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That evening the inmates of a shabby gen-

teel house received the cashier of the M

Bank. Mr. Locke, a man of gray hair, though

numbering but fifty years, rose from his arm chair, and much affected, greeted the familiar face. The son of the cashier accompanied

him, and while the elders talked together,

DECEMBER 18, 1866. CHARLESTOWN. VIRGINIA,

POETICAL.

The way is dark, my Father! Cloud on cloud is gathering thickly o'er my head, and loud The thunders roar above me, Seel, at stand Like one bewildered! Father, take my hand, And through the gloom

Lead safely home

Thy child.

The day goes fast, my father? And my soul is drawing tarkly down. My faithless sight. Sees ghostly visions. Fears, a spectral band, Encompass me. O, Father, take my hand,

The way is long, my Father ! And my soul

Longs for the rest and quiet of the goal;
While yet I journey through the weary land
Keep me from wandering. Father, take my hand
Quickly and straight
Lead to Heaven's gate
Thy child.

The path is rough, my Father! Many a thorn Has pierced me; and my weary feet, all torn And bleeding, mark the way. Yet Thy comman Bids me press forward. Father, take my hand

The throng is great, my Father! Many a doubt

And through the throng Lead safe along Thy child.

Where crowns are given. Father, take my hand
And reaching down,
Lead to the crown

MISCELLANEOUS.

The Rejected Bank Note.

"What is the price of this dressing gown,

sir?" asked a sweet-faced girl, entering the

city and a street of a city, which shall be

It was a cloudy day. The clerks lounged

over the counter and yawned. The man to

"This dressing-gown we value at six dol-

"Five dollars!" Alice looked at the dress-

and worn genteelly, were common enough in

sworn that she had no more than that sum,

The gown was a very good one for the price

"I think"—she hesitated a moment—"

think I'll take it," she said; then seeing in

the face before her an expression she did not

like; she blushed as she handed out the bill

"Dennis," cried Torrent, the head clerk,

in a quick, pompous tone, "pass up the bank

Up ran the tow-headed boy with the de-

tector, and down ran the clerk's eye from col-

umn to column. Then he looked over with

"Counterfeit!" Oh, no-it cannot be !-

"I am not mistaken; I'm never mistaken,

Miss. This bill is a counterfeit. I must

presume, of course, that you did not know it

although so much bad money has been offered

us of late that we intend to secure such persons as pass it. Who did you say sentit?"

"Mr. C——, sir, of New York. He could not send me bad money," said the

trembling, frightened girl.
"Humph!" said the clerk. "Well, there's

no doubt about this; you can look for your-

self. Now don't let me see you here again

until you can bring good money, for we al-

ways suspect such persons as you that come on dark days with well made stories."

"You need make no explanations, Miss,' said the man insultingly. "Take your bill

and the next time you want to buy a dress-

ing gown, don't try to pass your counterfeit money," and as he handed it, the bill fell from his hands.

Alice caught it from the floor and hurried

Such a shock the girl had never received

She hurried to a banking establishment, found

her way in, and presented the note to a noble

extreme youth, beauty, and agitation.

The cashier looked closely and handed it back, as with a polite bow and somewhat pro-

longed look, he said:

"It's a good bill, young lady,"

"I knew it was," cried Alice, with a quivering lip—"and he dared—"

She could go no farther, but entirely over-

the publisher would not send me bad money

"Yes sir; we removed from there," replied

Alice, "Since then"—she hesitated—"he has not been well—and we are somewhat re-

The man who sent it could not have been so

the clerk had made up his mind to take.

It was of common shade, a tolerable merino

lars-you shall have it at five, as trade is dull

Warner, and extremely con

five dollars, in her possession.

note detector."

"But, sir-"

into the street.

and lined with the same material.

a sharp glance, and exclaimed :

"That's a counterfeit bill, Miss."

careless; you must be mistaken, sir."

to day."

And fear, and danger compass me about, And fees oppress me so, I cannot stand Or go alone. O, Father I take my hand,

The cross is heavy, Father! I have borne It long, and still do bear it. Let my worn And fainting spirit rise to that blest land

Then, safe and blest, Lead up to rest

FATHER, TAKE MY HAND.

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Southern Social Institutions.

Alice and the young man grew quite chatty. "Yes, sir, I have been unfortunate," said Mr. Locke, in a low tone. "I have just re- large eities were generally worthless and discovered as you see, from rheumatic fever, covered as you see, from rheumatic fever, solute. With almost prophetic tones Mr. Davis said: "The solution will hardly be in been for that sweet girl of mine, I know not what I should have done. She, by giving with deep feeling, "What is to be the future lessons in music and French, and by writing of the South? If laborers of a Caucasian or lessons in music and French, and by writing of the South? If laborers of a Caucasian or Chicago correspondent contains some very infor periodicals, has kept me, so far, above Asiatic race are introduced, it is very far from teresting statistics bearing upon the subject,

"You shall not want, my old friend," said the cashier. "It was a kind Providence that sent your daughter to me. There's a place in the bank just made vacant by death of a val-uable clerk, and it is at your disposal. It is my gift and valued at twelve hundred a

ear."
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On the following morning the cashier entered the handsome store of Huntley & Warner, and inquired for the head clerk. He came obsequiously. "Sir." said the cashier, sternly, "is that a

bad note ?" and and inserts "I-I think not, sir," stammeringly replied the clerk,

The cashier went to the door, From his carriage stepped a young girl in company with his daughter. "Did you not tell this young lady, my ward, that this note was counterfeit? And did you not so forget self-respect, and the interest of your employers, as to offer an insult?"

The man stood confounded-he dared not elegant store of Huntley & Warner, in the deny—he could say nothing for himself.

city and a street of a city, which shall be "If your employers keep you, sir, they will no longer have my custom," said the cashier, sternly. "You deserve to be horsewhipped,

The firm parted with their unworthy clerk whom Alice Locke addressed herself was jaunty and middle aged. He was head clerk that very day, and he left the store disgraced, of the extensive establishment of Huntley & | but punished justly. good cashier. All of which grew out of calling a genuine bill counterfeit.

Valuable Remedies for Dangerous Dis-

ing gown longingly, and the clerk looked at her. He saw that her clothes, though made The editor of the Pittsburg Christian Advocate has recently had a severe attack of texture, and that her face was very much out erysipelas. He tells how he was cured as of the common line. How it changed ! now shaded, now lighted, by the varied play of her emotions. The clerk could almost have

After trying some of the remedies usually employed for the arrest of erysipelas, the attending physician (N. W. White, M. D.,) prescribed cranberries in their natural state. mashed into a jelly, and then spread abundantly upon the parts affected. This in a single night subdued the disease, and in the space of a few days dissipated the swelling. We are sure that it will prove a sovereign remedy for the disease in all other cases. Dr Bond while editor of the Advocate & Journal, often published that he had found a specific for the cure of erysipelas. As an eminent physician in Baltimore, before he was elected editor of the "great official," his opinion was entitled to great weight, and many Methodist families used the remedy with unvarying success. We commend this treatment then with confidence. Cranberries, mashed into a fine pulp, and applied to parts of the body affected with erysipelas, will surely effect a cure.

valuable cure for cancers, as follows: cure for cancers, which is of so much importance that we wish to make it known as widely as possible. Some eight months ago, Mr. T. B. Mason, who keeps a music-store on Wisconsin street, and is a brother of the well-known Lowell Mason, ascertained that he had a cancer on his face the size of a pear. It was cut out by Dr. Walcott, and the wound partially healed Subsequently it grew again, and while he was in Cincinnati on business it attained the size of a hickory nut. He has remained there since Christmas under treatment, and has come back perfectly cured .-

The process is this: A piece of sticking plaster was put over the cancer, with a circular piece cut out of the centre a little larger than the cancer, and a small circular rim of healthy skin next to it exposed. Then a plaster made of chloride of zinc, blood-root and wheat flour was spread on a piece of muslin of the size of this for twenty-four hours. On removing it the cancer will be found burnt into, and appear of the color and hardness of an old shoe-sole, looking man with grey hair, faltering out, "is this bill a bad one, sir?"

The cashier and his son happened to be the only persons present. Both noticed her and the circular rim outside of it will appear white and par-boiled, as if scalded by hot steam. The wound is now dressed, and the outside rim soon suppurates, and the cancer comes out a hard lump, and the place heals

sloughs out like dead flesh, and never grows Mr. Davis. They are nearly all from northagain. This remedy was discovered by Dr. ern people, and generally enclose a stamped Fell, of London, and has been used by him envelope, with the name and address of the for six or eight years, with unfailing success, writer. Sometimes a writer is cool enough and not a case has been known of the re-ap- to ask for the autograph without mentioning come, she bent her head, and the hot tears had their way:

"I beg pardon, have you had any trouble with it?" asked the cashier.

"Oh, sir, you will excuse me for giving way pearance of the cancer where this remedy has | the postage. Mr. Davis very seldom notices een applied. It has the sanction of the any of these applications unless they are from with it?" asked the cashier.

"Oh, sir, you will excuse me for giving way to my feelings—but you spoke so kindly, and I felt so sure that it was good. And I think, sir, such men as one of the clerks in Huntley & Warner's should be removed. He told me it was counterfeit, and added something that I am glad my father did my father did not hear. I know the world and form the sure is permenent—and, from the evisual and surgeons of Longue most eminent physicians and surgeons of Lon-"Who is your father, young lady?" asked the cashier, becoming interested.
"Mr. Benjamin Locke, sir."
"Benjamin Ben. Locke was he ever a clerk in the Navy Department at Washington?" edy ought to be universally known. We loos in reference to every question presented, have referred to this case because Mr. Mason so that we knew that it was not in vain to deis well known both here and at the East.—
The experiment excited much interest in Cincinnati, and we call the attention of the faculty of this State to the remedy. If it is what is claimed for it, this terrible disease as follows: "O, Lord, we that it was not in vain to depend upon the intelligence of the American people."

This reminds us of a grace that was offered on some occasion by Rev. Morphine Veivet, as follows: "O, Lord, we thank Thee, for this

has not been well—and we are somewhat reduced. Oh, why do I tell these things, sir?"

"Ben Locke reduced!" murmured the cashier; "the man who was the making of me! Give me his number and street, my child. Your father was one of the best, perhaps, the only friend I had. I have not forgotten him. No. 4 Liberty street. I will call this evening. Meantime let me have the hill—let me see I'll give you another.—

will be shorn of most of its terrors. The application is painful, but the pain is of comparative brief duration, which any one so afficted would cheerfully endure.

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Another Visit to Jeff. Davis. FORTRESS MONROE, Nov. 20, 1866.

Mr. Davis seemed to devote considerable attention to the labor system substituted for slavery. He does not believe that it can suc-

your time." Then he repeated several times, certain whether they are physically able to a portion of which we reproduce in this con-endure the extremes of a southern climate," nection. Reminiscences of the War.

about his friends and advisers during the late | January to the first of December, as com-war, and his remarks were tinged with deep | pared with that received during the corresand tender feeling. He referred in glowing terms to Wade Hampton, and dwelt with sympathy on the recollection of his loss in the death of his favorite son. He described the scene on the battle-field where the father saw his two sons struck down; but stopping only for a moment's regret, rode on into the thickest of the fight. Of Gen. Preston, of Kentucky, he also spoke in the kindest manner. It was astonishing to find how many persons with whom he had only a slight acaintance were distinctly remembered. All the Mississippians seemed to have a prominent place in his memory, and nearly every Confederate official of any distinction was re-

called by name or reputation. In the large He inquired particularly about Mr. Benjamin, and appeared to entertain great respect for his abilities. He was interested in his success as a lawyer, and thought that his short but promising career as an English barrister was unprecedented.

Ideas on Topics of the Day. Mr. Davis seemed to think that the Government would encounter some difficulties in settling the currency question, but he had great confidence in McCulloch's financial abil-

Speaking of his capture, Mr. Davis stated that he had no intention of leaving the country, but intimated that he wished to cross to the right bank of the Mississippi. If he had not determined to remain with his family, escape would have been very easy. When Breckinridge and Benjamin got away, he could also have done the same thing. With his faithful body-guard he would have gone confidently to any part of the country; but in the condition of the roads at that time he would not desert his family.

An Anecdote of a Landlord. Mr. Davis said of one of Mr. Monroe's trips through the country, that when the par- | branch of enterprise to the attention of their ty were about to leave some little country town early one morning, an adjutant on President Monroe's staff was waiting impatiently to flourish, is entirely without foundation .for the hotel-keeper to make up his account. Sheep have been bred on the eastern conti-"Mine host" seemed very much troubled about the bill, and could not determine to close his column of charges. Boniface was in Europe as far South as between the 36th anxious to insert as many items as possible, and 38th parallels of latitude, and as far but not being an adept in charging a presidential party, he cudgelled his brains in vain to select some appropriate heads under which | Carolina, and are just as healthy as in the | Detroit Post. to enter an extortionate demand. The adjutant was getting impatient at the man's hesitation, and the innkeeper was as far as ever from summing up his account. Finally he seized his pen, scratched off something, and handed the bill to the officer. The items tant, until the last one was reached, when the fellow had charged ten dollars for "kicking The Milwaukee (Wis.) Democat gives a up the devil generally." It is related, however, that there was so much justice in the Our attention has been recently called to a demand that it was paid without a murmur.

Undignified Conduct of Congressmen. The rudeness displayed by members in not listening to the remarks of their colleagues and depriving the congressional halls of any deliberative character, was severely commented upon. This led to an inquiry from Mr Davis as to the prevalence of a custom, of which he had heard, of both representatives and senators putting their relatives in subordinate positions about the capitol. He was astonished to hear of the degree to which the custom had descended. In his time no senator would have thought of such a thing; but he was sorry to say that in the latter years of his congressional career two or three members of the lower house had renounced their sense of propriety by adopting such a course. No relatives of Congressmen were formerly employed, even as clerks of committees, and the idea of making doorkeepers and sergeants of them would have been scouted.

Trial of Wirz. Mr. Dayis seemed to feel deeply the injustice of Captain Wirz's trial. The refusal to receive Duncan's evidence was an indication of the desire to make the whole affair a mock-

There is certain to be several applications The plaster kills the cancer, so that it for autographs in every mail that comes to

parties with whom he is acquainted. the cure is permenent—and, from the evi-dence of six or eight years' experience in for the magnificent uprising of a free people, other cases, we have no doubt it is—the reministructed as they were to make right decis-

will be shorn of most of its terrors. The application is painful, but the pain is of comparative brief duration, which any one so afparative brief duration, which any one so af-flicted would cheerfully endure.

as we expected to see—knowing that we could confidently rely on the judgment of our host-to secure the best the market affords."

- "I think," said a wife who could not agree with her husband 211 think, Mr. Jibbs call this evening. Meantime let me have the combination of terms, certainly: "My female bill—let me see—I'll give you another.— brethern; it is of the most in-fi-nightest imspective on one side and I on the other." "Very consul has no authority in the mass at con; we'll make it all right."

Since I come to look, I havn't got a five—portance that we should be all clothed in white here's a ten; we'll make it all right."

Bruish consul claimed the right we had better divide the house. You shall his property 'Jange Bradwell his property

[From the New York Evening Express.] Will Flour be Lower?

The World asks this question,-and as the olution of it interests the entire community,

we quote : treatment of the special second tree those which now obtain, both as regards the present and the future. A letter from our

The following table shows the quantity of Mr. Davis seemed always glad to converse grain received at Chicago from the first of bout his friends and advisers during the late. ponding months of last year :

1,120,702 1.710,310 Wheat, bush. 11,493,495 9,020,981 23,368,972 Corn, 32,809,894 9.984.181 12.994.193 1,643,000 1,168,970 1,469,893 It will be noticed that, with the exception

of oats the receipts of grain this year wil exceed those of last year. Allowing five bushels of wheat to a barrel of flour, the number of bushels of wheat received at Chicago for eleven months in 1865 and 1866 was respectively 14,624,491 and 20,045,045 and a comparison of the two shows an increase this year of 37 per cent. Such facts as these are arguments in themselves, and clearly show that no good reason exists for the present high price of flour or for appre-hending that it will be still higher.

