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VIRGINIA

the profit to the per bbl....

little value.

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BENJAMIN.F. BEALL, Editor.

CHARLESTOWN, VA.

Tuesday Morning, December 7, 1809.

The Co-operative System -- Cheap Bread.

Mr. Editor :- There is almost an infinite

principle is the basis of all corporations, and has done more than has been accomplished

by all other means, to give success to the en-

ergies and develope the resources of commu-

nities and nations. What individual effort,

from its feebleness, would utterly fail to do, association by its power easily achieves.—Combinations of the kind referred to seemed,

however, until late years, to be the resort of

capitalists only, in the management of enter-

prises of vast proportions. The idea that they were available for the ordinary and every-

day affairs of men is of modern origin. Their

ntility is now finding illustrations in the com-monest concerns of life. They are no longer

powerful engines in the hands of the rich, but

most useful servants to minister to the wants

of the poor. Employing the economies which they make practicable, the scantiest means

are enabled to secure comforts which, isolated

and unassociated, they could never hope to

The plan of these associations is generally

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We, the undersigned, would return our thanks to our old friends for the very liberal patronage extended to us in the past, and would assure them that in the future, every effort that fidelity and the interest of all who may consign to us. Our Mr. Langdon's long experience as a practical Miller, gives us superior advantages in the sale of Bernard Hough, HOUGH & LANGDON,
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July 6, 1869-17.

BALTIMORE, MD.

an ability to furnish. It has occurred to me, however, that there is one article which all are interested to cheapen-one of the necessaries and indispensibles of daily life-the article of bread, that could be brought at greatly reduced prices, within the reach of consumers, through an organization such as we are now considering. The price of flour, to the purchaser by retail, is out of all just proportion to the price of wheat, and this condition of things benefits but a small class who stand between the farmer and the consumer. This class is composed of the millers and the merchants, chiefly of the latter.

A short time since, when inquiries were made, the prices of flour, at the stores and mills, were found to be as follows:

Or at the rate per bbl. of 9.60 Five bushels of wheat are required by the millers to make a barrel of flour, or they will furnish one barrel of flour to any one who will bring them that amount of grain. Wheat at the time was selling at \$1.10 per bushel, which was equivalent to \$5.50 per barrel for

When they sell by the barrel \$2.50 · When they sell by retail 4.10 The average consumption of each family, is supposed to be about six barrels per annum. The saving, then, to each family, could it deliver its own wheat to the mill, would be as

To the purchaser, by the bbl., per annum. .. \$15.00 To the purchaser by retail, per annum..... 24.60 But each one cannot buy and deliver for every barrel of flour, his own wheat to the mill without considerable cost and trouble. The co-operative system proposes a mode of obviating these difficulties. And just here the plan of its practical operations can best

be explained, Suppose there be an organization of three hundred consumers of flour. These would require during the year, according to our estimate, each six barrels of flour per annum. or eighteen hundred barrels in the aggregate For this amount there would be needed 9,000 bushels of wheat. Each member paying into a common treasury the sum of fifty cents per week, for the space of three weeks, there would accumulate the sum of \$450, with which to begin operations. This would purchase, say four hundred bushels of wheat, or eighty barrels of flour, and a sale to the members could then commence at the prices agreed

There would, of course, be certain necessi ry expenses attending the management of the affairs of the association. These could be estimated as follows:

Store room\$

Total..... 3650 With a stock of eighty barrels of flour above provided for, let sales to members be commenced at the following prices: to pur- were alongside the wreck, on the port side.chasers by the barrel at a profit of 75 cents, Some on the wreck yelled to them to go round to purchasers in smaller quantities \$1.50 per barrel. Dividing these customers equally, we have the following as the result in one

year of the profits of the association : Net profits after deducting expenses \$1,375.

To be divided among 300 members, or about \$4.58 each. A recapitulation will show the following

Difference, or amount saved......\$1.75

mount saved per ann

variety of subjects to which the benefit of association has been made applicable. This some idea of the character of association as it has been brought into domestic economy elsewhere. Should there be an inclination to try the experiment of an organization here, they may as mere hints be found to be of some

Bishop Doggett,

A writer for the Baltimore Episcopal

Methodist thus skethes this good Bishop: "St. Paul upon Mars' Hill was not more polished and polite, nor before Agrippa more courtly and grand. With his order of mind and long habits of study, all of his productions are fitly joined together and compacted by that which every joint supplieth." and made luminous and eloquent by the light and life of intellectual fervor, and chaste and elegant in the selection and connection of language, equally when dropping from the pen and the pulpit. He is a Chesterfield in politeness, without the cold fromalities of conventional

"As an advocate at the bar, he bears the strongest resemblance to Rufus Choat: and as an orator on populor occasions he is about equally removed from Edward Everett, and Mr. Webster. While he was an editor of the Quarterly Review he gave proof of his fine iscrimination and his superior skill in the proper sphere of literary criticism, and She hath a pleasant smile, a gentle way, won for himself a distinction in the proper use of the English language, as a vehicle of That even her father would not care for her. thought, that should make him the Addison of American Methodist literature; while his And when his sons are playing merrily.

She comes and leans her head upon his knee, a choice rhetoric, an carnest utterance, and a kindling power and pathos, that approach nearer what we conceive of the eloquent Apollos than any other apostle. With a finely-strung constitution, and highly-toned temperature, and with the nervous fluids near the surface; he is keenly alive to all his surroundings, and marvellously sensitive to each shifting scene upon the Methodist drama .-He lives in the sensation and puts himself in sympathy with the good."

A Heroic Act.

A few months ago, an engineer of an ex press train on the Panas Ivania Central Rail-road, going west, discovered an engine approaching him at such a rate of speed that he was at once convinced that it was without an engineer. He instantly whistled his breaks down, at the same time sending his fiireman back to uncouple his "tender" from the train, while he at the same moment uncoupled his hose and engine, and opening his throttle wide with his red flag jumped back and saw his train nearly stopped and on dashed the two engines toward each other like very demons. He broke gently on his tender, and finally stopped it, and in brethless silence watched for the collision. The engines came together, throwing each other clear off the track, and smashed all to pieces. He left his tender, and with his flag ran on to meet the express The profits, then, made by the millers and going east. It being two minutes behind time, he had just time to "flag it," and it was brought to a stop within a few feet of the wrecked engines, and one of those terrible accidents was avoided. For this heroic act the Company presented him a check for \$1,000.

WHAT HORSES BRING .- Horses of grea reputation have always commanded great prices. At Newmarket, in 1805, a bay colt, by Pipato, sold for \$75,000. In the same year a two year old colt by Beningborough, a two year old by Volunteer, and a three year old filly by Sir Peter, were sold for \$75,000 each. For the celebrated horse Shark, \$50, 000 were refused, and O'Kelly declined to accept an offer of \$100,000 for his stallion Eclipse. Tradition says that the Duke of Devonshire refused for Flying Childers the weight of the horse in gold. A few years ago, the great sire Stockwell could not be bought for \$100,000, and we presume that when Gladiateur was carrying everything before him on the English turf, the Count de La Grange would not have parted with him for \$150,000. Coming to America, we find that nearly \$15,-000 were paid for Lexington, and that his son, Kentucky, was sold for \$40,000. Mr. Alexander refused \$50,000 for Asteroid, Kentucky's half brother, and Norfolk, another half brother, was valued at \$40,000. Mr. Bonner paid \$35,000 for Dexter, and offers \$100,000 for one that can equal Dexter's wagon time. Turf, Field and Farm.

APPALLING INCIDENT .- The loss of the schooner Arrow and her entire crew, thirteen miles from Chicago, in the recent great storm; has been noted. The details reach us in the Chicago papers. A tug went to the rescue of the poor creatures in the wreck. The tug was but a quarter of a mile from the wreck, well to the windward so that the boat had little difficulty in floating down before the sea. The yawl behaved well. In twenty minutes they to the leeward, when they pulled round. surf was awful; Mr. Evans said it was what he called "a dead beat of a surf." A line was cast on board the ship, and in less time than 900 bbls. of flour, at 75 cts. per bbl....... \$ 675 it can be told the crew were in the boat.—
900 " \$ 150 " 1,350 They were not in it long, less than a minute, perhaps. The word was given, and the men were about to give way, when a huge 'comber' raised the bow of the boat, tipped it over backwards and spilled the human contents into the water. The crew of the Arrow were never seen again. Benumbed with cold and weak from starvation, they were incapable of making an effort to save themselves. They sunk like so many stones.

-"You have not one drop of the great Napoleon's blood in your veins," said the choleric Uncle Jerome one day to the present POETICAL.

DECEMBER

THE DUMB CHILD, She is my only girl;
I ask for her as some most precious thing;
For all unfinished was love's jeweled ring;
Till set with this soft pearl!
The shades that time brought forth I could not flow pure, how perfect, seemed the gift to me:

Oh! many a soft old tune
I used to sing unto that deadened ear,
And suffered not the slightest footstep near,
Lest she might wake too soon;
And hushed her brothers' laughter while she lay
Ah! needless care! I might have let them play.

Twas long ere I believed That this one daughter might not speed to may waited and watched. God knows how patiently.

How willingly deceived,

Vain Love was long the untiring nurse of Faith,
And tended Hope until it starved to death:

Oh! if she could but hear
For one short hour, till I her tor gue might teach
To call me mother, in the broken speech
That thrills the mother's car!
Alas! those sealed lips never may be stirred
To the deep music of that holy word! My heart it sorely tries
To see her kneel with such a reverent air,
Beside her brothers at their evening prayer;
Or lift those carnest eyes
To watch our lips, as though our words she knew
Then move her own, as she were speaking too.

To it bright wonder of a sunset sky, such depth of meaning in her eye,
That I could almost hope
ruggling soul would burst its binding cords
he long pent up thoughts flow forth in words.

The song of bird and bee,
The corus of the breezes, streams and groves.
All the grand music to which nature moves,
Are wasted melody.
To her; the world of sound a tuneless void;
While even silence bath its charm destroyed.

Her face is very fair;
Her blue eyes beautiful; of finest mould
The soft white brow, o'er which, in waves of gold,
Ripples her shining bair. Alas! this lovely temple closed must be, For He who made it keeps the master key.

Wills He the mind within Should from earth's Babel clamor be kept free E'en that His still, small voice and step might be
Heard, at its inner shrine,
Through that deep hush of soul, with clearer thrill?
Then should I grieve? O, murmuring heart be still!

She seems to have a quiet sense

Thank God it is not so ! O, at such times I know

By his full eyes, and tones subdued and mild,

How his heart yearns over his silent child.

Not of all gifts bereft,

Even now, how could I say she did not speak?

What real language light her eye and cheek

And renders thanks to Him who left Unto her soul, yet open avenues
For joys to enter, and for love to us! And God in love doth give.
To her defect a beauty of its own,

And we a deeper tenderness have known
Through that for which we grieve.
Yet shall the seal be malted from her ear, Yea; and my voice shall fill it - but not here. When that new sense is given, What rapture will its first experience be, That never woke to meaner melody
Than the rich speed bear
To hear the full toned anthelos werning

While angels teach the ecstacies of sound.

MISCELLANEOUS. Reminiscence of "Fifty-Seven."

The late Julian Legrand, a famous Paris merchant, was fond of telling the following incident of his mercantile life, and he never closed the narrative but with swimming eyes "During the financial crisis and crash of fifty seven, when great men were sinking all around us and banks were tottering, our house became alarmed at the condition of its own affairs. The partners, three of us, of whom I was the senior-met in our private office for consultation. Our junior had made a careful inventory of everything-of bills receivable and bills payable-and his report was that twenty thousand pounds (speaking in English currency) of ready money, to be held through the pressure, would save us. Without that. we must go by the board; the result was inevitable. I went among my friends, but in vain. The amount of money we needed was not to be had. Men who held gold would not let it go, save upon solid security, and the only security we could give was our word and

our honor, for the many thousands due us were as nothing in that hour. "Two whole days I strove and begged, and then returned to the counting house in despair. I sat at my desk expecting every moment to hear the voice of our junior sounding the terrible words, 'Our paper is protested!' when a gentleman entered my apartment unannounced. He was of middle age, with a frank, genial face, and though I faucied there was something familiar in his earnest, kindly look, yet I could not in any way call him to mind. "'Mr. Legrand,' he said, taking a seat near my desk, 'I hear that you are in need of

money.'
The very face of the man inspired confihee, and I told him just how I was situated. Give me your note of hand, at one year, thout interest, for £20,000, and I will give u a check for that amount." "While I sat gazing upon him in speechless astonishment, he continued thus :

"You don't remember me, but I remember bu. I recollect when you were a member of the superintending school committee of Mezieres. I was a boy at the school. My father was dead; my mother was poor; and I was but shabbily dressed, though clean .-When our class was called up to recite, on examination day, you asked the questions .-I fancied you would praise and pet the children of rich and fortunate parents, and pass me by. I blundered and stammered, and quivered with shame. But it was not as I had thought. In the end, you passed by all its fullest capacity; select nourishing and appointed who thinks that rich. plump. Juizy the others and came to me. You laid your easily digested food, and be sure that it is not pears can be obtained by digging a hole in hand upon my head and told me I had done overcooked; dress in coarse woollen clothing; any soil that comes handy, jamming in a tree very well; and then you told me I could do bathe for cleanliness and comfort; never better still if I would try. You told me that forcibly distend the lungs, but increase their the way to honor and renown was open to all capacity by exercise; and, finally, take no alike-no one had a free pass. All I had to medicines except as aids or additions to the do was to be resolved and push on. That, course of life recommended. sir, was the turning point of, my life. From that hour my soul was inspired, and I have never reached a great good without blessing you in my heart. I have prospered, and am wealthy, and I now offer you but a poor return for the soul-wealth you gave to me in

that by-gone time." "I took the check," said Legrand, "and drew the gold, and our house was saved .-And where, at the end of the year." he added. "do you suppose I found my promissory note?"
We could not guess.

