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a piece of parchment; but it proved to be a

among our ancestors.

upon his seat.

tled me into the house.

"What is your name?"

pen and a sword against a pallette, as there had been scholars, artists and military men

"All well?" I asked good humoredly.

"Ladies very gay this morning."

was certainly worth remarking; so I laughed a little, and Sambo chuckled again and jumped

We rattled through the streets under an

"Where are we!" I asked, as Sambo opened

At the same moment an elderly gentleman

the ladies are waiting."

I found myself in a luxurious dressing-

room, and a mulatto was respectfully in at-

dexterously arranged my garnet sleeve but-

"No." I was arrayed in my best apparel,

I was met at the foot of the stairs by the

"It's all fixed," said he; "you'll be mar-

ried at once. I had different arrangements

made; was going to give you and Rose a

He led me into a long reception room .-

Some ladies shook hands with me. A tiny.

golden-haired creature was put to my side.-

The clergyman married us. Then there was

One woman with a horrible scarlet head-

dress, put her hand on my arm and drew me

"What arrangements have you made for

"But you are going to New York for a week

"None," I answered truthfully."

and looked well, though my whiskers,

and had never been of any length.

irrepressible Mr. Dunbar.

clatter of congrarulations.

the trip?" asked she.

and answered yes. tout som

very hard not to go crazy. norm!

driven pell mell to the depot.

bo \$5, and we were off.

At last Dunbar came to me again.

blue eyes, and then said, innocently :

but I imagine he was a fellow of bad luck.

ded to a certain widow Hooper, living in an

adjoining town. The deacon was soon astride

of his old brown mare with sorrel mane, and

on arriving at the widow's door he discovered

"Well, continued the deacon, "I am that

"Well, madam," said the deacon, "have

Suffice it to say they were married the next

- The following are said to be among the

signs over the shops of traders at Fort Smith, Arkansse: "Camphain and burning flewed," "Ches Nuts Biled and Boar," "cain seet

cheers Reserected hear," "Woshin, ironin,

- An undertaker, who was briskly finishing up a coffin, being asked who it was for, replied, "I can't tell which, but two women

have started out on a talking match next door, and it'll be sure to end in the death of one

tensive banking concern in that city mailton

they generally feel very tenderly.

and goin out doin dais worg dun here!"

little bit of a dried up Deacon Small, and have

wash-tub. Said the deacon :

"Yes, sir," was the reply.

"Come in, deacon " or F by

weekimpes & bins odt as obest

of Hopkinton?"

" Is this the widow Hooper?"

only one question to propose to you."

but ran away again.

driving." ads at

our departure.

was nothing to be done.

upper lip now."

"How long have they lived here?"

tendance. I sat down and looked at him.

the carriage door. "Do they live here?"

"Yes, sir. Here's Mr. Dunbar, sir."

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CHARLESTOWN, Spirit of Jefferson.

BENJAMIN F. BEALL, Editor. CHARLESTOWN, VA. Tuesday Morning, June 8, 1809.

Attempt to Kill a Mayor.

The Norfolk Virginian of the 20th says: Yesterday morning a man was arraigned before Mayor De Cordy on a warrant for assault and battery. His appearance indicated great excitement and nervous disorder, which was now found to have been caused by excessive indulgence in ardent spirits, the man at the time being on the verge of mania potu. The case was decided by his being required to give security in the sum of \$100 to keep the peace. This he declined doing, and was told to take his seat. After sitting in silence a few minutes he suddenly jumped up, and demanded to know why he was detained. The Mayor told him it was because he had not given the required security. The maniac—for such he was temporarily, beyond doubt—exclaimed, "I'll not give it; I will go to jail first," repeating this three times, and trembling with excitement and rage.

The Mayor turned to one of his officers and told him to take the man over to the jail, thinking that in his condition confinement would be the best thing for him. No sooner had he given the order than the prisoner approached the enclosed place occupied by the Mayor, and, leaning over the rail, said: "D-n you, I'll kill you before I do go," suiting the action to the word by drawing a small singlebarreled pistol, and placing it within eighteen inches of the Mayor's head, pulled the trigger.

Providentially the pistol missed fire, or the shot would undoubtedly have proved instantly

fatal. Constable Cully, who was standing near, namediately grappled with the man, and re-ceived a heavy blow, which did not, however, cause him to release his hold, and through his means the maniac was disarmed. The Mayor took the affair very coolly, and when the pistol was handed to him he stepped out into the hall and tried it to see whether

it would fire. At the first effort it discharged, and proved to have been loaded nearly to the muzzle with large size shot. Under the circumstances, it may indeed be looked, upon as a miraculous escape.

President Grant and Mrs. Lincoln.

When the fact was published that President Lincoln's wife had received expensive dresses, valuable diamonds, and other costly presents, every man and woman, realizing that the gifts had been made as bribes, felt that the Government was humiliated and shamed. The gift-bearers however, did not, so far as the public know, directly approach Mr. Lincoln, and perhaps, if they had done so, they would have been repelled and rebuked. President Grant, although he has a wife, lets himself be directly approached, and has re-ceived gifts of twenty times the value of all. that Mrs. Lincoln ever got. We don't know that the donors in Mrs. Lincoln's case were ever rewarded at the expense of the people, but we do know that those in Grant's case have been. If, then, Mrs. Lincoln's conduct humiliated and shamed the Government, what shall we say of Grant's? Should not the lady and the gentlemen be forever associated in men's minds, bound together as by golden clasps of thought? The widow Lincoln, with all the trouble she took, did not succeed in selling her largesses, but wouldn't there be brisk bidding if Grant's were to pass

under the hammer ?- Courier-Journal. ATTEMPT TO MURDER .- On Thursday of last week a German, formerly in the employ of Mr. John Oehrl, went to the picture gallery of Mr. James McKericher, on Main street, and had his picture taken. He returned several times, and finding Mr. KcKericher alone presented a pistol at him, threatening to kill him. Mr. McK. sprang upon him and wrenching the weapon from his hands ordered him to leave the gallery immediately. The fellow upon leaving, had the impudence to attempt to have McKericher arrested, but was foiled. Mr. McKericher, however, had the German arrested, and the officers having been ordered to lodge him in jail, he was bailed by Mr. Henry Kinzel, upon conditions that he would immediately leave town. The German had been imbibing freely .- Winchester News:

SAD .- In Shaw, Illinois, a few days since. a farmer named Stanton went into the field to plow, and was followed by his two little children, a boy and girl, who stopped to play in the high prairie grass. Not being aware of this fact, Mr. Stanton set fire to the grass, and the children were soon enveloped in the flames, the noise of the fire drowning their shrieks. The father went home to dinner, and the children not returning, search was made, when the body of the little girl was found burned to a crisp. The boy had managed to escape to the plowed ground, but was dangerously burned.

- A Washington correspondent says that the report of a triple alliance of European powers to provide against American aggressions is regarded by the Cabinet as a stock jobbing report. It is stated that General Grant himself is rather pleased with the idea, and it is very evident that he is in favor of a war. Some of the members of the Cabinet are anxious to know what part the Southern leaders would take in case of a rupture. We suggest that they ask General Longstreet .-Many "ex-rebel" soldiers, we doubt not, in case of a war would be willing to follow him into the custom-house: 10 29 316

.- They tell a good story of Henry J. Raymond, of the New York Times, who thinks he knows all about driving. One of his friends said to him, "Raymond, your great trouble is that when you come to a point where two roads part, you hesitate, and never know which to take. You should not carry your political policy to such a ridiculous ex-

- The Charlottesville (Va.) Chronicle understands that a gentleman from England has purchased from Lewis Turner, Esq., of Nelson county, Va., between three and four thousand acres of land, on which, and other lands he will purchase in the vicinity, he in-tends settling eight hundred English families.

— It appears that Illinois is the first in the line of corn producing States, having produced 134,463,000 bushels in 1868.

The Prince of Wales.

The virtues of that model queen, Victoria, and the inoffensive mediocrity of her amiable consort have by no means descended to their eldest borns. The Prince of Wales, indeed, might be taken as the model of the bad young man of the period. Doubtless he is no worse than others; but scandal, like death, loves a shining mark, and certainly Wales shines. shining mark, and certainly Wales shines in scandal more brilliantly than in anything else. While the Prince is disporting himself with so much magnificence in the Orient, there are certain grave whisperings among the gossips of Warwickshire county at home which threaten to become unpleasantly outspeken. They involve the domestic peace of a country gentleman, Sir Charles Mordaunt, the honor of his wife and the legitimacy of a newly born infant. Sir Charles considers newly born infant. Sir Charles considers that the child has no claim to his name, and swears that if there is law in England he has the evidence which will convict the heir to the throne of an offence known to criminal law. If Wales is innocent, he is certainly very unfortunate. Whether he stays at home or goes abroad, scandal fastens upon him, and gossip claims him as her own. His continental trip of last year furnished innumerable tales of waywardness, and now he has no sooner escaped into the wilds of Egypt than one of his titled subjects presents a very bad case against him in England. It is a pity to think how much good "bringing up" has been thrown away on that young man,

A Juvenile Romance. Two children who work in one of the Chiopee factories, Eli Goodro, fifteen years old, and Louisa Stebbins, fourteen, fell downright into love, and they determined, with an utter contempt of consequences, to go and get married, as grown folks do. Chicopee clerks and clergy very sternly and sensibly refused to grant marriage certificate or ceremony, whereupon the decided youth came to this city and obtained both. The Palmer Journal says the civil sanction was obtained from the City to spend the honeymoon until Louisa's parents should forgive them. They got as far ing the parental Stebbinses bore down upon them ere the Thorndike craft hove in sight, and captured the outward bound adventurers. They wanted to separate the bold babies, but hough Louisa, disheartened by the meagre outset of the voyage, was willing to haul off, Eli remarked defiantly that they had been and gone and done it, and what did they mean to do about it? Impressed by his view of the case; and by the advice of a Palmer justice to make the best of it, the parents reented, and conveyed the precious pair home, triumphantly happy. But we shouldn't like to have the responsibility of sanctioning this absurd transaction.

- This story comes from Washington. s very characteristic, and there are many who.

are willing to youch for its truth :-A story which is told about town will show how little the President really knows whom he appoints or removes. It is said that Hon. J. B. Hawley, Radical member from the Fourth District of Connecticut, waited on the President, some time ago, with the announcement that he "had come to talk a little about the appointments in his district." The President said he was very willing to accede to the wishes of his friends, "but," said he, "Mr. Hawley, there is one request you must not make. I do not want to remove Juck Grimshaw, Collector of your District. He is a good Republican and an honest man, and I will not have him disturbed." Then says Mr. Hawley, "Well, Mr. President, I will not ask you to disturb Mr. Grimshaw, for the very good reason that you removed him from office ten days since, and appointed his successor, who has been confirmed by the Sen-

- A Paris correspondent of a Boston paper speaks enthusiastically of the great care taken of, and consideration shown for, children in France. He declares it to be one of the fashions of Paris to make special parties for children, and the forms and ceremonies are gone through that mark a party for adults.— A very marked illustration of this was seen at the Chinese Embassy lately. The Ambassador gave a series of entertainments to the nobility of France and the foreign Ambassadors. The series wound up with an entertainment in the same grand style which marked the others, given by little Gertrude Burlingame to her associates, at which the American children in Paris were invited. The rooms were lighted in regal style. Servants were in full costume, music was provided, and a handsomer dressed and a happier room of children were never seen in Paris. Romps and games, American and Parisian, filled up the hours.

SOUTHERN ELECTIONS .- Fifty six army officers have been ordered to report to General Canby, to be assigned as Registars at the revision of registration, in Virginia, which is ordered for June 14, to continue ten days .-The regulations issued by the Commanding-General are the same as heretofore, except that not more than 400 shall vote at any one poll. No provision is made, as heretofore, for whites and blacks voting at separate polls .-The election will take place July 6th, according to proclamation of the President. The Executive, it is stated, has informed Judge Pascal that the time for holding the election in Texas and Mississippi will not be decided until after the Virginia election. He thought the best time would be between the grain storing and the cotton picking season.

- At Enterprise, Iowa, the other day, a woman entered a beer shop where her husband was, and with a substantial piece of board, paddled him into the street. As they proceeded homeward, she continued to ply the lumber industriously, and particularly emphatic was the last whack that she gave him as he disappeared over the threshold.

- A lawyer at Michigan City recently received a letter from an Eastern client, who stated that he wished to produce a divorce.

As the lawyer had already obtained three divorces for him within a few years, he concluded that he had done enough and declined helping him for the fourth time,

POETICAL. ada maga TRUE TO THE GRAY.

BY PEARL BIVERS! 3 .510

My brothers, they were soldiers The youngest of the three in 710 Was slain while fighting by the aide Of gallant Fitzhugh Lee.

They left his body on the field.
(Your side the day had won);
A soldier spurned him with his foot—
You might have been the one. My lover was a seldier;
He belouged to Gordon's band;
A sabre pierced his gatlant heart...
Yours might have been the hand.

Ha reeled and fell, but was not dead; A horseman spurred his steed And trampled on the dying brain— You may have done the deed. I hold no hatred in my heart,
No cold, unrighteous pride,
For many a galiant soldier fought
Upon the other side.

But still I cannot kiss the hand That smote my country sore, Nor love the foe that trampled down The colors that she bore.

Between my heart and yours there rolls
A deep and orimson tide—
My brother's and my toyer's blood
Forbids me be your bride. The girls who loved the boys in gray,
The girls to country true,
May ne'er in wedlock give the hand
To those who were the blue.

MISCELLANEOUS.

SMITH'S GOOD LUCK.

