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RICHARD III. LI riestown, Jefferson County, Virginia, ATTENDS THE COURTS OF fferson, Berkeley and Clarke Dec. 31, 1850.

A. J. O'BANNON, TECHETTA LATER irmont, Marion County, Va., ILL practice in the Circuit and County Courts of Manton, and in the Circuit Courts December 31, 1850.

GEO. W. BRADFIELD, COAL TA TERRETA KERSVILLE, LOUDOUN COUNTY, VA., ILL attend to procuring Bounty Land for the officers and soldiers of the war of 1812 e Mexican war. Charges moderate. communications on the subject by letter, ceive prompt attention. vember 12, 1850 .- if

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Winchester. .

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HENRY BEDINGER S'returned to Virginia, and offers his Pro fessional Services to the citizens of Jeffer-nd the neighboring counties. His office is herdstown, on Main Street, one door from hn H. McEndree's store, where he can al-

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IE undersigned respectfully announce that her have formed a Co-Partnership to ct a general Banking and Exchange busithis City, under the firm of SELDEN. PERS & CO., and are prepared to deal in an and Domestic Exchanges, Time Bills, misory Notes, Certificates of Deposite, Laters of Credit, Bank Notes and Coin

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WILLIAM SELDEN, Late Treasurer of the U. S. JOHN WITHERS, Of Alexandria, Va. R. W. LATHAM, Of Washington, D. C.

L. P. BAYNE, Of Baltimore, Md. ngton, Dec: 31, 1850-1v.

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Monies, Pocket Books, Sauff and Tobacco Segar Cases, Shaving Cream, Boxes and s. For sale by G. W. SWEITZER.

mber 24, 1850. Ladies' Scarfs. IES' Marino Scarls, and 124 Marino lawis, for sale by

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e, at the lowest price, by CRANE & BROWN. 00 LBS. of Wool Wanted. Nov. 19. E. P. MILLER kwhent Flour, of superior qua

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AGRICULTURE, MANUFACTURES, COMMERCE, AND NAVIGATION, THE FOUR PILLARS OF OUR PROSPERITY—MOST THRIVING WHEN LEFT MOST FREE TO INDIVIDUAL ENTERPRISE.

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er's Hotel, where he will be happy to serve One of the most Desirable Farms in the Valley of Virginia, FOR SALE.

THE undersigned offers for sale his valuable I FARM, situated in the fertile county of Jefferson, about five miles from the flourishing towns of Charlestown, Harpers-Ferry and Shepherdstown, and containing about

Five Hundred and Fifty Acres. It is as productive as any land in de Valley. There are about forty acres of rich meadow, and the balance of the cleared land, except the part in Wheat, is well set in grass-a fair proportion is in wood, for lencing and fuel. The mest Cumherland Coal, can always be procured at prices which make it cheaper than wood.

The Elk Branch, a stream of sufficient volume o propel several Mills, flows through the centre ropel several Mills, how through the Rail-he Farm, and the Baltimore and Chio Rail-l follows the course. There are Store-Houses, and wild Dwellings a same from the Man-

the MANSION and the usual OUT dOUSES and a nevertalling branch of water, passes through the Stable yard. The Springs, convenient to any of the Buildings, are numerous. Whether viewed in reference to quasity of soil, beauty of scenery, refined society, or facilities to market, it may with truth be said to be one of the most desirable Farms in the Valley of Virginia. It could be conveniently divided into two or even three Tracts. The time of travel from Baltimore, is only about five hours.

IJ All communications addressed to the sub-BRISON, TAYLOR, PRESTON, and MONONGALIA scriber, (post-paid.) at Duffield's Depot, Jefferson county, Virginia, will receive attention RICHARD DUFFIELD. October 29, 1850.

TO THE EDITOR.

OCTOBER 29, 1850. Dear Sir: I have understood that there is a report in circulation in the county, that I have some claim to the tract of land which I conveyed to my father some years ago. My object in writing this note is to say that I have never said or done any thing to induce any one to think that I had the slightest claim whatever, to the land in question. All the claim I ever had, I sold to my actives in Frederick, Jefferson, and the father some years since, and I think be paid me a full and fair price for it, and the deed is of record in the Clerk's Office of the County Court e Jefferson. I have now no claim of and sort, kind or description to the said land, either in law or JOHN W. D. DUFFIELD:

DISSOLUTION. THE Co-Partnership existing under the name and firm of M. H. & V. W. Moore, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 1st instant. Those indebted to the firm will be expected to make payment-and those having claims will present them for adjustment. The Books, &c. are in the hands of V. W. Moore, who is authorized to make settlements. M. H. MOORE, V. W. MOORE. Jan. 7, 1851.

The business at the Depot will be carried on by the undersigned who will use his best exertions to accommodate the public. V. W. MOORE. Jan. 7, 1851.

MONEY WANTED.

WOULD take this method of informing my customers that I am much in want of money. and those knowing themselves indebted will please call and settle, as it is not in my power to give longer indulgence. My debts I must pay and want to pay them without cost. ADAM WHIP

Jan. 7, 1851 .- Free Press 31.

FARM FOR RENT. WILL rent to a good tenant for the next

year, the Farm on which I now reside, on the Potomac river, and near to Zion Church, Jefferson county. There are 250 Acres of arable Land, in good order and condition, and such terms can be had as will make it desirable, to any one wanting to rent.
WILLIAM FLANAGAN. Dec. 31, 1850-4t.

PARTNERSHIP. TETHE undersigned have this day associated under the name of L. M. SMITH & (2), at the his chief overseer. The husband threatened to stand heretologe conducted by L. S. EFHELBER - Chastise him for the outrage, whereupon Hopkins

all times. The greatest care will be taken in the selection of Drugs. L. M. SMITH.

L. S. EICHELBERGER. Charlestown, Jan. 1, 1851. N. B.-L. S. EICHELBERGER takes this op-

portunity to call upon all persons indepted to him to come forward and settle up, as he wishes to close his former business. Jan. 7, 1851.

CARTER'S HOTEL

RESTAURANT

TABLE subscriber has opened in the Basement of his Hotel a RESTAURANT, where can be found (except on the Sabbath) all the delicacies of the season. He has engaged the services of a competent caterer from Baltimore to take charge of the same. A room adjoining the Ladies Parlor has been fitted up for the surpose of accommodating parties of Ladies and Gentlemen.
Nov. 26, 1850.
I. N. CARTER.

DISSOLUTION. THE Partnership heretofore existing under the firm of Wm. and John Avis, was dissolved on the 15th instant. The Boot and Shoe Manufacture will be car ried on by John Avis-and the Repairing busi-

WM. AVIS, JOHN AVIS. Harpers-Ferry, Nov. 26, 1850. IT A JOURNEYMAN will find employment by making immediate application.

JOHN AVIS. Blessing's Oyster Saloon.

TOHN F. BLESSING returns his sincere thanks to the public for past favors and takes this method of informing them that he is againprepared to serve up OYSTERS in any manuer o their liking. He will fornish gentlemen with Oyster Suppers in the best manner and at the shortest notice. All who visit his Selbon shall be accommodated in the best style and with prompt and polite attention. He receives his Oysters fresh from Baltimore every der. IT Private families or parties furnished

Oysters by the Can or otherwise. Charlestown, November 5, 1850. Philadelphia Shoes HAVE just received my supplies of Ladies' Kid and Walking Shoes, of Ryan & Co.'s nake. JERE. HARRIS.

CRANE & BROWN.

CHARLESTOWN, VA., TUESDAY, JANUARY 21, 1851. Doetrn.

THE HOPE OF THE HEART. BY LORD EVECY.

"No nobler theme ever engaged the pen of poet. It is the still elevating idea, that no man can consider himself entitled to complain of Fate, while in his adversity he still retains the unwavering love of woman." [EDGAR A. POS.

Though the day of my destiny's over,
And the star of my fate hath declined,
Tiry soft heart refused to discover
he faults which so many could find; Though thy soul with my grief was acquainted, it shrenk not to share it with me, And the love which my spirit hath painted at never tath found but in THEE.

Then, when nature around me is smiling, he last mile which answers to mi I do not believe it beguiling, Recause it reminds me of thine; And when trinds are at war with the cocar As the broats I believed in with me.
If the billows excite an emotion,
It is that they bear me from THES.
Through the rock of my last home a subset

Tien of flei that my soul is deliver To pain - It shall not be its slave; There is many a pang to pursue me;
They may crush, but they shall not contemn.
They may forture, but shall not subdue me—
This of TREE that I think—not of them.

Though human, thou didst not deceive me; Though woman, thou didst not forsake; Though loved, thou forborest to grieve me; Though slandered, thou never couldst shake: Though trusted, thou didst not declaim me; Though parted, it was not to fly; Though watchful, 'twas not to defame me, Nor mute, that the world, might belie.

Yet I blame not the world, nor despise it, Nor the war of the many with one If my soul was not fitted to prize it, Twas felly not sooner to shun; And if dearly that error hath cost me, And more than I once could foresee, I have found that, whatever it lost me, I could not deprive me of THEE.

From the wreck of the past, which hath perished Thus much I at least may recall, It both taught me that which I most cherished, Deserved to be dearest of all: In the desert a fountain is springing, In the wide waste there still is a tree, And a bird in the solitude singing, Which speaks to my spirit of THEE.

Miscellaneous.

THE VOLUNTEER COUNSEL.

A Tale of John Taylor. We copy the following from the New York Sunday Times. The subject of it, John Taylor, was licensed, when a youth of twenty-one to practice at the bar of this city. He was poor, but well educated, and possessed extraordinary genius .-The graces of his person combined with the superiority of his intellect, enabled him to win the hand of a fastionable beauty. Twelve months afterwards the husband was employed by a wealthy firm of the city to go on mission as land agent to the West. As a heavy salary was offered. Toylor bade farewell to his wife and infant son. He wrote back every week, but received not a line in answer. Six months elapsed, when the husband received a letter from his employers that explained all. Shortly after his departure to the West, the wife and her father removed to Missiscippi. There she immediately obtained a divorce by an act of the Legislature, married again forthwith; and, to complete the climax of criefly and wrong, had the name of Taylor's son ranged to Marks-that ofher second matrimonial partner! This perfidy nearly drove Taylor

eccentric in the last degree; sometimes he preached sometimes he pleaded at the ber; until, at last a fever carried him off at a comparatively early aga. - Philadelphia Bulletin. At an early hour on the 9th of April, 1840, the Court House in Clarksville, Texas, was crowded to overflowing. Save in the war times past, there had never been witnessed such a gathering in Red River sounty, while the strong feeling, apparent on every flushed face throughout the assembly, betokened some great occasion. A concise

About the close of 1839, George Hopkins, one of the wealthiest planters and most influential men of Northern Texas, offered a gross insult to themselves in the Daug and Book Business, Mary Elliston, the young and beautiful wife o GER. one door West of Sappington's Hotel, loaded his gun, went to Efficients house and shot him in his own door. The murderer was arrest-They will be prepared to furnish Medicines to ed and bailed to answer the charge. This oc-Physicians and others, at the lowest rates and at correr e produced intense excitement; and Hopkins, in order to turn the tide of popular opinion. at least to mitigate the general wrath, which at Arrangements have been made by which first was violent against him, circulated reports Books and Music will come to hand at the short- infamously projudicial to the character of the woman who had already suffered such cruel wrong at his hands. She brought her suit for slander And thus two causes, one criminal and the other civil, and both out of the same tragedy,

were pending in the April Circuit Court for The interest naturally felt by the community as to the issues, became far deeper when it was known that Ashley and Pike, of Arkansas, and the celebrated S. S. Prentiss, of N. Orleans, each with enormous fees, had been retained by

Hepkins for his defence. The trial, on the indictment for murder, ended on the 5th of April, with the acquittal of Hopkins. Such a result might well have been foreseen, by comparing the talents of the counsel on either The : Texan lawyers were utterly overwhelmed by the argument and eloquence of their apponents. It was a fight of dwarls against gi-

The slander suit was set for the 9th, and the throng of speciators grew in numbers as well as excitement; and what may seem strange, the current of public sentiment now ran decidedly for Hopkins. His money had procured pointed wisnesses, who served most efficiently his poweril advocates. Indeed, so triumphant had been the success of the previous day, that when the slander case was called, Mary Elliston was left wishout an attorney—they had all withdrawn.— The pigmy pettiloggers dared not brave again the sharp wit of a Pike and the scathing thunder of

Have you no counsel?" inquired Judge Mills, looking kindly at the plaintiff. " No, sir; they have all deserted me, and I am no poor to employ any more," replied the beautiful Mary, bursting into tears.

"In such a case, will not some chivalrous member of the profession volunter?" asked the Judge, glancing around the bar.
The thirty lawyers were silent as death. "I will, your honor," said a voice from the

thickest part of the crowd, situated behind the At the tones of that voice many started half way from their seats and perhaps there was not a heart in the immense throng which did not beat scheibing quicker—it was so unearthly sweet, clear, ringing, and mournful.

The first secsation, however, was changed into general laughter, when a tall, gaunt, spectral figure, that nobody present remembered ever to have seen before, elbowed his way through the crowd, and placed himself within the bar. His appearance was a problem to puzzle the sphinx herself. His high, pale brow, and small, nervous-Old Wrie.

OLD Port, Sperry and Madeira Wines, bottled in 1825. I can safely recommend it to the sick as something very superior, and not often met with in the country. For sale by November 5.

TABLE SALT, in boxes, for sale in the specific proceed and cream of genius, but then his important to the shabby, that the court healthed to let the cause proceed under his management.

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THE CHARMS OF LIFE.

tered on your rolls," answered the stranger, his thin, bloodless lips curling up into a fiendish sneer. I may be allowed to appear once, by the courtesy of the Court and Bar. Here is my licehse from the highest tribunal in America!" and he handed Judge Mills a broad parchaent.

keen witnesses, only serve to correct mistakes; and he made no notes, which, in highty memo-ries, always tend to embarrass. The examinahad a right to the opening speech, as well as the close; but to the astonishment of every one he wars come to an end, and let friendship, charity.

nor the plaintiff's ragged attorney was either for- than we do. gotten or spared. The great Prentiss concluded for the defendant,

with a glow of gorgeous words, brilliant as showers of falling stars, and with a final burst of orawhich the sworn jury themselves joined, notwithstanding the stern 'order !' 'order !' of the bench. Thus wonderfully susceptible are the southwestern people to the charmsof impassioned eloquence. It was then the stranger's turn. He had remained apparently abstracted during all the pre-

in measureless scorn, slightly part, and the voice, comes forth. At first, it is low and sweet, insinuwinding its way into the deepest heart, like the melody of a magic incantation :- while the speaker proceeds without a gesture or the least sign of excitement, to tear in pieces the argument of Ashley, which melts away at his touch as frost before the sunbeam. Every one looked surpris-His logic was at once so brief, and so lumi-

prehend it without effort. Anon, he came to the dazzling wit of the poetlawyer, Pike. Then the curl of his lip grew eye-the full heart streamed out on the face .-In five minutes Pike's wit seemed the form of folly, and his finest satire horrible profanity, when compared with the inimitable sallies and exterminating sarcasms of the stranger, interspersed with jest and anecdote, that filled the forum with

insane. His career, from that period, became roars of laughter. atoms, and hurled in their faces such terrible in-

ger. He inspired them with the powers of his glass, and almost sunk dead upon the turf," narrative of facts will sufficiently explain the matown passions. He saturated them with the poi son of his own malicious feelings. He seemed to have stolen nature's long hidden secret of attraction. He was the sun to the sea of all thought and emotion, which rose and fell and boiled in billows as he choose. But his greatest triumph was to come.

His eye began to glare furtively at the assassin, Hopkins, as his lean, taper fingers slowly assumed the same direction. He hemmed the wretch around with a circumvallation of strong evidence and impregnable argument, cutting off all hope of escape. He piled up huge bastions of insurmountable facts. He dug beneath the murderer and slanderer's feet ditches of dilemmas, such as no sophistry could overleap, and no strength of ingenuity evade, and having thus, as one might say, impounded the victim, and girt him about like a scorpion in a circle of fire, he stripped himself to the work of massacre!