"In the possession," he told us with stream-ing eyes, "of my little orphaned grand-daughwhat bring earth and heaven nearer together !"

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auty of this world. I

the the Infinite God, who made the

revelation of the omnipotence of God.

And when I reflect upon this world of con-

which, seen through telescope, faith in God,

revolve themselves into stars too distant to be

seen, and only brought to consciousness in

such a soul as Christ's-then I forgot the con-

stellation, and all the starry beauty of the

world, forget the joy of trust that constella-tion taught, and find delight in that higher

joy and nobler trust which my own nature has

Independence.

Almost the best defence, at least one of the

trongest safeguards of morality, is the feeling

of independence. If the world thinks that

to be right which you think to be wrong,

follow your own opinion, and preserve your

self-respect. Consider that you would rather

be honorable and despised, than honored and

despicable. If the world holds you in light

esteem, because it misunderstands your char-

acter, every mark of disrespect which it bestows

upon you is a certificate of the beauty and excellence of those virtues in which it er-

roneously supposes you to be deficient. But

if the world, while it knows your character,

disesteems you, because the principles that.

hoarse clamor or popular invective.

idicule, opprobium, and scorn.

A Maiden's "Psalm of Life."

day. Life is long and youth is fleeting, and

our hearts, though light and gay, still like

pleasant drums are beating wedding marches

all the way. In the world's broad field of battle, in the bivouse of life, be not like dumb

driven cattle-be a heroine-a wife. Trust no future; howe er pleasant, let the dead past

bury its dead! act in the living present, heart

within and hope ahead. Lives of married

sexes, which the great Author of being has

distributed to each with a wisdom which calls

for our admiration. Man is daring and con-

fident-woman is diffident and unassuming.

Man is great in action-woman in suffering.

Man shines abroad-woman at home. Man

talks to convince-woman to persuade. Man

To CONSUMPTIVES .- The following course

of life is recommended to Consumptives: Live

in the open air and sunshine; avoid dampness

and darkness in your dwelling; if possible,

choose a dry mountain region; develop by

vigorous exercise every muscle in the body to

- La partie, French paper, publishes the

following simple method of destroying the

grub which does so much damage to apple

trees: Place a piece of alor, about the size

of a walnut, in a quart of water; shake the

bottle from time to time during three or four days and apply the liquid with a small brush to the affected parts of the tree. If the weath-

er be dry, a single application will suffice.

"Go ahead! You can't turn my stomach !"

being of justice-woman of mercy.

and each one a husband get.

the constellation.

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FIELD AND FIRESIDE. GRAPE JELLY.—Strip from their stalks some fine, ripe, black-cluster grapes, and stir them with a wooden spoon over a gentle fire, ttle flakelet of snow, at until all haye burst, and the juice flows freely of angles, at the marvel-brought these curious from them; strain it off without pressure, and pass it through a jelly-bag, or through a twice-folded musliv; weigh, and then boil it rapidly ocean, e. th, air, three sister graces—for handmaids of attend this fielding of the sky. I
look and wonder at the stars; I am asthe shied at the heavy of the great constellation, Orion, which every night unveils its
mainstic head to the rest of men. I study its
mebula with a telescope, and it revolves itselfinto stars so distant that those mighty orbs
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- Joseph Harris gives the followi remedy for weedy land, having especial ref In fancy I clothe them with verdure and ence to high priced land, and where fall sown small grain is raised: Fall fallowing f people them with beasts, birds, fishes, insects and the like. I have confidence in the laws spring crops, to be seeded down with cli fall-plowing followed by summer-fallowing wheat, also to be seeded with clover; plants which lead and guide them, and are a great But if I compare them with man, with two hoed crops, such as corn and pot spirits, its laws, powers, its imperial duration, and its faculty of unbounded growth, and succession, and the constant use of the vator between the rows; and plowin Orion, with its nebula, seen to be stars, it is as much inferior to man as the snowflake to moved; passing the mowing machine wheat stubbles seeded with clove weeds appear, and keeping down the along the fence, and in waste places and ros sciousness, the powers born within us, which seem but as flakelets of a cloud now, but

- For the benefit of those who, like myself, are in a new country where apples are scarce, and beef much more so, I send you a recipe for mock mince pies : One teacup of bread; one of vinegar; one of water; one of raisins; one of sugar; one of molasses; onehalf of butter; one teaspoon of cloves; one ofcinnamon. The quantity is sufficient for three pies. They are equally as good as those made in the usual way. I have never yet seen a person that could tell the difference. Try them, all ye lovers of mince pies, and, my

word for it, you will pronounce them excellent .- Exchange. To CANDY FRUIT .- Take one pound a bowl of water; then place the sugar in kettle and boil down to a rich syrup; skin off any sediment that may gather on the top, take your solid fruit carefully from the jars, and dip in the hot syrup, and lay them carefully away to harden. By repeating this several times, your fruit will not only be beautiful to the eye, but delightful to the taste .- -Large white grapes, or oranges separated into slices, and prepared in the same way, are delicious, as well as the preserved fruit.

regulate your conduct are above the received standard of morality, and it is incapable of - Good Sponge Cake .- Alady contribu appreciating them, retire within your own the following recipe to the Western Rurals bosom and enjoy that serene consciousness of Break four eggs in a pan; then add two cups of pulverized sugar, and beat them well torectitude, which can sustain, undisturbed, the gether. Dissolve an even tea-spoon of soda in a teacup of buttermilk, and stir in with the He who has the fortitude and the constancy to do this, and to go on steadily in the path other; then add flour enough to make a still of duty visible to his eyes alone, experiences batter, together with a tea-spoon of salt, and not merely that tranquil satisfaction which a spices to taste Put it into two pans; it will sense of obligation fulfilled brings always with bake in helf an hour. Have the oven as hot the most exalted of which our nature isas you would for baking bread.

To wash hoop skirts, make strong, hot suds, and then rinse the skirt in this, rubbing it around the bottom with a soft brush. Resusceptible, that unalloyed felicity which is the prerogative of integrity invisible amid allurements or peril. The stern and solemn'joy. which bore the martyrs and heroes triumphant peat this process with fresh sads, and then and exulting through their trials, which sup rinse thoroughly in clear water; afterwa have some moderately thick starch made ported them, gave them the victory over shame and anguish, and death itself, is the due dip the skirt in as far up as you wish, bing the starch in with the hand. Ther reward of original and peculiar virtue-of the skirt on a line by the binding, and let it virtue manifested in spite of temptation-in dry. Select a clear day, but not too windy spite of what is still harder to be resisted,

A RICH DESERT .- Boil one pound of rice to a thick pulp; add a little salt to a pint of sweet milk. Take ripe peaches, pare, halve, Tell us not in idle jingle "marriage is an and sugar well, spread the rice on white muslin. mpty dream," for the girl is dead that's sinsize of common dumpling, place in each a de, and things are not what they seem. Life peach, wrap and secure each dumpling by a is real, life is earnest, single blessedness a fib; few stitches; place in a pot of hot water, boil "Man thou art, to man returnest," has been from three quarters to an hour, then remove spoken of the rib. Not enjoying and not sorthe cloths and eat while hot, with sweet cream row is our destined end or way, but to act that each to morrow finds us nearer marriage

and sugar. Tomato Figs.-Scald and remove skins from, sixteen pounds of sound, solid tomatoes; add six pounds of sugar; simmer slowly until the sugar penetrates the tomatoes, and they are clerified; then place them singly, upon plates, and dry in the sun ; reserve the syrup, and frequently sprinkle a little over them while they are drying; when thoroughly dry, pack in boxes, scattering white sugar between each layer.

folks remind us we can live our lives as well, JELLIES .- Never let your jellies get col and departing leave behind us such examples in the kettle ; if boiled too long it loses it as shall "tell;" such examples that another; flavor and becomes of a dark color. Str wasting time in idle sport formal unmarried the juice of the fruit through a thin ba brother, seeing, shall take heart and court .each pint of the juice add one pound o Let us, then be up and doing, with a heart on triumph set; still contriving, still pursuing, sugar, boil 15 minutes, skimming it time: pour while hot into your glasse in the sun for several hours, then PARALLEL OF THE SEXES .- There is an ly so as to keep all air out. admirable partition of qualities between the

APPLE JELLY.—Take of sweet apples, half bushel each; boil u tender; press out the juice and strain boil it down; when two-thirds boile add three pounds of sugar, then boil a thickness of current jelly; put a few drops lemon oil in each glass, or mould, pour in the hot jelly, and prepare as above. If rightly has a rugged heart-woman a soft and tender done, no jelly is superior. one. Man prevents misery-woman relieves it. Man has science-woman taste. Man

great care should be taken not to injure the has judgment-woman sensibility. Man is a roots. The failure among trees newly set out arises frequently from damage done in digging up the trees in the nursery. Before planting, all bruised and wounded roots should be cut off at the wounded part, making a clean cut with a sharp knife.

- A correspondent of the Journal of Horticulture says that everybody will be disjust taken from a rich nursery, and hastily crowding back the earth.

- A correspondent of the New York Fasmers' Club having asked how to clean encur ber and tomato seeds, was told to spread on a piece of paper in the sun to dry. They will be clean enough for home use, for commercial purposes, it is necessary to wash out the pu p

and dry them. - In Purdy & Johnston's Small Print Recorder the following directions are given for propagating blackberries : "Cut the roe's up in the fall; pack away in sand and sow n shallow drills in the spring; like peas-sear-

tering over the surface a little coarse manure. - An Ohio correspondent of the Country - "John," said a plous uncle to his nephew who was paying his first visit to the city; "John we'er in the habit of saying something Gentlemen recommends hill culture for sweet potatoes on prarie soil, instead of cultivation in ridges, and says that a haif shovelful of coal before we eat." "All right," said John ashes to the hill is beneficial.

CONGRESS AND THE MESSAGE The regular session of the present Cougress convened on yesterday, no doubt of a quorum being present from the arrivals to Sunday noon. The message from the President was expected to be sent in immediately after its organization, and should it prove of sufficient public impertance, we shall endeavor to lay it befare our readers in an extra.

In the meantime, that incorrigible "Brick" of the New York Democrat, professes to have got an insight into its main features, and violating all confidence in such cases extended. proclaims that the child of Jesse will give a graphic and detailed account of His summer wanderings.

His visit to Lydia Thompson, and the following her over the country:

His violation of the laws of Pennsylvania by fishing for trout on Sunday. His complicity in the gold movement in September.

How much he made by it. How much Mrs. Government made. How much Corbin lost.

ow much he prayed -or cursed -or both. ie actual amoent Grant has received in ane of bribes for office. or many appointments he has made withmary consideration. much he loses by deceased horses.

t he will do with Dent. e questions are ones of great moment American people, and because it is exa his message, that document will be largely

WHAT WILL CONGESS DO?

The questions before Congress, will be not so much political as financial. The country has had enough and too much of politics and political reconstruction. Let the States take care of themselves and give us legislation to benefit the people.

Since the war the people North and South (says the N. Y. Democrat) have toiled with untiring zeal to remove the traces of the late conflict, and wipe out the enormous debt so antonly, incurred.

In the South they have labored under the glimmer of the bayonet-in the North in the shadow of tax-collectors.

Congress has so far given no aid or encouragement to the people. Reconstruction, fat contractors, railroad monopolies, land grants and personal speculation have mocked the course of legislation for the past few years, till the only ones who have been benefited by Congress, Congressional acts, or Administrative protection, are bondholders, stock-jobbers, lobbvists, speculators, office scekers, and relatives of the Executive.

W ill the servants of the people legislate for the people, or will they not? If they will, country will soon be prosperous-if not, bankruptcy is sure to some at an early

THE INCOME TAX. re will be undobtedly a strong effort ht to bear on Congress to reneal the tax comes. The subject is attracting a great of attention, and the strongest pens of country are at work, both in favor of and ainst the tax. The New York World considers that the income tax exempts those who are most rapidly growing rich, and who are best able to bear the public burdens ; and as a large portion of the community consists of farmers who own the land and consume a large part of their productions, their real incomes can not be ascertained. The World sees another injustice of making the transient carnings of men who own no property, and who consume all they earn in supporting large families, contribute as much as the receivers of stable incomes derived from the profits of capital, or the interest of money :-Finally, the World says that the income tax was laid by Congress under the pressure of a great war which compelled the government to lay hold of, and strain to the utmost, every available resource. It was felt to be so objectionable in itself, that it was imposed for only a limited period. As that period is about to expire, and the revenue from other irces is not merely sufficient but redundant, hat that this unjust and unpopular tax t be renewed.