Estimating five bushels of wheat to the barrel, as before, it is ascertained that the total quantity of grain and grain in flour received at Chicago during the months specified sistable that, under, the ordinary operations downwards."

Cultivation of Wool in the South.

The increase in the wool of the United States from 1850 to 1860, was 8,064,585 sheep husbandry than any portion of the world, and we would especially commend this people. The idea entertained by some Southerners that the South is too warm for sheep nent from the Equator to the 65th degree north latitude. The Merino has been bred North as Sweden. Sheep have flourished among the rice swamps of Florida and South mountainous regions. Any part of Maryland or Virginia is admirably adapted for sheep raising. The whole South has a most decided advantage over other parts of the United States for the production of wool, in soil, climate, and abundance and variety of grasses. the Mississippi river, embrace an area of four ance of the passengers. supply the demand of all the markets in the world. After deducting all the land in the Southern States devoted to cotton, rice, wheat, oats, rye, tobacco, &c., a balance is left of ourteen millions of acres which might be

A New Feature of Oppression.

in Congress have the power to inflict this, or outbreak of the rebellion. any other humiliation upon the South that they see fit. What they expect to gain by it, except the gratification of the passion of revenge, it is hard to imagine. Hit is their ob-

has engaged Mr. Dickens to write a novel for in seekly edition—paying for it \$25,000.— in refusing to withdraw is mainly because of Carlyle has been engaged to contribute a sin- what he regards as a violation of the pledge gle article, to cover a page of the daily edi- of neutrality, or non-interference on our tion, for which he receives the sum of one part, his position being that, by the acrest of hundred and fifty guineas. John Stuart Mill General Ortega, the dispatch of General has also been secured as a contributor for Sherman, and other objectionable movements, editions of the London Times.

Spirit of Jefferson

RATES OF ADVERTISING.

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Preferred the Lash

A rather singular circumstance occurred in one of the counties contiguous to this city, a short time since. Five negroes had been imprisoned in the county jail, charged with larceny. The jail was insecure, and it was "The notion prevalent in some quarters found necessary to put them in irons to pre-that the price of flour and grain is to become vent them from escaping. When the ferm Those colored people who remained in the very high during the winter is not borne out of the examining court came on, the prisonare cities were generally worthless and disby the statetements of the quantity of grain ers were brought before it, and, after examiin the country. On the contrary, there up-pears to be every reason for lower prices than by the circuit court. One of them appealed to the presiding justice to know whether they were to be kept in jail until the circuit court met. He informed them that they would be, and as the jail was so insecure, the irons would be replaced and kept on them. The hegro then asked the justice to whip them all. and let them go. The other four concurred in this request. He told them that he had no power to whip them, and that they must be content to await their trial. They importuned him to grant their request. He finally asked if they would each give him a certifi-cate that they preferred the whipping to Impri-onment. They all said they would gladly do so.

He had the certificates drawn up. It was read to the negroes, and each affixed "his X mark" to it. He then had the certificates entered on the record, by the county clerk, and ordered the jailor to take them out and give them thirty-nine lashes each. His order was complied with, and the thirty-nine were well laid on. After receiving his dose, each of the pris-

oners presented himself before the justice, thanked him for his kindness, and left with hearts full of gratitude to his worship. [Richmond Examiner.

Singular Case of Conscience.

A case of conscience, perhaps as singular as any ever heard of, has recently occured here. Some three weeks ago a well-dressed, gentlemanly young man applied for and obtainin 1865 and 1866, was respectively 54,577,- ed employment with a wealthy farmer residing 303 and 65,951,913 bushels, the increase this a mile from the village. He was observed year being nearly 20 per cent. This does to be unused to labor, and was very kindly not look like a scarcity of cereals, nor forbode treated by the sympathetic farmer and his high prices for them during the next few family, who supposed their man to be some honest but unfortunate individual anxious to work for an honest livelihood. A week aga of trade, the prices of cereals must tend last Sunday morning-he had then remained at work some three weeks at that place-the young man requested the farmer's son to list-en to something he had to say to him, and demanded a promise that what he was about to divulge would be kept secret for twentyfour hours. The promise was given when pounds; increase Southern States 815,164. the honest young man disclosed the fact that The Southern States are better adapted to he was one of a gang of burglars and robbers ; that his original intentions were to have robbed the family; that he knew where the old gentleman kept his bonds and greenbacks; how much he had, etc.; but that he had been treated so kindly he had not the heart to carry out that intention, and had abandoned it ; but cautioned them that the gang would be about, and look out for them. He then decamped, and has not since been seen or heard from. Of course the farmer and his family were left in a state of great suspense and alarm; but no robbery has yet taken place .-

A Duel in the Dark.

Mt. Clemens (Mich.) correspondence of the

On Saturday night last a bloody rencontre took place between two men in the baggage ear of a passenger train on the Nashville and were scanned and found correct, but exorbis The winter feeding of the most favored parts Decatur Railroad. The difficulty started in of the North averages 150 days, and costs, un- a passenger coach and was the result of a disder the most favorable circumstances, 271 pute in regard to the quality of the whiskey cents per pound, whilst in the Southern States | each carried. Both were probably more or it is not necessary to feed in winter, except less intoxicated. The conductor ordered under the most extraordinary circumstances. | them to leave the car if they wanted to settle The Southern States, including those west of the matter, and not to be disturbing the bal-

hundred and fifty thousand square miles, or . The two than repaired to the baggage car, two hundred and eighty-eight millions square and, after pacing off the proper distance, acres. The attention to sheep husbandry need | wheeled, and at a given signal fired their pisnot impair the cultivation of the great South- tols. Neither of them appeared to be hurt ern staples. The United States, before the after the shots. At that moment the only late war, produced 578,012,473 pounds of light in the car, which shone from a lantern cutton, more than half the crop of the whole | held by the person who gave the signal, went world, The cotton crop of the world amount out suddenly, and the duellists then grasped ed to 1,000,000,000 pounds, which would require 4,000,000 acres. The four States of tigers, cutting and slashing at a fearful rate. Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama and Florida, contain 130,000,000 acres, and could alone terribly lacerated.—Louisville Dem., Dec. 6.

Treasure Trove.

In the washed banks of a ravine, which juts into the Mississippi river a few miles beemployed in sheep husbandry. The time has low Wolf Island, there was, a few days ago, come when the South should make available discovered by a Missouri hunter a keg, which every species of enterprise, and there is none more eligible, under present circumstances, than sheep husbandry.—Balto. Transcript.

the finder first regarded as a keg of powder, but, on attempting to remove it from its resting place he found it defied his efforts. He but, on attempting to remove it from its rest-ing place he found it defied his efforts. He thereupon employed a hatchet which he car-ried in his belt, and dashing in the head of the keg, was both astonished and gratified at Among the other features which report as- a shower of gold and silver coin that fell with signs to the programme for the destruction of a musical jingle all around him. The keg the Southern States, is the organization of a contained \$30,000 in eagles, \$650 in halfmilitia force, composed mainly of negroes, eagles, \$350 in quarter-eagles, and \$170 in which is to be quartered upon the Southern | silver. There was nothing in or on the keg whites, if it becomes necessary to call it out to indicate who buried it there, or when it for the "suppression of insurrection" amongst was buried. From appearances, however, the disfranchised white men. The majority it is believed that it was placed there at the

THE TROUBLE WITH FRANCE. - The President is displease a with the tenor of Napoleon's

ther any further remonstrance will be made, -The Tribune, says the Home Journal, peror will be allowed to have his own way .-

—A novel law case has just been decided at Chity, N. C., a short time since, said to be over
cago. A British subject dying there intertain, the
British consulctaimed the right to administer upon man's thigh. It had twenty six
his property. Judge Bradwell has Judge Bradwell has decided that a one button—supposed to be 27 years old.

TW hat kind of a horn is the easiest seen

Tuesday Morning, Becember 18, 1886. Wanted,

FIFTY subscribers to come forward between this and Saturday next, and pay for their papers. If you cannot come; send the money to us by mail or otherwise, It is useless to expect us to print the paper unless you furnish the means to pay office expenses .-. We are tired of being dunned on the street, in the office, and elsewhere, We hope this notice will be beeded.

A SPARK OF COMFORT. The representatives of the old Commonwealth seem to have gene to work in good earnest, and have already done, and are still doing much to re-establish law, encourage enterprise, diffuse intelligence, and promote the general good. As to our own unfortunate dissevered, peoples divided, and a governcondition, it is anomalous; and we scarce know whether to pray good Lord or good Devil, as for blumility and reflection. What a season it is impossible to tell into whose hands we for the exercise of Paith and Hope. We are to fall. But for weal or woe, we again return the thanks of our people to N. B. new the hearts of those who seem intent up. MEADE. Esq., the efficient Senator from the on the very annihilation of a constitutional Frederick District, for the promptitude of his | form of government, and the complete disaction in reference to the application for a ruption of every he that bound us as one stay by injunction or otherwise; of the collec- people, but we may earnestly pray and contion of taxes in the counties of Jefferson and fidently believe that cout of all, the Lord Berkeley, by the sharks of West Virginia .-The question was reported on by the appro- to be done, it is not for us to inquire, except | themselves accordingly. priate committee on the 14th, and on the same to seek out the way of truth; and pursue i day, at the instance of Mr. Meade, the Senate took up the bill, and better than all, passed it unanimously. A correspondent from Richmond informs us the matter is now before the House of Delegates, with every reasonable probability of an early passage, " but should it even fail, vour people are under many obligations to Mr. Meade for the determination and zeal manifested in your behalf,"

CONGRESS, SO-CALLED. Iu-the Rump Senate, the committee territories have reported favorably on the bi for the admission of Nebraska into the Union The judiciany committee reported back, with amendment, the bill to regulate the tenure of office. The amendment makes the bill to app'y only to civil offices. A birl was reported to admit Colorado into the Union.

A motion to proceed to the consideration of the bill taking from the President the pardoning power has been negatived. The negro suffrage bill has consumed much of the ti of the Senate, but has finally passed. A amendment requires the voter to have one year's residence in the District, and three months in a ward.

The House has passed by a vote of 127 to 50, the bill authorizing the next Congress to assemble at noon on the 4th of March next. . Bills have been introduced to repeal the neutrality laws; to guarantee to the Southern States "republican forms of government," to disfranchise all persons in the District of Columbia who bore arms in the late Confederate army, or accepted office under said Confede-

BERKELLY AND JEFFERSON.

If coming events cast their shadows before, we have reason to congratulate our people that their wrongs are at least likely to be considered, before the only remaining arbiter now left in their behalf. Heaven grant an rily I say to you, inasmuch as ye did it to one early hearing and a speedy deliverance. From the Wheeling Intelligencer of last week, we learn that "attorney General Bowden, of Virginia, in the Supreme Court of the United States, moved for leave to file a bill asking for process in the name of Virginia against West Virginia, claiming Berkeley and Jefferson counties as belonging to Virginia, for the purpose of asserting the jurisdiction of Virginia over those counties. Virginia proposes to bring the suit, we learn, by a bill in Chancery."

The Court was expected to dispose of the motion some days since, but as to what disposition has been made, we have not learned. Hon. Reverdy Johnson, of Maryland, and Benj. Stanton and Geo. H. Lee, are the counsel on behalf of West Virginia.

"KING OF THE WEST."-This is the title of the most superior washing machine we have ever seen in operation. We are aware that there is a pretty general prejudice against machines designed for the relief of women, and particularly is this case with reference to washing machines. This results, for the most part, from the fact that in this, as in everything else, the people have been humbugged by inferior machines, which failed to answer the purpose for which they were invented, and were consequently useless. The necessity for a perfect machine has long been felt, and never more urgently than at the present, when it is next to impossible to secure the requisite labor for the proper execution of house work. Just such a machine we regard the one introduced by Messrs. D. Humphreys & Co. We speak of what we have witnessed when we say that it will wash clothes as clean as it is possible for them to be washed by hand, and with much less labor, and we really think, in one-fourth the time required by hand. The construction of the machine is simple, and the ease and man guilty of treason may be tried anywhere facility with which it is worked, at once commends it to those who have tested its merits. It will wash articles of any size, from the it should be enacted they could not hang smallest collar up to the heaviest quilt, and this it will do in from three to five minutes, exception to Mr. Lawrence's position but Mr. without the slightest trouble. Another great consideration is its perfect cleanliness. With it there is no slopping of the floor, making it necessary to scrub after your have washed .-The amount of soap required is not near s great as is util in the ordinary means of washing. Altogether it is the most complete washing machine ever offered to dar pec-

ple, and no housekeeper ought to be without it. Then the price at which it is sold, places it within the reach of all to purchase one.-Give Messrs. Humphreys & Co. a call if you desire further particulars.

The next number of our paper will appear on Christmas morning, too late for any words of counsel or congratulation to reach the majority of our readers. With many the season may be a joyous one, recalling scenes and incidents of the past, when as a united people it was our privilege to celebrate a Saviour's birth, with feelings of fore and charity towards all. This was before the demon spirit of Abolition had frenzied the brain of the people of the North, and matice and all uncharitableness had taken possession of their hearts; when, under the blessings of a Constitutional Government, the people felt and lived beneath the approving smile of the

Sad is the change which has "come over the spirit of our dream," and instead of a happy people, strong in the support of a benificent government, and grateful for the mercies of an overruling Providence, the approaching Christmas will dawn upon States ment disorganized and chaotic. What a time may not expect to change the minds or rewill bring us sufely through." How this is with unfaitering tread. Let us walk in the light, and the rough places will yet be made smooth, and if some of those who were once our brethren, forsake the way, and set up for themselves false Gods, let the sin of their idolatry rest upon them and not upon us.

From the far South the wail of distress and the cry of suffering comes up. The people there are in want-in want of everything that makes life comfortable and existence desirable. In this respect, our people are better situated than they. There is no real suffering with us, though we may not be able to boast the abundance to which we were once accustomed. Do we sufficiently appreciate the condition of our suffering friends, and are we sufficiently grateful for own bounties?-Are we making any effort to alleviate distress. by looking after the wants of the poor, the really poor-those unto whom God in his wisdom has denied the rich blessings which the widow and the fatherless been ministered unto, that in the coming season, their hearts may be cheered, and their spirits made buoyant with a realizing sense of the value of human sympathy? Have we sought out the habitations of sorrow, and with true charity, that vaunteth not, extended the pitving hand? Let us then in our approaching christmas season remember who has said. "Not every one that says to me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven, but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven," and who has also said, "come ve blessed of my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared

for you from the foundation of the world .-For I was hungry and ye gave me meat; I was thirsty and ye gave me drink; I was a stranger and ye took me in; naked and ye clothed me; I was sick, and ye visited me I was in prison and ye came unto me. Ve of the least of these, ye did it to me." If we shall have remembered this instruction. then may our Christmas festivities be profitable unto us, and we shall "heve the promise of the life that now is, and of that which is to

Have You Paid for It? Have you paid for your paper for the past and present years? If you have, you are entitled to a clear conscience for the ensuing holidays. If you have not, we shall take a sort of melancholy pleasure in recording the fact that the hog cholera has made its anpearance among your swine.