Oh then, but it was a vision both glorious and dreadful to behold the orator. His action before, graceful as the waves of a golden willow in the breeze, grew impetuous as the motion of an oak in the hurricane. His voice became a trumpet, filled with wild whirlwinds, dealening the ear with crashes of power, and yet intermingled all the while with a sweet undersong of the softest cadence. His face was red as adrunkard's-his forehead glowed like a heated furnace-his coun tenance looked haggard like that of a maniac; and ever and anon he flung his long, bony arms on high, as if grasping after thunderbolts! He drew a picture of marder in such appalling colors, that in comparison hell itself might be considered beautiful. He painted the slanderer so black that the sun seemed dark at noonday, when shining on such an accursed monster—and then he fixed both portraits on the shrinking brow of Hopkins, and he nailed them there forever. The agitation of the audience nearly amounted to mad-

Hopkins, but leave his punishment to God."

best calculated to insure vengeance. The jury rendered a verdict for fifty thousand dollars; and the night afterwards Hopkins was taken out of his bee by lynchers, and beaten al-As the Court adjourned, the stranger made known his name, and called the attention of the

people with the announcement. "John Taylor will areach have the preach here this evening at early candle The crowd, of course, all turned out, and Taycaration. I have listened to Clay Webster and Calhoun—to Dewey, Tying and Bascom, but have never heard anything in the l wildly rushing as a cateract of fire. And is the opinion of all who ever heard the mar-

There are a thousand things in this world to afflict and sadden-but ohd how many that are beautiful and good. The world reems with beauty-with objects which gladden the eye and warm the heart. We might be happy if we would.-In the examination of witnesses, the stranger evinced but little ingenuity, as was commonly thought. He suffered each one to tell his own story without interruption, though he contrived set us might be avoided. The course of interpretation of the exist that because and one of them tell it over two or three times. He put fe & cross questions, which with perance, interwoven as it is with all ligaments of society, is one which never strikes but to destroy. There is not one bright page upon the record of its progress-nothing to shield it from the hearttion being ended, as counsel for the plaintiff he lest execration of the human race. It should not

PHENOMENA OF DEATH. To be shot dead is one of the easiest modes of terminating life; yet, rapid as it is, the body has tory that brought the house down in cheers, in leisure to feel and reflect. On the first attempt by one of the frantic adherents of Spain to assassinate William, Prince of Orange, who took the lead in the revolt of the Netherlands, the ball passed through the bones of the face, and brought him to the ground. In the instant that preceded stupefaction, he was able to frame the notion vious speeches. Still, and straight, and motion- that the ceiling of the room had fallen and crushless in his seat, his pale, smooth forehead, shoot- ed him. The cannon shot which plunged into ing up high like a mountain cone of snow; but the brain of Charles the XII, did not prevent him for that eternal twitch that came and went per- from seizing his sword by the hilt. The idea of petually in his shallow cheeks, you would have an attack and the necessity for delence was imtaken him for a mere man of marble, or a human pressed upon him by a blow which we shouldform carved in ice. Even his dim, dreamy eyes have supposed too tremendous to leave an interwere invisible beneath those gray, shaggy eyebrows.

But now at last he rises—before the bar railing,

But now at last he rises—before the bar railing,

But now at last he rises—before the bar railing,

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a pang. | From what is known of the first effect of the benefit of our enemies. The more we incumber the lands, and other permanent subjects a pang. | From what is known of the first effect of the benefit of our enemies. The more we incumber the lands, and other permanent subjects with levies, and the more Northern of taxation with levies, and the more well as the more that he might touch the foreman with his long pression is rather stunning than acute. Unless ably the more we oppress the poor and the probony finger. With eyes still half shut, and stand- death be immediate, the pain is as varied as the ducing classes.—Richmond Enquirer. ing rigid as a pillar of iron, his thin lips curl as if nature of the injuries, and these are past count-

ological peculiarity, that the expression is invariably that of languor, while in death from a stab

was present at the battle of Corunna, has singled out, from the confusion which consigns to oblivion the woes and gallantry of war, another inwitnesses of Hopkins, tore their testimony into head, arrived, pale and faint, at the temporary hospital, and begged the surgeon to look at his The excitement of the crowd was becoming to live a little longer, if it were possible." He tremendous. Their united life and soul appear- laid his sword upon a stone at his side, "as gented to hang on the burning tongue of the stran- | ly," says Hall, "as if its steel had been turned to

conscientious young men. I watch him as I Carolina. do a star in the heavens; clouds may be before him, but we know that his light is behind them, and will beam forth again; the blaze of others popularity may ontshine him, but we know that hough unseen, he illuminates his own true sphere. -He resists temptation not without a struggle, for that is no virture; but he resists and conquers; he hears the sarcasm of the profligate, and it stings him, for that is a trait of virtue, but heals with his own pure touch. He heeds not the watchword of fashion, if it leads to sin. The Atheist who says, not only in his heart, but with his lips, "There is no God!" controls him not;

he sees the hand of a creating God, and rejoices Woman is sheltered by fond arms and loving counsel; old age is protected by its experience, and manhood by its strength; but the young man stands amidst the temptations of the world

seeks and gains the proper morality. standard, and nerve thyself for goodness.

If God has given you intellectual powers, awake in the cause; never let it be said of thee, he helped to swell the river of sin by pouring his influence in its channels. If thou art teeble in ted current. Awake, arise, young man! assume the beautiful garb of virtue! It is difficult to be pure and holy. Put on thy strength. Let truth be the lady of thy love—defend her.

[Miss Caroline Gillman.

All at once the speaker descended from his We can perhaps express ourselves no better reason to say they were poor indeed. perilous height. His voice wailed ont for the murdered dead, and described the sorrows of the widowed living—the beautiful Mary, more beauwidowed living—the beautiful Mary, more beautiful every moment, as her tears flowed faster—till men wept, and lovely women sobbed like children.

He closed by a strange exhortation to the jury, and through them to the bystanders. He entreated the panel, after they should bring in their treated the panel, after they should bring in their worlder for the plaintiff, not to offer violence to the panel of the moment of its stay prevents the pain of various for the moment of its stay of the moment of the mo the defendant, however richly he might deserve cancy, while it indulges the love of sloth; but al- Ample means are said to be provided, and the it; in other words, " not to lynch the villain, together they leave the mistress of the house This was the most artful trick of all, and the attending to her own concerns, and unfitted for the conversation of more rational guests.

OUR PROGRESS. The Last Haif Century contributed more to the progress of science and of civilization, than any similar period of time since the Christian era. within the last filty years the ateam angine, the power-foom, the spinning jenny, the cotton gin, the use of air coal in the production of iron and the manufacture of gas, the magnetic telegraph which has but just begun to develope its usefulness, and many other inventions and discoveries, bearing directly upon every human interest, have been either originated or for the first time brought into actual service. However important the political events of the shalf century have been and however mations have advanced nave been, and however nations owards political perfection, the p cience has made in that period, h

tion being ended, as counsel for the plaintiff he had a right to the opening speech, as well as the close; but to the astonishment of every one he delined the former, and allowed the defence to lead off. Then a list for may that we been observed to flit across a fact of the country and kindness. mark the intercourse he wars come to an end, and let friendship charity, love, purity and kindness, mark the intercourse wars come to an end, and let friendship charity, love, purity and kindness, mark the intercourse he covered to flit across a list for many that we been observed to flit across a list for many that we had a read to darken evers in the state to delist or large. The great had been made by the world was made to us alone. How much be subjects or whiches new ones shall be raised upon the present taxable the same shall be raised upon the present taxable the world was made tor us alone. How much be subjects or whichs present taxable the same shall be raised upon the present taxable the same to subject the state to delict or the same code in the subject of t

But there is nothing singular in the dying senating itself through the brain, as an artiess tune, sations, though Lord Byron remarked the physi- To THE EDITOR OF THE "STAUNTON VINDICATOR." the countenance reflects the traits of natural character, of gentleness or ferocity, to the last breath. Some of these cases are of interest to breath. Some of these cases are of interest, to Augusta. Now, let me inform you what some years next succeeding the completion thereof. The show with what dight disturbance life may go on of my nearest neighbors have done in that line. accuracy and fairness of such report, according to under a mortal wound till it suddenly comes to a One man, Elias Houchen, killed (private hunting) nously clear, that the rudest peasant could com- final stop. A foot soldier at Waterloo, pierced since the 1st of November, 32 Deer and 1 Bear. by a musket ball in the hip, begged water from a Allen Burner, killed 22 Deer and I Bear-and trooper who chanced to possess a canteen of several other persons, have killed from 15 to 20 beer. The wounded man drank, returned his Deer apiece. Quite recently, Mr. Henry Harsharper—his sallow face kindled up—and his eye began to open, dim and dreamy no longer, but was nearly exterminated, and having proceeded vivid as lightning, red as fire-globes, and glaring like twin meteors. The whole soul was in the learning like twin meteors. The whole soul was in the learning le

limbs concluded his career. "Yet his voice," two or three others in company with him. says the trooper, who himself tells the story, "gave scarcely the smallest sign of weakness."

Captain Basil Hall, who in his early youth

Seizure of the Niagara—We learn to Then, without so much as bestowing an allustance, extremely similar, which occurred on that Monday night week, and land silk goods and occupied upon the subjects of Banks, and Banking sion on Prentiss, he turned short on the perjured occasion. An old officer, who was shot in the laces on the wharf, to the value of near \$10,000. Corporations; betting on elections, and Printing vective, that all trembled as with an ague, and wound, which was pronounced to be mortal. | laws. It is thought the vessel will be released Printing the Debates. two of them actually fled dismayed from the "Indeed, I feared so," he responded with imped by the Secretary of the Treasury.

Court House. Saturdes of Covernors The

Quarterly Review ..

YOUNG MEN. There is no mortal object so beautiful to me as people in all the States except Virginia and South

like a self balanced power. Happy he who Onward, then, conscientions youth—raise thy standard, and nerve thyself for goodness. mental strength, throw not that drop in a polla- be a universally admitted fact, that a newspa-

NOVEL READING.

We are often asked an opinion of novel reading the soul I mean-flat and exhausted, incapable of

NO. 29.

TAXATION IN VIRGINIA. It appears from the report of the Committee of Finance, (Doc. No. 39.) that the revenue for the balance in the State Treasury at the beginning gates for the Hall &c., a very profitable day's busiof the fiscal year, will amount to \$1,052,534 85. ness, truly. That the expenses of Government will be for the

year \$1,303,901 04 probable deficiency to meet | preceding day, Mr. Hunter saidxpenses \$251,436-19. Thus it appears that repudiation will be inevitable un'ess the taxes be increased, or some new subjects be levied upon, sufficient to make up this deficiency. The Southern Rights Society proposes a reduction of twenty five per cent. on the present subjects of taxation, and that a discriminating tax be levied upon Northern imports and productions, as we understand their proceed.

Apportionment be instructed to inquire into the expeditucy of inserting the following provisions to the Constitution, to wit:

"The Legislature shall pass no act the effect of

petition with our own citizens? Nothing could section. be more encouraging to the insolent and lawless abolitionists of the North! The time has now come when men of all parties in Virginia must States brought here will give them. We shall pay no more faxes; and get render benefit to our

GREAT LUCK.

This Fall it was sounded long and loud in the

SEIZURE OF THE NIAGARA.—We learn that the firmity or disability has become of iss annual val-Boston, by the collector of the port, on the charge taxation." It is stated that the crew and not the officers Debates. are implicated in this violation of the revenue

SALABIES OF GOVERNORS .- The American Almanac of 1851, publishes a table containing the and their salaries. The smallest salary is in Rhode Island, which is \$400, and the largest that of California which is \$10,000. Louisiana gives her Governor 36,000; New York, 84,000; Vir-

ECLIPSES IN 1851 .- There will be four eclipses in the present year, the most prominent of which will be a great and visible eclipse of the sun. The first is a partial and visible eclipse of the moon on Friday, January 17, commenceing at forty minutes past three in the afternoon, and terminating exactly at six o'clock; nearly one. half of the moon will be obscured. The second is an annual eclipse of the sun on Saturday, Feboury I, invisible to us. The third is a partial and invisible eclipse of the moon on Saturday. the 13th of July; and the tourth is the great eclipser of the sua on Monday, the 28th of July; the greatest solar eclipse we shall have until

March, 1858. It begins 2h. 8m. 18s. "I AM TOO POOR TO GIVE UP MY PAPER."-An old woman in Maine recently renewed her subscription to a Portland paper, with the remark that "she was infinitely too poor to do without it." There is a great deal comprehended in this many things rather than a newspaper. How much has even the poorest saved by attentively tities of the article was produced .- Free Press. pursuing some one of the public journa's which has been his daily or weekly visitant! It should per is one of the necessames, not one of the Inxuries of life. Every journalist in the country, king the warrants transferrable. The beneficiaries by taking his memory a moment, could easily il- king the warrants transferrable. The beneficiaries lustrate the truth of the position—and indeed seem generally anxious for such a change, but mathere is very few in any community, whose ex. ny of the Western members are opposed to it. They perience does not enable them to hear testimony want locations by the holders; but few men will to it. A newspaper is a mine of wealth to mil- be willing to go Westward for the sake of 40 to 80 lions, who, if they never saw one, would have acres of land, the amount likely to accrue to a ma-

[Lowell Journal. A HUNGARIAN POSTMASTER. - Among the Post Offices recently established is that of New Buda,

If it is reported that a new daily penny paper without severe injury, though most of them were est editorial talents has been secured

Large Hogs-There were slaughtered, at the instant elected to the Convention from the District Western Asylum on Tuesday last, 25 hogs, the composed of Shenandoah, Hardy and Warren, in Western Asylum on Tuesday last, 25 hogs, the gross weight of which amounted to more than Eight Thousand Pounds, being an average of over 300 pounds. One hog weighed 527 pounds; another, 509—two, 414 each; one, 410, one, 374 one 362, and ten others over 300 each—the weight of the others was a fraction under 300 pounds. All these hogs were raised and fattened from the offal at the lostitution. This is doing the "State some service," certainly.

BOOK AND JOB PRINTING, OF EVERY DESCRIPTION,

PSUCH AS BOOKS, PAMPHLETS, CARDS, BLANKS, HANDBILLS, LABELS, &c., EXECUTED WITH NEATNESS AND DESPATCH AT THE

OFFICE OF THE SPIRIT OF JEFFERSON. BLANKS—Deeds of Dargain and Sale and Deeds of Trust—Negotiable and Promissory Notes, &c., &c., always on hand. Main Street, Charlestown, Va.

THE CONVENTION.

Wednesday the 8th, the Convention was occupied in discussing the place of meeting. The Comm tee having decided upon the Universalist Church as a proper place, and concluding with resolutions directing the Sergeaut-at-Arms to have the building properly fitted up without delay, the report was concurred in and the Convention adjourned.