KAS AND MISSISSIPPI.

ions occurred in these States on of last week, but the returns are as complete that we can give no details. servative candidate for Governor in as. Hamilton, is conceded to be elected near 10,000 majority, whilst Alcorn, the Radical candidate for the same office in Mississippi, is elected by 20,000. Of the unfortunate and unexpected result in the latter State, the Washington correspondent of the . Baltimore Gazette, thus surmises :-

The defeat of Dent in Mississippi is accounted for in intelligent circles in different ways. Some Conservatives think that his being a "brother-in-law" was quite sufficient. Others cantend that this dose would have been swal- were married by H. Ward Beecher, on Tueslowed if the Missisippi Grant Conservatives had for yoked him with a full-blooded negro as Lieutenant Governor; while a third set avow that the election of Alcorn, the renegade, was a foregone conclusion; that the negroes were marched up to the polis and voted to the tune of Yankee Doodle, and the prick of the becomet. Surely any one of these protein is abundantly sufficient to occount for he detect. Taken all together, they afford caren of congratulation that the stupid scheme of compromise and degradation, concocted here by wormout political backs has come to

EXPENSIVE .- The new "Arlington Hotel" in Washington, creeted by Mr. Corcoran, is just completed, and all the rooms are taken at enormously high figures. A newspaper correspondent pays \$300 a month for three rooms on the third floor, and board for himrelf, wite and maid. A member of Congress from Wisconsin pays 8500 a month for three er six collars and a half a day each jerson. years .- New Era.

INTERESTING CASE.

The editor of the Valley Star, Martins-burg, having visited Shepherdstown during the recent term of our Superior Court, thus notices an important cate that was before it: The case of Harris vs. Lewis was in the progress of judical solution, during the few hours we were there. This was one of those curious cases which could alone grow out of the late war. Lewis bought two horses of been falling since noon, and now as the eventure in 1864, and gave his bond for two ming is throwing its shadow athwart the earth, hundred dollars in gold; to be paid "six-months after a ratification of a peace between the United States and the Confederate States." Messrs. Kennedy and Wilson, who were the managing counsel for the plaintiffs had ex-hausted all the resources of pleading in pre-paring a declaration embracing four or five counts, so as to present the case in a form that might meet every objection that could be urged by the counsel for the defendant. In one count the period of peace was fixed at the date of President Johnson's proclamation announcing the termination of the rebellion and withdrawing the armies from these States. In other counts, the time for the payment of the money was declared to be an impossible event, and the bond claimed to be due on its execution. But all the skill and ability of the counsel for the plaintiff in

framing their declaration proved abortive .-Mr. Faulkner, who appeared for the defence, demurred to each count of the declaration and the court sustained the demurrer. This we thought had ended the case, but Messrs. Kennedy and Wilson now asked leave to file an additional count declaring upon the bond a covenant to pay so soon as the rebellion was crushed. Mr. Faulkner admitted a general demurrer would not lie to the count, but promptly craved over of the bond and demurred for the variance between the bond and declaration. This movement of the defendant's counsel was sustained by the court and those veteran pleaders for the plaintiff having exhausted every possible aspect of the case were now flat on their backs. They were compelled to submit to a verdict for the defendants. We have rarely been more entertained than by this sharp encounter of professional strategy and pleading. If the plaintiff failed in his cause it certainly was not the fault of his acute and skilful lawyers, Kennedy and Wilson, who did all that legal science could accomplish to maintain a case incurably bad in its inception.

[The demurrer to the last count was, we learn, not sustained by the court, but overruled. At this point in the pleadings, Mr. Faulkner offered two special pleas claiming that the consideration of the bond sued on was illegal, because it was against the statute These pleas were objected to but allowed to be filed, thus presenting an issue for a jury. A jury was sworn; and, after the case was opened on behalf of plaintiff and defendant. Mr. Kennedy offered the bond in evidence to the jury. To this Mr. Faulkner objected for a variance between said bond and the fourth count in the declaration, and his objection was sustained by the court. There being no evidence of the debt except the bond, this opinion of the court put an end to the case, the jury finding a verdict for defendant. We learn that the case will go to the Court of Appeals. ED. SPIRIT.]

EMIGRATION.

A party of eighteen persons from Unshi county, in this State, (says the W. Register.) crossed at Benwood, Thursday night, en route for Oregon. They are the advance of a large colony from Upshur whose removal to Oregon will be completed next Spring. These emigrants represent the political condition of things in their section of West Virginia to be intelerable, and therefore they seek a freer and more comfortable locality. The drain upon our population which proscription has caused, has been steadily on the increase for more than two years. It is to be considered also that by it we are losing. our best people, not our worst. Men of no character, no ambition and no worth can readily accommodate themselves to the state of affairs in the back counties. They can renounce their own opinions, hurrah for carpet-baggers and scalawags and live in a species of comfort. But men of principle, standing and property, whose presence is of vast benefit to the community in which they live, are not the men to compromise with political iniquity. They can't stand it, they denounce it, they incur special enmity and when the persecution gets too hot they leave. That is about the philosophy of West Virginia emigration: Cannot the Legislature devise some means to make our people contented and retain them in the State?

LATEST SENSATION. The public were startled two weeks since. by the shooting of A. D. Richardson, an attache and prominent writer for the New York Tribune-by a lawyer named McFarland .-The story runs thus :- McFarland was a married man, and had two children; Richardson went to board at the same house, enticed the wife away, took her to another boarding house, sent the children away. - then sent the wife to Illinois to get a divorce. After months of separation, McFarland pursues Richardson, finds him in the Tribune office, and shoots him with a revolver. Richardson-is not expected to live; McFarland may be hanged, and the woman may live to repent of her complication in the matter.

The finale-Richardson and the woman day last, and he died on Thursday. His funeral was marked by all the pomp and cir--but the question is, as to what

ANNIVERSARY. - Thursday last was the tenth anniversary of the hanging of old John Brown. Had the day been immortalized by the meting out of the same just deserts to the hundreds of his coadjutors in treason, it would live, in the history of the country as the producet one in its aunals.

- The protracted meeting held in the Presbyterian church at Gerrardstown, closed on Sunday evening, the 28th ult. The occasion was rendered more interesting by the presence of Rev. Lewis F. Wilson, who was for many years the faithful pastor of the charch, and who on this occasion preached rooms and board for himself and one daughter, with the vigor and earnestness of his meridian

LETTER FROM BALTIMORE.

Snow Storm in the City-Bullimore of Old and Baltimore of To Day - Magnificent Improvements—the Triumph of Enterprise and Art—the Splendid Piano Manufactory of Charles M. Steiff - Dramatic Notes.

BALTIMORE, December 2, 1869. Dear Spirit :- The "beautiful snow" has ne scene of life and bustle, of hurrying people and jangling teams, moving swiftly to and fro through the scudding flakes, grows in picturesque interest before the eye. A snowstorm in the city is always an incident of dramatic import, both in what it seems and what it suggests, what it does and what it may do. The charm of poetry floats with the flakes in the air and sleeps with them on the tufted chimney tops, the whitened roofs, and muffled window-sills. There is a colder gleam in the struggling lamplight in the streets. and as night steals on apace it is no longer the blazing beacon of belated dames and plodding men, but a gleam like that of the stars when the sky is "flecked with bars," and the "ring is around the moon," serving to show just how cold and dark and still it is. It is then that we think of the glory and shame, the luxury and distress, the sport and the disaster that the snow wreaths crown, and we laugh or cry as the humor suggests. A strange, weird scene indeed is a snow storm in the city, stranger and weirder still at night. The storms of a hundred years ago swept over scarcely aught clsa at Bultimore than

hill and dale, forest and bog. Twenty or thirty houses, mostly rude and ill-fashioned, were then all that the locality could boast, and they were occupied by less than two hundred people, big and little, old and young .-It does not seem so long since though. The grand children of some of the "gallant two hundred" are doubtless in town to day, mingling in the busy crowds, proud perhaps of their traditions, and yet marveling not at the changes of time. "The times change and we change with them," is one of those wise old saws that does not succumb itself to the moral it inculcates. Its pith and point are perrennial. Memories may live, but landmarks must perish. Progress has need of none of the realities of the past, save to cover them up with the record of its achievements.

There are now fifty thousand houses, most of them models of comfort and elegance, upon the once wild and jungled hills of Baltimore. and the population is estimated at three hundred and fifty thousand. Over three thousand new buildings, public and private, have been erected within the past year alone -The real and personal property of the city, once estimated by 'ew paltry thousands, isreginet wagers, and against Public Policy. - now valued by millions, and \$350,000,000 is the figure! And all within a hundred years! Memories of Manhattan are overshadowed .-New York has never known such progress. and now that the Monumental City has leaped so bravely forward in the race for commercial

supremacy, never will. The improvements that have taken place within the past twelve months are perhaps the most magnificent that have been made during any previous year. They comprise many superb marble, iron and brick warehouses, of mammoth dimensions and beautiful designs, besides a very large number of. palatial residences. The march of improvement is not confined to any particular section or district, but on all sides, everywhere, the hammer and the trowel are busy. It seems that they are never at rest, and that they never will be. Wealth accumulates, the city grows, her influence extends from ocean to

Baltimore is a power on land and sea. In science and art the city occupies already a very enviable place. In manufactures especially, as well as in commerce, she has become brilliantly distinguished. It is not merely in her woolen and cotton fabrics, her carpet factories, her milling and refining establishments that she is great. She has achieved a victory in manufactories of far higher significance to the refined and cultivated people of the South. The triumph of her pianos-a triumph felt wherever music is appreciated, and where in the South is it not? has despoiled New York of one of its most precious gems, and thrown a damper upon the pretensions of the greatest musical capitals of the Old World. It seems almost like a dream that the skill and energy of a single firm could have succeeded, in so brief a time as has elapsed since the close of the war, in securing for itself, in such a field, amidst such competition, a position so far in advance of that occupied by any other house of the kind in the United States. The splendid establishment of Charles M. Stieff is one of the most commanding monuments of Baltimore

enterprise and art-success. The Stieff pianos, of which the Spirit has recently had occasion to speak, have become famous as the sweetest, grandest, most delightful instruments that have ever been manufactured or introduced in America. This is no mere idle vaunt, suggested by sectional pride or designed to benefit a name or a locality, but a fact which has been more gracefully recognized by such eminent persons as Generals Robert E. Lee, D. H. Hill, Robert Ranson, Governor John Letcher, Right Rev. Bishop Whittle, of Alexandria, Bishop Wilmer of New Orleans, and hosts of professional musicians and critics throughout the Union. Such testimony is "confirmation strong as holy writ," and can scarcely be enhanced by even the further exceedingly gratifying fact that gold prizes have been awarded this distinguished manufacturer at the fairs at Staunton, Lynchburg, Wytheville, Wilmington, Raleigh, Rome, at various places in the West, and at the Maryland Institute Fair in Baltimore. Since the close of the war, seven hundred of these planes have been sold in the South, four hundred of which number have been purchased by Virginians; and the establishment is turning out ten pianes every week. The house already employs over a hundred men, and has recently erected an additional extensive factory : but the increasing demand in the South has necessitated the erection of still another which will soon be under way. The beautiful new ware rooms No. 9. North Liberty street, are among the most attractive in the city, a full and proper cumstance of New England puritanism, and description of which would occupy at least his immaculate body canonized as a martyr! a column of the Spirit. Five stately iren stories, white as the snow itself, rise into the 'upper air." presenting a spectacle of architectural grace and beauty worthy of the triumph of which it is indicative. Some day I may take your readers with me through it, and detail the wonders it contains. In the meantime, let us thank our better genius that we are disenthrailed from Northern music this year. 1200 barrels of pippins for \$4800 boxes and ratring sound boards, and under This is the Green Newtown pipin, thrifty in our own vine and fig tree can listen to the many places in the Valley. music of our own incomparable instruments,

from the factories of cur own unrivalled Stieff. The theatrical season has opened in earnest, and for the rast week or two paptomine has been the favorite. The Zanfretta and Caron troupe at the Front Street, and Fox's Humpty Dumpty at the Concordia, have been ty, has been changed to Riverton, and George making mints of money. The Holiday St. Theatre dragged, with a very clever actress too, Miss Kate Reynolds, all of last week, but is doing fairly with the Florences now. More of woolen goods in successful operation in PATAPSCO. | Frederick county. anon.

General Thomas's Report upon the Federal Cemeteries in Virginia.