NO REPUDIATION. In the Virginia House of Delegates on the 11th inst., the following preamble and resolations were submitted by Mr, Evans of Rich mond city, and referred to the commttee on resolutions :-

Whereas, The public credit of the State of Virginia and the credit of our citizens has been injured by the apprehension in the minds of some persons, that this General Assembly will repudiate the debt of the State and authorize the repudiation of the debts of her citizens, and whereas, we deem it important to remove that apprehension from the minds of all persons, and so to remove it at once in order to prevent any further injury. te our credit, therefore resolved

1st. That this General Assembly will pass no such acts of repudiation. 2d. That such legislation would be no less destructive of our future prosperity than of

our credit, our integrity and our honor. Ed. That the concurrence of the Senate

in these resolutions be respectfelly asked. The Washington correspondent of the Baltimore Sun says that the House of Representatives, on Tuesday, was interested in a discussion on a proposition of Mr. Lawrence of Ohio, to repeal the statute on limitations. in trials for treason, and providing that any and at any time. Mr. Lawrence gave as a reason for the passage of this bill that unless dellerson Davis. Several members took lega Stevens went still farther. He said he would rather see every traitor in the country escape than see one of them hung by a law passed ofter his offence and for the purpose of hang. ing him. Mr. Stevens desonneed such legislation as utterly unjustifiable and discrediscible. He did not believe Mr. Davis could vens) had not opposed the efforts made to bring Mr. Davis to trial, but he had not favored them. But he was utterly opposed to any legislation of the kind proposed, which would make the mode, time or place of trial different from what they were when the ofLOCAL MISCRELANY,

RELIGIOUS NOTICE. Having been pre vented, by inclement weather, from preaching ar the White House, and at Kubletown, last Sunday, 16th inst., I will preach, Providence permitting, at the White House, on Christmas morning, at 11 o'clock, and at Kabletown in the afternoon of the same day, at Rev. ROBT. SMITH.

No Joking. We want movey, and we must have it. We are not doing a credit business. This we have tried to convince you of for the past year. Why will you neglect to pay, when you know you owe, and also know that we need it. Come up during the present week, il you want to contribute to our peace of mind. Let there be no holding back. We never knew a country printer to get too rich, even when his patrons paid him promptly .-And when they don't pay, he is of all men

REGISTER YOUR LETTERS .- We are requested to ask that all persons forwarding letters from this place containing money will Register the same, giving day, date and contents. In case of miscarriage or less by other means, this is the only way in which the missing package can be traced to some responsible source. In the present badly managed condition of the Post Office department, we think the above suggestion eminently prop-

FOR CALIFORNIA .- Warren D. English, the youngest son of the late John M. English. of this town, left on Saturday last for the elderado of the Pacific. Of five brothers, all have preceded him to California, and we learn have been peculiarly fortunate in their distant home. "Duck" carries with him the ! auxious prayers of a widowed mother, and the ardent hopes of his young friends, for his safe arrival and future success as the reward of his enterprising venture.

ACCIDENT .- MARY, an interesting little daughter of Mr. D. SMITH EICHELBERGER. of this town, was found lying on the ground in the garden walk of his premises on Tuesday last, in an entirely senseless condition .-On examination, it was found four of her teeth had been knocked out, and she had received a very severe cut, of several inches in length, on the top of the forehead. Appreheusions were at first entertained that her he has bestowed upon many of us? Have brain had been injured by contosion, but skillful treatment and kind nursing has rethe little innocent is fast recovering. She is unable to tell how the accident occurred. and it is only a matter of conjecture whether it was from a fall or the kick of a horse that was at the time running loose in the garden.

> Good! The mountain State and its loyal patriots, are about to have an accession to ts area and an addition to its numbers, and we are sure of congenial spirits, be they white, red or blue. Says an exchange : "Some of the Radical papers of Western Maryland, in view of the great disparity between the political sentiments of the citizens of Western Maryland and those of other portions of the State, are advocating either the annexation of the Congressional District now represented by the Hon. Frank Thomas, to Western Virginia, or the creation of a new State out of the counties composing it."

> Provisions .- Our market is well supplied with all the necessary provisions of the season, and ready sales are effected. Pork is bringing \$8.00, Corn \$2:50, Flour, (Turner's Family) \$16.00, Extra \$15.00, Corn-meal 60 cents, Dressed Poultry, 121 to 15 cents per pound, Dried Apples \$2.00 per bushel, Green Apples \$1 00, Potatoes 80 cents, and Onions \$1.00 per bushel. The price of Butter the last week was 35 cents and Eggs 25 cents shell out," that we too could make arrangements for a Christmas feast.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS .- We are under obligations to Miss ELIZA WELSH, daughter of dust supply of fresh sausage and pudding, which reached our office, from whence it was transferred elsewhere, during last week .cheer and sustain us in our editorial labors. Messrs. Campbell & Ma on are the first

on our list of Christmas contributors. Knowrich stock of Christmas supplies, they left to those friends in Baltimore. with us a whole box of Colgate's Bath Soap. Whether they thought our condition particularly required this article, we are not able to say, but our experience is that somp is a very handy thing to have in a house. We shall use it, and would like to have the privilege of applying it to the consciences of the radicals of West Virginia. Wouldn't we scrab 'em.

Snow.-The first snow of the season fell to the depth of some five or six inches on Saturday night. The weather is too mild for its silver coating long to obscure the green erdere of old mother earth.

SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS - Gideon Leisenring, Thomas Johnson and John G. Cockerill, were elected School Commissioners for the Charlestown Township on Monday of last week. It is to be hoped these gentlemen will take the matter in hand, and mete out to the tewnship in the distribution of the county fund, that proportion of which she has hithso unjustry deprived.

A SPECIAL TERM of the Clarke Circuit fourt, commenced on Saturday last, and a large amount of important business is expected to be disposed of.

SUPERVISORS .- The Board of Supervisors of Jefferson, will hold an adjourned meeting in Shepherdstown on Thursday next. | ble, as a prize. Already we have bestowed be tried for treason, nor that he had been meeting in Shepherdstown on Thursday next. guilty of treason. His offence was that of a The contested election case as to the Sheriffbelligerent not of a traitor. He cMr. Se- alty, is to come off on the same day, before Judge Hall.

per's Ferry, who do not hold our receipts, we should feel under obligations if you will leave the amount of your subscriptions with Mr. fence was committed. Mr. Stevens's re-Ye delinquent Ripponites, call and marks were listened to with profound attends. We will visit that point on see Mac Fryer, He has a message for you. The bill went over. Chief and the Charles of the Country of

We had hoped to notice in dutail, the cured by our merchants, with are eve special who have not paid for it as yet, are fequested to the present season. Each for himself, to come forward duaing this week, and ask llowing :-

captivated, as we stepped into the beautifully arranged store of Messrs. Campbell & Mason, and beheld there the rich provision, they are making for the accommodation of the people during the approaching festive season. Their advertisement in another column furnishes a eatalogue of their most select articles.to be found on their table and their show case of "little" articles is a genr. Give them

-As now arranged, for the approaching polidays, the store-room of our young and enterprising friends, Aisquith & Bro. pre sents a near and attractive appearance. The eastern cities, where his excellent taste and good judgment have been displayed in the ection of a choice stock suited to the season. The stock of stationery and fancy arinto their store before making their selec-

-The Jewelry Store of Mr. Dinkle, opposite the Bank, is full to repletion, with everything rich, rare and racy. Of Jewelry, every kind and variety-Toys innumerable er, and hope our business men will govern and as new and novel, as cheap and substantial. His stock, indeed, is ample and com-plete, and of a kind and description to commend itself to the old and young.

> -Our Confectioners, Messrs. Dumm and Brown, have most certainly entitled themselves to the gratitude of ear people and the dimes of the juvenile. for the extraordinary efforts brought in requisition to supply any and everything desired. Their stocks are so large, and a catalogue would be so extended, that we can only invoke a personal examination, that all may judge for themselves.

Report of the Sunday School,

In District No. 7, Jefferson County, Vir ginia, (Wiltshire's School House,) for September 24, 1866.

The Officers and Teachers of the Seventh District Sunday School, at Wiltshire's School House, in presenting to the churches of al denominations their first Annual Report, ask eave to be excused from giving any elaborate details. So precious is time, in the estimation of all christian people who aim to remain our desolations-and of such magnitude are the spiritual labors, continually demanding to do, at this Anniversary, is: To record our lieved the anxiety of her fond parents, and abiding sense of Thankfulness to God-an impression which weighs us down-under the tavors which have been manifested, during all our efforts, for the year closing on this day. A bare statement of a few facts. in chronological order, may serve our present

Early in August, 1865, a few ladies, within a circle two miles broad, stretching around the Wiltshire School House (District No. 7. Jefferson county, Virginia,) expressed earnest desires that a Sabbath School, with a circulating library, might be established in that neighborhoud, which had hitherto been destitute of such a blessing. Accordingly, on Lord's Day, September 3d, 1865, a prayer meeting was held, in consequence of this desire; and, on the next Lord's Day, religious exercises were again held, with the same purpose. On the 24th of September, athird meeting for prayer was held, which resulted in the organization of a School, of nineteen scholars, with Superintendent, Treasurer and Secretary. The number on the next Lord's Day grew to thirty-eight-thus precisely doubling itself in eight days. The entire year has witnessed a steady growth-not only devotion to our main design, -(the honoring of God's Word, and Name, and Holy Day of Rest.) -but, also, in the number of scholars-there being at present entolled nearly seventy. And besides this, our zeal hath rovoked our neighbors of Zoar Church to ound another school of sixty other scholars, in this same neighborhood. One of the most honorable and devout ladies of that congregation was present and helping us, at our or-Oh! that more of our delinquents would ganization, this day one year ago; and the first books we owned were a donation from that lady. Let us thank God, and take cour-

age! "What hath God wnought!" Two days after this organization, September 26th, a letter, (enclosing \$5, privately our friend, Mr. Benj. B. Welsh, for an abun collected in small sums,) was despatched to a trusty friend in Baltimore-with a statement that help, from those like minded with ourselves, was much needed, after the cruel storm which had so recently expended its fury upon Such remembrances are well calculated to us. A short extract now, from the Records of the Librarian, will be the best mode of continuing this recital of facts:

from Baltimore, \$5 worth, with \$16 worth ing a thing or two, when they received their added, as a grant \$21 worth, in all. Thanks

"Friday, Oct. 20 .- Library books marked, and arranged by the Secretary, with others, youths, assisting him. "Lord's Day, Oct. 22 .- Distributed libra-

ry books, to be periodically returned for ex-"Saturday, Nov. 4 - Received a bill of books, ordered, and on Nov. 11th, received them, music books, amounting to \$3.75; also. a donation, 25 Hymn Books, \$2.50, from S. Union of Baltimore; also: 2 dozen Testanepts and 8 Bibles, a donation from the American Bible Society."

The Sunday School in Rev. Dr. Dutton's congregation. Charlestown, also made valuable grants to us more than once, from their sur-plus; and from several citizens of that place we have received important help, in mechanat labor and in merchandize

Such hard been the hardships, endured by ur people, that, during all the autumn and nter, it had not been deemed expedient to make a vigorous appeal for funds; but, in Let us ascertain what percentage of the debt May, a call was made which quickly drew is ours, and what pertains to West Virginia. about \$20 - thus enabling us to purchase two | Suppose this should prove to be, on the premore small libraries and many S. S. Requisites, which we had long needed. It is a per ct. respectively. Let us, then, address gratification to us to add that our "forest-school," as it has been called, has continued without apparently any thought of suspension, throughout all seasons.

One sore necessity we have still to lament; the want of Bibles, and our inability to buy them, or to obtain grants. The scholars have bifested great diligence in seeking the Biupon these diligent pupils twenty two copies of the Holy Scriptures; and seventeen others have now been for months holding their certificates from teachers, entitling them to copfore close our report, with an appeal to all the friends of the Bible, to come up to our help.

- A new town has been laid out in Rockingham. It is on the Manassas Gap railroad, five miles from Harrisonburg.

Those of our patrons who with the Spirit choice and varied assertment of Goods pro of Jefferson continued to their address, and however, has so fully set forth the stock on us to fill one of our blank receipts. This we and through our advertising columns, that shall regard as a practical evidence of your re need only to call especial attention to the desire to support a county paper. You need not fear that the rush will be so great that -We were really refreshed, and partly. you cannot be accommodated. We write a

BALTIMORE MARKETS. On Saturday, the quotations of Flour were-high-grade Extra \$16.25; Welsh's Family \$17.00. Wheat-fair to good red \$2.90 to \$3.00 prime \$3.10 to \$3.15. Corn -strictly prime white 90 to 96 cents; yellow ranged from 92 to \$1.00.

Young Ladies' FAIR .- The Fair of the young ladies connected with the Jefferson Institute, which is designed to raise means for the erection of a monument, in Edge Hill senior of the firm has just returned from the Cometery; to the memory of the Confederate dead buried there, will commence on Friday next, the 21st inst. Persons wishing to contribute articles for this praiseworthy object, ticles, is rich and complete, and those who are requested to send them to the "Sapping want to make Christmas presents should look ton Hotel," between this and Thursday eve-

Virginia Legislaturer

In the Senate of Virginia, on the 12th inst., the following action was had in reference to subjects in which the people of this to us Nil Desperandum. We are not capable county are interested :-

Jefferson und Berkeley Counties. Senator Trout, from the Committee for Courts of Justice, presented a bill directing steps to restrain the collection of taxes imposed by West Virginia, in the couffities of Jefferson and Berkeley, which, on motion of Senator Meade, was taken up, read the first time, and, on the further motion of Senator Meade, the rules were suspended and the bill read the second time, and ordered to be engrossed and read a third time. Being forthwith engrossed, on motion of Senator Meade. the rules were again suspended, the bill read a third time, and passed.

For the Relief of Samuel C. Young. Senator McRae, from the Committee on Finance, submitted the following preamble and joint resolution :

Whereas, some doubt has been suggested as to the existing validity of an act of Assembly, passed March 21st, 1860, entitled an act for the relief of Samuel C. Young, of Charlestown;" therefore to remove such

Be it resolved, by the concurrent action of I hat the said act remains in full force and is not affected or impaired by the place of residence of said Samuel C. Young. Which, on motion of Senator Meade, was taken up and adopted.

The Stay Law.

In the House of Delegates, the pending motion to reconsider the vote rejecting the bill to suspend sections 4 and 5 of an act passed March 2d, 1866, entitled "an act to stay the collection of debts for a limited period."

Mr. Garnett offered a substitute for the 4th section; pending the consideration of which. Mr. Harnsberger offered an amendment to the original bill, proposing to strike out all after the word "suspended," in the fourth line; and to insert "from this day to doomsday, and from doomsday to eternity, and from eteruity bp a more ci cuitous route back again to the beginning; and God save the Com-

monwealth." The amendment was laid on the table. Mr. Garrett's substitute for the 4th section provides that all debts contracted prior to the 2d day of April, 1866, and payable, or on which interest is payable, before August 1st, 1866, there shall be paid on the 1st of August, 1867, and on the 1st day of January of each succeeding year while this act remains in force, a sum equal to the interest for one year on the principal debt, or so much thereof as shall remain unpaid. When the debt or interest thereon does not become payable until after August 1st, 1866, interest from the time of payment, or from the time from which interest is payable, shall be paid on the said debt on the 1st day of August, 1867, and one year's interest shall be paid thereon on each succeeding 1st day of January while this act remains in force.

The substitute was adopted, and a motion to order the bili, as amended, to engrossment and a third reading, was carried by a vote of 44 to 42.

The Public Debt of Virginia.

It is urged by the Richmond Enquirer, that before the Legislature of Virginia undertakes to provide for the payment of the interest on the public debt of the State, it should first assign to Western Virginia the part of "Oct. 14, 1865 .- Books were received the debt and interest properly belonging to her, which she must assume—say one-fourth of the whole. This would leave as Virginia's portion about thirty millions of dollars-a sum much greater than our people are capable of meeting at this time with all their other liapilities. Unless such an apportionment of the debt is made between the two States Virginia will have to assume the whole of it, and hat she is unable to do. Despoiled of one half of her territory and all of her negro and personal property—crushed down with poverty and debt, with nothing to pay with but her poor lands, which barely faraish support to her stricken people—it would be a great outrage for the Legislature of Virginia to assume, in any way, the payment of more than our just proportion of the public debt of the State. That portion will be about thirty mil-tion dollars. Indeed, it will require all the wisdom of the Legislature to make provision to discharge that amount without overburdening the people with taxation.

