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Young Men.
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Young Men especially, who have become the victims of Solitary Vice that dreadful and destructive habit which annually sweeps to an untimly grave thousands of young men of the most exalted talented and brilliant intellect, who might otherwise have entranced listening Senates with the thunders of eloquence, or waked to ecstacy the livinglyre, may call with full confidence. Marriage.

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Dr. Johnsten.
Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, London

Graduate from one of the most eminent College and the United States, and the greater part of whose life has been spent in the Hospitals of London, Paris, Philadel phia and elsewhere, has effected some of the most as onishing cures that were ever known. Many troubled with a ringing in the ears and head when asleep, great nervousness, being alarmed at sudden sounds, and hashfulness, with frequent blushing, attended sometimes with derangement of mind, werecured immedi-

When the misguided and imprudent votary of pleasure finds he has imbibed the seeds of this painful d.sease, it too often happens that an ill-timed sense ing to those wab, from education and respectability. can alone befriend him, delaying till the constitutions symptoms of this horrid disease make their appearance such as ulcerated sprethroat diseased nose, nocturnal pains in the head and limbs, dinness of sight, deafness, nodes on the shin bones and arms, blotches or the head, face, and extremities, progressing on with frightful rapidity, till at last the palate of the mouth or the bones of the nosefull in, and the victim of this awful disease becomes a horrid object of commiseration, till death puts a period to their dreedful suffer-ings by sending them to "that bourne from whence no traveller returns." To such therefore, Dr. JOHN-STON pledges himself to preserve the most inviolable secrecy, and from his extensive practice in the first hospitals of Europe and America, he can confedently recommend the most safe and speedy cure to the unfortunate victim of this horrid disease. It is a melancholy fact, that thousands fall victims to this dreadful disease, owing to the unskillfulness or

poison, mercury, ruin the constitution, and eithersend the aufortunatesufferer to an untimely grave, or clse Take Particular Notice. Dr. J. addresses all those who have injured themselve by private and improper indulgences, that secret and silitary habit, which ruin both body and mind, unf. ing them for either business or society. These are some of the sad and melanch dy effects pro duced by early habits of youth, viz: Weakness of the Back and limbs, Pains in the Head, Dimness of Sight

ignorant pretenders, who, by the use of that deadly

Loss of Muscular Power Palpitation of the Heart, Dis prasia, Nervous Irrita, ility Derangement of the Diges-tive Functions Gene a Debility, Symptoms of Con-MENTALLY .- The fearful effects on the mind are much to be dreaded; loss of memory, confusion of ideas, depression of spirits, evil forebodings, aversion

to society, self listrust, love of solitude, timidity, &c are some of the evils produced. Thousands of persons of all ages can now inde what is the cause of their declining health. Losing their vigor, becoming wealt, pale and emaciated

have a singular appearance about the eyes, cough and symptoms of consumption.

Markier Persons, or those contemplating marriage, being aware of physical weakness, should immediately consult Dr. J., and be restored to perfect health.

Dr. Johnston's Invigorating Remedy for Organic Debility.

By this great and important remedy, weakness of organs are specifiv cured, and full vigor restored Thousards of the most nervous and debilitated, who had lost all hope, have been immediately relieved All impediments to Marriage, Physical or Mental Disqualification, Nervous Irritability, Trembling and Weakness, or Exhaustion of the most fearal kind are speedily cured by Dr. Johnston.

Young Men
Who have injured themselves by a Certain Practice, included in when alone—a habit frequently learned from evilcompanions, or at school--the effects of which are nightly felt, even when asleep, and if not cured renders marriage impossible, and destroys both mind and body, should apply immediately. What a pity-that a young man, the hope of his country, and the darling of his parents, should be

snatched from all prospects and enjoyments of life by the consequences of deviating from the path of nature, and indulging in a certain secret habit. Such persons before contemplating Marriage, should reflect that a sound mind and body are the most

necessary requisites to promote connubial happiness. Tudeed, without this, the journey through life becomes a weary pilgrimage; the prospect hourly darkens to and filled with the melancholy reflection that the hap-piness of another basines blighted with our own OFFICE NO. 7 SOUTH FREDERICK STREET, BALTIMORE, MD

ply immediately, either personally or by letter. To Strangers.

The many thousands of the most desperate and hopeless cases cured atthis institution within the cal Operations performed by Dr. Johnston, witnessed by the reporters of the papers and many other persons the public, is a sufficient guarantee to the afflicte Da. JOHNSTON is the only regular Physician advertising to cure private complaints. His remelies and treatment are entirely nuknown to other-Prepared from a life spint in the great hispitals of Europe and the first in this country, viz: England more extensive practice than any other Physicia in the world. His many wonderful cures and mor important Surgical operations are a sufficient gua antee to the afflicted. Those who wish to be speed ilv and effectually relieved should shun the nu meous trifling imposters, who only ruin their health

and apply to him.

Take Notice.

t is with the greatest reluctance that Dr. JOHN-STON permits his card to appear before the public deeming it unprofessional for a physician to adver-tise, but unless he did so, the afflicted, especially strangers, could not fuil to fall into the hands of the many impudent and unleared Imposters, with in numerable False Names or combined Quackshops swarming these large cities, copying Dr. Johnstons advertisements or advertising the uselves as physictans, illiterate, shallow brainedfellows, too lazy to work at their original trade, with scarce two ideas beyond the brute, who, for the purpose of Enticing and Deceiving, carry on five or six offices, under as many Different False Names, so that the afflicted Strange is, Escaping one, is sure to Tum-NO LETTERS RECEIVED UNLESS POSTPAID and containing a Stamp to be used for the Reply. Persons writing should state Age and send that

portion of the advertisement describing symptoms. March 3, 1857.-1v COX'S Patent Refined Sparkling Gelatines, stronger than Isinglass, at only one third the price, and for convenience, strength, purity, beauty, and cheapness stands unrivalled for making a richer and in received line Jelly in a few minutes, that that made in the usual ledious way from Calves feet—just received and for sale by January 17.

BELLER & COOKE.





CHARLESTOWN, VIRGINIA. TUESDAY APRIL 14, 1857.

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one who loads me with reproaches.'

and fair fame

might be exposed there.

borhood.

Forgive me, he answered, pressing her hand to his lips; the fear of losing you made me unjust. Call me not ungrateful. Would

it were given to me to prove how lightly I

hold my life in comparison with your safety

Etienne Grandler was the only son of

merchant of Toulouse, who having amassed a

moderate fortune, was anxious to raise his son

to a higher rank of life than his own. There

was no other means of doing this than by ed-

ucating him for the church, a course to which

he was more inclined from the doc lity of the

boy's temper and the superiority of his tal-

Etienne had been carefully educated; and

so recure were his parents on the strength of

his principles, that they sent him to finish his

studies in a licentious capital, without casting

a thought on the temptations to which he

For some time after his arrival in Paris, the

hours most devoted to study were passed with

a priest, an old friend of his family; but in

tense application proved so injurious to his

health, that even the father radvised him to

in a few months the old man noticed the im-

provement in his appearance. Etionne blush-

ed on receiving his congratulations, but did

not think it necessary to explain that a total

instead of study his whole time was now pass.

ed in the society of the grisettes of the neigh

already proved a fruitful source of discord

among this amiable sisterhood, when Susette

succeeded in keeping every rival at a distance.

as much by her streng h of arm and volubili-

to of tongue, as by the superiority of her beau-

ty. Her empire 1 ad remained undisturbed

until the night of the mask-d ball; but her

conduct on that occasion had deeply offended

Etienne, and though she employed prayers,

tears, and even threats to bring about a recon-

It must be owned that this determiration

found its strongest support in his passion for

ners was so new to him, and he was so dazzled

by her charms, that he seemed to tread a new

But he was not forgotten .by her. If she

could not have love, she was at least resolved

on vengeance, and judging that his acquaint

nce with the black domino would not end

with the ball, she Cetermined to watch all his

take so many precautions in visiting his ina-

moratta, that she was completely baffled, until

the lady's fears that her family should discov-

er the intrigue, induced her to visit her lover

as being quiet and retired, and because ad-

joining his room was a pavillion with a gar-

It was here he proposed to meet his mis

Their meetings, however, did not escape the

sharp eyes of Susette. The sig t of her faith-

with a female put her on the alert; she recog-

her next appearance to overwhelm her with

Fortune favored her projects. The lady ar-

riving alone, passed through the house to the

garden, and Susette, who knew that Etienne

was from home, entered the pavillion after her.

The dismay of the stranger at the sight of a

female of the lower class, whose disordered ap-

pearance gave indications of the violent pas-

sion which agitated ber, may be imagined. -

Scarcely had their eyes met than she remem-

bered her as a girl who had worked in her

father's family, and the astonishment express-

'So, madam, it is you who play these pranks?

she exclaimed. Shams on you court ladies

who call us bad names and despise us, while

you envy and rob us of our lovers. But the

whole neighborhood shall know what a grande

dame is the mistress of a poor student. We

The lady, agonized with the danger to

which her life as well as her reputation woul!

be exposed, attempted to appease her fury by

supplications.
Good Susette!' she cried imploringly, 'do

not : uin me. I will give you meney-make

you rich-only let me go, and I will never

come near your lover again.' Her prayers

were disregarded, and Susette, throwing up

the windows continued calling to her com-

pations The alarm was given, casements

were thrown open, and the neighbors from

their windows endeavored to ascertain the

cause of the cries. It was already dusk, and

nothing could be seen; but the screams con-

tinged, and once the cry of murder was heard.

Old and young now hastened to the spot. As

they entered the house they met Etienne com-

'For God's sake !' said the foremost, 'what

'Cries?' he answered. 'I have heard none.

I have this moment returned, and came in by

'There were dreadful shrieks heard from your

I opened my window at the first alarm, and I

am sure the screams came from the pavillion.

'The pavillion !" said Etienne, starting .-

There can be no one there. It is locked, and

Nevertheless,' said the old woman, pertina-

clously, I am positive it was from there they

came, and it is my advice that we search it.

Etienne in vain remonstrated. 'My friends,'

ing from the garden.

house,' was the answer.

I have got the key with me.'.

the back way.'

Let us go there.'

is the meaning of these cries?'

will see what the grisettes will say to it.'

ed that the recognition was mutual.

ceas d to pursue him, was forgotten.

in his own apartment.

after hours of study.

reproaches.

ciliation, he was resolute in refusing it.

The sin les of the handsome student had

Spirit of Jeffecson.



Tuesday Morning, April 14, 1857.

Gov. Wise and Distribution.

BICHMOND, March 26, 1857. DEAR SIR: • I presume that no one is chimerical enough to think f proposing a rs-division of the public lands themselves. Such a proposition at this time would be virtually to com-mence to dissolve the Union. It would be impracticable, if lawfu', and the latter is an untenable as the former, unless there be a dissolution of the Union. I am opposed to this, because opposed to disunion. The question must be treated then, as a proposition to dispose of the proceeds of land and customs in the treasury undistinguishable masses of money there as a surplus, from time to time may arise. But two modes of disposing of surplus i, the treasury, other than is jointed out in the constitution, have been proposed and each has been tried. De o it with the States and Di t ibution to the States. The objections

to both are insuperable. Money in the treasury is not distinguishable

1st. The source from whence it comes. Whether comes from land or customs, its use is defined by the constitution, and it is a common fund for nation-

The land fund has two sources :-1st. Cessions-de ds by States to the U.S. 2nd. Acquisitions, by 1st. Parchase, or

2nd. Conquest. The deeds express that the object of their cession for the general charge and expenditure"-a phrase nivalent to the provision of the constitution respecting customs, "to provide, for the common defence and general welf re, &c."

r made by expenditures out of the Treasury from money collected from customs-certainly from a common fund of money in the fisc for common general and f deral ends 1st. Nor is money in the Treasury distinguisha-

And the acquisition were generally and original-

2nd. The ends of the powers of Gove nment. The land power is to make all needful rules and regulations respecting the territory (land) or other property of the United States." The cardinal end

ritory. The end of the revenue power is the reguation of commerce. Money to pay debts even is secundary to that great end of the cusioms. Accordingly, the lands have been so administerd as to be sold at a price to cheapen homesteads so was to yield no revenue; or where revenue has accumulated from the s tilement of territory to aid

the other great end of regulating commerce, reducing

taxes and unfettering trade. Congress, then, whether we look to the sources of revenue, or to the ends of governmental powers, can do no more with land funds than with custom funds .-If they may give way the former, they may the lat-

3d. There is no surplus from the proceeds of sales of public lands. Debit and credit, cost of purchases, Indian wars, Indian titles, surveys, reg stering, receiving, pensions, alternate section system, &c. , on one side, and proceeds on the other, and the lands will be found many millions in debt to the customs. Seeing this-

4th. In 1836 even Mr. Clay conceded that there was no surplus from land, and he resorte to desposit or even he was obliged to concede, also that a surplus from custom couldn't be distributed, or given absolutely away. The act of 1836 was made percetual until or unless the Tariff Compromise of 1832 33 was disturbed. This condition, un ortunately, carried Mr. Calhoun. What followed? The Tariff moromise was immediately broken, and the deposit of the 4th instalment was arrested. Another elemptory provision is, that in case of war, or debency, or any emergency happening, the deposit with the States should be returned to the Treasury. War with Mexico, which made the country bleed at purse and every pore, came, and thou h debt and theiency run up to 120 millions, yet not a breath-about return of deposits to he treasury was ever heard of. The unrepealed law is dead and unexecuted on the statute book, and there the provision still stares us out of countenace, to show its immorality, that it was in its very inception "tn fraudem Constitutionis."

Again: 5th. In 1836 the supposed surplus was 36 milons; 28 millions were distributed, and before 1840 there was a deficiency under Mr. Van Buren of 40 millions, and in 1841, the parties distributed a deficiency, i. e passet a distribution bill, when there was no surplus in the Treasury, showing that nather surplus nor its want will restrain the abuse of power from making a deficiency itself larger to increase a protective tariff, and to defeat both the ends of the revenue power, free trade; and of the land power, the settlement of the West. 6th. Again: If Congress may so "regulate" lands

as to give them away, so they may "other property," for the two stand together in the same category. 7th. The system stimulates extravagance and engenders corruption in the States, well as at Washington. Virginia got \$2,198,000 from her three instaiments in 1836. What became of it? Did i diminish taxation? Futile and foolish was the hope !- \$240,000 only went to State expenditures. and \$1,958,000 we t to Bank loans, at a time when the amount was appreciable in comparison with State debts and liabilities; and it inflated appropriations so that we ran up our State debt from about 10 or 12 to 25 millions. Taxes increased largely from that very date, and have been steadily

8th. The moral argument against looking to the Federal Government for its surplus-and it needs every dollar it now has and more for just and general national objects-the moral argument against calling upon Hercules to put his shoulder to the wheel, is stronger than all the material reasons but together. Teach the people to depend on that mode of making their great works, or lightening their tax buithers, of paying the public debt, and every nerve of self-reliance and of manly self-exertion will at tace be relaxed! You will emascul te your

This is but an epitome of what I have not tim elaborate. You have but to go back to the journals of Congress to see my speeches and votes, and my opinions there have not changed, but been for-

> Hastily and respectfully. HENRY A. WISE.

Sales of Town Property.

R. H. Lee, Special Commissioner for the sale of the Property of William Fawcett, sold on Saturday last, the 28th ult., at Public Sale, the dwelling house and lot on New street, at present occupied by William Monlder, frt e sum of \$855. Parchaser Miss Rebecca Hickman.

Also the house and lot, on the same street, at present occupied by Mrs. McMurran, for the sum of \$600. Purchaser, Col. Francis Yates.

Also the house and lot, on the same street, at present occupied by E. Shaper, for the sum of \$500 .-Purchaser, Col. Francis Yates.

The house and lot belonging to the heirs of the late William Kimes, Sen., situated on German street was sold at Private Sale, a few days since, for the sum of \$500. Purchaser, Mr. A. Humrickhouse .-Shepherdstaun Register.

.... We learn from the Newmarket Spirit of Democracy, that a move is being made in some portions of Shenandoah county, for the change of the county seat from Woodstock to Edinburg. There is considerable interest manifested in the neighborhood of the latter place, and already there has been subscribed for defray the expenses erecting the public buildings about \$5,000.

The Carlile Nostrum.

Although our Commonwealth is rapidly becoming one of the most flourishing State. in the Union, and is enjoying at this moment a more vigorous prosper ty than she has ever done before inch er whole history, some of the political gentlem en of the SANGRADO faculty insist that she is in rapid and alarming decline. The doctors who have undertaken her case, in the galloping consumption under the ravages of which they pronounce her to be wasting away, seem to observe no stint or moderation in the number of bottles of Cod - Liver Oil and Burnt Brandy, labeled the Distribution Remedy, they are disposed to drench her system with. The quantity of their prescriptions, rather immoderate at first, has grown apace during the forty or fifty days which have elapsed since they suddenly discovered the patient's alarming conditon; and whereas at first the comparatively small matter of 42,000 bottles of the Remedy was thought sufficient for the purp se of her restoration, we see now that the last prescription which has been proposed-that of Dr. CARLILE, an adventurous quack in one of the Northwestern counties and a sort of "dead-shot" practitioner in matters of of political disease—is no less a quantity than 75,000,000 of bottles.

Dropping the metaphor, and not to mtsrepresent our distinguished quack and friend of the Northwest, we will state his prescription in his own language. It will be seen that he speaks as glibly of the charming effect of his remedy upon the rejuvenated system of our old Commonwealth as any true son of Fsculapius, and if it turns out that his remedy should tail, we are quite sure he will be the most astonished human being who shall hear of the

There are now left ten hundred and seventy-seven million nine hundred and eighty-three thousand five hundred and eighty-four acres. You are entitled to at least sixty millions of these acres, which, at the Government price of \$1 25 per acre, would put iuto your State treasury seventy-five millions of dollars. This would pay your debt and leave you forty million dollars to complete your public works, now going to decay, and enable you to construct others, and provide a perpetual fund for the education of every child in the Commonwealth. Virginia, in natural resources, is the richest State in the world-rich in her soil, rich in her climate, rich in her water power, rich in her mineral wealth, her gold, her iron, her coal, her gypsum, and her salt,-Develop these resources, and, instead of our people leaving their native State, as they now do, by scores and bundreds, wealth and population would flow into our borders and crowd our very centre. Develop these resources, and you furnish the honest laborer employment at remunerative prices. Develop these resources, and instead of our growing weaker and weaker at every decade, as we have been in fedago was a wilderness, has to-day eight m re representatives in Congress than Virginia, we will grow stronger and stronger, until we again reach the position in the Confederacy we have lost, and again we will see Virginia the first State (as she ought always to have been) in the Union in populatian and in wealth, intelligence and in patriotism, and in all that dignifies and ennobles man.

It is not to be doubted that a shower of seventyfive millions of dollars falling copiously out of the skies upon the hills and val eys of Virginia would make her a very flourishing State; and if you grant Mr. Carlile the premise that millions of these yellow drops are really up in the vaults of the firmament, awaiting only a vote of the Virginia people to fall like the gent'e dews upon our fields and meadows there would be as much solid argument as poetry in his proposi ion; but we are more skeptica far about his impending shower of vellow drops than the fa mous antediluvian whom Noah is said to have refused admittance into the Ark, who is said to have cursed the ark and the old navigator and sworn "there would not be much of a shower after all "-At all events it would have been wiser for Mr. Carlile before describing in lively terms what so p:odigious a windfall of money would de for Virginia, to have recollected Mrs Glass's recipe for the best mode of cooking a bare, the preliminary direction in which was :- "First, catch your hare;" which item was followed up with various very savory directions respecting the preparation of the game after t was safely in hand. The difficulties in this whole case of distributing

seventy-five mi lions to Virgin a are manifold and puzzling to our matter of fact mind. Virginia, for instance, cannot get her share of it without N. York, Pennsylvania, Massachusetts, and the other States getting theirs. If it were merely a matter for Virginia, there is no doubt our old Commonwealth would, with so magnificent a sum in hand, resume her place in the front rank of the Union, as the leading State in population, wealth and prosperity; but one of the difficulties about the scheme of. Mr. Car-LILE is, that it Virginia should get this sum of seventy-five millions of dollars it would only be as her share of a grand distribution fund for all the States; of which this portion of hers would be 13 parts out of an aggregate sum of 234 parts. Her share being \$75,000,000, the grand distribution fund for all would be \$1,332,000,000 (one thousand three hundred and thirty-two millions) - the other States getting the other 221 parts of this aggregate fund ;that is to say, while Virginia would be tielped forward, in the race for empire with her sister States, by \$75,000,000, they would be helped forward in their race with her by the aggregate sum of \$1,275-000.000 (twelve hundred and seventy five mi lions) -an odds against her which we fear would cause her to be distanced, and disappoin! Mr. CARLILE's expectations in bringing her out foremost, flourishing and snorting in the race. We fear that New Yorks Pennsylvania and Ohio, that are now smartly ahead of her, would be further ahead after the distribution than before; for while Virginia would get \$75,000,-000 of the fund, New York would get \$190,000,000,

Pennsylvania would get \$144,000,000, and Ohio But this is not all. While Virninia would fare pretty budly under Mr. Carlile's scheme, the whole Sou h would fare even worse; for the South's share

being 90 parts of the fund while the North's would be 144 parts, while the South would receive \$519,-000,000, the North would receive \$830,000,000. Conscious that it is treating a ri .iculors subject with a mockery of gravity, let us nevertheless state

the CARLILE system in tabular form. A scheme which would secure for Virginia \$75,000,000, would involve the following items:

GRAND STATEMENT OF THE CARLILE SCHEME. Grand total fund distributed. Share of the North, 830,000,000 Share of the South 519.000,000 Share of New York, 190,000,000 Sha e of Pennsylvania, 144.000,000 121.000,000 Share of Virginia, 75,000,000

Thus, Mr. Carlile and his party by a sort of natural proclivity and irresistible destiny, find themselves in this their Distribution movement, as in all their measures, working with might and main for the benefit of the North against the South, even when they fancy themselves working like beavers exclusively for the South.

