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Tuesday Morning, March 15, 1870. The Mississppi Central Horror.

Nearly Twenty Tives Lost-Fifty or Sixty Wonnded. Mr. J. W. Simonton, of the New York As-

sociated Press, has furnished the New Orleans Picayune with an account of the terrible disaster on the Mississppi Central railroad near Oxford. We mame some interesting extracts:

The anguish of surviving friends of the killed and wounded was pitiable to behold.—
A husband, wild with grief at the loss of his wife suddenly snatched from his side by death. just when he had nearly arrived at home in the new world; which he had recently crossed the ocean to find, drew tears from eyes not used to weeping. The young girl, Aggy Elliott-on her way to New Orleans-exhibited wonderful fortitude. She was in the rear of the middle passenger car conversing with several acquaintances-the life of the little circle surrounding her when the crash came. In an instant the notes of mirth and frole were turned to cries of anguish and lamentation. But Aggy never lost her presence of mind for a moment. By her side lay several of the horribly mangled dead. Fortunately no part of the wreck had struck her a deadly blow. Bruised she was, and stunned, but no bone was broken. Her left hand rested upon the stiffening limb of one of the companions with whom she had been in gay converse a minute before, and there it was held in a vice-like grasp by a timber of the lower end of the rear passenger car. Otherwise she was free. Calling for help she stated her situation | persons were badly wounded, and about one and gave directions for her own relief. For nd hour she laid there in the midst of the carnival of death, exhibiting a patience and courage that were heroic. At last the timber was sawn asunder, her hand was released and she was carried away, piteously inquiring of those who were helping her whether she was so hurt that she could not hope to be a future

help to her "poor mother." A little boy, six years of age, who speaks English perfectly, and appears to be of American birth, was taken from the wreck with broken legs, and carried to Water Valley, where the railroad authorities supplied him with every attention. His mother was killed; and, at last accounts, all efforts had failed to obtain from him any statement as to his name or destination-terror and bodily pain seeming to have completely paralyzed his mental

Sister Philomena, a Sister of Charity, journeying from Baltimore to New Orleans, was severely, but not dangerously hurt. Immediately upon recovering from the first effects of the disaster, she was conspicuous in her attentions to those who had suffered more deep-

David Henning, of Ann Arbor, Michigan, was cut about the head, and a severe contusion of the shoulder and arm, but was able to proceed upon his journey.

The railroad ahthorities report fifteen killed in all; but others insist that niveteen dead were counted, besides more than twenty who were seriously wounded, and as many more who suffered minor injuries.

The arrival of the "special" excursion train upon the scene within thirty minutes after the disaster, was very opportune, as the party was well supplied with stimulants and other necessities. It also brought a physician, in the person of Dr. Wright, of Louisville, who was unremitting in his attention to the wounded. Mr. Charles D. Sawyer, of Louisville, the leader of the excursion paarty, and a gentleman of more than usual energy and character, and many others of the visiting railroad men also joined the rescuers and labored unceasingly until the wreck was cleared and the victims had all been found and cared for .-Then the wreck was burned as the readiest method of removing all trace of the sad affair. It should have been stated before that the cars took fire from an overturned stove immediately after the wreck; but the flames

were subdued before they had got fairly under way by some of the passengers. The Mississippi railroad people doubtless did as well as they could, under the circumstances; but there was evidently a lamentable lack of preparation for such an emergency -Laborers were very scarce, and there was no organized system in operation, such as could get the best service out of those that were to be had. It is said, and, we believe, truly, that the excursion train was saved from following its predecessor into the jaws of death only through the efforts of a Mr. Edgar, of a North-western railroad, who, happening to be in the wreck, and unharmed, sent back a flag of danger to apprise the special train of the terrible scene which the curve in the road concealed until one had approached within a few hundred yards of the spot.

After stating that the people of the neighborhood, as soon as they heard of the wreck, were prompt in administering such aid as was in their power, there remains nothing to be remarked further, except that for this terrible railroad horror the managers of the Mississippi railroad are clearly responsible. Their road is simply in a most wretched condition. The immediate cause of this disaster doubtless was a rotten tie, just at the North end of the trestle, from which the pressure of a wheel drew the spikes designed to hold the rail to its place; and there are many more of these rotten ties on the road. This was noticed by some of us who walked over miles of the track. during our twenty hours of detention. The road is unfit for use: Accidents upon it are frequent; if we can believe some of the company's own employes. President Tate had been cautioned several times, in regard to the unsafe condition of the road at the very point where the slaughter of Friday last occurred : but he appears to have disregarded the warnings. The train sent up from Water Valley to relieve the wreck, was itself run off the track, by which event one man lost his life. This probably accounts for the otherwise unaccountable delay in arrival of the succoring

party from the company's headquarters. ANOTHER STATEMENT, [From the New Orleans Times.] From Dr. Settle, a prominent railroad man, and a passenger on the Mississippi Central

the following interesting particulars of that

CHARLESTOWN, VIRGINIA, TUESDAY.

The train was run off the track at Buckner's trestle, crossing Buckner's run, two miles and three quarters south of Oxford, on the way to this city. It arrived an hour late at Oxford, and the conductor, according to the Doctor's statement, received instructions from Colonel Tate, the President of the road, to run fast and endeavor, if possible, to make up the time lost. The treatle is about one hundred

and fifty feet long and fifty feet high.

The doctor states that it has been frequently reported within the last three months as unsafe, and the section boss, who lives close by, has on many occasions flagged the up trains and directed the engineers to run slowly. Colonel Tate did not believe these state-

ments, and the train at the time of the disaster was running at the rate of between thirty and forty miles an hour. The locomotive passed over safely, but spread the track apart at the north end of the trestle nearest Oxford. The baggage car struck the first bent causing it to settle between eight and ten inches. It then jumped to the right of the road and fell over. The express and postoffice car followed, landing on the top of the baggage car. A second class car fell over, parallel with the stream.—
The forward coach followed, dropping to the bottom of the stream in a position parallel with the road. With one exception all the passengers in rear of this car were instantly killed. Among the number was Mr. Mo-

Donald, roadmaster. Two persons in the forward portion of the car were badly injured. The last coach fell on the end of the latter, crushing it in and resting at an angle of about forty-five degrees. Every seat, with one exception, was loosened from its fastenings, and all the passengers were thrown to the bottom of the car. Colonel Tate, the President of the road, was in his coach, standing just in front of the stove .-Three persons were killed, and every other enger more or less injured. Nineteen dead bodies were taken from the ruins, forty persons were badly wounded, and about one bundred others slightly. The passengers remost makes me regret that a ever saw the mained at the wreck until nine o'clock in the rude glare of the day upon it. Its history and evening, when they were taken by another its associations are its chiefest charm, in any train to Water Valley. No one had been informed of the accident, and no provision what-ever had been made for the comfort of the scarcely feel the fetters. Our thoughts wanwounded. It was not until pine o'clock the next morning that any of the officers of the road made their appearance. At that time the treasurer called at the hotel and directed the proprietor to refund all money paid by passengers for entertainment. After that time every comfort was provided for the sufferers. The excursion train followed, being ten minutes behind at Oxford. But for the exertions of Mr. Edger, of the Burlington (Missouri) railroad, it would have met a similar fate.

Fifteenth Amendment.

From the Washington correspondence of the Baltimore Gazette, under date of the 28th

ult., we clip the following :-Radical members and newspapers here seem to be much exercised as to what Maryland will do in the matter of the Fifteenth Amendment. Their animadversions upon the letter of Mr. Harris particularly are amusing enough It does not appear to have entered the heads of these wise-acres that the Legislature of Maryland, in point of intelligence, would, at least, compare favorably with the present Congress. The Radicals count largely upon an accession of strength from the negro vote in many other States which they have heretofore looked upon as doubtful. The following is

their "calculation": In Maryland, In Delaware, 4,500. In Kentucky. 42,000. In Missouri, 20,000. 12,000. In New York. In Pennsylvania, 15.000. 5.000. In New Jersey, 3.500. In Ohio. 1,500. In Indiana, In Connecticut.

Upon these figures a Radical prophet predicts these results: "Here are about 144,000 new voters, and we may safely calculate that about nineteentwentieths of them will be Republican voters. What will be the effect? Delaware will be revolutionized; for the Democratic majority, when none but whites voted, has not been more than half the votes which will be handed in by colored men. In Maryland the Democratic majority will be overwhelmed by the colored voters. Kentucky, now overwhelming Democratic, will become debatable ground and 12,000 new votes thrown into New York will play the mischief with "the party," unless the science of repeating shall be still more extensively called into practice. We have but little expectation, however, of overcoming the Democracy of New. York, for they seem to have the means of recovering that State, where they have a city in which a single Irishman can cast more ballots in a day than six white Republicans and four negroes."

Your readers will see, by these speculations the true reason of the admission of Revels in such hot haste. Will the white voters of the North ever learn that every political measure of the Radical party has but one object in view, and that is, to stifle their voice in public

affairs? - A rather singular case is before the Legislature of this State. On the 15th day of September last, Andrew Collins and Sarah Cottrel, of Gilmer county, were united in wedlock. After enjoying a brief honeymoon, they were indicted by the grand jury of Gilmer county for having violated a law of the State, prohibiting firs termarrying. The parties, by petition to the Legislature, seek to be relieved from the state of incertitude in which they are placed. "Married or not" is the question for our Legislative Solons to decide. Bliss or the common jail hangs on the decision. First cousins hereabouts had better be wary. Martinsdurg Star.

- Mr. Amos Guard, living near Middletown met with quite a serious accident a few days ago. He was chopping a log from a tree lying upon the side of a hill, and about the time he thought the log was cut off he attempted to step back, but from some cause he was thrown forward and the log passed over his body, injuring him severely.

- A few days since Mr. Nicholas Wisman living a few miles from Woodstock, was shot through both arms and legs, by the accidental discharge of an old musket, in the hands of railroad train, at the recent accident, we learn his little son some six or eight years of age

POETICAL.

MARCH 15, 1870.

[From Pomerby's Democrat.]
KINDLY REMEMBERED. From Virginia comes the following decided! kind words of encouragement To many a fireside you bring much joy, My honest triend, M. M. Pomeroy.

In Southern lands, a maiden fair,
With eyes of blue and golden hair,
With cheeks whereon the rose (not rouge) doth
bloom;
Teeth like pearl,
Lips tinted with the ruby's glor
(A cordial hand as white as sn(-v),
Rings out her peals of laughter wild,
At fun and pun,
At hits and wits,
Made by this man, with eyes so mild.

Near by her sits a gentle spirit. Near by her sits a gentle spirit.
Wondering oft at this man of merit,
This man, who (though devil)
Has fied from evil;
Has braved life's dangers,
Its billows and breakers.
Has had losses
And crosses,
And trials sad
With good and bad.
Yet triumphs he gloriously, because from his youth
He has espoused the cause of the God of Truth.

For this man of Right, be this our prayer:
For workingmen and workingwomen,
People oppressed,
Wrongs unredressed,
For the sad and despairing.
For the brave and the daring,
Long may he live to write words of cheer;
And when here Earth's pilgrimage is trod,
Over there may he rest in the bosom of God.
Rose Cottage, Va.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The See of Galilee.

BY MARK TWAIN. Pilgrim, sinners and Ara's are all abed now, and the camp is still. Fabor in loneliness is irksome, Since I made my last few notes I have been sitting outside the tent for half an hour. Night is the time to see Galilee, Genessaret, with the glittering reflections eyes, and the spells they weave are feeble in der constantly to the practical concerns of life, and refuse to dwell upon things that seem vague and unreal. But when the day was done, even the most impressife must yield to the dreamy influences of this tranquil starlight. The old traditions of the place steal upon his memory and haunt his reveries, and then his fancy clothes all sights and sounds with the supernatural. In the lapping of the waves upon the beach he hears the dip of ghostly oars, in the secret noises of the night he hears spirit voices; in the soft sweep of the breezes the rush of invisible wings. Phan-tom ships are on the sea, the dead of twenty centuries come forth from their tombs, and in the dirges of the night wind, the songs of old forgotten ages find utterances again. In the starlight, Galilee has no boundaries but the broad compass of heaven, and is a theatre meet for the birth of a religion able to save the world; and meet for the stately figure appointed to stand upon its stage and proclaim its high deeds. But in the sunlight one says: It is for the deeds which were done and for the words which were soken in this little acre of rocks and sand eighteen centuries gone, that the bells are ringing to day in the remote islands of the sea, and far and wide over the continents that clasp the circumference of the huge globe 7 | Comprehend it only when night has hidden all incongruities and created a theatre proper for so great

Never Again. Hush! tread lightly, for she is dyingsmooth the pillow with care; brush back the tresses from the damp forehead and look into those glossy eyes for the last tire. The farewell is over and the lips shall speak to you "never again." There is some one waiting for her at the door, and she is anxious to leave you. She is so young and fair, it seems doubly hard to give her up, yet she will mingle in your pleasures and share your joys "never again." Bow in submission to the chastising hand and feel 'tis well for her to go. Why does that gray haired sire weep? Is it old age weeping for youth and beauty, and whispering to his aching heart "she is so young, if it had been me instead?" Ah! she will throw her arms around your neck, and press the kiss on your watered cheek "never again." Her smile will be wanting, her presence known in the old home "never again." She will not comb the few scattered locks off your brow, or whister 'father' in your listening ear. You will not speak of your blue-eyed darling to your friends, and they will ask after sweet Bede no more.-"Never again" will she meet you at the door, for she has gone home to God. Hay her body away in the silent tomb and return to your home to see the idol of your heart "never again." Desolate ! ah me ! dreary, one continued night forever prolonged into days. But you will go to meet her e'er long and from her be separated "never again." You will exchange your world-worm arments, your withered skin and wrinkled bow for a fresh countenance, and with her be young. You will know no heart ache nor he any sighing, or feel that loved ones are dying Wipe away those tears, "for earth has no sorrow that Heaven cannot heal," and within the shining

courts on high, you shall feel undappy "never PRESERVED EGGS. -At a late meeting of the Western New York Farmer's Club, Dr. the American Phototype Printing Company for the benefit and security of the person Quinby as reported by the American Farmer, gives this method of preserving eggs, considering it timely, as the season for packing for winter use is at hand. His practice is to gather the eggs from the nest, and when two or three dozen are obtained, to place them in a dish and pour scalding water over them, and immediately turn it off. This process is repeated three times, by which means the albumen is fixed or coagulated, the pores of the shell closed, and the egg, as it were canned in its own covering.

Thus prepared, the eggs are ready to be packed away in the cask designed to hold them for future use. Spread a layer of salt over the bottom of the cask or crock, sufficient to steady the eggs, and then set them in a circle, apex downward, till the surface is covered with eggs. Add more salt, and proceed as before till the cask is filled.

-The Stage line from Mt. Jackson to Harrisonburg has been withdrawn.

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NO. 28:

[From the Muskegan (Mich.) Enterprise.]

A Subterranean Voyage.

He Breaks Through the Crust of the Earth

Falls into a Subterranean River-Six

When we were publishing a paper in Lew-

isburg, West Virginia, several years ago, a very singular accident befel a young man there, which we narrated briefly at the time.

A few days ago we chanced to meet him here

in Muskegan, and he narrated his adventure

at our request. It occurred on the farm of General A. W. G. Davis, in Greenbrier coun-

ty, in 1856. We give his story in his own

"I was plowing on Gen. Davis' farm in 1856," said he, "unsuspicious of being on insecure ground, when suddenly the earth seemed to fall beneath me. I saw the horses

descending, but was too frightened to let go

the plow handles. The pitch of the horses

with the earth gave my fall an impetus, and

somehow I caught the mane of one of them

in my fall, and so held on instinctively .-

What I thought when falling I can hardly tell. At any rate, I did some rapid thinking.

