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As soon as your shopping was done
"It is no use looking around," you have said,
"Since Tayssell's had opened their Store,"
But I faar you've forgotten the promise you made,
And are running around as before.
Come home, come home, come home,
Stop shopping, dear Mammy, and come home.

Mammy, dear Mammy, come home to me now,
The clock on the mantel strikes two,
Paps wants his dinner, and is raising a row,
For he has been waiting for you.
If you've forgotten the Store where the Shozs may

of all kinds, to suit lady or gent,
It is Taussell's, Main Street, stop running around,
Buy of them, and your money's well spent
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THE SITUATION.

[From the Rome (Geo.,) Courier.]

Bill Arp on the Situation.

ROME, BIG SHANTY TERRITORY, No. 3. March 8th, 1867. respectable gentlemen of all sexes and both fate. They are as much disgusted at Sher-CHERRY EXPECTORANT, STABLER'S ANODYNE CHERRY EXPECTORANT. on a watch tower, but my observation con- steal yours. vinces me there is a power of fuss on hand But Joseph is afraid we can't stand a miliabout something. Politics looks squally and | tary government. Well, I know its humilia-CHERRY EXPECTORANT. CHERRY EXPECTORANT.

STABLER'S DIARRHŒA CORDIAL, STABLER'S DIARRHŒA CORDIAL, STABLER'S DIARRHEEA CORDIAL, WORM MIXTURE, the ship is in the storm, let all the deek hands his posterity will deny it some twenty years keep silence. The word will come from the hence. WORM MIXTURE. Captain soon enough. May be that Joseph feels sorter responsible for the fix he's got us given a hundred dollars to have played Van-WORM MIXTURE. in. May be he's repentin for the didos he toun with him one hour, just to have been CANBY, GILPIN & CO., Wholesale Druggists, Baltimore durin the war; but I doubt it. I don't think | jail, no barracks, no bayonets, no guard. I Wholesale and Retail Agents, Charlestown, Va. his ambition or his vanity sees anything but | would have got such a grin on him for the his own importance. It looks like he tho't | next six months as would have made everythe Capital was moved to Atlanta and he was | body except Brick Pomeroy forget that Beast

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3-Special attention paid to orders for Suits or of all this, but I am afraid that while Joseph was in Washington somebody carried him up | the cautious state, and had to smother my onto a high mountain, and showed him a feelings. I think I should have gone up QUEENSWARD. kingdom or two, and he fell down and wor- with spontaneous combustion if my wife hadshipped. These little kingdoms that a man ent broke the spell with her comick scenes. sometimes sees from the top of a mountain | She is an amusin and interestin woman, but

are mighty demoralizing. has kicked up is confined to the towns and as order 21 come out she hunted up the cities, where a heap of folks live, who havent "gray jacket," and the "conquered banner," don't know much about it and care less—the | a week, was never heard in Big Shanty bewhole concern is a god-send to some folks .- | fore. She seems to take a delight in lettin been poking around for six months, trying to and 'flaunts it about' in my face because I revive the Democratic party for a livin, and | call myself a Union man. She says that now he's in his element. Parties are formin part of the order about Gen. Hanson's relike the New Era as yet-he wont take a | Phil. Sheridan's about Gen. Johnston's, for WAREHOUSE NO. 59 SOUTH STREET, self, he's keepin an open rear, as the Era | dog is better than a dead lion." My opinion says. But, my friends, we've got nothing to is that it will be impossible to harmonize have been peaceful and honorable. We need order as 21 will cut of all hope of it. ent humiliate ourselves through fear of what I think if General Thomas had'nt been intend to confiscate us, they will do it, and I've noticed that when a Virginian falls, he no acceptance of Sherman's bill will prevent | falls heavy and fur. He gits further over on it. If they want our cabbages, they are goin | the side agin us than anybody. I've heard to have em. If they will ride over one law, that the General and Edward Johnston were NO. 6, NORTH FREDERICK STREET, Mr. Johson's great argument, they'll disre- tient because the Old Dominion was so slow strike the blow. Joe Brown's banner says all is lost save honor, and that is only tole- Johnson to put over Big Shanty a General rable I thank you, it grows puny and weak." He says we can have representation in Congress. Who by? A man who can take the test-outh and control the negro vote. Who are in a Territory. Don't mistake a Bureau NO. 124 SOUTH EUTAW STREET, fore he would jine the Radicals and go in for confiscation. If he controlled the nigger

> Gov. rnor. e we had representation, and had elected all good men, fair men, just men, what could they do for us? Just nothing at what could they do for us? Just hothing at all. With the present radical majority all our votes wouldn't undo anything that has been done, and with a radical President they could do as much more as they please. Just let 'em alone, give 'em rope; history is repeating itself, the crisis will come some time, count them off, after they had arranged them the count them off, after they had arranged them. tyranny and oppression must run its course. Joe Brown's programme won't stop it. One of his resolutions made my head swim. I felt like taking chloroform. He would make the whole Yankee nation believe we loved 'em' like brothers, and wanted 'em to come out South, and let us hug 'em. Well all that sort of stuff is played out. There ain't a hundred men in the State that has any more respect for a Radical than a hyena, and Joe Brown knows it. But the good Lord knows our hearts, and how fondly-we cling to those
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> count them off, after they had arranged themselves in a circle—telling off every tenth man for death, until all but one should be sacrificed. The captain was allowed to begin his count at whatever part of the line or circle he might see proper, but having once begun, he was to count to his right, and was not at liberty to omit or turn back. But as he was anxious to save one particular man of the crew, the question was: Where must he begin in order to accomplish his wish?
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> — We had snow again last week.

ence in Tennessee ?-why Brownlow and his

party. Tennessee has done just what Joe

moderate men of the mighty North who would save us from the humiliation that awaits us. Let a kind word be spoken to a subjugated reb, and the warm blood quickens in the veins.

Oh, but here are, the Union Leaguers, somebody says, what are they going to do with Mr. Editur:—My intention was to have us? Never mind my friends, the Union remained in dignified obscurity the small Leagues ain't agoin to hurt nobody. They remnant of my miserable days, but my friends are made of flesh and blood like we are, and Bob Hide, Sam McCrackin, Tip, and other they are citizens, and their fate will be our

colors, seem to be dissheveled about the times, man's bill as anybody. They are our neighand insist on my views about the momentous bors and our friends, and if there is some state of our sufferin country. The good peo- bad men among 'em, there is enough of the ple in Atlanta have got shaky in the knees, good to make 'em do right. So keep quiet and its the duty of every good citizen to keep | and be easy, and the Union Leaguers are not | been to Washington, nor been playin sentinel | their own, it don't follow that they want to

alarmin. Bill Sherman overrun the country | ting, withering, crushing; but we have stood and destroyed and carried away our property, it and can try it awhile longer. We can do and now his brother John is finishin up the it until we can do better. Military governjob by robbin us of the rights and liberties ment ain't the cause of our poverty and disour forefathers won. Gen. Thomas is playin | tress. Its a government higher than Thomas, Vantoun with his 21 orders—puttin harmless or Sherman, or Sheridan—its the loss of boys in the barracks for tableauin with an old crops; the want of rain. The military never rebel flag-accusin us of all the crimes in the stopped the corn from growin, and there's decalogue; such as murder, larceny, rape, just as much rain in one platform as another arson, burglary, bigamy, perjury and suicide, If the good Lord will only bless us with throwin up in our teeth the magnanimity of abundant harvests, everything will go on our conquerers, as bein our safety valve from smooth enough with the honest and humble message of consolation, telling us how we may to quit talking so much, and quit writing alflee from the wrath to come-skeering the together-muzzled lips and a gagged press. people to death, and gettin everything in a I've done took warnin myself, and quit. Had stew. What made him in such a hurry?- my life insured in the Knickerbocker, and until the veto was signed, and the bill was | to jump into unnecessary peril. The military passed? Why dident he give Mr. Jenkins a can out write us anyhow. Folks say the pen chance? If the times were so perilous, why is mightier than the sword, but you put 'em dident he go and see Mr. Jenkins, and give | both together, and they'll flank a man out of him his opinion in private and save all this his liberty, and may be his life, in double. excitement? Mr. Jenkins is the Governor; quick. The Mayor of this town had a little he is the sentinel on the watch tower; he's billet doin with Gen. Thomas the other day, the pilot of the old ship; he's the people's and only come out second best, though it choice. He can call the Legislature when wasn't an open field nor a fair fight. I can consult with Lumkin and Cobb, and Hill up by Brick Pomeroy, or somebody, and was the new Senators from Nebraska, who is and Cooper, and Hardeman and Gibson, and looking for the General to come out in a card

Well, I was mighty mad. I would have Governor still. He's afraid the people will Butler stole spoons. "Livin on their magthink he's dead, and just as soon as a big | nanimity |" I tell you that got me; that thing happens, and a little before, he clutches | burnt me, when I knew there wasent enough the occasion—seizes the opportunity, delivers | magnanimity in a ship load of all such to his message, stirs up the people, sets the Gate | support a poor Reb twenty four hours | Mag-City in a firmament, gets his name in the nanimity! My opinion is they've lost the Herald and the Tribune. Joe Brown, a whale, seed, and don't know now what the commoda big leader, conspicuous, fame, history, Mr. ity is. I was as full of wrath as Brownlow Jenkins no where, Milledgeville gone up, Jo- is of pisen. Language come to me spontaseph E. running the machine in Atlanta! | neous; regular hide-lifters, that would have Well. I don't know what is at the bottom peeled the bark from a man's carcass like skinnin an alligator. Rut you see I was in

much given to music in these days of nu-But I notice that all this fuss which Joseph | merous and lively offspring, but just as soon got much of anything to do. The farmers | and just such a solo soirice as I have 21 times I know an old worn out politician who has | the rebel flag on the title page see the light,' and the old hack is in his glory. He's sorter | mains was founded on scripture, and so was side, he wont join issue, he wont commit him- Solomon says in Acclesiastes, "that a living be ashamed of. Since the war our pursuits | these women durin this century. Such humankind can do to us. If the Radicals | a Virginian, he wouldn't have issued it .they will over another. If they disregard | both powerful secesh, and got mighty impagard anything. I don't know how it is gen- in movin. The General said all the good oferally, but there ain't an unpardoned rebel ficers would be gobbled up before she seceded. in this country, and if they confiscate they | Well, they say old Gen. Scott got hold of 'em have got to declare the pardons all void. No- about this time, and took 'em up into a high body knows what they won't do, or when they mountain, and showed 'em a kingdom or two. will quit doing it, and my advice is to suffer and the General fell down and worshipped and be strong, endure everything and accept and Ed Johnston wouldn't. I tell you, my nothing. All is lost save honor, hold up your friends, a man ought to be careful about going manhood, don't lick the hand that's raised to | up onto these dangerous mountains; and this leads me to remark we ought to petition Mr.

who stood square to his State.

Hope for the best, my friends. Don't imagine you see panters and injuns, because we wants such a representation? How long be- track for a bear sign. Don't fear, it will be sickly, because Florida is hitched on to our diggins. Attend to your business, keep off vote he'd promise 'em land or anything else. of a high mountain, and all will be well. I Demagogues have always controlled the igno- | would say more, but my wife's music has be-

rant whites; demagogues will control the ig-norant blacks. Who controls the negro influ-BILL ARP. P. S.-I date my letter from Big Shanty, as I hear these three 'diggins' are to have Brown wants us to do, and now look at her that name. Let us all be thankful we know that at the half-way the upper end is made where we are. For two years it has been to slope at an angle of considerable elevation, doubtful whether we were in or out. My and upon this are two enormous down pilopinion now is that we are out, and I heard a female voice say whoopee!

our hearts, and how fondly-we cling to those | - We had snow again last week.

Facts and Speculations.

-The special committee of the Senate of Virginia, which was appointed to visit Washington, and confer with the government there, have made the following report: To the Senate of Virginia:

Your committee, acting under a resolution appointing them to confer with the Government at Washington as to whether the convention proposed to be called by the General Assembly of Virginia, be considered and recognized as a legal mode of holding a convention under the act of Congress passed March 2, 1867. have the honor to report that they repaired to Washington, were politely and kindly receivthe disease from spreadin if he can. I hav'nt going to trouble you. If they want to save | ed by the athorities, and invited by prominent members of Congress to make suggestions of amendments to the pending question before Congress—being a supplementary bill to the act aforesaid—which suggestions they made, and if adopted will materially soften its terms

and render them more conciliatory.
Your committee entertain the opinion that a convention bill passed by the General Assembly of Virginia—so far as in conformity to, and not in conflict with the act of Congress aforesaid-would be recognized by the authorities as tending to produce harmony.

Your committee are further satisfied from their interviews with the authorities at Washington that the demonstration made by the Legislature of Virginia, in favor of framing death and Beelzebub. Good gracious! what people who drive the plow and hoe the corn, a constitution as required by law, promptly an awful people we are. And now comes If they prosper, everybody else will too, if and in good faith, is having the salutary ef-Joseph, the sentinel with his long-winded | they mind their own business. We will have | feet in softening the asperity of prevailing opinion, and changing the tone of sentiment towards the people of the State; and that the desire expressed was, that we should at once, comply with the conditions imposed and why dident he keep silence for a few days the policy won't allow me to expose myself, thus be restored to our rights in the Union, with representatives in Congress. (Signed.) GEO. W. BOLLING, Chairman,

E. F. KEEN, JOHN H. LEE,

A. S. GRAY, - The Washington correspondent of the Baltimore Sun says, that the debate in the Senate on the Reconstruction bill "showed some of the wildest vagaries of the run-mad its necessary. If he is in doubt about it, he thought myself 21 order must be a hoax, got radicals. Mr. Tipton, for instance, one of Read before the Lancaster County, Pa., Horacite County, Pa., Hora minister of the Gospel, is not satisfied with Brown, and decide what ought to be done, denyin of it, but I soon found that it was a the enfranchisement of the male negroes, but Apple to enter into its history, or to trace its and the people will be satisfied. But while genuine Robesperian document. I still think declared that to break forever the 'rebel' pow- various grades of improvement during the er, he was in favor of giving the ballot to the African women. Mr. Nye knew that a 're- to say anything of its uses, as from the way bel' could not be washed clean of his sins in | that specimens usually make their disappear a hundred years, nor in all time, and they ance, we naturally come to the conclusion should never again be admitted to share in | that at least one of its uses is understood. It cut up, and the sceds of discord he sowed turned loose in the papers, all free, no gag, no this government. Mr. Fowler, of Tennessee, is enough for our purpose to know, that such was equally as decisive on this point. The old leaders of the republican party, such as Norton's Melon, Rambo, &c., are in exist-Messrs. Trumbull and Fessenden of the Sen-ence, and the question that is important to ate, and Bingham, of the House, never im- us, is, how to have them. The time was, not agined, when they inaugurated the crusade a quarter of a century ago, when the apple against State rights that such doctrines as crops rarely ever failed. Then the even year are now boldly advocated would ever be whispered. They have sown the wind and must with confidence look for great crops of apples. now reap the whirlwind." There are hundreds of men in private life, who have encouraged the Radical movements, who will yet bitterly repent their course, when they | wagon loads were sent to the distillery, to be

see, as they will see, the results to which they bad use that could be made of that noble - The Charleston Mercury comes to the following conclusion upon the present status of affairs: "There is no need to give up an atom of our self-respect; there is no need to give up one memory of that blessed past, to which we have so long clung; but the military law is the law for us; and, until that law be repealed or modified, it is the law which the people of the South must obey. No one but a madman would counsel mere physical resistance to the law. Obey we must; and it is better to do this without any exhibition of bitterness or ill feeling .- Our only plan now -the only plan that can avail us-is to make a merit of necessity." .

Foreign Beds.

It is curious to notice the habits of different nations in regard to beds. However dress, food, manners, cooking, political conditions may vary in other countries, the beds differ as notably as anything else. In Eastern nations the bed is often nothing but a carpet, and carried about and spread in any convenient spot, and the tired native lies

down in his clothes. We remember a child who used to be puzzled with those miracles of our Saviour, who in restoring an impotent man, directed him to take up his bed and walk-his idea of a bed consisting of a four-post bedstead, with its palisse, mattrass, and feather bed, besides blankets, sheets and pillows. But even in very cold countries the beds are closely allied to the Eastern carpet. In taking a furnished house in Russia, on inquiring for the servants' bed rooms and beds, which did not appear in the inventory on our surveying the apartments, it comes out that the Russian servants are in the habit of lying anywhere in the passages, on the floors, on the mats, at the room door, or even on the carpets in the sitting rooms-generally as near as possible to the stoves in the winter season. The Emperor himself sleeps on a leathern sofa in a sitting room, lying down in a dressing-gown, but without removing his under-clothing .-But in Russia the houses are kept so warm by the system of stoves through the walls that much bed covering is no more required in winter than during the heats of summer. In Germany the construction of the beds

gives one the impression that the Germans o not know what it is to lie down. The bed'is a short wooden case, there is a mattrass extending from head to foot, but so formed lows, which reach from the head of the bed half-way down to the feet; consequently the occupant of the bed lies at an angle of at least 45 degrees, and is nearly in a sitting position all night.

In some parts of Germany there are no blankets; there is a sheet to lie on, and another over it, which is tacked to a quilt wadded with down, and this is the entire covering with the exception of a sort of bed, a thick eider down quilt, but not quilted, which is pieced on the top, and which, unless the sleeper is very quiet in his sleep, is usually found on the floor in the morning. In hot weather there is no medium; either a sheet is the only covering, or one of these overwarm eider downs.—Dickens "All the Year Round."

— Winter seems unwilling to leave the lap of Spring.

an old orchard. The trees never do well on such situations. Aspect or situation is, perbaps, under our frequent failures, of greater importance to us than all other conditions combined. Northern slopes and high ground are the best. The reason is, trees commence to grow later, and thus escape more of the changeable spring weather. Butsites are or casionally found on low ground that have proven very good. The best orchard in my locality is on low, heavy ground, inclined to wet, with an Eastern aspect. The great advantage of this soil or situation is, perbaps, under our frequent failures, of greater importance to us than all other conditions combined. Northern slopes and high ground are the best. The reason is, trees commence to grow later, and thus escape more of the changeable spring weather. Butsites are or casionally found on low ground that have proven very good. The best orchard in my locality is on low, heavy ground, inclined to wet, with an Eastern aspect. The great advantage of this soil or situation is, perbaps, under our frequent failures, of greater importance to us than all other conditions of greater importance to us than all other conditions.