The Enquirer says: "Let us apportion

the debt, in advance of a settlement, on sur basis as, in our best judgement, is equitab ourselves to the task and duty, of providing for our portion the best we may. Let us consider ourselves indebted for seventy per ct. of the face of each bond, and deal with holders accordingly; leaving them to West Virginia for the residue. The advantages of such a policy would be manifold. It would expedite a settlement by taking away all profits from delay. It would concentrate the pressure of public opinion, and the clamors of creditors, upon West Virginia, and thus make a repudi-ating policy almost impossible, if such is con-templated there, as many believe."—Lynchbury Republican.

-The place to buy your Candies, Cakes and Toys, to please your little girls and boys.

A Mississippi correspondent of the New York Metropolitan Record, adopts the following amusing style of depicting the poverty of the people of that section of the country. There is a philosophy in this adapting our selves to circumstances, and we are not sere that mitth is not preferable to gloom or stoical

o Did you ever see a poor nation? I do not mean a poor individual, but a whole people. If you did not, I ask you to come South in Dixie for just twenty-four hours. You will see the poorest set of poverty-stricken wretches that ever came forth from the crucible of fiery war. Sir, "Job's old turkey hen" was a Crossus compared with the wealthiest man in Dixie. Old Diogenes, with a tub to poke his head in, would be a nabob in Dixie. Why, sir, if molasses were worth only two cents a gallon, I am not acquainted with an individual who could treat his neighbor to good strong switchet, that is if his debts were paid. No man in Dixie ever expects to make money here. We are all "sloshing" alone consoling ourselves with the reflection that it is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter the kingdem of heaven." We have converted upon that to transport us to an eternal clime of celestial bliss. "Blessed are the poor" is our theological doctrine. We roll this pasif it does not mean that, it ought to, and so it is all the same in Dixie. Mr. Editor, what is to become of us poor rebels? Don't say side. So that word is not applicable to us.— We are beyond the reach of any such feeling as that. Sir, we don't hope for anything, we.

never be disappointed. We are in the con- the Government that is worth preserving, if dition of the fellow who did'nt 'care a for nothing." We laugh at the radicals .-They may tax us, but we don't care for that : they may keep us out of Congress, and we don't mind that; they may let the niggers vote, and we don't mind that. In fact, we have half a notion to disfranchise ourselves before long, and give up the ballot-box to the as that of Kelley's to transfer the patronage. niggers exclusively. You see, we have got of the revenue department to the Chief Jusinto such a condition that we believe a human government is a useless institution. We have | pointing scheme of Stevens, Samuer's hotchdone without one of our own for eighteen months, and we got along just as well to sell, please send them down to Dixie. We powers which the Constitution clearly confer

are not able to buy new ones. We have to upon another branch of the governmentmake many shifts down here in Dixie. A friend tells me that he has just succeeded in the crime of perjury and usurpation, should green goggles on him. He (the friend, I week's session, and meet the approval of the the two Houses of the General Assembly, mean) expects to realize an immense fortune accidental anjority of the people, is proof of New England to get some Yunkee to invest | fatal debasement and demoralization of its you think we can save a great deal by feed- of the utter destruction of the Federal Govern ing our horses on this kind of provender?-My friend tells me that in a few days the anmals prefer it to the most excellent fodder. He says, further, that they don't die as soon the green bay tree,"-I think that is the ex- than any government mentioned in history .-

Sir, can you refer me to some inhabitant of New England that wishes to embark in a grand speculation? I have discovered a new and rare virtue in "dog fennel," one that all chemists have failed to detect. I can't make the Southern people believe it, though, because this article grows too far down South in Dixie. I want to send several thousand bales, not cotton, but dog-fennel, to some Yankee, and get him to work it up in the way that I will hereafter make known, and then ship it South. It will go like hot cakes. Say to the Yankee that no other fennel will one which is allowed, to each family. Hownary dog to each family, because since the war ended we have got several to each family with only two legs, and many of them are bigger, and I might add better, dogs than those with four. However this may be, I notice that since the passage of this famous "Dog. Act," which has exalted our Legislature to the highest pitch of human grandeur. dog fennel has grown to a prodigious height in all parts of the State. In fact it has grown to a size unprecedented in the memory of the "oldest inhabitant." The odor is much more delightful than it once was, at least it is stronger. I will say no more about my discovery, for fear I might be forestalled. Give me the address of some Yankee speculator. and I will make it known to him, and him only. I expect hereafter to devote my whole

Please say to Mr. Thad. Stevens that three cents to the pound on cotton is not quite enough, as the crop is small. It will take ten cents to realize the amount from this source which they expected. Increase it to ten this year and reduce it to three next year. Please ell Stevens to let us know at the next meeting of Congress what part of the public debt we are expected to pay. Just name the amount and we will send it along in gentine greenbacks. But, Mr. Editor, we want to "mix the thing" to suit ourselves. We will not raise our proportion from cotton exclusively, but will scatter it about variously and promisecously among all kinds of property and people. For instance, would tax our chickens, especially those that lay eggs, a half cent per head, and reduce the cotton tax thereby to two and a half cents. . You have no idea what a revenue we could raise from this Shanghai source of taxation. We would, secondly, lay a tax of five cents per head up-on all barbes, niggers alone excepted. The amount from this source would be astonishingly great. It would reduce the cotton tax from 2½ to 2 cents per pound. I mention this to show you that if we only knew what proportion of the debt it has been decreed we shall pay, we can easily raise it, withou relying entirely on cotton. Tell good Mr. Stevens, if he has any mercy on rebels, to make this modification of the law for us.

time and attention to the production of this

If you know of any kind Yankee who has "old shoes" or "old hats, caps or boots," tell him to ship them "South in Dixie." It makes no difference with us if the shoes are bottomed with chips and paper. We don't care for such things as that now. We have no false pride. If he will only sell the above mentioned articles "cheap for cash," he can dispose of an immense quantity. We prefer these articles old, because it is proof positive that they have been tried. Will you be so kind as to inform us what amount of money a boot black can make in New England? There are numbers of young men here who wish to "go into business" of some kind. I am thinking that New England might give employment to a few rebel bootblacks, since nearly all the wealth of the South has been religiously carried to that climate. The young men here are not very particular in regard to the business they engage just so it is is at the Valley Confectionery, kept by our gard to the business they engage, just so it is wil Liam enterprising friend, Henry Dumm. not "work in the field." That they are de-BANDEL, so

Fiffined not to stand. So let us know w uld be the prospect of a bootblack in New Sir, is there any chance for a Southern "reb" to marry a rich New England "gal?"

I have a notion to engage in that kind of a eculation. I don't care how ugly she is, nor how cross, nor how proud, nor humble she may be, provided she has the "Johnny adesibles."

When the Jacobins of the French Assett bly had executed some peculiarly atrocious assault upon the constitution of their own making, or had in some other manner violated decency and outraged the name of republicanism, it was customary for their followers, the sans culottes of the faubourgs, the ruffians and murderers of the gutters of Paris, to get up an ovation in honor of their representatives, to encourage them to more violent proceedings by popular demonstra-tions such as the worst Jacobins could only appreciate. That virtuous Radical Marat, who had in his pocket a list of three hundred persons whom he intended should be ussassinated, received an ovation of this kind : was carried through Paris by the most fright ful crowd of ruffians, crowned with brirels our poverty into religion, and we are relying and loaded with the plaudits of the meb -The Jacobins and negroes of Washington seemed to have got up their evation to our Congressmen on the French medel. The sage under our tongues as a sweet morsel.—
"Blessed are the poor will be a good text, if it is a little cartailed. We take it for granted as ever marshaled to the sound of the tocsin. in Paris. And to fulfill the hopes and expectations of this mob, the Rumpites proceeded to their work of outrage and des tion with a vigorous violence that would have of despair. We have gone so far in that gulf | done honor to the Jacobin Club. The first that we can now reach the mud on the other | week's business of the Rump Congress, although but the continuation of the proceedings of the previous session was of such a character as to clearly indicate that the Aboexpect nothing, and thank goodness we will lition Jacobins propose to leave nothing of they can possibly destroy it. In this revel of fanaticism the conduct of the individual members can searcely be separated from the mass, and the party which has the majority in the Rump is alone entitled to the disgrace and dishonor which these proceedings are certain to attach to it. That such a schene tice, as a Radical corruption fund, the appotch of despotism and outrage, Chandler's drunken tirade, and Sherman's shameless If any of your neighbors have old clothes plan to arrogate to the the Rump Senate the that these scandalous proceedings, involving learning his horse to eat shavings by putting constitute the main features of the first He is going to the Jacobin character of the Rump and the in the manufacture of horse-goggles. Don't partisans. If these things are not anguries ernment and the reduction of the Washington institution to the condition of an incubus and phisance to the people, then we will be compelled to concede that this government as they get used to it, but they "flourish as | can survive more perils and greater confusion

- [Crisis. Caucus Government.

We are just now under the rule of King Caucus. His Secret Majesty sits enthroned of Washington, with Stevens and Wade and Forney as his ministers of State. Time was when the laws of our country were made in the light of day, when every member of the legislative body was permitted to take part in the determination of questions before it. when free people could sit in the galleries and listen to all arguments adduced in all sidesdo but that which grows in the South. I do of such questions; but now a partizan majorinot know why, unless that the Legislature of | ty meet in secret conclave, and determine, as-Mississippi levied a tax on every dog, except | partizans, not as honest legislators, what laws are to be enacted and what measures are to ever, when the assessor came round, he found be rejected. To-night they resolve to russ a certain bill; to-morrow it will be reperted in the House and passed under the gag of the previeus question and the whip and stur of the slave-drivers of the Rump. The minority are allowed to protest and-that is all .-The pasage of the measure has been pre-determined by the secret Caucus, and nothing can prevent its adoption. Now, we submit, in all candor, is this legislation according tothe spirit and intent of a Republican government? Are our laws to be made by a secret Cauens, instead of an open Legislature? Are the minority to be considered as nonentities who have no brains to think, and no tongues to speak, or rather have no right to exercise their brains in thinking or their tongues in speaking? If so, let the people know it. If so, King Cancus must be slain ! We say, give us Revolution, give us War, destined to be staple of this Territory of Mis- give us Death, rather than such slavery! Betford Guzette.

Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

In the address delivered by Mr. Garrett, the President of the Baltimore & Ohio R R ... at the last meeting of the Board of Directors, we find the following, in relation to the railroad in this State:

"In an address upon a similar occasion, a year siace, I had the honor to present to this broad view in reference to the importance of a line of railway from Harper's Ferry through the Valley of Virginia, to connect with the Virginia Tennessee railroad, and thence, by he connections of that road, through the intermediate States to New Orleans. It was understood that these views received the sainction of this board and of this community.-The large population in the great and fertile regions which would be so favorably affected by this improvement failed to secure such egislation at the last session of the Legislature of Virginia as would induce the necessary investment of capital in this enterprise .-The entire p pulation of the valley, and the regions that would be so vasely benefitted by a work of this magnitude and importance, are intensely anxious for a successful result.

In intercourse with the leading citizens of

that great State who desired to center on this subject, your executive has informed them that as the Baltimore and Ohio company has before it enterprises which are absorbi will more than absorb, all the means it cancommand, yet. if the State of Virginia should desire the aid of its capital, and of capitalists, who might be influenced in their investments by this company, it will be gratified to co-operate in promoting the restoration of the prosperity of that State, by developing, as underbtedly would be the case, the manufact. turing, the mining and the agricultural interests of the extensive regions which would be affected by the prosecution of this work."

MARRIED.

On Tuesday morning, 11th inst., at the residence of the bride's mother, near Kabletowo, by the Rev. R. Smith, JAMES W. SHEPHERD, to dies MARY S. MYERS, all of Jefferson county.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE. We desire to return our thanks to our friends and the public for their liberal encouragement since we have been in business. And while soliciting their

further patronage, we pledge ourselves to sell them Hardware cheaper than they can buy elsewhere; We shall confine ourselves to Hardware raclusively, and will keen a complete stock of the most nproved and durable goods in our frate, whether Foreign or Bomestic, and as we buy from factories

where no credit is given, we shall in all cases requite cash for our goode: D HUMPHREYS & CO. December 18, 1558

SPECIAL NOTICE, Our customets will see by our advertisement that we are selling our goods exclusively for Cash .-Many of them are owing us We are determined to clese up our books, and feel compelled to insist upon intinediate settlement.

AISQUITH & BRO. Dec. 18, 1866. Notice .- The beautiful Piano Fortes of GROVESTEEN & CO., are deemed by all good judges to be the ultima thule of instruments of the

We cannot suggest what is wanting to make a musical instrument more perfect, although we are slow to admit that the limit of improvement can ever be attained.

Before they had brought their Pianos to their present excellence, they had submitted them to competition with instruments of the best makers. of this country and Europe, and received the reward of merit, over all others, at the celebrated World's Fair It is but justice to say that the judgment thus pronounced has not been overfuled by the n usical world. Still, by the improvements lately applied by them to their Pianos, it is admitted that a more

perfect instrument has been made. They have accordingly achieved the paradox of making excellence more excellent. Surely, after this, they are entitled to the thotto, "Excelsior."

October 23, 1866 -1y. TO CONSUMPTIVES. The advertiser, having been restored to health in a few weeks by a very simple remedy, after having suffered for several trars with a severe lung affec-

tion, and that dread disease, Consumption-is aux-

lous to make known to his fellow-sufferers the means To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge,) with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a s ne cree for Consumption. Asthms, Bronchitis, Coughs. Colds, and ail Threat and Lung Affections. The only object of the advertiser in sending the Prescription is to benefit the afflicted and spread information which he conceives to be invaluable, and he hopes every sufferer will try his to make a six will creat their nothing, and may prove remedy as it will cost their nothing, and may prove Parties wishing the prescription, FREE, byreturn

mail, will please a ldress Rev. EDWARD A. WILSON, Williamsburg, Kings county, A. Y. March 29, 1-66-1y.

ERRORS OF YOUTH. A gentleman wile suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of bouthful indiscretion, will f r the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making a simple remedy by which he was pured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so by addressing JOHN B. OGDEN,

No. 13 Chamber's street, New York. March 20, 1566-1y. STRANGE, BUT TRUE!

Every young lady and gentleman in the United States can hear something very much to their advantage by return mail (free of charge) by addr. ssing the undersigned. Those having fears of being humbugged, will obtige by not noticing this card. All thers will please add ess their obedient servant, THOMAS F. CHAPMAN, 831 Broadway, New York.

March 20, 1886-1v.

STRAYED OR STOLEN! PROM the subscriber, in Chirlestown, W. Va on the 12th instant, a

GRAY HORSE, about 9 years old, middle size, left fore leg fetlock joint slightly enlarged -tl in teil- and brandett b.C. "on the left shoulder. The brand is very undis-

A liberal reward will be paid for his return to me Dec. 18, 1866. HUMP TREY KEYES.

CAUTION TO TRESPASSERS! WHILST I keep no Ferry, I, keep boats only for my own use and that of my family and friends, and such only, and fit for those who unwarranta-bly take my bosts, much to my inconvenience, and after a loss of tactite therefrom, can again venture a similarity of indulgence. To such I say, stay away-for if my woats are to be had for the inture it is to be only by my consent. By any other, will invoke the penalty of the law to the full extent. I forbid trespass sof any kind upon my premises -Some parties have found it convenient to depredate Some parties have tout of convenient to depretate upon my timber, in transporting it from another rounty into this, and applying it to their own use. I respectfully announce to all such, that these depredations must cease, or the law will be applied in

all its full force and rigor.
GEORGE BACKHOUSE. December 18, 1:66-3t. P. S. I wish to hire a NEGRO BOY from 12 to 15 rears of age-one who is a good boy. A fair compensation for his s-rvices. G. B.