I was always a lucky fellow, and the most fortunate thing that ever happened to me was being born a Smith. Linten: Three years ago I had been jilted, and was out of money. That doesn't sound lucky; but it was a prelude to the best of luck. I concluded to go into the country, down at Plymouth, to my uncle's house-partly that Clerk, and the religious from the Rev. Dr. | the murmurs of the sea might soothe my Ide. At all events, they were successful in inward perturbation, partly to save a month's

I stepped on board the early down train, It was full of six o'clock passengers, mostly as Palmer on Wednesday evening, and spent the night in the depot—certainly a very elegant bridal chamber. But on Thursday morna poet could have made something pretty out of the sight, but I only wrapped myself in my overcoat and looked at it sulkily. After a while I got listening to two men who sat "A pretty girl with a fortune is always to

e had for the asking." "Oh, but the girl isn't asked, I take. It's all arranged by her aunts. She's shining pretty, but a mere child-not sixteen, I believe. They had another fellow booked for her, but he died down in New Orleans of the yellow fever last fall." sy model he W. box of boxx

"And she's never seen this Smith." wo W "No, nor they either. The aunts plotted with Mr. Dunbar, the guardian, and he picked Smith up for them, opened a correspondence, and got Rose to write a letter or two. Smith professes to be in love with her letters and her picture; but of course its the money-forty thousand if she marries before she is seven-

"If the girl amounts to anything it's a deuced shame !" "She does amount to something She has the making of a spleadid woman in her; but nobody knews itor cares. They are bent only on saving the money for her. If she forfeits it, it goes to some pet charity of her crazy old grandfather's. He was always an old tyrant, and as eccentric as the d-1."

"You know Smith?"
"Only by sight, but I know a chum of his, Burton, and got the story, with a copy of a letter of the girl's. I have seen her many a time down on the shore, always with her dragon aunts." Where's the letter ?" "I've got it here in my wallet. Now, you

know the right-sort of a man won't have his girl's letters hawked about among his associates. He let Burton take this copy, and Burton gave it to me. Let me see—this is it. Listen:
"Dear Mr. Smith—My aunts wish me to reply to your kind letter. I do not know what to say. I am not accustomed to writing to gentlemen; but I must tell you that I was sorry to have aunt Sophy send you that picture; I am not near so pretty; it flatters me very much indeed. You are so handsome that you will want a handsome wife; so I don't think you ought to be deceived. I don't want to be married; but my aunts say I must on account of the money; and perhaps it may turn out right. I am very lovely here. I would like to live in a large city, and aunt Sophy says you would do everything to please me. Have you any sisters? Will your mother like me? I always wanted sisters and a mother of my own. I don't know what else to tell you, except that if you love me, I will

do whatever you want me to.

Very truly yours, Bose Rocens."

There were comments upon, and a laughing discussion of the letter which was certainly very unique. But as we rattled along there was a bump, a shock, the cars stoud still, and everybody was in consternation. We are off the track-be patient a very little while," said the conductor, passing through the ear. But in consequence of this little accident it was two o'clock before we got to Plymouth.

As we swarmed out upon the platform, I noticed a very pale young man, not unlike myself in looks, emerge from the foremost car-his coat sleave torn out, and a violent purple bruise on his forehead. "If that should be the lover Smith, now," id I to myself, "what a plight he is in !"

He seemed to be very much out of humor, and beckoned angrily to a backman, jumping into a carriage, and desiring to be taken to the best hotel. After that I saw several other persons, more or less disordered and bruised by the railroad accident.

I was leaving the depot, when a colored oachman bowed before me, "Beg pardon, sir Mr. Smith?"

diXes.36 bits being for bereinde I "Carriage is waiting. Step this way, sir, if you please, sir."

I followed him, wondering if indeed my uncle had sent up a carriage. It used to be my anni's pet hobby—a barouche, with the old English coat of arms, which had, indeed, belonged to as, but had been in disuse since the impoverishment of Raleigh Smith, of English.

land. I wasn't quite sure what they were, but believed it was a sword and helmet upon

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proof material on tandwices the Board

That the region west of the Mississippi is to be the great wheat growing section of the world is fast becoming apparent. This is clear to every observer of ordinary intelligences upon the subject.

The soil, climate, extent of prairie, facility with which machinery can be employed in sowing and harvesting the crop, cheapness of transportation and nearness to market—all combine to show our statement true. Going further, let us look at the figures. It appears from the Report of the Bureau of Statistica that the region west of the Mississippi in 1867, produced, in round numbers, 25,000,000 bushels of wheat, or one seventh of all the grain in the Union; in 1868, the same territory produced, in round numbers, 65,000,000, or one third of all the grain in the Union, in increase of two hundred and sixty per cent.; "All well," snawered Sambo, with a griu, shutting the door. Then he looked back to say with another grin: arch, up an avenue. Things began to look rushed out on the terrace to meet me.

"Why, Smith, you are wonderfully late,"
he exclaimed, shaking hands with me.

"The suis ran off the track" answered I; increase of two hundred and sixty per cent.; yet, while the West has thus increased, the amount east of the Mississippi has not in-

creased at all.

It is confessed that all the West contains and before I could say anything else he husno better wheat growing section than this part of the State of Missouri. The cost of production is less here, while the average crop is "Everything is ready. Hurry with your toilet, and come down. Pity you trimmed your whiskers so close; it alters your appearance very much. Robert help Mr. Smith as large as anywhere else, and facilities for

market are superior.

The average production per acre in this county is twenty bushels—and is grown with dress. Right in here, Smith. Hurry now, very little expense. We buy raw prairie and inclose it in the spring; break it up in the summer; sow the crop in the full by ma-chinery; and, in the ensuing summer, harvest and thresh it by machinery, and market the "Robert, sir; will you be so kind as to hur-ry, sir? They are waiting for you." result for eash-and the proceeds will more

I gave him the key to my portmanteau, and resigned myself to my fate, whatsoever it than pay for farm improvements and cost of might be. But things were very strange. "Where is my uncle?" asked I as Robert Some two years ago, our good friend, General Pratt, of Linneus, bought a farm and improved it at an expense of less than six thousand dollars and sowed it to wheat; last sum-"Your uncle? Oh yes," with a bad attempt t smiling; he's with the ladies, sir." mer he sold the crop of a single year, and received in cash twelve thousand dollars! We know many others that have done as well.

But the wheat-growing capacity of our country has never been tested. Let us see, "Don't know, sir. I've only been here a day or two. There, sir, do you want anything more?" for a moment what she is equal to in the premises. We have, in round numbers 430. 000 acres of land in this county, one-third of stead of being trimmed, were of early growth,

which, or 143,333, is timber; the balance, 287,000, rich, rolling prairie, admirably adapted to wheat growing. Suppose one half of this last number, 133,383, be devoted to wheat growing, what they would be the extent of production and revenue? The amount of wheat grown would be 2,886,660, which, at chance to get a little acquainted; but that railroad delay spoiled that. The Rev. Mr. Lawson is here. Come right along; a stiff \$1,50 per bushel—the lowest possible market rates-would make \$4,300,000 in round num-

What would be the results, fluancially, of such an operation. This whole body of land can be bought at \$15 per acre, thus costing \$2.149.994; thus, by the first crop of wheat, and in a single year, the whole land would be paid for, and a balance of \$1,150,000 left, ont of which to pay costs of production, interest on capital, &c. What is true of the whole tract, is true in detail of every farm of 150 acres, more or less, as the means of the purchaser may enable him to buy and farm.

dea N . H band H [Missouri Messengers and The Crow's Value to the Parmer.

I thought New York as good a place to go as any; if I was expected to go somewhere, Whatever wrong the crow commits against the cultivators of the soil may, by a little painstaking, be materially lessened or wholly prevented. The benefits he confers are both "Aunt Sophy," said a trembling voice at our elbows, "what must I do now?" "Run up stairs and put on your traveling dress child. Your sunt Margaret will assist numerous and important. During the time he stays with us he destroys, so says no less authority than Wilson, simpriade of worms. It was my wife. She never looked at me moles, mice, caterpillars, grubs and beetles."
Audubon also affirms that the crow devours
myriads of grubs every day of the year—
grubs which would lay waste the farmer's Refreshments, were circulating. I tried fields. Dr. Harris also, one of the most faith-"All ready Smith. - Carriage is waiting .ful and accurate observers, in speaking of the You'll catch the evening train with smart fearful ravages sometimes wrought in our - grass-lands and gardens by the grub of the May beetles, adds his testimony to the great services rendered by the crow, in keeping these pests in check. Yet here in Massachu-They hustled me out again, kissed Rose and shook hands with me, and we two alone were F I bought tickets to New York, gave Samsetts, regardless of such testimony in their favor, we have nearly exterminated these birds, and the destructive grubs, having no longer this active enemy to restrict their growth, are year by year increasing with fear-Well, we got into New York at midnight. took a carriage to the St. Nicholas hotel, took rooms, locked the door, and told my wife ful persistence. We have seen large farms, within an hour's ride of Boston, in which, She looked at me awhile with her great over entire acres, the grass was so completely undermined and the roots eaten away, that the "Well, I don't know as it makes any differoosened turf could be rolled up as easily as if it had been cut by the turning spade. In the same neighborhood whole fields of corn, potatoes, and almost every kind of garden After all, what difference did it make ?-The disheveled young man with the bumped forehead proved to be the expected Smith, vegetables, had been eaten at the root and but he didn't arrive until half an hour after destroyed. Our more intelligent farmers, who have carefully studied out the cause of this unusual insect growth, have satisfied Dunbar came after us, raving, but there themselves that it is the legitimate result, the natural and inevitable consequence of our own acts. Our short-sighted and murderous Rose, was satisfied, the other man wasn't COURTING THE WIDOW.-In the town of warfare upon the crow has interrupted the harmonies of nature, disturbed her well-ad-justed balance, and let loose upon agriculture Hopkinton, in the State of Vermont, lived a certain Dencon Small. In his advanced age, he had the misfortune to lose the rib of his its enemies, with no adequate means of arrestyouth. After doing penance by wearing a weed on his hat a full year, he was recommen-

ing their general increase .- Atlantic Monthly, - In the circuit court for Talbot county, Maryland, it was decided last week that un-der the laws of that State a woman, after the death of her husband, can recover, by a suit at her in the act of turning the suds from her law against his executors, money belonging to the wife and losned to the husband during the marriage. The suit was brought by a Mrs. Barton against the executors of her late husband, William Barton, for near \$2,000 and interest, money belonging to her own right, and which she loaned to her husband after the marriage. The court gave a decision in favor of the plaintiff for the full amount of the principal with interest. The defendants' counsel you any objections to going to Heaven by way took exceptions to the decision of the court. and the case may go to the Co for review .- Bultimore American.

> -A country clergyman says he has married but one couple in a year, and that they paid him nothing, stayed to dinner as it was a rainy day, and then borrowed his umbrella when they left, which he has never seen since.

- A man came into a printing office to beg a paper, "because," he said, "we like to read the newspapers very much, but our neighbors are all too stingy to take one."

— It is said that Ohio has in the past three years imported ten millions bushels of wheat, instead of exporting, as formerly, from seven to ten millions annually.

- Pickpockets are folks of feeling; and - A child's smile and laugh are mighty powers in this world,

NOT SOLD. The Court House and Jail of this town, relies of the past, which were advertised to be sold on Saturday, June 5th, were not sold. Our worthy Board of Supervisors,-if the term worthy is not a misnomer when applied to such material as constitutes the Boardhad decreed that this property should be disposed of, and that the aspirations of Charlestown, to again become the county seat, should be squelched, and squelched forever. But the best laid schemes, according to Burns, are not unfrequently frustrated, and those who concoct them, very naturally become objects of ridicule and derision. We do not know who ordered the sale of this property, or rather what particular members of the Board were instrumental in passing the decree. The extent of our information is that the order received the striction of a majority of the Board, which is composed of five gentlemen, one from each township. As the sale did not come off, however, it is not a matter of any material consequence that the people should know what three of the five members were willing that this property should be sold and the proceeds pocketed. To carry out the purposes of the decree, Samuel Ridenour, Esq., was appointed special agent, with instructions to advertise and make sale, which instructions he proceeded to comply with. He advertised but did not sell, and thereby hangs a tale, -and if the Board of Supervisors were of the canine species, there would doubtless be several caudal appendages hanging this morning, as the whole proceeding was one unsanctioned by law,-and in opposition to the deed conveying this property to the inhabitants of Charlestown, as may be seen from the following statement :

in August, 1861, Samuel Washington and his wife, of Spottsylvania county, conveyed to John Kearsley, John Davenport, and others, of Berkeley county, Va., four half lots of ground in Charlestown, on the corner of Washington and - streets, in trust, that one of the lots should enure to the inhabifants of said town for the purpose of erecting and threatens her life if she dates expose him. thereon a Market House, and the other three for the purpose of erecting the public build-

From the above it will be observed that the grant of these lots, was specific-and not to the county but to said inhabitants of Charlestown-when they ceased to be used for the purposes designated, they were no longer the property of the inhabitants of Charlestown, but of the legitimate heirs of the parties by whom they were first conveyed. The advertisement of these lots and the buildings thereon, drew attention to the provisions of this conveyance, and an injunction was applied for, Messrs. William Crow and David Howell, representing the town as against the Board of Su-

pervisors of Jefferson. The bill applying for this injunction was drawn by Judge J. W. Kennedy, and by that gentleman and Mr. Richard B. Washington laid before Judge Joseph A. Chapline, on Tuesday last. After an examination of the points raised in the bill, which were tersely presented, the Judge readily granted the a plication, and an order at once issued from the Clerk's office, enjoining the sale, which

was to have taken place on Saturday. This, we suppose, will ultimately defeat any attempt made by the County, or its present representatives, the Board of Supervisors, to sell or otherwise dispose of this valuable property; and, if the County seat is ever brought back to this place, enable the people to refit the public buildings at much less cost than if a sale should be made and the Supervisors be allowed to handle the funds.