When I landed I fell on the horse whose mane I had hold of, and although the horse

was instantly killed, I was merely stunned

and confused. On recovering myself I looked

up, and the hole through which I had fallen

looked so small I concluded I must have

fallen full one hundred and fifty feet. My first thought was to call for aid, but I iustant-

ly recalled the fact that I was at least a mile

from General Davis' house, and that there

was not the remotest probability that any one

"It was then early morning, and as I had

brought out my dinner with me, no one would

miss me before nightfall. While going over

these facts in my own mind, I heard the rush

of water near at hand, and it occurred to me

that I must have fallen upon the bed of Sink-

ing creek, which, as you know, falls into the

Greenbrier river. . To say where I was, or to

attempt to follow the subterranean passage.

was the next question. I sometimes took the

team to my own tenant stables, and therefore

might not be missed for days, so I deter-

mined to follow the stream. I waded in it.

and, judging of its depth of from one to three

feet, I concluded it must be the identical

Sinking creek spoken of. Leaving my dead

companion behind me, I followed the stream.

For the most part I had pretty easy work of

it, but sometimes I came to a deep place

where I was forced to swim for a considera-

ble distance; again was often precipitated

headlong into deep water by the precipitous

"Talk about the darkness of the grave !-

The grave itself could not have been more

impalpably dark than the passage I was fol-

lowing. The occasional rippling of the wa-

ters was an inexpressibly dear sound to my

ears. Day and night were the same to me.

At last, wearied with my efforts, I laid down

on a comparatively dry rock to rest, and must

have siept for hours. When I awoke again I took to the water, carefully ascertaining

which way it ran, so as not to lose my labor

by retracing my steps. It seemed to me that

the farther I went the more difficult progress

became. When I had gone perhaps a mile,

I came to a place where the archway nar-

rowed so much that I had to crawl on my

"Here was a dilemma I had not looked for

I tried either bank of the river, but found no

passage. I could swim under water for a con-

siderable distance, but the distance before me

was unknown, and I halted long before making

the dangerous venture. At last I concluded

that my fate was equally doubtful in returning

as in proceeding and plunged boldly into the

current, and soon found that it was so swift

in its confined passage that I only needed to

hold my breath to go through. In the course

of twenty or thirty feet I again got my head

above water, and took a long breathing spell.

Again the archway seemed to enlarge and the

bed of the stream became more even. I sped

along comparitively rapid, keeping my hands

outstretched to prevent my running against

the jagged rocks. Wearied out, I again laid

"On awakening, I pursued my course down

the subterraneau stream, and at last in the

long distance ahead, saw a glimmer that looked

very bright in the darkness I was then shut

crease in brightness, and when I had gone

perhaps a mile, I came to another place where

my path narrowed to the very tunnel filled by

the water. My case was now become more

desperate. I could not possibly retrace my

steps, so I submitted myself to the current.

and was immeasurably overjoyed to find my-

self rapidly swept into daylight Exhausted

and half drowned, I crept out upon the land,

and was not long in recognizing the objects

about me. I had come out into the Green-

brier river, as I knew from the familiar look

of General Davis' mill on the bank. On

reaching home I found that I had been over

forty-eight hours in making my perilous jour-

The hole where this man went through is

now fenced round. On lisiening one can

plainly hear the rush of water below, and a

stone thrown down will sometimes be heard

BANK CHECK STAMPS .- The commis-

continue the printing of the old design on ac-

count of the counterfeit discoverd in New

York. The new design hereafter to be print-

ed on all bank checks consists of a medallion

vignette of Washington surrounded by the

words "United States Internal Revenue."

At either end of the vignette the denomination

is inscribed in words and figures "two cents."

are required te print the stamps in bright,

-On the night of the 25th ult., near

Bentonville, in Warren county, an explosion

clear colors .- Wash. tel. Baltimore Sun.

I burned.

ney, of six miles underground.

to splash in the stream.

Nearing this, I found that it did not in-

down and slept soundly in my wet clothes.

hands and knees in the water.

nature of the rocky hed of the stream.

had seen my descent into the earth.

words, as near as we can recollect them.

The Story of a West Virginia Plowman-

Miles in Forty-Eight Hours.

Tearly Advertisements by Special Contract

[From the Boston Post.]

Dead or Alive. STONINGTON, Conn., Feb. 19 - For th last few days this village, as well as the weigh-boring town of Westerley and Charlestown in Rhode Island, have been the scenes of much excitement, caused by various rumors as the condition of a young lady in the latter place, who, it was reported, had been in a state of trance for nearly a week. Others de-nied this, asserting that she was dead. Yesterday afternoon, your correspondent, in com-pany with Dr. George D. Stanton, of Stonington, visited, Charlestown, a small manulacturing village, and met with no difficulty in finding a low, weather-beaten house, about a mile and a half from the village, the resi-

dence of Mrs. Josiah King, the young lady's mother, from whom we learned the following Miss Susie A. King, her daughter, was about twenty-three years of age, and of fine personal appearance. About two weeks ago she was taken sick with some affection of the throat, by which she was confined to her bed for several days, when she was supposed to be covalescent, and allowed one day to come down stairs. That night, however, she graw worse, complaining of severe pains in her hands and feet, and continued to grow worse till the next day, when she lapsed into an unconcious state, in which she remained until her death. Friday, the 11th, at 71 A. M. The usual preparations for the grave were made; the body laid in the coffin; and Sunday the funeral services were held. While the friends were taking the last look at the body, a physician present thought he observed signs of life.

The body was removed, from the coffin, and, being placed in blankets, friction and artificial respiration were resorted to without offect. The next day the galvanic battery was used, but was also without avail. After hearing the above particulars, we were invited to view the body, which lay in a coffin on the table, where it had remained since Sunday, this beng the eighth day since death was sup-

posed to have taken place.

The body presented the appearance of a earth above Frankfort, and does not come out but once till it reaches the banks of the rerson in full health and sound sleep. The face was full and round; the cheeks flushed and the lips red : the eyes unsunken, with no outward signs of death. There was a total absence of muscular rigidity, and Wednesday, after lying six days in this condition, the body was preceptibly warm to the touch. The physician present applied the stethoscope, but could detect no pulsation of the heart, while the application of a lighted match to the skin produced no blister filled with serum, which is said to be invariably the case when life is

> Many physicians from the surrounding country have been to witness this wonderful phenomenon, though disagreeing in their conclusions, some believing Miss King, to be in a state of trance, others thinking her dead, and attributing the preservation of the corpse to arsenic, which it is possible she had been accustomed to take for the complexion, a habit practiced by many young ladies. That Miss King had this habit, however, the family

The father of the young lady was Jesiah King, brother of ex-Governor King, of Rhode Island, who, it may be remembered, occupied the Gubernatorial chair during the "Dorr War" in 1841-2. Much sympathy is felt and expressed for the family, and some idea of the public feelings manifested in the case may be inferred from the fact that during the past week over 2,500 people have visited the house, to see and to hear for themselves.

Philadelphia Mint.

A pamphlet by William M. Runkle, Esq. gives the following account of the United States Mint at Philadelphia. From it we learn that the mint was established in 1792. The first Director was David Rittenhouse. James Pollock now holds that position. The first anthorized money, copper cents, was coined in 1793. Silver dollars appeard in 1794, and Gold Eagles in 1795. Steam power was introduced in 1816. The present building was completed in 1883, and was made fire proof in 1854. It is open to visitors from 9 to 12 A. M., except on Sundays and holidays. Over 30,000 visitors have been shown through it in a single year. The first gold was received from California, December 8th 1848. The purest gold in our country comes from Georgia. The process of assaying as given, is interesting. The sweepings of the "meling rooms," have amounted to \$50,000 per year. The engine of twenty borse power in the coining room, is the finest in the United States, and is almost entirely noiseless. The gold and silver coins are 900 parts pure, with 100 parts copper alloy. The cabinet is a great centre of attraction to visitors, as it contains among other things, specimens of the coins of all rations-even those of ancient Rome, A. D. 177 to 222, and of the Greek Republic, 300 to 700 B. C. There has never been an attempt made to break into the mint. Up to 1870 over \$300,000,000 worth of money was coined there. the pamphlet contains much that is interesting, and is published by Turner & Co., No. 808 Chestnut street, Philadelphia.

B. & O. RAILBOAD. - The mortgage given by the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company to John W. Garrett and Johns Hopkins, of Baltimore, and Jas. Tinker, of New York, trustees, to secure the payment of eight hundred thousand pounds sterling, has been admitted to record in the Recorder's office of sioner of Internal Revenue approved the new this county. The United States stamps upon design for bank check stamps submitted by the mortgage amongts to \$3,872. It is given of New York city. It will be remembered the who shall become holders of the bonds of the company some weeks since were ordered to dis- Company through Baring Brothers & Co., London. To obtain the loan for the comple-tion and improvement of its line of Railroad from Baltimore to Wheeling, the Company issues its sterling bonds to the amount of eight hundred thousand pounds sterling money of Great Britain, in sums of two hundred pounds sterling each, dated March 1st, 1870, and payable twenty-five years after date thereof, The arrangement for printing the new stamps at the office of Baring Brothers & Co., in the will continue as heretofore. The company city of London, with interest thereon at six percent, per annum, payable semi annually .-The amount of the mortgage in American gold would be \$3,872,000 in gold in London, to which if ten per cent. be added for east of exchange, would amount to \$4,759,200 in gold of a kerosene lamp occurred, by the falling of in London. If this amount be reduced to a lamp which commucicated the fire to another Uniten States currency at 22, it would amount lamp on the same table, at the residence of Mr. James B. Morrison, by which Mr. M. his wife and youngset daughter were severely of the road—eighteen in number.

[Berkeley Union

LIBERAL OFFER!

Wishing to conform to the Cash System as far as possible, we make the following proposition to our patrons:-All subscribers who, previous to the FIRST DAY OF APRIL NEXT, come forward and pay their subscriptions in advance, will be furnished with the Spirit of Jefferson at TWO DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS, for the current year. In making this offer, we wish it to be distinctly understood that it will in no case apply to present subscribers who do not pay before that time. New subscribers will have the benefit of the same terms.

THE CHARTER.

We lay before our readers to-day the charter recently granted by the Legislature of West Virginia, to the Shenandoah Valley Railroad. It will be perceived that the right to extend this work (originally chartered by the General Jefferson line to the Potomac river, has been a vote of the people at a special election the question of a subscription to the capital stock of the company. The Board of Supervisors under the authority thus given them, have directed that an election be held on the 3d day of March, to determine whether or not the sum of \$250,000 shall be subscribed.

By a provision of the charter "all the male fix-payers of the county, who are above the age of twenty-one years, who are not unsound in mind, and who are not under conviction of treason, felony, or bribery in an election, and who have been residents of the State one year, and of the county thirty days before they shall offer to vote," will be entitled to suffrage at the special election named. A majority of the vote cast will determine whether a subscription shall be authorized or not. If a majority of the vote be found in favor of subscription "the Supervisors of the county shall then have authority to cause subscription to be made in their corporate name to the stock of the said company to the amount proposed or any less amount, on such terms as they may deem advisable, and to provide for the payment thereof by county taxation or loans."-It will be observed from the proceedings indicated that they are to be directed to the single purpose of placing the county in a condition to make a subscription of \$250,000 whenever it is satisfied sufficient capital can be commanded to construct the road. Whenever assurances to that effect are given, and not till then, will the Supervisors, empowered by the people, at the election on the 31st inst. make the subscription. And it will also be noticed, that whatever amount may be subscribed to the stock of this road, it must be, under the terms of submission, expended on that portion of the road which shall be located in Jefferson county.

With such guarantees, it seems to as there should be no hesitation on the part of the people of the county to authorize, by their vote. the proposed subscription.

The importance of this work has been discussed repeatedly in our columns, and all, we think, must long since have been convinced that the prosperity of the county and the great valleys of the Shenandoah and Luray would be immensely promoted by its success. The exhaustless treasures of the region of country to be developed by this enterprise, would fully justify the employment of the whole capital proposed fo be embarked in it.

An able editorial, with figancial view of this subject, is to be found in the Shepherdstown Register. We copy the following extract :-From a reliable official source we learn that

the taxable property of Jefferson county is estimated at seven millions four hundred and fifty-three thousand, nine hundred and sixteen dollars and thirty-four cents. (\$7,453,916.34). A tax on this of one fifth of one per cent, an increase only of two mills on the dollar, will yield annually fourteen thousand nine hundred and seven dollars and eighty-three cents, (\$14,907,83). This will be nearly enough (lacking only \$93.17) to pay the interest on the County Bonds, wh ch, at 6 per cent, will be \$15,000. The Bonds will be issued at as long dates as the law will allow. The Railroad Company will receive them in payment for the stock which the county will hold in the road. Long before the Bonds will mature the Road will be in operation and paying dividends upon its stock. So that, if at any time thereafter, the county shall desire to realize in each the value of its stock, it may be put upon the market and sold at par-probably at a handsome premium, thus readily re imburs-

ing itself for the temporary loan of its credit. So it will be seen that, at a cost to the county which will be hardly felt by any of its tax-payers, every doilar of which will be expended within its limits, and for which it will hold an ample equivalent in the stock of a Road that will pay from the start, it will secure for itself, and forever, one of the grandest lines of improvement in the whole country, which will add millions to its wealth thousands to its population and, in short, confer such inestimable benefits upon every portion of its territory and every class of its people, that to attempt to make them more manifest to our readers would be an implied

insult to their intelligence. making arrangements for assuming a just proportion of the State debt contracted before the war, unless Virginia will abandon its and public buildings. suit for the recovery of Jefferson and Berkeley counties.

The "Air Line Railroad" from Wash ington to New York is engrossing a good deal of attention in Congress, and the struggle is pretty much confined to the different Railroad Companies to be injured or benefited by it. Public interests are scarcely thought of and the rights of States laughed at as something obsolete and absurd. As we are living under a new national dispensation it is difficult for any one to tell where he stands.

RECONSTRUCTION OF TENNES-

Senator Sumber recently remarked that Reconstruction was a work which he did not expect to live to see entirely completed. The Radical theory is that the States are to remain liable to complete re-organization at any moment by Congress: Their governments liable to be subverted, and military provisional ones substituted, until the people by coercion yield to the demands of the dominant faction controlling the Federal Government. If this does not amount to a complete overthrow of the American system, then we have all of our lives been ignorant as to what constitutes its essential features. The magnificent fourthof-July comparison to the central sun, and revolving planets, each distinct in its sphere must be given up. Our solar system has become a mere ovary, worked by a mountebank at the head of the machine. It is in vain to argue against such usurpation. If Congress dares to go the length which it is now said the Reconstruction Committee will recommend in reference to Tennessee, then Kentucky should proceed to arm herself at once. as the same unwarranted measures will be put into operation against her. Maryland, too, should stand on the defensive. The Northern Assembly of Virginia,) from the Clarke and Democracy must come to the rescue by carrying the Congressional elections, otherwise given; and that the Board of Supervisors of | there will be great danger of another civil the county have been authorized to submit to war. We deprecate such a catastrophe, and trust in Providence for a reaction in the North

THE GOLD PANIC.

