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Recovery of Ireland. The New York Journal of Commerce gives some very interesting facts in reference to the present condition of Ireland. It says:
"That America has contributed most suc-

cessfully to the recovery of Ireland, from that at one time hopeless state of depression, disor-ganization, and degradation which made her once the curse and shame of England, is a fact that will now admit of no dispute .-America has offered an asylum to her redunthan probable, her recovery, or any advance towards it, could never have been effected .-During the last 7 years this country has been receiving the poor Irish at the rate of 229,-000 a year. About a million and a half of her population have, during that short period, found a home in our happier land—of that very population which could scarcely find substance of any kind in their own country, and which was felt as an incumbus, and indeed constitute a canker upon the United Kingdom. We gave them liberty, protection, and a comfortable livelihood—blessings to which they had, in a great measure, been strangers all their lives before. We afforded them the opportunity not only of helping themselves, but of assisting also their poor relations and friends whom they had left behind. The amount of money sent back from this country to Irelandby her poor emigrants for the assistance of their connections there, is one of the most striking phenomena which her strange case presents. It is ascertained through the medium of Anglo-American banking-houses, that from the year 1848 to 1853, the amount has gone on gradually increasing from about two millions and a half to upwards of 11 millions of dollars a year! A return now before us makes a total of £4,351,000 sterling for that period; the amount of the last year alone of

the return being £1,404,000 sterling, or upwards of seven millions of dollars. Thus, in 5 years, have these poor people been able to save out of their earnings and send back to the old country about twenty-one millions and three quarters of dollars. A calculation has been made that, supposing these sums to have been sent over by the emigrants of six or 12 months' previous dates, it amounts to about twenty dollars transmitted by each emigrant-a sum quite sufficient, with that which is known to be transmitted by private hands, to defray the whole cost of emigration, so that America, not Ireland practically pays the expenses of Irish emigration to the United States. to receive them. M. R-, taking advan-Thus, in a two-fold degree, are, we aiding in tage of the slight confusion which this creathe recovery of Ireland from the sad condition ted, seized Mademoiselle B- by the hand,

A Parisian Love Affair.

Paris is the place of romantic adventures. One night, some six months ago, a young officer of cavalry was returning homeward to his barricks when he saw on one of the bridges a a voung woman of considerable beauty, but clad in the mean garments of a workwoman, preparing to pluge into the river.

He seized her and threatened to take her

to the station house. She supplicated, however, so earnestly to be left alone, that the officer consented to release her, exacting a solemn promise that she would not repeat her attempt. She hurried away; but the young Officer deemed it right to follow her. Lucky it was that he del so : for no sooner did she believe herself free from observation than the unhappy girl plunged into the river.

The officer was close upon her, and with some difficulty and not without danger sncceeded in dragging her to landing. This time he insisted on accompanying her home. With extreme reluctance the would be suicide led him to a most wretched door; an old woman appeared, to whom he related what had happened.

"Ah. madame!" she cried. "was it for that, then, that you borrowed my clothes !" and she then went on to relate to the young officer that the pretended unknown was no other than the daughter of a nobleman of the highest rank, and that she had that night come to borrow the dress in order as she said, to avoid discovery in a love adventure.

In proof of the truth of the story, the old woman pointed to the young lady's dress which she had left on assuming her coarse attire. This naturally excited the young man's curiosity to the highest pitch. He insisted on accompanying the young lady to her father, to whom he related all that had taken place. Warm thanks were of course heaped upon him, and he was invited to the house, at which he subsequently became a visitor. Anintimacy sprang up between her and the young man, which ripened into affection, and the affection resulted in a marriage celebration e few day ago.

Flowers upon a Mother's Grave. Four motherless little children! Who can look on them without a saddened heart!-True, they are too young to know how great is their loss; but ah! now. Who will talk to them of Jesus? Who will teach them to lisp his name! Who will teach them to be Christians early! The father's business calls him away during their waking hours .-When he comes home sleep hangs heavy upon their eyelids. He can pray for them, and sometimes with them. But ah! a moth-

Not long since there was four such little ones. Their mother had been borne to a sunny land of flowers, that she might catch again the bloom that had faded from her cheek. But it came not-and there among atrangers, she died. Her soul went to the spirit-land, and her body was brought to rest among its kindred. Two of the little ones went to the tomb, with those who bore there, their mother's precious form. As they passed the grave, and looked down deep into it, each one cast some flowers upon the coffin-lid. It was a sweet sight-a pretty tribute to the anemory of a mother-all they could do now

with her in the grave.

to tell of their deep affection. Young reader, does your mother still live? How should you cherish her affections and forth thousands of application, and as each one treasure her words? She may die. Then | contained a Queen's head-that is to say, a you will feel that you have never done enough for her; never obeyed her as you ought; never loved her half enough. Try to be more earnest in your attentions toward her .-Then, should you come to cast flowers into her tomb, no tears of regret will fall upon them.

Don't Like Work. An advertisement in a Boston paper, lately, for young man to work in a store, was answered by eighteen applicants. But one for a gentleman to travel and play on the banjo, met with 400 respond-ents. There must be a great many "gentlemen" in Boston, who "play on the banjo."

THINGS WE SHOULD LIKE TO KNOW .- We skould like to know whether the person who stood upon ceremony has found any falling off

When the man, who stopped up all night, is going to take the plug out?

If the invalid who was given over has been

handed back again ?
When the philanthropist who got up a petition, is likely to come down? party who made an allowance for another's

....Mrs. Partington is said to have anx-usly asked if Uncle Tom is a better man hoch of Biblical memory. She rounds her inquiry on the fact that she had even times, while Enoch translated but

AND THE LOCK BUT.

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Paetry.

[FOR THE SPIRIT OF JEFFERSON.] SERENADE.

I have come to thy lattice, To sing to thee, love: While the silvery starlight Is smiling above: I have come to arouse the From angel-like rest, And recal the devotion That glows in my breast.

I will sing of affection, That owns thy control; Of the fanciful visions, That float round my soul: I will tell thee the sadness, The doubts and the fear. That I feel as the time of Departure draws near.

Tho' farewell must be spoken; 'Mid sorrow and pain; In the radiant future I'll meet thee again: And now peaceful thy slumbers 'Neath moonlight's fair beams; And may whispering angels Interpret thy dreams.

Miscellaneous.

MARTINSBURG, VA.

Tragic Affair in Madrid. At Madrid, some nights back, a lady gave ball, and among the guests was a M. Rand a Mademoiselle B--. It was observed that the young man constantly kept close to the young lady from one part of the room to another. It was also noticed that she seemed greatly annoyed by his attentions. The mother of the young lady wished to interfere, but the mistress of the house, anxious to avoid an unpleasant scene, prevented her. At a late hour, a lady of high rank and her daughand whispered something in her ear. She turned pale, then blushed, and replied in a low voice. Thereupon, the young man without saying a word, pulled a ponaird from his pecket, stabbed the young lady in the breast, and then stabbed himself near the heart .-Both fell, bathed in blood. A surgeon was immediately sent for, and on his arrival he found that the wound of the young lady was not mortal, as the poniard had stuck the sternum, but the young man was quite dead.—
It is said that M. R——had long sought Mademoiselle B- in marriage, but that she had refused to accept him, and that meeting her at the ball, he had again pressed her to accept his addresses, but that she had again peremtorily refused .- Galignani's Messenger

THE FIRST FEELING OF WINTER.-How delightful What a throng of tranquilizing and affectionate thoughts accompany its first bright fires, and the sound out of doors of its first chilling winds! Oh, when the leaves are driven in troops through the streets at nightfall, and the figures of the passers by hurry on, cloaked and stooping with the cold, is there a pleasanter feeling in the world than to enter the closed and carpeted room with its shaded lamps, and its cheerful faces about the evening table! I hope that I speak your own sentiment, dear reader, when I prefer to every place and time, in the whole calendar of pleasure, a winter evening at home—the "sweet, sweet home" of childhood, with its unreserved love, and its unchanging and unmeasured endear ments. We need not love gayety the less. The light and music, and beauty of the dance will always breed a floating delight in the brain that has not grown dull to life's finer influences; yet the pleasures of home, though screner are deeper; and I am sure that the world may be searched over in vain for a scene of joy so even and unmingled. It is a beau-tiful trait of Providence that the balance is kept so truly between our many and different blessings. It was a melancholy thing to see the summer depart with its superb beauty, if the heart did not freshen as it turned in from its decay to brood upon its own treasures. The affections wander under the enticenent of all the outward liveliness of nature, and i s necessary to unwind the spell, that their rich kind ness may not become scattered and visionary. have a passion for these simple theories, which trust will be forgiven. I indulge them as people pun. They are too shadowy for logic it is true—like the wings of the glendover, in Kehama, gauze-like and flimsy, but flying high withal. You may not grow learned, but you surely grow poetical upon them.— I would as life be praised by a blockhead as be asked

The Pilgrim Fathers. "Hail to thee, poor little ship Mayflower, of Delft Haven! Poor common looking shi hired by common charter party for coined do lars, calked with mere cakum and tar, provisioned with vulgarest biscuit and bacon; yet what ship Argo, or miraculous epic ship, built by the sea gods, was not a foolish bunbarge in comparison! Golden fleeces or the like, these sailed for, with or without effect; thou little Mayflower, hadst in thee a veritable Promethean spark; the life spark of the largest nation on our earth, so we may already name er's constant care and influence are buried the Transatlantic Saxon nation. They went seeking leave to hear sermons in their own method, these Mayflower Puritans; a most honest, indispensable search; and vet, like Saul the son of Kish, seeing a small thing, they found this unexpected great thing! Honor to the brave and true; they, verily we say, carry fire from Heaven, and have a power that themselves dream not of."

A NOTION FOR YOUNG LADIES IN WANT OF POCKET MONEY .- A young lady who wished to go to Paris, advertised a week before, in one of the London papers, for a husband .-Letters inclosing a postage-stamp, were to be sent to a certain pastry cook's in Ramsgate.-Such a handsome proposal naturally brought penny-the clever young lady cleared with her postage-stamps not only sufficient to pay for the expenses of her trip to Paris, but to buy a handsome Pamela bonnet in the bar-

The Drukard's Will. I leave to society a ruined character, a wretched example and a memory that will

soon rot. I leave to my parents during the rest of their lives, as much sorrow as humanity, in a decrepid and feeble state, can sustain.

I leave to my brothers and sisters as much mortification and injury as I could convenienty bring upon them. I leave my wife a broken heart, a life of wretchedness and shame, to weep over me

and my premature death. I give and bequeath to each of my children. poverty, ignorance, a low character, and the ememberance that their father was a mons-

.... "Pleas, Doctor, I want to get three cents worth of hoppodeldock and a shilling worth of McCaskey Oil, mixed separate." "Certainly, my dear, blow your nose."

.... "Mother, I'm afraid a fever would go hard "Why, my son?" "Cause you see, mother, I'm so small that there wouldn't be room enough for it to turn." ... As a proof of the hardness of the times, ere is a man in Ohio who kills only half a pig at a time mesention because and trail stems of the

Noetical.

[From the Wheeling Intelligencer.]
WE HAVE PARTED. BY KATE HARRINGTON:

We have parted; but not coldly Did I breathe the last "good bye," I had meant to speak it boldly, With a clear, unclouded eye: I had purposed to deceive him When the parting word was said; But, alas! when called to leave him, Tear drops would come instead.

We have parted; I, but mortal, Did I breathe the last "good bye," I had meant to speak it boldly, With a clear, unclouded eye.
I had purposed to deceive him When the parting word was said, But, alas! when called to leave him, Tear drops came of smiles instead.

We have parted; i, but mortal, Feared my firmness might give way And I placed at Feeling's portal Pride, to keep my love at bay; And my wayward heart kept trying All its yearnings to subdue, Till he spoke; then love, defying, Burst its bonds, and glided through.

We have parted; never, never, Did I deem my feelings weak, Would betray what I had ever Bade my lips refuse to speak; That my very soul would tremble, While my pulse grew strangely still; And, refusing to dissemble, Love would triumph over Will.

We have parted : Resolution Wavered, as he took my hand; Reason, fearing an intrusion, Fled, unheeding my command; And the words I have been framing, Lay, unuttered, on my tongue, When his glance, my coldness shaming, All my boasted strength unstrung:

We have parted; till that hour Had Affections fullness proved, Never knew I with what power, Might and fervor, I had loved: Had a host of resolutions Tried to keep my love at bay, They'd have ended in "illusions, And my heart have held her sway: HEIS COMING.

BY W. E. PABOR: The crescent moon goes up the blue; Its beams betray each flower: The distant spire looms up to view Beyond you castle's tower: Thy coming I await; The deepening shadows seem to prove That theu; my love; art late.

Our baby, Ina, rests her head, And slumbers on my knee: She watched the ripples as they sped While I, dear, watched for thee i've oped the little wicked wide, And all is ready quite; I wait the loiterer, and bide His coming with delight:

Old Towzer starts! What sees he now? Ahl footfalls greet my ear; A manly voice I benr: He's coming! Ina wake, my child; In dreams no longer roam; But tune thy voice to accents mild; To greet the loved one home.

Adds and Ends.

What we Hate. We hate long prayers and short sermons. We hate large promises and small perfor-

We hate leaky Boots and rainy weather. We hate smoking chimneys and scolding We hate bad pavements and muddy streets. We hate meddlesome neighbors and village

We hate patent medicines and Quack's We hate bad subscribers and Doctors' bills. We hate big whiskers and small brains.

We hate cramp cholic and other pains. We hate duns and debts and incessant We hate cold weather and green wood. We hate an empty cupboard and a penny-

But above all, we hate subscribers who run away, and don't pay the Printer! What we Like.

We like short prayers and long sermons. We like small pretensions and large perfor-We like fine Boots and pleasant weather.

We like good chimneys and pretty wo-We like dry sidewalks and clean streets. We like to see everybody attend to their

We like good customers and lots of cash. We like good health and plenty of fun. We like dry wood and warm weather. We like a full dinner table and old wine. But above all, we like to see our subscribers call in to pay the Printer!

.... A passing traveller, in the backwoods, met with a settler, near a house, and inquired i . "Whose house?"

" Mog's." "Uf what built?" "Logs."
"Any neighbors?" "Frogs."
"What is the soil?"

"Bogs."
"The climate?" "Fogs." " Your diet?" "How do you eatch them?"

kind, except pumpkin and milk, of respectable size, snub nose, cropped ears, abbreviated constitu-tion, and bad disposition—who can some when called with a raw beefsteak, and will bite the man who spits tobacco juice on the stove, and steals the

serenade at the shanty over the way-a toothacheand a pig trying to get in at the back door. Wiggins informed us, that a person met a

boy in the street, and said to him: You are my son, but I am not your father." We had to have it explained—it was his mother. That is almost as bad as the late sell in the way of a conundrum.

.... " Now, then, Thomas, what are you burning off my writing-table?" said an anthor to his servant. "Only the paper that's written all over; I haven't touched the clean," was the rpely.

.... "She died," said Polly, "and never was seen again, for she was buried in the ground where the trees grow." "The cold ground!" said the child, shuddering. "No: the warm ground," returned Polly, " where the ugly little seed are turned into beautiful flowers, and where good people turn into angels, and fly away to Heaven."

.... The 'imp' of the New-York Mercury woke up the other morning, and was astonished to see a bed-bug sitting on the back of a chair, near his bed, pulling the pins from his jacket, and innocent-ly picking his teeth!

The story of the editor who was robbed of \$500 of his own money, a week or two since, is about to be dramatized. Daniel Tucker, who has so often been warned to "get out of the way," is said to have been run over at last, by a train of cars.

.... When one lady kisses another, what command of scripture does she fulfil—"I do unto others and would that men would do unto me." The sun it riz, the wind went whis, the r fris. First it blew, then it enew, then it thew. I it missled, then it drivated, then it fizzled!

Correspondence.

[FOR THE SPIRIT OF JEFFERSON.] Some Extracts of a private Letter from Europe.

"And now, is it lawful to heal on the Sabbath day?" You need not trouble yourself to ponder over that question just now, however; for it is not the one which I meant to ask you. But this one-"Is it allowable to write about the weather and the climate, at this vast distance from you? Whether it is or not, you must allow me a few words upon that inexhaustible and delightful subject; delightful it certainly is, and inexhaustible no one will deny it to be; blessings on the man who first introduced it. But fully and properly to appreciate this subject, you should be where I am-with just the amount of French at your command that I possess -no more and no less; and with the absolute necessity of employing it every day, and of making your supply carry you along the read of talk as as far as possible. Then you would comprehend what a ready, charming theme, is that of the weather, to begin with, or to fall back upon, or to jump at, in the middle of an "awful pause;" or to dwell upon, when you would avoid something more puzzling, and less easy of discussion. How much emand thorough stultification and vacancy of countenance, have I been saved, by clinging to this godsend of a subject. "Oui monsieur, il fait un temps honible ce matin:" or "on marche avec beaucoup de difficulte aujourd'hui, les rues sont remplies de boue," and such like phrases, have literally saved me on more than one occasion. And then, when he or she to whom you must talk, happens to say-as he or she always does-" Vous n'aves pas, en Amerique un temps si mauvais comme celui-ci?"-what a door does it open, what a vast set of wide bars does it fling down for the letting out of talk: and how thoroughly does it make one feel at home, to find that all the vicissitudes of our climate lie open to his discussion. One starts off and talks on, and has no further trouble and embarrassment, thanking his stars, and grateful again to the ingenious man who first introduced the previous subject. Why, I tell you, the King talks of the weather here-so does the Queen Dowager-so do all the Princes and Princesses-and their gentlemen and maids of honor-and so on, down to the lowest, even to the porter at your gate, who, as he opens it, will say: "Vieret er meget du arlight, iday." And shall not I be permitted to talk with my far off friend, upon that universal and charming subject? You will By possibility I might: but in hunting for something better, I might find something much worse; so I am resolved for the present to stick to the good and charming subject. It is now the depth of winter, and, of course, you have forgotten all about

last summer, but I have not; and much of this day have I passed in glancing over old papers and precious letters, and bringing before my mind's eve the scenes which you witnessed from the middle of June to the middle of September last, or thereabouts; and they now stand before me as if in actual reality: I seem to see the heat, as it pours pelting down upon your house-tops and dusty roads; I almost feel the hot sunbeams scorching my very nose, as they fall with vertical power upon your once beautiful, but now scorched and withered and blackened fields. I hear the grasshoppers singing their melancholy psalms to Heaven for a little rain. I hear the katydids in your large and solemn forests, sending up their sad chirps at midnight, when the very moonbeams seem to scotch their gauzzy wings, petitioning for one tiny dew-drop to quench their burning thirst. I look straight out upon the once luxuriant fields around your town, and see the clover, stricken with the yellow-fever, drooping its pretty head, and pining for the kisses of the humble bee, (when we were boys we called him "bumbley-bee" didn't we?") whose languid wings fail to bear him half-an-hour's journey from his starving nest. I see the young corn, just a foot above the ground, folding up its tender leaves, and offering them a quiet sacrifice to the burning daygod. I see the cattle, growing hourly more slabsided and bare-ribbed, collected under the nearest tree-whose leaves are orisped and curled, and just

ready to drop from its sapless branches: too weary to attempt the vain effort of grazing, and too weak, almost, to fight the flies which, more thirsty than usual, swarm around them, tormenting them for their blood. I see the lazy, fat, sleek, well-fed niggers-well-fed always-no matter what may happen to the white folks-flinging away hoe, and shovel, and plough, and flinging themselves in the nearest fence corner, exclaiming: "Bless de Lord, 'tis too hot to work dis day-massa may work he self, dis nigger guine to drap down and quit it P' I see a thousand other things: among them, quite a crowd of my particular pet friends, a-toddling up to Carter's or Sap's, and demanding, with hot tongue and parched ips, "juleps, juleps-plenty of ice-a smash or two-very cold, and quick, if you please," And I see those two excellent gentlemen, with quiet faces, mixing the demanded beverages, and wondering why the mischief young gentlemen will call for liquid fire, when they can get plenty of the solid stuff by simply putting their noses in the street! city of butter, and the lack of milk for the suffering little ones. I see the huge droves of cattle that come down from the South Branch, in Hampshire. or from farther West, with their tongues lolling out, with their flanks covered with flies and with dust, made mud by their sweat of suffering, with their hoofs cracked and sore, and painful to behold passing through your town, walking slowly and blindly onward to their death, just as you and I behind them, with his huge whip, which he hardly has the strength to wield or the energy to crack; and, besides all this. I hear the accustomed laugh of ly married couples the most beautiful "new and ashionable" furniture, at the most reasonable prices! I hear his accustomed morning laugh, and although it seems to sound as if his lungs were filled

do assure you, I have seen and heard this day : looking back at the awful drought which fell upon our sweet and lovely valley during the departed And how did we fare all this time, vott are asking me? Oh, we had a tiny, pretty little dwelling some six or seven miles out from the town, (it is not allowable to live in this town during the summer months.) set down in the midst of shrubs and trees quiet nook, with a handsome lake within a stone's throw of it-full of fish-which you must pay for catching, (by the way,) as you must pay for every thing else out here; and I verily think that the beneficent Heavens never youchsafed to any country, a sweeter summer than fell to the lot of Denmark, from June last up to the equinox. It was just dry enough to be pleasant-just wet enough to be profitable-just warm enough to ripen fruits and vegetables in abundance—and the finest crops of oats, wheat is grown just here;) and just cool enough to permit you to walk when you chose, to sleep well at light, and to keep the flies abundantly scarce, I say, that as the sun never rises here in the winter, so he never went to bed during the whole of last summer! Throughout the whole night, you could easily trace his course around the horizon, and could read by his light at any hour, when the Heavoose you have already banned me for scribbling so nuch about the weather. Whether you have or Rulers are bound to damu. Hope for, look for nothnot, I have still more to say on that glorious sub-ject; and say it I wall. So you may pluck up your present. Before the President's Message came to Eu-

written about fickleness, instability, quick and sudden mutability. Multiply it all by ten, then add thereto your own strong, powers of exaggeration, and you may possibly gather some idea of the strange doings of the weather here during the winter. Mrs. B. sometimes says to me: "Come, it is a bright and lovely morning, I will put on my bonnet, and we will have a walk." She goes for the bonnet, puts it on, comes out and finds it snowing, hailing, blowing, and so dark that she stumbles over the chairs in coming to my room. She throws the bonnet off again, and says: "Did any one ever see such wretched weather;" and before her own face has resumed its wonted quiet, the sun is out again and the whole town is flooded with his light. On goes the bonnet once more, and we take the walk; we get as far as the second square-say to "Garnison's Plads,"-when, presently, as we turn the corner, there comes a gust of wind that blows the very whiskers from my face, tears madam's bonnet from her head, and shakes her shawl to shivers. With it comes hail, and snow, and mud-the sun is darkened-almost blotted out-and a hurricane rages around us. We turn the corner again, hoping to dodge it-when, whir! flir!! blir!!! whiz!!!! barrassment-how much beaming and having- ent; twisting and flirting, and whirling our very clothes from us-mud comes with it, and muddy snow! We run for our lives, or shout for a drosky, or stand in a gateway and cry: and presently after fighting our way home, we look out once more, and behold the sun looking down again upon the quiet mud puddles, just as if nothing had happened, and there had been no commotion among the elements a moment before! Thus it goes on-but it is

vain to tell you about it; nothing written by mecan give you any idea of this winter weather .-And this occurs nearly every day, nearly all the time, and this very night-for it is night now-and late night, too. While I write, there is such an infernal clatter, turmoil and hurly-burly of elements out doors, that it almost scares me when I drop my pen and patiently listen to it. It calls to my mind certain wild lines which I have seen somewhere or other, and which have struck root in my memory, and run somehow thus :-"Hark! how the rain drops pattering, fall:

Hark! how the wind Spirits shriek and call:

One, with the quavering tone of age,

One, with a voice all hoarse with rage, One, with the moan of a 'plaining child, One, with a shriek so fiercely wild That Phantasy, stirred by its strange control, What will our valley do for Wise, next Spring? I receive many Virginia papces, and do my utmost to keep myself posted upon her politics. And yet, doubtless, being so far off, I am out in my reckoning at times, and form erroneous impressions as to the ebb and flow of the tide of politics among you. Still, I will not doubt that our party will stand firmly by the brilliant genius and superior Statesman whom the Staunton Convention has presented to them: How I should like to ride our District and "stump it" in his behalf. How I should like to reak a lance-even; if in doing so, I should break my own neck (politically) with the holdest champion of that new-fangled, mongrel-and thank Godephemeral party of Know-Nothings which, for the moment, seems to be flaunting its banners in triumph over the land, controlling the elections everywhere, and flinging into the shade the time-honored. truth-sustaining principles of Democracy: How I should love, I say, to grapple with them, in a fair

and open tussle before the people! If I did not knock the heels from under the greatest Goliah in their ranks-if I did not, with these same smooth pebbles, gathered from the Brook of Truth, which my tiny arm has more than once purled with the effect due to them-if, with those, I did not smite their foreheads into oblivion, into dust and utter Know-Nothingism, I think I could consent to be hissed, even before the staunch Demo-

crais of the county of Page. Will you tell me that that party, the Know Nothings I mean, will ultimately and permanently succeed? Some persons tell me so, some persons ac tually believe so; but I have evidence enough to satisfy me that you are of a different opinion, just as I am. Like the dew on the mountain, like the foam on the river, like a bubble on the fountain, ike the cloud, that for a moment forbids the sun to cless the earth with his sacred beams, like the scampering off of the night-mare before the light of mornng, like quick mizzling of a rogue at some of the watchmen's rattle, like the evaporation of noisy niggers when they hear the clear voice of Colonel calling to them to "have a motion," like mists of error when the clear rays of truth fall full upon hem, this false and foundationless party, presently disappear, bearing nothing but an offensive odor, worse than that of the Old Federalism, of which it is the genuine, lineal descendant, to tell posterity what is managed to do during its ephemeral existence. Still, it is doing something just now, that themselves Democrats, to be up and doing also. It behoves them to organize, to act, with all vigilance, with all zeal. The " false prophets" have arisen and many are deceived. Let those who still retain their I hear the universal wail that arises upon the scar- senses use them. Oh if our State of the glorious old

commonwealth, the time-honored, world respected and world admired Virginia, shall fall before the invasion of these crazy disciples of the filthy Judson, whom I, myself, once saw in the Penitentiary on Blackwell's Island, with wooden platter in hand, scooping up his daily ration, under the huge lash and scowling looks of his keeper, if the followers of that brute, I say, can successfully invade and conquer Virginia, and thrust away from her chair of are marching to ours. I see the weary drover | State such a man as Henry A. Wise, if that can occur, what the -- is to become of us? A guestion to be asked, but not to be answered. Fil not believe one word of it. British tories, and pets of, and panthat large friend of mine who lives just opposite to ders to Despotism, all over this continent praise and San's fine hotel, and who occasionally sells to new- gloryfy the Know Nothings, and all "our correspondents in America," while they blackguard and slander our country, write fulsome praises of this filthy party, and my patient soul often bubbles up. (when it should rest tranquil) at their infamous praises of with dust, and his throat thirsted for a cooling them, and abuse of us. Yet, I will not doubt, for "cocktail,"—still, that laugh of his does my fancy one moment, that this pestiferous flight of locusts, good to hear it. Would my ears could hear it also, will presently be swept to annihilation by the hurnot sleep one night, summed up the causes: A wail- for then, I know, I should be ten years younger. ricane of Democracy, of Truth, which is even now, Senate floor, were praying for "hospitable graves," ing babe of seventeen months old—a deg howling under the window—a cat in the alley—a colored under the window—a cat in the alley—a colored the same persons in Europe who abuse him. road of political talk, all the gates are open, all the bars are down, who shall prevent my running on? Hear me! The President's Message came here, just ten days after it had reached every other spot upon the civilized earth! But it came, and I have read it. I wonder how a commentary upon it would sound to you, after the hundred years that it will take this letter to reach you? I shall not give one, but I could. I will only say this, let it make and hedges, and numberless flowers-a pretty little, or break me, I did not approve of, and did read with something like humiliation, his labored apology, (ably, and most masterly as it was done,) upon the bombardment of Grevtown. Why he should have chosen thus to elaborate his perfectly sound,

and impregnable position in that affair, I cannot conceive. Did he wish to conciliate his pelitical enemies in America? Vain hope. Those of our citizens who disapprove his conduct upon that occasion, cannot have true, American hearts in their breasts, and would damn him, though the angels should apparley, rye and peas, that I ever saw, (very little | plaud. Did he hope to convince Enrope that he was right? Vainer hopestill! Europe knew that he was right from the first. But I can tell him, and you. that neither he, nor you, nor our Country, need could expatiate upon it, but I will not. I will only ever hope that Europe will approve anything that he. or you or it shall do. And whoever looks to the opinion of Europe, for what is done in America, commits a great error, and cannot succeed. Europe -Russia only excepted-I mean its Rulers-hate and fear the United States, and hourly pray that they ens were clear. That's all I shall say: for I sup- may speedily become the States not United, and whatever those United States resolve upon, Europe's

patience for a little longer. It is about the winter | rope all the papers finttered and fussed, and trepidatdoings of the Danish climate that I must tell you. ed in advance, predicting it a flaming, fire-eat-Get Shakspeare, and gather every word that he has ing, filibustering affair, and stood on tip-toe until it came. It did come, and the quiet, dignified preamble and noble character which it bore, struck them all aback, but fustead of expressing the admiration which they could not help feeling for it, the the wretched hirelings, relieved from their recent terror, turned round and ridiculed it, exclaiming "behold what a tame thing, ho! he is scared, this great alliance of France and England has terrified him and already he begins to apologise for his naughty conduct." That you may see. I do not write at random about this, I send you a short, and I assure you, one of the most decent English comments upon that part of the Message, I have forty others, which put me in a rage when I looked at them, but let them alone

> and read this: "President Pierce, an able official, a successful soldier on occasian, is by the business of his life a lawyer; and his statement of the Greytown affair is the first example of law-stationery in a President's message. The affair is his opprobrium. Charged with feebleness in Cuba, he bethought him of displaying his energy on Greytown; but his own sup-porters blushed, and he now knows his mistake. residents have not reached that stage of philosophy in which they could make the globe their confessional; but in his endeavor to throw a teil over the whole subject and its stulified issue, President Pierce confesses while he would disguise the wrong, and proclaims that better influences still control his actions and the councils of the Union.'

Now, suppose cur excellent President, speaking of Gerytown, had simply said "a pestiferous hest of negro; pirates, collected at a place called Greytown, have, for years past, plundered, annoyed and insulted our emigrant citizens, on their way to California. Recently they grossly, and wantonly insulted the dignity of our Union, in the person of one of our Ministers. I demanded an apology, which they refused to give, and I had their nest eradicated from the face of the earth. Thus shall all be served, so far as I can order it, who insult our Union." Suppose he had said something like that, I mean, in the beautiful language, and admirable style, that he has of saying everything, what then, why he would have been equally blacquarded, but vainly. I think, he and we would have been more

I shall grumble as much as I please, let who will talk to the contrary, the right of grumbling is mine and I shall use it. I am not satisfied with the Soule buisiness, I have been worried and pestered and made sick, more than once, since that gentleman was sent to Spain, by the unwarrantable, unprecedented abuse and vilification which have been cast updown to the pettiest scribler that vends his scandal to avoid starvation. If you were here, in Europe, (I do not mean in Denmark,) you could see this thing in its proper light. Soule and his wife! were designedly insulted, the moment he reached the Court to which he was sent, and immediately all despotic Europe applauded, and for a brief moment rejoiced, and filled hundreds of printed columns with hundreds of the grossest lies about it: The insult was promptly, and triumphantly resented, and the same agents of despotic Europe took refuge in extra lies and endless blacquardism of him and of us. In this they were aided by traitors and cowards in our own country-cowards who would no more dare to say to the face of Soule or his son, the scandal which they can safely write about them, than they would face a starving lion. All these home scandals, the work of domestic traitors, and cowards, come back here, and are gloated over by the cowardly agents of

despotic Europe. They come back, are republished and praised here, and regarded as god-sends. There is not a paltry scandal which the reckless columns of the New York Heral contain, or which may be found in the pettiest American sheet, that is not carefully culled, blazoned forth and applauded, first by the Brittish newspapers, and afterwards by all the agents of despetic Europe. Will any gentleman, Democrat, Whig, or anything else, who, (even sometimes,) feels "like an American, carefully look into the recent French conduct towards Soule," and find any justification, any apology for it? The man was going to his post-returning from where he had been ordered by his Government-he was arrested and driven back, as if he had been a rogue.

He was, arrested, told to stand, to stop, and either to remain a certain length of time, as one under syspicion and in vile duress, or else to betake himself back again to where he came from. It was charming treatment of an American minister, representing the Majisty of his Country abroad, by an Emperor, who, at one time, was much more a fugitive from his own Country than Soule himself, who had never received from the United States anything but the kindest and most friendly treatment, and who could give no better apology for his vulgar conduct than that he "only meant to inhibit the American minister from residing! in France." "If he merely meant to go through France, he could go, f he meant to live at Paris, he could'nt !" Did any sensible man ever listen to such wretched fudge ?-Does any body suppose the French Emperor actually believed Soule-meant to reside in France? Shall tell you the whole secret of the matter? The thing was a thing planned, it was designed as a gross insult to the United States, partly excited by the meeting of our ministers at Ostend, partly the result of rankling hate, occasioned by the triumph of Soule over those who had insulted himself and familv, and the fear of the influence which, it was supposed, he was acquiring in Spain. It was a thing designed, premeditated, afterwards. England remonstrated with France, brought the Emperor, somewhat, to his senses, and to make the lame and-I say-mholly unsatisfuctory apology that he did make, I have seen that Congress abounds with silly people who are already attacking Soule, attacking the "Congress of ministers at Ostend," attacking and abusing every thing connected with our foreign policy, and thereby, encouraging all foreign Powers to insult us afresh. I shall not take up the cudgels to defend any thing; but, as I have been speaking of him, I will tell you this further thing, concerning Soule, I heard him in the Senate of the United States, once upon a time, when our Country was involved in a war, forced upon her, by the folly and madness of a neighboring power, when many of her own sons and Senators, were abusing and slandering her, when traitors upon the and as were then, even more clamerous than now. I heard him then-this same gentleman, Mr. Soule, who just now, seems to be the butt of every traitor. archer's poisoned shaft. I heard him deliver one of the most soul-stirring, blood rousing; harangues, upon that same Mexican war, that ever fell from the lips of an orator, since the days of Demosthenes .-It was a thing glowing with true eloquence and with genuine patriotism. It thrilled the Senate, and took captive the hearts of all who heard it. Attracted by the fire of his glowing eloquence, Senators crowded around him. Party malignity lost its power for a time, the zeal of true patriotism seemed to animate all the Senate and audience, and I risk nothing in saying that, even Tom Corwin, felt ashamed of himself, and of his "bloody hands and hospitable graves." I heard Soule deliver that great speech. Remembering that, and remembering also, with what a manly firmness he stood by the South in 1850, when the South deserted him and betrayed

How I should like to write you my opinion and my predictions, at length, about this present war, but, cui bono? they would be so old and stale by the time you got them, you would fling them aside as something even worse than the weather ! How-

ever, there has come to town this day-I dare say

itself. I cannot but admire and like him, and my

blood boils when I think of the wanton insults to

which he has been subjected, and the tame manner in which he has been defeuded L

Now, I suppose you know what I think of the

Souls matter and I don't care if the world knows

it is half way across the Atlantic by this time eport, that Russia has absolutely accepted the last other reason, than that prices will then fall, and my poor little sallary will go a little firther. But, I shall prophesy, for all that there is to be no peace. Russia is too strong to make peace just new. She may possibly make something like a truce for the time being; but credit me, she does not mean to give up, or abandon those Turkey wings, which she seized at first, which, for a moment, have been snatched from her, but which she is bound to have or fight to the last,

The small progress made by the Allies, has co tainly not terrified the Czar, any more than did the former blastering talk of the Britsh newspaper But it would hardly be teo much to imagine, th the querulous tone of those journals, the insolent Times" at their head, and the begging Bill, recently passed by Parliament, the " Foreign Enlistment Bill," have wonderfully encouraged him. I am no prophet, and, probably, a very bad judge, but I cannot help thinking that, whoever will carefully read the English papers, just now, will most likely, come to the conclusion that, that " Great" nation is, already, about two thirds whipt in this war, and yet Russia is hardly hurt at all ! Is it not singular that the Turks actually did more, fought better, and made much better defence against Russia, while their friends were palavering over their cause, than they, and their friends together, have been able to do since? I ask is it not strange, but it is not, it

is only a natural consequence. I am an American, and for that reason, I hope no body will abuse me for not praying that these European wars shall speedily cease. Let them fight to their hearts content, say I. "Let them fight, and we'll feed 'em !' Especially, shall I not weep if the hands of that great, but rather meddlesome power, called England, shall continue crowded with business, on her own account, as they are at presen thank God, up to the middle of the Twentieth Century. When Russia first attacked that poor, lonesome, little Turkey, standing, lonely, in the midst of Christendom, like a veritable turkey, surrou by strutting Peacocks. I was altogether, "agt that ar bar." Now I am wholly on his side. Let him claw 'em, let him claw 'em, say I, and keep 'e busy, so that, for many years to come, they may have neither time or means to middle or make in American affairs. Now you have my present opin ion of the war.

Thave six other sheets (in my brain I mean) ready to be flung around you; but as I know you are ready to faint, I will let you off until next month.

TO THE VOTERS OF JEFFERSON

The undersigned have been appointed a Commistee to address you, by the Democratic Association of Jefferson. In the performance of this duty we would urge on you the great importance of our coming elections. The whole country is looking to them with anxiety. A new political organization has sprung up and swept like a tornado over the Northern States. By our elections it is to be decided whether it is to have any permanent existence at the South, or whether it is to be confined to the North, where it originated and where alone the new matters it socks o introduce are of any sort of importance. Hence, he deep interest which is everywhere felt in the Virginia elections. Before we proceed to call attention to the peculiar threes of this new organization, we would remind the Democratic voters that they ought by no means to loose sight of the old issues which have heretofore divided the country into two great parties. It is the policy of the foes of Democracy to keep their issues out of sight as much as possible, The same policy was pursued by the Whig party on a former occasion. In the memorable campaign of 1840 these old issues were kept out of view as carefully as they now are. A National Bank, a Protective Tariff and other Whig measures were proclaimed as abandoned. Democrats and Whigs were to receive equally the confidence of the new administration. Proscription for opinion sake was de-nounced, and solemn pledge made that no proscrip-tion would be countenanced by the people's President. Deceived by their assurances, and believing that Whig measures were really abandoned forever, many Democrats voted for Whig Congressmen and a Whig President. But no sooner had they been ciected than with indecent baste a National Bank, a Protective Tariff and other Whig measures, were hurried through Congress, and a system of ruthless proscription of all Democrats was immediately started. The Democrats who had unwittingly acted in bringing about these results were astounded; they saw their error, and quickly correcting it, they aided in sweeping the Whig party from power and in restoring Democratic measures and policy at the very next election. We recall these things to the notice of the Democratic voters that they may not be again deceived. The same state of things now exist that deceived. The same state of things now exist that existed in 1840. There is the same professed abandonment of Whig principles. We hear now of no discussion as to the propriety of a Bank or Protective Tariff, and other Whig measures. But have Whigs who have always believed these measures to Whigs who have always believed these measures to be the true policy of our country changed their well settled opinion? In becoming Know-Nothings do they change their opinions, and if elected to Congress, whether as Know-Nothings or as Whigs, can we reasonably expect them to do otherwise than vote for Whig measures. Democrats be warned. Remember the campaign of 1840 and its results. The principles which have divided the Whig and Democratic parties still exist, and will ever exist, so long as this government lasts. And, those who tell you

as this government lasts. And those who tell you otherwise would again deceive you.

But it is not to Democrats only we would address ourselves. There are many Whigs in whose patriotourselves. ism and sterling worth we have every confidence, and to them we would respectfully submit some remarks. Many of you are violently opposed to a secret political organization. You know the monstrons evils to which such an organization must lead. You condemn in unmersured terms the narrow and proscriptive policy of the Know-Nothings in excluding all foreign born citizens from office. You reprobate the oath which binds Know-Nothings to vote for any Native American, though he be both fool and have a in a reference to the wisest and musest for singlefor any Native American, though he be both tool and knave, in preference to the wisest and purest foreign-born citizen. You despise the religious bigotry which is intused into their organization; you are not deceived by their professed love of religious freedom. You see through the flimsy veil which would hide their deformity. You know that they have already elected more than fifty narrow minded preachers to the Massachusetts Legislature and that under their guidance it has already been proposed to destroy by law one of the prominent features of the Catholic Church, their monasteries. All these things you abhor as much as we do. And nothing could induce you to units yourself to such an order. May dates. In voting for them you would give almost as much countenance and support to this secret order as you would by joining ther order.—An excellent opportunity is afforded you to crush for ever in the South this secret foe of free institutions. Will you not avail yourself of it? It is true in voting against the Know-Nothing Candidates you would be voting for Democrats, and it is true you do not approve of Democratic measures and policy, but we know you do not abhor them as you do the vile features of Know-Nethingism. But some of you say while we admit that all th are unworthy of a free people or an enlightened age, vet some good will result from this wherewith to offset some of the adjous features. and this only prevents you from at once decidings? vote against their candidates. We propose to re-move this stumbling-block out of the way and to' prove to your satisfaction that the Virginia Know-Nothings can accomplish no good. No State action is necessary to check foreign influence in Virginia. No evils have resulted here from it, and none is aprehended. No complaint has ever been made that the Virginia elections have ever been controlled or affected by the foreign vote, for it constitutes butone-fortieth part of our voters. The Virginia Know-Nothings accordingly propose no State action what-ever. If then they can effect any good it is only into our Congressional elections and in them they can certainly do no good, for it is utterly out of the power of Congress to check the foreign influence: complained of. Suppose Congress were to repeal the Naturalization Laws and prohibit all foreigners from ever being naturalized would this clear. from ever being naturalized, would this check in the least degree the foreign influence in this country. Certainly not. We all know that it is the fo vote which gives rise to any undue foreign influer which may exist in any part of our country, and t less this foreign vote can be diminished or at le less this foreign vote can be diminished or at least prevented from increasing in future as it has bereightered done, nothing which Congress can do will diminish this foreign influence. Will the repeal of the Naturalization Laws effect this object. It will not for in the Northern and Western States where alout there is any under foreign influence, foreigners are permitted to vote before they are naturalized. Suppose Congress refuses to naturalize at all it would make no sort of difference, foreigners would still vot as heretofore and their political influence would be unaffected. Congress has no power to fix the qualification of voters, it belongs exclusively to the States severally, and the Constitution of the United States congulzes expressly the right of the States to regulate this matter according to their own will are pleasure. The whole evil arises from what we deem an indiscreet exercise of this power by some of the

in any manner to intermeddle with it.-Each State must regulate the rights of voting as it pleases. This undue foreign influence then, on which the whole Know-Nothing organization rests is obviously a local evil, having its origin in local causes and it is therefore absurd to attempt to make it a rational matter. Nothing which the people or government of Virginia can do, nothing which Congress or the General Government, can do will connect the or the General Government, can do will correct the plained of, and therefore we should have

avil complained of, and therefore we should have nothing to do with it, but leave it to the Northern States who have introduced the evil, to correct it in their own time and in their own manner.

Before dismissing this subject we would address to our Fellow-Democrats a few additional reasons why they should not vote for the Know-Nothing Candidates. In voting for them you will vote against the regular nominees of your party, against good and true men who have been selected by your party as prepar representatives of Democratic own party as proper representatives of Democratic principles. Those principles which have ever met and still meet your hearty approbation. In many Instances you will be voting for Whigs, who have ever entertained, and still entertain principles in di-rect opposition to yours. And even where the Know-Nothing Candidate should be a Democrat, in supporting him you would vote for one, who, from mere personal ambition, has permitted himself to be used by the Whigs and Know-Nothings to defeat the regular nominees of your party, and thus to destroy its usefulness and efficiency. Is a Democrat who would permit himself to be so used worthy of your respect or confidence. Would he not utterly abandon the Democratic party whenever, by so doing, he would promote his own selfish ambition. And will you ote for such an one for any office. In conclusion we would address a few remarks especially to those Democrats who have united themselves to the Know-Nothing organization. We know that the great mass of you are still true Democrats, and when the election day comes will prove yourselves, each by voting for the regular nominees of your party. Many of you are we doubt not much amused at the strong ulations the Whigs are making on your votes .-These Whigs in the guise of Know-Nothingism approached you at first with a mighty boasting as to their numbers, taking care to assert with great emphasis, that there were at least as many Democrats in the order as Whigs. They told you that if you would only join the order you could withdraw from it at any time, if you did not like its proceedings. After you joined them they doubtless paid you very particular attention, to prevent your withdrawal, and to win you by flattery. Some of you they have elected to paltry, and insignificant posts of honor, in the order. They have, no doubt, taken very special care to induce you to believe, if possi-ble, that the order is really controlled by Demo-crats; and they have paraded before you the name of every Democrat who ever joined the order, though they, as well as you, know that most of them joined it from mere curiosity, never attended their meetings, and never have, and never will, act in concert with them. And Ithey vainly imagine that by these and other tricks they have deceived you, and effectually won you away from your old party friends, and that at the coming elections you will be found voting against the regular nominees of your party. But we feel assured that in regard to very many of you, they are utterly mistaken.—You have joined them from mere idle curiosity—you have been amused at the importance in the order, which has been, from interested views, attached to you—you have seen through the whole game, and are now laughing through your sleeve at these astute Whigs, who have set about to entrap and deceive you, but whom you have caught in their own trap. We have every confidence that the great mass of the democrats, who have united themselves to the order, will be found on the election day voting for the regular Democratic nominees. And then the Whigs will find that many an honest Democrat, they thought they had entrapped, was too smart for them; and that the only persons whom they really deceived was themselves. While we firmly believe that such will be the result, we would auggest to the Democrats who have joined the or-der, but who intend to vote for the regular Democratic nominees, that it would probably be better if you would at once formally withdraw from the order. Your presence among them is used by them to deceive others, and to increase their strength .-Let the Democrats, who are in the order, in this should deem it best, let them all withdraw from it in a body. It appears to us that in so doing, you would greatly promote the interest of your party, by striking a deadly blow at Know Nothingism in this county. And, be assured, it is the deadliest foe of Democracy, though it is so loud in its profession of amity and gool will towards all Democrats-always excepting, ho vever, our candidates T. C. GREEN, JOHN T. GIBSON, Committee.

R. W. BAYLOR. To the People of Virginia.

ALEXANDRIA, Feb. 7th, 1855.

I have new nearly completed the canvass of the eastern part of the State. I have addressed seventeen meetings, from Accomac to Alexandria, have been 55 hours upon the stump in 38 days, and between this date and the 19th inst., must meet 5 appointment more, making 22 in 50, for the east find this labor too excessive for my health and strength, and I must, therefore, in making my appointments for the Trans-Alleghany and the Valley, take only the more prominent places and longer in-tervals of time. On the 22d, I shall cross the Chesapeake, spend one week at home, where I have not been since the 1st of January; and on the 1st of March shall depart for the noth-west, there to commence a renewal of the campaign. The following will be my appointments for the West and the

At Fairmont, Marion Co March 5th. Wheeling...... March 8th. " Lewisburg...... March 24th. * Abingdon... March 31st.

* Smyth C. H... April 2d.

* Christiansburg... April 7th. Lexington......April 12th. Staupton......April 14th.
Harrisonburg.....April 16th. Woodstock......April 19th. Martinsburg......April 30th.

The Richest "Sell" we ever Heard Of.

We find an account, in the East Brooklyn Times, of a new method of "raising the wind," as well as the dead, in that city, which takes down anything in the diddling line of the season, and indicates the extent and pressure of the hard times. A female called a few days since on a lady of some influence in Brooklyn, and told a sad and plaintive story of suffering and privation: and moreover, that her husband had just died, and that she lacked the means of a decent burial. Her tale of woe so wrought upon the lady, that she proceeded to visit her immediately, to satisfy herself that there was no imposture. On entering the apartment, she beheld the coffin, and was satisfied all was right; and not wishing to harrow the feelings of the bereaved woman, she left her a considerable sum of money, and

immediately departed. After passing two or three blocks from the dwelling, thinking all the way of the strange complexions to which we are liable, she missed her pocket handkerchief, and returned to see if she had not dropped it in the house. The stairs were ascended hastily, and the room entered

Excitement in a Cincinnati School--Expulsion of a Negro Pupil.

ing over the money.

The Cincinnati Commercial, of Friday, says: There was great excitement in the Seventh District yesterday, concerning the determination of Miss Newhall, that a colored boy, who has been in attendance in other departments of the school, shall not be admitted into hers. The boy was regularly a pupil for some months, and nothing was said of it until he was transferred to Miss Newhall's room, when she sent him home with a note informing his mother that he would not be permitted to remain longer in the school. The mother, who is a light mulatte, inquired the reason, and Miss N. laid the matter before the District Trustees, who told her chat she must recieve the boy, and she persisted in cefusing to do so.

The Gazette, of Tuesday, states the matter was isid before the School Board subsequently, and Miss Newhall, after an exciting debate, was sustained in the course she had pursued. The boy who called | dad himself a quadroon was expelled from the schools, the Board deeming that colored schools were provided for those tinged with negro blood.

This eminent statesman and faithful democrat, is the nominee of the Virginia democracy for Governor of the State. He is bitterly opposed by the Know-nowthings, even by the know nothing Standard of this place, which contains articles nearly every week in apposition to him. This is more evidence that know nothingism is Abolitionism in disguise, for the writing editor of the Standard is the same man who, when editing the defunct Democrat, bitterly opposed the rendition of Fugitive Sizves at this place in 1851, and almost incited the negroes of Hayti and other places in the county to acts of violence, in orrescue the fugitives from the officers of the law. He also, we believe, was much opposed to the delivering up of other fugitive slaves recovered in this county in 1853-54. If the people of Virginia could but know the workings of these know othing Abolitionists as well as they are known here, they would set the seal of condemnation upon Know Nothingism in the Old Dominion forever. If the people of Virginia elect Wise, they will be true lves; if they do not elect him they will be playing into the hands of Northern Know Nothing Abolitionists and fanatics, against whom the democracy of Penasylvania have long contended. [" Genius of Liberty," Uniontown, Pa.]

Death of an Editor. Beath of an Editor.

The Boston Atlas, of Monday, records the death
The Henry Rogers, Jr., one of the proprietors of
Boston Journal. Mr. Rogers died on Sunday,
but two days subsequent to the decease of his,
The funeral of father and son will take

that the Indians were becoming more troublesome, and a general war was apprehended.

LATER FROM EUROPE. ARRIVAL OF THE ASIA.