We think the inhabitants should at once re-imburse to the parties who have been put to the expense of initiating this proceeding, whatever outlay they may have been, or may hereafter be subjected to, in carrying it to a

DISSATISFACTION.

Quite a stiff little breezs seems to be blowing up among the Republicans of this Congressional district in regard to certain appointments of the present administration. This end of the district does not seem to have received that attention from the powers at Washington, to which it is entitled by its faithful adherence to loyalty.

The appointment of Mr. Wagner as assessor for this district, in place of Drabell, deceased. is especially irritating to some parties who would like to have inherited the slippers of the dead man. The Berkeley Union, under its present management, the ablest Repubhean paper in the State outside of Wheeling, has spoken out very plainly on different occasions, and in its last issue, hits the nail in a sure place, if the editor will only follow up his former attacks, and disclose facts which he intimates are in his possession. He says :-

"And again, this thing of family connection, a net work of intermarriage, holding all places of profit, honor and trust, is unworthy the sense of right that should mark men holding high places in our government; but on this subject we forbear for the present, having a full history of some recent events which may or may not as duty requires be the

So the "family connection" bu siness is beginning to bear its fruits. Grant inaugurated it at Washington, Willey and McGrew practice it in the Western end of the district. and the Chapline family are carrying it out here. Now if we can only get the Union to come out fair and openly against this abominable nepotism we shall have a lively boiling of the cauldron in this district, and we will make all these first families of radicalism fume to an extent that they have now no idea of.

.There is a complicated "net work of intermarriage," out there in Monongalia and Preston counties, and provision has been made for nearly all the connections, near and remote, of the Willey and Hagans families. Nothing

would be more interesting than a thorough centilation of this nepotism, and we urge the Union to go in on it; and in the meantime we will hunt up the facts in detail of the Chapline family in this and of the district.

[Correspondence of the Spirit of Jefferson Love in Berkeley County.

Negro Equalityist in Trouble - Case Miscegenation - Course of True Love Runneth Again Contrariwise - The "Truly Loil" not Always Happy-A Colored "Desdemona" Asserts Her Rights.

BERKELET COUNTY, W. Va., June 1, 1869.

MR EDITOR :- The somewhat staid and noral neighburhood of Gerardstown has lately been considerably exercised, not to say indignant at the scandalous conduct of one of the "truly loil" who has lately imported himself into the community as an instructor of youth, and who has occupied for sometime ast the responsible position of teacher in one the public schools.

The story told to us, and of its entire truthfulness we have not a doubt, runs thus; It seems, that soon after "truly loil" made his debut in the neighborhood, he began surreptitiously paying his devoirs to a young dy of color, whose affections, under strong ssurances that he considered her as good as my white person, he at last succeeded in wining. To give color to his professions of quality, and, as we suppose, to favor and asure his suit, he was in the habit of visiting, upon terms of intimacy, the uncle and sister of his Desdemona, who lived in an adjoining county, both of whom are as black as the ace of spades. He also received and entertained them at his own house in the most sociable and agrecable manner. Thus far everything went as "merry as a marriage belt." Secure from exposure for his shameful and scandaous conduct, because those who were cognicant of it were unfortunately related to him y family ties, and who are very respectable and worthy people and strongly southern in sentiment and feelings, he continued his amours with the girl, especially upon the Sab-bath, when she had leisure to receive them, until his outrages against decency became in-supportable. Living as he did, however, in a mmunity rather loyal in sentiment, he made virtue of boasting of his own, and this it eems covers a multitude of sins. He therefore continued to pass as a young gentleman

of high moral rectitude. The denoument, however, came at last .-His colored dulcina became a mother and he deserts her in her travail and sorrow. Indignant at such treatment, and believing in the principles he instilled in her as his equal, she threatens to sue for their recognition. loil" hears of it and lies in wait for her on the highway. They meet. He exposes a pistol. Firmly fixed in the opinions of equality that he has taught her, she refuses to frighten at the heroic attitude he assumes,-she don't scare worth a d-n. Foiled in this, he lowers his colors, shoves his pistol back into its receptacle-composes the heroic back into the amorous. It was all a joke. Desdemona.

however, refused to be cajoled. The sequel of the matter promises to be interesting. "Truly loil" has been sued for bastardy and has to give bail for his appearance at Court. We are credibly informed that his yankee ire against his colored mistress is "tremenjus." He boasts of having employed Stanton and Faulkner in his case. and means to put "things through." In the meantime he is engaged in the highly honorable employment, for a white man, of drumming up evidence defamatory of his mistresses

The "nagur," however, it is said, remains perfectly cool and equable. "She knows her rights and will maintain them." Thus, Mr. Editor, another demonstration

of the fact is afforded of the utter hollowness and hypocricy of the puritan love for the negro. So long as they can use them for selfish political purposes they do not hesitate to employ any means howsoever base, but so soon as this is accomplished and the negro begins to assert the equality taught him, his pseudo friends turn upon him and persecute him with a malignancy, perfectly appalling to those who have ever been accustomed to-treat him with uniform kindness. MOUNTAINEER.

Proposed Union of Old and N. School Presbyterians.

The General Assemblies of the Old and New School Presbyterians in the North assembled in New York city on the 20th May-the former in the Brick Church, and the latter in the Church of the Covenant in said city. The following basis of re-union was adopted, subject to the ratification of twothirds of the Presbyteries of each Church which are required to meet and vote upon the question on or before the 15th of October next, and before the 1st day of November, to forward to the stated Clerk of the General Assembly with which they are connected a statement of their votes:

"The re union shall be effected on the doc trinal and eclesiastical basis of our common standards; the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments shall be acknowledged to be the inspired word of God, and the only infallible rule of faith and practice; the Confession of Faith shall continue to be sincerely received and adopted as containing the system of doctrine taught in the Holy Scriptures, and the Government and Discipline of the Presbyterian Church in the United States shall be improved as containing the principles

and rules of our polity."

In the Assembly of the Old School, the vote stood: ayes 257, noes 8-in the New School Assembly, the vote was unanimous. The General Assemblies of these chuckes will hold their next sessions at Pittsburg, Pa., commencing on the second Wednesday of November next.

If the two General Assemblies shall then find and declare that the above-named basis of re-union has been approved by two-thirds of he presbyteries connected with each branch of the Chuck, then the same shall be of binding force, and the two assemblies shall take action accordingly.

The said General Assemblies shall then and there make provision for the meeting the General Assembly of the united Church on the third Third Thursday of May, 1870. The moderators of the two present Assemblies shall jointly reside at the said Assembly of 1870 antil another moderator is chosen.

Each presbytery of the separate Churches shall be entitled to the same representation in the Assembly of the united Church in 1870 as it is entitled to in the Assembly with which it is now connected.

- The Louisville Courier-Journal is responsible for this pleasant bit of political wis-

tensive banking concern in that city. It is you may rest assured that you will be amply upon the turf that covers the ashes of her rather the result of the failure of an extensive remunerated for any trouble you may be at. Dizie boy. Let us annex to Austria and have political concern at Washington.

Terrible Hail Storm in Wheeling

The Wheeling Register of the 29th ult., gives a long account of a terrible hail storm which passed over that city Friday 28th ult We have room only for the following extracts: About three o'clock yesterday afternoon a heavy bank of clouds was observed approaching the city from the Northwest. For a few moments before the clouds burst, a dead calm prevailed, and people were gasping for want of air, and the hush in nature was almost solemn. Preceding the storm cloud and hung out before it like a curtain, was a thin gauzelike mist that seemed to be above the hill tops, but fell as it reached the river. As it came down a most terrific storm of wind and rain burst upon the city! OITHOT

the streets were all affour, rouring and reging like cataracts, covering the pavements and filling the cellars. It had been raining but a few mor ents when the hail came down. At first in particles as big as pistol balls, gradually in casing in size and power. Some pieces for are reliably informed, that weighed to

fourths of a pound, but the average w

was three ounces. Windows were broken every where. central postion of the city. These great linps of ice as big as a man's fist would street window and shiver every pane of glass in it. All the windows on the south and east lide of the streets in that portion of Wheeling between the suspension bridge and the creek are broken, and in North Wheeling all on both sides of the streets.

The city was filled with rumors of persons having lost their lives or broken their limbs.

The scene on the streets was one of wild confusion. Horses left without drivers! ran madly about, breaking wagons and buggies and scattering their contents in every direction. On Market street, in front of Dr. Wingerter's the hail was piled up as high as the fence.-In front of the Second Ward Market House t was piled up two feet six inches high in the middle of the street, stopping the passage of the street cars completely. On Main street, between Monroe and Quincy, it lay over the entire surface of the street to a depth of perhaps two feet. Trees were denuded of their branches and were broken off or torn up by the roots, and the pavements were green

with their foliage. There was very little hail over Wheelings creek, and none at all in Richietown, nor did

the rain reach Benwood in any force. Nothing equalling this storm has ever before visited this section of country; and we believe, when all the damage done is known. it will be found to excel in destructiveness any hail storm known on the continent. We estimate the loss in the city at \$30,000 .-When the loss to vinevards, gardening, orchards and farms is added to this, we shall not be astonished if the figures reach \$100,000. Just about dark last night the windows of heaven were opened again, and for the second time the streets were flooded and cellars filled with water. Our people will have to take marine insurance policies if this sort of thing

The Register of the 31st ult., says :- On Main street great piles of hail still remain .-Commissioner Chark, with a large force of men, was hard at work Saturday getting the city cleaned up, removing the soil that washed down from the hills, and removing the lumber, logs and other obstructions from the

The storm in great violence reached West Alexandria and West Liberty. In its course to West Liberty it passed over the splendid farms of Dr. Campbell, Alex. Jacob, the Kellys, Hill, and others, cutting off the wheat and other grains, breaking and tearing down the fruit trees and killing the spring lambs. West Liberty is in ruins. In fact whereever the storm passed its course is marked with ruined farms, orchards, vineyards and gardens. The destruction of stock will be im-

[From the Chicago Tribune, May 26] A Man Kills Himself that His Children may Derive the Benefit of Insurance on His Life.

A suicide under rather peculiar circumtanecs, and one of the incentives to which was obviously a desire to bestow on relatives large sum of money to be obtained on a life psurance, was committed in this city either on Monday night or yesterday. The particalars are as follows: Several weeks since a middle aged man named E. Stephenson, with wo little children, arrived in this city, evidenty from Canada, and took lodgings at a boarding house kept by a lady named Mrs Eliza Clark, located at No. 137 Adams street. He stated that he was an engineer, and in a day or two made a trip on one of our lake steamers. During his absence the children were well provided with money by him and such comforts as they could reasonably desire. On Saturday night he returned, and stated that he had concluded to send his children back to Canada. On Monday evening he took the little ones and placed them on board of a Canada propeller. He returned to the house about 9 o'clock, and immediately sought his

When he did not make his appearance at preakfast a servant was sent to call him, but | State tickets. she found the door closed, and nothing more was done about the matter until noon, when a carrier brought a letter to him. The propri etress of the place and carrier both visited his room, and finding it locked, with the key on the inside, the door was forced open. On entering the room a ghastly sight met their ally." gaze. On the bed, undressed to his underclothing, lay the body of Stephenson, with his throat cut from ear to ear with a razor. The suicide had been very particular as to details in committing the act, and placed his pantaloons under his pillow, carefully adjusted his other clothing on a chair, and otherwise conformed with the strictest rule of safety and propriety. Before he undertook the bloody deed he had carefully tucked the bedclother about his person. The following letter, addressed to a brother of the landlady, was found on the dressing stand by the bedside. To judge from its contents, the "almighty dollar" was one of the incentitives to the act :

"Снісаси, Мау 24, 1869, "Dear Sir,-Will you be kind enough to in a grave somewhere? Send a copy of the verdict of the coroner or a certified copy of my death to R. L. Stephenson, Perth, county of Lanary, Ontario, Dominion of Canada, via Baltimore and Ohio railroad. He will pay all expenses which you may incur. The certo go on a different journey to that which I ing's injuries. first contemplated. Excuse the trouble I must give you, and believe me truly yours,

E. STEPHENSON.

Ritualism.

At the recent annual Council of the Enis copal Church, Diocess of Virginia, held at rg the committee to whom was eferred so much of Bishop Jouns' report as elated to Bitualism, made their report. The logument is a long one, and of great ability gainst Ritualistic innovation, and closes wi the following resolutions:

First-That in view of the doctrinal declension from the standards of the Church, as distinctively Protestant, which has occurred elsewhere within the past thirty years, it is the duty of the clergy of this Diocese to guard against being fulled into security by the assumption that our people are sufficiently well established in the truth, and are free from In an almost incredible short space of time danger; and to give more earnest heed to the inculcation in the pulpit, the Sunday Schools, and Bible classes, of the doctrines of those standards of our Protestant Church

Second-That in view of these "noveltie which disturb" the peace of the Church and wound the consciences of so many of both-clergy and laity, and of the difficulty of arresting innovations originating from small begin-nings in ornaments, decorations, or otherwise, and of returning to the simplicity of worship after the same has been departed from, it be earnestly recommended to the clergy, churchwardens, and vestries, strenuously to resist the introduction of any changes in the forms and modes of conducting public worship and ad-ministering the Sagraments as the same wereused in the Church of England and our own

before the rise of tractarianism and ritualism. Third-That the Diocese of Virginia, represented by this Council as a constituent part of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States, is animated by heartfelt love for the Reformed Protestant Church of our fathers. by a sincere desire for its purity and integrity, and by a just sense of the injury which it changes introduced, in those churches commonly called ritualistic; of the systematic ion or rejection of its constitutional name by some whose aim seems to be to unmotestantize the Church, and of the disastron effects of these and other novel practices and teachings upon the peace and progress of the Church, it does here record its solemn protest against the further teleration of such practices and teachings as being unlawful, perilous tothe unity of the Church, and hostile to the Christian interest, and this Council reverently invokes the power of the Holy Ghost to continue with and preserve the Church as one Catholic and Apostolic Church!