The New York Commercial Advertiser says: In nearly every business thoroughfare in the city placards are to be seen announcing "SPECIE PAYMENTS RESUMED," gladdening the eyes of all beholders, and attracting increased custom to enterprising dealers. One restaurant keeper down town has obtained a bushel of silver coin of various denominations, which he is paying out rapidly. Large orders have been sent on from here to the Philadelphia Mint, and within a day or two twenty barrels of coins have arrived in New York. Large consignments have also been received from Canada and Nova Scotia. The day of the jubilee is surely coming.

A dispatch from New York on Saturday,

"The passage of the Funding bill in the Senate was made the basis of a fresh raid on ofore the Board, when the prospective agents under the Funding bill threw one million of gold on the market, and down went the priceto 1115. There was afterward a firmer feeling, and the first recorded sale in the room was at 112, with a later reaction to 1113, which was followed by an advance to 112% and a decline to 1121. "A very large business was transacted

although the excitement was nothing like that of yesterday." *

Unearthing a Treasure. Fice Thousand Dollars in Solid Gold Found

Hidden Beneath the Sod. Yesterday Afternoon a gentleman name William Pate, who recently purchased and is now improving a lot near the eastern terminus Twelfth street discovered on his premises a treasure of no trifling import. He was digging for the foundation of a house. Near the root of an old tree that long ago been cut down, Mr. Pate was freely using his spade, when suddenly it struck something solid and apparently inmovable. Digging around the

object it was soon brought to light. It proved to be a small iron chest, rusty bu heavy and solid. It was at once removed from its bed under the earth, and with some difficulty opened. I Imagime the surprise and delight of Mr P. on discovering therein gold to the amount of \$5,620. With the gold was found a note, and in the note was legibly

"Hidden from the soldiers in 1864. If never return, and this is discovered, the finder will please devote half the amount to charitable purposes, and the balance he can keep for his own use. I am an old man, with not a relative in Missouri J. C. WAITE." The money has been placed in bank. Mr.

P., we understand, intends fulfilling the written request of the old man to the letter, and especially gladly, no doubt, will he appropriate the balance referred to in Mr. Waite's note. [Kansas City News.

In the days of Democratic rule one or two officials were employed at small salaries as ushers to the White House. Now we have several full blown Brigadier Generals waiting about the portals of the Presidential mansion and a host of underlings. On motion of Mr. Poland, the other day, the wages of two of these minor officials were increased from \$1,000 and \$840 to \$1,200 each. If it is profitable to be "a doorkeeper in the House of the Lord," it does not appear to be unprofitable to occupy a similar position at the Presidential mansion.

The advertising column of the New York and Philadelphia newspapers contain announcements from retail dealers that they have marked their goods down to a gold value, and that where change is necessary it will be given in silver. If the gold premium should continue downward, or rather Government paper go up, it will eventually bring into play the one or two hundred millions of gold coin in the country, thus adding that much to the Samuel Knott and Jacob J. Miller, or circulating medium,

From being informed of the wants of the new Chair of Applied Mathematics in the University of Virginia, Count Bismarck, The Richmond Dispatch states, edi- in his capacity as Chancellor of the North torially, that the Hop. Charles Jas. Faulkner German Confederacy, has presented that invigorously opposed the appointment of Com- stitution with a most costly and useful collecmissioners on the part of West Virginia to tion of photographic and engraved designs of and Walter Shirley, or any two of them; in meet those from Virginia with a view of recent Government works in Germany. They comprise drawings of all the modern improvements applied to bridges, canals, railways, them; and in such other place or places, and

> Mr. Whittemore, of South Carolina. has published a letter in the Charleston papers, defending his action in the alleged sale of cadetships, and announcing himself as a candidate for re-election to Congress.

The Governor of Minnesota has vetoed the Woman Suffrage bill for the reasons that it was to be submitted to the women of the State, who are not legal voters, and that public sentiment has not called for it.

Charter of the Sh

ley Railroad Company to construct road through the State of West V the Potomac river; and to authorize Board of Supervisors of Jefferson to submit to a vote of the people, at a spe-cial election, the question of the subscrip-tion to the capital stock of said company. WHEREAS. An act has passed the Gen-

eral Assembly of Virginia entitled "An Act to incorporate the Shenandoah Valley Rail-road Company," in the following words and

An act to incorporate the Shenandoah Valley Railroad Company. Passed February 23d, 1867.

Be it Eenacted by the General Assembly: "That it shall be lawful to open books of subscription in Harrisonburg, in the county o Rockingham, under the direction of S. A. Coffman, Henry Forrer and A. M. Newman or any two of them, in Laray, in the county of Page; under the direction of Peter B. Borst, William Milnes and Benjamin F. Grayson, or any two of them; in Front Royal, in the county of Warren, under the direction of William M. Buck, Robert Turner and Thos. N. Ashby, or any two of them; in Winchester, in the county of Frederick, under the direction of Lloyd Logan, H. M. Brent and Philip Williams, or any two of them; in Berryville, in the county of Clarke, under the direction of David H. McGuire, William N. Nelson and David Meade, or any two of them; in Staunton, in the county of Augusta, under the direction of Nicholas K. Trout, Michael G. Harmon and George Baylor, or any two of them; in Lexington, in the county of Rockbridge, under the direction of James S. Paxton, J. McD. Taylor and William C. Lewis, or any two of them; in Buchannon, in the county of Botetourt, under the direction of John S. Wilson, William D. Couch and Alphonso Finnily, or any two of them; in Fincastle, in the said county of Betetourt, under the direction of W. E. McCord, T. G. Good win and W. A Glasgow, or any two of them; and in Salom, in the county of Rosnoske, under the direction Bernard Pitzer, Frederick Johnston and George W. Shanks, or any two of them; and in Stanardsville, in the county Greene, under the direction of John B. White, George J. Stevens, Wyatt S. Beasley, James F. Appold, and William T. Sims, or any three of them; and in such other place or places, and under the direction of such agent or agents as a majority of the commissioners at either of the above named places may designate, for the purpose of receiving subscriptions to the amount of four million dollars, in the shares of one hundred dollars each, to constitute a joint capital stock for constructing a railroad from the town of Harper's Ferry in the county of Jefferson, or some other point on the Potomac river through the coun Warren, Page, at or near Port Republic, in the counties of Rockingham, Augusta, Rockbridge and Botetourt, to connect with the Virginia and Tennessee Railroad, at or near Salem, in the county of Roanoke, with a

Gordonsville, in the county of Orange; also a branch from some suitable point on said road to the town of Lexington, in the county of Rockbridge. "Whenever two hundred thousand dollars of stock shall have been subscribed, the subscribers, their executors, administrators and assigns, shall be and are hereby declared to be a body politic and corporate, under the name and style of the Shenandoah Valley Railroad Company, and shall be subject to all the provisions of the Code of Virginia applicable to internal improvement companies, except so

branch from some suitable point on said road

to Harrisonburg, in Rockingham county; also

a branch from some suitable point on said

road, via. Stanardsville, Greene county, to

far as the same be consistent with the provisions of this act. "If the capitol stock of said Company shall be deeped insufficient for the purpose of this act; it shall and may be lawful for the Directors, or a majority of them from time to time to increase the same by addition of so many shares as they may deem, necessary, for which they may, at their discretion, cause subscriptions to be received in such manner as may be prescribed by them, or may sell the same for the benefit of said Company, for any sum not under the par value thereof; and the said Directors, or a majority of them, shall, by and with the consent of the stockholders, in a general meeting assembled, have power to borrow money for the purpose of this act, and to issue proper certificates of such loans and pledge the property of the Company by mortgage, or otherwise, for the payment of the same and the interest that may accrue there-

This act shall be in force from its passage; therefore. Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Vir-

1. That the same rights and privileges shall be and are hereby granted to the aforesaid Company within the territory of West Virginia as are granted to them within the

2. That the right is hereby granted to said Company to locate their road in the State of West Virginia from the Potomac river, by a route from the said river running not further than one-half mile from the corporate limits of the town of Shepherdstown, and not further than the like distance from the town of Charlestown, in Jefferson county, and to the houndary line between Jefferson county, in West Virginia, and Clarke county, in in the State of Virginia.

3. That the right is hereby granted to the said Company to make such branches from suitable points on said road, within the county of Jefferson, State of West Virginia, as may be found necessary or the public convenience

4. That it shall be lawful for books of subscription, for the purpose of receiving subscriptions to the capitol stock of said railroad, to be opened in Shepherdstown, in the county of Jefferson, in this State, under the direction of David Billmyer, any two of them; in Harper's Ferry, in the said county, under the direction of George Koonce, Solomon V. Yantis and Hezekiah Roderick, or any two of them; in Charlestown, in the said county, under direction of William H. Travers, H. B. Davenport and forwarded to the undersigned, who, as Pres-George W. Eichelberger, or any two of them; in Smithfield, in said county, under the direction of John W. Grantham, John F. Smith Kabletown, in the said county, under the direction of Logan Osbourn, Anthony Nunnamaker and Henry Castleman, or any two of under the direction of such agent. or agents, as a majority of the commissioners at either of the above named places may designate.

5. That the Board of Supervisors of Jef-

terson county be authorized to submit, at a

special election, to a vote of all the male taxpayers of the said county, who are above the age of twenty-one years, who are not unsound in mind, or who are not under conviction of treason, felony, or bribery in an election, and who have been residents of the State one year. and of the said county thirty days, before they shall offer to vote at such election, the question of a subscription to the capital stock of

favor of said subscription, then such sub-scription shall, in every respect, be as valid as though taken under the provisions of sec-tion 40 of chapter 39 of the Code of West

ers be taken subject to the provision. Thapter 39 of the Code of this State. ght to repeal, alter or amend this act, bu such reperl, alteration or amendments, shall not in any way impair the vested rights of

[Special Dispatch to the Missouri Democrat.] Loss of U. S. Steamer Oneida.

Full Particulars of the Disaster. SAN FRANCISCO, March 1 .- The Benefac tress arrived from Yokohama to-day. She brings the particulars of the loss of the United States steamer Oneida, which left Yokohama January 23, homeward bound, about five P The accident occurred at seven the same evening. The United States Minister visite her in the forenoon and received the usual salute. The guns were reloaded in the expectation of a Russian gungoat salute by the Delong, which, however, did not salute, so the guns were left loaded. On her steaming out of the harbor, the crews of men at work in port gave her three cheers and wished her a

On passing out of the harbor the fires were banked and steam blown off. About seven o'clock, while the officers were at dinner, the lookout sung out "steamer lights ahead !"-The midshipman gave order to port the helm. Everything seemed still on board the other steamer, which led to the belief that they did not observe the Oneida, although lights were burning brightly. The steamer proved to be the Peninsular and Oriental steamer Bombay which came right on and ran into the Oneida striking her on the starboard abaft the gang way, about half-way between the main and mizzen rigging, cutting a hole through which the whole interior became visible, and carried away the binnacle, wheel and rudder. Two men at the wheel were killed on the spot .-

The ship is a total wreck, The Bombay didn't stop. The guns that pappened to be loaded were fired to attract her attention and bring her back. Orders were given to lower the boats. There was only one available life-boat; the others were crushed. The life-boat was manned by Dr. Luddard, the boatswain and fifteen of the crew going ahead. Five guns fired. Before the sixth fired the vessel sunk; the whole ocof those saved saw a man or heard a voice aboard of the Bombay. When there was evidently no hope of saving the ship, the officers gathered around Captain Williams .-He was heard to say "If the ship went down he would go with her." The life boat was obliged to leave the side of the sinking ship to avoid being swamped by her.

After pulling about for awhile, the crew of the life-boat seeing none of the crew floating -not one of all the one hundred and sixty who went down-they unwillingly bent their boat's head landward, about five miles distant. On landing, the natives treated them kindly, and having obtained the assistance of a guide, they started to walk to Yokohama, which they reached at daylight next morning. The Bombay was immediately ordered to the scene of the wreck, and succeeded in saving thirty. nine men, who had got into the cutter, which floated when the ship went down. Several other vessels proceeded to the scene of the disaster during the day. On board were Ministers Delong and Beekmore, whose lives were saved. The Japanese government sent boats and apparatus to search for the wreck

and if necessary to buoy the spot. The passengers aboard the Bombay were ruite surprised when they heard the calamity hat had befallen the vessel they struck, but declare they neither heard any request from the Uneida to stay by them, or minute guns. A naval court has been demanded by the Captain of the Bombay.

The Oneida's compliment of officers and men numbered one hundred and seventy-six. Only fifty-six, including Dr. Luddard and two junior officers, survive the disaster.

Stonewall Jackson Memorial Association.

The admirers of the exalted virtues of the late Lieutenant General T. J. Jackson are now endeavoring to raise the requisite funds to erect a suitable memorial to this great and good man. For this purpose agencies are being employed by the formation of auxiliary memorial

associations in the several States, through which contributions are solicited in aid of the noble work. The scheme contemplates the erection of memorial chapel, at the Virginia Military Institute, Lexington, Virginia, in which institution General Jackson had served fourteen

years as a Professor, and near which his re-

mains now lie, It is believed that such a memorial would be most in harmony with the character and wishes of this renowned christian Shorld the funds collected justify it, a statue in bronze or marble will also be erected to transmit to coming generations the features. form and expression of one whose name and virtues are alike known and honored throughout the civilized world, and who was a bright

exemplar of whatever was true and noble, and of good report among men. It is estimated that \$50,000 will be required for these purposes. We want contributions from all who will unite with us, in paving this tribute to the memory of Stonewall Jackson.

No local or sectional views restrict scheme. It is national is its design. The North has cordially responded to the appeal. The East and the West are moving, while the followers of Jackson in the field, and on the march, are sending forward their contributions to the memory of the noble chieftain, The funds as they are collected, may be Military Institute, has been designated by the

nia, as Treasurer of the Memorial fund. JOHN LETCHER. Pres. B. of V. of V. M. I. Lexington, Va., Feb. 22, 1870.

Central Memorial Association in Pennsylva-

Gen. John C. Breckinridge, in an able argument at Lexington, Ky., denounced the men who belonged to the Ku Klux as either idiots or villains, and asserted that he was free from any fear of them, and would readily respond to a summons from the Sheriff as one of a posse to arrest and bring these men to justice.

General Butler has appointed a col ored youth bearing the name of Charles Sumner Wilson to a cadetship at west point. This the said Shenandoah Valley Railroad Com- is a bid for the negro vote for the presidency.

shed the resolutions of evs. H. Slicer and John "Whereas a written communication has

to which the ecc sinstical body now approaching us by committee is amenable, has declined to receive fraternal greetings or to enter into fraternal intercourse with the Ganeral Confer nce of the methodist apiscopal Church South inder whose jurisdiction we are; and wherea toward us, and for which history shows we

are not responsible; therefore.

"Resolve I by the Baltimore Annual Conference in Conference assembled, That it is not proper or competent for the Baltimore Conference of the Almodist Episcopal Church herefore. South to enter at his time into any offiial correspondence and cognition as is proposed or implied in the out munication before us.

"Resolud, That in view of the connection form of government of both Methodisms, we consider the General Conferences of the two churches the proper and only competent auficial intercourse between the Annual Con-ference, and to these chief judicatories we re-

"Resolvi 1. That while we cannot, as matters now stand, by the act and choice of the conorities of the Methodist Episcopal tituted an Church, r give officially the delegation announced, yet that personally we hold Rev. Henry Slicer and Rev. John Bear in high esteem as Christia men and ministers, and as such this Cop rence will be pleased to

receive them at a y time. "Resolved, The we desire peace and harmony with all, a lespecially with those who are called Method ls, and we regret the failure of those legitimate measures which have been used for this end by the Methodist Episcopal Church South toward the Methodist Epise Church a d that our overtures of peace and fraternity in terms alike honorable to all have been rejected by them, and stand rejected.