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POETICAL.

[For the Spirit of Jefferson.]

MOTHER.

In the holiest, purest recess.

Where the soul's rare jewels lie,
Nearest to my Saviour's image,
Dearest next to His on high.

Dwells a name, ah, 'tis no other Than the precious name of Mother.

Other friends have oft deceived me,
Even those I'd trusted well;
Where my soul had drank sweet waters,
I have found a bitter well
There is one that's faithful ever,
Mother has deceived me never.

Mother—word of sweetest music
To the heart that's sad and sore—
When the clouds of sorrow gather,
And the billows loudly roar,
Then to soothe our souls—no other,
On this earth, is like a Mother.

At our homes, a gentle spirit

By her life of patience sings;

Happy, if on wings of prayer,

Us to heaven a Mother bear.

Christian wait! the nations tren ble,

Shaken to their utmost bound; Men their troubles ill dissemble,

Doubt and panic spread aroud.
There's no prophet now to tell us,
To behold in vision true,
What events will soon befall us,
Wait! and see what God will do.

Need not cause dismay or wonder, Doubt or dread or pallid fear.

Stay thy soul on His protection,
He will bring you safely through,
Banish every sad dejection,
Wait and see what God will do!

Christian wait! Jehovah reigneth!
On His throne of mercy still;
He the wrath of man restraineth
When it worketh not His will.
Be assured the future story

Of the days now dark to you, Will record His work of glery, Wait and see what God will do!

MISCELLANEOUS.

Essay on the Apple.

BY CASPER HILLER.

glorious fruit as the Baldwin, Northern Spy,

bushel, and cider at one dollar a barrel.

tion, without pruning, and are now as barren as any, they would cease slandering fruit

from old age. If this were so they must do

so everywhere. Our Rambo is not as for-

merly. But in some of the Western States

it is now as fine as it ever was here. The va-

riety then has not deteriorated.

3d. That trees are not as thrifty as former-

ly. But the experience of tree growers is that young trees make as much growth and

4th. That our climate becomes more vari-

able. That this change is caused by the de-

If this theory is correct, and I think it is,

our future prospect for fruit is not very flat-

tering. The history of the Old World shows

parallel changes. Districts formerly garden

spots, became upon the destruction of the forests, barren wastes so rapidly, that "a single

the end of the melancholy revolution?

and extreme changes in temperature.

These consist of proper trees, soil, aspect,

are as healthy as ever.

struction of our forests.

2nd. That varieties deteriorate or wear out

ticultural Society, March 4th, 1867.

Christian wait! the muttering thunder Gathering in the sky afar,

Happy we, if while we struggle
With the cares that manhood brings,

CHRISTIAN WAIT.

The few warm sunshining days that so often start our fruit buds in warm situations, in March or April, have no effect here. It requires a more continued effort of the sun to force its warmth into it. The next best orehard is on dry ground,

with an eastern aspect. This is protected on: the North and West by high ground, and I think herein is its advantage. The proper situations then would seem to

be those that are lite, and those that have the proper protection. Strong growing evergreens set at the time of planting an orchard, might by the time the trees came into bearing, afford all the protection needed.— But who is posted up, to advise us where fo place the screen? or what currents of air to cut off? The subject is worthy of our atten-

It is important that a young orchard is well cultivated. Crops that require hoeing can be raised until the orchard is 8 or 10 years old, after which the land can be laid down in grass. But it must be borne in mind that bearing trees exhaust the soil, and it is important that the orchard receive occasional top dressings of manure, or they will soon

show symptoms of decay.

It is fashionable now to start the branches of trees within three feet of the ground .-The disadvantage of the plan is, that on many varieties the branches become so low as to make it difficult to gather the fallen fruit.

The object of pruning is to give shape to the tree, and to keep its bearing wood with-in bounds. Too much trimming has the effeet of throwing the bearing wood too far from the ground, and the reverse will compel you to take out larger branches, and make larger wounds than are desirable. I would. however, rather err in the latter direction than in the former.

Varieties are of considerable importance to the success of fruit growing. We here havea few varieties that appear to be weather proof. The number is small, but it may be that through our united observations we may find many more that possess that valuable

First on this list stands the "All Summer," a native of this county. For the last 15 years it failed but once. (1861) in perfeeting a full crop of fruit. It is a good fruit, ripening gradually from July to the It is not my object in this Essay on the last of September. Another native-"Crummel's Sweet"-is equal to it in bearing, keeps until midsummer of the following year, but ages that are past. Nor will it be necessary is of inferior quality.

Hubbardstou Nonsuch is also to a great

extent a weather proof apple. It may not be inappropriate to give a list of the apples which have proven the most reliable with me: Summer-All Summer, Red Astracan,

Fall-Maiden's Blush Jeffries, Hubbardston Nonsuch. Winter-Baldwin, Griest's Winter, Pitts-

ourg Pippin, Fallawater, Norton's Melon, York Imperial.

Of the insect enemies of the apple I shall say but little. Our Entomologist can treat that subject much better than I. A word in Then select apples could be had at 25 cents a regard to the borer, the most formidable of Great quantities were fed to stock, and all enemies, may however not be out of place. Cultivators of the peach have ceased to consider the peach borer very formidable. One or two applications of fresh cow manure apfruit, But a change has come over the applied to the tree in a season is an effectual ple crop here. Instead of coming with a preventive. If the worm has made a lodgcertainty every other year, it comes at long

ment he is easily removed with a knife. intervals, and when it does come, usually bids The apple-borer is not so easily dislodged. us be satisfied with half a crop. The theo-But if trees are examined before the borer ries for the causes of this change are various: The first is, that the fault lies in the cultihas made his entrance too far, he is easily destroyed with a flexible wire. Persons who vation; that trees are not properly taken care have trouble with the borer should give the of, &c. But these are idle assertions, for we cow-manure remedy a trial. If that should have scores of intelligent cultivators amongst fail, they can place a tarred belt around the us, who know how to plant, prune and cultibase of the tree. That will effectually prevate, and who are no better rewarded for vent the borer from entering at the ground, their pains than others who pay less attention and if any should enter above the bandage, to their trees. If those who find fault with they can easily be removed with the wire.— The bandage should be taken away as soon cultivators would bear in mind that formerly the old trees on the common, made their regas the season for depositing the egg is over, to give the bark time to harden. ular crops every other year, without cultiva-

In conclusion, permit me to say that my experience in keeping fruit is at variance with the rules laid down in the books. The books say, keep the fruit in a dry, cool cellar. My cellar has a communication with the well, from which a continual yapor arises. The Hubbardston Nonsuch, Norton's melon and Pittsburg pippin, shown at the Feb-

ruary meeting, are fall or early winter apples, and they were as plump and fresh as in De-It is, however, important that fruit is not placed in such a cellar until cold weather

My object was to make this Essay as local as possible, and if in the effort I have succeed-

ed in giving you a single good idea, I consider myself well paid for my labor. Those who desire a complete treatise on the apple will do well to consult the excellent works of Downing, Thomas, and others.

The Baby Market.

generation has witnessed the beginning and The New York Dispat h gravely asserts The woodman's axe is mercilessly plied, and if the warning voice, "Woodman spare that the sale of illegitmate babies in that city is a large and profitable business, and so that tree" is not soon heeded, half a century profitably carried on as scarcely to be clandeshence may not only find the country without ine. It says that should the king of the apples, but our cereal corps will frequently fail. This will be brought about by sudden Ashantees, or any other distinguished cannibal, come to that city, and desire a fine, fat baby for a luxurious meal, he could be accom-medated. These so-called nurseries are nu-merous, and may be found in different parts But it dose not become us to despond at future prospects. Our business as Horticulturists is to overcome the difficulties that are of the city, there whereabouts being for the most part advertised in the daily papers; the For this purpose we must study what are announcement being made in a manner that the requisites for making a crop of apples. disguises, but does not conceal their real import. These places, the largest of which is cultivation, pluning, varieties, &c.

It will not be necessary in this paper to on Greenwich street, answers a double purpose, that of relieving those of the responsi-bilities of maternity, who do not wish to be treat of the propagation of the apple. Few bilities of maternity, who do not wish to be cultivators would find it profitable to grow so burdened, and bestowing upon those who trees from seed. But persons about to plant | wish such blessings, the well-spring of pleasshould select healthy and stocky trees, from six to eight feet high, and from two to three years old from the graft. The soil of our county is well adapted for the apple. As a rule, we may say any ground that will yield a good crop of corn is adapted for the growth of the apple. Avoid planting on the site of an old orchard. The trees never do well on such situations. Aspect or situation is not the site of an old orchard. The trees never do well on such situations. Aspect or situation is not the site of delivery.

THE WAIL OF THE SOUTH,

From the starving thousands of our friends in the South, the piteous wail for bread comes up. Will it be properly heeded by our people, upon whom God in his mercy has bestowed an abundance, and whose granaries are filled with corn? Now is the time for nction. PROMPT, EARNEST, ENERGETIC AC-TION! Defer not the bestowal of your charifies, but come to the rescue at once, and those who are now suffering the pangs of famine, may find relief in your generosity. Remember, "the Lord loveth the cheerful giver," and that "he who giveth to the poor, lendeth to the Lord." Stop not to ascertain how much your neighbor has subscribed, but give to the utmost of your ability, of whatever you have to spare, whether it be of Conn, BACON, CLOTHING OF MONEY! Reflect ten minutes upon this matter Imagine yourselves in the condition of these suffering sons of wantsurrounded by famishing and dying wives and children, with nothing to assuage the pangs of hunger or relieve the gnawings of starvation-and then act for the relief of those who are precisely in this condition.

Elsewhere we publish the proceedings of last Saturday's meeting. Our people are becoming aroused to the importance of acting in this sore crisis, and good old Jefferson county will do honor to herself in the liberality of her contributions. "That thou doest, do quickly," is all we mean to urge. Send in your contributions as designated by the Executive Committee, who are charged with the duty of providing facilities for the prompt transmission of your donations to the objects of your charity. Time is precious, when starvation is in the household!

A word to our Christian Association. You have a concert announced for Friday evening. You have announced as the object of that concert the raising of funds for the improvement of your Library. Does this come within the scope of a charity? We wish your association well, and acknowledge its claims upon the community, but cannot the means raised on Friday evening be appropriated to the more important matter of feeding starving women and children. Let your library alone for the present, and appeal to the people of the county, who have hundreds of books unused, lying upon their shelves and in their parlors, and let the proceeds of your concert be "sent to feed the hungry and clothe the

Women of Jefferson! proud daughters of Virginia! have you heard the cry of your suffering Southern sisters, whose sons, whose brothers, and whose husbands sleep in your cemetery, and over whose graves you have scattered flowers and dropped the tear of womanly affection. The living daughters, and sisters, and wives, of these dead heroes, now claim your aid, and the spirits of the departed, as they hover around you, urge you to give relief. You have not yet known want .-Through the trying ordeal of war you have gone, but the war cloud has passed, and the God of plenty smiles upon you. Is there not a work for you to do in this hour of sorrow to the needy? We know you will prove worthy of the exalted name you acquired during four years of war. We make no further appeal. Do your duty in the present, as in the past, and God will abundantly bless you.

THE SITUATION.

The people of the five military districts, formerly known as ten States of the Union, have had a very bitter dose prescribed them by the congressional doctors; but bitter as the dose is it is their duty to swallow it, if by so doing they can save their States from the ignominy of being ruled in the future by the miserable bands of white men who are seeking political power at the expense of per-

The mere representation in Congress is not a right so imperatively required as to induce the Southern people to accept the dictation of Congress; nor is the fear of military government exercising the worst tyranny the world has ever known. But the question is staring them in the face that if this dictation is not accepted, the whole character of their State governments will be changed by the dishonored "loyalists" of the South, into whose hands these governments will certainly tained in this town far more suitable to court pass, in case of inaction by the masses.

We have no fear of any material injury | herdstown. following the grant of suffrage to the negro, so far as Virginia is concerned; nor do we see anything degrading in the mere fact of giving the negro this right, especially as it is done under compulsion. Indeed the negro is already beginning to open his eyes to find out who his real friends are; and they cannot fail to see that the radicals north and South are only taking them by the hand for selfish purposes. In. many places in the South the negroes are holding their meetings, and are calling upon noted "rebel" leaders, their former masters, to advise them upon political matters, and they will follow the advice of such men as General Hampton and General Echols, against that of a thousand such whining, stingy creatures as Hunnicutt and

Underwood. As the Southern people cannot fight again. for the want of resources of all kinds, they must do the next best thing in their power to save their governments from the hands of those who will not only trample these governments under foot, but heap all sorts of degradations and outrages upon the great southern masses. To save the gallant men who fought for our rights-such men as Lee and Johnson-from the malice of the Hunnientts and Underwoods, is the duty of every true man, even though it require a sacrifice of feeling.

- If this can be done by acting under the for our paper this week. infamous military bill, then every man should act; and this question is one which every had for five days.

Southern man not disfranchised, will have to decide for himself. As for ourselves, we greatly fear that the radical Congress will not To Committees in the School Districts. stand by their plighted faith, unless the Southern States are reorganized upon an entirely radical basis; and that none but radical men will be allowed to enter Congress, or to hold the State offices.

REPRESHING. Some of the radical members of the House

of Representatives have been doing some things in the last few days that are delightful to the hearts of Southerners-not in their legislative acts, however, for in that respect they are as hard on us as ever-but in their mode of treating that detestable old bloated beast, Ben Butler. Whenever this miserable wretch is snubbed' by members of his own party we cannot help chuckling over it, and silently thanking those who do it.

In the debate upon the bill, appropriating a million of dollars for the relief of the Southern districts, Butler took a prominent part against the bill, and was constantly on his feet flinging his sneers and mean insulfs to those whom he hal robbed during the war, to the utter disgust of some of the more generous and gentlemanly of his party-especially of Mr. Woodbridge, of Vermont, and Bingham, of Ohio. The former told him, in words as plainly spoken as the rules of the House would permit, that he was a liar, and that no one knew it better than Butler himself. Mr. Bingham told him that he would not give tuppence for his opinion. The learned modern Athenian took no fighting notice of either of these positive insults.

Even our generous friend, the warm-heart ed Thaddeus, gave him a severe dig in the course of a speech he had read the other day, which, it is said, brought blushes to the cheek of the Beast-although he was not directly named. We confess to a regret that we were not there to see this remarkable exhibition of bringing the rosy red to the puffed checks of our "fat friend," which we were thinking could not be colored by any other process than the constant large application of brandy to

Then, again, while walking on the avenue he was approached by a gentleman, who insulted him in the most marked manner, but "the hero of Fort Fisher not taken," as Mr Bingham styles him, fell back in good order, without the loss of anything except his honor-and that he did not have with him, it having been yielded up many years ago .-"Hit him again-he has no friends,"

THE COUNTY SEAT. The horrible state of the roads during the past few weeks has rendered the county seat almost inaccessible-entirely so for every kind of wheeled vehicle. The people of Harper's Ferry have had to trudge through mud up to their horses knees for ten miles, those of Charlestown for eleven miles, and those from Kabletown and the country beyond for eighteen to twenty-five. The people of Smithfield are the only ones favored with a turnpike. This condition of the roads has demonstrated, to mind and body, the absolute necessity of returning the county seat to Charlestown-for the keeping of which at Shepherdstown there can be no excuse in these times of peace. We are surprised that the people have permitted it to remain there as long as it has. It accommodates none save the few of that ancient and finished town ; and even many of the residents there, and thereabouts, are in favor of doing justice to the mass of our county folks by having it re-

located at Charlestown. The repairs necessary to put the old courthouse and jail in good order would not cost a very large sum-certainly not larger than the tax payers would be willing to provide for, and steps should be taken at once towards that end. The Board of Supervisors, we are satisfied, have the right to locate the county seat of Jefferson, just as those of other counties have. The act of the legislature of a year ago locating it at Shepherdstown permanently, is not in the way at all; and should not deter the Board from moving in the matter. We would suggest to the members of the Board, then, to take some action in reference to the removal, at their next meeting. Let them direct a poll to be opened at the May election to obtain the sense of the registered voters, and we will guarantee that there will be a large majority in favor of returning to Charlestown, even among that favored few to whom the laws of West Virginia give the right of

order the removal, and, while the old build-

ings were being repaired, rooms could be ob-

and clerks than those new in use at Shep-

QUARRELING. Our Richmond contemporaries have been snarling at each other ever since the military reconstruction abomination was made into a law, very much as was their way in the good old Whig and Democrat days-indeed while we are reading their editorial tilts we are moved to forget our present troubles, and imagine ourselves "going it again" over the resolutions of '98, the tariff of '42, the national bank and pitching promiscuously into Clay and Calhoun, Wright and Webster, Letcher, Goggin and all the other big folks of the bygone times. We get elated and hurrah for Jackson, Polk, Dallas and that tariff of '42. and grow happy-all, however, to wake up to the fact that we cannot shout for anybody, and that everything is a high tariff; and this is so depressing that we are forced to remon strate with our Richmond friends, and to suggest to them to stop their wrangling, and quietly take whatever old Thad cheoses, to

ANOTHER VETO. President Johnson has returned to the House of Representatives in which it originated the act of Congress known as the supple mentary bill, which was designed to put into effective operation the Military Reconstruction Bill. The message was received too late

-Sunshine yesterday; the first we have

LOCAL MISCELLANK

The gentlemen who are appointed in the School Districts, to wait on the citizens of the county and solicit contributions for the relief of our destitute friends in the South, are informed that they are empowered to enlarge their committees whenever they think it advisable; and also, that there will be placed in the hands of agents, at the following Depots, by Thursday next, bags for distribution among these who will contribute corn, viz :-

Kearneysville ... Charlestown, Cameron's,

Summit Point. Those, therefore, who have corn to give can find bags at these depots to contain it. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

OUR LABORERS .- The recent winter has been one of the hardest and most difficult our laboring population, white or black, have encountered for many years. Its early part was so severely cold, that out door labor had to be suspended, and its latter part but a succession of snow and rain, sleet and mud.-The same also applies to most of our outtively since the middle of December. The expense of living is enormous, and if we should meet some long visages on our streets, it would not be strange in these cash times, (to the poor at least,) for their children may have gone cold to bed and awoke in the morning crying for bread. To those to whom Providence has allotted enough and to spare a kindly reflection as to the possible need of his neighbor, might be opportune.