A COMPLETE STOCK!

RARE GOODS & GREAT BARGAINS! TRUSSELL & CO., traly grateful for the generour support extended toward their house since greatly to enlarge their general STOCK, specially adapted to the present season, which embraces in part the latest and best selected assortinem of

BOOTS, SHOES, HATS AND CAPS, ever before offered in the town. Most of the Boots and Shoer, for Ladies, Gentlemen and Boys, are made to order; in the best shops of Baltimore and Phi adelphia, and warranted equal to any that can be manufactured. Prices Low, and all sizes, kind and quality on hand. Of

FANCY NOTIONS. we have a rare and very choice selection, embracing in part—Ladies' Superior Cotton Hose, Children's Woollen and Cotton do., Gentlemen's Yarn Socks, Suspenders, Neck Ties Byron Paper Collars, Berlin Gloves, Buck Gauntlets and Gloves, Misses Worsted Hose, and Cotton and Woo lender, French Corsets, Pins, Needles, Combs, &c., with other articles too numerous to particularize. The assort-

ment of tresh, choice and cheap CONFECTIONERY, FRUI S. NUTS, &C., includes in part, Raisins, Figs, English Walnuts, Almonds, Filberts, Pain Nuts, Fr nch Candies. and assorted American do , of all varieties, Lemon Cakes, Tea Biscutt, etc. Several boxes of fresh LEMONS also on hand. The

GROCERY DEPARTMENT has in no wise been neglected, and every article meded for family consumption will be found con-stantly on hand, and for sale as low as can be pro-cured elsewhere in the county, as our motto is that a " ni able sixpence is better than a slow shilling."

Thankful for the kindnesses of the past, we respectfully solicit a present call from our old friends and the public generally.

Charlestown, Dec. 18, 1866. HO! FOR A MERRY CHRISTMAS!

JUST received a beautifulty selected assurtment of WATCHES, JEWELRY, and TOYS Call and examine, you can't fail to be pleased. The JEWELRY is composed in part of beautiful Setts of every description, Breastpins, Ear Rings, Finger Rings, Watch Chains and Guards, Setts for the Hair, Chains

and a variety of other things. Also, some choice SEGARS and SMOKING TOBACCO. with Fancy Soaps, Combs and Brushes, in connec-tion with as nice an assortment of TOYS as can be Jam also agent for the saic of KNABE & CO.'S
HIANOS. Persons wishing one of those elegant
Pianos of Melodeons, by calling on me, can see a Cimen, and can have them brought to the Depo Manufacturer's prices. L. DINKLE.

at Manufacturer's prices.
December 13, 1866.

STOVES AT AUCTION! E will sell at PUBLIC AUCTION, in front of

WE will sell at PUBLIC AUCTION, in front of our store at 12 M. on SATURDAY, December 22d, the follow; g second hand STOVES;
1 large Egg Stove, Drum and Pipe.
2 Cook Stoves, 2 Ten-Plate Stoves,
1 Air/Tight Stove for wood, 2 Coal Stoves,
1 Franklin Stove, 1 Fender, 2 pairs Brass Dog Irons. TERMS CASH.
Also, at the same time and place, 1 sett handsome. Double Harness.

Buble Harness.

RANSON & DUKE.

DON'T forget to call and be supplied with Jew-elry at the New Jewelry Store, Opposite the Bank. I. DINKLE.

PROPESSIONAL CARDS:

bie J. V. SIMMONS. PENTIET.

HAVING permattently located histo, feinders his PROFESSIONAL SERVICES to the citizens of Jefferson and adjoining counties in all operations pertaining to DENTAL SURGERY. After an experience of hearly ten years, he feels comident that he can please all who favor him by their patronage. ARTIFICIAL TEETH, mounted upon English and American Rubber, in the very best manner and guaranteed to give satisfaction.

... My TERMS SHAEL BE MODERATE, and make known provious to operating if desired. He ma e known previous to operating if desired. He can be found, at all times during the day at his office in the CARTER HOUSE, Chartestown, Va. , Ufferceptionable references given when de [July 24; 1866-1y.

DR. J. A. STRAFTH, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, NO 522, WEST FAYETTE STREET, (BETWEEN FRANKLIN SQ. and SHROEDER STREET.) BALTIMORE CITY. Massaces left at the Drug Steres of COLEMAN & ROGERS, Baitimore street, and of J. SMITH, corner Entaw and Lexington streets, will receive at-

13- May also be found at the office of the CON-TINENTAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, du ring attendance hours, October 25, 1866-tf. N S WHITE T [JOSEPH TRAPNELL. WHITE & TRAPNELL. Attorneys at Law

CHARLESTOWN, JEFFERSON CO.,

WEST VIRGINIA. December 11, 1866-3m

JAMES A. L. MC'OLURE, ATTORNEY AT LAW. No. 40, St. Paul Street, Bultimofe, TRACTICES in the State and Un ted States Courts and pays particular attention to the prosecuton of claims against the General Government. January 2d 1566-tf.

E DWARD E. COCKE.] [ANDREW E. EENNEDY LAW CARD. COOKE & KENNEDY. 17ILL attend to office business in Jefferson, and will practice regularly in the Courts of Clarke and Frederick, and in any other of the adjacent punties where the test oath is not required. OFFICE-In the Valley Bank Building. Charlestoen, May 1, 1866. «

W. L. HERRINGTO !. U. STATES ASSISTANT ASSESSOR

INUERNAL REVENUE. DIVISION 14, DISTRICT 2D OF WEST VIRGINIA. Office in "Register Building," Shepherds-

wn, West Virginia

December 11, 1866-tf. AISQUITH & BRO.,



DRUGGISTS AND APOTHECARIES. I I AVE JUST ADDED LARGELY to their stock DRUGS, CHEMICALS,

PATENT MEDICINES
PAINTS, OILS, WINDOW GLASS, PERFUMERY, SOAPS,

AND DRUGGISTS FANCY GOODS. They are repared to furnish everything pertaining to their business upon the most reasonable terms. They would specially call the altention of Country Physicians to their large and select stock of MED-ICINES saitable to their practice, which will be sold as low as they can be obtained abywhere. Every

They will have consin the on hand a full stock of Oil Lead, Colors Dye Sluffs, Warnishes, Window Glass, Putty, Paint Brusnes, and Tools and every thing in the line of PAINTERS, MATERIAL. All the popular PATENT MEDICINES tegether with a large and con plete stock of PER. UMERY, Pomades Hair Oils, Soars, Tooth Hair and Nail Brushes, and every variety of FANCY (100DS. A carefully selected assortment of STATIONE-RY-Foolscap, Letter, Commercial Note, and Billet Paper, Envelopes, Pens, Pencils, &c. and neatly compounded at all hours.

After indulging in the Credit business for tweive months, they are convenced that it is not prefitable. They cannot afford to, nor will they sell their goods on credit; their stock is purchased for CASti, and will be sold only for the money.

Charlestown, Dec. 18, 1866.

A RICH ASSORTMENT!

Campbell & Mason A NNOUN(E to the public that they are in reline, to which they invite stiention. Their artic es are such as will bear close examination, and their terms will always be found accommodating and

reasonable. They name as a portion of their stock: Pocket Books, Cabas, Lady's Companions, Bib cs, Prayer Books, Hymn Books, Children's Books, A full supply of Stationery, at low pricer Lead Pencils, Pen Holders, Pens, Diaries for 1867, Photograph Albuma,

Biank B oke, Hagerstown Almanacks, Berch abrook, by Miss Preston, Gum Drops, Spring Tops. All of which we will sell cheap for cash. Give us call before buying siscwhere. Dec. 15, 1566.

WAIT, AND BUY BARGAINS. THE subscribers purpose closing out WITHOUT RESERVE, the Suck of GOODS in store at Charlestown, ducing Holiday Week, by AUCTION.

The first sale will take place on Wednesday, December 26th, 1866. commencing at 10 o'clock, A. M., and will continue from ds. to day, until the whole stock is disposed of. Here is a chance for bargains, of which all should avail themselves. LEISENRING & SON. 63-AUCTION at night for colored persons especially. [Dec. 18,1266.

READY FOR CHRISTMAS. THE subscribers are in receipt of as fine a lot of

INS'" necessary to a proper enjoyment of the hoti-days, as can be found in Jeners n county. We still continue to sell Dry Goods, Oroceries, &c., at a great reduction in price. Call and see us.

G. W. LEISENRING & CO.

Rippon, Dec 18, 1866-21. CATTLE FOR SALE. NE Fine Cow and Two Turily liesters, all in a Dir condition.

B-tween Myerstown and Wickliff Church.

LAST CHANCE. PRESS of business will detain me here until A the 1st of January. Persons desiring Photographs are urged to eatl promptly

A. F. SMITH.

\$1,500 PER YEAR! We want Agents everywhere to sell our IMTROVED \$25 Sewing Machines. Three new Rinds. Under and Upper feed. Sent on trial Warranted five years. Above salary or large commissions partl. The ONLY machines sold in United States for less than \$250 which are fully heared by Horse Wheeler and S40, which are fully licensed by Howe, Wheeler and Wilson, Grover & Buker, Singer & Co., and Bachelder. All other cheap muchines are infringements and the seller or user are liable to arrest fine and imprisonment. Illustrated circulars sent free. Address, or call upon Shaw & Clarke, at Biddef ed, Maine, or Chicago, Illinois.

June 5, 1866—19

THIRD SUPPLY OF HALE'S MEAT CUTTERS, just received and for sale by D. HUMPREVS & CO. December 11, 1866.

RANSON & DURE,

OFFER to the public the following articles, which they have recently received—
A lot of superior Corn Cutters;
The Conqueror Apple Parer—
Tingles Improved Churn—
Briker's and Excelsior Grain Fans—
Wheelbarrows. Chopping Axes, Grindstones,
Ox-Ball; Union Washing Machine.

September 12, 1866.

S. TONEWARE.—Just received tone Jars, all sizes, suitable for pickles, preserves, &c. Also tone Jugs. Call and get your supply at D. HOWELL'S.

STONE COAL for sale by GRADY & CO. SPECIAL NOTICE.—All persons having accounts with us will please some forward and settle. Their accounts are over due and we are compelled to insist upon immediate payment.

Bept. 4. 65.-1ms Alsouttel & BRO. Alsquitti & BRO. BERRELEY W. MOSRE

Charles A. O'Hara. FARMERS' & PLANTERS' AGENT,

COMMISSION MERCHART.

TOBACCO, GRAIN AND OTHER COUNTRY PRODUCE; 105 South Charles Street,

BALTIMURE All Orders Promptly filled at Wholesale Prides, when accompanied with Cash or Product.

Dec. 4. 1866-46.

VIRGINIA AND MARYLAND Bridge Company

SHEPHERDSTOWN. NOTICE is hereby given that there will be a general meeting of the Stockholders of the VIRGINIA AND MARYLAND BRIDGE COMPANY, at SHEPHELDSTOWN, at the Western Ho-1st MONDAY in JANUARY. 1867,

At which time therewill be an election for SEVEN BIR ECTORS as provided by the Charter of the Com-Pres't of V. and Mt. Bridge Co. NEW YORK

UNION PIANO-FORTE COMPANY.

CHARTERED JANUARY, 1866. WE are now prepared at our NEW FACTORY;
SIXTH STREET, to turn out 50 Pla Nos per week
from our Splendid New Scales—which are pronounced by the best Judges to be the inner powerful Square Piano that has ever been brought before
the public. There is no Piano made that will stand
n I une like them.

No. 3-7 Octave, front Round Corners, Plain Case, Octagun Legs, \$400 to \$450 No. 4-7 Octave, front Round Corners, with Carved Legs, \$450 to \$500 No. 5-7 octave four large Round Corners, with Carved Legs, &c., . \$500 to \$600 The New York Union Piano Company, believing that the public want demends a

GOOD SUBSTANTIAL 7-Octave Piano-Forte. Embracing all the Modern Improvements—such as A Rosewboil Case, French Grand Action. Harp Pedal. Full bon Frame, Overstrung Bass, &c.

Now offer such an Instrument at a price lower than HARDWARE, TI. WARE, any other reliable Manufactory. These Pianos are made of the best materia's, with great care, and by the most skillful WORKMEN selected from the best Factories in this and the of countries, and fully warrancd to stand in any cli mate, and to give as good satisfaction as any Pianos sold for One PHOUSAND DOLLARS* OUR TERMS ARE NET CASH, City Funds

AT PRICES WITHIN THE MEANS OF ALL

for by adopting such terms are enab at low prices.

... All Orders must be sent direct to the Fac-tory, corner of 10th Avenue and 36th Street, as we sell all our Fianos direct from the Factory, and save our customers from paying for costly showy ware-rooms, which expense the purchaser always hits to bear. We want 500 AGENTS and TEAULIERS to introduce these SPLENDID NEW INSTRUMENTS

in all parts of the United States
NEW YORK UNION PIANO-FORTE CO., COR. IDTH AVENUE and 36TH STREET, N. Y. SAMUEL FISH, Baston, President. J. P. HALE, N. Y., Treas'r & Gen'l Agent. June 12, 1866-1y.

GROVESTEEN & CO. PIANO-FORT E MANUFACTURERS,

499 Broadway, New York. THE attention of the Public and the Trade is invited to our New SCALE 7 OUTAVE ROSE-WOOD PIANO FORTES, which for volume and purity of tone are unrivalled by any hitherto offered in this market. They contain all the modern improvements, French Grand Action. Harp Pedal, Icon Frame, Overstrung Bass, etc., and each instrument being made under the personal supervision of Mr. J. H. GROVESTEEN who has had a practical apprience of over 35 years in their manufacture, is fally a research in every particular. THE "GROVESTEEN PIANO FORTES" RE CEIVED THE AWARD OF MERIT OVER ALL OTHERS

AT THE CELEBRATED WORLD'S FAIR. Where were exhibited instruments from the bes makers of London, Paris, Germany, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Boston and New Yo.k; and also at the American Institute for five successive years, the cen at our ware-rooms. still more perfect Piano Forte, and by manufactu-ring largely, with a strictly cash system, are ena-bled to offer these instruments at a price which will reclude all competition.

TERMS-Net Cash In Current Funds. DESCRIPTIVE CIRCULARS SENT FREE October 2, 1866 -3m. COA CUMBERLAND AND ANTHRACITE COAL. WILL keep on hand, at the Charlestown Depot. COAL of the different kinds, which will be sold

by the Ton or Car Load at the lowest prices Sept 4, 1866. J. D. STARRY. LOOK OUT FOR OLD CHRIS!

GRAND ARRIVAL OF HIS BAGGAGE AT THE | Linseys. Bed Ticking, Prints, Shaker Flannels White and Figured Irish Linens. "VALLEY CONFECTIONERY," MAIN STREET, CHARLESTOWN, ADJOINING THE DRUG STORE OF CAMPBELL &

MASON. ENRY DUMM, the only authorized agent in this place of his Excellency, CHRIS KRINGLE, Esq., announces to the people of Charlestown and surrounding country, that he is now receiving at his store, the Baggage and Equipments of the "Old Gentlemen," which are to be distributed in rich protusion, and at such prices as will astonish even those who think a cent as big as a Cart Wheel.

It is necessary to name only a lew f the many ar-ticles which have been left with me to supply the wants and gratify the tastes of the old, the young, the middle aged of all sexes, colors and conditions. He has on hand TOYS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION. to make cheerful the hearts and jubilant the spirits of the juvenile population, and a supply of FRENCH AND COMMON CANDIES. to sweeten and seat and make perpetually cohesive in anticipation of changing their condition in life,

and a superabundance of RICH CAKES, to make complete the WEDDING and HOLYDAY FEASTS.