We will not inquire where Mr. CARLILE intends to get his mammoth Distribution fund of thirteen hundied and thirty-two millions of dollars, out of which he proposes to allow Virginia the small modicum of seventy-five millio s. If it is not to come down out of the skies, nor to be spilt out of the comet as that erratic luminary comes banging its impertinent head against the earth in June next; it can come from Lo other source, as to the land monies paid into the cept Messrs. McMullen and Kidwell.

Federal Treasury, than from the Tariff. Getting it from that source the larger the fund Mr. CARLILE and his party propose to distribute, the worse would he the swindle they attempt to practise upon the people of Virginia and the South. Getting it from that source, their scheme is only one for authorising the Federal Government to tax the people of Virginia and the South in order to distribute the sums raised, among the governments of the States. North and South. For one we think it would be more economical and honest and fair to leave each State to tax its own people for what monies they require than to allow the Federal Government to tax the masses in enormous tariff exactions in order to dole the proceeds to the State governments of the South and lavish them with reckless profusion upon the States of the North .- Richmond Examiner.

Land Distribution.

A party is struggling to rise in this State based on the one principle of a distribution, of the public lands. The Richmond Whig earnestly exhorts that this be made "the only question" in the ensuing Spring elections. Whigs and Democrats, Americans, Catholics and Protestants, are all to meet here, as under a banner of peace. Even a "bloody foreigner," or the Pope of Rome is to be cordially and affectionately supported, if right on this question, by those whose excited warnings and solemn vows in the sight of Heaven, against a danger so portentous and imminent, are but just recorded and are yet unexpunged. A year ago the "only question" was "Americans must rule America." And now men are required with their vows yet upon their, lips, and the late battle-cry still echoing over the land, to take up another "only question." And the Democrats for whom this feast is specially prepared, are of course specially invited. 'Tis the invitation which the early Roman sent to the Sabines. 'Tis the invitation of the spider to the fly.

It will readily be inferred therefore, that because party comes forward with an "only question," it it does not follow that it is a meritorious question or one which will not in its turn soon be abandoned for some other only reason of still greater but hiterto undiscovered importance.

We are bound however to presume that rallying as they do,upon a scheine, they are ready to give it in a practical form. Mere general ideas will not do .-Such are often mere illusions, holding out some funciful good; as desirable, it may be, but as impossible of attainment as is the bag of gold said to be at the end of the rainbow, or the fair places to reach the land distributionists; and we ask to them the attention of the Alexandria Gazette which has endorsed the general idea of distribution, though without as we have seen, going into particulars:

1st. Does the proposition for a division of the public lands, depend upon its own inherent merits? | with the person at his side. This was a fig Or is it presented as a necessity, and for the purpose of arresting spoliations and unequal appropri-

ations of those lands? 2nd. If on its own merits, why not as well divi 'e money obtained from importers, as money obtained from lands? Is not the one as much public and common money as the other, and as much liable to common uses? If tariff revenue is to supply the place of land money, is not in effect raising money by a tariff, which b ars chiefly on the South, in ord r to have money to distributive to the North as much as the South? Are you in favor of such a

3d. If your effort is to prevent spoliation, show us the spoliations, and what other efforts you have made and are going to make to prevent them. Did not your distribution act of 1841, give the new States 10 per cent with an equal share of the residue? Is that equality? Do you regard the granting of alternate sections of the public lands to railroad companies, and doubling the price of the remainder, as spoliations? If so, have you opposed those gran s? Do you expect to dis ontinue them? Do you desire to do so ? Did Senator Bell say so in his distribution speech which has been lauded as the great speech on that side?

4th. Do you propose to divide the public lands themselves among the States? Or will you allow them to be sold as now, and divide the pro-

5th. If you divide the lands, please give your ideas of the manner in which their sale will be managed, and of the effect of throwing thirty-one States into the market as competing sellers, and some of them very needy competitors, anxious to raise mo-

6th. If you leave the lands as they are, and divide the proceeds, how will you stop the spoliations which you assert to be the reason for distribu-

7:h. De you think Congress has the right acting as truste for the whole people, to abdicate its duties? or to divide a common fund among the indiridual States. If the Union was a stock jobbing company, a dividend would be a very proper thing. But taxes are exactions for the public necessities, not to be again divided, thus creating a new necessity or further taxation.

8th. Would it not be b tter, fellow-citizens, for von all to unite with the great body of the Democratic party in protecting the public lands, in applying their proceeds to the common necessities, in educing the tariff which taxes our food and clothing? Would not this be better than first aiding or i. viting the spoliations of which you complain, as many of the land distributionists have done, and then pleading your own fault as justifying a general scramble on the ground of necessity.-Alexandria

Congressional Candidates.

1st District-M. R. H. Garnett is the democratic candidate. He is opposed by Mr. Critcher, whig. 2d District-Gen Millson, the present incumbent is the democratic candidate for re-election. No op-

3d District-John S. Caskie is a candidate for re-

election. He is opposed by A. J. Crane. 4th District-Wm. O. Goode present incumbent. democratic cadidate for re-election. He is opposed by Wm. C. Flournoy, in ependent democrat. 5th District-T. S. Bocock, candidate for re-el

tion. As yet, no opposition, but st. ng efforts being made to induce Vincent Witcher to run. eth District-Paulus Powell democratic candidate for re-election. Wm. M. Cabell, K. N., spoken of. 7th District-Wm. Smith, Democratic candidate

for re-election. 8th District-C. J. Faulkner democratic candidate for re-election. No opposition. 9th District-John Letcher candidate for re-election. No opposition.

1 10th District-Sherrard Clemens is the democratic candibate. No opposition. 11th District-John S. Carlisle, K. N., is a candidate for re-election. He is opposed by Mr. Jenkins,

. 12th ' District-H. A. Edmundson, democratic candidate for re-election. 13th District-Judge Hopkins former representa tive is democratic candidate in place of McMullin,

It will be seen from the above that all of the Virginia delegation are candidates for re-election ex-

Noetry.

The Lost Opportunity.

The summer eve was at its close; Not yet with stars the heavens glow'd, Nor westward I st the bues of rose. Her step was pensive foll of grace; One hand lay neath her dimpled chin; A gentle smile played o'er her face.
And told of pleasant thoughts within.

I felt my heart's pulsations grow Quicker and louder as she came, Until I found its every throe Repeated her beloved name. Oblivion o'er the lapse of years; But I will seek, before I go,

And when to mine she raised her eyes, I felt the phrases I had planned'd All languish into soundless sighs. Twice did I name her name, and there Each time my voice to silence fell; This was the chance-I did not dare-And so I simply bade farewell.

And so we parted, and I know She thought I seemed indifferent, cold. I watched her as she glided by, Slowly and sadly as before, Till blending with the earth and sky, Her gentle form was seen no more.

But "faint heart never won fair lady." I went ; and now the hopes are dead-Frail hopes-that cheered my bosom only; When I returned she was wed, And now this heart is cold and lonely.

THE MASQUERADE BALL.

The grand carnival in Paris was drawing to close; it was the last ball of the season, and the salle de l'Opera was crowded to its utmost limits; all disti-ctions of rank were forgotten. Under a galiery at the further end of the ball-room, and screened from observation by a row of pulars, two persons in close conversation occurried a sofa. The taller, who had which a man follows the ignis fatuus over bogs and | thrown his ma-k aside, was dressed as a stu

to twenty years of age, and of remarkably repeatedly, and the refinement of her manprepossessing appearance. His dark brown hair fell in curls on his shoulder; his complex ion was of a clear brown; and his large bazle world, and Susette, who had for some time neath the sable domino left no doubt as to her

The conference seemed at an end, for the lady made an attempt to rise. . 'Do not leave me, said her companion, 'or, at least, ere you go, let me gaze for one moment on your features.'

'I dare not stay,' she replied. We are observed. Youder person costumed as Diana has been watching you for the last half hour. As she said this she disengaged her hand and, mixing with the crowd, was out of sight in a moment.- Ere the student could follow her, the mask in the dress of Diana stood before

The buskined goldess was a curious speciimmediately said, I know vou Susette, although you have taken the trouble to change vour dress. - Did you think all that frippery would disguise you from me? The goldess snatched off her mask, and

her black eyes sparkled fiercely as she replied, Your are right, Etienne, there should be no disguise between us. Tell me, therefore, who was the mask that has just quitted you? You know as much about the subject as I,

Did she leave this as a token by which to find her again?' she said as she snatched a small glove from his hand. Her color changed as she looked at it. It was the scentel leather sought after, called peau. d'Espagne, and embroidered with very small pearls.'

'Be silent, you do not know what you are ment again possessing himself of the glove, and

'Do you think I am to be foiled?' she cried.

lover with impunity. Her jealously increasing, she raised her voice so high as to attract the attention of several persons near, and a crowd began to col-

through the throng, with the intention of leaving the ball room. As he arrived at the door. his incognit, gliding up to him said softly-'Gentle knight, you will not refuse to return a lady her glove, since it was not thrown down

proaching. Her eyes seemed to flash fire, and striding up to her rival she crashed the mask on her face and tried to tear it off.

etition of the blow; but his own passion roused, he threw her from him with a force that sent her staggering backwards. 'Woman !" he exclaimed, 'dare to cross my

day! saying which, and taking the black domino under his arm, he left the ball room. "Bon Dieu!' said a female who had forced her way through the crowd. It is Susette Lagarde and the student Etienne Grandier, old woman; they were not from the house.

a family of high rank in Paris, a lady reclined in her boudoir, her small foot rested on the lap of a young man, who half kneeled, half sat, on a cushion at her feet. It is not necessary to describe his appearance, for it was Etjenne Grandier.

The lady smiled on her lover, as, looking anxiously at her, he said, 'You say this to torsaid he, as they pushed past him, let me enter ment me : if the danger were tenfold I would | first, there is a person therebrave i', were but the peril mine alone.'

'Why just now you said it was empty and locked,' said one of the men. 'Perhaps Monsier l'Etudiant has one of his fraught with danger to me as well as to vou. masters there ? observed another with a laugh. 'Or mistresses,' put in a third. 'Come, 'To part,' he answered. 'Be it so, but re-Monsier Eienne, allow that there is a lady in

without vou." 'Ungrateful!' she exclaimed. 'Had you confused. 'I must speak to her before you not interrupted me, I would have told you, enter.

that though we cannot meet here, we may do so elsewhere—and this I was about to do for

I saw her coming down the road-

"To- night we part would I could throw Some ground for hope or cause for fears."

We met-I scarcely press'd her hand-

A sadness as she turned to go, I saw o'er her fair brow unfold;

Then, like a wood when night comes on. I felt my heart grow dim and shady, Ah! coward heart, thou might'st have won,

Misellaneous.

A Thrilling French Story.

eyes sparkled with animation as he conversed ure carefully masked; but the slight graceiu. form, and the small foot that peeped from be-

men of the Grecian costume. But the student less lover leaving his own house one evening

he answered carelessly. She is a stranger to

'Is it so?' she exclaimed. Are grisettes no longer good enough for you, that you seek acquaintance among the fine court ladies? talking about,' he returned, by a sudden move-

thrust it into his bosom. Be she who she may, she shall not seduce my

lect around the party. Etienne, half mad with vexation, broke

in defiance of von.' Before he could answer, he saw Susette, ap

Etienne, catching her arm, prevented a rep-

path again, and you shall bitterly rue the

A few weeks after the ball, in the house of

But since it is not,' she replied - since to receive you any longer in this house would be

the only course that remains ismember it is my life you ask. I will not live the case, and we will wait outside.'

BOOK AND JOB. PRINTING OF EVERY DESCRIPTON:

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BOOKS, PAMPHLETS, CARDS BLANES, CHECKS, HANDBILLS, LABELS, 46

STROUTED WITH SEATNESS AND DESPATOR, AT THE OFFICE OF "SPIRIT OF JEFFERSON 83- A supply of Macistrate's, Sugarr's, and Con STABLE SBLANKS DEEDS OF BARGAIN AND SALE and Depos or Taust-Nadoriasis and Paose mont NOTES, &c., &c., always on hand;

He sprang to the door of the pavilion,

without perceiving that the old woman was stealthily peeping in. A shriek from her brought the rest of the people. Etienne, his face as white as death, his whole countenance the picture of horror, was leaning over the body of Susette Legarde, which lay weltering in blood at his feet. The murderer was seized. He made little defence, but seemed confused and overwhelmed by his situation. Indeed taken almost in the act as he had been, it was generally expected that he would conhe did not directly avow his guilt, his silence when interrogated on the subject was looked on as a tacit confession. It was only on the day of the trial, and with the horror of his impending fate before him, that he seemed desirous to avert it; but he confined himself to general assertions of his innocence and begged his judges to have mercy on his youth; and finding this appeal unsuccessful, he exclaimed almost wild; that he was not gulty. He was condemned, however, to be broken on the whee!.

It was some time after the execution of the student that it was known that the young and beautiful Countess of St. Giles was dying .-From the commencment of her illness she had continued to sink rapidly.

seek occasional a usement. His advice was followed, and it was with sincere pleasure that The Countess was aware that her situation was hopeless, and her confessor was constantly with her. On the day that the last sacraments were to be administered to her she acknowledged to him that the student Etienne change had taken place in his habits, and that Grandier, who was condemmed to death for the murder of his mistress, was innocent, and that she was the murderer of Susette Legarde. She said that Grandier was her lover, and that they met in the pavillion in which the body of the murdered woman was found. Jealousy had led her to follow me there. She Legarde becoming the favorite sultana, she threatened to expose me; more than my life was in her power, and finding her inexorable to my prayers, I snatched a knife that lay on a table and stabbed her to the heart. The knife was marked with the name of the unfortunate Grandier, and added to his being found on the spot, went far on his trial to condemn him. He was innocent, and was not present at the time, nor did he even know by whom the deed was done-though he must have guessed, she added with a shudder.

The Countess here paused, and casting an anxious look at her confessor, stretched forth her arms towards heaven as if in supplication, and breathed her last prayer.

Truth is Power.

Some men say that "wealth is power," and

some that 'knowledge is power." Above them all, I would assert that "Truth is power."-Wealth cannot purchase-talent cannot refute -knowledge cannot overreach-authority cannot silence her; they all, like Felix, tremmovements. Etienne, however, was forced to ble at her presence. Fling her in the most tremendous billows of popular commotion; cast-her into the seven fold heated furnace of the tyrant's wrath; she mounts aloft in the ark upon the summit of the deluge; she walks with the son of God untouched through the It was an old and gloomy quarter in Paris, where Grandier resided. He had selected it conflagration. She is the ministering spirit that sheds on man the bright and indestructable principle of life, light and glory which is given by his mighty Author to animate, to ilden, which, though surrounded on three sides lume, and to inspire the immertal soul, and by houses, served him as a place of recreation which, like himself, is "the same yesterday. to-day, and forever." When wealth, and talent, and knowledge, and anthority-when earth and heaven itself shall have passed away. Truth shall rise, like the angel of Manoah's sacrifice, upon the flame of nature's funeral pyre, and ascend to her source, her heavenand her home-the bosom of the holy and nized the figure of her rival, and only waited eternal God.

Taking Things in Time.

Jones is a merchant of some standing in this city. He is a man who made his own way in the world, and prides himself on his promptness and determination. When garoting came into fashion, Jones was loud in his declarations that the man was a fool who permitted himself to be garroted. He like to see any one garrote him! Catch a weasely asleep with other remarks, all tending to show that Jones really meant what he said. He was a prompt courageous man, and was determined to be beforehand with any ruffian

who might endeavor to rob him. Accordingly, as Jones was returning to his home in Twenty-third street a few nights ago his attention was attracted by the pertinacity with which a man seemed to dog his steps. On the qui vive for suspicious characters. Jones wheeled suddenly round upon his follower, and asked abrubtly what he wanted. The man seemed startled, and stammered out some incoherent sentences. At this moment Jones's hand sought his pocket. His watch was gone! There was but one inferencehe had been robbed without knowing it. He drew his revo'ver, and springing on the man man before him, seized him by the collar-"Give me the watch !" eried Jones, savage-

ly leveling the pistol at the fellows head. "Give me the watch or-" "Take it," cried the man evidently terrorstricken at Jones's determination. "Take it:" and putting a heavy gold watch, into Jones's hand, he took to his heels and was out of sight in an instant. Jones chuckled, as he went home, over his

triumph. He found Mrs. Jones sitting up for him. Proud of his achievment, he related the incident with immense dramatic effect, and in conclusion he drew a moral: "You see, my dear," said he, "I would never have got my watch if I had not been prompt. "Why, Mr. Jones, what are you talking of I

There is your watch!" and Mrs. Jones pointed to the mantle-piece, where, most certainly a 'You are wrong neighbor,' interrupted an large gold watch was visible to the naked eve.

"You left it at home to-day, when you went down town. Jones grew pale. Mrs. Jones was right. It was his watch. And the watch in his pock-et—whose was it? Instead of being robbed, he had turned robber; and absolutely, on the people's highway, with pistol in hand, deprived some person unknown of a valuable time-

The fact was, that Jones had been a little too prompt, -Harper's Weekly.

A SEARS WITHIN A POTATO.—The Chicago Jours and of Thursday, says that Mr. Charles E. Doy of the North Side, yesterday showed us a boiled potato, which on being opened, was found to contain a snake over two inabes long. It is an ugly looking thing. The development took place at the dinner

table. There is a lady, said the student evidently Bobert M. Powell and Hugh Perrill, have been nominated by the Democracy of Hampshire, for the House of Delegates.

CHARLESTOWN

Tuesday Morning, April 14, 1857.

FOR CONGRESS. HON, CHAS, JAS, FAULKNER, OF BERKELEY.

FOR COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, HON. Z. KIDWELL. OF MARION COUNTY.

FOR THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, WELLS J. HAWKS, THOMAS M. ISBELL.

District No. 1. We are authorized to announce THOMAS M.
ISBELL, Esq., as a candidate for Justice of the
Peace, in District No. 1, to supply the vacancy occasioned by the removal of J. J. Grantham, Esq.,
from the District.

MANY VOTERS.

THE CAMPAIGN IN THE STH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT—MR. FAULKNER OUR NOMINES.

A Convention has been called, but we think it out of the question for our opponents to ge up sufficient steam to make a bold start on the track, much less to make a respectable attemp to compete for victory in the race. The "dis tribution" bubble, their ultima spes, will burst in the effort to swell its dimensions, and all men will see, if they do not already know that it is only wind. No human power can put the elements of opposition into an equal or similar ferment to that which marked the canvass of '53 or '55. The cauldron has ceased its ebulliency, and the attendant spirits who supplied the fuel have quit their office in sad despair. The demon of retaliation and vengeance that brooded over the troubled waters, eager to consign our nominee to "ruin and oblivion" in the last two contests, still rankles in the unhappy bosoms of a few, but others have laid aside their fierceness and spleen, or assumed a neutral position. The storm that passed over the district in '55. scattering desolation, and menacing with uttor overthrow the ranks of the Democracy in general, and concentrating upon the head of Mr. Faulkner in particular, has subsided, leaving a serene sky and tranquil atmosphere.-It did for the political world in this section what summer tempests do for the physicalpurified and refreshed what it did not soil

"The gathering clouds like meeting armies

but the bosom of the Democracy, firm and immovable as Tenneriffe, breasted their fury, and rolled their misty columns back. They gathered in serried ranks around their chosen standard-bearer, and while their dauntless breasts shielded him from the darts of his adversaries, their brawny arms elevated him whove the noise of their wild clamor and causeless malice. The Democracy of the district triumphed, and Mr. Faulkner contributed essentially to that result, and his success was decisive and crushing to his foes. He had not been opposed as other men-his sin of enrolling his name and identify ng his fortunes with the National Democracy, was deemed of so deep a dye, that no ordinary atonement could expiate it. It was a "sin unto death" according to the interpretation of the political creed of our adversaries as made known ex cathedra by their savants. There was no room for an exercise of their mercy, as they piously believed he had "no place of repen ance." In their estimation he was a magnificent transgressor. Upon his defeat they staked their salvation as a party in the district, and were willing to compromise the fortunes of Messrs. Flournoy, Beale and Patton to put an extinguisher upon Mr. Faulkner's light. To compass their end, they joined deep-schemed policy to fanaticism and desperation. Magnanimity to an opponent is an ingredient of virtue, and entitles to respect; but it will yet be remembered that this commodity was not in the market of our opponents, and is scarce with some of them now. Railing, vituperation, and stealthy assaults, were deemed legitimate means of warfare against Mr. Faulkner, when a bare mention of the same modes of attack against other gentlemen of his standing, talents and worth, would have startled the boldest and most unscrupulous foe.

thwarted all the machinations of secret cabals. and gallantly met and routed overt combinations for assault. He nobly sustained the flag of Democracy and bore from the hardly contested field the prize of victory. He was returned to Congress, despite the feats of "open war" or "secret wiles;" and while contemplating the scattered ruins of the battle fieldthe dead and dying of heroic leaders and a brave soldiery-he saw the cheeks of his ungracefully submitting traducers crimsoned with disingenuous shame. Two years more of faithful service of the district and the country have added new laurels to his brow, and more firmly established him in the affections and esteem of the people, and insured him a triumph against all opposition, while his distinguished position and exertions as chairman of the national democratic committee in the late presidential contest have elicited the admiration and gratitude of the democracy throughout the Union. No competitor now appears in the field, (though one is darkly promised by our opponents) to contest with him the honer of a seat in the next House of Representatives. It may be that some rash and inexperienced aspirant for Congressional honor will aspire to the fame of being demolished by our veteran nominee. A contact with distinction and merit is sometimes sought by the vain or presumptuous if it is only for the honor of receiving a decent cuffing. If any " son of the sires," or more plainly, member of the family of Sam, is ambitious of renown, just | elected governor by only 268 majority.