LUMBER .- The need of this article to repair our waste places, is common to all locali ties in the South now, and any improvement or effort made for its supply is a general good. The Portable Steam Saw Mill, introduced in our community by Mr. LEWIS CASTLE, has been of much service in this particular, and we hope will be duly appreciated by those of our farmers who have been fortunate enough to have had any timber left, from the general destruction of the invading horde. This mill was planted near Evitt's run in June last, on the farm of Lt. H. B. Davenport, and notwithstanding interruptions of various kinds, | the Court. and an entire suspension during the recent protracted cold, wet and miserable weather, ts energetic manager has succeeded in sawing over 275,000 feet of all kinds of lumber, out of oak, walnut and hickory. Lt. D. alone has had sawed about 175,000 feet, 50,000 of which was walnut, and sold, we learn, at an near 40 years, to be a Commodore in the average price of \$4.00 per hundred. The mill is to be removed in a short time to the farm of Thos. H. Willis, Esq., where the farmers of that heretofore so finely timbered region, the "Rich Woods," can secure its advantages, if the insatiable woodman's axe has

A GENERAL CRASH.—We are informed by GEORGE W. MILSTEAD, who resides on the "Cat-tail" farm of James Roper, that when he went to his stabling on Friday morning last he found it a mass of ruin, as also the large barn and corn-house adjacent, though neither building connected. On removing the debris of the stable, he found that a valuable colt was killed outright, and two young and superior brood mares so seriously injured, that recovery is doubtful. This with the other losses of Mr. M., is quite a drawback on a young beginner. No reason can be given for tem. this general crash, other than the complete undermining of the foundations, by the incessant rains of the last month, though it is certainly somewhat singular it should all have

occurred the same night. The large barn on the "Mount Hammond" farm, also the property of Mr. Roper, toppled from its base on the same night, destroying what implements and stock, (though there were fortunately no horses,) under its shelter.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS .- Mr. Thomas Johnson having resigned as one of the School Coma missioners recently elected for the Charlestown Township, Nathaniel Myers been appointed in his stead. At an informal meeting on Saturday, the Commissioners determined if possible to put the Schools in operation and Officer Sheetz was appointed to register the minors of from 6 to 21 years, that the Township might receive the amount due of the present year's tax, which is estimted to be about \$2,200. A tax will have, however, to be laid and collected for building School houses, for negroes as well as whites, before the School can go into operation, but unless he matter is hastened we fear so long a time will intervene before consummated, that the good old county school fund and all, will be eft out in the cold, as to the benign charities of West Virginia, as Jefferson will be non est, when the royal roll is made up. suffrage. And then the Board should at once

REGISTRATION .- The farce of "Registration" is now going on in our own county, as well as throughout "West Virginia," preparatory to having matters all right for the ensuing May election. In this township, J. J. Sanborn having declined the appointment of Registrar, W. W. Burrow has been appointed in his stead, and gives notice that he may be found at his shop opposite the Court House that was, on every Saturday until the latter part of April, for the purpose of recording the faithful. If the new test oath be as rigid as we have heard it represented, we fear inless some consciences are stretched a little more than even yet done, there will scarce be enough found to save this modern Sodom from destruction, if Radical rascality and malignant hate can accomplish it.

. THE CROPS .- The general prospect of our growing wheat crop is represented as most promising, and it should be the earnest hope and prayer of all that its full fruition may be realized. But as to the coming corn crop, the prospect ahead is exceedingly gloomy.—
Our farmers are already a full month behind, without a furrow turned, or when it will be, for damp yellow-prime was held at \$1.10. exceedingly problematical. We regret to learn also, that of the large amount of this grain raised last year, most of it is yet re-maining in shock, and has been greatly injured by the continuous rains.

the days of good "auld lang-syne," has gone into the hands of Major W. W. Goldsbor-

THE FLOODS .- Our exchanges from all

directions in Virginia, no less than South and West, bring the most appalling accounts of the destruction of life and property, by the ecent unprecedented snows and continuous ains. Thus far our people have comparatively escaped any serious damage, but as the earth is now shrouded with several inches of snow, and already thoroughly saturated with water, we may be just at the beginning of the end. A heavy rain of sudden thaw must certainly raise our water courses to an alarmng extent, and it would be wise in alt, to guard as far as possible against the destruc-

SALES .- Our columns still contain a number of large and important sales, of Real and Personal Property. By reference to advertisements, full particulars will, be found, as the list is too numerous for recapitulation. If we were to give the prices brought at some that have recently come off, as advertised through the Spirit, we fear our distant readers would labor under the delusion that greenbacks, either in hand or expectancy, were plenty as blackberries in July, which we can assure them is not the fact, if we are permitted to speak from our own experience.

BERKELEY COURT .- The spring term of the Circuit Court of this county commenced its session on Monday last, Judge Hall preworking mechanics, many of whom have been | siding. The most important cases disposed of unable to work more than a week consecu- last week, were the following, as we gather all the property, liberty and lives of a con-

from the Martinsburg New Era: Thomas Byers, Adm'r vs S. and C. Slyer. An appeal from a Justices Judgment and tried by a jury. Argued by Chapline for Appellant and Blackburn for Appellee .-Verdict for Appellant.

Thomas H. Myers vs Shimp and Keesecker. Motion for judgment on forthcoming Bond. Affidavit made of disloyalty of plaintiff and counter affidavit of plaintiff. Mr Hoke asked for a jury to try the issue of lovalty. This was resisted by Mr. Faulkner upon the ground that the law authorized no such issue to be made in the case. The views of Mr Faulkner were sustained by the Court and judgment entered on the forthcoming The Grand Jury brought in a number of

indictments, amongst which were E. Randall of forgery, &c. Donald and some others which have been pending for some time growing out of acts done during the late civil war were dismissed by the Prosecuting Attorney with the assent of

PROMOTED .- Captain CHARLES BOAR MAN, of Martinsburg, so long and favorably known to many of the older citizens of our county, has been promoted, after a service of

POSTPONED. - We are requested to announce that Dr. McCormick has postponed his visit to this place, on account of the inclement weather, until the 8th of April.

Southern Relief Meeting.

On Saturday last, in pursuance of a resolution adopted at the previous meeting, a number of the citizens of Jefferson, met at the Lecture Room of the Presbyterian Church this town, and the meeting called to order by ANDREW HUNTER, Esq., the Chairman of the last meeting. In the absence of Dr L. C. CORDELL, the former Secretary, WM. C. SHEERER was appointed Secretary pro

A report was submitted from the Executive Committee to the effect "that having com municated with parties in Baltimore, the committee have ascertained that Bags (three bushel) can be obtained, and will be distributed at any point necessary, for bagging grain

contributed by the people of the county. The Committee appointed to prepare an Address to the people of the county, reported

The District Committees, who were charged with the duty of soliciting crontributions, were then called, but in consequence of the inclement weather, and the wretched condition of the roans; but few of the districts were able to make any response. From those which reported, however, the indications are, that a liberal and generous response will be made to

the appeals of the suffering South.

A W. Cramer moved that when this meeting adjourn, it adjourn to meet again on Saturday, April 6th, at 11 o'clock, A. M., in the Lecture Room of the Presbyterian Church, which motion was agreed to.

On motion of B. F. Beall, the district comnumber, and to invite the co-operation of any persons in their several districts who may be disposed to assist them in their work. On motion of Wm. H. Travers, the Dis-

trict Committees were requested to report at the carliest day practicable. On motion of A. W. Cramer, the Shepherdstown Register was requested to copy

the proceedings of this meeting. The meeting was addressed by Messrs. Simmons, Hopkins, Shepherd and others in regard to the adoption of measures to secure the proper distribution of the contributions of the citizens of this county. After full discussion, it was determined to leave the matter in the hands of the Executive Committee. The meeting then adjourned, after a most impressive prayer by Rev. T. B. Shepherd.

WM. C. SHEEREB, Sec'y. BALTIMORE MARKETS. We give the following as the quotations in

ANDREW HUNTER, Chm'n.

Baltimore on Saturday last :-GOLD-134%. FLOUR-Extra Shipping, \$11.75 to \$13.-25; City Mills Super. \$11 00 to \$11.50;

GRAIN-Wheat offered but sparingly .-Sales of red at \$2.90 to \$3:00; choice would bring \$3.30. No white offered. Corn was unjust man? Have we not upon this subject act of July 17, 1862, and hold and approsold at \$1.08 to \$1.10 for white, and \$1.05

Standard Extra, \$11.50 to \$12,25; Welch's

-The Washington correspondent of the Baltimore Gazette, says that in the Senate, last week, Mr. Drake of Missouri, said he TAYLOR HOTEL.—This popular Hotel in allusion of the California Senator to those gentlemen who desired to protract the session. Mr. Conness assured the gentleman into the hands of Major W. W. Goldsborough, formerly of the "so-called" Confederate army, but more recently the founder and
editor of the Winchester Times. In these
troublous times, the Major will no doubt find
it more agreeable to cater to the whim or caprice of the inner man, than awaken the conacience or enlighten the brain of the mad fanatics who now rule the hour.

That he was not within the compass of his
thoughts; but if upon entering the Senate
chamber the gentleman had put a chip on
his head and daily thus dared Senators to
knock it off; or, if he was very desirous
of somebody treading on his tail, he would
before long find his position in that body an
exceedingly uncomfortable one: Mr. Drake
subsided.

The was not within the compass of his
thoughts; but if upon entering the Senate
to take no remuneration for their years of labor? No! He understood too well what
was due to justice. He commanded the men
and women to borrow from their confiding
of somebody treading on his tail, he would
before long find his position in that body an
exceedingly uncomfortable one: Mr. Drake
subsided.

States,

CONFISCATION:

Speech of Thaddeus Stevens.

Not having room for the entire speech of Mr. Thaddens Stevens, of Pennsylvania, made in the House of Representatives yesterday, in support of his confiscation bill, we make extracts enough to show its animus .-After some preliminary remarks, he announced his purpose as follows:

The punishment of traitors has been wholly ignored by a treacherous Executive and by a sluggish Congress I wish to make an issue before the American people and see whether they will sanction the perfect impunity of a murderous belligerent and consent that the loyal men of this nation, who have been despoiled of their property, shall remain without remoneration, either by the rebel property or the property of the nation.

To this issue I desire to devote the small remnant of my life. I desire to make the issue before the people of my own State, and should be glad if the issue were to extend to other States. I desire the verdict of the people upon this great question.

He thus discourses on the right: But I will briefly review some of the argunents in favor of the right. We are treeting he belligerents simply as enemies, and their property as enemies' property now in the poson and power of the conqueror. By the law of nations in its most stringent provisions quered enemy who has waged an unjust war are at the disposal of the victor. Modern civilization will seldom justify the exercise of the extreme right. The lives, the liberty. and, in most cases, the real property of the ranguished are left untouched. The prop erty, however, of the vanquished is held in some shape liable to pay the expenses and damages sustained by the injured party. I peace be brought about by treaty, it is usually stipulated that the expenses and damages hall be paid by the defeated belligerent. As such remuneration must be levied as taxes on the subjects, it does subject all their property to this burden. Where there is no government capable of making terms of peace, the law-making power of the conqueror must fix the terms. This gives them sufficient right to take just such property as they may deem proper. Where the subdued bellig erent is composed of traitors, their personal orimes aggravate their belligerent offence and justify severer treatment, just as a tribe of savages are treated with more rigor than civ-

We might make the property of the enemy pay the \$4,000,000,000 which we have expended, as well as the damages inflicted on loyal men by confiscation and invasion, which might reach \$1,000,000,000 more. This bill is merciful, asking less than one-tenth of

We could be further justified in inflicting ple as "a fierce and savage people," as "an obstinate enemy," whom it is a duty to tame and punish. Our future safety requires stern

What more "savage or fierce people" than they who deliberately starved to death sixty thousand prisoners of war; who shot or reduced to bondage all captive soldiers of the colored race; who sought to burn our cities through secret agents, who sent infected materials into our most populous towns to destoy non-combatants, old men, women and children, by the most loathsome and fatal diseases; and who consummated their barbarism by the assassination of the mildest of rulers and the best of men? If this be not a "fierce and savage enemy" whom we have a right to reduce to absolute submission and dependence, point me out one to which the language of Vattel will apply. You would do great injustice to those mild savages who owed us no allegiance by pointing to those who perpetrated the massacre of Wyoming; or to the Camanches or the wild Indians of the West, or the fierce tribes of the Oronoco-and yet you seize their lands and expel them from their native country.

But it matters not what you may think of the efficiency of the act of July 17, 1862 .-The laws of war authorize us to take this that they had discharged the duty assigned property by our sovereign power; by a law now to be passed. We have a subdued enemy in our power; we have all their property and lives at our disposal. No peace has been formed. No terms of peace or of reconciliation have been yet proclaimed, unless the proclamation of the President can make peace and war. The Constitution denies him any power in either case. Then, unles Andrew Johnson be king, the terms of peace are yet to be proclaimed. Among those terms, as we have shown, we have a right to impose confiscation of all their property-to "impoverish" them, as Andrew Johnson has told us; to "divide their large farms, and sell them to industrious men." This is strict law and good common sense. Now, then; with mittees were authorized to increase their out reference to any former act, we have a right to seize the property named in this bill, and ten times more. You behold at your feet a conquered foe, an atrocious enemy. Tell him on what terms he may arise and depart or remain loyal. But do not embrace him too hastily. Be sure first that there is

no dagger in his girdle. He thus treats of the treatment of the ne-

Withhold from them all their rights, and leave them destitute of the means of earning livelihood, the victims of the hatred or cupidity of the rebels whom they helped to conquer, and it seems probable that the war of races might ensue which the President feared would arise from kind treatment and the restoration of their rights. I doubt not that hundreds of thousands would annually be deposited in secret, unknown graves .-Such is already the course of their rebel murderers; and it is done with impunity. We question whether modern literature

an furnish a passage rivalling the following:

speak of their fidelity and services in this

Have they not a right to it? I do not

loody war. I put it on the mere score of

lawful earnings. They and their ancestors have toiled, not for years, but for ages, without one furthing of recompense. They have much more. Will not he who denies them

bondage in Egypt. Their slavery was mild seized. compared with the slavery inflicted by Chris- Sec. been the worst. God, through no pretended, but true Moses, led them out of bondage, as in our case, through a Red sea, at the cost, that he was not within the compass of his as in our case, of the first born of every house-

handed. There was no blasphemer then to question God's decree of confiscation. This octrine then was not "satanic." He who nestions it now will be a blasphemer, whom God will bring to judgement. If we refuse to this down-trodden and oppressed race the rights which Heaven decreed them, and the remuneration which they have earned through long years of hopeless oppression, how can, we hope to escape still further punishment if God be just and emnipotent? It may come our attention from justice by a puerile cry about fatted calves!

Here is his idea of mercy : The bill is very merciful towards a cruel, outlawed belligerent, who, when their armies were dispersed, would gladly have compromised if their lives were saved. Those who will be affected by this bill will not exceed seventy thousand out of a population of six million whites, for this is a people of aristocrats and subjects-of a proud nobility and a cringing, poor peasantry. Those seventy thousand persons own about three hundred and ninety million acres of land out of the five hundred millions in the Confederate States. This, together with the town property, cannot be worth less than \$10,000,000. 000. This estimate includes no man's property who was worth less than \$10,000; nor loes it include any personal property, which may perhaps swell it to \$12,000,000,000.-The fine proposed would be but one-twentieth of their estates. Were ever such great male-

factors so gently dealt with? On the pardoning power he discourses as

follows: I must take the liberty to deny that any pardon, or any other power vested in the President, can withdraw these forfeited estates from the confiscation decreed by Congress .-Nothing less than an act of Congress can divest them from the United States and bestow them on the pardoned belligerents. No one denies that the President possesses the pardoning power. This power is conferred on the Chief Executive for wise purposes, to correct the errors and mistakes of courts, and

imperfections of human laws.

How well the President has adhered to the bject of this high prerogative others must udge. The special pardons granted cannot ndeed be over four thousand of the subjects of confiscation. The pardons are granted for the crime of treason. I shall not question that such pardons may be pleaded in bar of any prosecution for treason, and save the traitors' property from the forfeiture which results from the conviction of that crime .-But the act of July 17, 1862, under which these forfeitures arise, has no reference to treason, (except the first four sections, under which we do not ask the action of the Executive.) It declares the property of certain belligerents, enemies of the United States, subject to seizure, and orders it to be appropriated, as enemies' property, to the service of the United States Government. In perfecting the forfeiture it does not pretend to prose cute the owners for crime, but treats their property as that of any enemy who was captured as lawful prize. How can the President by a pardon retore the property thus vested in the United States? Suppose the delinquent were an alien enemy, and as such his land or property was ordered to be seized by act of Congress: could the President dispense with that law by his overign power, and arrest the forfeiture in its transit to the Treasury? The belligerent has been guilty

of no crime as belligerent of which the Executive could absolve him. Neither the warmaking power nor the power to make peace is in the President. The power to declare war is vested in Congress alone. The power to make peace rests with the President and the Senate. The power to dispose of the property of a conquered people is vested in the sovereign law king power of the nation, which in this Republic is Congress. A king of England once claimed and exercised the right to dispense with an act of Parliament. But the Parliament vindicated its rights, and by an act (1 Ws., 111) declared all such pardons and charters void, and that no "dispensation by non obstante of or to any statute or and part thereof be allowed." Have we the

courage and the viftue of our British ances-But, at the most, the pardons extend to but fourteen thousand out of seventy thousand wealthy belligerents. While there is not the least pretence in law that the Presi- crisis of this country is approximating that dent, by pardon or otherwise, can wrest this property from the Government, yet it is melancholy that an Executive should confederate with traitors, and by his own individual responsibility attempt to take billions out of the Treasury of the United States to enrich bloody traitors; to impose burdens on the their rigor, and illiberal legislation can be loyal men who risked life and property to expected. Just conclude from the stern save the nation that fawning rebels might . live in affluence and glorify him. But even if all those now pardoned were beyond our reach, there are still several thousand who are not sheilded by these potential charters.

Stevens's Confiscation Bill.