"Resolved, That in making this disposition of the aforesaid communication, we are actuated by no feelings of personal hostility to the ministers or mem ers of the Methodist Epis-copal Church, but by what we sincerely consider to be preexiting questions of primary and fundamental i portance in the present relations of the two great bodies of Episcopa Methodism in the United States. These being settled between the proper authorities of the two churches respectively, we shall rejoice to cultivate those reciprocities which ir common Christianity and our common birthright required.

"Resolved, This as a Conference we fully endorse the reply which the bishops of the Methodist Episco al Church South made to the bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church at their interview in St. Louis in the month of

"Resolved. That a copy of this preamble and these resolutions, duly authenticated by the secretary of he Conference, be forwarded by him to Rev. Lenry Slicer and Rev. John

On the 8th is it., in the Northern Conference, Dr. Slice, of the fraternal commission appointed to visit the Baltimore Confereuce of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, reported that the commission left Frederick and proceeded to Baltimore, having desnatched letter to the Conference, asking a few mom ts of the Monday morning's session for a discharge of their duty. That they their on Monday, proceeded to the Conference, and the their mission had failed—the Conference if the M. E. Church South having redised breceive them in their official character 4

On motion, the thanks of the Conference were returned to the brethren of the commission for the manner in which they had discharged their daty.

Below we publish the appointments for this district; by the M. E. Church South :-Winchester District .- W. S. Baird, P. E. Winchester Sotion, J. E Armstrong; Winhester Circuit, W. H. Wheelwright, Geo. Stevenson ; Frederick Circuit, L. Butt, E. F. Hetrick, sup; Front Royal, J. H. March, F. Furr; Warrenton, H. E. Johnson; Berryville. F. H. Richey, J. P. Hyde, sup; Martsnsburg, J. L. Clarke ; Berkeley, A. A. P. Neal ; Jefferson, J. W. Ewan ; Shepherdstown, W. G. Cross, One to be supplied; Gainsboro', H. A. Gaver; Morgan, S. Smith;

Shanandale, T. W. Brown ; Hagerstown, B. S. Highley; Salem and Bethel, F. C. Tebbs. W. G. Coe appointed P. E. of Lexington Dist. I.R. Finler to Lexingtion Station; J. W. Tongue to Woodstock ; J. H. Waugh P. E. Rock agham District; E. F. Busey P. E. Roanoke Dist; J. C. Dice P. E. Moorefield District Robt. Smith to Harford. The following are the appointments of the

Norther Church for this district :-Wing ester. District .- W. H. Holiday. Presidir Elder .- Winchester, B. G. W. Reid ; Linchester Circuit, E. E. Anderson ; Harper Ferry and Jefferson Circuit. Watcon Cates Shepherdstown, Albert Jump; Martinsburg, S. V. Leach; Hedgesville. George Grossfield; Berkeley Springs, C. O. Cook; South Branch, H. McNemar, A. J. Gill : Moorefield and Franklin, J. C. Taylor ; Bloomington, to be supplied; Peidmont, J.

R. Cadden ; Lonaconing, W. C. Mullen ; Frostburg, W. M. Frysinger; Frostburg Circuit, James N. Davis, one to be supplied; Mount Savage. G. W. Hobbs ; Camberland, A. R. Reiley; Allegany, A. J. Bender, B. N. Wooden, one to be supplied : Hancock. George W. Heyde, J. St. Clair Neil.

MARRIED.

In Man neburg, on the 8th inst., by Rev. Mr. Culler, J. HN D. KILMER to Miss ANN E. CUSH-WA-bot of Berkeley county. In Greencastie, Pa., on the 3d inst., JACOB SEIBERT to Miss MARY J. LOGAN-all of Berkeley county, W. Va.

DIED.

On Wedness y last, at the residence of his son, Dr. W. F. Lippitt, in this place, Rev. E. R. LIP-PITT, in the 72d year of his age. At the residence of his father, on the 7th inst., of Typhoid Fever, LAWRENCE PITMAN CARTER,

aged 24 years, son of J. A. Carter, of Clarke county. In February, at "Manse Morganton." Burke county. N. C., Rev. WILLIAM C. SHEETZ, formerly of this town, aged 53 years. In Washington City, on the 6th inst., Mrs. MI-NERVA T. LUCKETT, aged 58 years, daughter of the late Joel Dawner, formerly of this county. On the 5th inst., at the residence of her husband in Clarke county, Mrs. FANNY DORSEY, wife of Capt. J. P. Dersey, aged about 22 years.

On the 13d alt., at his residence at Mill Creek.
Berkele ounly, W.M. HOLLIDAY, aged 68 years.

SPECIAL NOTICES

The Season and its Dangers

common in the spring, and materier a stomach bitters of the class at present known, a course of it is particularly advisable at this period of the year. The
stomach will thereby be toned and strengthened,
the liver and bowels regulated, the nervous system
braced up, and nature put is a state of active defence against the missms which superioduces intermittent and remittent fevers, rheumatisms, nervous
debility, headache, hypochondria and other complaints which are apt to assail the untoned and unfortified organizations. The body is strengthened
without exciting the brain, and consequently no unpleasant reaction follows its reviving and renovating
operation.

A CARD.

A Clergyman, while residn g in South America as missionary, discovered a safe 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 vicious habits. Great numbers have been cured by this noble remedy. Prompted by a deaire to benefit the afflicted and unfortunate, I will send the recipe for preparing and using this medicine, in a scaled envelope, to any one who needs it, Free of Charge. Address

JOSEPH T. INMAN.

Station D, Bible House,

Station D. Bible House, New York City. October 5, 1869-6m. TO CONSUMPTIVES. The Advertiser, having been restored to health in 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

To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the escription used, (free of charge,) with the direc-ns for preparing and using the same, which they ill find a suaz Curs ros Consumption, Astrona, will find a suar Curs for Consumption. Astrona, Br. NCHITIS, etc. The object of the advirtiser in sending the Prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and spread information which he conceives to be invaluable; and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing.

Parties wishing the prescription, will please address

REV. EDWARD A. WILSON.

Williamsburg, Kings county, New York.

November 30, 1869—1y.

ERRORS OF YOUTH. A Gentleman who suffered for years from Ner-ous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects f youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of sufferg humanity, send free to all who need it, the re-ipt and directions for making the simple remedy which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit v the advertiser's experience, can do so by a ing, with perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN, Nov. 30, 1869-1y. No 42 Cedar et., New York

PUBLIC SALE. WILL offer at Public Sale, at the residence of my father. (John McGarry.) two miles South Duffield's Depot and four miles North of Charles-

WEDNESDAY, the 30th of MARCH, 1870, the following Personal Property, VIZ:

Four head of good WORK HORSES-two of em fine Brood Mares; and three good Leaders; Two Double Shovel do., Gearing for Three Horses—nearly new;

One pair of Spreaders and Single Trees, Four Wagon Wheels for Four-horse Wagon One Wheat Drill, One I horse Wagon, One first-rate Geiser Threshing Machine, it od running order.

TERMS OF SALE -A credit until the first day of December, 1870, will be given on all sums over Five Dollars, the purchaser giving bond with approved security, bearing interest from day of sale; but if paid at maturity, the interest to be remitted. On sums of Five Dollars and under, the Cash will

Fifty Bushels of Corn.

No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with. 13- Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M. March 15, 1870. JAMES W McGARRY.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

Py virtue of a Deed of Trust from Zachariah.
Potts and Mary Potts to me as Trustee, (which Deed is dated Sanuary 1. 1855, and recorded in Deed Book No. 34, page 363,) I will sell, on the premises, WEDNESDAY, the 30th of MARCH, 1870, at 1 o'clock. P M., the desirable property occupied by the late Zachariah Potts, in Bolivar. The

mprovements consist of a TWO-STORY BRICK DWELLING. with Kitchen attached, and all necessary Out-Houses. A FINE GARDEN belongs to the prop

TERMS OF SALE.—\$250 and the necessary expenses of sale in Cash; the balance in one and two years, in equal instalments, to be secured by deed of trust on the property. WM. SCHAEFFER. Trustee. CLABAUGH WASHER SUCCESSFUL!

WOULD respectfully inform the citizens of Jefferson and Clarke counties that I am still manufacturing this excellent Washing Machine, and from the general satisfaction it has given the many families that have used it during the five years it has been introduced, I have no hesitation in waror, less soap, and with less wear to the clothes than ny other method known.

I have reduced the price of the Machine with Wringer attached, to \$20. Each separate, \$10.— Shop price for both, \$18. Warranted for one year. deliver them on trial for one month, and it they fail to give satisfaction, will remove them if notified at the expiration of that time. Orders solici-

March 15, 1879-6m.

FOR SALE. WILL offer at Public Sale, in front of Lee Hall, SATURDAY, the 2d of APRIL, 1870, at 12 o'clock, M.,

ted. Terma accommodating. Address JAMES E. MADDOX.

A good Riding or Draught HORSE.
A second-hand SINGLE CARRIAGE—good; Bridle Collar and Harness.

Also, a Double sett of Carriage Harness, all o TERMS .- A credit to the 1st of September next.

JOHN HUMPHREYS. March 15, 1870-ts.*

WHETHER DAVY CROCKETT I AS any lineal descendants in this vicinity is not proven; but that be has many followers is incontestible; in proof of it, if you ask anybody around the corner what he is doing or expects to do

"Waiting for Something to Turn up." The subscriber is not one of the sort. He's trying ALL THE YEAR ROUND To raise the wind and go shead. You are therefore advised that the price of Groceries has been considerably reduced of late. Sugar heretolore sold for 15c has been for weeks a st sold for 12c, and everything else in proportion.

We are happy to state that a great many articles are still to be reduced. We intend besides to re-

sume specie payments at an early day.

Will, as heretofore, take all kinds of Country Produce in exchange
It is hardly necessary to state that the stock of Groceries, Provisions. Leather and Coal is the largest within many miles around; to enumerate more particularly would require all the space of the "Spirit of Jefferson." Internal Revenue Stamps of different denominations for sale, and Mutilated Currency taken at par.

J. M. DECAULNE.

Harper's Ferry, March 15, 1870.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate of the late Jesse Arnett, that payment must be made at an early day. All persons having claims against said estate will present them, duly verified, for payment.

W.O. MACOUGHTRY, March 15, 1870-3t.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WELCH & GRIFFITHS, Saws! Axes! Saws! AWS of an incompanies the prints, superior, seth, or with Petent Adjustable Points, superior, seth, or with Petent Adjustable Points, superior, all laser ted Tecth Saws. 63- Prices Reduced.

Send for Price List and Circulare.

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ATANTED-AGENTS - 375 to \$



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The Purest, Best and Che ANDERO NOUS

GENTS WANTED to sell the AMERICAN A KNITTING MACHINE, the only practical Family Knitting Machine ever invented. Price \$25. Will knit 20,000 stitches per minute. Address AMERICAN KNITTING MACHINE CO., Boson,

WAY WITH UNCOMFORTABLE TRUS-A SES. COMPORT AND CURE FOR THE REPTURED. Sent post-paid on receipt of 10 cents. Address Dr. E. B. Foote, No. 128 Lexington Avenue, N. Y.

V Sent post-paid, on receipt of 10 cents Address Dr. E. B FOOTE, (author of Mexical Common

Sense) No. 125 Lexington Avenue., corner East 28th AGENTS! READ THIS! E WILL PAY AGENTS A SALARY OF STA

dress M. WAGNER, & CO., Marshall, Mich. "ECONOMY IS WEALTH."-FRANKLIN. WHY will people pay \$50 or more for a Sawing Machine when \$22 will buy one that has a standard reputation, is double thread, complete with Table, constructed upon entirely new and practica principles, runs by friction, and excels all others ichied for poor people who want to ave time, labor and money. Acknes Wantso. Machinea sent to Agents and given away to needy families. For circulars and reduced prices, address 1, C. Ozzas & Co., Franklin and Diamoud S. M. Co., Box 287, Resten Mass.

BRIDE AND BRIDGOROOM.—Essaya for Young Men, free, in sealed envelopes. HO WARD ASSOCIATION, Box P. Philadelphia, Pa. DR. WHITTIER, 617 St. Charles St., St. Louis,

Mo., of Union wide reputation, treats all veneres diseases; also, seminal weakness, imputency, &c., the result of self-abuse. Send 2 stamps for sealed pamphlet, 50 pages. No matter who failed, state case. Consultation free. DSYCHOMANCY, FASCINATION OR SOUL-CHARMING, 400 pages; cloth. This won-derful book has full instructions to enable the read-er to fascinate either sex, or any animal, at will -Mesmerism, Spiritualism, and hundreds of other curious experiments. It can be obtained by sending address, with nostage, to T. W. EVANS & CO.,

No. 41 South Eighth Street, Philadeiphia. DR. C. W. MILLARD'S FEMALE SILVER PILLS. A N unfailing remover of obstructions, and a cer-tain regulator of the monthly turn. Infallible, Harmless and Trustworthy. Sent free by mail to any address on receipt of One Dollar, P. O. BOX 3620. New York City.

MOUSTACHES forced to grow in s'x weeks. IVI Recipe sent for 50 cts. Address H. RICH-ARDS, Box 39-6, New York P. O. March 15, 1870. DR. CLARK'S LONDON REMEDIES.

DR. CLARK'S INVIGORATOR gives strength to the aged and debilitated; it is especially designed for young men who have wasted their rigor by excesses of every kind, and all persons whos or by excesses of every kind, and all persons whose systems have become week by imprudence are completely restored by its use. Prigo One Dollar.

DR. CLARK'S PURIFIER cleanars the blood from all impurities; such as Scrofula, Syphilis, Mercurial Rheumatism, Humors of every sort, Bad Breath, Offensive Perspiration, Foul Feet, Catserh. Discharges from the Ear, Sore Eyes, Sore Throat, Falling of the Hair, Ulcers, Boils, Pimples, Blotches, and all diseases of the Skin. It is also beneficial in diseases of the former and Discesses of the Interest of the former and Discesses of the Skin. Hiseases of the Lungs and Digestive Organs --DR. CLARK'S PANACEA relieves Pain of every

description; Hexdache, Farache, Toothache, Stom-achache, Backache, Pains in the Breast and Limbs. It is an invaluable remedy in all Nervous Disorders, and no family should be without it. Price Une Dol-DR. CLARK'S ELIXIR is a certain cure for sil weakness of the Genito-Urinary Organs, and discharges of a muco-purulent nature, Lencorrhon, Gonorrhona, Spermatorrhona, and Seminal Weskness, are speedily cured by its use. Price One Dol-DR. CLARK'S REGULATOR, for females only.

is graranteed to correct all special irregularities and difficulties of Single Ladies. Married Ladies are cautioned not to use it when in a certain condition, as its effects would be too powerful. Price Ons All of these celebrated remediesare prepared from Fluid Extracts, under De Clara's immediate su-Fluid Extracts, under De Clark's immediate supervision, and are warranted fresh and pure All
afflicted persons should send a carefully written
statement of their ailments to Dr. Clark, and the
proper remedies will be sent promptly to their address. Dr. Clark can be consulted personally at his
office, and will furnish all the necessary accommodations to patients who place themselves under his
care. All letters address

DR J 411.APF

Office No. 10 Amity street. New York City (near Broadway).