SEVEN DAYS LATER FROM EUROPE. Resignation of the English Ministry--Affairs before Sebastopol--Germanic HALIFAX, Feb. 24.—The Royal Mail Steamship Asia arrived here this morning, with dates from Liverpool to the 3d instant, being one week later than previous

The news of this arrival is quite interesting-and olitically, highly important. The position of affairs before Sebastopol continues unchanged. A new complication of the Germanic relations has

As predicted by the last arrival, the resignation of Lord John Russell has been followed by that of the entire Ministry, and up to the latest moment prior to the same; and like the rabid cur in August, he is the sailing of the steamer, no new Cabinet had been constructed. Lord Derby was called upon to form a new Minis

try, but without success. Much anxiety prevailed in regard to the position Lords Palmerston, Russell and Lansdowne are all spoken of in connection with the formation of the new Cabinet. The greatest anxiety prevailed in re-

From the Crimea, the accounts represent that no fighting of importance had taken place, but supplies were arriving, and the condition of the troops im-Prussia refuses to permit the French army

march through her territory.

The French force to guard the Austrian frontier, composed of 80,000 men. The Greek difficulty has been arranged. Reports from Spain represent Mr. Soule, the Amercan Minister, as being seriously ill.

A slight triumph has been gained by the diplo macy of Prussia over Austria, the former's proposition to prevent the mobilisation of the Germanic army, having been carried against the efforts of Aus-Eugland has made a loan of £1,000,000 to Sar-

The Prussian army is to be placed on the war The Allies in the Crimea.

A gentleman who recently arrived from the camp of the allies befor Sebastopol, gives the most deplorable account of the fatigues and discouragements under which the brave soldiers of England and France aresupporting the seige. The manner in which the Russian guns constantly harrass them, is by no means their smallest grief. He has seen frequently the French erect a breastwork, place and direct a cannen, and before they are prepared to fire, the Russian guns would dismount the piece, scatter the breastwork, and kill or wound the men. The hail of balls is continual, so that beyond the trenches of the allies, the ground is literally covered with metal which has been thrown from the city. The amount of balls and broken shells which are to be seen on the ground surrounding Sebastopol, is said to be one of the most remarkable curiositses which meets the eyes of the visitor, and gives him an exalted idea of the resources of the garrison.

The Very Latest from London,

Rumors still prevail in regard to the Ministry.— Palmerston, Lansdowne and Clarendon, are spoken

The bullion in the Bank has increased £192,500.

The Asia arrived at Halifax yesterday, and by telograph thence we have seven days' later from Europe. The dates are to the 2d instant. The Aberdeen ninistry, as the defection of Lord John Russell indieates would be the case, has fallen to pieces, and England was in the turmoil of forming a new Cabinet out of the discordant elements. Lord Derby had been called to the Premiership, but his efforts to rally around him a Ministry were unsuccessful. It is not probable that any Cabinet which it was in his power to form, could have commanded a majority in either House of Parliament. Lords Russell, Lansdowne and Palmerston, were spoken of as likely to succeed Lord Derby in the attempt. The former would seem to us to be entirely out of the question. Palmerston has great popularity, and Lansdowne has occupied a position in the recent progress of public events that would give him much weight as a Cabinet minister. In the meantime the greatest anxiety prevailed throughout England in reference to the matter. Prussian diplomacy had triumphed in the Germanic Diet over Austria. The diet had decided against the mobilisation of the German Army .-Prussia had also resolved to put her own army on a war footing, and refuse to allow the French army to march through her territory against Russia. The latest news from Sevastopol represents af-

fairs there as unchanged, though the condition of the allied troops is reported to be improving. The commercial news is not very favorable; butter and breadstuffs were both declining in price. Cotton closed at 911. Arrival of the Northern Light-One Week Later from California—\$476.000 in Gold. New York, Feb. 14.—The steamer Northern Light

arrived here this evening shortly before 6 o'clock, with about 200 passengers and 476,000 in gold. Her dates are to the 24th ult, and have been chiefly anticipated by the recent arrival at New Orleans. The gold is principally consigned to the following parties :- Duncan, Sherman & Co., \$200.000; Adams & Co., \$147,000; Wells, Fargo & Co., \$69,000; Drexel & Co., \$30,000; Newhouse & Spatz, \$14,000. There is but little news from California. The market is extremely dull, but little gold having been taken out on account of the low water. Less gold had been offered at San Francisco since the sailing of the last steamer, than for any week within the past three years.

Joseph Heslep, treasurer to Alumi county, was murdered on the 17th, at Sonora by an English-man named Griffith, who was arrested and hanged on the 30th. A claim at Shaw's flat lately yielded in one day,

eight and three quarter pounds of dust. The papers contain accounts of troubles with the Indians, and the usual record of affrays, in which stabbing and shooting are prominent features. Markets. San Francisco, Jan. 24.—Flour—Richmond is held at \$15.50. There is some activity in Sugars noticed:

prices for raw and refined have advanced. The stock of crushed Sugar was light. No sales of Candles are quoted at 521 for sperm. No sales of adamantine.

Hams were in fair request at improved figures.— Lard 13 cts; Mess Beef \$21; Pork \$16 a 19.50 Butter 35 to 44 cts. From Key West.

The Northern Light brings dates from Key West to the 10th. The United States steamer Princeton was there, to sail on the 11th. From Central America. Mr. Wheeler, the American Minister to Central

America, has been to Grenada to procure the archives of his predecessor, and returned to San Juan on the 6th. He visited the camp of the revolutionists and was well received by Chomono, although at first the American party were repulsed by a 24 lb. shot, as it was not known who they were. Cho-mono was steadily gaining ground, but most of the Americans who joined the revolutionists had left in disgust.

The steamer Julius Pringle, which left San Francisco in search of the Cocos Island treasure, was unsuccessful, and was in port at San Juan del Sud. Important from Havana-Supposed At-

tempt to Murder the Governor-General New ORLEANS, Feb. 14 .- The steamer Empire City, arrived here to-day, from Havana, with dates to the 9th inst. It was rumored that an attempt had been without much ceremony, when what did she behold

the woman's husband sitting up in the coffin countmade to take the life of Concha. At night, the Palace was illuminated for a public reception, but at eight o'clock, the gas was suddenly turned off, when

it is supposed the conspiracy was discovered.— Eighty arrests were made, including Concha's Secretary and two Americans. We have much excitement and anxiety at this moment, which, if continued, will materially affect our business. Many arrests have been made among our most prominent citizens—it is supposed for political cause or offence, but we have no certainty. Among the persons now in prison, there are Old Spain subjects, as well as Creoles, and some of them holding important official positions. The Administrator of the Havana Railroad, Echerevia, Ramon Pinto (Catalan,) Director of the Liceo; Dr. Jose

Tujillo, a Mr. Barbier, and two sons, and an aged gentleman by the name of Cadalzo. Others are named, of high social position: but as I find no confirmation at the moment that convinces my judgment, I forbear giving their names. I am told that several have been sent under arrest to Matanzas, for imprisonment there, and that orders are issued for the arrest of the Governor of Trini-

Various versions are affoat in the community as to the cause—of which, probably, none are correct. Information received from the South Western part of the Union, has probably induced local investiga-

tion here. The Piedmont Whig states that on Wednesday, the 31st ult., an unprovoked and cold-blooded murder was committed at a little groggery, kept by a man named Triplett, in the Bull Run Mountains, between Hopewell and old Bull Run church, near the line between Fauquier and Prince William counties. The murder was committed by Wm. Sinclair, or, as he is more commonly called, Bill Sinclair. The man killed was named Hewitt. It appears that they had been engaged in shooting at a mark, with little or no provocation, without it was some past grudge, raised his rifle and shot Hewitt through the body. Hewitt fell on the spot and cried out that he was killed, though he lived about 24 hours after he was shot. Hewitt is the second man that Sinclair has shot; both of them leave large and helpless familiespoor and dependant. A warrant was issued for the apprehension of Sinclair, but he has escaped.

Two Men Drowned.

We learn from the Telescope, published at West Columbia, Mason county, Va., that George Allen, a young Scotchman, and Thomas George, were drowned in the Ohio river, in that vicinity, a few days ago, by imprudently venturing on the ice when it was too weak to bear them. They were both intoxicated.

Murder of a Family.

The Oregonian records a dreadful murder which occurred near Portland, Oregon, on the 3d of parv. A manufacture, while crazed with drink, murdered his wife and four children, and afterwards set fire to the house, which, with the bodies of his victims, was consumed. After his afrest, he stated that he had killed his wife and all of his children four in number to send them to Heaven. children, four in number, to send them to Heaven.

IFOR THE SPIRIT OF JEFFERSON.] Inswer to Philo-Veritas-Let Injustice be Rebuked, and let Invidiousness be Ex-

MESSAS, EDITORS :- If there is an animal moving upon the face of the earth, that deserves more contempt than another, and merits the frown of honor and the derision of integrity, it is the man who would (in the shape of a sneaking and contemptible twaddler.) attack the reputation of an individual under the loose protection and flimsy covering of a fictitious signature. Such a good specimen of mean humanity has, from time to time, made his filthy appearance on the pages of the Free Press. Although he has assumed different garbs, under the still snarling, and spits venomensly the disgusting froth of prejudice, to darken the fair names of those who are far above him in the scale of usefulness and honor. There is one person, whose form and conduct seem to hang like an incubus upon the mental eye of the fungosity in question. That person is the Fion, C. J. FAULKNER. And I had thought those captions Whigs, whose grumbling bellies shine with the phosphorescent light of federalism, were perfectly aware by this time, that he would not again cater to their greedy appetites. Now that Mr. FAULENER has honestly disavowed every principle of the Whig party, we find this pigmy of the slandering tribe pouring forth-buzzard like-his nauseous criticisms and skulking inuendos, upon his Congressional representative, as though he would shape his political course to please those who had so recently and vilely slandered him. I am not a whining politician, nor a champion

for Mr. FAULENER; and there is no personal acquain tance existing between us. We only know each other by reputation; and so widely separated are we, by age and profession, that there can never exist (in any possible way,) a selfish relationship between us. Therefore, all that has prompted me in thus appearing, is but a sincere desire to reward merit, and rebuke those efforts which have been invidiously made, to cast odium upon the acts of one whom I know to be honorable and sincere in his motives. How can it be otherwise. The only incentive Mr. FAULENER has to action, is a laudable ambition and ingenuous desire to serve his constituents in a manner which will redound to their benefit, and reflect credit upon his own name: for it

is an evident fact, that the sumptions arms of opulence have long since placed him in plenty, beyond the petty influence of mere dollars and cents: and his reputation as a lawyer, and his talents as a state nan, long before this period, won the applause, and approbation of crowded thousands. These are undoubted superiorities, which he possesses in an eminent degree, and which proclaim him to be among Virginia's most creditable sons.

An invective allusion was made to an extract of Mr. FAULENER's letter, published some time since in the Spirit of Jefferson. That letter was addressed privately to some of Mr. FAULENER's friends at this place: and I imagine, that he did not think for one moment that a sentence of it would get into public print. I will forbear commenting at present, and I will say in conclusion, if the captious gentleman has ambition, and desires to be wise, he must improve his own faults by the follies of others: and remember, that in order to make meanness a virtue, a man must be honest in the intent-and to commend it, he must be considerate and bold. Yours, most respectfully,

J. B. JOHNSON. HARPER'S FERRY, 1855.

The War in the Crimea. The resignation of Lord John Russell excites great interest in Great Britian. It is thought that it would lead to a complete re-organization of the Cabinet, with Palmerston as Minister of War. There seems to be universal discontent with the management of the war in the Crimea. The London Times has a scathing article on the subject. After giving a graphic picture of the wasted condition of the British army before Schastopol, the Times exclaims : "We are all to persevere with the whole force of the empire in carrying Lord Raglan and his staff through with it, and enabling them to redeem their credit at the risk of another army. That is what Government is prepared to ask, what Parliament is expected to grant, what the press will be thought very disloyal if it does not back up, what the British people are expected to swallow, as it has swallowed many another desperate policy.

And then, with striking emphasis, it adds: " For our part, whatever others may, pleased to do, we will take no further part in such an affair. We wipe our hands of the war under the existing management. If Government, if the House of Commons, or the British people, choose to sell themselves to the aristocracy, and through the aristocracy to their enemies, tt is their own affair; we wipe our hands of the national suicide.

Democracy of the Northwest. As evidence of the conservative views of the Democracy of Northwestern Virginia, and of the brilliant prospects of the party in that section, we publish below an extract of a letter from an intelligent gentleman of that portion of the State: "You may rely upon it, he (Wise,) will be warm ly supported by nearly every Democrat, and by many of the Whigs of this portion of the State. My impression is that the Know Nothing movement is decided failure in the Northwest. I cannot bring myself to suppose for a moment but that Mr. Wise will be triumphantly elected, the vaporings and boastings of the Know Nothings and the Whigs to the contrary notwithstanding. I cannot believe that God, in his mercy, can have so severe a scourge in store for use, would inevatably shower down upon the downtral of the do the devoted heads, not only of this good old Com-

monwealth, but of the Union; for, rely upon it, if he is defeated, and the old Flag Ship of Democracy goes down, then farewell Democracy, farewell the interests and institutions of the South, and farewell the Union. God avert it. Daring Attempt to Murder a Lady. The New York Herald of yesterday contains a account of a deliberate attempt to murder a Mrs. Bishop, at her residence, No. 991 Broadway, on Mon-

evening, at half-past 6 o'clock. while sitting in the back parlor, alone at the piano, she was fired at by an unknown person, who entered the room stealthily, and firing the weapon, hastily made his escape. The report of the pistol alarming the domestics, they rushed into the apartment and found Mrs. Bishop lying on the floor quite insensible. Her husband, Mr. Bishop, was immediately sent for, and on arriving at his residence found his wife in a fainting condition, but happily uninjuhis wife in a fainting condition, but happily uninjured; the ball had missed the mark. Restorative

were immediately applied. The same lady was shot at on the 4th of September last, while celebrating her 20th birth day at Tarrytown, N. Y., along with a party of friends, at the house of her brother, Captain Fletcher, commander of one of the Liverpool packets.

Thos. S. Bocock, Esq. It is known that the Whigs not only threaten to carry the Gubernatorial election, but that the Lynchburg Virginian, a leading Whig paper of this district, has marked out a plan, by which such Democrats as Thomas S. Bocock and Paulus Powell, are to be defeated in the next Congressional elections. Are the Democratic party ready to submit their necks to this block? We believe not, and we call upon them to be preparing themselves for the canvass. Already have the democracy of Lynchburg taken the initiatory steps, and they call upon their brethren of the counties to take positons by their sides in the ranks of the party. Will they not respond in the spirit of true democratic zeal? Let all the counties of this Congressional district hold meetings at their Courts, to take these impor-

tant matters into consideration. The success of our candidates for Governor will depend much upon the character of those who shall be our standard-bearers in the Congressional elections. This district has been particularly blessed in the man who has represented it in the present Congress. He came into this district at the last election, almost a total stranger to a majority of the counties, and what he did by his eloquence in rallying the party against the greatest odds, is too fresh in the minds of the reader to render it necessary to recall the circumstances. He went to Congress as your representative, and by his faithfulness and ability, has reflected credit upon his par-ty, his State, and particularly upon the district by which he was chosen. It well becomes us to express our approval of the course of such a man, and we pelieve it will be a pleasant duty on the part of the district to do so soon. We wish to hear his eloquent voice once more amongst us, awakening and arousing the party to action .- Danville Republican. Death of the Rev. Dr. John S. Reese. This distinguished minister of the Methodist Protestant Church, died at his residence in Baltimore county a few days ago. He was the President of the Maryland Annual Conference. Few men have

who knew him. His disease was pneumonia. Pennsylvania Senator.

The Legislature of Pennsylvania did not succeed in electing a United States Senator on Tuesday After the two Houses, in joint convention, had had two ballots, a motion to adjourn for two weeks was carried by yeas 67, nays 64. The votes taken resulted; for Simeon Cameron, (K. N.) 59; Charles S. Buckalew, (Dem.) 28; J. P. Jones, 11; and a

been more useful, or more generally beloved by all

number scattering. Japanese Presents for the United States Government. The storeship Supply, which arrived on 15 brought home some J.

ernment. They consist of rice and coal. The coal is said to be of a bituminous nature, and burns rapidly. It gives a brilliant flame, and the heat is intense. The rice is of a dark color, and of very good quality. The captain also brought a specimen of coal from the mines of Formosa, an island situated between China and Japan. between China and Japan.

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The venerable Chancellor WARDLAW, writes from Baltimore, 15th April, 1854:

"Dr. J. C. Ayrn—Sir: I have taken your Pills with great benefit, for the listlessness, languor, loss of appetite and Bilious headache, which has of late years overtaken me in the spring. A few doses of your Pills cured me I have used your Cherry Pectoral many years in my family for coughs and colds with unfailing success. You make medicines which care, and I feel it a pleasure to commend you for the good you have done and are doing."

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"Sir: I take pleasure in adding my testimony to the efficacy of your medicines, having derived very material benefit from the use of both your Pectoral and Cathartic Pills. I am never without them in my family, nor shall I ever consent to be, while my means will procure them."
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"Acton, Ma., Nov. 25, 1853.

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"Never until now have I been free from this loathsome disease in some shape. At times it attached my eyes, and made me almost blind, besider the unendurable pain; at others it settled in the scalp of my head, and destroyed my hair, and has kept me partly hald all my days; sometimes it came out in my face, and kept it for months a rew sore.

"About nine weeks ago I commenced taking your Cathartic Pilis, and now am entirely free from the complaint. My types are well, my skin is fair, and my hair has commenced a healthy growth; all of which makes me feel already a new person.

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"Hoping this statement may be the means of conveying information that shall do good to others, I am, with every sentiment of gratitude, Yours, &c.,

"Have known the above named Maria Ricker from healthcad and her attenuation tricks the second of the

ehildhood, and her statement is strictly true.

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Nisewanger, George Neill. Down to Nooncy. Peter Deinson, John J Ramsburg, Mrs. Robinson, Francis Read, Mr. Ramsey, Sampson Russell. E. S. Snyder, Samuel Shoemaker, Hannah E. Shauton, Mr. Smith, (Alt.,) James Sulivan, Charles M. Streit, Hamilton Sellers. Eliza Taylor. R. Hall Walton, Mary P. Wilson, W. W. Ward.

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Leave Harpers-Ferry Tuesday, Thursday, and
Saturday, (after arrival of cars from Baltimore,) say I p. m.;
Arrive at Leesburg same days by 7 p. m.;
From Leesburg, by Hughesville, Circleville,
Philemont, Bloomfield, and Unison, to Mid-4998

dleburg; and from Middleburg, by Mount-ville, Mount Gilead, and Oaklands, to Leesbarg, equal to 22 miles and back, twice a Leave Leesburg Wednesday and Saturday at 5 Arrive at Middleburg same days by 12 m.; Leave Middleburg Wednesday and Saturday

at 1 p. m.;
Arrive at Leesburg same days by 8 p. m.;
From Lovettsville to Barry, 2; miles and back,
three times a week; and from Lovettsville,
by Hoeysville, Bolington, Morrisville, Wheatand, to Lovettsville, equal to 10 miles and back, three times a week. Leave Lovettsville Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday at 10; a. m.; Arrive at Barry Tuesday, Thursday, and Sa turday at 2 p. m.; Arrive at Lovettsville same days by 3 p. m.; Leave Lovettsville Tuesday, Thursday, and

Saturday at 3½ p. m.; Arrive at Morrisville same days by 5½ p. m.; Return to Lovettsville same days by 61 p. m. From Aldie, by Mountville and Philomont, Snickersville, 16 miles and back, once a week. Leave Aldie Mondays at 1 p. m.; Arrive at Snickersville same days by 6 p. m. Leave Snickersville Mondays at 7 a. m.; Arrive at Aldie same days by 12 m. Proposals for tri-weekly service by the follow-ing schedule are invited:

Leave Aldie Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 3 p. m., after arrival of mail from Alex-

andria; ArriveatSnickersville same days by 7 pm.; Leave Snickersville Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday at 5a. m.; Arrive at Aldie same days by 9 a. m.; or in

time to connect with mail for Alexandria.

Of From Winchester, by Stephenson's Depot,
Wadesville, Brucetown, Summit Point,
Charlestown, and Halltown, to Harpers-Ferry, 32 miles and back, daily, except Sunday. Leave Winchester daily, except Sunday, 9 s. m; Arrive at Harpers-Ferry same days in time for cars for Baltimore, say by 12 m.; Leave Harpers-Ferry daily, except Sunday,

at 1½ p. m.;
Arrive at Winchester same days by 4 p. m.;
Arrive at Winchester, by Newtown, Stephensburg,
Middletown, Strasburg, Tom's Brook, Woodstock, Edenburg, Mount Jackson, New Market, Tenth Legion, Lacey Springs, Mellrose,
Harrisonburg, Mount Crawford, Burke's
Mill, Mount Sidney, and Cline's Mill, to
Stauuton, 93 miles and back, daily, except Sunday. Leave Winchester daily, except Sunday, 41 pm

Arriveat Woodstock same days by 9½ p. m.; Leave Woodstock daily, except Sunday, at4am; Leave Woodstock daily, except Sunday, attam;
Arrive at Staunton same days by 2 p. m.;
Leave Staunton daily, except Sunday, at 4 a.m.;
Arrive at Winchester same days by 8 p. m.

Oo3 From Staunton to Mint Spring, Greenville,
Steel's Tavern, Canicello, Fairfield, Timber
Ridge. Lexington. Summers. Waskey's Ridge, Lexington, Summers, Waskey's Mills, and Pattonsburg, to Fincastle, 60 miles and back, six times a week to Lexington, and three times a week the residue of the

Leave Staunton daily, except Sunday, at 4½p.m; Arrive at Lexington same days by 11 p.m.; Arrive at Fincastle Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday by 6 a.m. Leave Fincastle Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 4 p m; Leave Lexington daily, except Sunday, at3pm; Arrive at Staunton same days by 10 p. m. Proposals for six trips a week on whole route, and also for extending to Stoner's Store, are invited. Also, proposals to run three trips by Mint Spring, Greenville, &c., and three by Middleburg, Brownsburg, &c., to Lexington, and back.
From Greenville, by Middlebrook, Browns-

burg, and Cedar Grove Mills, to Timber Ridge, 25 miles and back, three times a week. Leave Greenville Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 6 a. m.;
Arrive at Timber Ridge same day by 1 p. m.;
Leave Timber Ridge Tucsday, Thursday, and Saturday at 6 a. m.;

Saturday at 6 a. m.;

Arrive at Greenville same days by 1 p. m.

From Fincastle, by Tinker Knob, Catawba, and McDonald's, to Blacksburg, 40 miles

and back, once a week. Leave Fincastle Saturday at 4 a. m.; Arrive at Blacksburg same day by 9 p. m. Leave Blacksburg Friday at 4 a. m.; Arrrive at Fincastle same day by 9 p. m.
From Fincastle, by Junction Store and Rich
Patch, to Covington, 28 miles and back, once

Leave Fincastle Monday at 6 a. m.; Arrive at Covington same day by 1 p. m. Leave Covington Monday at 2 p. m.; Arrive at Fincastle next day by 12 m. Arrive at Fincastle next day by 12 m.
Proposals for more frequent trips are invited.
From Fincastle, by Craig's Creek, New Castle, Sinking Creek, Midway, Simmonsville, Leve Green, Newport, Macksburg, Pembroke, Pcarisburg, Belle Point, East River, Princeton, Blue Stone, Springville, Tazewell C. H., Knobb, Maiden Spring, Belfast Mills, Elk Garden, Rosedale, Lebanon, Gibsonville, Dickinsonville, Grassy Creek, Osean sonville, Dickinsonville, Grassy Creek, Os-born's Ford, Stony Creek, and Rye Cove, to Pattonsville, 220 miles, twice a week. Leave Fincastle Wednesday and Saturday at 5 a. m.; Arrive at Pattonsvillenext Monday and Thurs day by 7 p. m. Leave Pattonsville Wednesday and Saturday

at 5 a. m.; Arrive at Fincastle next Monday and Thursday by 7 p. m.

Proposals for tri-weekly service are invited;
the bidder to propose expedited schedule.
From Charlestown, by Rippon, to Berryville,
15 miles and back, six times a week.
Leave Charlestown daily, except Sunday, at

2 p. m.;
Arrive at Berryville same days by 6 p. m.;
Leave Berryville daily, except Sunday, at51a m;
Arrive at Charlestown same days by 91, a. m.;
From Charlestown to Kabletown, 6 miles and back, six times a week. Leave Charlestown daily, except Sunday, at 2p. m.; Arrive at Kabletown same days by 4 p. m.:

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Leave Kabletown daily, except Sunday, at 4 p m;
Arrive at Charlestown same days by 6 p. m
From Kerneysville to Shepherdstown, 5 miles
and back, deily, except Sunday, and from
Kerneysville, by Leetown, to Middleway, 9
miles and back, three times a week.
Leave Kerneysville daily, except Sunday, at 3 p m
Arrive at Shepherdstown same day by 5 p. m.;
Leave Shepherdstown daily, except Sunday, at
9 a. m.:

Arrive at Kerneysville same day by 11 a. m.; Leave Kerneysville Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday at 3 p. m.; Arrive at Middleway same days by 6 p. m.; Leave Middleway Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday at 8 a. m.; Saturday at 8 a. m.; Arrive at Kerneysville same days by 11 a. m.; Proposals for three additional weekly trips be-tween Kerneysville and Middleway are in-

vited.
From Shepherdstown, by Sharpsburg (Md.,)
and Keedysville, to Boonsboro, 10 miles
and back, three times a week, with three additional weekly trips from Shepherdstown to
Sharpsburg, (Md.)
Leave Shepherdstown Monday, Wednesday, Leave Shepherdstown Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 4½ p. m.; Arrive at Boonsboro' same days by 7½ p. m.; Leave Boonsboro' Monday, Wednesday, and

Friday at 6 a. m..