That will suffice for the small sum which this

The following is the gentle document which Stevens has offered to the House of Representatives, and which the latter has postponed to the second Tuesday in December :-

Whereas, It is due to justice and as an example to future time, that some proper punishment should be inflicted on the people who constituted the "Confederate States of America," both because they declared an unjust war against the United States for the purpose of destroying republican liberty and permanently establishing slavery, as well as for the cruel and barbarous manner in which they conducted said war; in violation of all laws of civilized warfare; and also to compel them to make some compensation for the damage and expenditures caused by the said war; therefore,

Be it enacted, &c., That all public lands belonging to the ten States that formed the government of the so called Confederate States of America shall be forfeited by the said States, and become forthwith vested in the United States.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted. That earned for their masters this very land and the President shall forthwith cause the seizure of such property, belonging to the belligcompensation now be accursed, for he is an erent enemy, as is deemed forfeited by the the recorded decision of a Judge who never priate the same as enemy's property, and pro-erred? Four million Jews were held in good to condemnation with that already

Sec. 3. And be it further enacted, That in tians. For of all recorded slavery—Pagan, heathen, or Mahometan—Christian slavery perty thus seized, as provided by the act of has been the most cruel and heartless; and July 17, 1862, two Commissioners or more, heathen, or Mahometan—Caristian states, has been the most cruel and heartless; and of all Christian slavery American slavery has as may be deemed by him necessary, may be appointed by the President for each of the appointed by the President for each of three said Confederate States, to consist of three persons each, one of whom shall be an officer of the army and two shall be civilians, neith-

Sec. 4. And be it further enacted. That out of the lands thus seized and co the slaves who have been liberated by the ations of the war and the amend the Constitution or otherwise, who resided in the said Confederate States on the 4th of March, 1861, or since, shall have distributed to them forty acres for each adult male, and to each person who is head of a family forty acres, to be held in fee simple but to be inalienable for the next ten years after they be in the shape of plagues or of intestine wars—
race against race, the oppsessed againt the oppressor. But come it will. Seek not to divert our attention from justice by a puerile cry sary, to consist of three members, each, two of whom, at least, shall not be citizens of the State for which they are appointed. Each of said Commissioners shall receive a salary of \$3,000 annually and all necessary expen Each Commission shall be allowed one clerk whose salary shall be \$2,000 per annum,-The title to the homestead aforesaid shall be vested for the use of the liberated persons, aforesaid, in trustees, who shall be appo by the Secretary of the War, and shall receive such salary as he may direct, not to exceed \$3,000 per annum. At the end of ten years, the absolute title to the homestead shall be conveyed to the said owners or to the heirs of such as are then dead.

Sec. 5. And be it further enacted, That out of the balance of the property thus seized and confiscated there shall be raised, in the manner hereinafter provided, a sum equal to 850 for each homestead, to be applied by the trustees, hereinbefore mentioned, toward the ercetion of buildings on the said homesteads for the use of the said slaves, and a further sum of \$500,000,000 which shall be appropriated as follows, viz : \$200,000,000 shall oc invested in United States six per centum ecurities, the interest of which shall be semiannually added to the pensions allowed by law to pensioners who have become so by reason of the late war; \$300,000,000, or so much thereof as may be needed, shall be appropriated to pay damages done to loyal citizens by the civil or military operations of the Government of the lately so-called Confederate States of America.

Sec. 6. And be it further enacted, That the property of no one shall be seized whose whole estate on the 4th of March, 1865, was not worth more than \$5,000, to be valued by the said Commission, unless he shall have voluntarily become an officer or employee in the military or civil service of the "Confederate States of America," or in the civil or military service of some one of the said States, and in enforcing all the confiscations the sum or value of \$5,000 in real or personal property shall be left or assigned to the delin-

Sec. 7. And be it further enacted. That the Commission shall put a just and impartial valuation on all the property thus seized and forteited, and when such valuation shall be completed in the several States, all the said Commissioners shall meet in Washington and assess the \$500,000,000 aforesaid, as well as the allowances for the homestead buildings, pro rata on each of the properties or estates thus seized, and shall give notice of such assessment and apportionment by the publication, for sixty days, in two daily newspapers in Washington, and in two daily newspapers in the capitals of each of the said Confederate

Sec. 8. And be it further enacted, That if the owners of the said seized and forfeited estates shall, within ninety days after the first of the said provisions, pay into the Treasury of the United States the sum assessed on their estates respectively, all of their estates and lands not actually appropriated to the liberated slaves shall be released and restored

Sec. 9. And be it further enacted. That all land, estates and property of whatever kind, which shall not be redeemed, as aforesaid, in the ninety days shall be sold and converted into money in such time and man-ner as may be deemed by the said Commissioners most advantageous to the United States: Provided that no arable land shall be sold in larger tracts than five hundred acres : and provided, further, that no longer credit shall be given than three years.

[For the Spirit of Jefferson.] A Word on the Crisis:

Mr. EDITOR

We think extremes are sometimes reached. We believe the political point. It is useless to waste further time in speculating as to what the faraticism of this or that party leader, will lead the definant party to do. Self-arrogant, dogmatical and intolerant, with the determination of perpetuating themselves in power, no abatement of) teachings of the history of other nations, and the revelations of "Holy Writ," as to the implacable imalignity of human hature, that whatever hate, prompted by avarice, can devise, will be, by partisan passion, enacted into Southern people.

There is, however, one ray of hope left; (and by the aid of Providence it can be made potent,) and that is, for the Southern people to hold a " Mass Meeting or Conventy and issue an address to the truly patriotic and conservative men of the " North and Northwest," to speedily unite their political and physical elements, and stay the progress of current events, which are fast sweeping every vestige of true and genuine republican liberty from the land. They are more deeply interested in this matter, at this present time, then they realize. They have been enjoying liberty and prosperity; we have experienced or pression and adversity, and have become somewhat inured to it, and the present disintegration and antagonism of governmental authority, will inevitably spread itself over this entire land, and eventuate in a DESPOTISM, unless our political and social system is made to harmonize. This land may be maturing its Cesar! It certainly has its Gromwells!!

- The Freeman's Journal warns the Bank men, the bondholders, the owners and holdsers of stocks of all kinds, the men "who have made money during the war," and exicourse they are now pursuing, in encouraging the present designs of the Radicals, and permitting them, unopposed, to mislead their followers, in commencing and carrying on the curiary and social evils of untold magnitude. all over the country, ultimately falling most heavily upon the Banks, bondholders, stock-holders, and commercial and business men.

- Virginia Central Railroad Company have contracted with Harman & Co. and J. I. A. Trotter for the exclusive privilege of carrying the entire travel from the various depots over all the route to the Virginia Springs, Lexing-ton, Natural Bridge, and down the Valley to Winchester, for the term of four years.

-Chief Justice Chase will not appoint any registers under the bankrupt act until after the meeting of the Supreme Court of April. -A \$16,300 diamond was fo Tippecanoe River, Ind.

The Columbia (S. C.) papers have full reports of the freedmen's meeting held in that city on the 18th inst., at which Wade Hampton and other prominent South Carolinians made speeches.

General Hampton spoke of the vast importance of the present movement-not only to the colored, but to the white man. He advised the freedmen to give their friends at the South a fair trial, and if they were found wanting, it was then time enough to go abroad for sympathy. It was to their interest to build up the South; for as the country prospered, so would they prosper. The present state of affairs was not brought about by the action of the Southern people-white or black-therefore neither was responsible for

Beverly Nash (colored) replied to the generally expressed statement of the white speakers, that they were disfranchised, by stating that the colored people would present such a strong and unanimous petition to Congress that attention would be paid to it-in fact, the colored men would not rest until the whites had been enfranchised. He had respect for a man who upheld his principles at the point of the bayonet; whereas skulkers and so-called Union men at the South he could designate as nothing better than traitors.

Rev D. Pickett, colored, stated that he wanted it distinctly understood that he was of Christ; as it was him who brought in on Sabba h no office-seeker. The good of his people was his first consideration. He was opposed to universal suffrage for two reasons-the want of education and a property qualification .-The first was readily attainable; and the last, by industry and economy, would surely come. Speaking of elections, he said that the question should not be whether a candidate was black or white; but was he honest?

The strictest order prevailed, which is par tially due to the excellent management of Chief Marshal William Simons, and other influential members of the various associations. engendered by this gathering cannot be too | virtue and righteousness. highly appreciated nor its importance overestimated. Distranchised whites were invited to address enfranchised blacks, and the advice given was received in the spirit in which it was extended, while the remarks of the colored speakers were of such a character as

to give general satisfaction. In the evening a torchlight procession was formed, and calls were made upon Chancellor Carroll, W. K. Bachman, Esq., and other prominent citizens, who delivered impromptu addresses, when the celebrationists returned to their rendezvous, and were dismissed.

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On the 14th inst., in the German Reformed Church in Sharpshurg, Md., by Rev. John A Adams, Dr. JOSH UA GREGG GIBSON, formerly of this county, to Miss ALICE B GROVE, eldest daughter of Jacob H. Gregge, of Sharpsburg, Md. On the 6th instant at the residence of Capt. J.
Moriarty at Okolona, Miss., by Rev. Mr. Kerr.,
WILLIAM E WEDDELL, formerly of this jown,
now editor of the "Okolona News," to Miss ALICE WHITE, of Okolona. At Cedar Hill, on Tuesday the 12th inst., by Elder J. W Jones, Ma. JOHN BLUE to Miss VIR-GINIA, daught r of the late Joseph Gorrell, of this county.

Ditp.

At Defficie's, Depot, on Thursday, March 21st, NANCY ALICE, daughter of Thomas and E. J. Link, aged 1 year, 7 months and 17 days. "E'er sin could blight, or serrow fade, Death came with friendly care, The opening bud to beaven conveyed,
And bade it blossem there,"

Reselutions of Condolence.

HARPER'S FERRY, W. VA

March 18 h 1867.

At a Meeting of the Union Sabbath School and Society of Harper's Ferry, John A. Blake, Joseph H. Renner, and Charles Wunderlich being appointed a Committee to draft Resolutions of Condolence to the family of our lete Superintendent, respectfully submit the following:- Whereas, it has pleased Almighty God in His wise Providence to remove from among us our dear beloved brother, DURRETT COATES, the faithful Teachwe recognize the staff of this organization, the friend of every body in the community and abroad, as also the earnest and devoted labourer in the Church mornings little children and young men, alike to bring them to Jesus through his Bristian love and zeal; therefore be it. RESOLVED, That with the deepest grief we deplore the untimely and irreparable loss of our beloved Superintendent, and as members of this School,

with which he was so closely identified, it is our duly to express our sad feelings, and to mourn at the departure of one whose death has caused a vacoum not easily to be filled. RESOLVED, That in this severe affliction we, the Officers, Teachers and Scholars of the Union Sabbath School and Society of Harper's Ferry, deeplycondole with the stricken widow and family of our late Superintendent, but still we are happy of being able to give to them the consolation that he is with Jesus, singing the praises of our Lord and Creator. Taken in an its bearings, the pleasant feeling awaiting our roming, if we but follow the path of RESOLVED, That a copy of this Preamble and Re-

solutions be entered upon the minutes of the School and Society; that a copy, projerly engrussed be forwarded to the stricken family; also that a copy be sent to the Editor of the "Spirit of Jefferson," at Charlestown, for publication. (JUHN A. BLAKE, The Committee, JOS. H. RENNER. CHAS. F. WUNDERLICH. Jony Mills, Ass. Supt. U. S. School,

JOHN A. BLAKE, Secretary.

CHAS. F. WUNDERLICH, Secretary:

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J. ROHRER, Sole Proprietor, Unexceptionable references given when desired. [July 24, 1866-15.

DENTAL NOTICE.

DR McCORMICK will visit Charlestown professionally on the 25th inst., and remain two weeks.

CONCERT. A GRAND CONCERT OF

VOCAL AND INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC. UNDER the direction of the Christian Associa-tion of Charlestown, and for the benefit of its Library, will be given in the Hallover Maj Hawks' Coach Factory, Charlestown, ON FRIDAY EVENING, 20th inst. The services of the best musical talent of the county have been secured, and a most attractive enfortainment is in preparation for the occasion.

(73-Tickets for sule at the Drug Stores.

March 26, 1867.

SALE OF FURNITURE.

WILL offer for sale on FRIDAY, APRIL 12rm, 1 1867, at 11 o'clock, on the premises of Mr. Geo. W. Sadler, opposite the Sappington Hotel the folwing articles of FURNITURE, among others-2 Feather Beds; 3 Mattrasses, (1 hair,) 3 Bedsteads, (2 French,) 1 Sideboard; 1 Dining Table; 1 Sota, 1 Lounge; 1 Centre Table; 2 smaller Parlor Tables; 1 Hat Rack; several Washstands; 1 Walnut Bureau with large Mirror; Numerous Chairs of different kinds; 1 sett of Dinner China; I do. Tea da.;

TERMS OF SALE. For sums amounting to over Ten Dollars, a credit of six months will be given, bond with approved security being required. For sums not over Ten Dollars the Cash will be required.

C. E. AMBLER. GEORGE W HENSON, Auctioneer.

March 26, 1567 -ts. PUBLIC SALE.

I WILL sell at the Bullskin Farm adjoining the Mills of Isaac N. Renner, four miles fr. m Charlestown, on the Berryville Turupike, ON WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3, 1967, THE FOLLOWING

PERSONAL PROPERTY: Two BROOD MARES; Three head of HORSES; Seventy-five head of Sheep and Lambs; Two COLTS; three COWS; Four Yearlings;

Two Road Wagons; Plows, Harrows and Gearing; ONE HUNDRED BARRELS CORN. SIXTY ACRES OF WHEAT IN THE GROUND. TERMS -- A credit of Six Menths on all sums over

\$10. Under that amount, Cash JOHN J. LOCK. GEO. W. HENSON, Auctioneer.

PUBLIC SALE.

HAVING rented my Farm, I will sell at Public dence, 1½ miles south of Kearneysville. on TUESDAY, APRID 2, 1867, all my STOCK and FARMING IMPLEMENTS, 7 head of good No. 1 WORK HORSES, 6 of them BROOD MARES, 4 of them now in foal;

6 of them BROOD MARES, 4 of them now in loal;
5 good Milk Cowe, 4 of them fresh;
12 head of young Cattle—1 Durham Bull;
3 Brood Sows, 20 Sheats;
1 No 1 Wagon and Bed;
Barshear, Single and Double Shovel Plows,
Harrows, Wagon and Plow Gears, all camplete,
1 Wheat Fan, 1 Wheat Drill,
1 Wheat Reaper, (Dorsey's make)
A lot of Bars.

A lot of Bags, Gr in Cradles, Mowing Scythes, Double and Sing e Trees, Forks, Rakes, Shovels, Mattecks, A lot of Tools, and many other articles not here

enumerated. TERMS OF SALE. A credit of six months will be given on all soms over \$10, bond and approved security required before the delivery of the property, and if the bonds are not paid at maturity, interest will be charged on the same from date. Sums of \$10 and under, Cash. No property to be removed until settled for Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M., when due attendance will be given by JAMES V. MOORE.

G. D. McGLincy, Auctioneer. OH, YES! OH, YES! RESPECTFULLY announce myself as an Auctionecr, having taken out authority for the same and offer my services to the people of Jefferson. I will attend and cry sales of any description of property, upon reasonable terms, and I pledge my best endeavors to secure to owners of property the best endeavors to secure to best prices.

Persons desiring my services can secure them by leaving their orders at my father's residence in Charlestown, or at the "Spirit" Office.

March 21, 1967. GEO. W. HENSON.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

CRISPER COMA. Oh! she was beautiful and fafr,
With starry eyes and radiant hair,
Whose curling tendrils soft entwined,
Enchained the very heart and mind.

CRISPER COMA. For Curling the Hair of either Sex into Wavy and Glossy Ringlets or Heavy
M. ssive Curls.

By using this article Ladies and Gentlemen car beautify themselves a thousend fold. It is the only article in the world that will curl straight hair, and at the same time give it a beautiful, glessy appearance. The Crisper Coma net only curls the hair, but invigorates, beautifies and cleanses it; is highly and delightfully perfumed, and is the most complete article of the kind ever offered to the American proble. The Crisper Coma will be sent to any address, scaled and postpaid for \$1.

Address all orders to

W L. CLARK & CO, Chemists,

No. 3 West Fa ette street, Syracuse, N. Y.

March 26, 1867—19.

March 26, 1867-1y.

REPARATOR CAPPILLI. Throw away your false frizzes, your switches, your Destructive of comfort, and not worth a fig; wig Come aged, come youthful, come ugly and fair,

And rejoice in your own luxuriant hair. REPARATOR CAPILLI. For restoring hair upon bald heads (from what-ever cause it may have fallen out) and forcing a growth of hair upon the face, it has no equal. It will force the heard to grow upon the smoothest face in from five to eight weeks, or hair upon bald heads in from two to three months. A few ignorant pretitioners have asserted that there is nothing that will force or hasten the growth of the hair or board. Their assertions are false, as thousands of living witnesses (from their own experience) can bear witness But many will say, how are we to bear witness But many will say, how are we to distinguish the getwine from the spurious? It certainly is difficult, as nine-tenths of the different preparations acvertised for the hair and beard are entirely worthless, and you may have already thrown away large amounts in their purchase. To such we would say, try the Reparator Capilli; it will cost you nothing unless it fully comes up to our representations. If your Druggist does not keep it, send us one dollar and we will forward it, postpaid, together with a receipt for the money, which will be returned you on application, providing entire satisfaction is not given. Address, W. L. ULARK & CO., Chemists, No. 3 West Fayette st., Syracuse, N. Y. No. 3 West Fayette st , Syracuse, N. Y.

T ere cometh glad tidings of joy to all, To young and to old, to great and to small; The beauty which once was so precious and rare

Is free for all, and all may be fair. BY THE USE OF CHASTEL LAR'S WHITE LIQUID ENAMEL,

For Improving and Beautifying the Complexion THE most valuable and perfect preparation in use for giving the skin a beautiful pearl-like tiatituat is only found in youth. It quickly removes tan, Freckles, Pimples, Blotches, Moth Patches, Sallowness, Eruptions, and all impurities of the skin, kindly healing the same leaving the skin white and clear as alabaster. Its use cannot be detected by the closest scrutiny, and being a vegetable preparation is perfectly harmless. It is the only article of the kind used by the French, and is considered by the Parisian as indispensable to a perfect toilet. Upwards of 30,000 bottles were sold during the past year, a sufficient guarantee of its officacy. Price only 75 cents. Sent by mail, post-paid, on receipt of an order, by

BERGER, SHUTTS & Co., Chemists, 285 River St, Troy, N. Y.

