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from evil companions, or atschool—the effects of which are nightly felt, even when asleep, and if not cured, renders marriage impossible, and destroys both mind and body, should apply immediately.

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ately RESUSCITATED and thrown upon the market.

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I HAVE on hand, at my nursery, on the farm of Wm. Lucas, near Hall Town, a large number of Apple, Pear, Peach, Appricot, Plum, and Almond Trees, of the very finest variety. As the public are aware, Mr. Lucas has been at great pains to procure the very choicest kinds from the best nurseries in the United States, and I have been allowed the privilege to bud and propagate from his trees, which, added to my own selections, gives me all the best varieties.—My Peach Trees, especially, sre very fine. My terms are accommodating.

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CHARLESTOWN, VIRGINIA, TUESDAY, MAY 9, 1854.

TO THE PEOPLE OF CLARKE.

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Is it some lonely melancholy star?

But ah! it glimmer'd only to disclose

It moves; again it moves, and on the sand

Their full against the rocks their fury hurl.

In wild confusion roll the living mass

No more remains to fan life's feeble fires,

On mothers babes in vain for mercy call;

Beneath the feet of brothers brothers fall.

Behold the pallid girl in vain upraise

All, all is fear; to succor is to die!

Sheds its glad beam; it must, it must be land!

The lengthen'd prospect of unceasing wees.
Great God of mercy! on that rugged shore,
Toward whose stern barrier hoarsely racing pour
The long dark billows, swelling till they curl;

A moment's pause succeeds; then wildly rise

Gricf's sobbing plaints and terror's frantic cries. A rending shock! and tow'rds the narrow pass,

And hope's last throb just flutters and expires.

Tow'rds yonder well-known face the entreating gaze

Vain is the imploring glance, the phrenzied cry;

Brave men are there, who stand in silence by

Or breathe a prayer, and then lie down to die

The crowding horror's of the closing scene,

Crash after crash the desperate onset tells, And each black billow reals an hundred k

The rolling waters and the shroudless dead

All sink at last beneath the whelming stream,

And all that once was life becomes a dream;

The hoarse deep murmur of the surging wave.

And where's the grave shall shrine their memory?

No rude carved record o'er the hillock's breast

Whisper their still "resurgam" all around,

But one cold shroud of unrelenting gloom

Cartains the silent chambers of their tomb

The deep their sepulchre, their pall the sky,

And the tall billows rear their monument,

By moaning gusts their requiems are sung

Where the loud tempest sings their wild lament's

Theirs is the storm's wild how! the thunder's tongue

Miscellaneous.

"AND LHE WAS A WIDOW."

A pale and pensive lady had just passed-

she is clad in "the weeds of profoundest woe;"

beautiful life-life linked to repulsive corrup-

A REMARKABLE RECOGNITION.

Hospital 23 years .- Williamsburg Gaz.

we have often been solicited to do.

body be thickly covered with it. On com to bite you, the bugs will stick fast in the mo lasses, and you can kill them in the morning.

jack-plane.

Jeffersonian.

amaranth in Heaven.

Far. far teneath in coral graves they lie.

And naught is heard of all the tumult save

One thrilling scream, and life was fled :

Vain were the task for mortal eye to glean

Down the deep gulf as reels the staggering wreck;

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August 2, 1853-1v [F. P.] Testimonials. We, the undersigned, being solicited to give our opinion as to the character and standing of the Insurance Company of the Valley of Virginia, have no hesitation in saying that we have the utmost confidence in the ability and integrity of the President and Directors of that Company Directors of that Company.

The fact that we have insured our own property in the Company, is perhaps the strongest evidence we can give as to our opinion of its merits.

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P. Brown, Esq., who will attend to them promptly Persons at a distance address through the mail.

N. B. On all Church Buildings and Clergymen's personal property the Agent will present his commissions in reducing the amount of premiums on the risks thus arising.

[January 2, 1854—19] STRAW AND SILK MILLINERY
MISS ANN R. CRAIG respectfully begs
leave to inform the Ladies of Charlestown and vicinity that she has just received from Baltimore the Paris Fashions of SPRING AND SUMMER MILLINERY, to which she invites their attention; also to her variety of RIBBONS and FLOWERS.— BLEACHING and COLORING done as usual, and in the best manner. Grateful to the many kind friends who have so generously patronized her, she most re-spectfully solicits a continuance of their patronage. It will afford her pleasure to renderentire satisfaction

ig-Residence on Water street. Charlestown, April 25, 1854. MRS. MARIA E. JONES would inform the Ladies of Charlestown and vicinity that she has just returned from the East with the latest SPRING AND SUMMER FASHIONS, and respectfully invites them to give her a call. Her stock consists of some very elegant PATTERN BON-NETS, RIBBONS and FLOWERS. NETS, RIBBONS and FLOWERS.

Mrs. Jones returns her thanks for the liberal patronage she has heretofore received, and hopes by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of [April 25, 1854-3t

to all who will give her a call.

MILLINERY. MISS KATE HOOPER begs leave to inform the Ladies of Charlestown and vicinity that she has just received several very pretty PAT-TERN BONNETS from Baltimore, and is now prepa-red to do any kind of work in the Millinery Business. Miss Hooper hopes by strict attention to business t merit the patronage of the ladies.

(G-Her residence is on Main street, next door to
Mr. George B. Monroe's.

[April 25—3t

MISS CATHARINE C. SHEETZ would respect REMOVAL. fully announce that she has removed to the newly rough-cast house recently fitted up by Mr. Rawlins on the street leading from the Bank to Leetown, and having just returned from Baltimore with the latest SPRING AND SUMMER FASHIONS she is now ready to receive her friends and customers. Chariestown, April 25, 1854.

UNITED STATES HOTEL,
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The undersigned tenders her cordial thanks to her
friends and the public, for their past liberal encouragement, and respectfully solicits a continuance of
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the Printer of this paper. The number marked in case is 42,154. WILLIAM BUCKLES. I have just received another fresh supply of English Garden Seed, part of which are as follows:

Dwarf or Snapple Beans;
White Kidney do.;
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JOHN O. SNYDER.

Berryville, April 25, 1854—tf

[13-1] have on hand and for sale 3,000 pounds good BACON.

J. O. S.

LADIES' FAIR. THE Ladies of the Presbyterian Church will hold A FAIR at the house of Mr. 1. N. CARTER, commencing on the 18th of May, for the purpose of paying off the Church debt. They hope that the object will commend itself to the liberality of the public. Charlestown, April 25, 1854.

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Lace, English, American and Italian
donnets, and Trimmings,
with every article in the Millinery line.
February 14, 1854—3m

Communications.

FOR THE SPIRIT OF JEFFERSON. In my reply to "A Clarke Democrat," I promised on some future occasion, to set him right about the origin of the present convention or caucus system. I affirmed that Martin Van Buren was its author, whilst I understood him to carry it back to the days of Mr. Jefferson. I said he was its author, upon what I regarded In azure dimples curl the sparkling seas.
Among the shrouds, all happiness and hope,
The busy seaman coils the rattling rope,
And tells his jest, and carols out his song, as good authority, common consent, or general opinion. I had always regarded the fact as admitted, with one consent, that he was the father, and, then again, it is just such a machination, just such a rascally devise, as would And laughs his laughter, vehement and long; And nods the head, and waves the welcome hand, To those who weep upon the lessening strand. Yes, as the vessel lessens on the view, There a fond parent weeps a last adieu! as likely, and more likely, to spring from such a paternity than any other, and I fathered, O'er the wide ocean casts a wistful eye, And thinks upon that western land and sighs. therefore, the child, according to its likeness, to

"its father, the Devil." Europe's sons condemn'd, alas! to roam, I have moreover assigned it to its right fa-And seek with us the rest denied at home. Fled from oppression and the waste of life, The victor's fetter, and the battle's strife, ther. In addition to the general opinion, of which I have spoken, I will now add Mr. Cal-To our blest land, where peace and freedom here houn's account of the time when the system. Smooth earthly ills, and make e'en deserts fair. the precious system, was originated. In com-Days passed; the sun withdrew his light? menced in 1833, when the aforesaid Martin Terrific in her grandeur reigned the night! In gusts and moanings hollow roved the blast,
And clouds poured out their fury as they passed.
It moves! it comes! from skies convulsed and riven
The tempest leaps; the artillery of heaven
Peals from the clouds; the arrowy lightning's gleam was in the "pride of place," in the plentitude of power, and contriving the ways and means of bringing about his elevation to the presidency. He was then styled the "Arch magician," rather in a commendatory than a derog-Glares on the deep and gilds the raging stream. Is it a fire that glimmers from afar? atory sense.

· I will only now premise that Mr. Calhoun, in the extract which follows, is speaking of the tariff of 1828 and the "force bill," as he styled it, of 1833, he says:

"These measures greatly increased the pow-er and patronage of the federal government; and with them the desire to obtain its control; especially of the executive department, which is invested mainly with the power of disposing of its honors and emoluments. As a necessary consequence of this, the presidential election became of more absorbing interest, -the struggle between the two parties more and more intense; -and every means which promised success was readily resorted to, without the least regard to their bearing, morally or practically. To secure the desired object, the concentration of party discipline were deemed indispensable. And hence, cotemporaneously with these measures, party conventions were, for the first time, Loud thrills the death shrick from the crowded deck called to nominate the candidates for the presidency and vice-presidency, and party organization established all over the Union. And hence, also, for the first time, the power of removing from office, at the discretion of the president, so unconstitutionally conceded to him by the first congress, was brought into active systametic operation, as the means of But who shall ween the vanquished who shall mark rewarding partisan services, and of punish-Where, vainly struggling, sank the foundering bark? What dirge shall wail them buried in the sea? ing party opposition or party delinquincies. In these measures the democratic party took the lead; -but were soon followed by their opponents. There Tells the bright hope that soothed the slumberer's rest; No spring flowers budding from the funeral ground is, at present, no distinction between them in this respect. The effects of the whole have been, to supersede the provision of the constitution, so far as it relates to the election of the president and vice-president, as has been shown; to give a decided control over these elections to those who hold, or seek office; to stake all the powers and emoluments of the government as prizes, to be won or lost by victory or defeat; and to make success in the election paramount to every other consideration."--Calhoun's works, vol. 1st, page 368

This, then, is the true history of the origin of the present convention or caucus system. It was a most rotten and corrupt device to secure doubtless she is a widow. A moment to imthe election of Martin Van Buren, and succeedagine her history. He whom she mourns had ed. It has since, and for the last twenty years, wooed her in girlhood. There is a fragrant extended its corruptions to all the elections, ponook, where a river gurgles, which she never luted, defiled, and be-slimed all the paths of remembers save with tears, wherein love's polities, in both parties, and given in Mr. Calblessed drama was performed by their fervid roun's very words, "a decided control over the lips. They were wed at last. Months, perelections to those who hold or seek office. haps years departed, and then the shadow fell. The caucus system is, in fact, a regular office-He blessed her amid the marches of the night seeking machine, invented and patented by and in the morning went out with the stars. Martin Van Buren in 1833 for his purposes, The earth is laden with such histories. She and now weilded by his petty imps, the petty was blithe and merry once. She loved the imitators, for their purposes, in every petty election, down to constable! They follow exactcustoms of society, and adhered with a sort of piety to the maxims of fashion. Gay and ly "in the footsteps of their illustrious predehappy as the world in which she dwelt. cessors." They are just so many petty and I ut 'tis a mournful thing to carry a dead pigmy Van Burenizers, who, by force Martin's heart in a living bosom. It is a bitter thing patent machine-the caucus-have put themfor a lip used to dainties to feed on ashes. It selves instead of the people, and usurped their is a fearful thing for the living to know that real power in elections. Just observe the men, their only treasure is hid in the gravewho are at the head of these things-watch their whisperings and colleaguing-even when tion. Her desires are written upon her face. the caucus is in session-and you will see they Its expression translates her muttered yearngoverned by private and selfish schemes, and ings. She longs to join in the distant and not by public good. ANTI-CAUCUS. better country him who has gone before. The welcome hour is nearer than she thinks.

FELLOW DEMOCRATS OF CLARKE.

They shall soon tay her beside her buried idol. FOR THE SPIRIT OF JEFFERSON. How lovely will be that dying smile, when The time will soon be at hand when you the prayerful lips shall close at the touch of will cast you votes for an officer to fill the death's cold finger. God grant that the Sheriff's place in our county; having noticed drooping lily of earth may become a fadeless some two or three publications in the Spirit of Jefferson, over the signature of Anti-Caucus, I have been induced to lay before you a few suggestions through the same medium, which A short time ago, while Ruffin's band from Richmond, was playing at the Eastern Lunatic Asylum in this place, for the gratification I trust will be kindly received by the Democracy of our county. You doubtless know that when our old Constitution was altered it was and amusement of the inmates, one of them, not the supposition of the honorable body that a negro woman, who had been confined in the Hospital for many years, suddenly stepped foramended that instrument, that the election of county officers would assume a political aspect ward, and pointing out a member of the band, but such is the case, and the question naturalexclaimed, "There is my son, whom I have not seen since he was two years old." The ly arises now who has been the cause of this result which seems to be so monstrous in the musician was greatly surprised at first, but, upon enquiring, he was convinced that his mother stood before him—a being whom he estimation of our Whig opponents. It is well known that in the last election for county offihad never before known, and whom he had cers, previous to the election, it was equal on all sides by both parties, that they would not no recollection of ever having seen. We unact through political motives; but how was derstand he asked permission of the Board of this mutual agreement carried out? Who first Directors to have his parent restored to him violated it with the grossest subtilty, and by the basest deception but that party which which was granted, and he has taken her home to Richmond, after confinement in the went about and cried no party question in this matter gentlemen, and especially to the Dem-BORROWERS .- We are frequently put to ocrats of our county, who not suspecting their great inconvenience by borrowers. Loan me your Whig, says one; let me have your Dispatch, says another, I wish to read your Examner, says another, and so on, till we have scarceand says Whigs voted for Whigs especially for ly a paper left for ourselves; and this is the ase not once, but weekly, and almost daily Now, we have as much disposition to be obliging as almost any other person in these regions. statement of the case, which Anti-Caucus canbut our good nature cannot put up with these not gainsay without laying before the community a gross falsehood. Now then it is plain evils any longer. The price of the Whig is five dollars a year, the Dispatch four dollars to my mind and I believe to the mind of every and the Examiner four dollars, and our borrow-Democrat that our opponents are the partisans. ers can have these papers regularly by sending But they wish to practice partyism behind the black veil of deception which they have hung to the editors the money to pay for the same, and they can then, if they choose, loan their up before the eyes of our party but through papers, before they have time to open them, as which all but a few have been able to see, and they denounce us too under cover of this veil Our exchange papers are a portion of the as though we are the first to choose our canditools we have to work with, and we can as dates for whom we shall vote when they are well do without them as the blacksmith withaware that similar abuses to those practiced in out his anvil, the shoemaker his lap-stone, the Clarke county, have brought about like effects baker his kneading trough, or the carpenter his in other counties. The Democracy of Frederick and Berkeley have been forced by the Whigs to adopt the same system or else let The price of the Jeffersonian is two dollars and fifty cents per annum, and five cents a sinthem take away by subtilty all the offices. gle copy; we print to sell, and not to give And now, fellow Democrats, you have before you a candidate who is honest and capable away, as we are frequently solicited to do, be-cause there is an article of some local interest, and who will beyond the shadow of any doubt which the solicitor wishes to read.-Char. the satisfaction of every man in our county. It is very well known that he is in favor of lib-.... Many persons complain of being pes-tered by bed-bugs—it is easy to avoid the inconvenience. On going to bed, strip off your shirt, and cover yourself from head to foot with boiled molasses. Let every part of the

nothing to expect from them, we stand divided on all the great and leading measures of our its charms. Yes, winter is upon the earth, and Government. They say these principles are obsolete. Very true, they are obsolete so long as the Whig party is obsolete; but they as readily come upon the stage of existence as that motly crew is able to reinstate itself by all its various midnight traffic. And you Irish, how can you, a single man of you give aid and comfort to that party, who if they had the power would prohibit you from coming to this land of liberty; here is the home of the oppressed of every clime. But the Whig party whose or-gans are using all their might to procure your assistance, would stop the tide of emigration, they would make you pay all the duty, sup-port the government, make the rich richer and and poor poorer. But they will tell you there is no principle at stake in the election of county officers. Why then I ask are they using such

enormous efforts to secure these offices if there is no political ends to be accomplished, why all this opposition by Anti-Caucus, through the press, to the fair and honorable plan which the Democracy have adopted, if it is not to prevent us from having a single candidate before the people so that they may secure the election of the Sheriff, and thereby secure the election of a Whig representative. This is what attracts the gigantic genius of Anti-Caucus, who having found no longer any ground by which he might sustain himself, quits the field of argument and deals in personalities. When he found he could no longer refute the argument of our old Demorcats he stopped to measure the dimensions of his head. It is my humble opinion that the only difference between Anti-Caucus's head and the old Democrat's head is that An-

Bananny, ba sheep, you got any wool? Yes master, yes master, three bagsfull; One for little Benna, one for little Eba and one for

After all that has been written by Anti-Caucus we can arrive at no other conclusion except that he is that same old coon who has been in his hiding place these many days, but has again come out to recruit his strength in the same

ti-caucus has a sheep's head and whenever he

opens his mouth he says ba-a-a-a-a-a-a, and

the old Democrat says General Jackson.

I spied that same old coon a sitting on a pole, Wiggle, waggle went his tail, open went his -. I wonder if Anti-Caucus can inform us how much champaign was drank when he nominated that Scott Whig Elector, and what the price of that article was at that time and how much majority Mr. Faulkner had. If Anti-Caucus would listen to us we would give him a little wholesome advice: that is that he would go in company with Seward and Tom Corwin who wished us hospitable graves in a foreign land, and find the mines which Dr. Gardner could not find in California. By so doing he will add much more to the party to which he belongs than by attempting to waylay the Democracy of Clarke. If he chooses to have any further communication we shall congratulate ourselves if we get a ba-a-a-a-a. A YOUNG DEMOCRAT OF CLARKE.

AN OLD MAN'S SOLILOQUY. BY J. B. JOHNSON, M. D.

It was twilight of a December's day; clear and cold the sun had declined, and night in dreariness was drawing around her frigid form the mantle of darkness ;-quietly the evening sank to repose, and not a sound was heard save the sighing of a gentle wind amid the russet leaves. It was at that hour an octogenarian, from his chamber window gazed out through the fast gathering darkness upon the world; chained as it was by the winter's icy hand, and he bent his aged ear to catch once more nature's song; but heard it not, for the cold blasts had congealed nature's voice, and her anthem was hushed.

I could see the old man's brow contract and his pallid lips quiver, as though he was contending with some mental strife terrific to his soul :- ever and anon as twilight's feeble rays displayed his corrugated features a tear of sorrow would bedew his furrowed cheek, and his decrepid form would shake with grief; as he stood there he seemed to grow faint, at its own retrospection, for it was with tremulous steps he gained his chair, and in interrupted accents exclaimed, "Yes, thus it is, ever, with life's evanescent dream, it is too true that the wilting hand of age is upon me now, for the frosts of eighty-one winters have whitened my locks once dark with the gloss of youth, the heat of four score summers has dried the skin upon my frame and narrowed the channels of life's stream, and life's changes have wrecked me on the ocean of existence; the memory of my early years rolls back like a hurricane upon my mind and chills the warmth of my passing soul. Oh! yes, all, all has flitted by, and nought remains but the impress of their gladness or pain, and as my mind reverts to those scenes, it animates memory and I seem to exist again in manhood's prime, for it is with electric speed recollection moves from one period of my life to another, until a varied panorama confuses my vision, and when by retro-

spection bound, I find myself in youth's academic field with my ambitious step resting upon the first round of fame's ladder, and again following Newton into the recesses of his mind and wandering with him in his arial flight beyond the blaze of the Georgium Sidus, closely I seem to follow the footsteps of Euclid, comprehend his mystic diagrams, and solve with the alacrity of youth his intricate problemns,-I set in fancy by the side of Homer, and listen enchanted to his lyric tales and feel my soul expand beneath the voice of Ossian as he breathes forth his passion-stirring poems. Yes, in my erudite youth I ascended the ladder of science with a slow and steady step, and as I gained the topmost round I looked back and saw with amazement the broad expanse my mind had traversed. I thought I had arrived at human greatness, but when I looked forward beyond what I knew, my spirits would sink within me subtile opponents of deception in this matter, to think how wide and impenetrable the road intend to restrict the power of forming the inacted well and wisely and honorably. But which led to human perfection, I associated stitutions of the Territory in the sense conveywhat was the result, the record speaks aloud with the most profound of men, rambled with them in their mental tours, and I was instructthe Sheriff; and Democrats for Democrats and ed by their wisdom, portrayed in words. But Whigs, by which the Whigs secured the election | my heart stays its motion when memory to almost all the offices. Now this is a plain | recalls my social sphere, for I have tasted joy and disappointment, life's immunities and ts liabilities, its pleasure and its pain. I have been the happy husband and the miserable widower, the exultant father and the childless man. I have matured bliss, and I saw it vanish before the hand of fate. I have stood by the sick couch of the being most dear to me of all earthly gifts, and watched the flickering flame of life until it ceased to burn, and clasped in tears the cold hand that once grasped my own with all the warmth of a woman's love, and I looked in death on those eyes that once conveyed more than felicity to my soul, I have sat by the cradle of my lovely infant boy, who promised to be the consolation of my declining years, and felt with anxious hand the cold damps of death gather upon his sweet brow. and I have seen those eloquent eyes of my on-ly daughter, that in life's healthful moments spoke more than a recompense for all I the correct view, where will the South stand had suffered, bedimmed by death's resistless in the support of it? You will recollect that if elected transact the duties of that office to cloud; I heard the harsh sound of the cold clods as they shut out from my view all that I held most dear, and the sepulchral noise fell up-

venom had poisoned my life and robbed it of its frigid hand has chilled all save the torrent of my melancholy feelings, -obdurate fate has sported with my destiny, embittered the cup of enjoyment, and its contents are well night drained, and its gall sank deep into my soul, for I feel death's steady approach and ere another winter shall have frowned upon the earth, my heart will have stilled motion, my enfeebled body returned as food for the worms and my soul will have flown to the righteous ordeal

whence it came." The old man hushed; with quivering lips he turned his eyes suffused with tears towards Heaven, and his hands trembling with age were lifted in supplication to an Almighty God to dispel the gloom which overshadowed his grief-worn soul.

Harpers-Ferry, 1854. A LETTER TO THE EDITOR.

[Correspondence of the Spirit of Jefferson.] · Washington, April 29, 1854. DEAR BELLER: It is a little surprising how

the interest in the debate on the Nebraska Kansas Bill continues to be kept up. All the speeches on that question recently delivered galleries are crowded as though something entirely new was to be evolved by every speech. The subject is certainly a very important one to the future interest of this country; and I think it becomes every man to reflect much and consider long before he determines what his course will be upon this particular measure and the policy involved in it. The repeal of the Missouri Compromise has always been a leading object of the South. Though it must be admitted that that division of the confederacy has, in years past, as well by her Presidents as her Senators and Representatives in Congress, done much to sanction the demand now made for the observance of the bonds which it imposed upon us. I will not speak of particular instances. They will doubtless occur to your mind. While this admission, however, is frankly made, I do not intend, by any means, to plead guilty to the charge that the South is as responsible for the origin or adoption of the Missouri Compromise as the North is, or as the Northern opponents of the Nebraska Bill, have attempted to show. The political history of this Country proves otherwise. The fact is abundantly shown that the Missouri Compromise was forced upon the ed her considerably from the presence of her lover. quiesced in the adoption of the measure, did so with becoming reluctance. Its repeal is clearly embodied in the Nebraska Bill. Thus far certainly the Nebraska Bill commends itself to the support of every Southern man. The repealing provision is presented too, in such a shape as to exclude the argument which might otherwise be drawn therefrom to authoarize Congress to legislate for the establishing of slavery in, or the excluding it from, a Territory. But a more serious and difficult question arises as to the construction of the clause which succeeds the provision above referred to. I hope you will look at it and ponder it well. The power of forming and

regulating the domestic institutions of the Territory is expressly left to the people of the Territory, subject, however, to such restrictions as are contained in the Constitution. The provision here referred to has of course direct reference to the subject of slavery, because its intent and purpose is manifestly to provide for a state of things that would exist upon the repeal of the Missouri Compromise .-Then too it follows that this power, whatever it may be, is to be exercised immediately upon the organization of the Territorial Government-for it cannot refer to the time of forming said Territory into a State, for two reasons -first, in a former part of the Bill ample provision is inserted as to what shall or rather may be done on the subject of Slavery when the Territory is about to be erected into a State, and therefore the clause now under consideration would have been useless, nay, worse than useless, for it would tend to produce confusion and contrariety of construction, and secondly, as it seems clearly to have been intended to take the place of the Missouri restriction and as that restriction would be repealed upon the adoption of the Bill, it follows that the power or right of "forming and regulating the domestic institutions of the Territory" is also to be exercised immediately upon the organization of the Territory. The question which next arises is-what is the extent of the power here conceded to the Territorial Government? no one would object to the power to regulate, for that presupposes or contemplates the existence of a state of things to be regulated, and does not convey the idea of originating or forming that state of things by the same power which regulates it. But the power to "form" is also conceded, and the two terms cannot mean the same thing. The word, "form," means "to make," "to model," "to shape," "to originate," "to produce," "to frame." For instance, to form a government, that is, to make, originate or frame a government; to form a society, that is, to originate or model a society; to form a law, that is, to frame, produce or shape a law-and to form an "institution," is to make, model, shape, originate, produce or frame an institution. Apply the time to the subject of labor in said Territories, and it is seen that the power to form the institution or system of free labor or slave labor, is conceded. It is true that the exercise of this power is intended to be limited by the force of the Federal Constitution. But the question is, how far is it so limited? my answer to the question would be, that the Constitution does not admit the power in a Territory, as such, to exclude or establish slavery—but what does my Northern neighbor say? Just the reverse. And by this means the question is to be kept

open for future strife and angry disputation. Yet can it not be said that Congress did not of Congress of the 6th of March, 1820, slavery was prohibited from that Territory; we have seen that it is the purpose of Congress, now, to repeal that act; we have seen that the power to form and regulate the institution of free or slave labor is no longer to be exercised by Congress, but to be conceded to the Territorial Government; we have seen what it is "to form" an institution : if the Constitution prohibits the "power to form," as it regards slavery, then the word, as it stands in the clause, is worse than useless-it deceives .-We have seen that this "power to form" is to supply a state of things formed or produced by the repeal of the Missouri Compromise, and the argument is drawn thence, that, as Congress exercised the power, by the act of the 6th of March, 1820, to exclude slavery, so can the Territorial Government and, therefore, it is not intended that there is any Constitutional restriction. This view of the subject, I think, must occur to the mind of every candid enquirer-after truth. And if this be in the support of it? You will recollect that when the doctrine of Territorial sovereignty, was charged upon the Democracy in 1848 from Gen. Cass' Nicholson letter, we utterly repudiated it and pronounced it a misconstruction of that letter. Now Gen. Cass and the less, he is also a Democrat in toto, and since less, he worried by the frailties of human life. I left a political aspect, I cannot conceive for my part how any good Democrat could cast his vote against a man who agrees so cordially with lim in principle. As for the Whigs we have

mitted to be correct by the South, but I haveyet to hear a speech in Congress combatting it. - To say the least of it-it is a question fraught with momentous consequences, and nothing of an imbiguous character should bepermitted to encumber the Bill. Far better just to repeal the Missouri Compremise, and say nothing in that connection about what shall or shall not be done by the Territorial Government on that subject.