Arrive at Shepherdstown same days by 9 a.m.;
Leave Shepherdstown Tuesday, Thursday, and Leave Shepherdstown Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday at 4½ p. m.;
Arrive at Sharpsburg same days by 6 p. m.;
Leave Sharpsburg Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday at 8 a. m.;
Arrive at Shepherdstown same days by 9 a. m.;
From Middletown, by Portsmouth, to Front Royal, 12 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Middletown Wednesday at 6 a. m.;
Arrive at Front Royal same day by 9 a. m.; Leave Middletown Wednesday at 6 a. m.; Arrive at Front Royal same day by 9 a. m.; Leave Front Royal Wednesday at 11 a. m.; Arrive at Middletown same day by 2 p. m. From Shanghai to Glingary, 4 miles and back,

From Shanghai to Gingary, 4 miles and back, once a week.

Leave Shanghai Monday at 9 a. m.;

Arrive at Glingary same day by 10½ a. m.;

Leave Glingary Monday at 11 a. m.;

Arrive at Shanghai same dayby 12 m.

From Gerardstown, by Mill Creek, Derkesville, and Arden, to Martinsburg, 17 miles and back, twice a week. back, twice a week. Leave Gerardstown Wednesday and Saturday at7 a. m.; Arrive at Martinsburg same days by 12 m.; Leave Martinsburg Wednesday and Saturday at 3 p. m.; Arrive at Gerardstown same days by 8 p. m.; From Jones Spring, by Shanghai, to Unger' Store, 12 miles and back, once a week.

Leave Jones Spring Monday at 7 a. m.;
Arrive at Unger's Store same day by 11 a. m.;
Leave Unger's Store Monday at 12 m.;
Arrive at Jones Spring same day by 4 p. m.;
From Winchester to White Hall, 8 miles and oack, twice a week. Leave Winchester Monday and Thursday at 4 p. m.;
Arrive at White Hall same days by 6 p. m.;
Leave White Hall Monday and Thursday at 1 p. m.;

From Winchester, by Mount Vernon Tannery,
Cedar Creek, and Mountain Fall, Wardenster, Bun, and Fabius, to
Moorefield, 65 miles and back, twice a week.
Leave Winchester Tuesday and Friday at 1 p m;
Arrive at Moorefield next days by 8 p. m.;
Leave Moorefield Monday and Thursday at 8 Arrive at Capon Springs same days by 12 m;

Arrive at Winchester next days by 12 m;

Proposals to omit Mount Vernon Tannery are invited; also to embrace Capon Springs.

Pibm Winchester to Capon Springs, 23 miles and back, daily.

Leave Winchester daily at 4 a, m;

Arrive at Capon Springs same days by 12 m.;

pon Bridge, Hanging Rock, and Pleasant Date, to Romney, 43 miles and back, three Leave Winchester Monday, Wednesday, and

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larive at Romney, Tuesday Thursday, and Saturday at 10 a.m.;
Arrive at Winchester same days by 9½ p. m.;
From Romney, by Burlington, Ridgeville, and New Creek, to New Creek Depot, 30 miles and back, three times a week. Leave Romney Tuesday, Thursday and Satur-day at Tam;
Arrive at New Creek Depot same days by 3p m;
Leave New Creek Depot Monday, Wednesday

and Friday at 7 am.; Arrive at Romney same days by 3 p. m. From Romney, by Purgitsville and Moorefield, to Luney's Creek, 38 miles and back, 3 times Leave Romney Tuesday, Thursday, and Satur-

day at 4 a. m.;
Arrive at Luney's Creek same days by 4 p. m.;
Leave Luney's Creek Monday, Wednesday, and
Friday at 8 a. m.; Arrive at Romney same days by 8 p. m.; Proposals for three additional trips to Moorefield are invited.

35 From Romney, by Springfield and Frankfort, to Patterson Creek Depot, 19½ miles and back six times a week.

Leave Romney daily, except Sunday, at 4 a. m.; Arrive at Patterson Creek Depot by 9 a. m.; Leave Patterson Creek Depot at 5 p. m. or after arrival of mail from Baltimore; Arrive at Romney same days by 10 p. m.

336 From Millwood, by White Post, to Milldale, 10
miles and back, 3 times a week to White Post, and twice a week the residue. Leave Millwood Monday, Wednesday, and Fri-

day at 8½ a. m.; Arrive at White Post same days by 10 a. m. and at Milldale Monday and Friday by 12m; Leave Milldale Monday and Friday at 1 p.m. and White Post Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 61 a. m.; Arrive at Millwood same days by 8 a. m. Proposals for tri-weekly service on whole route

will be considered 5037 From Millwood to Berryville, 8 miles and back, once a week. Leave Millwood Tuesday at 4 p. m.; Arrive at Berryville same day by 6 p. m.; Leave Berryville Tuesday at 1 p. m.; Arrive at Millwood same day by 3 p. m.; Proposals for additional trips will be considered 038 From Waterloo by Clift's Mills, to Orleans, 12

miles and back three times a week. Leave Waterloo Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday at 21 p. m.; Arrive at Orleans same days by 4½ p.m.; Leave Orlean Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday at 12 m.; Arrive at Waterloo same days by 2 p. m.;

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once a week. Leave Luray Thursday at 12 m.; Arrive at Valleysburg same day by 2 p. m.; Leave Valleysburg Thursday at 9 a. m.; Arrive at Luray by 11 a.m. Leave Capon Springs daily at 1 p. m.;
Arrive at Winchester same days by 9 p. m.;
Arrive at Winchester same days by 9 p. m.;
5041 From Luray, by Hope Mills, Cedar Point, Overalls, Bentonville, and Hambaughs, to Front Royal, 30 miles and back, once a week.

Leave Luray Tuesday at 8 a. m.; Arrive at Front Royal same day by 5 p. m.; Leave Front Royal Monday at 8 a.m.; Arrive at Luray same day by 5 p. m. Proposals for tri-weekly service are invited; bidder to propose schedule. 5042 From Luray by Long Meadow, Honeyville, Grove Hill, Shenandoah Iron Works, Waver-

lie, and Conrads Store, to McGaheysville, 33 miles, once a week and back. Leave Luray Tuesday at 7 a. m . Arrive at McGaheysville same day by 5 p. m.; Arrive at Luray same day by 5 p. m. Proposals to end at Conrad's Store are invited 5043 From Moorefield, by Howard's Lick, Barbarasville, Orkney Springs, and Mount Clifton, to

Mount Jackson, 451 miles and back, twice a week to Howard's Lick, and once a week re-Leave Moorefield Tuesday at 7.a. m .: Arrive at Mount Jackson next day by 12 m; Leave Mount Jackson Wednesday at 1 p. m.; Arrive at Moorefield next day by 6 p. m. 5044 Erom Moorefield, by Dashersville, Sweedlin Hill, Oak Flat, Sugar Grove, and Palo Alto, to McDowell, 731 miles and back,

once a week. Leave Moorefield Tuesday at 1 p m; Arrive at McDowell next Thursday by 12 m: Leave McDowell Thursday at 1 p m; Arrive at Moorefield next Saturday by 8 p m. 5045 From Luney's Creek, by Upper Tract, to Franklin, 32 miles and back, twice a week. Leave Luney's Creek Tuesday and Saturday at 5 p m; Arrive at Franklin next day by 11 a m;

Leave Franklin Wednesday and Saturday a 2 p m; Arrive at Luney's Creek next days by 7 a m. 5046 From Upper Tract, by Mouth of Seneca, Harpers Mills, and Mount Freedom, to Crab Bottom, 50 miles and back, once a week. Leave Upper Tract Wednesday at 1 p m; Arrive at Crab Bottom next day by 7 p m; Leave Crab Bottom Friday at 7 a m;

Arrive at Upper Tract next day by 12 m. 5047 From Capon Bridge to Hook's Mills, 5 miles and back, once a week. Leave Capon Bridge Friday at 4 p m; Arrive at Hook's Mills same day by 5½ p m; Leave Hook's Mills Friday at 1 p m; Arrive at Capon Bridge same day by 21 p m.

1048 From Capon Bridge, by Cold Stream, to Bloomery, 9 miles and back, and from Cold Stream to North River Mills, 9 miles and back, twice a week. Leave Capon Bridge Wednesday and Satur day at 12 m, or after arrival of mail from Romney; Arrive at Bloomery same days by 2 p m. Return to Cold Stream by 4 p m; to North River Mills by 6 p m; and Capon Bridge by

10 p m same days.
5049 From Capon Bridge, by Dillon's Run, Smith's
Gap, and North River Meeting House, to
Fabius, 30 miles and back, once a week. Leave Capon Bridge Monday at 8 a m; Arrive at Fabius same day by 6 p m; Leave Fabius Tuesday at 8 a m; Arrive at Capon Bridge same day by 6 p m.

5050 From Back Creek Valley, by High View, Yellow Springs, and Capon Springs, to Wardensville, 24 miles and back, once a Leave Back Creek Valley Friday at 8 am; Arrive at Wardensville same day by 5 p m; Leave Wardensville Saturday at 4 a m;

12 m.
5051 From Hedgesville, by Tomahawk Spring, to
Jones's Spring, 8½ miles and back, twice a
week to Tomahawk Springs, and once a week Leave Hedgesville Wednesday and Saturday at 3 pm; Arrive at Tomahawk Springs same days by 41 p m, and Arrive at Jones's Springs Saturday by 6 p m; Leave Jones's Springs at 91 a m Saturday; Leave Tomahawk Springs Wednesday and

Saturday 101 a m;
Arrive at Hedgesville same days by 12 m.
5052 From North Mountain, by Clear Spring, Md,
and Clay Lick Hall, to Mercersburg, Pa, miles and back, once a week. Proposals to specify distance and schedule of departures and arrivals.

5053 From Martinsburg, by Hainesville, and Falling Waters, to Williamsport, Md., 13 miles and back, twice a week. Leave Martinsburg daily at 12 m; Arrive at Williamsport same days by 3 p m; Leave Williamsport daily at 7 a m; Arrive at Martinsburg same days by 10 a m. 5054 From Back Creek Valley, by Gainesboro and Ashton's Mills, to Lauk's Roads, — miles

and back, once a week.

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5057 From Berkeley Springs, by Smith's ⋈ Roads, to Oakland, 12 miles and back, once a week. Leave Berkeley Springs Monday at 2 p m; Arrive at Oakland same day by 6 p m; Leave Oakland Monday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Berkeley Springs same day by 12 m.
5058 From New Creek Depot, by Lawrelton and
Greenland, to Luney's Creek, 40 miles and back; once a week.

Leave New Creek Depot Thursday at 6 a m;

Arrive at Luney's Creek same day by 7 p m;

Leave Luney's Creek Wednesday at 6 a.m;

Arrive at New Creek Depot same day by pm. INSTRUCTIONS. Form of a proposal where no change from advertisement is contemplated by the bidder. 1, ____, of ____, county of ____, State of ____, propose to convey the mails from July 1, 1855, to June 30, 1856, on route No. ____, from ____, agreeably to the advertisement of the Posmaster General, dated January 12, 1855,

and by the following mode of conveyance, viz: This proposal is made with full knowledge of the distance of the route, the weight of the mail to be carried, and all other particulars in reference to the route and service, and also after full examination of the instructions and requirements attached to the advertisement.

The undersingned, residing at ... State of ..., undertake that, if the foregoing hid for carrying the mail on route No. be accepted by the Postmaster General, the hidder shall, prior to the lat day of July, 1855, or as soon thereafter as may be, enter into the required obligation to per-

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Form of Certificate: The undersigned, postmaster of ______, State of _____, certifies, under his oath of office, if at he is equainted with the above guarantors, and knows hem to be men of property, and able to make good heir quarantee

The sufficiency of guarantors on proposals may be certified by a judge of a court of record, and by postmasters at the following offices, and no others:

In the State of VIRGINIA, postmasters of offices at the Court-house or county seat of each country; and at Ayletts, Berkeley Springs, Berryville, Bethany, Big Lick, Bridgeport, Brownsburg, Buckhannon, Christiansburg, Clarksville, Columbia, Danville, Eastville, Emory, Farmount, Falmouth, Farmville, Fredericksburg, Front Royal, Gordens, ville, Greigsville, Guyandotte, Happers-Ferry-Harrisonburg, Howardsville, Kanawha Saline, Lexington, Lynchburg, Middleburg, Morgantown, Newbern, New Market, Newtown Stephensburg, North Mountain, Oak Grove, Old Point Comfort, Pattonsburg, Petersbuag, Salem, Scottsville, Shepherdstown, Union, University of Virginia, Jupperville, Warsaw, Waterford, Waynsboro', Weston, White Sulpher Springs.

Also, Baltimore, Cumberland, Frederick, and Hagerstown, Md.; Uniontwon and Washington, Pa.; Blountsville, Tenn.; Washington and Georgetown, D. C.

Conditions to be incorporated in the contracts to the

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1. Seven minutes are allowed to each intermediate office, when not otherwise specified, for assorting the mails; but on railroad and steamboat routes there is to be no more delay than is sufficient for an exchange of the mail bags.

2. On routes where the mode of conveyance admits of it, the special agents of the department, also post office blanks, mail bags, locks and keys, are to be conveyed without extra charge.

3. On railroad and steamboat lines, British and Canada mails, when offered, are to be conveyed without additional pay; also, the route agents of the department, for whose exclusive use, while haveling with the mails, a commodious car, or apartment in the centre of a car, properly lighted, warmed, and furnished, and adapted to the convenient assortment and due security of the mails is to be provided by the contractor, under the direction of the department.

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4. No pay will be made for trips not performed; and for each of such omissions not satisfactorily explained three times the pay of the trip may be deducted. For arrivals so far behind time as to break connexion with depending mails, and not sufficiently excused, one-fourth of the compensation for the trip is subject to forfeiture. Deduction will also be ordered for a grade of performance inferior to that specified in the contract. For repeated delinquencies of the kind herein specified, enlarged penaltice, proportioned to the-nature thereof and the importance of the mail, may be made.

5. For leaving behind, or throwing off the mails, or any portion of them, for the admission of passengers, or for being concerned in setting up or running an express conveying commercial intelligence ahead of the mail, a quarter's pay may be deducted.

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6. Fines will be imposed, unless the delinquency be promptly and satisfactorily explained by certificates of postmasters, or the affidavits of other creditable persons, for failing to arrive in contract time; for neglecting to take the mail from, or deliver it into, a post office; for suffering it (owing either to the unsuitableness of the place or manner of carrying it) to be injured, destroyed, robbed, or lost; and for refusing, after demand, to convey the mail as frequently as the contractor runs, or is concerned in running, a coach, car, or steamboat, on a route.

7. The Postmaster General may annul the contract for repeated failure to run agreeably to contract; for disobeying the Post Office laws, or the instructions of the department; for refusing to discharge a carrier when required by the department to do so; for assigning the contract without the assent of the Postmaster General; for running an express as aforesaid; or for transporting persons or packages conveying mailable matter out of the

8. The Postmaster General may order an increase of service on a route by allowing therefor a provide increase on the contract pay. He may change the schedule of arrivals and departures, without increase of pay, provided he does not curtail the amount of runing time. He may also order an increase of speed, he allowing, within the restrictions of the law, a pro rata increase of pay for the additional stock or carriers, if any. The contractors may, however, in the case of increase of speed, relinquish the contract by giving prompt notice to the department that he prefers doing so to carry the order into effect. The Postmaster General may also curtail or discontinue the service, at pro rate decrease of pay, allowing one month's extra compensation on the amount dispensed with, whenever, in his opinion, the public interests do not require the same, or in c se he desires to supersede it by a different grade of transportation. ferent grade of transportation.

9. Payments will be made for the service by col-9. Payments will be made for the service by collections from, or drafts on, postmasters, or otherwise, after the expiration of each quarter—say in February, May, August, and November.

10. The distances are give according to the best information: but no increased pay will be allowed should they be greater than advertised, if the points to be supplied be correctly stated. Bidders must inform themselves on this point.

11. The Postmaster General is prohibited by law from knowingly making a contract for the transportation of the mails with any person who shall have entered into, or proposed to enter into, any

have entered into, or proposed to enter into, any combination to prevent the making of any bid for a mail contract by any other person or persons, or who shall have made any agreement, or shall have given or performed, or promise to give or perform, any consideration whatever, or to do, or not to do, anything whatever in order to induce any other anything whatever, in order to induce any other persons or persons not to bid for a mail contract. Particular attention is called to the 28th section of the act of 1836, prohibiting cambinations to prevent

bidding.

12. A bid received after time—viz: 3p. m. of the 10th of April, 1855—or without the guarantee required by law, or that combines several routes in one sum of compensation, cannot be considered in competition with a regular proposal reasonable in amount. amount.

13. Bidders should, in all cases, first propose for service strictly according to the advertisement, and then, if they desire, seperately for different service; and if the regular bid be the lowest offered for the advertised service, the other bids may be considered, if the alterations proposed are recommended by the postmasters and citizens interested, or if they shall appears manifestly right and proper.

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14. There should be but one route bid for in a proposal.

15. The route, the service, the yearly pay, the name and residence of the bidder, and those of each member of a firm, where a company offers, should be distinctly stated; also, the mode of conveyance, if a higher mode than horseback be intended. The words "with due celerity, certainty, and security," inserted to indicate the mode of conveyance, will

constitute a " star bid."

16. Bidders are requested to use, as far as practi-cable, the printed form of proposal furnished by the department, to write out in full the sum of their bids, and to retain copies of them.

No altered bids can be considered; and no bids No altered bids can be considered, and no bids once submitted can be withdrawn.

Each bid must be guaranteed by two responsible persons. Guarantees cannot be admitted.

17. The bid should be scaled; superscribed "mail proposals, State of ____," addressed "Second As sistant Postmaster General," Contract Office, and sent by mail, not by or to, an agent, and postmasters will not enclose proposals (or letters of any kind) in their quarterly returns.

18. The contracts are to be executed and returned to the department by or before the 1st of July, 1855,. Arrive at Black Creek Valley same day by

18. The contracts are to be executed and returned to the department by or before the 1st of July, 1855, but the service must be commenced on the mail day next after that date, whether the contracts be executed or not. No proposition for transfers will be considered until the contracts are executed in due form and received at the department; and then no transfers will be allowed unless good and sufficient reasons therefor are given, to be determined by the department.

19. Postmasters at offices on or near railroads, but more than eighty reds from a station, will, immediately after the 10th of April next, report their exact distance from the nearest station, and how they are otherwise supplied with the mail, to enable the Postmaster General to direct a mail messenger supply from the 1st of July next.

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21. A modification of a bid, in any of its essential terms, is tantamount to a new bid, and cannot be received, so as to interfere with regular competition, after the last hour set for receiving bids.

22. Postmasters are to be careful not to certify the sufficiency of guarantors or surities without knowing that they are persons of sufficient responsibility; and all bidders, guarantors, and surities are distinctly notified that, on a failure to enter into or perform the contracts for the service proposed for in the accepted bids, their legal liabilities will be enforced against them.

23. The contracts will be substancially in the forms heretofore used in this department, except in the respects particularly mentioned in these instructions; and on all railroad and steamboat routes the contractors will be required to deliver the mails into the post offices at the ends of the routes and into all the intermediate post offices not more than eighty rods from the railroad or landing.

24. Present contractors, and persons known at the department, must, equally with others, procure guarantors and certificates of their sufficiency substantially in the forms above prescribed. The certificates of sufficiency must be signed by a postmaster at one of the places before named, or a judge of a court of record.

Postmasters at the ends of routes on which the think the present mode of conveyance inadequates.

Postmasters at the ends of routes on which the hink the present mode of conveyance inadequally will weigh the mail each trip for six successions weeks on weekly routes, and three weeks on other routes, and report the result by the 10th of Apr. 1855.

OF ACCOMAC. FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR, E. W. McCOMAS. OF KANAWHA. FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL, W. P. BOCOCK, OF APPOMATOX.

Is the Democratic Party a National Party? The above question is as easily answered as it is saked. It is national in all its sympathies, -nationin all its actions. It knows no East, no West, no North, no South. It is a party which was called into existence by the circumstances which fellowed the adoption of the Constitution, and it is one which will exist long after its revilers have passed away. Its aims have ever been to thoroughly administer the government upon the expressed principles embodied in the Constitution. And the mass of the sovereigns of this country have exhibited their wisdom, by placing it almost uninterruptedly in power, and showing their faith in the principles professed, and the measures which it advocated, by confiding to its peculiar eare and guardianship, the great charter of their lib-

It is a party which it is utterly impossible to sec-Conslize. It is too comp rehensive in its scope—too national in its objects-too wide in its influences, even to be localized or sectionalized. The aspiring demagogue may attempt to mould its action to suit his peculiar views, or assist in the execution of villainous political chicanery; but his success, if he is fortunate in his deception, is but momentary. The same ear which is ever willing to listen to the fine words of sophistry, uttered by the political trickster, is ever ready to listen also, to the voice of truth, and the same power which elevates, when it finds that the recipient is unworthy, is ever ready to hurl the betrayer of its confidence from eminence to degradation.

The Demecratic party has often been deceived, often been betrayed. Its strength has often been used by those who sought not its glory, but its shame,-The confidence which the mass have ever placed in its virtue and patriotism, has been wofully abused; but it is a consoling truth, that the party proper, has on all occasions cleansed, and purged itself of the vile miscreants who courted its favor, only to betray

In all latitudes it is the same, and in every instance when by strategem or deception, sectional men have abused it as soon as their real sentiments have been discovered, and the mass of the party were afforded an opportunity to act, they have resorted to their former action, and repudiated the opinions of their deceivers. This will ever be the case. And although fanaticism may triumph for a season, the time of retribution will soon follow, and it will be driven from power and place, back to helpless-

Thomas M. Isbell. This gentleman addressed the Democratic Association of Jefferson County, on Friday last. We do chaste, argumentative and eloquent speeches which it has ever been our pleasure to hear.

The gentleman is a perfect orator, possessing fine and agreeable manners, and a warm and passionate nature. He made a thorough exposure of the new party of the day, and demonstrated beyond all contradiction, that it was the galvanised body of Whiggery. He dwelt with zeal and honesty upon all the acts of the Democratic party. Proved that it ever has been, and still is, the protector of the rights of the people, the fearless advocate of justice and truth, and the selected guardian of every true principle of Republican faith . The heart of every Democrat who heard him, beat quicker and more joyous-and each, in the sincerity of their souls, thanked God that they were members of the great party, the principles of which he was the able exponent. Mr. ISBELL has buckled on his armor not only for one onset, but for the entire contest, and it will be his pleasure to address any portion of the Democracy of this District.

Lieutenant-General Scott. A Washington letter writer says, that upon the passage of the bill creating the office of Lieutenant General, Col. Preston drove to the War Department. where he announced the intelligence to Gen. Scott The General dropped his head for a moment, and teers were seen trickling down his cheek. His reply was worthy of his fame, and was precisely as follows:

"Let no man say, hereafter, that his country is angrateful to one who has served her faithfully Indian Hostilities.

The Washington Union says, that the last mail brings to the delegation in Congress from Iowa, tidings that indicate a war with the Sioux Indians. The immediate scene of hostilities is near the mouth of the Big Sioux river, in the northwestern portion of the State: but, from a letter received from the Governor of Iowa, it appears that about 500 warriors of the Yancton and Siston Sioux have also encamped near Fort Dodge, on the Des Moines river, in the central part of the State. It is represented that the Sieux Indians are claiming that they still own the land lying between the Little and Big Sioux rivers, and that they intend to occupy the same, and plant corn there during the coming season, notwithstanding that portion of the State was long since purchased by the United States, and is now occupied by white settlers. It will be recollected that the Black Hawk war originated under a precisely similar state of affairs, and experience in our intercourse with the Indian tribes of the Northwest, teaches the importance of providing means for the immediate suppression of these diffi-

Dramatic Association. By reference to another colomn, it will be seen that Thursday evening is the time appointed for another exhibition to be given by the Young Men of the above Association, when will be presented the celebrated play, entitled "Iron Chest," together with 'the much-admired and mirth-provoking drama of " The Toodles." Through the kindness of many friends, they have been enabled to procure scenery well adapted to the plays.

The reputation the members of this Society have obtained in their previous performances, will, no doubt ensure for them a crowded house. We would advise all our friends to avail themselves

of this rich treat. 85-On the first page of our present number, our readers will find some extracts from a private letter written by our esteemed friend, . . , to one of his personal friends in this county. His remarks upon the state of affairs on the other side of the Atlantic, on the War, the Presidents Message, on Know

Nothingism, &c., &c., &c., are highly interesting. 83-Democrats be in attendance at the Democratic meeting on Friday next. The Hon. WM, Lucas has more than probable that one or more of the distinguished gentlemen, who will be in attendanc at the

C omplimentary Supper at the Ferry, will be here. 63-The friends of the Civil System, at Harpers-Ferry, wifl give a Complimentary Supper to Hon. C J. Faulkner and others, on the night of the 22nd inst. It is a proper mode of manifesting a small degree of the gratitude they feel for the inestimable services which those gentlemen rendered during the struggle of justice over injustice.

The Speech of Hon. C. J. Faulkner.
The following are the closing remarks of the Hon. C. J. Faulkner, in his speech explanatory of his vote on the motion to suspend the rules. It is rather celd comfort for those who hoped he was a Know

Nothing. It is a frank, elequent denial of the charge used against him by the opposition. Mr. Speaker, I will not abuse the courtesy which has been so kindly extended to me by the House, by indulging in any general remarks on the merits of the resolutions which were sought to be introduced by the gentleman from Pennsylvania. But I trust I may be allowed, in conclusion, to say that, although I did not, for the reasons before set forth, vote for sion of the rules, yet that I do not yield the suspension of the rules, yet that I do not yield to that gentleman or to any other member of this body in my firm determination to maintain the rights of conscience and the inviolability of the great principles of religious freedom. I am not, never have been, and never expect to be, a member of any oath-bound secret political association. I claim communion with but one political organization—and that is the th but one political organization—and that is the cat national Democratic party of this country—a rty that has shown litself, after the most ample expense, broad enough to embrace all the vast inters of liberty and humanity, and strong enough to hold by its firm and coaservative grasp, the Contution and Union of the States.