Among his TOYS will be found the following:—
Tea Setts, Violins, Nosh's Arks, Suple Jacks, Surprising Boxes, Hoop Horses, Brass Trumpets, Carriages, Wagons, Drums, Birds on Trees, Bounty Jumpers, Toy Brooms, Kid Dolls, China Dolls, Black Dolls for the Freedmen, Patent and Glazed Heads, Common Masks, and a thousand and one things not enumerated here. Of SUGAR TOYS he has an exhaustless variety

he has an exhaustless variety. FIRE WORKS. of all kinds, such as Rockets to empty your Pockets, Fire Crackers for Small Bush What kers, Spiral Madica s to pop the Radicals, Torpedocs to kill Musquitos, and Double Headed Dutchmen to do what you please with Also, a full supply of

ORANGES AND LEMONS, and every other FRUIT suited to the season, as well as a rich assortment of NUIS, such as Almonds, Butter Nuis Filberts, English Walnuts, &c. These articles have been selected with much care and with an eye single to the gratification of the tastes of the people of this community. In order secure your sopply for Christmas, you had better leave your orders at once, so that you can be accommodated before the general rush sets in. And now, one and all, Give DUMM a call.

FOR THE SEASON! EVERYTHING WANTED TO MAKE A MERRY

CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW

GUSTAVE BROWN, at the old established stand of Biessing, in Charlestown, has now opened one of the largest and most varied assortments of FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC FRUITS.

FRENCH AND AMERICAN CANDIES. TOYS OF EVERY KIND & CHARACTER,

(and in such endless variety, that all tastes can be sured,) which has ever before been offered in this town. His supply of CAKES, CANNED FRUITS, NUTS, &c., embraces all kinds, and is being offered at the most reduced prices. He respectfully solicies a call from parents and children, young gentlemen and ladies, as the wants of all have been amply anticipated.—
Call soon and make your selections.

CORN SHELLERS. Single Spout Corn Shellers, capacity 125 bus.

Directly Double Spout do, capacity 250 bus.

Der day; Virginia or Great Western Corn Sheller;

capacity, hand power, 400 bushels per day, horse power, 800 bushels per day. Also, Burrell's Iron Sheller, separates the Corn from the Cob, capacity 125 bushels per day, for sale by

RANSON & DUKE. DUFFIELD'S DEPOT

FRESPECTFULLY the the Lattles to call and examine my stock of Dress Goods, perticularly my large assortment of Bhack Dress Goods, atch as

BOMBAZINES
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FRENCH MERINOS,
ALL WUOL DELAINES,
MOHAIR LUSTRES, AND
ALPACCAS:
ALPACCAS:

I will take pleasure in showing them to all who will favor me with; a call.

Any Gentleman wanting to purchase GASSI-MERES, will find it to hid interest to implied my absortment belefe belying, as my stock is unushally large. I am determined to sell them at such prices as will clear them out. So tome and examine for introduces Nov. 13, 1866.-3m.

D. S. I will pay the highest Market price in cash for WHEAT, CORN, RYE and USTS.

Formers give me a trial.

DAVID H. COCKRILL ARCHITECT AND BUILDER, CHARLESTOWN, JEFFERSON CO, Virginia:

FOR the very liberal palronage extended to me since my release from imprisonment at the "Old Capitol," I lender my sincere thanks. Having had an experience of years in the CARP NTER & HOUSE JOINING BUSINESS, and now in command of a corps of competent worksheh; and having on hand a supply of valua-ble building material, I am fully p eparcit to exe-chte all work entrusted to me, appedily, in the best thanner, and to the entire satisfaction of all who

patronize me.

95 Particular attention given to the drawing of plane and specifications.

DAVID H. COCKRILL:

November 13, 1866—1. JULIUS C. HOLMES. HOUSE CARPENTER & BUILDER. INFORMS the citizens of J fferson and Clarke counties, that he has opened a CARPENTER AND JOINING SHOP. in Charlestown, and will attend to all REPATRING of HOUSES and will CONTRACT for BUILDINGS. All work will be done in the neatest and most work-manilet manner, and at a moderate rate.

OF COUNTRY PRODUCE taken in exchange for work. All who want their work done in a quick and neat manner, will find it to their advantage to November 27, 1:66-3m.

NEW STORE IN MIDDLEWAY. MEET the necessities of the community, the I undersigned has opened in the flouse formerly known as "Farnsworth's Hotel," in Middleway, a general and well-select d assortment of

CUTLERY, PAINTS, OILS, IRON, OF EVERY DESCRIPTION, HORSE SHOES and NAILS, LEATH ER, MECHANICS' TOOLS, generally, and in short, everything almost; that the public want may require. His assortment of

Stoves. is so general and complete, that he is sure from his manner of pittchasing for CASH, from first hands (no commission business) he can make it the miercest of the county generally to give him a call. In the way of STOVES, his stock consists in part of the I unside, Farmer and Planter Cook Stove; the Parlor Cook Stove for wood or coal; are Tight and Torn Plate as also an endices variety of other actions.

HO! FOR HALLTOWN: BOOT AND SHOE MANUFACTORY,

AT NO. 101 THE subscriber has the satisfaction of informing his costomers, and the public generally, that he has just returned with the filest stock of Leather FOR BOOTS AND SHOES,

ever introduced in this community, which he is prepared to manufacture to order upon terms lower that any other house in the Shenandoah Valley, and in a style, which for neatness and durability, cannot be surpassed. No work will be allowed to go out of the shop, unless-it gives purfect and entire satisfaction to those ordering it. If you wish to test the truth of what is here stat d, give ine a call.

My TERMS, CASH or TRADE. November 27 1866 .- tf.

THE NEW CONFECTIONERY IN FULL BLAST!

AM pleased to announce to the civizens of this town, and the community generally, the arrival of my stock of CONFECTIONERY. My store is now filled with a complete su, ply of French and Domestic Candy, Foreign and Domestic Fruit, Cakes, Nuts. &c. . Indeed, everything usually kept in first class Con-lectionery establishments. Call and see for your selves. Orders promptly filled. Weddings and Parties supplied at short notice. Nov 6, 1-66. GUSTAV BROWN.

DOMESTICS. Bleached Muslins: 44 Brown Muslins; 74 Bleached Muslins: Plaid Cortons, Ginghams, Plais

Just received by HEISKELL and AISQUITH. NEW GOODS!

WE are now feceiving our second supply of WINTER GOODS, which makes our stock one of the most complete this side of Haltimore and as short profits and quick cash sales is our mot to, we hope to reserve a large share of the cubli-patronage. KEARSLEY & SHEERER. LADIES' CLOAKS.

WE have just received an assortment of Ladies' CLOAKS, of the latest styles, which will be sold as cheap as they can be had in the cities.

KEARSLEY & SHEERER. NEW GOODS! GREAT ATTRACTIONS!

Am now receiving and opening a large and arlendid stock of new FALL AND WINTER GOODS. of all descriptions, such as Ladies' Dress Goods of all the various grades and colors, with Trimmings to suit, which will be sold chiap.

Nov. 6, 1566. CHARLES JOHNSON.

STILL IN THE FIELD: WISH the public to understand that I am still in I the field, with a fine assertment of CONFEC TIONERY, to shich I ask especial attention. Also LEMONS.

RAISINS. CAKES. Come and see me if you want bargains. Nov. 13. HENRY DUMM.

MEN AND BOYS' WEAR. CLOTHS, Caseimores, Twocde, Caseimette, Linen and Paper Collars, Silk and Linen Handker-chiefs Socks, Gloves, Nock Ties, Boots, Shoes, Rats and Caps Just received by ... HEISKEI L and AISQUITH. SAUSAGE STUFFERS AND CUTTERS.

HALE'S Patent Sausage Cutter and Stuffer com-bined; Perry's Patent Sausage Cutter and Stuffer; No O. Family Stuffer, for sale by RANSON & DUKE. PCTOMAC HERRING. MACKEREL, Salt, Lime, Tar and Cider Vine-gar; for sale by KEARSLEY & SHEERAR. ADIES GLOVE CALF BOOTS for sa'e by To USSELL & CO. WAGONER'S Gun Spring Drill for sale by RANSON & DUKE.

THE Hook Tooth X Cut Saw for sale by Sep. 11. D HUMPHREYS and Co. ADIES HIGH CUT CALF BOOTS for sale hy October 9. TRUSSELL & CO. 1. October 9. LL sorts of BRAID. M. BEHREND STAMPING PATTERNS for Slippers, for Em Broidery and Braiding at M. BEHREND'S.

CHARLES JOHNSON, HALE'S MEAT CUTTERS and STUFFERS; Perry's Patent Sausage Stuffers, for sale by D, HUMPHREYS & CO. HALER'S FAMILY SCALES, no weights required, for sale by D. HUMPHREYS & CO. WOSTENHOLM'S POCKET KNIVES, and Scissors, for sale by D. HUMPHREYS & CO.

GALVANIZED COAL HODS, Coal Shovels and Fire Carriers, for safe by D. HUMPHREYS & CO.

REAL BETATE.

VALUABLII TOWN PROPERTY For Sale. THE HOUSE AND LOT in Ch riselown, now in the occupancy of Dr. Lippett betting ing to the hears of the late A drew Kednedy will be sold at Public Sale, on the 3d MONDAY in Jathary next;

id fidut of the Carter flouse. Possession will be given of the first of April.

This is one of the most desirable residences in the town. TERMS made known on the day of sale, and upon application to John W. Kennedy, or fo me.

ANDREW E. KENNEDY.

November 27, 1886.—15.

VALUABLE BUSINESS PROPERTY FO A SALE AVING changed my resistence. I will sell at Private Sale, my STORE-HOUSE AND DWELLING-HOUSE, with LOT and OUT. BUILDINGS thereto belonging, at Unfortings are countries to be a venient and persuafiest, being built of BRICE, and a good location for selling GOODS, in a good and wealthy community, four nilles from Shepherostiven, on the road leading to Harper's Ferry.

to Harper's Ferry.
For further particulars, address me at #AMILTON Loudoun county, Va. of my brother, L.
HESS, at DUFFIELD'S DEPOT, J. fferson coun-

My ALL persons knowing themselves indebted to mit by note or account, will please settle the same with my bether, L. HESS, at Duffield's Depot. November 27, 1366.—if. L. D. H. CHESTNUT TIMBER LAND FOR SALE.

THE undersigned will dispose of privately, ONE HUNDRED or more ACRES of Land, clothed with a theirity growth of YOUNG CHESTNUT TIMBER, just now coming into use for rails. The land is situated on the east side of the Shenandoah river, within fiv. or six hundred yards of my ferry, easily crossed at all times, with a good road leading to the same. The land is not hilly, and the timber can all be hauled from the stump with wagons. I will sell if desired, in lots of TWENIY FIVE ACRES and upwards. An opportunity is here effered to Farmers to renew their fencing indefinitely, from a limited tract of timber.

N. W. MANNING,
September 25, 1866—8m.

A. R. H. RANSON.] J. Bo .Duns: RANSON & DUKE; :

DEALERS IN Agricultural Implements and Machinery, SEEDS AND FERTILIZERS.

AND GENERAL COMMISSION AND Forwarding Merchants. CHALESTOWN, JEFFERSON Co, W. YA.

HAVE in store and for sale, Mowers and Reap-ers, Grain Gradles, Soythes, Mowing Scythes, Rakes, Forks, Shovels, Hors, Whet tones, Buggy Rakes, Revolving Rakes, Buckeye Corn Poughs, Cultivators, Wheat Drills, Double and Single Shoyel Ploughs, Ploughs and Harrows, Three Horse Ploughs, Corn Shellers, Cutting Boxes, Ci-der Mills, Washing Machine and Wringers, Pa tent Water Drs wers for Wells and Claterns, Cistern Ten-Piate, as also an endiess variety of our cles, unnecessary to enumerate.

BG-HIDES will be received iff exchange for Goods at the market price Hoping to be able to meet the wants of the public, a reasonable share of their pairt hage is respectfully solicited.

JOSIAH WATSON.

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FALL AND WINTER GOODS. JUST received, a large and choice selection of LADIES DRESS GOODS, comprising all the latest and most desirable styles of

POPLINS. MOHAIRS. DUCALS, ALPACCAS, DE LAINES. Black and Colored French Merinos— Black and Colored allwool De Laines— Scotch an I Sh-pherd's Plaids— Black and Colored Silks—

These goods have been selected with great care and bought in the best terms, and will be sold lew by D. HOWELL September 25, 1866.

CONFECTIONARY AND BAKERY! "HE undersigned having purchased the old and established house, good will and fixtures of the "BLESSING" Bakery and Confectionary establishment in Charlestown, respectfully informs its citizens and the people of the county generally, that its whole interior is now undergoing thorough renovation for the accommodation of the public generally. He has had a long experience in his business, with ample facilities for all orders desired at his command, and he feels no hesitancy it assuring satisfaction to those who may give him a call The patronage of the public is respectfully solicited. patronage of the public is respectfully solicited.

GUSTAVE BROWN.

New Concern.

Charlestown, Oct 16, 1868.

NOTICES.

TAX NOTICE. THE Books of the Assessor have been made but, and are now in the hands of the Sheriff for of the Taxes due will be required. WM VUSH, Sheriff. will be required. WM PUSH, Sheriff.
I will be in Kabletown on Wednesday, at Rippon on Thursday and at Charlestown on Fr.day, of each week, for the collection of the more.

T. W. POTTERFIELD,

Oct. 9, 1866-51-- P. Deruty Sheriff. NOTICE. A LI pers his knowing themselves indebted to the undersigned by note, book account, or otherwise, must settle up by the 19th November, as further indulgence cannot be given. For convenience I will call on them on that day. All claims not settled at that time, will be placed in the hands of

at officer for collection.

JERE, N SNYDER. · DISSOLUTION. THE Partnership beretofore existing between Mas, MARY NORRIS, of J-fferson county, W. Va , and B. F. THOMPSON, of Clarke county, Va. displyed by limitation on the 1st of July, 1866. All persums having claims againt said partnership will please present them to Mrs. MARY NORRIS, and the e indebted will please come forward and settle the same.

Mrs. Mary NORRIS, ii. F. THOMPSON.

November 20, 1566-3t. NOTICE. THE owners of CARFIAGES telt in my shop for sale, or for a fe keeping, from and after the lat day of January, 1-67, will be charged one dollar per month storage, and if sold by me, 10 per cent. on amount of sales.

Due 4 1886-21 W. J. HAWKS.

NOTICE. HAVE furnished many Fruit Trees in this and A adjoining counties for the last few years, many of which are how in bearing and can speak to hemselves. Mr. Robert W. North will in future be engaged with me, and anything farmers or oth ers need in the fruit line will be furnished. Having the privilege of selecting from the stock of one of the largest Florist establishments in the country we can furnish the ladies a large variety of Flower and Shrubbery.

Dec. 4, 1866-3m. SAMUEL CLARKE, NOTICE. theavy, next.

(37-Should the property be Brawn by any certifi-Jahuary, next. tate not paid for previous to the allotment, the holder will not be entitled to the projecty. All persons desirous of subscribing to the Dems octat" are requested to do so a Conce.
D. SMITH E CHELBERGER. Papers publishing thy prospectus will please copy

WINDOW GLASS. WE have on hard tor sale the following sized Window Glass: 8 by 10, 10 by 12, 10 by 14, 10 by 15 10 by 16, 11 by 15, 11 by 16, 12 1 y 14 12 by 16, 12 by 18, 12 (y 20, 14 by 16 14 by 18.

Also, PUTTY, CAMPBELL & MASON.

GROCERIES.

he above notice,

A LARGE sitch of every kind and quality, such as Crushed, Pulverized and Clarified Sugars. Brown Sugars of every grade—a beautiful article at 121 cents. New Orleans and Porto Rico Molasses, all of which will be sold cheap by Nov. 20. CHARLES JOHNSON. 3(10 FEET WOODEN TUBING for Chain Pumps, also Pumps Chain, just received by Nov. 20, 1866. RANSON & DUKE.