I come now to the Badger provise. While-I do not think it will have any very serious

effect in excluding slavery from the Territory, yet in another point of view, it is exceedingly obnoxious. The Bill professes to embody the principle of "non-intervention," yet by this proviso Congress undertakes to say that nolaw recognizing slavery shall be revived or shall operate in said Territory. Not even a a law which Congress had originally nothing to do with, the law authorizing slavery when we acquired the Territory from France. Such a provision is evidently in conflict with the very character and spirit of the Bill, and should not for a moment have been considered. I am disposed to think it was voted for in the Senate, by some, without due consideration. I would say more upon this point, but I have already written more than I intended. My object in writing at all has been with a view of calling your attention to the points involving the important issues. Much present scarcely a new point. They seem to has been said upon the subject by the press thow in the same channel, yet the House and but it has all been of a general character, and without an examination of the details. It is this examination to which I would like to see the press of the Country devote itself, at least, pending the discussion upon the Bill and before it is finally acted upon. I think there is a good prospect of its passing. I believe that public sentiment calls for its passage. But great care should be taken that it does not commit us to the doctrine of "Territorial or squatter sovereignty," on the one hand, or of congressional "intervention," on the other.

BOOKS, PAMPHLETS, CARDS, BLANKS, CHECKS, HANDBILLS, LABELS, &c., EXECUTED WITH NEATNESS AND DESPATCH AT THE OFFICE OF SPIRIT OF JEFFERSON.

A supply of Magistrates', Sheriffs', and Constable's BLANKS—Deeds of Bargain and Sale and Deeds of Trust—Negotiable and Promissory Notes, &c., &c., always on hand.

MURDER OF A FEMALE ON BOARD THE STEAM-ER YANKEE BLADE. A female named Susan Russell was killed by her

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lover, Edward H. Avery, on board the steamship Yankee Blade, on her passage from New York to Pa-nama. He was ardently attached to her, and jealous of the attention she received from the cabin passengers. Avery is only 26 years of age, a native of Springfield, Massachusetts, of respectable parentage, and highly intelligent. He became acquainted with the female, who was frail, but young and handsome, at Worcester, Mass., and proposed to take her to Cal-ifornia. She consented, and they engaged passage on the Yankee Blade, as brother and sister, he agree-ing to work his passage out. She was furnished, through the kindness of the captain, with a berth in the second cabin, with another female. This removwho worked on the forward deck; and she taking advantage of her position, began to flirt with the young men on board, which, when the knowledgethereof came to the ears of Avery, rendered him exceedingly jealous, and finally he acted in such a manner as to induce those who saw him to believe he was deranged. The Panama Star thus narrates the tragedy that ensued:

"On the 13th February, at about 8 o'clock in the evening, the passengers were alarmed by shrieks from a female voice, which proved to be Susan Russell, who ran about the after-deck, crying "my brother has killed me!" and falling upon the deck, in five minutes she was a corpse. She had been but a few minutes previous to that sitting in the cabin, engaged in a lively conversation with one of the pas-sengers, when Avery called her on deck. On appaching her, he drew from a belt in his side a ten inch bowie knife, with which he stabled her in the right breast, severing one of the large arteries, the knife passing through her back. Immediately after committing this dreadful deed, he snapped a pistol twice at his own breast, but finding it would not go off, he drew a razor from his pocket, with which he cut a deep and severe gash in his throat, then rushing forward to where she had fallen, and where the passengers and others began to collect, he cried "Stand back, gentlemen—stand back, I did it;" then falling beside the dead the body, he wept over it, and kissed the marble, cheeks, saying, "I loved that girl, but you cabin passengers did this."

"This was the most heart-rending scene the writer ever witnested. There lay the poor, mangled body unfortunate though guilty lover, uttering the most lamentable expressions of his fervent attachment to her, while the blood came streaming from his throat. Every one expected to see him momentarily expire: he did not die, however, as the surgeon succeeded in sewing up his wound, and he is now nearly recover-ed. He had a preliminary examination before the American Consul at Rio Janeiro, who ordered him on to San Francisco for trial. Since the sad occurrence he has become quite penitent, and awaits his trial with considerable fortitude. The poor fellow has a mother living in Norwich county, upon whom this blow will fall very heavily, when she learns the particulars of the sad affair."

INSECURE BUILDINGS IN NEW YORK .- The New York Tribune denounces the insecure style of building in vogue in that city, as the cause of such a wholesale slaughter as that which attended the fire in Broadway. The editor adds:

"At this very moment one of the tallest and most expensive buildings on Broadway has settled so far out of the perpendicular as to seriously alarm those who are best aware of its condition. A great and most frequent cause of litigation is the bulging of division walls beyond the limits of the lot on which they were meant to stand, all owing to their thin and frail construction. And so it goes on. At this very moment they are rebuilding Metropolitan Hall with walls to be a hundred feet high and a hundred feet long, and no girders to support them; and the thickness of those walls is only twenty inches. In Europe such recklessness would not be permitted; here we rejoice in it, because it makes a great show on comparatively little money."

A LADY'S DEDICATION .- One of the most exquisitely beautiful, graceful and eloquent dedications ever written is the following: "What need of a name?-To one I love, and One who loves me; to One whose word has been my law, whose encouragement my incentive to exertion and whose praise my ambition to excel, this simple volume is most affectionately dedicated by-THE AUTHOR."

THE COURAGE OF SCIENCE.—Courage in the battle field is celebrated in history and in song, but little is said of the courage exhibited in pursuing scientific investigations, though often displaying more real elements of bravery than ever were called into action in war. It is said that when Arago and Dulong were employed by the French Government to make er of forming the inin the sense conveye seen that by the act much danger as difficulty. The bursting of boilers, to which they were constantly exposed in a limited locality, was more hazardous than that of shells upon a battle-field. While military officers who assisted them, men of tried courage in the conflict, grew pale and fled from the scene, the Savans proceeded coolly to make their calculations, and to observe the temperature and pressure upon boilers almost at the very point of explosion.

QUALIFICATION OF VOTERS IN ENGLAND .- In England. whether a man shall be an elector or not, depends upon the house he lives in. If his annual rent is upon the house he lives in. If his annual rent is £10, then he is qualified to vote, it being presumed that the person living in a poorer house than that is not competant to exercise the right of suffrage. The consequence is that in some villages there is not a voter. A Yorkshire manufacturer lately stated that of 1,000 men in his employ, there was not one who possessed a vote; yet if that manufacturer was the proprietor of the entire borough, he would either go to Parliament himself, on his own vote, or he would send the man he choose.

"The Boy who would rather die than Steal."—
The Chicago Press contains a call signed by a large number of citizens, addressed to those who wish to perpetuate the remembrance of a noble deed, by contributing to the proposed monument to Knud Iverso, the Norwegian boy, who was lately drowned by some other boys for refusing to steal fruit. They want \$1000. Some of his older companions held him under water until life was extinct, in order to compel him, by fright, against his repeated refusals, to enter and rob an orchard. The editor of the Press acknowledges the receipt of one letter containing \$10, and another containing \$100, towards the monument.—Salem Register.

The present debt of England is estimated at \$3,862,500,904, and the debt of France at \$1,669,127,



#### CHARLESTOWN:

TUESDAY MORNING, MAY 9, 1854.

Most of the space in our paper to-day, is occupled with original communications, upon matters we hope of interest to the public, and gratification

On our first page is quite an interesting letter from Washington, giving the writer's views as to the Nebraska Bill, together with his objections as to some of its features. Also the communications of "Anti-Caucus," and "Clarke Democrat." The letter of our old friend from Copenhagan, in Denmark, needs but to be seen to be read, as be is one of that fortunate few. that " none know him but to love him." We gire also, from a former citizen of our county, quite an interesting detail as to the result of the "Ward Trial," in Kentucky, together with the incidents which have since followed in its train. To all these matters, of more interest we are sure than any thing we could prepare, we surrender our own prerogative, and respectfully invite the attention of our readers to their perusal.

THE LADIES' FAIR. The Ladies connected with the Presbyterian Church of this town, as has been heretofore stated, propose holding a Fair, &c., during the next week, for the purpose of liquidating a debt which is yet due upon the new and beautiful Church which has been recently erected by that Congregation. The preparation, we are assured, is upon quite a grand scale whilst the object of the Ladies' will meet the approval and liberal patronage of all, particularly as no appeal of this kind has been made by the Ladies of this Church for nearly 20 years. As the Fair is to come off during our Superior Court, notice is hereby given to Judges, Lawyers, Jurors, witnesses, plaintiffs and defendants, no less than all others, that they must come prepared for the occasion, if they expect the smile of woman upon their pathway through life, or a conscience at ease with itself.

#### COUNTY ELECTION.

The time is near at hand when our County Officers, a Sheriff, Commissioner of the Revenue, and Constable for the several Districts are to be selected, the election being held on the 4th Thursday of the present month. As the Sheriff's election in our own County seems to be exciting considerable interest, we give the following vote as between the two competing candidates at the last election : J. W. MOORE. H. TIMBERLAKE

District No.	1	
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Do	5128	37
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Do	8 42	11
Total,	506	394
THE RESIDENCE OF THE PARTY OF T	vote polled for Sh	eriff was 1,925;
	k, 1,909; for Circuit	

SUPERIOR COURT. The Spring Term of our Superior Court will commence on Thursday week, 18th instant, Judge PAR-KER presiding. There is but one criminal case, we believe, to come before the Court, though on the Civil Docket there are cases of importance. The Grand Jary of this Court is summoned as heretofore by the Sheriff. The following names were drawn from the

box on yesterday, as the Petit Jury for the approach-Philip Coons, Humphrey Engle, N. W. Manuing, Jno. M. Engle, Wm. Buckles, Wm. Ronemous, Geo, N. Lynch, Nathan Barns, Wm. P. Alexander, Jos. Brown. Nich, S. Shaull, Charles H. Lewis, John Kephart, Solomon Miller, W.n. A. Morgan, Charles Johnson, Jesse Schofield, James Hurst, William L. Hedges Joseph Harley, Benj. B. Welsh, Bartholomew Shaull, Ehud Turner, Uriah B. Kearney, John M. Macfarland, James J. Williams, John Wm. Marshall, John Wy-

#### BERKELEY COURT.

The Superior Court of Berkeley County, Judge Parker presiding, commenced on Wednesday, 25th ult., and closed its session on Friday last. The case of forgery for a note of \$4,000, as charged upon Charles Downs formerly a citizen of Berkeley, was not sustained and judgment rendered for plaintiff-

The civil suit of Joseph H. Morgan vs. Zepheniah Silvers, claiming damages for the act of the defend-ant in shooting him on the 5th of December, 1852, attracted an ususually crowded court room. Many witnesses were examined, and three days consumed in the trial. Verdict for the plaintiff \$5,000 damages. Counsel for the plaintiff, E. P. Hunter and Andrew Hunter, Esgrs, for defendant, D. H. Conrad, Robert Y. Conrad, Chas. Jas. Faulkner, and James M. Mason, Esqrs.

A peremptory mandamus was issued by the Court against the Justices of the County Court commanding the erection of a suitable Court-House.

CORPORATION OFFICERS OF HARPERS-FERRY. An election was held at Harpers-Ferry on Monday the 2d instant, for town officers, which resulted in the choice of the following gentlemen: SOLOMON V. YANTIS, Mayor.

JOSIAH W. DEENER, Recorder,

Frederick C. Smith John F. Price, Wm. S. Snook,
Heary W. Clowe,

THE THREE-DOLLAR GOLD COIN.

It will be recollected that an act of Congress February, 1853, directed the coinage of three-dollar gold pieces at the mint and branches. Specimens of this coinage having been submitted to, and approved by, the Secretary of the Treasury, the coins will be immediately put in circulation.

The obverse of this coin represents and ideal head, with the feathered cincture symbolic of America, the word "liberty" appearing on the band encircling the head, and the inscription "United States of America" surrounding the whole. On the reverse is a wreath composed of some of the staple productions of the United States-viz: wheat, cotton, Indian eorn, and tobacco; the denomination and date be-

ing in the centre. As compared with the other gold coins the devices and arrangement are novel, but perhaps not less appropriate, and together with the difference in the diameter of the piece, will make it readily distinguishable from the quarter-eagle, which approaches it most nearly in value. It is 16-20ths of an inch in diame-

ter, and weighs 77.4 grains = oz 16125. ATTEMPT TO ROB A BANK We learn from the Republican that the Merchants' a hole of a dimension of several inches in the door, through which an iron bar was

removed that secured the door. Fortunately no which baffled the attempts of the robbers. EMIGRANTS FOR LIBERIA. city on Tuesday about one hundred free colored

persons, preparing to emigrate to Liberia; and eighteen more were expected last evening. These emigrants are from various parts of Virginia and North Carolina. They will embark in a few days on the ship Sophie Walker, which has been chartered for the purpose. She will sail in a day or two for the sunny shores of Africa. Rev. Wm. H. Starr, of Richmond, agent for the Colonization Society of Virginia is now in Norfolk, and will attend to their embarkation, as well as all necessary arrangements preparatory thereto.

SOUTHERN M. E. CONFERENCE. The General Conference of the M. E. Church South assembled at Columbia, Geo., on the 1st inst. Bishop Soule presides. Thomas O. Summers, of the Alabama conference, was elected Secretary, and A. R. Erwin, of Tennessee, was appointed assistant secre-

### THE MISSING STEAMER.

No intelligence as yet from the Steamer, "City of Glasgow," which left Liverpool on the 1st of March last, with 447 persons on board. The latest news received, indicates that she has foundered among the ice-bergs of the Ocean, and her unforturs found a grave at its bottom.

The Three Dollar gold Coin is to be in circuon in Baltimore and other Cities, on and after FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE. [ Correspondence of the Spirit of Jefferson.]

COPENHAGEN, April 15, 1854. As it is imposible to send you any thing concerning the progress of the war, which will be news, when it shall reach you, I send instead an extract from the Darly News of the 4th inst., which will furnish you with some information, quite new to you I suspect, as to the manner in which things are permitted to be managed in the public schools of England. I have read much in my life concerning the custom of "fagging and flogging"-of sub-tutors and monitors, &c., in the English Schools, but I confess I was, until recently, utterly ignorant of the fact that such deeds as that I send you, were not only perpetrated, but actually sanctioned as a portion, a regular feature of the English School system. It seems that these revolting instances of juvenile barbarity have multiplied so rapidly of late, as to attract the attention and call forth the censure of the press upon them, but they do not seem, as yet, to have excited the public indignation sufficiently to

I think, when you have read the account which send, you will conclude that no better system could be devised by the wit of man, for the manufacture of tyrannical, brutal and cowardly men, out of the youth of England :

HARROW is not behind Rugby in contributing materials for the condemuation of the public school system of fagging and flogging, Our readers lately, had their at ention directed to a curious sequence of brutalities which took place at Rugby, and which we were most particular in charging upon the system, not upon the individuals. Recent events at Harrow form a most luminous ommentary on our remarks.

The Earl of Gattoway's son, it appears, during a game of football reproached a boy named Holmes, with unfair play, the latter acknowledging the jus-

tice of the reproach by desisting from the conduct which called forth the remarks. Just after this took place an elder boy, a monitor, named PLATT who was engaged in the game, came up to young STEW-ART, the Earl's son, and in reference to what had taken place between him and Holmes, said, "He (Holmes) was not behind any more than you were, you are always behind." To this double accusation of lying and untair play, young STEWART replied with a very natural irritation, "You know nothing about it: by that remark you show either your total gnorance of the game, or else your desire to cheat." The rest of the story is best told in STEWART'S OWN words, narrating the conduct of PLATT: I thought no more about it then, but on Wedneslay morning, after breakfast, he sent for me to his

me for my impertinence yesterday. Upon which I told him that I had not been impertinent, or, at any rate, if I had, the remarks I had made were in consequence of his speaking as he had done to me. He then told me that that had nothing whatever to do with it, and (I copy his remark verbatim) said-" I may say anything I like on the football ground, and ou have no right, whatever it is, to contradict me.' So I said, "If you say what is not true, I shall certainly contradict you;" but he cut me short, and told me to stand out, and so I told him that I should do no such thing; upon which he said, "I suppose you know that you must either take my whopping or you will be sent away from the school;" so I told im that I would not take it, and I left his room and called at Dr. Vaughan's who however, was engaged then, and I was told to call at a few minutes before one. In the meanwhile, Platt had been to Dr. Vanghan and told him about it. When I saw Dr. Vaughan, he was excessively kind, and told me that he was exceedingly sorry that I should have got into. a mess with any of the monitors and that as far es he heard. I was to blame in what I had said, and so he should advise me to take the whopping, as there was no cowardice in taking anything from a legal power. And so I went away with the determination of telling Platt that I would submit, and begging his pardon. He however, anticipated me, and sent for me to the monitors' library directly after dinner, where he told me what he had said before in the morning, and asked me if I had altered my determination?-I told him that I had, and that I would submit. He then gave me thirty-one cuts, as hard as ever he could, across the shoulder-blades, with a cane more than an inch in circumference, which he paid Is, 6d. for, and with such force that he had to stop almost every cut to bend back the cane, it was so curled vith the violence of the blow. I almost fainted during it; but I cannot help being glad that I managed to get out of the room without making the slightest ovement to show him that I felt his brutality. STEWART was immediately taken off to the surgeon who pronounced that in the whole course of his life he had never witnessed such a brutal and unmanly outrage. The boy was sent to the sick-room where he remained until Sunday. His arm was swollen from the effects of the blows "four inches above its

PLATT'S OWD WORDS AS evidence of Dr. VAUGHAN'S approbation of the carrying out the vindictive resolutions of the former. "I went to Dr. Vaughan," he says in a letter to his father, Baron Platt, "to ask his advice. He perfectly approved of all I had done, and even refused to see STEWART upon the subject until I asked him as favor to me to do so, in order that I might give him every chance of clearing himself. Upon Vaughan's advice, I punished STEWART before the monitors in the afternoon. The punishment inflicted upon him was not so severe as I have known to be inflicted for slighter offences." Something still remains to be told. Baron PLATT. the father of the monitor, writes to Dr. VAUCHAN and protests against the punishment of his son .-The facts as they now stand," says the judge in a

natural size."

efter to the Master, "satisfy me that my son's conduct was unexceptionable. What think you of that for a specimen of British School policy, wisdom and humanity?. What think you of that admirable "Head-master, Dr Vaughan" who "was so excessively kind" as to advise submission to this "whopping"-what think you of the brave youth who administered it, and above all, the brave youth's father, who, himself a judge, an administrator of the British law, regarded his sons tyrannical and brutal conduct, as "unexcentionable!" Oh, if it had only been a nigger boy who had been reported to the British philanthropists as having been moderately thrashed for knocking out a horses eye, or riding one to death, how their indignation would have boiled over, and their humanity have exhausted itself in scurrilous epi-

thets against the "wicked slave breeders." For a week or two past, the British fleet was anchored within-twenty miles of this place, and many persons from here availed thamselves of the opportunity to see it. Admiral Sir Charles Napier, has made us two or three visits, and on Saturday last I had the honor of dining with him at Mr. Buchanan's, the English minister (dont confound him with our Mr. Buchanan at London!!) The commander of the British Baltic fleet, is a gentleman in the sixty-ninth year of his age, but, to all appearance, as stout and hearty as need be. He is about the size of our excellent friend William Grove, Esq., and is not entirely unlike him in appearance, except that, in place of the benevolent countenance of the latter gentleman, the admiral has rather hard features and a stern expression of face. The place assigned me, at the dinner table, (your place in this part of the world is assigned you, upon all occasions, and you must be careful not to take any place that is not assigned you!) was on the left hand of the "Lion" himself, so that I had a good opportunity of conversing with, and listening to him during the two hours and a half which the dinner lasted. I found him intelligent, affable and agreeable, and quite disposed to talk, particularly about our country and people. He spoke much, and asked me many questions about the United States; he was in the British fleet at the taking of Alexandria during the late war, witnessed the capture of Washington City, and the famous battle of the "White House," &c. He gave and Mechanics' Bank at Morgantown, Va., was broken days; and, among other things he described certain me some amusing and interesting incidents of those open on Tuesday night last. An entrance was ef- marvelous achievements performed by the Baltimore Clippers, which he said he had never yet seen equalled by any other vessels. " Why, Sir," he said, "those fellows were the most daring rascals I ever money was stolen, as it was well secured in the rault, saw in my life; I assure you they seemed to care no more for us than if they had been wild ducks and could dive as well as fly. They would sail near us, The Norfolk Argus states that there were in that | and past us, and around us, as if taunting us to attempt to capture them; which, indeed, we often did, but we might just as well have undertaken to capture the sea-gulls. However we did catch one of them. She was a little too daring and by undertaking a certain manœuvre" (which Sir Charles described at length, but which I am not sailor enough to give to you) " she got aground and we got her. She was a

> was a perfect beauty," &c. After a while, as I had anticipated, our conversation turned upon the subject of slavery, the English like to talk upon that subject. The admiral asked me if I did not believe it would soon be abolished in the Southern States of our Union. "I replied that I hoped and believed not, that I thought its abolition much less probable now than it had ever been, that the slaveholder had a firmer grasp upon his slave now than he had ever held before, and that I regarded that fact as a subject of congratulation, not to the South alone, but to the whole world; inasmuch as I regarded the institution of slavery as it exists with us, as most conservatory in its tendencies and most beneficial in its results, not only to the whites but to the negroes also." He seemed somewhat astonished. and said he had always supposed that every body admitted it to be a curse, and that the only obstacle to its abolition was the danger and difficulty of liberating so many negroes in our midst. I told him I was aware that such was the generally received opinion, but that it was erroneous; that the frequent dis | quore,

splended model, a splendid craft, I assure you she

ions of the subject had displayed it in its true light to the majority of sensible persons with us, and had demonstrated the fact that so far from being a curse it was a peculiar blessing vouchsafed by a benificent Providence, as well to the doomed inhabitants of unhappy Africa as to their masters, the more fortunate whites, &c. "Ah, but," he replied, "it must be attended with many evils, with great suffering and much brutality," and here he repeated many of the thrice-refuted slanders and falsehoods, upon this subject, which every Englishman has, pat, at his fin-

I replied that I knew of scarcely any thing good in this world that was not liable to abuse and attended with a certain portion of evil. And speaking of the "brutality" exercised towards slaves, I said, "I think it very probable, Sir Charles, that in the course of your long experience, you have witnessed as much brutality in the British navy, as you would have witnessed had you spent your life in the midst of the slaveholders of Virginia." He said, "I dare say, I dare say, God knows I've seen enough, there was a time when sailors had to be treated almost like brutes, but that time is past, and one can get along now by treating them differently-still all that is not like slavery, slavery cannot be justified or defended." "But," said I, "like the condition of the British sailor, the condition of the slave is becoming ameliorated and improved every day of the world, and if his voke is at this day galling in the least, it is only because his ruthless enemies, the Abolitionists have forced his master to tighten it upon his neck." He returned to the attack and quoted "Uncle Tom's Cabin." "But that you know," said I, "is a huge collection of falsehoods." "I will admit," said he, "that it may contain exaggerations, but there must be some foundation in truth for the story it tells." "Yes," said I, "such foundation as I could easily find for writing a book condemning the institution of marriage, as it exists in England at present.