Yet he conquered in the struggle. It's

let him take the field with the distribution budget upon his back against Mr. FAULENER, and if he does not acquire fame in this district it will be for want of political journalists to record the incidents of such a trimming, dressing and exceriation to be administered to him by Mr. FAULENER as will move the compassion of Scythian and affect the tender mer South Sea Islander-a castigation " unparalelled in the most barbarous ages." At the expiration of the last Congress, the

united voice of the democracy of this district

Cicero was decapitated. But to cite cases for

illustration would subject us to the just censure

of imputing ignorance to our readers. The

man who can point to his life and labors as an

answer to the objections of his revilers and

traducers, is happier than imperial majesty

that can awe into respect a trembling nation.

Mr. FAULKNER can defy his enemies to mark

his delinquencies as a representative, and fear-

lessly challenge a scrutiny into his public acts.

He presents a record from the commencement

of his career in the halls of Congress which

may justly inspire him with pride, and cause

his constituents to hold up their heads. His

efficiency as a representative, his industry in

business and devotedness to the affairs of the

nation and his constituents, have been such

that "envy has dropped her snakes" and

' slander laid aside her venom." The mete of

praise is now awarded, though reluctantly con-

ceded by some. The work-shop of malice in

which all sorts of poisoned weapons have here-

tofore been manufactured for warring upon

him has been closed up, its furnaces have

ceased to glow and its smoke no longer as

cends; but its operators, no doubt, have

schemes in their heads, but lack the ability to

carry them into execution. And as the clos-

ing of the temple of Janus indicated peace

throughout the Roman Empire, so may a

cessation of hostilities be inferred in this dis-

public are served and well served, in a district,

THE OPPOSITION CONVENTION.

This body met at the Court-House, on Fri-

day last, to supply the vacancies on their tick-

et, caused by the declination of their former

nominees. Difficult as the task appeared, they

were determined to have candidates in the

field, and consequently selected as their stand

ponents. The names of several gentlemen

were placed before the Convention for nomi-

A number of speeches were made, but the

distribution " question was the burden of ail

made a speech urging the claims of A. E.

feat the Democracy, and dwelt upon this de-

said, his opposition to that party, and he want

ed to oppose them with all the power that

could be brought to bear against them, and

Mr. Osborne being present, accepted the

nomination, but said that he felt under no ob-

ligations to the delegates who conferred it

upon him. We have not heard positively, but

presume that Mr. Shirley also submits to the

WHIG CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION.

ocratic party in this District, to nominate a

distribution" candidate for Congress, is call-

sacrificed, we cannot predict, some one, how-

ever, must be the martyr for the good of the

"beloved Commonwealth," and for the sake of

cy is in the field. To this, we have no ob-

ection, for we like to see some spirit evinced.

even in a hopeless cause. We may have mis-

named the suggested Convention, but from

the issue upon which it is proposed to be based

resuscitation. We await the decision of the

Convention with a kind of impatient compo-

sure, for we are anxious to have the measure

of our prospective opponent, whoever he may

HON. WILLIAM LUCAS.

We publish, in another column, a call upon

this gentleman, from a number of voters in

Congress. We have no means of knowing

his determination at an early day. It is not

for us, at this time, to express any wiews in

relation to this call. Those making it are

doubtless sincere in their desire to see him a

candidate, and as it is accompanied by the

names of men who have ever acted with the

CONNECTICUT ELECTION.—Bishop, Demo-

crat, is elected in the fourth Congressional Dis-

trict of Connecticut by 17 plurality. The

delegation will, therefore, stand two democrats.

and two republicans, instead of four republi-

cans, as at present. Holly, republican, is

party, we give it to the public.

A Convention of the opponents of the Dem-

meant to "fight 'em" to the last.

Convention's decision.

or the honor declined in person.

they can afford to be quiet and satisfied.

endorsed Mr. FAULENER, with the approx mond, we think policy dictates an acquieslanguage, " well done good and faithful sercence in its recommendation. vant:" and if there was any dissent to the en-We unintentionally omitted to notice in dorsement it was not based on the slightest our issue of last week, the action of the Demobjection to past conduct or services. But it ocratic County Convention, in adopting a resis not to be presumed that a man in any promolution, in which its preference was expressed inent position, bowever faultless and faithful. for J. RANDOLPH TUCKER, Esq., for the office of will be exempt from foes; and he may justly Attorney-General. This resolution indicated esteem himself insignificant who is. If all clearly, and reflected fully, the true sentiment history is not fiction, and biography false, the of the De ocratic party of this county. They best and greatest men that ever blessed the orefer Mr. Tucken to any one else, because world with their talents and virtue had the they have known him from childhood, and fiercest and most implacable enemies. " Arisafter a close observance of his political contides the Just," was ostracised, and Socrates duct, they are prepared to endorse him as was made to drink the fatal bemlock, Hannipolitician worthy of their confidence and supbal was banished by his countrymen, and

We sincerely hope it may be the pleasure of the Convention, to confer the nomination upon Mr. Tucker, and we know that a good report will go down to Richmond from the Valley counties in May.

The State Executive Committee of the

and designated Richmond as the place, and

the 13th of May as the time, for holding it.-Our Valley exchanges, in alluding to this call,

express their disapprobation of the place se-lected, and accommend Staunton in preference

to Richard. Staunton is unquestionably

the convenience of a majority of the delegates;

out as the committee have fixed upon Rich-

entral, and would doubtless better suit

ic party has calledge Convention,

COUNTY CONVENTION.

As the Convention to nominate a candidate for Attorney General will meet on the 13th of May, we urge upon our Democratic friends the propriety of holding a County Meeting next Monday, to appoint delegates to attend said Convention. Let a full attendance be given, that the interests of the party, in view of the issue presented, may be freely canvassed and fully understood. It would be well enough, we think, to adopt some plan, to promote an efficient and reliable organization of the party, for no stone will be left unturned. by our opponents, to defeat us.

MR. FAULKNER.

This gentleman has vigorously opened the can paign, and will address the people of Jefferson at the Court-House, on Monday next, (Court day.) We hope our friends will attend. for we want them to hear the views of the nominee of the Democratic party, on the great question of the day, "a fair and equitable distribution of the public lands."

We have not been authorized so to anounce, but we think it probable, that Mr ISBELL, one of our candidates, for the House of Delegates will also address the people at

TRANSFER OF APPROPRIATION

As there seems to be a doubt in the minds of some persons as to the power of the Presiden; of the United States to remedy the omission caused by the Enrolling Clerk in copying the last Army Appropriation Bill, we have been referred to the act of Congress ard-bearers, Messrs. Logan Osborne and Jas. passed on the 3d of March, 1809, entirled W. SHIRLEY. We have neither time, space An act further to amend the several acts for or disposition, to recount all the troubles which the establishment and regulation of the Treasapparently attended this last effort of our opury, War, and Navy Departments " - which after providing the payments are to be charged to specific appropriations, contains this pronation, but were withdrawn by their friends, viso : " Provided nevertheless, that during the recess of Congress, the President of the United States may, and he is hereby authorized, on the application of the Secretary of the proper their songs. We were a little amused at the Department, and not otherwise, to direct, if in frankness of the junior of the Free Press, who his opinion necessary for the public service, that a portion of the monies appropriated for Kennedy, Esq. He said his object was to dea particular branch of expenditure in that department shall be applied to another branch sire with great emphasis. He inherited, he of expenditure in the same department, in which case a special account of the monies thus transferred, and of their application, shall be laid before Congress during the first week wound up with the sublime sentiment, that he of their next ensuing session. 2d vol. of Statutes at Large, pp. 537-8.

We learn that it is under this power thus expressly vested in the President that he has decided to make transfer for the benefit of the National Armories, and thus sustain a public institution to carry on which an appropriation passed both the House of Representatives, and the Senate, but which was omitted in the enrollment of the Act by the carelessness or misconduct of a Clerk.

" THE SOUTH."

ed Who the Convention will select to be We have heretofore neglected to notice this ournal, from a desire to avoid recommending any thing new, until we have had a test of its merit. Journalism, in these latter having it to say an opponent of the Democratimes, particularly in our cities, is so frequenty resorted to as a stepping stone to political distinction, rather than the advancement of my specific object of public good, that every thing published, however meritorious in itself. loses its effect in the unintentional disclosure we are rather disposed to regard it as a species of the selfish motives of its author. There of galvanized Whiggery, and we really feel are exceptions, we are glad to say, even in glad that the old Coon shows some signs of this prevailing evil-and among these exceptions, we are compelled to number the publication of the paper specially alluded to .-When we read of this contemplated enterprise we had our suspicions, and could see no necessity for another paper in Richmond, where public journalism had already so nearly reached its perfection; but the energy, ability and political soundness, which characterize the arti-Hampshire county, to become a candidate for cles of "The South," have convinced us that a whether or not, Mr. Lucas will respond to this efficient as are the Enquirer and Examiner, call, but have no doubt he will make known there is an excellent field in which the new herald may labor.

"CARTER HOUSE." We refer our readers to the card of Messrs. REDMAN & GIBSON, who have taken charge of the hotel in this town, so long kept by I N. Curter, Esq. 'This hotel has always been popular, and we have no doubt that the new proprietors will fully sustain its high reputa-

SHELTON F. LEAKE, Esq.—The Charlottesville Jeffersonian says that Mr. Leake positively declines having his name submitted to the Democratic State. Convention as a candidate for the nomination for Attorney General. the negro. - Boston Atlas.

We have heard of "the hen that laid the golden egg," and of others imitating her example, performing prodigious feats, but the following circumstance, related to us by a entleman in this town, of unquestioned veracity, equals any thing we have heard of in the line. The gentleman says that he found in the nest of one of his Shanghai hens, an egg exceeding in size, any goose egg he ever saw, and taking it from the nest, gave it to the cook, who broke it in his presence; when the volks of two eggs were poured into a tincup, and on further examination of the large shell, it was found to contain in addition, an ordinary sized egg, with perfect shell and complete finish.

The Washington Union.

The Washington Union of Saturday contains the valedictory of the Hon. John Appleton, on the occas sion of his withdrawal from that paper in which he

"Having accepted the appointment of Assistant Secretary of State, our practical connexion with the Union will cease from this day. It has been neither long nor intimate, for at the very time of announcing it, we found ourselves obliged by sickness to relinquish all editorial duties, and to apply ourse fexclusively to the recovery of health. In this pursuit we were so far successful that we have recently been able to assist in the care of the paper, although we are quite sensible that we have not done adequate justice either to that or (we may be pardoned perhans for adding) to urself. For the kindness which under such circumstancee, we bave received from our brethren of the Bress, we owe them our cordial thanks; and in now withdrawing from the profession, we leave with them our best wishes for their nealth and prosperity. How necessary the former s in an encounter with arduous duties of a newspaper life, we have had ample reason to understand and how well the faithful discharge of such duties deserves to be crowned with prosperous success, no ne acquainted with them can doubt. The physical reasons which first induced our idea of withdrawal, ed naturally to a rangements which have outlived (we are glad to say I their original cause, but we are none the less Tratified with a change which gives us better prospect of confirmed recovery to our health then we could have expected to enjoy amidst the peculiar anxieties and lab rs of a daily newspaper." It is said Mr. Appleton will be succeeded by the Hon. W. A. Harris, formerly of Virginia but now

of Missouri.

Beware of Office. When a wild animal once tastes human flesh nothing an ever after, says Buffon, dissuade him from human slaughter. When a politician once obsains a public office, no persuasion can ever induce im to go to work at anything but a nomination for another and another, during the term of his natural existence. If you want to spoil a good citizen for ten years, secure him a berth in the customhouse. He will never be socially a well man afterward. Send him to Congress, and you rula him for life. He may carry around placards and tickets at the polls, accept a subordinate situation in the police, or run errands for the door-keeper of a political meeting-house, but he never will have independence enough to emancipate himselt from his morbid appetite for the "spoi s," and go to work like an. honest man and a Christian.- N. O. Delta.

Winchester Medical College.

The commencement was conducted last week without any public exhibition, and diplomas were granted to a graduating class of six, viz: Joseph Roach, of Lewis county ; John T. Hargrave, of Loudoun ; Wm. S. Parren, of Hardy; J. S. Bruce, of Winchester; James B. Gilkeson, of Winchester; Charles McCormick, of Clarke. The examination in the case of each and of all these was very satisfactorily passed. The next session of the College will commence in October, and as fifteen State students are admitted to a free course of instruction, there is a prospect of a number of new students, in addition o those who have already entered upon the course studies. The Winshester Medical College posseses advantages which ought to insure for it an increased amount of patronage 'every year. Among its graduates are some who are already earning disinction in the responsible practice of medicine. [Win. Republican.

Baptizing.

On Sunday evening last, thirty-two persons were Baptized in Cedar Run, near Warrenton, by Rev. Cumberland George. The ordinance was performed! in the midst of a large number of persons from the town and country, who had assembled to witness the ceremonies. A large majority of those immersed have lately made a profession of religion at the Baptist Church in this place. Since the commencement of the revival nearly forty white souls have been converted. Dr. Burroughs, who has been among his brethren for nearly three weeks, leaves this morning in the cars for his home in Richmond. He has established his reputation as a minister of great power and brilliancy in so thorough a manner as will not soon be forgotten by our community. He carries with him home the kindest wishes all for his health and happiness.

[Warrenton Whig.

Notice to Land Buyers.

We commend to our readers, and those in want f a fine plantation, the advertisement of Mr. Callaghan, whose farm is now for sale. We feel warranted in saying that this is one of the finest farms in the county of Botetourt for its quantity of land we know the place and therefore speak advisedly about it. Its rich soil its level Southern exposure, its high state of cultivation and productiveness, and the good order of the fencing and other fixtures, with the fine comfortable dweling house and other necessary buildings, renders it a rare opportunity for purchasers to supply themselves with the means of realising a fortune by farming. Its contiguity to Fincastle, and the great quantity of fine Timber on it, would pay for the land, if taking to that never failing market for fuel .- Fincastle Democrat.

Newspaper Libel Suit.

It is stated that Mr. Erastus Brooks, of the New York Express, has sued the publishers of the Kenebec Journal at Augusta, Maine, to recover damages for an alleged libel upon him, which appeared in the editorial columns of the Journal in November last, during the Presidential election. Phineas Barnes of Portland, is counsel for Mr. Brooks, and William P. Fessenden, of Portland, and Lot M. Morrill, of Augusta, wil stand for the detendants, and the suit is set down for trial in the United States District Court in Portland, April 23. The Portland Advertiser, which appears to understand the matter, observes that "as the case is one which will allow a very wide range of facts and pleas, particularly of a political character, it is not improbable that it may be made the subject of an appeal to the Supreme Court at Washington, in which event the law of libel and the freedom of the press may be as elaborately discussed as were the issues involved in the Dred Scott case,"

Notwithstanding the probibition of slavery in Connecticut, a negro was recently sold there under the following circumstances:

A Buchanan farmer disposed of a load of hay to his parson, and being anxious to get as much as possible for his crop, he coverd a negro in the hay and weighed negro and clover together; and the parson was in this way made to pay \$2,50 for

Ion, WILLIAM LUCAS, of Jefferson County, as FAULENER, the late Rep John W Stewart, Solomon Park, Geo W Grove, William Spaulding, Darius Emitt, Alexander Sannders

leorge Martin, A M Alverson, Henry Friddle. Robert B F etcher, John Stanberry, Uriah Cheshire, Sherrard R Gray, G W Blue, James W McDonald, William Haines, M Armstrong, Isaac Parsons, Thomas Powelson James McDonald, Peter Davis, Samuel Buckman John Swisber,
Jac b Michaels,
David Hott,
Thomas F Henderson, Jesse Baker,

James Powelson, Christopher Oats, George Millison, John G Pultz, S W Hawkins, J E Heatwhol, Isaac Haines, George W Stump, Benjamin F Pepper, John D Miller, William Horseman Abraham Hammack William D Keerfoot R. Offaer, Joel Linthicum, Matthew Doil John Martin, Jr. George Carlisle, Adam Parish, Samuel Swartz, Abraham Emment. John Chesshine

> [For the Spirit of Jefferson.] HARPER'S-FERRY, April 10, 1857.

Messrs, Editors: I have just read a communication in the last "Free Press" signed " Anti-Puffer" dated Harper's-Ferry-and professing to give a sketch of the remarks made by Mr. Faulkner at a public meeting at that place on Friday evening, the 3d of April. It is manifest that the writer is a malignant enemy both of Mr. Fanlkner and of the interests of Harper's-Ferry. I was present at that meeting, and heard every word which Mr. Faulkner ustered on that occasion, and I do not hesitate to pronounce the sketch given by "Anti-Puffer" to be basely and wickedly false, from beginning to end. Such mendacious and unprincipled scribblersisbould be scorned by every honest man in every commu-

My name accompanies this note, and is at the ser vice of "Anti-Puffer," if he feels aggrieved. A DEMOCRAT.

> Interesting from China. SEVENTY THOUSAND CHINAMEN KILLED.

The New York Journal of Commerce has a lett lated Macao, Jan., 25th, from which we quote: 4 All foreign business is not only suspended, bu endirely at an end, both here, at Hong Kong and at Canton. Since my last letter the greater part of the western suburbs of the latter city, in which were situated nearly all the warehouses, shops, &c., concerned in foreign trade, have been consumed. the total destruction of the foreign factories you will have heard by my last letter. The Chinese comute their losses in houses, go-downs, shops, &c., at over 4,900 buildings up to the present time; and in merchandise and the value of the above property they state their losses at \$10,000,000, which is probbly not far from the truth. We cannot, of course, know very accurately the damage sustained by the city of Canton since the bombardment began 28th October last: but as the latter has been kept up with more or less pertinacity to within a tew days ago, when the English Admiral retired with his forces from before the city, it is fair to suppose that the Chin se do not over estimate the loss in life, when they state it at 70,000-of all ages and sexes. Everything favors this calculation.

The writer adds that a second attempt had been made to poison foreign "devils." It was done thro' poisoned oranges, a quantity of which (about 5,000 in number) was introduced into Hong Kong. It failed, however, in this instance, as too little of the poison had been absorbed by the fruit, although two deaths took place, and they Chinese.

Spain and Mexico.

It is stated that the Spanish minister at Washngton has received intelligence from his government to the effect that the expedition which has been fitted out to operate against Vera Cruz will not pr ceed to its destination. A more intelligent understanding of the question in dispute between the two governments together with the friendly interposition of France and England, it is alleged have led to this sult.

Flour in Missouri.

The Legislature of Missouri, at its recent session, passed a law requiring all the manufacturers of flour to place upon the barrels containing it, "the name of the person or the firm who manufoctures the same: also the State and town or place, and the mill or mills where manufactured, and also the grade of the quality and weight thereof," under the penalty of twice the value of the flour f om which such particulars are omitted. It also prohibits the defacing or altering of any such brand under a like

New Issue.

Mr. Jas. C Luck, the "Whig and American" can dicate for the Legislature, in Caroline county, is in favor of distribution and also in favor of selling the tree negroes of the State to pay the State debt. He says he does not expect to be elected.

Death of a Revolutionary Soldier.

William Bell, of Spottsylvania county, died the 18th of March, in the 94th year of his age. He was at Yorktown when Cornwallis surrendered. He had been a member of the Baptist Church for more than 70 years. He was an honest man and esteemed by his neighbours.

Judges of the U. S. Supreme Court. The names, residence, and time or appointment of the present Judges are as follows : CHIEF JUSTIICE.

Roger B. Taney, Baltimore, Md., 1836. ASECCIATE JUSTICES. John Mclean, Cincinnati, O., 1829. James M. Wavne, Savannah, Ga. 1835. John Catron, Nashville, Tenn., 1837. Peter V. Daniel, Richmond, Va., 1841. S. Nelson, C operstown, N. Y. 1845. Robert C. Grier, Pittsburg, Pa., 1846. Benjamin R. Curtis, Boston, Mass., 1851 John A. Campbell, Mobile, Ala.,

FATAL AFFAIR .- Wm. H. Turnbull, eldest son of Col. Henry Turnbull, died at Rocky Mount, Frank lin county, Va., on the 19th instant, from the effects of a stab received thirteen days previous. The circumstances were as follows: On Monday, the 2d instant, he with two or three oth rs in a room adjoining the hotel at Rocky Mount, when a drunken man came in and without any provocation on the part of the deceased, who was entirely unprepared to defend himself, and being driven back behind the counter of the store-bonse in which they were, his antagonist reached across the counter and stabbed him in the sight side with a pocket knife,-Deceased was an amiable youth, and only 16 years of age at the time of his death.

.... Mr. D. W. BARTON states in the Southern Churchman that the fund for disabled Episcopal clergymen had reached the sum of \$1,722,39 on the 21st of March, with the prospect of a larger amount before the meeting of the convention in Petersburg the 20th of May.

A Medicine, scientifically and skilfully compounded, which makes no undue pretensions, and is recommended by citizens of the highest respectability deserves the patronage of the public. Such a medicine is the Oxygenated Bitters, for the cure of Dyspe psis in all its forms.

WHIG AND AMERICAN NOMINATIONS. The County Convention of the Whigs and Americans, re-assembled at the Court House in this place, on Friday the 10th inst. The Chairman E. E. Cooke, Esq. called the

W. L. Hedges, Esq , was appointed Sec'y in the absence of Mr. T. H. Towrer. The roll was then called and thirty-one

delegates answered to their names. The Secretary read the letters of notification of the Committee, to Messrs. Hunter Alexander, and theirs' in reply.

The Chairman stated, that, during the morning, he had received a letter from Dr. Wm. F. Alexander, in which he requested that his name should not be sgain brought before the Convention.

(The letter was read and is herein published as part of the proceedings:) April 10, 1857.