Thursday was consumed upon the subject wheth-

On Friday, after the reading of the journal of the

follows: Resolved. That the Committee on the Basis and Apportionment be instructed to inquire into the ex-

"The Legislature shall pass no act the effect of

We do not think that any true Virginian can longer debate this question in his own mind!—
What, tax down our lands, negroes, horses, and

"This section shall not be construed to refer to 'The Legislature shall pass no bill appropriating full and accurate as possible, short of actual instru-

projected work will yield a nett average return of

fidavit of the engineer or engineers making the "The Legislature shall have power to discriminate as to what property or persons shall be the sub-jects of taxation, but all taxes upon property shall ty, may deem most just ann equation.

however, that in no case shall slaves be subjected however, that in no case shall slaves be subjected. to higher taxation than real estate; nor sh

of smuggling. Boats were seen to leave her on The balance of the sitting of the Convention was

the Continental Congress: to be sent them as soon as possible, and that \$7000 be paid into the hands of Colonel Stevenson, for

bounty money, and other regimental expenses. Berkeley County furnished three Generals in the Revolution-Gates, Lee and Stephen. General Lee having suffered in his pecunfary affairs in England, in consequence of having-accepted a command in the American Army, Congress undertook to remunerate him for his protested bills, by advancing him \$30,000 to pay for his estate in Virginia, upon a bond to transfer that in

England as a reimbursement. The manufacture of Salt Petre in Virginia was encouraged by special enactment, and large quan-

jority of the holders. ACCIDENT-STAGE UPSET. We learn that the Stage of Parish & Co., upset on Thursday morning last, a few miles below this place. It was crowded with passengers, it had three on deck: We are happy to learn that all escaped

ELECTION TO THE CONVENTION. MARK BIRD, Esq., of Shenandoah, was on the 24

The Cumberland Civilian referring with satisfaction to the facilities afforded Western trav-ellers by the new mail arrangements, by which two in arrive and depart daily, says: Nothing is wanted now but a reduction of fare to enable the Company to coin money. We believe the increased travel from Cumberlend alone, at \$5, to Baltimore, would make up any deficiency that might occur upon the reduction, and all else would

PRICE OF MAHOCARY. —A log of Cuba maho ny, brought at a sale at New York, on Frida 1 951 per superficial foot. Another log, abo

er a vote of thanks be tendered the House of Deli-

I have a resolution on the subject of the basis of representation, which I will read before it is presented, and which I wish to have referred to the committee having charge of that subject. It is as

every thing we have, to aid, protect and encour- end of each session, of an official statement showing age yankee shipping and manufacturing in com- the debts and liabilities referred to in the foregoing any money that has been or may be deposited with the State by the Government of the United States. look to the protection of the interests of the State; the public money, or in any other way affording peand they must be judged accordingly. A wise cultar aid to any road, canal, or other work of inpolicy should now be adopted, and one calculated ternal improvement, until each of the following to produce energy and activity in every depart- pre-requisites shall have been fully complied with, ment of industry among us. Let our shipping to-wit: The projected work shall be thoroughly interests and our artizans have all the benefits of examined by some one or more competent engiprotection which a judicious system of taxation neers, in the employment of the State, and not apupon the imports and productions of the abolition pointed with reference to any particular improvement-such examination to be by reconnoisance, as

mental surveys. goods we bring in without taxation, unquestion- ted line of works-and, in case of a railroad, of supamount of trade and trave! which will pass over such work, or in other form contribute to the in-come to be derived from it within years next after the same shall have been completed.
"Such report shall further show that according to
the estimates and reconnoisance above directed, the

its purport, shall in all cases be verified by the af-

royal mail steamer Niagara, has been seized at ue than the charge of maintenance, be subject to

Saturday was also occupied upon the subject of THE OLDEN TIME. The patriotism of this region of Virginia in the names of the Governors of the respective States. Revolutionary struggle, has often been the subject of remark. In the annals of that glootny time, July 9, 1776, we find the following proceedings of

The Board of War brought in a report, which was taken into consideration; whereupon, Resolved, That Abraham Shepherd be appointed captain ; Samuel Finley, first lieutenant; William Kelley, second lieutenant; Henry Bedinger, third lientenant, of the Virginia Rifle Company; and that the delegates of Virginia be empowered to write to the several county committees in that State, where they think it most proper and probable for the men to be raised, requesting the said commit-tees to recommend officers for the appointment of Congress, to fill up Colonel Stevenson's regiment; the officers so recommended to have power immediately to enlist their men, and commissions

THE BOUNTY LAND BILL. The Senate seems to be in no hurry in its action on the Bounty Land Resolution of the House, ma-

## Tuesday Morning, January 21, 1851. ELECTION OF JUDGE.

From the Enquirer of Thursday, we learn that Mr. Parker, on the day previous, was, on the first ballot, elected Judge for the 13th Circult, to succeed Judge Douglas, deceased. The vote of both Houses stood for Parker 106, for all others 53-Messrs. Byrd and Conrad were in nomination. but, before the voting commenced, their names were withdrawn by their friends. Mr. Parker is well qualified for the office, and his appointment will give entire satial sction. On the result of the election the Enquirer remarks:

"It is needless to say much of Mr. Parker, who rense of propriety and honor, Mr. Parker combines a well matured mind, high accomplishments, clear, discriminating judgment, great courtesy, simplicity and dignity of manners, admirable prudence and firmness. He is every qualification for the important station with which he has been Lonored, and our intimate knowledge of his personal qualities and his standing in Congress fully justifies us in predicting that he will prove himself a worthy successor, on the bench, of his pure and distinguished fatter, Richard E. Parker, and other periodicals; shall have been pre-paid, who filled with honor, successively, the posts of Circuit Judge, Senator of the United States and

Judge of the Court of Appeals. "It is proper that we stiguld add that the District and the State would have been fortunate in the election of either of the distinguished and grain; which shall be legal tender in all sums well qual fied gentlemen, whose names were mentioned in connection with this Judgship. Indeed, the Bar of the valley is justly regarded as comer in the State."

### PENNSYLVANIA.

The question has just been submitted to the people of Pennsylvania, whether or not Judges of their Courts should be made elective by the people, and has been carried by a majority of 72,597. Maryland and Virginia are both looking forward to the investment of the people withtion may be encountered, we have no doubt in Loth States the selection, will be given to those who are not only the best qualified, but the most | conter. deeply interested+the people of the State.

### BIASSACHUSETTS SENATOR.

tion of the Democrats sestain Mr. Sumner, an | ceed the receipts. the same in supporting Mr. Winthrop. The Southern Press, in reference to the maledictions of the Whigs and a portion of our own press, very

The spasms of the Union at the coalition between the Democrats and Abolitionists in Massachusetts, to return Mr. Summer to the Senate of the United States, are as violent as they are indicrous. If Mr. Winthrap had been elected to this distinguished position, there would have been not a word of rebulic or lamentation. Yet in what, so far as the S fith or the Constitution is concerned, will Mr. Stamper differ, in his ser- trating the beautiful truths connected with the vices as Senator, from Mr. Winthrop? Mr. Winthrop voted against the Fegitive slave bil. After the Compromise (at they call it.) had passed at the last session, with all its personal pretensions to inviolability. Mr. Winthrop, with make himself acquainted with this important subsome Abolition Senators, voted to abolish slavery in the District of Columbia. He claims to be the real author of the Welmot Proviso, in having first moved it as an amendment to the Oregon Territorial bill. We can see no reason for any inference that Mr. Summer will support one single measure, or will give a single vote in the Senate of the United States, with respect to the institution of slavery, different from Mr. Win-

## SHANNGNDALE.

thoress, Mrs. Southworth. The lorale of this story, as the title represents, is Shannondale, and n very accurate as well as beautiful description, necessary compounds essential to the production is given of this celebrated watering place and its of certain grains, grasses, &c., going tally into vicinity.

This lady is carning berself a high reputation for her descriptive powers, especially of Southern life and manners. She is peculiarly happy inher home scenes, and the character of the negro is the lecture were beautifully illustrated by mass; given with a fidelity unparpassed by any previous writer, of our acquaintance.

This is the third work from the pen of Mrs. Southwoath, and bears evidence that at no very distant day she will rapk among the first of Amer-

ican anthoresses. Book store of L. M. Smith & Co.

COUNTERFEIT VIRGINIA MONEY.

Henry Dearing and George Wise have been of counterfeiting. The Reveille says: Wheeling, to the amount of \$95, and \$60 in good money. The bals have blue backs, one to ask any questions on which their minds were marked A, and made payable to A. Bone. The

have the appearance of being new." There are a number of these counterfeits in circulation in Baltimore, and our readers should

### be on their guard. CONSUL

ROBERT R. GATTON, Esq., recently of this. county, and a most catimable gentleman, has been appointed by President Fillmore, Consul at Mazatlan, in place of John Parrot, resigned.

SALE OF A VALLEY FARM.

Mr. ROBERT SMITH sold, on Saturday last, his Farm on the heal of the Opequon, containing 259 acres, for \$10,750, a fraction over tive Slave Law, ownot pass the Legislature. \$11 50 per acre. Porchaser, Casper Rinker, ir. LAND BILL.

by a gradual scale of depreciation to Iwenty-five ly been elected Mayor of the city. cents an acre, and then give them to the State in There were slaughtered at the Lunatic Asy which they lie. This will have support from the lum in Staunton, a few days since, 29 hogs, the new States. Second, the plan offers to pay the gross weight of which was 8,000 pounds, being public debt of seventy millions by selling off the an average of over 300 pounds. One hog weighpaying and free trade interest. Third, it offers to substitute the specific for ad raforem duties, by way of conciliating the protective interests.— Here is a good scheme for log-rolling—particularly as the Harbor and River Bill is to be taken

NEW POSTAGE BILL.

The House of Representatives have been mainseems to be little doubt entertained will to the port. case in the Senate, has been a complete triumph. The Convention was again occupied from 10

mary of it: provisions : 1851, the postage on a letter sent through the mail, and not weighing more than half an ounce, shall be three cents; and the same for every additional half ounce or fraction of a half onnue : hat no post-office or mail route shall be discontinued; and that the compensation of no postmaster shall be diminished in consequence of the

passing of this act.

Section the second fixes the postage on newsis so favorably known throughout the State. papers, magazines and other periodicals and With integrity unimpearited, with the nicest printed books, at one cent for every newspaper, &c., weighing two dunces, and an additiona cent for every additional ounce, and that books weighing not over thirty ounces be deemed mail-able matter. It further provides, that newspapers circulated within the State or Territory where printed, shall pay half such postage, and when mailed within the county, or within thirty miles of the place where printed, shall circulate such postage shall be reduced one half.
Section the third prescribes that e coin of taree cents in value shall to prepared, with a metalic inscription, three-fourths of silver and ope-fourth

> under thirty cents. Section fourth requires the Postmaster Genecent stamps, to be supplied to persons wishing tel the incorporation of a Southern Church in said purchase; and declares that persons forging such town. stamps, or having any in his possession for the

Section the fifth anthorizes the appropriation of owing to the passing of this act.

At a meeting of the Valley Agricultural Socie ginia as their guest. The Doctor thereupon de livered a lecture on Agricultural Chemistry, and its application to Agriculture, which was replet; with scientific research. He commenced by illus science of Chemistry, and the simplicity of its application to the knowledge of the sails, and show ing how readily each and every farmer may

ject. The beauty of the Doctor's lecture consisted, in part, of its being unlike most discourses from scientific men, from the fact that he desired no display of supposed knowledge and scientific terms, but whenever it was necessary to use these terms he gave a full and lucid explanation of them, and at the same time making it evident that there was more meening in the purely scientific appellatives then in those commonly in use by men unlearned in the science. In the first We have hastily glanced over a new work place he spoke of the laws of nature, and their bearing this title, from the pen of the popular au insimate and necessary connexion one with the other, the forcible attributes existing to their several and general centinuance. He then treated claborately of the composition of soils, and the

he base, and acids which constitute all soils. and showing the necessity of all to exist in all proportionate quantum to remunerate the farmer for his toil expended in the preparation of the soil for crops. The remarks on this portion of in the first place, showing the affinities of metals and their compounds for the acids and alkali's and on a second map was represented the various substrata met with in the varieties of soil, from the purely sandy through all its gradations to the insoluble red clay--a variety, which, fortunately we, in this region, are little inflicted with. On another map the Doctor explained the effect of This work can be procured at the Drug and the different locations of land and the influence on them exercised by certain prevailing winds during the spring months. This lecture afforded universal satisfaction to those who were so fortunate as to be present, and one universal sentiment prevailed that the subject was treated or by arrested at St. Louis for carrying on the business a master mind, exincing deep research, and a clear and intelligebt power to explain. After the "They had in their possession counterfeit \$5 | Doctor had gratified his audience for wore than bills on the Merchants' and Mechanics' Bank of an hoar, which seemed only a few mements, in this intellectual treat, he requested his audience

not fully satisfied. Various and varied questions were then propounded by his desighted heaters, paper is coarse, and the engraving is, in the main, to all of which he gave answers, and not only anwell executed, though somewhat rough. They ject ally with a view of having the mind grati-fied to its full extent on Monday, when the Doc-tor had kindly consented to deliver another lec-motive power consists of 4 stationary and 4 lo-

ture. The Society then passed manimously a vote of thanks to Dr. Baer for his able and loteresting lecture.

In the Ohio Logislature the Democrats have refused under any circumstances, to vote for a Free-Soil candidite for United States Senator. It is thought, therefore, there will be no election the present sessio; and the Union learns that the

SENATOR FROM OHIO.

Benton's Land schemes, which he is pressing the name of Brownsville, and, like al. American emanated from some of these hot heads. I will so warmly in the Senate, are very comprehensive frontier towns, is rapidly growing in importance. not attempt to give you a sketch of the address, and so adjusted as to carry considerable strength. The ceremony of laying the cerner stone of the from various sections and interests. The scheme first public building in the city was dilly perform is, first, to reduce the value of the public lands on the 16th ok. R. S. Leeman Esq., has recent-

nated P. W. Powell for Governor, and Robert D. Wickliffe for Lient. Governor. LF The French Spoliation Call toto be prealong, and almost every State is to have a share it are said to be sanguine of its passage its scason.

# SPIRIT OF JEFFERSON.

The State Convention on Monday, had but a ing parties, but the result in the House, as there sitions offered to the Committee, for a further re-

for the advocates of cheap postage. On Friday, o'clock to 12 o'clock, on Tuesday, in considering the bill as appended, reducing the rates to three the subject of publishing the reports of the procents for letters not weighing over half ounde, ceedings and debates, and adjourned without comfor all distances, passed the House by a vote of ing to a decision. Mr. John Janney of Loudoun, 130 for, to 75 against. The following is a sum made some excellent remarks in favor of adopting the plan reported by committee. After the Section first provider that after the 20th June, adjournment of the Convention, the different committees went into session, and were occupied during the remainder of the day.

In the State Convention on Wednesday, the whole matter relative to publishing the debates and proceedings of the Convention was referred back to the Committee, with instructions to receive proposals for issuing the same in pamphlet form &c., and, also, to enquire as to printing cer tain documents, &c., in the German language. The State Convention was in session but a short time on Thursday. No buisness of importance transacted. The committees all in session. The Universalist Church having been fitted up. the first session of the Convention was held

## that place on Friday.

On Tuesday, in the House, after various re fine of \$500, or be imprisoned five years in lies | ral resolutions of inquiry, the House took up cer tain resolutions from the State of Vermont, rela-

Section the fifth authorizes the appropriation of ling to the subject of "Peace," communicated a million and a half of dollars, to meet any tempor by the Executive on Saturday last, and pending rary reduction of the revenue that may arise which the House adjourned that day. A motio to lay them on the table was made and carried, pended between heaven and earth. The proper disposition of the resolutions elicited a warm and general opinion that the State of Vermont had, by her recent action in relation to the Fugitive

> ROCKINGHAM-Interesting Statistics. We are indebted to the courtesy of our oblig ng County Clerk, Mr. Coffman, for the following

interesting statistical information : Value of Real Estate in the Amount of land and property tax Amount of County and Parish levy for 1850.

Whole am't of County & Parish levy, land and property tax for 1850. From 1st Sept., 1849 to 1st Sept., 1850. Amount of tax on law processes, deeds, seals, &c., Amount of tax on licences of

merchants, hotel keepers, &c., for same period, 2,500 00 Whole amount of tax on law 2,872 16 processes and licences. Whole amount of tax paid, No. of Deeds admitted to record from 1st Sept. 1849, to 1st Sept., 1850, 483. No. of common

law and chancery suits for same period, 241 .-No. of certificates of probate and administra. 49 Rockingham Register. THE COMMISSIONER OF PENSIONS informs Con gress that there are now upon the pension rolls the following number of classes, each drawing

the sums annexed, under the several acts regulating their pay: Nos. Invalid pensioners, \$42,657 13 Privateer Orphan

The list is completed up to the 1st of Decem-

MOUNT SAYAGE COMPANY .- This Company are engaged in the manufacture of Railroad Iron ring a portion of that time, necessary, but he had Byrd. and Fire brick. The Cumberland Civilian has never been there for the purpose of giving his asobtained the following statistics of their past operations from the returns of the Census of 1850: The cost of works and Railroad to the present Company have invested in the works an active freely expressed his mind upon the subject of in that body of the name of Mr. Conrad, Capital of \$250,000. The capital invested in the slavery. The poor always, sooner or later, find Mr. Wall rose and stated that as he had reamanufacture of Fire Brick is \$10,000. During out their true triends, and the slaves at Washing son to believe the election would be decided solethe year ending the first of June 1850, the works ton were not long in discovering his feelings and ly on party grounds, he should therefore ask leave swers, but the ressons why and wherefore, until consumed 3000 tons coak, coal, and ore, at a sentiments in regard to slavery. Many of them to withdraw the name of Mr. Conrad. Leave all were satisfied, and retired to think on the sub- cost of \$3000. During the same they manufac- had been in the habit of consulting him on the granted.

UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA, Jan. 6, 1851.

Messrs. Editors : The subject of Southern Rights and the aggressions committed by the North upon us, have attracted much attention here as elsewhere. On this evening a meeting large and enthusiastic, was held, at which the Constitution of a Southern Rights' Association the present session; and the Union learns that the resolutions which declare opposition to the Fagiment may be laughed at—we may be called a set The site of the former Fort Brewn, on the bodies could show a finer array of talent than our Rio Grande, in Texas, has become a city, under meeting presented; or an abler address than has as I shall take an opportunity of sending you a copy as soon as published.

T Anti-protective resolutions have been adoptther protection, not only because of the peculiar position of the South at present, but because they regarded the present tariff as sufficiently high, and as carrying out the proper object of govern-ment, in raising revenue.

VIRGINIA P. VERMONT .- The House of Dele VIRGINIA P. VERMAT.—The House of Delegates, on Thursday, by an unanimous vote, requested the Governor to return to Vermont her 'peace resolutions," with the declaration that, when Vermont shall prove her willingness to consult the peace of this Union, by doing justice to the Constitution, it would be time enough for Virginia to singuilt with her as to the peace of the world.