GENERAL NEWS ITEMS.

- Garibaldi's physicians believe that he will never again be able to leave his bed. - General Beauregard is expected to visit

Staten Island in a few days. - The widow of Mr. Colt, of pistol fame has an income of \$400,000 a year. - Henry Clews, the largest gold dealer in New York, made several millions by the late

- In opera comique, in Philadelphia, Castle is taking the part of Faust and Campbell

that of Mephistophiles. - According to the Trenton True American the New Jersey peach crop will be unu sually large,

- Augusta, Maine, has postponed the decoration of its soldiers' graves one month on account of the scarcity of flowers. - Brick Pomercy is proposed as Demo-cratic candidate for Governor of Wisconsin

next fall. -The Russian capital is transferred Kiew, and a palace is now building there for

- After the Syracuse police court has disposed of previous arrests, all the spectators in the court-room are brought to the bar and fined as vagrants. - Another batch of 1.250 China women

were landed in San Francisco on the 20th of May, and were fought for by the male Ce-- Silver coin is such a drug in San Francisco that leading merchants have signed an

agreement not to receive it at par in sums above ten dollars. - Two men and a woman, servants at the hotel at New Brighton, Staten Island were drowned Sunday evening by the upsetting of

a boat during a squall. It is said they were - Now that Forney is speculating in Southern real estate, he says, in a letter to the Press, "Life and property are to day as safe in Georgia, Florida, and South Carolina as they are in Pennsylvania." There is no Ku Klux in the neighborhood of Forney's lands. - A "loyal" sheriff has resigned in Brunswick county, Va., because a very filthy nig-

trae love never did run smooth. But this time the white Mongrel's smellers seem to have been the cause of the separation. - The Temperence party, as a distinct political party, is making preparations for a fight in the coming Fall elections. Conventions have been called in Maine, Iowa, Wisconsin and Minnesota. In all of these States the

ger was appointed magistrate. The course of

Temperance men propose to run independent - A South Carolina negro named Isaac Sanders has issued a call for the negro militia to assemble and organize at a place called Monk's Corner, in Charleston District. The object of the organization, he vaguely but significantly says, is "to regulate things gener-

- Mr. Rice, of Copiah county, Miss., was arrested by the military the other day for drawing a weapon at a public meeting .-While being removed to Jackson he escaped from his guard. Immediately a party of young gentleman, in no way implicated, who were attending him to offer themselves as his sureties to the military authorities, were arrested and are still held in close confinement.

-In the township of Woodland, Barry county, Michigan, on the 19th, ult., three young ladies, attended by three young men, went out in a small boat on Jordan Lake for a pleasure ride. After getting into deep water one of the young ladies fell overboard. and in the effort to save her the boat was capsized, precipitating the whole party in the water. One of the young men and all young ladies were drowned.

- A singular disturbance occurred in court-room at Greensburg, Ind., a few days ago. A Mr. Ewing, a lawyer of that place, in arguing against a new trial in a bastardy tificate of my death is necessary, as my life is case, used language that was distasteful to the insured for a large sum of money. The vessel Judge, whereupon the latter assaulted the which took my two little girls away to night former, inflicting dangerous if not fatal injury. snapped the last link which bound me to this The Judge, Bonner by name, was arrest world. I changed my mind and determined | and is now in jail awaiting the result of Ew-

- One of the best proofs that ours is "the best Government ever devised" is the fact that under it the widow is not allowed to gar-A New York paper ascribes the immense advance of gold to the failure of an ex-"E. S." Grant for our Haynau .- Wheeling Register

DEPAULTERS LOOKOUT .- The Washington pondent of the New York Tribune says: "Secretary Boutwell proposes to have the the Rebel States overhauled, as it is

in the Rebel States overhauled, as it is rumored that some of the United States officials have neglected to pay the receipts from sales into the Treasury. The officials in Virginia have been especially forgetful about settling their accounts, and it may appear that some of them have purchased confiscated property sold under their authority at low prices, and then pocketed the seemty appeared." the scanty proceeds.

THE SCHOEPPE MURDER TRIAL -VERDICT OF MURDER IN THE PIRST DEGREE.- Carliste, June 3.—The Schoeppe murder trial has terminated in a verdict that the defendant is guilty of murder in the first degree. The jury were out from I till 5 o'clock this after-

The counsel for the defendant made the

usual motion for a new trial. —A new Commandery of the Knights Templar, to be known as "Stevenson Com-mandery," has been organized in Staunton.

MARRIED. At Boydville, near Martineburg, on the 26th ult., by the Rev. Mr. Hanson, CHARLES H. PIRRCE, of New York, to SALLIE PENDLETON FAULK-NER, daughter of the Hon. Chas. J. Kanlkner. On the 2d inst., by the Rev. W. T. Lower, Mr. SAMUEL F. KEYTON to Mrs. MOLLIEC, E. PAT-TERSON—both of Berkeley county.

At Christ Church in Baltimore, on June 1st, by the Rev. T. U. Dudley, E. P. C. LEWIS, of Clarke county, Va, to Mrs. MARY P GARNETT, daughter of the late Edwin A Stevens, of Hoboken, N. J., and widow of the late Hon. Muscoe R. H. Garnett, of Essex.

On the lat inst., by the Rev. E. D. Owen, Mr. GEORGE F EVANS to Miss MARY E. MAT-THEWS-all of Martinsburg. DIED.

At the residence of his brother, at Darkesville, or the 252 ult., GEORGE BEDDO; aged 49 years.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS TRUSTEE'S SALE

Valuable Farm. IN CLARKE COUNTY, VA. DY vietue of a Deed of Trust from Hays Mickey to the undersigned as Trustee; and in pursuance of a decrée of the Circuit Court of Clarke county, rendered on the 20th day of October, 1863, in the Chancery cause of Richardson vs. Pendleton; and under the power and authority vested in the said Trustre, by the Deed duly recorded in the Clerk's Office of the County Court of Clarke county, on the 17th day of March, 1869, from said Hays Mickey, the undersigned will proceed to seil at Public Auction, to the highest bidder,

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OUR MEMORIAL DAY .- Notwithstanding the fact that the regular day for decorating the graves of the Confederate dead in our midst was changed, and only a short notice given, the memorial services of Saturday last were of a character creditable to the living and honorable to the sleeping heroes of the "lost cause." The want of arrangement, and a fixed hour for the commencement of the grateful services, were seriously felt, but these were overcome by the readiness of our people to pay tribute to the memory of those who fell in the great struggle for the maintenance of constitutional liberty. Late in the afternoon, groups of ladies, bearing their floral offerings, might be seen silently wending their way, without formality or parade, to the different resting places of the dead, where these momentoes were deposited upon the grassy mounds which cover the remains of those who were dear to them in life, and who are cherished by them in death.

"Not a dram was heard, nor a funeral note,-" no glittering pageant or frothy oration-not even a prayer, but a simple, unpretending, yet impressive offering of flowers, was all, and the memorial services in Charlestown were concluded. The expression of feeling was spontaneous-not born of a desire for display or trammelled with the formality of a procession.

SUICIDE OF AN UNKNOWN .- An unknown man committed suicide at Rock Island, Iowa, on the 25th of May, by hanging. In his pocket were found two slips of paper, on which, written in the German language, was the following :- "Frem much trouble I desire to leave this world, and I beg all good Christians and God to forgive me. Into your hands, my Father, I commit my soul." There was also found a leaf from a school atlas, on the back of which, written in a most elegant female hand, was "Miss Fannie Hummond, Martinsburg, Va." Under this written in another hand, was "in care of her old dad." In his pocket was found an empty wallet with "George Lehman," or "George Lepman," of Bahenz or Bohenze written on the back.

The deceased was a smart, intelligent looking person, of about fifty five years, with gray

MORE ABOUT SHEEP .- Last week we pub-I shed a short paragraph, tending to show the profits of sheep raising in our county. We cess of one farmer, on a small scale, were prodigious but we now have another which we think will successfully challenge competition. A young farmer near Rippon purchased on the first day of October last, a flock of twentynine ewes, for which he paid \$115. This Spring the wool from these sheep brought him \$33, and the lambs from the same \$130 and the flock of sheep he has yet, and they are better now than when he bought them. Their increase was an ususually prolife one, as old farmers may judge from the following : Sixteen of the ewes had thirty-three lambs, and ten others had eleven lambs, making forty-Jour in all. Of this forty-four, forty were raised until they were old enough for the butcher, when they were sold at \$3,25 cach. Can this

RAILWAY INCIDENT .- We have been permitted to make the following extract from a letter, dated Carlisle, Pa., May 27th, and written to Triend in this town. The writer, a lady of education and culture, had been in cur county for some mouths, and was on her way home, when the incident the narrates. occurred just after leaving Weverton :

"I had hardly got comfortably seated when I observed a middle-aged gentleman, cosily seated in one corner of the ear, and apparently deeply interested in some news contained in the Spirit of Jefferson. That immortal Npirit-that spirit by which the deeds of unjust men are made perfect. Indeed so absorbed was he, that he seemed unconscious of surrounding objects. When all of a sudden he began to realize there were others in the car besides himself, he folded up his paper, and looked as though he was about to start on a voyage of discovery."

[Which royage he made, and as we understand, brought up alongside the entertaining young lady.]

FATAL ACCIDENT .- The Register states that whilst Mr. Sebastian E. Greenwood was assisting in loading a log, at the residence of Mr. Martin Billmyer, near Shepherdstown, It should be taken until all the morbid maton Friday morning of last week, he was so severely injured internally, by the log falling upon him, that he died on Tuesday morning last, after four days suffering. He was in the 43rd year of his age.

STRUCK BY LIGHTNING .- During the prevalence of one of the thunder storms of last week, the house occupied by Michael Bowler, near Duffield's Depot, was struck by lightning, but we are glad to say that no serious injury was inflicted. Mrs. Bowler was knocked down and somewhat stunned by the shock, but beyond this no damage was sus-

Pic-Nic .- The young people of Harper's Ferry, who have a zest for every kind of rational enjoyment, design holding a Pic-Nic at Gum Springs, two miles from the ferry, on the Hillsboro' road, on Saturday next. The most extensive and complete arragements have been made, to render the occasion one of unalloyed pleasure, and we hope that the weather clerk will so arrange that the day shall be a propitious one. The music will be furnished by a Brass Band, and Kirby's unrivall. have to be; that they are entitled to an equal ed String Band. A general invitation is ex- proportion to their color on the Republican tended to ladies, and all gentlemen of good State Central Committee; that Ulysses S. GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT behaviour will be entered at the moderate fee Grant is as much their President as he is the 124 South Eutaw St., Baltimore of fifty cents.

towa, had a valuable cow killed by lightning, and that they are generally as good as white during the terrific thunder storm which passed over this section early on Sunday morning

Rev. J. W. Tongue will preach at Wiltshire's of the annual council of the Episcopal Church School House on next Sabbath afternoon, of Virginia, he was met one morning, about a 13th inst., at 3} o'clock P. M.

SALE OF LAND .- On Saturday last, Thomas A. Brown Trustee, sold a tract of Pine Hill land in Berkeley about 2 miles from Hollis, of Darksville.

GOOD PROPERTY.—It is not often that we advertise such property for sale as the Shenandoah House in Martinsburg, which is offered through our columns this morning, by its present owner, Mr. John Feller. In every espect it is one of the most complete and substantial hotel properties in West Virginia, and our only wonder is that our old and esteemed riend Feller will part with it. Built under his own supervision, and arranged to suit his own, and the taste of his good lady; nothing is wanting in its convenience, and he who ourchases it, will find that he has secured a rize. To any one wishing to engage in the hotel business, this stand offers an excellent

THE NEW STORE .- One of the prettiest establishments in town is the new store just pened on the corner of Main and Lawrence streets. The proprietors, Messrs. Trussell & ucas have selected a stock of goods just suited to the times and the wants of the people, which they are determined to sell at the very owest figures for cash. They are now busily engaged in marking and arranging their stock. but in a day or two they will be prepared to spread themselves in offering such bargains as are rarely obtained even in our cheap market.

HARVEST WHISKEY .- This is an article which farmers are bound to have for their harvest. Without it, it is hardly possible to secure the immense crops that now cover the fields of Jefferson. Mr. John S. Easterday gives notice that he is ready to supply the article, in any quantities and upon as favorable terms as it can be purchased anywhere in the county-and of a quality toe, that will recommend itself. Before purchases are made, he would like the farmers of this neighborhood to give him a call, as he feels well satisfied that he can furnish what they desire.

GAUTTER'S BITTERS .- These celebrated Bitters are now offered for sale by Mr. C. E. Beller, at Harper's Ferry. As a dyspepsia specific they are represented to be without a rival, and the certificates that are furnished should commend them to a trial by those who are suffering from this aggravating disease.

ARCTIC SODA; the purest, the coldest, and as good as the best, drawn from porcelain fountains, through beds of ice, may be had at the Drug Store of Aisquith & Washington .-If you wish to quench a raging thirst, or remove the suffocating effects of intense heat, just try a glass.