Edward E. Cooke, Esq.,

On due Consideration of all the circumstances connected with my position. I am competted im-peratively to ask that my name may not be brought again before your Convention for nomination a candidate to represent this County in the Legislature. In my position, to neglect my duties at home to obtain any personal advancement, would prove me un orthy of that confidence which my fellow citizens would extend to me Respect for the wishes o. my friends and a sense of the obligations which every individual owes to society, have conflicted with my judgment and rendered my position, in many respects a painful one to me. Please to communicate these views to the Convention in such terms, as feelings of the sinceres

gratitude would dictate. Re-pectfully Your friend and ob's servant

The rules adopted at the first Convention were adopted for the regulation of this .-The balloting was taken on the same basias at the previous meeting. A Motion was made that the nominations

be made publicly. Nominations being next in order, the fol lowing gentlemen were put in nomination. viz Logan Osborne, Thos H. Willis, And

E Kennedy, Jno J. Lock, J. W Shirley The names of Mesers, Willis and Lock, at the suggestion of friends, were withdrawn. as they did not desire their names to be put in nomination. Mr. Kennedy, arose and stated that he did not desire to have his name brought before the Convention, and, that if the nomination should be given him, he would feel compelled to decline it, and he, therefore, requested his friend to

withdraw his name. Dr. E. L. Wager, who nominated Mr. K.

withdrew his name. A motion was then made that a commit tee of three be appointed to wait on all the gentlemen whose names had been presented consider their intention and allow their names to be again placed in nemination.

The motion was carried-but some misunderstanding was found to exist and the motion was reconsidered and subsequently

Messrs. Osborne and Shirley were then announced as the only names before the Convention as candidates for nomination

Mr. Andrew E Kennedy was again put in nomination by Mr. E. A. Gallaber, and seconded by Mr. Roger Chew.

The vote being taken, there was no choice on the first ballot.

On the second ballot A. E. Kennedy was declared nominated.

When the result was announced. Mr Kennedy arose and after expressing his thanks to the Convention for the bonor con ferred on him, stated that an imperative sense of duty to himself, for reasons unnecessary to mention, compelled him respectfully, but emphatically, to decline the nom-

On motion, the no minations of Logan O -borne and Jas W. Shirley, Esqs, were declared unanimous.

It was stated that Mr. Osborne was in town, and on motion, a committee of three was appointed to notify the nominees of the action of the Convention.

One of the committee then moved t at the Convention adjourn for half an bour in order to give them time to wait on Mr. Osborne, and request him to appear before the Convention and announce his accept-

Upon the re-assembling of the Conven tion, Mr. Kenredy, after briefly addressing the meeting upon the importance of the is sues involved in the present canvass, stated that Mr. Osborne was present and would announce his decision to the body.

Mr O. in a few pertinent remarks rela tive to the question at issue, accepted the nomination, promising to use his best endeavors to ensure success to the ticket.

On motion of J. Law. Hooff. Esq. the following pre amble and resolution was u panimously adopted. Whereas, I' has been suggested that the friend-

of a fair and equal distribution of the public lands among the several States of the Union, should meet at Winchester on Wednesday the 221 of April, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Congress to represent this district; and, that the proximity of the day named is such as to renof this county to select Delegates to that Conven-

Resolve To attend said Convention, for the purpose of representing this County; and that we to vite any other citizen of the County, in favor of the resolutions, relative to the public lands, hereto ore passed by this Convention, to meet us at Winchester on the 22d day of this month as our co-delegates to said Congressional Convention.

On motion, the proceedings were ordered to be published in the County papers. On motion, the meeting adjourned.

E E COOKE, Chairman. W L HEDGES, E A GALLAHER. Secretaries. Problem-No. 4.

A. B. and C., have each uch a sum of money, that if A's and B's be added to one half of C's, the sum will be \$92. And if B's and C's money be added to one third of A's., the sum will be \$92.—And if one fourth of B's money be added to A's and C's the sum will also be \$92. How much had each.

M. NUS Solution in two weeks if not otherwise answered

PEW RENTS.

The pew rents of the Episcopal Church are now due. The pew holders will please call and settle.

LAWSON BOTTS. April 7, 1857-F. P. DEATHS.

Near Hedgesville on the 31st inst., JAMES W. CUNNINGHAM, aged 22 years, 3 months and 13

Special Potiecs.

troubled with indigestion and its attendant evils such as flatulency, constipation, severe attacks of diarrhoea, accompanied with water brash at the stomach, which reduced me in flesh, strength, an apprict, so low that I was nearly unfitted for busines I applied to several physicians from whom I obtained only temporary relief, I concluded, with the advice of triends, but without the least faith in their efficacy, to try the Or ge ated Billiers, from thems of which I found immediate relief, having no return of water-brash after taking the first portion. Moreover, we weight has increased some thirty-five pounds, and my health is perfect. I can truly say that I consider the Oxygensied Billiers, the best tonic extant have recommended them to several, who have invariably found great benefit from their use.

Yours respectfully,

CALER PARKER.

Seth W. Fowle & Co., 123 Washington Street

Seth W. Fowle & Co., 133 Washington Street Boston, Proprietors. Sold by their agents every where.

LETTER FROM HON. JOHN MINOR BOTTTS, OF VIRGINIA Massas. Ws. S Basas & Co. Richmond July 9. Gentlemen: -Considerations of duty to the affic-ted alone prompt me to send you this voluntary tosimonial to the great value of CARTER'S SPAN-ISH MIXTURE, for that almost incurable disease,

Scrofula.

Without being disposed, or deeming it necessary, to go into the particulars of the case, I can say that the astonishing results that have been produced by that medicine, on a member of my own family, and under my own observation and superintendence, after the skill of the best physicians had been exhausted, and all the usual remedies had failed, fully justify me in recommending its use to all who may be suffering from that dreadful malady.

I do not mean to say that it is adapted to all constitutions, or that it will afford the same relief in all cases; for, of course, I can know nothing about all cases; for, of course, I can know nothing about that—but from what I have seen of the effects I would not hecitate to use it in any and every case of Scrofula, with persons for whom I felt an interest, or over whom I could exercise influence or control.

Syrup of HOREHOUND. A safe und certain cure for Colds, Coughs, Bronchitis, and all Pulmonary affections. Prepared solely by HUTCHISON & BURNETT, Charlestown, Va Also for sale by Dr. CLAGETT, Harpers Ferry. [Feb. 21,

GEORGE H. MURPHY. Attorney at Law. Martinsburg, berkeley County, Virginia.

WILL practice in the Courts of Morgan, Berkeley and Jefferson. References:

JOHN B. HOGE, Martinsburg, Virginia.
JOS. S. DUCKWALL, Bath,
BENJ F BEALL, Charlestone, [April 14, 1857-17. VIRIGNIA, Jefferson County, Sct.

At Rules held in the Clerk's Office of the said: Court, the first Monday in April, 1867: Plaintiff. Hierome L. Opie,

Horace L. Brooke and Charles Brooke.

AN ACTION OF DEBT. The object of this suit is to attach the real and personal Estate of the Defendants, in this county, for the payment of a debt due from them to the

It appearing by affidavit filed, that the Defendants are not residents of this State, they are hereby required to appear within one month after due publi-cation of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interests. It is further ordered that a copy of this order be published once a week, for four successive weeks in the "Spirit of Jefferson," a newspaper published in the said c unty, and posted at the front door of the Court House of said county, on the first day of the next Term of the

WHITE & BOTTE, PQ.

April 14, 1857-1m. VIRGINIA JEFFERSON COUNTY SCT A T a Court continued and held for Jefferson A County, on Friday, the 20th of March, 1857, The Court appoints the following named com-missioners and officers to conduct the election, to be held in this County, on the 4th Thursday, in May next, as provided and required by Law.

Franklin Osborne, Fisher A. Lewis, John W McCurdy, Joseph Myers and John Humphreys, or any two or more of them T E Woodward, officer.

District No 2.

Robert V. Shirley, Jo n W. Grantham, Jos. O. Coyle, Robert W. Baylor and Samuel D. Bryarly, or any two or more of hem. Geo. Murphy, officer.

Henry Davenport, John S. Moore, Esrom Slifer, David Howellan I And. Aldrige or any two or more of them. Thos. Johnson, officer

John T. Gibson, James L. Hooff, Geo. H. Tate, Geo. W. Eichelberger and Francis W. Drew, or any two or more of them. N. W. Manning, officer. Dutrict No. 5. John H. McKend ee, John Hess, Dan'l Cameron, Samuel Knott and Landon C. Herkitt, or any two or more of them. Lewis Lucas, officer.

Edmund I. Lee, Wm G Butler, Cato M. Entler, R. D. Shepherd, jr., and J. P. A. Entler, or any two or more of them. George M. Bast, officer.

District No. 7. Wm. Smallwood, John Moler, Robert N. Duke,

Philip Engle and George Croal or any two or more of them. John J. Laley, officer.

George Mauzy, A. H. Herr, Wm. J. Stephens, George B. Stephenson and Geo. W. Little or any two or more of them Geo. Koonce, officer. And it is ordered that a Poll be opened on the same day in Distict No. 1 for the election of a Justice of the Peace to fill the vacancy occasioned by the removal of John James Grantham from the said Disof Henry Wintermeyer, jr.

A Copy—Teste
T. A. MOORE, Clerk, trict and in District No.6 for the election of a Consta

PLANTS FOR JALE. ON FRIDAY, 17th instant, I will offer in Cabbage and Tomatto Plants.

Also, a number of Flowering Plants, embracing Roses, Verbenas, Helitropes, &c., &c., when I will be pleased to meet my Jefferson friends. Winchester, April 14, 1857. FEMALE TEACHER WANTED. I WiSH to engage a Female Teacher in School District, No. 9, in this county. To a competent and experienced Teacher, a salary at the rate of

\$300 will be given. JOHN F. SMITH, Middleway, Va., April 14. 257-F. P.

NOTICE. THE members of the Jefferson County Agricultural Society, will please meet at their Office

in Charles own, on Friday next, at 1 o'clock. A variety of seed will be distributed, and it is hoped here will be a full attendance.

JOHN J. LOCK, Sec'y. April 14, 1857-F. P.

FOR SALE OR RENT.
PHE HOUSE AND LOT in Charlestown recently NEW SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS. THE public is respectfully invited to our stock which is the largest and best selected that we have ever before offered to this community. Particular attention has been given in the selection of Ladies' Dress Goods, Embroidery, &c , which

will compare favorably with any ever brought to this market—among which will be found some beau-tiful Berage, Grenadine, Organdie and Lawn Robes, Figured and Solid Colored Berages and Lawns, Spring Silks, (rich styles,) White Crape and Stella Shawls, Figured Swiss and Jackovet Muslins, Collars and Sleeves, Kid Gloves, Embroidered and Hem Stitched Handkerchiets, &c.

April 14, 1857. TRY IT!

THOMPSON'S CELEBRATED WASHING COMPOUND—This preparation is entirely free from any substance that will injure the color or texture of the finest labric, and is therefore particularly adapted to the washing of fancy articles.—As an article for toilet use, it will be found very beneficial; also, for Salt Rheum, Chapped Hands, or any eruption of the Skin, for sale by April 14, 1854.

BELLER & COOKE.

CABAS!

La DIES' CABAS, a nice assortment to be found
B' LLER & COOKE'S. E CHIEF.—Lubin's Celebrated Extracts all kinds for sale by BELLER & COOKB. BONNETS, BONNET RIBBONS, AND ARTIFICIAL PLOWERS, a large and beauti-

ful stock, just received by
J. N. & L. L SADLER. On the 26th of March, at the residence of Dr. COUNTRY Cured Bacen and CIDER VINEGAR Hammond in Berkeley county, J. W. JOY. son of Cor sale by KEYES & KE'RSLE!.

J. P. Joy, aged 17 years, 6 months and 9 days. October 4, 1836.

MY Plantation, lying two miles South East 6 MY Plantation, lying two miles South East of Fincastle, containing about 320 ACRES.

and known by the name of "Highland Grove," is offered for sale. The land is nearly level and all of it is good and arable; about 130 acres in cultivation, recently cleared, rich and productive; well adapted to the growth of Tubacco, Wheat, Corn, Grass, Co., ac. The residue is in good TIMBER, near enough to town to haut from three to four leads per day, which command from \$1,50 to \$2,00 per four horse load. The DWELLING HOUSE.

is large and comfortable, with a good Barn and other necessary out buildings; the fencing &c., is all in good order, with good reads, and accessable to markets.

The payments will be made easy, as to time, on the payment of interest. Further particulars given if required. Possession will be given as soon as the Corn drop of the present year is gathered with leave to seed this Fall. My Post Office is Fincastle. Va. O. CALLAGHAN. April 14, 1857.-1m.

BALTIMORE AND OHIO RAILROAD.

NEW AND IMPROVED ARRANGEMENTS. There are now THREE TRAINS DAILY from ore for Cumberland, Wheeling and all par's of the West.
First:—The ACCOMMODATION TRAIN will leave (except Sunday) at 6.45 A M., connecting with train from Philadelphia, first train from Washington (at Junction)—will stop at way stations and arrive at Cumlerland at 4 P. M.
Sec nd.—The MAIL TRAIN leaves (except Sunsec nd.—The MAIL TRAIN leaves (except sunday) at 8,30 A. M., and reaches Wheeling by 4 A. M., connecting at Benwood with trains for Columbns, Cincinnati, Dayton, Indianapolis, Louisville, Cleveland, Toledo, Detroit, Chicago, St. Louis Cairo and intermediate points.

Third,—The EXPRESS TRAIN leaves daily at

P. M., connecting with express trains for Cinnati, St. Louis, Cairo, Chicago and intermediate places the distance to Cincinnati, and other central and thern places in the West is nearly 100 miles shorter than by any other route, and the time is un BAGGAGE CHECKED THROUGH to Newk, Columbus, Cincinnati, Indianapolis and St.

Passengers and Baggage transferred, at all THROUGH TICKETS will be sold to all the cities in the West, at the lowest rates, at the Ticket Office, Camden Station, Washington, and at Harpers Ferry and Martinsburg, Va.

10- A SECOND CLASS CAR is attached to the Mail Train. Passengers from Baltimore or Washington may wiew the entire road by daylight, by taking the Ac-commodation or Mail Train, and lying over at Cum-

berland or Oakland. They resume next morning by the Express Train, which leaves Cumberland at 2,50 A. M., and reaches Wheeling at 2 P. M. FOR WAY PASSENGERS. The ACCOMMODATION TRAIN, at 6,45 will stop at all Stations east of Cumberland, and the Express at Stations beyond Piedmont going West. Eastwardly the Mail Train leaves Wheeling at 7,15 A. M., and Accommodation leaves Cumberland at 8.20, reaching Baltimore at 5,45 P. M FOR WASHINGTON AND THE SOUTH. Leave Baltimore for Washington at 4,15 and 9,15 A. M., and 3 and 5,15 P. M. On Sundays at 4,30 The first and fourth trains from Baltimore and the second and fourth trains from Washington, will be Express Mail Trains, stopping only at Washing

ton Junction and Annapolis Junction.
The 9,15 and 5,15 trains from Balim re, and the 8.30 and 4.30 trains from Washington, connect with the trains from Annapolis. For tickets, information, fare, &c., apply to J. T. ENGLAND, Agent at the, Ticket Office, Camden Station, or to F. BECKHAM, Agent at Happer's-Ferry, and L. E. RANDALL, Agent at Mariins-burg, Va. W. S. WOODSIDE, Master of Transportation, Baltimore.

YOUNG LION.

THIS fleavy draught Stallion, favorably known On Monday, Tucsday and Wednesday t.ll
noon, at the stable of Mr. F. W. Brew, near Charlertown; on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, at the stabling attached to the River House, on the farm of Wm. Lucas. TERMS -Six dollars the season, or five it paid within the season Eight dollars insurance by special contract, and insurance forfeited if the mare is parted with.

Gonzales, (Of the Highest, Richest Quality of Blood,) WILL be at my Stable this Spring. For particulars, apply to me for hand-Charlestown, at April Court

April 14, 1857.-3t.

April 14, 1857-3t PUBLIC SALE.

WILL be sold at the Court-House, on Friday the 10th day of April, 1857, all the HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE, of Thomas D. Parker, consisting of

Beds, Bed teads and Bedding, Stands, Burcaus. Chairs, Tables, Carpets, Wardrobes, China Glass, Queens and Crockery Ware, together with many other articles of Household Furniture, too numerous to mention. Also, at the same time and place,

Ploughs, one Harrow, one extra Corn Sheller, One Fodder Cutter, and other Farming Im-TERMS .- A credit of six months will be given

on all sums of \$5 and upwards, purchaser giving bond with approved secutive. For all sums less than \$5 the cash will be required. No property to be removed until terms are complied with.

THOMAS D. PARKER. J. W. McGINNIS, Auctioneer. April 7, 1857-Free Press.

POSTPONED.

The sale of the above property, advertised to take place on the 10th instant, was postponed, in consquence of the inclement weather, until FRIDAY next, the 17th inst.

T D. PARKER April 14, 1857.

CRINOLINE. BRASS HOOPS, Skeleton Skirts, Cactus do., and Crinoline, for sale by J. N. & L. L. SADLER. GENTLEMEN'S WEAR.

CLOTHS, CASSIMERES and VESTINGS, Cra-Vats, Half Hose, Silk, Thread, and Gauze Shirts, J. N. & L. L. SADLER.

GROCERIES, HARDWARE AND QUEENS-WARE, a heavy stock, which we will sell at very low prices. J.N. & L. L. SADLER. MATTING AND OIL CLOTHS.

-4 and 6-4 White and Colored Matting Oil 4 Cloths &c., just received by J. N. & L. L. SAELER. Notice!

HAVING disposed of my Hotel Property, I am now engaged in settling up my business, preparatory to leaving town. Those having accounts with me, will do well to call and arrange them, as they may be able to make satisfactory terms with me by doing so at an early day. I may be for nd at the Hotel, or at A. E. Kennedy's office next d or ISAAC N. CARTER.

Carter House, April 7, 1857. Blacksmithing

AND WAGON MAKING.

THE subscriber announces to his customers and

I the public generally, that he is well prepared

to do all work pertaining to either of the above branches of business, in the best style, and upon terms which must give satisfaction to all FOR SALE .- He has now on hand, and for sale. a first-rate two-horse wagon, (new,) and several second-hand wagons, which will be disposed of at reasonable rates. GEORGE W. SPOTTS. March 31, 1857-tf

Removal. THE subscriber has removed his TAILOR SHOP to the house on Main Street, nearly opposite the residence of T. A. Moore, Esq., where he will remain for a week or two, when he intends moving

into the building nearly opposite Carter's Hatel JOHN R. A. REDMAN. Notice.

THE sale of the undersigned, advertised to be held on FRIDAY, 3d day of April, will not take place.

J. G. COCKRELL. March 31, 1857.* .. Room for Rent. THE Room at present occupied by Mr. Kettlewell

as a School Room-over our Store-is for Rent. BELLER & COOKE. CASHIONABLE HATS AND CAPS. for A. W. CRAMER. CLOTHS, CASSIMERES & VESTINGS, A.W. CRAMER DRESS GOODS.

A LARGE and general assortment of LADIES' A. W CRAMER. FRENCH WORK, of all kinds, for sale by TRUNKS AND CARPET BAGS, for sale A. W. CRAMER. BACON AND LARD, for sale by

THE "CARTER HOUSE" Charlestown, Jefferson County, Virginia. THE undersigned having purchased the hotel property, in Charlestown, Va , so long and favorably known as CARTER'S HOTEL,

have opened the same for the reception of visitors.

The Proprietors pledge their every exertion for the comfort and pleasure of their patrons.

Their Table will be supplied with every luxury that this or the neighboring markets can afford.

Their Bar furnished with a general assortment of the every heat Liquers. of the very best Liquors.

Their large and airy Stables attended by sober and careful Ostlers.

Every department will be under the careful surveillance of the Proprietors or their Assistants.

Oysters, Liquora, Cigars, and Horse Hire, invariably Cash.

J R. A. REDMAN,

JAMES D. GIBSON.

April 7, 1857-tf. Messrs. Redman & Gibson, as will be seen by the above card, having become proprietors of my Hotel, Property, I would respectfully commend them to the patrons of the establishment, and to the public generally, feeling assured that it will lose none of its former reputation in their ands. With the improvements contemplated, the House will have addiional advantages, and I can therefore with confidence and pleasure earnestly recommend the estab-lishment, knowing that under their control, the House will be good, quiet and orderly in every re-spect. Respectfully. April 7, 1857-Free Press.

VIRGINIA, TO-WIT:—At rules held in the Circuit Court of Jefferson County, on the 6th day of April, 1857: David Gwynne and Thomas M. Gwynne, surviving partners of David Gwynne, Thomas M. Gwrune and Evans Gwynne, late partners under the name and firm of E. Gwynne & Con Plaintiffs.

AGAINST -Horace L. Brooke, Defendant.

IN DEBT. The object of this suit is to obtain a judgment against the defendant, who is not a resident of the State of Virginia, for \$450.00, the amount of the plaintiffs' debt against him, with legal interest ther on, from October 31st, 1855, until paid, and the costs of suit; and to attach the estate and effects of the defendant in the county of Jefferson for satisfac tion of said judgment when so obtained. It appearing on affidavit filed in this suit, that the defendant is not a resident of this State, he is hereby

required to appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary o protect his interests in this matter. It is further rdered that a copy of this order be published once a week, for four successive weeks, in the Spirit of Jefferson, a newspaper printed in the county of Jefferson, and post d at the front door of the Court House of said county, on the first day of the next County Court. A Copy—Teste, ROBERT T. BROWN, Clerk. April 7, 18 7-1m.

VIRGINIA, TO-WIT:—At rules held in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Jefferson County, on the 6th day of April, 1857— David Gwynne and Thomas M. Gwynne, part

ners under the name and firm of D. & T. M. Gwigue. Plaintiffs, AGAINST, · Defendant, Horace L. Brooke.

IN ASSUMPSIT. The object of this suit is to obtain a judgment ag fast the defendant, who is not a resident of the State of Virginia, for \$121 65 the amount of the plaintiffs' claim against him, with legal interest thereon from March 31st, 1856, until pa d, and the costs of this suit; and to attach the estate and effects of the detendant in the county of Jefferson, for satisfaction of said judgment when so obtained.
It appearing on affidavit filed in this suit, that the defendant is not a resident of this State, he is hereby required to appear within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this matter. It is further order d that a copy of this order ence a we k, for four successive weeks, in the Spirit of Jefferson, a newspaper printed in the county of Jefferson, and posted at the front door of the Court House of said county, on the first day of the next County Court.