For the last six or eight months past, there seems to have existed among your people a perfect monomania for beating, maining, and murdering their wives, I never glance at your police reports, that I am not sickened by the recital of some fresh instances of this peculiar species of barbarism. Women with their noses knocked from their faces, or their eyes bunged up, their teeth smashed out, their arms broken or their skulls cut open, daily appear before your magistrates suing for the protection of their miserable lives, against the fury of their beastly husbands, om, and told me that he had sent for me to whop whose barbarism you punish by three and six months hard labor-nothing more! And but the other day I saw that a certain English farmer 'in easy circumstances' accomplished the death of his old mother, by

a long process of freezing, starvation and frequent beatings with the 'stalk of a gig whip.' Here, certainly, were 'some foundation' for a book that might be written against marriage in England, and against the having of sons too, for that matter. Still, I presume, as a general thing, it is proper to marry even in England, though I believeour Abolitionists would abolish marriage as well as slavery if they could-What I do say, Sir Charles, is this, that wife-beating, woman-maining, and mother-killing never take place among the slaves, or in those communities.

where slaves are held." The Admiral was far from yielding, and as he met every argument I advanced, with the old exclamation, "Oh, Slavery cannot be justified, it cannot and by the people, and been stigmatized as a Luzabe defended, the civilized world condemns and re- roni a toadling a hanger on to the outskirts of a fashat length, "But how can you say so, Sir Charles, why the -- can it not be justified? I have justified it, and you have not attempted to refute what I have said. I have defended it and you cannot say that my defence is not a good one, a just one; the civilized world does not condemn it; for the United States, Spain, Brazil, Russia and Turkey, (as civilized as some christian countries I could name,) form a considerable part of the "civilized world," yet they do not condemn it. It can be sustained, it is sustained, and it will be sustained as long as this world continues what God made it," &c., &c.

Sir Charles looked at me a moment, smiled at my enthusiasm, and then said, "Oh, slavery is a bad thing, and ought to be put down!" Behold the result of all my talk! I had shaken the prejudices of the English Admiral about as much as if. I had entertained him by singing "Old Dan Tucker." Learn from this the folly of striving with men resolved to

However, Sir Charles made me very ample com-Country and our people. After making us many friends. His mind was highly cultivated, and pos of the Alleghany, dips his beak in the Atlantic, and | in the West. his tail in the Pacific, stretches one wing over Cananext stump speech that I shall have the blessed privilege of making on the soil of the Old Dominion. A day or two after this dinner, we received a very him to the fleet, informing us that the admiral had many others ready also. All the Diplomatic Corps | timely end, and Ward had only been married a few (except the Russians!) and many citizens. The | months, at the time of the unfortunate occurrence. morning was bright and clear, and calm and beauti- The ablest counsel that could be obtained were of a charming day. But alas! for our luck. After | and the prosecution four. which had compelled him to weigh anchor and sail | matchless eloquence. mation from Mr. Buchanan that the fleet had depart- tory to the friends of Mr. Butler. ed for the purpose of placing in a state of Blockade all the Russian Ports in the Baltic, and in the Gulfs

of Finland and Bothnia. And now, the spirit being strong upon me, I do mount the Tripod and prophesy: Woe to thee Great Britain, Woe to thee "Belle France!" For, in this war, 'tis written, Your arms shall not advauce!

Thor Chanticleer crows from the back of the Lion And Leo finds gaffs for the spurs of the Cock Tho' the red Dogs of War have been bidden to "hie-on !" The burly old Bruin your efforts shall mock ! From her den in the North ye may hearken her

growling,-On the banks of the Danube her cubs are at work; A litter of millions, all hungry and howling, And panting for blood of your " Ally, the Turk P

Ye lingered too long, taking counsel of Terror, Ye played the dull game of Diplomacy through. Now, beaten at that, and lamenting your error, Ve hesitate still as to what re shall do! Go, blockade the Baltic, storm Riga and Revel, On the banks of the Volga rage horrible war; But-mark the prediction-the very old Devil Shall fall by your arms, just as soon as the Czar !

PROBLEM. A man who had been tippling all day, was, upon coming home at night, questioned as to the amount of money he had spent; in order to evade a direct answer, made the following reply: If the square of the number of cents which he had spent were multiplied by 5 times their own square root, the product would be equal to the cents in \$388.80.

What sum had he spent? 03-Answer next week. SOLUTION TO PROBLEMS. [FOR THE SPIRIT OF JEFFERSON.] Mr. EDITOR-Sir: The answers of the two Problems in your paper of the 25th of April, are: 48 seconds for the first and 321 seconds for the other.

May 9, 1854. A PUPIL IN No. 16. 13-Fur thanks are due to Senator Hunter for a bound copy of "The Obituary addresses" delivered in Congress on the death of Vice-President King. We return our thanks to Senator Mason for his attention in sending us parts 1st. 2d. and 3d. of the "Message and accompanying Documents," for 1853-'4.

63-A call for a Woman's Rights Convention to meet at Boston on the 2d of June, has been issued by Lucy Stone, Wendell Phillips, &c., names which are synonymous with fanaticism.

.... A bill has passed both branches of the Pennsylvania Legislature, which imposes very severe penalties upon the selling of liquors to intemperate or intoxicated persons, and for the adulteration of li-

CORRESPONDENCE OF THE SPIRIT OF JEFFERSON.] LOUISVILLE, KY., April 29, 1854. DEAR BELLER: As there is so much excitemen roughout the country in regard to the trial of Mat. Ward, for the killing of Professor Butler, I have etermined to address you a letter upon the subject, elieving that it will be read with some interest. The case, if you remember, was moved from this city to the county of Hardin, the Court being of opinion that a fair and impartial trial could not be had here. It was called on last Monday a week ago, and on day before yesterday we received the intelligence

of his acquittal... The news spread through the city with unprecedented rapidity, and created the greatest astonishment imaginable. Every body believed that the Jury would hang, save a few of the "knowing ones," who predicted several days before the verdict was rendered, that he would not be convicted ...

The result was discussed on almost every corner in the city, and the greatest indignation every where Nat. Wolf, one of the Attorneys for the defence having in his speech, (according to the correspon-

dent of the "Courier.") made use of some very scur rilous and inflammatory remarks, in regard to our citizens, was denounced by them in the most violent manner. They were severely commented upon by the "Courier," and "Democrat," On his return to the city, he addressed a note to the former paper, denying the charge, and asking the people to suspend their indement, until time was afforded him to write a vindication. It had but little effect however, and they are still cursing him with the vilest epithets to

be found in the code of billingsgate. A large crowd of boys, with a sprinkling of men and negroes egged his house last night, in the most shameful manner. I have learned to day that his wife, with an infant in her arms, and children clinging to her, fled to the residence of a friend. On yesterday morning, as be was passing along the street, in company with a gentleman, he was attacked by a number of boys with stones, and other missiles, and was compelled to make a precipitate retreat. I think such conduct as this is highly censurable.

An indignation meeting is called to-night at the Court-House, where speeches will be made condemning the course of Mr. Wolf, Hon, John J. Crittenden and the " Louisville Journal," in connection with the trial and other collateral matters. .

I have come to the conclusion that law and order have hid their faces, or have been submerged in the overwhelming tide of popular indignation. Men have permitted their prejudices and their passions to get the better of their judgment, and whenever such a state of things exists, it is impossible to form any conceptions as to the outrages they may commit upon decency and good order.

I have learned from good authority that the jury and several other persons are to be burned in effigy to-night.

I anticipate an exciting time. A large number of the leading merchants on Main street have signed a paper withdrawing their patronage from the "Journal." I think they are doing Prentice great injustice. His course, in the whole affair, has been manly and dignified; and, although he has been assailed by the press here and elsewhere, ionable aristocracy, &c., &c., he has never, in any instance, condescended to reply in a similar strain .-His paper has maintained its high tone, and he now stands with clean hands and an unsullied heart before every unprejudiced man in the community.

The Wards have been his intimute friends for a great number of years, and he owes them such a debt of gratitude, for favors conferred upon him time and again, that, were he to live a century longer, he could not pay it. But, independent of these considerations, he assumes higher grounds to justify his course. The charges against him are: that he has not been consistent, that he did not publish the evidence of the witnesses before the examining court, and that

his prejudices and his sympathies are with the Wards. and that while he is preaching one thing he is prac-I could not do justice to his arguments and statements in the compass of one letter, and as I presume

you exchange with the Journal let me refer you to hold their own opinions. You may convince them, its columns and you can there satisfy yourself that but if you do, it is "against their will, and you know he has thus far triumphed over his adversaries, and that gross injustice has been done him. - Butler was an amiable, unpretending and genpensation by speaking in flattering terms of our tlemanly man, and had a host of warm and sincere

compliments, he said, "I begin to believe in the des- sessed rare combinations of intellectual endowments. cription which some one of your orators gave of the He was considered by those who knew him intimate-American Eagle, when he said "he sits on the top | ly as one of the best, if not the best scholar of his age

Mat. F. Ward I have always regarded as a man of da the other over Mexico, and grasps the continent in superior accomplishments and of fine talent. He has his claws!" Well, thinks I that isn't a bad cagle | contributed to the literature of this country two either, so I got him to repeat it, remembered it, and | books, which do him infinite credit. His manness are am resolved to import it and produce it in the very reserved towards those with whom he is not well acquainted; but, when surrounded by his friends, no one could be more affable, gentle, and agreeable.-Such is his reputation, and I do not question its. kind invitation from Mr. Buchanan, to accompany | truthfulness. His family and connexions are among the wealthiest and most influential in the State, and sent a steamer expressly for himself and his friends, they are all devotedly attached to him. They would and if we could get ready by eight o'clock next! have made any sacrifice to have saved him from the morning he would be happy, &c., &c. We were | disgrace which would have followed & conviction. ready, and upon repairing to the wharf we found | Butler leaves a widow and child to mourn his un-

ful, and every one seemed bouyant with the prospect | employed by both parties. The Wards had eighteen waiting a few minutes Mr. Buchanan made his ap- | The speech of the Hon. Thos. F. Marshall for the pearance with a very sad face, and told us, a dispatch | prisoner, it is said, was one of the most pathetic and had that moment arrived, informing him that cer- beautiful efforts that he ever made. It was just the tain Russian intelligence had reached the admiral field wherein he could display all the powers of his

at once! Probably you never saw so many bright Mr. Crittenden speke for the defence over four faces so suddenly clouded with sorrow. Some of the hours, and won new laurels, as a chaste, impressive ladies actually wept. For my part, I exclaimed men- and polished speaker. Mr. R. B. Carpenter, of Covtally, "'tis the first Russian victory, I wonder if it | ington, Ky, the leading counsel for the prosecution, will be the last." I received yesterday, official infor- made an able speech, one that was entirely satisfac-

> Gov. Helm and Mr. Wolf also spoke for the defence, and Messrs. Allen, Gibson and Harris for the The trial from beginning to end was conducted with great energy and ingenuity. No stone was left unturned by either party, and every advantage was taken that did not conflict with the law, and the

practice of the Courts of the Commonwealth. SUNDAY MORNING, April 30. The excitement in the city last night was intense, exceeding any thing of the kind that ever occurred

At seven o'clock large groups of persons were seen standing about the Crystal Palace (a drinking saloon) and many others were scattered along the pavement of the Court-House vard. At half-past seven they collected in the large Hall of the building, and were addressed by Sherrod Williams, Esq., a member of the city bar. His speech was rather concilliatory; but resolutions of a very inflammatory character were offered. The Hon. John J. Crittenden (who volunteered to defend Ward) was requested to resign his seat in the Senate of the United States; Mr. Wolf his seat in the State Senate, and the Wards, in conjunction with the latter gentleman, were asked to leave the city. They were carried without a dissenting voice. By this time the room had become so densely crowded that they adjourned to the yard, where several thousand persons joined them.

Short speeches were made by different persons, and a witness for the Wards, named Barlow, charged with perjury, was burned in effigy. A large crowd of men, led by a fellow beating a muffled drum, marched from some point up town by the Court-House. They had several stuffed figures, representing Messrs. Crittenden, Prentice, Wolf, and the Wards, which they carried astraddle of rails. I never before heard such demoniac yells as came from

Between eight and nine several thousand persons assembled before the house of R. J. Ward, Esq., (the father of Mat.,) and swore that they intended to burn it down. A number of them entered the yard and placed two stuffed figures, representing Mat. and his brother Bob, against the front door of the building and set them on fire. They then stoned the house with great fury, breaking in the sash of the windows and defacing it in other ways. The conservatory, which contained many rare flowers, was completely riddled with brickbats, and had not some of our leading men taken active parts in pacifying them, I can form no idea of the violence that would have been committed. The front door was entirely consumed, and the building this morning presents a sad

They adjourned to the house of Mr. Wolf, with the avowed intention of tearing it down. Some bricks and other missiles were thrown against it, but the Hon. Wm. Preston, in conjunction with some other

nd the two Wards, were all burnt in effigy at th Court-House. They had the figures suspended from rope, between two trees in the yard, and were fired and consumed, while the mob gave vent to the wildest yells and the most frightful execuations. There were guards stationed at the residences of Messrs. Ward and Wolf, to prevent further violence, and they are still there. The excitement has not yet subsided, and most of the respectable portion of the

ings. It was a very late hour when the mob dis-I consider the whole affair the most outrageous that I ever heard of, and, doubtless, the men who were most active in exciting the passions of the populace, now feel a proud satisfaction in having accomplished a purpose, that reflects disgrace upon themselves, and affixes a dark stigma upon the reputation-

of the city.

citizens condemn in bitter terms the whole proceed-

THE CALIFORNIA DUEL. We published in our last paper, the result of an unfortunate difficulty, which the led to a Duel as between B. F. Washington, Esq., formerly of this town, and. Gen. WASHBURN, both editors, and of San Francisco, California. The article which follows, explains the origin of the matter, and the basis upon which Mr. Washington was challenged. In vindication of Mr. Washington, we deem it but due to his many friends in this region, that what is plead as justification for his connexion with so unfortunate a matter, should at least be seen and read:

FROM THE CALIFORNIA TIMES AND TRANSCRIPT.

Absence from the city will account for my failure to notice until the present time, an article which ap-peared in the columns of the Alta Calafornia of the 14th ult, in which my name is made to figure somewhat conspicuously. The importance to be attached to this article is derived from the fact that it has evidently been instigated by other than those who conduct that sheet, and with this understanding I proceed to respond to its allegations. Its general object was, I suppose, to weaken the influence of the paper with which I am connected, and at the same ne, to gratify at the expense of truth, a dirty and ontemptible revenge, The first charge, based upon information that

'last fall, or in the early part of the winter,' the proposition was made to Mr. Broderick that i he "and his friends would not oppose the presen State Printing dynasty, the present organ No. 1 (meaning the Times and Transcript,) would not op pose election during the present session"—so far as the same involves my conduct, either in word or action, is essentially false in every particular. Every one who knows the position of the Times and Transcript, knows that such a proposition would have been unnecessary, as the support indicated would, as a necessary consequence, have followed a different course than that which it has taken. This is so irresistible a proposition, that extreme indeed must be the ignorance or the knavery that would attempt to gainsay it, and I therefore submit it to an intelligent public without further comment:

"The Sacramento fire of November, 1852, it will be recollected, completely prostrated the present proprietors of the Times and Transcript, They shared in that great misfortune and were pow-erless without help for good or evil. Under these circumstances Mr. Broderick and his friends stepped in to their aid and furnished them the money start afresh. Though this money was subsequently refunded it did not afford a justification for turning viper-like, and sting the hand that nursed it into The proprietors of the Times and Transcript then of the State Journal; after they had reconcrate sufficiently, bought out a controlling interest in that concern, and letting the State Journal pass into other hands, removed to this city, and have since conducted the former paper.

The above is false in every important particular. It is a fact that the Sacramento fire in 1852, did completely prostrate, pecuniarily, two of the present owners of the Times and Transcript, Mr. Geiger and myself; but it is utterly without foundation that Mr. Broderick and his friends stepped in to our aid and furnished us money to start afresh. Of more than six thousand dollars advanced by different persons for that purpose, we recognize Mr. B. and his riends as representing one thousand-himself \$500. Gen. Estill, our warm friend also, \$250, and Mr. Middleton, \$250. The former sum-the last borrowed and first returned-was paid a year since, and the latter, (Middleton's) at a more recent date, with interest at three per cent, a month, notwithstaning but ten per cent, per annum was legally due. Nor is it true, that the then proprietors of the State Journal ever bought out a controlling interest in the Times and Transcript.

" After the election was over, Mr. B. F. Washingroy, the leading editor of the Times and Transcript. told Mr. Broderick that the battle had been won mainly through his personal exertions, that the party owed it to him to elect him to the United states Senate, and that he was in favor of bringing on the election this winter. He said, moreover, that it was for his interest to defer the election, which was equivalent to an intimation that others would reward him-substantially, if he would use his posi tion to oppose Mr. Broderick."

So far as the above is a reflection on the course of the Times and Transcript, it might be true in every particular, and yet not exhibit a case of inconsistency. was the only representative, at that time, of oneeighth of this establishment, and to that extent alon ould assert a control of its columns. The statements. nowever, contained in this extract, are substantially alse, not having a sufficient proclivity to truth t tinge them with its colorings. That I ever was guilty of the absurdity of saving that the victory of the last election had been won mainly through Mr. Broderick's exertions, I emphatically deny. That Mr. B. did his duty in that contest, I am always prepared o admit; but if I were disposed to be invidious, and idduce other names among the great body of the Democracy, I think there would be no difficulty in attaching to them a like distinction. So far as the election for Senator this winter is concerned, I am perfectly willing to admit, that soon af er the last State election, I expressed myself, when the question was first suggested, that I saw no constitutional objection to the same.

It was a new question, which I had never heard nooted, and so far as farther examination has gone, I feel authorized in saying, never entered into the political agitation of any State. My opinions, thereore, given off hand, would not seem to present any ormidable barrier to a more matured and adverse conclusion. To this extent alone, Mr. Broderick has admitted my conversations with him went. That I was ever pledged or committed to him or any one else, either personally or as editor, contingently or otherwise, to support a Senatorial election this win-ter, is utterly devoid of truth. As to its ever being my "interest" to defer an election. I have but to say that if my pecuniary "interest" is meant, the revers is the fact of the case. Every candid friend of Mr. B. will admit, that no influence could have deprived us of the printing, had the Times and Transcript pursued an opposite course. His chief supporters have admitted this a thousand times, and propositions have been repeatedly made by them, whether with or without authority I leave others to say, for a compromise of the opposition of this paper upon that ba-

"Mr. Washington twice called on Mr. Broderick, and urged him to purchase the interest of Mr. Kerr in the concern, and Mr. Geiger also urged him to do the same thing. But Mr. B. very properly refused any affiliation with men who relied for support on money wrongfully taken from the State Treasury and then the came was to drive him and his friends into silence on the printing abuse, or else oppose his election to the Senate. If he would help them, they promised to help him." The lie to much of the above is given in what I have alreany said. It is not true that I ever called on Mr. B. and urged him to purchase the interest of Mr. Kerr. I never had authority to dispose of Mr. K's interest, nor would his interest combined with Mr. Geiger and my own have constituted a controlling portion of the paper. Owing to conflicting opinons among the proprietors upon a number of subjects, Mr. Geiger and myself representing one-fourthwere anxious, soon after the election to either withdraw from or purchase the entire establish This declaration we repeatedly made; and had the consent of the other proprietors, provided we could obtain a certain amount for the entire establishment, to sell it, State printing and all. We had several of-fers for the establishment, but as none of them came up to our estimate, nothing was done. I recollect having one conversation with Mr. Broderick in his private apartment, whither I was invited upon this point, but as he could not with propriety have detailed that conversation, I must infer that he has not done so. I will say, however, what did not take place; I never offered then or at any other time to sell him George Kerr's or any other interest in the Times and Transcript. So far from it, he stated to me most emphatically, long afterwards and since the commencement of the present contest, in front of the Union, that if thirty or even fifty thousand dollars had been asked to have placed that paper in a position to give him its support, he would not have hesi-tated to have furnished it to Mr. Geiger and myself, and it would have been cheap at that, for with its support his election would have been certain.
This much I have deemed it necessary to say in stification of myself, and for the reasons indicated in the outset. The writer of the article quoted from vouches for the truth of his statements. I have only o say that so far as they conflict with what I have said above, they are maliciously false, and until he sustains them by the adduction of a responsible au-thor, he must bear the imputation of occupying the position of a public libeler and liar. BENJAMIN F. WASHINGTON. March 17th, 1854.

ANOTHER LARGE BEEF. Mr. E. B. Hooper, slaughtered on Friday last, one of the largest, fattest, and best beeves ever brought to our market. His gross weight 2,000 lbs. nett 1,328. It was fattened by Mr. John W. Moore of Jefferson county. Mr. Hooper makes every effort to furnish our citizens with superior beef. - Martinsburg

Sunday evening, in Alexandria. A person from Loudoun, who had left his wagon standing for a few minutes near Fish Town, on returning found a valuable horse missing. He mounted another and guided by the track and the neighing of the stolen animal, overtook the thief near Four Mile Creek, and recovered the horse. He gave the rogue a sound pommeling but the fellow afterwards made his escape. capa nos elle a med la en revous Manie

adherence to the truth respecting the pub-accessarily strikes some individuals or as with alarm. Our recent course with derelict banking establishments, and tods those who would force upon the people the wishes, has called down upon us the bitterest im-precations of the few who are directly interested the business of deceiving and robbing the mass of the people at large. From such persons we ask nothing, but we demand the right from all good citizens to be heard in matters pertaining to the If the public funds are placed in hands where

facts' create reasonable suspicion of danger to the State, if our financial credit abroad is to be subjected to shame and dishonor in the business world, we deem it a duty to expose the parties who recklessly consign us to this continuely. If the people are to be robbed by political trick, of an important franchise, we feel bound to stand by them at all hazards, and expose to the best ability within us the odium of the measures, and the movements as well as motives of the men, by which and by whom such nefarious purposes are to be accomplished. With a direct view to the best interest of the blic, we have called attention to the unworthy method of promoting the bold aspiration of David C. Broderick to a seat in the United States Senate. We have denonneed in terms only measured by a respect for the decent courtesies of public discussion, the daring outrage which has been attempted upon the popular franchise. If in so doing, the people see fit to disregard our warnings, which have been given in motives of solemn regard to right, let the people see the second of the secon ple suffer, we have done our duty. We have exposed facts respecting the

establishment of Palmer, Cook & Co., which show to the people not only that that concern is liable to a just suspicion of rottenness, but that California is brought into disrepute abroad among all business men, by either the corruption or mismanagement of There is no middle course to be pursued in these

natters; the truth is to be heralded at the peril of those who would conceal it, either to steal away a legitimate power from the sovereign people, or to rob the State of her public funds or her financial

We can as yet bring no charges of direct dereliction which, under the criminal code of the State will subject Palmer, Cook & Co., to the immediate liability of showing their real condition; yet we will not stand silent spectators when the State is dishonored abroad and when there is just reason to think she will

Where is the spirit of Demogracy, and of that stern integrity and strict accountability which the examples of a Jackson or a Jefferson would have taught? What is the position of our Democratic financial officers of State in this matter? Are the people to be calmly told their coupons, the interest on their bonds, are not paid, and that it is no concern to them? Is the public credit to bestained with dishonor and every citizen of California to be branded as a member of an insolvent or repudiating community without any redress? We stand between the people and such consequences and demand immediremedy for the past and security for the future. We inquire with well advised determination what part the State Treasurer bears in this public disgrace? We demand with the spirit of an injured cople, why the State is thus compromised.

If the house which has been instrumental in disnonoring our State, has dabbled too deeply in the political tricks of the present time; if the pecuniary affairs of that house have been not unjustly suspected of an illicit intercourse with the votes and opinions of public servants under oath, let the people be prompty and correctly informed of the facts. It is due to he industrious tax-payers who support the State, and who are compelled to their allegiance, that they should know what becomes of the revenues they raise. It is due to the enterprising merchants who are burthened to the extent of their endurance, that they should be informed whether all the funds are placed in the hands of bankers who use them contra- ernor of lowa. They will not be ashamed to run for

We demand, therefore, in the name of the people, the right to be informed whether Palmer. Cook & Co. have given political bribes before they failed to pay the State coupons. Whether their delinquency is a consequence of their improper interference in the State measures, or of their private venality. Whether the people are to be sperificed in honor abroad and their nterest at home, by the misapplication of their own funds; and whether the State Treasurer is answering the lawful expectation of his constituents by a meek bmission to the wrong. Until this information is fully given to the whole people, they are toiling in vain for the support of a government, which, while it gives them a nominal protection, robs them of their honor as a commonwealth, rides over them with a ruthless corruption.

CONDITION OF VIRGINIA BANKS. Statement of the condition of the Trans-Alleghany Bunk of Virginia; April 1st, 1854. State Bonds......\$225,000 00 Bills and notes discounted .... 6,950 00 Specie and certificates of specie deposites 199,848 72 Notes of other Banks ..... 940,000 00 Due by other Banks and Bankers ..... 22.877 48 Exchange and premium...... Expenses..... Capital stock paid in ...... Notes in circulation, to wit: Fives......\$28,000 00 Twenties ..... 76,000 60 Fitties..... 24,300 00 Hundreds..... 48,700 00

\$225,000 00 Discount and interest, including interest on State bonds to 1st January, 1854 ..... Due to individuals..... Statement of the condition of the Pank of Ferkeley in Virginia, on Saturday, the 1st day of april, 1854. Amount of Wheeling City coupon bonds guaranteed by the State of Virginia, deposited in the Suspended account, premium paid on above bonds.....