# HARLESTOWN, VIRGINIA.

RECEDENTS. EARLY

STATE CONVENTION. The Washington Union in view of the infatushort ression. The report of the Committee on ated attempt of the see soil faction to open the made to elect a Judge for this, the 13th Judicial ling the Postage Bill. The contest has been publishing the Debates and proceedings was scarcely healed wounds of the country by moving waged with considerable warmth by the contest. laken up, and referred back, with various propo- in Congress for the repeal of the fugitive law,

wise than in the punishment of crimes whereof the party shall have been duly convicted: Prowided, always, THAT ANY PERSON ESCAPING INTO THE SAME, FROM WHOM LABOR OR SERVICE IS LAW-FULLY CLAIMED IN ANY ONE OF THE ORIGINAL

STATES-SUCH FUGITIVE MAY BE LAWFULLY RE CLAIMED, AND CONVEYED TO THE PERSON CLAIMING HIS OR HER LABOR OR SERVICE AS AFQRESAID." But this is not all. The first law on the subject of the surrender of fugitives from service and fugitives from labor (adds the Union.) was passed in 1793, during the administration of General Washington. It is needless to repeat the provisions of that law.— as follows:

After the formation of the government, the seat. For Park

discussion or division: "An act supplementary to an act entitled, 'An act concerning the District of Columbia."

On Monday week in the House or Delegates,
Mr. Craig, from the committee on roads, &c., reported a large number of bills incorporating several road companies, and increasing the capital stock of many others.

Sec. 6. And he if further enacted, That in all cases where the constitution of laws of the United States provide that criminal and fugitives from instice, or persons held to labor in any State estate of many others. Mr. Duke presented a petition of citizens of he is hereby, empowered and required to cause Jefferson, asking for a change in the rates of to be apprehended and delivered up such crimitransportation and commission charged at the nal, fugitive from justice or persons fleeing from depot of the Winchester and Potomac Railroad service, as the ease may be, who shall be found ral to furnish the several postmasters with three at Charlestown. Also, of citizens of Bolivar, for within the District, in the same manner and under the same regulations as the executive authority of the several States are required to do the same; and all the executive and judicial officers purpose of passing them as genuine, shall pay a ports from committees, and the adoption of seve-fine of \$500, or be imprisoned five years in lieur ral resolutions of inquiry, the House took up cer-or other process issued for that purpose, and to

be aiding and assisting in such delivery. "Approved March 3, 1801. It is useless to comment on this statute. It is oo plain to need explanation. It puts fugitives rom justice and fugitives from service on the

The Warrenton Flag gives 20,825 as the total he farmers held their lands.

Stafford county has 4,414 whites; 319 free blacks; and 4,311 slaves. Total 9,044. The population in 1840 was 8,454. This exhibits an Nelson county has a population of 6,478

whites, 148 free negroes, and 6,142 slaves. Toand 4,709 slaves. Tota: 12,281. In 1840, the population was 10,775, showing an increase,

since then, of 1,596. The increase of free inhabitants is, 1,307 of this number. The census of Fairfax county is 6,847 whites; 582 free blacks; and 3,250 slaves. Total 10. 679. The population in 1840 was 9,370. Increase 4,309.

## WM. H. CHAPLIN.

It seems by a statement made by Wm. L. Chaplin, at an anti-fugitive slave law convention, held at Syracuse, New York, that the total cost of procuring his release from confinement in Washngton and Maryland, was \$28,000, viz : n Maryland, and costs of court, counsel, fees, &c., \$3,000. A series of weekly meetings is to politics into this election. be held at prominent points in the State for the purpose of defending Chaplin against a requisition of the Governor of Maryland. \$500 was raised at that meeting.

Chaplin's explanation respecting the offence with which he stands charged, rather surpasses and which he should pursue now. He denied that of the boy taken up for stealing turnips, who that the friends of Mr. Tucker had voted for that alleged that, while he lay sleeping in the turning gentleman for the purpose of defeating an elec-1,126 \$132,923 13 field, the turnips grew into his pockets, and were length.

" Mr. C. stated that he had been engaged in business during the pastfour or five years, which | er, Duke and Campbell. had made his residence at Washington city, dusistance to slaves in their endeavors to make from his associations in life, strong anti-slavery

their received friend, as it were, "Mr C. related the incidents of his case, tak- and that the name of Robert Y. Conrad had been ing the view of it which has been entertained and set forth by his friends: that he was riding at night in the District of Columbia, near the boun-dary line between the District and the State of For Ru Maryland; that two men met him on the road and made application to ride in his carriage; McDearman, McClintic, Burwell, Tompkins that he allowed them to get into his carriage; Hammond, Grantham, Hays, Wells, Power that after driving two or three miles, his carriage | Lewis of Brunswick, Wellman, Clarke, Carring was attacked by a number of armed men; that ton of Charlotte, Jones, Barbour, Muse, Deskins

## LIEUTENANT GENERAL.

and conveyed to prison.

Several efforts have been made in Congress to confer upon Major General Winfield Scott the Henderson, Campbell of Nottoway, Buswell, Rorank of Lieutenant General, for his gallant ser-bertson. Kee, Cox, Cackley, Fairfax, Flourney, vices in the Mexican war. We do not perceive Rives, Harrison, Sturm, Strother, Craig, Mariz, the propriety of creating this useless title. It Yancey, Speers, Pitman, Calvert, Campbell of cannot add a whit to the reputation of the distin-guished officer for whom it is proposed, nor do Sussex, Johnson, Witten, Horner, Massey of ed by a large rote of both parties, in the North Carolina Legislature. The Whigs opposed fur-It is opposed to the superior intelligence of republicans to imagine that high-sounding names can give additional lustre to men of sterling worth. From the very nature of our institutions, we are lifted above such insignificant aids.

> The population of St. Louis, as officially innounced by the Marshal, is 77,465. There are in the city 51 churches, and 1,038 manufac-tures—yielding an annual product of \$12,901,

> > ce 1840 is 1.711.

587; also, 73 schools, 168 teachers, and 6.642 BJ. The waite population of Hampshire county is 12,333; five blacks, 220; slaves, 1,433—total, 14,036. Increase since 1840 is 1,711. ELECTION OF JUDGE.

On Monday last, an unsuccessful effort was very properly calls their attention "to the follow- this day, and on Tuesday the Joint order was a choice 80-For Richard Parker, 106, scatterng enactments, passed in the earlier and better postponed until Wednesday, when on the first ing 53. ballot, the Hon. RICHARD PARKER of Clarke days of the republic."

The celebrated ordinance of 1787, has the folthis District, was chosen by a vote of 106 to 53 "ART. 5. There shall be neither slavery nor scattering. The following is a summary of Mon-

nvoluntary servitude in said Territories, other- day and Wednesday's proceedings: In the House of Delegates, on Monday, January 13, the joint order having for its object the Patent Law. election of a Judge for the 13th Judicial Circuit

Mr. Massey of Clarke and Warren nominated Mr. Richard Parker, which was seconded by Mr.

'Mr. Barbour put in nomination Mr. John Randolph Tucker who was sustained by Mr. Mr. Wall neminated Robert Y. Conrad, which was seconded by Mr. Carrington of Loudoun. The roll was then called, and the vote resulted

FOR PARKER - Mesers. Hopkins, (Speaker,) of government was removed to the District, and it became necessary to make provision for the surrender of slaves who might escape from slave-holding States and be found here. To meet this exigency the following law was passed without yall, Stomp, Monroe, Boykin, Arneld, Howser exigency the following law was passed without yall, Stump, Monroe, Boykin, Arneld, Howser, yall, Stump, Monroe, Boykin, Arnew, Harvey, Slemp, Ferguson, Boydston, Jenney, Harvey, Bill to cede the public la Beirne, Vanarsdall, Butt, Wheeler, Henderson, Bill to cede the public la Beirne, Vanarsdall, Butt, Wheeler, Rives, States to the States respect Harrison, Craig Martz, Yancey, Pitman, Calvert, Campbell of S., Crutchfield, Wheadon, Dillard of Sussex, Johnson, Witten, Massey of W. and C.,

Jackson, Boyd-56. For Cosead - Messrs. Finney, Bowcock, Carter, Massey of Alexandria, Damron, Imboden, McCoe, Burwell, Carrington of B., Forbes, Clarke, Wilcox, Bolling, Goodwyn, Segar, Stuart, Hume, Scott of F., Dunlap, Brooks, Wall, Callison, Welton, Morris, Southall, Duke, Jewett, Patrick, Gresham, Edwards of L., Wright, Car- ed and enforced in some remarks. The petitions rington of L., Dawson, Stubbs, Yerby, Russell, were referred. Neal, Witcher, Scott of Powhatan, Strother, Aurust, Dorman, Patterson, Kernan, Newsom, Sut-

tle, Horner, Ditty-48.
For Tucker-Messrs. McDearmon, Speed, Carrington of Charlotte, Barbour, Muse, Cocke, Taliaferro, Fleming, White, Hall, Niblett, Montague, Williams, Baskerville, Edmundson, Campbell of Nottoway, Willis, Flournoy, Speers-19. FOR R. E. BYED-Messrs. Fairfax and Sturm FOR WM. C. WORTHINGTON-Mr. Tomlin-

ng been renominated, the roll was again For Parker For Conrad There being no election, and the hour being late, on motion Mr. Ferguson, the House ad-

In the SENATE the vote on the 1st ballot stood FOR PARKER-Messrs. Rives, Trible. Horner. Barbee, Daniel, Opie, Tate, Grantham and Ed-FOR TUCKER -- Messrs. Dennis, (Speaker,) Nansemond county has 7,572 fee inhabitants | Carrington, Isbell, Shackleford, French, Thomp-

journed, thereby breaking up the joint order.

son of D.; and Catlett-7 FOR CONRAD - Messrs. Thompson of A., Kinnev. Pitts, Turner, Stanard, Harvey, Ambler, Thomas and Ward-8. For R. E. Byrn-Messrs. Carlile, Deneale Cowan and West-4. The subject came up again on Tuesday, and

it was agreed to proceed to the election on Wed-On Wednesday, the House, according to the oint order of the day, proceeded by joint vote with the Senate, to the election of a Judge for

the 13th Judicial Circuit. Mr. Massey, of C. and W., nominated Rich'd. Parker, Esq., for the office. Mr. WALL nominated Robert Y Conrad Esq and trusted it would be the pleasure of the Le-His ball at Washington was \$6,000; \$19,000 gislature to bestow the office upon that gentleman. He deprecated the introduction of party

Mr. Sypnon nominated Richard E. Byrd, Esq. of Frederick. Mr. Willis rose, not for the purpose of second ing either of the nominations made, but briefly to assign his reasons for the course he had pursued a day or two since, in relation to this election, tion, and went on 'to "define his position" at

After some further discussion, which was par icipated in by Mesers. Sydnor, Ferguson, Witch-

Mr. Sypxon withdrew the comination of Mr Mr. Massey, of C. and W., was deputed by the Speaker to inform the Senate that the House their escape from bondage. Naturally, fired and was ready to proceed to the election, and that born at the North as he was, he had imbibed Messrs, Parker and Contad were in remination After considerable delay, during which an ani-Company was \$240,000. The original cost was feelings and sentiments. At Washington he mated debate took place in the Senate, which much greater. Independent of this the present had never made a secret of this, and had there was finally brought to a close by the withdrawal

various subjects, and especially in regard to their . A message was received from the Senate, by rights and condition. In fact, he had become Mr. STANARH, informing the House of the readiness of that body to proceed with the election, withdrawn from nomination in the Senate. The Clerk then called the roll, with the follow

FOR RICHARD PARKER-Messis. Hopkins.

(Speaker.) Allen, Bowcock, Dillard of Amnerst, he was knocked off the driver's seat of the car- Edwards, Brooks, Pearis, Guerrant, Carroll. Wilriage, and that the men and himself were bound son, Stovall, Stump, Monroe, White, Welton, Boykin, Duke, Jewett, Arnold, Howser, Tomlin, emp, rerguson, Penaleton, Niblett, Newman Boydston, Jenny, Harvey, Williams, Beirne, Edmundeon, Vanorsdale, Stubbs, Butt, Wheeler, Warren and Clarke, Jackson and Boyd-83. FOR ROBERT Y: CONRAD-Messrs. Finney. Carter, Massey of Alexandria, Imboden, McCue, Wilcox, Bolling, Goodwin, Segar, Stovall, Hume, Scott of Pauquier, Dunlap, Wall, Collison, Mor-ris, Southalf, Patrick, Gresham, Edwards, Wright, Whenever titles are necessary to distinguish official posts, let them be conferred, but to establish these distinctions from a love of them, per sent is a thing that all wise statesmen should seduce the lously avoid. Winchester Republican.

Carringtono Botetour, Forbes, Speed. Buckner, Cocke, Fleming, Hall, Montague, Baskerville and Scott, of Powhatan—11.

FOR R. E. BYRD—Mr Sydnor—1.

FOR H. BEDINGER—Mr. Willis—1.

[When the name of Mr. Taliferro, of Glouces ter, was called, that gentleman rose and asked to be excused from voting. He declared himself a thorough parly man—one who always made party feally the touchstone in all elections, without exception—but he said he could not vote for Mr.

appeared in favor of excusing the gentleman.
When the name of Mr. Horner, the delegate from Tyler, Doddridge and Wetzel was called, contains a letter from Ex President 7, that gentleman voted for Mr. Parker, he said because he had voted for the Compromise. Joint Vole-Whole number 159-necessary to

So Richard Parker having received a majority of the whole vote cast, was declared to be duly elected Judge of the 13th Circuit.

reported adversely upon bills granting lands for certain railroads. Mr. Downs offered a resolution, calling for a copy of a report on the inundations of the lower Mississippi. Agreed to.

Mr. Houston gave notice of an amendment to

Ritchie, praying to be relieved from his contract

mittee on Printing.
The Senate resumed the co

In the SENATE, on Wednesday, Mr. Clay p sented petitions in favor of Colon zation and the suppression of the slave trade, which he explain-

Mr. Hale presented a petition from citizens of aid on the table, 35 to 16. Mr. Butler and Mr. Yulee, refused to vote on

resolutions were pending in the Legislature of Florida, instructing their Senators, not to vote on There is a letter a the subject of the repeal of the fugilive act. The land Bill was taken up, and Mr. Walker; proprietors of the Union with Mr. its author, spoke at length in its support.

The House, on Wednesday, was occupied all day in the consideration of the bill to reduce

under the five minute rule. The three cent uniform rate was adopted, and that papers, when circulated in the county where publication, be transmitted free of postage, was

remitted when postage shall have been pre-paid. In the SENATE, on Thursday, Mr. Hunter pre-

Mr. Seward presented several memorials, pray ing the repeal of the fugitive slave law, the abolition of slavery in Utah and New Mexico, and the District of Columbia, all of which were laid

recting a distribution of the works of the exploring expedition, which was considered and passed. Mr. Shields offered a resolution, which was agreed to, asking information in respect to cer tain transactions by the British agents off the ing George Washington, as our coast of central America. Mr. Benton submitted a resolution calling for copies of correspondence by the Spanish minis-

was laid over The Senate took up the bill to pay the claims for spoliations by the French, and Mr. Smith ad- people dressed the Senate in support of the bill. Before he had concluded.

The Senate adjourned. The House on Thursday, went into Committee of the Whole on the state of the Union on the o reduce and modify the rates of postage. Yesterday, three cents, uniform, was agreed to, on all letters not weighing more than a hall ounce. To-day after many preliminaries, the second section was amended so as to provide that printed matter transmitted through the mails, it no greater weight than two ounces, shall pay one cent; and for each additional ounce or se thirty ounces, to be deemed mailable matter under the provision of this section; provided that

newpapers delivered in the State where printed

The third section was amended, providing for she went out to see about her

it felony to counterfeit them. Mr. Dickey ineffectually endeavored to substi-

privilege, but the question was decided in the negative-ayes 44, nays 99. Mr. Carter moved to strike out the fifth and all the funds she had. The moth last section of the bill, which makes an appropri- is a tail, stout woman, with blacdee

duce the postage on letters to two cents when the revenue of the Department, at the rates establis ed by this act, shall exceed its expenses | infant put juto her arms by a

And the House adjourned. PENNSYLVANIA ON THE WAR BOUNTY .- In the Senate of Pennsylvania, on Thursday, Mr. Crabb

presented a series of resolutions, which were read the philanthropy of the cit end adopted, as follows:

ceive the same bounty. forward a copy of these resolutions to each of our that she was married to a man Senators and Representatives in Congress.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT AND DEATH .- On the eve and support the child. if the first of January, a number of young men,

Jenny Lind is to arrive in New Orleans about Parker, because that gentleman had supported the 1st of February, and remain therese the measures passed at the last session of Considerable She then goes up the Mississippi and gress, known as the Compromise. The House Louis, Louisville and Cincinnati. the 1st of February, and remain there some weeks. She then goes up the Mississippi and visits St. and hickory at 5 50 a 86 per

divided upon the question, when a large majority

CONGRESSIONAL.