BANK CASE DECIDED .- We copy from the Fredericksburg Herald the following notice thought the figures we then gave of the suc- of a decission in a Bank Case, which may be interesting to our readers :

"The Circuit court adjourned on Tuesday. after having disposed of at least one very important question, viz: the release of endorsers on certain notes due the Farmer's Bank of Virginia. The point involved was that a copy of protest had not been regularly served on the parties. The Bank, it will be remembered, removed from here, with its effects, in 1862, just before the occupancy of Fredericksburg by the Federal troops. The endorsers on certain notes put in the plea of nonservice of protest, and the jury to whom the matter was referred, sustained the plea, and the parties to some twenty or more negotiables were released, leaving the Bank as an only redress, the solvency of the drawer. W. S. Burton apreared on behalf of the endorsers. the Bank not being represented "

MEMORAL TABLET .- The numerous friends the late Bishop Meade will be gratified to 'Old Chapel' by the affectionate care of Dr. R. C. Randolph, with the following inscription: "Sacred to the memory of Rt. Rev. William Meade, Bishop of the Diocese of Virginia. · He commenced his pastoral duties in this Old Chapel, in the year 1809. And to the day of his death, supervised the Parish. with pastoral interest. Here he "desired to lie down to rest, amidst the sepulcures of his own people, if God willed. We would have watched over his grave with filial care. But this privilege has been denied, and in sad regret, we can only present this little testimonial of love and veneration for our Spirituel

"He died in Richmond on the 14th day of March, 1862; in the 74th year of his age; and is buried in Hollywood Cemetery." [Clarke Courier.

ROSADALIS! ROSADALIS!-Boils, Carbuncles, Eruptions and Pimples on the face, Sallowness of the Complexion, General Debility, are brought about by an impure state of the Blood. Rosadalis has been found to be a permanent cure for this class of diseases. ter is out of the system, and the blood is changed from its vitiated conditions to its healthy and normal state. It is safe and effeetual, never produces the slightest injury. contains no mercury or other poisonous min eral. If you are suffering with any of these abnormal conditions of system, try a bottle. If you have a friend in a similar condition. send him a bottle and he will ever thank you. Ask your druggist for it.

CHURCH DEDICATION .- The new Metho dist Protestant Church, in Harper's Ferry, will be dedicated to the worship of the Triune God. Sunday, June 27th, 1869. Services at 10½ a. m., and at 3 and 7 p. m. Revs. Dr. Webster, Dr. L. W. Bates, Dr. F. Swintzel and other ministers of eminence will be present. The public are respectfully invited.

JAMES C. STEWART, Pastor.

-The negroes of Maryland have resolve d n their State Convention, that among other things, they have an equal right with the whites to all the benefits of the common school system, not only as regards being taught, but as to teaching; that they have as good a right to be soldiers as the white Marylanders white man's President, that they have as good a right in first class railroad and street passen-Mr. John Wysong, near Shepherds- ger cars as white men or white women have. men or white women are. The "good time" long looked for, is coming fast—thanks to Radical politicians!—Hagerstown Mail.

A BEAUTIFUL COMPIMENT.-While Gen. We are requested to state that the Lee was in Fredericksburg, during the session hundred yards from the door of the residence of a gentleman with whom he was to take breakfast, by fifty beautiful little girls, children of the most prominent citizens of the place, who strewed flowers in his path, and he Middlewsy, containing one hundred and four | walked the distance upon a bed of roses, the acres, at \$12.30 per acre. Purchaser, B. B. volunteer offerings of innocence and loveliness to a brave and noble man.

VALCEY ITEMS.

From our Valley exchanges we copy the ollowing items :-- A company of U. S. Infantry has arrived

— Several velocipedes have been intro-duced into Harrisonburg. -The graves of the dead reposing in the National Cemetery, near Winchester, were

strewn with flowers on Saturday week. - The residence of Mr. Robt. D. Hensley. who lives 4 miles south of Waynesboro', was burned on Thursday night. 27th ultimo. - Carmel Church was dedicated at Mt. Clifton, Shenandoah county, on Sunday week,

St. J. Rinker. - Mr. John Ballard Smith, living near reenville, Augusta county, accidentally shot himself in the neck, on the 22d ult, while out on a bunting excursion.

- On Monday week the people about Newtown were the recipients of a heavy bail storm. On Saturday previous there was also a heavy bail storm in the neighborhood of Wadesville.

- A fine Temperance Hall is being exeted, at Mt. Jackson, over a liquor shop. How about the smelling clause in their constitution. Can't it be "expurgated." Shen. Herald

- Great interest upon the subject of temerance is now manifested in the Valley of lirginia. Rev. Dr. Young, the representative of the "Friends of Temperance." is zealously and efficiently at work.

- There are 185 students at Roanoke College-160 of whom are from Virginia, 8 from Louisiana, 8 from Maryland, 3 from Tennessee, and I each from Alabama, Mississippi, North Carolina, Indiana, West Virginia, and Missouri.

- Mr. Charles Parker, of Winchester, whilst in the act of getting from his horse on Sunday week, at Bunker Hill, was shot in the left hand by the accidental discharge of a pistol in his pocket, inflicting a painful, but ot a serious wound.

- Mr. Bruce is now running an experinental line on and near the run about one mile and a quarter North of Berryville. The talk now is that Kernstown may be a point on the railroad instead of Winchester. We give this for what it is worth .- Courier.

- In the case of T. S. Smith vs. American Fire Insurance Company, of Baltimore, and Home Company, of New Haven, Conn., for the amount of insurance on his stock of goods burned several years since in Winchester, tried before the United States Circuit Court in Richmond, \$10,000 with interest was awarded Mr. Smith.

- A few days since, Mr. William Shipe, in Powell's Fort. Shenandoah county, shot the largest leopard cut ever killed in that county. He weighed nearly one hundred pounds, was beautifully marked with black spots, upon a grayish white skin as delicate and firm as velvet, and was doubtless one of the finest specimens of his kind living.

THE ANNALS OF HARPERS FERRY .- There has just been issued from our press a work with the above title, from the pen of Jose-PHUS. Jr., an annonymous title. The author is a practical man, has lived in and about Harper's Ferry, since the commencement and prior to the war, and is fully competent to give a faithful chronicle of the many exciting events that transpired in and around so noted a place from the time "Old John Brown" invaded the peaceful homes of the Virginians with his ferocious gang with Sharpe's rifles and numberless revolvers, down to the. present moment. The "Annals of Harper's Ferry," therefore, gotten up of facts touching the remarkable period of our country's civil war, by a gentleman fully competent to do hear of another tribute of respect to that ven- justice to the subject, is replete with interest, erable and holy man. A tasteful tablet of and such a work will be purchased by everywire white marble has been placed in the body. Although a large edition has been printed, we understand such has been the demand for the work, that the author is considering the propriety of a second and much larger edition than the first. Persons wishing to or der copies of the work by mail will blens address Joseph Barry, Harper's Ferry, W. Va., who will supply promptly all orders.

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Hagerstown Mail.

FARMERS ATTENTION !- Are you subscri bers to the Farmer's Gazette, published by S. Bassett French, Richmond, Va., for \$1 per annum? It is beyond doubt the very best Agricultural monthly published, for one dollar in America. Try it one year. The second volume will commence with the July number, and the editor offers a silver cup to the getter up of the largest club of subscribers at \$1 each, the list to close December next. Who will win the cup?

- A Pittsburg exchange says that the papers of General Authur St. Clair, of Revolutionary fame, which have been undisturbed since his death, are shortly to be brought under the hammer, and that the collection embraces many valuable historical records, as also more than one hundred letters from General Washington to General St. Clair. The sale will take place at Cincinnati.

- The Washington Chronicle says: Visi-itors at the White House speak in high terms of the kind disposition of Col. Robert Martin Douglass, Private Secretary of General Grant. Those who recollect his illustrious father. Stephen A. Douglass, recognize him in the features and the manners of his excellent

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June 1, 1869. W. L. HEDGES, Agt.

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May 18, 1869

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BELONGING to the estate of the late James Ranson, is for sale. It is one of the MOST VALUABLE pieces of property in this county, and is so well known that I deem a description unnecessary.

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Harris Fort, November 3, 1868.

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liable remedy that can be given for warms. Try them. Fuchille by UPH M's Freek v. Tan and Pimple Banisher, cures Biotches. Scurvy. Dry and Watery Pimples, all kinds of Tetter, Tan Freekles. Sunburn. Chaffings, Grubs or Worms in the Skin, Ringverin. &c. For sale by C. E. BELLER. DAKER'S Medicinal Transparent Cod Liver Oil, D is decidedly the purest and sweetest article of the kind in market. For sale by Harper's Ferry, May 11. C. E. BELLER.

SHENANDOAH NAVIGATION COMP'Y. THE Legislature of West Virginia, by Act of March 2, 1869, granted a Charter to the new "Shemandoah Navigation Company." and made it obligatory on the subscribers to the capital stock thereof, to organize by general meeting on the 15th of May. In pursuance, therefore, of this require ment, a meeting was held in Charlestown on the day designated, and temporarily organized by the appointment of LOGAN OSBOURN, as President, and Wm C. Shrensus, as Secretary. The attendance being small, it was deemed beat by those present to adjourn until SATURDAY, the 12th day of JUNE, when a more full and general meeting is requested to be held at Hooff's Hall, Charlestown, for the purpose of fully organizing. It is hoped all who feel pose of lutty organizing. It is hoped all who fer interested in the success of this improvement. be present on that day; and aid in the full consum attion of the object desired.

LOGAN OSBOURN, President.

NOTICE. AVING determined to quit the Profession of Medicine in this county and go South, I would request all persons having claims against me to present them at once, and all those knowing them fice and settle up in mediately, either by note of otherwise.

Very Respectfully.

R. A. WARE. Lectown, May 4. 1869-tf.

WM. C. SHEERE, Secretary, May 18, 1869 - 41.

AQUA FRIGITA DE. AS JA FRIGUE A DAS.

I AVING re-opened for the season my ARCTIC SODA FOUNTAIN, I respectfully lawise all those who wish to rivel in its ref eshing and exhilarating influence to come forward, subdue the heat of summer, calin their troubled spirits and cool their fevered brow, by imbibing cool usly, liberally and frequently, draughts of our Ne plus-ultra Soda Water. Come one, come all to May 11, 1869.

W. S. MASON'S. W HIT and Bown Sugars. 20 barrels of Brown Sugars, just receive and for sale at lowest prices for Cash by W. EBY. GASSIMERES for Gen lemen; Cassimeres, ton Socks, Gaves, Collars and Cravats
April 27.

A. W. CRAMER.

E NGLISH Waldron Grain and Grass Scythes, Hand Rakes, Whet Stones and Rifles, for sale McCURDY & DUKE.

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February 16, 1869—Im. THOROUGH-BRED DURHAM STOCK.

HE subscriber offers for sale, upon his farm ad-YOUNG SHORT-KORN DURHAM CATTLE. YOUNG SHORT-RORN BURHAM CATTLE,
of both sexes, of the purest European and Kentucky
redigree. This Stock is of choice Kentucky selection and the Kentucky pure blood Short-Horns are
considered the finest cattle in the world.

The subscriber respectfully invites farmers in this
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berd, the fully grown animals of which are unsurpassed in point of size and beauty. A rare opportunity is thus afforded to improve in a high degree
the prevatting breed of cattle, which improvement
is so much needed throughout this entire section of
country.

May 11, 1869-6m. NEW GOODS.

JAS. M. BANSUN.

I HAVE just received a general assortment of Dry Goods, Fancy Goods, Notices, City made Shoes and Hats; also a general line of Groceries.—Call and examine. JNO. H. CAMPBELL.

April 27, 1869. CANNED PRUITS, Jelly, Tomatoes, Pickled,
Spiced and Fresh Oysters, Chon Chow, Brandy Peaches, Tomato Catsup, Pepper Sauce, Pickled
Onions and Cucumbers, just received by
April 27 W. EBY. BACON-Hams, Sides and Shoulders; Sapsago and Pine Apple Cheese, and Fresh Crackers for W. EBY.

BOLOGNA Sausage. Fresh Lobsters. Macaroni, Scotch Herring, Salad Oil, Checolate, Broma and Coora, for sale by W. EBY. 10 BBLS: Superior and Low priced Syrups and Molasses, for sale by W. EBY. PISTOLS WANTED.—I am now purchasing Coits Army & Nazy Pistols. JAS. LAW. HOOPF.

This but a little while at beat.

That hens have power to lay;
To morrow, eggs may addled be,
That were quite firsh to day.

Ob! let the touch be light.
That takes them from the keg;
There is no hand whose cunning skill.

Can mend a broken egg!

Ay, teach it with a tender touch,

For, till the egg is bile!,

Who knows but that, unwittingly,

It may be smash'd and spiled?

The summer breeze that 'gainst it blows,

Ought to be still'd and hush'd; For eggs, like youthful purity, Are awful when shey're sqush'd.

HUMOROUS.

The Tax Bill. Some one proposes the following new amendments to the tax bill: For kissing a pretty girl, one dollar.

For kissing a homely one, two dollars—the extra amount being added probably for the man's folly.

For ladies' kissing one another, two dollars. The tax is placed at this rate in order to break up the custom altogether, it being regarded

by our M. C's as a piece of inexcusable ab-For every flirtation, ten cents. Every young man who has more than one girl is taxed five dollars.

For courting in the kitchen, twenty five Courting in the parlor, one dollar. Courting in a romantic place, five dollars, and fifty cents thereafter.

Seeing a lady home from church, twentyfive cents. Going from church without accompanying

a lady, five dollars. Seeing a lady home from the Mite Society, five cents—the proceeds to be devoted to the relief of disabled army chaplains.