Inland bills and notes discounted ..... Expenses.... 1,058 58 Due from other Banks..... 17,096 10 Notes of other Banks..... 3,071 00 Gold, \$13,564 50; Silver and copper \$147 56..... 13,712 06 Capital stock paid in full .....\$100,000 00 Notes of the Bank in circulation ..... 61,103 00 Discounts received..... 2.045 67 Due to Banks incorporated in the State. 495 13 Due to Banks elsewhere,.... 2.800 37 Certificates of deposite (outstanding) ... 8.127 06 Due to individual depositors ...... 22,444 86 Comparative Statement of the Bank of the Old Do-

minion, March 31st, 1853, and March 31st, 1854. 1853. ..\$379,855 80 \$337,126 69 Bills receivable ..... Va. State and guaranteed 11,586 77 11,148 26 2,177 77 1,452 70 Permanent expense ac't... 1.658 68 1,379 32 Current expense account. Interest due on Cumberland and Ohio Canal 1,860 00 bonds..... Profit and Loss...... Amount due from Banks 329 23 28,189 82 18,753 92 and Bankers..... Notes and checkson Banks Incorporated by State. 17,007 84 Notes of other Banks .... 1.660-00 60,782 37 61,779 50 \$834,742 47 \$823,799 44 Capital stock......\$348,000 00 \$379,800 00 Oue to Banks and Bankers 15,344 35 189,985 22 Individual Deposits..... Discount and Interest ac't | 5,052 74 Exchange account..... 691 16 Premiums secured on sale of Bank stocks ..... 1,335 00 Profit and Loss.... Contingent fund..... Dividends unpaid..... Circulation ..... 270,827 50 297,630 00 \$634,742 47 \$823,799 44 Denomination of notes in circulation, March 31, 1854. Fifties.....\$35,650 00 Twenties..... 60,430 00 Tens..... 52,370 00

VIRGINIA FEEDING THE NORTH.—The Norfolk Argus states that about 30 bbls, of fish of various kinds are daily shipped from Norfolk to Baltimore by one dea ler alone. Another ships on an average 20 bbls. of bard crabs. Later in the season the quantity will be much larger. Fifty bbls. of eggs, hundred,) are sent twice a week to New York by the regular steam packet. One man ships 6,000 to 8,000 bunches of radishes daily to Baltimore. A dealer has sent hence to the New York market, within the last three weeks, 600 bbls. of sweet potatoes, and his clean profit is about one dollar on each barrel. Quite a large business is also done in dried apples and pea-nots. Three hundred bushels of the latter article are weekly shipped to New York by one person, who, within the last four or five months, has also shipped upwards of 20,000 bushels of dried apples.

HIGH PRICES FOR SLAVES -- Mr. H. Buchanan, Esq. Sheriff of Washington county, Va., sold on Monday last, in Abingdon, nine slaves, who the Abingdon Democrat says, brought the following prices—some of which are extraordinary high: A girl, 18 years old, for \$1200; one 18 years, for \$1205; one 13 years, \$1159; one 10 years, \$900, and one 5 years, \$300.—A woman, 42 years old, brought \$800, and one of 82 years, \$75. A man of 21 years brought \$1100, and one of 72 years, \$50. and one of 72 years, \$50.

of the keeper. The sale of liquor to minors, or to any intoxicated person, or any one in the balit of getting intoxicated is prohibited. The penalty for a violation of any of these provisions is a fine of not less than \$20; nor more than \$100, with imprisonment of from ten to fifty days. Intoxication is also declared unlawful, and a person found to be intoxicated is to be fined \$5 and imprisoned from one to three days. Native wine, heer, ale and cider are excepted from the provisions of this act. The following sections are given in the Columbus Journal Sec. 6—Compels any one convicted of violating lowing sections are given in the Columbus Journal:

Sec. 6—Compels any one convicted of violating the act to pay a reasonable compensation to any one who may provide for intoxicated persons, and one dollar per day in addition for every day he shall be

guardian, employer or other person who shall be injured in person of property, or means of support, by an intoxicating person, or in consequence of the intoxicated habitual or otherwise, against him who sells the liquor. It gives actual damages and exemplary damages for injuries. It gives a married woman the same right to bring suit, ect., as a feme sole.

There is in the tenth section a lien given on real and personal property for the fines. Any person renting or leasing property, and knowingly suffering the same to be used for the sale of liquor, said property to be held liable for fines, cost, &c. A Poor WRETCH.-A stranger who hired himself

act as hangman at a recent execution of a slave in Franklin Parish, Tennessee, was horribly lynched by a mob on the ensuing night—beaten, knocked down, stamped and jumped upon, tarred and feathered, and finally deprived of one of his ears. The murderous work was interrupted by the Sheriff and his deputy, before it become fatal, and several of the riminals were committed for trial.

CONVICTED .- We learn from the Petersbung Express that Donnavant, the horse thief, has been convicted before the court of Chesterfield, on the charge of stealing a saddle, and his punishment affixed at imprisonment in the jail for six months. As soon as the term of imprisonment expirs, he will be arraigned for horse stealing.

.... The most stupendous canal in the world is the ne in China, which passes over two thousand miles, and to forty-one cities, it was commenced in the tenth century. A monster work of man.

.... The Staunton Vindicator states that a man named J. A. Fav, a raving maniae, arrived in that town on the 22d ult, in charge of his wife, who designed placing him in the Lunatic Asylum. On account of his extreme illness, however, he was not taken to the Asylum; and on Tuesday last he died. The disconsolate wife, in possession of his corpse, returned to Richmond on Wednesday. The deceased had only been deranged about ten days.

.... Incendiaries are busy in Frederick, Md. On Thursday the sta le of Mr. Adam Nickel was fired, and entirely consumed. On the same night the sta-ble of Mr. John Walter, hotel keeper, was also fired, but the flames were fortunately discovered in time to prevent injury.

.... Wm, Ashmore Berryman, son of Alexander Berryman, of Prince William county, Virginia, was accidentally shot by one of his schoolmates, in Matagorda, Texas, on the 19th of March. .... Rev. Henry Ward Beecher, the Washington News save, will shortly be called to the pastorship of

the Congregrational church in that city. .... A horse was killed in Lebanon, Ohio, on Tuesday morning last, from fright. First, an elephant be-Unging to the Hi podro ne passed by, which nearly killed him. Then came the camels; and that finished him. The horse was previously in good health, .... Two editors have so far forgotten the dignity of their profession as to become candidates for Gor.

.... Hon. John S. Pendleton, of Virginia, late U.S.

Minister to Buenos Ayres sailed from Rio on the

Marrigana On Tuesday, 2d instant, t the house of her father, in V CHANDLEE, of Maryland, MOUNT, of Waterford, Lo On Wednesday, 3d instant the River of Rave. Welry, Mr. JOSLAH

19th of March, in the bark Seneca, for Baltimore.

CHAEL A. MONDAY-both of Waterford, London county, Virginia. On the 26th ultimo, by Port Jones O Party Mr. JACOR S. MYERS and March Harrist KERNEY-both of Berkeley count... On the 4th instant, at Mr. Rawlins' Hotel, in Marinsburg, by Rev. R. A. FINK, Mr. JOHN L. B. COX

and ELIZA A. R. STRODE-both of Berkeley. Deaths. In Loudoun county, at Mountaindale, his residence, on Sun lay, 23d of April, of pneumonis, Mr. HILLERY W. WILLIAMS, in the 31st year of his

On Thursday the 27th ultimo, at his residence on Camp Hill, Mr. DENNIS L. MARSTELLER, in the 43d year of his age. The disceased bore with a Chriscan faith and resignation the conviction of the incurabitity of his molady, (consumption,) and I ke a true tollower of Christ, he awaited cataly and patiently the disposition of a Divine with. We feel fully the magnitude of the less sustained by the death of him, to wh memory this inadequate tribute is inscribed, and we must say in union with those who but the pleasure of his acquaintance, that deaths resistless hand has stripped for our midst one of the brightest ornaments that has ever graced a community, and chilled the heart of one whose orable deportment and exemplary intereruse with his fellow-man, won our warmest esteem and liveliest interest. He was an honorable member of four different orders, and was characterized by his activity in the dissemination of religious principles. O ten has he lighten-ed the grief of the wid w's heart, and smoothed from the orphan's che k bereavement's tear; and prompted by the medication of these benevotent someties to which he belonged, he oft entered the abode of sadness and by kind words and charitable acts, shed a genial ray of kind words and charataste acts, shed a genual ray of hope, whose warm beams dispelled misery's cloud and brightenest the greet sunken eye of the berett. He has left an affect onate wife and five interesting children to mourn his premature death, and may the Almighty God, who is a husband to the husbandless, and a father to the fatheriess, look down in kindness, and by His benign inthus ce and power relieve their hearts from the bereavement which overshadows them.

# The Markets

BALTIMORE MARKET.

[CORRESPONDENCE OF THE SPIRIT OF JEFFERSON.] BALTIMORS, May 5, 1854.

CATTLE.—The offerings at the Scales on Monday were about 450 head of Beel Cattle, of which 100 were driven to Philadelphia, — left over unsold, and the balance (350 head.) were sold to city butchers at prices ranging from \$500 to \$575 on the hoof, equal to \$10 00 a \$11 50 net, and averaging \$5 25

Livs Hoss .- Sales at \$5 750 \$6 00 per 100 lbs. COFFEE.—The sales of the week comprise 2,000 bags Rio at 11 ai2c for common to prime qualities. FLOUR.—The sales to day comprise 450 bbis. at \$3.50, and 450 bbis. at \$3.37. There was a sale also of 1000 bbls. delive able at the option of the buyer from the 10th of May to the 1st of June at \$8.50. At the close of late 'Change there were no buyers for mmediate delivery at over \$9.27; bolders however were indisposed to sell at this figure.

CORN MEAL.—Baltimore ground \$4 00 per bbl.

The following are the inspections of Flour for the week ending May 4th: 13,406 barrels and 69 half bbls. Together with 247 bbls. Rye Flour, and 74 hds.; nd 99 hole Corn Meal. WHEAT .- We quote prime whites at 205a208 cts.

CORN.-We quote at 74a75 cts for yellow, and 70a CLOVERSEED .- We quote sales at \$4 62 per bushel, for fair to prime parcels.

LARD.—We quote bbls at 9; cts.

WOOL.—Fine fleece 33:45 cts; tubwashed 28a34 cts; pulled 27a30 cts; and unwashed 20a22 cts.
WHISKEY.—We note sales of barrels through the week at 26 a 26;c. We quote hhds. at 25a25;c. BALTIMORE MARKET-SATURDAY.

FLOUR AND MEAL.-The Flour market is firm. Sales this morning of 1000 bbls Howard street brands at \$8,50, and on late change 500 bbls at \$8,374 per bbl; also 1800 bbls at \$8,50. City Mills held at \$8,50 per bbl. No sales reported. Rye Flour 5,50 a \$5,62, country Corn Meal \$3,31, and city do, 3,37 per bbl. GRAIN AND SEEDS.—The supply of Grain is moderate. About 2000 bushels of Wheat offered, and sales of good prime red at 2.03 a \$206; do, white at 2.11 a 113,741 30 | \$2,15 per bushel. Inferior lots 2 to 15 cents less. 5,181 81 | Corn is held firmer-About 6,500 bushels offered 603 06 and sales of white at 73 a 75 cents, yellow at 75 a 77 cents per bushel. Some holders are unwilling to take these prices. Rye.—No sales. Oats—About 1,840 85 2000 bushels offered, and sales of Maryland at 52 a 9,379 25 55 cents per bushel. Cloverseed \$4,68, very prime

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Flaxsred \$1,38 per bushel.
ALEXANDRIA MARKET.
FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 5, 1854.
FAMILY FLOUR, per bbl \$9 50 a 10 00
SUPERFINE FLOUR, per bbl 8 25 a 8 25
WHEAT, (red) per bushel
Do. (white) do 1 95 a 2 00
RYE, per bushel 0 90° a 0 92
CORN, (white)
Do. (yellow) 0 74 a 0 76
OATS, per bushel
CORN MEAL
BUTTER, (roll)
Do. (firkin)
BACON, (hog round)
LARD
CLOVERSEED.
TIMOTHY SEED
TIMOTHY SEED
GEORGETOWN MARKET.
FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 5, 1954.
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CONV., per unret
CORN, per bushel 75 a 0 77

WINCHESTER MARKET. FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 8, 1884. CORRECTED WEEKLY BY SAML. HARTLEY, AT THE DE

fra-The P inters' fee for announcement in the "Spirit of Jefferson," is \$5.00, and no announcement will be published until the same is paid, or a responsible name accompany the order.

#### JEFFERSON COUNTY.

SHERIFFALTY NOMINATIONS. C3-A Card.—In reply to "One of the Pco-le" in the Spirit of the 2d of May, I state for his in-semation, and all others who may feel an interest in the matter, that, if the people of Jefferson shall again confer on me the office I now fill, I shall continue my Present deputies in office.

May 9, 1354.

JOHN W. MOORE.

35-1 CARD .-- In order to contradict a false report, which I fear has been industriously cir-culated, for purposes best known to the author, "that I have" or "will withdraw from the contest for High Sheriff of Jefferson county, before the day of elec-tion," I take this method of declaring to the voters thereof, that I have no such intention, nor have I ever expressed any such idea. I will also state for the sa-tisfaction of my friends, that I will not connect myself with any candidate or candidates—not even if such connection would ensure my election.

Respectfully, G. W. SAPPINGTON.

May 2, 1854.

O-We are authorized to announce Henry Tim-berlake as a candidate for the next Sheriffalty of erson county. [Nov'r 22, 1853. We are authorized to announce, Capt. George W. Sappington as a candidate for the next Sher iffalty of Jefferson county. [Nov. 22, 1863, http://www.mounce.com/s.w. Moore, the present Sheriff, as a candidate for the next Sheriff alty of Jefferson county. [Nov'r 29, 1853.

3-We are authorized to announce John Avis, r., Esq., as a candidate for the next Sheriffalty of [D.c'r 6, 1853. [Dec'r 6, 1853. A CARD.
To the Voters of the Jefferson County: BELIEVING myself to be well qualified to discharge all the duties of Sheriff, I have yielded to the carnest solicitation of many of my friends to become didate for the next Sheriffalty, and flatter mysel

with the hope that my intimate acquaintance with the voters of Jefferson county, will ensure my election.

Nov'r 29, 1853 G. W. SAPPINGTON. COMMISSIONER OR REVENUE. 63-We are authorized to announce SAMUEL STONE as a candidate for Commissioner of the Revenue for this County for the next term.

CONSTABLES. MURPHY, as a candidate for re-election to the of-fice of Constable, in the Smithfield District. March 21, 1854.

05-We are authorized to announce Capt. JOHN REED as a candidate for re-election to the office of stable in District No. 3. 17-We are authorized to announce THOMAS JOHNSON, as a candidate for re-election to the office of Constable in District No. 3.

Feb. 14, 1854.

13-I offer myself as a candidate for the office of Constable for the 4th election District of Jefferson county. Should my friends elect me, I promise to discharge the duties of the office with fidelity and to the best of my ability.

J. W. McGINNIS. FF-We are authorized to announce CHARLES G. WRAGG, as a candidate for Constable, in District No.

at the next election. [Dec. 27, 1853. Re-We are authorised to nominate Samuel C. Young as a candidate for the office of Constable in District No. 4. If elected, his best efforts will be given to the discharge of the duties which the office imposes. MANY VOTERS. We have been requested to announce Mr. WIL-

LIAM WEST; as a candidate for re-election as Con-

stable in the Kabletown District, No. 1. He claims

receive again the support of the people of the District February 7, 150%. 15-We are and wived to adaptive CHARLES III. CLARKE COUNTY ATJOHN PIERCE Ar. being the

Clarke County for the office of Sherni, accepts citizens. [April 11, 1854. Thiring had some experience in the duties of Sheriff, I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for that responsible office for the County of Clarke, and hope it may be the pleasure of her citizens again to elect me. E. T. HANCOCK. March 21, 1354-te

## Special Dotices.

RULES AND REGULATIONS, To take effect on and after the 1st of Mag, 1854. For marriage announcements, no charge will be Obituary notices not exceeding six lines will be inserted gratis. The excess above that number of Lu will be charged according to the advertising rates. Tributes of respect will be charged at adver All communications designed to promote the per-sonal interests of individuals, or that do not possess general interest, will be charged for at the usual adrestising rates. Those of an offensive personal character will not be inserted. All advertisements forva, dedby Newspaper agents will be charged at the usual advertising rates; and

must be accommunied by the cash or its equivalent, deducting the commission. Parent us divines shall be charged for at the usual cat is of yearly advertisements, and "bishop notices", double the advertising rates. Extracts from other papers referring to such advertisements will be subct to the regular advertising rates.

Conflidates an nouncements for offices of emolura at will be charged at advertising rates. The above rates are not to vitiate any existing

Thurch Notice.—At a previous meet-ing of the Trustees of the Methodist Church, it was resilved, "That no person thereafter should bury their dead, in the Barying Ground, without paying a certain sum for the same." That sum is to be approprinted to keep up the repairs of the fending around said ground. Wa. P. Henson was alone authorized to receive the money, and as there has been but little paid as yet, the attention of those indebted are called to this notice. Those wishing to select burying places for their families can do so by calling upons ad Hen-son, who will receive payment for the same. The money will be appropriated to the use of the ground WM. A. SUDDITH, Charlestown, May 9, 1354-FP Secretary.

%-Ladies' Fair.-The Ladies of Sheps herdstown and vicinity beg leave to inform the pub-lic, that they will hold a Fair at the Red Men's Hall, commencing on Thursday the 25th of May. They will offer for sale a variety of useful and ornamental articles, prepared for the occasion, and will serve Refreshments at all times. A Dinner will be prepared each day during the Fair. The proceeds will be applied to the M. E. Church about being built; an object which should recommend the Fair to the favor of the public. The Ladies who have it in charge trust that their expectations of success will be real-May 2, 1854.

meet at Mill Creek, Berkeley county, on Thursday, the 11th day of May, at 11 o'clock, A. M. (3-Hampton's Tincture.-The Bastimore

Patriot says: This medicine, which has been before the public for many years, has met with remarkable success, as we have seen from the most respectable sources. A large number of patients who have been relieved, and a number of the medical profession also, who have used it in their practice, have voluntarily given their certificates of recommendation to the pro-

Prictors.

We are decidedly opposed to puffing quack nos trums, but as we have seen so many letters to Messrs.
MORTIMER & MOWBRAY, from the sources above

mentioned, we feel it to be nothing more than justice to call the attention of the public to their advertisement in to-day's paper. For sale by

L. M. SMITH, Charlestown. T. D. HAMMOND, Harpers-Ferry. L. P. HARTMAN, Winchester. Dr. MOTT. Leesburg ALLEMONG & SON, Newtown.

And by Dealers everywhere. (3) Consumption is, without doubt, the most fearfully fatal of all diseases, (except epidemics.) annually carrying thousands to untimely graves. How often could the ravages of this arch destroyer be prevented, if timely remedies were used in allaying, the indammation produced by an ordinary cold.— For Coughs, Colds, Sore Throats, and all similar dis-For Coughs, Colds, Sore Throats, and all similar discases, STABLER'S ANODYNE CHERRY EXPECTORANT has no equal. It is not recommended as infullible, but medical men and others, who have used and administered it, bear testimony to its extraordinary efficacy. It is known to be a "good medicine," and as such is officred to the public, as also STABLER'S DIARRHEA CORDIAL, for diseases of the bowels. See advertisement in another column, and descriptive pamphlets, to be had gratis. Price of each, only 50 cents, or six bottles for \$2.50.

83-Henry's Invigorating Cordial.—The merits of this purely vegetable extract for the removal and cure of physical prostration, genital debility, nervous affections, &c. &c. are fully described in another column of this paper, to which the reader is referred. \$2 per battle, 3 battles for \$5, 6 bottles for \$6. 33; 316 per dozen. - Observe the marks of the

Prepared only by S. E. COHEN, No. 3 Franklin Row, Vine Street, below Eighth, Philadelphia, Pa., TO WHOM ALL ORDERS MUST BE ADDRESS. For Sale by all respectable Druggists & Merchants PEEL & STEVENS, Alexandria, Va., wholesale

SEGARS.—I have a large stock of import-cd Segars on hand; embracing all the best brands imported, to which I would particularly invite the at-tention of all lovers of a choice Segar. May 9, 1854.

T. C. SIGAFOOSE. CLOTHING, CLOTHING.—The subscriber returned from Baltimore the second time this spring, has now a very large stock of CLOTHING on hand, which shall and must be sold, as it is bought for that purpose. All descriptions of Coats, Papes, Vests and Shiets, for men and boys, in the gratest variety. Also, a large stock of Trunks, Vests and Carpet-Bags.

ISA ROSE. MATTING.—14 pieces best Gowqua Matting, 4-4, 5-4, 6-4 White and Checked, bought before the rise, for sale by
May 2, 1854. KEYES & KEARSLEY. 500 PIECES CALICO, 50 do. Gingham, 25 do. Lawns, in store and for sale by May 2, 1354. T. C. SIGAFOOSE. arpet-Bags. Charlestown, May 9, 1854. GENTIAMEN'S WEAR.-A large stock of Clothe, Cassimeres and Vestings of the latest style, for sale by KIRTS.—Colored and Who Corded Skirts,

Gass Linen Silk Cloth, For sale by

May 8, 1964.

T. C. SIGAFOOSE.

DUBLIC SALB OF VALUABLE Under the authority of the last Will and Testament of David Trissier, deceased, I will sell at Public Sale, at the late residence of said deceased, on MON-DAY, the 5th day of June next, all the Real Estate of said deceased, consisting of 3 Lots or Parcels, as follows:

follows:

The first or home lot, contains 762; ACRES, and has on it a CHOPPING or GRIST MILL, & SAW

MILL, THREELOG DWELLING HOUSES,

The first or home lot, contains 762; ACRES, and has on it a CHOPPING or GRIST MILL, & SAW

MILL, THREELOG DWELLING HOUSES,

The other purposes, Water, &c. This property is well located, and valuable on many accounts. The Mills are new and in complete order. The second Lot contains about 193; ACRES, has on it a LOG DWELLING, 50 or 60 acres in Timber, balance cleared and under fence. The third Lot contains 104; ACRES, all in Timber. The Lands lie in the County of Clarke, at the foot of the Blue Ridge, 2 or 3 miles from the river, near Welcli's Mill, about 6 miles from Ashby's Gap Turnpike, and about 5 miles from Snickers' Gap Turnpike.
TERMS.—One-fourth in Cash, residue in three equa annual payments, with interest from day of sale for each parcel. A Deed of Trust and personal security to be given for deferred payments. Possession when terms are complied with.

THOMAS L. HUMPHREY, May 9, 1854-ts HON. T. H. BENTON'S GREAT WORK.

THIRTY YEARS VIEW;

Or, a History of the Workings of the American Government for thirty years, from 1820 to 1850; chiefly taken from the Congress Debates, the public papers of General Jackson, and the Speeches of Ex-Senator Benton, with his actual view of the men and affairs, with Historical notes and illustrations, and some notice of eminent deceased cotemporaries. tice of eminent deceased cotemporaries.

#5-Copies of the above work just received and for sale by

Charlestown, May 9, 1854.

VIRGINIA, Jefferson County, Set.

In the County Court, April Term, 1854.

It is ORDERED, That the Officers conducting the election in this county in May, cause Polls to be opened to take the sense of the voters on the propricty of levying a tax on dogs.

A copy—Teste:

T. A. MOORE,

13-Free Press and Register copy. VIRGINIA, Jefferson County, Set. In the County Court, April Term, 1854. T IS ORDERED, That the Overseers of the Poor A of this county hold their annual meeting for the present year, on the first Monday in June next, at the Court House in Charlestown.

A copy—Teste:

May 9, 1554.

Clerk

Free Press and Register copy. Dr. COOKE OFFERS his professional services to the Citizens of Chalestown and its vicinity.

He will be found at I. N. Carter's Hotel, or at his office one door East of it.

May 9, 1854. Let all the world say what they can, For selling large prizes M. ANSEL & Co. are the men M. ANSEL & CO. EXCHANGE & LOTTERY BROKERS. REEL highly delighted that they are enabled to present to the public some of the most splendid Lotteries ever drawn in this city, and feel sure that many of the large prizes will go to their Virginia friends; therefore all those who are in want of money a little venture with us may fill their pockets with

Schemes for the Month of May: Tickets. | Package Capitais. 10,000 1.25 51.880 9.000 5 of 12.000 4.000 20.000 2.50 10.000 35,000 1.25 6.063 25,000

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G-Behold \$1,424,240!

THE PEOPLE'S GREAT FAVORITE LOTTERY. RICH AND SPLENDID SCHEME.

Grand Consolidated Lottery.

Whole Tickets \$20, Halves 19, Quarters 5, &c.

Bank checks on any place in the United States. A single Package of Tickets may draw the four high-

est Prizes.