March 26, 1867.-1y. ASTROLOGY.

THE WORLD ASTONISHED AT THE WONDERFUL REVELATIONS MADE BY THE GREAT ASTROLOGIST, MADAME H. A. PERRIGO.

CHE reveals secrets no mortal ever knew. She restores to happiness those who, from doleful events, catastrophes, crosses in love, loss of relations and friends, loss of money, &c., have become despondent. She brings together those long separated, gives information concerning absent friends or lovers, restores lost or stolen property, tells you the business you are best qualified to pursue and in what you will be most succ. sful, causes speedy marriages and tells you the very day you will marry, gives you the name, likeness and characteristics of the person. She reads your very thoughts, and oi the person She reads your very thoughts, and by her almost supernatural powers unveils the dark and hidden mysteries of the future. From the stars we see in the firmament—the melific stars that overcome and predominate in the configuration—from the aspects and positions of the planets and fixed stars at the time of birth, she deduces the future dectiny of man. Fail not to consult the greatest Astrologist on earth. It costs you but a trifle, and you may never again have so favorable an opportunity. Consultation fee with likeness and all desired infermation, \$1. Parties living at a distance can consult the Madame by mail with equal salety and satisfaction to themselves, as if in person. A full and explicit chart, written out, with all inquiries answered and likeness enclosed, sent all inquiries answered and ifkeness enclosed, sent by mail on receipt of price above mentioned. The strictest secrecy will be maintained, and correspondence returned or destroyed. References of the highest order furnished those desiring them,—Write plainly the day of the month and year in which you were born, e closing a small lock of hair.
Address. MADAME H. A. PERRIGO,
P. O. DRAWER 293, BUFFALO, N. Y.
March 26, 1867-1y.

AFFLICTED! SUFFER NO MORE!

WHEN by the use of Dr. JOINVILLE'S ELIX-IR you can be cured permanently, and at a The astonishing success which has attended this invaluable medicine for Physical and Nervous Weakness, General Debility and Prostration, Loss of Muscular Energy, impotency, or any of the con-sequences of youthful indiscretion, renders it the most valuable preparation ever discovered.

It will remove all nervous affections, depre sion, excitement, incapacity to study or business, loss of memory, confusion, thoughts of self-destruction, tears of insanity, &c It will restore the appetite,

recew the health of those who have destroyed i y sensual excess or evil practice. Young M n, be humbugged no more by "Quack Doctors' and ignorant practit oners, but send with-out delay for the Elixer, and be at once restored to health and happiness A Perfect Cure is Guarans

teed in every instance. Price \$1, or four bottles to One bottle is sufficient to effect a cure in all ordi -ALSO, DR. JOINVILLES SPECIFIC PILLS, to

the seedy and permanent cure of Gonorrhea, Gleet, Urethral Discharges, Gravel, Stricture, and all af-fections of the Kidneys and Bladder. Cures effected in from one to five days. They are prepared from vegetable extracts that are barmless on the system, and never nauseate the stomach or impregnate the breath. No change of diet is necessary while using them, nor does their action in any manne interfere . ith business pursuits. Price \$1 per box. Address all orders to

BERGER. SHUTTS & Co., Chemists, No. 285 River St., Troy, N. Y.

March 26, 1867.-15. EXCELSIOR! EXCELSIOR!!

CHASTELLAR'S HAIR EXTERMINATOR!!

For Removing Superfluous Hair. To the ladies especially, this invaluable depllatery recommends itself as being an almost indispensable article to temale beauty, is easily applied does not burn or injure the skin, but acts directly on the roots. It is warranted to remove superfl ous hair from low foreheads, or from any part of the body, completely, totally and radically extirpating the same, leaving the skin soft, smooth and natural, This is the only article use! by the French, and is the only real effectual depilatory in existence. Price 75 cents per package, sent post-paid, to any address, on receipt of an order, by

BERGER, SHUTTS & Co., Chemists,

285 River St., Troy, N. Y. March 26, 1867.-1y.

WHISKERS AND MUSTACHES! CORCED to grow upon the smoothest face in from RESTAURATEUR CAPILLAIRE, the most wor derful discovery in modern science, acting upon the Beard and Hair in an almost miraculous manner. It has been used by the elite of Paris and London It has been used by the clite of Paris and London with the most flattering success. Names of all purchasers will be registered, and if entire satisfaction is not given in every instance, the money will be cheerfully refunded. Price by mail, scaled and postpaid, \$1. Descriptive circulars and testimonials mailed free. Address BERGER, SHUTTS & Co., Chemists; No. 285 River Sreet, Troy, N. Y. Sole Agents for the United States. March 26, 1867.-1v.

OHIO GRINDSTONES. WE have just received a lot of these excellent STONES, of proper grit for farmer's use, and we can turnish them if desired, on strong frames, with anti-friction rollers.

RANSON & DUKE.

COCOA Nuts and Figs for sale by HENRY DUMM.

BEAUTY!

Auburn, Golden, Flaxen & Silken Curts, Abburn, Golden, Flaxen & Sitken Curts, DRODUCED by the use of Prof. DE BREUX' FRI-SER LE GREVEUX One application warranted to curl the most straight and stubborn hair of either sex into wavy ringlets, or heavy massive curls. Has been used by the fashionables of Paris and London with the most gratifying results. Does no injury to the hair. Frice by mail, scaled and postpaid, SF. Descriptive Circulars mailed free—Address BERGER, SHUTTS & Co., Chemists, No. 285 Biver St. Troy, N. Y. Sole Agents for the Universed 285 River St., Troy, N. Y., Sole Agents for the Uni-March 26, 1867.-1v.

NOTICES.

STILL ANOTHER CHANCE. HAVE all the NEGATIVES I made in Charlestown, and will furnish PHOTOGRAPHS from them at 25 CENTS a piece. Orders sent by mail attended to promptly. Enclose the money by mail

Address me as follows Box 147, Charlottesville, Va. March 19, 1867-6m.

NOTICE.

THE Notes given at my sale on the list of Narch, 1866, will be due the 21st of this month, March, 1867, and parties paying at maturity of Note will save a year's interest. The Notes are in the hands of N. S. White, Charlestown.

March 19, 1867.

JOHN L. CRAIGHTLL.

NOTICE. THE subscriber requests all persons having claims against the estate of the late DANIEL HEFLEBOWER, to present them at cace properly authenticated for settlement. Those indebted to said estate, are notified that immediate payment must be made. DANIEL HEFLEROWER,
Ex'r of Daniel Heflebower, dec'd.
February 26, 1567—tf.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that T. W. Potterfield, D. S., will be in CHARLESTOWN on Friday of each week, for the purpose of collecting Taxes, and in Harper's Ferry, on every other day in the week, for the same purpose.

If the unpaid Taxes are not promptly paid, the property of the delinquents will be advertised and sold forthwith according to law.

Feb. 26, 1867-3t. WM RUSH, Sheriff.

WEST VIRGINIA: At Rules held in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Jefferson county, on the 4th day of March,

SAMUEL E. EGERTON & Co., Plaintiffs, Tresspass on the case and attach-JOHN A. NICELY, Defendant. ment THE object of the above suit is to recover of the defendant the sum of \$256.47 and interest thereon, from the 6th day of November, 1866, together with camages and costs of suit. And it appearing, on affidavit filed in this suit, that the said defendant is not a resident of this State, his is here by required to appear within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect this interests in this matter. It is further ordered, that a converged that a converged to the source of the suit of the source is not suit of the s ordered, that a copy hereof be published once a week, for four successive weeks, in the "Spirit of Jefferson," in said county, and posted at the front door of the Court House in said county, on the first Monday after the date of this order.

Toste. W. A. CHAPLINE, Clerk. J. W. KENNEDY, P. Q.

AISQUITH & BRO.'S CARDS.



DRUGGISTS AND APOTHECARIES. AVE JUST ADDED LARGELY to their stock

DRUGS, CHEMICALS. PATENT MEDICINES. PAINTS, OILS, WINDOW GLASS, PERFUMERY, SOAPS, DRUGGISTS' FANCY GOODS.

They are repared to furnish everything pertaining to their business upon the most reasonable terms. They would specially call the attention of Country Physicians to their large and select stock of MED ICINES suitable to their practice, which will be sold as low as they can be obtained anywhere. Every as low as they can be obtained anywhere. Every article warranted pure.

They will have constantly on hand a full stock of Oil. Lead, Colors, Dye Stuffs, Varnishes, Window Glass, Putty, Paint Brushes, Sash-Tools and every thing in the line of PAINTERS' MATERIAL. All the popular PATENT MEDICINES to with a large and con plete stock of PERFUMERY POMADES HAIR OILS, SOARS, Tooth. Hair and Nai Brushes, and every variety of FANCY GOODS.
A carefully selected assortment of STATIONE.
RY-Foolscap, Letter, Commercial Note, and Billict Paper, Envelopes, Pens, Pencils, &c.
93-PHYSICIANS' PRESCRIPTIONS accurately and neatly compounded at all hours.

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

Charlestown, Dec. 18, 1866. GARDEN SEED.

WE have received a large and complete assortment of Garden Seed in Papers. Peas, Beans, and celery Seed in bulk: We are prepared to furnish the trade Seed in boxes upon the most reasonable terms. The following are varieties we offer—PEAS—Tom Thumb, Dwarf Early, Extra Early, Marrowlat, Eugenie, Black Eyed Marrowfat.

BEANS—Early Six Weeks' Snapps, White Kidney, White Marrow, Early Valentine, Lima.

All of these Seed we warrant FRESH.

March 13.

AISQUITH & BRO.

THE VERY BEST

REFINED KEROSENE OIL FOR SALE AT

AISQUITH & BRO. NEW GOODS.

I HAVE just returned from the City, and have now in store a fresh arrival of Brown and Bleached Muslins, Plaid Domestics and Ginghams, Rieached woshins, Flaid Domestics and Grighams, a few select Prints, Brown and Bleached Prepared Knitting Cotton, Cotton Chain, assorted numbers and colors; Gents' Cassimeres, Table Oil Cloths, plain and fancy; Superior Rag Carpet, Fresh Groceries and Confectionaries, Mackerel, &c. Also, FRESH GARDEN SEED.

I have replenished deficiencies generally in my stock, and am now prepared to offer bargains, and respectfully invite the community to call and examine.

J.S. MELVIN. Doffiields, March 19. 1866.

LOOK TO YOUR INTERESTS!

SELLING OFF FALL AND WINTER GOODS'

AT COST! THE undersigned mishes to inform the public of Jefferson and surrounding countles that I will sell all my. FALL AND WINTER GOODS at Balsell all my. FALL AND WINTER GOODS at Bar-timore cost. The stock consists of the best fabrics— Calicoes, Modeline, Alpaccas. Brown and Bl ached Cottons, Red. White and Yellow Flannels, Ging hams, Bed 'Tickings, Balmoral Skirls, Ladies' and Misses Hoods, Shawls, Ladies' and Misses Woollen Hose, (white and colored) and a great many other articles belonging in this line, too numerous to men-In the line of MILLINERY GOODS we offer In the line of MILLINERY GOODS we oner great bargains—really selling them below cost. The stock of Ready Made Clothing and Gents' Furnishing Goods has been lately renewed and will be sold at prices which cannot fail to please. Men's, Boy's, Ladies' and Misses' Shoes and flats will all be sold at the Baltimore cost price.

M. BEHREND,
Feb. 12. Opposite Campbell & Mason's.

PEAS AND BEANS.

ANDRETH'S Extra Early, Peas, Early Frame,
Hoval Dwaff Marrowiat, White Marrowiat,
Dwarf Blue Imperial, Tom Thumb, and Eugenie.
Six Weeks' Bunch Beans, Brown Speckled, Large
Lima, Newington Wonder Beans, White and Red
Onions, and a Large assortinent of Laudreth's and
Shakers' Garden Seed for sale by
March 19 CAMPBELL & MASON. GARDEN TOOLS —Spading Forks, Spades, Or Rakes and Hoes, for sale at the Agricultural Store of RANSON & DUKE.

RIFLE Barrels, Gun Locks, Powder, Shot, Capse and Cartridges of all kinds, for sale by Feb. 26. D HUMPHREYS & CO. HOME MADE Wagon Traces, Splices, and Plow Chains of all kinds, for sale by Feb. 26. D. HUMPHREYS & CO. REPAIRING of Watches, Clocks, and Jewelry of all kinds, done at old prices at the Jewelry Store of L. DINKLE. ROUNDTUP HYDRAULIC CEMENT for sale

PUBLIC SALE. WILL offer at Public Auction in Charlestown, SATURDAY, MARCH 19th, 1867,

PROPERTY: One Fine Young STALLION—four years old, good size, and works very kn dly:
One Saddle and Harness HORSE—said to be

One Top Buggy and Harness. TERMS:
A credit of S x Murths will be given to parties giving bond and approved security.
EDWARD TEARNEY,
Executor of Dr. Costello, dec'd.

PUBLIC SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. INTENDING to discontinue house-keeping, the undersigned will sell at Public Sale, at her present residence in Charlestown, on FRIDAY, MARCH 29th, 1807,

ALL OF HER HOUSEHOLD & KITCHEN FURNITURE, consisting in part of the FOLLOWING ARTICLES: 100 yards Carpeting, Oil Cloth, &c.,
3 Feather Beds, Bolsters and Pillows,
Blankets and Counterpanes,
1 large handsome Book Case, glass doors, draw-

ers and compartments below; 2 Burcaus—4 Bedsteads, Chairs of various descriptions,
Handsome Candlelabras,
1 Dming Table, 1 Round Mahogany Table,
Small Tables, Wash Stands, &c.,
Curtains—Parlor and Chamber;
1 large Kerosine Lamp 2 handsome Waiters,
2 Parlor Stoves—1 wood and 1 coal;
A large number of Stone Jars, various sizes,
2 Tin Safes,
1 fine Cooking Stove, with vessels complete,
Kitchen Furniture generally, and other articles
too numerous to mention. Chairs of various descriptions,

TERMS OF SALE. On all sums exceeding \$10, a credit of nine months will be given. Bond and approved security required. If the notes are met at maturity, no interest will be charged, but a failure 'to pay the notes when due, will subject them to interest from date. Sums of \$10 and under, the cash will be required. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock.

MRS. MARGARET G. DOUGLASS. March 12, 1867.

FINE PIANO FOR SALE.

FIT A BOUT to discontinue house-keeping, I offer for sale a CHICKERING SEVEN OF TAVE PRE-MIUM GRAND PIANO-pronounced by Professors and Amateurs, an instrument of unrivaled sweetness and power. Except the case, it is entirely me-taffe in its construction, consequently not affected or liable to injury by the changes of our climate.— In addition to being a delightful Parlor Instrument, its volume renders it very desirable for Private or

Public Concerts.

It will be sold on a credit of nine months, on approved security. Address,

MRS MARGARET G. DOUGLASS, Charlestown, Jefferson county, Virginia.
The Piano advertised above will be offered at Pubc Sale with the other property on Friday next. March 26, 1867—odm5.

PUBLIC SALE. WILL sell at Public sale, upon my farm, at present occupied by Mr J. Howard Strider, one mile east of Duffield's Deput, ON TUESDAY, MARCH 26TH, 1867,

THE FOLLOWING

PERSONAL PROPERTY: Brood Mare-in foal-works well, 1 Brood Mare—in foal—works well,
1 two-year old Mare Colt,
1 Fresh Cow, 1 Yearling Calf,
1 Sow and Pigs,
1 good four horse Wagon,
1 Wheat Drill—1 Wheat Resper,
1 Runyan Fan—1 Cutting Box,
1 pair of Grain Ladders,
2 Barshear Ploughs—1 two-horse,
4 Double and 2 Single Shovel Ploughs,
1 Harrow—2 Corn Coverges. Harrow-2 Corn Coverers. 1 Jack Screw-Log and Fifth Chain: l Jack Screw—Log and Fifth Chain;
2 set. Breechbands,
1 set Lead Harness - 4 sets Plough Gears,
Collars and Bridles—Grain Cradles,
Double and Single Trees,
Grass Scythes, Mattocks and Picks,
Shovels and Forks, Hoes, Water Keg,
Tight Barrels, &c., &c.

TERMS OF SALE. A credit of 6 months will be given on all sums of Ten Dollars. Bond and approved security required before the removal of the property. Sams of Ten Dollars and under, Cash Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M.

hy-Sale positive. No postponement on account of weather. J. S. MELVIN. March 12, 1867. PULLIC SALE. A S Agent for Mrs. Frances P Frame, I will sell at her farm, situated on the Berryville Turnpike, three miles from Charlestown, on

THURSDAY, MARCH 28th, 1857, one fine Work Horse. One young Mare—good for saddle or harness—with foal by a fine horse.
One horse, handsome and stylish in Harness, or Six head of Milch Cows-five of them with

Calves by their rides,
Fifteen head of Young Cattle
Twenty head of Stock Hogs,
Three Brood Sows. One Road Wagon and Harness One Farm Wagon,
One new Spring Wagon and Harness,
Several Carts and Wheels,
One four horse McCormick Reaper,
One two-horse do Three Barshear Ploughs, Four Double Shovel Ploughs, Two Single-Shovel do.
Two Corn Coverers, one Roller;
One Grain Drill, one Baker's Wheat Fan;
One Sinclair's nine-inch Cutting-Box,

One Double Corn Sheller,
One eight horse Ohio Thresher and Separator,
with Borse Power and Straps complete; FIFTY BUSHELS OF SEED OATS, and a number of small articles too tedious to enu-

The sale will be positive, and is made in consequence of the farm having been rented. TERMS OF SALE. Sums of \$10 and under, Cash: Over that amoun chaser giving bond with approved security. Interest will be remitted if the bonds are paid at maturity.

A. R. H. RANSON.

KEARSLEY & SHEERER'S CARDS. NEW GOODS!

March 12, 1867—tds. [F. P.]

WE are now receiving our second supply of WINTER GOODS, which makes our stock one of the most complete this side of Baltimore, and as short profits and quick cash sales is our mot to, we hope to receive a large share of the public patronage. KEARSLEY & SHEERER.