Arlington receives attention irst. General Thomas recommends that the mansion be repaired and improved, and that hot-houses and paired and improved, and that hot-houses and a conservatory be built there, and that flowers and plants be raised for general distribution throughout the land, etc. He condemus the keeping of five cometeries just in the immediate vicinity of Riemmond Cemetery from several of them. He speaks of the general good condition of the cemeteries throughout the Fredericksburg Cemetery he says that out hypocrisy. of fifteen thousand and old soldiers but two thousand and four hundred are known; of 6,300 at Richmond, but 800 are known; of 5.623 at Poplar Grove, but 2,000 are known : of 12,000 at Arlington, nearly 4,000 are unknown, and so on throughout the State.— Very many of the cemeteries are upon the scenes of the battle fields whose names they

General Thomas reports that he invariably found the people residing in the vicinity of the cemeteries much disposed to assist in their protection from evil-disposed persons.— In the seventeen Virginia semeteries - Arlington, Atexandria, Ball's Bluff, Winchester, Staunton, Culpepper, Danville, Fredericks-burg, Richmond, Cold Harbor, Seven Pines, Fort Harrison, Glendale, Poplar Grove, City Point, Hampton, and Yorktown—a total of 68.713 Union officers and soldiers, black and white, are buried.

A WESTERN CITY.-The population of Cleveland, Ohio, is said to have reached the astonishing aggregate of ninety thousand. In 1860 it was only thirty-six thousand. We do not know how true the present estimate may be, but presume it is not far from the mark, as the manufacturing industry of the place has made immense progress. Nine hundred thousand barrels of refined petroleum are said to be shippid from there every year, and the iron manufactures have also made amazing advance. The ornde petroleum is taken from Penusylvania to Cleveland to be refined, and vet it pays to transport it thither and then carry the refined oil to the seaboard at Philadelphia for shipment.

The reason of this is one that possesses peculiar interest for us. Cleveland is the cheapest city west of the Alleganies in which to live or to carry on business of any kind. It is. built on a level plain, with abundance of room on all sides for building purposes, and its people build houses instead of speculating in lots. The consequence is manufacturing industry seeks location there.

TUNKERS IN THE VALLEY.-The Rock ingham Register gives an interesting account of the religous and social customs of the Tunkers, in which it says:

There are no means by which we can ascertain the number of communicants in the Tunker church. If we are not mistaken, they do not keep any record. We are satisfied, however, that the number of Tunkers in this county must reach three or four thousand The society is growing rapidly. The title Tunker, we belive, was first applied derisive and is taken from dipper. They are German Baptist, but do not refuse to accept the title Tunker. We doubt not that in the course of time almost the entire agricultural portion of our valley will be peopled with them

C. & O. R. R.-The eastern terminus Richmond, and the western, the mouth of Bis Sandy river; length of the line complete to White Sulphur Springs, two hundred and twenty five miles; incomplete two hundred miles. Cost of construction, estimated at goin prices, \$12,000,000; debt \$3,000,000; mated cost of completion \$10,000,000 amount to be furnished by the contracting parties \$15.000,000. Connections : Western ria. Lexington, Ky., Louisville, St. Louis and Memphis via Ohio river route, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Chicago, Indianopolis via. Chillicothe and Columbus branch lines embraced in the charter. Covington to Lynchburg one hundred miles, Goalsmouth to Point Pleasant forty five miles. Total vote of stock holders anthe recent meeting 56,000 shares; for the contract 51,000, against it 5,000.

SUEZ AND PANAMA.—The Isthmus of Suez, connecteng Asia and Africa, is 72 miles in width, while the Isthmus of Panama, con necting North and South America, is only 28 miles wide. It is therefore, urged by practical engineers that a ship canal can be excavated over the latter at a much less cost than the one just opened over Suez The Nicuragua route, up the river San Juan, would require a canal only 16 miles in length, the remainder of the route being by way of Lake Nicaragua, some ninety miles and the river. The Tehuantepee route, 230 miles from ocean to ocean, runs throughout along the Coatzacoslces river. By any of the routes, it is asserted, a canal can be quickly and economi cally excavated.

- Data telegraphs the Baltimore Sun that among the features of the new census bill the' committee will report a provision for increasing the number of members of the United States House of Representatives to 300 By oversight, the matter was not considered by toe sub committee, but attention has been called to it by the members of the general com-

- Rev Samuel W. Watkins, formerly of Prince Edward and Albemarl counties Va. has been invited to supply the Massanutten congregation of the Presbyterian Church in Rockingham, and has entered upon the discharge of his duties.

- Mr. Samuel H. Hockman, a resident of Warren county, was found dead in his field on the 30th ultimo. He had been suffering with the heart disease for several years, and the impression is that that was the cause of - Mattie Davis, one of the New Orleans

it wasn't so," and she was instantly struck blind, deaf and dumb. She remained in the comatoes state for seventy-two hours when she According to a statement in the Richmond Eequirer the banking capital of Virginia before the war was about \$11,000,000.

demimonde "hoped God might paralyze her if

or \$15.89 to each inhabitant; now it is only \$2,400,000, or \$3.18 to each inhabitant. - Mr. Goss, in Orange, sold on his farm

- A. B. Bain, Esq., was recently appointed Post-Master at Darkesville, in Berkeley county, vice John Wysong, deceased.

- Confluence Post office, in Warren Coun-Moore, Esq., appointed postmaster. - There are at this time, seven factories

respondent of the Baltimore Gazette, under

date of Sunday, says: All of the members of Congress elect from Virginia are expected to be present at the opening of the two Houses to morrow for the purpose of presenting to Congress the claims of the State for prompt recognition as well as for the admission of the candidates elected to seats in Congress. It is devoutly to be hoped that these men, whoever they may be, and whatever may be their color, may be "ad-mitted" without more ado, and that an end, the State, and makes many suggestions in in some way, up matter what, may be put to reference to their further improvement. Of further crawling fawning, sycophancy, and

- Dr. Schos pe, now under sentence of death at Carlisle, Pa., for the murder of Miss Steinecke, has applied to Baron Gerolt, the Prussian Minister, to interfere in the case .-Baron Gerolt has replied to him that under the laws and in the courts of this country be is certain to receive justice; that he is not now a citizen of the German Confederation. and that he does not think he can with propriety interefer in the matter

TARRIED.

Near Charlest vn, on Wednesday, December 1, 1869, by Rev. W H. Meade, Mr. OSCAR M. LU-CAS to Miss KATES. CRANE, eldest daughter of Col. Joseph Crane-all of this county At the Presbyterian Church in Charlottesville, Va., on the 26th ult., by Rev. Edgar Woods, Mr. CHARLES JAMES FAULENFR, Ja., of Martins burg. W. Va.; and Miss SALLIE WINN, youngest daughter of the late Benjamin Winn, of Albemarke county. Va. No cards.

On the Bridge at Harper's Ferry, October 27th, 1869, by Rev. J. C. Stewart, SMITH L. McFILLEN and SARAH R. WHITTING TON—both of Jefferson On the 25th ult., by Rev. W. S. Penick, CASPER E JOHNSON to Miss ANNA E. SMALL—both of Berkeley county

On the 24th ult., at Mt. Zion Church, Hedgeaville, by the Rev. Charles Page, CHARLES J. WEVER to FANNY B., youngest daughter of Col. R. V. Snedgrass, dec'd—all of Berkeley county. On the 25th ult., by the Rev. E. D. Owen, Z. F. BRANTNER to Miss ANN R. CHAMBERS, daugh ter of Anthony S. Chambers, Sr., of Martinsburg.

In Martinsburg, on the 29th ult., by Rev. W. D. Hanson, Mr. Y. A. PRINGLE, of Oakland, Md., te Miss LIZZI H. BLAKELEY, of Martinsburg. At Harper's erry, on the 23d ult,, by Rev Father O'Keff, L. J. S. OAN, of Harper's Ferry, to Miss N. E. KELLY, formerly of Baltimore city:

In Martinsburg, on the 25th nit., of Pneumonis, Miss JANE SLAUGHTEK in the Sist year of her

On the 28th att. in Bergeiev county, Mrs. JANE. GRAY, mother of the late Capt. James W. Gray, in the 86th year of her age.

On Wednesday last, at her residence in Smith-field, Miss MARY MOORE aged about 70 years.

Mr. CHRISK NE BRADFORD, wife of Dr. Wm

SPECIAL NOTICES

The Great Pictorial Annual.

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and all civilized countries of the Western Hemi-

of health should read and ponder the valuable sug-gestions it contains. In addition to an admirable

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the mechanic the miner, the farmer, the planter, and professic all man; and the calculations have

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December 7, 1869.

A CARD.

A Clerg man, while residung in South America as missionary, discovered a sale and simple remedy for the Cure of Nervous Weakness. Early Decay, Diseases of the Urinary and Seminal Organs, and

the whole train of disorders brought on by baneful and victous habits. Great numbers have been cured

by this noble remedy. Prompted by a desire to benefit the afflicted and unfortunate. I will send the

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To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the

prescription used, (free of charge.) with the direc-tions for preparing and using the same, which they

will find a sunz Curz for Consumption, Asthma,

remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may

Parties wishing the prescription, will please ad

Williamsburg, Kings county, New York.
November 30, 1869-1y.

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A Gentleman who suffered for years from Ner-yous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects

of youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffer-ng humanity, send free to all who need it, the re-

by the advertiser's experience, can do so by addressing, with perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN.

Nov. 30, 1869—1y. No. 42 Cedar st., New York.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

THE Notes given at my sale, (February 3, 1869.)

The past due, and all that remain unpaid by

January 1st, 1870, will be placed in the hands of

my Attorneys for collection.

JCHN A. WASHINGTON.

December 7, 1869-4t.

LAGG'S Instant Relief cures Rheumatism, Neu-

T ralgia, Headacle, Toothache, Earache, Pain in the bide or Chest, Chilblains, Borns, Freezes,

WISHART'S Pine Tree Cordial.—This Cordial will cure Consumption. Inflammation of the Lungs, Coughs, Sore Throat, Bronchitts, Croup, &c. Harper's Ferry, Dec. 7. C. E. BELLER.

L'XTRACT COFFEE-six boxes for twenty-five

Sprains, Bruises, Cuts, &c., for sale by Harper's Ferry, Dec. 7. C. E. BELLER.

upt and directions for making the simple remedy which he was cured Sufferers wishing to profit

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October 5, 1869-6m.

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OLD VIRGI YA .- The Washington cor- WINCHESTER AND POTOMAC R. R. TIME TABLE.

TRAINS GOING WEST. ave Harper's Ferry at 7 00, 8 35 A M, 1 30 P M. ave Shenandoah at 7 04, 8 39 A M and 1 34 P M. ave Keyes' Switch at 7 17,847 A M and 1 42 P M. ave Halltown at 7 26, 8 53 A M and 1 48 P M. ve Charlestown at 7 44 9 04 A M and 1 59 P M. ve Cameron's at 8 02, 9 15 A M and 2 10 P M. Leave Cameron's at 8 02, 9 15 A M and 2 10 P M.
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Leave Opequon Bridge at 8 46, 9 43 A M, 2 38 P Me
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50,000 FEET Prime Lumber, for sale by JAS. LAW. HOOFF. SHINGLES and Locust Posts, for sale by
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PURE Irish Glue, for sale by December 7. JAS. LAW. HOOFP. \$1,25 ONLY, for a first rate Sansage Grinder.

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SLEIGH Baskets for sale by, STRAYED.

On the 17th out, at her residence in Berkeley county, of Apoplexy, Mrs. MARGARET LOCK-HART, wife of Benjamin Lockhart, Eeq, and daughter of the late Capt, Joel Ward, of Mill Crock, aged 7 ears.

On the 23th har, at her residence near Millwood, Wr. EMPLO VER DE ADECIDIO. ROM the premiser of the subscribers on or about A. Bradford and daughter of the late Dr. Philip TWO HOGS,

one a large Brood Sow, white, with large black spots; the other is similarly marked but is now fat enough to kill. They are both marked with a hole in the left car, and a clip out of the right. Any in-formation in regard to them will be thankfully re-R. P. CHEW. November 23, 1869-3t.

CASH, AND CASH ONLY!

WARREN EBY desires to notify persons who W have heretofore had Accounts with him, that commencing with Wednesday, December 1st, 1869, his Goods will be sold for Cash only: The extreme difficulty of making collections renders this step imperative, and it will positively extend to every account on his books except those who have paid promptly. No offence will, he hopes, be taken by any one. Prompt settlement of Notes and Accounts required. November 30, 1869.

GOODS AT COST! Goods at Cost for every description of Produce!

AM selling off my large stock of Goods at Cost for Country Produce-Ap les, Dried Fruit of all kinds, Pork, Potatoes, Butter, &c., &c., and CASH! Important to buyers Call. Nov: 30, 1869. S. A. HAMBURGER. Nov: 30, 1869.