EDUCATIONAL.

BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL THE next session of my School for Young Lt.

DIES will commense on WEDNESDAY, September 12th, 1566.

Being provided with compelent Assistants, every advantage for a thorough course in English, Music and the Languages will be afforded. The course of study embraces Latin.

Particular attention, will be paid to Music, and Pupils will be required to play at the Music, and Pupils will be required to play at the Music, and Pupils will be given once in two months, when the friends of the Pupils can have an opportunity to judge of their progress

The charge for Board and Tuition in the English and Latin Course for Annual Session commencing September 12th, and closing on the last Friday of Jone, \$2.0, payable one-hall in advance, and the remainder in Feb usery.

Washing, Fuel and Lights, Extra.

Day Scholabs fue Annual Session:

DAY SCHOLARS PHR ANNUAL SESSION: FRENCH, ITALIAN, SPANISH or \$49 to \$50 GERMAN each
MUSIC on PIANO;
VOCAL MUSIC,
FUEL

All paymetts thade in advance:
Address; Mag. A. M. FURREST,
Charlestown. J. fferson co., Va., July 30 - 1m. ROANOKE COLLEGE, SALEM, VIRGINIA.

THE cert annual session of this 1 stilling will comments to the first of September. PACULTY: Rev. D. P. Biffels, D. D. Pres dent and Professor of Moral and Intellectual Philosophy.

S. C. Wells, A. M., Siathenir, the and Natural Philosophy.

Rev. W. B. Yonce, A. M., Ancient Languages.

Rev. J. B. Davis, A. M., Agricultural and Michigan.

[To be appointed], Anabatiy and Philosophy.
GEO W. HOLLAND, A. M., Adj't Prot. of Ancient languages and Prideipal of Prep. Dep't.
Rev. D. P. CAMMANN, A. M., M dern Languages, S. A. Rapass, A. B., Assistant in Preparatory De-TERMS: FOR HALF SESSION (FIVE MONTHS) PAYALLE IN U:

Pultion, Room Rent, and Incidental; \$30 80 Expenses for five months, \$101 60 Tuitibh, &c., and part of Board payable in advance: For further information, send for catalogue of inquire of the President,
October 23, 1866—Im.

TO THE PEOPLE OF VIRGINIA.

If you need one of the best remedies ever offered to the people of this State for Derangements of the Liver, such as Congestion of the Liver, Torpot of the Liver, Deficient Secretion of Bile, and the of the Liver, Deficient Secretion of Bile, and the long list of Diseases resulting from such derange ments as Jaund de Billious Golic, Loss of Appetite Dyspepsia, Eruciations of Food. Flatulency, Painful Digestion, or Pain in the Stomath, or Sides, Vertigo, Headathe. Sick Readache. Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Impurity of the Biood. and ail conditions ordinarily called Billious. Derangements of the Digestive Organs; all forms of Constipation, and for all the purposes of a Family Pill, use "Dr. T. Rennolds' celchiated Virginia Hepatic and Purgative Pilla."

This PILL is not the invention of a quack or an

impostor, designed to impose upon public credulity, but was compounded by Dr. T. Reinolds, of Staunton, Virginia, a regular graduate and amment practitioner of ineutcinle in this section, who, after years of careful study, so arranged the proportions of the ingredients as to resider it applicable to the diseases for which it is recommended. He had no idea of ext uding their use beyond the community in which he lived and practiced, but, after his death. idea of ext uding their use beyond the community in which he lived and practiced, but, after his death, which occurred in January, 1864 having left the formula for compounding them to his brother, Wm Renuolds, of Louisa county, Virginia, the latter, for reasons stated in pamphlet around box containing them, has undertaken to have them manufactured for the people of the whole State.

The pilt has stood the test of ample experience, having been extensively used and highly valued by the people of this section for many years, as is substantiated by certificates contained in pamphlet around box, as well as other evidences of appreciation from many of our most distinguished and reliable citize is The price of this pill is FIFTY CENTS per hox. Though this is apparently higher than the price charged for those ordinarily sold to the public, yet it must be remembered that the dose is less than one half of the latter, and consequently is just as cheap are others. as any others
To prove this, it is only necessary to call attention to the fact that boxes of pills usually contain

from 24 to 30 pills, the average dose being from 3 to
6. Our boxes contain 12, the dose being from 3 to
for ordinary purposes, and hence the quantity is
just as great in a smaller bulk, with ut reference to
the certainty and efficiency of the remedy and obviating the serious objection to taking so many for Nothing is claimed for this pill that we do not conscientiously believe, and if we cannot succeed in introducing it to the people by stating the truth, we will not degrade ourselves or try to impose upon others by going beyond it.

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MAJORITY of those who read newspapers, never even give a hasty glance at a business advertise-

it best to simply invite every body to call and examine my stock and prices before purchasing elsewhere, and to say but little in regard to my ability and determination to make it advantageous to

That is mme ferevermore. As one heart yearns for another-Pron the golden gates of glory
Then I to the earth once more;
Where I drained the cup of sadness,
Where my soul was stung to madness,
And life's bitter, burning billows
Swept my burdened being o'er.

But while living, striving, dyi. g—
Never did my soul cease crying—
"Ye who guide the Pates and Fairics,
Give, oh, give me. I implore,
From the myriad hosts of nations,
From the countless constellations,
One pure spirit that can love me—
One that I, too, can adore!"

Then this fervent aspiration,
Found my fainting soul salvation—
For from out its blackened fire crypts
Did my resietless spirit sour—
And my beautiful idea!
Not too sainting Not too saintly to be real.

Barst more brightly on my vision,

Than the fancy farmed Lenore.

'Mid the surging seas she found me,'
With the billows breaking round me,
And my saddened, sinking spirit
In her actus of love optore;'
Like a lone one, weak and weary,'
Wind'ring in the midnight dreary,'
On her sinless, saintly bosom
Brought me to the heavenly shore. Like the breath of blossoms blending,

Like the prayers of saints ascending, Like the rainbow's seven hued glory, Blend our souls forevermore. Earthly love and lust enslaved me, But Divinest love has saved me, And I know now first and only, How to love and to adore.

Gh, my mortal friends and brothers. We are each and all another's And the soul that gives most freely From its treasures bath the more:
Would you lose your life—you find it,
And in g ving love you bind it,
Like an amulet of salety,
On your heart forevermore!

MISCELLANEOUS.

A Snake Story.

The Vicksburg Times tells she follow-

One of the officers of that popular steamer, the Calamut, which, as every body knows plies regularly between this port and the Tallahatchie River, tells us the following, which, we think, "lays over the above considerable."

"On the Tallahatchie River, not long since, an enormous rattlesnake found a setting turkey hen on her nest, and swallowed her in exactly two minutes and forty seconds, by the watch, and then swallowed the eggs, twentyone in number, three at a time, without cracking a single shell; after which he immediately relapsed into that state of torpidity peculiar to Tallahatchie snakes after a big din-

"Anxious to see the denouement of this snake affair, the owner of the unfortunate fowl allowed his snakeship to go unmolested, who, coiling himself in a fence corner, remained there quietly for nine days, with his mouth, wide open, when the eggs having finished the process of incubation, the juvenile turkeys stepped out of his mouth, one at a time, but as each one put its feet on terra firma, it was swallowed again by this 2:40 snake before it had time to look up at the sun.

"All this happened about six weeks ago; and as soon as the last turkey was disposed of the rattlesnake was caught and put in a barrel of two hundred and ninety five per cent. alcohol, and on every clear day those young turkeys can yet be heard chirping."

A BOTTLE OF BRANDY PER DAY .- The London Review says: "We have heard a rather good story of Bismarck. He is said to be partial to brandy, and before leaving Berlin for the seat of war a little son of his asked him how long he was to be away. He replied that he did not know. Thereupon a servant came in to enquire how many bottles of cognac were to be packed up in the Count's luggage. "Twenty-four," was the answer. "Ab, papa," cried out the terrible infant, "now I know how long you are to be from home-twenty-four days."

CHARACTER.—The groundwork of our manly character is veracity, or the habit of truthfulness. That virtue lies at the foundation of every word said. - How common is it to hear people say, I have faith in my child so long as he speaks the truth, He may have ceive. I build on that confidence. They are right. It is lawful and just ground to build upon. So long as the truth remains in the child, there is something to depend upon; but when truth is gone, all is lost, unless the child is speedily won back to veracity.

- Mr. Williams made a violent speech in the Senate on Tuesday, in favor of negro suffrage in the District of Columbia averring. that "he wished the descendants of those proud and haughty families of the District to go to the polls with negroes." Mr. Morrill, in a similar strain discovered that "the spirit of insurrection and rebellion" evidently existed "in the Capital of the nation." The Southern people who differ with him he pronounced to be "proud and haughty," and he accounted for their opposition to his schemes. that "the spirit of slavery had eaten out their hearts." And all this, in the Senate!

-Dr. Cumming has a rival. A writer in a Roman Catholic paper proves that the Prussian Prime Minister, "whose real name" for the time being is asserted to be "Bistmarck," is the true owner of the number 666. Any one can add it up for himself: B=2, I=10 S=200, T=300, M=40, A=1, R=90 C-3, K-20. He is also the Little Horn; in short not being himself a king, he is plucking up the ten kingdoms of the Holy Roman Empire (i e. Germany) Daniel viii. 24, too, strikingly applies to him, the destroyer of the holy people; and the fire from heaven which Antichrist is to bring down finds its clear and sufficient antitype in the needle gun.

The elder Mr. Weller was caught in a railroad car with a widow. Here is he account of it: "It was on the rail," said Weller, with emphasis; "I was a goin' down to Birmingham by rail, and I was locked up in a close carriage with a living widder. Alone we was; the widder and me was alone; and I believe it was because we was alone, and there was no clergyman in the conveyance, that ere widder didn't marry me after was. that ere widder didn't marry me afore we reached the half way station. Ven I think how she began a screaming as we was goin' under tunnels in the dark-how she kept on faintin', kitchin' hold 'o me-and how I tried to burst open the door as was tight locked and perwented all escape. Ah! it was a awful thing-most awful?"

A Moder Judge.—Nat Harrison, the no-torious Radical Judge of the 9th Judicial District of West Virginia, charged his grand

That ubiquitous fellow, Q. Philander Do sticks, who manages to dabble in almost ererything, has been playing base hall, and here

"I squared myself, raised my big stick, and told the Pitchman to pitch in. He did so. The first ball came like a cannon shot, but I dodged it neatly. The next one hit me plump in the breast. I dropped the stick and asked him what he did that for. Cap told me to pick up the stick again, and try to hit the ball. Did so. When I saw the ball coming, I poked my stick at "it, but didn't hit it; the truth was, I wasn't prepared to have it come so fast. Told the Pitchman to give me a fair ball, an easy one; then all the it fellows laughed. Then I got mad pauched in the stick at the next ball didn't hat it; but

punched again-all the fellows yelled, 'Rung punched again—all the fellows yelled, Run, run—run, you muffin! and our captain howled, 'run, you in ernal jackass, run! Run, I tell you, you diabolical tool, run! Run, I tell you, you, —. About this time I started to run; Martinsburg, May 15, 1866—19. you, - About this time I started to run; didn't look which way I went; ran into the catchman who stood behind me; bowled him over on his head. Not that way—run, run? yelled everybody again. Changed my course; tumbled over the Unipire, and taugled my leg in his chair. Veered about and dashed furiously against our captain, and caught a dim vision of his heels in the air, as I started on a new course, and backed into a sturdy po-

liceman. Then tunibled over one of the base bigs; some fellows yelled to "Stop I others," Run, run!' Started once more; dashed into scription for Bullylvds, at moderate prices, and a crowd of spectators and upset about a doz. May 8, 1866—19. Charlestown, Va. a crowd of spectators and upset about a doznally ran into the fence, and fell all in heap iuto a frog hole. When I was picked up av. FALL & VVINTER erything was spinning round, the sky and the barl ground was all mixed; the policemen OHR stock of Farry and Stagle DRY seemed to be floating in the air, and all the Our stock of Fancy and Staple DRY GOODS is pond, scemed to be joining in a frantic jig than any double-quick was ever executed yet.
When I came to my senses found everybody shricking with laughter, and calling me the dashedest muffin that ever held a club. My nose was bleeding, my elbows skinned, my hair full of burdocks and my monkey covered with mud and frog spawn. Cap came up, and as soon as he could stop laughing long enough to speak, he said: Well, of all the dashed muffins I eyer saw, you are the dash. on the double quick, only ten times faster than any double quick was ever executed yet. dashed muffins I ever saw, you are the dashedest.' I didn't wait for any more compliments, but went home,

Looking for Him for a Week.

While traveling up the Ohio, some years since, our boat stopped at one of the landings to take in wood. On the shore amongst the crowd, was a remarkably stupid looking fellow, with his hands in his pockets, and his under lip hanging down. A dandy, ripe for an a scrape, tipped nods and winks all about.

"Now I'll have some fun. I'll frighten the greenhorn." He jumped ashore with a drawn bowie-knife, and hrandishing it in the face of the "green 'un," he exclaimed :-"Now I'll punish you; I have been looking for you a week." The fellow stared stupidly at the assarlant. He evidently had not seen enough to be scared; but as the bowie knife came near to his face, one of his huge fists vacated his pocket, and fell hard and heavy etween the dandy's eyes, and the poor fellow was floundering in the Ohio! "Greeny" then jumped on our boat, put his hands in Goods for Cotton Rags. Country-made Soap, Beesthen Jumped on our boat, put his hards in his pockets, and looking around, said: "May be there's somebody else here that's been looking for me a week?"

wax, &c.

Wax

- Why do 'birds in their little nests agree?" Because they'd fall out if they didn't .-

-You may play with an adder and not be bitten; but you can not trifle with a bad habit

- An Irish schoolmaster wrote the following copy for one of his pupils: "Idleness covereth a man with nakedness." - For making ice cream: "Pick out the prettiest girl you can see, stir gently into the

corner, and ask her to give you a kiss: you have a nice scream." - A poor man who had been ill, on being many faults, but I know that he will not de asked by a gentleman whether he had taken

a remedy replied, "No, I ain't taken any remedy, but I have lots of physic." -A young man recently wrote to his sweet heart saying: "There is not a globule of

blood in my heart which does not bear your blood in my heart which does not bear your photograph." He had it very bad, had nt he?

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M. BEHREND. —An Irish literary journal, in speaking of the "Spanish Popers," says the "work will be edited by Irving's son." This is rather hard on the genial-bachelor of Snunyside."

-Paris correspondents declare that Napoleon has a weakness in the "lumbar region." This would seem to threaten his whole frame, if it does not, as the sailors say, shiver his

gift of "two bonquets, smiling in their paper frills as do girls' faces within their laced night-caps." That man is too imaginative to

be kept on prosaic "items." -The following motto has been recommended as appropriate for a tablet of a corn exchange. He that with holdeth corn, the people shall curse him, but blessing shall be upon the kead of him that selleth it.

-A young lady traveling from Lobisville a few days ago was observed to have a piece of court plaster on her lip. When the cars, emerged from a tunnel the court plaster was

-Lucretia Mott says that ayoung man who can not persuade women to buy what they never want, or their husbands to be able to pay for, should never expect to become at all celebrated as a dry goods eleck. Lucretta is

our observing young woman. —A mile or so from town a mon met a hoy on horseback, crying with cold. "Why don't yeu get down and lead the horse?" said the man, "that's the way to get warm." "It's a b-b-borrowed horse, and I'll ride him if I freeze!" whimmpered the boy.

jury at the last session of the Circuit Court in Union, to inquire whether there had been formed in that place a society to assassinate him, alleging that he had been assured that such was the fact by a highly respectable geneleman.