March 15, 1870-17. WANTED AT ONCE, 100 BUSHELS Red or White Outon Set to, for which the eash will be paid.

March 15. JAS. LAW: ROOFF. March 15. PISH. - Codfish; Mackerel, Herring, Shad and Scotch Berring, for sale by March 15. KEARSLEY & SHEERER.

ELIXIR Cuchou Iron and Bismuth, the greatest tonic and pain alleviator known to the medical profession, prepared and for sale hy March 15.

W. S. MASON.

Spirit of Jefferson.

LOCAL MISCELLANY.

THE TIMES .- The Alexandria Gazette ell says, it may be a consolation to those who are idle at the present time from necessity, to know that the cry of dull and hard es and scarcity of money, is wide spread, d that in the large and more prospero ies of the north there is in proportion quite much or more destitution than here. The idea that obtains among so many of the laing classes that they could do so much better anywhere else than where they live, is a fallacy. The demand for labor in a particular section may induce the payment of higher wages than usual for a special emergancy, or from a peculiar condition of things, but as a rule the price of labor, is equalized by the flow of the current in the direction of the demand, and the early seeker only is benefitted by the change, and he often only temporarily. Stay at home and work, on the farm, in the shop-anywhere, only with energy and perseverance; these qualites command employment here as well as anywhere.

PETERSON'S -MAGAZINE for April is already on our table. It maintains the high character of this favorite lady's book. The steel engraving, "Eyes Right," is capital, full of fur and character. The colored steel fashion plate is superb, excelling anything in its line we have seen. That powerful story, "The Secret of Bartram's Holme," is brought to the close in this number. "The Prisoner of the Bastile," by Mrs. Ann S. Stephens, is continued, increasing in interest with every number. The other stories are by the best writers in the country; in this department "Peterson" excels pre-eminently. We do not see how anybody con do without this magazine. Terms, \$2,00 a year, with great reductions to clubs. Address C, J. PETER-SON, Philadelphia, Pa,

Good Advice.-Support home mechanics -home labor -home merchants -home press -home artisans-home everything, and aid as much as possible in supporting and building up your neighbor, place, county and State. Also patronize those who patronize your mechanics-your press-and those who aid, through this paper, to keep their business known. It shows a liberal spirit-it mears | t at speaks in high terms of its curative propto live and let live.

Poor WINCHESTER .- This deserted village, after having its golden prospects blighted in regard to the Cumberland Valley Extension, is now bewailing the probability of losing the Washington & Ohio railroad, (formerly the A., L. & H.) She has held an indignation meeting, sent a delegate to Richmond. &c., and we hope the poor old town will be successful in averting this second calamity.

PROPERTY SALES -The fine property of Mrs. Emily Moore, in this place, heretofore advertised in this paper, has been sold for \$3.000. Purchaser, Mr. Jacob Siarry.

Capt. J. H. L. Hunter of this county, has purchased the large Flour Mill, immediately opposite the Depot at Weverton, Md., on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, for the sum of from the largest adult to the smallest child. To-gether with printed Rules and Explanations, by

REV. J. W. TONGUE .- This much esteemed minister, by the recent Conference appointments, goes to Woodstock, Virginia. He has been a faithful and zealous pastor, and will carry with him the best wishes of the com-

DEATH OF A DIVINE .- On Wednesday last the Rev. E. R. Lippitt, of the P. E. Church, died suddenly at the residence of his. son, Dr. W. F. Lippitt, in this place. For a number of years he held a Professorship in

ANOTHER, - Many of our citizens will learn with regret of the death of the Rev. Wm. C. Sheetz, of the Presbyterian Church, formerly of this town, who departed this life in Burke county, N. C., a few days since. The deceased was a brother of Mr. Daniel M. Sheetz, of this place.

Wood's Household Magazine; for March, is really a beautiful, attractive, and interesting number. The music, engravings, and the reading matter in the various departments, are excellent. In fact, it is a capital work for the family circle, and especially for the young folks. It is issued monthly, by S. S. Wood, Newburgh, N. Y., at \$1 a year.

PHOTOGRAPHIC .- Dr. A. F. Smith will remain only a few days longer in Charlestown so that those who wish to "secure the shadow ere the substance fades," will do well 'to call on him at once, at his new gallery on Main

OUR NEW QUARTERS .- According to the announcement made last week, we have removed our office to the commodious room adjoining Lee Hall, where we will be pleased to receive the visits of our patrons.

Woop .- We would be glad if those of our patrons who have promised us wood, would bring it in at once, and save us the inconvenience of buying it for cash, when greanbacks are so scarce as at present.

SALE.—We would call attention to the sale Take it and try it. if you don't like it don't buy it, of Mr. Marsteller, near Lectown, on to-morrow, (Wednesday). Also, to the sale of a house and one acre of ground on Saturday next, by Wm. H. Travers, Commissioner.

PERSONAL .- We have received a letter from G. M. Beltzhoover, Esq.; in reply to an article in our last issue, which we will publish in our next, having received it too late for publication this week.

FATAL ACCIDENT .- John Heironemous. a well-known citizen of Berkeley county, was thrown from his horse on Thursday evening. week, and instantly killed.

A new paper, to be called the Tenth Legion Banner, is about to be started in Edinburg, Shenandoah county.

VALLEY ITEMS.

From our Valley exchanges we copy the

following items :--- The proceeds of the Odd Fellows Fair, ust closed in Winchester, will exceed \$2,000 — John W. Kingan has been appointed ostmaster at New Market, Shenandoah ounty, vice F. Zeigler, removed.

- The names of one thousand persons in Augusta county, Virginia, have been returned inquent in payment of taxes for 1669. - The Board of Directors of the O., A. & M. R. R., at its late meeting in Alexandria, pussed an order for reconstructing the Rail-road from the Y to Front Royal.

- A small child of Mr. McNamee's of Martinsburg, some three or four years of age, was fatally scalded a few days ago, by upturning a pot of boiling water on itself.

-Mr. James Russell of Clarke county was struck down with apoplexy in Berryville on Monday week. He was carried to the residence of Mr. J. T. Griffith, and every-thing done to save his life; but all proved futile, as he died the next day.

STRINGENT AGAINST DUELLING .- The new constitution has stringent provisions against duelling. It provides that "no person who, while a citizen of this State, has, since the adoption of this constitution, fought a duel with a deadly weapon, sent or accepted a challenge to fight a duel with a deadly weapon, either within or beyond the boundaries of this State, or knowingly conveyed a challenge, or aided or assisted in any manner in fighting a duel, shall be allowed to vote or hold any office of honor, profit or trust under this constitution." - Richmond Whig...

MARRIED ON FURLOUGH.-At the marriage of a couple near Newport, a short time since, the groom gave the minister, instead of a mirriage license, a furlough for thirty days, dated "Camp, near New Earket, June

27th, 1863." Through mistake, he had left the license in a drawer at home, and had taken out the furlough instead. After the confusion consequent on this discovery was over, and the above explanation given, the ministor married the couple on the promise of the groom to furnish him with a copy of the license within thirty days .- Staunton Spectator.

Koskoo.-This medicine is rapidly gaining the confidence of the people, and the nunerous testimonials of its virtues, given by practitioners of medicine, leaves no doubt that it is a safe and reliable remedy for IM-PURITY OF THE BLOOD, LIVER DISEASE, &C. The last Medical Journal contains an article from Prof. R. S. Newton, M. D. President of the E. Medical College, city of New York, erties, and gives a special recommendation of Koskoo to the practitioners of medicine .-This is, we believe, the first instance where such medicines have been officially endorsed by the Faculty of any of the medical colleges, and reflects great credit upon the skill of Dr.

the present day. [Norfolk Daily Journal Dec. 11 1869.

Lawrence, its compounder, and also puts

'Koskoo" in the VAN of all other medicines

DRESSMAKING, - There are many ladies who would prefer to make their own and their children's dresses, but for the difficulty in cutting and fitting them properly-the ordinary charts being very high priced, and, at the same time, so complicated as to be available only to professional dressmakers, after long practice. An emigent mediate of Paris has recently issued "THE UNIVERSAL GUIDE IN DRESS-MAKING," which overcomes this difficulty entirely It contains a superior mode of measuring, perfectly exact, yet so easy that it can be applied by any one -in itself worth more than the price of the whole work. Also a complete scale of patterns for all sizes, means of which any lady can make her own and her children's dresses in the best style. To dressmakers it is invaluable. And the low price at which it is offered (only ONE DOLLAR), places it within

the reach of all. It is for sale by J. WICKLIFFE. (Box 665,) Newark, New Jersey, sole agent for the United States. Sent by mail, post paid. In writing for it, give your name, Town . County, and State in full. December 21, 1569-1y.

In the Missouri Legislature, after three night sessions' debate on the proposition to submit to the people a constitutional amend ment extending suffrage to women, the whole the Theological Seminary near Alexandria, matter was indefinetely postponed by a vote of 63 to 37.

Private dispatches have, it is alleged. been received announcing the failure of four or five leading cotton speculators of Liverpool and Manchester, with liabilities estimated at a million of pounds.

The Vermont Legislature has passed a bill holding liquor dealers responsible for the damage to person or property done by those obtaining liquors of them.

- The trial of Mr. Ayre for killing Dr. Olive, the seducer of his daughter, has been postponed until the June term of the Albemarle County Court.

Next Sunday the day and night will be equal

BALTIMORE MARKETS. REPORTED WEEKLY BY

Hough & Langdon, GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS

	124 South Eutaw St., Baltimore.		
	SATURDAY, March	12, 187	70.
ì	GOLD1121.		
	FLOUR-SuperS	4.75a	5.0
	" Extra	5.2 a	5.7
	" Family	6.00a	7 0
	WHRAT-White	1.25a	1.5
	Act Ref	1 25a	100000
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TOWAN'S CEMENT to man was sent,

But return it to the village of Charlestown. arble, China and Glass, inspection will pas The most rigid critic extant; Bore it cements as firm as a stone, As all who have tried it will grant,

Porcelain Ware, I do declare, Looks just as well as new : For Leather too, it will also do-Then half sole and patch your Shoe:

Prepared and for sale by W. S. MASON. March 15. ARDEN Rakes, Hocs, Spades, Forks, and other Garden Tools, just received and for sale by McCURDY & DUKE. LARGE stock of all kinds of Garden Sceds, A just received and for sale by McCURDY & DUKE. DOPE of all sizes-Halters, Garden Lines, Twine ROPE of all Sizes—Hantely
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25 COOK Stoves—all sizes—just received and for McCURDY & DUKE.

March 15, 1870, FORKS, Shovels, Hoes, Spades, for sale by March 8. JAS, LAW. HOOFF.

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Importers and Jobbers of CONNET, TRIMMING AND VELVET RIBBONS, BONNET SILES, SATINS AND VELVETS; londs, Netta, Crapes, Ruches, Flowers, Feath STRAW BONNETS & LADIES' HATS,

Trimmed and Untrimmed, SHAKER HOODS, &C. 237 and 239 Baltimore Street. BALTIMORE, MD.

Offer the lirgest Stock to be found in this Country, and unequalled in choice variety and chespness, comprising the latest Parisian novelties.

Orders solicited, and prompt attention given.

March 1, 1870—1m.*

ELECTION NOTICE.

A Tameeting of the Board of Supervisors of Jef-terson County, in Shepherdstown, West Vir-ginia, held at the Court-House on the 23d day of February, 1870, the following order was passed; Ordered, That the question of a subscription to the capital stock of the Shenandoah Valley Railroad

Thursday, 31st of March, 1870, o a vote of all the male tax payers of Jefferson County who are not minors, nor of unsound mind, County who are not minors, nor of unsound inind, nor paupers or who are not under conviction of treason or felony, or bribery inan election, and who have been residents of the State for one year, and of the county thirty days next before the said election—the said sum, or so much thereof as may be subscribed by the Board of Sucervisors in pursuance of said election, to be expended on such portion of the said railrord as shall be located within the limits of Jefferson County. Jefferson County.

Ordered, That the following places be designated as the places for holding the said election, and that a poll be opened in each of the said places on the said 31st day of March, 1870.

Iw Bollyar Township—At Bolivar and Harper's

IN GRANT TOWNSHIP—At Charlestown and Kable-IN AVERILL TOWNSHIP-At Smithfield. IN CHAPLI'S TOWNSHIP—At Shepherdstown.
IN CHAPLI'S TOWNSHIP—At Shepherdstown.
IN SHEPHERD TOWNSHIP—At Shepherdstown.
By Order of the Board.
C. H. TRAYNOR,
March 1, 1870. Clerk of Board of Supervisors.

AMERICAN SEWING MACHINE CO., Capital Stock \$250,000.00.

THE American Sewing Machine is the best, most reliable, and effective machine in the world.—
Price \$30. Being less than half the sum charged for the Wheeler & Wilson, Grover & Baker, and other so called first class machines. It is of large size, with stand, treadle, guages and hemmer, complete in every respect, adapted to all kinds of work, and capable of being used ei her upon the heaviest or most delicate fabrics. It is uniformly admitted to the best adapted for all family purposes, being easily worked and not liable to get out of repair.—
The American Embroiderer, Price \$12.50, a smaller machine, making a stitch peculiariy adapted to ormachine, making a stitch peculiarly adapted to or-namental sewing, braiding, quilting, &c., but can be used for all purposes and will effectually perform the sewing of a small family. Address.

AMERICAN SEWING MACHINE CO.,

No E99 Broadway, New York. March 8, 1870-4m. WAGON-MAKING AND REPAIRING, HE undersigned having rented the Shop adjoin-

I ing the Blacksmith Shop of Mr. Hiram O'Ban-non. in Charlestown, is prepared to Make and Repair Wagons and Carriages; and also to make and repair Grain Cradles.

The subscriber is an experienced workman, and will have the assistance of practical Wagon, Cariage and Cradle Makers, and can therefore promise fathful execution of all work undertaken .-Promptitude and reasonable charges will be the notto of the new establishment, March 8, 1870—tf. J. W. TRIPLETT.

DENTAL NOTICE.

DR. McCORMICK will visit Charlestown
Professionally, every two months: On
the Second Monday of March, (14th.) May 9th, July 11th. September 12th, and November 14th, and remain a week each time,

ROBERT Y. & HOLMES CONRAD. Attorneys at Law, WINCHESTER, VA., Will hereafter practice in all the Courts of Jef. ferson and Berkeley Counties.

Terms for 1870: CASH OR COUNTRY PRODUCE!

March 1, 1870-1m.

DURING this year we shall discontinue our CASH OR COUNTRY PRODUCE a exchange for merchandise. Thankful for the We shall endeavor to purchase the best goods in the market, and furnish them at the lowest prices. KEARSLEY & SHEERER. January 4, 1870.

TAKE NOTICE!

LL ursettled accounts due to Benj. F. Beall, either for Job Work, Subscription or Advertising, previous to January .st, 1870, having been assigned to the undersigned as Trustee, notice is here-by given to all parties knowing themselves so indebted, that immediate settlement must be made, and the business closed up by the 1st of February. GEO. W. HAINES, January 18, 1870. Trustee.

TAYLOR'S PAT. MOUSTACHE GUARD. THIS is a very simple little arrangement to at-I tach to Caffee Cups or other Drinking Vessels, and commends itself to every man possessing a moustache. It combines simplicity and utility, and costs so little as to be within reach of every individual. County Rights will be sold, or agencies appointed. Address the undersigned at Kabletown. Jefferson county, West Virginia.
March 8, 1870-3m. F. H. TAYLOR. The Taylor Moustache Guard can be seen at the store of McCURDY & DUKE.

