There are upon the premises two comfortable and convenient Houses. *Terms of Sale.*—Two Hundred and Fifty Dol-lars Cash, the balance in two equal payments, at 6 and 12 months, with interest—the deferred pay-ments, to be secured to the satisfaction of the Trustees

"WOODLAWN" FOR SALE.

THE undersigned wishing to dispose of their farm, (on which they now reside, near Duf-field's Depot, six miles west of Harpers-Fergy,) offer it at private sale. A rare opportunity is here presented to those desirous of investing their money in lands. The farm contains

MICHAEL DORAN, } Trustees.

Baltimore built, for one or two horses. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock. TERMS—Nine months credit, with bond and

One spring-seat Mahogany Sofa, One pair of Mahogany Dining Tables, One do do Card Tables, One Cherry Breakfast Table,

One Cherry Dickness Table, One Mahogany Sideboard, One Safe, One doz. Cane-seat Chairs, One do. Plain Chairs, With Bedsteade, Beds and Bedding, Constant Mattier Elless Oil Clath

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March 13, 1846.

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lions of dollars for the harbors of Texas. This was rejected. An amendment providing for a rail road from here to Oregon met with the same fate. An amendment of \$20,000 for the harbor at Havre-de-Grace was carried. The adoption, however, of amendments in com-mittee is no criterion of their fate when reported to the Hunne.

to the House. At 4 o'clock, without getting through with the bill, the committee rose, and the House adjourned.

Charlestown Refectory.

Candies, Fruits, Cakes, Cigars, Tobacco, &c., &c.,

Cloths, Cassimeres and Cassinetts. WE have on hand a large stock of Cloths, Cassimeres, and Cassimetts, which we will sell low to make room for spring goods. BOTELER & JOHNSON. Berryville, March 20, 1846.

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Spring Goods.

Groceries, Groceries!

Clerk Wanted. WE wish to employ a first rate Clerk and Salesman; to a young gentleman property qualified we will give a liberal salary. Un questionable reference will be required. BOTELER & JOHNSON.

Berryville, March 20, 1846. Fresh Groceries, &c. Fresh Grocerles, &c. 2 HHDS new crop N. Orleans Sugar, 1 " " Molasses, Large lot best Rio Coffee, for 10 & 12 cents, Gunpowder, Imperial and Black Teas of superior quality, Cheese, Rice, Mackerel, &c. Also, 1 doz. Garden Spades, long handle sho-vels and trace chains, for sale as cheap as they can be bought here or elsewhere, by March 20. WM. S. LOCK.