Celebration of the 22d by the Jefferson Debating Society.

At a meeting of this Society, the following reso ution was offered by W. HAGGARTY: WHEREAS, The members of the Jefferson Debat ing Society deem it our duty, as American citizens not to allow the natal day of the "Father of his Country," to pass without some demonstration of respect for it, and veneration for his memory .-

Resolved. That we will celebrate said occasion by the reading of Washington's Farewell Address, and an Oration, by one of the members of the Society. Whereupon, Dr. L. M. SMITH was elected to read the address, and [WILLIAM LUCAS, JR., elected to de-

liver an oration. The Methodist Episcopal Church has been procured for the occasion by the Society; and the services will commence at 11 o'clock, A. M. The pub-

lic are requested to attend. J. T. GIBSON, President. J. DOUGLASS, Secretary.

Democratic Meeting. HARPERS-FERRY, ? February 16, 1855.

Pursuant to notice, the Democratic Party of this precinct, met at the U. S. Hotel, for the purpose of electing Delegates to attend the different nominating Conventions for Congress, State Senate, and House of Delegates.

On motion, A. M. Ball was called to the chair, and James A. Merrick, appointed Secretary. A committee of five persons, consisting of Basil Avis, Samuel Trail, W. S. Snook, Henry Nunnamaker, and W. H. Turk, was appointed to select suitable persons as Delegates, for the action of this meeting; after a GRAIN-Wheat, red brief absence, the committee appointed the following, who were separately voted for and elected.

FOR CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION. Delegates. Alternales. J. F. Price J. G. Wilson W. W. Riley R. Cleveland A. J. Wright Geo. Mauzy Wm. Orme Benj. Wentzel SENATORIAL CONVENTION. Delegates. W. J. Stephens Alternates. A. Rhulman Samuel Gibson A. Marsteller M. E. Price A. J. Hobbs Jno. Russell Harrison L. Clowe T. W. Shriver A. M. Ball DELEGATE CONVENTION. Delegates. Jeremiah Fuss A. Vanhorn George Manzy David Whip Samuel Gibson Dr. J. B. Johnson Jos. L. Mauzy T. K. Laley Wm. D. Copeland J. G. Wilson

On motion, it was resolved unanimously, that the Delegates to the Congressional Convention be instructed to use every honorable means to secure the nomination of Hon. Chas. J. Faulkner. On motion, it was resolved; that this meeting endorse the nominees of the Staunton Convention, and will use all honorable means to promote their suc-

On motion, the chairman was added to the Delega

tion of the Congressional Convention.

Mr. Fryatt, of Berkeley, Messrs. Herrington, Ball, and Dangerfield, of this place, severally addressed the meeting in an able and elegment manner On motion, it was ordered, that the proceedings of this meeting be published in the Spirit of Jefferson and Martinsburg Republican. Adjourned.

A. M. BALL, Chairman. Democratic Meeting in Shepherdstown. At a meeting of the Democratic party of the Shepherdstown Precinct, held at the Town Hall, in said town, pursuant to public notice, on Saturday evening, the 17th instant:

On motion, MINOR HURST was called to the Chair, and JACOB G. MILLER and WILLIAM MOULDER were appointed Secretaries. The object of the meeting having been explained by the Chairman, on motion of Capt. Lewis Lucas, the Chairman was empowered to appoint five Delegates, to meet the Delegates from the other precincts of this county, in Charlestown, on day of next, to nominate two fit and suit

able persons to represent this county in the next Legislature of Virginia. The Chair accordingly appointed the following gentlemen, viz:-Capt. J. Rinehart, George M. Bast, Wm. Ronemous, Charles W. Lucas, and John Wysong. On motion, The Chair appointed a committee of

five, to recommend five Delegates each to the Conventions to be held, to nominate a candidate for the State Senate-and also, a candidate to represent this District in the next Congress of the United States. Whereupon, the Chair appointed the following gentlemen as said committee: Capt. Lewis Lucas, David Billmyer, Dr. J. L. Tan-

ner, Edward Lucas, and Edward Roberts who having retired a short time, reported the following: For the Senatorial Convention—Solomon Billmyer. C. Rinehart, E. H Roberts, Thornton Koonts, and George M. Bast.

For the Congressional Convention-Dr. R. A. Lucas, Capt. Lewis Lucas, Sam'l. Knott, Robert Lucas, ir., and James A. Osbourne. All of which recommendations were unanimous-

ly confirmed. On motion. Resolved, That the proceedings of this meeting be published in the Spirit of Jefferson. And on motion, the meeting adjourned. MINOR HURST, Chairman.

JACOB G. MILLER, Secretaries.

Democratic Meeting at Middleway. At a Democratic meeting, convened at Middleway February 16th, to appoint delegates to attend conrentions, to nominate candidates for Congress, Senate, and Legislature. R. W. BAYLOR was called to the Chair, and JNO. T. THOMPSON, appointed Secre-

The object of the meeting being breifly stated by Joseph Smith, Esq. On motion of R. W. Baylor they proceeded to ballot for delegates when the fol lowing gentlemen were chosen:

Congressional Delegates. | Senatorial Delegates. R. W. Baylor, Jno. H. Campbell, Peter Bowers. Jno. H. Smith, Jacob Gilbert, Jno. Sherman, Josiah Watson, E. Watson, Jno. T. Thompson. Geo. Murphy. Legislative Delegates. Jos. Coyle,

W. S. Grantham E. Mayheu, Jno. G. Myers. A. J. Johnson On motion it was

Resolved. That a committee of Vigilance be ap ointed by the Chair and furnished with copies o stitution of the Jefferson Democratic Association with instructions to get them endorsed in order to ascertain who are Democrats and who are

Committee of Vigilance. J. L. Roberts, Geo. Murphy, Jos. O. Coyle, W. S. Grantham, Jao. T. Thomson J. Sherman, Dr. S. Bates, A. J. Johnson, W. J. Grantham J. H. Campbell, Jos. Watson, G. E. Shaul, Thos. West, J. Gilbert, R. W Baylor.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the Chairman be added to the

Democratic Meeting. At a meeting of a portion of the Democratic party, of Clark County, held in Berryville on Saturday, reb. 17, 1855. Mr Charles D. Castleman was called to the chair, and Geo. W. Rradfield appointed sec-

The object of the meeting (which was to form Central Democratic Association for the County of Clarke,) was briefly explained. On motion, a committee of five, consisting of Messrs Alfred Castleman, T. P. Pendleton, Jacob Enders, Josiah J. Janney and Geo. W. Bradfield, were appointed to prepare a Constitution and By-Laws for the government of said association and report the same at the next

meeting. On motion of Dr. J. J. Janney, it was Resolved That the next meeting of the Association be held in the Court House on Saturday next, the 24th inst., at 2 o'clock P. M. That public notice of the same be given through the columns of the Winchester Vir-ginian, and Spirit of Jefferson, and every Democrat in the County be invited to attend the said meeting, 2d. Resolved, That Geo. W. Bradfield be invited to address the said meeting.

On motion, Messrs. Geo. H. Isler, William M. Cormick and William Taylor, were appointed a Committee to invite a speaker to address the Association at its second regular meeting. Ordered, That these proceedings be signed by the

Chairman and Secretary, and published in the Win-chester Virginian and Spirit of Jefferson. On motion, the meeting adjourned. C. D, CASTLEMAN, Chairman.

GEO. W. BRADFIELD. 65-The members of the Waverly Debating Society are requested to attend their regular meeting Taus Evening, as business of importance will be brough before the Society.

63- We return thanks to the Honorables Messri Faulkner, Letcher, Millson, Baley, Harris, and others, for Public Documents,

Marringes. On Tuesday evening, January 20th, by Rev. H. G. Bowers, Mr. JACOB KEYES and Miss CECILIA WILSON—both of this co. At Cumberland, Md., on the 1st inst., by Rev. J. H. Simes, Mr. GEO. W. HILL, of Berkely county, and Miss MELVINA T. BEALL, of the former At Woodbine, on the 7th inst., by Rev. James B. Donelan, J. HITE MANNING, and KATE, daughter of Col. C. R. Dowell, both of Loudoun co.

Deaths. On the 16th ult., Mrs. ELIZA, wife of G. D. Moore, Esq., in the 56th year of her age.

The deceased lived the life of the righteous, and died with the full assurance of a blissful immor-

At Spring Grove, on the 10th inst., FANNIE
AMELIA, daughter of Geo. D. and Elizabeth Wiltshire, aged 7 years, 4 months and 17 days.

Dearest Fannie, thou hast left us,

We thy loss most deeply feel;
But 'tis God who hath bereft us;

H. convergence head. He can all our sorrows heal. In Martinsburg, on Thursday last, after a protracted illnes, Mr. CHARLES R. SCHOPPERT, aged about 27 years.

On Saturday, the 3d inst., ather residence in Highland County, Ohio, Mrs. JULIA A., aged about 60 years, consort of Jos. Dellaplaine, and daughter of the late Samuel Hinkle—all formerly of this county.

The Markets.

BALTIMORE MARKET. [CORRESPONDENCE OF THE SPIRIT OF JEFFERSON.]

BALTIMORE, February 17, 18;
FLOUR—Howard Street. 500 bbls. at \$85
City Mills Flour.—On Frideay 400 bbls. at 85 CORN MEAL - - 475 per bbi RYE FLOUR White wheat -RYE—Pennsylvania -Maryland - CORN—white -- 112a115 ALEXANDRIA MARKET.

FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 19, 1855.

FAMILY FLOUR, per bbl. \$10 50 a 11 50
SUPERFINE FLOUR, per bbl. \$0 a 8 50
WHEAT, (red) per bushel 1 85 a 1 91
Do. (white) do 1 90 a 1 96
RYE, per bushel 1 00 a 1 05
CORN, (white) 0 85 a 0 90
Do. (yellow) 0 99 a 0 92
OATS, per bushel 0 48 a 0 52
CORN MEAL 90 a 1 00
BUTTER, (roll) 0 18 a 0 20
Do. (firkin) 0 16 a 0 12
BACON, (hog round) 0 7½ a 0 03
LARD 0 0 99 a 0 90
CLOVERSEED 7 25 a 7 58
TIMOTHY SEED 4 0 0 a 4 20
PLAISTER, (retail) 4 50 a 0 00 ALEXANDRIA MARKET.

WINCHESTER MARKET. FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBBUARY 15, 1855. CORRECTED WEEKLY BY SAML. HARTLEY, AT THE DEPOT OATS.......55 a 60 COEN......95 a 1 00

Special Motices.

85-To the Patrons of the "Spirit." -- It has posed of the office of the "SPIRIT OF JEFFERSOR," in hopes it would enable him at once to settle up its bu siness which had been accumulating for ten years.— There have been but few, indeed, comparative, who have been generous enough to come forward and liqui-date their accounts, many of which have been stand-ing for years, and the amount but insignificant to them personally, whilst it is our all to us.

In the hopes, therefore, of a speedy settlement of our accounts, we shall send out to those of our distant subscribers with whom we have had no settlement since April 1853, a Circular for their inspection, which we hope may induce them to remit us at once the

money they may consider due, or their note for the The accounts of subscribers and advertisers in this and the adjoining Counties are ready for settlement, and we hope most of them will save us the trouble and expense of collection in person. This much, however may be said, that we shall expect the money at once, as no farther delay will be given.
Jan. 23, 1855. JAMES W. BELLER. R3-Consumption is, without doubt, the most fearfully fatal of all diseases, (exceptebidemics,) 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 inflammation produced by an ordinary cold.—
For Coughs, Colds, Sore Throats, and all similar diseases, STABLER'S ANODYNE CHERRY EXPECTORANT has no equal. It is not recommended as infallible, but medical men and others, who have used and administered it, bear testimony to its extraordi nary efficacy. It is known to be a "good medicine, and as such is offered to the public, as also STA-BLER'S DIARRHŒA 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 (F-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 an other column of this paper, to which the reader is referred. \$2 per bottle, 3 bottles for \$5, 6 bottles for \$3; \$16 per dozen. - Cheerve 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 throughout the country.

PEEL & STEVENS, Alexandria, Va., wholesal

OF The Whole Animal Creation are subject to disease. But few die from sickness where in-stincts is their only Physician. The beneficent creator has given the various plants and roots for the cure of disease, and it is upon this great truth that Dr. Hampton bases the many wonderful cures of his celebrated TINCTURE. Truth is mighty. We appeal to our own citizens. Wherever fairly tried the same success attends itsuse in Chills and Fevers, Diseases of the Liver, Stomach

As a CHOLERA preventative, it has been truly Cough, Dyspepsia, Rheumatism, &c., yield to its gentle sway. As a Female medicine and for Delicate Children, we believe it has no equal.

A CITIZEN OF THE OLD DOMINION THUS SPEAKS:
SCOTTSVILLE, Albemarle co., Va.,
March 27th, 1853. have been afflicted for the past eight years with Dys pepsia, Rheumatism and Liver complaint, suffering all the while with pains in the shoulders, hips, back and sides-shifting from one side to the otherand sides—shifting from one side to the other—palpi-tation of the heart, loss of appetite, cold sweats at night, excessive costiveness, and great debility and weakness. I tried many remedies, which done me

wakness. I tried many remedies, which done me no good, but rather grew worse. Last fall I was advised to 'try "HAMPTON'S VEGETABLE TINCTURE," and I am happy to say it cured me. I am now free from all pain, and in the enjoyment of perfect health, and take great pleasure in recommending the Tincture to all afflicted as I have been.

Yours,

JAS. M. NOLE. Yours, JAS. M. NOLE.
Call and get Pamphlets and see cures of Coughs,
Bronchitis, Rheumatism, Liver Complaint, Scrofula.
As a female medicine it is unrivaled. Sold by L. M. SMITH, Charlestown.

T. D. HAMMOND, Harpers-Ferry. Dr. MOTT, Leesburg.
ALLEMONG & SON, Newtown. And by Dealers everywhere. August 29. RULES AND REGULATIONS. To take effect on and after the 1st of May, 1854. For marriage announcements, no charge will be Obituary notices not exceeding six lines will be inserted gratis. The excess above that number of lines will be charged according to the advertising rates. Tributes of respect will be charged at advertising rates. All communications designed to promote the personal interests of individuals, or that do not possess general interest, will be charged for at the usual advertising rates. Those of an offensive personal char-

acter will not be inserted. All advertisements forwarded by Newspaper agents will be charged at the usual advertising rates; and must be accompanied by the cash or its equivalent, deduct-ing the commission. Patent medicines shall be charged for at the usua rates of yearly advertisements, and "bishop notices' double the advertising rates. Extracts from other papers referring to such advertisements will be subject to the regular advertising rates.

Candidates' ar nouncements for offices of emolu-ment will be charged at advertising rates.

Of The above rates are not to vitate any existing TOBACCO.—Virginia Smoking Tobacco, a very superior article, and also Chewing ditto, for sale by JOHN L. HOOFF.

BLAKE'S PATENT
FIRE PROOF PAINT.
The subscriber has received a large supply of this valuable Paint, which he is prepared to sell at the L. M. SMITH. Charlestown, April 25, 1854. HORSE COLLARS. HAVE a large supply of best make. Feb. 6. JERE HARRIS.

OFFEE .- 20 Bags Prime Coffee junt received, which will be sold at a small advance by Feb. 13, 1855. H. L EBY & SON. CHEESE AND MACCARONI, for sale by Feb. 20. H. L. EBY & SON. SMOKED HERRINGS, just received and for sale by H L. EBY & S.M. Decomber 5, 1854

MACKEREL, in barrels and kits, for sale by Dec. 5, 1854. H. L. EBY & SON. DRIED PEACHES.

or in exchange for good DRIED APPLES or other country Produce.

Feb. 20.

REYES & REARSLEY. for sale, for cash only, by KEYES & KEARSLEY.

THE YOUNG MENS' DRAMATIC SO-ciety of Charlestown.

MOST respectfully announce to the Ladies and Gentlemen, that they will give another perform-

Thursday Evening, 22d February, 1855.
On which occasion will be presented Coleman's celebrated Play of THE IRON CHEST;

THE HONORABLE MURDERER After which a beautiful SONG
To conclude with the much admired and mirth provoking Drama of
THE TOODLES.

Admission 25 cents.

Doors open at 6½ o'clock. Performance to commence at 7 o'clock. Front seats for the Ladies.

Front seats for the Ladies.

An Officer will be in attendance to secure good or
Feb. 13, 1855. The Great Distribution

POSTPONED. THE COSMOPOLITAN ART ASSOCIATION
A NNOUNCE a brief postponement of the Distribution, from the 30th of January to the 23th of
February, at which time it will POSITIVELY TAKE
PLACE. PLACE.

The managers find it necessary to make the above change, owing to the delay in completing the building of the Galleries, and the reception of Works of Art; which necessarily deferred the publication of the Illustrated Catalogue until late in December, thereby preventing the general circulation desired among the distant Secretaries and friends of the Asseciation.

To All Those who have not Subscribed The last opportunity is now presented. Any one subscribing previous to the 25th of February, are entitled to the Magazines for 1855.

The payment of \$3 entitles any person to either one of the following Magazines for the year 1855.

HARPER'S, BLACKWOOD'S, PUDNAM'S, GRAHAM'S MAGAZINE OF ATT, KNICKERBOCKEB, GODEY'S LADY'S BOOK,
And the Quarterly Reviews re-printed in New York,
Edinburgh, London Quarterly, and

NORTH BRITISH. Also a ticket in the Distribution, giving the holders an equal chance in drawing the \$5,000 Statue of OR VENUS, BACCHANTE, HEBE, FLORA,
With Bronze STATUETTES and several hundred MAGNIFICENT OIL PAINTINGS For full particulars see Illustrated Catalogues, which are sent free, on application to all parts of the

C. L. DERBY, Actuary C. A. & L. A. Knickerbocker Magazine Office, 348 Broadway, New York, eb. 29, 1855—2t. Or 166 Water Sandurky, O. OF A VALUABHE BRICK DWELLING
AT HARPERS-FERRY.

ON SATURDAY, the 3d day of MARCH, 1955,
will be sold at Public Sale to the highest bidder, before the U.S. Hotell in Harpers-Ferry, my largo THREE STORY BRICK DWELLING, and the Lease of the LOT on which the same stands,

above and two Store Rooms below; being the same Dwelling in which I formerly resided and kept my Store, in said town
The Ground Rent of the Property is \$31, payable Possession will be given the 1st day of April, 1955, at which time the Lease to Mr. Kirby, who now resides in the Dwelling, will expire,

TERES OF SALE:—Five hundred Dollars cash—the
balance in twolve months, with interest from the day
ofsale. The deferred payments to be secure by bond

with good security.
Sale to take place at half past 12 o'clock, noon.

ABRAHAM FLEMMING,
ISAAC FOUKE, Agent. THE undersigued has for rent Two comfortable Tenements, on the road leading from Charlestown to Shepherdstown, near Zion Church,—possession of which will be given on 1st of April, ensuing.

JAMES H. MOORE. NOTICE. 250 Owing to the increased prices of der, the subscriber finds its not proven. der, the subscriber finds its necessary to inform the community that he is compelled to raise the price of He will do hauling at the following rates: One Two-horse load, any where within the bo-One one-horse load do., do., One Hogshead do., do., do., 25 Coal by the ton do., do., do., 371 Cash will be expected in all cases. The subscriber desires 40 CORDS of WOOD, for

which he will exchange Blacksmithing. Feb. 20, 1855. F. P. G. W. SPOTTS. TINNING ESTABLISHMENT. HE undersigned having purchased the Stock of I Hunt & Evans, is prepared to do all work appertaining to his BUSINESS, on terms as liberal as any establishment in the County. Being a young man just entering business life, he would solicit the pa-tronage of the citizens of the county, and will pro-mise by attention to business, and a desire to accom-

modate, to give satisfaction to all who may call upon him. ENOCH S. HARRELL. February 20, 1855. HILLSBORO' & H. F. TURNPIKE
COMPANY.

THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders in the
Hillsboro' & Harpers-F. rry Turnpike Company
will be held at the Toll-House of the Shenandoah Bridge Company, in the town of Harpers-Ferry, on Tuesday, the 20th of February, 1855, at 1 o'clock, P. M. Py order of the President,
J. E. P. DANGERFIELD,
Feb. 20, 1855—1t. Secretary & Treasurer.

SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS. A MEETING of the School Commissioners for Jefferson County is desired at the Court-House, on the 23d inst. A full attendance is expected.

Ev order. W. J. HAWES, Clerk.

FOR RENT. HE STONE HOUSE now in the occupancy of Henderson Bishop. Also another HOUSE AND JOHN J. LOCK, Agent. February 20, 1855.

GARDEN SEEDS. WE have just received a large assortment of FRESH GARDEN SEEDS. JUST received and for sale a lot of Allen's celebrated Winchester GARDEN SEEDS warrant d fresh and geunine. Feb. 20. JOHN D. LINE.

NOTICE. HE undersigned find it utterly impossible to carry on their vocation under the present mode of doing business. They are compelled to pay cash for all the stock they purchase, and they have here-tofore received but very little cash for the meats they have sold. It is impossible for them to continue their business under the present system, and they therefore inform their customers that they will require the cash in future, They desire to supply the community with the very best meats that can be secured, and at the lowest terms. To do this they must have the money so that they may purchase for cash. All persons knowing themselves to be indebted to

either firm, either by note or open account are earn-estly requested to call immediately, and settle. They return their sincere thanks for the liberal patronage they have received, and hope that they will be able to make suitable returns for it. WM TOHNSON Jan. 30, 1855-tf. S. C. YOUNG & SON.

NEW ARRANGEMENTS. **自然的自然的** Office of Winchester & Potomac Rafi-Road Company.

O'A and after MONDAY the 22d inst., the 3 o'clock
A. M. Passenger Train will be discontinued and
the Passenger Train will start from Winchester at
8 o'clock and 30 minutes A. M.—returning will leave

Harpers-Ferry at 11 oclock and 30 minutes, or im-mediately after the arrival of the cars from Balti-NOTICE TO PASSENGERS, From Winchester to Stephenson's..... "Wades..... " Summit Point " Cameron's.....\$1 00 " Charlestown..... " Halltown...... 1 37 " Keys' Switch..... 1 62 " Harpers-Ferry 200 " Keys' Switch..... 37

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"Wi J. GEO. HEIST, P. Agent.

Winchester, Feb. 6, 1855. A POCKET-BOOK LOST. THE subscriber lost, on Saturday last, 10th met., at, or near, Duffields Depot, his Pocket-Book, which contained three Five Dollar notes, some Premissory notes, some Receipts, and other papers, which are of value to the looser, and none to the finder. Any one finding the said Pocket-Book, and returning it o me, at least the papers, will be suitably rewarded.

C. G. BRAGG. Charlesown, Feb 13, 1855.

TAKE NOTICE ONE AND ALL.
THAT the "Basement Rooms" of Sappington's
Hotel, have been newly fitted up and renovated,
and the subscriber may be found, daily dispensing and the subscriber may be found, daily dispensing the good things of this life, to all who patronize him. Having lately visited Baltimore, where he made arrangements to be furnished daily, he is now prepared to serve up OYSTERS in any way, by the Can or otherwise—and everything the markets afford, good to eat and drink, served in unexceptionable style. able style. Oysters in the shell. Slaw and Sour-Krout. He hopes his friends will still show him the "light of their countenance," Feb. 13, 1855. JOHN. W GALLAHER.

PUBLIC RENTING.

THE undersigned will offer for rent, for one year, from the 1st of March next, the Warehouse and Outbuildings, belonging to the estate of the 1st of John A. Gibson, situated at Harpers-Ferry, on the Chesepeake & Ohio Canal, to the highest bidder. The renting will take place on the 1st of March next, at Harpers-Ferry, before the front door of Carroll's Hotel, at 2 o'clock P. M. Terms — Bond with approved security.

J. S. DUCKWALL, Berkeley Springs, Va., Feb. 13.

Executor. A YOUNG WOMAN with one Child, a BOY, 18 months old; a BOY 10 years of age, likely and active. They are not sold for any fault. Enquire at Fab. 6, 1865—tf. THIS OFFICE,

AN APPEAL TO COMMON SENSE. Let the Sick Hear the Truth. CAPTAIN BENJAMIN-Wherever known his to oot know the Captain should be sceptical, Dr. Dawson & Bro., with others of the best known and most
highly respectable citizens of Easton, endorses
wonderful courtesy.

HAMPTON'S VEGETABLE TINCTURE.

Messrs. Mortimer & Mowbray—Gents;—I feel it my duty to you and the public to certify to the effects of HAMFTON'S VEGETABLE TINCTURE. I was for more than five years laboring under a disease of Chronic Rheumatism, and the great part of that time I was so helpless that I had to be helped from my bed and dressed in my clothes, I became reduced to a mere skeleton. All the medicines I took done me no good, and I continued to grow worse. Therefore I have and I continued to grow worse. I heard of Hamp-ron's Tincruas and thought I would give it a trial. At this time I did not expect to live one day a'ter another. I did not take it (the Tincture) for the Rheumatism, but in a short time I was well of that Rheumatism, but in a short time I was well of that disease. From the effects of your Tincture and the help of God I am now getting in good health.

I wish all the afflicted to try Hampton's Vegetable Tincture, as I have done, with the same effect that it has on Your Obd't. Serv't.,

ISAAC BENJAMIN.