In the SENATE, on Tuesday, petitions from in ventors were presented for a modification of the Mr. Hunter from the Committee on Finance,

The House bill explanatory of the Bounty Land act, was taken up and made the special order for

Mr. Hunter presented the memerial of Thomas

Washington county, Penn, for a repeal of the Walker further states that he has not fugitive slave act. After some discussion it was or conjecture as to the source from the subject. Mr. Yulee gave as a reason, that

shed, or within thirty miles of the place of lilton, of South Carolina, has ad

sented the credeptials of the Hon. J. M. Mason as a Senator from Virginia for six years from 4th | cure amendments to the Constitution

ter in relation to the Contoy prisoners, which

shall be chargeable with one half the foregoing rates; provided that no postage shall be charged for Philadelphia. On her way on any newspaper mailed and delivered in the county where printed, or within thirty miles of own sex; sitting near her. the place where printed; fifty per cent. to be de ed Gray's Ferry, and while ducted from the postage on magazines when the

the coinage of a three cent coin, to be composed never returned, and what was w of three fourths silver and one part of copper, of leaving managed to take the with devices different from the gold dollar and bundle, which contained her c

The fourth section, as amended, provides for which is a fine girl, has it s the furnishing of three cent stamps, and making but will be forced to place tute stamped envelopes for the stamps. Mr. Crowell moved to abolish the franking seen at No. 10 South Ten

ation of one million and a half of dollars to meet any deficiency which may arise in consequence of the reduced postage; but the motion was disa- ing paragraph from the Baltimer Many amendments were offered, some adopted, others rejected. Among the latter one by Mr. Putnam, requiring the Postmaster General to re-

more than five per cent. for more than two con-Several substitutes were offered for the entire bill; one of which was pending when the committee rose,

Resolved, That as a number of soldiers recrnit- Baltimore, a few days ed into the service of the United States were sponsibility" of her own, a scarcely a month on duty, and yet received 160 her arms, and if the one she has acres of land, it is the opinion of the General As- she must have made an even ex sembly that those soldiers who served in the war one on the road-at least so the of 1812, as well as in the Indian wars, should re- sician of our city, who is

Resolved, That the Governor be requested to She was last from Old Point

near Goresville, in this county, were amusing themselves by firing pistols to usher in the new Legislature has before it a bi year. Among their number was Francis W. Et. the operation of the Fugitive gin. It appears that one of the party drew his It provides that any person gun up to his shoulder for the purpose of firing be in any manner concerned in it off, but to all appearance it only flashed in the citizen of that State, with interest pan, and he lowered it again; at this moment moved against his will, beyon young Elgin passed in front of the muzzle of the the State, shall be deemed gui young Ligin passed in front de the muzzle of the gon, when, shocking to relate, it went off, and the wad, together with the whole charge of powder, was blown through the thick part of his thigh, making a ghastly wound. The best of medical aid was called in, but all to no purpose; Mr. Elgin lingered, in great agony, until Tuesday last, when death put an end to his sufferings.

[Loudoun Chronicle of Saturday last.]

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THE RITCHIE and RIVES OF The Washington Union of Thursday statement from Ex-Secretary Walks the Legislative em the charges made by Mr. Rives the connived with Mr. Polk to place \$500 le they were atten Government funds in the Bank of a of which Senator Cameron was Prop. the understanding that it was to be the establish in its place the Washington Mr. Tyler in his letter denies in his language that he ever had any co as a candidate for re-election, on the he would put down the Globe, or were contained in his letter of

lished at the time-that being that Injon. He defends the character at from the accusation of being capable simself to the furtherance of any such He further asserts that he had no be Middletown Bank. Secretary Walker authorizes the state that the sum of \$50,000 was plan retary Bibb, of Kentucky, along a MAWFU

barrass the banks, during the year awful tragedy at Globe by Messrs. Ritchie & Heise counselled with, in any way, by any There is a letter also appended article from Major Heiss, formerly which he emphatically denies that the ceived one dollar from either Senan is and cause or Mr. Polk to pay the purchase more Hobe-and as to where the money dit he wisely leaves the public to inferte

A SOUTHERN CONVENTION !- Gen the Hon. Langdon Cheves, calling a tion of its slave institutions, by and his face the slavery discussion in Congress; pro drew a the taxing and appropriating power

this extremity, we are fully capable the charact and taking care of ourselves. frica, upo I. with v

to New York, and is detained be Ica in 185 So far so good for Miss Smith; the "baby" than she is willing she THE BABY STORY SPORES e most triumpua opied from the Philadelphia Li f a young woman from Balt paret Ann Smith, who, it was a your side of t whom she got in convers as proof of a far harged with the crime of fant in her arms, and no me but the fact is that Miss Marga

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wife, and was living with her whither she was going to compe NEW YORK NULLIFICATION.

Fuel .- The cold weather, Clipper, has caused an incress fuel and decreased the quantity Pine wood sells at 4 a \$4 50-

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Section the sixth provides for the publication but was subsequently re-considered, and the re-of lists of unclaimed letters in a paper having solutions finally left, like Mahomet's coffin, sussame footing. In both cases the right to be tried FOR H. BEDINGER-Mr. Taliaferro-1. by a jury is confined to the State to which the There being no election, the roll was again the same rights, and though more or less opposi- the greatest circulation, and that should the publisher of such paper refuse to insert the list, called, with the following result, on joint ballot fugitive is removed. he shall be deprived of the free exchange of animated debate, in which it appeared to be the For Parker VIRGINIA COUNTIES. papers and other benefits which the act may Various amendments were offered and debated For Conrad For Tucker The Virginia Argus gives the following re-Section the seventh authorizes the Postmaster Slave Law, placed herself beyond the pale of Scattering turns of the population of Hampshire county, General to establish post routes and offices of de-posite and delivery, and the appointment of car-On Wednesday the SENATE and House pro-Mr. Tucker having been again renominated, riers in cities and large towns, who shall deliver cecded to the joint order for the election of Judge Esq.:—Whites 12,383; free colored 220; slaves the views of the candidates in reference to the in Massachusetts. The free Soilers and a por- provided the compensation allowed shall not ex- sioned by the death of the Hon. I. R. Douglass. 1,423; total 14,026. This indicates increasing Compromise came under consideration. It was also agreed that fifty per cent. of the to take the lead in assembling a Control do The roll was again called, with the following postage on magazines and other periodicals be which resulted in the choice of the Hon. Richard avowed Abolitionist, whilst the Whigs are doing DR. BAER'S LECTURE ON AGRICUL-Parker, of Clarke. For Parker On Thursday, in the House, a few resolutions population " Fauquier county. Of this number of expediency having been offered as usual, the 10,364 are slaves. There are 1,844 dwellings For Tucker Resolutions of the State of Vermont were taken There still being no choice, Mr. Tucker's nam and 1,865 families, showing a separate dwelling up as unfinished business, and after discussion, ty on Friday, the 17th instant, after the society was dropped by the rule of the House, and not resolutions, requesting the Governor of Virginia for nearly every family. Since 1840, there is a was called to order, the President introduced Dr. to return the resolutions of the Legislature of decrease of 658 of the free population and 344 WM. BAER, of Carrell county, Md who had been called with this result: Vermont, and inform the Governor that the Leslaves. This loss was caused mainly by the exgislature of Virginia declines to consider them, invited by the Society to visit this portion of Vir piration of the leases by which a great number of were adopted by a unanimous vote.

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United States papers received by the old, but one which is to be accomplish- CURED," if this medicine be resorted to in time. tra in 1852," is no longer a matter to be he place of holding it, New York, and the ere by all who know anything about most excellently chosen, and give earne most triumphant success. The prompt tant aid given by your enlightened Pre-Government to this great and truly nadertaking, will redound greatly to their or all the best interests of the wide specad of civilized man. We have no doubt that fair will be well attended by great numbers sons from every country of the Continental e, whilst crowds of British subjects, who ong intended to visit the United States, will suffice. It will be such an importation of oducts, and ideas as will render Continental of the Continental et will be such an importation of oducts, and ideas as will render Continental of the Continental et will be such an importation of oducts, and ideas as will render Continental et will be such an importation of oducts, and ideas as will render Continental et will be such an importation of oducts, and ideas as will render Continental et will be such an importation of oducts, and ideas as will render Continental et will be such an importation of oducts. It will be such an importation of oducts and ideas as will render Continental et will be such an importation of oducts. It will be such an importation of oducts and ideas as will render Continental et will be out a first et out of the Continental by special Currer, prepared from Rainest, or the fourth etorach of the Or, after directions of Farron Lie-tourach of the Or, a products, and ideas as will render Governsland a great centre of attraction, and the from whence knowledge, mechanical ingemanufacturing skill, and artistic power your great, glorious Confederacy. We id, we hope, to become romantically enslic, but if any subject could cause us to no excess, it would be these great Peace Harmony and Progress Congresses, which

g armies useless incumbrances." S ENTITLED TO BOUNTY LAND .- The the Secretary of the Interior, who, if fiving, be entitled to the benefit of the Bounty Law of Sept., 1850, would exceed half a But it is supposed that But it is supposed, that one half are By this estimate, the whole number of will be about two hundred and fifty

IN WESTERN VIRGINIA -The "Re an Advocate," arguing that there is suffi-skreholding in Western Virginia to identify the East in feeling and interest, gives the as from 24 counties lying West the Blue and Alleghany mountains, which have a postation of above 200,000 souls to about 6 slaves. state to every four white persons. LARD, PLASTER, 

REDUCTION OF TOLLS ON THE CAMAL. - We learn from the Cumberland Civilian, knat at the recent meeting of the State's Agent and Board the charge street following sketch of Directors of the Ches peake and Oho Causton the 8th instant, a proposition was reade by the Coal Companies of the Gumberiand region to guarantee the transportation of 200,000 tons of Coal down the canal during the year begining MALLEN, - all the above county. July 1st 1851, and ending July 1st 1863, at a foll most the second ballot, all supposed of 374 cents per ton. The proposition was account to second ballot, all supposed of 374 cents per ton. The proposition was account to second be made. But Mr. cepted, and the arrangements will be immediate.

> PEDESTRIANISM .- A great foot race for \$500 a side, came off at Longmendow, Mass. on the 20th. A vonng Englishman, named Porle, undertook to run 5 miles in 31 minutes-he sucrreded easitrack was muddy. On the 17th he would undertake to do 10 miles in 64 minutes.

More Smugging .- A diamont watch of the value of \$10,000, about to be raffled for at New Orleans, was seized a few days since, le the Custom House office, on the authority of a dispatch from the Collector of New York, stating to Miss LOUIS a V. McRAE, of Fairfax county. that it had been sinuggled into that post.

Tax on NEGRO SELLERS .- There is a proposition before the City conneil of Richmond, Va , to lay heavy taxes on those who are en-Flournov, Speell and R. I. Cocke. gaged in the same of negroes. The estensible temen, who voted for Mr. Parker, object is to increase the city revenues; but the were Messrs Massey of Warren opinion is expressed that the taxes which it is Mack, second daughter of P. McConnick, Esq., aged in contemplation to impose are so large that the trade will be driven away from that market. I trade will be driven away from that market. I trade will be driven away from that market. made they had voted for Mr. Par- siness of buying and selling slaves is estimatended further to support him, they ed to be \$10,000 per year.

ANOTHER STAGE Accident -- We fearn that ANOTHER STAGE Accident — We fear that one of the Stages—an extra—was again upset the law of the land. This discussion, how had the effect of sending the House lar out a hom which they have not get returned the passengers M. S. Rhodeffer, wife of Mr. Wing Rhodeffer, of Mp. distock, had her arm broke, and they will again see land Trannot preciet as they were about to take the fifth ballot a substantial awas made and carried for adjournment.

AN AWFUL TRAGEDY.

ANOTHER STAGE Accident — We fear that one of the Stages—an extra—was again upset to be a fifth ballot a beat Mt. Incheson, on Thursday last. One of the passengers M. S. Rhodeffer, wife of Mr. Wing Rhodeffer, of Mp. Stage fell against the lence, from which a rail was made and carried for adjournment.

AN AWFUL TRAGEDY.

ANOTHER STAGE Accident — We fear that one of the Stages—an extra—was again upset to be a first of December, after a long and painful illness, near Fayette ville, Fayette county, Ind., Mrs. ANN VAIL, consort of Mr. NATHAN VAIL, and formerly of National Asset of the loth of December, after a long and painful illness, near Fayette ville, Fayette county, Ind., Mrs. ANN VAIL, consort of Mr. NATHAN VAIL, and formerly of National Asset of December, after a long and painful illness, near Fayette ville, Fayette county, Ind., Mrs. ANN VAIL, consort of Mr. NATHAN VAIL, and formerly of National Asset of the loth of December, after a long and painful illness, near Fayette ville, Fayette county, Ind., Mrs. ANN VAIL, consort of Mr. NATHAN VAIL, and formerly of National Asset of the loth of December, after a long and painful illness, near Fayette ville, Fayette county, Ind., Mrs. ANN VAIL, consort of Mr. NATHAN VAIL, and formerly of National Asset of the loth of t of the other passengers, we are happy to learn, were injured - Rockingham Register.

March, 1849, reached home on Tuesday 2d inst. very unexpectedly to his friends. He left Sun Francisco on the 5th of October, and was a pasenger on the Ohio, the vessel so near being wrecked. Nothing had been heard here of Mr. Marker since December, 1849, until his arrival. During his stay in California he was engaged in ng, though sick for several months of the Before leaving, however, he was entirely estored to health, and we have never seen him ok better than he does now. He saw none of ose in California, who went from this county, xcept Mr. Jacob Bender, who is doing well .-Mr. Marker was not successful in realizing a ortune, but he got enough of the dust to satisfy him with the trip .- Martinsburg Republican. CRINE IN OHIO -A report of the criminal pros ergums and committals for the year 1850, has been made by the Attorney General of Ohio. In counties there were 2005 prosecutions, which 1273 were convictions. The number of to interrogate the boy again. offences committed under the influence of intox-

icating drinks is 4411. constody, not, how. with list year, were slaughtered, while at almost trons dentale difficulty, by the two every other point there has been a falling off resent, and subscript thy sent to the The deficiency is estimated at 682,000 hegs. on a leace he was immediately ta: though the falling off is principally in the weight. Ice Curring .- The Tautang Ice Company at coring ice, which is cut by sleam machinery. kindway They have secured 6,000 tons, from 120 14 inies in thickness, and expect to secure 20,000

THE PHYSBURG MAYORALTY -The vote at he election for Mayor, at Pittsburg, on Huesday last, stood as tellows: - J. B. Gutheie, remocrat. 3011 instruct, at Claremont, three miles 1.908; John J. Roggen, whig. 1,111; and the Bar- much of Borryville, the following property: ker, the present eccentric incumbent, 4:174. THE WEALTHIEST MAN IN GEORGE .- Gen

Harrieli II. Thever, of Two ras county, thorras, be said to be the wealthle amon in the State. acres of land, divided into ten plantations, in This. McCormick's fine Buck. Twiggs, Pula-lai, Houston and Baker counties. vielding two this sand bales of cotton annually. At 12 cents per pound his crop will bring \$108, ioo. He recently added to his estate a tract of 2 350 acres, in Barke county, purchased at \$15 75 per acre, or for \$37,000.

Miscellancous Notices.

RELIGIOUS NOTICE. Py Divine Permission, the Rev. J. O. Miller, of the Referred by willing to leave the Chin. Referred Chuch, will hold a Protracted Meeting in Middleway, come using on Friday evening acts, 24th

FROM THE BOSTON CHRONOTUPE Consumption prevails as matters a e, and licks off the or all, some colorly could be found, it best and or trest of us, in our prime. In this state of the upper some part of the American things we mist do the best we can, to piece and patch up the web of life, with journeys, voyages, and raddicines.
The subject is one of great SAM OF WHO CHERRY is what we light recommend. We have in our office a living proof if its efficalo g ago. The inventor of this medicine, Ibr. WISTAR, present year. was a man of science, of humanity, and and n tedly pre-pared the remedy in its best form, and the public may rely upon Mr. Fowlef or the genuine article

TO FAMILIES. From the great usefulness of this medicine the propri tor would-respectfully recommend it as a general FAMI-LY MEDICINE, and advise every family to keep it constantly by their, as it will not only be found much superior to the Cough Mixtures in common we but like-wise much more safe for either children or adalts.