	be the best for this country, or that he was going for the very best, but for the very best under all the circumstances. He next took an extended view of the geograph-	By order of the Division. By order of the Division. ROBERT RUSSEL, R. S. Harpers-Ferry, March 20, 1846.	portunity of presenting to his friends and customers his acknowledgments for the increased	more than the usual prices of the place, he be- lieves his patrons have too little of the mean spi- rit of parsimony and grudging, to deem un-	WILL be sold, at Public Sale, at the residence of the subscriber, two miles West of Shep- herdstown, near the road leading to Martinsburg,
「日本に	ical situation of Oregon relatively considered with regard to England. It would be very near to us, whilst to England it would be the most distant of	327 The Ladies of the German Reformed Church in Shepheridstown, propose holding a FAIR on the 20th instant, at Mr. D. Entler, Butlel, for the sale of many articles both useful and ornamental. The proceeds to		on Saturday next, for the inspection of those interested.	On MONDAY the 30th day of March, 1846, All my Personal Property, Consisting of
	her colonies, New Zealand not excepted. He next described the mighty effects that would re- sult from a "masterly inactivity;" the true mean- ing of which was, a correct appreciation of cau-	be applied to the purchase of a LIBRARY FOR THE SABBATH SCHOOL attached to the said Church.— They invite the public to give them a call. Shepherdstown, March 13, 1846./	vorably compare with any in the Valley of Vir- ginia, and if a splendid stock, untiring exertion on his part to please, with the most pleasing terms.	To Charlestown, for its long continued partiali- ty, as evinced in the liberal patronage the humble writer has always received—for its prompt and sympathetic responses to his too frequent cry "to	Three Barshear Ploughs, two Harrows; Five Double Shovel Ploughs; Three Wagons and one Cart;
い、市山の	see and effects, and a wise watching of coming events. He then went into an elequent exposition of the effects of a war with England. He said that Ore-	limits even a brief allusion to ALL the numerous cures that have been effected by Dr. Wistar's Balsam. We can only refer to a very few as specimens of its general	feels assured he will receive it. March 20, 1846. J. J. MILLER. FREE EXHIBITION.	the rescue," in some of the darkest hours of a once wretched being, he would say that the recol- lection of these, impressed on his memory by the warmest gratitude, the deepest thankfulness, like	Seven head of Cattle; One Wheat Fan; Six setts of Harness:
	gon would be forgotten in the fearful struggle for empire, which would ensue between the most powerful nation of the world, and our own, which	efficacy. A few days ago, a lady called at the office in fine health, and looking as robust as though she never knew what sickness was. To our surprise, she stated that until re- cently, she had been sick for between three and four	Photographic Depots,	the principle of existence itself—will cling around him in the last stage of life, and fade only under the obliterating hand of death. JOHN, A, B. HARDING.	Twenty-two head of Hogs, four Brood Sows;' About 3,000 Pounds Bacon; About 150 Pounds, Lard;
	fine ourselves to the 49th degree, not one of our citizens would be cut off from us, as none had set- tled north of that. All would be protected. He was opposed to war, not on account of Oregon,	years with what was supposed to be consumption-that she had a violent cough, night sweats, with alternate chills and faver, and every usual symptom of consump- tion. The result was that she became so emaciated as to present more the appearance of a skeleton than a living		March 20, 1846-3t. Servants Wear. TUST received a large lot of Goods suitable	Three Barrels of Vinegar. ALSO, ALL MY Household and Kitchen Furniture,
	but for the Union. Suppose at the end of a ten year's disastrons war we should find ourselves in a situation to "dictate peace," what should we	to present more the appearance of a skeleton than a living being. Providentially, she, at this time, heard of the wonderful cures performed by Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry, and commonced using it herself. The ef- fret was, that she began to get better at once. By de- grees, the cough left her, the chills and fever disappeared,	for the most beautiful colored Daguerreolypes, and best aparatus ever exhibited. 205 Baltimore Street, Baltimore, adjoining Campbell's Jewelry Store.	for servants. 12 pieces 7-8 heavy twilled Osnaburg, 12 " 4-4 " plain " 16 " Penitentiary plaids,	Consisting as follows : Beds, Bedsteads and Bedding; Six Cain Bottomed Chairs, 12 common do.; Two Tables, one Desk;
	war with England, but a war with Mexico, and an Indian war into the bargain.	and in two months she again found herself in perfect health. 307 A fresh supply of the Genuine Balsam, received and for sale by JOHN H. BEARD, Charlestown.	Pennsylvania Avenue, Washington City. Sycamore street, Petersburg, Va. No. 251 Broadway, New York. 75 Court street, Boston.	20 "4-4 Brown Cottons, 6 "No. 1 Burlaps, 6 "Blue Drills.	One Safe, one Eight-day Clock ; One large Iron Kettle, I large Dinner Pot ; Several Buckets, and a great number of other ar- ticles, too tedious to mention.
	points. Mexican soldiers under English officers, well provided and disciplined, would be hard to beat. Instead of being the aggressors we might	For Sale or Hire. I HAVE for hire a NEGRO WOMAN about 40 years of age, who is a good cook, washer	136 Chesnut street, Philadelphia. 176 Main street Cincinnati, 449 Main street, Louisville, Ky. 13 Main street, Lexington, Ky.	Our stock of goods is large and well selected, and we offer them on accommodating terms. BOTELER & JOHNSON. Berryville, March 20, 1846.	TERMS. —Six months credit on all sums of Five Dollars and upwards, by the purchaser giving bond and approved security. For all sums under Five Dollars the Cash with be required.
		and ironer. If not hired by Friday, 27th inst., she will be offered for sale on that day, to the highest bidder, before Sappington's Hotel, Charlestown, on a credit of six months.	Corner 4th and Chesnut streets, St. Louis, and Broadway, Saratoga Springs. DPortraits taken in any weather, in equisite style.	Fresh Groceries. SUGAR, Coffee, Molasses, Cheese, Pepper, Soap, Candles, &c., all of which were order- ed "just before the rise." Persons in want of Gro-	Sale to commence early in the day. JAMES ORNDORFF. March 13, 1846.
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PUBLIC NOTICE.

Remove his Store

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Have Still a Few Left. of every size, Venitian Blinds, Pannel , Door Frames, Window Frames, &c., Feb 13. GIBSON & HARRIS. Bacon and Flour. 500 POUNDS prime old Bacon, Hams and Flour—the best in town, for sale by executed with despatch. March 6, 1846-3t. B. TOMLINSON.

120.75

A little unwards of 200 A and is in every point of view equal to any in the Valley of Virginia. A detailed description is deemed unnecessary. Suffice it to say, a bargain will be given, and the terms will be liberal. Imwill be given, and the terms will be liberal. Im-mediate possession can be had by the purchaser, if deaired. Apply to the undersigned on the pre-mises, or by letter addressed to N. W. MANNING, J. M. MANNING, Duffield's Depot, Jefferson Co., Va. Feb 27, 1846-tf.

VALUABLE TOWN PROPERTY

AT PRIVATE SALE.

THE undersigned will sell at Private Sale, a portion of the Real Estate of the late John Baker, of Shepherdstown, Jefferson County, Va. The said Real Estate consists of Lote designated as Nos. 49, 50, 51, 52, 99, 113, 114, and situated on High and New streets in said town. The five

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BRICK OFFICE.

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The undersigned would say to non-residents of the county, that the society in Shepherdstown is equal, if not superior, to any in the Valley of Vir-ginia; and, taking that fact into consideration, and the abundance and cheapness of the market, that those wishing to remove to the county, could not purchase a more desirable property. In addition to the above, the undersigned will

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Twenty Acres of Lots,

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Allen's Six-Barrel Revolvers. A FEW more left of Allen's celebrated Six-Barrel Revolving Pistols, at Feb. 20. C. G. STEWART'S.

The Latest Cut.

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FEATHERS for sale by Feb. 13. J. J. MILLER & WOODS.