We are acquainted with Isaac Benjamin; sold him some of Hampton's Vegetable Tincture, and believe the above statement correct.

DAWSON & BRO.

From our knowledge of Captain Benjamin & e are confident that the above statement is true and unexagerated.

J. A. JOHNSON.

CHARLES ROBINSON. WEAR THE WITNESS!! RIGHTEOUS VERDICT

WEAR THE WITNESS!! RIGHTEOUS VERDICT
RHEUMATISM, COUGH,
PAIN IN THE SIDE, &C.
Wonderful cure after six year's suffering of one
of the most highly respectable citizens of Maryland.
Prejudice and skepticism can't stand before the
many cures made by Hampton's Vegetable Tincture.
KENDALLS'S GROVE, Montgomery, Co., Md.,
December 2, 1854.

Messrs. Mortimer & Mowbray:
Gents:—In 1844 I had what my doctors called a violent and combined attack of Chronic Rheumatism and Gout, from which I was confined to my bed for and Gout, from which I was confined to my bed for three months. I had the very best physicians, who tried other various remedies, none of which gave me any permanent relief. Not having ease from pain day or night, I became much emacated; my whole system a mass of disease, literally speaking, from the brown of my head to the sole of my feet: I had to hobble about—most of the time confined to the house; at times so helpless that I had to be assisted to my bed. I was also afflicted with a dreadful cough, great shortness of breath, sore throat, palpfitation of great shortness of breath, sore throat, palpitation great shortness of breath, sore throat, palpitation of the heart, and pain in my side so bad that I cauld not lay on it. My appetite entirely failed me. I gave up all hopes of being restored to health again. I con-tinued thus to suffer on from 1844 to 1850, a period of six years. At this time my daughter saw at her grandfather's a pamphlet, with numerous certifi-cates of cures made by Dr. Hampton's Vegetable Tincture.

Tincture: I knew some of those who certified to cures perform ed on themselves and friends. I was resolved to give it a trial. I informed my doctor of it. He objected; but my sufferings were so great that I procured one bottle, and, before I had taken the whole of it, I felt much relief, which encouraged me to persevere.—
After taking the second bottle I was better than for
the past six years, my appetite returned—cough, pain
in the side, shortness of breath &c., nearly all gone.
I continued using this wonderful medicine until I had
taken seven bottles, according to the directions; and I am happy to say Hampton's Tincture, and that alone restored me to perfect health, which has continued up to this time—a period of three years. I am in the 65th year of my age. I weighed yesterday 233 lbs., and I never felt better in my life. One of my neighbors was also affected, like myself, with Rheumatism, &c. He has also been restored by the Tincture. I heard of other cases; but I am satisfied this Tincture, if tried, will speak for itself. My only object in describing to you my sufferings and the way I obtained relief, is to induce the afflicted to try this TINCTURE, which has, under the blessings of God done so much for me.

Yours, respectfully HENRY GAITHER. CURE OF COUCH, HOARSENESS, &C. THE CRY IS STILL THEY COME. CERTIFICATE FROM HON, J. H. DURBORO. We have a flood of testimony pouring in upon us of cures—Rheumatism, Dyspepsia, Scrofula, &c., and for all Nervous Discases and Female Complaints, Hampton's Tincture has no superior. RINOGOLD, Md., April 10, 1862. Messrs. Mortimer & Mowbray: Gents-It is with real pleasure that I bear testimo

ny to the healing and curative powers of Dr. Hamp-ton's Vegetable Tincture. Sometime last Fall I was taken with a serious and bad Cough, with Hoarseness, so that I could scarcely speakabove my breath. I called on one of your Agents for a remedy, when he advised me to try Hampton's Tincture, which I commenced using, and in four days my cough and hoarseness was entirely gone. Inow keep it (the Tincture) as a family medicine and won't be vithut it if it can be had Yours respectfully, J. H. DURBORO.

GREAT CURE! DESPERATE LIVER COMPLAINT WASHINGTON, May 17, 1853. Messrs, Mortimer & Mowbray-Gentlemen : Hav ng been afflicted with the Liver Complaint of ten years standing, I hereby, for the benefit of the afflicted, take deasure in announcing that after using a few bottles of your Hampton's Tincture, I found it had accom-plished a period cure. I have used different medi-tines 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 experionced from its use.

J. CURTAINHAY. Yours, respectfully, J. CURTAINHAY.

More than Gold to the Sick.—From one of the nost respectable Druggists in South Carolina. Снавыстом, S. C., Sept. 21, 1953. 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 bey suffering by Fits. I will furnish you with a number of certificates if you wish them. Please sand me, soon as possible, a supply of the I am gentlemen, yours, W. G. TROTT. Fundreds in this city will bear same testimony. Delicate females and children will find this a great

remedy. 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 Tincture: BALTIMORE, Feb. 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 scrious cough.

was advised to take Cod Liver Oil, and did so, but get ting 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 Rheumatism and Vertigo, confining me at 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.—I can be seen at any time at the Mayor's Delicate females and children will find this a great plessing. 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. 65-Sold by MORTIMER & MOWBRAY, 240 Bal imore st., Baltimore, and 304 Broadway, New York. AJ-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. HUSIC.

HE subscriber would take this method of announcing to the Ladies and Gentlemen of Charlestown and vicinity that he is desirous of starting a SINGING SCHOOL, and would be glad to meet all those in favor of such a movement on Tuesday evening, 23d inst., at 7 o'clock at the brick school house, in Charles town, District No. 19. The terms will be made to Jan. 23, 1855.

NELSON S. ANGELL. DR. E. L. WAGER, respectfully offers his servi-ces to the citizens of Charlestown and its vicinity. He may be found (when not professionally engaged.) at I. N. Carter's Hotel, or at his office immediately opposite.

January 16, 1855.

NEW CROP N. O. SUGAR,
Do do Molasses;
Sweet Havanna Oranges;
Fresh Lemons, For sale by
Jan. 30. KEYES & KEARSLEY.

NOTICE. THOSE persons who have purchased Goods at the Auction of the Trustee of Isaac Rose, are requested to come and take them away and pay for them. Also those who are indebted to Isaac Rose, prior to his ap pointment of Trustees, by either book account or note, are requested to come forward and settle them imme-Jan. 9, 1855. REAPERS, REAPERS.

E beg leave to inform the Farmers of Jefferson and Loudoun, that we have the sole Agency for the sale of McCormick's REAPER. Farmers who wish

The Reapers and Mowers of 1855 are warranted to be the best Machine of the kind in the United States.

Jan. 9, 1855.

ZIMMERMAN & CO. PLASTER, PLASTER.

THE subscriber is prepared to furnish the farmers with any amount of FRESH GROUND PLASTER, at \$7.75 per ton. The cash and the bags must accompany each order.

E. M. AISQUITH.

Charlestown, October 24, 1854.

TO THE PUBLIC.

THE subscriber informs the public that Mr. Heflebower has opened a road to the left of the Berryville pike, south of H. Timberlake's store, and the subscriber has opened one also through his field to the left of the Toll-Gate. He informs all those who have heretofore patronized his two shops (Blacksmith and Wagon-making) that they can have the use of said roads in the transaction of their business.

November 21, 1854.

B. OTT. SALT.—Ground Alum and Fine Salt, just received by H. L. EBY & SON.

December 5, 1854

SHAD ROES, for sale by H. L. EBY & SON. POTATOES.—Moreor Potatoes, just receive K. L. EBY & SON.

FIRST-RATE LIMESTONE LAND

I OFFER for sale a tract of LAND lying in Jefferson County, Va., containing 256 ACRES, 156 cleared and under good fencing, and the balance in TIMBLE, BER. This Land is as productive as any in the county of Jefferson, and well watered. It is within two miles of the Shenandoah river, and the A. L. H. Railroad will run within one mile of it A more particular description is deemed unnecessary as persons wishing to purchase will view the premises before purchasing. The Farm will be shown and terms made known by F. A. Lewis, living near Kabletown, in Jefferson co, or on application, postage paid, to the undersigned at Mobile, Alabama. If the above property is not sold privately before the 16th day of July, 1855, it will then be offered at Public Sale on that day, before the Court House in Charlestown.

ARTHUR F. HOPKINS.

Feb. 6, 1855.—is.

PUBLIC SALE OF HOUSE AND LOT.

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AS Executor of Jacob Isler, dec'd, I will

A sell at Public auction to the highest bid
ry 26, 1855, (court day,) the HOUSE AND LOT of

LAND situated in the Town of Berryville, Clarke
county, Va., in which the said Jacob Isler, deceased
formerly resided. The House is a comfortable and
commodious dwelling, well located for public business, with all necessary out buildings, and about
one acre of Land attached.

Terms of Sale will be accommodating, but will
be made known on day of sale.

Jan. 30, 1855. WM. A. CASTLEMAN, Ex'r.

FOR RENT. THE front Room in the House opposite the Store of J. D. Line, formerly occupied as a Store Room, is FOR RENT. It is well adapted for any kind of business and is finely situated.

J.P. GORMAN:

WELL'S Patent CLOVER and TIMOTHY Seed SOWERS. These machines are highly recommended by those who have them in use. The farmers generally, are respectfully invited to call and examine for themselves. Jan. 30.

BUILDINGS FOR RENT.

THE Virginia and Maryland Bridge Company offer for rent their

TAVERN STAND, AND TWO OTHER

TONE BUILDINGS near the Potomac river, in Washington county, Md. Also their
WAREHOUSE, near the Bridge on the Virginia Shore.

Shore.

(1) Immediate possession of the Warehouse can be had, and of the other property on the 1st of April next.

(3) For Terms, apply to the subscriber, or in his absence to Mr. Joseph Entler.

E. I. LEE, President,

Va. & Md. Bridge Company.

Feb. 6, 1855—6.

THE house at present occupied by Rankin
Johnson is for rent. It is large and convenient, and pleasantly situated.

Jan. 30, 1855—tf. GEO. W. BOYER. HOUSE FOR RENT.

HE House and Lot formerly the residence of Mrs, Offett, is for rent. Apply to Feb. 6—7.P.

HENJ. TOMLINSON.

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.

May 2, 1854—tf May 2, 1854-tf HAVING sold out the Office of the Spirit of Jefferson, solely for the purpose of closing up its old business, it is hoped every one who is in any wise indebted previous to the lat of July last, will now come forward and pay what they know to be due. Many can save to us the expense and trouble of visiting their houses in person, by sending the small pittance by mail or other safe mode—but come it wust, by some means.

J. W. BELLER
Sentember 19, 1854

September 19, 1854. DR'S. CORDELL and BLACKBURN heve entered into a Co-Partnership in the PRACTICE OF MEDI-CINE and will be ready to attend all professional calls, night and day.

The undersigned takes this occasion to say that he intends in future to give his undivided attention to the practice of Medicine as above stated.

Jan. 2, 1855-tf. P.P. R. S. BLACKBURN. NOTICE. open account, will call between this and the 15th of January and pay up, or close the same by note. My Books must be closed, and all open accounts that are not settled before the 15th will otherwise be dis posed of. All those who are owing me on old Notes that want to save cost, will call and pay. N. B. My stock is larger than it ever has been, and I am determined to sell without regard to cost, for cash, or on the usual cheap terms, on time to goo and punctual customers. Come all that want har gains and examine for themselves.

January 2, 1855. NEW STOCK READY-MADE CLOTH-HE subscriber opened to-day, on Main street in Charlestown, a well-selected stock of READY-MADE CLOTHING, made in the lates fashions and by good workmen. Also a full assortment of Plain and Fancy CANDIES, NUTS, FRUITS, CIGARS and JEWEL-RY. Owing to the depressed markets, these goods are bought below manufacturers prices; and will be sold for cash on very small profits. The subscriber has constituted ISAAC ROSE his Agent, with full powers to conduct the business as such—and its chief design being to give employment to said Rose and enable him, under his misfortunes to provide for his family. All those inclined to aid the latter are requested to patronize the establishment.

SALOMON JORDAN. Free Press and Shepherdstown Register copy 3t. HARDWARE. I HAVE just opened a large stock of HARDWARE, such as Cast-Steel Mill Saws, Spring Steel M Cut and Hand Saws, Wood Saws, Frames and Saw Rods, Sash Cord and Pullies, Copper Rivets and Burs, Plumb Levels, Tape Lines, Sheep Bells, Thomas & Co's and Roland & Ames' long handle Shovels, a large as-sortment of Scissors, Pocket and Penknives, Wade & Butcher and Wostenholm's I X L Razors, Locks, Hinges and Screws, a few first-rate double barrel Guns, Powder Flasks and Shot Pouches, Gun Wads, Percussion Caps of all kinds, Powder and Shot, white ivery handle Knives with and without forks, Chopping Axes with and without handles, Drawing Knives, Spoke Shaves, Rounding Knives, Round and Broad Axes, Chaper's best Planes, Carpenters' Hatchets, Claw and Riveting Hammers, hand Hammers, Stone Sledges, Door Springs, (a new article,) and a variety of articles in the Hardware line, too lious to mention-all of which can be had at the Market-House for cash or on credit to punctual customers.

THOMAS RAWLINS.

BLESSING'S OYSTER
MAIN STREET Charlestown, November 14, 1854. MAIN STREET, CHARLESTOWN The subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public that he has just fitted up his OYSTER SALOON, in handsome style, where he will be pleased to see all those who may wish any thing in SUPPERS, &c., served up to private parties, on short notice, when desired.

FRESH OYSTERS received daily, which will be furnished families by the Can or otherwise. November 14, 1854.

COAL, COAL, COAL. RESPECTFULLY advise those who deal in either BITUMENOUS or ANTHRACITE COAL, for domestic or public purposes, to give me their orders as early as possible, to prevent delay or disappointment in their supplies.

This course is essential, because of the immensely increased demand, which taxes all the facilities of the Baltimore and Chio Railroad in its transportation.

Address, JAMES A. BECKHAM. July 18, 1854-tf [FP] Baltimore, Md.

AGENCY FOR CLAIMS WASHINGTON CITY, D. C. THE undersigned, who has been in the above busi-I ness for several years, beg leave to tender hisservices to all persons having claims against the General Government, particularly to the surviving Soldiers, or to their Widows or Children of the war of 1812, also the Florida War, the Revolutionary War,

Mexican Wars. His long experience, having been employed as a clerk for several years in the Pension Office, enables him more fully to investigate all claims, not only against that Department, but in all the departments of the Government. He thinks that he can procure for all those who Served one monthor who have received 40 acres of land, 160 acres. Suspended claims of all kinds particularly attend-Revolutionary Soldiers who served any time, their Widows, or Children, are entitled to pensions or lands.

He respectfully refers to each delegation in Congress for his capacity and honesty.
All communications post-paid.
Jan. 16, 1855—6m. THOMAS LUMPKIN. DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP. THE Partnership heretofore existing in the BUTCHERING BUSINESS, between SAML. C. YOUNG & CO., was dissolved on the 1st of January, 1855, by mutual consent. They return to the citizens of Charlestown and vicinity their most grateful acknowledgments, for the liberal patronage which has been extended, and hope they have in some degree reciprocated the kindness of their patrons, by furnishing the best Meats the market could afford, and which they have endeavored to sell at the low-

SAMUEL C. YOUNG & CO. January 23, 1855. est prices possible. THE undersigned having entered into a Co-Part nership with his father, Samuel C. Young, toconduct THE BUTCHERING BUSINESS in Charlestown, most respectfully solicits the sup-port of the community. Having been associated for several years in the business with his father in Charlestown, he hopes its citizens will bear in testi-mony to the fact that he has at least endeavored to mony to the fact that he has at least endeavored to render satisfaction, and accommodate them in all matters to the best of his ability. Having now embarked somewhat upon his own hook, and desirous of making a livelihood by his own labour, he hopes he may not appeal in vain to a generous public.

The BEST MEATS the market of this or adjoining counties can furnish will be served up regularly.

counties can furnish, will be served up regularly, and sold at the lowest price that will afford a Liv'. No profit, from a DEAD article of trade.

Respectfully, &c.,

Jan. 23, 1855. GEO. W. YOUNG. An ESTRAY.

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On the road leading from Charlestown to Shepherdstown, 3½ miles from the former place, in the immediate neighborhood of Zear Meeting house. It is a SORREL MARE, considerably advanced in years and in a very delapidated condition. No marks is believed to be perceptible, except a small star in her forehead. The owner is desired to prove property, pay charges and take her away.

LIND F. CURRIE.

January 16, 1855. away. January 16, 1855. NOTICE.

THE Notes given at the sale of the subscriber will become due on the 25th of this month, and prompt ayment is expected. As I am in want of money, all hose indebted will please come forward and pay their Notes.

EDWIN C. ENGLE.

. December 19, 1354.

MILL PROPERTY MILL PROPERTY

AT PRIVATE SALE

THE FLOURING MILL, known as the Blocmery
Property, is for sale. It is a very desirable and
very convenient properity. The Mill has two sets
of wheat hurrs, and one set of Chopping and Plasering stones. The water power is the best in the
County off the river, never failing, and it never
freezes. During the past dry season these has been
plenty of water, and the Mill has been doing its
usual amount of work. It has all the asvantages of
the navigation of the Shenandoah river, but is not
subject to any of the freshets. The Mill is situated
in one of the finest agricultural portions of Jeffers. It in one of the finest agricultural portions of Jeffers. no County. It is capable of grinding thirty thousand bushels of wheat, which amount can be purchased

bushels of wheat, which amount can be purchased within two miles of the site.

There is attached to the Mill TWELVE ACRES AND A HALF of first quality of Lime Stone Land, being almost entirely bottom, on which is creeted a commodious and confortable dwelling, stable, most house, and all other necessary out buildings.

In fact the property is one of the most desirable and profitable in the Valley of Virginia.

Terms made to suit the puchaser. Any communication addressed to me at Charlestowa, Jefferson county, Va., will receive prematantention. Persons desirous of viewing the premises will please call on the undersigned.

Feb. 6, 1855—tf.

JACOB B. RIFTER. HALLTOWN MILLS. HE subscriber, determined to establish a reputation for the HALLTOWN MILLS for making good Flour for family use, takes this method of informing his friends and the public generally that he will hereafter keep constantly on hand a very superior article, made of selected Wheat expressly for that purpose, and will be pleased to either exchange it for Wheat on the usual terms of five bushels of Wheat for one barrel of Flour, or for cash at a fair price.

35-For sale also at the store of Messrs Keyes & Kearsley, Charlestown.

Feb. 6, 1855—3m

G. W. FOX.

A VALUABLE TRACT OF LAND
FOR SALE.

I will sell at private sale, the FARM on which I reside, centaining 140 ACRES, of which about 25 acres are in Timber. This land lies immediately on the Turnpike Road, leading from Shepherdstown to Smithfield, and within half a mile of Kerneysville and the Depot on the Baltimore and Obio Railroad and is equal in fertility to any land in the neighbor, hood, and is now in good heart. There is a good substantial LOG DWELLING, and also a good TENANT HOUSE, a STABLE, a freverfailing Well, and other conveniences on the farm. Also, A YOUNG ORCHARD of choice fruit. The terms will be made known upon application to the subscriber in person, or by letter acdressed to him at Kerneysville, Jesterson county, Virginia.

MICHAEL BLUE.

September 5, 1854—tf VALUABLE TRACT OF LAND

September 5, 1854-tf 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 read leading few Resembles. on the road leading from Berryville to Lectown, and about one mile South of the Harpers-Ferry and Smithfield turnpike, adjoining the farms of John R. Flagg, George Isler, Mrs. H. L. Alexander, Thes. B. Wash ington, Dr. Scollay and others, containing about 245 ACRES, about 35 of which are in fine timber. The ACREB, about 35 of which are in fine timber. The improvements consist of a handsome threestory Baick Dwelling, forty feet square, with a two story Wing 40 feet by 20 feet attached; a Barn, Corn-house, Milk-house, and Negro Cabins. Also, a large orchard of choice Apples, and a young Peach Orchard recently planted. The Lawn and premises generally are highly improved by Shrubbery and a large variety of hand some Ornamental and Fruit Trees. There is a Cistern convenient, and a never failing 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 quality. It has every convenience to market, being in the Immediate vicinity of the Winchester and Harpers-Ferry Railroad, and within 7 or 8 miles of the Balto. and Ohio Rail-road. The place is well known, and altogether is one of the most desirable tracts of its size in the Valley. Persons who contemplate purchasing, can be in-

ley. Persons who contemplate purchasing, can be informed as to the terms of sale by consulting me in person, or by letter addressed to me at Charlestown, Jeffcorsn county, Va. GEORGE WASHINGTON,
For himself and in behalf of the other deviser. Dec'r 13, 1853-tf VALUABLE TAVERN STAND AND STORE-HOUSE FOR RENT, AND STOCK OF GOODS FOR SALE rous of changing my business. I shall lease, for a term of years, A VALUABLE TAVERN AND STORE, at CASTLEMAN'S (formerly Snickers') FERRY, upon the Shenandoah river, in Clarke county, Virginia, and upon the Stage road leading from Winchester (via

Leesburg) to Washington city.

This is a most important stand for a Tavern and Store, on account of the travel, is surrounded by a rich and populous country, and is perfectly healthy. I desire to sell also my STOCK (a valuable one OF STORE GOODS, upon most reasonable terms. (3-Applications can be made to me in person or by etter at my residence, at Casileman's Ferry, Clarks August 8, 1854. S. D. CASTLEMAN. JEFFERSON FARM FOR SA E.
THE undersigned offers for sale his FARM on which
he resides, in Jefferson county, Va., situated on
the east side, of the Shenandoah river, 3 miles south

east of Charlestown. The tract contains 350 ACRES, hiefly of lime-stone and red or ironore soil, of which mineral large deposites are supposed to exist. About 140 acres are under cultivation, 30 of which is Wheat and the residue well set in Grass, principally Timo-thy and Clover, to which it is admirably adapted.— The remaining part of the tract is clothed with a valuable growth of TIMBER,

Locus and Chesnut predominating, intersperced with other varieties, such as Caks, Hickory, Red Pine, Ash, &c. This Farm produces Wheat, the different Crasses and Indian Cornequal to the best land in the county, and possesses remarkable advantages for either cropping or grazing, being either from a half mile to 2! miles off from four Merchant Mills, two of which are river mills and a water communication, enabling the proprieter to de-liver from 500 to 1000 bushels a day; it also as a GRAZ-ING FARM has the advantage of an almost unlimited range back of the place, and between it and the Blue Ridge Mountain, distant about a mile, &c. Blue Ridge Mountain, distant about a mile, &c.

The improvements consist of a ERICK DWELLING and all necessary OUT BUILDINGS,
such as STABLING, ICE HOUSE, &c., situfulness, with three unfailing springs of soft WATER
within a few yards of the building—Shanondale
Springs and Furnace within 3 miles and South Bend
Forge 1 mile, also two Saw Mills from a half to 11
miles of the premises are some of the advantages.

miles of the premises are some of the advantages.— The Alexandria, Loudoun & Hamshire Railroad has been located within a mile of this later was ly enhance its value.

As the undersigned has a favorable opportunity to invest, he will sell a great bargain in the above property. Application to the subscriber on the premises or by letter through the Charlestown or Harpers-Ferry Post Office will be promptly attended to.

NATHANIEL W. MANNING. been located within a mile of this farm and will great-

Dec. 19, 1853. TEFFERSON FARM FOR SALE. The undersigned will dispose of, at private sale, his FARM, well known as the "WHITE HOUSE" PROPERTY, lying near Summit Point, containing about 120 ACRES.

This property was long occupied as a house of entertainment for drovers and travellers, and has advantages not equalled by any other point between Winchester and Charlestown—being directly on the main thoroughfare. The land is of first-rate Limestone, and water advantages No. 1. The only inducement for parting with the property is a growing directly on the state of the control of of the cont fucement for parting with the property is a growing

son county, Virginia. JOSEPH MORROW. November 23, 1854-t1M BY virtue of a Deed of Trust from Henry St. Geo Tucker, dec'd., and his wife, to me of record in Berkeley and Jefferson Counties—and with consent the heirs of said decedent—I will offer for sale that LARGE TRACT OF LAND, CONTAINING NEARLY 950 ACRES.

family.

Address the subscriber at Summit Point, Jeffer-

lying partly in the counties of Berkeley and Jeffer-son, in two farms, the one known as STONE HOUSE FARM, and the other as THE CREEK OR BOLEY FARM. DAY OF SALE-MONDAY, MARCH 12TH; 1355, County Court day. Place of sale-Martinsburg, before the Court House door.

THE STONE HOUSE FARM contains, by recent survey, 432 Acres, 2 Roods and 20 Poles. It consists of excellent LIMESTONE LAND chiefly—is well

TIMBERED—and has a fine stream of Water running through it. Is is admirably adapted to raising Wheat. It has good Improvements upon it. THE CREEK FARM It has a large quantity of TIMBER LANDupon the Opequon, which is the Western boundary of the farm. It has a fine, bold stream running through the farm. It mas a time to the Opequ.on.

These tracts of land lie convenient to several flour ing mills, three or four miles from Martinsburg—a mile or two from depots on the Baltimore and Ohio Rallroad—and six or seven miles from the Chesapeake and Ohio Canz I, five miles of which is upon a good

Turnpike Read.

The TITLE to the whole land is perfectly good, as all disposed to purchase can readily be satisfied about, by reference to the gentleman mentioned below.

The undivided half of each tract is conveyed to me. and I will only sell so much.

Terms of Sale.—One-fourth upon the 1st of April.
1855, the balance in three equal annual payments, with interest from that day—the interest payable when the bonds are payable.

Conveyance on the 1st of April, 1855—the purchaser executing bonds and deed of trust to secure deferred payments. Refer to D. H. Conrad, Esq., Martinsburg, Va., or J. R. Tucker, Esq., Winchester, Va.
(Cj-Possession given April 1st, 1855, with leave to tenants to cut and secure the growing crop of small grain.