ALSO. as from Europe will visit this country been well tested in all the complaints for which it is recommended. It is not my intention, therefore, either to eloak it in mystery, or in any way deceive the public by overrating its virtues; on the contrary, 1 stell s mply endeavor to give a brief statement of its useful cess, and flater myself that its surprising efficacy will enable me to furnish proofs of its virtues, as will satisfy the most

place of holding it, New York, and the cation there, (Gevernor's Island,) are for sale by L. M. SMITH & CO., Csarlestowa, ere by all who know anything about HENRY S. FORNEY, Shepherdstown, and JOSEPH G. HAYS, Harpers-Ferry.

And by Druggists generally throughout the United None genuine, unless signed I. BUTTS on the wrap

ANOTHER SCIENTIFIC WONDER!

The Markets.

BALTIMORE MARKET.

From the Baltimore Sun of Monday The Flour, under the European advices, is righter qualitation of Howard street are asking 84 5E, with Nothing doing in City alills; the last finding buyers. Nothing doing in City alids; the last sales were at \$4.56\frac{1}{2}. Wheat quiet; small sales of good to prince red at 1 at 1 05, and family flour white 1 06 a \$1 15.

Sales of white 1 orn at 63 a 64 and yellow 28 a 59 cts. parried out with a proper spirit, and with. e success, do much towards rendering Oats 49 a 49 cents.

The sales of Coffee during the week, amount to some 500 bags Rio, at 111 to 117 ets. Holders are firm at

Winchester Market.

For the Week ending Jan. 16, 1851.

CORRECTED WELL	LY BY S. HARTLEY	T. THE DEPOT.	
Articles.	Wagon Price.	Store Price.	
BACON,	61 a 07	07 a   68	
FLOUR, FLAXSEED.	406 a 412	4.50 a 475	
FEATHERS,	30 a 32	87 a 40	ŧ,
GRAIN-Wheat,	80 a 055	87 a 092 45 a 50	98
Com	100 a 45	59 a 00	
Rye,	65 2 7	80 a 85	
DARP)	000 - 000	3.50 a 00	16

MARIHAGES.

iOn Tuesday morning last, in Berryville, Clarke co., by the Rev. Mr. Peraikin, Mr. CHARLES CASTLE HAN to Miss MARLA J. ISLER, daughter of Col. Jacos Inn., all of Clarke county.

At Mc. John Kenchivil's, in Washington county, At Halsborn' Loudoun-county, on Thursday evening last, by he Rev. Mr. Chennowith, Mr. ISAIAH H. CEORGE, of this town, to Miss SARAH F. LEACH, the former place.

On the 9 h in t., by the Rev. Joseph Baker, Mr. NA. POLEON J. BUCK of Morgan County, and Miss MA. BY M. FAHNESTOCK, of Frederick county. At the Episcotal Church in Winch ster, on Tuesday 13th inst., by Key. Cornelius Walker, Mr. 210SES MYERS, of Norfolk, and Miss JULIA G., eldest daugh. ly, and had 40 seconds to spare, although the tex of the Hon. R. W. Barros of Bartonsville, Frede

On the 8th inst, at the Meth dist Episcopal Church, in Jefferson, by the Rev. Mr. Brooke, Mr. HENRY N. EFCHISON to Miss SARAH L. BOTELER—both of Frederick county. On the 9th inct., in the Chapel of the Theological Syminary of Virginia, by the Rev. W.M. F. LOCKWOOD, Mr. ALBERT C. GARDINER, of Alexandria county, On the 10th inst., by R.v. Mr. Chenowith, Mr. FRANCIS M. FRADFIELD, of Snickersville, to Miss ELIZABETH REEN, of Clarke county, Va.

DEATHS. At the sesidence of her father in Clarke county; on the

ederick c untv. Va., in her 60th year, Mrs ANN T. ITE, widow of the late Major ISAAC HITE, of the American Revolution

Apperican Revolution

In Sacramenta city, California, of cholera, on the 3fst of October, 1550, SIDNEY H. SHAW, from N. Albany, la., formerly a resident of Leesburg, Va., in the 41st per of his age.

David SeliGLE.

Harpers Ferry, Jan. 21, 4851—3t.

1550, GEORGE PRICE, Esq., of the county of Page, in the toth year of his age. As a man, Mr. Price was esteemed and respected by all who knew him. As a Magistrate, with which trust he had been long honored, RETURN OF MR. MARKER.—Mr. Danie! Mar- accommodating - As a mester, he was kind and lier, of this place, who left for California, in pent. As a father and husband, he was fond and affectionate. Calified by nature with strong mental powers, it was his extreme diffidence and retiring modesty alone ers. near the Bridges also the Serve Description that prevented his taking a more active part in the busy nes of life. His strict honesty and just dealings with Pillow men, commanded their highest admiration. that it was in the domestic circle, that his virtues shon brightest, for never were children more devoted y at-tioned to a father. His dea h has created in the bosom of a bereaved fami y a "void that time can never fill."-With calmness and resignation his spirit winged its flight to a purer and better world. "Requiescat in pice." Jan. 18, 1851.

> PUBLIC SALE. ILL be so'd, on Thursday, the 13th day of February next, at my resi-

> dence near Berryville; in Clarke county, the fol-Three Horses, Milch Cows and Stock Cattle, ONE BUGGY AND HARNESS, PARALING TIEMSELS. HOUSEHOLD AND RITCHEN

> > FURNITURE,

With many other articles unnecessary to parti Terms: A credit of six months will be given proved security. No property to be removed until the terms of sale are complied with. Ewill-sell at the same time and place, 75 barwindleld, Mass., have 100 men engaged in se- rels of CORN, when the terms will be made tain purposes therein specified, I shall offer at THOS. HARRIS. Zannary 21, 1851.—14\*

PUBLIC SALE. AVING rented my Farm, I will offer at perty of said Reid, dec'd. public auction, on Thursday the 6 head valuable Work Horses, (all young;)

I first rate R ding Horse A rears old : Colis 25 hear Stock Cattle; Wyoke of Oven 4 Milch Cows ; 59 head Improved Sheep, among which will be le owns a thousand negroes, and fity thousand found some very fine Ewes with Lamb by Mr. 18 or 20 head of Stock Hogs. Also-

FARMING UTENSILS, Consisting of Wagons, Ploughs, Harness, &c. ALSO,

HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE.

To rether with 100 bbls. Corn ; 10 tons Timothy It'y; 100 acres Wheat in the ground; 6 set Ibs. first rate Licon, and many other articles not necessary to mention. Terms : A gredit until the first day of January next will be given on all sums of Ten Dollars and upwards, the purchaser giving bond with approved security-under that sum Cash. No property moved watil the terms of sale are complied JOHN W. LUKE. J. W. McGINNIS, Auctioneer

January 21, 1851. N. B. I shall also hire my Servants, consisting of Men, Women, Boys and Girls, for the

On WEDNESDAY, 5th of next month ( Febwary.) at "Traveller's Rest," the late residence the said James W. Strider, I will sell for About 30 head Milch Cows and Stock Cattle; 40 head of Sheep; about 30 head of Hogs; 2 Road Wagons; 1 Cart; Carriage and Harness; 1 Thrashing Machine; Ba hear and Shovel Ploughs; Har-

&c. A lot of Hay; Corn by the barrel. ALSO -A variety of Household Furniture, AND RITCHEN UTENSILS.

Sideboards, Bureaus, Tables, Chairs, Beda variety of handsome Glass Ware; and a Library of Miscellaneous Books. Also, from 2,000 to 3,000 bushels of Wheat, No property to be removed until the terms of the sale are complied with. THOS. RUTHERFORD, D. S.

Jan. 21, 1851. HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE. OFFER for sale, my HOUSE AND LOT at Duffield's Depot, in this county. The Lot column. intains about three acres, of good and fertile shil. The House is new, with two stories and a asement, well finished and in good order. Persans wishing to purchase, can in my absence apmy to James Burr or Col. Robert Lucas. DAVID SHIRLEY. Duffield's Depot, Jan. 21, 1851-3t.

NOTICE. LL persons having claims against the estate of the late Wm. Osbourn, dec'd, are recoested to present them properly authenticated for settlement. All persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate, either by note or open account, are requested to come forward and settle op immediately as there can be no longer indulence given..

JAMES A. OSBOURN Administrator of Wm. Osbourn, dec'd. UST received, "SHARRONDALE," by Mr. Southworth, and "WUMA'S RECOMPERSE,

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DAGUERREOTYPE MINIATURES

DEPERATORIES

triends, or copies from Portraits, Miniatures, printings or statuary, are invited to his specimens. Instructions given, and Apparatus, Chemicals, and Materials furnished. Miniatures are taken in all kinds of weather. Charlestown, Jan 21, 1851 .- 5:\*.

Selling off at Cost, READY-MADE CLOTHING. INTENDING to close business at this place. the subscriber will sell his entire stock of Ready-Made Clothing,

AT COST, FOR CASH. His stock embraces one of the best assortments of READY-MADE CLOTHING, ever off red to the public; consisting of Dress Coats, Frock Coats, Over Coats, Sack Over Coats, Sack Coats, Cloaks; a large lot of Fall and WINTER VESTS, such as satin, silk, relentia, cloths, &c.; Paxts of all qualities, colors and sizes; with many other articles not necessary to enumerate.

P. S. All those indebted to the subscriber will be expected to make settlement without delay, as his business must be closed. Cost may be saved by giving attention to this notice.

Tavern Stand And other Property for Rent. THE Virginia and Maryland Bridge Company offer to rent, from the 1st day of April ers, near the Bridge; also the STENE DWELLING in the occupation of Mr. George Entler, and the small Dwelling between the other two buildings, together with about twelve Acres of Land immediately on the Canal, five or six acres of which are well set in timethy. This affords one of the best situations for a lumber and coal yard on the

Also, the Brick Warehouse, at present n possession of Mr. Moore, on the Virginia bank For TERMs, apply to the subscriber. E. I. LEE. Pres't Va. G. Md. Bridge Co.

Free Press and Hagerstown Torch Light copy BLACKSMITH WANTED. TITLE subscriber wishes to employ, immediate-IV. a good JOURNEYMAN BLACKSMITH to whom constant work and liberal wages will be given. . My Shop is at Myerstown, Jefferson JOSEPH MYERS. Jan. 21, 1851.

Lancaster Intelligencer and Rockingham Re gister requested to copy 3t. on all sums over ten dollars, with bond and ap. HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE. Y virtue of a Deed of Trust executed to the D undersigned, by Wm. Reide dec'd, for cerpublic sale, on MONDAY the 17th day of February next. (Court Day.) for cash, the small Brick House, near the Charlestown Depot, with about half

Charlestown Depot, with about half BOBERT LUCAS, Jan 21, 1851. Talentines .--- Just received a fine assort-

ment of Valentines. For sale by LEN. STORE HOUSE FOR RENT. NTENDING to remove my Store to the West end of the Market House on the 1st of April next, the Stone House now occupied by me, will be FOR RENT. Possession given on the 1st day of April. It is one of the best stands in town

Apply to THOS. RAWLINS. Charlestown, Dec. 10, 1850. FOR HIRE. A FIRST RATE House Servant for Hire. Jan. 14, 1851-3t. R. H. BUTCHER.

Warron Harness; 1 Carriage and Harness; 3000 HOUSES AND LOTS FOR RENT. Jan. 14, 1851-3t.

To Contractors for Public Work. THE subscriber wishes to contract with some person or persons, to clear the boat way

JAS. CASTLEMAN. Pres't of the Shenandoah Steamboat Co. January 14, 1851. The newspapers generally are requested to

give the above a place in their papers for eight or ten times free of charge, as the Shenandoah river improvement is of great importance to the people of the Valley of Virginia—to the people of Baltimore—to the Baltimore and Ohio Railrows; Wheat Fans; 1 Roller; Wagon Gears, timber and other materials they use up said river, which if improved would enable the Government o procure more material and at reduced prices. to wit: timber, fron, copper, coal, &c., for the mountains and country generally abound with the foregoing articles. There is nothing wanted which I expect will be threshed, cleaned and but a little money and energy to make the Shenready for delivery on the day of sale. If, how-ever, from any cause, the Wheat should not be of Virginia, as well as to the public works at all threshed that portion of it remaining in Harpers-Ferry. It is the natural way to market the straw, will be sold in that way, by the for all the produce of the valley, and all the min bashel, the surchaser to thresh it at his own erals, to which there is no end, such as iron, copper, coal, manganese, zinc, &c.

chants and Dealers in general, to my stock of SEGARS and TOAACCO, which will be sold at Baltimore prices. See advertisement in another GEO. W. SWEITZER, Charlestown, Va.

Skates. Just received another lot of Patent Skates, a new and first rate article, and very T. RAWLINS. January 14, 1851.

To Excuse for Bad Bread. ....Jus received another lot of "Infallable Yeast Powder," an article that we have fully tested and can highly recommend. For sale by
January 14, 1851. T. RAWLINS. January 14, 1851. Soaps.—Christaline, Military, and other Fancy Soaps. Also, gennine Castile Soap.

Just received by T. RAWLINS. January 14, 1851.

A loums, Port-Felios. Just received a fine assortment of Albums, Port-Folios, and Stationery at the Drug and Book Store of January 14. L. M. SMITH & CO. Cod Liver Oil.—Just received a large supply of Rushton's God Liver Oil. For L. M. SMITH & CO. Charlestown, Jan. 7, 1851.

NOTICE.

TAKEN BY

E. J. E VANS,

IN the Room above the Market House, former.
I by occupied by Mr. Yansatt, where he will I have relinquished my Professorship in the Wintermain a short time, for the purpose of taking speaker Medical College, as also all other engagements not strictly connected with my proby the Improved Daguerread Process. The attention of all persons interested in procuring Solved hereafter to exercise all my energies solely Light street, Baltimore, Md.

Daguerread Process. The attention of all persons interested in procuring Solved hereafter to exercise all my energies solely Light street, Baltimore, Md. for the benefit of those who may entrust their delicate health at their residences, and neatly set them in Cases, Lockete, Pins or Frames.

Instructions given, and Apparatus. Chemicals xpense and trouble of a new supply, by returnng them. JOHN J H. STRABTH. N. B. Those with whom I have unsettled acounts, would conduce very much to my interes by coming to a settlement at once.
January 14, 1851.

New and Chesp Goods. TOUN RASMITH & JOHN B. GORRELL. having associated together in the Mercantile business at Lectown, Va., respectfully announce to the public, that they have now on hand their | do. 20th 51 second supply of FALL AND WINTER GOODS,

consisting of every article generally found in a country store. We respectfully invite one and all to call and examine for themselves, as we are determined to make quick sales and small profits. J. R. SMITH. J. B. GORRELL.

Leetown, Jan. 14, 1851. STRAY YEARLING. CAME to the farm of the subscriber, about the iniddle of November, a Stray Yearling, red spotted, without ear marks. The owner is reuested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take it away. JOHN W. GARDNER.

Jan. 14, 1851 .- 3t.



IN QUART BOTTLES. FOR THE REMOVAL AND PERMA-NENT CURE OF ALL DISEASES
ARISING FROM AN IMPURE
STATE OF THE BLOOD OR
HABIT OF THE EYS-

TEM, VIZ: Scrofula or King's Evil, Rheumatism, Obstinate Cutaneous Eruptions, Pimples or Pus-tules on the Face, Blotches, Bues, Chronic Tickets, Sore Eyes, Ring Worm or Tetter, Scald Head. Enlargement and Pain of the Bones and Joints, Stubborn Ulvers, Syphilitic Symptoms, Sciali ca or Lumbago, and Diseases arising from an this Preparation.

works proclaim its poyer—that mute elogrence so relief has been answered. Industries of cases of disease have been cured by this invaluable medicine, such as are not furnished in the revords of time. such as are not furnished in the revords of time.—
These things are not done in secret places, or in some unknown town, but are performed in our principal cities and public places. They are brought before the world to substantiate, beyond doubt, the healing virtues of this preparation; and the facts unfolded, although gigantic, are as plain as the light of day.

The Sarsaparilla is combined with the most effective the most effe when disease is s-ated in the frame, and carrying fast its victim along the path of life, then its mysterious influence is felt and seen; it enkindles new life and vigor, and brings health and strength to the suffering and diseased.

County or those adjoining, are solicited to give us a trial, as our terms are moderate, and satisfaction guarantied.

SCROFULOUS AFFECTION OF THE EYES. WINCHESTER, Ky., Oct. 29, 1849. ing the river and all places that may want any blindness seemed to be his fate. Three bottles entirely blindness seemed to be his fate. restored his sight and we cannot but recommend all similarly afflicted to use Sands Sarsaparilla.

Yours truly, EENJ. F. BUCKNER.

ITS POPULARITY ABROAD. FROM SOUTH AMERICA.