I'VE BEEN THINKING. I've been thinking. I've bæn thinking. Wint a curious world we're in ! Men are sleeping, eating, deinking, Just as they alvays have been-Beaux are struting, dandies quizzing, Misses toiling night and day, Boys are sporting, girls are frizzing, Grandmas fidgeting away.

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Tom is crying, Mary singing ; John is laughing morily ; Dust is flying, ten-bells ringing, These have music sure for me ; Peasants toiling; rich men riding, Staring with a lordly phiz; Rogues through every crowd are gliding, Zounds, what a queer world is this!

Marrying, some in marriage dist ins Others like the world of old; All but me, are feasting, living--Would that wires were to be sold! Others have their dears in plenty, And their bosons heave with love, "I've had chances; minsteen, twonty-But I dared not die improve."

Brokers shaving, Sheriffs dunning, Politicians pull your sleeve, Printers scolding, wits are punning— Jailbirds begging for reprive ; Preachers warning, idiots ranting, Bacchus, too, hath devoices— Yonder workth, your wife's gallanting, What a deuced fool is he?

Lawyers ponting, clients listening, Doctors prating of their skill, Patients groaning, school-boys whistling, Striving all old time to kill, Pedagogues of science telling, Milliners of pretty things-Dozers stroll with bosom swelling, Listening while the night bird sings.

Clouds are lowering, temposts howling, Friends suspenting, focs are glad, Children screaming, mistress scolding, Merry bosoms now are sad. Prestol, they are gone forever, All is gay as it has been, Sunb ams shine, the girls—O never. What a curious world we're in !

Dariety.

DEATH OF A SPORTING CLERGYMAN .- The Rev. Hardy M. Cryer, of Sumner county, Tenn., died on the 8th ult. He was buried with full Masonic honor. The deceased was a good man, but very eccentric. He is well known in the West for his connection with blooded horses, about which he wrote much and well. In England he would have been a keen sporting parson, fond of fox-hunting and race horses. He enjoyed a reputa-tion for benevolence and uprightness, and possessed a vast variety of curious information, profes-sional and micellaneous. A friend tells a characteristic anecdote of the parson, which is worthy of mention. He owned a fine race horse in con-junction with a celebrated and successful turfman and trainer, and when the fact was made known to his parishioners, they made inquiry as to its truth, and the charge was brought home to him. At a meeting of the elders, the reverend gentleman was called before them to exculpate himself from the hienous offence of running a horse in a race. Feeling that it would be idle to put his defence upon the rational ground of the morality and utility of racing—a defence which he was very competent to make with ingenuity and force —he made up his mind to " conjess and avoid," as the lawyer says. Accordingly he addressed them thus: "It's true, gentlemen, Tom Watson and I do own Jake Creath together-and he's not a bad horse either-when he starts he wins.-Old man Watson trains and runs him at his own expence-I get half his winnings, because I al low my halt of the horse to run when Col. Tom's half goes. If you will provide a way for my half to remain in the stable during the race, I am per-fectly willing to retire from the turf." Whether the elders were convinced by this logic, or were molified by his having named the horse after Rev. Jacob Creath, a celebrated preacher, we know not, but he was dismissed from the charge.

QUALIFICATIONS OF AN EDITOR .- A recent convention of the editors and printing craft of Wis-consin, met for the purpose of general information connected with the craft, a committee was appointed to enquire into the best qualifications of an editor. We think they are not entirely original; nevertheless, after making an extended report upon matters and things in general, they sum up their report in the following eloquent strain : "He must possess the constitution of a saw-mill, obstinacy of a mule, the independence of a wood-sawer, endurance of a starving anaconda, impudence of a beggar, spunk of a chicken-cock, pertinancy of a dun: he must be as impervious-as a crocodile, have the pluck of a starving hyena, must light upon his opponents like a hawk upon a chicken, must always pray for folks to die, so he can get some news for old women, must hope for the cars of every railroad to meet or run off the track, and kill some hundreds every day, be in favor of war, and tell every body it is just at hand, multiply every accident by 100 in his paper, and if he be a partisan he must lie on one side, like a split shad, swear roundly that every thing he says is true, contend at all hazards, that his party is perfect, and make the world believe it is in the full sea of sanctification; must move straight forward like an eel bound up stream, must be able to make the crooked straight and the straight crooked, and to go either way himself if need be, must dease every body at the same time—in fine he must be a regular wolverine, a screamer, the Devil and all; half horse, half alligator, and the balance snap; ping turtle. . A correspondent of the Albany Cultivator gives the following remedy for preventing the ravages of red ants, which are troublesome insects when do mesticated : "He made a thick mark, with Chal': about an inch wide around the article or vessel to be prolected from the ants at any convenient distance from the bottom of the vessel, and he found the would not attempt to pass over it. I watched their motions for some time. They crawled as busily as ever up as far as the chalk, where they seemed to get very much excited, but not one o them attempted to pass over. I had tried the above remedy for over a month without a single failure.



WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

TOR the accommodation of the Passengers TERS and other DELICACIES of the season, where Ladies and Gentlemen will only have to pay for what they get. I am prepared to dine fifty persons daily. My situation is the most eligible and con-venient on the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road. I

RESPECTFULLY offers his professional ser-vices to the public. He may be found in Charlestown, Jefferson county, Virginia. hope to receive a share of the public patronage E. H. CARROLL. Harpers-Ferry, Jan. 9, 1846. P. S. The public generally are invited to give E. H. C. ne a call.