Nov. 6, 1866. GROCERIES. WE have just received our stock of Groceries, which will be found complete, including several grades of Grown Sugar, some prime New Crop New Orleans; Crushed and Refined Sugars, Rio, Laguera and Java Coffee, Spices, and some very superior Tea KEARSLEY & SHEERER.

ruperior Tea Feb 19, 1967. PURE Cider Vinegar, for sale by Fcb. 26. KEARSLEY & SHEERER. Feb. 26. BLEACHED, Unbleached and Blue Knitting Cotton, for sale by KEARSLEY & SHEERER. Feb. 26. BLEACHED and Brown Cottons, just received and for sale by Feb. 26. KEARSLEY & SHEERER.

TOM THUMB PEAS, Marrowiat Peas, Dwarf Sugar Peas Dwarf Blue Imperial, Eugenie Peas, Landreth's Extra Early Peas, Early Frame Peas, Lima Beans, Caroline of Sewell Beans, China White Beans, Yellow Six Week's Beans, Early Valentine Beans, Hully Mohawk Beans, with a full assortment of all Isinds of Garden Seeds, for sale at the Igriculture Store of RANSON & DUKE. March 5, 1867.

GARDEN SEED.

ANDRETH & SONS and "Shaker's" Early York, Early Oxheart, Early Wakefield, and other choice Cabbage Seed; Cellery Seed; Large Red, Tilden, Cook's Favorite, and other varieties of Tomato Seed, for sale at the Agricultural Store of RANSON & DUKE. PINE Chewing Tobacco, White and Brown Sugars, Rio and Laguyra Coffees, very superior Green and Black Tea, Chocolate and Scotch Snuff. FRESH Water and Soda Crackers, and Prime Cheese, just received by D. HOWELL. DATENT Axle Gream; just received by

PUBLIC SALES.

DR. J. A. STRAITH PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, NO. 522, WEST FAYETTE STREET BETWEEN FRANKLIN SQ. and SHROEDER STREET,)

BALTIMORE CITY. MESSAGES left at the Drug Stores of COLEMAN & ROGERS, Baltimore street, and of J. SMITH, corner Eutaw and Lexington streets, will receive at-RO- May also be found at the office of the CON-TINENTAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, du October 23, 1866—tf.

JAMES A. L. MC'CLURE,

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

ATTORNEY AT LAW. No. 40, St. Paul Street, sultimore. PRACTICES in the State and United States Courts and pays particular attention to the prosecuton of claims against the General Government.

January 2d 1866—tf. DWARD E. COOKE.] ANIBEW E. SERNELY

LAW CARD: COOKE & KENNEDY. WILL attend to effice business in Jefferson, and will practice regularly in the Courts of Clarke and Frederick, and in any other of the adjacent ounties where the test oath is not required.

OFFICE-In the Valley Bank Building.

Charlestown, May 1, 1868.

MECHANICAL.

A NEW ENTERPRISE. SHOE-FINDINGS AND LEATHER.

BANTZ & WACHTER, HAVE opened, in connection with their Tannery, a LEATHER & SHOE-FINDING STORE, At No. 61, West Patrick Street, (BELOW BARTGIS' HOTEL,)

EREDERICK CITY, MARYLAND. where they will keep on hand a generalassortmen of LEATHER and SHOE-FINDINGS, such as Hemlock Sole Oak Sole,
Calf, Kip, Upper Sheep, French Calf,
Harness, Bridle, Skirting and Morocco;
Linings, Binding, Lasts, Boot Trees,
Crimping Boards, Shoe Hammers and Knives.
Bristles, Thread, Tacks, Wax,

and in fact everything a show m nufacturer may want in his business, which we will sell as cheap as can be bought in any city. Purchases will do well to call and examine our stock before pur-

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(C) They will also keep constantly on hand a fullsupply of every variety of Ladies' and Gertlem n's
SHOE UPPERS, ready fitted for bottoming.

TERMS—CASH. To persons from this section, our city presents the advantage of enabling them to visit us, make their purchases, and return the same day, giving their purchases, and return the same day, giving them several hours in the city.

My HIDES bought at the Store, or at the Tannery at the end of West Church street. We will also receive HIDES in exchange for LEATHER, or any BANTZ & WACHTER,
No. 61, West Patrick street, Frederick
February 26, 1867-6m * other material in our line

DAVID H. COCKRILL. ARCHITECT AND BUILDER, HARLESTOWN, JEFFERSON CO.,

Virginia. FOR the very liberal patronage extended to me since my release from imprisonment at the Old Capitol," I tender my sincere thanks. Having had an experience of years in the CARPENTER & HOUSE JOINING BUSINESS. and now in command of a corps of competent workmen; and having on hand a supply of valua-ble building material, I am fully prepared to exe-cute all work entrusted to me, speedily, in the best manner, and to the entire satisfaction of all who patronize me.

ACI Particular attention given to the drawing of plans and specifications.

DAVID H. COCKRILL.

November 13, 1866-+f.

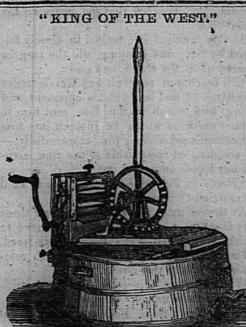
Harper's Ferry. THE subscriber would inform the public that he is prepared at his SHOP AT HARPER'S FERRY, on High Street, just above the store of S. V. Yantis, to execute all kinds of Work in the

SADDLE AND HARNESS MAKING AT

SADDLE AND HARNESS LINE. Intendirg to work nothing but the BESTSTOCK, he feels sure that he will be able to give satisfaction to all who may trust him with their work. He has also made arrangements for conducting the BOOT AND SHOE-MAKING

Business, and will at all times have a competent hand to attend to this branch of the business. Those who need anything in this line will find it to their ad-

vantage to give him a call. WM. A. BANTZ Harper's Ferry, Feb. 26, 1867-tf.



E offer the trez no of Rockingham, Shen andoah, F. ederick, Clarke, Jefferson an Berkeley counties, the cheapest and best WASH-ING MACHINE ever made, warranted not to wear or tear the Clethes, washes perfectly along the wear or tear the Clathes, washes perfectly clean, makes no slop, and requires no boiling. Sold subject to trial. If it does not give satis-

faction you have the right to return it. February 5, 1867.

[Clarko Journal, Rockingham Register, Mar-linsgurg New Bra, Winchester Times, New Mar-ket Valley, and Shepherdstown Register copy tf, and send bill to this office. I "KING OF THE WEST." D. HUMPHREYS & CO.,

GENTS:—I have in use in my family,
one of your improved Washing Machines, "The
King of the West," and consider it a perfect washer, and would not like to part with mine, unless I
could supply myself with another."

Very respectfully, yours,

JAMES M. JOHNSTON.

Januar 31; 1867. CARRIAGES!! CARRIAGES!

CARRIAGES!! I HAVE just received a large supply of one and two horse CARRIAGES, consisting of Double and Single Rock. PEAS AND BEANS.

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TOUT THUMB PEAS, Marrowiat Peas, Dwarf Sugar Peas Dwarf Ripe Imperial. Engenie Peas.

Agent for Wm. McCann.

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March 5, 1867-2m.-F. P. LIME. I HAVE just received twenty barrels SUPERIOR LIME, suitable for White Washing.
W. J. HAWKS, Agent,
March 19, 1867-31. for M. J. Grove.

SPRING GOODS. D. HOWELL has just received his first installment of Spring Goods, consisting in part of
Spring Calico's and Mouslaines, Bleached and
Brown Cotton, Plaid Cotton, Check, Cottonades.
Crash, Irish Linen, Fine White Flannel and a variety of Notions, all of which are offered at the lowest cash prices.

March 5, 1867.

PRUSHES AND COMBS. - Hair, Teeth and Nail Brushes in great variety. Rubber Dressing and Fine Combs, also Ladies' Buffalo Tuck Combs. March 19. DIMETY and Magic Rufflings, at Mar. 5. M. BEHREND'S.

Vatuable Land

The sale black of

Jefferson County, West Va., FOR SALE!

I OFFER at private sale, my Land near Shep-herdstown on the road to Charlestown, salied BEDFORD. It contains about

THIRTY-FIVE ACRES. is well enclosed and watered, and has some fine Fruit open it. The foundations of the Dwelling House and Barn, burned by order of General Eun-ter, still remain. Also—

TWENTY SIX ACRES on the Northern side of the Town.
TERMS OF SALE -One-third Cash; the balance in one and two years, with interest, to be secure on the Land. E. I. LEc. February 12, 1867—tf.

##Spirit of Jefferson please copy.—Register.

VALUABLE BUSINESS PROPERTY

E Oli SAL AVING changed my residence. I will sell at Private Sale, my STORE-HOUSE AND DWELLING-HOUSE, with LOT and OUT. BUILDINGS, thereto belonging, at Union-1990 wille, Jefferson county, West Virginia. The buildings are comfortable, convenient and permanent, being built of BRICK, and a good location for selling GOODS, in a good and wealthy community, for miles from Shepherustown, on the road leading to Harper's Ferry. to Harper's Ferry.

For further particulars, address me at #ASTILTON. Loudoun county, Va., or my brother, L.
HESS, at DUFFIELD'S DEPOT, Jefferson coun-

My ALL persons knowing themselves indebted to me by note or account, will please settle the same with my brether, L. HESS, at Duffield's Deput.

November 27, 1866.—1f.

L. D. H.

L. DOW HESS.

PUBLIC SALE OF

VALUABLE MILL PROPERTY. WILL be sold at Public Sale, on the premises, about 15 miles south of Martinsburg, Berkeley county, West Virginia, and about 2½ miles from Wade's Depot, on the Winchester and Potomac Railroad, on SAIURDAY, MARCH 30th, 1267, that desirable property, known as

WILLOW-GROVE MILLS. This property is situated on the Opequon Creek, and contains NINFTY-EIGHT ACRES OF LAND, and contains NINF-IY-EIGHT ACRES OF LAND,
a large proportion of which is creek bottom land,
unsurpassed for fertility. About TWENTY ACRES
of this land is in TIMBER. There are on
the property, TWO DWELLING HOUSES,
one of them in good repair—also BARN,
CORN-HOUSE with WAGON-SHED, SPRINGROUSE &c. HOUSE, &c. There is also a FRAME MILL, which is now doing country work, but the BRICK MILL formerly in operation on the premises, was burned by Gea. Sheridan's forces during the war. However, the walls which are of Brick, are still standing, and have been decided by competent mill wright to be sufficiently substantial to re-build upon.

By-Any one wishing to examine the property previous to the day of sale, can have an opportunity of doing so, by calling on Jons H. Campbell, who lives within one mile of the place. TERMS OF SALE. One third of the purchase money in CASH, and the balance in equal instalments of one and two * Possession will be given on the first day of April, 1867.

JOHN H. CAMPBELL, JAMES SMITH.

March 5, 1867—ts.
[Carlisle (Pa) Volunteer copy till sale and send bill to this office.] S. HOWELL BROWN, BENJ. F. ENGLE. SURVEYOR, BROWN & ENGLE, REAL ESTATE AGENTS.

OFFER their services to the citizens of the Sher-andoah Valley, and the Counties of Virginia immediately East of the Blue Ridge. OFFICE—Directly opposite the Court-House, Charlestown, Jefferson County, West Virginia. January 29, 1867-1f. E. C. RANDOLPH & CO., REAL ESTATE BROKERS, OFFICES : Public square, Charlottesville,

No. 193, Church st., Lynchburg, VIRGINIA. HAVE for sile FARMS of all sizes and prices in Madison, Greene, Orange, Cuipepper, Louisa, Albemarle, Gochland, Fluvanna, Buckingham, Appomattox, Nelsan, Amherst, Campbell, Bedford, Botetourt, Rockbridge, Franklin, Floyd, Carroll, Montgomery, Pulaski, Russell, Greenbrier, and Washington counties, Va. Washington counties, Va.

Mr. HENRY D. BEALL, of the Winchester
Times, is our authorized agent in the Lower Shenandoah Valley. He will furnish Catalogues or any
information on the subject.

March 19, 1767—tf.

QUICK SALES. L. A. Luce,

REAL ESTATE AGENT, . -WILL advertise and sell Real Estate of all de-IMPROVED FARMS, Timber Lands, Mill Properties, &c., now wanted. Call on L. A. LUCE. Charlestown. CAMPBELS & MASON'S CARDS. DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership between E. H. Campbell and Dr. G. F. Mason, under the name of Camptell & Mason, in the Drug business, in Charlestown, has expired by limitation; and in future the business will be continued by the said E. H. Campbell and Wm S. Mason, under the name and firm of Campbell & Mason.

All persons indebted to the late firm will please settle at once with the new firm, who are authorized to actile all business of the old firm.

E. H. CAMPBELLO.

E. H CAMPBELL, G. F. MASON. March 9.1867. Thankful for the liberal patronage extended to the ald firm, the undersigned solicit a continuauce of the same, with the assurance that everything will be done on their part to give entire satisfaction to their customers and the public generally.

E. H. CAMPBELL.

CAMPBELL & MASON, Apothecaries and Druggists. CHARLESTOWN, VA. WOULD call the attention of their customers, and the public generally, to their stock of fresh and reliable

DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PATENT MEDICINES, PAINTS, OILS, WINDOW GLASS; PERFUMERY, SOAPS, AND DRUGGISTS' FANCY ARTICLES. which they will furnish as low as they can be obtained. Included in our stock are:
Ayers Cherry Pectoral, Avers Sarsaparilla, Avers Pills, Wistar's Balsam Wild Cherry, Jaynes' Expectorant, Wistar's Lozenges, Brown's Bronchial Troches, Bell's Cough Syrup, Bull's Cough Syrup? Shriner's Cough Syrup, Stonebraker's Cough Syrup Morning Star Bitters, Plantation Bitters, Hosterter's Bitters, Cannon's Bitters, Backly's Bitters, Hegeman's Flixer Bark, Elixer Peruvian Bark with Protoxide of Iron, Bitter Wine of Iron, Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, John Bull's and A. H. Bull's Sarsaparilla, Sand's Sagaparilla, Helm bold's Sarsaparilla, Sand's Sagaparilla, Helm bold's Sarsaparilla, Lindsey's Blood Scarcher, Swaim's Panacea, Mc Lanc's and Fahnestock's Vermifage, Holloway's Worm Confection, Concentrated Ley for making Soap, Thompson's Eye Water, Brown's Essence Ginger, Radway's Ready Relief, Davis' Pain Killer, Larabee's Pain Killer, Stonebraker's Liniment, Mustang Liniment, Bell's White Oil, Little's White Oil, Gargling Oil, Foutz Horse-Mixture, Barry's Tricopherous, Lyou's Cathairon, Zylobalsamum. Burnett's Cocoaine, Coco Cream. Oliate Cocoa, Shevalier's Life for the Hair, Hall's Sicihan Hair Renewer, Stonebraker's Hair Restorer. Jones' Hair Dyc, Oldham's Hair Dye, Mrs. Allen's Hair Restorer. Pomades, Savages Ursina, Philicome, Bear's Oil, Lubin's Extracts, Glenn's Extracts, Cologne Water, Verbena Water, Sozodout for the Teeth, Soaps in great variety, Hair, Cloth, Nail. Tooth and Shaving Brushes, Fine Combs, Ridding Combs, School Books, Bibles, Prayer Books Hymn Books, Stationery, Slates and Pencils, Lead Pencils, Pen Holders, Pens and Ink. Chewing and Smoking Tobacco, Segars, Fiavoring Extracts, Yanilla Beans, Gelatine, Rice Flour, Corn Starch, which they will furnish as low as they can be ob-Smoking Tobacco, Segars, Flavoring Extracts, Yanilla Beans, Gelatine, Rice Flour, Corn Starch, Farina, Biscotine. They will have constantly on hand a full stock of Oil, Lead, Colors, Dye Stoffs, Varnishes, Winnow Glass, Putty, Paint Brushes, Sash Tools, and every thing in the line of Painter's Material.

Physician's Prescriptions accurately and neatly compounded at all hours.

TERMS—CASH.

Charlestown, Feb. 5, 1857.

CORNSTARCH, Rice Flour and Biscotine for CAMPBELL MASON. LITTLE'S WHITE OIL, for sale by CAMPBELL & MASON. GARDEN SEED.—Landreth's and Shaker's Garden Seed, for safe by CAMPBELL & MASON. 1 OOTH WASH.—Gibbs' Antiseptic Toein Wash, prepared and for sale by Feb. 12. CAMPBELL & MASON.

A new supply of PLAIN COLD RINGS, Just redand or sale at reduced prices by L. DINKIE.

Maggie, the milkmaid, went down to the dingle,
Down to the dingle where daisies dripped dew,
Daintily lifting her skirt, gaily plaided,
Just over the cover her feet waded through,
Oh, pretty white feet!

Bow they shone through the dew drops they feared;
not to meet!

Maggie, the milkmaid, went down to the dingle, Swinging her light little pail on her arm, Calling the cows through the mist of the morning Never sweet robin had voice of such charm. Oh, happy young maid!

As Iree from all care as the sun is from shade. Maggie, the milkmaid, is down in the dingle,
Milking the cows with a steady young hand,
While the gay carols of birds in the bushes
Have some sweet meaning she don't understand. "Oh, what do they sing, Each bird to the other, this heart gladdening

Oh, how the little birds laughed when they heard Preping so saucily out of her nest, "Well, to be sure! now what can have brought

So fair, yet so simple a maid for our guest?

Love, love young maiden—

Love is life's sweetness, so song is love laden?" Then out of pity the birds 'gan to sing to her,
Allin a chorus as I and as it could be,
Such trillings, such warblings, such carols and That the air trembled with wild melody,

And each little bird, From its heart to the tips of its feathers, seemed

Maggie, the milkmaid, went out from the dingle, Thenghtfully poising her snow foaming pail, While the warm sunlight, that played with her blushes, Made her the loveliest flower in the vale. But to her young heart Came a new thought that morn, all too sweet to

Next spring, when Maggie went down to the din-Down to the dingle through dew laden clover— Some one went with her to hear the sweet singing,
And a little bird whispered me news of a lover,

And oh, with what glee The birds sang around them as loud as could be!
Well, Maggie now knew ndrous sweet meaning that thrilled her heart through
Ah, well, gentle maiden,
Love is life's sweetness, so song is love laden.

POLITICAL.

[Correspondence of the Baltimore Sun.] The Richmond Bank Deposits in the United States Treasury.