A Copy-Teste.
ROBERT T. BROWN, Clerk. April 7, 1857-1m. VIRGINIA, TO-WIT. --- At rules held in the Circuit Court of Jefferson county, on the 6th day of April, 1857: I-aar Fouke, AGAINST

Samuel T. Strider. Defendant. IN DEBT. The object of this suit is to obtain a judgment against the defendant, who is not a resident of the State of Virginia, for \$81.46, the amount of the plaintiff's debt against him, with legal interest there-on from November 221, 1856, until paid, and the costs of suit; and to attach the estate and effects of the defendant in the County of Jefferson, for satisfaction of said judgment when so obtained.

It appearing on affidavit filed in this suit that the defendant is not a resident of this State, he is hereby required to appear here within on month after due

publication of this order, and do what is necessary to pro ect his interests in this matter. It is furthe ordered that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the "Spirit of Jefferson," a newspaper printed in Jefferson County, and posted at the front door of the Court House, on the first day of the next County Court. A copy Teste, R. T. BROWN, clerk. April 7, 1857.

VIRGINIA, TO-WIT .--- At rules held in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Jefferson County, on the 6th day of April, 1857: Joseph L. Russell, for the use of Isaac Fouke, Plaintiff,

AGAINST Samuel T. Strlder,

IN DEBT. The object of this suit is to obtain a judgment arainst the defendant, who is not a resident of the State of Virginia, for \$440, the amount of the plain tiff's debt against him, with legal interest there-on from November 20th, 1856, until paid, and the costs of suit; and to attach the estate and effects of the defendant in the County or Jefferson, for satisfac tion of sain judgment when so obtained.

It appearing on affidavit filed in this suit, that the defendant is not a resident of this State, he is hereby required to appear here within one month after du publication of this order, and do what is necessary o protect his interests in this matter. It is further rdered that a copy of this order be publis ed once o week for four successive weeks, in the "Spirit of aefferson," a newspaper printed in Jefferson Coun-

ty, and posted at the front door of the Court House n the first day of the next County Court. A copy Teste, R. T. BROWN, clerk. VIRGINIA, TO-WIT .--- At rules held in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Jefferson

County, on the 6th day of April, 1857: William Clendening, assignee of Joseph L. Russell, who was assignee of Thomas Stri-Plaintiff. AGAINST

Samuel T. S rider and John Strider, Defendants. IN DEBT. The object of this suit is to obtain a judgment

against the defendants, who are not residents of the State of Virginia, for \$439.23, the amount of the plaintiff's debt against them, with legal interest thereon from August 23d, 1556, until paid, and the costs of suit; and to attach the estate and effects of the defendants in the County of Jefferson, for satis faction of said judgment when so obtained. It appearing on e flid vit filed in this suit, that the defendants are not residents of this State, they are hereby required to appear here within one month af ter due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this matter. It is further ordered that a copy of this order be pub lished once a week for four successive weeks, in the "Spirit of Jefferson," a newspaper printed in Jeffer-son County, and posted at the front door of the Court House, on the first day of the next County Court. A copy Teste, R. T BROWN, clerk.

> D. W. FRYATT, ATTORNEY AT LAW,

WILL practice in the Inferior and Superior Courts of the counties of Berkeley. Jefferson Clarke, Morgan, Londoun and Hampshire. OFFICE-Martins urg, opposite the Berkeley Bank, where he ma he found for professional service from the nour of 82 A. M. to 42 P M. February 14, 1857-ly.

DR. T. A. NICHOLSON, TENDERS his profe. sional services to the citizens ef Harp r's Ferry, and vicinity. OFFICE on High street [February 14, 1\$57-1y.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. THE undersigned having been appointed at the March Term of the County Court, Administrator of the estate of Dr Samuel Scollay, dec'd, here. by notifics all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and pay up, and those having claims against the estate to present them properly authen-GEORGE H. BECKWITH, Adm'r

of Sam'l Scollay, dec'd. March 24 1857-Free Press. Brick for Sale!

HAVE one hundred thousand prime BRICK for HAVE one numbers ale for cash or good paper.
CHAS. G BRAGG. March 31, 1857-3t-Free Press. Q BARRELS No. 1 Re fire lilite f'(i) et sal

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A and removing all Improper Discharges from the Bladder, Kidneys, or Sefual Organs, whether existing in MALE OR FEMALE, from whatever cause they may have originated, and no matter of how long standing, giving Health and Vigor to the Frame, and Bloom to the Pallid Cheek.

JOY TO THE AFFLICTED! It cures Nervous and Debilitated Sufferers, and removes all the symptoms, among which will be found indisposition to Exertion, Loss of Power, Loss of Memory, Difficulty of Breathing, General Weakness, Horror of Disease, Weak Nerves, Trem bling, Dreadful Horror of Death, Night Sweats. Cold Feet, Wakefulness, D. mness of Vision, Languor, Universal Lassitude of the Muscular System, often Enormous Appetite, with Dyspeptic Symp often Enormous Appetite, with Dyspeptic Symptoms, Hot Hands, Flushing of the Body, Dryness of the Skin, Pallid Countenance and Eruption on the Face, Pain in the Back, Heaviness of the Eyelids, Face, Pain in the Back, Heaviness of the Eyends, Frequently Black Spots Flying before the Eyes, with Temporary Suffusion and Loss of Sight; Want of Attention, Gre t Mobility, Restlessness, with Horror of Society Nothing is more Desirable to such Patients than Solitude, and nothing they more dread for fear of themselves; no Repose of Manner, no Earnestness, no Speculation, but a Hurried Transition of Society Research to another.

These symptoms, if allowed to go on—which this medicine invariably r move—as soon follows LOSS OF POWER, FATUITY, and EPILEPTIC FITS in one of which the patient may expire. Who can say that these excesses are not frequently followed by those direful diseases—INSANITY and CON SUMPTION? The records of he INSANE ASY-LUMS, and the melancholy deaths by CONSUMP-TION, bear ample witness to the truth of these assertions. In Lunatic Asylums the most melan-choly exhibition appears. The countenance is ac-tually sodden and quite destitute—neither Mirth nor Griefever visits it. Should a sound of the voice occur, it is rarely articulate.

"With woeful measure wan despair Low sullen sounds his grief beguiled." Debility is most terrible! and has brought thousands upon thousands to untimely graves, thus blast-ing the ambition of many noble youths It can be cured by the use of this

INFALLIBLE REMEDY! II you are suffering with any of the above distressing ailments, the FLUID EXTRACT BUCHU will cure rou. Try it and be convinced of its efficacy. BEWARE of QUACK NOSTRUMS AND QUACK DOCTORS, who falsely boast of abilities and references. Citizens know and avoid them, and save long suffering, money and exposure, by sending or alling for a bottle of this popular and SPECIFIC REMEDY.

It allays all pain and inflammation, is perfectly pleasant in its taste and odor, but immediate in its

HEI MBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU is prepared directly according to the rules of PHAR-MACY and CHEMISTRY, with the greatest accuracy and Chemical knowledge and care devoted in its combination. See Professor DEWEES' Valua-ble Works on the Practice of Physics and most of the late Standard Works of Medicine.

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One hundred dollars will be paid to any Physician who can prove that the Medicine ever injured a patient; and the testimony of thousands can be pro duced that it does great good. Cases of from one week to thirteen years' standing have been effected. The mass of VOLUNTARY TESTIMONY in possession of the Proplictor, vouching its virtues, and curative powers, is immense, embracing names well known to SCIENCE AND FAME.

190,000 Bottles have been Sold!, and not a single instance of a failure has been reported! Personally appeared before me, an Alderman of the City of Philadelphia, H. T. HELMBOLD, Chemist, who being duly sworn, does say, that his preparation contains no Narcotic, Mercury or injurious Drug, but are purely Vegetable.
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To be had at C. E. BELLER & CO. and of all lruggists and Dealers throughout the United States Canadas and British Provinces.

Beware of Counterfeits.—Ask for Helmbold's-Take No Other .- Cures Guarantied. March 17, 1857-1y.

TOM TELEGRAPH.

THIS celebrated Premium Horse will stand the ensuing season; commencing the 23d of March, and terminating 25th June, on Mondays. Tuesdays and Wednesdays, at George Johnston's stable in Berryville, and at Wm. Drew's, near Charlestown on Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays.
TERMS Fifteen dollars the season-twenty to insure a mare in foal, and fifty cents to the groom for each mare. Parting with the mare after having

PEDIGREE. This fine stallion who took the Premium at the State Agricultural Fair of 1854, and the two preceding Fairs in Loudoun, is a beautiful dark bay with black mane, tail and legs, of fine action and appear-ance, going all gaits well, without ever having been gaited-is sixteen and a half hands high, and

her insured, forfeits the insurance money.

well proportioned for Saddle or Harness, and is ten years old this Spring.

He was sired by Tom Telegraph, who was gotten by old Marvland Tom out of the dam of Bachelor, and was well known through Loudoun and Fauquier as the sire of the best saddle horses of the present

The dam of young Tom was sired by Lafayette, grand dam by Eagle out of a Loudoun sorrel mare, therein combining the best crosses ever known in this section of the country, for beauty of size and elegance of carriage, together with long life and great endurance.

I will add that Tom has proven himse'f well fitted I will add that Tom has proven himse'f well fitted or So. Vitus' Dance, to counteract the destructive as a stock horse, as his colts are now old enough to effects. Mercury, and all Diseases arising from an be used, turning out remarkably fine and sell at JOHN W. LUKE.

very high prices. . March 24, 1857-3m. HOUSE AND SIGN PAINTING. THE subscriber continues to give his personal at tention to every thing appertaining to his line of business. He is prepared to execute promptly

and satisfactorily

HOUSE AND SIGN PAINTING, of every description. He flatters himself that by strict attention to his business to mcrit the continued patronage of the citizens of Jefferson and neighboring counties. He is also prepared to do all kinds of Paper Hanging

with taste and dispatch, on most accommodating

REFERENCES William F. Turner, | Lewis W. Washington, Robert M. English, John Y. Beall, Rich'd B. Washington, | Washington Lewis. John T. Gibson.

CALEB MASON. Shop opposite Dr. Mason's residence. Charlestown, Feb. 14, 1857-1y. SPECIAL NOTICE.

LL persons having claims against John Kable, A dec'd., are requested to present them properly authenticated, and they will be speedily adjusted. Those who are indebted to him are requested to make immediate payment. While we desire to indulge Debtors, the interests of all concerned, Creditors and Legaters, and the distance the Administra-tor, resides from Kabletown, forbid it. No indulgence, therefore, need be expected, by those who disregard this notice.

JOHN E. MASSEY, Adm'r of John Kable, dec'd.

CHALFANT'S BALM OF A THOU-SAND FLOWERS.—Having received a fresh supply of this unrivalled Balm, from the manufacturer, retail dealers will find it to be to their interest to send their orders to us. Retail price 25 cents HUTCHISON & BURNETT. March 10, 1857. NOTICE.

S I have taken charge of the M. E. Burial A Ground in Charlestown, and will hereafter Dig and Improve all graves, this is to give notice, that no one else will be allowed to dig graves in said ground.

JESSE BLOCKLEY. ground. March 10, 1857—3t. HELMBOLD'S highly concentrated Extract Bu-chu, is prepared directly according to the rules of Pharmacy and Chemistry, and is the best and

most active preparation which can be made for the cure of Discases of the Bladder, Kidneys, Gravel, Dropsy, Weaknesses, &c. Read the advertisment in another column, headed "Helmbold's Genuine March 17, 1857. Preparation." EW SPRING GOODS, just received by A. W. CRAMER. March 31, 1857.

BONNETS AND RIBBONS, just opened by A W. CRAMER. March 3:, 1857. CLOVERSEED. 2 BUSHELS PRIME CLOVERSEED, for sale by

J. N. & L. L. SADLER. HAIR DYES.—Batchelor's, Jones' and Alexander's, For sale by BELLER & COOKE.
October 1, 1855. SWEET POTATOES, for sale by Oct. 11. KEYES & KEARSLEY.

ATTENTION, FARMERS!

Guano Excel ed BY DE BURG.

IT is a settled point with all Chemists and scientific Farmers, that Peruvian or any other de scription of guano, dees not supply to the sail one-third of the necessary constituents for the growth of all cross, on all soils; and the analysis of wheat, rye, corn, oats, potatoes, tobacco, &c., prove the fact. Every one who has had any experience in the use of guano, knows, that the land becomes exhausted and impoverished by its continued applica-

The true secret of farming, as we understand it, is to furnish the land with the cheapest manure, that will grow the largest crops, and at the same time If no object of De Burg is to supply to the soil all, and every requisite required by the crop for its growth an maturity, and leave a surplus for its subsequent improvement. Not supplying yearly costly manures for the one crop alone, without a prospect for future benefit, but to grow as large crops of every description as guano, and add perminently to the improvement and fertility of the

land.
Dr. David Stewart, Professor of Chemistry at St.
John's College, Annapolis, Md., and the Chemist
to the Maryland Sta e Agricultgral Society—analyzes every lot of De Burg we receive, and says, in is reports to us:
De Burg's compound is much more generally aluable to the practical farmer than any mixture of phosphates and ammonia or manipulated guano.

There are other elements in De Burg to which ttarh as much importance as ammonia and phosphates, and I cannot pass a cargo where one of these is absent, however much ammonia and phos-

phates are present. How. R. Y. CONRAD, Winchester, Va., says, 18th December, 1856: "For two years I have applied De Burg to the corn crop, such time with very mark-ed effect in increasing the product. That no mis-take might exist as to the cause, I have left rows in the field, to which none was applied, and the difference of yield was perfectly obvious. I applied about a table spoonful to each hill, before covering, mixed with said or earth, to about a handful."

FAUQUIER CO.—R. H. Dulady, Esq., applied De Burg on his corn and spring crops, and was much pleased with the result. It fully equalled Peruvian JOSEPH NEWMAN, Esq., Gordonsville, Va., 14th December, applied De Burg and No. 1, Peruvian

favor of the De Burg. NOTICE. For the protection of our own and the farmer's interest, and to avoid any mistake on the part of the manufacturer, every lot we receive is thoroughly inspected and analysed, by Dr. David Stewart, Chemist to Maryland State Agricultural Society. who rejects all that does not come up to the fixed standard: thereby guarant eing to the farmer a uniformity not to be found in Guano or any other

Guano on corn, side by side, same rate per acre,

fertilizer; and farmers will also Bear in Mind, That it is only De Burg that produces the above re sults, and in consequence of the greatly increased depland—which is beyond all precedent in artificial manures-many imitations have been put upon the market, and palmed off for the genuine. Farmers should therefore be particular, and buy none except from responsible dealers. The genuine is in barrels with WHITE HEADS, stencilled C.B. DE BIRG'S No. 1 AMMONIATED SUPER-PROS-PHATE OF LIME, in BLACK LETTERS; to secure

42 PRATT STREET, BALTIMORE, MD. Present price, \$43 per ton of 2,000 lbs., or \$13 per ton cheaper than Peruvian Guano.

> DE BURG'S NO. 1 MANIPULATED GUANO!

WE intend keeping on hand a full supply of the above, composed of Peruvian and Phosphatic Guanos, warranted of uniform quality Every lot is subjected to the inspection of Dr David Stewart, Chemist to Maryland State Agri cultural Society, which is a protection to the Farm er and a guarantee of its quality, and will be found upon examination, superior as the analysis proves, to any eretofore sold in this market, Mr. De Burg's facilities and machinery for uniform manipulation, are superior to any other in this country Analysis of De Burg's No. 1, Manipulated Guana:

Mixed Phosphates......46.76 9.65 per cent. of Pure Ammonia.

" of Phosphates. DAVID STEWART, M. D. Chemis' Md. State Agricultural Society, St. John's College, Annapolis, Md., Dec. 11, 1856. Price \$48 per ton of 2,000 pds. in strong bags. J J. & F TURNER, 42 Pratt Street, Baltimore Md.

Felt. Composition and Gravel Roofing DERSONS building are informed that these ROOFS although new here, have been well tested in New York and elsewhere, and are found to be the cheapest, and most durable FIRE PROOF ROOF known. References furnished on application. Orders socited.

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BOOKS! BOOKS!! BOOKS!!! We respectfully invite the attention of Teachers VV and parents to our large and general assortment of School Booksaviz: Parker's Revised Philos. opby and Colton and Fitch's Physical and Modern Geographies which are now being introduced in schools in all the States.

HUTCHISON & BURNETT. September 13, 1856. COMPOUND SYRUP Of Sarsaparilla! AREFULLY prepared from choice Sarsaparilla, United States Dispensatory It is highly recom

mended in Scrofula in all its forms; diseases of the Skin, Eruptions, &c., Rheumatism, Dyspepsia, Chronic Diseases of the Lungs, Cancerous Affections, Jaundice, Hypertrophy or Enlargement of the Heart, Palpitation and Trembling in the region of Htm eart and Stomach, Neuralgia, Scurvy, Chorea, impre state of the Blood. Prepared and sold by BELLER & COOKE. March 10. 1857. FOR MEDICINALPURPOSES.

GINGER Brandy; Wild Cherry Brandy;

Blackberry Brandy, just received. These preparations are now preferred by Physicians, in many cases, to Liquors in the ordinary forms, possessing not only the advantage of the very purest Brandy, but the properties of the medicinal articles, most elegantly distilled. These articles will be kept constantly on hand, to gether with the very best French Brandy, true Port Wine, &c., for medicinal uses only, by June 14, 1556. HUTCHISON & BURNETT. COLT'S AND ALLEN'S POCKET

PISTOLS. GOOD assortment of Colt,s and Allen's Revolv-A Pistols, percussion caps, powder flasks, &c., for sale by CHAS. G. STEWART. November 20, 1855. NOTICE.

THE undersigned would earnestly request all those indebted to him for Advertisements, and Subscriptions to the Spirit of Jefferson for the last year, to call and settle up, as he desires to close his business as soon as possible. WILLIAM LUCAS, Jr. TEACHER WANTED.

TEACHER wanted in District No. 26, to com-mence on the first day of April next. To a man with a small family, a convenient House and Garden can be furnished near the School House. February 7, 1857. WM. ENGLE, Com. ASTRONOMICAL LECTURES. C UBSCRIBER'S Tickets for the course; also, Tickets for children, to be had, at Messrs. Beiler. & Cooke's and at Messrs. Hutchison & Burnett's. Immediate attention is required.

Dec. 27 1856.

CARPET RODS. HAVE just received a supply of Carpot Rods, 36 inches long by 1½ inches wide; also Men and Boys' Skates of all sizes and prices

Dec. 20, 1856.

THOS. RAWLINS. DRESCRIPTIONS compounded in the most accurate and scientific manner, and from Medicines of undoubted good quality, the purest and best to be had.

BELLER & COOKE. March 25, 1856.

DRESS GOODS. WE have a nice stock of Dress Goods, which we offer great bargains to close. VV offer great bargains to close. Feb. 14, 1856. J. N. & L. L. SADLER. MITH'S and Rose's Whooping Cough Cordial— A certain cure for the Whooping Cough, Asthma and for sale by
Eeb. 21. HUTCHISON & BURNETT. TWO BLS. No. 1 ET IERIAL OIL just received and for sale by HUTCHISON & BURNETT. Feb. 21. READ! READ!! YE AFFLICTED, READ!!! Preparation, Fluid Extract Buchu, which has accomplished the most extraordinary cures of all other similar remedies. Read the advertisement in another column, headed "Helmbold's Genuine Preparation"

Preparation." Beware of quack nostrums and quack doctors.

Use Helmbold's Highly Concentrated Extract
Buchu for all Disease of the Bladder, Ridneys and Sexual Organs. Read the advertisement, "Helmbold's Genuine Preparation."

COMMISSIONER'S SALE

REAL ESTATE IN pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court of J fferson County, rendered on the 27th day of May, 1854, in the case of Henry Buckles' Administrator and others, against John R. Hayden's Administrator and others, the undersigned as Special Commissioner, will proceed to sell on

THURSDAY, 16th of April, 1857, if fair, otherwise on the first fair day thereafter, be-fore the Court-House door, is the town of Pailippi in the County of Barbour, State of Virginia, the ollowing described. TRACT OF LAND,

situated in the said County of Barbour. (late Lewis,) on the east side of Buckanon river, and which was conveyed by George A. Hayden, on the 30th day of September. 1822, to John R. Hayden, by deed of that date, duly recorded in the Clerk's Office of the County Court of Lewis County aforesaid, which original deed is filed in the papers of this suit of Buckles' Administrator, &c., ss. Hayden's Administrator, &c., and to which reference may be had; said Tract hereby intended to be sold, being represented in said Deed, as a part of a larger tract patented to George Arnold, assigned of George Ingrepresented to George Arnold, assigned of George Jackson, and as containing 2×201 ACRES, and 10 POLES, minus 710 Acres, before sold off; conveyed 400 Acres of which was to Anthony Kramer, 200 Acres to Wm. French, and 140 Acres conveyed to Job Ward, as mentioned in the said deed from Ceo. A. Hayden to John R. Hayden, leaving 2080 ACRES

bereby offered for Sale.
TERMS OF SALE. One fourth cash; and the balance in 1, 2 and 3 equal instalments of 9, 18 and 24 months, without interest; reserving the title until the last payment is made. Bond and security will also be required for the deferred payments March 3, 1857. Special Commissioner

60-Clarksburg Register. Public Sale. ON TUESDAY, APRIL 21st, 1857, if fair, if not, the next suitable day thereafter, will be sold, to the highest bidder, the greater part of the

Personal Property,

of John Kable, der'd at Kabletown. Among various other articles to a a a :- ous meatin, are 15 Negroes-1 Man 2 Women, 5 Boys, and 7 Girls - some of them very likely and val uable; 8 Horses; " fine lot of Cows; Hors and Sheep: Road Wagon; Horse Cart and Farming Utensils generally; 12 Acres of Wheat in the ground at Mr. P. H. . ouse's ; much raluable Household and Kitchen Ferniture ; Good Piano. &c . &c : Huy. Uats and Corn; a very superior par of French Mill Burrs; a new Patent Bron Duster ; Corn Shell rand Horse Power ; Strum Cutter ; Wheat Fun ; nice Riding

Carriage, &c., &c. The following property will be rented on the same FLOUR MILL, known as "Avon Mills," with Saw and Plaster Mills attached. These just ly rank among the first class Mills in the Valley, both as to quality and location.