H. H. MARSHALL, Trustee.

January 9, 1855—ts. Ag-As the owner of the other half of the two tracts referred to above, I will at the same time and place, and upon the same terms, sell my interest in the same and will give a deed of warranty for the same.

Having been in possession of the land in question for near 50 years, as my own maiden land, and being unancumbered, there can be no question about my title. I refer to the same gentlemen above named.

ANN E. TUCKER,

Jan. 9, 1855.

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I WILL sell at Private Sale my HOUSE (1) and LOT adjoining the property of L. Botts, 111 and LOT adjoining 1 of an ACRE, 111 with a good STONE FOUNDATION, 32 by 17 feet, built thereon. Terms, Cash

January 13, 1855.

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DAILY LINE TO WINCHESTER, AND
TRI-WEEKLY TO LURAY.

The Cars leave Alexandria daily at 8 o'clock, A. M.
(Sunday excepted.) connecting with J. H. Kemp's
Line of Stages at Piedmont, via Millwood and Paris,
on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, for Winchester; and at Wapping Station, via Front Royal,
on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, for Winchester, and Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays,
for Luray. RE, LIFE & MARINE INSURANCE.

VNCHBURG HOSE AND FIRE
INSURANCE COMPANY. This Company makes Insurance against loss or damages by Fire, on Dwelling Houses, Stores, Tobacco Factories and other Buildings, on Furniture, Goods, Warcs and Merchandise, generally in town and country, on the most favorable terms.

Also makes Insurance on the lives of all persons enjoying good health, and of sound constitution for the whole duration of life, or for a limited period blaves employed in ordinary occupations, will be usured on reasonable terms. for Luray. for Luray.

Returning, leave Wapping at 10½, and Piedmont
11½, A.M., arriving at Alexandria at 2½, P. M.

11½-THROUGH TICKETS to Winchester, \$3.50,
to be had at the ticket office of the Orange and Alexandria Railroad Company, Alexandria, and at J. H.

Kemp's Stage Office, Winchester.

M. M. WELSH, The Company will also take marine risks from and o any of the Northern or Southern Ports, at favora-Board of Directors.

JOHN ROBIN McDANIEL, President.

BON T. C. PETERS, Vice President.

BAMPSON DIUGUID, Chief Engineer. August 8, 1854. Superintendent. NATIONAL HOTEL, CAMDEN STREET, JAMES M. CORES,
GEORGE W. YANCEY,
WILLIAM T. AMDRESON,
JENN O. TAYLOR,
JAMES M. BOYD. Opposite Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Depot,
BALTIMORE. MARTIN HOLLINS, Treasurer. G. W. LANE & CO., October 10, 1854—1y Proprietors.

@ W. LANE & CO.,
Proprietors.

@ All Passengers and Baggage to and from the
Baltimore and Ohio Depot, and the Eastern and
Western Shore Boats, will be carried without charge. CREED T. WILLS, Secretary. Dr. P. H. GILMER, Dr. WM. OTWAY OWEN, Medical Examiner. Agent for Jefferson county, . B. W. HERBERT.
Medical Examiner, Dr. G. F. MASON.
Charlestown, April 25, 1854—1y [FF] J. P. BRADY, No. 13 LIGHT STREET, THE VALLEY OF VIRGINIA FIRE Has fitted up, in superior style, a RESTAURANT at the above locality, and furnished it with all the "et ceteras" of a first class establishment Good WINES, MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, good LiQUORS, first rate CIGARS, the best EATA-BLES the markets afford, with the most competent and cleanly COOKS to prepare them for the table, sogether with civil and attentive WAITERS, may at Will issue Policies on all kinds of Property. Merchandise, &c., at fair and equitable rates. Capital \$150,009, with power to increase the same to \$200,000.

THE attention of the citizens of Virginia is especially invited to this Company as a Home Institution, based upon ample capital, and guaranteed by the best of references; and conducted on the strictest principles. all times be found at Old '76!

Baltimore, June 27, 1854.—tf GILBERT'S HOTEL, (LATELY JOHN COE'S,) of equity, justice, and economy.

HOME OFFICE-WINCHESTER, VA. 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 JOS. S. CARSON, President. C. S. FUNK, Secretary. O. F. BRESEE, Actuary. has undergone necessary repairs, and is now in every respect adapted to the wants of the traveller and so-James H. Burgess, Lloyd Logan, John Kerr, journer. A large and commodious Stable is attached to the N. W. Richardson. A large and commondes Stable is that the hest grain premises, which will be furnished with the hest grain and lay and attentive Ostler. His Table will always R. W. HERBERT. be furnished with all the varieties which the season Agent for Jefferson county. and market will afford, and the Bar at all times supplied with the choicest Liquors.

His charges will be moderate. He therefore invites Testimonials. WINCHESTER, MAY 27, 1853. the patrons of the House to give him a call, as he is determined to spare no pains in making his guests We, the undersigned, being solicited to give our spinion as to the character and standing of the Insurance Company of the Valley of Virginia, have no BARNET GLEERT. hesitation in saving that we have the utmost confidence in the ability and integrity of the President and Directors of that Company.

The fact that we have insured our own property in The undersigned takes pleasure in commending Mr. Gilbert to the patrons of the House whilst under the management of my Father, and respectfully the Company, is perhaps the strongest evidence we can give as to our opinion of its merits.

J. H. Sherrard, Cash. Farmer's Bank of Va. solicits for him a continuance of their custom.

June 23, 1853.

JAMES W. COE. June 23, 1853. SAPPINGTON'S HOTEL, Hon. J. M. Mason, U. S. Senator.

JACOB SENBENY, Esq., Merchant, Winchester.

T. A. Tidball, Prest. of Bank of Valley of Va. Charlestown, Jefferson County, Va.
THIS large and very commodious THREE-STORY
BRICK HOTEL, situated in the centre and busi-MARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE COMness part of the town, is now among the most attractive and desirable resting places in the great Valley of HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT. Incorporated 1810.--Charter Perpetual.

Capital \$150,000, with power of increasing it to \$250,000.

PUBLIC Buildings, Manufactories, Mills, Machine-ry, Dwelling Houses, Stores, Merchandise, House-hold Furniture, Vessels on the stocks or while in port, and Furniture, Vessels on the stocks or while in port, and the risk will be invested at the sea the risk will be invested at the sea to be sea the risk will be invested at the sea to be sea to b 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 Several large Parlors and airy Chambers have been 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, &c., will be insured at rates as low as the risk will Applications for Insurance may be made of B. W. HERBERT,
In the absence of the Agent from Charlestown, to J.
P. Brewn, 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, 1855—19] 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. 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 THE andersigned, having engaged in the Mercantile 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, BONNETS, See to an examination of which they respect. renovation; it is now believed to be in every respect adapted to the wants of the traveller and sommer fully 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 confidence and patronage. Whatever they sell shall A large and commodious STABLE is attached to the premises. The luxuries of the TABLE will be surpassed by none, and the BAR is at all times supplied 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 Depot be of the character represented, and invariably reduced to such prices that none may hope to undersell. They have established such extensive arrangements 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 for the accommodation of travellers without any addi JOS. C. RAWLINS, March 2, 1852-1y BERRYVILLE HOTEL. 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 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 to receive guests. He is also prepared to accommo date Boarders, either by the day, week, monthor year. HIS TABLE will always be furnished with all the apon being supplied by them with articles in this line, of fresh and superior quality. They purchased their Groceries, mostly in large quantities and alvarieties which the scason and market will afford; his Bar with the choicest liquors, and his Stable with the best hay, grain, and ostler. They keep a very heavy stock on hand, and can, and will, sell them at prices unusual in this market. As he intends tomake this his permanent residence, he will spare no pains in endeavoring to render those who give him their custom, both comfortable and hap-py. He flatters himself, from his long acquaintance The following enumeration will give a general outpy. He flatters himself, from his long acquaintance with business, and the manners of the world, that he Plain, Changeable and Figured Dress Silks; Plain and Figured Mouslin de Laines; Challeys, Lawns, Ginghams, Alpaccas, Canton can please the most fastidious. Hischarges will be as moderate, as the expenses of any good public house in this section of country will justify. He, therefore, invites all to extend to him a share of their custom.

Berryville, April 5, 1853. WM. N. THOMPSON. Cloths;
Bombazines, French and English Calicoes; Brown and Bleached Muslins;
Ticking, Bagging, Checks, Plaids, Linen Sheetings, Table Linens and Oil Cloths;
Towelings, White, Red and Yellow Flannels;
Irish Linens, Silk, Crape, Cashmere and Mouslins; UNITED STATES HOTEL,
AT THE RAILROAD DEPOT,
Harpers-Ferry, Virginia.
The subscriber respectfully begs leave to inform the travelling public that this Hotel is now renovated and improved for a better and enlarged accommodation for travellers during summer. With the late improvements and a determined perseverance, no effort or outlay shall be wanting to render this Hotel, in every respect, to the invalid or to comforts and accommodate. In Shawis;

Boisery, Kid, Thread, Cotton, Silk and Silk
Nett Gloves;
Cambric, Jaconets, Laces and Edgings;
Plain, Barred and Figured Swiss Goods;
Needle-worked Goods, Trimmings, Bonnet Rib every respect, to the invalid or to comforts and ac-commodations equal to any Hotel in the Valley. The TABLE shall be furnished with the best from this and Baltimore markets. DINNER always ready on the arrival of the Baltimore daily cars, and ample time bons, Parasols and Umbrellas; Coating Linens, Jeans and Tweeds; Cassimere, Cassinets, Linen Drills;
Cassimere, Cassinets, Linen Drills;
Cravats, Suspenders, Boots and Shoes of every
description for Men, Ladies, Boys, Misses and
Children;
Silk, Fur, Straw, Chip, Kossuth and Slouch given for passengers to dine here, before the cars leave for Winchester or Baltimore. Passengers stopping here to view our bold romantic mountain scenery Hats of every variety;

A large stock of Hardware, including Cutlery and House furnishing materials; may rest assured they will be well cared for during their stay, A call is most respectfully solicited, to enable the travelling public to judge for themselves.

M. CARRELL. Rifle and Blasting Powder; Queensware, and Woodware; Window Glass Putty, Oil and Paints;
A lot of fine Tobacco and Segars;
Bacon, Salt, Fish, Lard, Potatocs, Flour and Corn Meal. Harpers-Ferry, July 11, 1854. UNITED STATES HOTEL.

AT THE RAILROAD DEPOT,

Harpers-Ferry, Virginia.

The subscriber respectfully showeth that this Hotel is open for the reception of travellers on the arrival of the cars, at all hours, day and night, and a polite 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. and obliging barkceper, with a trusty and active por-Harpers-Ferry, May 2, 1854-tf ter, to see that passengers are well cared for and bag-gage properly attended to. M. CARRELL. Harpers-Ferry, July 11, 1854. GOODS AT COST. THE undersigned having made arrangements to sell his Store-House and Dwelling to the U.S. Gov-TO ALL CONCERNED. STOCK OF DRY GOODS AT COST. Having qualified as Administrator of WILLIAM C. WORTHINGTON, deceased, all persons having Those wishing to get CHEAP GOODS, FOR CASH, will please give an early call, where they will find a large Stock and well assorted, suited to the present claims against said Estate are requested to present them properly authenticated at the earliest day prac-ticable. Those who have unsettled accounts, of any and approaching season. The public are requested to call, examine, and judge for themselves. sort or description, are required accounts, of any sort or description, are required to prepare their vouchers for an early settlement. These indebted to the estate are requested to make prompt payment.

SAMUEL RIDENOUR,
Administrator of Wm. C. Workington.

Ty-Persons having Books belonging to his Library, JOHN G. WILSON. Harpers-Ferry, November 21, 1854-tf THE Teachers of the Free Schools in Jefferson cour ty will please present their Accounts to me up to the 1st of October last, in person, properly certified to by the Commissioners of their District. Call soon as I have the money and wish to get clear of it.

W. J. HAWKS, I please return them immediately. November 28, 1854. PARTNERSHIP NOTICE. THE undersigned have entered into a Co-partner-ship in the Mercantile Business, in Charlestown, Treasurer of the Board of School Commissioners. under the firm and name of CRAMER & HAWKS. The liabilities from and the assets due the establish-ADIES' DRESS GOODS.-- We still have a beautiful assortment of DRESS GOODS, such as, Merinoes, Cashmeres, Mouslins, Haw Silks, &c. ments date back to let of Janue y, 1854. The busi ness will be continued at the old stand of A. W. Cramer, who will give it his personal attention. The which we are determined to sell off very cheap.

Jan. 22. CRAMER & HAWKS. new firm will use every effort to merit the supporto. the public, and hope to make it of mutual benefit. FOR SALE. A LIGHT WAGON, switable for either one or two horses. It is new and made of the best material, and finished in the most complete manner.

An. 30, 1856—tf. PHOS. W. DAVIS. TURNPIKE NOTICE.

THE public are hereby notified that the annual subscriptions for the use of the Berryville & Charlestown Turnpike, expired on the first of November, and that contracts to the first of October, 1855, may DOMESTIC GOODS.--We have just received a very large supply of Domestic Goods, consist-ing in part of 4-4 Cotton Osnaburgs; be made by application to the Treasurer, or to Thos.
A. MOORE, at Charlestown. The Toll Gatherers are
instructed to allow no one to pass the Gates without Heavy Twill Osnaburgs; Nankeen do; payment of tolls till contracts for the ensuing year are made. Cherokee do; for sale by CRAMER & HAWKS.

Would inform their Virginia customers and the public generally that they continue to manufacture MONUMENTS, TOMBS, HEAD AND FOOT STONES, SCROLLS, &c MANTLES, TILES, and HOUSEWORK generally Tombs enclosed in the most handsome style.

All work sold at city prices and delivered at our risk and expense. Work done in the best style, by workmen not surpassed in any city in the Union. Drawings of Monuments, Tombs, Head Stones, Scrolls, &c., can be seen at the Shop of Mr. HEN-DERSON BISHOP, near the Academy, Charlestown, Jefferson county, Virginia, who is our authorized Orders thankfully received and promptly attended [November 14, 1854—19 NEW STOVE STORE,
No. 20 Light-st., near Lombard,
BALTIMORE.
M. A. DUKE would respectfully inform his old
customers and friends of Jefferson, and the adjoining counties, that he has resumed his former business at No. 29 Light street, one door from Lombard street, where he will be happy to see them all. His long experience in the business enables him to indge cor ectly of the merits and utility of any new pattern of any new Stove which may be brought before the pub-lic. His Warehouse is now fitted up, and he is fully prepared to furnish any description of COOKING PARLOR, and CHAMBER STOVES, of the most ap proved styles, and at as reasonable prices as they can be procured in this or any other city. He is also prepared to furnish RANGES for private families and hotels. All Stoves, Ranges, or other articles, sold by the subscriber, will be set up and warranted, and if they do not fully come to the representations, stituted, or the money returned.

Extensive arrangements have been made and the best workmen employed, for the REPAIRING OF STOVES, RANGES, &c., which will be done prompt-ly and in the most substantial manner. He solicits a call from his old customers and friends, being confident that he will satisfy all who favor him with their [August 15, 1854. JAS. A. ENGLISH, C. M. CASTLEMAN, CHAS. A. RALDWIN ENGLISH, CASTLEMAN & Co., HARDWARE, CUTLERY, BAR IRON, STEEL,
NAILS, HOLLOW-WARE, &c., King Street, corner of Market Alley, 25, 1854. ALEXANDRIA, VA. July 25, 1854. GEO. J. RICHARDSON. CHAS. W. SINCLAIR,

RICHARDSON & OVERMAN, UMBRELLA AND PARASOL MANUFACTORY, No. 106, Market street, Philadelphia. May 9, 1854—tf WM. S. ANDERSON MARBLE STONE CUTTER, 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 A. W. CRAMER. WELLS J. HAWKS. notice that he is now prepared to execute all kinds o work in his line—such as MONUMENTS, TOMB SLABS, HEAD AND FOOT STONES, &c. 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 All orders thankfully received and promptly attended to. Address WM. S. ANDERSON, ed to. Address Frederick city, Md., J. W. McGINNIS, Agent, To be charged persons who come on and leave the Two pike at the Kablelown and Summit Point Forks:

For every—

For the round trip.

Horse to a Wagon 4 cents. If wheels-are more than or JOHN G. RIDENOUR, Agent, January 11, 1853. Single Horse Cart 61 " four inches to bouble " do 8 " four inches these rates. four inches wide half MUSICAL DEPOT, HILBUS & HITZ' Do Carriage 15 " Single horse do 10 "
Horse, Mare, Geld-Round trip.

Ruth Hall

SHTON'S SALT, for darry use, just received Dec. 4 B.J. H. L. EBY & SOM

DOWDER.—Blasting and Gunpowder, for sale Nov. 28. H. L. EBY & SON.

BUOK WHEAT FLOUR, for sale by KEYES & KRARSLEY.

Candles, just received by

A SCHOOL TEACHER, in District No. 19.
Apply to DAVID HOWELL, Comp.
Charlestown, Jan. 22, 1800.

EBY & SON,

Parables by Krummacher; Jerusalem and its vicinities, by Odenheimer; Jerusalem and its vicinities, Mother of the Bible; for sale by L. M. SMITH.

I FOR CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR
N Store, a large and general assortment of
FANCY GOODS,
OF ALL KINDS,

suitable as PRESENTS for the Holydays.

Dec. 19, 1854.

L. M. SMITH.

HOPS, HOPS.—Fresh No. 1 Hops, just received, Dec. 5, 1854.

ORANGES, LEMONS, and Fresh RAISINS, for KEYES & KEARSLEY.
November 21, 1854.

NEW CROP N. O. Molasses, new crop Sugar, White Beans, Dried Peaches, Black Eyed Pens, and Hominy, for sale by H. L. EBY & SON.

SPERM, ADAMANTINE, & TALLOW, for sale, November 7, 1861. H. L. EBY & SON.

Harpers-Ferry, Va. South Side Penn. Avenue, between 10th and 11th Sts., Washington City, D. C., Publishers of Music and Dealers in all kinds of MU-SICAL INSTRUMENTS AND MUSICAL MER-20 Sheep or Horse. 61 " When the number is more or less the charge to be in proportion.

By order of the Board: SICAL INSTRUMENTS AND MUSICAL MER-CHANDIZE. The greatest variety of American and Foreign Publications of Music constantly kept on hand, to which we are saily making additions. Our stock of Instruments embraces CHURCH and PARLOR ORGANS; PIANOS, from the most cele-brated European and American Manufactories, with and without the admired Eolian attachment; ME LODIANS, GUITARS, VIOLINS, FLUTES, AC-CORDEONS, FLUTENAS, RANDOS, TAMBO JOHN D. RICHARDSON, November 21, 1851—tf [F.P.] Treasurer BOOKS! BOOKS!!

JUST received, Braddock's Expedition, published by the Historical So-CORDEONS, FLUTINAS, BANJOS, TAMBO RINES; BRASS AND REED INSTRUMENTS O ciety of Pennsylvania; McCulloch's Commercial Dictionary, 2 vols.; every description. Strings of the best quality for all Stephen's Book of the Farm, by Skinner; Instruments.

103-Orders from the country punctually attended to.
103-Pianos and all other kind of Instruments repair-Towatt on the Horse, by do.; Mason's Farrier and Steed Book, by do.; Gems of English Poetry; ed and tuned.

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Romance of American Landscape;
Read's Poems; History of all Nations, 2 vols.;
Frost's Pictorial United States;
Leaflets of Memory; Rollin's History, 4 vols.;
Salt water Bubbles, by Hawser Martingale;
Poets and Poetry of Europe, by Longfellow;
Floral Keepsake; Whitney's Metallic Wealth
of United States;
Parables by Krummacher; August 22, 1854-tf. E IMPORTERS AND WHOLESALE DEALERS IN HARDWARE, CUTLERY, GUNS, &c.,

Have just received, direct from the Manufacturers their FALL SUPPLY OF GOODS, which is verlarge, and has been selected with great care, parti-cularly with a view to supplying the wants of COUNTRY MERCHANTS. We respectfully invite an examination of our stock, as we are prepared to supply the trade at prices that will compare favorably with those of the Northern markets.

[Alexandria, October 10, 1854. LARD LAMPS.

I HAVE received a supply of D. Kinnear's new ly invented LARD LAMPS, warranted to be superior to any thing of the kind now in use. Any person purchasing, if it does not give full satisfaction, can return it and I will refund them the money.

THOMAS RAWLINS. November 28, 1854.

FOR SALE.

I HAVE for sale about 20 ENVES—a part with Lambs by them. Also a Yoke of OX—I EN. I have also for hire a young WOMAN, who is a cook, washer and ironer. FKANCIS YATES.

January 16, 2865.

Miscellaneous, CHARLES B. HARDING, Attorney at Law,
ILL Practice in the inferior and Superior Courts
of Jefferson, Clarke and Loudoun. Office, No. Shenandoah street, Harpers-Ferry, Virginia, September 28, 1852. REMOVAL.

City Advertisements.

SAUERBERG & NICOLASSEN,

OF CIGARS, AND WHOLESALE DEALERS IN

&c. NO. 301 BALTIMORE STREET,

BALTIMORE MD.

which we offer to the public.
SAUERBERG & NICOLASSEN,

PAPER WAREHOUSE, NO. 5 SOUTH CHARLES STREET, BALTIMORE.

of superior quality.

OS-ONE PRICE ONLY.-O3

October 10, 1854—19

Baltimore, October 10, 1854-1v

BLE HATS AND CAPS, for gentlemen, youth and children, before purchasing. We feel confident in being able to please the most fastidious.

WM. KNABE. HENRY GAEHLE. ED. BETT

KNABE, GAEHLE & CO.,

Nos. 4, 6, 8 and 9 EUTAW STREET,

ticularly those in want of a superior PIANO-FORTE

at moderate price) to the extensive assortment con-stantly on hand at their Ware-Rooms. Cur esta-

blishment is now the most extensive South, number ing over One Hundred Workmen, with a well-select

ed stock of seasoned materials, from which we are manufacturing PIANO-FORTES, combining the

most valuable improvements known.

Our Iron Frame Piano-Fortes, for which we have received FIRST PREMIUMS for three successive

A guarantee for five years will be given with each

sale, if not perfectly satisfactory.

CARHART & NEEDHAM'S PATENT MELO-

DEONS constantly on hand, (an article we can re-commend.) TUNING attended to.

DAGUERREOTYPISTS,
No. 159 Baltimore Street,
October 10, 1854—6in.
Raltimore, Md.

TAYLOR'S FALL HATS FOR GENTLEMEN ARE NOW READY.

The matchless model of this superb HAT, its excui-

iste finish and air of high ton will distinguish it as THE HAT OF THE SEASON.

PHIENIX MARBLE WORKS.

A. GADDESS

MARYLAND AND VIRGINIA

MARBLE WORKS.

MCDERMOTT & SON, FREDERICK CITY, MARYLAND,

BALTIMORE, MI

Corner Sharp and German Streets,

T. J. NIMMO & CO.,

Baltimore, October 10, 1854-1v

Baltimore, October 10, 1854.

September 20, 1853—1y

(Opposite the Eutaw House,) would respectfully invite public attention (an

October 10, 1854-1y

Baltimore, April 12, 1853-tf

PAPER, &c., &c.

OSEPH HOPKINS.

IMPORTERS AND MANUFACTURERS

WINES, LIQUORS, SARDINES. LAWSON BOTTS, ATTORNEY AT LAW We respectfully solicit the custom of country Met-chants. A well selected stock of HAVANA, GER-MAN and DOMESTIC CIGARS. French WINES and BRANDIES may be constantly found with us., COMMISSIONER IN CHANCERY AND GENERAL AGENT. OFFICE in his House, formerly the property of the late Mrs. Fanny M. Willis, one door north of the office of Wm. C. Worthington, Esq. Entrance from same street. [July 18, 1854.—tf TALBOT S. DUKE. ATTORNEY AT LAW,

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,
October 24, 1854—19

Baltimore. WILL practice in the Superior and Inferior Courts of Jefferson, Berkeley and Loudoun. Office No. 2, Shenandoah street, Harpers-Ferry, Virginia. [July 18, 1854.—6m. 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 HEIM, NICODEMUS. GEO. P. THOMAS.
HEIM, NICODEMUS & CO.,
Importers and Dealers in Foreign and fice one door East of it. May 9, 1854.

Domestic Liquors, of every description.
No. 383 Baltimore street, between Paca and Eutaw sta Commissioner in Chancery of the Circuit and County Court of Jefferson County.

OFFICE in the Court-House, (up stairs,) in the room for many years occupied as an office by the late Rost. Worthington, Esq.

Entrance (except on Court days) at the east door.

July 11, 1854—tf IAMES S. ROBINSON has in store, for sale at Mindifactory Prices, PRINTING, WRITING AND WRAPPING PAPER, PRINTERS' CARDS, BOX, BONNET AND STRAW BOARDS, and will purchase for cash, RAGS, CANVAS, ROPE, WASTE SURGICAL AND MECHANICAL

THE undersigned tenders his thanks to the Citiliberal 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 surrounding Community. WM. FAIRCHILD. HOPKINS & FAIRCHILD, SUCCESSORS TO OREM & HOPKINS MERCHANT TAILORS, No. 230 Baltimore street, Northwest corner of Charle street, BALTIMORE. ing 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. AULABAUGH. A large assortment of Ready-Made CLOTHING TALL STYLES
OF HATS AND CAPS.

J. L. McPHAIL & BROTHER, Fashionable Hatters, 132 Baltimore street, invite their friends and the public to examine their assortment of FASHIONA-

MARTINSBURG ACADEMY,

Vivit et Viget.