63-All letters directed to M. ANSEL & CO. will

come safely to hand, and distant correspondents may

63-We have thus endeavored to be as minute as

always ready to answer letters of enquiry. In order-

ing Tickets, look over the list, select the Lettery, en-

close the money, and direct the letter to our address. TRY US! TRY US! M. ANSEL & CO.,

CHAS. W. SINCLAIR,

RICHARDSON & OVERMAN, UMBRELLA AND PARASOL MANUFACTORY,

No. 106 Market street, Philadelphia.

CAUTION TO THE PUBLIC.

N reply to E. Hunt's card, in the Loudoun Demo-erat, stating that he is prepared to build Drills with

the Compost Attachment as heretofore, we merely

state we know of no Compost Sower of Mr. Hunt's

the one that he has been using herctofore is not his by our consent; he attached them last season but he has

no further right now, as we do not intend to let any

WHO purchased the State Right of Virginia of George Rohr's late improvement in Se d Planter?—Also, who owns half of the United States in said im-INFORMATION WANTED.

provement, and who paid for it? Whose employ-

ment has he (Rohr) been in for the last three years.

and particularly last summer?. Who manufacture

all the Wheat Drills with the Guano Attachment that has been sold in Virginia? At whose expense were they bui t, and who was reing well? Has he (G. Rohr) made one or sold one?

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the Postoffice at Harpers-Ferry

May 5, 1854.

M. Bond, Saml. Beebe, Jno. R. Brooks, Nathaniel Becraft, Thos. Boteler, John Brown, Jno. F. Conning, William Corbitt, 2, C. F. Cosser, Philip Creamer, Margaret Celles, Stillman Dudley, Mahlon Demory, Luke Davis, James Denon, D. Eaton, Danl. Fegans, Levi Groff, Mr. Gordon, Wm. McGill, A. Brimmer Gardner, James Galdings, C. Grate, Saml. H. Go.

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Harding, John Hughes Thompson Hamilton, Rollins Jett, Miss Sarah Leman, Rachel Longbreak, J. W. Latshaw, L. B. McLaine, Jn. G. Miller, Rebecca McGinnis, Mich'l. McDavitt, 2, Franc's L. Moore, Mrs. Ann McGrauth, John Maloy, Jacob Mitchel, Jos. Melvin, Thos. Nicklen, Catharine Nichols, William P. M. M. Sarah L. S. Pallin C. W.

liam Proddy, Saml. A. Pancost, J. S. Rollin, G. W. Richardson, William Small, Jacob A. Small, Jas. H.

Swart, Alex'r Scroggins, Mrs. Laura Shaughter, Mary Strippy, Miss Mary Scarf, M. H. Swayne, Ruth Smith, Mesers. Toneson, Loyd & Co., John Welsh, Rev. David Wilson, Alfred A. Windham, John Wigginton, Alice Matilda Wingate, Elizabeth W. bb.

WANTED IN EXCHANGE.—Bacon, Lard, Hird Soap, Rags, &c., taken in Exchange for

I IQUORS .- Cog . Brandy, Old Port Wire, supe-

just received and for sale by
R. H. BROWN. I rior Old Whiskey, Peach and Apple Brandy,

TRESH GROCERIES .- I am now receiving

and opening a large and gen ral supply of Gro-ceries, Queensware, &c., to which I would call the attention of my customers and the public. Give me a call before purchasing, as they will be sold at prices to please.

R. H. BROWN.

A WHOLE SUIT OF CLOTHES FOR \$3. I will select and sell a complete suit for Summer, Coat, Pants, Vest, and Hat, all for \$3. Any body

CREAT BARGAINS AT THE CHEAP STORE.—150 pair Ladies' Shoes, at 75 cents a pair; beautiful Parasols, all Silk, only \$1; 350 French-worked Collars; the latest styles out, from 50

to 75 cents, worth double the money.

May 9, 1854. ISAAC ROSE.

MATTING, &c.-4-4 colored and white Matting, 6-4 do. do., 4-4 Floor Oil Cloth, 6-4 sup. Table Oil Cloth, 4-4 Common do. For sale by May 9, 1854.

T. C. SIGAFOUSE.

TEAS.—Young Hyson, Gunpowder, Imperial, Green and Black Teas, of fine flavor, in store and for sale by T. C. SIGAFOOSE.

JOHN L. HOOFF.

that can beat that may look out for Barnum

May 9, 1854.

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Charlestown, May 9, 1851-3t

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May 2, 1854—3t HENSON &

The Loudoun Democrat will copy ?t.

Box 363. Post Office, Baltimore, Md.

WM. W. OVERMAN

HENSON & ROHR.

EDWARD HUNT.

feel sure that their orders will be attended to, the

some as if they were here themselves.

of a personal interview.

May 9, 1854.

GEO. J. RICHARDSON.

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May 2, 1854--1v ATTENTION BRICKLAYERS. DEALED proposals will be received up to the 10th of May, for laying the Brick of the new Methodist E. Church, Shepherdstown, Virginia. The bidder to state his prices for laying the same by the thousand, or day. All communications to be addressed to WM. MOULDER, Shepherdstown, Jefferson county, Va. BY ORDER OF BUILDING COMMITTEE.

Aldie P. O., Loudoun county, Va., }

TO THE PUBLIC.

WANTED TO PURCHASE,

NEAR ALDIE, VA.

nd on the farm. The advanced students are taught

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sees, but few can explain.

The design of the Institution is to prepare youn

men for business. To accomplish this desirable end, neither pains nor expense is spared in obtaining eve-

The buildings are new and commodious. The labo-

ratory is conveniently arranged for all the manipu-

salubrity of atmosphere, and beauty of scenery.

The course of instruction is varied to suit the far-

of the previous session.

Terms per Session of Ten Months—Two hundred dollars, one-half payable in advance and the remainder on the first of March. This includes Tuition,

Board, Lodging, Washing, Fuel and Lights. Stu

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Farmers can have their soils analyzed and teach-

BENJ. HYDE BENTON, Principal.

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AND CHEMICAL ACADEMY,

LOUDOUN COUNTY AGRICULTURAL INSTITUTE

May 2, 1854-tf

SPRING AND SUMMER CLOTHING,
FOR MEN AND BOYS,
In great variety and at the very lowest prices. Charlestown, May 2, 1854. ISAAC ROSE. LIST OF LETTERS Remaining in the Postoffice, at Charlestown,

April 29, 1854. William Avey, George W. Boyers, Miss Ann R. Craig, Charles Chase, Thomas Cook, Benjamin Day, Wm. W. Edwards, A. Eichberg, Wm. B. Grubb, Alexander Gordon or heirs, P. L. Huyett, Lewis Hamilton, Wm. Haggerty, H. M. & A. A. Keblinson, Dangerfield Lloyd, Patrick Leddy, H. McCormick, Matilda Mason, Mrs. Frances Miller, Stephen A. J. Moore, Jonas Matheny, C. V. Noves & Brother, James O'Neal, Daniel Ott, Rachel Parker, James Shearer, Jacob Swigart, Daniel Stewart, James W. Stewart, Elisha Snyder, Mrs. Sarah Waters, James P. Wright, Joseph Whittenton. May 2, 1854. JNO. I

JNO. P. BROWN, P. M. SPRING GOODS. 1 Capital prize of \$60,000 | 10 prizes of. \$5 090 | 10 prizes of. \$5 090 | 10 do ... 4,000 | 1 do ... 20,000 | 10 do ... 3,000 | 1 do ... 15,000 | 250 do ... 1,000 HAVE now in store my Spring and Summer stock of Goods embracing every article generally found in a country store. My friends, customers and the public generally are respectfully invited to give me a call 75 Numbers and 13 drawn Ballets. before purchasing and will make it a mutual interest to purchase of me. T. C. SIGAFOOSE.

Package Whole Tickets \$300-shares in proportion.

105-We receive the Notes of all Solvent Banks or Checks of Deposit, and we remit in return for prizes, THE andersigned, having engaged in the M rean-tile Business, are now opening, at Doran's old stand, near the Armory Gate, a very extensive stock of DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, GROCERIES, BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, CAPS, RONSLING &c., to an examination of which they respectfully invite the attention of the public. Their motto is not large profits, but large sales. They are deter mined to conduct their business on the most liberal principles, and to use every effort to merit the public It has many times happened that we have made our correspondents rich before we have had the pleasure confidence and patronage. Whatever they sell shall be of the character represented, and invariably rejuced to such prices that none may hope to undersell possible in all our details. If any important item of information has been omitted, the undersigned are They have established such extensive arrangements as will enable them to supply the market with every article they deal in at the very lowest prices. They

feel confident an examination of the variety, quality and prices of their goods will convince the public that money may be saved by purchasing at their house.

They will give particular attention to the GROCERY AND PROVISION BUSINESS, for which they have made ample room, by an enlargement of the premises, and families may rely with confidence upon being supplied by them with articles in this line, of-fresh and superior quality. They purchased their Groceries, mostly in large quantities and always for cash. They keep a very heavy stock on hand, and can, and will, sell them at prices unusual in this market. The following enumeration will give a general outline of their extensive stock;

Plain, Changeable and Figured Dress Silks; Plain and Figured Mouslin de Laines; Challeys, Lawns, Ginghams, Alpaccas, Canton Cloths; Bombazines, French and English Calicoes; Brown and Bleached Muslins: Ticking, Bagging, Checks, Plaids, Linen Sheet-ings, Table Linens and Oil Cloths; Towelings, White, Red and Yellow Flannels; Irish Linens, Sitk, Crape, Cashinere and Mous-

lin Shawls; Hoisery, Kid, Thread, Cotton, Silk and Silk Nett Gloves; Cambric, Jaconets, Laces and Elgings;
Plain, Barred and Figured Swiss Goods;
Needle-worked Goods, Trinnings, Bonnet Ribbons, Parasols and Umbrellas; Coating Linens, Jeans and Tweeds;

Cassimere, Cassinets, Linen Drills; Cravats, Suspenders, Boots and Shoes of every description for Men, Ladies, Boys, Misses and Silk, Fur, Straw, Chip, Kossuth and Slouch Hats of every variety;
A large stock of Hardware, including Cutlery and House furnishing materials; Rifle and Blasting Powder; Queensware, and Woodware; Window Glass,

Putty, Oil and Paints;
A lot of fine Tobacco and Segars; Bacon, Salt, Fish, Lard, Potatoes, Flour and Corn Meal. They have a choice lot of fine Liquors, wherewith they will supply gentlemen as cheap as the same brands can be bought in the cities. WALSH & BRO. Harpers-Ferry, May 2, 1854-tf HON. THOMAS H. BENTON'S

GREAT WORK.
THIRTY YEARS VIEW,
Or, a History of the Working of the American Government for Thirty Years. From 1820 to 1850. Chiefly taken from the Congress debates, the private papers of Gen. Jackson, and the Speeches of Ex-Senator Benton, with his actual view of men and This Work will be completed in 2 ol., with Historical notes and Illustrations and some notices of

Washington, May 2, 1554. CLASS, GLASS, GLASS.—I have just received a large assortment of Baltimore and French Glass of which are the following sizes: 8x10, 10x12,

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CROCERIES.—I have received a general asortment Groceries, consisting in part of brown, crushed and pulverised Sugar; Coffice; Young Hyson, Imperial and Gunpowder Teas; Rice; Golden Syrup, and New Orleans Molasa: e; Tobacco, Segara, Starr's Rappee, Moccoboy and Senator's Mixture Snuffs; with a general assortment of Spices. Also, a general assortment of China, Queens and Potter's Ware; a large assortment of Milk Crocks. All of which can be bad for cash or upon a short credit at the Market. be had for cash or upon a short credit at the Market House. May 2. THOS. RAWLINS. WHITE GOODS.—Worked Collars, Sleeves, &c., white French worked Robes, Swiss Jaconet and Plaid Muslius, for sale by
May 2, 1854.
T. C. SIGAFOOSE. May 2, 1854. SADDLERY.—I have just opened a large stock of Saddlery, consisting in part of Plated and Steel Bridle Bits, plated and Steel Stirrups, a few hardsoder Sliver plated Bridle Bits, Stirrups, and Spurs, common, silver plated, brass and steel Spurs, raw hide Wagon Whips, Buckles of almost every size and pattern; which can be had at the Market-House for each or a short credit to purctual customers.

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May 2; 1854. THOS. RAWLINS. TUST RETURNED .- To those who are in want and those of our customers who have waited for the return of our Goods which were missent to the West, we have the pleasure to inform them they have returned all in good order and as the delay has thrown them a little back in the season we intend to sell them off at reduced prices, they consist chiefly in fine Dress Goods and Embroideries. May 2, 1854. KEYES & KEARSLEY. MATTING -White and Colored Straw Matting for sale by T. C. SIGAFOOSE.

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MERCHANT TAILORING. THE undersigned has just returned from New York, and is now opening at his Old HE subscriber having rented the GRIST AND SAW MILL, of Col. Braxton Davenport, formerly in the occupancy of Mr. Rankin Johnson, on the Smith-SAW MILL, of Col. Braxton Davenport, formerly in the occupancy of Mr. Rankin Johnson, on the Smithfield Turnpike, respectfully informs the public that he is fully prepared to do all work entrusted to his care. He hopes by close attention to the business and unfiring efforts to accommodate, to retain the former custom of the Mill and largely increase it.

[13] Persons who have Saw Logs at the Mill, delivered before he took pressession, are requested to most Stand, on Main street, a large and general as-ortment of the choicest varieties of Fr and and Eng-sh CLOTHS, CASSIMERES AND LINENS, as also ESTINGS at all prices. He will make and trim to order all work at the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms. Thankful for the patronage here-tofore extended, he hopes he may be able by renewed efforts and greater facilities to retain his old and secure many new friends.

N. B. Goods purchased elsewhere, will be manufactured covers. there on Saturday evening, 13th of May, and assort their Lumber, so that he will not be held accountable for mistakes should any happen.

May 2, 1854—3m GEO. W. BOYERS. actured as usual. J. R. A. REDMAN. Charlestown, April 25, 1854—tf [FF]

By a resident of this county, a good plain Cook, Washer and Ironer. Also, one or two YOUNG SERVANTS. For address apply to the EDITOR. TO FARMERS, DAIRYMAN, AND OTHERS.
The subscribers, having obtained Letters Patent The subscribers, having obtained Letters Patent for their Improved Hydro-Themal Churn, are prepared to dispose of rights for States, counties, and trwns, and individual privileges, on most reasonable terms.

It would be superildous to present, in the form of extravagant newspaper puffs, the many advantages our Churn has over all others. We will simply state that with our improvements butter can be produced from pure cream in from I to 4 minutes, and from fresh unskimmed milk in from 8 to 10 minutes, the milk being fit for table use thereafter.

By the peculiar form of construction of the dasher, the butter is readily accumulated and gathered in In this Institution thorough instruction is given in all the branches of Mathematics of Science useful to the farmer and the man of business. The students are not taught the theory only, but they are instructted in the Practical Application of their studies to the every day affairs of life. They are made acquainted with the phenomena of nature, taught the properties of soils, the requirements of plants, the composition of minerals, the utility of different kinds By the peculiar form of construction of the dasher, the butter is readily accumulated and gathered in mass, requiring no additional labor other than the mere usual scasoning or salting.

Our Church Apparatus is also admirably adapted for the producing of cream ices, the frothing of eggs, &c., and in this respect is most valuable to Confectioners and Families. of rocks, laws of machanical forces, calculations of the strength of materials used for building and other purposes, surveying farms, levelling water courses, laying out roads, making maps, mechanical drawing, calculations required in the construction of machinery, &c. Agricultural Chemistry is thoroughly taught, and illustrated by thousands of interesting experiments in the lecture room, in the laboratory The Churn is simple, cheap and durable in construction, and can be operated by a child eight or ten years of age. In a word the invention needs only to

rawings and giving description of the churn.
Persons desiring further information, Churns, or how to prepare pure chemicals, analyze soils, minerals, marls, &c. ights, will address postage paid, HARRISON & GALLAHER, A workship is furnished with a Turning Lathe and a great variety of too's for working in wood and me-tal. Hence the students have an opportunity of wit-nessing all the branches of mechanism from the fell-Care of John S. Gallaher, jr., Washington, D. C. NEW GOODS.

AM now receiving my stock of SPRING GOODS.

April 18, 1854.

A. W. CRAMER. handsome and costly apparatus, every part of which is familiarly explained. Their attention is not confined to the class book, NOTICE. OTES given at the sale of the property of the late JONATHAN KEARSLEY fall due on the 4th day of May. In my absence payment to be made to Keyes & Kearsley. If not promptly paid no other notice will be given before they are transferred. but they are taken into the laboratory, the workshop, the garden and the field; and they are made acquainted with hundreds of operations which every body

e tried to prove its great and general utility. Circulars will be furnished in a few days showing

will be given before they are transferred.

SAML. C. KEARSLEY,

April 18, 1854.

Executor. Executor. NEW BOOT AND SHOE
ESTABLISHMENT.
Call Soon and Get Bargains. lations in qualitative and quantitative analysis, and the location has all the advantages of purity of water, The undersigned has just opened in the Shops of the Mason, two doors East of the Valley Bank, a BOOT AND SHOE ESTABLISHMENT, at which he proposes to furnish to the citizens of Charlestown and the farmers of the surrounding neighborhood, every kind and description of work pertaining to his business, made of the best material and sold on the The course of instruction is varied to suit the larmer, the merchant, the engineer, &c.

The regular sessions commence on the first day of
October and end on the first day of the following August. Young men wishing to enter as students
should if possible make application before the closing
of the previous existing. most accommodating terms. He has just returned from the East, with a choice assortment of BOOTS, Ladies', Gentlemen's and Children's SHOES, Gaiters of all kinds, made at the very best shops and the ma-terial warranted. He will also manufacture to order, very description of work, and Repairing done at the shortest notice. A call from the public generally is respectfully invited, as his best exertions will be given o render satisfaction to all.

JAMES E. JOHNSON.

Sons of preachers and editors are charged only Charlestown; April 18, 1854-tf Books furnished at store prices, for which the stu-REMOVAL.--NEW SUPPLY.

The subscriber has removed his Establishment to the building adjoining H. L. Eby & Son's grocery store, where he will be happy to see his friends and the public. He has just received from Baltimore an ers and students can obtain pure chemical tests at the entire fresh supply, in part as follows: 1 case Sardines, 1 frail Almonds;

1 frail Filberts, 1 frail Walnuts; 5 boxes Shelled Almonds, 5 boxes Citron; 20 drums Figs, Liquorice; 5 boxes Gum Drops, 3 do. Jujube Drops; 5 boxes Oranges, 2 do. Lemons; 1 box Conversation Lozenges; 1 box Port Wine Drops, 1 do. Brandy do.; 5 dozen Lemon Syrup, 50 lbs. assorted Lozenges; 1 cask Currants, 12 boxes Raisins; 1 lot of nice Baskets;
1 case Brandy Peaches, 2 cases Pickled Onions;
2 cases Cucumber Pickles, 1 bag Palm Nuts;
Also, a fresh lot of Water and Soda Crackers.
April 18, 1854.

J. F. BLESSING.

WRITING SCHOOL. THE undersigned returns his most sincere thanks to the citizens of Charlestown and vicinity, for TER in the art of PENMASHIP; and hopes to merit a continuance of the same He, having been engaged for sometime in giving instructions, to a class in this place, and, rendered entire satisfaction to those who have been in attendance, still offers his services to all who desire to im prove in this noble art. JOHN T. SKINNER.

Charlestown, Feb. 23, 1854-tf SURGICAL AND MECHANICAL HE undersigned tenders his thanks to the Citizens of Harper's Ferry and Bolivar, for their liberal patronage, during the time he has been with them. And having permanently located himself in West Bolivar, would respectfully solicit a liberal share of the patronage of that place, and the surroundng Community. Those desiring teeth extracted-artificial teeth inserted-either on pivots or gold plates, can have it done in the most modern and scientific manner.

J. S. AULABAUGII. Sept. 20, 1953. BLAKE'S PATENT FIRE PROOF PAINT.

The subscriber has received a large supply of this aluable Paint, which he is prepared to sell at the Charlestown, April 25, 1854. L. M. SMITH. most reasonable rates. FRESH DRUGS AND MEDICINES.
A FINE assortment of DRUGS AND MEDICINES have just been received, which will

compare with any received in this market.— Country Physicians will do well to call and examine. For sale wholesale or retail by

1. M. SMITH. REIGHT accounts must be paid promptly, or all articles will be held until the freights are paid without respect to persons.

E. M. AISQUITH.

Charlestown Depot, April 25, 1854. 10,000 FEET inch PLANK;

"half-inch PLANK;
With Gondels Sides and Ribs—for sale at the Charlestown Depot. April 25, 1854. E. M. AISQUITH.

NOTICE. On and after 1st day of April, 1854, my SHAVING AND HAIR DRESSING SALOON will be closed on the Sabbath. I will keep open on Saturday night until 11 o'clock, P. M., hoping this will meet the approval of my customers.

BENJ. COOK. April 4, 1854. CANAL OPEN. THE undersigned are now prepared to resume bu-siness on the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal. They will buy all kinds of GRAIN, and supply Peruvian Guano, Plaster, Salt and Lumber in all its varieties Now is the time to lay in a supply of Peruvian Guaho for Fail use. A delay until the fall would probably again disappoint our farmers in procuring this valua-ble manure. We require the cash to be paid to us in-every instance and then it will be purchased at the

R. S. BLACKBURN & CO. March 7, 1854. [F. P.] THE undersigned have removed to the new and commodious Store-Room, under the office of the "Spirit of Jefferson," where they expect to retain the the East, and designs procuring one of the largest and

patronage of their old friends, and from enlarged and superior capacities of accommodation, to receive the visits of many new ones. One of the firm is now in most carefully selected assortment of Goods ever offered in this market, to which the attention of the public generally is most respectfully invited.

BROWN & WASHINGTON. Charlestown, April 4, 1854. NOTICE. O COLORED PERSON, free or slave, will be

permitted to pass on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, unless some good and responsible white person vouches for them and gives bond of indemnity at this office.

F. BECKHAM, Agent. Harpers-Ferry, April 4, 1854.

FOR SALE.

I HAVE for sale, 200 tons of PLASTER, ground, on reasonable terms.

Kabletown, Feb. 14, 1854.—tf [F. P.] WINDOW GLASS.—French and American Glass of the following sizes: \$x10; 10x12, 10x 14, 10x15, 11x14, 12x16, 12x18, 14x20, and 18x22 for sale by [April 25] L. M. SMITH. FRESH SUPPLY OF NEW SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS. The subscriber most respectfully informs his friends and customers that he has just received and is now

son and will thus form a complete work by itself, containing 700 double column Royal 8 vo. Pages.

Price \$2,50 per vol., pay on delivery.

Citizens of Jefferson county, desiring to subscribe, can see the prospectus by calling on W. W.B. GALLABER, at the Free Press Office, who will receive subscription for this valuable work.

Washington V. HOLLINGSTON TO General assortment of DRY GOODS AND GROCERIES, embracing every variety usually found in country stores, which for style, quality and price are unsurpassed in the Valley. His stock was purchased at the lowest figure for cash which will enable him to sell at greatly reduced prices. He invites an examination of his Goods, feeling assured that they will give entire satisfaction.

Washington V. HOLLINGSTON TO Country the property of the prope

LING HOUSE attached. Terms liberal. Apply to WALTER SHIRLEY. February 21, 1851-tf

CEMENT.—Hydraulic Cement, in barrels, just received, by H. L. EBY & SON. March 23, 1854. 25 SACKS G. A. AND FINE SALT. JERE. HARRIS.

ONION SETS AND PEAS.—Just received a fresh supply of Onion Sets. Also, Marrowfat Peas, for sale by L. M. SMITH. Charlestown, April 25, 1854. CLOTHS, CASSIMERES & VESTINGS An assortment unequalled in this town, at low prices. [April 25] JERE. HARRIS. HORSE COLLARS.—To accommodate the Farmers I purchased 3 dozen of the very best that has ever been in this town, and for sale at fair prices. [May 2.] JERE. HARRIS.

OILS, OILS,—Fish and Sperm.
May 2, 1854: JERE. HARRIS. STRAW MATTING.—A few pieces.
May 2, 1854. JERE: HARRIS. 1,200 STRAW HATS, from 124 cents to Charlestown, May 2, 1854. Cheap Store, Coal-Anthracite and Cumberland.

After several months of peace and quictness I again enter the archa, and am now prepared to furnish all kinds of COAL a little lower than any competitor. All persons wishing the article will please send their orders immediately.

Communications addressed to JAS. A. BECKHAM, Box 923, Laltimore, Maryland,

April 15, 1854—tf.

[FF]

April 25.

Principal Depois at M. WARB, Close & Co., No. 83 Maiden Lane, New York. T. W. Dyorr & Sons, and Jenkins & Harsthoane, Philadelphia. Bennert & Beeas, No. 125 Main street, Richmond, Va. And for sale by Dr. L. M. SMITH, Charlestown, T. D. HAMMOND, Harpers-Ferry, and by Dualers in Medicines every where.

August 16, 1853—17

BACON, BACON, -2,000 ibs. for sale.

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JERE, HARRIS.

VIRGINIA, Jenerson County, Set. In the County Court, March Term, 1854.

A T a Court continued and held for said County, on A Friday, the 24th day of March, 1854.