Cash for Negroes.

THE subscriber is anxious to purchase a large number of Negroes, of both sexes, sound and likely. Persons having Negroes to dispose of, will find it to their interest to give him a call be-fore selling, as he will pay the very highest cash HAVING associated themselves in the Prac-tice of the Law, will attend the Superior and Inferior Courts of Jefferson, Berkeley, Frede-Office the same as heretofore occupied by Lucas prices.

He can be seen at the Berkeley Courts, at Mar-tinsburg, on the second Monday, and at Berryville on the fourth Monday in each month, and usualon the say to his friends and to the public generally, that he has again resumed, with renowed zeal, the All letters addressed to him will be promptly

WILLIAM CROW. attended to. Charlestown, Dec. 5, 1845:

lic life, for the last few years, have compelled him to neglect. To all, then, who would entrust their U. States, Oregon & Great Britain. business to his charge, he deems it only necessa-ry for him to say, that he is again prepared, as heretofore, with all his energy, to do battle in their cause, and to protect, with all his ability, the rights and interests of his clients. He can gener-WHILST it is the duty of our Government to prepare and keep in order the sword and spear, it is my business also to prepare and keep in order the plough share and pruning hook; I would therefore inform my friends and foes—if any of the latter I have—that I am prepared to farnish them with every thing in my line of busi-ness, on terms to suit the times—War or Peace. ally be found, when not elsewhere professionally All work taken from my shop may be returned if not done in the best manner. I expect in a few days to negotiate with our Wagon-makers. I shall then be enabled to furnish my customers with any kind of wood work, ironed in the best AS opened a FEMALE SCHOOL in the dwelling house of Mrs. Dr. Griggs. In conducting her School, she will make it her first G. S. GARDNER. Charlestown, Feb. 20, 1846.

"The Whole of Oregon or None!"

WHILST some of my neighbors would pur we are a temporizing policy, either as regards the rights of the Union, the claims of their Customers, or the wants of the Farmer, I am for a bold strike, and a "masterly" activity in discharging my duty to all who have, or may patronize me for the future. Yet, whilst others may beat "plough-shares into swords and spears," my bellows blows its pipe for peace, and will be content to give its aid in the manufacture of the more peaceful im plements of the husbandman, so necessary in his

Therefore, all who may wish any article in the BLACKSMITHING LINE, may rest assured that it will be done in the very best manner, and on merely living terms. As to HORSE-SHOE-ING, I am willing to turn a hand with any so of Vulcan, here or elsewhere. And from my experience in this branch of the business, I hope I nay continue to receive the liberal encourageme

heretofore extended. Thankful W. all my customers for the support of past years, blope by strict attention to business and a desire to please, to receive a continuance of their favors. HIRAM O'BANNON. Feb. 20, 1846-tf. [F. P. con F. P. copy

The Farmer's Friend. THE undersigned begs leave to return his thanks to those old and tried friends who have so long patronized the shop at present under his management, and would say to them, that for the future, it shall have more claims than ever for 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-Wagons, Carts, Wheelbarrows, Ploughs, Hartheir support. As to his work, it has stood the test rows, and in short, every thing belonging to his line, shall be made or repaired, to order, at the shortest notice, and on the most reasonable terms. TTimber, and all kinds of Country Produce, will be taken in exchange for work at cash prices. BANNON. F. P. copy

Feb. 20, 1846-	ALFRED O'
Virginia to w	it .

At Rules holden in the Clerk's Office of the Cir-

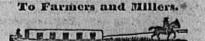
CHARLESTOWN REFECTORY.

THE undersigned begs leave to return him most grateful acknowledgements to the citi zens of Charlestown and its vicinity, for the very liberal support extended towards his establishment since its opening in this town. He will still con-tinue to keep on hand at all times, a large and general assortment of

Caudies, Fruits, Cakes, Cigars, Tobacco, &c., &c.,

which will be offered on the most reasonable terms. His candy is of his own manufacture, and is war-His candy is of his own manufacture, and is war-ranted to be equal, if not superior, to any ever of fered in this market. **UPOn** hand, a fresh supply of the very celebrated Medicated Hoarhound Can-dy, which has received the recommendation of the Medical Faculty here, as elsewhere, as a simple and most efficacious remedy for coughs and colds, so frequent at this season of the year. Cakes will be furnished to families for parties, see at the shortest notes and at prices but little

Cakes will be turnished to families for parties, &c., at the shortest notce, and at prices but little above the first cost of the materials. The ladies and gentlemen of the town are re-spectfully invited to call at my Establishment, cross corner from the Bank, taste, try and judge for themselves. JOHN F. BLESSING. THE Preceding ingure is given to represent the INSENSIBLE PERSPIRATION. It is the great EVACUATION for the impurities of the body. It will be noticed that a thick cloudy mist issues from all points of the surface, which indicates that this perspiration flows uninterrupt-elly when we are in health, but ceases when we evanish. Life cannot be sustained without it.— Feb. 13, 1846.



THE undersigned has moved from the Ware-House lately rented from Mr. Shepherd's Heirs, into his own large new Stone Ware-House,

and is still prepared to forward GRAIN AND FLOUR, to the District Markets, or to purchase, or make liberal advances when received. WM. SHORTT.