FRESH ARRIVAL! OWELL & BRO., are now receiving at the new stand, a large and well-selected stock of FALL AND WINTER GOODS,

consisting of Dry Goods, Notions, Groceries, Boots Shoes, Hats, Caps, Queensware, &c., all of which they are prepered to offer at the very lowest rates for cash, or to prompt thirty day customers. The difficulty of making collections this fall, has convinced them of the propriety of limiting their credit to thirty days, feeling satisfied it will be to the ad-vantage of both increhant and customer. They hope by strict attention to business to merit a full share of the public patronage. October 19, 1869.

recipe for preparing and using this medicine, in a scaled envelope, to any one who needs it, Free of Charge. Address JOSEPH T.INMAN. BBACK AND FANCY CASIMERES; Fine Black Cloth; Repellant Cloth for Ladies Cloaks; The Advertiser, having been restored to health in Black and Chinchilla Cloths for Cleaks and Overcoats; Sattinets, Twedes, &c., just received and for eale by HOWELL & BRO. a few weeks, by a very simple remedy, after having suffered several years with a severe lung affection. and that dread disease Consumption - is anxious to make known to his fellow-sufferers the means of

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WANTED TO EXCHANGE, MY STORE HOUSE, STOCK OF GOODS, and

IVI the Business which has been successfully conducted for years, in Boonsboro'. Washington county, Maryland, for a small FARM, well improved. in the Valley of Virginia. Persons wishing to make auch an exchange, will please make immediate application to me.

J. HORINE WEAST.

Boonsboro, September 28, 1869. A BARGAIN!

A NY one wishing to purchase a Second Size Mc-t ORMICK REAPER, in perfect condition, which has just gone through the present harvest, doing its work admirably, can have a bargain, and will be allowed nine months credit on nearly all of July 13, 1869—tf. THIS OFFICE. FOR SALE. IMPROVED GEISER THRESHING

A MACHINE, which has been in use but one season, and is in perfect condition. Will be sold on a credit of six months, the purchaser giving bond and approved security. For information, apply THIS OFFICE. June 22, 1869-tf. TUMBERLAKE, YOUNG & CO'S Clothe, Cassi

I meres, Linseys, Flannels, Blankets, Stocking Yarn, &c., for sale at Factory prices. Also, Sta-tionery, Elrosia Cigars, Smoking and Chewing Tobacco. Wall Paper, new style Window Shades, all GEO. F. CORDELL & CO...
November 9, 1869 Opposite Carter House.

S AGE, Whole and Ground Pepper, Saltpetre, Co-rianger Seed, and Spices generally, for sale by November 16. W. EBY. SAUSAGE Cutters and Sausage Fillers, for sale by W, EBY. GREAT American Gift Candies—each package Contains a Watch, Chain, Breastpin, EarRings, Sleeve Boltons, Shirt Studs, Rings or other article of Jewelr, —price 25 cts. For sale by Hirper's Ferry, Dec. 7. C. E. BELLER. CIGARS, Stogies, Smoking and Chewing Tobac-co-a good assortment for sale by October 12, 1869. W. EBY.

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CHARLESTOWN FEMALE SEMINARY. THE Seventh Annual Session of this Institution will open on MONDAY, THE 13TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER NEXT, at the rooms of Major Kearsley, in Charkstown.

The course of instruction embraces the usual

branches of English education taught in our scincluding also Latin, French and Music. TERMS: The Primary Class, for each session..... \$12 00

Oce-half in all cases to be paid in advance for Boarding will be provided and further particulars nade known on application to the subscriber.

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THE next Session will commence on MONDAY.
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Being provided with competent Assistants, every advantage for a thorough course in English, the Languages, Drawing, Music on Piano and Organ, will be afforded: Particular attention will be paid to Music, and pupils will be required to play at the idusical Soirces, when the friends of the pupils can have an opportunity to judge of their progress.

Vocal Music will be taught in classes as well as by mirate lesson. For Circulars, Terms, &., apply to the Princip August 3, 1869. Mas. A. M. FORREST.

PUBLIC SALE.

By virtue of a Deed of Trust executed to me as Trustee, by William Matthews, on September 30th, 1868, duly recorded in the Recorder's Office of Jefferson, county, West Virginia, I will sell at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, in front of the Sappington Hotel in Charlestown, in said county. On Saturday, the 11th day of December, 1869, at 12 o'clock, M., ONE WHEAT DRILL, I HORSE-RAKE.

Three Horses. TERMS OF SALE.—A credit of Ninety Days will be given—bond and good security being required of purchaser.

THOMAS C. GREEN, Trustee.

November 23, 1869, THE RIPPON STORE.

HAVING purchased the stock of Mr. A. Jones, at Rippon, Jefferson county, West Virginia, and added largely thereto, we present to the public of Jefferson and Clarke inducements not heretofore put forth at the Rippon Store. We have a full line FALL AND WINTER DRY GOODS,

LADIES' DRESS COODS, GENTLEMEN'S WEAR, CLOAKING CLOTHS, CLOTHS, CASSIMERES. Shawls, Blankets, Bed Spreads, Counterpanes, Gloves, Hosiery, Dress Trimmings, Boots, Shoes, Hats and Caps—great variety.

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Sugars-all the grailes! Teas-all the best brands A Fine Assortment of Liquors! Our stock embraces every article usually found a country store, and prices are as moderate as elsewhere in the county. We invite an examina-tion of our Goods, lecting assured of our shility to suit customers. A.C. TIMBERLAKE & CO. Rippon, Nov. 23, 1869.

GOLDEN SHOWERS!

LISTEN TO THE GRAND MUSIC! IT IS NO WONDER! The People are Coming out of the Wilderness to see the Cause of this Alarm.

A NOTHER grand arrival of those beautiful Goods, just received at the BROADWAY HOUSE, corner of Liberty and Lawrence Streets.— Don't forget the place. It is where you get Gennine Bargams, and large bundles of goods for a mere song W. L. HEDGES, Agent. Auction every Saturday, at 61-2 o'clock. November 9, 1869.

TAX NOTICE.

WILL be in Middleway, on THURSDAY OF EVERY WEEK, for the purpose of cellecting State and County Taxes, and expect those who have not paid to come forward, if they wish to save trouble. bie.

I will also attend one day only at Kearneysville, and one at Lectown. I will be at Kearneysville on WEDNESDAY, December 1st, and at Lectown on WEDNESDAY, December 8th, 1869, and expect

Tax-payers to meet me at those points and pay their taxes for the years 1868 and 1869. GEORGE KOONCE, D. S.
November 23, 1869-tf.

TINNING ESTABLISHMENT.

HAVING purchased a complete set of Tinning Tools and Machinery, and employed the ser-vices of Mr. E. R. HARRELL, we are prepared to do all kinds of TIN, COPPER AND SHEET IRON WORK, at our Ware-House in Charlestown. We will make to order, for Merchants and others, all kinds of TINWARE, and keep a stock of Tinware on hand

for sale. None but the Best Materials will be used, TIN ROOFING AND SPOUTING will receive special attention. Repairing promptly done. We have for sale

COOK & HEATING STOVES. Of all kinds. November 16, 1969. McCURDY & DUKE. NOTICE.

THOSE who have taken stock in the Valley I iro THOSE who have taken stock in the Valley 1) ro Insurance Company, since the 8th of October, and those who have increased their stock since that date, will please call at the office of the Company, in Maj. Hooff's building, between the hours of 9 and 3 o'clock, at the earliest day practicable, and arrange their stock notes.

All who have not paid the per centage due upon their negotiable notes on and prior to the 27th of October, are hereby notified of the fact, and that the Board has directed that in future prompt payment will be required.

ment will be required.

G. A. PORTERFIELD Sec'j.

November 9. 1869. F. P. HELP! HELP!! HELP!!!

OWING to the enormous demand that has been produced by this never-failing compound of ROWAN'S INFALLIBLE CEMENT. I am compelled to procure the assistance of ten competent druggists, to manufacture the article competent druggists, to manufacture the article that always gives entire satisfaction in mending broken Glass, Marble, Bone, China, Porcelain, Wood, Leather, Ivory, Meerschaum, Earthenwere, or in fact anything that is broken. It unites them so neat and strong that the most intense heat or cold has no effect. Then, be fire you throw away the strikes above enumerated, call at the any of the articles above enumerated, call at the Drug and Book Store of W. S. Mason, and get a bottle of Rowan's Infallible Cement, as it is fire and water proof. Should you not be satisfied after using it, return the bottle and the money will be refunded. November 30, 1869.

FOR SALE.

THE Good Willand Fixtures of a good paying TIN, SHEET-IRON and STOVE HOUSE in Charlestown, West Vicginia, FOR SALE. Roason for selling :- want to quit the business.

Enquire at the SPIRIT OF JEFFERSON OFFICE November 23, 1869-3t. CORN FOR SALE.

1,000 BUSHELS OF CORN for sair, upon which I will give a credit of Twelve Months, bond with approved security required.

R. RION LUCAS. Lectown, November 23, 1869-tf.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—I have just received Ready-Ground and prepared a prime lot of Fresh Sage; also Pepper, Salipetre and Coriander Seed, and would advise those wanting genuine articles to give me a call.

W. S. MASON. me a call. November 23, 1969.

SAGE, Cotiander Seed, Saltpetre, Black Pepper and Sweet Marjoram, for sale by AISQUITH & WASHINGTON.

November 23, 1869.

BUCK WHEAT Flour, just received by Nov. 23. KEARSLEY & SHEERER. SPOKES. Rims and Hubs, for sale by Nov 23. JAS. LAW. HOOFF. HARPER'S Ferry Extra and Family Flour, for JAS. LAW. HOOFF. Wood Saws and Bucks, for JAS, LAW, HOOFF. A XES, Axe Helves,

TURNER'S Family Flour and Corn Meal, for sale by A. W. CRAMER.

A Nov. 23, JAS. LAW. HOOFF,

Spirit of Jefferson

LOCAL MISCELLANY.

Sale of Harper's Ferry Property. For some months since the people of our section of country have looked forward to this expected sale of the valuable government property at Harper's Ferry with much interest, and we are glad to chronicle that the same has occurred with the most gratifying result. In this connexion it may not be out of place to mention, that as long since as 1794, this spot was selected by Washington as a site for a National Armory, and Congress petitioned and the Legislature of Virginia granted permission, to purchase land not exceeding in extent 640 acres. The first purchase under this grant was from the heirs of Robert Harper, he having died in 1782, leaving his property to John Wager, Sr., the heir of his neice Sarah. Hence, the lineal descendants of the latter still retain much of the eligible and valuable property at that point, the sale and distribution of which is so cssential to the further progress and improvement of the town: - Another purchase of 310 neres was made by the government from Mr. Rutherford, and a lease obtained in perpetuity from Lord Fairfax, ceding "the right to all the timber growing and to grow on a track of 1395 acres on the Loudoun Heights'immediately adjoining Harper's Ferry." In 1796 Mr. Perkins received the first appointment; 8 Superintendent, which he held until 1810 when he was succeeded by Col. Stubblefield. Under the successive administrations that followed, the original purchase became changed by sale and otherwise, until but a moiety of the first grants remained. This, however, by the liberal expenditure of government and the enterprise of the reeple, was rendered vastly more valuable and attractive than it had ever been otherwise, until the fate of war visited desolation and destruction in its wake. For years, the village has presented but a crumbling monument of its former self, but like cities of more renown in antiquity than it aspires to equal, it is in a fair way to regain its former position, lengthen its chords and widen its sails, and we most heartily congratulate its people and bid them be of good cheer!

The sale on Tuesday last, was attended by parties from various sections of the country, and some of the largest manufacturing in- | year of her age. She retained her mental terests, with that mammoth corporation, the and physical faculties to almost the last hour Balto & Obio R. R., had representatives in of her life. attendance. S. Howell Brown, Esq., by survey, plat, &c., had admirably arranged the large amount of property to be offered, and under the direction of Capt. Young of the Ordnance office, J. P. Potterfield, suctioneer, by lat and some of the fortunate ones dre and A. M. Kitzmiller, clerk, the sale rapidly progressed - the whole being disposed of by cake, one of the very prettiest indeed we hav . Thursday noon. The bidding in many in- ever seen, was drawn by Mr. Benj. Hobbs .stances was quite spirited, and the greatest. It weighed 85 lbs. and was manufactured by maxisty was felt as to lots No. I and 2. em- Mr. J. J. Kerns, a wonthy and skilled confecbracing the Musket and Rille Factories. Mr. Wilson, representing the Baltimore rail-road | Fair netted \$600. was the competing bidder, having gone to \$175 000 for the one and \$29,000 for the other. We copy from the "Catalogue" the descriptive sale of the following, including blocks A. and B., on Shenandoah street, and had expected to furnish an entire report as to the whole, but as there were 243 houses and lots beside those noted, it is beyond our power to do so. The first offered was

No. 1. The water-power entire of the l'otomac River, as held by the United States, cinbracing site of old armory buildings, or musket factory, Byrnes's Island, and all that strip of land and bluff bordering on the Potomac River, and lying between said river and the streets and lots as laid down on map of 1869. Purchaser, Capt. F. C. Adams. Price, \$176,000.

No. 2. The water power entire of the Shenandoah River, as held by the United States, embracing the site of the rifle factory, with all the appurtenances thereto belonging. Purchaser, Capt. F. C. Adams. Price, \$30,000. No. 3. The Shenandoah ferry, with a tract of land containing 681 acres, on the south side of the river, and a terry lot on north side, with front on river of 243 tect; on Tellstreet. 198 feet; on Hamilton street, 661 feet; and on Bridge street, 83 feet. Two stone houses. south side of river. Purchaser J. W. Neer.