The Court makes the following appointments of Commissioners, and Officers, to conduct the election on the Fourth Thursday in May next, of County Officers, viz: A Shariff for the term of two years from the first day July next, a Commissioner of the Revenue for the term of two years from the first day of February next, a Constable by the voters of each District, for the term of two years from the list day of trict, for the term of two years from the 1st day of July next, and a Justice of the Peace by the voters of District No. 1, (Kabletown,) to serve until the 1st day of August, 1856, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of John C. R. Taylor, Esq.

District No. 1, (Kubletown.) Logan Osburn, Fisher A. Lewis, Or any two or more of themy Commissioners. Asaph Wilson, William West, Constable Hierome L. Opie. District No. 2, (Smith field.) Robert W. Baylor, S. L. Minghini, Or any two or more of Dr. Mann P. Nelson, Geo. Murphy, Constable

Walter Shirley, George W. Tabb. District No. 3. (School-House, Charlestown James Wysong, Andrew Aldridge, Or any two or more of John J. Lock, William H. Griggs, Wm. C. Worthington, Joseph M. Brown. Officer. District No. 4. (Court House.) Wells J. Hawks, Or any two or more o them, Commissioners. Francis Yutes, John W. Gallaher,

George H. Tate, George W. Eichelberger Isaac N. Carter. Officer. District No. 5, (lower district, Shepherdstown.) John Wysong, John F. Hamtramck, Or any two or more o them, Commissioners. Daniel Cameron, George Byers, Jacob W. Reynolds, Jacob Cookus, Constable District No. 6. (upper district, Shepherdstown.) Alex. A. Boteler, Or any two or more of Thomas H. Towner, Edmund I. Lee, Vincent M. Butler,

R. D. Shepherd, Jr. Officer. District No. 7. (Bolivar.) Carey Thompson, Or any two or more of them, Commissioners. William Smallwood Samuel W. Strider, Officer. District No. 8, (Hurpers-Ferry.) Or any two or more Jeremiah Fuss, John G. Wilson, them, Commissioners. Nath'l W. Manning, Philip Engle, Jr. Officer. A. H. Herr, Jesse Schoffeld.

A copy—Teste: April 4, 1854—td T. A. MOORE, Free Press and Register copy. A CHANGE.

1. C. SIGAFOOSE has removed his STOCK OF GOODS to the house formerly occupied by Brown & Washington, where he would be pleased to see his ustomers and friends. Charlestown, April 4, 1854.

MARTINSBURG ACADEMY, CHAS. E. FAHNESTOCK, PRINCIPAL The friends of this Institution are most politely in formed that its duties were resumed on Monday the 3d of April. Terms will be made known upon application to the Principal or to Col. P. C. PEN DLETON, President of Board of Trustees.

April 4, 1854-tf LADIES' SHOES. HAVE just received from Baltimore and Philadelphia my Spring supply of LADIES' WORK, of the latest style and as the most approved manufactures, Ladies' black and colored Gaiters, \ A superb Do do half do article.

Do French Kid Slippers;

Do do Monroe do Do Buskins and Turns; Misses Fancy Boots, Shoes and Slippers; Childrens, a great variety of styles and qualities. I offer the above at prices which I think cannot fail S. RIDENOUR. Charlestown, April 4, 1854.

50 TONS COAL UST received at the Charlestown Depot.
April 4, 1854.

E. M. AISQUITH. NEW GOODS. AM now opening a large assortment of splendid SPRING GOODS, all of which I am determined to sell cheaper than ever for cash to good customers, or on a short credit. Also, a fresh supply of choice GROCERIES. Please call and examine for your-

PHILIP COONS. G-I will take in exchange for Goods, Corn, Rye, Pointoes, Butter, Eggs, Rags, Wool, &c. Harpers-Ferry, April 4, 1854—FP P. C. TUST ARRIVED. The undersigned has just returned from the East-ern markets with the largest and most complete STOCK OF GOODS he has ever offered at this place,

selves, if you want bargains.

all of which has been purchased on the very best possible terms, and will be sold as low as any goo the same quality can be in the Valley of Virginia, consisting in part of the following articles, viz: Cloths, Cassimeres and Tweeds; Fancy Cassinets, at very low prices;

Silk, Satin and Marsailles Vestings; Italian, Cloth and Summer do A good assortment of Cotton Goods for Summer wear; An assortment of Bleached and Brown Cottons Do do Osnaburg Cottons; Black, plain, striped and figured Silks; Tarltons, Illusions and Sarcenetts; Swiss, Cambric and Jaconet Muslins; Plain and figured Canton do.; A large assortment of Calicocs and Ginghams;

Berages and Berage de Laines, very cheap; Lawns, Muslins, &c. Irish Linen and Linen Tablecloths; Linen, Silk, and Cambric Handkerchiefs: Crape, Silk, and Cashmere Shawls, of every variety: French-worked Collars and Cuffs 1

Dress Trimmings, &c.; Silk and Straw Bonnets, very cheap; Artificial Flowers, &c., and almost every thing in the fancy way; Ladies', Misses and Children's Shoes; Hats and Caps, of every quality and price. Also, a large stock of Groceries of the best quality,

onsisting in part of— Coffee, Sugars, Checolate, Tennt Molasses, Syrups, Bacon, Salt, &c. Also, a good assortment of Hardware; Cutiery, Carpenters' Tools, &c. Waiters, Looking Glasses, and Tinware. A large stock of Queensware, &c.
All of which will be sold on the very best terms.

Those who desire to get good and cheap bargains are respectfully invited to call before purchasing elsewhere, and judge for themselves. JOHN G. WILSON. Harpers-Ferry, April 13, 1854.

REMOVAL OF HUNT & EVANS TIN AND SHEET IRON FACTORY.
This Establishment, so long celebrated for the manufacture of its superior quality of Tinware and the manner of putting up Spouting and Roofing, has re-moved from their old stand, on Main street, to the large and commodious Ware-Room formerly occus-pied by H. L. Eby & Son, near Sappington's Hotel, where they now have on hand a large stock of all kinds of TINWARE, among which will be found the celebrated Patent Condensing Coffee Pot, which has the reputation of saving at least one-fourth the quan-tity of coffee used by the ordinary pots—all of which will be sold wholesale or retail at the lowest market rices for cash or trade. ROOFING AND SPOUTING .- Special attention is paid to this branch of the business by one of the partners, and their patrons may rely on all work bepartners, and their patrons may rely on all work being executed in the best possible manner, at the
lowest rates and with punctuality and despatch.—
Orders from the adjoining counties solicited.

LIGHTNING RODS.—Iron Rods with silver plated
points, brass connecters, glass insulaters and mallerble fastenings, will be put up in a durable manner
and at law sates.

BATHING TUBS AND SHOWER BATHS .- A large assortment of Boston Bowls, Bathing Tubs, Shower Baths, Hip Baths, Foot Tubs, &c., &c., finished in the neatest manner will always be found on hand at this establishment.

JOB WORK, of every description, connected with the Tin and Sheet Iron Business, will be done with neatness and promptitude—in short this shall be the place for work to be done and well done, and great bargains will be given to all its patrons

Charlestown, April 18, 1851.

(3)-Cotton Rags, Wool, Hides, Sheep Skins, Old Copper, Brass, Pewter, Lead, Iron, Dried Fruit, Brans, Corn, Hay, Oats, Wood, Bacon and Lard, taken in exchange for ware or work. WHITE GOODS. PLAID Cambries; Phain do, and Jaconets; Plain and Figured Swiss; Colored Swiss; Tarltons. Setne

very desirable and cheap. April 25, 1854. JERE, HARRIS. FACTS CANNOT BE DOUBTED. Let the Afflicted Read and Ponder!

MORE than 500 persons in the City of Richmond,
Va., alone testify to the remarkable cures performed by CARTER'S SPANISH MIXTURE.

The great Spring Medicine and Purifier of the blood is now used by hundreds of grateful patients, who tesis now used by nundreds of grateful patients, who tes-tify daily to the remarkable cures performed by the greatest of all medicines, Carter's Spanish Mixture. Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Scrofula, Eruptions on the Skin, Liver Disease, Fevers, Ulcers, Olu Sores, Affections of the Kidneys, Diseases of the Throat, Female Complaints, Paines and Aching of the Bones and

Joints, are speedily put to flight by using this great and inestimable remedy. and inestimable remedy.

For all diseases of the Rhood, nothing has yet been found to compare with it. It cleanses the system of all impurities, acts gently and efficiently on the Liver and Kidneya, strengthens the Digestion, gives tone to the Stomach, makes the Skin clearand healthy, and resource the Constitution, enfectled by disease or broken down by the constitution, enfectled by disease or broken down by the constitution. ken down by the excesses of youth, to its pristine va-

gor and strength.

For the Ladies, it is incomparably better than all the cosmetics ever used. A few doses of Carter's Spanish Mixture, will remove all sullowness of complexion, bring the roses mantling to the check, give elasticity to the step, and improve the general health in a remarkable degree, beyond all the medicines ever heard of.

A large number of certificates of remarkable cures. cines ever heard of.

A large number of certificates of remarkable cures performed on persons residing in the city of Richmond, Virginia, by the use of Carter's Spanish Mixture; is the best evidence that there is no humbur about it. The press, hotel keepers, magistrates, physicians, and public men, well known to the community, all widd their testimony to the effects of this GREAT BLOOD PURIFIER.

Call and see a few hundreds of the certificates around the bottle.

None genuine unless signed BENNETT & BEERS, Daugners.
Principal Depots at M. Ward, Close & Co., No. 83 Maiden Lane, New York. T. W. Dyott & Sons, and Jenkins & Hartshogne, Philadelphin. Bennert & Beess, No. 125 Main street, Richmond, Va. And for sale by Dr. L. M. SMITH, Charlestown, T. D. HAMMOND, Harpers-Ferry, and by Dealers in Medicines every where.

August 16, 1853—17

JOSTAH PERHAM salamits to the People of the United States, his THEED MONSTER CIFT ENTERPRISE, in connection with the Exhibitions his Magnificent and Immense Merror of North and South America

At ACADEMY HALL, 663 Broadway, New York, 105-100,000 Tickets Only, at 9f Each, Will be sold. Each Purchaser of a Ticket for the ADMISSION OF FOUR PERSONS to the Exhibition, will be presented with a Numbered Certificate, entitling the Holder to One Share in the following 100 000 73:65. 100,000 Gifts : FARM, located in Harrisen Township, Glouceste county, New Jersey, and within 15 miles of Philadelphia. It embraces over 100 Acres of Land, in a high state of cultivation, with Dwelling, Barns, and other necessary Out houses, in good repair. There is a large Orchard of choice Fruits. Title indisputable. Valued as 

A PERPENDIAL LOAN without security or interest, 5,000 " \$500 ea. 1,000 THE CELEBRATED TROTTING MARE, "Lily Dale," who can trot, in harness, a mile in 2. (A portion of the Pianos are T. Gilbert & Co's Celebrated Æolians. Others of Hallett, Davis & Co's Splendid Instruments.)
The Splendid Series of Paintings known as

"MIRROR OF NEW ENGLAND AND CANA-50 ... 2,000 " Pens and Cases, 

Valued at \$96,580 ONE GIFT FOR EVERY TICKET. In order to insure to all concerned a perfectly fair and satisfactory disposition of the above named Gifts, Mr. Perham proposes that the Shareholders shall On Thursday Evening, June 22d, 1854, (Or sooner, if all the Tickets are sold—due notice which will be given,) at some suitable place, herea which will be given.) at some suitable place, hereafter to be designated, and appoint a COMMITTEE OF FIVE PERSONS, to receive the property, which they may dispose of in such numer—by lot or otherwise—as the Shareholders, in general meeting, shall direct, the Committee giving good and sufficient bonds, if required by the Shareholders, for the faithful performance of the auties required of them.

Shareholders residing out of the city of New York, will stand more the same feeting as residents and will stand upon the same floting as residents, and whatever may fall to their shares will be forwarded to them in such manner as they may direct, after the partition has taken place.

[17]-All orders for Tickets, by mail, should be addressed to JOSIAH PERHAM, ACADEMY HALL,

[66] BROADWAY, NEW YORK. If it should hap-

en that all the Tickets are sold when the order is received, the money will be returned, at our expende for postage. Corresponder ts will please write dis-tinctly their name, residence, County and State, to prevent errors. Or, if convenient, enclose an enve-lope, with their directions on it in full-in which, such Tickets as they may order will be returned. April 25, 1854—td

\$5,000 WORTH READY-MADE CLOTHING. ISAAC ROSE'S Just opening at

Charlestown, April 4, 1854. DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP. THE Copartnership heretofore existing between HUNT & SUDDITH, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. EDWARD HUNT, March 21, 1851. WM. A. SUDDITIL

ATTENTION, FARMERS! THE undersigned having bought of HENSON & ROHR, their late Patent for sowing GUANO, which he will use to his Drills only, he is now ready to manufacture at his shop to order, Rohr's WHEAT DRILL, with a considerable improvement upon the oscillating rod-which he thinks will meet the approbation of every farmer. All orders from any part of the State of Virginia will be strictly attended to. CG-COUNTY RIGHTS will be sold to those who

may wish to buy. WM. A. SUDDITH. Charlestown, March 29, 1854-St SPRING AND SUMMER. CHARLES H. SMITH & CO., BERRYVILLE CLARKE QUINTY, VA.,

Respectfully invite the attention of purchasers to the large and splendid stock of DRY GOODS, &c., &c., just received from the Northern markets. Included will be found—

Black and colored DRESS SILES; Organdies and Mouslines; Bareges, Lawns and Tissues; MOURNING GOODS in every fabric; Chintzes, Calicoes and Ginghams; CLOTHS, CASSIMERES and VESTINGS;

FANCY GOODS in great variety; An assortment of GENTLEMEN'S CLOTHING; CHOICE TEAS AND GROCERIES; QUEENS AND HARDWARE:

31 SACKS GROUND ALUN SALT;

10 SACKS FINE SALT, TAR IN BARRELS. MEDICINES, BOOKS, STATIONERY, &c., &c.

Which they offer on favorable terms, and at as low prices as any other store in the country. W-We wish to engage a good Salesman, one who has had some experience in the business.— References required. Apply personally or by letter to CHARLES H. SMITH & CO.

Berryville, April 11, 1854-6t NEW SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS, OF UNSURPASSED BEAUTY. The subscriber has just received one of the most desirable STOCK OF GOODS it has ever been his pleasure to offer the public, embracing the latest and most fashionable styles for both Ladies and Gentlemen. Purchasers are invited to examine his goods, which he can confidently recommend.

April 11, 1554

JERE. HARRIS.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE. HE undersigned have this day formed a Copart-ship, under the name of HOFFMAN & BROTHER, for the purpose of prosecuting a general COMMIS-SION, BOATING & FORWARDING BUSINESS, on the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, and pledge
themselves to give their undivided attention to all
business entrusted to them.

R. H. HOFFMAN,
P. R. HOFFMAN

P. B. HOFFMAN. Harpers-Ferry, March 1st, 1854. O-One of the Firm will be located in Georgetown and will give his personal attention to orders for LUMBER of all description, GUANO, PLASTER, SALT and GROCERIES generally. FISH will be put up to order, for family use, wit ur best care. HOFFMAN & BROTHER. our best care.

April 11, 1854-3m To the next of kin of Somerville Holmes, Orphan son of Richard Holmes, dec'd.: TAKE NOTICE—That the undersigned, having qualified as Guardian of said Somerville Holmes, an infant under the age of 21 years, in the Orphans' an infant under the age of 21 years, in the Orphans'
Court of the city of Baltimore, will petition the Circuit Court of Clarke county, Virginia, as such Guardian, at its next term, commencing on the 12th day
of May, 1354, to order George W. Bradfield, a Special Commissioner appointed under a decree of the
said Count, in a suit therein depending in the name of
Holmes, &c., vs. Holmes, &c., to pay and deliver to
me, as Guardian aforesaid, all the money in his hands,
belonging to the said Somerville Holmes, being his
distributive share of the proceeds of the sale of a certain tractof land in the said county of Clarke, belonging to the heirs of said Richard Holmes, deceased,
which was sold under the authority of the said Court, which was sold under the authority of the sold Court, and to authorize me to remove the same to the city of NEHEMIAH P. HAYWARD,

April 11, 1854-4w ANY quantity of POTATOES,
April 11, 1854. R. S. BLACKBURN & CO. WATCHES, JEWELRY, &c. HE subscriber has just returned from the East-WATCHES, JEWELRY, SILVER-WARE, CLOCKS and a general assortment of FAN-

April 11, 1954. CHAS. G. STEWART. MONROE'S NOTICE.

TO THE PUBLIC OF JEFFERSON AND ADJACENT COUNTIES.—The undersigned would respectfully say that he is still engaged in and will undertake any amount of HOUSE, SIGN, AND ORNAMENTAL PAINTING, in all and every variety of style and workmanship. Hav-ing, with a view to improvement as an artist, spent six weeks in the Northern cities and principal towns during August and September last, he is confident that he is prepared to accomplish all FORMS VARIETIES AND SHADES OF COLORING after the latest styles. Attention he particularly asks to the latest and most beautiful method of finishing parlors with white enameled paint, presenting a brilliant, glossy white surface, which can be washed at pleasure without the least injury to the material or shining surface—warranted to stand for years. He in or Shingles, in the very best manner with Blake's Fire-Proof Paint, which ensures against fire or decay.
Returning his sincere thanks for past encouragement, he hopes for a continuance of employment at home and from abroad. All orders addressed personally or by mail will be thankfully received and promptly attended to.

GEORGE B. MONROE.

Charlestown, April 11, 1954—2m

PROFESSIONAL NOTICE. DR. E. L. WAGER having permanently located at the late residence of Jas. H. H. Gunnell, dec'd, near Shannondale Springs, respectfully offers his PROFESSIONAL SERVICES to the Publichoping by diligent attention, and with eight years experience, to merit the confidence of all who may that the providence of the providence of the spread of the s

JOHN L. HOOFF is now receiving and opening a large and general stock of DRY GOODS, GROCE-RIES, HARDWARE, &c., to which he invites the

AUCITUN SALES PUBLIC SALE OF HOUSE & LOT

AND PERSONAL PROPERTY.

The subscriber will ofter at public sale, on the 18thinstant, his valuable HOUSE AND LOT, situate at
Berryville, in Charke county. The 1st contains five
acres in a high state of cultivation. Improvements?

One good DWELLING HOUSE, with a pump
intent of good and never-failing water in file yard;

Plies Stable, Granary, and other contenient outhouses. The situation and improvement of said property renders it highly desirable as a private residence, or to earry on any mechanical business, or for
Both.

Terms-One-third cash, the belance in one and two Terms—One-third cash, the balance in one and two years, with interest from date, the latter payments to be secured by deed of trust on the property. Possession given on the 13th instant.

N. B. It not sold on or before the 13th day of the present month the property will be for rant.

ALSO—

The following Personal Property will be sold on the ground of the property will be sold on the ground of the property will be sold on the ground of the property will be sold on the ground of the property will be sold on the ground of the grou

same to day, to wit: same to day, to wit:

1 good Work Horse, I first-rate Milk Cow;
I lot of Hogs, I Carryall;
1 set of Barouche Harness, I set of Stills,
HOUSEHOLD AND KYTCHEN, FURNITURE. Bureaus, Safes, Tables, Chairs, Bedsteads;

Beds and Bedding, Store; And a great variety of other articles too numerous to Terms-A credit of nine months will be given on all sums of five dollars and upwards, the purchaser giving his note with approved scarify—all sums under five dollars the cash will be required. No property to be removed until the terms of site are complied with.

CHAS. F. HENIS. May 2, 1854.

A VALUABLE HOUSE AND LO FOR SALE. The undersigned, having purchased a farmand in-tracis moving on it, will ofter for sale, to the highest bidder, on the 12th day of May, 1854, one of his HOUSES AND LOTS IN BERRYVILLE, which he now occu, ies, I in g on the Main street, containing from r<sub>2</sub> to 2 Acres, with all the improvecontailing from 1, to 2 Acres, with all the improvethat ments thereon, consisting of one RRICK
(1774) HOUSE, 35 feet long, 20 feet wide and two
17752 stories high, with a good Dining Ro m, Cellar and Store Room in the Basement. Also, a good
STABLE, sufficient for twelve head of borses; CornHouse, Carriage House and Granary, with a large
and first-rate MACHINE SHOP, 32 feet long by
22 feet wide, two stories high, and is considered

FRUIT TREES, just commencing to bear, of the very best quality that could be selected from Mr. Alry best quality that could be selected from Mr. Allen's Nursery.

All the buildings are new and in complete order,
having been built within the last five years.

Further particulars not necessary to be mentioned,
as any person desirous of purchasing the property
will of course view and judge for themselves.

To any person purchasing the property, possession
will be given on the 1st day of January, 1956.

Tame of Sa'e.—On giving possession, \$1,000 will
be required to be paid; the deferred payments to be
made in one, two and three years, with interest from
day posses ion is given.

MASON ANDERSON.

Berryville, April 25, 1854—ts FOR SALE.

April 25, 1854—ts [rp] PUBLIC SALE OF BOOKS.

PUBLIC SALE OF BOOKS.

MONDAY the (15th) first day of May Court, a large collection of LAW AND OTHER VALUABLE BOOKS of the late William T. Daugherty.

A credit of thirty days will be given upon all sums of collection of the late will be given upon all sums of collection of the late will be given upon all sums of collection of the late will be given upon all sums of collections.

WILL be sold, on SATURDAY, the 20th day of May, 1864, at Hurpers-Ferry: 1 two-horse Carriage and Harness; 4 shares of capital stock in the Flying Ship Com pany; 1 young Negro Woman, with two children;

Terms .- Six months credit will be given on all sums of \$5 and upwards, bond and approved security will be required. No property to be removed until the terms are complied with. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M. PHILIP COONS,
Administrator of Sarah Tillett, dec ased. May 2, 1854.

N. B. All persons knowing themselves to be indebtproperly authenticated.

I hope the above notice will be attended to as I de-I hope the above hotels sire to settle up the estate at one.

PHILIP CONS.

Administrator of Saral, Tillett, deceased. VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.

I offer at private sale the "ABLE FARM." It contains one hundred and thirty-five Acres. This Farm is inferior to none in the county. The improvements A -1 consist of a very fine BRICK DWELLING Forms and Out-Buildings necessary for the Farm, 1910, the water is quite convenient to the Buildings and no better in the county. Also, an excellent Orchard of Fruit.

The Farm is situated in Jefferson county, Virgin-ia, half a mile south of Doffield's Depor, on the Balti-more and Ohio Reilroad, five miles northeast of Charlestown, the county seat; five miles west of Har-pers-Ferry, and about the same distance south of Shepherdstown; adjoining the farms of William B. Daniels; Joseph T. Hess, and others.

This Farm, situated so convenient to the Paltimore and Ohio Railroad, would make a delightful summer esidence for a femily seeking pleasure or health.

May 2, 1854—tf MINOR HIRST. VALOABLE REAL ESTATE

the Southern part of Jefferson county, Virginia, near McPherson's Mill, and adjoining the lands of Jaque-lin Smith, Geo. R. Riedle and others, containing 100 ACRES, about 50 of which are in wood. This Farm is the best quality of Limestone and is in a fine state of cultivation. The improvements consist of a substantial two-story bRICK DWFILING EGUSE with

Possession will be given the list of August, 1854.

For terms apply to the undersigned at Rabletown,

James March 21, 1854.

For terms apply to the undersigned at Rabletown,

James McCURDY.

[FP]

CEDAR LAWN FOR SALE.

WILL be sold at private sale, the Farm known by the name of Cedar Lawn, formerly the residence of John T. A. Washington, dec'd.. lying in Jefferson county, Va., about three miles S. W. of Charlestown, on the road leading from Berryville to Lectown, and about one mile South of the Harpers-Ferry and Smithabout one mile South of the Harpers-Ferry and Smithfield turnpike, adjoining the farms of John R. Flagg,
George Isler, Airs. H. L. Alexander, Thes. B. Washington, Dr. Scollay and others, containing about 245
AGRES, about 35 of which are in fine timber. The
improvements consist of a handsome three story Brack
DWELLING, forty feet square, with a two story Wing
40 feet by 20 feet attached; a Barn, Corn-house, Milkhouse, and Negro Cabins. Also, a large orchard of
choice Apples, and a young Peach Orchard recently
planted. The Lawn and premises generally are highty improved by Shrubbery and a large variety of Landsome Ornamental and Fruit Trees. There is a Cistern convenient, and a never failing well of pure. tern convenient, and a never failing well of pure, tern convenient, and a never latting well of pure, Limestone Water about 100 yards distant. The farm in shape is nearly square. The land is in a fine state of cultivation, and the soil of superior cuality. It has every convenience to market, being in the immediate vicinity of the Winelester and Baspers-Ferry Railroad, and within 7 or 8 miles of the Balto, and Chio Rail-road. The place is well known, and altogether is one of the most desirable tracts of its size in the Valley. Persons who contamplate purchasing, can be inley. Persons who contemplate purchasing, can be in-formed as to the terms of sale by consulting me in person, or by letter addressed to me at Charlestown,

Dec'r 13, 1852-tf AND BRASS FOUNDRY.