Shepherdstown, Feb. 13, 1846-tf.

To the Farmers and Millers. THE undersigged having leased the WARE-HOUSE, at Shepherdstown, recently occupied by Mr. William Short, is now prepared to forward Grain and Flour to the District Market, or to purchase, or make liberal advances, when re-ceived. THOMAS G. HARRIS. Jan. 23, 1846-tf. ceived.

Catalogue of Fresh Garden Seeds, J UST received and for sale at my Store. All Seeds warranted-if not good, the money to be returned: BEANS-Royal White, Early China, Early

for instance, steams, the Hydropathist shrouds us in wet blankets, the Homopathist deals out infinit-issimals, the Allopathist bleeds and doses us with mercury, and the blastering Quack gorges us with pills, pills, pills. To give some idea of the amount of the INSEN-SIBLE PERSPIRATION, we will state, that the learned Dr. Lewenbock, and the great Boor-haave, ascertained that five-eighths of all we re-ceive into the stomach passed off by this means. In other words, if we eat and drink eight pounds per day, we evacuated five pounds of it by the In-Half Moon. DEET-White French Sugar, Mangel Wurt-zel or Field, Large Red, Long Blood, Blood Turnep BROCCOLL.

BROCCOLL CABBAGE—Large Drum-head, Red Dutch, Green Savoy, Early York, Early Sugarloaf, CAULIFLOWER—Fine Early. CARROT—Large White or Field, Long Or-

CUCUMBERS—Early Short, Stone's Long Green, Early Frame, Early Cluster. CORN—Sweet or Sugar.

CELERY-White Solid. CORIANDER.

CRESS or Peppergrass; do. Garden or Broad-

LETTUCE-Brown Silesia, Green Ice-head, London Head, Imperial do.; Early Silesia, Wil-

London Head, Imperial do.; Early Snesia, Wh-son's Early Cabbage, Large Green. MELON-Water, Long-Island; Musk, Fine Yellow; do. Pine Apple; do. Nutmeg. MUSTARD-White or English, Black French. ONION-Large Red, Yellow Dutch, White. PARSLEY-Double Curled, Single or Com-PARSNEP-Large Dutch.

PEAS-Large Marrowiat, Early Washington, Early May, Early Green Dwarf Marrowiat, Early PEPPER-Large Red, Squash, Round Ca-

PUMPKIN-Sweet Golden.

RADISH-Early Scarlet Short-top, do. Frame, Long White Naples, White Turnep, Long Salmon. RHUBARB or Pie Plant.

SAFFRON.

SAGE—Green or Common. SALSIFY or Vegetable Oyster. SQUASH—Dutch Summer, White Winter

Cushaw

SUMMER SAVORY.

TOMATO-Large Red. TURNEP-Ruta Baga, Winter Crook-neck, White Norfolk, Yellow Maltese, White French. Feb. 20. J. H. BEARD. Fresh Garden Seeds.

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THE CITY TRADE.

INSENSIBLE PERSPIRATION.

are sick. Life cannot be sustained without it.-It is thrown off from the blood and other juices of

the body, and disposes, by this means, of nearly all the impurities within us. The blood, by this

means only, works itself pure. The language of Scripture is, " in the BLOOD is the life." If it

RATION. Thus we see, all that is necessary

when the blood is stagnant, or infected, is to open the pores, and it relieves *itself* from all impurity

instantly. Its own heat and vitality are sufficient, without one particle of medicine, except to open the pores upon the surface. Thus we see the fol-

ly of taking so much internal remedies. All practitioners, however, direct their efforts to re-store the Insensible Perspiration, but it seems to

be not always the proper one. The Thompsonian, for instance, steams, the Hydropathist shrouds us

per day, we evacuated five pounds of it by the In-

sensible Perspiration. This is none other than the used up particles

of the blood, and other julces giving place to the new and fresh ones. To check this, therefore, is to retain in the system five-eighths of all the viru-lent matter that nature demands should leave the body; and even when this is the case, the blood

is of so active a principle, that it determines those particles to the skin, where they form scabs, pim-

By a sudden transition from heat to cold, the

pores are stopped, the perspiration ceases, and disease begins at once to develop itself. Hence,

by a stoppage of the INSENSIBLE PERSPIRATION.

McAlister's AU-flealing Ointment, or the World's Salve has POWER to restore perspiration on the feet, on the head, around old sores, upon the chest,

in short, upon any part of the body, whether dis-

heals them. It is a REMEDY which sweeps off the whole

catalogue of cutaneous disorders, and restores the

entire cuticle to its healthy functions. It is a REMEDY that forbids the necessity of

so many and deletérious drugs taken into the sto-

It is a REMEDY that neither sickens, gives

inconvenience, or is dangerous to the intestines.

CONSUMPTION.

les, ulcers, and other spots.

CHARLES C. REINHARDT & CO. MANUFACTURERS OF

SURGICAL AND DENTAL INSTRUMENTS. No. 8, Light St., Baltimore.