NOTICE.

MEETING of the Stockholders of the Shenan-A doah Bridge Company, at Harper's Ferry, will be held at the Store Room of S V. Yantis, in said place, on Friday, March 18, 1870, et 1 o'clock, P. M. ISAAC FOUKE. Secretary.
Alarch 8, 1870. F, P.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

HAVING qualified as Executor of the late Martha notified to come forward and settle at once. Parties having claims against said estate will present them, properly authenticated, for settlement.

F. W. DREW, Executor,

With the will annexed of Martha S. Lake.

March 8, 1870-3t F. P.

COMAPODOSIS-The greatest discovery of the the Hair-manufactured by Mesers. Faulkner & Craighill, of Lynchburg, just received and for sele W. S. MASON. 2,000 FEET prime Window Glass, chesp for W. S. MASON'S. PAINTS.-I have just replenished my stock of Paints for the spring trade, and am able to offer great inducements to those desiring to get the first quality of material for house painting.

March 8. W S. MASON.

LUMBER, Lath and Palings, for sale by March S. JAS, LAW, HOOFF. CAN furnish any Bill of Lumber needed by Builders or Contractors-Oak or Pine.

TLLUM Ploughs, for sale by JAS LAW. HOOFF. TAR and Axle Grease for sale by March S JAS. LAW HOOFF.

TINWARE of all kinds on hand and manufactured to order, for merchants and others. Rooting, Spouting and Repairing promptly done.

March S. McCURDY & DUKE. CABBAGE, Tomato and other Seeds, for the Hot Red, just received and for sale by McCURDY & DUKE. OHIO Grindstones, all sizes, for sale by Feb. 1: McCURDY & DUKE.

1.500 FEET Window Glass of good quality, for sale by March S. AISQUITH & WAS HINGTON KOSKOO, the great Blood Cleanser, for sale by AISQUITH & WASHINGTON. SEA Moss Farine for making Blanc Mange, Puddings, Pies, &c., just received
March 8. AISQUITH & WASHINGTON. BUCKWHEAT Flour, just received by Nov. 23. KEARSLEY & SHEERER,

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DISEASES OF THE BLOOD. "The life of the flesh is in the Blood," is a Scrip-

"The life of the flesh is in the Blood," is a Scriptural maxim that science proves to be true. The people talk of bad blood, as the cause of many diseases, and like many popular opinions this of bad blood is founded in truth.

The symptoms of bad blood are usually quite plain—bad Digestion—causes imperfect nutrition, and consequently the circulation is feeble, the soft tissues lose their tone and elasticity, and the tongue becomes pale, broad, and irequently covered with a pasty, white coat. This condition soon shows itself in roughness of the skin, then in gauprive and ulcorative diseases, and when long continued, results in serious lesions of the Brain, Liver, Lungs, or urinary apparatus. Much, very much, suffering is caused by impure blood. It is estimated by some that one fifth of the human family are affected with scrofula in some form.

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When the Blood is pure, you are not so liable to any disease. Many impurities of the Blood arise from impure diseases of large cities. Eradicate every impurity from the fountain of life, and good spirits, fair skin and vital strength will return to

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that EFFICIENTLY stimulates and CORRECTS the Repatic secretions and functional DERANGEMENTS of the Liv-ER, WITHOUT DEBILITATING the system. While it acts freely upon the Liver instead of Copious Purging, it gradually changes the discharges to a perfectly natural state. Symytoms of Liver Complaint and of some of those Diseases Produced by It.

A sallow or yellow color of the skin, or yellowish-brown spots on the face and other parts of the body; dullness and drowsiness, sometimes headache; hitmany cases a dry, teasing rough; unsteady appetite; sometimes sour atomach, with a raising of the food; a bloated or full feeling about the atomach and sides; aggravating pains in the sides, back, or breast, and about the shoulders, constipation of the bowels; piles, flatuience, coldness of the extreme-

diseases of the KIDNEYS and BLADDER. In these Affections it is as near a Specific as any remedy can be. It does its work Kindly, Silently and Surely. The RELIEF which it affords is both Certain and Per

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Persons unacquainted with the structure and functions of the Kidneys, cannot estimate the Importance of their Healthy Action.

Regular and sufficient action of the Kidneys is as important, nav, even more so, than regularity of the bowels. The Kidneys remove from the Blood those effete matters which, if permitted to remain. would speedily destrey life. A total superaion of the urinary discharges will occasion death in from

thirty-six to forty-eight hours.

When the Urine is voided in small quantities at the time, or when there is a disposition to Urinate more frequently than natural, or when the Uring is high colored or scalding with weakness in the small of the back, it should not be trifled withor delayed, but Koskoo should be taken at once to remedy the difficulty, before a lesion of the organs takes place. Most of the diseases of the Bladder originate from those of the Kidneys, the Urine being imperfectly secreted in the Kidneys, prove irritating to the Bladder and Urinary passages. When we recollect that medicine never reaches the Kidneys except through the general circulation of the Blood, we see how necessary it is to keep the Fountain of Life

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Almost nine tenths of our people suffer from ner-yous exhaustion, and are, therefore, liable to its concomitant evils of mental depression, confused ideas, softening of the brain, insanity, and complete breaking down of the general health. Thousands are suffering to day with broken-down nervous systems, and, unfortunately, tobacco, alcohol, late hours, over work, (mental and physical), are caus ing diseases of the nervous system to increase at

The symtems to which diseases of the nervous system give rise, may be stated as follows: A dull heavy feeling in the head, sometimes more or less severe pain or headache; Periodical Headache, Dizziness, Noises or Ringing in the Head. Confusion of Ideas. Temporary Loss of Memory, Dejection of Spirits. Starting during Sleep, Bad Dreams, Hesitation in Answering Questions. Dullness of Hearng, Twitching of the Face and Arms, &c., which, if not promptly treated, lead to Paralysis, Delirium, Insanity, Impotency, Apoplexy, &c., &c.

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PUBLIC SALES.

October 19, 1869-1y.

PUBLIC SALE.

M. Coyle, (better known as the McKinney farm.) situated on the Charlestown and Lectown road, four miles from Charlestown and two miles from Lectown on WEDNESDAY, 16th of MARCH, 1870,

The following Property:

Two head of No. 1 WORK HORSES,
One MARE, Two MILCH COWS Two BROOD SOW —one with Eight Pigs;
Eighteen head of S. OATS.
One Three horse V. gon and 9 bbl. Bed – new One Three horse V gon and 9 bbl. Bed - new; One Spring Wago: for one or two horses; One set of Gears for Four Horses - new; One set of Double rness,

One set of Single conformation of Plong Gears, Collars, Bridles an Halters, Collars, Bridles an Halters,
One Three-horse H ugh,
Two Single and Ti to Louble-Shovel do.,
One Corn Coverer Two Harrows.
Thrible, Double at Single Trees;
One Wheat Drill, dth Guano Attachment;
Forks, Shovels, H. G. Rakes, Mattocks. &c.,
Two Grain Cradle Mowing Scythes,

ONE SET OF BACKSMITH TOOLS.

One Cooking Stove, One en-plate do., Three barrels of Pure Char Vinegar,
A lot of Old Iron, Lorse bes, &c.

N. B.—The above Farmin implements are most ly new, having been in use (y a short time.

TERMS OE SALE. cre it until the First day of November, 1870, who be given on all sums over Ten Dollars, the pure ser giving bond with approved security, bearing interest from date, but if paid at maturity the interest to be remitted. Sums of Ten Dollars and under, Cash. No property to be removed until settled for. ANDREW E. MARSTELLER. J. D. Potterfield, Auctiqueer.

February 22. 1870. PUBLIC SALE WILL sell at my residence near the "Old Fur-nace," in Jefferson county, on

MONDAY, 28th day of MARCH, 1870 the following Valuable Property, to-wit:—
Six head of good Work Horses,
Two Colts, two years old this spring,
Four Milch Cows two of them fresh,
Two Wagons, Two Hay Carriages,
Two Barshear Plotts—Page's make;
Three Double and two Single Shovel Ploughs,
Two Harrows and two Corn Coverers,
Six sett Wagon and Plough Gears,
A sett of BLACKSMITH TOOIS.
One TOP BUGG WAND HARNESS,

Household & Kitchen Furniture. and a variety of other articles. TERMS OF SALE .- Six Months credit, the pur-

chaser giving bond with approved security, for all sums of \$10 and over; under that amount Cash.— No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with. Sale to begin at 10 o'clock, A. M. WILLIAM A. CHISWELL. March 8, 1870.

AGENTS VANTED!-To Distribute Packages of Dr. Ston oad's GALVANIC OIL and CATHARTIC YRUP! We have purchased be right and title of Manu-lacturing & Vending of the above named Preparations, which have had a very extensive local repubut very popular plan, viz: PACKAGE SYSTEM.

We want Agents to Canvass Every City, Town.

Village and County in this State, and deposit one package of the above remed is with every family, Goods sold only to and by anvassing Agents. Agents furnished with an amount of goods. No capital required. No pay required for good, ntil sold.

AGENTS WANTED to ell the CREAM OF LILIES—the most popule of all toilet articles— for Beautifying the Computation, removing Facci-LES, SUNSURN. PIMPLES, & It is handsomely put up, and is well adapted to be sold by Lady Canvassers. Every young Ls ly will have it. Sold only by Canvassing Agents.

Those out of, or wishing light and profitable employment, Male or Female, should address STONE-ROAD & CO., 46 Liberty St., Pittsburgh, Pa:, for particulars and Private Circular with Instructions

March 1, 1870-tf. A CHANCE FOR BARGAINS! Dry Goods, Ready Made, Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Huts and Vitions generally, At COST Less!

W ISHING to changed character of our business at the earlest y practicable, we are now offering, at COST. c entire stock of DRY GOODS, READY MEDE CLOTHING, &c., but recently purchased and cat fully selected.

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for goods at Cash Pices. Those wishing BAR-GAINS must call soot, as we are determined to close out this line of goods.

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Charlestown, Feb. 28 18 -3t. B. & H. BROOMS, Washlowds and Dusters, for sale by March S. JAS. LAW. HOOF F.

REAL ESTATE. DESIRABLE COUNTRY RESIDENCE

FOR SALE. THE advertiser offers at Private Sale, a very de about FIVE ACRES OF LAND, on which there is about FIVE ACKES OF LAND, on which there is a voung and thrifty ORCHARD of two years' growth, together with an older and first-rate bearing one, including Apples, Pears, Peaches, Cherries and Quinces, of the best quality.

THE BUILDINGS are all in fine order, and sufficient for large family and a good sized farm. Plenty of good water. Said property is located in this county, about seven miles from Charlestown, and almost immediately on one of the best turnpikes in the county; is convenient to Churches, good sized larm. Plenty stores, Schools and Mills For any further information in reference to the hove property, enquire at the March 8, 1870-tf. SPIRIT OFFICE.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE. BY virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Jefferson County, at the September term, 1869, the undersigned, as Commissioner appointed by the Court in the case of McKnight & Bro. vs Ephraim G. Custer, will proceed to sell, at the Carter House

SATURDAY, 19th day of MARCH, 1870, at 12 o'clock, M., the Dwelling-House, occupied by the said delendant, and ONE ACRE OF GROUND attached thereto. The said House is situated about two miles from ectown, and is new and in good condition. TERMS OF SALE-CASH.

WM. H. TRAVERS. March 8, 1870- 2t. FARM FOR SALE.

THE subscriber offers for sale what he believes to be the most Valuable Farm of 250 ACRES in Jefferson County. It lies on the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, about seven miles East of Martin ADAM S. DANDRIDGE. August 3, 1869-tf.

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GOOD NEWS FOR ALL!! In the midst of the political excitement, JNO. L SCHILLING continues to solicit the attention to the Public generally, to his well selected stock of CLOTHING

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FRENCH MAN, SO-CALLED, WHO HERETOFORE HAD NOTFING TO SELL, BUT ALL TOBUY. HAS AT LAST COME TO THE Conclusion that he must sell Something or BURST.

YOU are therefore advised that you can find in his establishment, from one pound to a hogshead of SUGAR. About 8 different kinds kept on COFFEE DEPARTMENT, s represented by about four kinds, well-selected .-The TEA DEPARTMENT, from six to eight kinds. of all grades. Molasses and Syrup from the low-est to the highest. Spice-about 20 different sorts. So much for Groceries to be had "all the year

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December 21, 1869-3m. PAINTS OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS, EWISt and other Brands of Lead, Oils and Varnistes, from the smallest to the largest quantity. to which may be added Window Glass of pretty much all sizes. There are a few more articles in the store that might be mentioned such as this, that and the other, but for the time being, we will say no more about it, any wanting to find out what is not enumerated, will come and see for himself. N. B. The subscriber has no connection whatever with all those concerns that sell goods for cost or less, but acts on the principle of a living profit and

December 21, 1869-3m. TOAL.-The best Piedmont Lump, for general O purposes, and Lykin's Valley Nut. for all Base Burning Stoves. Although these articles sell better on Christmas than on the be had "all the year round," at J. M. DECAULNE'S. on Christmas than on the 4th of July, yet they can A LL kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE, without exception, taken in exchange, and particularly at the present time, fire-wood. J. M. DECAULNE. Dec 21.

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A GOOD FARM HORSE.—He works well in shafts, and is a good leader to a wagon or barshear plough. The owner will either sell him or trade for a good riding horse.
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N. C. ARTHUR, Secretary,
W. H. AGNEW, Ass't Sec'y.

WM BAILEY, President,
ALONZO LORING, Vice President.

November 9, 1869—1f.

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West Virginia. OFFICE-CHARLESTOWN, JEFFERSON COUNTY, W. VA.

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I'HIS Company having been in successful operation for the past six months, is now established
upon a permanent basis, and offers to the people of
this part of the Valley a "Home Enterprise,," equal
to any in the State. Its terms are as moderate and
securities as good as those of other com; snies. It
brings money to our people, keeps it with our people, and invests it for the benefit and accommodation of our people. There is no excuse for sending
money abroad for Insurance, to build up other
places, whilst we have such an institution in our

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up a farm are to-day independent TO YOUNG MEN. This country is being crossed with numerous railoads, reaching from every direction to Slour City. lowa. Six railroads will be completed to this city within one year. One is already in operation, con necting us with Chicago and the U.P. railroad, and two more will be completed before spring, connecting us with Dubuque and McGregory direct. Three more will be completed within a year, connecting direct with St. Paul, Minnesota, Yankton, Dakota, and Colombus, Nebraska on the U. P. railroad. The Missouri river gives access to mountain trade. Thus it will be seen that no section of the country offers such unprecedented advantages for business. and for making a fortune. For the country is being p pulated, and towns and cities are being built, and fortunes made almost beyond belief. Every man who takes a homestead now, will have railroad young man with a small capital, can establish him-self in a permanent and paying business if he selects the right location and right branch oftrade. Eigh teen years residence in the western country and a large portion of the time employed as a Mercantile Agent in this country, has made me familiar with

al, the branches of business, and the best locations in this country. For one dollar remitted to me, I will give truthful and definite answers to all questions on this subject, desired by such person. Tell them the best place to locate and what business Address, DANIEL SCOTT. S. C. Com of Emigration, Box 186, Sioux City, lows. February 15, 1870-1y.

The most Terrific Storm on Record! Trees almost entirely Uprooted! And BOXES Blown to and fro in every direction! The People began to Rejoice that the grand trump had sounded Great Tidings for All, and Hard Times Banished from our Midst!