Sale to commence at 10, A M., when terms will be made known

JOHN E. MASSEY, Adm'r

JOHN E. MASSEY, Adm'r J. W. McGINNIS, Auctioneer.

March 24, 1857-4t. Virginia, Jefferson County. Sct. IN THE COUNTY COURT, MARCH TERM, 1857. Complainant, Eben Trussell,

VS. Gerard D. Moore, Administrator of Vincent W. Moore, dec'd, Mary G. Moore, widow, and Nancy N. Moore, Richard C. Moore and William S. Moore, infants and orphans of said V W. Moore, dec'd. Defendants.

IN CHANCERY. [EXTRACT FROM DECREE, 18th MARCH, 1857.] O's consideration whereof the Court doth adjudge order and decree, that this cause be referred to Commissioner Botts, who is hereby ordered to ascertain and report to this Court, what real estate was left by Vincent W. Moore at his death, and its total and annual value, also the value of the personal estate left by Vincent W. Moore at his death, and the amount of debts due from the said Vincent W. Moore at his death, binding on his eal estate and the Court doth further adjudge, order and decree that the said Commissioner 30tts, do further audit and report to this Court, all the debts of the said Vincent W. Moore, calling his creditors before him by publication in the "Spirit of Jefferson" for four weeks and ascertaining and reporting their several priorities and dignities, and distinguishing those binding on the real estate, and that he do fur-ther ascertain and report to this Court, the cash value of the dower of Mary G. Moore in the real estate of her late husband, Vincent W. Moore, as also the annual value of said dower interest, and make

his report to this Court in order to a final decreg. A Copy—Teste,
T. A. MOORE, Clerk. All persons interested in the above decree and all creditors of the said Vincent W. Moore are hereby required to attend at the office of White & Botts in Charlestown, on Saturday, the 2nd day of May 1857, between the hours of 10, A. M., and 6 P. M. at which time and place I will execute the foregoing decree.

LAWSON BOTTS, Comm'r.

March 31 1857-4w. In the Circuit Court of Jefferson Co., Va. Harley Greenwood, Guardian of Francis W. Mc

James L. Vamilton and others. THE object of the Petitioner, Harley Greenwood, I in this case, is to obtain an order from the Ciruit Court of Jefferson county, Virginia, at its May Term, 1857, authorizing the payment of all m nies and the transfer of all personal property, except slaves, in this State, in the hands of William O. McCoughtry, Guardian of Francis W. McCoughtry, or others, belonging to said ward, to the said Harley Greenwood as Guardian of said Francis W. Mc-Coughtry, in Fountain county, Indiana, and notice is hereby given to all persons interested. HARLEY GREEN WOOD, Guardian of Francis W McCoughtry.



THE GREATEST MEDical Discovery of the Age, is AYER'S CATHARTIC PILLS. ARE YOU SICK? AYER'S PILLS, glide, sugar-

-hod, over the palate, but their energy, although wrapped up, is there, and tells with giant force on the very foundation of disease.—
There are thousands of sufferers who would not wear their distempers if they knew they could be cured fo twenty five cents. Try Ayer's Pills, and von will know it. rify i'm bland and discase will be starved out. Cleanse the system of impurities and you are

Take this best of all Purgatives, and Scrofula, Indigesti n. Weakness, Headache, Backache, Sideache, Jauadice, Rheumatism, derangements of the Liver, Kidneys and Bowels, all derangements and all diseases which a purgative remedy can reach, fly bfore them like darkness before the Sun. Reader, if you are suffering trom any of the nuremedy has been provided for you, and it is criminal to neglect it. That Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, is the best medicine for a cough, is known to the whole world, and that Ayer's Pills are the best of all Pills, is known to those who have used Hem. Prepared by Dr. J. C. Aven, Practical Chemist, Lowell, Ms., and sold by all Druggists and Dealers n Medicine through this section. Also for sale by HUTCHISON & BURNETT,

AND BELLER & COOKE. Perfumery! E respectfully invite the attention of all lov Y ers of Perfumery, to the following extracts for the handkerchief, warranted of the best French and American make.

Hovenia. Marechale, Chrystal Palace, Geraniumi Rose, Millefleur, Spring Flowers, Mignionette, Jockey Club, Patchouly, West End, New Mown Hay, &c., &c., Bond Caroline, HUTCHISON & BURNETT. March 10 1857

TO THE PUBLIC. THE Partnership heretofore existing between Phomas W. Davis and mysel! having been dissolved, I will continue to serve MEATS to the public. As I am just starting in life, with but ittle capital save a knowledge of my business, I must adopt the CASH SYSTEM, feeling satisfied that it will not only benefit myself but all persons con-I would respectfully solicit a share of the custom, and will promise attention to business, and use my utmost exortions to please all who may favor me

JAMES L. HENSON. WASTAR'S BABSAM of WILD CHER-RY —A lot of this valuable Family Medi-cine, received from the agents, and for sale by BELLER & COOKE. March 10, 1857.

with their patronage.

SPECTACLES HAVE received a few dozen steel frame Specia cles, from P. B. Sadtler & Sons, Opticiana, Bal-timore, suitable for different ag s. For sale at the Market House, by THOS. RAWLINS, March 16, 1857.

CASH FOR NEGROES.

THE undersigned takes this method of informing those who have negroes to sell, that he is prepared, at all times to purchase, at the highest market price for Cash. Those having negroes to dispose of, will find it to their interests to give him a call, before selling, as he is determined to pay Casn, in all cases. He will be found in Martinsburg on all public days.

WILLIAM CASKIE. February 14, 1857-17. A NEW BOOK FOR AGENTS. HE LIFE and TIMES of ALEXANDER HAM.

ILTON, by Samuel M. Smucker, A. M., author the Life and Reign of Nicholas I, of Russia, &c. This is the only complete and reliable biography this great man. He was the intimate personal lend of Washington, and by many considered his friend of Washington, and by many considered his equal.

This work includes a history of the times and men of the Revolution, and many incidents not heretofore given in history. It has all the charms of romance, although prepared from the most reliable and authentic sources, and should be in the hands of every American who reveres the great and good men of our Revolution. A sketch of Burr is also given, and an account of his miserable end.

Agents wanted in every part of the United States, for this and other valuable works, to whom the largest commissions will be paid. Copies sent by mail, on receipt of the price, \$1.

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Mill Stock.

[January 17, 1857.

JAMES S. ROBINSON,

PAPER WARE + OUSE,

No. 33 S. CHARLES STREET,

Fruit rees. HAVE on hand, at my nursery, on the farm of Wm. Lucas, Esq., near Halltown, a large number of Apple, Pear, Peach, Appricot, Plum, and Almand 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 to bud and propagate from his trees, which, added to my own selections, gives me all the best varieties. My Peach Trees, especially, are very fine. My terms are accommodating JAMES STRONICK. January 10, 1857 -2m

PLASTER AT HALLTOWY. THE subscriber, having got h PLASTER MILL in operation, is ready to t raish ground Plaster in any quantity on favorable terms, for cash, or in exchange for produce at the Market price.

G.ORGE W. FOX. March 10, 1857 - 9m. DEALAL NO ICE.

DR PIERCE has removed his ce from ap pington's Hotel, to the office merly oc spied by the late Wm. Lisle Baker, Esq., warket House. When not in the Office, he may be found at Carter's Hotel. [October 18, 1856. NEW BOOKS.

MACAULAY'S England—123 and 4 Vols.;
India by Mrs. Southworth;
Mimic Life, by Mrs. Ritchie;
Fact and Fiction, by L. M. Childs;
Christine or Woman's Trials and Triumphs; Shoepac Recullections, a Way-side Glimpse of American Life; The Courtesies of Wedded Life; Earnest Lindwood:

United States and Canada, by Miss Murry; The Three Marriages or Life at a Watering 'Place;
Just received and for sale by
BELLER & COOKE. EXCELSIOR CORN AND COB MILLS. CRANGERS' MAGIC CORN AND COB MILLS.

Of The subscriber, Agent of the makers, solicits orders for these valuable farmer's mills. Prices vary from \$30 to \$50. Both machines are of the best

quality and soon save their cost.
BILLINGS HOBART, Jr. May 24, 1856. HAY, STRAW AND FODDER CUT-

TERS THE undersigned has been appointed agent for the sale of Cumming's Hay, Straw and Fodder Cutters, manufactured by Mr. John W. Barley, of Winchester. The Cutters are adapted to either Hand or Horse power-is built in the most substan tial and workmanlike manner, and with fair trial warrant d to give entire satisfaction. Price of the Cutter for Hand \$23; Horse power \$30, freight added. Eor sale at the Market House, Charlestown. T. RAWLINS. January 10, 1557.

Dissolution.

THE partnership heretofore existing under the name of Cramer & Hawks, has been this day

dissolved. Wells J. Hawks is fully authorize to

settle the business of the firm. A. W. CRAMER, W J. HAWKS. Charlestown, January 1, 1857. -A CARD. -HAVING purchased the interest of Wells J. Hawks in the firm of Cramer & Hawks, I will con-

duct the Mercantile Business at the same place. . AMBROSE W. CRAMER. OXYGENATED BITTERS. THIS celebrated Dyspepsia and Asthma curer can be had at Hutchison & Burnett's Apothecary Store, Charlesiswn, Va. October 18, 1856.

RILLS FROM the FOUNTAIN of LIFE OR Sermons to Children, by Rev. R. Newton, D. D., Rector of St Paul's Church, Philadelphia BELLER & COOKE. November 29, 1856. THORN'S COMPOUND EXTRACT OF COPAIVA and SARSAPARIELA.-A certain. U safe and most effectual remedy ever discovered for the cure of Gonorrhæ, Gleets, Strictures, Whites,

ritation of the Bladder, Gravel, Scorbutic symptoms, &c., just received and for sale by BELLER & COOKE. PAINTS, OILS, TURPENTINE&c., 2,000 LBS. Lewis' Pure Lead; 100 lbs. Lewis' Chrome Green, groundin

Pains in the rack and and loins, seminal weakness.

affections of the Kidnies, pritation of the Urethra. ir

Oil; 50 lbs Chrome Yellow, ground in Oil; 50 lbs. Verdigris: 2 bbls. Pure Lindseed Oil; 1 do Spirits of Turpentine; 200 lbs. Putty in Bladders; All of which we now offer at very low price

June 14, 1866. HUTCHISON & BURNETT PASCHALL'S FEVER & AGUE MIX-TURE.—This preparation has been found af-ter extensive trial to be a certain cure for Fever and Ague, or Intermitting Fever. It is composed entire ly of vegetable substances, and contains nothing that can act injuriously upon the system. For sale by the Agents. BELLER & COOKE. the Agents, May 3, 1856. WATCHES AND JEWELRY.

PHE subscriber has returned from the Eastern Ci-I ties with a handsome supply of Goods in his line such as Gold and Silver Watches, Breast Pins, Ear Rings, Gold Pens and Pencils, Gold Vest and Fol ins, Seals and Keys, in short almost every article in his line of business, which he hopes his o friends and the public generally will call and see. CHAS. G. STEWART Norway Iron. HAVE received a lot of Norway Horse Shoe Iron

and Nail Rods, a first rate article to be had cheap of THOMAS RAWLINS. May 24 1856. CHRISTMAS GOODS. HAVE returned from Baltimore with the fines desortment of Christmas Goods ever befor e 11 Call at d see. J. F. BLE 4517 C December 13, 1856

STAPLE GOODS. BLANKETS 8-4 to 1-4 Crib and Cracle Blankets, Flannels of every color and qualit, Bed Tick-ing, brown and bleached Cotton, and Cotton Flan-nel, just received J. N. & L. L. SADLER.

October 11, 1856. BACON AND LARD. OUNTRY Hams and Lard, for sale by CRAMER & HAWKS. New Goods. E are now receiving a large supply of season able goods. KEYES & KEARSLEY.

DRESS TRIMMINGS. I/EYES & KEARSLEY have just received a large A addition to their asssortment of Dress Trimmings. May 17, 1856. . B HEIM. J. NICODEMUS. GEO. P. THOMA

HEIM, NICODEMUS & CO.,

Importers and Dealers in Foreign and

October 11, 1856.

Domestic Liquors, of every description.

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Baltimore, April 12, 1853—if CLOVER SEED. CAN furnish CLOVER SEED at the lowest market rates. Call and seen lot just received. Feb. 14, 1857-3t. E. M. AISQUITH.

R isLEY'S REDONIA GARDEN SEEDS, war-ranted of the latest growth and lest quality for sale by HUTHIGON & BURNETT. Feb. 14, 1857. GROUND PEPPER.—A very superior article
Ground Pepper, for sale by
November 8, 1856.
BELLER & COOKE. JUST received another supply of Concentrated Lye, to be had at the Market House Sept 12, 1856. T. RAWLINS.

GOULEY'S Celebrated Vegetable Bitters, for sale by BELLER & COOKE.

PROSPECTUS OF "THE SOUTH A Democratic Newspaper, public Richmond City, va.

Richmond City, va.

BEFORE the close of this month, the subscriber

Will issue the first number of a newspaper,
which he proposes to publish in daily and anniweekly editions, and which he intends to devote to
the service of the South, the interests of the State,
and to the support of the principles of the Denocratic party. But the paper will not be as exclusively political that its columns will only interest
the politician; nor so subservient to party as to
spare had men; to betray principle for the sale of
power, or to disguise its convictions at the suggestion of expediency.

I shall endeavor to commend it to intelligent persons of all classes, by diligence in the collection of
news; by imparting something of agricultural,
commercial and hterary interest to its columns,
and by venturing an outspoken and emphatic opinion of the topics of the day, no matter what the
hazard of conflict with prejudice or of offence to the
self-appointed leaders of party. The organ of me
clique, in the interest of no faction, and with me
partial purpose to serve, the paper will address itself to the honest judgment of the people; and forsupport will rely upon their appreciation of energy
and enterprise, and their love of plain talk and independent action. There may be particular insitviduals to whom this sort of discussion will not be
very acceptable, but if I can conciliate the facts of
the masses, I may survive the opposition of ignorant or interested critics. No doubt servile spirits

very acceptable, but if I can conciliate the faces of the masses, I may survive the opposition of ignorant or interested critics. No doubt servile spirits will be shocked at my seal in the defence of the South; still I have the consolatory assurance that there are plenty of brave and true men in Virginiz, upon whose sympathy and support I may rely with absolute security. And so believing, I embark upon the enterprise with no misgiving as to the results. "The Sourn" will be of an equal size with the leading papers of the city; and will be furnished to subscribers at the following rates; Daily, \$7 a year; Semi-Weekly, \$5—payable in advance.

Money may be sent by mail to the address of ROGER A. PRYOR,

March 17, 1857. Editor and Proprietor. THE attention of Physicians is called to the follow



Valeriante of Iron; Valeriance of Quinine: Citrate of Quinine and co of Manganese Veratria; Prot. Iodide of Mercury; Elaterium.

Loudens & Co.'s Family Medicines; Hoofland's German Bitters; Hampton's Vegetable Tincture; Rose's Cough Syrup; Radway's Ready Relief;

Davis' Pain Killer; Tarrant's Letzer Aperient; Husband's Magnesia; Henry's Limes' Cod Liver Oil; Diarrhea Cordial: Helmbold's Extract of Sarsaparilla; of Buchu; do. Fahnestock's Vermifuge; McLane's Brown's Essence Ginger; Bull's Sarsaparilla;

Swaine's Panacea: McMunus Elixer Opium; Cannon's Vegetable Bitters; Mexican Mustang Liniment; Whitehead's Essence Mustard; Little's White Oil: Dalley's Pain Extractor;

Fogether with many others.
February 12, 1856. BELLER & COOKE. WE wish to purchase DRIED APPLES and BEANS KEYES & KEARSLEY. December 13, 1856.

I HAVE received a lot of Burden's Horse Shoes, No. 1, 2, 3 and 4, which I will sell cheap for Cash or upon a short credit to punctual customers.

August 2, 1856. THOS. RAWLINS. JUST received a prime lot patent AXE HELVES.
To be had at the Market House, of
Feb. 14, 1956. THOMAS RAWLINS.

tifying in its effects, making the hair soft and glossy in appearance, removing at once dandruff and itch-ing and all cutaneous eruptions, as well as restoring the Grey and Baldness. For sale by BELLER & COOKE.

NOTICE TO SLAVE OWNERS. A T December Court a PATROL was appointed for the town and country immediately adjacent,

December 20, 1856. WHICH will most effectually cure all diseases of the skin; beautify the complexion by eradicating all Tan, Freckles and Pimples from the face; leanse the Teeth and delicately perfume the Breath. For Shaving and Washing it is unsurpassed. As an article for the Toilet, it has no equal.

Price 25 cents per bottle. A liberal deduction

September 13, 1856. TARRANT'S CORDIAL ELIXER OF TURKEY RHUBARB.—This prepara-tion cannot be too strongly recommended to the ma-ny thousands now auffering from Dyspepsia or Indi-gestion, and its consequences, Bilious and Nervous Headache, Diarrhea, Constination, Gout, Rheuma-tism, Flatulency, Gravel, &c., just received and for sale by BELLER & COOKE. May 3, 1856.

Notice. DERSONS indebted for TOLL at either of th Gates of Smithfield, Charlestown and Harpers-Ferry Turnpike, are respectfully requested to pay their accounts, as they have been contracted against the rules, and to the detriment of the company. By

Fig'd Black and Plain Silks,

G. B. SMITH'S WHOOPING COUGH TRUP.—Just received a supply of this well trice and well known remedy for whooping Cough. We at liberty to refer to Physicians in car town

PICKLES. 10,000 FINE CUCUMBER PICKLES, for December 13, 1856. J. F. BLESSING.

OHA NLS.—We have just received a lot superior of the Ladies.

J. N. & L. L. SADEER.

which gow receiving and which are guarant to be of the best quality, viz: Dento. lodide of Mercury; Citrate of Potash: Iron by Hydrgoen; Vallets' Mass; Sublarbonate of Iron; Chlorate of Bi Tart: Precip Carb of do Valeriante of Zinci Acetate do Cyanide Cyamoret of do., Phosphate of Ammonia; Phosphate of Soda; lodide of Iron; do of Lead;

Besides a large variety not necessary to mention.
HUTCHISON & BURNETT. PATENT MEDICINES
SOLD BY E. C. BELLER & CO.

Hedgeman, Clark & Co.'s Cod Liver Oil; Stabler's Anodyne Expectorant; Sand's do.; Thompson's Eye Water;

McAllister's All-Healing Salve; Judkins' Ointment;

KEYES & KEARSLEY. () RANGES, LEMONS and RAISINS, just re-December 13, 1856. KEYES & KEARSLEY. BURDEN'S HORSE SHOES.

DLACK OIL VARNISH, put up in gints and half pints, for sale by BELLER & COOKE. March 3, 1857. DEOFESSOR WOOD'S HAIR RESTO-RATIVE.—This teautiful and pleasant pre-paration for universal toilet use, is naturally beau-

and placed under my charge, with Mr. Hiram O'-Bannon as assistant. I give this notice to slave owners that if their servants are caught in the town after 8 o'clock at night, without a pass they will be dealt with as the law directs in all cases.

C. G. BRAGG.

HUTCHISON & BURNETT.

May 3, 1856.

We would call the attention of our customers and the public generally to our stock of Goods adapted to the Fall and Winter Trade, consisting in

Hunt's Liniment.

order of the Directors, FRANCIS YATES,
December 6. FRANCIS YATES, NEW GOODS

part of Delaine Rober, fig'd and plain Delaines, Col'd and Black Bombazines and Alpacas Gala Plaids Scotch Plaid, Gingnams and Prints

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J. N. & L. L. SADLER.

as to the certain efficacy of this preparation.

KID'S Drawing Knives, Broad Axes, Adres and Rounding Knives, to be had at Market House.

December 20. THOM AS KAWLINS.

A CERTAIN CURE FOR WHOOPING
COUGH.—Just received a supply of Gideon
B. Smith's Whooping Cough Cordial, a certain cure
for Whooping Cough. For sale by
BELLER & COOKE.

few years since, a farmer, living near Easton. Pennsylvania, sent his daughter on horseback to that town, to procure from the bank, small notes for one hundred dollars. When she arrived there the and was closed, and she endeavored to effect her blot by offering it at several stores, but could not at her note changed. She had not gone far on her other, when a stranger rode up to her and accosted with so much politeness, that she had not the Clightest suspicion of any evil intention on his part.
After a ride of a mile or two, employed in very social ion, they came to a retired part of the d, and the stranger commanded her to give him

It was with some difficulty that she could be made to believe him in earnest as his demeanor had been so friendly; but the presentation of a pistol placed that matter beyond a doubt, and she yielded to neco-sity. Just as she held the note to him a sudden put of wind blew the note into the road, and car-ried it gently several yards from them. The dispricous knight alighted to overtake it, and the lady whipped her borse to get out of his power, and the horse which had been left standing by her side started with ber. His owner fired a pistol after ber, which only tended to increase the speed of all parties, and the young lady arrived sate at home with the horse of the robber, on which was a pair of saddie bags. When these were opened, besides a quantity of counterfest bank notes, \$1500 in good money was found. The horse was a good one, and when enddled and bridled, was thought to be worth at least as much as the bank note that was stolen.