No. 8, Light St., Baltimore. TO, their friends in the Valley of Virginia, they i would say that they may still be found at their old stand, ready to furnish them at the shortest notice, with any article in their line. For the sale of their very celebrated Patenat Glass Pad Trusses, (which was patented on the 24th September, 1844,) in the Valley coun-ties of Virginia, they have appointed Mr. JOHN H. BEARD, Charlestown, as Agent. It is admitted by all scientific men, who have given these Truss-es a trial, that nothing yet invented, approximates to them in point of utility. TMr. Beard will forward orders for any arti-cle in our line. A catalogue may be found at his Store, enumerating the great variety of Instruments manufactured at their establishment, and the prices of the same. C. C. REINHARDT & CO. Baltimore, December 26, 1845-6m.

MERCHANT'S HOTEL, . Charles Street, near Baltimore Street,

BALTIMORE.

MESSES. HOPKINS & FIELD having leased the above establishment, are now ready to receive visitors, and respectfully solicit the patronage of the travelling community, and that of the Virginia public especially. The house has undergone a thorough repair, and no pains nor expense will be spared to render the desirable shock to all who may favor no with

Scripture is, "in the BLOOD is the line." If it ever becomes impure, it may be traced directly to the stoppage of the INSENSIBLE PERSPIRA-TION." It never requires any internal medicines to cleanse it, as it ALWAYS purifies itself by its own heat and action, and throws off all the offend-ing humore through the INSENSIBLE PERSPI-RATION. Thus we see, all that is necessary BATION. Thus we see, all that is necessary

Late of Bucks County, Pa. Baltimore, Oct. 3, 1845-19.

SADDLERY HARDWARE.

ALLEN PAINE,

No. 310. Ballimure street, Ballimore, HAS on hand a large and very general as-sortment of

Plated Steel, Brass and Japanned Saddlery, Coach and Harness Furniture-both of his own manufacture and English Ware, imported by

himself. Insell. ALSO, Saddle Trees, Hog Skins, Buckskins, Buff and Scarlet Cloth Saddles, Three-Cord Silk, dc. dc. Silk, dec. de.

Articles for Coach-Makers.

A Nassortment of handsome Coach Laces, Da-mask, Rattinett, Patent Leather, Patent Can-tass, Indian Rubber Cloth, Drab Cloths, Top Leather, Lamps, Bands, Moss, Elliptic Springs, Turned Axles, Malleable Iron Castings, Oil Cloth N assortment of handsome Coach Laces, Da-Carpets, Bows, Bent Fellows, and a very superior article of

COPAL VARNISH AND LEATHER VARNISH, With a great variety of other Goods in both branches of business: all of which will be sold on pleasing terms.

Dealers from the country are invited to call and examine his Stock. Orders promptly attended to. All kinds of PLATING done at the shortest

notice. Baltimore, Oct. 17, 1845-tf.

WHITELEY, MCCONKEY & CO. No. 12 Hanover, near Market St., BALFIMORE,

a stoppage of this flow of the juices, originates so many complaints. It is by stopping the pores, that overwhelms mankind-with coughs, colds and consumptions.— vine-tenths of the world die from diseases induced RESPECTFULLY invite the attention of COUNTRY MERCHANTS visiting the Baltimore market, to call and examine their EXTENSIVE AND GENERAL stock of Staple, American, and Foreign

Dry Goods.

Gentlemen may save themselves both time and eased slightly or severely. It has POWER to cause all external sores, expense in making their purchases in this city, instead of visiting cities East of us. We pledge ourselves not to be undersold, in fair trade, with scrofulous humors, skin diseases, poisonous wounds, to discharge their putrid matter, and then any other house. 13 Call and examine our GOODS & PRICES.

We will charge nothing for posting you up. Baltimore, Teb. 20, 1846-4t.

Cheap Publication and Popular Music Mart.

L ADIES and Gentlemen residing out of the city of Philadelphia, are informed that all orders sent to the above place, directed to E. B. G. KINSLOE, and post-paid, will be promptly at-tended to. Where the money, to the amount of one dollar or upwards, accompanies the order, 25 cen blications will be sold at TWENTY center and the 121 cent works at TEN cents. So also with the Music-the 25 cent pieces will be put up at TWENTY cents, the 122 cent pieces at Ten cents, and the 6¹/₄ cent pieces at Five cents. As the postage on any of these works, under the new law, amounts to a mere trifle, persons in the country, il disposed, may have a work, or piece of Mu-sic almost as soon as it is published. Where those sending money give to us the privilege of selecting for them, we shall endeavor to give the most perfect satisfaction. We append the titles of a few of the publications on hand, with the publishers' prices annex-ed, as a guide to those ordering. Publications as soon as issued can always be had at 209 Chestnut street.

Charlestown, March 6, 1846. SAPPINGTON'S WHITE PORTICO IN FRONT,

GANTER'S TOTEL.

age, and pledges himself that neither exertion nor expense will be spared in his efforts to please. A new and comfortable hack and horses kept

ISAAC N. CARTER, Proprietor. CHARLESTOWN, Jefferson County, Va., } April 11, 1845.