C. E. VON FAHNESTOCK, PRINCIPAL.

THE friends of this Institution are most politely informed that its duties will be resumed on Monday the 4th of September. Terms will be made known upon application to the Principal or to Col. P. C. PENDLETON, President of Board of Trustees. July 4, 1854-tf

FALL ARRIVAL
OF CLOTHS, CASSIMERES,
AND VESTINGS.
The subscriber has just returned from New York, where he selected with great care his STOCK OF GOODS, embracing the most fashionable styles of CLOTHS, CASSIMERES AND VESTINGS, &c., to which he invites the particular attention of all in want of Clothing, and which he will trim and make The subscriber returns his sincere thanks to the public for their very liberal patronage, and assures them that he will use every effort to give satisfaction.

For the benefit of the Ladies I have brought on PATTERNS of all sizes and styles for children and youths' Clothes.
Goods purchased elsewhere, will be manufac tured as usual.

years, (from the Maryland Institute,) over those of Northern make, are particularly worthy of attention, being so arranged as to secure great additional strength without affecting the TONE, for which our Instruments have been so highly recommended by the best Professors and Amateurs throughout the Charlestown, October 17, 1854-tf [F. P.] A READY-MADE CLOTHING AND TAILORING. The subscriber would respectfull vinvite his friends and the public generally to his stock of Ready Made CLOTHING, which he offers to sell very low for Cash. He is also prepared to make COATS, PANTS and VESTS, at the shortest notice and in the most Instrument sold by us, of our make, with privilege of exchange at any time within six months from day of fashionable manner.

His shop is in one of the rooms of Mr. Andrew

Hunter's Row, opposite the Court-House, and next door to E. E. Cooke's Office. JOHN REED. Charlestown, October 10, 1854. JAMES E. JOHNSON, BOOT AND SHOE MANUFACTURER, (Two doors east of the Valley Bank Has just received his Fall and Winter BOOTS AND SHOES, embracing every style and size, selected with great care expressly for this market. The pubic are invited to examine his stock, as he is fully sa tisfied it will compare favorably with that of any

other establishment. Custom work made to order, on short notice, in the most fashionable style and durable manner. October 10, 1854-tf IKON FOUNDRY. HE undersigned have leased the well known

IRON FOUNDRY,

AT HARPERS-FERRY,
in the County of Jefferson, Virginia, lately occupied and worked by Hugh Gilleece. The facilities of the Lessees of procuring the best stock, and at all times, afford a guarantee to their customers of prompt and workmanlike CASTINGS. They have engaged the very best workmen and solicit the patronage of the

They are prepared to furnish all kinds of Castings, either from their own, or patterns supplied by their customers—and the prices as low as can be afforded any where in the neighborhood. F. BECKHAM & SON. Harpers-Ferry, October 3, 1854. WE have just received a large lot of Table and Pocket CUTLERY, and FILES of our own importation, the orders for which were sent out before the

advance in prices, of which circumstance buyerscan have the advantage. ENGLISH, CASTLEMAN & CO. Alexandria, October 10, 1854. FRUIT TREES.

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 but and propagate from his trees, which, added to my own selections, gives me all the best varieties.—
My Peach Trees, especially, srevery fine. My terms are accommodating.

JAMES STRONICK.

I HAVE had fixed up at the DEPOT a pair of FAIRBANK'S PLATFORM SCALES, for weighing

Cattle, Hogs, and Stock of all kind, &c., and hav also made pens for loading stock on the cars. Far mers or traders can have there stock not only loaded on the cara here but can weigh them before leaving
September 12, 1854.

E. M. AISQUITH. September 12, 1854. NOTICE. 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.

TIMOTHY EED.—Another supply of prim at the Depot. E. M. AISQUITH. at the Depot. September 19, 1854. A CARD.

I'N consequence of the advance in Servants' hire

I 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.

December 27, 1853. HAVE just opened an assortment of English single and double BRIDLES AND MARTINGALES; Plated Bits, Stirrups and Spurs, to be had at the Market House.

THOMAS RAWLINS. BELL HANGING. I 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. QUILTS.—Having received a pretty good stock of MARSAILLES QUILTS, being large, mea suring 12-4 by 11-4, these goods can be bought al most without a prefit; also, Crib Quilts for sale by August 1, 1854.

JOHN D. LINE.

HE subscriber having supplied himself with one of Richard Patten's best TRANSIT COMPASSES, is prepared to do SURVEYING with greater aceu

racy than can possibly be done with the ordinary Compass. Persons having surveying to do, will find the subscriber by dropping him a note at Harpers-Ferry.

GEORGE MAUZY. October 24, 1 54 6m. BLACKSMITH SHOP.

THE subscriber having permanently located himself at the BLACKSMITH SHOP at Duffield's Depot, is now prepared to do all kinds of work in his line, at prices as moderate as any other shop in the county. He will at all times be prepared with Iron of all kinds for repairing or making Plough and other learn word by the Farrages. FINE CANDY TOYS, JELLY CAKES, CHOCOLATE AND FRUIT DROPS, ROSE, VANILLA AND BURNT ALMONDS, Irons used by the Farmers.

I solicit a call from those in want, feeling assured that all who give me a call will not go away diseatis-FRENCH AND EXPLODING SECRETS.
Also, all the common varieties—all of which will be sold at low rates, at his Confectionary Establishment, fied. GEORGE PENSE.
Duffield's Depot, April 12, 1853. latest importation, such as— ORANGES, LEMONS, RAISINS,

TO THE PUBLIC.

THE undersign d having bought the Blacksmith Shop formerly owned by G. S. Gardner, will carry on the BLACKSMITHING in all its branches. Particular attention will be given to all work entrusted to him. FILBERTS, COCOA, CREAM
AND GROUND NUTS, &c.
ALSO— TOYS AND FANCY GOODS,
of every kind and from all parts of Europe, manufactured of wood, glass, china, india rubber, &c.

13-Pound, Fruit, Sponge and all other kinds of Cakes, Ice Creams, Jellies, &c., made to order, and furnished to wedding and other parties on short notice in this or any of the adjoining counties. Orders thankfully received and promptly attended to.
Charlestown, November 14, 1854. He hopes by strict attention to business to share a portion of public patromage. ED WARD HUNT.
September 5, 1854.

GROCERIES.
SUGAR, COFFEE,
Young Hyson, Imperial, Gunpowder & Black
TEAS: New Orleans and New York Syrup; Spices,
ground and unground; Salt, by the sack or bushel;
Fresh Hops, with a general assortment of Groceries,
of all kinds, to be had at the Market-House for cash or credit to punctual customers.

THOMAS RAWLINS. CUCUMBER PICKLES.—Just received sev-ral barrels of Cucumon Pickles, of very superior quality, which I will retail by the dozen or hun-dred.

J. F. BLESSING. November 14, 1854

AN_ELDERLY WOMAN—white or black—to take charge of an infant. One who suits will get a comfortable home and good wages.

Nov. 21, 1854—tf E. M. AISQUITH. SPRING DOMESTICS.

BALE Twilled Osnaburg Cotton, for Pants;

do Plain do do for Shirts;

do do 4-4 Heavy do

Find Twilled Osnaburgs;

Blue, White and unbleached Knitting Cotton;

Large assortment of best make Bleached Cottons;

just received and for sale at low prices and on accommodating terms.

January 23, 1855.

TEA AND COFFEE.

HAVE just received some very fine Tea, also old Gev., Java Coffee.

JERE HARRIS. HOLLAND GIN.--Very sup, for Medidal purposes. Also some of that same kind of good old Burbourn Whiskey and Brandy.

Jan. 16.

JERE HARRIS. NEATSFOOT OIL.—I have received a barrel of Neatsfoot Oil., less Strap from from to 2 inches [Nov. 28. T. RAWLINS.

Datent Medicines. DOCTOR YOURSELF! THE POCKET ÆSCULAPIUS Or Every one his own Physician.
THE Extieth Edition, with one hundred engravings flowing Diseases and Malformations of the Generative System in every shape and form. To which is added a Treatise on the diseases of females, being of the highest importance to married people, or those contemplating marriage. By WM. YOUNG, M. D. (c)-Letno father beashamed to present a copy of the Æsculapius to his child. It may save him from an

Assulabilis to his child. It may save him from an early grave. Let no young man or woman enter into the secret obligations of married life, without reading the Pocket Asculapius; let no one suffering from hackned cough, pain in the side, restless nights, nervous feelings, and she whole train of Dyspeptic sensations, and given up by their physicians, be another moment without consulting the Asculapius. Have the married or those about to be married any impediment, read this truly useful book, as it has been the means of saying thousands of unfortunate creatures from the of saving thousands of unfortunate creatures from very jaws of death. 65-Any person sending TWENTY-FIVE centsen-closed in a letter, will receive one copy of this book by mail, or five copies will be sent for one dollar. Address (post-paid,) Dr. WM. YOUNG, No. 152 Spruce st., Philadelphia.

August 15, 1954-1y. MEDICATED INHALATION! CONSUMPTION CAN BE CURED, AS TREATED BY DR. E. N. TRIST, With His Celebrated Hygen and Oxygenic Vapor!

DR. TRIST, graduate of the Royal College of Surgeons in London, and the recipient of diplomas from the LUNG INSTITUTION of Edinburgh and HOTEL DES INVALIDES of Paris, having setand HOTEL DESINVALIDES of Paris, having set-tled permanently in New York for the practice of his profession, begs leave to suggest to the citizens of the United States that several years of study and suc-cessful experiments in England and Scotland, as well as other parts of Europe, with CONSUMPTION IN ALLITS FORMS, enable him to warrant, not only ALL ITS FORMS, enable him to warrant, not only relief, but a complete cure to all those suffering with this great national disease.

DR. TRIST deems it unprofessional to advertise; but others having represented themselves as the originators of the Inhalation Treatment, he would say to the afflicted that he alone is entitled to its first introduction; and would caution all against using the useless and dangerous compounds advertised by incompetent persons.

competent persons.

"This up they bed and walk."

DR. TRIST would say to those interested, that he has had manufactured, for the use of his patrons, his

PATENT INHALATING TUBES" through which the vapor is conveyed to the parts affected, and which he earnestly commends for the cheering results which have attended their use; and the fact, that they may be used by the most feeble invalid without any unpleasant symptoms.

To those residing out of the city, Dr. Trist will forward one of the Inhaling Tubes, together with a package of the Vapor, sufficient to last three months accompanied with ample directions for use, on receipt of a letter containing (\$10) Ten Dollars, and

describing symptoms.

A cure is warranted in all stages of Consumption, BRONCHITIS, ASTHMA, and all other affections of the Throat, Lungs, and Air Passages. In case of failure, he money will be returned. Address (post paid) DR. E. N. TRIST, 68 Grand street, New York City.

December 19, 1854-6m. CRYSTAL PALACE. World's Fair, New York, United States of America-

Association for the Exhibition of the Industry of all Nations. EXCELSIOR. I HE association for the Exhibition of the Industry of all Nations awards to ELISHA S.SNYDER, of

Charlestown, Jefferson county, Va., the highest pre-mium Bronze Medal, with special approbation, for the combination he has effected, and the practical application he has given the same, in his Labor Saving Machine for Threshing, Separating, Cleaning and Bagging Grain,—Hon. Theodore Sedgwick, President of the Association; Hon. Henry Wager, Western N. Y., Chairman; Watson Newbold, Esq., Columbus, N. J.; Col. John W. Proctor, Danvers, Mass.; Major Philip R. Freas, Germantown, Penn.; Hon. Henry S. Babbit, Brooklyn, L. I., acting Secretary in Class

substantial manner and can furnish any orders at a

few days notice. Those wishing to purchase the Pa

Charlestown, Jefferson county, Va. June 27, 1854—1y* ELISHA S. SNYDER.

The undersigned would take this method to inform their friends, and the purchasing community gene-rally, that they have established a CANDLE MAN-

UFACTORY, AT HARPERS FERRY, and have now a large quantity of the best quality of MOULD

CANDLES (6s and 8s) ready for sale, and would so-

licit orders from those in want of the same.

They purchase the materials for Cash; have the

most experienced workmen employed in manufac-

turing; and deem it no boasting when they say, that Merchants and others desirous of purchasing by the box, or larger quantity, will find it to their advantage to call on them, before purchasing elsewhere.

(c) Orders are solicited, and will be filled at the

shoriest notice and lowest rates.

D. SEIGLE & CO.

D. SEIGLE & CO.
Harpers-Ferry, October 31, 1854.

(75-WANTED—for which the market price will be

paid in Cash, or No. 1 Mould Candles-10,000 lbs. of

EMERSONS HAIR RESTORATIVE, 2 sizes,

SADDLERY.

J. F. BLESSING.
CONFECTIONER,
Would respectfully announce to the citizens of Charlestown, and all persons visiting the same, that he has now on hand and will continue to be supplied

with the latest novelties of each successive season,

CONFECTIONARIES, of the choicest varieties,

BON BONS, GUM, CORDIAL, LEMON,

adjoining H. L. Eby & Son's Family Grocery, where he has just received FRUITS AND NUTS, of the

FIGS, PRUNES, CITRONS, CURRANTS, SOFT AND PAPER SHELLED ALMONDS

FILBERTS, COCOA, CREAM

PRESH FALL GROCERIES.

COFFEES,

Noevmber 1 4,1854-tf

REVER & RELEGIET.

TEAS, MOLASSES,

Has just received a full and general assortment of SUGARS.

To which they invite the attention of purchasers. Charlestown, October 17, 1854.

A HEALTHY stout young NEGRO WOMAN, about 17 years of age, with an infant boy about six months of age. She is quite a hardy girl and capable of doing most any kind of house-work. For terms of sale inquire at the office of the "Spirit."

FAMILY HAMS, SUGAR CURED, for H LEBY & SON.

Dec. 19. CRAMER & HAWKS.

HORSE SHOES .- A supply just received by

NEW GOODS.

CANDLES,

LIQUORS, SALT, &c.,

MACASSOR OIL.

FOR THE HAIR.

GENUINE BEAR'S OIL,

Charlestown, October 24, 1854.

November 14, 1854.

ROSE HAIR OII,

CANDLES!! CANDLES!!!

curious works of art; one the size of a half 9, Jury C.
My Patent Premium Threshing, Separating, Cleaning and Bagging Grain Machine, is for sale, which received the first premium at the Crystal Palace, New York, over all Threshing, Separating, Louis XIV large Clock, a very beautiful w Cleaning and Bagging Grain Machines on exhibi-tion—thus proving conclusively that simplicity in construction, cheapness in price, and durability in made by Lipordi at Cologne, fin thed in 1,000 Gold Thimbles, all different patterns, my machine, is being fully appreciated, and the old and new costly, inferior, complicated separating Ma chines must yeild their places to a superior Labor Sa-ving Machine. The celebrated Machine for Thresh-bly bound, with an ingraving of each artist 2,000 50,000 Illuminated Albums, different styles ing, Separating, Cleaning twice, Screening and Bagand patterns.... 200 copies of Griswold's Republican Court, ging Grain by one simple operation. The greatest labor saving Machine in the world for separating all splendidly bound, with tinted engravings. 4000
100 copies of Boydell's Illustrations of Shakespear. To the admirers of the Great Poet,
this work will be an acquisitiok.................. 10,000 pure and impurities. This machine throws the straw to itself, the chaff to itself, the wheat in the bag, the screenings to itself, and the smut and cheat to itself. PAINTINGS.
Venussending forthCupia and Hyman-Titian Everything has a place, and everything is in its Everything has a place, and everything is in its place to suit the conveniences of the farmer. For simplicity, durability, cheapness and capacity, it has no equal in the world. As for what has been stated in the different papers concerning Mr. Zimmerman's Machine receiving the first premium at the Crystal Palace, New York, is false, and not true. It is also stated that Mr. Zimmerman received a number of premiums Beggar Boy-Murillo Tobit and the Angel-Slavator Rosa -Night Viow-Claudio ... Madonna—Corregio A Head—Titian A Head-Vandyke at and other fairs. That I know nothing about —perhaps he did; but it is very easy to win the race, as the boy said when he ran by himself. But my Landscape—Poussin A Piece—Guiotto -Battle Piece-Wouverman honorable friends, this was not the case at the World's Fair, New York. Mr. Zimmerman had a number of

Landscape—Claude- 500
There are others by the same Artistes, all original other boys to run with, besides himself, which made the race more difficult for him—so much so, that he, refered chars by the same Artists, an original besides some Splendid Pictures by Allston, Sully, Rey-nolds, Neagle, Daughty, Cole, Chapman, David, Vernet, Stuart, Herbert, Tack, Bennington, Read, Bartlett, Schloss, Huntington, Johanon, Schmidt, Rembrandt, Schaub, Perkins, Lewis, Ellis, Hamil-Mr. Zimmerman, was neither the first nor second-se you may judge where he was.

These are facts that cannot be denied. The under-These are facts that cannot be denied. The undersigned would inform the public that his Farmers' Labor Saving Machine for Theshing, Separating, Cleaning, Screening and Bagging all kinds of Grain, is for sale. Farmers wishing to buy the best machine in use, will address JOSEPH GLAZE, Frederick City, Md., who is manufacturing them in the best and most TERMS FOR CLUBS:

ton and others fully described in the catalogue, which will be forwarded on application by letter, post paid, to the Secretary, who will answer by return mail. Clubs of 10, - - 1 Extra Certificate.
Clubs of 20, - - 3 " "
Clubs of 50, - - 8 " " The money in all cases to accompany the application for Certificates, LADIES FORMING CLUBS

Will be entitled to the same terms as above, with the extra inducement of the Present of a Magnificent Sct of BOUDOIR FURNITURE, With Rich Colored India Hangings, fine India Lace Curtains and every-thing of the most Splended Description to the Ladies' Club who will send the largest remittance for Certi-

83-POSTMASTERS are authorized to act as Agents and the Poastmaster remitting the largest amount or shares will receive a Handsome GOLD WATCH AND CHAIN, valued at Two Hundred Dollars. The money must accompany the application (by letter, post paid, in all cases and the Certificate, with the Engraving, will be forwarded free of charge by return mail of charge by return mail.

Correspondents are requested to write their address with the County, Town, Post Gifice and State, plainly in order to avoid mistakes. All letters answered by

return mail. Cataiogues of all the Gifts, with value and explanation, can be obtained on application to the Secretary to whom all letters for Certificates, &c., must be ad-

ALFRED JOURDAN, Secretary. A. U. S. ROOMS, 238, Montgomery st., Balt., Md. MAYNARD LEWIS, FRANCIS INCE. Directors. January 9, 1855—5m. FERNANDO LIVINGSTON,

VAN DEUSEN'S IMPROVED WHAPENE, BARRY'S TRICOPHEROUS, DASHALL & CO'S. NATIONAL GIFT ZETERPRIZE. BEEF MARROW, TUBEPOSE,
POMMADE M. FLEURS,
BEARS GREASE.
For sale by
L. M. SMITH. Jonsummation certain! Seventy thousand Tickets already sold!

Only 80,000 to be Disposed of! DISTRIBUTION OF GIFTS TO COME OFF WITHOUT FAIL, MARCH 10, 1855. OR sooner, if the tickets are all sold.—DASHALL & CO. beg to assure their friends that under no ircumstances will the distribution be postponed beond the above mentioned date, and they hope, by nergy and the co-operation of their patrons, to bring the enterprise to a conclusion at an earlier period, in which case due notice will be given.

Office 456 BROADWAY, New YORK.

150,000 Presents to be given to the purchasers of the large and elegant engraving of the "Inaugura-tion of George Washington, President of the United States," from the celebrated painting of David Paul Laurens. Price of engraving (\$1) One Dollar, which includes a gift ticket, entitling the holder to a chance in the following list of magnificent gifts. The value of the presents, as appraised by a Committee chosen for the purpose, is \$146,000, as fol-

A splendid farm on the Hudson River, completely stocked, houses, &c......\$20,000
Stone Front Dwelling and Loton Fifith Ave-the late G. Van Denton.....

A Splendid Buggy.... A Horse, Harness, and Buggy, splendid affair...
An elegant Dog, St. Bernard...
Splendid fast-sailing Yacht, "Spirit of the Wave."
The fast and trim pleasure Yacht, "Evening Bird."....A loan for 25 years.....

100 Boxes best Cigars.....

(All without interest.) 3 Mahogany Pianos. 1,500
A Farm in Ohio. 4,000
A Farm in Kentucky. 3,000
A Farm in Pennsylvania. 6,000
A Farm in Lassachusetts. 10,000
25,000 Vols. Poems. 11,000
Statue of "Cigar Girl," by Reeves. 1,000
Alsoover 100,000 Paintings, Statues, Medals, Charts,
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Accumulated by the Society during the past year,
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At the last meeting of the Society, it was determined to reduce the CERTIFICATE OF SHARE FOR
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ROBERT SEARS, Publisher,

181 William street, New York: December 25, 1854

minated Works, &c., to the number of Five Hundred Thousand—worth \$300,000. As the Society expects to remove to the New Hall at Washington by the middle of June, the distribution will take place on the FIRST OF JULY, 1855. AMERICAN ARTISTS' UNION.

THE AMERICAN ARTISTS' UNION, would respectfully announce to the citizens of the United States and the Canadas, that for the purpose of cultivating a taste for the fine arts throughout the country, and with the view of enabling every-family to become possessed of a gallery of Engravings, BY THE FIRST ARTISTS OF THE ACE, The same rules and regulations that have hereto-ore guided the Society's distributions will be adhered to in this, and on no account will there be any postponement from the day named. All letters and BY THE FIRST ARTISTS OF THE AGE,
They have determined, in order to create an extensive sale for their Engravings, and thus not only
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250,000 GIFTS, of the ACTUAL GOST of \$150,000.

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TICKETS, will be sent; or FIVE DOLLARS' worth of
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receive one years subscription to any of the MAGA-ZINES that they may name in their letter, to be forwarded free of charge for the time of subscription, A copy of the Catalogue, together with a specime of one of the Engravings, can be seen at the office of this paper.
For each Dollar sent, an Engraving actually worth that sum, and a Gift Ticket, will immediately be forwarded.

AGENTS.

The Committee believing that the success of this Great National Undertaking will be materially promoted by the energy and enterprise of intelligent and persevering Agents, have resolved to treat with such on the most liberal terms.

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GO,000 Tickets already sold.

CALL for final Mass Meeting of Shareholders, to determine on the disposition of the GIFT PROPERTY to the Shareholders.

At a meeting of the Shareholders in Perham's Third Gift Enterprise, held on the 27th of July, the following resolution was adopted:

"Resolved, That so soon as it is ascertained that SO,000 of the Gift Tickets issued by Mr. Perham in his third enterprise, are sold, the Committee shall call the shareholders together at the most convenient place, for the purpose of instructing said Committee in regard to the manner of disposing of the Gift Property." Having learned from Mr. Perham that 60,000 of

said tickets were sold, and that in all probability the remaining 20,000 called for by the above resolution, would be sold by the first day of January next, we have determined in accordance with the above opin-ien, to call a MASS MEETING OF THE SHARE-HOLDERS, at some place to be hereafter named, on the 17th day of January, 1865, for the purpose design nated by the resolution.

ROBERT BEATTY, Ja.,

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GG-100,000 Tickets Only at 31 Each will be sold.

Each Ticket will admit FOUR PERSONS, all of once, or portions at different times, to

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Or to his other Entertainments in various parts of the country. Each purchaser of one of these tickets will receive a certificate entitling them to one share in 100,000 COSTLY AND VALUABLE GIFTS;

list of which has already been published. Persons can obtain the same in circular form, by addressing a note to the proprietor.

NOW'S THE TIME TO PURCHASE TICKETS. In order that the 100,000 Tickets may be disposed of by the time specified, the subscriber offers the following inducements for persons to get up Clubs.

Each person who gets up a club of ten subscribers, and forwards (10) ten dollars to this office, will receive by mail or other conveyances, ELEVAN TICHETS Each person who sends (at one time) one hundred dollars, will have sent in like manner one nus AND PIFTERN TICKETS. And for all larger sums in exact proportion.

If it should happen that all the Tickets are sold when the order is received, the money will be returned at our expense for postage.

[13-All orders for Tickets should be address

JOSIAH PERHAM,
663 Broadway, New York.
67-My Fourth Enterprise will be advertised assoon as the third one is closed. The Tickets are already printed.

[December 5, 1854.] JOSIAH PERHAM. AND PUBLISHERS.

TO PRINTERS The undersigned have opened a TYPE FOUNDRY in the City of Baltimore, for the manufacture of JOE AND FANCY TYPES, and PRINTERS' MATE RIALS generally, Newspaper Heads, Cuts, Brass Rule, Plain and Fancy Dashes of various patterns, Leads, Slugs, Single and Double Brass Galleys, Job Sticks, Brass Rule Cutters of an improved pattern, and Cutters & C. & C.

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Baltimore, Nov. 7, 1854—6m

LOCATION OF LAND WARRANTS.

Notice is Hereby Given, That the undersigned will give prompt attention to the location or sale of all Land Warrants remitted to them; they should be assigned in blank. We can locate on fine rich prairie land, contiguous to the St. Louis and Kansas line of the Pacific Railroad, or the Southwestern branch of the Pacific Road, the Hannibal and St. Joseph Railroad, or the contemplated line from Weston to St. Louis. We have no doubt many of our locations will be worth \$5 per acre in a very short time. Our fees for location will be reasonable. The expenses to register and receive ought to accompany the warrant.

Address all letters and papers to FIELD & TROXELL,

Attorneys at Law and Real Estate Agents,

Lexington, Missouri.

Reference.—Vance Bell, Summit Point P. O., Jefferson county, Va.

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