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HARK! LISTEN TO THIS SOUND! More New Goods, and Cheoper Goods than ever, Just Received at the Breadway House! Read, Read of the Many Great and Grand Bargains: BEST Brands of Brown and Bleached Cottons, 8 to 20c per yd. Very Best 4-4 Masonville, Maxwell and New York Mills Cotton, 18, 20, 25c. Superior English and American Pins, 14 Rows, 5c. Lancaster, American and Spiague Prints, 10, 11 and 12;c. Whoever heard of 4 papers Best Assorted Needles retailed at 10 cents? And Merrimack

W. and Chintz Prints at 12; and 14c. No. 1 and extra Note Paper at 5, 8 and 10c per quire. The very best Paper Collars only 10c per box, Envelopes at 3 to 8c per pack. It is really no wonder the People are surprised When they can buy the Best English Hose and Half Hose at 10 to 40c. Just think of it !— the very best Buffalo Alpaca going at 20 to 90c—worth 80 to 1.50 per yd. This is the place for Real Bargains—more Goods for One Boltar than you you can buy for Three at the so-called Cheap Stores. Grand Sales in Carotta Shoes. in Carpets, Shoea, Boots, Hats, Mattings, Cassi-meres and all kinds of Notions, at one-third their real value. Now is the time-save your money !-Call at the BROADWAY HOUSE, Corner of Liberty and Lawrence streets, Charlestown, and RUY.
You will go off rejoicing over your BARGAINS —
AUCTION every Saturday Night, unless otherwise
ordered.
HEDGES, Agent.

February 22, 1870. TAX NOTICE.

WILL be in Middleway, on THURSDAY OF EVERY WEEK, for the purpose of collecting State and County Taxes, and expect those who have not paid to come forward, if they wish to save trou-GEORGE KOONCE, D.S.

November 23, 1869-tf. TAX NOTICE.

THE Tay-Payers of Averill Township and Boli-I var, are notified that the Taxes for 1869, must be paid. I will be at J. W Grantham's Store in Middleway, on Thursday 27th instant, and every succeeding Thursday thereafter I will meet them myself o by my Agent, to receive the Taxes due.
The Tax Payers of Bolivar Township may call
at my house in Harper's Ferry, at any time, and pay to Mrs. Koonce, who will receipt for the same. pay to Mrs. Koonce, who will receipt for the name.

These Taxes must be now paid, as the same is
payable by the Sheriff into the Treasury, under the
penalty of one per cent, per month on failure.

GEO. KOON JE.

January 18, 1870—1f. Deputy Sheriff.

NOTICE. GENERAL Meeting of the Stockholders of the A Valley Fire Insurance Company will be held in their office in Charlestown, on the first Monday in April next, at which time there will be an election of Seven Directors for said Company.

ROBT. W. BAYLOR, President. February 22, 1870. SHOE Findings, for sale by March S. JAS LAW. HOOFF. CHURNS, for sale by JAS. LAW. HOOFF.

GROUND Plaster, for sale by March 8: JAS. LAW. HOOFF. NORWAY, Neva Scotia and Black Cots, for sale JAS. LAW. HOOFF.

Keep her in the bouse...
There she'll cook your mutton;
Darn your jacket, two.
If she's worth a button.

Never mind the lost Of ner auu's and cousins; Ask them to "drap in;" Feed them by the duzens.

One of these odd days.
You'll feel one inch taller,
When you see her lag
A chopping little squaller.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The Father-Heart.

It is the nature of the father at all times to love his child. But if a son be lost; if he be as good as dead, how especially does a father's heart nielt in longing after him!— Then does it seem as if he had never before loved him. And the love never ceases. It is the father who is the last to give up the search for a lost child. When all rivers have been dragged, and the shore near at hand, and the woods and the rocks examined, when neighbors and friends, and even servants and brothers, have given up the search, there is one who has not. Ah! that one need not be told. It is the father or the mother of the child. Thoughts of the lost one may have long since died out of the minds of others; but never do they die out of theirs.

And where is the father, whose child is an outeast, who does not think of what he was to him when a child? "I remember him," he will say, "the kindness, the love of his youth; I remember what he was to me as a child, how he sat upon my knee, and put his young hand upon my locks, and played with me, and sung to me, and loved, and embraced me, calling me "Father." Ah! it is here, in the old love, that memory finds its tenderest chord, its sweetest solace. And the old love never leaves, never changes. Others may hate and abandon, and never care for separation; but not so a father; he loves on and on. How pleasant it is even to think of it! For thus will a father love on, in the midst of his son's shaue and sie and dishonor, yea, even when that son is in actual enmity with him.

A Tough Subject.

In a court not a thousand miles from the city of Gotham, a legal gentleman had gone through the various stages of bar pleading, and coaxed and threatened, and bullied witnesses to his heart's content when it chanced that a very stupid fellow, a hostler, was called upon the stand. He was, in fact, simplicity personified. The counsel, it should be premised, had made a great fuss about the previous witnesses speaking so low that he could not hear them.

"Now, sir." said the learned counsel, "I hope we shall have not difficulty in making your speak up." He himself spoke rudely loud.

"I hope not, sir!" shouted the witness in such bellowing tones that fairly shook the "How dare you speak in that way sir!" demanded the counsel.

"Can't speak no louder !" he shouted, louder than before, as if to atone for his fault; in speaking too low. "Have you been drinking this morning?" asked the lawyer, who had now entirely lost the command of his temper at the roars of

laughter-which burst from a erowded audience. "Yes, sir," said the witness frankly. "And what have you been [drinking, sir ? Look at the jury-don't look at me, sir, in that way."

"Coffee, sir." "Did you have anything in your coffee,

"Yes, sir." "I thought so," said the counsel, with glance at the jury. "Well, sir," continued the learned counsel, "you say you had something in your coffee. State to the jury, if you please, what that something was. "Sugar, sir," answered the witness, without

a movement of a muscle. There was another burst of "furtive laughter" through the court room. "This man is no fool your honor," addressing the Court, "but he is something worse. Now witness, you must come to the point. Had

you anything else in your -coffee besides Formerly occupied by Mesers. Lippitt & Annan, sugar ?" · Yes, sir. "Yes-you had? (Well, we are likely to get at the truth, after all this turning and twisting to the contrary, notwithstanding.)-

Well, sir, what else was it you had in your "A spune. sir!" shouted the witness. "Do I make you hear me, Squire ?- a spune?" That was the last witness, and the last of him on the stand. Here the trial was adjourned until the next day.

A Terrible Argument for Poligamy.

Not many weeks since the advent of a lady in this city, in search of a truant husband, was noted, and the measures taken by the police to discover the runaway described. It has come to an unexpected denouement .-Yesterday morning one of our Recorder's Courts was the scene of the explanation .-Two females had been arrested for fighting and disturbing the peace.

"What is your name," inquired the Recorder of one of them? "Mrs. H., sir."

"And what is yours?" "Mrs. H., sir." "Why, you are of the same name. How

is that? Both of them immediately interposed an explanation. They were each the lawful wife of Mr. H. Each alone, according to the account of the speaker, was entitled to wear it. The Recorder searched his head in per-

"What did you fight about?" he at last inquired.

"Mr. H.," was the reply. "Where is he?" he demanded.

"Here," responded a small, sqeaking voice from the far corner of the room. Here, your Honor!" and a poor weebegone looking article made his appearance, unable to support one made his appearance, unable to support one made his appearance, unable to support one made his appearance, unable to support one

"Do you claim both of these women as your wife?" the Recorder asked. "Well, ary one of 'em 'll do."

"Why, do you have two wives?" "Well, you see, when one gits obstroperous

I can go to t'other, and she most generally pities me." And Mr. H. looked as if he'd hit upon a most happy solution of the often vexed ques-

tion of dramatic felicity. The Sioux name for money is "cashup." No matter by what name you call i we are always ready to receive it for subscrip-

tions to the Spirit. -The County court of Rockingham has been doing a wholesale business in the matter of convictions for burglary and robbery.

MISCELLANEOUS.

YOUNG MEN

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January 5, 1960-1y.

ISAAC B. MYEES 1. [JOHN L. SCHILLING. More Recently Important: T gives us pleasure to inform our numerous cus tomers, and the public generally, that we are receiving a variety of

NEW FALL & WINTER GOODS. to the examination of which we respectfully solicit a call from the many who have heretolore got GOOD BARGAINS, and all others who wish to get Good Bargains, at the CLARKE COUNTY CLOTHING STORE. Where will be found

Clothing and Gents' Furnishing Goods, HATS, CAPS, BOOTS; SHOES, TRUNKS AND NOTIONS; Also, an assortment of LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S SHOES,

All of which we will sell as cheap as can be pur classed in the State of Virginia.* Thankful for past patronage, we hope that the public will continue to give us a call at our NEW QUARTERS.

Berryville. Virginia. *Special attention given to having suits made to rder. ISAAC B. MYERS & CO. Berryville, February 1, 1870. FARMERS' AND MANUFACTURERS'

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A TTENTION is invited to our new office ar-CLASSIFIED TABLES of every species of Saleable Property, conveniently placed for inspection, will be accessible at all business hours, to those desiring to purchase. We solicit DESCRIPTIVE LISTS, with Prices and Terms

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Tools and Machinery, and employed the services of Mr. E. R. HARRELL, we are prepared to

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Of all kinds. November 16, 1869. McCURDY & DUKE. SUDDEN DEPARTURE.

SAD news to the friends of OLD MR. CREDITwho departed from No. 24 January 1st, 1879.-We will not be able to extend further indulgence to any—except those who have paid their bills promptly. It requires money to conduct business:

January 11, 1576 TRUSSELL & LUCAS. BLACK ALPACA. - A great bargain in Black

D Atpaca, to be had at Jan. 25, 1870. KEARSLEY & SHEERER'S. THE Southern School History of the United States, by McDonald & Blackburn, for sale by AISQUITH & WASHINGTON. DRESSED and Undressed Shafts. Spokes and Iron
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March 8, 1870. JAS. LAW. HODFF.

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A LWAYS have on hand a complete stock of the A above. They offer for sale one of the most complete assortments of Druggists' FANCY GOODS AND SUNDRIES, in the Lower Valley. A beautiful stock of Kerosine Lamps, Lanterns, and Lamp Goods. A large stock of Segars and Fine Chewing Tobacco. Physicians' Prescriptions and Family Receipts entrusted to them will be compounded with neatness and accuracy at all hours. January 26, 1869.

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Agent for Jefferson County.

January 11, 1870-3m. BE IN TIME!

To auticipate the wants of the approaching Holi-days, we are receiving in addition to our general stock, a large variety o istaple DRY GOODS GROCERIES.

BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, CAPS AND NOTIONS OF ALL KINDS, which are cheap, scasonable, and cannot be dispensed with at this period. Calisoon and examine, so as to be sure you are in time for the bargains now to be had at Cheapside No. 24.
TRUSSELL & LUCAS.

N B .- Our terms are Cass, and where indulgence is given, 30 days is the limit. Truse having bijls due are expected premptly to comply, otherwise farther indulgence cannot and most accepted, as most assuredly None will be given.—
Take heed, therefore, one and all, and govern yourT. & L.

selves accordingly.

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FOR THE CASH.

WE have determined to abandon the credit bu-siness, and will, from this date, dispose of our goods only for Cash or Produce, except to those who have paid us regularly at the expiration of 30 days. We hope none will take offence, but under no circumstances will the above be deviated from.

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June 1, 1869.

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GEOMETRICAL STAIRWAYS. where calculation is required, they are confident that they cannot be surpassed by any workmen in the Valley of Virginia. AF Being well known in the community, they deem it unnecessary to say more, then that orders lest for them will receive prompt attention. April 7, 1868-tf,

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PLASTERING OF HOUSES, in any style that may be desired, from One Coat Drawn to Thine, Mard Pinish, White Coat, or Heavy Skim. Cornices and Centres run, and Urnaments stuck, if desired. None but first-class workmen will be employed on work that may be entrusted to

incucing business, and hope by a strict adherence to dute, to merit a continuance of the same.

[gs-All communications addressed to me at Charlestown, W. Va., will receive prompt attention.

C. FRANK GALLARER.

February 22, 1870—3m. SPRING AND SUMMER CAMPAIGN!

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lile, we have gone to work with good who may favor us with will, and will a lood who may favor us with a call.

We here take of casion to return our hearty thanks for past favors, earnessly soliciting a share of patronage from the citizens of Daffields and vicinity. We can always be found on hand.

Respectfully, A. LIN 22 CO.

Duffield's; November 9, 1869. MARBLE WORKS.

CHARLESTO IN MARRIE WORKS. Main Street. eosite the Carter House, LESTOWN.

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in all its various bunches, 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 a cranteed to suit purchasers.

If not, no sale. Pose call and see, and judge for yourselves before irchasing elsewhere, and patronize flome stam icturers.

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DIEHA & BRO. DIEHL & BRO. Charlestown, Feb. 19, 1867—od May 15, 1868.

MILLLR & SMITH, PEALERS IN STOVES, THE SHEET-IRON WARE, CHAR STOWN, W. VA.

ETE have just Meived, and are now offering for VV sale, on the most reasonable terms, one of the largest and best sented assortments of STOVES. ever before present to the people of the county. — The stock cuibrace, ill the latest and most improved tyles, among white may be found— "THE SAL THE PARLOR HEATERS, and Illuminating Gas Burner," for heating one or more-rosine; the "INDEPENDENT," a self-teeding Base-Burning Coll Stove, for dwellings, halls er offices; the ORIG TAL, just now so much public favor; Parlor of ining Room Cock, for wood or coal; the "Rink og Stove, a superior article; all other Parlor. Air fight, and Ten plate Stoves; the improved CONST TUTION COOK, for wood or coal; the Scatire with extension top, for wood or coal; the Scatire with extension top, for wood or coal; the Clive Control and Wagna both of which coal; the Olive much and Wyona, both of which are very superior ook.

coal; the Olive Manch and Wyona, both of which are very superior took.

In short, their cortiment is so complete, that all they ask is an injection from those in want, confident to pleased, a as to price and etyle. Also on hand, a large of general assortment of TIN D.SHEET-IRON WARE, plain and fam, and of the latest patterns. Those wishing to procure a very superior Iron Force Pump, can inspect the same at the Shep, or at the residence of Mr. Ed. Williams

Terms Casu in all cases, unless special agree ROOFING, SPOUTING, &c., me as usual at the skortest police and in the best nammer. Thankful to the public for the liberal encoursement in the past, a continuence is respect fully enticited. MILLER & SMITH. October 19, 1869.

THE GREAT SOUTHERN WEEKLY. DEAD the opinions of the leading Southern men: "I regard it as one of the ablest and truest of our Southern journals, just such a paper, in short, as should find its way into every Southern house-hold."—Raphael Semmes "You have managed to enlist for it the services of unusually clever writers, whose labors, with soor own, have given great and interesting variety to its columns." - S. Teakle Wallace. It comes nearer filling the place of the London Saturday Review than any journal in this country, North or South." - Alexander H. Stephens

THE SOUTHERN METROPOLIS.

wish you'all success, and from the spirit and ability with which you conduct it. I trust that the paper will obtain a useful and widespread circulation."—R M. T. Hunter.