For ladies who paint, fifty cents. For wearing a low necked dress, one dollar For each curl on a ladie's head, above ten

fire cents. For any unfair device for entrapping young men into matrimony, five dollars. For wearing hoops larger than eight feet in circumference, eight cents for each hoop. Old bachelors over thirty are taxed ten dol-

lars, and banished to Utah. Each pretty lady is to be taxed from twenty-five cents to twenty-five dollars; she is to fix the estimate of her own beauty. It is thought a very large amount is to be realized. from this provision: Each boy baby, fifty cents.

Each girl baby, ten cents. Families having more than eight babies are not to be taxed; and for twins a premium of forty dollars will be paid out of the funds accruing from tax on old bachelors,

Each Sunday loafer on the street corners or about church doors to be taxed his value, -which is about two cents.

The Pawned Actor.

The celebrated tragedian, Mr. Cooke, was always fond of a frolic on his benefit night, declaring that he never took liberties with his friends at any other time. It ouce happened, during an engagement at Philadelphia that on such an occasion be was short of money, and at a loss to raise the wind for the accustomed breeze. In this dilemma he started up town in a speculative mood, determined to inspirit in some way or other .-Having reached the corner of Callowhill and Eighth streets, he cast his eyes towards the Delaware and perceived one of those enticing signs of three golden balls. He turned the corner and entering the fatal door addressed the man behind the counter thus:

"My name is Cooke. This is my benefit night. The manager can't do without me. I am up for Richard the Third. I want some liquor. I have no money. Now I propose to hypothecate by royal person for ten dollars, and you may lay me on your shelves."

The joke was a queer one, the pawnbroker paid the ten dollars, and Cooke was laid up. The theatre that night was crowded, and at 7 o'clock the ranager came forward to apologize, stating that with the consent of the audience the performance would commence with a farce. He had looked in different directions but was unable to find Mr. Cooke in the city. He presumed the tragedian would be forthcoming in the cours of the next half hour. As the manager retied he was told that a boy wished to see him to the green room. He found the boy, who presented a note written in cyphers, which he at length translated thus:

"Mr DEAR : I am pawned for ten dollars; send and redccm me, or it will be impossible for Richard to be himself to night. Yours. Cooke." The manager started immediately after the fixed star, and found him nicely shelved, with a plate of erackers and cheese and a bottle of brandy by t n. In the buttonhole of his coat was a paper marked, "No. 1,473, pawned for \$10." The amount was paid, a hack called, and Mr. Cooke and the manager returned to

the theatre, where the former had just time to dress and commence. "Now is the winter of our discontent," &c. It is said that he never played Richard better or received more applause.

- An innocent young sportsman, in order to shoot a squirrel on the top of a tall tree, climbed another one close by; and on being asked the reason for so foolish a freak, said he didn't went to strain his gun by a long shot!

- Soon after Sir Henry Rivers took orders, he was told by a friend that he would un-Sir Henry, why so?" "Because rivers invariably go to the sea."

- An advertisement reads as follows:-"Stolen, a watch worth ten guineas. If the thief will return it, he shall be informed where he can steal one worth (wo of it, and no questions asked."

- After the acquittal of a man for larceny, recently, one of the jurymen rose and suggested that "the acquitted be now recommend-

ed to the merciful consideration of the court.' - Vaccination .- "I don't believe it's any use this vaccination," said a Yankee. "I had a

child vaccinated, and he fell out of the window a week arter and got killed." - The most laconic will on record is that

of a man who died in 1669. It ran thus :-"I have nothing; I owe a great deal-the rest I give to the poor."

- Does a man consider a woman a poem when she is a verse to him? - What men 'set up' the latest? Compositors on morning papers.

MISCELLANEOUS



YOUNG MEN Who are desirous of preparing themselves practically for the Acroal Duties of Boliness, should attend the .

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COURSE OF STUDY. The curriculum of study and practice in this Insti-tution is the result of many years of experience, and the best combination of business talent to be found in the country. It embraces BOOK-REEEPING IN ALL ITS DEPARTMENTS AND APPLICATIONS. COMMERCIAL LAW.

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Five kinds. Samples for 20 cents. Per Gross, \$1.50. Quarter Gross Boxes, 50 cts. Prepaid to any address. No. \$33, fine smooth points, adapted to school purposes and general writing No. 455. The National Pen. Medium points,

No. 8. The Ladies' Pen. Very fine and elastic. For Card Writing, Pen Drawing, and fine Orna-mental Work, this Pen is unequaled. No. 117. The Excelsior Pen. Smooth points, very flexible. This is the Pen for bold, free writing, striking off-hand capitals, flourishing, &c. No. 7. The Eusiness Pen Large size, coarse points, holding a large quantity of ink. The points are very round, and do not stick into the paper and spatter the ink like most other coarse The trade supplied at the lowest wholesale rates.

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Baltimore, Md.

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The Great External Remedy. For Man and Beast. IT WILL CURE RHEUMATISM The reputation of this preparation is so well estab-lished, that little need be said in this connection On MAN it has never failed to cure
PAINFUL NERYOUS AFFECTIONS, CONTRACTING MUSCLES,
STIFFNESS AND PAINS IN THE
JOINTS, STITCHES in the SIDE or
Back, SPRAINS, BRUISES, BURNS,
SWELLINGS, CORNS and FROSTED

FEET. Person affected with Rheumatism can be effectually and permanently cured by using this wonderful preparation; it penetrates to the nerve and bone immediately on being applied.

On HORSES it will cure SCRATCHES, SWEENEY POLL-EVIL, FISTULA, OLD RUNNING SORES, SADDLE OF COLLAR GALLS, SPRAINED JOINTS, STIFFNESS OF THE STIFLES, &c. It will prevent HOLLOW-HORN and WEAK BACK IN

MILCH COWS.

I have met with great success in bringing my Mixture within the reach of the Public. I am daily in receipt of letters from Physicians, Druggists, Merchants and Farmers, testifying to its curative powers. DAVID E. FOUTZ, Sole Proprietor, BALTIMORE, MD. CAMPBELL & MASON Wholesale and Retail

Agents for Jefferson county. June 16, 1868-1y. 1869. Spring and Summer, 1869. ASK the attention of my customers and the public to the large and well selected stock of Spring and Summer Goods just opened, which I shall sell as low as the lowest. My stock of Ladies' Dress

Goods embraces the following: STRIPED SERGE, JAPANESE PRINTED CAMBRIC, GRAND DUCHESS BLACK ALPACA, SILK WARP ALPACA, MOZAMBIQUES, &c. I would ask the attention of the Ladies of Charlesown and vicinity to my large stock of Notions and

White Goods, consisting in part of Kid Gloves, Hosiery, Laces, Cambric and Swiss Edging, Ruffling, Coventry Marseilles, Grecian Bend Fluting, Para-sols, Ribbons, Plain, Barred and Striped Cambric, Barred Imperatrice, and many other articles too Black and White and Colored Berage Shawls, Shetland Shawls, Real Lama Lace Shawls, Black Cashmere Shawls; Table Linen, Wool Table Covers, White and Colored Honey comb and Marseilles Spreads; also Calicos, Cottons, Checks and Stripes at the lowest prices. My stock of Clothing, Hats, & Gents' Furnishing Goods, consists of the Largest and Best Selected in the county: also Cloths and Cassimeres, White Linen. Brown Linen and Calico Shirts in great varieties.

Charlestown, May 11. Cheap Cash Store. ATTENTION, FARMERS Bone Dust, Bone Dust!

(13- Call and judge for yourselves, at S. A. HAMBURGER'S

GROUND BY OURSELVES, AT LOWEST MARKET RATES. Alse, Grimes' Pat. Raw Bone Phosphate, ON SHORT TIME TO PROMPT PARTIES. THE past two years have fully realized this RAW BONE PHOSPHATE to be the Cheapest and Best in the Market; and unsurpassed by the highest priced Guanos. 118 adaptation to Wheat, Corn, Oats, Buckwheat, Tobacco, Garden Truck, Grasses, &c , has been fully and most satisfactorily tested. Finely ground and suitable for drilling, put up in

Bags of 167 lbs: each. Sole Manufacturers, 54 S. Gay St.,
BALTIMORE, MD. GEO. E. CORDELL, Agent, Charlestown, West Virginia. March 23, 1869.

NOTICE. LLaccounts of the late firm of TRUSSFLL & CO. A must be settled by the 1st of Junc-otherwise they will be handed over to the tender mercies of the The Books and Accounts have been placed in my hands for collection. C. W. TRUSSELL.

May 18, 1869—tf.

FRESH GROUND PLASTER, . For sale by

HILLEARY, WILLSON & JOHNSON. Summit Point, March 2, 1869. O NE and two gallon Water Kegs. Covered Water Buckets. Well Buckets, Horse Buckets, Tubs and Churns, for sale by McCURDY & DUKE. 170D Liver Oil-pure, fresh and genuino-furnished by the gallon and bottle at W.S. MASON.

MISCELLANEOUS ...



ROSADALIS. For sale by ASQUITH & BRO., Charlestown. September 1, 1863-1y. POULTERER'S FRIEN!



HE experience of the past season has enalled us to improve our Poulterer's Friend to an tent hich makes it a sure preventive of Gapes. which makes it a sure preventive of Gapes. wait until the chickens have the gapes, but com-mence feeding in small doses as early as possible after hatching. It's great value is as a preventive.

We are receiving letters daily informing us of the great success of our Powders in arrestion the ravages of Chicken Cholean. If you would save your fowls commence I ding at once, every other day.

For sale by Country Merchants generally, who are supplied with certificates and show cards.

CLOTWORTHY & CO.,

Sole Propr's and Manuftrs of Poulterer's Friend.
For sale by AISQUITH & WASHINGTON,

An extra copy will be sent to the person who makes up a club of ten, and an additional copy for every twenty subscribers thereafter. A copy of the AVALANCHE CALENDAR Will be sent to every sub-Additions can be made to the clubs at all time

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AVALANCHE,
Avalanche Building, Memphis, Tenness e.
May 18, 1869-1in. ISAAC B. MYERS 1 [JOHN L. SCHILLING. More Recently Important:

TT gives us pleasure to inform our numerous customers, and the public generally, that we are receiving a variety of NEW SPRING & SUMMER GOODS, to the examination of which we respectfully solicit a call from the many who have heretofore got GOOD BARGAINS, and all others who wish to get Good Bargains, at the

CLARKE COUNTY CLOTHING STORE. Where will be found Clothing and Gents' Furnishing Goods, HATS, CAPS, BOOTS, SHOES, TRUNKS AND NOTIONS;

Also, an assortment of LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S SHOES. All of which we will sell as cheap as can be pur chased in the State of Virginia.* Thankful for past patronage, we hope that the public will continue to give us a call at our NEW CORNER STORE. in Stolle's Ceach Factory Building, on Main street, opposite Mr. Carter Shepherd's residence, Berryville, Va.

* Special attention given to having suits made to Berryville, May 18, 1869. Homsher & Drawbaugh, KEARNEYSVILLE, VA.,

H AVE just received another full stock of SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS, which they are offering at greatly reduced prices, for Cash, or in ex-

LADIES DRESS GOODS, In Great Varietica; BLACK & COLOR'D ALPACAS, LAWNS, DELANES, &c A full line of WHITE GOODS, NOTIONS & TRIMMINGS.

Their stock of Domestics is full and complete, consisting of Calicos, Brown and Bleached Cottons, Ginghams, Crash, Furniture, Checks, Striped Cot-MEN'S AND BOYS' WEAR. Casimeres, Tweeds, Cottonades, &c.; Hats, Boots Their Grocerica are choice, being selected with great care. Please give them a call, for they warrant They also respectfully request those of their old customers who have failed to settle their old

bills, to square up. Kearneysville, April 20, 1869. SECOND SUPPLY MORE NEW GOODS!

I HAVE received my second supply of SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS. My stock is very implete. I name a few articles :-

LADIES' HATS: FRENCH KNOTS, L. C. HANDKERCHIEFS, SWISS DO., Sash Riobon, Prints, Bleached and Brown Cottons, 500 pairs Ladies', Misses' and Children's Shoes, Men's Alpine, Velocipede, Lancaster, Canton and Malaga Hats; Boys' do.; another lot of Cassimeres, Plaid Cottons, Kritting Cotton, Sea. Breezes, 2,000 Gents' and Ladies' Paper Collars, HEMLOCK AND SPANISH SOLE,

Calf Skins, Kips, &c. Syrup at 65c, 80c, and \$1 20 — the best in the world; Cheese, Crackers, Wheeling Nails, and thousands of articles too numerous I will give a liberal credit to prompt and respon sible parties. Come and see!

JOHN W. GRANTHAM. Middleway, May 4, 1869. Thirty Carriages,

N EW and Second Hand, just received and for sale at greatly reduced prices—a variety of patterns—prices ranging from \$75 to \$500. 100,600 FEET OF YELLOW PINE LUMBER, ot all'sizes; Dressed Flooring, and a fine lot of Weather-Boarding. Gondola Stuff always on hand. LIME, LIME! The best Maryland Whitewashing Lime for said by the Bushel, Barrel or Car-Load. I have also 5,000 G OOD OAK SHINGLES.

A LOT OF LOCUST POSTS.
W. J. HAWKS, Agent,
April 20, 1869-3m. F. P. ENTLER'S SURE CURE, Has never yet failed to cure the severest cases of Cholera, Dysentery, Cholera Morbus, Diarrhea, Flux, Summer Complaint in children, &c. Manufactured by W. M. Entler & Co., Shepherdstown, W. Va. Price 35 cts per bottle. Full directions on each bottle. See circulars. Sold everywhere. No cure, no pay Every person should keep it constantly on hand For sale by CAMPBELL & MASON, Charlestown. June 23, 1868-ty.