WASHINGTON, March 15 .- Mr. Van Wyck's report relative to the Richmond bank deposits in the Treasury says that on March 14, 1865, the Legislature of Virginia passed an act authorizing a loan to the Commonwealth of \$300,000 in gold and silver coin by the banks, to be applied to the use of the army of Northern Virginia. Seven banks accordingly furnished \$300,000, receiving State bonds as security therefor; and of the amount of this loan, the \$100,000 now in the Treasury is the subject of this report. The its credit, in three banks, which were public her; and as usual on such occasions the clown money had been deposited by the State, to depositories, as follows: Bank of Virginia cracks his jokes at the offenders until they \$108,000, Farmer's Bank \$112,000, Exchange Bank \$80,000.

On March 28th, 1865, the Secretary of the Confederate Treasury, G. A. Trenholm, caused to be delivered to the Governor of Virginia an order stating that the \$500,000 had been advanced for the use of the Commissary Department, for which the State agreed to receive in payment cotton, at the rate of 15 cents per pound, and authorizing the Gov erner to issue an order for 200,000 pounds

Capt. Strother, of the Confederate Army, had authority to receive the \$300,000 just before the evacuation of Richmond. He did receive \$271,000, the banks retaining \$29, 000. He disbursed \$25,000 at Richmond. leaving \$246 000, of which \$54,000 was in checks drawn by the Bank of Virginia and the Exchange Bank, on their branches in Lynchburg.-

Captain Strother left Richmond April 2, 1865, with this sum under his control, and was accompanied by officers of the banks, who had in charge between \$200,000 and \$300,000 in coin, belonging to the banks.-At Danville, on April 8th, Captain Strother agreed with the officers of the banks that in the event of his being cut off from Lee's army, he would restore the remainder of the funds to them. They then proceeded to Washington, Georgia. On April 21st. 1865, Captain Strother had remaining \$223,929, which he paid to the bank officers, and took a receipt for the same. There was no authority authorizing this payment by Captain and commenced kicking him unmercifully.—
Strother. The bank officers destroyed the Sal standing on the outside of the ring, clap-

checks and held the remainder of the funds. In May, 1865, the Bank of Richmond obtained a permit from General Patrick to bring their effects from Georgia, and started with about \$450,000 in coin. Of this \$170,000 was of the fund received from Strother .-When eighteen miles from Washington, Georgia, they were robbed of \$250,000 in coin by Confederate soldiers, disguised in Federal uniforms. Of this \$105,000 belonged to the Bank of Virginia. The subsequent day the robbers restored \$10,000. Of this one bag of \$9,000 was identified as the property of the banks. After paying expenses the fund recovered amounted to \$100,000, which was subsequently delivered to General Steadman, and this is the amount now on deposit in the

The above facts, the committee say, were agreed upon by-counsel in arguing the matter before the President and Secretary of the Treasury. The committee in their report then proceed to say that bad faith was along in your absence. I am happy to say manifested by the officers of the banks, who we are enjoying very good health on the port then proceed to say that bad faith was at one time made oath that the money was lost in dealings with the Confederate government. Confederate officers also made similar statements, and the solicitor of the United States was led to believe that no ownership der for the restoration of the coin on certain all well and getting along nicely. conditions, which were not complied with satisfactory to the United States Treasurer .-Certain United States officers being still convinced that the coin had belonged to the Confederate government, a further investigation showed that the transaction had been entered with the Confederate War Department .-

issued to the State of Virginia \$300,000 in | very fortunate I am sure, for the barn caught coin expressly to be advanced to the Confed- fire last night and was consumed. I was in

erate government. Strother had any right to act as administrator of the dead Confederacy, and defraud this government of its legal spoils of war, for by the act of the surrender of Lee, all the property of the Confederacy was vested in the United Surrender of Saturation of the Confederacy was vested in the Confederacy was United States. Strother had no more right day, asserted that he had no doubt that there to give the bank agents the money than he had were Senators present who were working to to give them muskets. It was a fraud upon defeat the "Reconstruction" bill, because they the government, and the bank agents were did not intend to let the Southern States back; partice ps criminis, and the banks should not derive any profit therefrom. The bank agents had no right to remove the coin from strongly denied. Georgia, and they are liable, therefore, for the whole amount. Hed-the banks succeed-

esponsible to the United States for that sum. The committee conclude their report by saying that the banks have no claim to the \$100,000 now on deposit in the United States treasury, but should be held liable for the \$29,000 retained by the banks from the \$300,000 and for the checks they destroyed for \$54,000; the actual amount of coin they saved by the Strother fund, \$25,000, and the balance taken by the robbers and not restored. The banks owned no bullion. No part of the \$300,000 loaned to the Confederate government was in bullion; yet part of this \$10,000 is in 57 pieces of bullion, evidently taken early in the rebellion from the United States mints at Charlotte and Dahlonega.

The committee then give the resolution reported in proceedings of Congress.

HUMOROUS.

Excitement in a Circus.

A number of years ago, when Michigan was a new country, in Livingston country, town of —, there lived a family by the name of Clyton-and one called Perkins, also-as well as a great many others. Pet Clyton was a tall, fine looking fellow-a noble specimen of our backwoodsmen, standing six feet two inches in his stockings. Pet had taken a shine to Miss Sally Perkins, and it was a known fact that they were engaged; but the day when the knot was to be tied had not yet been divulged.

In the month of August, 1848, June's Circus came through this part for the first time; and in fact it was the first circus that had ever visited this town, and there was a great many people that had never seen one. When the important day arrived, the town was filled to overflowing with a motley crowd, and of course every young fellow had his Sal. Now Pet wanted to get married on the coming Christ mas, but Sally wished to have it put off until the next Spring. When the ticket wagon was opened the tent was filled in a hurry .-Pet and Sally had been looking through the side shows, and they were late getting in, and the performances had already commenced .-They walked around the entire ring trying to find a seat, and, although they could seat two thousand people, every seat was filled. " Never mind," said Sal, " I'd just as lief

stand up." But gallant Pet could not think of it, and

"Wait a minit, I'll get you a chair," and off he started leaving Sal alone. Just at this moment the clown came in dressed in his usual costume, and dancing around the ring, stopped right in front of

Sal, and began to sing: "Oh, Sally is the gal for me." This caused Sal to blush, for she thought that the clown was looking at her. As she stood near the ring, of course she hid the views of those lower seats directly behind

"There is a chance for me now." "A chance for you?"

"Yes, don't you see that gal has lost her beau, and she is looking at me, I know."-And turning three or four somersaults he stopped directly in front of Sal and sung:

"O, Sally is the gal for me, I would not have any other, And if Sally died to-more night, I'd marry Sally's mother."

This evidently meant for her, raised Sal's dander, and she burst out with, "I am the gal for you am I? Marry my mother, would yer? You lowlived spotted scum of the earth! If my feller was here he would whollop you for that! I wouldn't stay here another minit nor neither any decent people either! Saying which she rushed out of the tent amid roars of laugh-

The clown, assuming a comical attitude, remarked to the ring master, that his grandfather was a remarkable man, and so was his grandmother, too, but that gal beats all his

At this junction Pet rushed in, closely followed by Sal; and jumping into the ring he squared off at the clown, and said :

"I'll teach you to insult any female under my charge ?" and let fly at his opponent, and taking him plumb in the face, sent him to mother earth, at which he jumped into him ped her hands and cried out, : "That's it, Pet, give him Jessie and we'll

get married Christmas, sure !" At this moment the ring master and three or tour others caught Pet and commenced to thrash him, when Pet's friends interfered, and a general free fight ensued, which completley broke up the circus.

What further transpired, deponent saith not; only the common word was: "Give him Jessie, Pet, and we will get married Christmas, sure "!"

Looking at the Bright Side.

Here is a letter from a wife in Massachusetts to her husband in California. She don't intend going through the world with the blues:

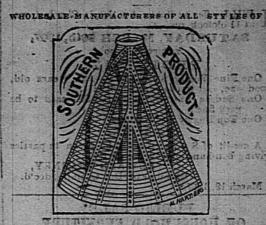
"My dear husband-As it is now some time since you left for California, I suppose you would be glad to hear how we are getting whole. Just at present two of the boys have got the smallpox; Amanda Jane has got the typhus fever; Samuel got hooked by a cow the other day, and little Peter has justchopped off three of his fingers with a hatchwas ever vested in the Confederacy, and the ct. It is a mercy he did not chop them all President of the United States issued an or- off. With these trifling exceptions, we are

You needn't be at all anxious about us. almost forgot to say that Sarah Matilda eloped last week with a tin peddler. Poor girl !-She's been waiting for a chance and I'm glad she's married at last. She needn't have taken the trouble to elope though, for I'm sure into not with the Confederate Treasury, but I was glad enough to have her go. She was a great eater, and I find baked beans don't go "This concealment and duplicity on the part off near so fast as they did. The way that of the banks," say the committee, "shows the character of their claims." girl would dip into pork and beans was a caution to the rest of the family. The cow There can be no dispute that the banks | took it into her head to run away, which was hopes that the house would go too, for it's The C nfederate armies had surrendered; inconvenient; but the wind was the wrong the President of the Confederacy was in way, so it didn't receive much injury. Some flight, and it is idle to pretend that Captain | boys broke into the orchard the other day

- A flirt resembles a dipper attached to a ed in putting in their vaults at Richmond hydrant. Everybody is at liberty to drink the \$223,229, they would have been clearly from it, but no one desires to take it away.

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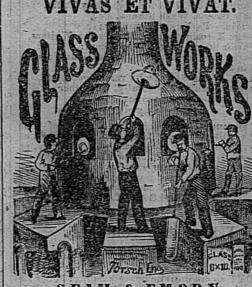
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500 Solid Gold Hunting Watches, \$250 to \$750 500 Magic Cased Gold Watches, 200 to 500 500 Ladies' Watches, Enamelled, 100 to 300 1,000 Gold Hunting Chron'r Watches, 250 to 300 1,000 Gold Hunting English Levers, 200 to 250 3,000 Gold Hunting Duplex Watches, 150 to 250 5,000 Gold Hunting Duplex Watches, 100 to 200 5,000 Silver Hunting Levers, 5,000 Silver Hunting Duplexes, 50 to 150 75 to 250 10,000 Gold Hunting Lepines, 50 to 75 10,500 Miscellaneous Silver Watches, 50 to 100 25,000 Hunting Silver Watches, 25 to 50 30,000 Assorted Watches, all kinds, 19 to 76 Styles are parent obtains a watch by this arrangement, costing but \$1t', while it may be worth \$750. No partiality shown.

Mesers. J. Hickling. & Co.'s Great American Watch Co., New York City, wish to immediately dispose of the above magnificent Stock. Certificates naming articles, are placed in scaled envelopes. Holders are entitled to the articles named on their certificates, upon payment of Ten Dollars.

lopes. Holders are entitled to the articles name don their certificates, upon payment of Ten Dollars, whether it be a Watch worth \$750 or one worth less. The return of any of our certificates entitles you to the article named ther. on, upon payment, irrespective of its worth, and as ho article valued less than \$10 is named on any certificate, it will at once be seen that this is no lottery, but a straightforward legitimate transaction, which may be participated in even by the most fastidious!

A single Certificate will be sent by mail. post paid upon receipt of 25 cents, five for \$1, eleven for \$2 thirty-three and 'elegant premium for \$5, sixty-six and more valuable premium for \$10. one hundred and most superb Watch for \$15. To Agents or those wishing employment this is a rare opportunity. It is a legitimately conducted business, duly authorized by the Government, and open to the most careful scrutiny. Tay us!

the most careful scrutiny. Tay us!

Address, J. HICKLING & CO.

149 Broadway, near P. O., City of N. York.
February 5, 1867—3m.

CO-PARTNERSHIP.

THE undersigned have entered into a Co-Partnership under the firm of STARRY & LOCK, for the purpose of conducting the Produce Commission and Forwarding Business at the Charles J D. STARRY, JNO. J. LOCK:

To the Farmers, Millers and Others IN THE COUNTIES OF JEFFERSON & CLARKE. H AVING associated ourselves in business for the purposes of the above Card we will pay for Wheat, Flour, Corn and all other kinds of Product the highest market prices in Cash, or will receive and forward on Commission, making sales and returns in the shortest time STARRY & LOCK.

Charlestown Depot, Jan, 15, 1867) SMOKERS, ATTENTION! PIPES! PIPES!

HAVE just received a large and well-selected stock of Pipes, consisting of Purk Meerschaum, Patent Iron Clad, Patent Metal Ster, Imitation Meerschaum. English Briar-Root, Plain and Fluted Rosewood, German China, Egg Bowl, Turkish, Common Wood Pipes, &c., as well as an extensive stock of Meerschaum, Fancy and Plain Cigar Holders, together with a supply of English Cherry and Root Stems

J. H. HAINES. SPLENDID DOLLS and Doll Heads to be had cheap. For sale by L. DINKLE. MARBLE WORKS.

CHARLESTOWN MARBLE WORKS. Main Street, Opposite the Carter House,



MANUFACTURERS OF MONUMENTS, TOMBS, HEAD & FOOT

STONES, MANTLES, STATUES, AND CARVING, n all its various branches, and all work in their in all its various branches, and all work in their business. All orders promptly filled at the lowest rate, and shortest notice, and all work delivered and put up, and guaranteed to suit purchasers.—

If not, no sale. Please call and see, and judge for yourselves before purchasing elsewhere, and patronize Home Manufacturers.

The subscribers have also in operation their shop in Martinghyer whose there will give a recommendation.

n Martinsburg, where they will give prompt at-DIEHL & BRO. Charlestown, Feb. 19, 1867—od May 15, 1866. [JOHN E. SIFFORD.] . JOHN SIFFORD.]

J. E. SIFFORD & CO., STEAM MARBLE WORKS.

Carroll Street Depot, Frederick City, Md. MANUFACTURE

MANTELS, MONUMENTS, Tombs and Marble Work of a I kinds; also DRESSED STONE of every de scription for Bulldings, at moderate prices, and with dispatch.

H. BISHOP, Agent,

May 8, 1866 - 'v. Charlestown, Va. May 8, 1866 - 1v.

RANSON & DUKE'S ADVERTMENTS [J. En .DUKE. A. R. H. RANSON.] RANSON & DUKE,

DEALERS IN Agricultural Implements and Machinery, SEEDS AND FERTILIZERS,

GENERAL COMMISSION AND Forwarding Merchants, CHALESTOWN, JEFFERSON Co , W. VA. HAVE in store and for sale, Mowers and Reapers, Grain Cradles, Scythes, Mowing Scythes, Rakes, Forks, Shovels, Hoes, Whetstones, Bnggy Rakes, Revolving Rakes, Buckeye Corn Poughs, Cultivators, Wheat Drills, Double and Single Shows, Plaughs, Plaughs Shovel Ploughs, Ploughs and Harrows, Three Horse Ploughs, Corn Shellers, Cutting Boxes, Cider Mills, Washing Machine and Wringers, Patent Water Drawers for Wells and Cisterns, Cistern and Force Pumps, Hose, Rope, Iron Fence, Buckets, Brooms, Tubs, Baskets, &c.

B M Rhodes & Co's,
Fowle, Bayne & Co's

Reese & Co's

Reese & Co's June 5, 1866-tf. DELAWARE CORN SHELLERS. DOULLE AND SINGLE SPOUT.

These Shellers are the best in use, strongly built, For sale by RANSON & DUKE. CISTERN PUMPS! E are just receiving a lot of superior Cistern Pumps, which are warranted not to freeze.— Also, Patent Water Drawers, for wells and cisterna RANSON & DUKE.

THERMOMETER CHURNS, all sizes, also the Cylinder Churns, just received and for sale by Dec 25 RANSON & DUKE. BLACKSMITH'S Drills, Curry Combs, Horse Cards, Horse Brushes, and Axes, for sale by Dec. 25. RANSON & DUKE.

TRUSSELL & CO.'S ADVERT'MENTS

A COMPLETE STOCK!

RARE GOODS & GREAT BARGAINS! TRUSSELL & CO., truly grateful for the gener-ous support extended toward their house since its opening in Charlestown, have been encouraged greatly to enlarge their general STOCK, specially adapted to the present season, which embraces in part the latest and best selected assortment of

BOOTS, SHOES, HATS AND CAPS. ever before offered in the tows. Most of the Boots and Shoes, for Ladies, Gentlemen and Boys, are made to order, in the best shops of Baltimore and Philadelphia, 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 len do., French Corsets, Pins, Needles, Combs, &c., with other articles too numerous to particularize. The assort-ment of fresh, choice and cheap

CONFECTIONERY, FRUI:S, NUTS, &C., includes in part, Raisins, Figs, English Walnuts, Almonds, Filberts, Palm Nuts, French Candies, and assorted American do., of all varieties, Lemon Cakes, Tea Biscuit, etc. Several boxes of fresh LEMONS also on hand. The

GROCERY DEPARTMENT has in no wise been neglected, and every article needed for family consumption will be found con-stantly on hand, and for sale as low as can be procured elsewhere in the county, as our motto is that a "nimble 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.

GOOD COFFEE. A PRIME article of Government Java Coffee, just received and for sale by Jan. 8, 1867 TRUSSELL & CO. TTIDES WANTED .- We will pay the highest market price for all kinds of Hides. Nov 27, 1866. TRUSSELL & CO.

K EROSENE OIL.—A superior Kerosene Oil for sale by TRUSSELL & CO. A sale by T ARD for sale by TRUSSELL & CO.

SETTLE UP! SETTLE UP!

Our customers well know that it is the beginning of the New Year; and with it we are determined to close up our Books, and feel compelled to insist upon immediate settlement. We take this method to inform those who know themselves indebted by open account, to come forward and settle up. By so doing time and expense will be saved.

We shall begin the New Year with new enterprise, and give our undivided attention to the bu-siness of Manufacturing and Repairing FARMING IMPLEMENTS AND MACHINERY.

We employ none but the best Mcchanics and use the best Material. The community can rely upon quick, neat and substantial work, and at prices to suit the times. We are determined to do work as low as can be done in the County for CASH, which will be required for all transient custom.

We will make to order Threshing Machines and Horse Powers of the latest patterns; PLOUGHS of different kinds always on hand, amongst which will be found the celebrated three horse Livingston; two-horse do.; the old fashioned three-horse Barshear: McCormick do., for two and three lorses: shear; McCormick do., for two and three Lorses; also, the three-horse Page Plough; also an improved Kentucky single and double shovel Plough. Plough Irons—such as Shares, Coulters, Shovels, (single and double) Mould-boards of all kinds, Open Rings. Open Links, &c Special attention paid to Mill work in Steel and Iron. Turning and Boring in Iron and Steel. In a few weeks we will

FOUNDRY, when we will be able to furnish Castings of goo quality as low as can be Lought elsewhere.