UNITED STATES HOTEL; SHEPHERDSTOWN, VIRGINIA. THE subscriber would respectfully inform his friends and the travelling public, that he has leased and just newly fitted up the Brick House on main street, Shepherdstown, on the corner op-posite Entier's Hotel, as one of public entertain-ment. From his friends in Jefferson and the neighboring counties, he would ask a call, as it shall be his constant aim to render his house in every respect comfortable and agreeable to visiters and boaders. Terms moderate, and made to suit the times.

object to teach her scholars Spelling, Reading, Writing, Geography, Arithmetic and English Gram-mar. When any of them become sufficiently ac-quainted with these things—which are the founda-tion of useful knowledge—she will then endeavor by degrees, to build up, and enrich, and polish their minds, by directing them to the study of History, Philosophy, Rhetoric, Algebra, Latin, and some other things of a kindred character. And while she thus aims to improve the *minds* of her pupils, she will at the same time consider it to be both her she will at the same time consider it to be both her luty and her privilege, to aid in forming their habits, and manners as ladies ; and to teach them out of the Bible, those principles of true religion, which will make them most useful here, and most illing the soil. happy hereafter. Her terms are such as have been customary in

his place. She hopes by experiment to prove that her school

s worthy of a share of public patronage. Mrs. Dr. GRIGGS, in whose family she boards, i willing in addition, to receive as boarders, a limitd num'er of young ladies who may desire to attend her School.

LAWSON BOTTS,

LAWRENCE B. WASHINGTON, ATTOIRTIET AT LAW,

A CARD.

WM. LUCAS & BENJ. F. WASHINGTON

The Senior Partner in the above Card would

practice of his profession, which the duties of pub-

A CARD.

MISS CAROLINE W. TRUMBULL

bject to teach her scholars Spelling, Reading,

Charlestown, Aug. 15, 1845-tf.

engaged, at his office in Charlestown.

August 29, 1845-tf.

March 13, 1846-2m.

Nov. 28, 1845.

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THREE-STORY BRICK 题句望图选;

CHARLESTOWN, JEFFERSON COUNTY, VINGINIA October 24, 1845.

EBUCE-ETLET.

for the accommodation of the public.

A New Device.—The Saugamon Journal, pub-lished at Springfield, Ill., states on authority of a letter from Oregon, that the Clerks of the Hudson's Bay Company at Forts Hall and Boise, are engag-od in disterring the American emigrants who reach those places, from proceeding on to Oregon ; and in persuading them to change their route to Cali-fornia, by representation of the dangers of the journey and poverty of the soil in the former country, and the advantages in roads, climate and fertility of the latter.

Dr. WHITE, the sub-agent of Indian Affairs in Oregon, while in Washington last week, was made an Odd Fellow, and has received all his degrees. He says that he intends to erect the stand-ard of "Eriendship, Love and Truth" at the Wil lametta.

Mopest Petition .- Recently in the Massachu-setts Legislature, Mr. Wilson presented a petition signed by Francis Jackson, Wm. Lloyd Garrison, eigned by Francis Jackson, Win. Eloyd Garrison, and upwards of thirty others, setting forth that, in consequence of the admission of Texas, the Mas-sachusetts members of Congress ought to return home immediately, and that the people of Massa-chusetts ought to retire from the Union, and form an independent government for themselves, or in connection with such other States as may join them.

FROST BITTEN .- A correspondent has sent u FROST BITTER.—A correspondent has sent us the following recipe for frost-bitten feet. "Dis-solve half a pound of alum in a gallon of water, and soak the hands or feet before going to bed for ten or fifteen minutes. I had one of my hands frost-bitten, and tried various remedies, expending five or six dollars trying to obtain a care; but all to no purpose until I tried the above. In my case I dissolved about three ounces of alum in a quart of warm water, (keening it pretty warm) soaked of warm water, (keeping it pretty warm) soaked my hands three or four nights, when a cure was effected. 'The expense was two or three cents.''

IT The BAR shall at all times be supplied with the choicest liquors, for the accommodation of th public. ELY CONLEY. on of the Shepherdstown, July 18, 1845-tf.

MARBLE.

THERE is now in the care of George W. Sappington, Esq. in Charlestown, Va., a finished assortment of

White Marble Tomb-Stones.

(Lettering neatly executed at short notice.) Per sons desirous of purchasing those last emblems of affection, well do well to examine these before they buy elsewhere. Mr. Sappington, who has con sented to act as Agent, will take pleasure in show-ing these Tomb Stone to persons desiring to see then, whether they what to buy or not. Monuments; Column and Plain Tomb Slabs, or any work in the Stone Cutting line furnished at short notice. WM. LOUGHRIDGE.

short notice. WM. LOUGHRIDGE. - Leitersburg., Washington County, Md.) March 6, 1846-tf.

FALL AND WINTER WORK. WE call the attention of our customers and the public to our large stock of COARSE BOOTS AND SHOES, now on hand. We are also prepared to furnish the following descrip-tions of work at the shortest notice, promptly: Men's and Boy's double and treble soled fine do do do do Shoes; Ladics' Gaiters, Walking Shoes, Jeffersons, Slippers, &c.; Misses and Children's Shoes of every variety.

We are offering the above work cheap for Cash, or in exchange for Corn, Hides and Skins, Pork, Beef, &c. We invite a call before purchasing claewhere. J. McDANIEL & CO. Sept. 12, 1845-tf.

Headache Remedy,

FOR THE CURE OF SICK HEADACHE. THIS distressing complaint may be cured by using one bottle of Sopha'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 is 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 complain that they are not cured. A bottle will cure them.