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monkeys to be whirling around at a terrific rate among the clouds; while the spectators, the bases, the bases, the officers, the wagons, the club house, the trees, bushes and frog pond, seemed to be joining in a frantic lig.

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ARE ALL SPEEDILY CURED. This being an entire we getable compound is war-ranted a safe and effectual remedy not only for Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint, but for all other-diseases arising from a disorganized or a diseased stomach or impurity of blood.

As a blood purifier and tonic or general appe-lizer these bitters have no equal, and should be

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this day dissolved by inutual cause at The business will be conduced by ED K. GRADY, for whom we ask a liberal patronage.

Persons dwing accounts of notes are requested to call at encerand pay off the same to either of the understand as the manner. reigned, as the money is badly wanted! FIRT LLOZA FOW K GRADY E. H. GRADY TAN SOUTH A CHARLES FELT SGRADY

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Sept. 25, 1866.

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Lived a beautiful girl with flaxen hair,
And boney blue eyes with liquid light,
And roscate lips, a glorious sight.

The youngsters fell in love by dozens,
Friends and acquaintances, strangers and coustine;
But she a crotchet had get in her head,
And said she determined never to wed,

I she loved a bandsome youth would grant all her requests in troth, beat him fully never to break

he pledge he had taken for her sake.

he young men stood aghast with fear; ome whacked their boots, some pulled their harr; Some said twas religion; some said 'twas money But it took them aback and they is lequite Furry Among them there was a fine young man; Says here'l love her as well as I can. Now i'll make her the promise, both open and free, And agree to stand by it whatever it be."

The fair one stepped up to his side, And said, "Should I now be your bride, You must promise here before us all, To buy your clothes at MARBLE HALL.

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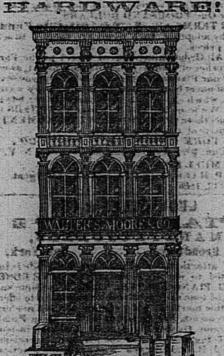
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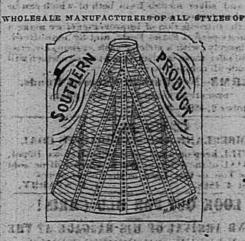
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Baltimore, Nov 7, 1865. WATER PROOF BOOTS, for sale by Nov. 13, ... BRUSSELL & CO. PLAIN GOLD RINGS just received and for sale

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TOBACCO, SNUFTS AND CIGARS, A LSO, will keep constantly on and a fine as-KING TOBACCO.

Persons dealing in our line will find it to their advantage to call and examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere. (65 Wholesale and Revall. (65 Next Door to Alsguira & Bro. 2)

Charlestown, Va., Nov. 7, 1865. [N. W. HAINES.] LANGE . . (O.E. BELLER.]

PARCE OF THE RECOMMEND (. TELEUR DE OFIG A.R.S. WISHER'S CLEAR TTO BROWT LAND SNUFF.

THE undersigned would respectfully announce to the Merchants of the Valley that they have con-stantly on hand at their store in Winchester, a su-perior lot of

TOBACCO, SNUFF AND CIGARS.

which they can, sell at less than Baltimore prices.
Their stock of Cigars consists in part of the following popular Brancks— CABINET, LA FLOR,
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SUPERIOR HAVANA, BESIDES OTHER FINE BRANDS. They also keep constantly on hand a large variety of PIPES, and SMOKING TOBACCO, in papers, bales, drives, and in bulk. Bayley's Celebrated Michigan FINE CUT TOBACCO Also, John Inderson's SOLACE, John Cornish's VIRGINIA HEAF, and other brands of FINE CUT.—CHEWING TOBACCO in fail and in bulk.

HAINES & BELLER

nearly opposite the Court House, November 14, 1865. Winchester, Va. N. B. We manufacture our own Cigars, and beng Practical Tobacconists, we guarantee all good BAR ROOMS.

NOW OPENI EPICUREANS CALL-YOU CAN BE ACCOMMODATED! THE Rooms of the Restaurant of J. R. AVIS, above the Drug Store of Aisquith & Bro., Charlestown, have been hands smely refitted and especially arranged for the accommodation of the Oyster-loving public, during the present season. The most choice the markets afford, will be found constantly

choice the markets afford, will be found constantly on hand, and prepared by the Plate in a style to suit all taste. Also furnished by the pint, quartor gallon, as low as original cost with admit. To accommodate Country briends with this rare delicacy for consumption at home, the Proprietor will receive in exchange for any quantity desired, Butter, Eggs and Poutry, at the market price.

The BAR at all times supplied with the best choice LIQUORS that can be obtained. The boverage of the season mixed in the most approved style, Nov 13, 1866.

Fritz Daber. WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALER CHOICE WINES AND LIQUORS. [BASEMENT OF SAPPINGTON HOTEL,]

CHARLESTOWN,

Nov. 13, 1866 -tf. NEW JEWELRY STORE. THE subscriber would most respectfully announce to the citizens of Charlestown and vicinity, that he has opened a splendid assortment of Watches and Jewelry, including, in part, GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES, of various grades, all of which will be warranted as epresented; also Jewelry of all kinds, such as

GOLD SETTS, EAR RINGS, PINGER RINGS SPECTACLES, LYE-GLASSES. in variety; and in tact everything usually kept in a store of the kind. I would also ann unce that I have secured the services of a competent workman on watches and repairing j.w.cliy, so that all who may want anything done in the line of r pairing of watches, clocks or jowelry, may rely unan having if done in the past worsmanlike style, and all work will be warranted as represented. I would therefore ask a call, as I am determined to suit pin chasers and please all who may be disposed to patronize me. Room the one lately occupied by McIntyre and Raliston.

Sept. 4, 1:65.-1y. Lt. DINKLE. CONFECTIONERY AND BAKERY.

HENRY DUMM, at his establishment on Main street, adjoining the Drug Storn of Campbell and Mason, is prepared to furnish the people of thatlestown and surrounding country, with every article in his line of bade, at the shortest notice, and at the most reasonable prices. From his long practical experience in the business, and his determination to give satisfaction, he feels warranted in making the assertion, t at those who call upon him, will have neither accessity or inclination to go elsewhere. His intention is to keep up a complete and partiest assertions of and perfect assortinent of CAKES, CANDIES, NUTS, RAISINS, ETC., to which he invites with confidence the attention of all who wish to purchase articles of this class. He

dees not doesn it necessary to enumerate further, as a glance at his place will attest the truth of what he He will also keep on hand an abundant supply of FRESH BREAD, made of the best flour, and baked in the best style. By strict attention to business, he hopes to retain the patronage of his old friends, and receive the support of many new ones. Give

Sept. 11. HENRY DUMM. LOOK TO YOUR INTERESTS! BOOT AND SHOE-MAKING AT FAIR RATES IN CHARLESTOWN. JOHN AVIS, respectfully informs the citizens of Charlestown, and surrounding country, that he still continues to manufacture

BOOTS AND SHOES, and has now open a Jhop on Main street, in the building adjoining the Sappington Hotel, and immediately over the Drug Store of Aisquith and Bro.

Keeping always on hand a good stock of materials, his old customers and the public generally may rely upon being satisfactorily accommodated by giving him a call. He promises good work and reasonable charges; and he solicits the patronage of those who may be in want of anything in his line of business.

Thank in for the liberal patronage heretofore beline of business.

Thankful for the liberal patronage heretofore bestowed upon him, he would ask a continuance of the favors of his old friends, and a trial of his work. by the public generally, as no efforts will be spared upon his part to please and accommodate.

(13-Hidesbought and taken in exchange for work.

May 16, 1866—tf.

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THE undesigned are conducting this well appointed WOOLEN FACTORY, 6 miles rom Charlestown and 1 mile from Kabletown, and tre constantly manufacturing Goods of superior unality.

TEFFERSON MACHINE SHOP, THE public is respectfully notified that the understand, 'MILLER'S Row,' Charlestown, Jefferson County MACHINE MAKING AND REPAIRING,
CARRIAGE AND WAGON MAKING
AND REPAIRING.

Also, BLACKSMITHING in allies branches. Also, BLACKSMITHING in all its branches.
We are prepared to manufacture to order, Ploughs, Harrows, Wagons—in fact almost any thing pertaining to WOOD AND IRON, in the speediest and best manner, and upon reasonable terms.

My Special attention bestowed upon the Manufacture and Repair of Farming Implements. Mill Work and Axes.

WEIRICK & WEILER.

November 14, 1865—19.

GROCERIES.

PROWN and White Sugars, Coffee, Tea, Spices, Okeoser Grackers, Queensware, Glassware, Woodenware, Lamps, Chimneys, Oil Cans, Axle Grenae, just received and for sale by Jo. HOWELL.

TO TRAVELLERS

BELTIMORE & SHIO RATERDAD RE-OPENED.

THIS GREAT NATIONAL THOROUGAFARE FREIGHTS AND TRAVEL. The Cars and Machinery destroyed are bein placed by NEW RUNNING STOCK, with a

reputation of this Road for
SPEFD, SECURITY AND COMFORT.
will be more than sustained under the re-organization of its business;
In addition to the unequalled attractions of natural security heretofore conseded to this route, the
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River and Hamber Ferry, with painful but instructive interest. tive interest. CONNECTIONS

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At the Ohio River, with Cleveland and Pittsburg's Central Ohio, and Marietta and Cincinnati Railroads; and through them with the whole Railway System of the Northwest, Central west and Souther West. At Harpers Ferry with the Winchester Road. At Washington Junction, with the Washington Branch for Washington City and the Lower Potomac. At Baltimore with seven daily trains for Philadelphia and New York.

TWO DOLLARS additional on Through Tickets to Baltimore or the Northern Cities, give the privating of visiting WASHINGTON CITY en joute.

This is the ONLY ROUTE by which passengers can procure through Tickets and through Cheeks to WASHINGTON CITY.

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June 5, 1866. BALTIMORE & O. R. R. COMPANY.

SCHEDULE of Passenger Trains arriving and departing at the Harper's Ferry Station:
TRAINS BOUND EAST. Mail Train. 11 41 A. M. 1147 A. M. Cincinnati Express, 3 25 A. M. 3 29 A. M. TRAINS BOUND WEST.

Mail Frain, 109 P. M. 117 P. M. Cincinnati Express, 12 53 A. M. 12 53 A. M. Office open at all hours for trains. Through Pick ets sold to all the principal cities of the Union.

For further laformation foquire at the Ulice.

Harpers Ferry, June 26, 1866. THE TICKET OFFICE OF THE

W. & P. R. R. COMPANY, AT CHARLESTOWN. AS been opened in the room tormerly occupied by the Mintary as a felegraph Office, in the use of Mr. Samuel C. Young, opposite the old On all Freight, Grain and Produce received and orwarded, the Agent's Commissions Must BE PRE-J. D. STARRY, Ag't B. and O. R. R. CO. ty 15, 1866. W. and P. Branch.

STOVES AND TIN WARE

SIOV S! STOVES!! TINWARE, STOVES, AND SHEET-RON ESTABLISHMEMT, ON MAIN STREET, CHARLESTOWN. THE undersigned have on hand and are constant-ly manufacturing at their Tinware, Stove, and Sheet-Iron Establishment, in Charlestown every

iment, in Charlestown every description of ULINARY WARE, usually found in their line of business, made of the best material and by experienced workmen. The stock now in their Ware Room, comprises every useful article known to the housekeeper, and any article called for or any amount of Goods desired can be furnished with dispatch.

Among their stock of Tin Ware may be found BUCKETS of all sizes COFFEE POTS of the most appropriate patterns. Culturders. Spits. Stemmers.

approved patterns. Cullenders. Spits. Steamers. Cake Screws. Cake Cutters. Flour Boxes, Patty Pans of various patterns, Busins, Chamber Warc. Pitchers, Measures of all sizes, and Painted Toilet Ware. Their stock of SHEET-IRON WARE.

comprises every article in the Cultuary and House-keeping department. Their stock of emiraces every variety of WOUD and COAL STOVES, at ong which may be found the follow-Virginia Star, 2 sizes for Coal, Old D minion, 4 sizes, for Wood Noble Cook, 3 sizes, for Coal or Wood; Extension top Mt Vernon; Windna, 2 sizes, for Wood. Nine Plate Stoves for wood-plain

BUILDING AND JOB WORK, Tin Roofing, Zinking and Spouting done to order and in the best manner.

Merchants desirous of replenishing their stock of.
Tin or Sheet Iron Ware, will find it to their advantage to deal with them. They will make a liberal discount to merchants when articles are bought by the quantity. They will also take in exchange for Tin Ware. Rags, Beeswax, Wool, Sheepskins, Beefflides, Old Copper, Old Brass and Pewter.

Thankful for past favors and with a determination to merit the increasing patronage of the community. to merit the increasing patronage of the community

SADDLES AND HARNESS.

DEZIN SHUGERT avails himself of this medium REZINSHUGERT avails himself of this medium of offinforming the people of Jefferson and Clarke counties, that having removed from his old stand to the shep adjoining his cestdence, actify opposite the Valley Bank building, he will there conduct the SADDLE AND HARNESS EUSINESS, n all its various branches, and is prepared to exe-cute all orders in the best style, at a ortnotice, and at reasonable prices. He intends to work none but

HARNESS.

AND BRIDLES. MANUFACTURED OR REPAIRED.

are constantly manufacturing Geods of superior quality.

We exchange our manufactures according to the following schedule:

64 Brab Linse 1, 1 yard for 4 and 4½ lbs. Wool.
64 Grey Linsey, 1 do. do. 4½ do. 5 do. do.
34 Cassimere, 1 do. do. 3½ do. 4 do. do.
44 Pluid Linsey, 1 do. do. 2½ do. 3 do. do.
44 Pluid Linsey, 1 do. do. 2½ do. 3 do. do.
45 Flannels, 1 do. do. 2½ do. 3 do. do.
46 Flannels, 1 do. do. 2½ do. 4 do. do.
47 Flannels, 1 do. do. 2½ do. 4 do. do.
48 Flannels, 1 do. do. 2½ do. 4 do. do.
49 Call upon me at my establishment opposite the "Carter House."

November 7, 1865.

attention of the public generally. Our stock em-braces the following line of goods: DOMESTICS, LADIES' DRESS GOODS,

CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, CAPS, NOTIONS QUEENSWARE, HARDWARE,

CITY MADE BOOTS, for sale by TRUSSELL & CO. STAMPING for Braiding and Embrodes
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BURNETTS Cod Liver Oil for missby

HATS and Shoes a full assortment of lotted John Sull's Sarapselle to any and the latter of attended Campbell's Mason as Charles Johnson.

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sizes, for Wood. Nine Plate Stoves for wood—plain and boiler top: Deflance Kit g, 4 sizes; Scotchman Cock, 2 sizes, Cottager, 3 sizes, Con!; Vesper Star. 3 sizes, Coat; Greetan Capital. 3 sizes, Coal; Radiator, 4 sizes, Coal; Magic Temple, 3 sizes, for Wood; Laura, 4 sizes, Wood. Also, Parlor, Star Cottager and Franklin, all sizes.

Possessing every facility known to the business they are prepared to execute with the utmost prompness, all kinds of

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at reasonable prices. He intends to work none but the best material that can be precused, and as he personally superintends every piece of work executed in his Shop, these who favor him with their costom may refy upon having neat, strong and durable work done.

He has now on hand, for sale, a fine lot of SAD-DLES, of excellent inaterial.

He will repair Wagon, Carriage or Buggy Harness, at short notice.

DE-Every description of HIDES, Green or Dry, taken in exchange for work, or bought for CASH at the highest market raies.

He solicits a call, assured of his ability to give entire satisfaction.

April 17, 1866—tf. SADDEES,

At Charlestown, Jefferson County, Virginia.

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Terms Cash. Albinds of Country Produce taken in exchange for Goods.
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