No. 4. The perpetual right to cut and remove wood from a tract of 1,395% acres of mountain land, lying on the south side of the Shenandoah River, adjoining the ferry tract. Purchaser, Charles King. Price, \$3,600. No. 5. The right to dig iron ore upon a tract of 1,600 acres of land, bordering on the Potomac River, known as "Friends' Orc Bank," acquired from Henry Lee and others by deed dated Maythe Sth, 1800. Purchaser, W. C. Bradley. Price, \$13,100.

Block A, on Shenandoah .- Map, 1852. No. 1. Northeast end of arsenal lot, having on it the old superintendent's office. Fronts 23 feet 10 inches on Shenandoah street, with Wager line, east 184 feet to the Shenandoah River : extending across the Winchester and Potomac railroad binding 73 feet thereon, and running with northeast line of lot No. 2. 179 feet. Purchaser, Mrs. Bridget Boerly. Price, \$2,025.

Five lots in old arsenal yard, each 50 feet front on Shenandoah street; same width through to Shenandonh River, intersected by an alley at railroad embankment 10 feet in width; 179 feet deep for No. 2, 145 feet deep for No. 6; other intermediate depths to the rest, were purchased respectively, No. 2, by Capt. C. F. Adams. Price, \$1,650. No. 3, Purchaser, J. M. Decaulne. Price, \$1.800. No. 4. Purchaser, J. M. Decaulue. Price. \$2,000. No. 5, Purchaser, Capt. F. C. Adams. Price, \$2,059. No. 6, Purchaser, M. Walsh. Price \$2,025

No. 7. 24 feet front on Shenandouh street. extending same width through to the River top s'reet, Purchaser, - Conway, Price, . it. \$2,085.

Block B, on Shenandoah - Map. 1852.

No. 1. On south side of Washington street, continued: 30 feet front on Shenandoah street, 147 feet deep to embankment of Winchester and Potomac railroad, 30 feet with embankment, and 143 feet back to Shonandoah street. Purchaser. John Hodges. Price, \$1,850. No. 2. 70 feet front on Shenandoah street, running back with No. 1, 143 feet; with rails road embankment 78 feet to-No. 3, and with it 134 feet to Shenandoah street. Fine brick

house; residence of Dr. O'Donnel, and office. of ordnance storekeeper. Purchaser, William Young. Price, \$6,100. * No. 3. 88 feet front on Shenandoul street.

to embankment of Winchester and Potomac railroad, with it 106 feet to lot No. 2, and with it 134 feet to Shenandoah street. Fine brick house and other buildings. The last three lots have an alley 10 feet wide along embankment of railroad, from Washington to Market street. Purchaser, William Young. Price \$5,150. *

I* The first of these was retained by the Government, and the second transferred to Mr. James W. McGraw, of Harper's Ferry.] The entire sale aggregated \$294,444 50, which is regarded as a most advantageous sale to the Government. Much speculation is abroad as to the uses to which Capt. Adams designs to convert the valuable wafer power, &c., which he has obtained at this point, but so far he has kept his councils to himself .-He professes to represent capitalists of Washington city, New York and Boston, the former of whom it is rumored and generally believed design establishing the most extensive Paper Mills in the country, on the Island property, the Company being the Government contractors for the supply of the same. It is hoped and expected the "Musket Works" will be converted into woolen, cotton and other manufactories, but of this more anon. We shall hope for the best, and keep our readers advised as to any progress in so much to be desired direction-

Harper's Ferry Items.

In addition to the extensive sale of Government property at Harper's Farry last week, there were several by private individuals that it affords us pleasure to note :-

- The large three story building on High st., now in the occupancy of C. E. Beller, was sold by its owner, Mr. Cavalier, to Alex. Murphy for \$3,500. Mr. J. D. Potterfield, sold at private sale lot on High street, near corner on Shenandoah, 28ft. square, with small board tenement, to Henry Keller, for \$600,00. It was the property of Samuel Williams. Mr. Potterfield sold at public sale, the house on High st., nearly demolished during the war, belonging to James Russell of this town, for \$200,00. There is a ground rent of \$25,00. Purchaser, Mr. Waters of Loudoun.

-That venerable old mother, so long known and highly esteemed by the citizens of Harper's Ferry, Mrs. Snooks, the widow of Solomon, and the mother-in-law of the late Alfred Beale, recently deceased in the 95th

- The Fair which had been in progres for several weeks for the benefit of the Luthera Church closed Wednesday night: The article remaining on that evening were disposed quite bandsome prizes. The beautiful pyrami tioner of that place. The receipts of the

- The low state of the water in the Potomire and Shenandoah just now, has made the Bassfishing unprefitable. A few weekssince. however, John Keller son of Henry, sent on a lot of 119 to Mr. Reed of Philadelphia, forwhich he had arranged a water fank, air nump. &c., in a special car. Mr. R. states that they all arrived in safety, alive and kicking, but that in placing them in the reservoir of Girard College, which is supplied with water from the Schuylkill, one of them committed "suicide" by his own intractableness.

- "Stover College," an institution of considerable pretensions for the education of the colored race, is now so far completed as to be opened to a limited class in the higher departments, whilst we learn that the preparatory school is full to overflowing, of both sexes, all ages and colors. The building is the same, with several thousand dollars added by way of improvement and repairs, that was occupied by Col. Barbour whilst Superintendent at

- The Shenandoah Mills, on the Island of Virginius, is now in the full tide of successful operation. The flour manufactured, averages about 400 bbls. per day. The receipts of grain often amount to eighteen car loads per days A switch has been constructed to the mill door, connecting with both the Baltimore and Winchester roads, for the reception of wheat and the loading of Flour.

· ATTEMPTED ROBBERY .- On Thursday night last an attempt was made to rob Mr. W. S. Mason, of cur town, of a horse. It is supposed that the thief first forced open the NOTHING SECTIONAL! door, and then finding it also secured by a strong iron bar, proceeded to saddle and bridle the horse, so that when that was completed he might exert all his powers on the bar, and force it and be off in fine trim. But this safeguard was not so 'easily torn away, and the next morning the horse was still in the stable. If our citizens would not only use iron bars, but spring gups also, these depredations might

CHANGE OF TIME. By reference to our advertising columns, it will be seen that a change in the running time of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad has been made, on both the main stem and the Winchester connection, commencing yesterday. We see it stated also, that Weverton-has been made a firstat that point. Whether Harper's Ferry is Shenandeah, parallel to the last-mentioned to be overslaughed by this arrangement relots, and fronting whole length on Washing mains to be seen, but it looks very much like Should this prove to be the fact, the reason is obvious, and will prove in no sense creditable or profitable to the company.

DECEASED .- Thomas J. Vines, of this county, an employee on the B. & O. R. R., died from the effects of being run over by a car at Grafton, whilst endeavoring to adjust the coupling. He was in his 24th year, and leaves a wife and child, with many friends in this county, to mourn his untimely end.

RELIGIOUS .- We are requested to an. nounce that the Rev. J. W. Tongue will preach at Kabletown on Sabbath next, 12th 122 feet front on Market street, running back | instant, at 11 o'clock, A M.

HARPER'S FERRY AS IT IS -A correspondent of the Valley Spirit, published at Chambersburg, Pa., thus speaks of Harper's Ferry, and the dangers attending strangers at that point, who may indulge a little too freely of theardest. We presume the writer kept himself "wide awake and duly sober," as he seems to have escaped the perils which he so graphically describes :-

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"VIRGINIA ADVANCE."-We have received the first number of this new paper published at Culpeper C. H. Va., by Messrs: Joel Miller and James II. O'Bannon. The paper is neatly printed-its editorials pungent, logical and to the point. Capt. O'B. is a native of our county, and he has the best. wishes of many old friends for entire success in his new enterprise.

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November 30, 1869.

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OPPOSITE THE BANK CORNER. THE undersigned having purchased in Philadelphis, a large and superior stock of FALL AND WINTER GOODS, are now opening them at the store opposite the old Bank Corner. Great are has been exercised in the selection of this stock; and it embraces such articles

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Our stock of BOOTS AND SHOES. HATS AND CAPS, is so extensive that there can be no difficulty in supplying the wants of any and all callers: FOR HOUSEK EEPERS. we have many articles that are desirable and in-

yiting, such as Queenswarcofile best quality, Glasswarc, Wooden and Hollow Ware, and many other articles which we need not came. Grocories. In this line we shall keep every article embraced in the state we shall seep every article embraced in the entire cata logue—we have in part, Sugara of every grade. Rio, Java and Laguyra Coffees, Teas of different qualities Syrups. Molasses, Spices, &c. In short, in every branch, we mean that our establishment shall be perfect, or as near so as the traile will justify.

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FARMS, HOUSES, LOTS, MILLS FACTOR Farming Implements and Produce. Stock Che Sheep, Hogs. Rising and Work Horses, B. 1999. Cows. Wagons, Carriages, Mackines, Bacon, Fork. Apples, Potatoes, Wood Shingles, Lumber, Bruck, Stone, Sand, Lime, &c., &c. No commission

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SUBSTANTIAL, CHEAP AND Fashionable Naddition to our former large and well selected stock, we are receiving daily every variety and CITY-MADE BOOTS AND SHOES,

manufactured to special order, and guaranteed to be the exact article recommended. Of Ladies' Shoes and most beautiful Gaiters, we dely competition.—For Men's Wear, any and every description desired, from the cheapest Brogan to the finest French Caif Boot. The quality of the work will speak for itself, and as to prices, all we ask is to call, examing and indee for yourself. nd judge for yourself. TRUSSELL & LUCAS.

STRAW WANTED. THE VIRGINIA PAPER COMPANY, of Hall-STRAW OF ALL KINDS. on and after the lat of August, either in the stack or delivered at the Mills at Hallown.

Apply to John H. Strader, or at the Mills. July 29, 1869-tf. MORNING GLORY, Juniata, and other Base-burning Stoves, "Little Fairy" for Coal, Egg Stoves, Myrtle Gas Burner, "Woodland" box stove for Wood, "Garland" Air-Tight for Wood, Nine-Plate Stoves, and other Heating Stoves; also the Improved Excelsive and other Cook Stoves. Every
Stove warranted. Pipe re-furnished, and Stoves
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October 26, 1869. McCURDY & DUKE.

SALT. Liverpool G. A. and Fine Sait, not re ceiving and for safe at lowest market rates, by October 12, 1869. W. EBY. DissTON'S X Cut Saws—an assortiment just re-

There is a ray that cheers the heart,
Relieves it for a while.
Though sorrow crash it e'er so low—
The woman's happy smile.

When time is wished to pass with speed, What can the hours beguile, And make them pass without regret, Like woman's happy smile.

If friends forsake, if fortune frown,
And those we love revile,
Still we're not friendless if we own
A woman's happy smile.

And when life's journey nears its end She's there, devoid of guile; But in such scenes her heart is such She cannot, cannot smile.

HUMOROUS.

An Old Story,

It is said that at one time, when Lorenzo Dow preached under a large spruce pine in South Carolina, he announced another appointment for preaching in the same place on that ment for preaching in the same place on that day twelve months. The year passed, and as Lorenzo was entering the neighborhood, he overtook a colored boy who was blowing a long tin horn, and could send out a blast with raise and swell and cadence, which waked the choes of the distant hills.

Calling aside the blower, Dow said to him:
"What is your name, sir?"

"My name? Gabriel, sir," replied the brother in ebony.

"Well Gabriel have you been to Church

"Well, Gabriel, have you been to Church

Tiill ?" "O yes, massa, I's been dar a many a time." "Do you remember a big spruce tree on

"O yes massa, I knows dat pine." "Did you know that Lorenzo Dow has an appointment to preach under that tree to-

"O yes massa, everybody knows dat."
"Well, Gabriel, Lam Lorenzo Dow, and if ou'll take your horn to-morrow morning and climb into that pine tree and hide among the branches before the people begin to gather, and wait there until I call you by your name, and then blow such a blast with your horn as I heard you blow a minute ago, I'll give you a dollar. Will you do it, Gabriel?" "Yes, massa, I takes dat dollar."

Gabriel, like Zaccheus, was hid away in the tree top in fine time. An immense concourse, of all sizes and colors, assembled at the ap-pointed hour, and Dow preached on the judgment of the last day. By his power of description he wrought the multitude up to the opening scenes of the resurrection, of the grand assize, at the call of the trumpet peals of the nations, "Then," said he, "suppose, my friends, that we should hear at this mot the sound of Gabriel's trumpet." Sure enough, at that moment the trumpet of Gabriel sounded. The women shrieked, and fainted ; the men sprung up and looked aghast; some ran, others fell and called for mercy, and all felt for a time that the judgment was set and the books were opened. Dow stood and watched the driving storm till the fright abated, and some one discovered the colored angel who had caused the alarm quietly perched on the limb of the spruce, and wanted to get him down and whip him, and thea resamed his theme, saying: "I forbid, all persons touching that boy up there. If a colored boy with a tin horn can frighten you almost out of your wits, what will you do when ye hear the trumpet of the arch-angel? How will ye be able to stand in the great day of the rath of God?" He made a very effective

The Squire and His Wife.

explication.