All work entrusted to us will be done with dispatch, and guaranteed to give satisfaction. The highest price paid in Cash for Old Iron of all kinds. Give us a call at the Jefferson Machine Shop, Stone Row.

WEIRICK & WELLER. Charlestown, Jan. 29, 1887.

SEGARS AND TOBACCO. A T the Drug Store of Airquith & Bro., will be found a fine stock of Segars, Smoking and Chewing Tohacco, which they offer low to their customers and the public for cash.

February 12, 1867.

BACON HAMS and Smoked Beef, Sugar Cored CHARLES JOHNSON. A LL sorte of BRAID. M. BEHREND,

CONFECTIONERY AND BAKERY.

LOOK OUT FOR OLD CHRIS! GRAND ARRIVAL OF HIS BASGAGE AT THE " 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 KRIN-GLE, 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 profusion, 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 few of the many articles 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,

o make cheerful the hearts and jubilant the spirits of the juvenile population, and a supply of FRENCH AND COMMON CANDIES, o sweeten and seal and make perpetually cohesive he affections of those whose hearts are throbbing 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, Violias, Noah's Arks, Suple Jacks, Surprising Boxes, Hoop Horses, Brass Trumpets, Carriages, Wagons, Drums, Birds on Trees, Bounty Jumpers, Toy Brooms, Kid Doils, China Dolls, Black Dolls for the Freedmen, Patent and Glazed Heads, Common Masks, and a thousand and one things not enumerated here. Of SUGAR 10YS things not enumerated here. Of SUGAR 10YS he has an exhaustless variety.

- FIRE WORK'S, of all kinds, such as Rockets to empty your Pockets, Fire Crackers for Small Bush Whackers, Spiral Madicals to pop the Radicals, Torpedoes 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 NUTS, such as Almonds, Butter Nuts 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 supply 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. And now, one and all, Give DUMM a call. December 11, 1866.

THE NEW CONFECTIONERY IN FULL BLAST!

AM pleased to announce to the citizens of this I town, and the community generally, the arrival of my stock of CONFECTIONERY, My store is now filled with a complete supply of French and Domestic Candy, Foreign and Domestic Fruit, Cakes, Nuts, &c. Indeed, everything usually kept in first class Confectionery establishments Call and see for your selves. Orders promptly filled. Weddings and Parties supplied at short notice.

Nov. 6, 1866. GUSTAV BROWN.

GUSTAVE BROWN, BAKER AND CONFECTIONER, Blessing's" Old Stand, Charlestown, Jefferson Co., WEST VIRGINIA,

T/EEPS constantly on hand a large, fresh and FRENCH AND AMERICAN CONFECTIONERIES,

embracing every kind and variety. Also, all kinds of Nuts, Canned Fruits, Raisins. Currants, Dates, Figs, Citron, Liquorice, Oranges, Lemons, &c., &c. Pound, Sponge, Fruit and all other kinds of CARE,

constantly on hand, and warranted equal to the best that can be manalactured. MEDDING PARTIES, &c., to any extent desired, and on as reasonable, terms as can be had 33 Truly grateful to the citizens of the County generally, for the very liberal patronage extended to him since his commencem nt of business in Charlestown, he respectfully solicits a renewal of their favors, as his best endeavors shall be used to serve them acceptably, January 3, 1867

JEWELRY.

NEW JEWELRY STORE.

THE subscriber would most respectfully an-nounce to the citizens of Charlestown and vicinity, that he has opened a splendid ascortmen of Watches and Jewelry, including, in part, GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES, of various grades, all of which will be warranted as represented; also Jewelry of all kinds, such as

GOLD SETTS, EAR RINGS, FINGER RINGS, SPECTACLES, EYE-GLASSES. in variety; and in fact everything usually kept in a store of the kind. I would also announce that I have secured the services of a competent workman on watches and repairing jewelry, so that all who may want anything done in the line of repairing of watches, clocks or jewelry, may rely upon having it done in the most workmanlike style, and all work will be warranted as represented. I would therefore ask a call, as I am determined to suit purchasers and please all who may be disposed to patronize me. Room the one lately occupied by McIntyre and Rallston.

Sept. 4, 1866.-1y

L. DINKLE.

NGRAVING neatly done by L. DINKLE, at his Jewelry Store opposite the Bank. otc. 30. CILVER PLATED CASTORS, of all descriptions gotten up by L. DINKLE A BEAUTIFUL SILVER PLATED CAKE BAS KET, for sale low by L. DINKLE.

FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC



HARDWARE. CHARLESTOWN, VA.

BELIEVING that we have one of the largest and best select d assortments of this class of Goods ever in this Valley—and that we possess advantages which enable us to sell as low as the Wholesale Houses of Baltimore, we therefore respectfully so-licit your orders, and hope, by diligent attention to the requirements of the Trade, to merit a continu-ance of your patronage. Our stock consists of IMPORTED & AMERICAN CUTLERY, Door Plate, Screw Chest, Trunk and Pad Locks.—Strap, Hook, Butt, Shutter and T Hinges Screws; Screw Spring and Chain Bolts. Files, Rasps, Braces and Bitts, Augurs, Chisels, Levels, Planes, Bevels, Rules, Cross Cut, Hand, Wood, Compass and Whip Saws, Hatchets, Hanmers, Adzes, Axes, Compasses, and Boring Machine Anvils, Sledges, Bellows, Screw Plates, Vises, Tire Benders, Screw Wrenches, Drawing Knives, Jack Screws, Forks, Shovels, Chains, Hames, Rikes, Briar and Grain Scythes, Mill Scoops, Mattocks, Picks, Hoes, Bridle Bits, Buckles, Rings, Pad Trees, Turrets, Post Hooks, Ornaments, Spurs, Curbs, Coffin Trimmings and Cabinet Hardware; Trowels, Pulleys, Tape Lines, Punches, Lasts and Shoe Findings; Nails, Spikes, Horse and Mule Shoes and Nails; also Iron of all kinds; Brooms, Brushes and Cordage.

Thankful for past favors, we respectfully solicit orders for the above named goods. Door Plate, Screw Chest, Trunk and Pad Locks .orders for the above named goods.

DAVID HUMPHRFYS & CO.

BALTIMORE PRICE STORE! OPPOSITE BANK BUILDING. CHARLESTOWN, WEST VIRGINIA.

MAJORITY of those who read newspapers, never even give a hasty glance at a business advertisement, and if a nctually has a choice variety of goods, which he is selling at the lowest Baltimore prices, it hardly pays him to publish the fact. Therefore, I have

FOUND 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

to their own interests, to buy their Dry Goods, Fancy Goods, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps and Ready Made Clothing INCHARLESTOWN, at the BALTIMORE PRICE STORE, opposite the I would respectfully request my friends to give
J. GOLDSMITH. Baltimore Price-Store, opposite Bank Building.
November 27, 1866.

SILK and Cotton Nette, at

CIGARS AND TOBACCO. [N. W. HAINES.] [C. E. BELLER.]

TOBACCO, CIGARS,

AND SNUFF, THE undersigned would respectfully announce to the Merchanis of the Valley that they have con-stantly on hand at their store in Winchester, a su-TOBACCO, SNUFF AND CIGARS,

which they can sell at less than Baltimore prices.
Their stock of Cigars consists in part of the following popular Brands—
JEFFEFSON, LA REAL,
CABINET, LA FLOR,
EL NACIONAL, LA ESCOSESA,
FLOR DE LONDRES,
PLANTATION

PLANTATION, SUPERIOR HAVANA, BESIDES OTHER FINE BRANDS.

They also keep constantly on hand a large variety of PIPES, and SMOKING TOBACCO, in papers, bales, drums, and in bulk. Bayley's Celebrated Michigan FINE CUT TOBACCO Also, John Anderson's SOLACE, John Cornish's VIRGINIA LEAF, and other brands of FINE CUT.—CHEWING TOBACCO in foil and in bulk. HAINES & BELLER nearly opposite the Court House. November 14, 1865. Winchester, Va.

N. B. We manufacture our own Cigars, and being Practical Tobacconists, we guarantee all goods as epresented. J. H. HAINES. MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN

TOBACCO, SNUFF AND CIGARS, (Next door to Aisquith & Bro.,) MAIN STREET, CHARLESTOWN, VA. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

MANUFACTURES and will keep constantly on hand the following brands of Cigars, made of the finest foreign and domestic tobacc , and warranted pure . HAVANA REGALIA, LA PICCOLOMINI,

JEFFERSON, EL NACIONAL. PLANTATION. LA VICTORIA, BOQUET, MAGNOLIA, LA CORONA, BANANA, NAPOLEON, GR VPE, &c. Will always keep on hand it e finest brands of Chewing Tobacco in market, and rames in part the

following . PRIDEOFTHE SOUTH, GRAVELY. GOLDEN TWIST, SOLFORINA, PEOPLE'S CHOICE, GOLDEN LEAF, GENT'S COMPANION NAVY, &C., &C

Among his brands of Smoking Tobacco may be ZEPHYR PUFF, CORA LEE, GOLDEN LEAF, R. E. LEE, and other fire brands of pure Lynchburg Tobacco SCOTCH, RAPPEE AND OTHER SNUFFS. Will always have on hard an extensive assort-ment of Plain and F noy PIPES, from a MEER

purchasing elsewhere Jan. 8, 1867. J. H. HAINES. INSURANCE AGENCIES

Persons dealing in my line will find it to their advantage to call and examine my stock before

MARYLAND FIRE INSURANCE COM'Y. BALTIMORE, MARYLAND. CASH CAPITAL, \$200,000 THOMAS E. HAMBLET , Pres't

JOS. K. MILNOR Sec'y. INSURES TOWN AND COUNTRY OPERTY. (C) Losses promptly and equitably adjusted.

A. R. H. RANSON, Agent
for Jefferson and Clarke counties May 22, 1866-1y. METROPOLITAN INSURANCE COM'Y.

CASH CAPITAL,\$1,000,000. ASSETS OVER, 1,600,000. INSURES AGAINST LOSS OR DAMAGE BY FIRE ON TOWN AND COUNTRY PROPERTY

108 & 110, BROADWAY, N. YORK,

JAS, LORIMER GRAHAM, Pres't. R. M. C. GRAHAM, Vice President, JAS. LORIM ER GRAHAM, Jr. 2d V. Pres. H. H. PORTER, Secretary, A. R. H. RANSON, Agent. WILL attend the Courts in Berkeley, Jefferson and Clarke counties, and will be in Charlestown every Saturday. Letters addressed to CHARLESTOWN, W. Y.A., promptly attended to.

April 24, 1866-1y.

* HALLTOWN TRADE. DISSOLUTION NOTICE. THE partnership heretofore existing in the merthis day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued by ED K. GRADY, for whom we ask a liberal patronage.

Persons owing accounts or notes are requested to call at once, and pay off the same to either of the un-

derzigued, as the money is badly wanted.

JOHN H STRIDER,

EDW.K GRADY. ... IF. T. GRADY. E. K. GRADY.]..... GRADY & CO., COMMISSION AND FORWARDING MIRCHANT!

HALLTOWN, W. VA. KEEP for sale all kinds of DRY GOODS, GRO-CERIES, LIQUORS, HARDWARE QUEENS-WARE, etc. Will buy a gods of GRAIN, or forward the same Wool, BUTTER, Eggs and Hipes, received in trade.

Having purchased the interest of Mr. John
H. Strider, in the Mercantile establishment at Hall town, I solicit the patronage of my friends and the public generally FDWARD GRADY public generally FDWARD GRADY
The style of the firm will hereafter be GRADY

[Sept. 25, 1866. HALLTOWN ERECT! V E are just receiving and opening a new stock of LADIES' DRESS GUODS, such as FRENCH MERINOS,

POPLINS, ALPACCAS, . DELAINES, BLEACHED -AND BROWN MUSLINS. Also, a fine stock of Cloths, Cassimeres, Cassi netts, Shaw's, Ribbons. Velvet, Embroidery, Ho sicry, Gloves, Linen and Paper Collars, Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs, Neck Ties, Boois, Shoes, Hats Caps, &c.
Having made these purchases under advantageous circumstances, we have no hesitation in saying that we can please all who may call and examine our

E. GRADY & CO. Halltown, Nov. 27, 1866. STONE COAL for sale by GRADY & CO,

GROUND ALUM and FINE SALT, for sale by GRADY & CO. SADDLES AND HARNESS.

AND BRIDLES. MANUFACTURED OR REPAIRED: At Charlestown, Jefferson County, Virginia.

SADDLES,

THE undersigned respectfully announces to the citizens of Charlestown and vicinity, that he is constantly making and repairing Carriage, Gig, Buggy, Coach and Wagon Carriage, Gig, Buggy, Coach and Wagon HARNESS, SADDLES, BRIDLES, HALTERS. &c., in the most durable manner, and the most modern style of work manship, and at short notice and upon "living" terms. My work commends itself. All I ask is a share of the public patronage. itself. All I ask is a share of the public patronage.

Call upon me at my establishment opposite
the "Carter House."

HENRY D MIDDLEKAUFF. November 7, 1965-17

NEW GOODS! GREAT ATTRACTIONS! Am now receiving and opening a large and splendid 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 cheap. Nov. 6, 1866. CHARLES JOHNSON. FRESH GROCERIES. A LARGE Stock of Crushed, Clarified and Brown Sugars; Coffees, Molasses and Syrups for sale CHARLES JOHNSON. BUCKWHEAT FLOUR, OF the best quality, just received and for sale by CHARLES JOHNSON. TO TRAVELLERS.

BALTIMORE & O. R. R. COMPANY. SCHEDULE of Passenger Trainsarriving and de parting at the Harper's Ferry Station:
TRAINS BOUND EAST.

Mail Train, 11 26 A. M. Cincinnati Express, 4 02 A. M. _ TRAINS BOUND WEST.

Маіl Ггать, 12 28 Р. М. 12 56 Р. М. 12 56 А. М. 12 56 А. М. Office open at all hours for trains. Through Tickets sold to all the principal cities of the Union.

For further Information inquire at the Office.

A.B. WOOD, Agent.

Harpers Ferry, Jan. 15, 1867.

WINCHESTER AND POTOMAC R. R.

TIME TABLE. TRAINS GOING WEST. Leave Harper's Ferry at 6 10 A M and 1 CO.P. M.
Leave Shenandosh at 6 14 A M and 1 04 P M.
Leave Shenandosh at 6 14 A M and 1 12 P M.
Leave Keyes' Switch at 6 20 A M and 1 12 P M.
Leave Halltown at 6 38 A M and 1 18 P M
Leave Charlestown at 6 57 A M and 1 30 P M.
Leave Cameron's at 7 16 A M and 1 42 P M.
Leave Summit Point at 7 35 A M and 1 53 P M.
Leave Wadesville at 7 57 A M and 2 05 P M.
Leave Opequon Bridge at 8 02 A M and 2 11 P M.
Leave Stephenson's at 8 21 A M and 2 23 P M.
Arrive at Winchester at 8 45 A M and 2 35 P M.
TBAINS GOING FAST

TRAINS GOING EAST. Leave Winchester at 9 20 A M and 2 35 P M. Leave Stephenson's at 9 42 A M and 2 54 P M. Leave Opequon Bridge at 9 54 A M and 3 12 P M. Leave Wadesville at 9 57 A M and 3 17 P M. Leave Summit Point 10 12 A M and 3 39 P M. Leave Cameron at 10 24 A M and 3 57 P M. Leave Charlestown at 10 36 A M and 4 15 P. M. Leave Halltown at 10 47 A M and 4 42 P M.
Leave Keyes Switch at 10 53 A M and 4 37 P M.
Leave Shenandoah at 11 01 A M and 4 56 P M.
Arrive at Harper's Ferry 11 05 A M and 5 00 P M.
J. H. SHERRARD, Passident.

January 15. 1867. BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD RE-OPENED.

THIS GREAT NATIONAL THEROUGAFARE I is again open for FREIGHTS AND TRAVEL. The Cars and Machinery destroyed are being replaced by NEW RUNNING STOCK, with all recent improvements; and as the Brit ges and Trackare again in Substantial Condition, the well carried reputation of this Road for SPEFD, SECURITY AND COMFORT, will be more than sustained under the re-organiza-

in addition to the unequalled attractions of natural scenery heretofore conceded to this route, the recent Troubles upon the Border, have associated numerous points on the Road, between the Ohio River and Harpers Ferry, with painful but instructive interest tive interest. CONNECTIONS

STOVES! STOVES!!

SHEET-RON ESTABLISHMEMT. ON MAIN STREET, CHARLESTOWN.

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 approved patterns. Collenders, Spits, Steamers. approved patterns, Cullenders, Spits, Steamers, Cake Screws, Cake Cutters, Flour Boxes, Patty

Ware. Their stock of SHEET-IRON WARE,

Stoves emiraces every variety of WOOD and COAL STOVES, at eng which may be found the following approved patterns-Virginia Star, 2 sizes for Coal, Old Dominion, 4 Virginia Star, 2 sizes for Coal; Old Dominion, 4 sizes, for Wood: Noble Cook, 3 sizes, for Coal or Wood: Extension top Mt Vernon; Winona, 2 sizes, for Wood. Nine Plate Stoves for wood—plain and boiler top; Defiance King, 4 sizes; Scotchman Cook, 2 sizes, Coal; Grecian 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 promptness, all kinds of

BUILDING AND JOB WORK. Tin Roofing, Zinking and Sponting done to order Tin Roofing, Zinking and Spouting done to order and in the best manner,
Merchants desirous of replenishing their stock of Tin or Sheet fron 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, Beef Hi es, Old Copper. Old Brass and Pewter.

Thankful for past favors and with a determination to me it the increasing patronage of the community. to me it the increasing patronage of the community we respectfully solicit a call from all who desire

BAR ROOMS:

NOW OPEN! 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 mely 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 on hand, and prepared by the Plate in a style to suit all tastes. Also furnished by the pint, quartor gallon, as low as original cost will admit. To accommodate Country friends with this rare delicacy for consumption at home, the Proprietor will receive in exchange for any quantity desired, Butter, Eggsand Poultry, the market price.

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