THE subscribers respectfully call the attention of the farming community to their very large assortment of FARMING IMPLEMENTS, comprising every kind of implement used by the farmer to facilitate and cheapen his operations, including our celebrated Patent Premium Thresher, Cleaner and Bagger, Which-received the First Premium at the Crystal Palace, N. York, this making 10 Premiums in two

Painte, N. York, this making to Preintens in two sensons, in competition with the most celebrated Separators of the day; proving conclusively, that simplicity is construction, cheapness in price, and durability in machine, is being fully appreciated, and the old complicated costly separators must yield their place to a superior machine. This Machine, for threshis also prepared to paint all kinds of ROOFS, Zinc, ing, separating, cleaning twice, screening and bagthe greatest laber-saving machine extant, for simpli-city, durability, theapness and copacity, it has no cival in the world. It is capable of turning out, ready for the mill or for seed, from 300 to 500 bushels of Wheat per day, with 6 or 8 horses, and 8 hands-or from 500 to 800 bushels with 12 horses and as many hands, thoing the work cleaner, and breaking less hands, thoing the work cleener, and breaking less grain, than any machine now in use. This machine received the first premiums at the Maryland State Fair, Balt., in 1852, and 1853; the Washington Co., Md. Fair; Valley Agricultural Fair, of Va., in 1852 and 1853; the Rappahanneck Agricultural Society, at Port Royal, Va.; the first premium at the Illinois State Fair, 1853, at Springfield, and a Silver Medal at the Indiana State Fair, at Indianapolis, 1853.

This machine is so simple in construction, that the one fan and shoe completely cleens and bags the grain, dispensing with all the complicated machinery (and consequent liability of derangement) in all other separators, thus making it more desirable to the farmer.

a large and general stock of DRY GOODS, GROCE
RIES, HARDWARE, &c., to which he invites the
attention of the Ladies and Gentlemen.

Charlestown, April 11, 1854.

ALLEN'S CELEBRATED

GARDEN SEEDS.

The undersigned has for sale a large stock of those
superior Seeds raised by Thos. Allen of Winchester.
In the stock will be found the following Seeds;
Cabbage Seed.—Drumhead, Early York, Flat Dutch,
Bullock heart, Savoy. Nutmey Melon Seed; Imperial head Lettuce; Summer Squash; Large Apple
Tomato's Salsity Turnip; Beet; Extra Early, Marrowfat and Early Frame Pens; Long white Parsnip;
Early Scarlet Radish; white Spianish; Bush Squash;
Marrow Sonp Beans; White Solid Celery,
March?

YLOVES, HOSIERY, HANDKERCHIEFS,
Lanen, Lawn, Embroidered, very nice; black Silk Mits.
April 25, 1954.

DOCTS AND SHOES—10, boxes ladies Kid

DOCTS AN

22 feet wide, two stories high, and is considered the best stand for a machinist in the Valley of Visginia. Also, a good Well of water on the Los, with a new Pump in it in complete order. And all other Buildings necessary to render the property desirable and comfortable. And also a quantity of YOUNG

day posses don is given.
fri-Sale to commence at 4 o'clock, on the 12th day
of May, 1854.
MASON ANDERSON.

THE half of 90 ACRES OF WHEAT now growing on the Farm of B. W. Herbert. If this Wheat is not sold previously I will offer it at public sale, at the Court-House door, on Thursday, 18th of May next. CHAS. E. CUNNINGHAM.

of \$5 and upwards—bend and good a curity will be required.

CHARLES JOHNSON,

April 25, 1354—ts [22] Administrator.

er with all the other property belonging to Sarah T. ilett, deceased.

ed to Sarah T liett, deceased, are respectfully request-ed to call and day the same, and those having claims against the estate of said deceased will present them

I offer at private sale my "HOWARD FARM" in

Jeffcorsn county, Va. GEORGE WASHINGTON, For himself and in behalf of the other deviser JEFFERSON MACHINE SUOP & IRON

CLASSIFICATION OF MAGISTRATES. HENRY L. BROOKE, Richmond city, S. S. THOMPSON, Lewisburg, Greenbrier co., P. P. DANDRIDGE, Lee-Town, Jefferson co., The following is the classification of the Magistrates of Jefferson county, which was made in August, 1852, and continues until the expiration of their terms, determines who shall compose the County Court each month. It will be found useful for Braxton Davenport, Presiding Justice; George B. Beall, John F. Smith, John Hess, and A. M. Ball. MARCH. Braxton Davenport, A. R. Boteler, Robert W. Baylor, Samuel Ridenour, and Samuel W. Strider.

JOHN KINNEY,

great care, which he has now open and ready for ex-amination by the ladies and gentlemen of that town and adjoining neighborhood. He is determined to make QUICK SALES AND SHORT PROFITS. The Braxton Davenport, John Moler, Logan Osborn, Jacob Welshans, and H. N. Gallaher. Braxton Davenport, John T. Henkle, Jonas Wal-Fancy Silks, Plaid do., Black do., Crape-Finish Berage, Satin Plaid do., Solid colored de Laines, Fancy de Laines, Plaid do., Embroidered Swiss, Fancy French Lawn, Plaid and Dotted Swiss Muslins, Plain raven, Lewis Lucas, and Joseph L. Russell. JUNE.
Braxton Davenport, John Moler, David Billmire,

Jacob W. Wagely, and Israel Russell. and Plaid Gambric, English and American Prints of every style, Fancy Kid Gloves, White do., Silk and Cotton do., White, Black and Lead-colored Hose, JULY. Braxton Davenport, John C. R. Taylor, John Avis, Jr., John Quigley, and George W. Tacey. Dress Triannings, Ribbons, Laces, Edgings and In-sertings, Velvet Ribbon, Gilt-Edged Velvet Buttons, Braxton Davenport, John C. R. Taylor, John Avis, Jr., John Quigley, and George W. Tacey.

Super Black French Cloth, Olive and Green do., Black Doeskin Cassimere, Fancy do., Black Italian Cloth, Silk Velvet, Satin, Buff and White Shapes, Braxton Davenport, John Moler, David Billmire, Jacob W. Wagely, and Israel Russell. Mersailles Vest Patterns, Fancy Silk Neck Ties, Silk and Linen Cravats, Black, White and Fahey Kid OCTOBER. Braxton Davenport, A. R. Boteler, R. W. Baylor, Gloves, Drab Beaver Hats, Black Silk do., Canton, Samuel Ridenour, and Samuel W. Strider. NOVEMBER.

SEPTEMBER.

GROCERIES.
N. O. Sugar, Molasses, Rio Coffee, Rice, Pepper and Braxton Davenport, John T. Henkle, Jonas Wal-Allspice. Also, about 1500 pounds of country-cured raven, Lewis Lucas, and Joseph L. Russell. DECEMBER. The above embraces a very small portion of his stock of goods now on hand, and all he asks is for one and all to call and examine, as he is determined to

Braxton Davenport, Geo. W. Little, John J. Lock, Jacob W. Reynolds, and John J. Grantham. March and August are the Jury Terms. When a vacancy occurs, the new incumbent takes the place assigned his predecessor. Since the classification in 1852, four vacancies have been filled, in consequence THE undersigned has leased the Wagon Maker's Shop, adjoining the Blacksmith Shop of Mr. Thos. W. Davis, in Charlestown, and respect-U. S. OFFICERS.

President, FRANKLIN PIERCE. President of the Senate, DAVID R. ATCHISON, PRESIDENT'S CABINET,
Secretary of State—Wn. L Marcy, of New York.
Secretary of Treasury—James Guthrie, of Ky.
Secretary of Navy—James C. Dobbin, of N. C.
Secretary of War—Jefferson Davis, of Mississippi.
Secretary of Interior—Robt. McClelland, of Mich.

Register of the Lund Office-S. H. PARKER. Librarian-GEORGE W. MUNFORD.

Superintendant of the Penitentiary—C. S. MORGAN. Gen'l Ag't or Storekeeper of Peni'ry—J. C. SPOTTS.

The Law of Newspapers.

1. Subscribers who do not give express notice to the

contrary, are considered as wishing to continue their

2. If subscribers order the discontinuance of their

periodicals the publisher may continue to send them

until all arrearages are paid.

3. If subscribers neglect or refuse to take their periodicals from the offices to which they are directed, they are held responsible till they have settled the bill

and ordered them discontinued.

4. If subscribers remove to other places without in-

forming the publishers, and the papers are sent to the former direction, they are held responsible.

5. The Courts have decided that refusing to take

periodicals from the office, or removing and leaving them uncalled for, is prima facia evidence of inten-

SEASONABE GOODS.

do Penitentiary Plaid; own and bleached Sheeting and Shirting;

Patent Thread, Knitting Cotton; 10 pieces Nankin. Just received and for sale by February 7, 1854. T. U. SIGAFOOSE.

A T COST .- I will commence this morning close

PURE CIDER VINEGAR, in store and for sale by [Feb 7] T. C. SIGAFOOSE.

WANTED.—All kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE will be taken in exchange for Goods.
February 7, 1854. T. C. SIGAFOOSE.

SUGAR.—I have just opened a very fine article of N. O. Sugar, which I will sell for 61 cents, and a still better article of Porto Rico, which I sell for 8

heavy Twills, for Servants' pants;

D PIECES 4-4 Osnaburgs;

February 7, 1854.

promptly attended to, and charges reasonable.

JOHN GROVE.

Charlestown, April 11, 1854—3m [FP] MCINTOSH'S HOWARD HOUSE, Attorney General-Caleb Cushing, of Massachusetts STATE OFFICERS.

Baltimore, April 11, 1854—19 FOR SALE.

GOOD low-price WORK HORSE, of good size, will work in double or single Lieutenant-Governor-Shelton F. Leake. Attorney General-Willis P. Bocock. harness, also, under line, or any place you choose to Litch him. PHILIP COONS. Adjulant General-WILLIAM H. RICHARDSON Assistant Clerk—P. F. Howard.
Copying Clerk—WILLIAM H. RICHARDSON, Jr.
Auditor of Public Accounts—G. W. Cutter.
Second Auditor—James Brown, Jr. NEW GOODS:
WE are now-receiving our SPRING GOODS.
April 4, KEYES & KEARSLEY. Treasurer-J. B. STOVALL.

BROWN STOUT, PORTER, &c.-2 bbls. D Brown Stout, 2 bbis. Porter. Also, a lot Soda Water: Lemon and Sarsaparilla Pop. For sale by COTCH HERRING, for sale by

HATS, HATS.

A large stock of HATS, of every shape and style, for sale by [April 11.]

L. HOOFF.

HE subscriber baying leased the Brick Store, on German street, in Shepherdstown, formerly occupied by Robert G. Harper, and having just returned from

BONNETS of every description.

GENTLEMEN'S WEAR.

sell. His terms is cash, or to men who are responsible a credit of twelve months will be given.

fully off-rs his services to the public generally. He is prepared to execute in the best mannerall descriptions of work appertaining to his business, at the shortest notice and in the best manner. Repairing

BALTIMORE.

Shepherdstown, April 11, 1851-tf

Leghorn and Cuban do.

MATTING. White and colored Matting, for sale by [April 18] A. W. CRAMER. DRESS GOODS.—Berage, Berage de Laines, Mouslines, and Silks sold at the very lowest prices. [April 18] J. D. LINE CALICOES from 5 cents upwards, Ginefiams at all prices and styles that cannot elsewhere be found in the market.

J. D. Line. J. D. LINE. Charlestown, April 18, 1854.

DONNETS AND RIBBONS .- I have every B variety of BONNETS, from 25 cents to \$5.— RIBBONS of every slade and style, with a general assoctment of Bonnet Silks. DEFRIGERATORS .- Slate-lined Refrigera-April 18, 1854.

NEW GOODS.—I would call the attention of my friends and the public to my Stock of GOODS, which have been purchased in the Eastern Cities within the last month, on the most favorable terms, aring for the most part paid the. them on accommodating terms, and at prices which will compare favorably with any in the trade. My stock of goods comprise nearly every article usually stock of goods comprise nearly every article us JOHN D. LINE. Charlestown, April 18, 1854.

BONNETS.-Leghorn, French Ginp, Hair Net, Colored and Belgrade, French Embroidered, Colored and Bergram, samer Embroidered, for sale by J. L. HOOFF. SYRUP AND MOLASSES.—A large supply for sale by March 7.

H. L. EBY & SON. A T COST.—I will commence this morning clos-ing out my entire STOCK OF LADIES DRESS GOODS, at strictly prime cost. Those wishing bar-gains will please give me an early call. February 7, 1854. T. C. SIGAFOOSE. H. L. EBY & SON.

SHAD, for sale by A. W. CRAMER. RIBBONS AND BONNETS.—A well-selected Stock, at [April 25] JERE. HARRIS'.

HATS. HATS. My usual supply. JERE, HARRIS. CALICOES, LAWNS AND GINGHAMS. N. Y. SYRUP.—I have a very fine article of N. Y. Syrup. which is superior to any before offered, which I will sell low. 100 pieces Calicoes, the best in the market;
20 "Lawns, assorted prices;
Ginghams, the best ever sold for the piece.
April 25, 1554. JERE. HARRIS.

RENCH GELATINE.—A superior article for Jellies, &c.; also, Extract Vanilla, Vanilla Beans, Extract Lemon. For sale by April 25. L. M. SMITH. WHITE LEAD, OIL, &c.—The subscriber is receiving from the celebrated manufactory of Lewis & Bros. of Philadelphia, 2,000 lbs. of his pure White Lead, in 50 and 25 lb. kegs. He is prepared to sell low also Linseed Oil, Spirits Turpentine, Copal Varnish, Venetian Red, Whiting, Yellow Ochre, Yellow and Silver Browne, Gold Leaf, Paint Brushes, Sash Tools, B. H. Pencils, Grainers, &c. April 25. UNDERSLEEVES, COLLARS & EDG-INGS.—A large assortment, from \$1 to \$4; Swiss and Cambric Edging and Insertings. April 25, 1854. JERE. HARRIS.

Charlestown, April 25, 1854.

cents. Call soon or you will lose a bargain.
February 7, 1854.
T. RAWLINS. TO CABINET MAKERS.—I have a fine assortment of Coffin Handles, Tacks, Screws, Hinges of every description and of different prices.

February 7, 1854.

T. RAWLINS. MEDICAL LIQUORS.—I have a few more bottles of MEDICAL LIQUORS, such as Port and Madeira Wine, Punch, Extract, Schiedam Schapps, Pale, Dark, Lavender and Raspberry-Brandy, which I will sell low in order to close out my stock, to make room for other articles. stock, to make room for other articles.
February 7, 1854. THOMAS RAWLINS. CARRIAGE BOLTS.—Just received a large lot of Carriage Bolts, by 2 inches to 7 by 44 inches long. Labo have on hand two first-rate Cook Stoves, which I will sell at cost to get them out of my way.

[Feb. 7.] T. RAWLINS. ADIES' DRESS GOODS.—I call the atten-tion of the Ladies to my large and well-selected: stock of Dress Goods. JERE, HARRIS.

Merhanic Arts. TO THE PUBLIC.
From the Charlestown Tin-Ware, Stove,
Reofing, Spouting, Lightning-Rod,
Shower-Bath and Bathing-Tub ESTABLISHMENT THE Machinery of this Establishment is in full operation and the above mentioned Wares are now rolling out with a rush.

TIN-WARE.

The assortment of Tin-Ware now on hand is extensive, and all orders from Merchants will receive prompt attention and Wares be delivered at their places of business without extra charge.
STOVES. The Metropolitan Elevated Oven Cook Stove, for burning wood, is a strong and durable Stove, and will be sold with all fixtures complete, delivered, set up and warranted to operate well, for \$30, \$35 and \$40 for Nos. 3, 4 and 5a. All persons in want of a good Stove, will please forward their orders and they shall have the pleasure of seeing one of the best stoves now in use, in operate satisfactorily, it will be taken away after six days triel and no grumbling. A good selection of other patterns of Stoves kept constantly on hand, which will be sold cheap. ROOFING AND SPOUTING

Will be done in a thorough manner, at short notice and at prices that defy competition. LIGHTNING RODS. Iron Rods with silver-plated Points, Brass Connectors, Glass Insulators and malable fastenings, will be put up in a durable manner at low prices. SHOWER BATHS & BATHING TUBS During the Summer months may be found at this Establishment a good assortment of Shower Baths, Bathing Tubs, Boston-Boats, Hip-Baths, Foot-Tubs, &c., &c., which will be finished in the neatest possible style and sold at Baltimore prices. JOB WORK.

Job Work of every description, connected with the Tin and Sheet Iron business, will be done with neatness and promptitude—in short this Establishment shall be the Emporium for the above mentioned wares and Great Bargains will be given to all its patrons.

THOS. D, PARKER.

Charlestown, May 10, 1853.

33- Cotton Rags, Wool, Hides, Sheep Skins, Old Copper, Brass, Pewter, Lead, Iron, Dried Fruit, Beeswax, Beans, Corn, Hay, Oats, Wood and Bacon taken at the highest current prices in exchange for ware or at the highest current prices in exchange for ware or work.

SHENANDOAH IRON FOUNDRY. THIS Foundry, situated on the Winchester and Potomac Railroad, 1½ miles from Harpers-Ferry, has been rented for a term of years by the subscriber, who would respectfully inform the public that he is now prepared to do, in a style of workmanship, which cannot be surpassed, if equalled, in this Valley, every description of Machinery and Plough Castings, at short notice. Having been engaged in the business for many years in the largest foundries in the United States, and being now determined to devote his whole attention to

the business, he is confident that those who favor him with their work will at the same time, be favoring their own interests, as his prices for Castings shall be as low as at any foundry in the Valley.
Orders, from all in want of Castings of any description, are respectfully solicited.

[C]-Old Iron taken in exchange for Castings.

HENRY C. PARKER. Shenandoah City, August 3, 1852.

TAKE NOTICE.

CIRCUMSTANCES having rendered it necessary
that the undersigned should close up his business
for the present in Charlestown, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted, that they must come forward at once and liquidate balances. No indulgence can be given, and he hopes his old friends and customers may be disposed to save themselves cost, by an early compliance with this request JOHN AVIS, Jr.

BOOT AND SHOE MAKING. THE undersigned again gives notice to his old friends and customers, that he will hereafter conduct the Boot and Shoe-making business in all its branches, at the Shop recently occupied by John Avis
Jr. He solicits the patronage of his old friends, the
late customers of the shop, and the public generally
satisfied that he can please all who may favor him wit
a call.

JOHN AVIS, Sr.

THE undersigned having open elected a Constable in District No. 3, offers his services to the public rants will be made with every possible dispatch, and the interests of those employing him faithfully regarded. He therefore solicits public patronage.

BELL HANGING. AM prepared to furnish and hang BELLS of all kinds, and in the latest and most approved manner. Respectable reference given, if required. Orders left at Carter's Hotel, Charlestown, will be promptly executed.

P. E. NOLAND.

Charlestown, September 13, 1853.

A CARD.

To the Customers of the Old Firm, my
Friends and the Public.

I INTEND to continue the MERCANTILE BUSINESS at the Old Stand of LOCK, CRAMER & LINE, opposite the Bank, where, by prompt attention to business, I hope to merit and receive a liberal share of your patronage. Respectfully,

JOHN D. LINE.

Charlestown, January 10, 1854. NEW STORE.
T HAVE opened a NEW STORE, (for the present in the room recently occupied by John Avis, Esq., opposite Messrs. Harris & Ridenour's,) where I shall be pleased to see my friends and the public generally. NEW GOODS.

HAVE just received a general assortment of Do-mestric GOODS, consisting in part of 4.4 Os-naburgs; 7-8 do.; heavy twilled do.; Plaid Cottons; &c., &c.; which shall be sold as low as can be had in January 10, 1854.

A. W. CRAMER. THE subscriber has now opened the largest stock of Hardware that was ever offered in Charlestown,

selected by himself in Baltimore, consisting in part of Locks of every description, Hinges of all sizes and pat-terns, Screws of all sizes, Saws, Hatchets, Axes, Plustering and Bricklayer's Trowels, Table-knives with and without Forks, silver-plated Forks, plated Table and Tea-spoons, Brass Head and Polished Steel Shov-els and Tongs, Brass top Andirons, a few Eight Day Clocks, metal cases laid in with Pearl, a handsome ar-ticle; White Ivory handle Table-knives with and with-out Forks; a first rate lot of Double Barrel English Twist Guns, a first rate article, warranted; Powder flasks and Horns, Dupont's Powder, Gun-wads; Pen and Pocket-knives; Plated Coffin handles and Screws; a large lot of Bench-planes, cheap; fifth Log, Breast Stretcher Trace and Halter Chains; Hand and Sledge Hammers; Stocks and Dies; Plated and common Bri dle-bits and Stirrups; Plated and Steel Spurs; a fine lot of Plough, Bar, and Horse-shoe Iron, together with a general assortment of Groceries, Queensware, Se-gars and Tobacco, all of which I will sell cheap for gars and Tobacco, and cash, or on short credit.

THOMAS RAWLINS.

DISSOLUTION. THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between the undersigned expired on the 1st of January, 1854. JERE. HARRIS,

OLD ACCOUNTS are ready for settlement and we would be pleased to close them at as early a day as possible. Either of us will attend to their settlement. We would like those interested to give this

DISSOLUTION.

THE undersigned, merchants of Charlestown, heretofore trading under the nome of LOCK, CRAMER & LINE, have this day, by mutual consent,
dissolved partnership. The Books and Accounts of
said firm can be found at the old store-house, now in

the occupancy of J. D. Line, where one of the firm will at all times be in attendance, and as it is impor-tant that the old business should be speedily settled, our friends will much oblige us if they come forward promptly and settle their accounts. A. W. CRAMER, J. D. LINE. Charlestown, January 2, 1854. GROCERIES.

NEW Crop N. O. Sugar; Java Coffee, prime; Rio do.; Tea, Green and Black; Molasses N. O., first runnings; Syrup, N. Y., extra nice; Crushed, Powdered and Loaf Sugar; Sperm Oil; Brandies, Wines and Whiskey; Vinegar best in the town; Beans and Dried Apples; Bacon, Lard, &c., &c., for sale at low prices by January 31, 1854.

NOTICE.

THE Subscribers have a very superior Sett of Saw Mill castings entirely new, together with Carriage, Ragwheel and Saw Gate, Saw and Fender Posts, including every thing connected with the most improved Mill, which they will sell at private sale, on very low and accommodating terms. Persons wanting to build a Mill would do well to give us a call.

January 31, 1854. ZIMMERMAN & CO. SINCLAIR'S GARDEN SEEDS. THE following varieties, embracing the choicest kinds, have been just received from Sinclair's Nursery, in Baltimore. They are without exceptions

Grand Imperial Peas; Matchless Fall Marrow do; Early Warwick do; Red Marrow Beans; Rachel six-week do; Kidney do;

For sale by Charlestown, March 14, 1854. L. M. SMITH. NEW BOOKS, NEW BOOKS. THE GAZETTEER OF THE UNITED STATES edited by T. Baldwin and J. Thomas, M. D .-This work enthraces the population, agricultural productions, commerce, &c., of the different States in the Union. Also, the different towns and post offices, and is justly considered one of the most valuable books ever published in this country. Hagerstown Almanacs.

Thirty Years with the Indians, by Schoolcraft.
Sparks' Abridged Life of Washington.
For sale by L. M. SMITH.

A CARD.

In consequence of the advance in Servants' hire, breadstuffs and other produce, it becomes actually necessary that we the undersigned should increase the charges heretofore made at our Hotels in Charles-Therefore, from and after the 1st day of January next, our terms for boarding without lodging will be increased from \$10 to \$12 per month. Boarders with rooms, lodging, &c., will be charged \$15 per month, instead of \$12.50 as heretofore.

G. W. SAPPINGTON, ISAAC N. CARTER.

THE BOOT & SHOE BUSINESS in all its various branches, will be continued at the OLD STAND by the undersigned where he will be glad to see all their old custemers with as many new ones as may be pleased to call.

JOHN T. RIELEY.

Harpers-Ferry, February 7, 1854. FAMILY AND EXTRA FLOUR, of most approved brands, for sale by Feb 14.

H. L. EBY & SON.

December 27, 1853.

BALTIMORE AND OHIO RAILROAD.

NEW ARRANGEMENT.

Two Daily Lines between Baltimore and Wheeling.
FROM BALTIMORE FOR WHEELING, CIN

CINNATI, LOUISVILLE, INDIANOPOLIS CLEVELAND, CHICAGO, TOLEDO, SAINT CLEVE BAILD, CHICAGO, COURS, & C.

ON and after MONDAY, January 2'd, two daily
TRAINS, (except on Sundays,) will be run between Baltimore and Wheeling.
Leave Baltimore for Frederick, Harpers-Ferry,
Cumberland, and all Way Places, at8 A. M., arriving
its Wheeling at 4.30 A. M. next day.

EXPRESS TRAIN

or Wheeling; stopping at Frederick, Harpers-Ferry artinsburg and Cumberland only, leaves Camder ation, daily, at 7 P. M.—Through to Wheeling in ACCOMMODATION TRAIN For Frederick and intermediate points, daily (excep

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From Wheeling on Saturday evenings.)

From Cumberland at 8.30 a. m. and 9 p. m.

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From Lamberland at 8.30 a. m. and 9 p. m. From Harpers-Ferry at 1.10 A. M. and 1.25 P. M. From Frederick daily, (except Sundays,) at 8.30

From Frederick daily, (except Sundays,) at 8.30 A. M. and 2.15.P. M. From Ellicott's Mills daily, (except Sundays,) at 4.15, 8 and 11.15 A. M.; and 5 and 6.15 P. M. Through tickets are issued between Baltimore and 11.15 A. M.; and 5 and 6.15 P. M. Cleveland......10 00 Chicago. 19 00
St. Louis 27 00
Columbus by land 12 30
Cincinnati, by land 14 50
Zanesville, by land 11 00 Staunton..... 8 50 Gaston and Weldon ..... 9 50

Leave Baltimore at 4.15 and 9 A.M., 3.30 and 7 P.M. On Sundays, at 4 15 A.M. and 6.10 P.M. Leave Washington for Baltimore at 6 and 8 A. M. .30 and 5 P. M.