The Ancestry of Washington. The fame of Washington, to use a Western writer's simile, is not the phosphoric ray which gleams from smid the tombs of buried ancestry, but every merican must feel an interest in tracing the anof him who was " first in war, first in peace first in the hearts of his countrymen!" Irving traces the family from one of the Norman invaders of England down to Andrew and John Washington who emigrated to Virginia. John it is known, resided in Sedburg in the West Riding of Yorshire, and we find in the Philadelphia Sunday Mercury, the following memorandum by a sexton of that locality: I have taken all the names of the Washington family that can be made out, as the stones are much defaced. They are copied from gravestones in St. Andrew's churchyard, Sedburg, in the West ding of the county of York, and are as follows: mon Washington, died October 17, 1733, aged 63 years. James, son of H. and Agnes Washington, died 10th March, 1719, aged 19 weeks. Margaret, wife of Simon, died 12th of October 1760, aged 88 years. Isabel, daughter of Henry and Agnes Washington, died 2nd December, 1776, aged 28 years .-There are other names, which cannot be made out, as the stones are quite rotten and decayed.

AWFUL DEATH.-A young clerk in a store at Nashville, Tennessee, named E. C. Glascow, after having, in company with a friend, walked the streets until a late hour on the night of the 27th ult., during which time he drank several glasses of brandy mounted the railing of the suspension tridge to see some boats pass. While here, an | during a few minutes' absence of his companion, it is supposed he came drowsy, and fell to the shore beneath, a dis tance of one hundred feet, instantly killing himself. His arms, ege and back were broken, his flesh horribly cut and mutilated, and his skull fractured .-He was tound in this condition next morning and a verdict returned accordingly.

.... The case of Dodridge C. Lee, for the murder of David Hume, a respectable citizen of Alexandria. by shooting him a short time since in the Patent Office at Washington, which had been on trial during four days in the criminal court at Washington, was given to the jury late on Saturday afternoon, who, after being out all night and until 11 o'clock Sunday morning, rendered a verdict of

Dr. J. Page Hopkins, formerly of Winchester, has received the appointment of consul at Tabasco., Mexico' from the new regime.

0 Wm. M. Burwell, Esq., formerly of the Washington Organ, has been upminated for the Virginia Senate by the Democrats of Bedford count !

SHARP SHOOTING .- A couple of voungters met, and passed the complements of the sea-

"Bob," said one, "have you seen Hall !-He's been looking for you all the morning." "Hall? what Hall." asked Bob. "Why Alco-Hall," you fool.

"Pshaw, rejoined Bob, that's a poor i ke, and you would not have caught me if I hadn't got hart last night when John tripped me

" John who," querried Dick. " Why, Demi John, you greenie."

THE RUSSIAN WAR! E have just published a new edition of this popular and saleable Work, and can now supply our Agents and Canvassers without DELAY.
Besides a complete History of the War, it in-

The Life and Reign of NICHOLAS I., with sketch es of SCHAMYL, the Circassian Chief, and other listinguished characters; also descriptions of Ruscian SOCIETY and GOVERNMENT, &c., making one of the most interesting works ever published -It is beautifully illustrated with fine tinted plates, and bound in the best manner. We send a specimen copy with particulars of agency to any part of the United States, free of postage, on receipt of the price, \$1,25. J. W. BRADLEY, Publisher. No. 48 North Fourth Street, Nov. 29, 1856. · Philadelphia, Pa.

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Jan 31, 1857.

J. N. & L. L. SADLER.

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COURT DAYS. CIRCUIT COURTS.
Beventh District-Thirteenth Circuit.
HICHARD PARKER, JUDGE.
FrederickJune 15. November 15.
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DISTRICT COURT. Composed of the Culpeper, Albemarle, Rockingham and Frederick Districts-sits annually in Winchester in the 15th day of December.] GREEN B. SAMUELS, Court of Appeals. RICHARD H. FIELD, Judges - Lucas P. Thompson, Circuit Courts. RICHARD PARKER, JOHN KINNEY,

Seventh District-Fourteenth Circuit. Shenandoah ... April 4, September 4.
Page ... April 14, September 14.
Hardy ... April 21, September 21. Rockingham May 15, October 15. MONTHLY COURTS.

Frederick-Monday before the 1st Tuesday. Hardy-Monday before the 1st Tuesday. Berkeley-Second Monday. Jefferson-Third Monday. Clarke-2d Monday in June and 4th Monday in Shenandoah-Monday before 2d Tuesday. Warren-Third Monday.

Morgan-Fourth Monday. QUARTERLY COURTS. Frederick-Monday before 1st Tuesday in March, June, August and November. Berkeley-2d Monday in March, June, August and Jefferson-3d Monday in March, June, August and November. Clarke-4th Monday in February, May, July and Morgan-4th Monday in March, June, Augustand Hampshire-4th Monday in March, June, August and November. Loudoun-2d Monday in March, June, Augustand November. Fauquier-4th Monday in March, May, August

Hardy-Monday before 1st Tuesday in March. June, August and November. Warren-3d Monday in Marc , May, August and Shenandoah-Monday before 2d Tuesdayin March, June, August and November. CLASSIFICATION OF MAGISTRATES. BRAXTON DAVENPORT, Presiding Justice

First Class-AUGUST TERM, 1856. John J. Lock, Roger Chew. Joseph Welshans. Second Class-NOVEMBER TERM, 1856. John F. Smith, Andrew Kennedy, William B. Morrison. Third Class-MARCH TERM, 1857. Logan Osburn, | William F. Alexander. John Quigley. Joseph L. Russell, Fourth Class-JUNE TERM, 1857.

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Seventh Class-MARCH TERM, 1853. R. W. Baylor, Samuel Ridenour, Israel Russell L. C. Heskitt. Eighth Class-JUNE TERM, 1858. John F. Hamtramck, John W. Grantham. Thomas W. Shriver,

And again in the same succession, the 1st class to commence again August Term, 1859. The monthly terms, to be held as follows. Septem. ber term by the 8th class; October term by the 7th class; December term by the 6th class; January term by the 5th class; February term by the 4th May term by the 2d class; and July term by the 1st class The presiding Justice to attend each and every term of the Court, as required by law.

August 30° 1855. A Copy—Teste, T. A. MOORE, Clerk: SADDLES, & C.
SHAFTO and Common Saddles, Bridles, Collars,
Halters, and Wagon Whips, to be had cheap at
the Market House of T. RAWLINS.

November 29, 1556. FANCY ARTICLES. OUR Stock has just been replenished, and now embraces almost every article that the taste of the most fastidious may desire.

BELLER & COOKE POSE'S COUGH SYRUP & EXPEGTORANT, for sale by the quantity, or by retail, together with Dr. Rose's Valuable Family Medicines, by the agents HUTCHISON & BURNETT. April 19, 1856.

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HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT, ncorporated in 1810-Charter Perpetual-Capital \$300,000. Frankin

FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF EHILADELPHIA.

Statement of Assets, \$1,761,463, January 1, 1856, published agreeably to an act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

B. W. HERBERT, Sub-Agent for J. S. Carson, THE INSURANCE COMPANY OF THE VALLEY OF VIRGINIA.

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Life THE UNITED STATES LIFE INSURANCE AN-NUITY AND TRUST COMPANY OF PHILADELPHIA. Assets, January 1st, 1856, \$1,421,612 42
N. B. Losses promptly adjusted and paid through
the Office of General Agency, at Richmond, Va. International Life

ASSURANCE SOCIETY NEWYORK AND LONDON CAPITAL \$2,500,000. N. B.—A Guarantee Fund of \$100,000 deposited with the Comptroller of the State of New York, for the security and benefit of ALL policy holders in the United States. The insurance of the lives of Slaves not exceeding

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P. Cooke, M. D. R. P. Magrude L. S. Eichelberger, i. D. The Agent will give his prompt attention and personal supervision to all risks whenever and wherever requested so to do. Application to be made to J. P. BROWN, Esq., Post Master, Charle town, or to the Agent through the Post Office, Charlestown. May 17, 1856-1y.

THE UNITE D STATS Life Lusurance Annuity and Trust COMPANY; OF PHILAD, LPHIA.

Slave Premiums THE following are the rates of Insurance for \$100 on the Life of a Slave, for the term of four years: AGES INCLUSIVE. AGES INCLUSIVE.

14 to 19. ...\$1,80 | 25 to 29. ...\$2,40

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more than one year,) is the same each year, the payment of which continues the Policy in force for its term, irrespective of the health of the slave; but the Policy may be discontinued by the holder thereofat his pleasure. 5th. Policies for the whole term of Four Years will e granted upon the payment in advance of three n i a half Annual Premiums.

6th With this office no difficulty need occur as to lexact age of the slaves insured, inasmuch as the

remiums vary only every Five Years.

7th: n case of difference of opinion as to the actucasn value of a slave, it may be determined by a cash value of a slave, it may be determined by a crence to two disinterested persons, chosen mutuy by the owner and Agent of the Company.

8th. A change of occupation to one more hazardous, renders avoid the Policy, unless the consent of the Company is first obtained in writing, and a commence of the consent of the cons mensurate extra premium paid therefor. 9th. No application for insurance will be entertained for a less period than one year, unless at the 10th. ONE DOLLAR includes the whole charge for 11th. Losses promptly adjusted and paid at Rich-

All further necessary information, as also blanks, books, statements, policies, &c., will be furnished by B. W. HERBERT, Agent. by May 31, 1856—1y.

CONTINUES to give prompt attention to all O branches of the Insurance Business, and is pre-pared to negotiate LIFE AND FIRE INSURANCE, n any amounts required, in the Hartford Fire Insurance Company, Hartford Connecticut, Fra klin In-

surance Co, of Philadelphia, and the Insurance Co. of the Valley of Virginia. With an experience of nearly six years in the business, and being possessed of peculiar advantages for ascertaining the strength of all Insurance Companies doing business in this and the Northern States, special attention will be given to placing risks only in Companies of undoubted responsibility, and where fair dealing may be relied upon in care of loss.

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Brown, Post Master, Charlestown, or B. W. HE BERT. Agent for Jefferson County, Va. P. S. Agents Post Office Charlestovin. May 10, 1856. ly. [F. P.]

SIMES' CORDIAL ELIXIR OF YELLOW PERUVIAN BARK. THIS Elixir comprises all the principles of Calisaya Bark in their native combinations, and derives additional energy from its c mbination with several grateful aromatic tonics. It is a most effective strengthener and restorative, admirably adapted to those cases of weak and languid habits of wo men and children, where the digestio! is impaired muscular system flacid and incapable of performing rigorously its proper functions.

For sale by HUTCHISON & LURNETT. November 29, 1856.

MAGDALEN HEPBURN A STORY of the Scotti h Reformation by the author of Zaidee, is a story filled with noble deeds such as portray the character of the Scotch during the Reformation, at the same time it wins the sym-pathy of the reader, for those that suffered the pangs of oppression, and when the readers as months be gins to turn to pity, the truth is revealed and the heart leaps with joy at its happy ending.

It can be had at HUTCHISON & BURNETT'S

YEW GOODS. JERE. HARRIS is receiving his supplies of FALL AND WINTER GOODS. The Stock consists of the latest and most approved style and make, being entirely new, He intends to sell at the very lowest prices, for cash, or to good dealers on the usual time. He therefore invites the citizers of the own and county to call. [Oct. 18, 1856

CONFECTIONERY. HAVE on band an unusually large supply of very description of Confectionery. Christmas is eming-propage for it. December 3, 18 6. J F. BLESSING. NOTICE

THERE will be a meeting of the Trustee's of the 1 Charlestown Academy at the office of Andrew Hunter, Esq., on Friday the 6th of March, at 12 o'clock. The Trustee's are specially requested to attend.

N. S. WHITE, Sec'y. RIDING and Buggy Whips of every description BELLER & COOKE'S. November 29.

MACKEREL and Herrings, for sale by CRAMER & HAWKS. WHALE BONE SKIRTS, for sale by Oct. 18. CRAMER & HAWKS. BROWN COTTONS, (manufactured at Harpers-Ferry,) fo sale by CRAMER & HAWKS. COUNTRY Cured Bacen and CIDER VINEGAR October 4, 1856.

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of every kind, with never-failing Remedies for
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-PRICE TWENTY-FIVE CENTS. THE Author of the above volume is a graduate of one first medical schools in the United States, and having devotof a quarter of a century to the study and areatment of Syphilis and kindred disorders as a speciality, he has become possessed of most invaluable information in regard to the same, and is able to compress into in regard to the same, and is able to compress into wade mecum compass the very quintessence of medical science on this important subject: as the result of the experience of the most eminent physicians in Europe and America is thoroughly demonstrated in his own highly successful practice in the treatment of secret diseases in many thousands of cases in the City of Philadelphia alone.

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family in the land, whether used as a preventive of secret vices, or as a guide for the alleviation of one of the most awful and destructive scourges ever visited upon mankind for the sins of sensuality and impurity of every kind It is a volume that has received the unqualified re-

commendation of the first physicians in the land, while many clergymen, fathers, mothers, philanthropists and humanitarians, have most freely extended its circulation in all quarters where its powerful teachings would be likely to be instrumental in the moral purification and physical healing of multitudes of our people, among the young volatile and indiscreet, otherwise the pride and flower of the

The author argues particularly, most strongly against every species of self-defilement, and warms parents and guardians, in searching terms, to guard the young of both sexes from the terrible conse nences concomitant of their ignorance of physioloical laws and sexual impurities and irregularities whether exhibited by precocious development or ari sing from the victous and corrupting examples of their school-mates or otherwise. To those who have been already ensuared to the "paths that take hold n hell," a clear and explicit way is shown by which they may secure a return of seund health, and a re-generation of the soil from its terril le pollution. It is well known that thousands of victims are annually sacrificed at the shrine of Quackery—espe-cially those suffering from Venercal or Syphilitic diseases—Strictures, Seminal Weakness, Nervous Debility, and the numer us maladies which spring directly or less remotely from the indulgence of carnal passions and secret violations of Nature. In view of these facts, and when it is also considered that about 100,000 persons die annually in the United States of Consumption—a large majority being the victims of the voluptuous indiscretion of their progenitors, agreeably to the Scriptural enunciation, that the sins of the parents are visited upon the chil-

dren, even to the third and fourth generation. The Author, imbued with sentiments of enlarged philanthropy, will scarcely be censured for any effort to estrain the vices of the age, by the humble instru-menta ity of his Med cal Manual. One copy, securely enveloped, will be forwarded free of postage to any part of the United States for 25 cents, or 6 cents for \$1. Address, post-paid, COSDEN & CO., Publishers, box 197, Philadelphia. mg-Booksellers, Canvassers, and Book Agents sup-plied on the most liberal terms, February 12, 1856-1v THE undersigned have just opened in Charles

town in the store roon near the Bank, and op posite to the stores of Harris & Ridenour's, a choice and well selected assortment of DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PAINTS, OILS, DYE-STUFFS, &C., which have been most carefully selected, and all medicines will be compounded with the utmost care

They desire, also, to keep in connection with their Drug Store, a GENERAL VARIETY, and FANCY STOCK, which will include every article that taste or the public necessity may require, if the want is suggested, and the profit will justify.

Their means being limited, and the heaviest articles being obtained only for cash, they will expect all the loose change their friends can spare, yet in the language of advertisements since time immemorial, they are always ready to sell "on a short time to punctual customers.' With the hope of receiving a share of public patronage, they pledge their best exertions and most persevering efforts, to render general satisfaction to

hose who may be kind enough to give them their upport. April 1, 1856. BELLER & COOKE. HALLTOWN

THE subscriber has just received and is now open-ing the best stock of dry Goods and Groceries, that he has ever had the pleasure of offering to the people of this vicinity, and would respectfully invite them to an examination of the same, and heindulges a hope that the very liberal . neouragement he has received the past year in his store, may be largely increased this fall, and that those who have heretofore manifested a wish for the welfare of the Halltown establishment, by putting their shoulders to the wheel, may still find it to their interest to favor him with their custom, as he feels assured that every thing commonly kept in a well furnished country store, can be had here as good and as cheap, as any other store in the county. GEO. W. FOX. \$3-I would take the present opportunity of informing the farming community, that I am putting up machinery at my Mill, for grinding plaster, and in a short time, will be able to supply them with that article on favorable terms. G. W. F.

October 2, 1856. THE SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN. TWLVTH 1/1/1 One Thousand Dollar Cash Prizes.

THE Twelth Annual Volum of this useful publication commences on the 13th day of Septem The "Scientific American" is an Illustrated Periodical, devoted chiefly to the promulgation of information relating to the various Lechanic and Chemic Arts, Industrial Manufactures, Agriculture, Patents, Inventions, Engineering, Millwork, and all interests which the light of Practical Science is calculated to advance.

Reports of U. S. Patents granted are also published every week, including Official Copies of all the

Patent Claims, together with news and information upon thousands of other subjects. \$1000-in cash prizes-will be paid on the 1st o January next for the largest list of subscribers a follows: - \$200 for the 1st; \$175 to the 2nd; \$150 for the 3rd; \$125 for the 4th; \$100 for the 5th: \$75 for the 6th; \$50 for the 7th; \$40 for the 8th; \$30 for the 9th; \$25 for the 10th; \$20 for the 11th, and \$10 for the 12th. For all Caus of 20 and up wards the subscription price is only \$1,40. Nam' can be sent from any Post Office until January 1. 1

W. Here are fine chances to secure cash prizes. The Scientific American is published once week; every number contains eight large quar pages, forming annually a complete and splend of rolume, illustrated with several hundred origin Engravings.

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Letters should be directed (post paid) to MUNN & CO. Sept. 6, 1856. 123 Fulton st., New York. Mcssrs. Munn & Co., are extensively engaged procuring patents for new inventions, and will advise inventors, without charge, in regard to the novelty of their improvements.

CHOLERA PREVENTIVE THIS preparation is one of the most important me-dicines, and should be kept in every family. As a soothing preparation it has no equal; in cases of BOWEL COMPLAINTS, CHOLERA MORBUS, AND DYSENTERY,
for the last three years, it has been used successfully. Wherever we could trace its use from persons that could be relied upon, their testimony only endorsed to the good effects they have experienced in the pron pt and salutary benefits received.

Prepared and sold by BELLER & COOKE. June 21. 1856. NEW BOOKS. THE "Mystery on Evil and Good;" "Fashiona ble Life," by Mrs. Eastman; the "War Path," the Author of "Wild Western Scenes;"

Kingdom which shall not be destroyed," by Rev J. Oswald; "Memoir of Rev. James Chisholm "Memorial of the Rev. Wm. M. Jackson;" "Lin da," by Mrs. Caroline Lee Hentz; "Robert Gra hain." a Sequal to "Linda;" also Harper's Maga zine for August, just received and for sale by July 26, 1856. BELLER & COOKE.

WATCH REPAIRING. THE subscriber having secured the services of competent Watch Maker, is prepared to do all work in that line with dispatel. All work done will be warranted if paid for when delivered. Nov. 20, 1855. CHAS. G. STI CHAS. G. STEWART. SIMES' FERRATED TINCTURE OF BARK.—
This Tincture deserves the attentive consideration of physicians, as it contains all that is valuable in Calisaya bark, Snake Rout, and Orange

peel, combined with the most agreeable chaly beate we possess, for sale by
January 17, 1867.

BELLER & COOKF. WHITE Goods and Embroideries, Irish long Lawn, Linen Cambric, Cambric Muslin, Mul Muslin, Nansook do., Bishops Lawn, Jackenet and Swiss Ruffling, Embroidered and Corded Skirts, Swiss and Cambric Collars and Sleeves, &c. Just received by J. N. & L. L. SADLER. October 11, 1856.

HAGERSTOWN ALMANACS, for 1857, by Jan. 1). J. N. & L. L. SADLER J. N. & L. L. SADLER. ETHERIAL OIL.—No. 1 Etherial Oilalways tto
be had at
BELLER & COOKE. October 4, 1856. HOPS.—Fresh Hops just received, and for sale by J. W. & L. L. SADLER.

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Dr C. M. JACKSON, Phila., Pa. WILL EFFECTUALLY CURE
LIVER COMPLAIN!, DISPEPSIA,
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kronic or Nervous Debility; Diseases of the Kidneys,
and all diseases arising from a disordered Liver or
Stomach. Stomach. Such

as Constipa-tion, Inward Piles, Fulness or blood to the Head, Acidity of the Stomach, Nausea, Heartburn, Disgust for Food, Fulness or weight in the Stomach, Sour Er Fulness or weight in the Stomach, Sour Eructations, sinking or fluttering, at the Pit of the Stomach, swimming of the head, burried and difficult breathing, fluttering at the heart, choaking or suffocating sensations when in a lying posture, dimness of vision, dots of webs before the sight, fever and dull pair in the head, deficiency of perspiration, Yellowness of the Skin and Eyes, Pain in the Side, Back. Chest, Limbs, &c., Suden Flushes of Heat, Burning in the Flesh Constant Imaginings of Evil and great

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The proprietor in calling the attention of public to this preparation, does so with a feeling of the ut most confidence in its virtues and adaptation to the eases for which it is recommended. It is no new and untried article, but one that has stood the test of a ten years' trial before the American people, and its reputation and sale is unrivalled by any similar preparations extant. The testimony in its favor given by the most prominent and well-known Physicians and individuals in all parts of the country is immense, and a careful perusal of the Almanac, published annually by the proprietor, and to be had gratis of any of his Agents, cannot but satisfy the most skeptical that this remedy is really deserving the great celebrity it has obtained.
Principal Office and Manufactory, No. 96 Arch

Testimony from Virginia and Maryland. The Tenth Legion, published at Woodstock, Va. said:—"We have uniformly refrained from recom-mending to the public any of the various patent medicines of the day, unless thoroughly convinced of their value. Among those we consider worthy of notice is the German Bitters, invented by Dr. Hooffand, and prepared by Dr. Jackson, in Philadelphia. One instance, in particular, in which the superior virtues of this medicine have been tested, has fallenged. under our observation. During the last Summer, a son of Mr. Abram Crabill, of this county, was very seriously effected with Liver Complaint, and after trying in vain various remedies, he purchased a bot-tle of the bitters, and after using it, was so much relieved of his distressing malady, that he procured another bottle, and is now restored entirely to

Dr. J. M. Wilson, said:
Lexington, Va., Feb. 6, 1856—I am entirely out of the German Bitters. They have become all the rage. Nothing else sells."