20 SACKS Rio, Java, Laguyra, Maricabo and Roasted Coffee, for sale at lowest prices for Cash by HANDSOME Scis-French China, Gold Band and Plain, and a large assortment of Queens and Glassware. Glassware.

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Dirt Scoops, Churns, Cradles, Scribes,
Shovels, Forks, Spades and Rakes,
GUANOS.—J. J. Turner's Excelsior, Orchills, Alta
Vela, Ground Nerassa, and Pure Peruvian.
PHOSPHATES.—Berger & Buttz, Chesapeake,
South Carolina and other Phosphates. SEEDS AND PLANTS, FOR FIELD & GARDEN. THE HARDWARE DEPARTMENT, CONSISTS OF

Iron, Steel, Horse Sloes, Mule Shoes, Horse Nails, and Blackswiths' Supplies and Tools, such as Anvils, Bellows, Viscs, &c. For sale by AISQUITH & WASHINGTON,
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April 13, 1869-6m.

DAILY AND WEEKLY

Memphis Avalanche.

TERMS FOR 1869.

DAILY-Yearly, by mail (in advance)...\$10 00
Six months, do. do. 100
One week, payable to carrier or agent...\$25

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03- Cash paid for BONES and OLD IRON.

January 12, 1869.

HOTELS.

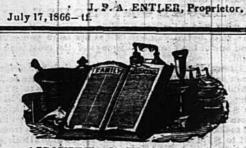
JOHN M. LOCKE. MRS. MARY C. LUPTON American Hotel.

HARRISONBURG, VA. THIS well known Hotel has been entirely reno-vated, and the new Proprietors promise that Guests shall receive every comfort which well-stocked Larders, clean Beds, and attentive Servants TERMS, \$2.50 PER DAY. November 17, 1868-3m.

SHENANDOAH HOUSE. Queen Street, Below Race, MARTINSBURG, W. VA. JOHN FELLER, PROPRIETOR

NEW and large additions have just been built to this House, consisting of Dining Room, Sleep-ing Apartments, &c., and is now the best in the State, East of the Alleghany mountains. It is furnished in the most modern and elegant style, and travelers and the business public can be comfortably entertained at moderate rates. THE BAR rivals competition in the quality of its LiQUORS and in every other matter pertaining to this de

OF- Weshall endeavor to please all who favor p ENTLER HOTEL. SHEPHERDSTOWN, WEST VIRGIA.



AISQUITH & WASHINGTON. DEALESS IN DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PATENT MED

ICINES, PAINTS, OILS, WINDOW

GLASS AND DYE STUFFS. LWAYS have on hand a complete stock of the A above. They offer for sale one of the mos-complete assortments of Druggists FANCY GOODS AND SUNDRIES. n the Lower Valley. A beautiful stock of Kerosine Lamps, Lanterns, and Lamp Goods. A large stock of Segars and Fine Chewing Tobacco.

Physicians' Prescriptions and Family Receipts

ness and accuracy of all hours.

Ag-See Book Notice elsewhere.

January 26, 1869. THE FASHIONS FOR SPRING AND SUMMER.

HAVE (he latest styles and am prepared to cut, fit and make Ladies' and Children's Dresses, Wiappings, Sacques, Basques, &c., or to furnish Patterns for the same. Intant Wardrobes made omplete. Pinking and Stamping done to order.
Thankful for past favors, I respectfully solicit ontinuance of patronage.

Mas. MARY C. TAYLOR.

May 25, 1869— f. CALCIUM OIL.

GIVE notice that I have purchased the exclusive makes the best light known, is non-explosive, don't char the wick nor black the chimney, and withal is not greasy, and is cheaper than any other burning fluid. It is constantly on exhibition at my store, may be tried in every way to test its quality, and is warranted to give entire satisfaction. trade with any quantity at a liberal discount. Call and see it, at

L. DINELE'S

February 2, 1869.

Jewelry Store. DR. Cooke's celebrated Wine of Tar, an infallible remody in Diseases of Liver and Kidneys, and as a sure cure for Colds, Bronchitis, Whooping Cpugh, &c., has no superior just received and for sale by W.S. MASON. UPHAM'S Celebrated Freckle Banisher cures
Pimples, Freckles, Blotches, and is also an elegant Shaving Compound. Just received and for
sale by W. S. MASON. 350 BUSHELS choice Seed and Eating Pote toes, just received and for sale at 61 per bushel, by McCURDY & DUKE: UPHAM'S Fresh Meat Cure for sale by W. S. MASON. FISH - New No. 1 Potomac Herring - in half and whole barrels - for sale by WESY,

DUFFIELD'S TRADE.

GREAT EXCITEMENT AT Cheapside No.1. A VING just returned from the Eastern marke with a new and complete stock of MERCHAN

WE CAN OFFER BARGAINS to any who may favor us with a call. It Low Prices are any inducement, we know we will be in—
It is used as to enumerate the articles we have for sale; as every body knows what is kept in a Country Store, and those who may not know we will be happy to show what we have. No trouble to show goods at this establishment. Give us a call, every-body, and be at once convinced. We certainly feel grateful for past farmer, and respectfully solicit a share of public patronage. Respectfully.

Duffield's Denot, May 25, 1869.

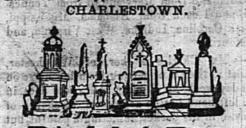
Duffield's Depot, May 25, 1869. FARMERS LOOK TO YOUR INTERESTS! And buy the best HORSE RAKE in existence THE "CLIPPER."

They are made of the best material and put up by good workmen, and warranted in every respect. Can be easily operated by a child old enough to manage a horse. We are agents for this celebrated Rake and feel safe in recommending it to Farmers. A model Rake can be seen by calling on A LINK & CO.,

May 11, 1869. Duffield's Depot. New Yorker

SEYMOUR & MORGAN'S NEW YORK COM-BINED REAPER AND MOWER, which we can safely recommend to the farmers as the beat that has ever been offered. We challenge competition, and would advise all persons in want of a good Machine to examine and give it a trial before pur-The Respection be seen at all times at our plants of business. WYSONG & GITTINGS,
Duffield's Depot, May 11, 1869. Sole Agents.

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



Diehl & Bro MANUFACTURERS OF MONUMENTS, TOMBS, HEAD & FOOT

STONES, MANTLES, STATUES, - AND CARVING. all its various branches, and all work in their ousiness. All orders promptly filled at the lowest rate, and shortest notice, and all work delivered 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 yourselved refore purchasing elsewhere, and patronize Holine Manufacturers.

The subscribers have also in operation their shop in Martinsburg, where they will give prompt attention to all work entrusted to them. DIEHL & BRO. Charlestown, Feb. 19, 1867-od May 15, 1866.

MECHANICAL.

DAVID H. COCKRILL.] [JOSEPH H. COCKRILL. DAVID H. COCKRILL & SON. ARCHITECTS & BUILDERS.

Charlestown, Jefferson County, VIRGINIA. OUR experience in the business which we adver-tise to conduct, and our th-rough acquaintance with it in all its branches, enable us to assure the public that any work entrusted to us will I e executed in the most workmanlike manier, and with the utmost dispatch. Having stood to their posts in the Confederate army during the four years' struggle which it so manfully encountered, they have located in their native county, where their services are offered in brilding up the waste places, and in carrying out practical reconstruction. Particular attention given at all times to the drawing of plans and specifications; and in the

GEOMETRICAL STAIRWAYS. where calculation is required, they are confident that they cannot be surpassed by any workmen in the Valley of Virginia. W Being well known in the community, they deem it unnecessary to say more, than that orders left for them will receive prompt attention.

April 7, 1868—tf,

SAMUEL MYERS, CONTRACTOR AND BUILDER, CHARLESTOWN, W. VA.,

WILL take contracts for BUILDINGS OF ALL KINDS, and will furnish all necessary material for same, if desired.

Being a practical mechanic, he feels satisfied that he can give satisfaction in all business entrusted to May 25, 1869. Free Press copy tf.

SASH FACTORY. THE undersigned are now prepared to furnish FRAMES, DOORS, BLINDS, SASH, FLOOR-NG, MOULDINGS, BRACKETS, or any kind of Scroll Sawing, and everything needed in the way of woodwork about the building of Houses, at our "BLOOMERY SASH FACTORY." on the Shenandoah river. 2; miles above Keyes' Ferry, 3 miles below Shannohdale Springs, and, 3 As this a nome enterprise we look for the pat-ronage of our own people, and if they do not en-courage usit will not be on account of either our prices, quality of work, or spirit of accommodation. LUMBER OF ALL KINDS,

either Rough or Dressed, kept constantly on hand for sale. Post office, Charlestown, Jefferson coun-ty, West Va. KEARSLEY & SHEERER. WILLIAM PHILLIPS, Manager. April 14, 1868. JORDAN'S WHITE SULPHER SPRINGS. FREDERICK COUNTY, VIRGINIA. Five Miles from Winchester and One and

Hulf Miles from Stephenson's Depot. THIS place will be opened on the 1st day of June for the reception of Visitors, and every exertion will be made to give entire satisfaction to all the A fine BAND OF MUSIC will be in attendance during the season,
The Bowling Alley, Billiard Room, Gymnasium,
Swings, &c., will be in good order; new and excellent Coaches will run between the Springs and Stephenson's Depot, the distance being 12 miles over a

phenson's Depot, the distance being 12 miles over a good road.

The Telegraph Line will be extended from Stephenson's Depot to the Springs without delay.

Force Pumps, with a full supply of Hose, have been erected, which will serve to extinguish fire, and aprinkle the walks, trees and lawn.

Of Guests will be received at any time before the regular time of opening.

Of Mails twice daily. Also, three Passenger Trains daily each way. Trains daily each way,
Tans daily each way,
Tans.—\$3 per day; \$17.50 per week, and \$60
per month. Children and colored servants half
price; white servants three-fourths price. E. C. JORDAN.

May 4, 1869. To the Public.

HAVING purchased avaluble tract of timber I land, and located a Saw-Mill upon it with a capacity of sawing forty thousand feet of Lumber weekly, I will be prepared to furnish nearly EVERY VARIETY OF LUMBER. Such as Pine Plank, Joists, Rafters, Studding, Plastering Lath, Chestnut Palings, Oak Fencing Plank, &c.

Lumber will be kept constantly on hand at the Mill, 11 miles above Kearsley & Sheerer's Planing Mill, on the Shenandoah river, and at Jas. Law-Hooff's Lumber yard at Charlestown. Persons contemplating building will promote their interests by calling upon the subscriber in person, or Jas. Law. Hooff, before going elsewhere.

GEO. W. EICHELBERGER.

August 11,1868—6m. Lumber, Lumber:

THE undersigned is now receiving another lot of choice LUMBER of every description. He will constantly keep on hand, at his Lumber Yard in Shepherdstown, a large and general assortment of WHITE AND YELLOW PINE PLANK. JOIST AND SCANTLING. of all widths and thickness, suitable for Cabinet purposes. &c. Also, HOOP-POLES, CYPRESS AND OAK SHINGLES; all of which will be sold on reasonable terms for Cash.
February 2, 1869-tf. TOWNER SCHLEY. DOMESTIC GOODS Bleached and Brown Pot-ton and Shoetings, Bed Ticking, Apron Checks, and Ginghams, Hickory Shirting, Farmers' Linen Brilling, Plaid Cottons, &c. A. W. CRAMER.

SHEPHERDSTOWN TRADE.

NEW GOODS AT THE LADIES' STORE, FOR SPRING AND SUMMER. W E have just returned from the Philadelphia and Baltimore markets with a large and welf elected stock of DRY GOODS-AND NOTIONS.—

DRESS-GOODS. Plain, Striped and Chene Poplins, Lenos, Lustres, French and Jacouet Lawns in great variety. Also, Plain and Striped DeLains, Piques, &c. MOURNING GOODS.

Bombazine, double and single width; De Laines, Al-pacas, Creps Moretts, Lawns, Ginghams, English Crape Veils, Gloves, &c. DONESTIC GOODS

Calicos, a very large and complete stock of Ginghams; 4-4, 5-4 and 10 4 Sheetings; Bleached and Unbleached Cottons, Shirting Stripes, Drills, Table Diapers, Cottonades, Plain and Striped Linen, &c. WHITE GOODS. Plain, Plaid and Striped Cambrics; Plain and Plaid Nanscoks, Swiss, Striped and Plai 1 Organdies, Irish Linens, Bird Eye Diapers, &c.

A LARGE VARIETY OF NOTIONS.

Toop Skirts, Corsets, Gloves, Handkerchiefs, &c. GOODS FOR FUNERALS. Orders for these goods will receive special and promptattention, and be furnished at low rates.

Persens in want of any of the above goods will find it to their advantage to call and examine our stock before purchasing, as they have been bought since the recent decline, for Cash, and we are confident that we can offer bargains.

Or Remember, we consider it no trouble to show goods. TERMS CASH.

Thankful for past favore, we solicit a liberal share of patronage in the future.

EICKARD & WELSHANS.

Shephardstown, April 20, 1869.

THE VALLEY CHIEF

SELF RAKING Reaper & Mower. Soffered to the Farmers of Berkeley and Jeffer-son counties, with the GUARANTEE that it will cut and Baks war, Tangled and Lodged WILL CUT AND RAKE WET, TANGEED AND LODGED GRAIN, even when it lies that and placetly raum the knirs, better than it can be done by the ordinary gradle and hand-take. This fact has fully tested in the harvest of 1863, and we respectfully refer to the following gentlemen who purchased and used these machines.—Messrs. W. T. McQuilkin, Adrian W. Jones, M. B. Letnen, Thomas Files, Hiram H. Lemen, Jenifer Hudgel, Aaron Fulk, Hugh Mc-Kee, and many others. Kee, and many others. THE VALLEY CHIEF has Two Driving Wheels, and is a double jointed flexible bar machine, giving it more advantages in taking up lodged and tangled grain than other machines have in mowing.—
Height of cut from one to fifteen inches can be reg-

placed without stopping.