Maracaibo, Venezuela, April 12, 1819. Messrs, Sanns-Gentlemen : I consider it a duty due of Baltimore—to the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company and the Chesapeake and Ohio
Canal—also to Georgetown and Alexandria. It
is also of great importance to the General Gov
ernment to have the Shenandoah river improved
on account of the public works at Harpers-Ferry.

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The General Gov
on the public to make known the great benefit I have received from using your valuable. Sarsaparilla. About
three years since I was attacked with Khehmatism in
my shoulders, and also in my leg, and so severe was the
medicines I could hear of without receiving any benefit, until through the advice of a friend I procured some for the Government gets a great portion of the of your Sarsaparilla, and after using four bottles in the timber and other materials they use up said river, course of fifteen days, I found myself entirely well. have no hesitation in saying your Sarsaparilla is the best medicine I ever took, and can confidently recommend it to my friends and the public.

Your ob'dt. serv't,

J. M. JESURUN. Here is another, nearer home :

New York, Jan. 8, 1850. Messra. Sanns-Gentlemen: I have great pleasure

Very gratefully tours, S. E. SEYMORE. PREPARED and Sold Wholesale and Retail by A. B. & D. SANDS. Druggists and Chemists, 100 Fulton st., corner of William, New York, Sold also by Druggists generally throughout the United States and Canadas.

PRICE \$1 A BOTTLE, 6 BOTTLES \$5.

AND FOR SALE BY L. M. Sarra & Co., Charlestown.

January 14, 1851. OPPUCK'S White Toilet and Carbonatic

JOHN C. HAMMITT & CO.,

Lottery and Exchange Brokers. Ap. 13 Light st., Baltimore, Md. ROM our known celebrity for luck, it is only necessary to make it known to adventures in Lotteries, where the most probable chance of success can be found; it is at our Office, No 13

Look below at the beautiful Lotteries to be lives to my professional care, and hope that any drawn this month. No order sent to us has ever loss of practice I may have sustained from the been known to mis carry. So be up and ordering

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do. 24th 46 9,000, 3 914, 2,000 Tickets. Pack's. 1. 000, 6,000, 3,000 de. 25th 47 3 899, 3 of 1,000 D - 80,000, 40,000, 20,000 32do. 27th 48 10,000, 5,000 4 3 of 15,000, 3 of 3,000 2 50 32 do. 28th 49 4,000, 1,355, 1 000 29th 50 4,000, 1,611, 300 40,000, 12,497 5 of 1,700 18 000, 9 000 9 000, 3 000 24,000, 4 of 5,500 do. 31st 52

The names of correspondents are never re-The State of Maryland, as well as the Mans. gers, are responsible for the payment of all Prizes we are particular in sending the Printed Drawings, the same day as drawn, to all who buy For a Fortune, or at least a good Prize,
Address JOHN C. HAMMITT & CO.,
No 18 Light st., Ballimore, Md.

Baltimore, Dec. 31, 1850. M. ANSEL & CO., Exchange and Lottery Brokers,

Corner of Baltimore and Light St. WISHING each and every one a happy New Year, we present to our Virginia friends the following splendid Lotteries, to be drawn in January, 1851, those who want a good prize will please send their orders in time. The following otteries will be drawn in January : Qr. Pack's. Capital. Tickets.

-25,000 9,000 15,000 10.000 3 of 15 000 4,000 24,000 4,000 40,000 5,000 18,000 9,000 24,000 Jan. 25th will be drawn GRAND CONSOLIDATED LOTTERY

CAPITAL PRIZE, 40.000 20,000 5.000 16 78 number and 20 drawn. 332 | Quarters 16 Eighths, Halves. Package of Whole Tickets \$480-Halves 240-Quarters 140-Eighths 70.

During the year 1850 our luck in selling large son county, Va. injudicious alse of Mercury, Ascites or Dropsy,
Exposure or Imprudence in Life. Also, Chro.
nic Constitutional Disorders will be removed by.

1851 we predict a rich harvest for our customers. therefore we advise you to send XX or an X or A MONG the many and important discoveries of this generation is one whose fame will be written, as with a simbeam, in the memory of the past. SANDS' SARSAPARILLA stands forth alone, and by itsown.

IFAII correspondence confidential.

IFAII prizes cashed at sight in Gold or Bank-

M. ANSEL & CO. Dec. 31, 1850.

MEW CONCERN.

Blacksmithing in Charlestown. THE undersigned have formed a co partner-The Sarsaparilla is combined with the most effectual aids; the most salutary productions, the most potent simples of the vegetable kingdom; and its unprecedented success in the restoration to health of those who had long pined under the most distressing chronic maladies, has given it an exalled character—furnishing as it does; evidence of its own intrinsic value, and recommending it to the afflicted in terms the afflicted best manner, every description of work pertaining to their business, and they most respectfully stand of Thomas Rawlins in Charlestown, They are prepared to execute at short notice and in the Jan. 14. 1851—3t. R. H. BUTCHER.

HOUSES AND LOTS FOR RENT.

HAVE for Rent three Houses and Lots, at Duffield's Depot, possession of two of which will be given immediately, and of the other on the 1st day of April next. The stand would be an advantageous one for a good Boot and Shoe Maker.

RICHARD DUFFIELD.

Commending it to the afflicted in terms the afflicted in

JOHN P. HILL. January 14, 1851.-3m

SHERIFF'S SALE.

A. B. & D. Sands—Gentlemen: I would not have down to first of the Court.

WILL be sold, for Cash, in front of the Court.

House door of Jeff-rson county, on MON.

House door of Jeff-rson county, on MON.

Work Horses: 1 Riding Horse, and 5 Colts; the property of the late James, W. Strider, to on the subscriber, at Castleman's Work will call the property of the late James, W. Strider, to on the subscriber, at Castleman's Work of the Shenan.

A. B. & D. Sands—Gentlemen: I would not have presumed to write to you, if it was not my dary to let the property of the salmost mirrareulous effect your Sarding the presumed to write to you, if it was not my dary to let the property of the salmost mirrareulous effect your Sarding the presumed to write to you, if it was not my dary to let the property of the salmost mirrareulous effect your Sarding the presumed to write to you, if it was not my dary to let the property of the salmost mirrareulous effect your Sarding the presumed to write to you, if it was not my dary to let the property of the salmost mirrareulous effect your Sarding the presumed to write to you, if it was not my dary to let the public know the almost mirrareulous effect your Sarding the presumed to write to you, if it was not my dary to let the public know the almost mirrareulous effect your Sarding the presumed to write to you, if it was not my dary to let the public know the almost mirrareulous effect your Sarding the presumed to write to you, if it was not my dary to let the public know the almost mirrareulous effect your Sarding the presumed to write to you, if it was not my dary to let the public know the almost mirrareulous effect your Sarding the presumed to write to you, if it was not my dary to let the public know the almost mirrareulous effect your Sarding the presumed to write to you, if it was not my dary to let the public know the almost mirrareulous effect your Sarding the presumed to write to you, if it was not my dary to let the public know the almost mirrareulous effect your Work Horses: 1 Riding Horse, and 5 Colts; person wishing to undertake the work will call two bottles was entirely cured. I must also tell you of another was afflicted with the property of the late James, W. Strider, to strickly Executions in my hands against him.

In the late of the use of your Sarsaparilla, and after taking two bottles was entirely cured. I must also tell you of another wonderful cure. My brother was afflicted with the interest of his friends and customers for the county, Virginia, who will take pleasure in showny new ones. Those indebted, are requested to come forward and settle, as he desires to close up his business to this date.

January 14, 1851. BLACKSHITH WANTED. ANTED, immediately, a first-rate Journey man Blacksmith of soher and industrious habits-to whom constant employment and liberal wages will be given.

JAMES E. MOLER.

D. P. 31. Charlestown, Jan. 7, 1851 .- F. P. 31.

Offal for Sale. HAVE for sale at the Charlestown Depot, a large supply of the very best OFFAL. Dec. 17, 1850. V. W. MOORE. Hiring Bonds,

FOR Servants, just printed and for sale at Dec. 24. THIS OFFICE. Ethereal Oil and Lamps. DARLOR, Table and Night Lamps-Glass and Britannia. For sale by
Dec. 24; GEO. W. SWEITZER.

Stoves, Grates, &c.—TEN-PLATE and Air-tight Stoves; also, one second handed Radiator, nearly new; two small size second handed Grates, for sale very cheap; also, Portable Grates, for burning coal or wood, or coal and wood together; Fire Carriers, Coal Sieves and Hods. KEYES & KEARSLEY. Hods. Tew Crop N. O. Sugara-We have

I just received a supply of bright New Or-leans Sugar; also prime New Orleans Molasses, of the first runnings.

Dec. 31.

KEYES & KEARSLEY. For Coughs, Colds, &c. JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT; Louden's do.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral; Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry; Henisler's Cough Syrup; Keeler's do. do. Fitch's Pulmonary Balsam;

Duncan's Expectorant;
Wistar's Lozenges;
Parrett's Cough Candy.
These are the best remulies in use for the ief of Coughis, Colds, &c. For sale by Jan. 14, 1851. L. M. SMITH & CO.

AUCTION SALES

A Valuable Farm for Sale.

Will be sold, on Tuesday, the first day of April next, the TRACT OF LAND formerly owned by John T. A. Washington, deceased, and now in the possession of Mr. Joseph Kanode as tenant, lying in Jefferson conty, Virginia, upon the Bull-Skin Run, about five miles south of Charlestown, and immediately up-on the main road leading to Berryville, containing 256 ACRES

Run affords a constant supply of running water at the north end of the farm, through a portion of which it passes. The title to the Land is indisputable.

Terms: One-third in hand, the balance in one, two, and three years, with interest on the deferred payments from the day of the sale, and title withheld until last payment be made. Imme-Jan 7. 1851. THE DEVISEES.

Town Property for Sale.

DESTROUS of making other investments, I Store-House, Dwelling-House, Lot and appurtenances thereto attached, now in my occupancy on Main street, Charlestown. Its location is one of the most desirable in the town, being equated in the most central and business part of the place. The Store Room is of fine size, and mell adapted to any description of business.— The Dwelling House is commodious enough for a large family, and is in complete repair, throughont. There is a fine Cistern, Smoke House Stable, Kitchen, &c. attached, all of which can be obtained on reasonable terms. Early applica-

Jan 14, 1851-3. OHIO LAND FOR SALE.

WM. R. RAUM.

J OFFER for sale, a small Farm in Clermont L county, Ohio, containing a little upwards of One Hundred Acres, within 2 miles of Batavia, the county seat of Clermont, and about 20 miles from Cincinnatiimmediately upon the plank road, leading from 17 50 Chilicothe to Cincinnati, and within a few miles

of the Railroad from the latter place to Columbus. Further particulars and information given, on application to the subscriber, Hving in Charlestown, Jefferson county, Va., or to Richard H. 8 00 RANSON, Esq , of Cincinnati. 17 59 JAMES L. RANSON.

May 7, 1850-tf. -ALINU-My House and Lot in Charles town, now being thoroughly repaired and improved. Also, one-fourth of the "PIEDMONT FARM"-situated one and a half miles from Charlestown, the Winchester and Potomac Railroad and Harpers-Ferry, Charlestown and Smith-field Turnpike, passing by and through the farm. This land has been divided and can be now traced by metes and bounds. Possession can be given on 1st April next.

TERMS liberal. Apply by letter, post-paid, of in person to the subscriber at Charlestown, Jeffer-JAMES L. RANSON. -December 24, 1850-1f

FOR SALE.

THE undersigned has for sale, for cash; or on a credit of 3 or 6 months, his Office Furniture, consisting of-

A good ten plate Stove, Chairs; Shovel & Tongs, Andirons, Coal Bucket, &c. A. J. O'BANNON. Nov. 5. N. B. Persons desirous of purchasing in my absence will apply to Geo. W. Sappington of JAMES W. BEDLER.

NOTICE. THE Partnership heretofore existing between John R. Smith and S. H. Mantin, at Leetown, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. JOHN R. SMITH. B. H. MARTIN

January 1, (7) 1851-1m. PUMP MAKING. To the People of Jefferson, Clarke and Loudonn. PERSONS in want of Prairs, made in the best manner, and on the most accommodat-

ing terms, will do well to give the subscriber & call. He will insure all new work done by him. and no money will be exacted until all pumps are tested theroughly. PIPE LAYING and REPAIRING done at the shortest notice. For repairing the cash will be required; but for all new work a liberal credit will be given. All communications addressed to the subscriber at Berryville, Clarke county, Va.,

will be promptly attended to.
THOMAS J. BRAGG.
Jan. 7, 1851-3m.

FOR RENT, A WAGON-MAKER SHOP, with a convenient dwelling house, and all necessary outbuildings. The stand having the advantage of a Blacksmith Shop, and being located in a fine neighborhood for business, may be considered one of the best in the county. From a good workman, coming well recommended for sober, steady and industrious habits, a reasonable rent will be taken. A JOURNEYMAN would find immediate employment. Letters directed (post-paid) to GEO. W. Eichelberger, Charlestown, Jefferson co., Va. Jan. 7, 1851-Free Press copy.

CASH FOR NEGROES. AM desirons to purchase a large number of NEGROES for the Southern markets, men, women, boys, girls and families, for which I will give the highest each prices.

Persons having slaves to sell will please inform me personally, or by letter at Martinsburg, which will receive prempt attention; or B. M. & W. I. Campbell, No. 242, West Pratt arrest, Baltimore.

EllJAH McDOWELL, Agent of B. M. & W. L. Campbell. Martinsburg, July 30; 1850-1y.

Groceries. A TARGE supply of Groceries, just received and for sale as low as they can be bought in the county: CRANE & BROWN. December 19, 1859.

CRANE & BROWN have just returned from Baltimore with a new supply of Winter Goods, to which they invite the attention of the

Gum-Elastie Goods. INDIA Rubber Capes and Clocks; Men's and Ludies' Shoes and Boots; India ribber Cloth; for sale by CRANE & BROWN.

December 10, 1850. PEFINED Salipetre, Cayenne Pepper, Ameri-can and African; Alspice, Coriander Seed, Sage, Black Pepper, and all other preparations for seasoning Pork, for sale by L. M. SMITH & CO. Dec. 17. Tresh Fruits. - We have just received a

Lemons, Prunes, (in jars and boxes.) Figs. Raisins, (in 1, 1 and whole boxes.) Currants. Almords, &c. KEYES & KEARSLEY. Dura Fur Muffs, Victorines, Cuffs, Glove Dec. 31. KEYES & KEARSLEY.

Harper's Magazine for Januar just received at the Drog and Book stor of L. M. SMITH & CO. Charlestown, Jan. 7, 1851.

Matches, Wholesale and Retail, hy Jan. 14. GEO. W. SWEITZE

Messra. Sanss—Gentlemen: I have great pleasure in acknowledging to you the great benefit I have received from the use of your Sarsaparilla. A subject of pulmonary disease, I made a voyage to Europe, but in all the produce of the valley, and all the miner rails, to which there is no end, such as iron, coper, coal, manganese, zinc, &c.

A FRIEND TO THE RIVER IMPROVEMENT.

Segars and Tobacco.

WOULD call the attention of Country Merchants and Dealers in general to my steel of the lungs, and Dealers in general to my steel of the lungs are proved to good health as the produce of the lungs and Dealers in general to my steel of the lungs are proved to good health as the provention of Country Merchants and Dealers in general to my steel of the lungs are proved to good health as the provention of the lungs are proved to good health as the provent

L. P. HARTMAN, Winchester. Jad. 14, 1851-3ms. Sieves. -- Chverseed and Meal Sieves, just T. RAWLINS.

Olean Scap, for sale by Dec 21. GBO. W. SWEITZER. Bath Brick. POR cleaning knives and forks, for sale by Dec. 31. KEYES & KEARSLEY. Baltimore Trade.

BALTIMORE

PIANO FORTE MANUFACTORY.

Baltimore, July 16, 1856-6m.

tured to order.

PARLOR GRATES,

\*Elastic, because the keys recover their quisent place in times equal to the displacing; Universal, because the same instrument may be instantly altered to any degree hard or soft touch, so that ten thousand or more perform-ers, all different, may each find the touch they prefer.

E. S. FRYER'S

LOOKING GLASS DEPOT & FRAME

Manufactory,

No. 1, North Gay Street, Baltimore, Md.

Country Merchants and all others who pur-

HAYWARD & DUKE,

PROPRIETORS OF THE

BALTIMORE STOVE HOUSE,

and Manufacturers of

-ALSO-

Mott's Agricultural Boilers,

of all sizes.

HATS AND CAPS.