"Its literary and review department should render it a welcome visitor in every Southern family of refinement and culture."- E. W. Hubard. I have felt and often expressed admiration of the good taste, spirit, and ability with which the South ern Metropolis is conducted."- N. T Daniel. "I know of no paper that comes so nearly up to the true standard of a constitutional organ." - Wil-

"I am happy to be able to bear evidence to my high appreciation of its sterling literary merits, and of the judgment and taste displayed in its relections from loreign journals."—M. J. Spalding, (Archbishop) "No Southern gentleman can fail to recognize its intrinsic excellence as a literary and political guide."-Rev. F. R. Graham, (Presbylerian.) The opinion of the press is no less high, as evinced by the testimony of the following, among other journals: London Tablet, N. V. Herald, N. V. Round Table, Hagerstown Mail, New Orleans Pica-yune, Baltimore Gazette, Native Virginian, Petersurg Express, and a hundred others.

Perms of subscription, \$2.50 per annum; six co piel \$12.00, and larger clubs at same rates. JAMES FAIRFAX MCLAUGHLIN. January 25, 1870-11.

GREAT BARGAINS! GREAT BARGAINS can be had by calling at the New Store of J. Goldsmith—opposite Gustav Brown's Confectionery. In order to make room for Spring Goods, I will make a deduction of 20 per cent, on all my goods-commencing on January 1 1870. Ladies' Furs \$5-worth \$7; Siberian Squir. rel \$6.50- worth \$10; Children's \$3.50- worth \$5. cc. Double White Blankets \$4-worth \$5,

finer grades in proportion. I have also on hand a large stock of Domestic and Woolen Goods. Call and see my yard-wide French Merinos at 10 cents per yard-worth 75c., and all other goods in pro-portion. A complete stock of GENT'S WEAR. In all its branches, from a Working Suit at \$7 to a Fine Dress Suit at \$30. Over Costs from \$6 50 to \$20. Over and Under Shirts, Hats and Caps. frunks and Valises, and a great many other goods -such as Notions and Fancy Goods too numerous to mention. Call and see. No trouble to show

J. GOLDSMITH, Opposite Gustav Brown's. Jan. 11, 1870. To the Public. HAVING purchased avaluate tract of timber land, and located a Saw-Mill upon it with a capacity of sawing forty thousand feet of Lumber weekly, I will be prepared to furnish nearly

EVERY VARIETY OF LUMBER,

Such as Pine Plank, Joists, Rafters, Stud-

ding, Plastering Lath. Chestnut Palings, Oak Fencing Plank, &c. Lumber will be kept constantly on hand at the Mill, I miles above Kearsley & Sheerer's Planing Mill, on the Shenandoah river, and at Jas. Law. Plication to me. Hooff's Lumber vard 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, 1868-1y. MAKE A NOTE OF THIS!

WITH the beginning of the new year, 1870, in order to carry on our business, necessity compele us to adopt new rules. We shall bereafter do work for regular and prompt customers pavable at the end of each month, when payment will be demanded; transient custom to be paid on delivery of the work. These rules will be strictly adhered to, and we hope that no offence will be taken by any January 4, 1870 WEIRICK & WELLER.

DRIED Peaches, Dried Apples. Dried Cherries, Dried Blackberries, Peach Butter and Apple Butter, for sale by Jan 18, 1870. KEARSLEY & SHEERER. MANURE Forks, Shovels, Shovel and Fork Handles, for sale by McCURDY & DUKE. BEST Heavy Kip Work Collars. Heavy Hames, McCURDY & DUKE.

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Aug. 17, 1869-ly, and tens to heater N. S. WHITE-] AND JOSEPH TRAPHELL. WHITE & TRAPNELL. Charlestown, W. Va.

Wild. Practice in the Courts of Jefferson and adjoining Counties of Virginia and West Virginia. Prompt attention given to all business entrusted to them. Attorneys at Law,

January 12, 1869-1y. [DAN'L, B. LUCAL. ios. C. Green.] GREEN & LUCAS. Attorneys at Law. HAVING associated ourselves as partners, we will practice in Jefferson and adjoining Coun-05-Offices at Charlestown, Shepherdstown and September 22, 1868-tf.

ISAAC FOUKE. Attorney at Law. Charlestown, Jefferson (ounty, PRACTICES in the Courts of Jefferson, Berkeley
and Morgan Counties, W. Virginia, and in
those of Loudonn, Frederick and Clark Counties,
Virginia; also in the United States District Court
in cases in Bankruptcy.
87- Office in Hunter's Law Row, next door to the July 30, 1867-1y.

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 Bankruptoy. July 30, 1867.

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

Dental Notice: DR. J. F. HARTGROVE Mechanical and Operative Bentist, ATE of North Carolina, offers his Professional
Services in Jufferson and su rounding counties,
and will be pleased to share the public patronage.
By-Persons wishing it, can be served at their respective residences, and farther information obtained by addressing me at my office, at Harper's Ferry, W. Va June 15, 1869—ly.

DR. C. T. RICHARDSON. PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, CHARLESTOWN. Messages left at his residence, or at the Drug tore of Aisquith & Bro., will receive prompt at-December 24, 1867-6m.

PROFESSIONAL CARD. DR. JAS. G. WILTSHIRE, FFERS his services as Physician and S to the citizens in the vicinity of Duffield's Depot, where he will always be found, except when

SHENANDOAH HOUSE, MARTINSBURG, W. VA. JOHN FELLER, PROPRIETOR. THE Proprietor of this excellent Hotel, not hav-THE Proprietor of this excellent Hotel, not having succeeded in seiling his property, will, as heretofore, continue to keep the House, but is still disposed to self, if an acceptable offer be made him. The Shenandosh House is one of the most conveniently arranged and comfortable hotels in Martinsburg, and the Proprietor will spare no trouble or expense to repder the stay of his guests pleasant and comfortable.

HOTELS.

The fine stock of Liquors, Wines, &c., with which nis Bar is supplied, will be kept up, and persons who may patronize him in this department, can rely upon getting the very best article. The Shenandoah House is pleasantly situated or North Queen Street, near the Railroad. August 10, 1869. Spirit of Jefferson copy:-New E.s.

STAUNTON, VA. FRAZIER & SALE. . (Late of Rockbridge Alum Springs,) PROPRIETORS .. THIS Hotel is located in the business part of the city. Twenty-five Thousand Dollars have been speaded in remodeling and lurushing it with en-irely new Furniture and Beds. Bathing Rooms,

Virginia Hotel,

ne Bar, Billiard Saloon, and Livery Stables at October 12, 1869-1y. JOHN M. LOCKE. MRS. MARY C. LUPTON. American Hotel.

HARRISONBURG, VA. THIS well-known Hotel has been entirely ren I vated, and the new Proprietors promise that Guests shall receive every comfort which well-mocked Larders, clean Beds, and attentive Servants afford. TERMS, \$2.50 PER DAY. November 17, 1863-3m.

SHEPHERDSTOWN, WEST VIRGIA. July 17, 1866- tf. BUY WHERE YOU GET CHEAPEST! T is always important to study economy, but more so at the present time, when everybody is

trying to get the best article and the larges: am

ENTLER HOTEL.

for the least money expended. Therefore, all who want to get the cheapest and best TOBACCO, CIGARS, &C., should go to J. B HAINES, next door to Aisquith & Washington's Drug Store. Charlestown, and examine one of the largest and finest assortments of CIGARS, CHEWING AND SMOKING TOBACCO, PIPES & STATIONERY, he has ever offered the public. The following is in part the brands and prices of Chewing Tobacco: Marshatt Brand, Pride of Virginia, (best in market.)

Swanson Pounds, Frangipania, (Gold Leaf Fig.) 3 plugs for 25 Bright, (very best,)
Dark. (very best,) Noble's Bright, Common Navy Tobacco, Fine Cut Chewing in Foil, Also, the largest and finest stock of CIGARS made. and the largest and finest assortment of Pipes tha has ever been brought to this town. A large stock of Stationery. Writing Paper. Envelopes, Pons, Ink and Lead Pencils.

(35- Always on hand all the leading Daily, Tri-Weekly and Weekly Papers. Lady's Books, Magazines and Novels, and any Book or Magazine not on hand will be ordered in two days' notice, and sold at the publisher's price.

J. B. H. has ever been brought to this town. A large stock

sold at the publisher's price. November 2, 1869. WANTED TO EXCHANGE. MY STORE HOUSE, STOCK OF GOODS, and the Business which has been successfully con-

cucted for years, in Boonsboro'. Washington county, Maryland, for a small FARM, well improved,

in the Valley of Virginia. Persons wishing to make

such an exchange, will please make immediate ap-plication to me. J. HORINE WEAST. Bomsboro, September 28, 1869. FOR THE CASH! FTER a year at the credit business I have de A termined to abandon it, and will, commencing from January 1st, 1870, dispose of goods for CASH. except to those who have paid me regularly at the expiration of thirty days. I hope none will take of-fence, but under no circumstances will the above be

W.S. MASON. January 4, 1870. SOMETHING NEW!

deviated from.

W E are now receiving an assortment of Ladies' Shoes, Button Gaiters and Balmorals, which, for Leauty and durability, cannot be surpassed. It is our determination to sell at a small profit for CASH, or short credit to punctual dealers, and we will guarantee our prices to be as low as the same qualities of goods can be bought for in any market. February 15, 1870. TRUSSELL & LUCAS. DISTOLS, Pistol Cartridges, Sporting and Blasting Powder, for sale by
Feb. 8. McCURDY & DUKE.

TO TRAVELLER

WINCHESTER AND POTOMACE. R. TIME TABLE.

larper's Ferry at 7 00, 8 35 A M, 1 30 P h benandeah at 7 04, 8 39 A M and 1 34 P l

TRAINS GOING EAST. TRAINS GOING EAST.

Leave Winchester at 10 50 A M and 3 55 P M.

Leave Stephenson's at 11 W A M and 3 55 P M.

Leave Opequon Bridge at 11 15 A M and 4 15 P M.

Leave Wadesville at 11 15 A M and 4 16 P M.

Leave Summit Point 11 29 A M and 4 38 P M.

Leave Cameron at 11 40 A M and 4 56 P M.

Leave Charlestown at 11 5 A M and 4 56 P M. cave Charlestown at 11 51 A M and 5 14 P. M. cave Halltown at 12 02 P M and 5 32 P M. cave Keyes' Switch at 12 08 P M and 5 41 P M cave Shenandoah at 12 16 P M and 5 45 P M.

The last Passenger Train East, due at Charles town at 5 14, will run m advance of time 15 min utes, so as to counect with the Cincinnati Expres East, which leaves Harper's Ferry at 5 49 sail). WINCHESTER ACCOMMODATION. COMMESCING MAY ISTH, 1868. Leaves Winchester - - 5 A.M

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Stopping at intermediate stations on Main Stem.
At B. WOOD, Agent, Harper's Ferry.
JOHN L. WILSON,

BALTIMORE & O. R. R. COMPANY. SCHEDULE of Passenger Trains arriving at the Harper's Ferry Station TRAINS BOUND EAST. Fast Line, Express Train, 5 48 P. M. TRAINS BOUND WEST.

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

For further Laborataion inquire as the Union. Harpers Ferry, Dec. 7, 1869. JAMES M. JOUNSTON, HAVING added some of the finest New Ma-chinery to the Shannondale Factory, now in use in the Valley of Virginia, is prepared, and will continue to manufacture

WOOLLEN GOODS, SUCH AS LINSEYS, FULLED ANDLPAID. CLOTES, : CASSIMERES AND TWEEDS. and with his improved and superior facilities, is satisfied that he will be able to offer to the public an article of GOODS, that cannot be surpassed, if equalled, by any other establishment.

17 Raltimore Prices paid for WOOL in Cash.

He solicits orders. March 19, 1858-17 JAS. M. JOHNSTON.

HARNESS, SADDLES AND BRIDLES MANUFACTURED OR REPAIRED. At Charlestown, Jefferson County, Virginia. THE undersigned respectfully announce es to the citizens of Charlestown and vicinity, that he is constantly making and repairing Carriage, Gig, Buggy, Coach and Wagon HARNESS, SADDLES, BRIDLES, HALTERS, &c., in the most durable manner, and the most modern style of workmanship, and at short notice

and upon "living" terms. My work commends itself. All I ask is a share of the public patronage.

(b Call upon me at my establishment on Market-House Square.

HENRY D. MIDDLEKAUFF. November 7, 1866-17 FRESH GARDEN, FLOWER, FRUIT,

Herb. Tree, Shrub and Evergreen Seeds.

with directions for culture, prepaid by mail. The most complete and jndicious assortment in the country. Agents wanted. 25 SORTS of either for \$1.00; prepaid by mail.

25 Also Small Fruits, Plants, Bulbs, all the new Potatoës, &c., prepaid by mail. 4 lbs. Early Rose Potato, prepaid, for \$1.00. Conover's Colossal Asparagus, \$3 per 100; \$25 per 1000, prepaid. New hardy fragrant ever-blooming Japon Honeysuckle, 50 cts each, prepaid. True Cape Cod Cranberry, for upland or lowland culture, \$1.00 per 100, prepaid, with directions. Priced Catalogue to any address, gratia; also trade list. Seeds on Commission.

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B. M. WATSON, Old Colony Nurseries and Seed
Warehouse, Plymouth, Mass. Established in 1842.

December 21, 1869 - 4m. NOTICE. PHE time has arrived for us to purchase our Fall and Winter Stock of Goods, and we must have the money now due us; and we give this notice to all persons who know themselves to be indebted to all persons who know include the secounts, on or before the first day of October next. Any one failing to do this we will certainly reluse any longer credit, and will insist upon immediate settlement of their ac-

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

HILLEARY, WILLSON & JOHNSON.
Summit Point, September 14, 1869. AVIS' LIQUOR STORE, Spirit Building, Charlestown, W. Va. THE BAR of this establishment is kept constant-ly supplied with the PUREST LIQUORS to be had, and the proprietor desires to call special atten

HOME-MADE WHISKEY manufactured by his father, at the Distillery on the Shenandoah river. This whiskey is entirely without adulteration, and is as pure an article as ever came from the still. It is offered in any quantity that purchasers may desire, and is warranted to be just as represented.

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

respect to persons, and no one need ask for credit. March 30, 1869-tf. JOHN R. AVIS. Our New Ploughs

WE are manufacturing a large lot of them, and we guarantee satisfaction in every case or no

WAIRICK & WELLER. January 4, 1870. NOTICE. HAVING resumed the practice of LAND SUR-VEYING, ENGINEERING AND CONVEY.

ANCING, and having associated my sen, J. M. D. Brown, with me in the business, we offer our nervices to my old patrons of Jefferson, Clarke, Frederick, Berkeley and Loudoun, and all others. I will also teach Phonography wherever a class can be formed, or to individuals, on reasonable terms. July 20, 1869-11. JAMES M. BROWN.
Free Press, Shepherdstown Register, and Clarko
Courier, insert 3 times and send bill to advertiser.

HUSBAND, WIFE, SON & DAUGHTER.

A N Law of the same state No. a mo For mending broken Glass, China, Marble, Porce-lain. Bone, Wood. Leather. Meerschaum, Ivory. Earthen Ware, Ficture Frames, or in fact anything

VASHTI, Miss Evans' last Novel. just published for sale by W. S. MASON.

JUST received a large stock of Smaking and Chewing Tobarco. Also a fine lot of Segara, Jan. 18. AlsQUITH & WASHINGTON.

January 11, 1870. W. S. MASON. COAL Hods for Morning Glory and Orienta Stoves, Lard Cans, French Muffin Pans, Galv vanized Iron—a new article, cheap and durable; Water Buckets, for sale by McCURDY & DUKE.