THE SELF RAKE is perfect, and never fails on account of the wheat being Wet, Dry, Short, Thin, Tangled or Lodged.

Pamphlets containing full description and testimonials, furnished on application.

Price of Valley Chief Mower, \$130; freight added. Combined Reaper and Mower, usual size, \$200; freight added. Large No. 1 Reaper with extra Mower, \$225; freight added.
JUHN T. BILLMYER, Agent,
Shepherdstown, West Va.,
For Marsh, Grier & Co., Mount Joy, Pa.

OAK HALL Il Alive with a Fresh Stock of Made Up Clothing, for Spring and Summer wear, for Men and Boys.

CIPECIAL attention has been directed to and well selected Stock of city made and Eastern Shoes, for Ladies, Gente, Misses and Children. The Stock of Hats for Men and Boys is well selected.— Wool, Felt and Straw Goods, embracing the latest GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS. All the late style Paper Collars, and Broad end Neck Tice, black and colored. Notions in variety, Trunks, Umbrellas, Valises, in short, everything kept in a well conducted Furnishing House. I

and in price.

Thankful for past favors, I hope to merit a continuance of the same. Drop in at the New Sign, at Oak Hall. LLOYD LICKLIDER. Shepherdatown, April 20, 1869 tf.

would especially invite the trade to an examination

of my stock, feeling confident I can please in goods

NEW STORE AND NEW STOCK SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS! Just Received and Opened at the Store Room formerly occupied by D. S. Rentch. THE undersigned has the pleasure of informing the citizens of Shepherdstown and reighbor-ood, that he has commenced Merchandizing in Shepherdstown, and intends to carry on the same in all its various branches. It is unnecessary to give a list of articles and prices—it will be sufficient to say that everything that is required in a well regulated Store will be kept.

OF I promise to sell Goods upon the most reasonable terms, and invite all Cash purchasers to give me a call and examine Goods and prices before

purchasing elsewhere. All kinds of Country Pro-M. W. PRICE,

Formerly of Harper's Ferry.

OTICE TO NOTICE TO PAINTERS & TARMERS.

WOULD respectfully call the attention of Painters, Farmers, and others having painting of any kind to do, to my large and well selected stock of WHITE LEAD AND COLORS, Consisting in part of LEWIS' 'PURE WHITE LEAD, PURE BUCK LEAD, WHITE LEAD ZING—Chemically Combined one of the best White Paluts known; CHROME GREEN, YELLOW,

RED, BLACK, AND BROWN PAINTS. Having purchased the above goods for Cash, I am enabled to offer bargains to cash or prompt buyers. Give me a call before purchasing; no charge for showing goods, and am satisfied that I can sell 10 to 15 per cent, cheaper than any other house in the county.

H. M. BILLINGS, Druggist.

Shepherdstown, April 6, 1869. THE WILLCOX & GIBBS'

NOISELESS FAMILY SEWING MACHINE. WE claim for the WILLCOX & GIBB'S the fol-VV lowing points:
The "twisted loop stitch" made with one thread directly from spool, making a more elastic and duable stitch than is made by any other Machine, thus simplifying it by doing away with bobbins, shuttles, circular needles, under-spools and their attendant complications.

The impossibility of setting the needle wrong,

owing to patented device for adjusting the same.

The case and rapidity of motion, and not being able to turn backward by the foot, and non liabiliry to get out of order.
The great range of work-Hemming, felling, tucking, embroidery, sewing from finest lace to heaviest muslins or cloths without changing Machine.

KEARSLEY & SHEERER,

Agents for Jefferson and Clarke Counties. April 21, 1868. CO-PARTNERSHIP. THE undersigned have entered into a Co-Part-nership under the firm of STARRY & LOCK, for the purpose of conducting the Produce Com-mission and Forwarding Business at the Charles-

Jan. 15, 1867. J. J. D. STARRY. Jan. 15, 1867. J. LOCK. Fo the Farmers, Millers and Others IN THE COUNTIES OF JEFFERSON & CLARKE AVING associated ourselves in business for the In purposes of the above Card, we will pay for Wheat, Flour, Corn and all other kinds of Produce the highest market prices in Cash, or will receive and forward on Commission, making sales and re-

turns in the shortest time.

STARRY & LOCK.

Charlestown Dipot, Jan, 15, 1867. GENERAL AGENCY OFFICE.

THE subscriber will give prompt attention to Granting Policies for Life Insurance—Insurance against Fire—Collecting debts of every kind—Receiving subscriptions for News-dapers, Periodicals and Books, and orders for every variety of purchasable commodity in any one of the Cities. BUYING AND SELLING Produce and eyery species of Property. Preparing Deeds and Contracts under the best Legal supervision, and will attend to ALL kinds of Writing, Copying, Posting-up Books, Making off Accounts, &c.

GEO. ED. CORDELL.

Building, Opposite "Carter House,"

Charlestown, Jefferson county, W. Va.

March 2, 1869—6m.

NEW GOODS; ADIES' DRESS GOODS of every variety—Plain and Striped Muslins, Swiss Muslins, White Jaconets, Brilliant, Susamer Balmorals, Black and Colored Alpacas, White Trimmings and Edgings, Cotton Hose, Ladies' Gloves, &c., &c.

April 21, 1869.

A. W. CRAMER. THE Excelsior Cook Stove, for wood or coal, all sizes, (every stove warranted.) for sale by May 11. McCURD < & DUKE. April 37 A. W. CRAMER.

MISCELLANEOUS THE NEW ECLECTIC MAGAZINE.

THE LAND WE LOVE. Edited by Gen'T D H. Hill.

NOW IS A GOOD TIME TO SUBSCRIBE. Magazine. An instalment of a designation loyler commance by Berthold Auerbach, the prince of living German novelists, whose works are now creating such a sensation in this country. A realy to Prof. Huxley's lecture on The Physical Basis of L. A. which latterly his so engrossed the attention of the scientific world. A very pleasing article on the Woman Question, reprinted from The Southern Review. A Lecture by Prof. Garlland, of Kantucky, on the medical lessens of the late war, beside rarious other contributions on interesting subjects. Book Kaviews, Haversack, The Green Table, etc.

This Magazine is now without a rival in the South.
Trams—\$4.00 per a num, in advance.
Single numbers 35 coals: on receipt of which
price, specimen copies will be sent to any address.

Very liberal commissions to canvassers and Agte. Particulars sent on application. 35 cents apiece will be paid for copies of the April, 1867, issue, returned in good order to this office.

The trade supplied by Henry C. Taylor & Co. Baltimore.

All communications, except from the trade, shot be addressed to TURNBULL & MURDOCH,
June 1, 1889—tf.

Baltimore.

Baltimore.

COMPETITION DEFIED

J. GOLDSMITH'S CHEAP STORE. HAVE just finished receiving my suprly a Spring and Summer Dry Goods, Notions Claiming, &c., it is the most handsome in style at dlowe in prices than ever before. My mollois "Quick Salt and Small Profits." I intend to satisfy the public if prices, style and quality. Part of my Dry Goods embrace the following: Poplins Mouselains, Black and Colored Alpacas, Plain and Fancy Brilliants Scotch Plaids, Berage, Scotch and Domestic Ginghams, Flannels, Table Cloths, Balmorals, Crash, Ticking from 15c up; Muslin, bleached and unbleached, from 10c up, unbracing some of the best brands, Calicos from 10c up; White Goods in great variety, Honey Comb and Marseilles Spreads. For Ladies I have the greatest varieties in FANCY GOODS ever offered before, such as Rufflings, Frillings, Edging, Marseilles Triummings, Chineso lings, Edging, Marseilles Trimmings, Chineso Parasols and Sun Umbrellas, Kid and Lisle Thread Gloves, Collars and Cuffs, Dress Buttons, Perfumery, Corsets, Embroidered and Plain Handkerchiels, and Corsets, Embroidered and Plain Handkerchiels, and many other things too numerous to mention. Gents' Silk and Linen Hekks., Shirts of all descriptions. Bows and Ties in all styles, and a great many mero not necessary to enumerate.

I invite special attention to my stock of Clothing. Cassimeres and Cloths for Men, Youths and Children, embracing all the latest styles; Men's Whole Suits from \$4 to \$25. Boy's Wear at the very lowest rates. In HATS I have all styles, black, beauth and white-such as Albine. Velocipede.

brown and white-such as Alpine, Velocipede, Planter, Diploma, Don Quixotte, Success, Atlantic, Boss and many others, from 75 cents up. TRUNKS, TRUNKS, TRUNKS, Of all descriptions; Mattings and Oil Cloubs cheap.
Thankful to a generous public for past favors, I hope to merit a continuance of the same.
Terms positively Cash! Don't forget the place-adjoining the residence of Humphrey Keyes.
htay 11, 1869.

J. GOLDSMITH.

THE LONGER THEY COME, THE PRETTIER THEY GET! MRS. A. C. MITCHELL & CO. would meet re-spectfully announce to the Ladi's o cur town an iv cini y, as well as those of Clarke, hat they have just returned from the Eastern markets with a choice and well selected stock of Millinery, such as FRENCH PATTERN BONNETS. - HATS, RIBBONS, FLOWERS,

to which they invite an inspection. Accessions to our stock will be received weekly as the season advances, and prices made to su t the purchaser.

(13- Bleaching and P. essing done on an improved plan by machinery. Call Ladies early, and get something prests. May 11, 18 9. Free Press copy 1m. HARNESS, SADDLES AND BRIDLES.

LADIES' NECK SCARFS, &c.,

MANUFACTURED OR REPAIRED. At Charlestown, Jefferson County, Virginia, THE undersigned respectfully announce cato the citizens of Charlestown and vicinity, that he is constantly making and repairing Carriage, Gig, Buggy, Coach and Wagen HARNESS, SADDLES, ERIPLES, HALTERS, &c., in the most durable mapner, and the most modern style of work manship, and at short notice and upon "living" terms. My work commence itself. All I ask is a share of the public patronage.

ket-House Square. HENRY D. MIDDLEKAUFF. November 7, 1866-19 JAMES M. JOF ASTON. HAVING added some of the finest New Ma-chinery to the Shannondale Factory, now in use in the Valley of Virginia, is prepared, and will continue to manufacture WOOLLEN GOODS.

CLOTHS, CASSIMERES AND TWEEDS, and with his improved and superior facilities, is satisfied that he will be able to offer to the public an article of GOODS, that cannot be surpassed, if equalled, by any other establishment.

Of Baltimore Prices paid for WOOL in Cash.

He solicits orders.

LINSEYS, FULLED AND PLAID,

March 19, 1859-tf. JAS. M. JOHNSTON. PREPARE FOR COLD WEATHER. WE have the most extensive and complete aswhich we call the attention of the public. Our

Iron Boiler and Tin Heater attached ; Improved Egg Stove-Open or Air-Tight; Gas Burner Stores-for Heating one or tico Rooms ; Oriental Store-all sizes; Morning Glory-all sizes;

Extension-Top Cooking Store-with Cast.

And a great variety of other Stoves for Wood or Coal. Those desiring Stoves will please leave orders early.

Charlestown, September 3, 1868 AVIS' LIQUOR STORE, Spirit Building, Charlestown, W. Va.

HOME-MADE WHISKEY manefactured by his father, at the Distillery on the Shenandoah river. This whiskey is entirely without adulteration, and is as pure an article as ever came from the still. It is offered in any quantity that purchasers may desire, and is warranted to be just as represented. A. The proprietor would positively notify those who are in the habit of patronizing his bar, that he will hereafter sell exclusively for CASH, without

March 30, 1869-tf. JOHN R. AVIS. NOTICE. THE undersigned having removed to Charles-town, wishes to inform the citizens of Jefferson and Clarke counties that he will have on hand for Spring planting, a large and full assortment of FRUIT, SHADE and ORNAMENTAL TREES, in

large variety. Grape Vines of all sizes and of quality unsurpassed. Small Fruits—Strawberry Plants, Raspberry and Currant Plants, and everything else necessary for the Orchard and Fruit Garden. Also, Kitchen Garden Plants in Season, such as Cabbage, Tomato, Egg and Pepper Plants. I will also have a large variety of Roses and Bedding Plants generally. Plants generally.
Gardenson Mildred street, near Episcopal Church
WM. HOPKINS. March 16, 1869-3m.

POSITIVE NOTICE. HAVING made off our Accounts to January 1st.

1869, we earnestly request all parties indebted to us, by Note or Account, to come forward and settle the same at once. When we say settle, we mean pay up. Our circumstances are such that longer indulgence cannot and will not be given.—We therefore carnestly hope this notice will be sufficient for all parties interested. From this day forward we shall consider our accounts due at the end of each month, when payment will be expected, unless by special contract.

January 19, 1869. WEARICK & WELLER.

RENCH Blacking for polishing boots and shoes, Poreign Soaps, Pertumes and toilet articles, Biscotine Food for infants and invalids, Corn Starch, Mazena, Irish Moss, Gelatin, Burnett's Plavoring Extracts and Desicated Cocoanut, Sweet Quining, Family Dyes 10 different Colors, for sale by May 25. AISQUITH & WASHINGTON. E NGLISH and American Grain & Gran Scyther for sale by JAS. LAW, HOOFF

HORSE Rakes several different patents for late

THE BAR of this establishment is kept constant-ly supplied with the PUREST LIQUORS to be had, and the proprietor desires to call special atten-