The Squire had a friend to visit him on siness, and was very much annoyed to be interrupted by his wife, who came to ask him what he wanted for dinner. "Go away ! let us alone !" impatiently said

the Squire. Business detained the friend until after dinner time, and the Squire urged him to remain. The Squire was a generous provider, proud of his table, and he complacently ascorted his friend to a seat. A little to the surprise of both, they saw nothing on the board but a huge dish of salad, which the good wife began quietly to dish up. "My dear," said the Squire, "where are the

"There are none to day," said his lady. "No meats ! What in the name of poverty! The vegetables then. Why don't you have them brought in ?"

"You didn't order any." "Order! I didn't order anything," said the

amazed Squire. "You forget," coolly answered the house wife. "I asked what we should have, and

you said, 'lettuce alone.' Here it is." The friend burst into a laugh, and the Squire, after looking lugubrious a moment, joined-him. "Wife, I give it up. I owe you one. Hero is the fifty dollars you wanted for that carpet

which I denied you." The Squire lorked over. "Now let us have peace, and some

The good woman pocketed the paper, rang the bell, and a sumptuous repast of fish, poultry, and vegetables, was brought in. A few days afterward the Squire remained

working in his garden sometime after the sual tea hour. His wife grew impatient of lay, and went to find him. His excuse asked what he was waiting for, threw nto a flutter of excitement. Some one's to come to supper," she exmed. "Why didn't you tell me? I declare are the provokingest man !"

And without asking which of his friends s expected, she hastened to change her dress and slick up her hair for the occasion. This done, she came out and found the Squire seated at the table reading his newspaper.

"My company! I haven't any company." "But you said you expected somebody to supper," exclaimed the indignant wife. "My dear, I said no such thing. You asked me what I was waiting for, and I said summons to come to supper-that's what I

was waiting for, my dear, and I came at once." "And you have made me go and change my cress. Oh, I'll pay you for this.". "No matter about it, my dear, I owed you, you remember, for that lettuce."

-A short time ago a close-fisted farmer on the Sandy River, in Maine, died, after devising \$1 to his only son. The old gentle-man was duly buried in the venerable churchyard, which suffered a terrible washing away by the late flood, and a short time ago his body was found opposite the son's place, having been brought down the river a long distance. When the tender-hearted son was informed of the fact, he made the touching remark, "Probably come back after that dollar!"-

- "That you believe you have a call to preach is all very good as far as it goes," said an old doctor of divinity to a theological student. "But we must wait and see whether people think they have a call to hear you."

-The workmen of the Winsted (Ct.) Hoe Cempany are on a strike; singing. "Not forge hoe! Not forge hoe! oh! no, no." at pres-

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A LARGE STOCK OF GROCERIES. All grades of White and Brown Sugars, Syrups and Molasses; Rio and Laguyra Coffee, Roasted Coffee, Teas, Water, Soda, Mushroon and Lemon Crack-ers, Ginger Snaps, Yeast Powder, Hame, Sides and Shoulders, Lard, Corn Meal and Flour, (G) Our goods are offered at the lowest prices to cover cost, and we solicit an examination by all as to quality and price. Terms Cash, or Country Pro

October 26, 1969. NOTICE.

A LL persons indebted to us will please come for-ward and settle their accounts. We want goods, and your promises won't pay for them. You have gotten our goods, and we want you to pay for them without any more delay.

AISQUITH & WASHINGTON. November 23, 1869.

HAMPER Baskets, Horse Buckets, Horse Bells, Dog Collars, Sleigh Runners and Baskets, for sale by JAS. LAW. HOOFF. CORN, Oats, Offal, Screenings and Femily Flour, for sale by McCURDY & DUKE. BOHEMIAN Toilet Setts, for sale by November 9. W. S. MASON.

STRAW WANTED.

THE VIRGINIA PAPER COMPANY, of Hall town, will be prepared to purchase STRAW OF ALL KINDS, on and after the lst of August, either in the stack of delivered at the Mills at Helltown.

THE Southern School History of the United Street, by McDonaid & Blackburn, for sale by Nov. 9. AISQUITH & WASHINGTON.

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A complete stock of Tools and Supplies for Carpenters. Bullders. Masons, Sadlers, Shoemakers and others, with many Housekeeping and Furnishing Goods, both American and Imported.
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January 26, 1869.

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October 12, 1869.

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June 1, 1869.

MckNiGHT & BRO.

SASH FACTORY. THE undersigned are now prepared to furnish FRAMES, DOORS, BLINDS, SASH, FLOORING, 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. Shannondale Springs, and 3
miles from Charlestown.

As this is a biline enterprise we look for the patronage of our own people and if they do not enrourage 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. ty, West Va. KEARSLEY William Phillips, Manager.

DAVID H. COCKRILL.] [JOSEPH H. COCKRILL. DAVID H. COCKRILL & SON. ARCHITECTS & BUILDERS. Charlestown, Jefferson County,

VIRGINIA. O'ER experience in the business which we adver-tise to conduct; and our therough acquaintance with it in all its branches, enable us to assure the public that any work entrusted to us will I e exe cuted in the most workmanlike manner, 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 13 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., Ill. take contracts for BUILDINGS OF ALL total by and will furnish all necessary ma total for same, it desired.

Being a printical mechanic, he feels satisfied that he constitue satisfaction in all business entrusted to

May 25, 1369. Free Press cory tf. BLACKSMITHING & WAGON-MAKING. BROWN'S CROSSING, B. & O. R. R.

THE undersigned having formed a ness, under the name and firm of BROWN & BRO., take this method of informing the farmers and others, of Jefferson county, that they have facilities for furnishing every de-

WORK IN THEIR LINE. Being practical workmen them-arives, and designing to give their personal supervision to every piece of work turned out of their shops, they have no hesitation in guaranteeing satisfaction to all who may favor them with pa-trouage None but the best material will be used in either branch of business, and Ploughs and Wog-ons will be furnished to order in a style unsurpassed by any other establishment in the county. June 8, 1869-tf.

GREAT PANIC!

IN THE GOLD AND DAY GOODS

Market.

Shaker Opera, Plaid, and all other de

Stripes for Shirting.

LADIES' GOODS.

GENTLEMEN'S GOODS.

SHEPHERDSTOWN TRADE.

HENRY M. BILLINGS. DRUGGIST. "ENTLER'S BOTEL BUILDING," SHEPHERDSTOWN, W. VA.

REPS constantly on hand a large and well-se lected stock of French, English and American DRUGS, MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, OILS AND VARNISHES, PAINTS, WINDOW GLASS, PAINT BRUSHES, PUTTY,

PERFUMERY, SOAPS, FANCY GOODS, NOTIONS, STATIONERY, and everything usually kept in a first class Drog Store. Physicians' Prescriptions and Family Recipes compounded at all hours of day or night.

(3) Persons wishing to purchase, will do well to call and examine my stock and prices before purchasing elsewhere, as I am satisfied that I can sell as ch. sp. if not cheaper than any house in the county.

Very Respectfully.

HENRY M. BILLINGS,

June 15, 1869—6m.

Lumber, Lumber: HE undersigned is now receiving another lot of choice LUMBER of every description. He will onstantly keep on hand, at his Lumber Yaro in

WHITE AND YELLOW PINE PLANK, JOIST AND SCANTLING,
PRIME SEASONED POPLAR PLANK,
of all widths and thickness, suitable for Cabinet
purposes, &c. Also, HOOP POLES, CYPRESS
AND OAK SHINGLES; all of which will be sold on February 2, 1869-tf. TOWNER SCHLEY.

DUFFIELD'S. TRADE. CHEAPSIDE IN THE FIELD!

EW GOODS, NEW GOODS, Cheapside No. L W have just returned from the Eastern market

STOCK OF GOODS, and are offering them so in days of yore, at the low-est possible price. Our stock is of every variety usually kept in a country bouse. We therefore ask all who are in want of something in our line to give us a call. We consider it a pleasure as well as a duty to exhibit our wares, and make no charge for

BELLING FOR CASH, so come along with your Greenbacks or their equivalent, and we can satisfy you that our statement is correct. Determined not to be under-sold by any, neither Jew nor Gentile, we have gone to work with a will, and will do all good who may favor us with We here take occasion to return our hearty thanks

for past favors, earnestly soliciting a share of pa-tronage from the citizens of Duffields and vicinity. We can always be found on hand. Respectfulty, A. LINK & CO. Duffield's, November 9, 1869. MARBLE WORKS



Diehl & Bro MANUFACTURERS OF MONUMENTS, TOMBS, HEAD & FOOT STONES, MANTLES, STATUES,

AND CARVING. in all its various branches, and all work in their business. All orders promptly filled at the lowest rate, and shortest notice, and all work delivered and put up, and guaranteed to suit purchasers.—
If nut, no sale. Please call and see, and judge for If not, no sale. Please call and see, and judge for you selves before purchasing elsewhere, and patrelize Home Manufacturers. He subscribers have also in operation their shop in fartinsburg, where they will give prompt attes ion to all work entrusted to them.

DIEHL & BRO.

Charlestown, Feb. 19, 1867-od May 15, 1866. MILL R & SMITH, DEALERS IN

STOVES. TIN & SHEET-IRON WARE, CHARLESTOWN, W. VA. WE have just received, and are now offering for sale, on the most reasonable terms, one of the, largest and best selected assortments of

STOVES ever before presented to the people of the county. The stock embraces all the latest and most improve styles, among which may be found— Fluminating Gas Burner," for heating one or more points; the "INDEPENDENT," a self teeding iooms; the "INDEPENDENT," a self feeding hase, Burning Coal Stove, for dwellings, halfs of offices; the ORIENTAL, just now so much public favor; Parlor or Dining Room Cook, for wood or coal; the "Rink Egg Stove, a superior article; all other Parlor, Air-Tight, and Ten plate Stoves; the improved CONSTITUTION COOK, for wood or coal; the Sentirel, with extension top, for wood or coal; the Olive Branch and Wyona, both of which are very superior cook. are very superior cook. In short, their assortment is so complete that all

they ask is an inspection from those in want, confident to please both as to price and style. Also on hand, a large and general assortment of TIN AND SHEET-IRON WARE, plain and fancy; and of the latest patterns Those wishing to procure a very superior Iron Force Pump, can inspect the same at the Shop, or at the residence of Mr Ed. Williams 13- Terms Cast in all cases, unless special agree-

to the contrary. ROOFING, SPOUTING, &c., done as usual at the shortest notice and in the best
menner. Thankful to the public for the liberal encouragement in the past, a continuance is respectfully relicited.

October 19, 1869.

To the Public.

TAVING purchased avaluble tract of timber land, and located a Saw-Mill upon it with a apacity of sawing forty thousand feet of Lumber seekly, I will be prepared to furnish nearly EVERY VARIETY OF LUMBER. Such as Pine Plank, Joists, Rafters, Stud-ding, 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 Shenardoah 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-ly. Homsher & Drawbaugh. KEARNEYSVILLE, VA., HAVE received another supply of Fall and Win-ter Goods, which they are offering at low pri-ces for Cash.

LADIES DRESS GOODS. Brown and Blenched Cattons, Cassimeres, Fulled Linsey, Flannels, White and Colored Blankers, BOOTS AND SHOES, HATS AND CAPS, READY-MADE CLOTHING, GROCERIES.

FALL AND WINTER GOODS. W. CRAMER de ires to notify the public that A . he is in receipt of a full stock of FALL AND WINTER GOODS,

AJ- Please give them a call, for they warrant sat-

as complete and select as any other in the market, His assertment embraces every article needed for the season, and in variety of style, cannot be suroctober 26, 1869. NOTICE.

October 13, 1869

HAVING resumed the practice of LAND. SUR. VEYING, ENGINEERING AND CONVEY Fine Foreign and Domestic Cassimers, best and cheapest grades of READY-MADE CLOTHING. consisting in part of fine Beaver Suits, French and Domestic Cassimere Suits, fine Beaver Overcoats, and English Walking Coats of every description. ANCING, and having associated my son, J. M. D. Brown, with me in the business, we offer our ser-Brown, with me in the business, we offer our services to my off patrons of Jeffers m, Clarke, Frederick, Berkeley and Loudoun, and all others. I will also teach Phonography wherever a class can be formed, or to individuals, ou reasonable terms.

July 20, 1869—tf. JAMES M, BROWN.

Free Press, Shepherdstown Register, and Clarke Courier, insert 3 times and send bilt to advertiser, Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods.

Shirts, Drawers, Socks, Gloves, Collars, Neck-Ties,
Suspenders, &c. Also a full line of Hats and Caps,
Values, &c. Values, &c.

35-I have also added to my large stock a full line
of GROCERIES, all of which will be sold for Cash
or trade.

8. A. HAMBURGER.

THE Oriental Base-Burning Magazine Cooking
Stove-for Anthracite Coal- for sale by
October 12, 1869.

JAS. LAW. HOOFF. CLEIGH Bells, for sale by JAS. LAW. HOOFF.