Sold wholesale and retail by COMSTOCK

21 Cortland street, New York, and by J. H. BLARD & Co., Charlestown, A. M. CRIDLER, Harpers-Ferry. Jan. 17, 1846.

Some Price or Other. HE undersigned offer a large quantity of their Winter Stock of Goods-they will be sold at some price or other. + We deem it unnecessary to enumerate the articles, but will say that GIBSON & HARRIS.

it Superior Court of Law and Chancery for Jefferson County, for the month of March, in the year 1846:

Aquilla Davis, Garland M. Davis, Administrator of Leonard Y. Davis, deceased, John Humphreys, Executor of Joseph W. Davis, deceased, Gar-land M. Davis, Administrator of William R. Davis, deceased, and the said Garland M. Da-vis as Administrator of Thomas W. Davis, de-ceased, and the said Garland M. Davis as Administrator of Samuel Y. Davis, deceased, and the said Garland M. Davis as Administrator of Clementius R. Davis, deceased, and the said Garland M. Davis as Administrator of Nancy Buckmaster, deceased, PL'TES, Buckmaster, deceased, .

AGAINST

Zachariah H. Worthington, Executor of William Worthington, deceased, John Humphreys and Mary his wife, Achsah Davis, widow of Leonard Y. Davis, deceased, Nancy W. Davis, Mary Ann Davis, Eleanor Davis, Susan W. Davis, Achsah C. Davis, William W. Davis, Joseph W. Davis, Henry G. Davis, and James Davis, Garland M. Davis, Alinor Hurst and Sarah his wife, Samuel A. Buckmasler, James H. Du-It's wife, Samuel A. Buckmaster, James H. Du-tro and Elizabeth his wife, Daniel Warner and Juliet his wife, Litcy Worthington, Nicholas A. Randall and Mary his wife, Clotworthey Burney and Harriet his wife, Catharine L. Davis, wife of said William W. Davis, Henry A. Cox and Susan his wife, Julia A. Worthington, Eliza A. Worthington, Eliza Gaither, widow of Hen-w Gaither decased Packet G. Puscell and Sury Gaither, deceased, Robert G. Russell and Su san his wife, Joshua Owing and Ellen his wife Joseph, Charles, Reuben and Thomas Worthing ton, Tilghman Hilliary and Ann his wife, the said Zachariah H. Worthington in his own right, and Edward Colston, Sheriff of Berkeley Coun-ty, Committee Administrator de bonus non with the will annexed of Joseph Wilson, deceased, IN CHANCERY.

FINIE Defendants, Zachariah H. Worthington. William W. Davis and Catharine L. his wife Samuel A. Buckmaster, James H. Dutro and Elizabeth his wife, Daniel Warner and Juliet his wife, Lucy Worthington, Nicholas A. Randall and Mary his wife, Clotworthey Burney and Harriet his wife, Henry A. Cox and Susan his wife, Julia A. Worthington, Eliza A. Worthington, Eliza Gaith-er, Robert G. Russell and Susan his wife, Joshua Owing and Ellen his wife, Joseph, Charles, Reuben and Thomas Worthington, and Tilghman Hilliary and Ann his wife, not having entered their appearance and given security according to the Act of Assembly and the Rules of this Court; and itappearing by satisfactory evidence that they are not inhabitants of this country : It is ordered that the said defendants do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and answer the amended and supplemental Bill of the Plaintiffs: and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in some newspaper published in Charlestown, for two months successively, and posted at the front door of the Court-House in the said town of Charlestown. A Copy-Teste, ROBERT T. BROWN, CFk.

March 13, 1816-2m.

New Goods.

THE subscriber has just retarned from Balti-more with a New and Splendid Stock of JEWELRY AND FANCY GOODS, comprising every thing generally kept in a retail Jewelry Store; all of which will be sold at small advances. Feb. 20. CIIAS. G. STEWART.

JUST received, a large and general assortment of Garden Seeds, warranted the growth of 1845. Among them a large assortment of Peas, and Beans of the rarest and earliest kinds. We deem it unnecessary to enumerate, as our stock is as large as any ever offered in this place. We have catalogues printed with directions as to time and manner of sowing all seeds. This will be

given gratis. Feb. 20. J. J. MILLER & WOODS.

Virginia, to wit: IN the Circuit Superior Court of Law and Chan

cery, for the County of Jefferson, January 9th, 1846, Wilhelmina Jungeart Sprenger, and Carl Wilhelm Sprenger, AGAINST PL'FTS.

Gerard B. Wager, Adm'r of Frederick W. Spreng-

er, dec'd. IN CHANCERY. Extract from Decree made on the 9th day of Jan-

uary, 1846.

IT" The Court doth order, that notice be given. agreeably to the Act of Assembly of the 13th March, 1840, chapter 52, requiring all persons who may have claims against the decedent Sprenger, to exhibit the same for settlement, before the 1s day of May next, to await the further action and order of the Court. A Copy_Teste,

ROBERT T. BROWN, Clerk.

Naccordance with the above order of the Court L notice is hereby given, that all persons who may have claims against the said decedent Fred-erick W. Sprenger, are required to exhibit the same for settlement, on or before the 1st day of May next.

Such claims my be exhibited, properly authenti-cated, either to Edward F. Cooke, Commissioner of the the Court, or to the Adminitrator of the said G. B. WAGER, Adm'r.

Sprenger. G. Feb. 27, 1816-8w.

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