J. L. McPHAIL & BROTHER,

132 BALTIMORE STREET,

McINTOSH'S

WHEATFIELD HOTEL,

way comfortable and pleasant. Being

JOHN McINTOSH.

thankful for the liberal encouragement heretofore

bestowed on his house, he pledges himself to use

his utmost efforts to please all who may patron-

TO THE FARMERS

VALLEY OF VIRGINIA.

form the Farmers of Virginia that they have

SHIP'S CAMBOOSE.

The above Camboose has been examined by

and recommended by them to be one of the best

articles that can be put into the hands of negro

cooks, owing to its strength and durability. It

has two distinct ovens, and every other conve-

nience for cooking at one and the same time, su-

We have furnished the Navy with quite a large

kind ever furnished before for Ship's use-hence

they are better fitted for country use than any

Any orders left with H. L EBY & SON

Charlestown, will be duly and promptly attended

MARBLE YARD.

Italian Marble Statuary for halls, gardens and

lawns, and every other description of Marble work.

REFERENCES.

Hargerstown, Mc., Oct. 8, 1850.

Dr. G. F. MASON, JAMES W. BELLER, Esq., Dr. WM. F. ALEXANDER.

EDWARD R. TIERNEY, MICHAEL PRICE, Agent.

JAMES SHEPHERD, Esq.

alling on our agents, Messrs. Keyes, who will keep them on hand, and

VARD, BARTLETT & CO.

in and Fine Salt, for sale at

KEYES & KEARSLEY.

HAYWARD & DUKE,

No. 39 Light st., Baltimore, Md

Baltimore Store House,

Satisfaction guarantied in all cases.

use of the Navy, and is called a

perior to any stove now in use.

other Stove.

Dec. 31, 1850-3m

Harpers-Ferry,

ashions of articles in our line.

Baltimore, Sept. 17, 1850.

Warehouse, No. 39, Light Street,

| Ship's Cabooses, of all

SHIP PLUMBING,

sizes, and paterns.

COPPER and TIN WARE

To strike a foe, whose mask's a "Boot." As dark as Envy's pale—
Whose mask but hides the CLOVEN-FOOT,
But cannot hide the TAIL.

Persuades himself, (a bard, and worse, A Lawyer most profound,)
To parody my humble verse—
Ah! "Boots," Too NEAR THE GROUND. A parody, "God save the mark,"

And save the author too,
Till Barnum comes to buy "the lark," SUCH MED ATE PASSING FEW. Then bank, then envious critic bank, And slam thy Office doors. For ake the critic's jey track, And coll spon thy floor;

Or else anmask'd thy arrows shoot, And show the lion's crest; Perchance the author in the "Boot" Is puppy at the best.

The more we strike the more he'll pelp And muffl'd in the dark, May pipe his feilow-pups to help— The pack can only bark.

ALPHONZO. TTON, Jan. 14, 1851. I OWE NO MAN A DOLLAR. BT CHARLES P. SHIRAS.

Oh, do not envy, my own dear wife,
The wealth of our next door neighbor.
But bid me still to be stout of heart,
And cheerfully follow my labor.
You must know the last of those little debts
That have been our linearing.

That have been our lingering sorrow,
Is paid this night! So we'll both go forth,
With happier hearts to-morrow.
Oh, the debtor is but a shame-faced dog,
With the creditor's name on his collar;
While I'm a king and you are a queen,
For we owe no man a dollar! Our neighbor you saw in his coach to-day,

With his wife and his flaunting daughter While we sat down at our coverless board To a crust and a cup of water. I saw that the tear-drop stood in your eye, Though you tried your best to conceal it-I knew that the contrast reached your heart.

And you could not help but feel it;

But knowing now that our scanty fare
Has freed my neck from the collar,
You'll join my laugh, and help me shout
That we owe no man a dollar! This neighbor, whose show has dazzled your ey

In fact is a wrotched debtor;

I pity him oft from my very heart,
And wish that his lot were better Why, the man is the veriest slave ative,
For his dashing wife and daughter
Will live in style though ruin should comeSo he goes like a lamb to the slaughter;
But he feels it the tighter every day,

That terrible debtor's co.lar!
Oh! what would he give could he say with us, That he owed no man a dollar! You seem amazed, but I'll tell you more: Eneaking away with a fright-ned air, As if a fiend had beset him;

Yet, be fled from a very worthy man, Whom I met with the greatest pleasure— Whom I called by name, and forced to stop, Though he said he was not at leisure.

He held my last note! so I held him fast,

'Till he freed my n ck from the collar;

Then I shook his hand as I proudly said,

"Now, I owe no man a dollar!"

Ah 1 now you smile, for you feel the force Of the truths I have been repenting I knew that a downright honest heart In that gentle breast was beating!
To-morrow I'll rise with a giant's strength,
To follow my daily labor,
But ere we sleep, let us humbly pray
For our wretched next-door neighbor;
And we'll pray for the time when all shall be free

When the poorest will lift his voice and cry,

THE DISCONTENTED DOVE. The daughter of a poor but good and sensible nother, was complaining to her, that, when she nixed with girls of her own age, she felt ashamed monstrating with ner daughter, read to her the

The dove appealed to its guardian genius, to bestow upon it a gayer external. "Why is it," siad she, " that I have only the plain feathers, this unadorned plumage, while the peacock and the parrot shine in such fine and glittering ap-

"Thou shalt have what thou desirest gentle dove," said the genius, but remember, if thou wouldst shine like either the peacock or the parrot, thou must become like them in other respects. Art thou then, willing to resign thine own character? Wouldst thou no longer be my timid. tender, loving dove that thou might'st become vain and noisy as the peacock-chattering and

"No." said the dove, "oh! no! kind genius; I will not give up the characteristics which render me thy care, and contribute so much to my

The Ladies of Troy have introduced a new feature at their fairs, from which they realize amuch handsomer sum than from lotteries, viz that of selling their confectionery to gentlemen young and old. All the best looking girls wear play-cards, "Kisses one shilling each;" some charge a "quarter of a dollar," and others six Fair in Baltimore; they are of new design, and cents, according to the beauty of those in the market. Gentlemen are expected to go in according to the weight of their purses and one of the newspapers of that village says that one rosy-lipped, bright-eyed girl realized cixty-two dollars in a single night; and another party nine dollars and a half. One gentleman purchased eleven dollars worth of sweetness .- Albany Knick.

NEGRO WIT — There is a tradition that one of the Esquires in Malden, Mass., had a slave who had been in his family until he was about seventy years of age. Perceiving that there was not much more work left in the old man, the Esquire took him one day and made him a somewhat pompous address to the following effect: "You have been a faithful servant to me and my father before me. I have long been thinking what I should do to reward you for your services. I give you your freedom! You are your own master: you are your own man." Upon this the old negro shook his grizzly head, and with a sly glance, showing that he saw through the master's intentions, quietly replied : " No, no, massa, you eat d: meaf, and now you must pick de bone."

The Scientific American says that in less than two years travellers can step into a railroad car at New York, and proceed by an uninterruptlinois, a distance of 1,200 miles. The links to ete this chain are now being constructed, and the editor adds, that in ten years from the present time, an interior line of railroad will be opened between New York and San Francisco. In the number, length and greatness of rivers, this country exceeds all others, and in few years our artificial lines of communication will far to other parts of the town, will pay a reasonable to other pay a reaso exceed any other country.

MORE PAUDYISM.—A good story is told of a pair of Irishmen, who, travelling through Sullivan county recently, came upon a mileboard standing by the way side with this inscription upon it: "43 miles from Newberg." Supposing it to be a tombstone, one of them gently tapped the other on the shoulder, and in a low sepulcival tone, said.—
"Tread I ghtly, Jammy—here lies the dead: 43 years old, an' his name is Miles, from Newburg."

Harness, that will be sold for less than their value.

November 12, 1850.

HANDSOME sats of China, for sale low by November 12.

November 12.

the Springs ?"
"Case, Mr. Snow, dey charged too much."
"How so Julius?"

"Why, de landlord charged dis colored indi-wideal wid stealin' de tea-spoons, and as I was afraid he might get personal, I preambulated to de cars and walked home."

"Hans, where was you born?"
"On de Halldoorbarrack"

nen de old school-horse is built, I was iks more nor a year, what is painted red, roes home mit your back behind you, on hand side, by de oldt blackschmidt shoo

Messrk, Tate & Hooft's Store, would respectfully \$150,000; with power of increasing it to \$250,000. HE undersigned having just arrived, and lo adjoining counties, to his finely selected assertment of the finest lot of the most choice brands of Foreign and Domestic

Merchandice.

The Union Forever.

Segars, and Tobacco n all its varieties, at Wholesale and Retail. As his stock embraces all qualities at all prices, he feels himself able to satisfy all dealers in those articles. Call in and examine his stock, he feels nimself able to satisfy the most scrupulous. Also on hand, a fine assortment of

STATIONERY, FANCY ARTICLES, Etherial Oil and Lamps, &c., all of which he will sell cheap for cash. Orders addressed to the undersigned will be thankfully received and promptly attended to. All Goods ordered at this establishment, not giving entire satisfaction, are December 10, 1850.—1y subject to be returned, in good order.
GEORGE W. SWEITZER. Charlestown, Jefferson Co., Va.

NEW AND CHEAP FALL & WINTER GOODS.

HE undersigned has just returned from the L Eastern markets with a complete assortment of Fall and Winter Goods, which have been selected with great care, and will be sold at small profits, adopting the old adage that " the numble sixpence is better than the slow shilling." His stock consists in part of the following articles: Canton Cloths, for Ladies' Dress; Embroidered do., (all colors,) & beautiful article Merinoes, assorted colors; Alpacas, (figured and plain,) assorted colors;

Mouselains, (figured and plain,) a good assort-Ladies' Shawls, all patterns and sizes; Ladies' Gloves, of superior quality, Silk and Kid : Gentlemen's Buskin, Beaver and Kid Gloves; A beautiful assortment of Fall and Winter Bon-

Superior Trimmings for Bonnets; Jenny Lind Trimmings for Dresses, all colors; A large assortment of Dress Silks, all colors, and cheap;

Fall and Winter Calicoes, beautiful patterns and very cheap; Laces, Edgings, Veils, Crapes, Illusions, Flowers, &cc.; Superior French Cloths, very low : Cassimeres, (French and American,) assorted

colors and very cheap; Cassinets, all prices; Lindseys, very cheap; A large stock of Domestics, very low; White and colored Flannels, very fine and theap; hereafter to be issued. 10-4, 11-4, 12-4 and 13-4 Whitney Blankets, 25

per cent lower than last year; A good assortment of Hosiery; A large assortment of Ladies', Misses', and Chil- troduced. dren's Shoes; A large assortment China, Glaus and Queensware; " Hardware;

A complete stock of Tinware; Gentlemen's Hats, Fall fashion, very superior; Wool Hats, very low; Santa Fe Water Proof Hats. 50 cts.; A complete stock of Groceries; Flour, Bacon, and in fact every article that usually kept in a retail store.

His friends and the public are most respectful ly invited to call and examine his stock before making their purchases, as he makes no charge | J. J. Palmer, for showing his Goods. JOHN G. WILSON, Opposite the Arsenal, Shen.'h st., H. Ferry Harpers-Ferry, Oct. 15, 1850 F. P.

Watches, Jewelry and Fancy Goods.

THE subscriber has just returned from Baltimore, Philadelphia, and New York, with the of the North, he feels confident that he will be able to offer them to the public at prices that will prove satisfactory to all. He invites a call from his friends and the community at large as he desires the opportunity of showing his road. that be has ever brought to this market. Having his stock he enumerates the following: Hunting, Lever, and every other style of Gold

Watches, made by Tobias and other celebrated Every variety of Silver Watches. New-style Breastpins, Ear-Rings, & Bracelets. Chains with Keys, and some very beautiful

Chains. Music Boxes and a variety of articles in the He particularly invites the attention of the public to his stock of housekeeping articles, be- vantageous terms; for the payment of taxes; re- rior to any thing of the kind ever offered, for its ing the largest he has ever offered, embracing the finest Plated Castors, Pickie Stands, &c. A large stock of Silver Ware always on hand.

TWatches and Jewelry repaired at the shortest notice. C. G. STEWART. Gold Medal Cashmeres. HAVE a lot of those Cashmeres that was I awarded the Gold Medal at the Mechanical

T. C. SIGAFOUSE. Nov. 26, 1850. JUST received, and on hand, Sugar, Coffee, Teas, of very superior aslity. Molasses, Syrup, Candles, Cheese, Rice, Spices, of all kinds which we will sell as cheap, if not a little cheaper than any one else in town.

Cash for Wool. WILL pay the Market price for WOOL, in LCash, either washed or unwashed as soon as delivered to me, except Dishley or pure Cosswold.

T. RAWLINS.

Aug. 27, 1850-tf. Shepherdstown Mills Carpeting and Rugs. WE have received a new supply of bandsome Brussel and Ingrain Carpeting; Also, a few Rugs and Table Covers, which we can sell

CRANE & BROWN. WE have received a few carrels of very superior Old Rye Whiskey, pronounced by judges to be an extra article, for sale by CRANE & BROWN Cloths, Cassimeres & Vestings.

WE have received a fresh supply of Cloths and Cassimeres, to which we would invite the attention of those who wish to purchase.

Dec. 10. CRANE & BROWN.

Goods at Cash prices. Saddles and Harness.

FINE SADDLES, 1 set of hardsome Single
Harness, that will be sold for less than their

"Julius, why didn't you oblong your stay at he Springs?"
"Case, Mr. Snow, dey charged too much."
"How so Julius?"
"Why, de landlord charged dis colored indiwidual wid stealin' de tea-spoons, and as I was opened by

T. RAWLIES: November 5, 1850.

Silks.

LAIN and Brocade Silks, of various patterns just received and for sale by Dec. 10. CRANE & BROWN. OUR GLOVES, a prime article, for sale by Dec. 10. CRANE & BROWN. capi hand Ghate for sale ASSIMPRE BONNETS, for Ladies and ON

CRANE & BROWN

Miscellaneous. Hartford Fire Insurance Company,

HARTFORD, CUNNECTICUT.

PUBLIC Buildings, Manufactories, Mills, Machinery, Dwelling Houses, Stores, Mer-chandise, Household Furniture, Vessels on the stocks or while in port, &c., &c., will be insured at rates as low as the risk will admit. Applications for Insurance may be made of B. W. HERBERT,

Agent for Jefferson county, Virginia, In the absence of the Agent from Charlestown to J. F. Brown, Esq., who will attend to them promptly. Persons at a distance address through N. B. On all Church buildings and Clergy

LIFE ASSURANCE.

THE NATIONAL LOAN FUND LIFE ASSURANCE SO CIETY, OF LONDON. CAPITAL \$2,500,000 SURPLUS \$412,027 00 RINTED statements explanatory of the busi ness, and the advantages of Life Assurance,

will be furnished on application to B. W. HERBERT. Or in his absence, applications can be made to Dr. G. F. Mason, Medical Examiner, Charlestown, DR JOHN D. STARRY, Medical Examiner, Harpers-Ferry, DR. I. H. TAYLOR, Medical Examiner, Shepherdstown Charlestown, Oct. 29, 1850.

NATIONAL LOAN FUND LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY OF LONDON.

General Agent's Office, 71 Wall street, New York, November 11, 1850. OTICE.—In pursuance of a resolution of the Board of Directors, the hitherto existing mode of loans of one-half or two-thirds of the common annual premiums paid by the insured is discontinued, in reference to policies to be hereafter granted. And the Board have introduced the following new and favorable system of loans for the future, viz:

A party insured for the whole term of life may

August 13, 1850—ly.

at any time borrow one-half the amount of annual premium, without note or security, or deposite of policy, and is entitled to division of profits. He may at any time surrender his policy, and receive back, as value thereof, one-half the gross sum paid by him in annual common premiums.

This new form of loan applies only to policies A party already insured for whole life may, on Hollow Ware,

payment of a small sum, convert his insurance Cooking Ranges, into a new policy upon the loan system now in Parties already insured and entitled to a twothird loan are not shut out from said two-third loan, if they prefer it, upon the terms stated in the Societies pamphlets.

A party may, at a moderate annual premium, insure for life, and if he survive to reach the age of 60 years, the full sum insured up to \$15,000, will be paid to him, or, if he dies before reaching that age, the full sum insured will be paid to his family or legal representatives. ACTING DIRECTORS FOR NOVEMBER. Country Merchants, and the public generally to

C. E. HABICHT, Chairman. 1 Henry Ludlam. Robert G. Dillon, S. S. Howland, J. K. Rodgers, M. D J. LEANDER STARR, General Agent. B. W. HERBERT, Agent for Jefferson County. Dec. 24, 1850-3m.

Bounty Land and Pension Agency, Washington, D. C. undersigned, Audrney and General

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