TROFESSIONAL CARDS.

E. WILLIS WILSON, ATTORNEY AT LAW. HARPER'S FERRY, JEFFERSON CO., WEST VIRGINIA.

Will practice in the Courts of this and the adjuming Counties.

Aug. 17, 1959-1y. N. S. WHITE] WHITE & TRAPNELL, Attorneys at Law, WILL Practice in the Courts of Jefferson and ad-joining Counties of Virginia and West Vir-ginia. Prompt attention given to all business en-trusted to them. Charlestown, W. Va.

[DAN'L, B. LUCA'. THOS C. GREEN.] GREEN & LUCAS. Attorneys at Law. HAVING associated ourselves as partners, we will practice in Jefferson and adjoining Coun-83-Offices at Charlestown, Shepherdstown September 22, 1868—tf.

January 12, 1869-1y.

ISAAC FOUKE, Attorney at Law Charlestown, Jefferson County, PRACTICES in the Courts of Jefferson, Berkeley
And Morgan Counties, W. Virginia, and in
those of Loudoun, Frederick and Clark Counties,
Virginia; also in the United States, District Court
in case in Batkruptcy.

13-Office in Hunter's Law Row, next door to the
Carter House.

July 30, 1867—17.

WM. H. TRAVERS. ATTORNEY AT LAW. Charlestown, Jefferson County, Virginia, WILL practice in the District Courts of the Uni-ted States for the District of West V.rginia.— Particular attention paid to cases in Bank uptey. July 30, 1867.

G. M. BELTZHOOVER, ATTORNEY AT LAW SHEPHERDSTOWN, W. VA. Particular attention given to collection of Claims in Jefferson and adjoining counties, and all mittances made promptly.
March 30, 1869—tf.

Dental Notice. DR. J. F. HARTGROVE, Mechanical and Operative Dentist, L'ATE of North Carolina, offers his Professional
Services in J fferson and se rounding counties,
and will be pleased to share the public patronage. OG- Persons wishing it, can be served at their respective residences, and farther information ob tained by addressing me at my office, at Harper's.

Ferry, W. Va June 15, 1869-ly. DENTAL NOTICE,

DR. McCORMICK will visit Charlestown Professionally, the Second Monday of April, (12th.) May 10th, June 10th, July 12th, August 9th, September 13th, October 11th, November 8th, and remain a week each time. CHARGES MODERATE. April 6, 1869.

Resident Dentist.

DR. J. V. SIMMONS EING permanently located in Charlestown, Va., BEING permarently located in Canach of his pro-offera his services in every branch of his pro-lession. Freezing or Narcotic Spray used in ex-

fracting Teeth.

10-t harges very moderate.
July 23, 1867-1y. DR. C. T. RICHARDSON. PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. CHARLESTOWN. 30- Messages left at his residence, or at the Dong

December 24, 1867 - 6m PROFESSIONAL CARD. DR. JAS. G. WILTSHIRE, OFFERS his services as Physician and Surgeon, to the citizens in the vicinity of Duffield's De-pot, where he will always be found, except when

April 6, 1-69-if

HOTELS. SHENANDOAH HOUSE. MARTINSBURG, W. VA.

JOHN FELLER, PROPRIETOR. THE Proprietor of this excellent flotel, not have ing succeeded in seiling his property, will, as retofore, continue to keep the House, but is still The Shenandoah House is one of the most conveniently arranged and comfortable hotels in Martinsburg, and the Proprietor will spare no trouble or expense to render the stay of his guests pleasant. and comfortable.

The fine stock of Liquors, Wines, &c., with which his Bar is supplied, will be kept ap, and persons who may patronize him in this department, can rely upon getting the very best article.

The Shenandoah House is pleasantly situated on North Queen Street, near the Railroad.

August 10. 1869. Spirit of Jefferson copy. - New Era. Virginia Hotel. STAUNTON, VA. FRAZIER & SALE, (Late of Rockbridge Alum Springs,)

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

American Hotel.

TERMS, \$2.50 PER DAY. November 17, 1868-3m. ENTLER HOTEL. SHEPHERDSTOWN, WEST VIRGIA July 17, 1866-1f. Proprietor.

FARMERS LOCK TO YOUR INTEREST! FARMERS, attend to your Wheat Drills in time.
We would advise those who wish to have Guano Sowers put on their Drills, to bring them in at once, as many were disappointed last season, by not bringing them in time. We are putting on our NEW PATENT GUANO SOWER, which we consider the best in use on all Eight Tobe Drills for the low price of \$35. For the operation of this Guano Sower, we refer you to the following gentlemen, who used them last year:—Capt. Joseph F. Abell, George Cockrell Col, Thomas Hite, Sam'i S Moore, Geo. W. J mes. Jacob Snyder, Augustus Cain. Thos. E. Woodward, Henry Huntsberry, Ed-gar Allen, Dr. C. W. Goldsborough, Daniel Heffle-hower, James Akins, Richard Morgan, Capt. Jas. W. Glenn, and John C. Ware.

TO THOSE IN WANT OF NEW BRILLS, we would say that, if you apply early, we are still prepared to furnish the celebrated Martinsburg Drill, built by Samuel Fitz, which is universally acknowledged to be the best in use.

WEIRICK & WELLER. Charlestown, July 20, 1869. F. P. BOOTS ANDSHOES.

L ADIES and Misses Polish Boots,
Do. Front Lace and Buttoned Gaiters;
Do. and Misses Calf-Walking Shoes;
Very Superior Coarse Boots, Heavy Brogans,
Children's Shoes, &c. HOWELL & BSO. CASH paid for Bones and Old Iron, by October 25. McCURDY & DUKE. BACON, for sale for cash only, by W. EBY A FULL line of Skates and Straps, for sale by JAS. LAW. HOOFF.

DRESSED and Undressed Shafts, for sale by JAS. LAW. BOOFF.

TO TRAVELLERS WINCHESTER AND POTOMAC R. B. TIME TABLE.

TRAINS GOING. WEST.

Leave Harper's Perry at 7 00 A M and 1 35 P M.

Leave Shenandonh at 7 04 A M and 1 39 P M.

Leave Keyes' Switch at 7 17 A M and 1 47 P M.

Leave Charlestown at 7 45 A M and 2 50 P M.

Leave Cameron's at 8 02 A M and 2 15 P M.

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Leave Summit Point at 8 20 A M and 2 26 P M.

Leave Waderville at 8 42 A M and 2 40 P M.

Leave Opequon Bridge at 8 46 A M and 2 35 P M.

Leave Stephenson's at 9 04 A M and 2 55 P M.

Arrive at Winchester at 9 25 A M and 2 55 P M.

TRAINS GOING EAST.

Leave Winchester at 10 15 A M and 3 35 P M.

Leave Stephenson's at 10 26 A M and 3 35 P M.

Leave Stephenson's at 10 26 A M and 3 56 P M.

Leave Stephenson's at 10 37 A M and 4 12 P M.

Leave Cameron at 11 05 A M and 4 38 P M.

Leave Cameron at 11 05 A M and 4 38 P M.

Leave Charlestown at 11 16 A M and 5 32 P M.

Leave Halltown at 11 27 A M and 5 32 P M.

Leave Shenandonh at 11 31 A M and 5 41 P M.

Leave Shenandonh at 11 41 P M and 5 55 P M.

Arrive at Harper's Ferry 11 45 A M and 6 00 P M.

WINCHES TER ACCOMBORATION. TRAINS GOING WEST.

INCHESTER ACCOMMODA
COMMENCING MAY 1878, 1868.

ves Winchester
Stephenson's
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Summit Point
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Arriving in Baltimore at
Leave Camden Station at
Arrive Harper's Ferry
Charlestown
Summit Point
Wade's
Stephenson's WINCHESTER ACCOMMODATION.

A. R. WOOD, Agent, Harper's Ferry.

JOHN L WILSON, May 9, 1869. Master of Transportation: BALTIMORE & O. R. R. COMPANY. SCHEDULE of Passenger Trainvarriving and de parting at the Harper's Ferry Station: TRAINS BOUND EAST.

Fast Line, Express Trein, 5 40 A M. 2 56 P. M. TRAINS BOUND WEST ARRIVES. 12 22 P. M. Fast Line, Express Train, 702 P. M. 703 P.M. 134 A. M. 135 A. M.

JAMES M. JOFNSTON, AVING added some of the finest New Ma-chinery to the Shannondale Factory, now in use in the Valley of Virginia, is prepared, and will

SUCH AS LINSEYS, FULLED ANDLPAID, CLOTHS, CASSIMFRES 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

March 19, 1858 -- tf THE WILLCOX & GIBBS'

NOISELESS W E claim for the WILLCOX & GIBB'S the following points:

The "twisted loop stitch" made with one thread directly from spool, making a more elastic and durable 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 liability to get out of order.

April 21, 1868. HARNESS, SADDLES AND BRIDLES

modern style of work mansarip, and at short he les and upon "living" terms. My work comme ids itself. All I ask is a share of the public patront re.

OF Call upon me at my establishment on A secket-House Square.

HENRY D. MIDDLEKAUF

November 7, 1866—19

To the Farmers, Millers and Others IN THE COUNTIES OF JEFFERSON & CLARKE. AVING associated ourselves in business for the

turns in the shortest time Charlestown Depot, Jan, 15, 1867. NOTICE.

To those of our customers who have paid us regularly, we tender our thanks for their patronage, and it will give us pleasure to continue business with

HILLEARY, WILLSON & JOHNSON. Summit Polat, September 14, 1869. AVIS' LIQUOR STORE,

HOME-MADE WHISKEY nanufactured by his father, at the Distillery on the Shenandean river. This whi-key is entirely with-out 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.

Of The proprietor would positively notify those who are in the habit of patronizing his har, that he will hereafter sell exclusively for CASH, without

SUBSTANTIAL. CHEAP AND Fashionable

CITY-MADE BOCTS AND SHOES, manufactured to special order, and guaranteed to be the exact article recommended. Of Ladies' Shoes and most beautiful Gaiters, we dely competition.—For Men's Wear, any and every description desired, from the cheapest Brogan to the finest French Caif Boot. The quality of the work will speak for itself, and as to prices, all we sak is to call, examine and judge for yourself.

November 23, 1859. TRUSSELL & LUCAS, MORNING GLORY, Juniata, and other Base-burning Stoves, "Little Fairy" for Coal, Egg Stoves, Myrtle Gas Burner, "Woodland" box stove for Wood, "Garland" Air-Tight for Wood, Nine-Plate Stoves, and other Heating Stoves; also, the Improved Excelsion and other Cook Stoves. Every Stove warranted. Pipe re-furnished, and Stoves put up in town or country.

October 26, 1869. McCURDY & DUKE.

Naddition to ou former large and well selected stock, we are to civing daily every variety and

-1 18 P. M. 10 24 P. M. Mail Train,

Office open at all hours for trains. Through Tickets sold to all the principal cities of the Umon.

For further Information inquire at the Office.

A. B. WOOD, AGENT.

Harpers Ferry, May. 9, 1869;

WOOLLEN GOODS.

P. Billimore Prices paid for WOOL in Cash. He solicits orders. JAS. M. JOHNSTON.

FAMILY SEWING MACHINE. W E claim for the WILLCOX & GIBB'S the fol-

ty to get out of order.

The great range of work—Hemming, felling, braiding, binding, gathering, quilting, cording, tucking, embroidery, sewing from finest lace to heaviest muslins or cloths without changing Machine.

Agents for Jefferson and Clarke Counties.

April 31, 1885.

MANUFACTURED OR REPAIRED. At Charlestown, Jefferson County, Virginia. THE under aigned respectfully announce es to the citizens of Charlestown and vicinity, that he is constantly making and repairing Carriage, Gig, Buggy, Coach and Wasen HARNESS, SADDLES, ERIPLES, HALTES, dr., in the most durable manner, and the a set modern style of work manship, and at short nd ice

CO-PARTNERSHIP. THE undersigned have entered into a Co P. rtnership under the firm of STARRY 4 LOCK
for the purpose of conducting the Produce Commission and Forwarding Business at the Charlestown Depot.

J. D. STARRY.

JNO. J. LOCK

H purposes of the above Card, we will pay for Wheat, Flour, Corn and all other kinds of Product the highest market prices in Cash, or will receive and forward on Commission, making sales and to

Jan. 15, 1867.

THIS Hotel is located in the business part of the city. Twenty-five Thousand Dollars have been expended in remodeling and turnishing it with entirely new Furniture and Beds. Bathing Rooms, fine Bar, Billiard Saloon, and Livery Stables at tached.

October 12, 1869—17.

We intend to carry out the conditions of this notice fully, and those who do not settle by the time specified will be prepared for a refusal of further

I ly supplied with the PUREST LIQUORS to be had, and the proprietor desires to call special atten

respect to persons, and no one need a k for credi March 30, 1869—if. JOHN R. AVIS.

SALT.—Liverpool G. A. and Pine Sait, now re Ceiving and for sale at lowest market rates, by October 12, 1369. W. EBY.

Spirit Building, Charlestown, W. Va. THE BAR of this estal fishment is kept constant-