A. B. Sollers, said:

Weston, Va., May 3, 1855-"1 am pleased to inform you that I have used Hoofland's German Bitters, and have found them to pe of incalculable benefit to me.' Fred White, says:
MECHANICSTOWN, Md., May 7, 1855-"I wish you

o send me a fresh supply of German Bitters. It is he most popular retriedy I ever kept, giving relie and performing cures in nearly every case." Chas Robison, said:
Easton. Md., Jan. 9, 1850, My wife and myself have received more benefit from your medicine than any other we have ever taken for the Dyspepsia and Liver Disease."

Nathanial P. Luff, says: Frederica, Del., Aug. 2, 1853—"I would inform you that I have used one bottle of your German Bit-ters for the Liver Complaint, and have found great ome of the Tar Ointment. They are entirely vegetable, free from all injurious ngredients, always strengthening, and never pros

trating the system.
Solo by Druggists and Storekeepers in every town nd village in the United States and Canadas.

For sale by Beller & Cooke, and Hutchison & Burnett, Charlestown; Helvestine & Bro. Berryville; J. C. Clagett, Harpers-Ferry; Dr. E. C. Williams Shepherdstown; Wilson & Timberlake, Rippon; Hill & Myers, Kabletown; Fry & Beckwith, Smithfield; H N. Price, Martinsourg. November 15, 1856-17

HOWARD ASSOCIATION PHILADELPHIA. Important Announcement.

To all persons afflicted with Sexual Diseases, such as SPERM . TORRHEA, SEMINAL WEAK-NESS, IMPOTENCE, GONORRHŒA, GLEET, SYPHILS, the Vice of ONANISM, or SELF-ABUSE, The HOWARD ASSOCIATION, in view of the awful destruction of human life, caused by Sexual liseases, and the deceptions practiced upon the unfortunate victims of such diseases by Quacks, have directed their Consulting Surgeon, as a Charitable Act worthy of their name, to give Medical advice Gratis, to all persons thus afflicted, who apply by letter, with a description of their condition, (age, occupation, habits of life, &c.,) and in cases of extreme poverty and suffering, to FURNISH MEDICINES FREE OF CHARGE.

The Howard Association is a benevolent Institution, established by special endowment, for the re-lief of the sick and distressed, afflicted with "Virulent and Epidemic Diseases." It has now a surplus of m ans, which the Directors have voted to expend in advertising the above notice. It is needless to add that the Association commands the highest Medical skill of the age, and will furnish the most approved modern treatment. Just published, by the Association, a Report on Spermatorrhæa, or Seminal Weakness, the vice of Onanism, Masturbation or Self-Abuse, and other Diseases of the Sexual Organs, by the Consulting

Surgeon, which will be sent by mail, (in a scaled envelope,) FREE OF CHARGE, on the receipt of two stamps for postage Address, Dr. GEO. R. CALHOUN, Consulting Surgeon, Howard Association, No.2 South NINTH Street, Philadelphia, Pa. By order of the Directors. GEO. FAIRCHILD, Sec'y. E. D. HEARTWELL, August 23, 1856. President

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PHIS Preparation possessing all the active prop erties of the JAMAICA GINGER in a concentrated form, in combination with other Vegetable Car-ninatives and Anti-Dyspeptics, not only has the advantage over all Essences as a preventive, and cure for Dyspersia; but is more acceptable to the and tone to the digestive organs.

Stomach in a debilitated condition, giving strength As it possesses the properties of an Anodyne it is especially recommended in all nervous derange-Twenty-five or Thirty drops may be given thre or four times a day in all ordinary affections. In cases of Cramps, Colic, Cholera-Infantum it may be repeated every fifteen minutes as the case

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NEW ARRANGEMENTS. THE undersigned having purchased the contract for conveying the U. S. Mail between Berryville and Charlestown, (which contract continued from July 1st, for four years,) have determined to place upon said route a very neat and comfortable COACH,

drawn by good horses, and driven by a careful and accommodating Driver. The offices are kept at Wm. N. Thompson's Hotel, in Berryville, and at Capt. Sappington's Hotel, in Charlestown, Jefferso One of the proprietors resides on the route about half way between the two above points, and will as all times do everything in his power to make the above line agreeable and comfortable to passengers

and the public generally WM. NISWANGER & BRO. June 14, 1856. BARRELL'S INDIAN LINIMEN THIS article has had great reputation in Western Virginia, and now for the first time offered to the citizens of the county. For sale by May 3. HUTCHISON & BURNETT.

A FIG FOR PHYSIC. A VERY common saying, but one the true meaning of which has never been fully understood until the introduction of W H. Tilman's Pure Senna Figs to the public, the most pleasant and effective remedy for constipation of the bowels, nervous or sick headache and all diseases arising from a state of habitual costiveness ever used, for safe by
Feb. 1 . 1856.

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ROHR'S BLACK SALVE. -- A fresh supply of this celebrated Salve, just come to hand. Its well known virtues in all cases of malignant ulcers peculiarly recommend it to the public. For sale by April 26. HUTCHISON & BURNETT.

STATIONERY. LETTER, Cap, Note, and Wrapping Paper Blank Memorandum and Pass Books; ; Black, Blue, and Red Ink; Steel Pens and Pen holders, a great variet Drawing and Carpenter's Pencils: y; Wafers, Sealing Wax, and Motto Wafers; White, Buff and Fancy Envelopes;
Pocket, Glass, and Wooden Inkstands;
For sale by BELLER & COO

BELLER & COOKE. CONCENTRATED LYE—I have for sale Concentrated Lye, put in one pound boxes with four pounds of grease, I will guarantee to make 15 gallans soft soap; or its equivolent in hard soap in three hours or no charge, directions with every box, to be T. RAWLINS.

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HAIR BRUSHES AND COMBS -A large as March 3. BELLER & COOKE.

May 24. 1856



THE GREAT PURIFIER OF THE BLOOD! THE BEST ALTERNATIVE KNOWN Not a Particle of Mercury in it! An infallible remedy for Scrofula, King's Evil, Rheu matism, Obsainate Cutaneous Eruptions, Pim-ples or Postules on the Face, Biothes, Boils,

les or Postules on the Face, Blothes, Boils,
Ague and Fever, Chronic Sore Eyes,
Ringworm, or Tetter, Scald head,
Enlargement and vain of the
Bonesand Joints, Salt Rheum
Stubborn Ulcers, Sylphiltto
Disorders, and all diseases
arising from an injedicious use of Mercury,
Imprudence in
Life, or Impurity
of the Blood This great remedy, which has become so rapidly and so justly celebrated for its extraordinary effica-cy in relieving and curing many of the most obsti-nate and terrible forms of disease with which man hind is afflicted, is now offered to the public, with the confident assurance that no Medical discovery ever made has been so eminently successful in cur-ing Scrofula, and all diseases of the blood, as Car-

ter's Spanish Mixture.
The roprictors are receiving by every mail mos The roprietors are receiving by every mattering and astonishing details of cures in all parts of the country, and in most cases where the skill of the best Physicians had been tried in vain.

Its power over the blood is truly remar able, and all diseases arising from impurity of that great Scatiof Life, have been relieved and cured without a sin te failure out of the thousands who have used it.— Carter's Spanish Mixture contains no Mercury, Opium, Asenic, or any dangerous drugs, but is composed of Roots and Herbs, combined with other gredients of known virtue, and may be given to he youngest infant or most debilitated invalid, ithout the least possible hesitation.

We have only room for short extracts from the volumes of testimony in our possession, and all from gentlemen of the highest respectability, well known in their various localities Please read for your-We take great pleasure in calling the attention

of our readers to the merits of Carter's Spanish Mix-ture as a remedy for diseases of the blood. It enjoys a reputation in this city unequalled by any other preparation.—Daily Dispatch, Richmond, Va. The Hon. John M. Botts, of Va., says he considers ita matter of duty to add his testimony to the virtues of Carter's Spanish Mixture, from actual personal observation of its remarkable curative powers for he diseases in which it 's used.

We have been cured of a violent and protracte Liver disease by Carter's Spanish Mixture. Wiknow it to be all it.—Ed, Southside Democrat, Pe

ersburg, Va. We have found from personal trial, that Carter's Spanish Mixture is a truly valuable medicine. [Ed. Virgennes Independent, Vt. GEEAT CURE OF SCROFULA.—A pressman in our employ was cured of Scrofula of a violent character by a few bottles of Carter's Spanish Mixture, after everything else had failed. Other cures which have come under our own observation, proves to us conclusively, that it is really a valuable me-dicinal agent. We take great pleasure in calling the attention of the afflicted to its merits. [Richmond Republican.

SYPHILIS-I have seen a number of cures of Syphilis performed by Carter's Spanish Mixture. I believe it to be a perfect antidote for that horrible E. BURTON, Com. of Revenue for City of Richmond. LIVER DISEASE-Samuel M. Drinker, of the

firm of Drinker & Morris, Booksellers, Richmond, Va., was cured of Liver disease of several years standing by only three bottles of Carter's Spanish OLD SORES, ULCERS AND OBSTINATE E-RUPTIONS OF THE SKIN—See the cure of Mr. Harwood and others, detailed in our Almanac. The number of such cases cured by Carter's Spanish Mixture, precludes the possibility of inserting them in an advertisement EFFECTS OF MERCURY-See the cure of Mr

obtain no relie .funtil he took six bottles of Carter's Spanish Mixture, which perfectly restored him to health and vigor. NEURALGIA-Mr. F. Boyden, formerly of the Astor House, N. Y., but more recently proprietor of the Exchange Hotel, Richmond, was cured of Neuralgia by Carter's Spanish Mixture. Since that time, he says he has seen it cure more than a hundred cases of the disease in which it is used. He never fails to recommend it to the afflicted. RHEUMATISM-Mr. John F. Harrison, Druggist, Martinsburg, Va., writes of the singular cure of a violent case of Rheumatism. The patient could not walk. A few bottles entirely cured him. SCROFULA-Mr. Harrison also writes of a great cure of Scrofula, in the person of a young lady, (of three years standing,) which all the doctors could not reach. Six bottles made a perfect cure of her. SYPHILIS—Dr. R. T. Hendle, of Washington, D. C., who cured an obstinate case of Syphilis by Carter's Spanish Mixture, says, "it acts specially on the Blood, Liver and Skin, and is prompt and efficient in its results. Dr John Minge, formerly of the City Wotel, now of Alabama, says he has seen Carter's Spanish Mix ture administered in a number of cases with aston-

ishingly good effects. He recommends it as " the SALT RHEUM AND SCROFULA-Mr. Jos Rob-

sall Rheum ANDSCROFULA—Mr. Jos Rosison, of Wooster, Ohio, was cured of Scrofula and
Salt Rheum of three years standing, by only three
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Burnett Charlestown: Helecoting & Roy Borry. Burnett, Charlestown; Helvestine & Bro. Berry ville; J. C. Clagett, Harpers-Ferry; Dr E. C. Williams, Sheph rdstown; Wilson & Timberlake, Rippon; Hill & Myess, Kabletown; Fry & Beckwith, Smithfield; H. N. Price, Martinsburg.

November 15, 1856--1y A NEW ESTABLISHMENT. MEALS & BROS

MANUFACTURERS OF MONUMENTS, TOMBS, SLABS, HEAD AND FOOT-STUNES, &C. OF American and Foreign Marble; furnished O at the shortest notice, and executed in the best workmanlike manner. Call and examine before purchasing elsewhere as our study is to please. Shop next door to G. W Spott's Blacksmith shop, opposite the Depot. Charlestown, Jespeason County, Va.

BOOKS! BOOKS!! BOOKS!!! L ife of Napoleon, 2 vol., by Abbott; Spark's life of Was sington; Plutarch Lives; Cleve Hall, by Miss Sewell; Ellie, or the Human Comedy, by Cook; Flush Times of Alabama and Mississippi; Ruth Hal by Fanny Fern; Happy Hours at Hazle Nook; Shady Side, or Life in a country Parsonnge; Leath er Stockings and Silk; Young Man's Friend; Youth of Jefferson; Lamplighter; Scott's Poetical works; Byron's Works; Coleridge's Works; Howett, Cook & Landon's Works; Thomson and Pollock, Wordsworth's Works; Milton and Young's Work's, toether with a large assortment of School and Blank

Books and Stationary just received and for sale by BELLER & COOKE INFORMATION FOR THE PEOPLE. JUST received by the subscribers "Chambers Information for the People." This work, edited by Wm. & Robt. Chambers, Edinburg, is a most valuable Encyclopedia, and should be in the hands of every one. For sale by HUTCHISON & BURNETT.

May 17, 1856. PERFUMERY! PERFUMERY!! TARRISON'S and LUBIN'S Extracts, compris ing the following assortment, viz: Sweet Clover; Spring Flowers; Verbena; Geranium; Patchouly; Magnolia; Summer Blossom; Chrystal Palace; New Mown Hay; Bouquet de Jenny Lind; Heliotrope; Prairie Flower Cologne;

Double Extract of Lavender: uel's Lavender: Genuine Bear's Oi Clairbue's Tricopherous; Barry's do.; Hauel's Eau Lustrate; Ox Marrow Pomatum; Philocone do.; Harrison's Shavdo.; Cream; Valnut Oil doing Coap;
Jones' Hair Dye., lexander's Wicobaphe;
For sale by HUTCHISON & BURNETT.

BARRELL'S INDIAN LINIMENT. T cannot be surpassed for Sprains, Galls, Chafes,
Scratches, Strains of the Shoulder, Cracked Hoofs
Ring Worms, Sweany, Fistula, &c., in Horses.—
The most severe cases of Botts or Cholic in Horses
and Cattle, have been cured by this Liniment.
For sale by the Agents BELLER & COOKE.
October 25, 1856.

DR. BLAKER'S SANATIVE PILLS. A MILD and gentle purgative, cleaning the Stomach, purifying the blood, and curing the Liver complaint, Jaundice, Head ache, Dyspepsia, Costiveness, Female Diseases, &c., leaving the system in a good and healthy condition. For sale by the Agents BELLER & COOKE. October 25, 1856.

MERCER POTATOES --- Prime Eastern Mercer Potatoes, for sale by March 10, 1857. KEYS & KEARSLEY.

"Pale and wan she grew and weal Bearing all her pain so meekly." INTERESTING NARRATIVE .- HAPPY RELIEF FROM SUFFERI Miss Mary A. Schofield. HISS MARY A. Neholield.

ET THE AFFLICTED HEAR THE TF
INY OF A LADY.—To those who
pleasure of knowing her we need say noth
to others we remark that a desire to benef
fering induces her thus to speak. None of
ciate her joy and gratitude in being
main, after years of suffering almost up
but those (if there be any) who have sufher.

her.
Miss 3. has long been a resident of our the last two years has been successfully of a school at No. 620 Raltimore Street. To change in her health is a subject of astonish change in her health is a subject of astonishment and joy to her numerous friends. We ask those interested to call on her. She will tell them more of her cure by Hampton's Tincture than she has written. Thus it is, this remedy goes on giving relief to the sick. We refer the public to them. From more distant places we also he ir of the same happy results. These facts, with the concurrent testimony of thou sands, should cause skepticism and prejudice to hide their heads, and concede that Hampton's Tincture is in truth a wonderful discovery.

Baltimore, October 15th, 1855.

Messas. Morrises & Mowsaar Gents: I have delayed entirely too long in writing to you in rela-

delayed entirely too long in writing to you in rela-tion to the virtues of Hampton's Tincture, I fear, even now, that I cannot give the afflicted world a-just idea of the good I have derived from its use; the benefits have been so great that I feel inadequate to the task. I was attacked with the chronic rheuma the task. I was attacked with the chronic rheuma tism, in its most malignant form, at the early age of two and a half years, and continued to be so afflicted until I crossed the Atlantic Ocean, on my way to America, at which time it changed its form is to gathering. I had at this time acquired my growth, and never expected to be well again, as the disease came, in the first place, of my being receivated from a child who had the white swelling. When my gathering first broke it did not discharge less than one quart, and so continued to trouble me every time I took cold or was in the least fatigued; my bodily strength was reduced to the weakness of infancy; I was several times very near the grave; my hip juin had been out of place ever since I had the first attack. At the age of thirteen my hands became dislocated. At the age of thirteen my hands became dislocated.

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These sufferings, and the general debility I felt from the constant discharge of my gatherings, caused me often to think that I should never be permitted to know how it felt to be free from pain and suffering even for one hour, until my poor body should be changed and become like unto "Christ's glorious body," at least, until . this mortal have put on im-

mortality."

I had taken so many medicines, and received so little benefit, that I had confidence in none. Il ad used of nearly all the celebrated liminents, and other external remedies I had heard of. I had been placed by my friends under some of the best Physicians of England, and all the relief I ever obtained was but

of transitory duration.
When I first heard of Hampton's Tincture, 1 had not the slightest confidence in its efficacy, but I had a friend who had known Mr. Jarrett Plummer, when a friend who had known Mr. Jarrett Plummer, when his sufferings were at the worst, and had witnessed the cure wrought upon him. To please her, I consented to tay the Tincture, and I had not taken one bottle before I began to fee! its beneficial effects—my strength returned—my appetite became good my complexion was clear—I feel like another person.—Through the influence of this friend, you became acquainted with my case, and requested to see me; you told me my case was such a peculiar one that you would like to see the effects of the Tincture fully developed in it, and if desired to take it, you would present it to me, if it was for the space of five years -but only eighteen months have elapsed, and I have lost every symptom of my discuse; I have become atrong and hearty—I can stand as much and more fatigue than most of my lacy acquaintances. I have a healthful complexion, and all my friends say I am cetting quite fleshy, one thing is certain, my lame limb is quite as large again as it was before, and can trip all about home without a crutch.

I often wish my parents had known of this remedy when I was a child, as I believe I should have been saved the excruciating pain I have been sub-jected to, as well as the deforming of body I must carry to the grave, and my parents would not have been under such heavy expenses from doctor's bills, and in sending me, as they did, to the celebrated springs in England in search of health. I wish all the afflicted world could see me, and hear the bene-fits I have derived from this Tincture of Hampton's e of Hampton I try to make all acquainted with its virtues with whom I come in contact. Gentlemen, I am a thousand times obliged to you. and you are at liberty to use my name and case to

I remain, yours in gradude, MARY A. Scorield, No. 630 W. Baltimore street To Messrs. Mortimer & Mowbray, 220 Baltimore st. AN APPEAL TO COMMON SENSE. Let the Sick Hear the Truth.

CAPTAINBENJAMIN-Wherever known his testtimony will be conclusive. But lest those who do not know the Captain should be skeptical, Dr. Daw-Elmore. He was eaten up with Mercury, and could son & Bro., with others of the best known and most highly respectable citizens of Easton, endorse; wonderful courtesy. . HAMPTON'S VEGETABLE TINCTURE. Easton, Oct. 4, 1854. §
Mesars. Mortimer & Mowbray—Gents:—I feel is
ny duty to you and the public to certify to the ef-

fects of Hampion's Vegetable Tincture. I was for more than five years laboring under a disease of Chronic Rheumatism, and the great part of il attime 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. I heard of Hamp-ron's Tincruse and thought I would give it a trial. At this time I did not expect to live one day after another. I did not take it (the Tincture) for the 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 new getting in good health. I wish all the affi cted to try Hampton's Vegetable Tincture, as I have cone, 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 Hamoton's Vegetable Tincture, and believ the above statement correct. DAW SON & BRO. From our knowledge of Captain Reniamin we are confident that the above statement is true and unex aggerated.

J. A. JOHNSON.

CHARLES ROBINSON.

CURE OF COUCH. HOARSENESS. &C. THE CRY IS STILL THEY COME. CERTIFICATE FROM HON, J. H. DURSORO. We have a flood of testimony pouring in upon us of cures. Rheumatism, Dyspersia, Scrofula, &c., and for all Veryous Diseases and Female Complaints, Hampton's Tincture has no superior. BINGGOED, Md., April 10, 1854-Messes. Mortimer & Mowbray:
Gents—It is with real pleasure that I bear testimo?
ny to the healing and curative powers of Dr. Hampton'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. 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 bevith. out it if it can be had Yours respectfully, J. H. DUBBORO.
Delicate females and children will find this a great
plessing. It has restored thousands to health. HAMPTON'S VEGETABLE TINCTURE.-Calland 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 Nervousness, &c., &c.

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November 6, 1855.-4m. J.F. BLESSING,
CONFECTIONER,
Would respectfully announce to the citizens o
Charlestown, and all persons visiting the same, tha
he has now on hand and will continue to be supplie with the latest novelties of each successive season comprising, in part— CONFECTIONARIES, of the choicest varieties.

FINE CANDY TOYS, JELLY CAKES,
BON BONS, GUM, CORDIAL, LEMON,
CHOCOLATE AND FRUIT DROPS. ROSE, VANILLA AND BURNT ALMONDS.
FRENCH AND EXPLODING SECPETS. Also, all the common varieties—all of which will be sold at low rates, at his Confectionary Establishment adjoining H. L. Eby & Son's Family Grocery, which he has just received FRUITS AND NUTS, of the latest importation, such as-ORANGES, LEMONS, RAISINS, FIGS, PRUNES, CITRONS, CURRANTS,

SOFT AND PAPER SHELLED ALMOND ALSO— TOYS AND FANCY GOODS. of every kind and from parts of all Europe, marufactured of wood, glass, china, indis rubber, &c.

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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.

NEW GOODS HAVE an entire NEW SUPPLY OF GOODS. that I flatter myself will compare favorably with the town. I am determined to sell them as low as they can be had in the county for cash, or to good men on accommodating terms.

Charlestown, April 19, 1856. TOKE SPATEN PREFINED SPARKLING JEL