Fredericksburg .......... 475 are issued at Washington city for

On Sundays, at 6 A. M. and 5 P. M. the first and fourth Trains from Baltimore, and the second and fourth train from Washington will be express mail trains, stopping only at Washington Juncture and Annapolis Junction. By order.

Jan. 24.

J. T. ENGLAND, Agent. Office of Winchester & P. R. R. Co., ?

ROM and after this date the Passenger Train w leave the Ticket Office of the Company at 9½ o'clock, A. M., instead of 9 o'clock, as heretofore. J. GEO. HEIST, Agent. GILBERT'S HOTEL, At the Railroad Depot, Winchester, Va

THE undersigned begs leave respectfully to inform the community and travelling public that he has taken the well-known HOTEL at the Railroad Depot formerly kept by Mr. John Coe, dec'd. The House has undergone necessary repairs, and is now in every respect adapted to the wants of the traveller and so-

A large and commodious Stable is attached to the premises, which will be furnished with the hest grain and hay and attentive Ostler. His Table will always be furnished with all the varieties which the season and market will afford, and the Bar at all times supplied with the choicest Liquors.

His charges will be moderate. He therefore invites the patrons of the House to give him a call, as he is determined to spare no pains in making his guests 13-Boarders taken by the week, month or year.

The undersigned takes pleasure in recommend ing Mr. GILBERT to the patrons of the House whilst under the management of my Father, and respectfully solicits for him a continuance of their custom SAPPINGTON'S, HOTEL, Charlestown, Jefferson County, Va. THIS-large and very commodious THREE-STORY BRICK HOTEL, situated in the centre and busi-

ness part of the town, is now among the most attrac-tive and desirable resting places in the great Valley of Virginia.
The luxuries of the TABLE of this establishment are surpassed by none, and the BAR is at all times supplied with a choice selection of superior Wines and Liquors. Several large Parlors and airy Chambers have been

added since last year.

A Splendid Yellow-Mounted Coach attends the Charlestown Depot, upon the arrival of the Cars, which will convey visitors to the Hotel, free of charge. Persons wishing to be conveyed to other parts of the town, will pay a reasonable compensation.

Saddle and Harness Horses, Carriages, Buggies, and careful Drivers always ready for the accommodation of visitors.

GEO. W. SAPPINGTON,

July 9, 1850.

Proprietor. RAWLINS' HOTEL,

Corner of Queen and Burk streets,
MARTINSBURG, VA.

THE undersigned begs leave respectfully to inform
the community and travelling public that he has
taken the Hotel formerly known as the "Berkeley
House." The House has recently undergone a thorough
renovation; it is now believed to be in every respect adapted to the wants of the traveller, and sojourner. A large and commodious STABLE is attached to the premises. The luxuries of the TABLE will be with a choice selection of superior wines and liquors.

Baggage taken to and from the Depot free of charge and in bad weather a Carriage will run to the Depo for the accommodation of travellers without any addi JOS. C. RAWLINS,

March 2, 1852-1y Proprietor. THE subscriber having leased the above well known Hotel, in Berryville, Clarke county, begs leave to inform the travelling public that he is now ready to receive guests. He is also prepared to accommodate Boarders, either by the day, week, monthor year. HIS TABLE will always be furnished with all the varieties which the season and market will afford his Bar with the choicest liquors, and his Stable with

the best hay, grain, and ostler.

As he intends to make this his permanent residence he will spare no pains in endeavoring to render those who give him their custom, both comfortable and happy. He flatters himself, from his long acquaintance with business, and the manners of the world, that he can please the most fastidious. His charges will be as moderate, as the expenses of any good public house in this section of country will justify. He, therefore, in-vites all to extend to him a share of their custom. Berryville, April 5, 1853. WM. N. THOMPSON.

10,000 AGENTS WANTED. A Nagent wanted in every town and county in the United States to sell the most popular and saleable books ever published, including several new works with finely colored plates; also the works of T. S. Arthur, including "Arthur's Cottage Library." 10,000 copies of these popular series of books have been sold in the last three monlits. The largest commission naid to enterprising and industrions men, who can paid to enterprising and industrious men, who can now have an opportunity for doing a pleasant and profitable business seldom offered. Each Agent has exclusive control of the sale of our

publications for the town or county he may agree to anvass. For particulars apply personally, or address post paid,) J. W. BRADLEY, Publisher, (post paid,)

J. W. BRADLE I, Fundamental (post paid,)

No. 48 North 4th street, Philadelphia STOVES! STOVES! STOVES! HAVE an extensive assortment of PARLOR, OF FICE, HALL and COOK STOVES, FURNACES,

and set up on the most accommodating terms All persons in want of any Apparatus for heating Houses, or for Cooking, are respectfully solicited to call at the Charlestown Tin-ware and Stove House, before purchasing elsewhere, as great inducements will there be offered, both in variety of style, and extremely low prices
Nov. 1, 1853
THOMAS D. PARKER.

COAL, COAL.--FOR SALE
AT THE CHARLESTOWN DEPOT.
January 10, 1854.

E. M. AISQUITH. A GREAT STOCK OF GOODS. Philadelphia with a very large assortment of Domestic and Fancy DRY GOODS, comprising every description of Domestics, such as Brown and Bleached Muslins, Twills, Checks, Penitentiary Plaids, Shirting Stripes, Osnaburgs, Tickings, Irish Linens, Pantaloon Stuffs, &c.., which will be sold, for cash, from 15 to 20 cent. cheaper than by other house in the Valley. He also purchased a heavy and well-selected stock of Dress Goods, Fancy Articles and Embroidesies and can sell these goods 3t a great reduction

stock of Dress Goods, Fancy Articles and Embroideries, and can sell these goods at a great reduction, having bought them in large quantities.

Plaid, Black, watered, figured and changable Dress Silks, some as low as 50 cents a yard.

Rich Chalis, Chali, Barege and Mouslin de Laines, Poplins, Alpacas and real Silk Mohairs, Barege de Laine as low as 12½ cents a yard. Entire new styles of Calicoes, Ginghams and Lawns. Large stock of Cambrics, Jaconets, plain and dotted Swiss, Bolbinet, &c. Also, of needle-worked Collars, Undersleeves and Inside Handkerchiefs.

The variety of the stock and the beauty of patterns, will be far superior to any thing ever brought up he-

will be far superior to any thing ever bro ISAAC ROSE. Charlestown, April 4, 1853. 18 BUSHELS prime CLOVERSEED. For sale by March 21, 1854. KEYES & KEARSLEY.

SUGAR.—10hhd. Brown Sugar, also Loaf, Crush ed, Clarified and Granulated for sale by March 7. H. L. EBY & SON. AULT'S ENGLISH GARDEN SEEDS. JUST received a fresh supply of differents kinds of ENGLISH GARDEN SEEDS, from the most warrantable source, in the neighborhood of London, which have proved so highly satisfactory to our customers, for sale by [Feb. 14] T. RAWLINS. TOBACCO AND SEGARS.—A superior lot of Chewing Tobacco and Segars, just received by February 21.

H; L. EBY & SON. WOLF'S SCHIEDAM SCHNAPPS, a superlative tonic. Diurctic, anti-Dyspeptic, and Invigorating Cordial. For sale by Feb 14:

H. L. EBY & SON. SCOTCH SNUFF.—Garrett's 2d Quality, in bottles and papers, for sale by February 21. H. L. EBY & SON. City Admertisements.

J. B. HEIM. J. NICODEMUS. GEO. P. T. HEIM, NICODEMUS & CO., Importers and Dealers in Foreign and Domestic Liquors, of every description.

No. 383 Baltimore street, between Paca and Eutow sts.
Baltimore, April 12, 1853—tf

HENRY A. WEBB.

H. A. WEBB & CO.

Manufacturers and Wholesale Dealers in
Tobacco, Segars, Snuff, &c., &c.

No. 14 North Howard Street, Nearly opposite
the Howard House, formerly the Wheatfield Inn,
Next Door to Davis & Miller's Drug Store,
July 12, 1852—19.

Bartimore.

To the Millers in the Valley.

MARTIN & HOBSON,

FLOUR AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

Corner of Eutaw and Baltimore Streets, Baltimore, Md.,

THANKFUL to their friends and the Millers in A Virginia who have so liberally sustained their House, offer increased facilities for the prompt and most satisfactory performance of all business committed to their care Baltimore, July 12, 1853-1y.

MATTHEWS, HYDE & SMYTH, nporters and Dealers in Foreign & Domestic HARDWARE, CUTLERY, GUNS, SADLERY, &c.

Corner of Bultimore and Liberty streets, Bultimore.
Baltimore, June 21, 1853—19

DICKSON & KING, Lumber Merchants, water street, George-KEEP constantly on hand a general assortment of Building Materials.

October 12, 1853—1y



Corner Sharp and German Streets, September 20, 1853—ly Baltimore, Md.

500 AGENTS WANTED.
\$1000 A YEAR.
WANTEDDIN EVERY COUNTY OF THE UNITED STATES, active and enterprising men to engge in the sale of some of the ebest ooks published in the country. To men of good address, possessing a small capital of from \$25 to \$100, such inducements will be offered as to enable them to make

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Ag-The Books published by us are all useful in heir chracter, extremely popular and command largesales wherever they are offered.

For futher particulars, address, (postage paid,)

LEARY & GETZ,

Subscription Book publishers,

No. 133 North Second Street, Phladelphia. Augus 30, 1853.

PUMP MAKING. To the Citizens of Jefferson, Berkeley, To the Citizens of Jenerson, Berkeley, Frederick and Clarke counties.

I AGAIN appear before you as a PUMP-MAKER and as I hope you have not forgotten me in that capacity, you will, one and all, call on me should you need any thing in that way. Please call on me at Charlestown, or my son, Touris J. Bragg, living near Mr. George B. Beally, on the Charlestown and Slacked Adaptive and Java applicated him to the Shepherdstown road, as I have employed him to do the work. I pledge myself that all orders will be promp ly attended to.

G C BRAGG. March 1, 1853

ROASTING COFFEE BY STEAM.--The subscribers having purchased the right to dispose of Francis & Hart's Patent Coffee Roasters in Jefferson, Berkeley and Clarke counties, are now prepared to furnish one of the greatest comforts and econom that can be brought into a family. Roasting Coffee by steam with this Roaster, preserves the entire strength —making it at least one-third stronger than when roasted in the ordinary way. It prevents all escape of the aroma, adding greatly to its flavor, and requires only fifteen or twenty minutes in roasting it fit for use. It is very simple and economical, and the price brings it within the reach of every family. Coffee cannot be roasted with as much regularity in the ordinary way. May 31, 1553. KEYES & KEARSLEY. NEW PICKLING AND PRESERVING

THE subscribers beg leave to inform the public that they are now prepared to fill orders for anything in their line, such as Pickles, Preserves, Catsup, Sauces—Fruits and Vegetables preserved in their natural state. Brandy Fruits; Pie Fruits preserved; fresh cooked, spiced and pickeled Oysters; fresh Meats, Fish Soups, &c., all of which are of superior quality. Particular attention is given to supplying of raw Particular attention is given to supplying of raw Oysters; having arrangements with the different Ex-press and Railroad lines, we are enabled to deliver press and Railroad lines, we are enabled to deliver them in good condition to any section of the country. A portion of public patronage is solicited.

MANN & DUKE,

Nos. 127 and 129, McEldry's Wharf,
October 25, 1553—tf Baltimore, Md.

HATS! HATS! HATS! HATS!

HATS! HATS! HATS!

Of unsurpassed beauty of style and finish,
and of quality unequalled, at prices as low as any
other establishment, can be obtained at J. L. McPHAIL & BRO.'S, Manufacturers, 132 Baltimore st., next to Clipper office. Baltimore, September 20, 1853.

Washington, D. C.

THE subscriber offers his services to the public in the prosecution of Claims before Congress, or any I the prosecution of Claims before Congress, or any of the Departments of the Government. Some years experience as disbursing agent of the Indian Department, with a general knowledge of the mode of transacting business in the various offices of the Government, enables him to promise satisfaction to all who may entrust business of this character to his care.

He will also give special aftention to the collection of claims against parties residing in the District of Columbia or its vicinity, negotiating loans as well as the purchase or sale of Stocks, Real Estate, Land-Warrants &c. &c. or formish information to corres-Warrants, &c., &c., or furnish information to correspendents residing at a distance in regard to any busi ness which may interest them at the scat of Govern-

His Office is over the Banking House of Selden, Mithers & Co. July 26, 1353. WM. S. ANDERSON,

RETURNS his thanks to the citizens of Jefferson and adjoining counties for the liberal patronage extended to him in his line of business, respectfully gives notice that he is now prepared to execute all kinds of work in his line—such as MONUMENTS, TOMB-SLABS, HEAD AND FOOT STONES, &c., at the shortest notice, and upon the most reasonable terms; and his work shall compare with any other in the country. All Stones delivered at my own risk and

expense.
All orders thankfully received and promptly attended to. Address WM. S. ANDERSON,
Frederick city, Md., Charlestown, Va., or JOHN G. RIDENOUR, Agent, January 11, 1853. Harpers-Ferry, Va.

CHARLES B. HARDING, WILL Practice in the Inferior and Superior Courts of Jefferson, Clarke and Loudoun. Office, No. 1, Shenandoah street, Harpers-Ferry, Virginia.

CASH FOR NEGROES. AM desirous to purchase a large number of NE-GROES for the southern markets, men, women, boys, girls and families, for which I will give the high-est cash prices.

Persons having slaves to sell will please inform me personally, or by letter at Winchester, which will re-

ceive prompt attention; or B. M. & W. L. Campbell, No. 242, West Pratt street, Baltimore. ELIJAH McDOWELL, Agent of B. M. & W. L. Campbell. Winchester, July 7, 1851—19 CASH FOR NEGROES. THOSE persons having Negroes for sale, can get the highest price by calling on the subscriber at Charlestown. Application in person or by letter will be promptly attended to. C. G. BRAGG.

FARMERS LOOK TO YOUR INTEREST.

H AVING rented the Brick Warehouse, at Shepherdstown, and made arrangements I am prepared to pay the highest Cash Prices for WHEAT, CORN, &c., upon delivery.

I will also keep constantly on hand PLASTER, FISH, SALT, &c., in exchange for Country Produce, or sell at low cash prices, and I will forward any produce to the District or Alexandria at the usual prices.

August 23, 1853—if C. W. LUCAS.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned having been elected and qualified as Constable for District No 2, in Clarke county, offers his services to public for the collection of all claims, placed in his hands, according to law or on commission, and assures those who may entrust their

business to his care that no efforts on his part will be spared to render satisfaction. All claims will be paid spared to render satisfactors over as soon as collected.

HENRY D. HOOE. Berryville, August 2, 1853.

HARDWARE.—I have just opened a large stock of Hardware, consisting in part of Ames' steel Shovels and Spades, cast-steel Spades, Forks, Table Cutlery, Pocket and Pen Knives, Locks, Hinges, Screws, English twist double barrel Guns, a very fine assortment of Waiters and Trays, a large assortment of Saws, Planes and Hatchets, &c., &c., which I will sell low for eash or upon a short credit May 2, 1854. THOS. RAWLINS. HIRTS! SHIRTS !!- The subscriber calls at-SHIRTS! SHIRTS!!—The subscriber calls attention to his large stock of Shirts, which are cut by a regular shirt cutter, sewed and finished in the best style. He sells a fair Shirt, made of good Muslin, fine Irish linen bosom, bands and collar (some without collars) from \$1.00 to \$1.25. Those who want an extraordinary fine article, can get a shirt at \$2.25 that could not be improved in quality or workmanship. Common Shirts, from 50 to 75 cents. Good Tree-ply Collars 12½ cents.

May 2, 1854.

ISAAC ROSE.

BONNETS, &c.—300 new style Bonnets from 37 cents to \$5, 26 pieces new style Bonnet Ribbons, 20 do. Cap and assorted, all the late styles of bonnet and dress trimmings, for sale by May 2, 1854.

T. C. SIGAFOOSE. L ADIES' DRESS GOODS.—I would respect-fully call the attention of the ladies to my large stock of Dress Goods, as I can show them some styles that cannot be found in any other house in town.

May 2, 1854.

T. C. SIGAFOOSE. STRAW FLATS—Misses and Children's Straw Flats, for sale by T. C. SIGAFOOSE. May 2, 1854.

SALAD OIL.—2 dozen bottles, very fine.
May 2, 1854. JERE. HARRIF REFRIGERATORS.—Scott's Patent Refrige-rators for sale at Baltimore prices, adding freight, by May 2, 1854. KEYES & KEARSLEY, Agents. GROCERIES, GROCERIES.—As low as to be had in our town. Also, the best of Liquors always on hand. [April 25] JERE. HARRIS. ADIES GLOVES.—A large stock of Kid and Silk Gloves, for sale by April 11, 1854. JOHN L. HOOFF. Patent Medicines.

WILL YOU READ THE TRUTH. MILL YOU READ THE TRUTH.

AMEDICINE must have merit and great merit, to stand the test of public opinion. No art of man can galvanise a worthless articleso as to keep it up as a good medicine, if it be not really so.

Algood medicine will live, become popular, and extend its sales year after year, in spite of opposition.—
The people readily find out its virtues, and the fame of them passes from mouth to mouth with more rapidity than newspapers can spread it. A Living Witness testifying to the cure a medicine has made for him, is of far more service, then any newspaper. or him, is of far more service than any newspaper

for him, is of far more service than any newspaper advertising.

In proof of what we say above, we refer you to HAMPTON'S VEGETABLE TINCTURE, and its effects. Its praise is in the mouths of multitudes. The best men in our country give their testimony to its wonderful cures. Among them we name Hon. H. Clay, Hon. Richard M. Johnson, Vice President of the United States, with hundreds of others. Capt. Thos. Canot—brother to the celebrated physician of the Emperor of France—was cured by it of a disease of seven years' standing after the skill of all the Doctors of Europe and America had failed to cure.

In fact, the rich and the poor, young and old, in every place, in the city and country, find that the same success attends its use.

TRUTH IS MIGHTY.

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TRUTH IS MIGHTY. A Plain and Unvarnished Statement.
We commend the perusal of the extract below to our readers. Mr. Bull is a merchantof high character.
Sandy Bottom, Middlesex County, Va., August 29th, 1853.

Messrs. Mortimer & Mowbray—Gents: You may think it strange that I have taken the liberty to write you this letter, but I do so under circumstances that justify it. As you are the Agents for Hampton's Vegetable Tincture, I deem it expedient to address you this note, hoping it may be a part of the honora-

you this note, hoping it may be a part of the honorable means of giving this medicine that notoriety which its merits deserve.

Being in the habit of vending medicines which relate to the patent, and regular system, I consider myself to some extent, a judge of the real merits of many of them. My experience teaches me that it have self to some extent, a judge of the real merits of many of them. My experience teaches me that "Hampton's Tincture" is a medicine of real merit and intrinsic value. When I say this, I do not say that it is an infallible cure, in all cases, but I mean to say that "Hampton's Tincture" will favorably operate in all diseases originating from a want of proper secretions of the gastric juices, bad digestion, and consequently bad deposit of animal matter from that source. I believe that many diseases located in various parts of the system, such as inflammation, Ulcers, Scrofula, etc., originally have their being in the stomach, from bad food, had digrestion, and consequently had deposit bad food, bad digestion, and consequently bad deposi-tions of the circulation to those parts; and I will be-lieve Hampton's Vegetable Tincture will even react

these cause Having found out, myself, what it is, I recommend it to others in such cases, as I have described, and I have done it upon the "no cure no pay system," and I have yet to have the first bottle returned, or the first I have yet to have the first bottle returned, or the first objection about the pay. It is a great pity it cannot be more extensively circulated among the people. \*

\* \* I warrant it in the following cases:—Gout, Rheumatism, Inflammations which proceeds from the stomach, Sores, Scrofula, Dyspepsia, long standing cases of Ague and Fever; first stop the chill, and then give the Tincture—the difficulty in this case is not instopping the chill, but the return of it, this the Tincture will certainly do. In general debilitations, I warrant it, and as I said before, I have procured a trial of it in this way, which otherwise I could not; the people have been humbugged by patent medicines so long, that they are afraid of all. This is clearly a stomach medicine, it works all its wonders there, and in all such cases it is a specific, if anything in the world is.

Having given the Tincture a fair trial with myself, in my family and neighborhood, I think I am warranted in what I say about it, and which I do without any other interest than the wish to see it in general circulation, and in every man's family, where it ought to If what I say be doubted by any of the afflicted, and

If what I say be doubted by any of the afficted, and they will write to me at Sandy Bottom Post office, Middlesex county, Va., stating the nature of the disease, and I recommend it for such a case I will warrant it, and if it don't do good I will pay for the medicine. Respectfully, THOS. R. BULL.

Delicate females and children will find this a great blessing. It has restored thousands to health. Dyserbsia, Rheumatism, Scropula, Liver Com-plaint, &c.—From the Metropolis.—Pass it around— let the afflicted hear the tidings! This is but the sentiment of thousands:

Washington, May 17, 1853.

Messrs. Mortimer & Mowbray—Gentlemen: Hav-ing been afflicted with the Liver Complaint of ten years standing, I hereby, for the benefit of the afflicted, take pleasure in announcing that after using a few bottles of your Hampton's Tineture, I found it had accomplished a perfect cure. I have used different medicines from time to time, but have never been able to account for any apparent good, and it is a blessing to stricken humanity that that medicine is found which possesses the wonderous power of prolonging human life. The many cures it has wrought is a sufficient guarantee of the beneficial results which may be experienced from its use. Perienced from its use.
Yours, respectfully,
More than Gold to the Sick.—From one of the most respectable Druggists in South Carolina

Charleston, S. C., Sept. 21, 1853.

Messrs. Mortimer & Mowbray:—The sale of your Hampton's Vegetable Tincture is increasing every day, and every bottle sold recommends this valuable medicine to the afflicted. Several of our planters have tried it in different cases with astonishing success, and are getting it by half dozens. It has been found to be the greatest remedy for Rheumatic Affections, and a wonderful cure has been performed on a negro boy suffering by Fits. I will furnish you with a number of certificates if you wish them.

Please send me, soon as possible, a supply of the

I am gentlemen, yours, W. G. TROTT.
Hundreds in this city will bear same testimony.
Delicate females and children will find this a great reinedy. Also, see cures of Coughs, Dyspepsia, Scrofula, &c. MORTIMER & MOWBRAY, 240 Baltimore street.
Cure of Coughs, Vertigo, Rheumatism.—Cure of the venerable Dr. Dunn's son, of the city of Baltimore, a man well knewn, and whose testimony adds to the

triumph of Hampton's Vegetable Tineture:
BALTINORE, F. b. 9, 1852.
Messrs. Mortimer & Mowbray—Gentlemen: It is with real pleasure that I am able to attest to the general healing and curative powers of Dr. Hampton's Vegetable Tincture. Some time during last November, I was taken with a very bad and serious cough. I was advised to take Cod Liver Oil, and did so, but getting no better, I was induced to try your Tincture—I got one bottle, and before I had taken it all, my cough left me. Permit me also to state, that for the last fifteen years I have suffered very much from acute Rheu-matism and Vertigo, confining meat times to my bed. I am fully convinced that I owe my present good health to the use of the Tincture, and a kind Provi-

You are, my friend, at liberty to use this as you may think proper, and believe me,
Yours very respectfully,
N. B. 1 can be seen at any time at the Mayor's
G. D. Office.

G. D.

Delicate females and children will find this a great blessing. It has restored thousands to health.

HAMPTON'S VEGETABLE TINCTURE.—Call and get pamphlets gratis, with history of discovery of the wonderful Blood Purifier, and see certificates of our own citizens, of Rheumatism, Dyspepsia, Scrofula, Liver Complaint, General Weakness, and Nervous-ness, &c., &c.

HAMPTON'S VEGETABLE TINCTURE. Sold by MORTIMER & MOWBRAY, 240 Bal more st., Baltimore, and 304 Broadway, New York. Ci-Call and get a pamphlet gratis.

L. M. SMITH, Charlestown.

T. D. HAMMOND, Harpers-Ferry.

L. P. HARTMAN, Winchester.

Dr. MOTT, Lecsburg. ALLEMONG & SON, Newtown.

And by Dealers every where. Jan. 24, 1854-1y. SCHOOL BOOKS. A LARGE assortment of SCHOOL BOOKS, just received, including Playfair's Euclid: Parke's Arithmetic; 2d 3d do. Pike's Smith's do 5th do. Smith's Grammar; \*Comly's Speller; Haren's Speller & Definer Davies' first Lessons in Webster's quarto Dict'y; Arithmetic; Davies' Arithmetic; Smith's Geog'y and Atlas Mitchell's do do Do Algebra; Do Surveying;
Do Legendre;
Do Analytical Geom-Onley's do Smith's quarto etry;
Do Elementary do. Herschell's Astronomy;
Manual of Elecution and Gunmere's Surveying;
With every variety of Miscellaneous articles fo
Schools, including Paper, Pens, Pen-Holders, Ink,
Inkstands, Copy Books,
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April 11, 1854.

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